

The University of the State of New York  
REGENTS HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION

# GEOMETRY

Tuesday, June 16, 2009—9:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., only

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This examination has four parts, with a total of 38 questions. You must answer all questions in this examination. Record your answers to the Part I multiple-choice questions, using a No. 2 pencil, on the separate answer sheet provided to you. Write your answers to the questions in Parts II, III, and IV directly in this test booklet. All work for Parts II, III, and IV should be written in pen, except graphs and drawings, which should be done in pencil. Clearly indicate the necessary steps, including appropriate formula substitutions, diagrams, graphs, charts, etc.

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## Part I

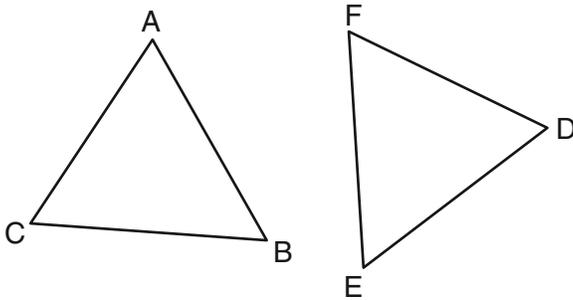
Answer all 28 questions in this part. Each correct answer will receive 2 credits. No partial credit will be allowed. For each question, record your answer, using a No. 2 pencil, on the separate answer sheet provided to you. [56]

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- 1 Juliann plans on drawing  $\triangle ABC$ , where the measure of  $\angle A$  can range from  $50^\circ$  to  $60^\circ$  and the measure of  $\angle B$  can range from  $90^\circ$  to  $100^\circ$ . Given these conditions, what is the correct range of measures possible for  $\angle C$ ?

- (1)  $20^\circ$  to  $40^\circ$                       (3)  $80^\circ$  to  $90^\circ$   
(2)  $30^\circ$  to  $50^\circ$                       (4)  $120^\circ$  to  $130^\circ$

- 2 In the diagram of  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle DEF$  below,  $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{DE}$ ,  $\angle A \cong \angle D$ , and  $\angle B \cong \angle E$ .

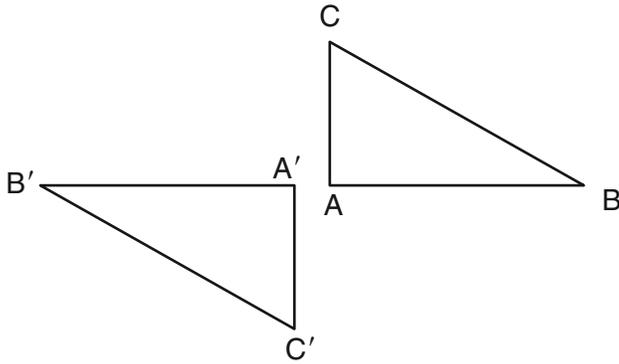


Which method can be used to prove  $\triangle ABC \cong \triangle DEF$ ?

- (1) SSS                                      (3) ASA  
(2) SAS                                      (4) HL

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- 3 In the diagram below, under which transformation will  $\triangle A'B'C'$  be the image of  $\triangle ABC$ ?

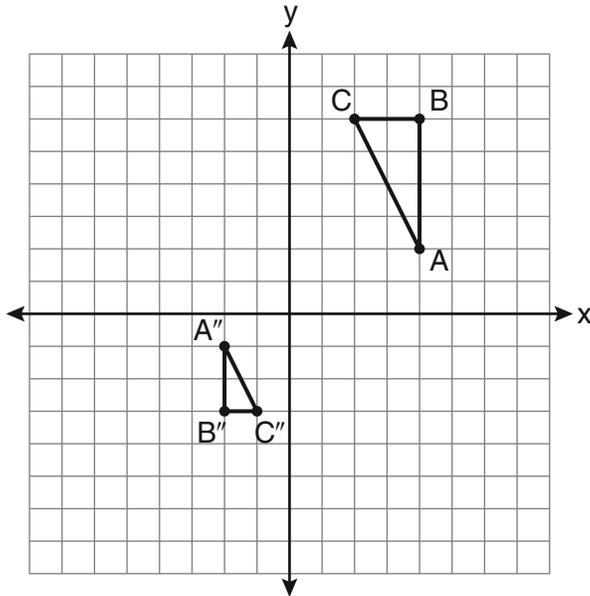


- (1) rotation  
(2) dilation  
(3) translation  
(4) glide reflection
- 4 The lateral faces of a regular pyramid are composed of
- (1) squares  
(2) rectangles  
(3) congruent right triangles  
(4) congruent isosceles triangles
- 5 Point A is located at  $(4, -7)$ . The point is reflected in the  $x$ -axis. Its image is located at
- (1)  $(-4, 7)$   
(2)  $(-4, -7)$   
(3)  $(4, 7)$   
(4)  $(7, -4)$



