## **SPM Model Paper**

## Paper 1

- 1 0.4685 = 0.47 (correct to 2 significant figures) Answer: C
- **2**  $0.0000307 = 3.07 \times 10^{-5}$ Answer: **B**
- **3**  $4.2 \times 10^{15} + 5.3 \times 10^{14}$  $= 4.2 \times 10^{14} \times 10^{1} + 5.3 \times 10^{14}$  $= 42 \times 10^{14} + 5.3 \times 10^{14}$  $=(42+5.3)\times10^{14}$  $=47.3 \times 10^{14}$  $=4.73 \times 10 \times 10^{14}$  $=4.73 \times 10^{15}$ 
  - Answer: C

4 Volume of water

$$= \frac{60}{100} (900 \times 600 \times 300)$$
  
= 9.72 × 10<sup>7</sup>  
Answer: C

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	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>0</sup>
	1	1	0	0	1
	$\frac{2^1}{1}$	$\frac{2^0}{1}$			
	$11001_2 = 11_2 = 2$	$= 2^4 + 2^4 + 2^4 + 1 = 3^4$	$2^3 + 1 =$	= 25	
	11001 <sub>2</sub> - ∴ 11001	$-11_{2} = 2$ 2 2 2 2 2 $1_{2} - 11_{2}$	25 - 3 22 1 11 - 5 2 - 1 1 - 5 2 - 2 1 - 5 2 - 5	$= 22$ Remain $-0  -1 \\ -1 \\ -0 \\ -1 \\ 10_{2}$	nder
6	Answer: $5^{2}$ $123_{5} = 2$ $123_{5} = 4$	$\begin{array}{c} 5^{1} \\ \hline 2 \\ 25 + 10 \\ \hline 8 \\ \hline 8 \\ \hline 46_{8} \end{array}$	$5^{0}$ $3$ $+ 3 = 2$ $38$ $4$ $0$	38 Remair - 6 ▲ - 4	ıder
	Answer:	B			

7 The sum of interior angles of a regular pentagon =  $(5-2) \times 180^{\circ} = 540^{\circ}$ Each interior angle =  $\frac{540^{\circ}}{5} = 108^{\circ}$  $\angle OPU = 108^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} - 29^{\circ} = 19^{\circ}$ 

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$$\angle QUP = 180^{\circ} - 19^{\circ} - 108^{\circ} = 53^{\circ}$$

QUR is a straight line. Hence, x = 180 - 60 - 53 = 67Answer: C

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$$\angle KOM = 2 \times \angle KNM = 2 \times 40^{\circ} = 80^{\circ}$$
$$\angle OKL = 90^{\circ}$$
Sum of interior angles of a quadrilateral
$$= 360^{\circ}$$
$$\angle OML = 360^{\circ} - 90^{\circ} - 80^{\circ} - 45^{\circ} =$$
$$145^{\circ}$$

Hence,  $x = 180^{\circ} - 145^{\circ} = 35^{\circ}$ Answer: A





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- **13** The trigonometric function of the given graph is  $y = \sin 2x + 1$ *Answer*: **C**
- 14 The taxes imposed by the State Government are property assessment tax and quit rent *Answer*: A
- **15** Insurance company manage to pay high compensations although the premiums collected from policyholders are low. The principle used is the risk accumulation principle.

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 $\tan 45^{\circ} = \frac{35}{BC}$   $BC = \frac{35}{\tan 45^{\circ}}$   $BC = \frac{35}{1}$  BC = 35 m  $\tan \angle ADB = \frac{35}{35 + 10}$   $\tan \angle ADB = \frac{35}{45}$   $\angle ADB = 37^{\circ}52'$ Answer: A

	Vertex	Degree			
	Р	10			
	Q	3			
	R	5			
	S	2			
	Sum	20			
Answer: <b>D</b>					

**18** The contrapositive for the implication "If  $y > \frac{7}{5}$ , then  $y > \frac{3}{5}$ , is 'If  $y \le \frac{3}{5}$ ,

then 
$$y \le \frac{7}{5}$$
.  
Answer: D

19 Variance

$$= \frac{\sum x^2}{n} - \left(\frac{\sum x}{n}\right)^2$$
$$= \frac{1544}{10} - \left(\frac{110}{10}\right)^2$$
$$= 33.4$$
Answer: **D**

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$$\frac{d-2}{d} - \frac{2(d-3)}{d^2}$$
$$= \frac{d(d-2) - 2d + 6}{d^2}$$
$$= \frac{d^2 - 2d - 2d + 6}{d^2}$$
$$= \frac{d^2 - 4d + 6}{d^2}$$
Answer: C

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$$P = 5\sqrt{\frac{1}{R+Q}}$$

$$P^{2} = \frac{25}{R+Q}$$

$$RP^{2} + QP^{2} = 25$$

$$RP^{2} = 25 - QP^{2}$$

$$R = \frac{25 - QP^{2}}{P^{2}}$$

$$R = \frac{25}{P^{2}} - Q$$

Answer: **B** 

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$$2(3-k) = \frac{8k-5}{2}$$
  
 $4(3-k) = 8k-5$   
 $12-4k = 8k-5$   
 $8k+4k = 12+5$   
 $12k = 17$   
 $k = \frac{17}{12}$   
Answer: A

