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# Non-right-angle triangles

(9 – 1) Topic booklet

## Higher

These questions have been collated from previous years GCSE Mathematics papers.

**You must have:** Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, protractor, pair of compasses, pen, HB pencil, eraser.

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Diagrams are NOT accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out.**
- If the question is a **1H** question you are not allowed to use a calculator.
- If the question is a **2H** or a **3H** question, you may use a calculator to help you answer.

### Information

- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

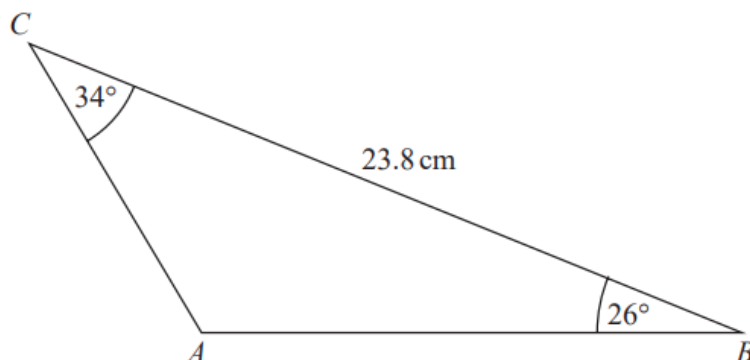
### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

**Answer ALL questions**  
**Write your answers in the space provided.**  
**You must write down all the stages in your working.**



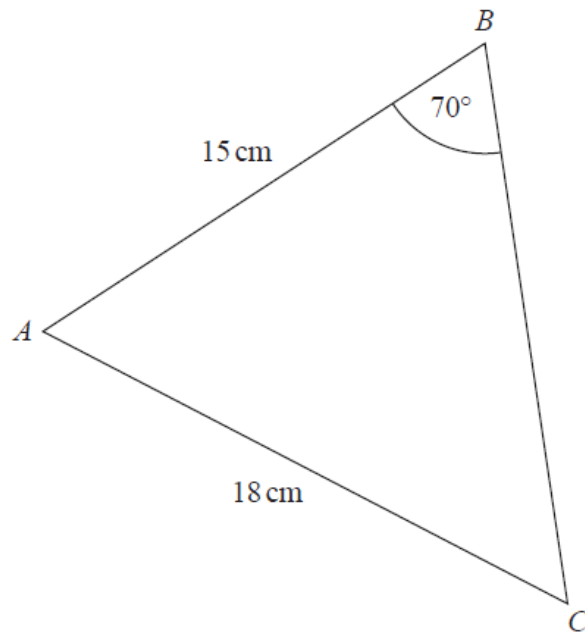
**13** Here is triangle  $ABC$ .



Work out the length of  $AB$ .  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

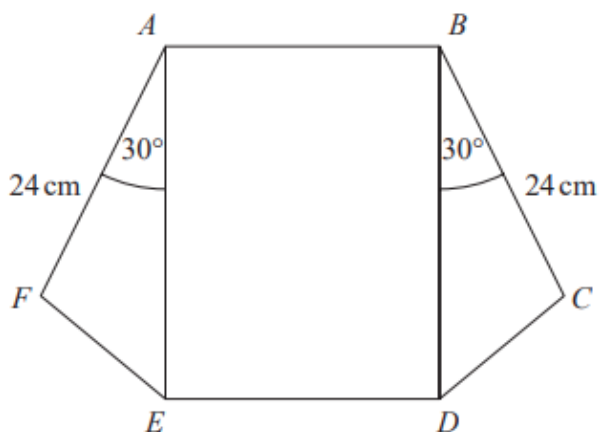
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13  $ABC$  is a triangle.