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- 8 After a composition of transformations, the coordinates  $A(4,2)$ ,  $B(4,6)$ , and  $C(2,6)$  become  $A''(-2,-1)$ ,  $B''(-2,-3)$ , and  $C''(-1,-3)$ , as shown on the set of axes below.



Which composition of transformations was used?

- (1)  $R_{180^\circ} \circ D_2$                       (3)  $D_{\frac{1}{2}} \circ R_{180^\circ}$   
(2)  $R_{90^\circ} \circ D_2$                       (4)  $D_{\frac{1}{2}} \circ R_{90^\circ}$

- 9 In an equilateral triangle, what is the difference between the sum of the exterior angles and the sum of the interior angles?

- (1)  $180^\circ$                                   (3)  $90^\circ$   
(2)  $120^\circ$                                   (4)  $60^\circ$

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**10** What is an equation of a circle with its center at  $(-3,5)$  and a radius of 4?

(1)  $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 5)^2 = 16$

(2)  $(x + 3)^2 + (y - 5)^2 = 16$

(3)  $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 5)^2 = 4$

(4)  $(x + 3)^2 + (y - 5)^2 = 4$

**11** In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $m\angle A = 95$ ,  $m\angle B = 50$ , and  $m\angle C = 35$ . Which expression correctly relates the lengths of the sides of this triangle?

(1)  $AB < BC < CA$

(3)  $AC < BC < AB$

(2)  $AB < AC < BC$

(4)  $BC < AC < AB$

**12** In a coordinate plane, how many points are both 5 units from the origin and 2 units from the  $x$ -axis?

(1) 1

(3) 3

(2) 2

(4) 4

**13** What is the contrapositive of the statement, "If I am tall, then I will bump my head"?

(1) If I bump my head, then I am tall.

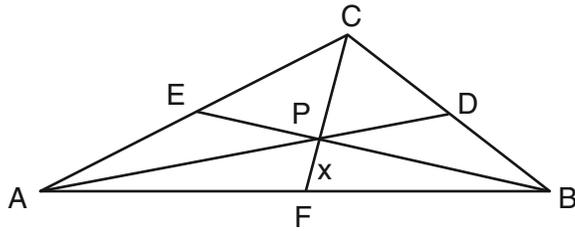
(2) If I do not bump my head, then I am tall.

(3) If I am tall, then I will not bump my head.

(4) If I do not bump my head, then I am not tall.

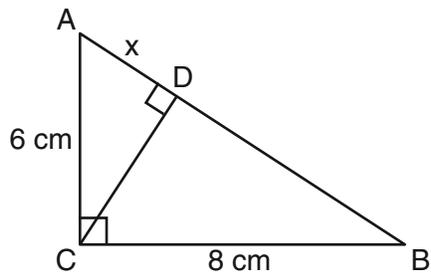
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- 14 In the diagram of  $\triangle ABC$  below, Jose found centroid  $P$  by constructing the three medians. He measured  $\overline{CF}$  and found it to be 6 inches.



If  $PF = x$ , which equation can be used to find  $x$ ?

- (1)  $x + x = 6$                       (3)  $3x + 2x = 6$   
(2)  $2x + x = 6$                       (4)  $x + \frac{2}{3}x = 6$
- 15 In the diagram below, the length of the legs  $\overline{AC}$  and  $\overline{BC}$  of right triangle  $ABC$  are 6 cm and 8 cm, respectively. Altitude  $\overline{CD}$  is drawn to the hypotenuse of  $\triangle ABC$ .



What is the length of  $\overline{AD}$  to the nearest tenth of a centimeter?

