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SUPPLEMENTARY / SECOND OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER	
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INSTRUCTIONS
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Answer ALL the questions in the answer sheet.2. QUESTION 1 of this question paper entail multiple choice questions with options A to D. Write down the letter corresponding to the best option for each question.3. For QUESTION 2 indicate whether the given mathematical statements are true (T) or false (F).4. QUESTION 3 show clearly all the steps used in the calculations.

PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS

1. Non-programmable calculator without a cover.

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1.8 A group of workers is digging a trench. When there are 6 workers, the length of the trench they can dig is 18 meters in 1 day. All the workers dig at the same rate. Work out the length of the trench 1 worker could dig in 1 day? [3]

- A. 4m B. 3m C. 0.33m D. 6m

1.9 Let sets $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $B = \{3, 4, 5\}$. Find the symmetric difference $A \oplus B$. [3]

- A. $\{1, 2\}$ B. $\{1, 2, 4, 5\}$ C. $\{4, 3\}$ D. $\{2, 5, 1, 4, 3\}$

1.10 Determine the sum of the series $\sum_{n=1}^5 (1+n)$. [3]

- A. 6 B. 17 C. 20 D. 25

QUESTION 2 [10 MARKS]

Indicate whether the given mathematical statements are true (T) or false (F)

2.1 The number 0.51×10^{-3} is in standard form. [2]

2.2 The expression $\ln e \sqrt{x^3}$ simplifies to $x^{\frac{3}{2}}$. [2]

2.3 The expression $16p^4 - 81q^8$ can be factorised fully as $4p^2 - 9q^4$ [2]

2.4 $\sqrt[3]{a} + \sqrt[3]{b} = \sqrt[3]{a+b}$ [2]

2.5 $\log(x^2) = (\log x)^2$ [2]

QUESTION 3 [60 MARKS] (Clearly show all your work)

3.1 Use Cramer's Rule to solve the following linear equations: [5]
 $x + 2y = -11$ and $-2x + y = -13$

3.2 If matrices $M = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -4 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$, $N = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$ and $P = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$, find.

3.2.1 MN [4]

3.2.2 P^{-1} (The inverse of P) [6]

3.2.3 $M - 7P$ [4]

- 3.3 Among the 133 students (S) at a school, 44 take Geography (G), 48 take Biology (B), 32 take Mathematics (M), 8 take Geography and Biology, 9 take Geography and Mathematics, 7 take Biology and Mathematics. 30 students take none of the three subjects while 3 take all three subjects.
- 3.3.1 Use a Venn diagram to present the information given above. (5)
- 3.3.2 Find the number of students who take geography or biology. (2)
- 3.3.3 Find the number of students who take only Mathematics. (2)
- 3.3.4 Find the number of students who take mathematics but not geography. (2)
- 3.4 Given that the first term of the geometric progression is 5 and the sixth term is 1215:
- 3.4.1 What is the common ratio? (4)
- 3.4.2 Find the 10th term. (5)
- 3.5 How many terms are there in the progression, 42;35;28;21...;-336? (6)
- 3.6 Timo wishes to take a loan at an annual simple interest rate of 14.5% for 7 months. He is told that he will have to pay back the sum of N\$5422.92 at the end of the 7th month. Calculate the loan Timo wishes to take? (5)
- 3.7 Evaluate the following without using a calculator, $\frac{\sqrt{243} + \sqrt{27} - \sqrt{48}}{2\sqrt{3}}$. (6)
- 3.8 Simplify the algebraic fraction completely $\frac{2x^2 - 2x}{2x + 2} \div \frac{x^2 - x}{x + 1}$. (4)

END OF EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER