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數學(課程甲)  
試卷一

二小時完卷  
上午八時三十分至上午十時三十分  
本試卷必須用英文作答

MATHEMATICS (SYLLABUS A)  
PAPER I

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Give a reason for your answer.

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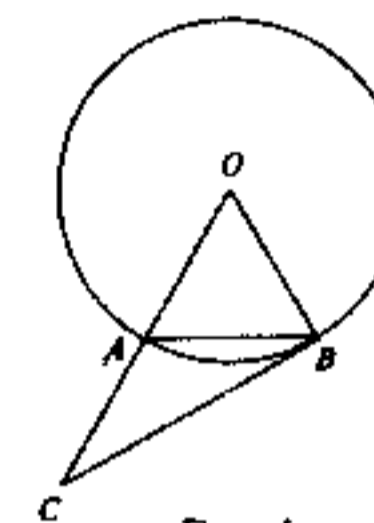


Figure 1

3. Given five real numbers  $a - 6, a, a + 2, a + 3, a + 6$ .  
find (a) the mean,  
(b) the standard deviation. (5 marks)

4. If  $a : b = 3 : 4$  and  $a : c = 2 : 5$ ,  
find (a)  $a : b : c$ ,  
(b) the value of  $\frac{ac}{a^2 + b^2}$ . (6 marks)

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 $OA = 30, CB = 15$  and  $AC \perp OB$ .

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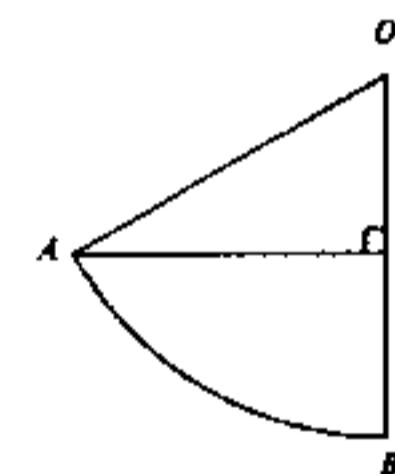


Figure 2

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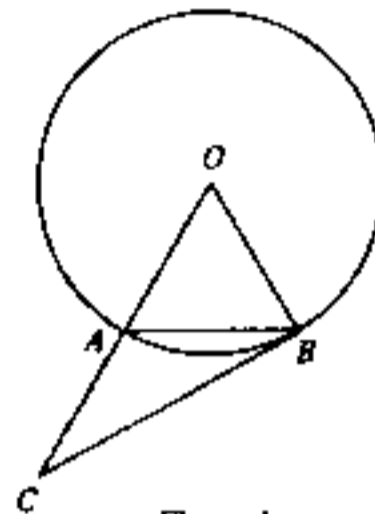


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3. The following table shows the distribution of the marks of 1000 students in a mathematics test:

Class of Marks	Number of Students
40 - 49	100
50 - 59	300
60 - 69	400
70 - 79	200

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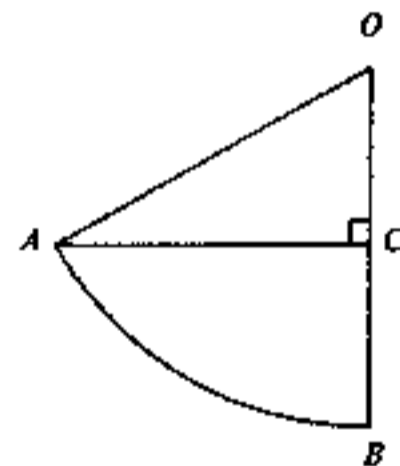