- (1) 3.6                                      (3) 6.4  
(2) 6.0                                      (4) 4.0

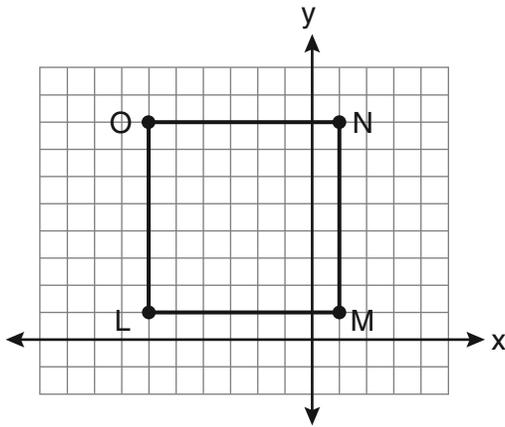


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18 Point  $P$  is on line  $m$ . What is the total number of planes that are perpendicular to line  $m$  and pass through point  $P$ ?

- (1) 1  
(2) 2  
(3) 0  
(4) infinite

19 Square  $LMNO$  is shown in the diagram below.

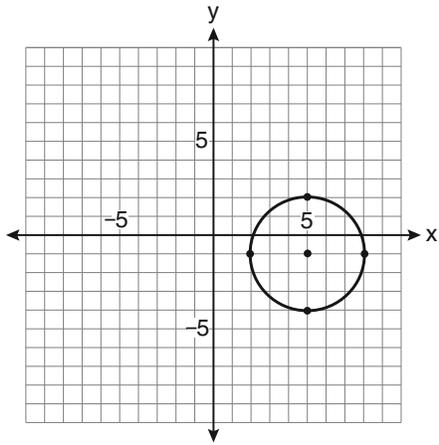


What are the coordinates of the midpoint of diagonal  $\overline{LN}$ ?

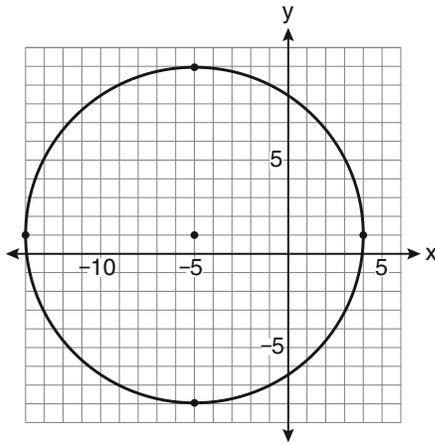
- (1)  $(4\frac{1}{2}, -2\frac{1}{2})$   
(2)  $(-3\frac{1}{2}, 3\frac{1}{2})$   
(3)  $(-2\frac{1}{2}, 3\frac{1}{2})$   
(4)  $(-2\frac{1}{2}, 4\frac{1}{2})$

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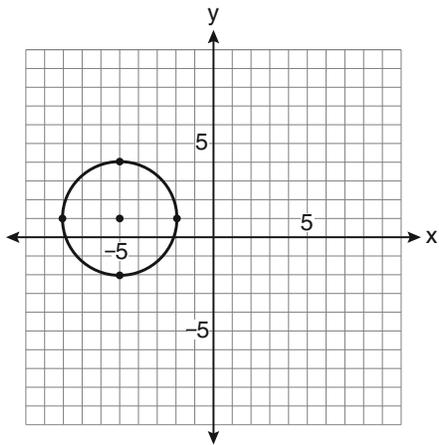
20 Which graph represents a circle with the equation  
 $(x - 5)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 9$ ?



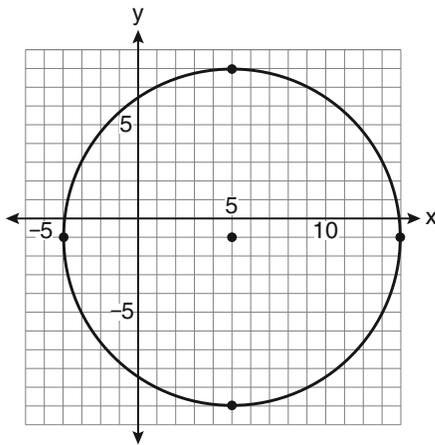
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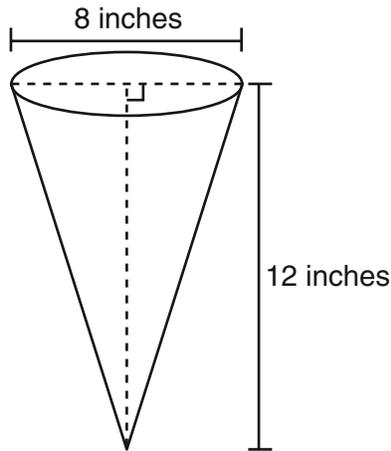
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(4)

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- 21** In the diagram below, a right circular cone has a diameter of 8 inches and a height of 12 inches.