Calculate the size of angle  $BAC$ .  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

14 The diagram shows a rectangle,  $ABDE$ , and two congruent triangles,  $AFE$  and  $BCD$ .



area of rectangle  $ABDE$  = area of triangle  $AFE$  + area of triangle  $BCD$

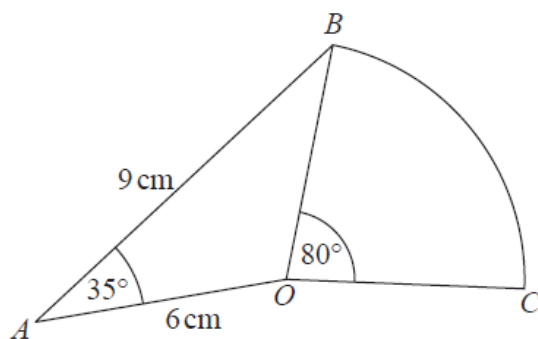
$$AB : AE = 1 : 3$$

Work out the length of  $AE$ .

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14  $OAB$  is a triangle.

$OBC$  is a sector of a circle, centre  $O$ .

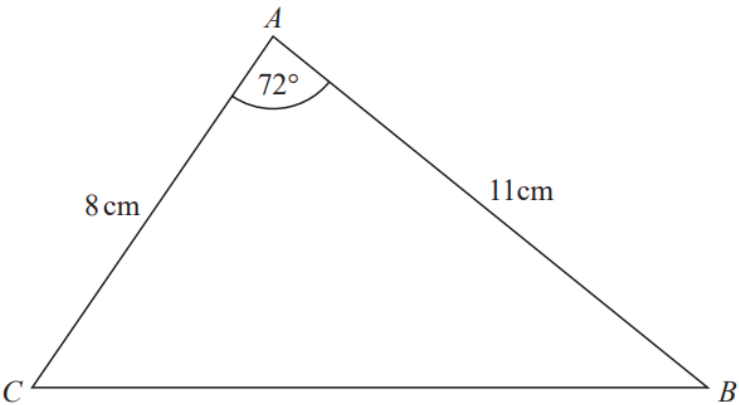


Calculate the area of  $OBC$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

.....  $\text{cm}^2$

15 Here is triangle  $ABC$ .

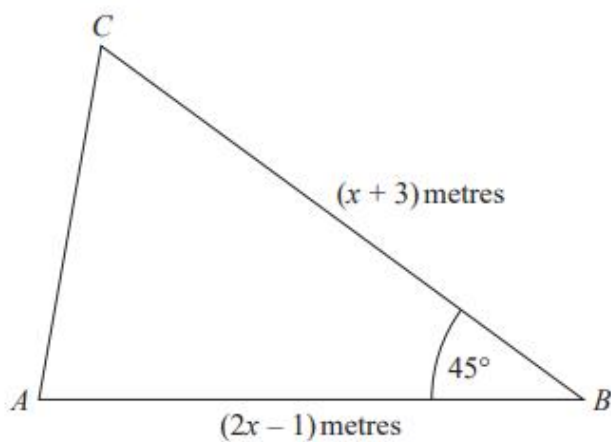


- (a) Find the length of  $BC$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

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(3)

- (b) Find the area of triangle  $ABC$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

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(2)

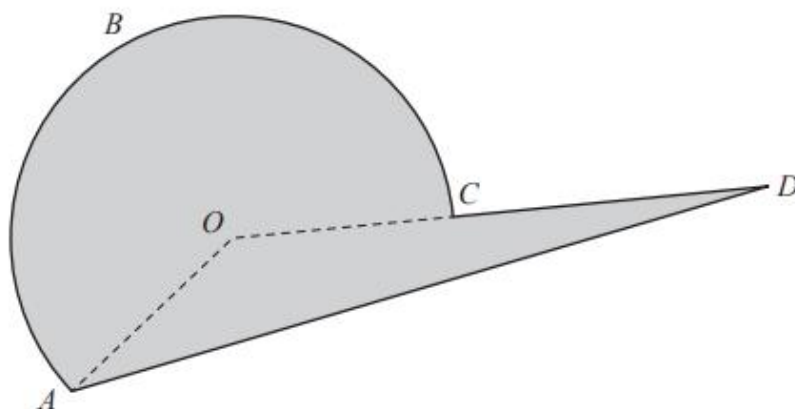


The area of triangle  $ABC$  is  $6\sqrt{2} \text{ m}^2$ .