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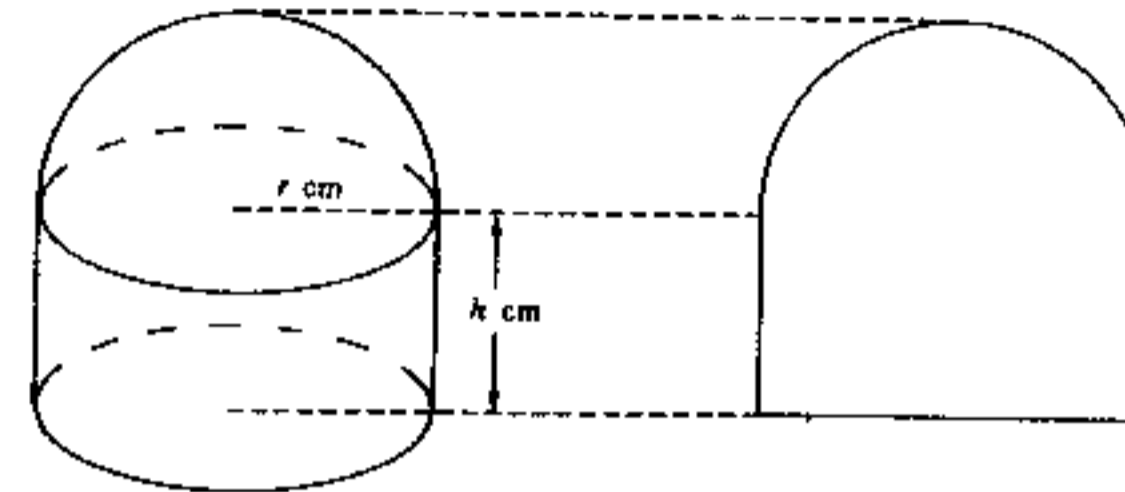


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The solid in Figure 3(a) is made up of two parts. The lower part is a right circular cylinder of height  $h$  cm and radius  $r$  cm; the upper part is a hemisphere of the same radius  $r$  cm. The two parts are of the same volume.

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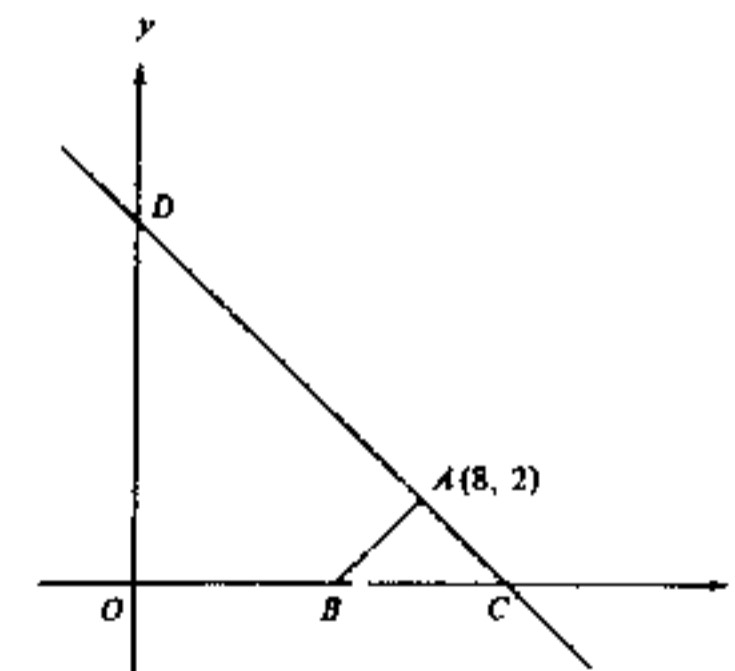


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(d) Find the equation of the circle passing through the points  $O$ ,  $B$  and  $D$ . Show that this circle passes through  $A$ . (5 marks)