What is the volume of the cone to the *nearest cubic inch*?

- (1) 201                                      (3) 603  
(2) 481                                      (4) 804
- 22** A circle is represented by the equation  $x^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 13$ . What are the coordinates of the center of the circle and the length of the radius?
- (1) (0,3) and 13                              (3) (0,-3) and 13  
(2) (0,3) and  $\sqrt{13}$                               (4) (0,-3) and  $\sqrt{13}$



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**26** Which equation represents a line perpendicular to the line whose equation is  $2x + 3y = 12$ ?

(1)  $6y = -4x + 12$

(3)  $2y = -3x + 6$

(2)  $2y = 3x + 6$

(4)  $3y = -2x + 12$

**27** In  $\triangle ABC$ , point  $D$  is on  $\overline{AB}$ , and point  $E$  is on  $\overline{BC}$  such that  $\overline{DE} \parallel \overline{AC}$ . If  $DB = 2$ ,  $DA = 7$ , and  $DE = 3$ , what is the length of  $\overline{AC}$ ?

(1) 8

(3) 10.5

(2) 9

(4) 13.5

**28** In three-dimensional space, two planes are parallel and a third plane intersects both of the parallel planes. The intersection of the planes is a

(1) plane

(3) pair of parallel lines

(2) point

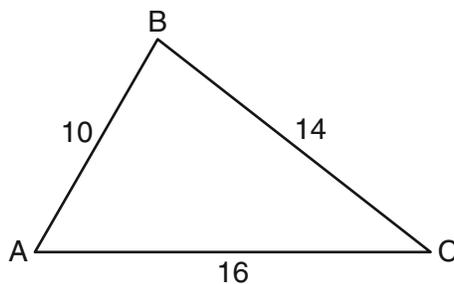
(4) pair of intersecting lines

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## Part II

Answer all 6 questions in this part. Each correct answer will receive 2 credits. Clearly indicate the necessary steps, including appropriate formula substitutions, diagrams, graphs, charts, etc. For all questions in this part, a correct numerical answer with no work shown will receive only 1 credit. All answers should be written in pen, except for graphs and drawings, which should be done in pencil. [12]

- 29 In the diagram of  $\triangle ABC$  below,  $AB = 10$ ,  $BC = 14$ , and  $AC = 16$ . Find the perimeter of the triangle formed by connecting the midpoints of the sides of  $\triangle ABC$ .



**30** Using a compass and straightedge, construct a line that passes through point  $P$  and is perpendicular to line  $m$ . [Leave all construction marks.]

•  $P$



**31** Find an equation of the line passing through the point  $(5,4)$  and parallel to the line whose equation is  $2x + y = 3$ .

