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Non Common Entrance Examination 2013 Fourth Form Entry

Mathematics

Section A: 30 minutes No calculators allowed

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Section A NO CALCULATORS

- 1. Work out:
 - (a) 6.91 + 39.5
 - (b) 68 × 39

(c) 0.12×0.8

- (d) 1169.6 ÷ 8
- (e) $14 + 8 \div 2 2 \times 5$
- (f) 84 % of 80

(g)
$$\frac{7}{12} + \frac{3}{8}$$

(h)
$$4\frac{1}{6} \div 1\frac{2}{3}$$

- 2. If a = 3, b = -5, and c = -2, find the value of the following expressions:
 - (a) *ab*
 - (b) *b*²
 - (c) 2a + b c
 - (d) $(abc)^2$
- 3. Simplify these expressions, removing the brackets where appropriate:
 - (a) 7(x-4)
 - (b) $ab^2c \times a^2b^3$

(c)
$$\frac{36p^3q^4}{12p^2}$$

(d)
$$4 - 3(y - 2)$$

- 4. Factorise these expressions completely:
 - (a) $5x 18x^2$
 - (b) $3y^2 + 15xy$
 - (c) $x^2 8x + 15$

5. Find the value of *x* in the following equations:

(a)
$$3x + 17 = 50$$

(b)
$$3x + 4(x - 3) = 37$$

(c)
$$2x^2 = 72$$

(d)
$$5x - 4 = 8 - 3x$$

(e)
$$\frac{3.6}{x} = 0.6$$

- 6. Fill in the next three terms of the following sequences:
 - (a) 4, 7, 10, 13,
 (b) 95, 87, 79, 71,
 (c) 32, 16, 8, 4,
 (d) 2, 3, 5, 7, 11,
 (e) Find the nth term for sequence (b) above. Give your answer in terms of n.



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Section B You may use a calculator for this section.

- 7. A chocolate cake recipe contains several ingredients, including cocoa powder and butter. All the ingredients used together weigh 580g. The ratio of cocoa : butter : other ingredients is 1 : 3 : 16.
 - (a) How much butter is in the cake?
 - (b) If there is 261g of flour in the cake, what is the ratio of flour to butter?

- 8. (a) If I score 38 out of 75 in a Chemistry test, what percentage did I score? Give your answer correct to one decimal place.
 - (b) Decrease £820 by 12.5%.
 - (c) If my weight increased from 67 kg to 71.5 kg, what is the percentage increase? Give your answer correct to one decimal place.
 - (d) The height of my dog has increased by 15% over the last year and is now 73.6 cm. What was its height a year ago?

- 9. A model car travels 1.8 km in 36 minutes.
 - (a) How long would it take to travel 1 km?
 - (b) What is its speed in metres per second?

10. In the following triangles find the values of x, y and z.



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11. If *m* and *n* are prime numbers, and

 $m^2 n^3 = 108$

Find the values of *m* and *n*.

12. A factorial (which has a symbol !) can be defined as follows:

 $6! = 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$

 $10! = 10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1$

Work out the following:

- (a) 5!
- (b) 6! 5!
- (c) $\frac{8!}{6!}$
- (d) $\frac{100!}{99!2!}$

(e)
$$\frac{(x+1)!}{x!}$$