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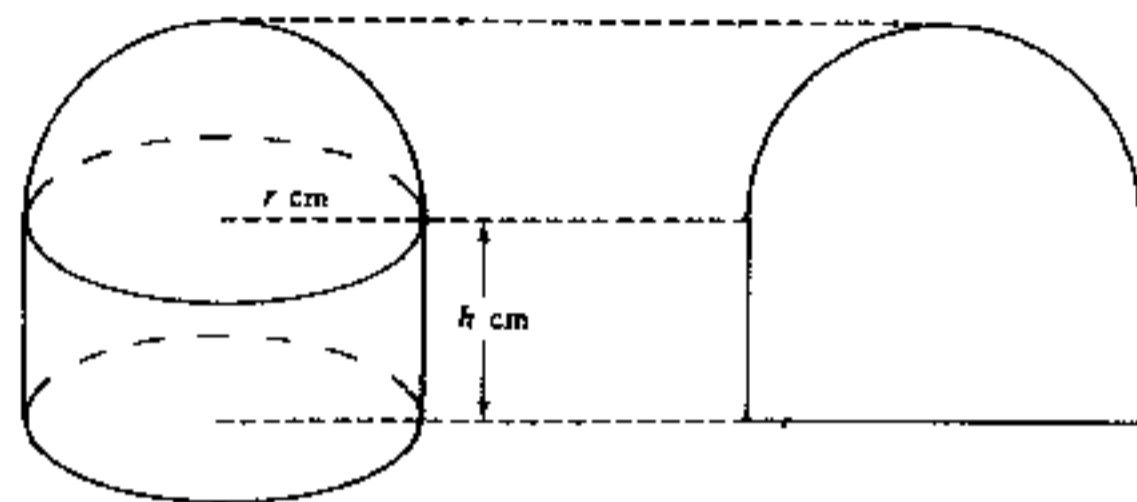


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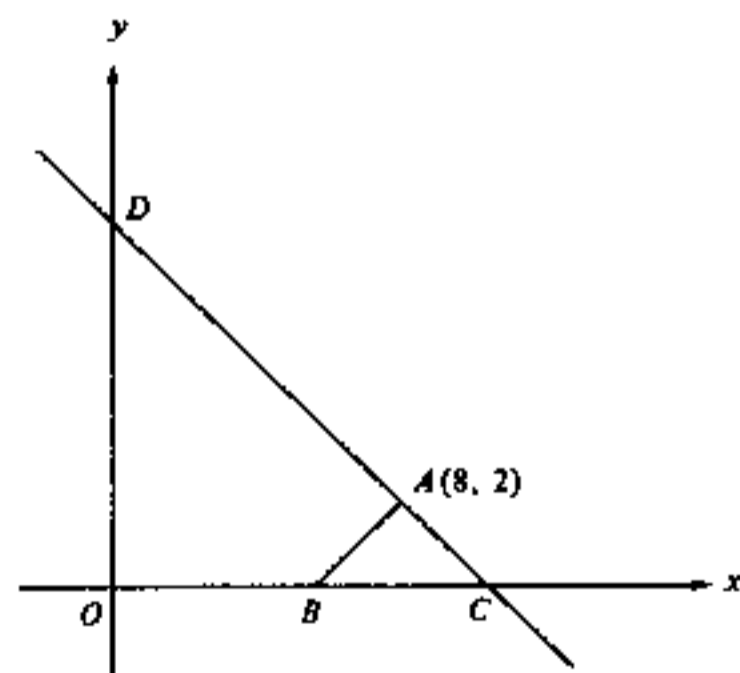


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10. A ball is dropped vertically from a height of 10 m, and when it reaches the ground, it rebounds to a height of  $10 \times \frac{3}{4}$  m. The ball continues to fall and rebound again and again, each time rebounding to  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the height from which it previously fell (see Figure 5).