**23** 
$$\frac{1}{a^b} = 5^{-3}$$
  
 $\frac{1}{a^b} = \frac{1}{5^3}$   
 $a = 5$  and  $b = 3$   
*Answer*: **D**

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$$\frac{\left(n^{4}h^{8}\right)^{-1}}{n^{-6}h^{7}}$$
  
=  $\frac{n^{-4}h^{-8}}{n^{-6}h^{7}}$   
=  $n^{-4+6}h^{-8-7}$   
=  $n^{2}h^{-15}$   
Answer: B  
25  $3x-5 \ge 7$   
 $3x \ge 7+5$   
 $3x \ge 12$   
 $x \ge 4$   
 $6-x > -4$   
 $-x > -4-6$   
 $x < 4+6$   
 $x < 10$   
Answer: A

- 26 The difference between the number of gold medals and silver medals = 2 Total medals = 6 + 8 + 4 = 18Angle of the sector =  $\frac{2}{18} \times 360^{\circ} = 40^{\circ}$ Answer: C
- **27** The maximum value of *p* is 9. *Answer*: B

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$$y = -x^2 + 2x + 3$$
  
The shape of the curve  
is .

The *y*-intercept is 3. y = 0  $-x^{2} + 2x + 3 = 0$   $x^{2} - 2x - 3 = 0$ (x - 3)(x + 1) = 0

$$x - -3$$
 or  $x = 1$ 

The curve passes through the points (-3, 0) and (1, 0). *Answer*: B

**29** *H*′ = {3, 4, 7} *Answer*: C

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31 *n*(English and Mathematics societies) 3 + 3x = 93x = 6x = 2n(two societies only) = 2x + 6 + 3x= 2(2) + 6 + 3(2)= 16 Answer: C 32 y = mx + c $n = \frac{6-4}{5-(-1)} = \frac{1}{3}$  $y = \frac{1}{2}x + c$ For the point W(5, 6),  $6 = \frac{1}{3}(5) + c$  $c = \frac{13}{3}$  $y = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{13}{3}$ 3y = x + 133y - x = 13Answer: A

**33** Interquartile range = 64-52= 12Answer: **C** 

34 Number of yellow cards

$$= \frac{1}{6} \times 48 = 8$$
 pieces  
Let the number of yellow cards that need  
to be added = x

 $P(yellow) = \frac{4}{9}$  $\frac{8+x}{48+x} = \frac{4}{9}$ 72+9x = 192+4x5x = 120x = 24Answer: C

35 P(not red) =  $\frac{9}{16}$ Answer: D

**36** *R* ∝ *S* R = kS [k is a constant.] Given R = 18 and S = 12, 18 = k(12) $k = \frac{18}{12} = \frac{3}{2}$  $R = \frac{3}{2}S$ Given R = 54 and S = x,  $54 = \frac{3}{2}x$  $x = \frac{2}{3}(54)$ x = 36Answer: A **37**  $y \propto \frac{1}{x^3}$  $y = \frac{k}{r^3}$  (k is a constant.) Given  $y = \frac{1}{128}$  when x = 4,  $\frac{1}{128} = \frac{k}{4^3}$  $k = \frac{64}{128}$  $k = \frac{1}{2}$ Thus,  $y = \frac{1}{2x^3}$ When  $y = \frac{1}{54}$ ,  $\frac{1}{54} = \frac{1}{2x^3}$  $2x^3 = 54$  $x^3 = 27$ x = 3Answer: C **38**  $P \propto \frac{H^2}{\sqrt{N}}$  $P = \frac{kH^2}{\sqrt{N}}$  (k is a constant.) Given P = 24 when N = 36 and H = 4,  $24 = \frac{\left(4^2\right)k}{\sqrt{36}}$  $24 = \frac{16k}{6}$ 

 $k = \frac{24 \times 6}{16}$ 

k = 9

Answer: A  
**39** 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 \\ -3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$
  
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 4 \times 1 + (-4) \\ 2 + 3(-4) \\ -3 + 0 \end{pmatrix}$   
 $= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -10 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$   
Answer: **B**

$$40 \quad MV = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} = 1\ 077\ 484$$
$$800\ 000\left(1 + \frac{r}{4}\right)^{4(5)} = 1\ 077\ 484$$
$$\left(1 + \frac{r}{4}\right)^{20} = \frac{1\ 077\ 484}{800\ 000}$$
$$\left(1 + \frac{r}{4}\right) = \left(\frac{1\ 077\ 484}{800\ 000}\right)^{\frac{1}{20}}$$
$$1 + \frac{r}{4} = 1.015$$
$$\frac{r}{4} = 0.015$$
$$r = 0.06\ (6\ \%)$$

