

## Eton 2020 King's Scholarship A Solutions

- 1) a)  $1\frac{1}{3}$   
 b)  $\frac{3}{11}$   
 c)  $1\frac{2}{5}$
- 2) a) 0.0114  
 b) 3000  
 c) 0.00000081
- 3) a) 550  
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- 4)  $x=1$
- 5)  $x \leq -0.8$
- 6)  $x = 11, y = 4$
- 7) 17.8
- 8) 32.5%
- 9)  $134^\circ$
- 10)  $\frac{1017-9-2 \times 90}{3} = 828$   
 $\frac{828}{3} = 276$   
 So 375 pages
- 11)a)  $PBS = SPB = 45^\circ$  as ABC is isosceles.  
 So triangle PBS is isosceles and  $BS = x$   
 $\frac{x^2}{2}$
- b) Similarly area of APQ =  $\frac{y^2}{4}$  (split APQ vertically)
- c)  $\frac{y^2}{4} + 2 \times \frac{x^2}{2} + xy = 225$   
 $\frac{16x^2}{4} + x^2 + 4x^2 = 225$   
 $9x^2 = 225$   
 $x = 5cm$
- 12)a) 6 edges  
 b) 8 vertices, 12 edges  
 c) 6 vertices, 12 edges  
 d)  $\frac{12 \times 5 + 20 \times 6}{3} = 60$  vertices ('each vertex is counted 3 times'), and  $\frac{12 \times 5 + 20 \times 6}{2} = 90$  edges ('each edge is counted twice')
- 13)a)  $\frac{2x+2}{2} = x + 1$   
 b)  $OB = OC - BC = x + 1 - 2 = x - 1$   
 c)  $BD^2 = OD^2 - OB^2 = (x + 1)^2 - (x - 1)^2 = 4x$   
 d)  $122\pi = \pi r$  (half of circumference)  
 $122 = r$   
 $122 = x + 1$   
 $x = 121$   
 $BD = 2\sqrt{x} = 2 \times 11 = 22$
- 14)a)  $\frac{m}{6} = \frac{n}{11}$  (both those things are 'one part' so  $11m = 6n$ )  
 b)  $\frac{m-3}{3} = \frac{n+14}{7}$  so  $7m - 21 = 3n + 42$  so  $7m - 3n = 63$

- c)  $m = 42, n = 77$
- 15)a)  $\frac{243}{1.2+1.5} = 90$   
 $90 \times 1.2 = 108m$
- b)  $\frac{243 \times 3}{1.2+1.5} = 270s$  until meet for the second time  
 $\frac{243}{1.2} = 202.5$   
 $270 - 202.5 = 67.5s$
- c)  $5c-1000$

 3 Lengths