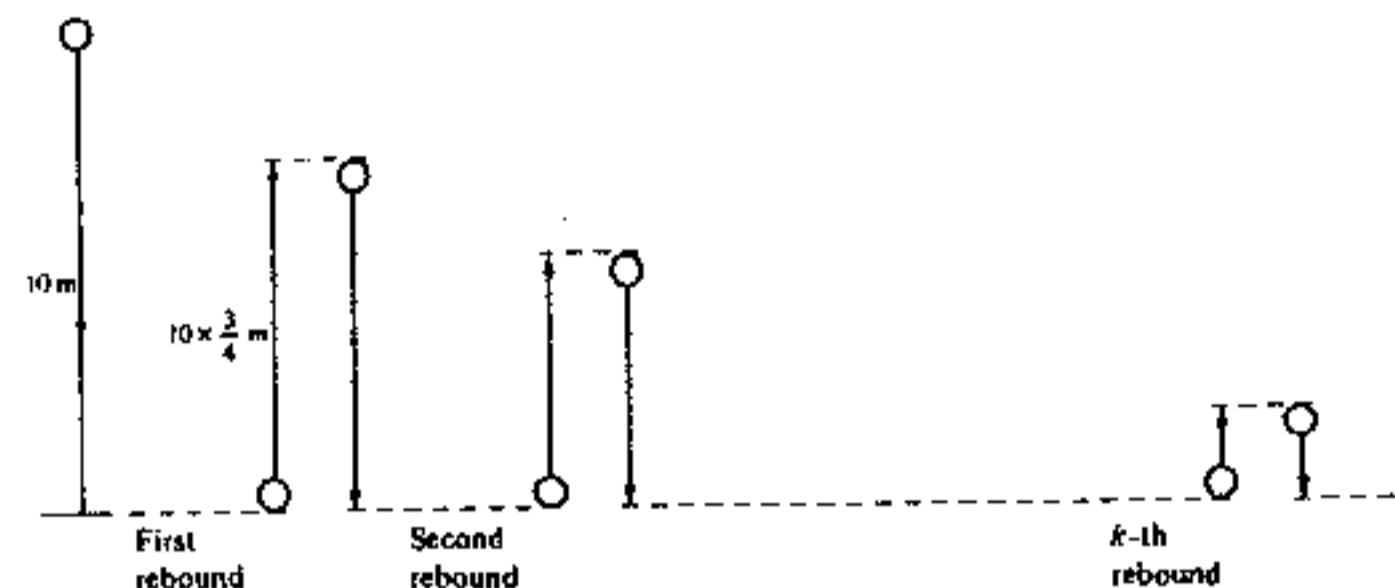


Figure 5

- (a) Find the total distance travelled by the ball just before it makes its second rebound. (3 marks)
- (b) Find, in terms of  $k$ , the total distance travelled by the ball just before it makes its  $(k + 1)$ th rebound. (6 marks)
- (c) Find the total distance travelled by the ball before it comes to rest. (3 marks)

11. In a short test, there are 3 questions. For each question, 1 mark will be awarded for a correct answer and no marks for a wrong answer. The probability that John correctly answers a question in the test is 0.6. Find the probability that

- (a) John gets 3 marks in the test. (3 marks)
- (b) John gets no marks in the test. (3 marks)
- (c) John gets 1 mark in the test. (4 marks)
- (d) John gets 2 marks in the test. (2 marks)

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12. If you attempt this question, fill in the details in the first three boxes above and tie this sheet into your answer book.

(a) On the graph paper provided below, draw the following straight lines:

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 2x, \\ x + y &= 30, \\ 2x + 3y &= 120. \end{aligned}$$

(3 marks)

(b) On the same graph paper, shade the region that satisfies all the following inequalities:

$$\begin{cases} y > 0, \\ y < 2x, \\ x + y > 30, \\ 2x + 3y < 120. \end{cases}$$

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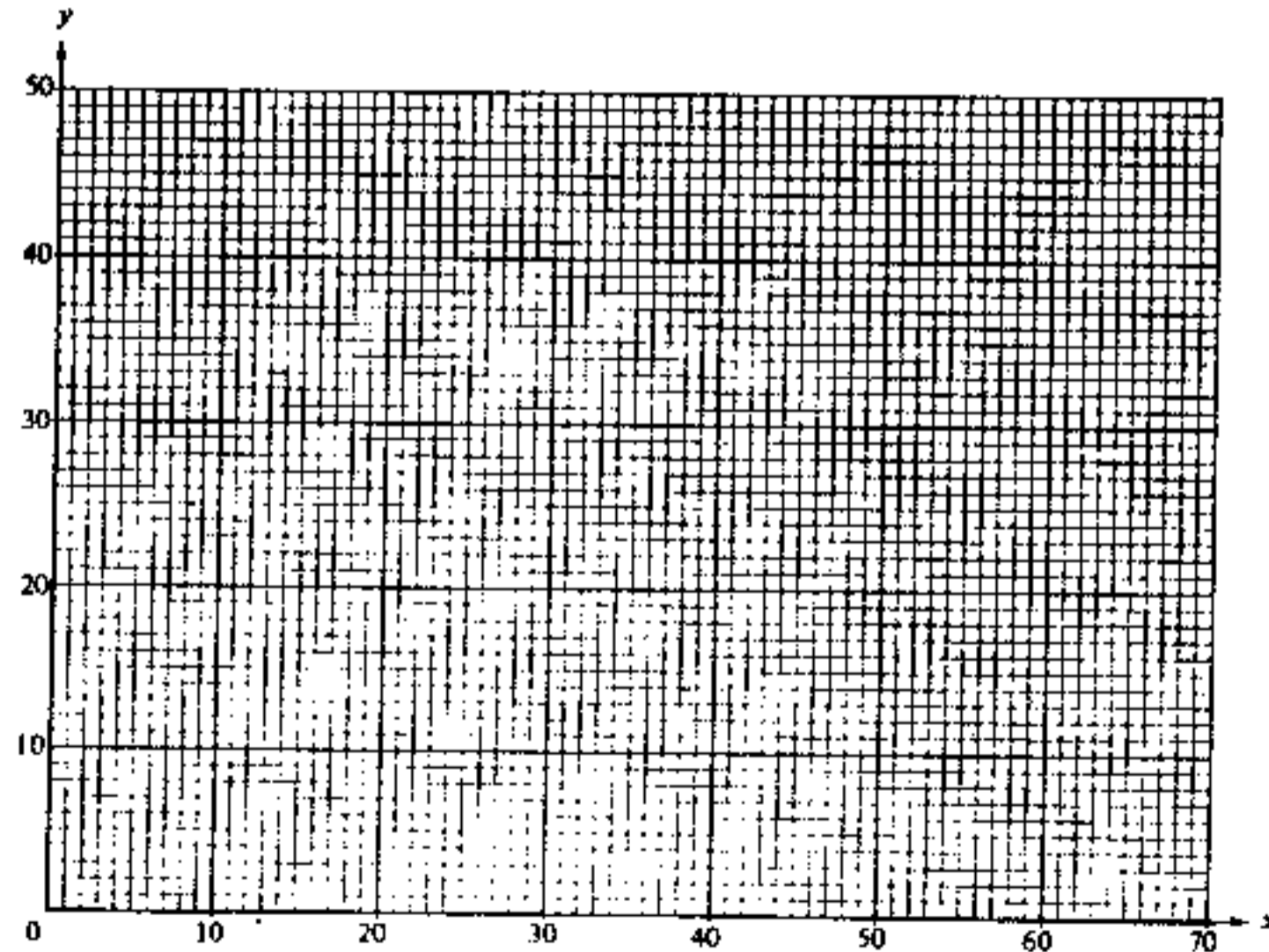
(c) It is given that  $P = 3x + 2y$ .

Under the constraints given by the inequalities in (b),

(i) find the maximum and minimum values of  $P$ , and

(ii) find the maximum and minimum values of  $P$  if there is the additional constraint  $x < 45$ .

(6 marks)