Answer: A

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## Paper 2

1 (a)  $c \propto np$ c = knp (k is a constant.) Given  $n = 10\ 000$ , p = 240 and  $c = 50\ 000,$ 50 000 =  $k(10 \ 000) (240)$  $k = \frac{50\ 000}{(10\ 000)\ (240)} = \frac{1}{48}$  $c = \frac{1}{48}np$ (b) Given  $c = 900\ 000$  and p = 480, 900 000 =  $\frac{1}{48}(480)n$  $n = \frac{900\ 000\ \times 48}{}$ 480  $n = 90\ 000\ books$ 2 y = x4 x + y = 4x = 42 0 4 2  $3 \quad \frac{x-1}{6} - \frac{2x-1}{5x} = 0$  $\frac{x-1}{6} = \frac{2x-1}{5x}$  $5x^2 - 5x = 12x - 6$  $5x^2 - 17x + 6 = 0$ (5x-2)(x-3) = 0 $x = \frac{2}{5}$  or 3

5 (a) P(moving the chip one box to the right) =  $\frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$ 

P(Moving the chip one box to the left) =  $\frac{2}{2}$ 

$$=\overline{3}$$

P(moving the chip three boxes to the right)  $1 \quad 1 \quad 1$ 

 $= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$  $= \frac{1}{27}$ 

(b) P(moving the chip one box to the right and two boxes to the left) + P(moving the chip two boxes to the left and one box to the right)

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3}$$
$$= \frac{8}{27}$$

**6** (a) 
$$(3, -1) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{T}} (5, -6) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{P}} (-5, -6)$$
  
(b)  $(1, 2) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{E}} (3, 6) \xrightarrow{\mathbf{R}} (6, -3)$ 



(a) 
$$\sin x^{\circ} = -\frac{24}{25}$$
  
(b)  $\tan y^{\circ} = -\frac{30}{12} = -\frac{5}{2}$ 



 $(A \cap B)' \cap C$  lies outside of  $A \cap B$  but inside the set C.



 $C = \{IV, V, VI, VII\}$   $A' \cup C = \{III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII\}$   $B = \{II, III, IV, VI\}$  $(A' \cup C) \cap B = \{III, IV, VI\}$ 



(a) (i) Total number of vertices = 6
(ii) Total number of edges = 9
(b) Number of edges extra by 4.

The sides *BD*, *CD*, *AF* and *FD* have to be removed.

The required tree is as follows:



**10** (a) The insurance company will only pay compensation for the repair expenses of the car Henry hits.

(b) Sum of tax relief = Sum of incomes – Taxable income Rebate = Total income tax – Sum of tax payable







(b) The number of workers who like to drink all three types of drinks is 12.



v = Maximum speed of the express commuter Q

$$v = \frac{8-3}{\left(\frac{2-4}{60}\right)} = -150 \text{ km h}^{-1}, \text{ i.e. } 150 \text{ km h}^{-1} \text{ from town } C \text{ to town } A.$$

(b) (i) Distance in the first h seconds = 120 m

$$\frac{1}{2}(25+15)(h) = 120$$
$$20h = 120$$
$$h = 6$$

(ii) Acceleration = Gradient

$$3 = \frac{k - 15}{10 - 6}$$
$$12 = k - 15$$
$$k = 27$$



(c) Rotation of  $180^{\circ}$  about the centre (4, 6)

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Height (cm)	Number of males (f <u>)</u>	Upper boundary	Cumulative frequency	Midpoint (x)	fx	$fx^2$
159 - 160	0	160.5	0			
161 - 162	1	162.5	1	161.5	161.5	26 082.25
163 - 164	2	164.5	3	163.5	327.0	53 464.5
165 - 166	2	166.5	5	165.5	331.0	54 780.5
167 - 168	3	168.5	8	167.5	502.5	84 168.75
169 - 170	5	170.5	13	169.5	847.5	143 651.25
171 - 172	4	172.5	17	171.5	686.0	117 649
173 - 174	2	174.5	19	173.5	347.0	60 204.5
175 - 176	1	176.5	20	175.5	175.5	30 800.25
Sum	20				3378.0	570 801

Table L

Height (cm)	Number of females (f <u>)</u>	Upper boundary	Cumulative frequency	Midpoint (x)	fx	$fx^2$
134 - 135	0	135.5	0			
136 - 137	2	137.5	2	136.5	273.0	37 264.5
138 - 139	3	139.5	5	138.5	415.5	57 546.75
140 - 141	4	141.5	9	140.5	562.0	78 961
142 - 143	5	143.5	14	142.5	712.5	101 531.25
144 - 145	4	145.5	18	144.5	578.0	83 521
146 - 147	2	147.5	20	146.5	293.0	42 924.5
Sum	20				2 834	401 749

Table P





Both median and standard deviation of the of the height distribution of the male participants are greater than the median and standard deviation of the height distribution of the female participants *Conclusion*:

The average height achieve by the male participants is higher than that of the female participants. The height distribution achieved by the male participants is more widely dispersed compared to that of the female participants.

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