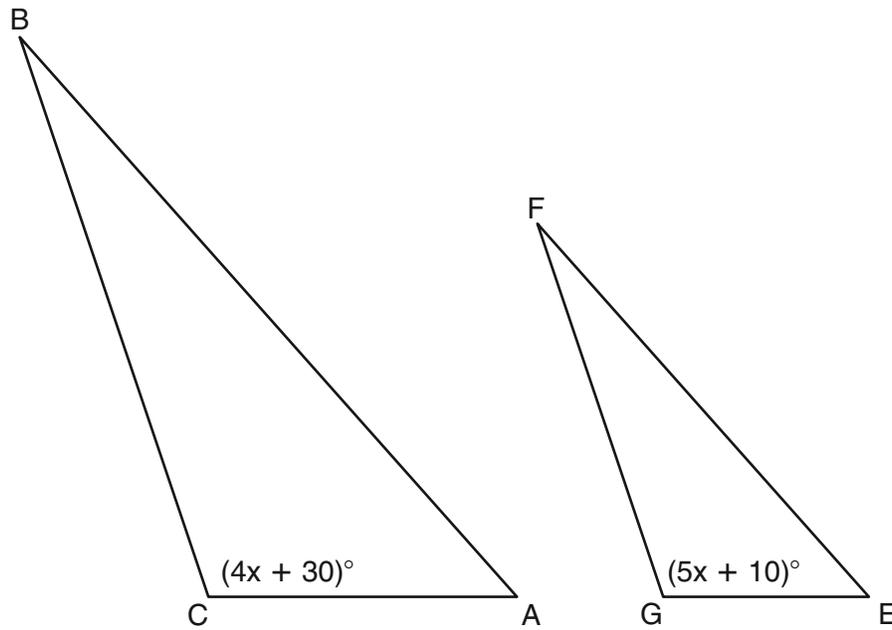
**32** The length of  $\overline{AB}$  is 3 inches. On the diagram below, sketch the points that are equidistant from  $A$  and  $B$  and sketch the points that are 2 inches from  $A$ . Label with an **X** all points that satisfy *both* conditions.



**33** Given: Two is an even integer or three is an even integer.

Determine the truth value of this disjunction. Justify your answer.

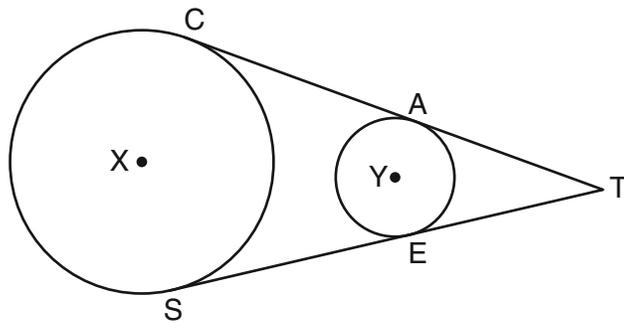
34 In the diagram below,  $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle EFG$ ,  $m\angle C = 4x + 30$ , and  $m\angle G = 5x + 10$ . Determine the value of  $x$ .



Part III

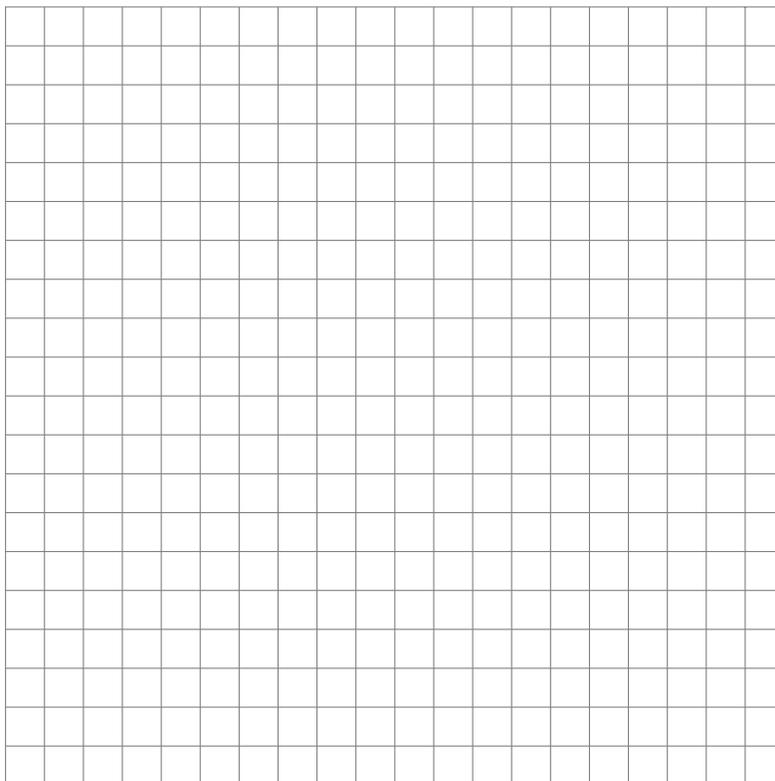
Answer all 3 questions in this part. Each correct answer will receive 4 credits. Clearly indicate the necessary steps, including appropriate formula substitutions, diagrams, graphs, charts, etc. For all questions in this part, a correct numerical answer with no work shown will receive only 1 credit. All answers should be written in pen, except for graphs and drawings, which should be done in pencil. [12]

- 35 In the diagram below, circles  $X$  and  $Y$  have two tangents drawn to them from external point  $T$ . The points of tangency are  $C$ ,  $A$ ,  $S$ , and  $E$ . The ratio of  $TA$  to  $AC$  is 1:3. If  $TS = 24$ , find the length of  $\overline{SE}$ .