Calculate the value of  $x$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

16 Here is a shaded shape  $ABCD$ .



The shape is made from a triangle and a sector of a circle, centre  $O$  and radius 6 cm.  
 $OCD$  is a straight line.

$$AD = 14 \text{ cm}$$

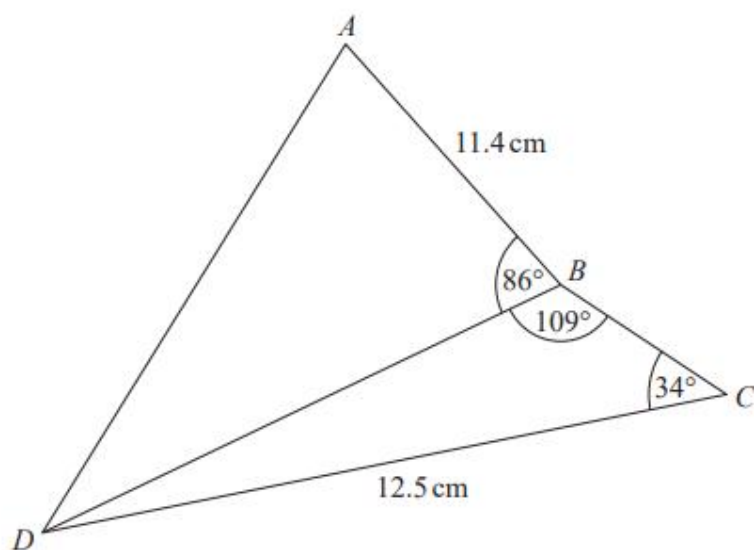
$$\text{Angle } AOD = 140^\circ$$

$$\text{Angle } OAD = 24^\circ$$

Calculate the perimeter of the shape.

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

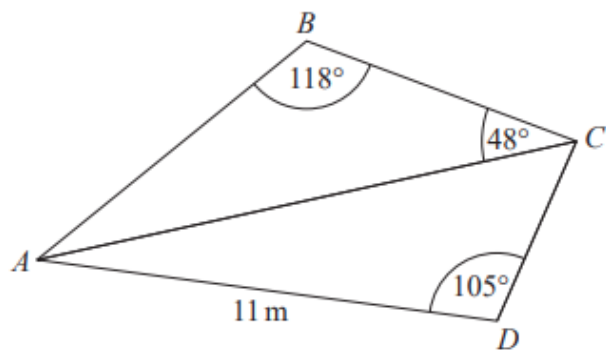
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Work out the length of  $AD$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

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17  $ABC$  and  $ADC$  are triangles.

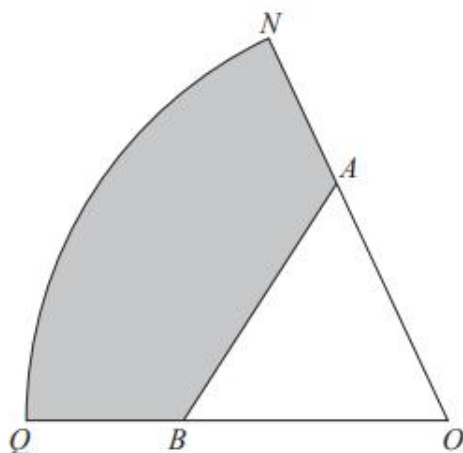


The area of triangle  $ADC$  is  $56\text{ m}^2$

Work out the length of  $AB$ .

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

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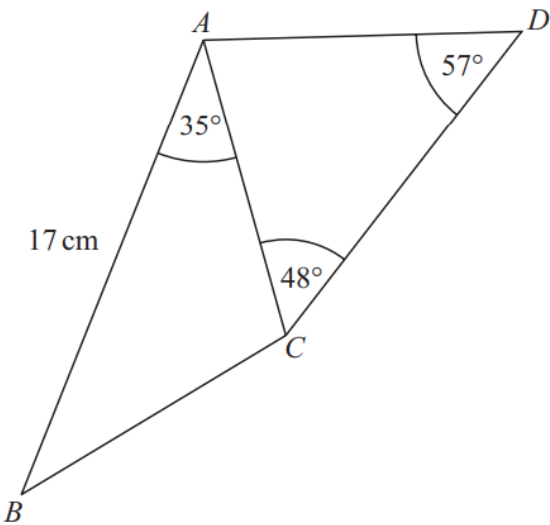


$ONQ$  is a sector of a circle with centre  $O$  and radius 11 cm.

