

Eton King's Scholarship 2005 B Solutions

- 1) a) $2n+1$
b) 2005
- 2) a) $2^5 - 1$
b) $x^{100} - 1$
c) By (b) $2^{100} - 1 = (2^{50} - 1)(2^{50} + 1)$, so not prime.
- 3) a) $\frac{1}{10}$
b) $1 - x^4$ and $1 - x^5$
c) $1\frac{1}{30}$
- 4) a) 180m
b) 20m
- 5) a) 15cm
b) 48cm
c) 1230cm^2
- 6) a) $\sqrt{3}$
b) $\text{GAX} = 30^\circ, \text{AXG} = 60^\circ$
c) They have the same angles
d) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
e) $\frac{\pi}{3}$
- 7) a) 120 degrees
b) $\frac{311}{484}$
c) 23cm
- 8) a) 100
b) $x=2, y=3, z=5$
- 9) a) $\sqrt{2}$
b) BX and BY are $\sqrt{2} - 1, \sqrt{2} + 1$ respectively.
c) $1:\sqrt{2} + 1$
d) $3 - 2\sqrt{2}$
- 10) a) 2
b) 9
c) 32