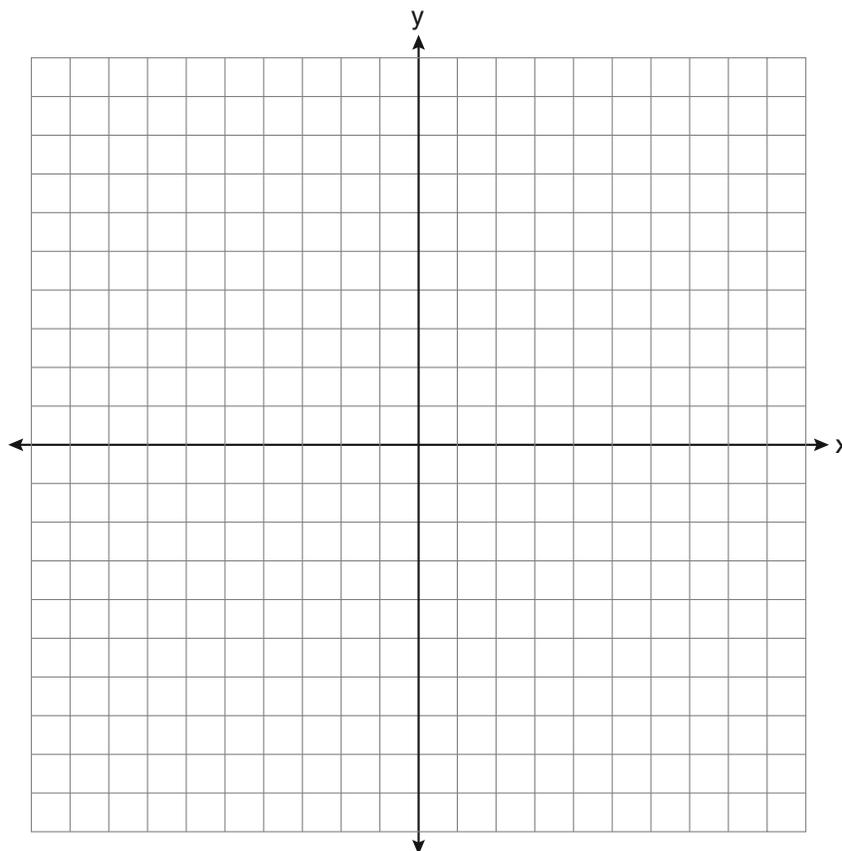


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**36** Triangle  $ABC$  has coordinates  $A(-6,2)$ ,  $B(-3,6)$ , and  $C(5,0)$ . Find the perimeter of the triangle. Express your answer in simplest radical form. [The use of the grid below is optional.]



- 37 The coordinates of the vertices of parallelogram  $ABCD$  are  $A(-2,2)$ ,  $B(3,5)$ ,  $C(4,2)$ , and  $D(-1,-1)$ . State the coordinates of the vertices of parallelogram  $A''B''C''D''$  that result from the transformation  $r_{y\text{-axis}} \circ T_{2,-3}$ . [The use of the set of axes below is optional.]

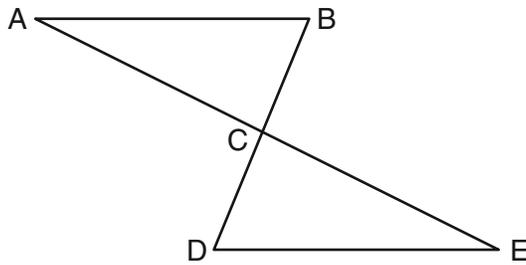


Part IV

Answer the question in this part. A correct answer will receive 6 credits. Clearly indicate the necessary steps, including appropriate formula substitutions, diagrams, graphs, charts, etc. A correct numerical answer with no work shown will receive only 1 credit. The answer should be written in pen. [6]