$A$  is the point on  $ON$  and  $B$  is the point on  $OQ$  such that  $AOB$  is an equilateral triangle of side 7 cm.

Calculate the area of the shaded region as a percentage of the area of the sector  $ONQ$ .  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

18  $ABCD$  is a quadrilateral.



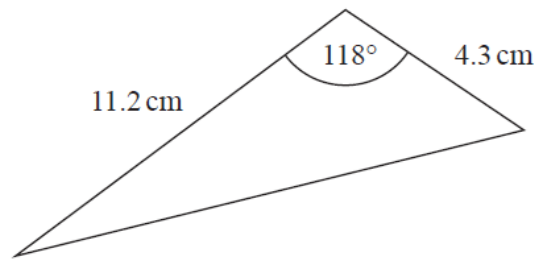
The area of triangle  $ABC$  is  $54\text{ cm}^2$

Calculate the area of triangle  $ACD$ .

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

.....  $\text{cm}^2$

**18** Here is a triangle.



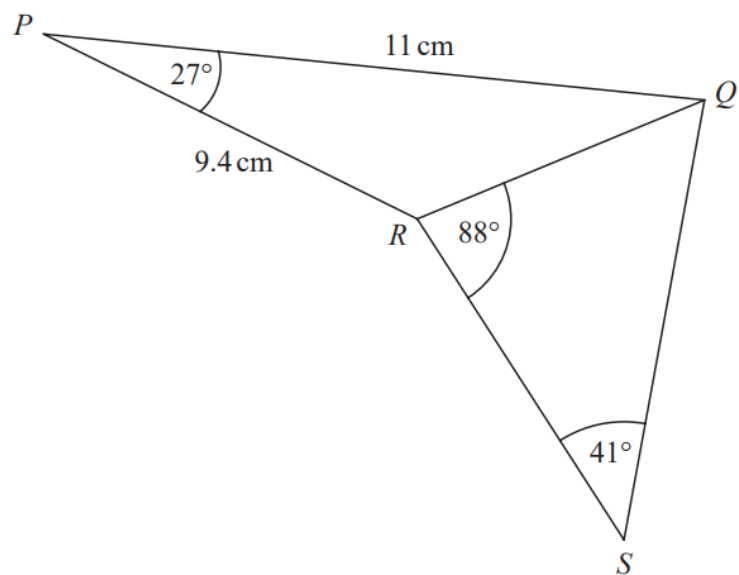
Work out the area of the triangle.  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

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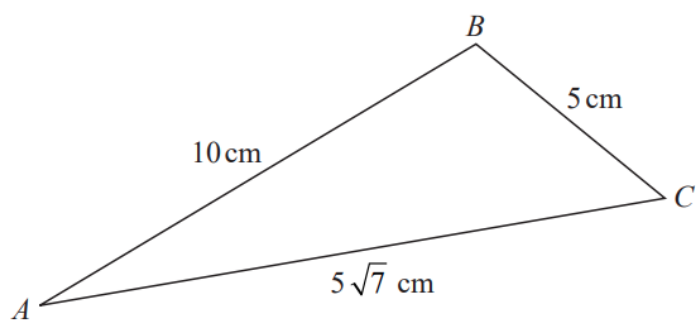
18  $PQR$  and  $QRS$  are triangles.



Calculate the length of  $QS$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.  
You must show all your working.

