

# TENTH YEAR MATHEMATICS—JUNE 1958 (1)

## Part I

Answer all questions in this part. Each correct answer will receive 2 credits. No partial credit will be allowed. Unless otherwise specified, answers may be left in terms of  $\pi$  or in radical form.

1. In parallelogram  $ABCD$ , angle  $A$  is  $35^\circ$ . Find the number of degrees in angle  $B$ .
2. Find the area of an equilateral triangle whose side is 2.
3. Two sides of a parallelogram are 6 and 10. If the included angle is  $30^\circ$ , find the area of the parallelogram.
4. A base angle of an isosceles triangle is twice the vertex angle. Find the number of degrees in the vertex angle.
5. A chord 8 inches long is 3 inches from the center of a circle. Find the number of inches in the length of the radius of the circle.
6. The diagonals of a rhombus are  $3x$  and  $4x$ . If the area of the rhombus is 96, find  $x$ .
7. Diameter  $DC$  of a circle is perpendicular to a chord  $AB$ . If arc  $AC = 50^\circ$ , find the number of degrees in arc  $BD$ .
8. Given points  $A(8, -3)$  and  $B(6, 5)$ . Find the coordinates of the midpoint of  $AB$ .
9. Write an equation of the locus of points whose ordinates are 2 more than three times their abscissas.
10. The ratio of the corresponding sides of two similar triangles is 2:3. Find the ratio of the area of the smaller triangle to the area of the larger triangle.
11. The sides of a triangle are 6, 8 and 10. Find the smallest side of a similar triangle whose perimeter is 16.
12. The angle of a sector of a circle is  $40^\circ$  and the area of the circle is  $81\pi$ . Find the area of the sector.
13. In right triangle  $ABC$ , angle  $C = 90^\circ$ , angle  $B = 54^\circ$  and  $BC = 8$ . Find  $AC$  to the nearest integer.
14. A regular hexagon is inscribed in a circle whose radius is 4. Find the perimeter of the hexagon.
15. The sum of the angles of a polygon is  $1440^\circ$ . Find the number of sides in the polygon.
16. Find the radius of a circle whose center is at  $(0, 0)$  and which passes through the point  $(5, -12)$ .
17. Two tangents to a circle from a point outside intercept a minor arc of  $110^\circ$ . Find the number of degrees in the angle formed by the tangents.
18. In circle  $O$ , chords  $AB$  and  $CD$  intersect at  $E$ . If  $AE = 3$ ,  $EB = 4$  and  $EC = 6$ , find  $DE$ .

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*Directions (19-24):* Indicate the correct completion for *each* of the following by writing the letter *a*, *b*, or *c* on the line at the right.

19. John proved that if two straight lines are crossed by a transversal making a pair of alternate interior angles equal, the lines are parallel. He said, "If that is true, then it is also true that if two parallel lines are crossed by a transversal, the alternate interior angles are equal." He was (a) making a generalization (b) reasoning from a converse (c) using circular reasoning

20. Given the following theorems:

(1) An angle inscribed in a circle is measured by one-half the intercepted arc.

(2) An angle formed by two chords intersecting within a circle is measured by one-half the sum of the intercepted arcs.

(3) An exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the two nonadjacent (remote) interior angles of the triangle.

A logical sequence in which the theorems above can be proved is (a) 1, 2, 3 (b) 2, 3, 1 (c) 3, 1, 2

21. Two exterior angles of a triangle may both be (a) acute (b) right (c) obtuse

22. A circle can be circumscribed about any polygon that is (a) equilateral (b) equiangular (c) regular

23. In a circle, an inscribed angle and a central angle intercept the same arc. The ratio of the number of degrees in the inscribed angle to the number of degrees in the central angle is (a) 1:2 (b) 1:1 (c) 2:1

24. The triangle  $ABC$  is an acute scalene triangle. The shortest line from  $A$  to  $BC$  is (a)  $AC$  (b) the altitude to  $BC$  (c) the median to  $BC$

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25. Given point  $A$  and line  $BC$ , construct a line from  $A$  perpendicular to  $BC$ .