38 Given:  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle EDC$ ,  $C$  is the midpoint of  $\overline{BD}$  and  $\overline{AE}$

Prove:  $\overline{AB} \parallel \overline{DE}$



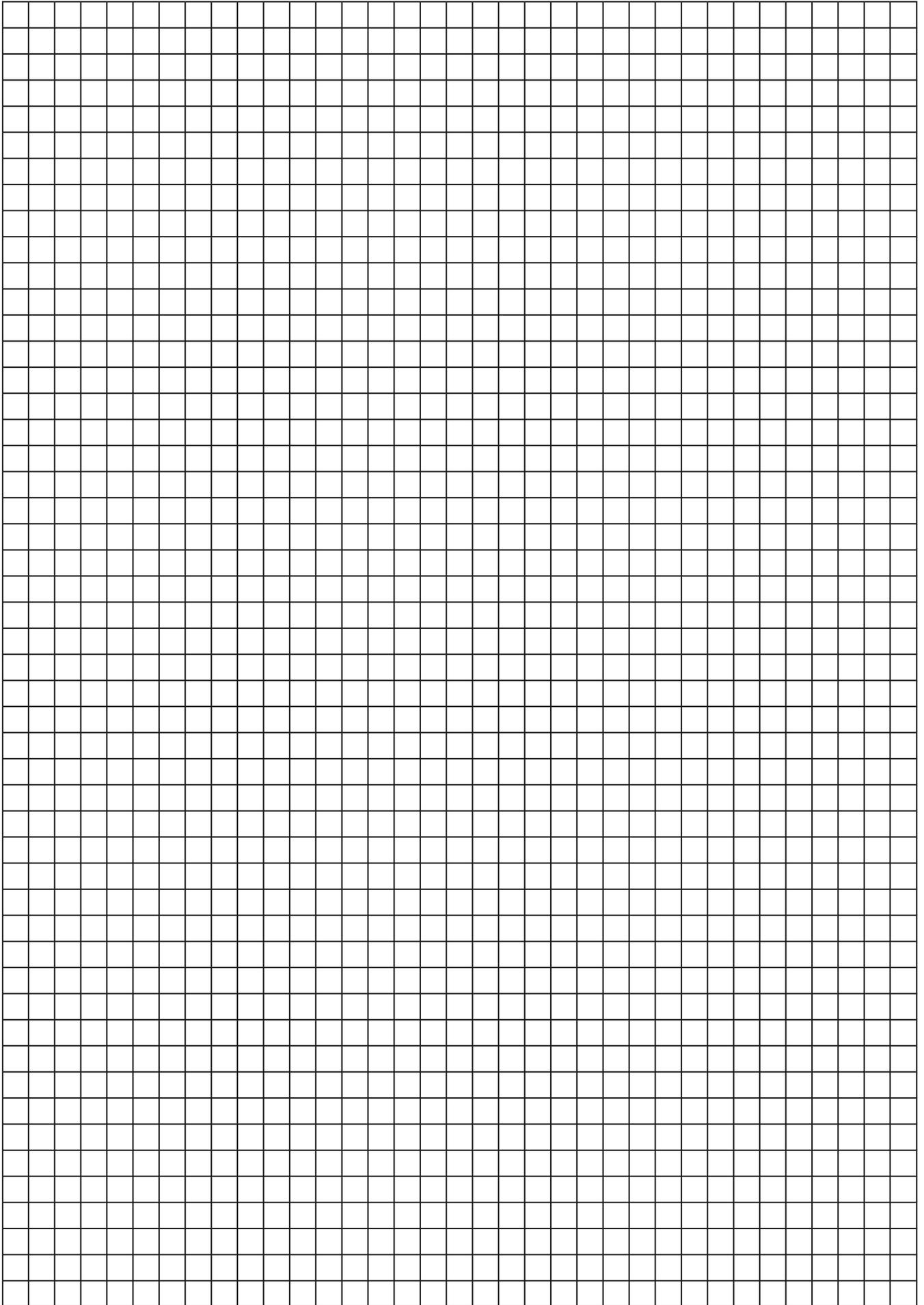




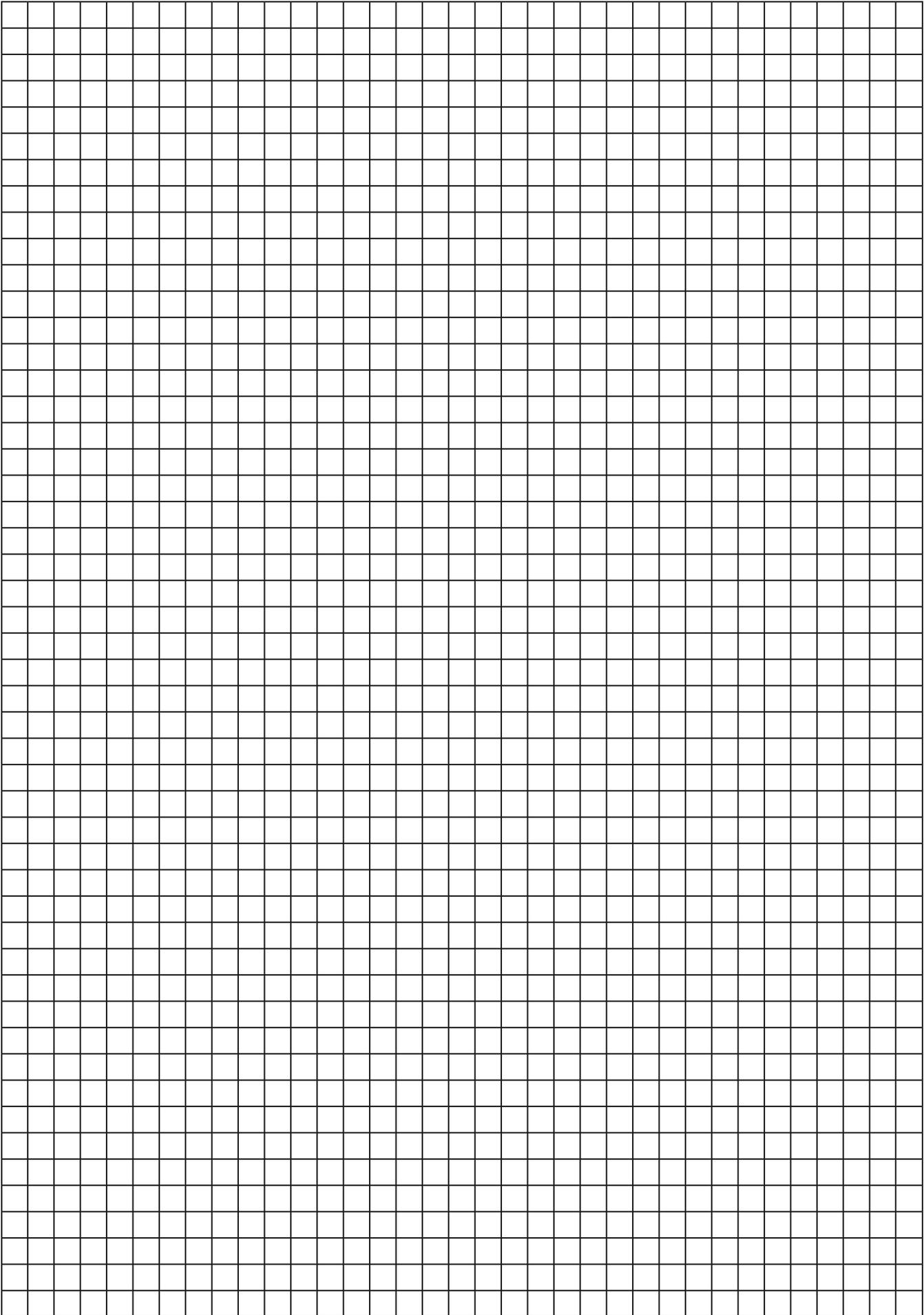
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Volume	Cylinder	$V = Bh$ where $B$ is the area of the base
	Pyramid	$V = \frac{1}{3}Bh$ where $B$ is the area of the base
	Right Circular Cone	$V = \frac{1}{3}Bh$ where $B$ is the area of the base
	Sphere	$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

Lateral Area ( $L$ )	Right Circular Cylinder	$L = 2\pi rh$
	Right Circular Cone	$L = \pi rl$ where $l$ is the slant height

Surface Area	Sphere	$SA = 4\pi r^2$
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