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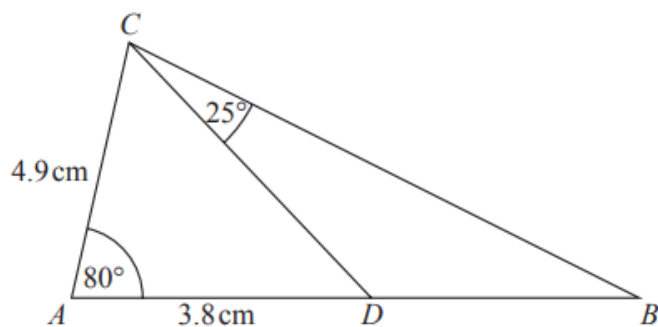
20 Here is triangle  $ABC$ .



Find the size of angle  $ABC$ .  
You must show all your working.

o

21



$ABC$  is a triangle.  
 $D$  is a point on  $AB$ .

Work out the area of triangle  $BCD$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

.....  $\text{cm}^2$

**21** In triangle  $RPQ$ ,

$$RP = 8.7 \text{ cm}$$

$$PQ = 5.2 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Angle } PRQ = 32^\circ$$



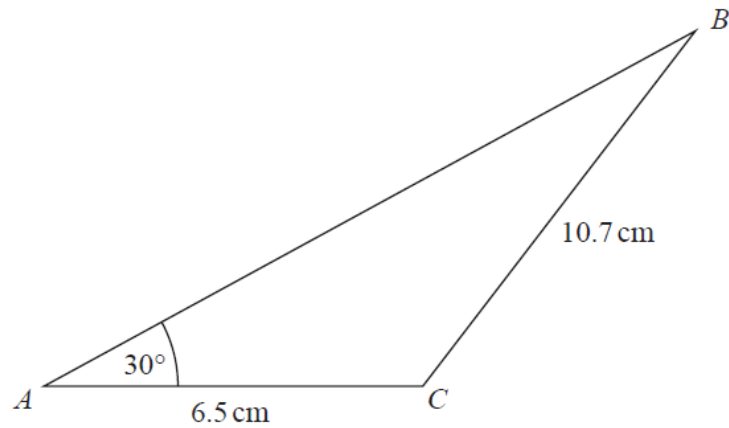
- (a) Assuming that angle  $PQR$  is an acute angle,  
calculate the area of triangle  $RPQ$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

.....cm<sup>2</sup>  
(4)

- (b) If you did not know that angle  $PQR$  is an acute angle, what effect would this have on  
your calculation of the area of triangle  $RPQ$ ?

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(1)

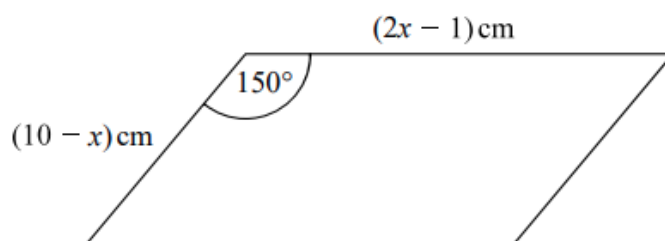
**22** Here is a triangle  $ABC$ .



Work out the value of  $\sin ABC$

Give your answer in the form  $\frac{m}{n}$  where  $m$  and  $n$  are integers.

**23** The diagram shows a parallelogram.



The area of the parallelogram is greater than  $15\text{ cm}^2$

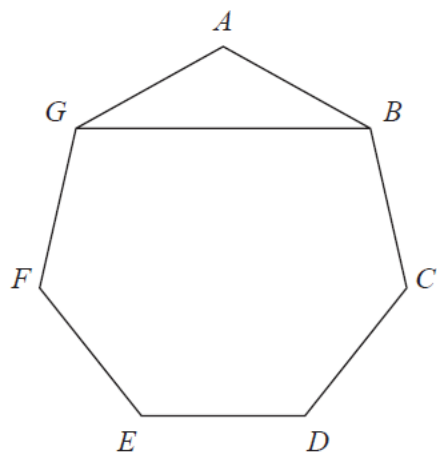
(a) Show that  $2x^2 - 21x + 40 < 0$

(3)

(b) Find the range of possible values of  $x$ .

(3)

26  $ABCDEFG$  is a regular heptagon.



The area of triangle  $ABG$  is  $30\text{ cm}^2$

Calculate the length of  $GB$ .  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.  
You must show all your working.

..... cm