B—————C

### Part II

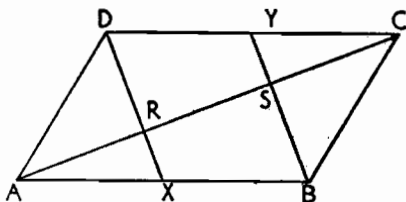
*Answer three questions from this part.*

26. Prove: An angle formed by a tangent and a secant is measured by one-half the difference of the intercepted arcs. [10]

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27. In the figure,  $AC$  is a diagonal of parallelogram  $ABCD$ . A perpendicular line from  $D$  to  $AC$  intersects  $AC$  at  $R$  and is extended to meet  $AB$  at  $X$ . A perpendicular line from  $B$  to  $AC$  intersects  $AC$  at  $S$  and is extended to meet  $DC$  at  $Y$ . Prove:

- Triangle  $ARD$  is congruent to triangle  $BSC$  [5]
- $AX = YC$  [5]



28. In isosceles triangle  $ABC$ ,  $D$  and  $E$  are the midpoints of the equal sides  $AB$  and  $AC$ , respectively. Prove:

- $2AB > BC$  [5]
- $AB > DE$  [5]

29. Prove: If, in a right triangle, the altitude is drawn upon the hypotenuse, (a) one triangle thus formed is similar to the given triangle and (b) one leg of the given triangle is the mean proportional between the hypotenuse and the projection of that leg on the hypotenuse. [6, 4]

30. Draw two lines  $AB$  and  $CD$  which intersect at  $E$ . Take  $P$ , a point on  $EB$ .

- Construct the locus of points equidistant from  $AB$  and  $CD$ . [4]
- Construct the locus of points at a fixed distance  $k$  from  $P$ , where  $k > EP$ . [2]
- Indicate by  $Q$ ,  $R$ , etc., all the points that satisfy both conditions given in *a* and *b*. [2]
- If  $k$  is equal to  $EP$ , the number of different points which are at a distance  $k$  from  $P$  and also equidistant from  $AB$  and  $CD$  is (1) 1 (2) 0 (3) 3 [2]

\*31. The vertices of quadrilateral  $ABCD$  are  $A(-5, -5)$ ,  $B(15, 5)$ ,  $C(4, 5)$  and  $D(-2, 2)$ .

- Prove by means of slopes that  $DC$  is parallel to  $AB$ . [7]
- Write an equation of line  $BC$ . [3]

\* This question is based on one of the optional topics in the syllabus and may be used in place of any question in either part II or part III.

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Part III

Answer two questions from this part. Show all work.

32. In trapezoid  $ABCD$ ,  $AB$  is the longer base and  $DC$  is the shorter base. Angle  $A$  is  $67^\circ$  and angle  $B$  is  $90^\circ$ .  $DC$  is 12.0 and the leg adjacent to angle  $A$  is 8.0.
- Find, to the nearest tenth, the altitude of the trapezoid. [3]
  - Find, to the nearest integer, the longer base of the trapezoid. [5]
  - Using the answers found in parts  $a$  and  $b$ , find, to the nearest integer, the area of the trapezoid. [2]
33. At  $A$  on circle  $O$ , tangent  $PA$  is drawn.  $PCD$  is a secant which passes through  $O$ .  $PA = x$ ,  $PC = 2$  and  $PD = x + 4$ .
- Write an equation that can be used to solve for  $x$ . [2]
  - Find the length of the tangent. [5]
  - Find the radius of the circle. [3]
34.  $a$ . Find the length of an arc of  $45^\circ$  on a circle whose radius is 8. [2]
- $b$ . On another circle, an arc of  $60^\circ$  has the same length as the arc of  $45^\circ$  found in part  $a$ . Find the radius of this circle. [5]
- $c$ . Find the ratio of the area of the smaller circle to the area of the larger circle. [3]
35.  $a$ . Given the vertices  $R(9, 10)$ ,  $S(13, 2)$ ,  $T(-3, -6)$ , draw triangle  $RST$ . [2]
- $b$ . Show that  $\triangle RST$  is a right triangle. [5]
- $c$ . Find the coordinates of the center of the circle which circumscribes  $\triangle RST$ . [3]