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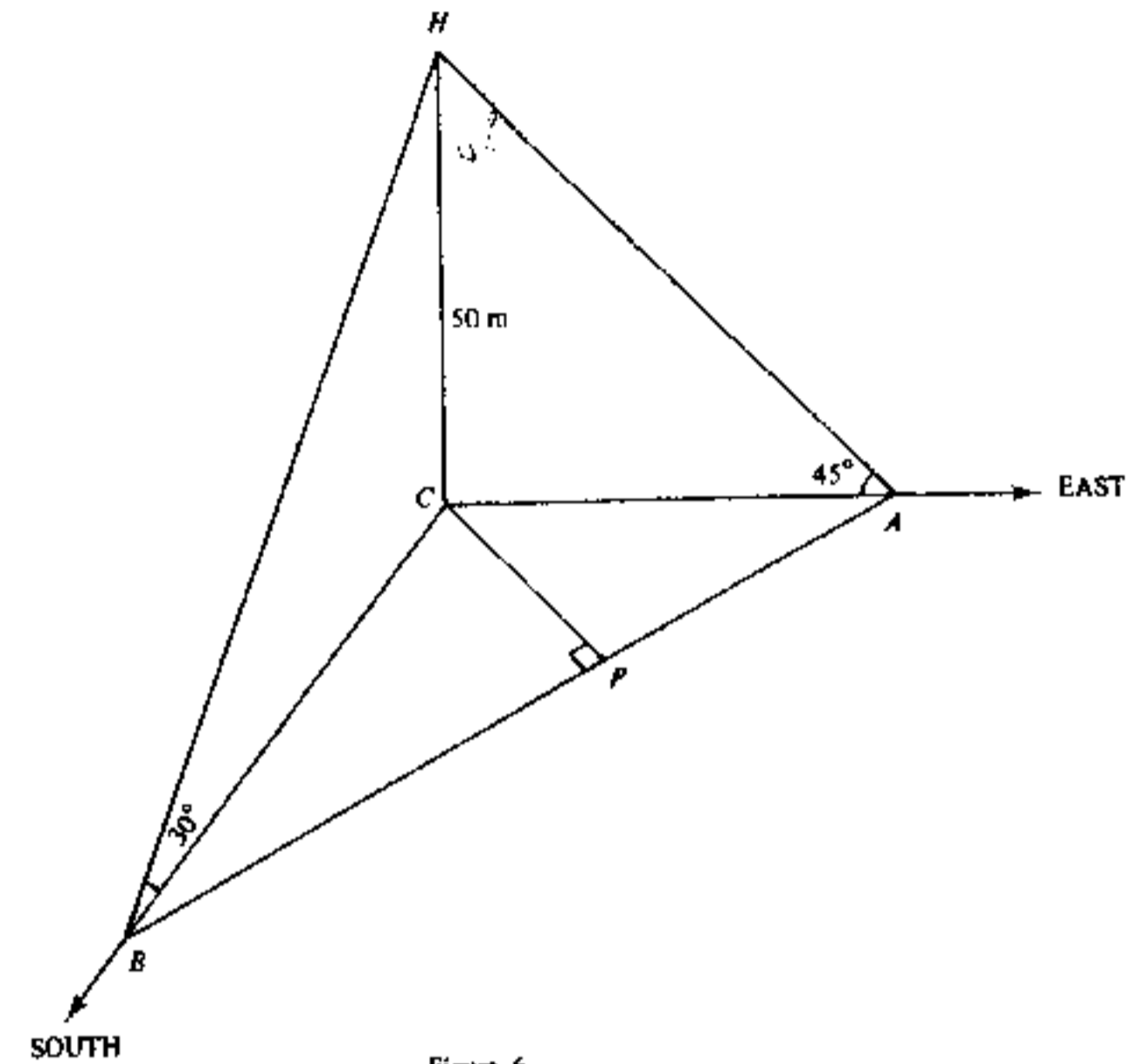


Figure 6

In Figure 6,  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are three points on the same horizontal ground.  $HC$  is a vertical tower 50 m high.  $A$  and  $B$  are respectively due east and due south of the tower. The angles of elevation of  $H$  observed from  $A$  and  $B$  are respectively  $45^\circ$  and  $30^\circ$ .

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Equal squares each of side  $k$  cm are cut from the four corners of a square sheet of paper of side 7 cm (see Figure 7(a)). The remaining part is folded along the dotted lines to form a rectangular box as shown in Figure 7(b).

(a) Show that the volume  $V$  of the rectangular box, in  $\text{cm}^3$ , is  $V = 4k^3 - 28k^2 + 49k$ . (3 marks)

(b) Figure 7(c) shows the graph of  $y = 4x^3 - 28x^2 + 49x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 5$ . Draw a suitable straight line in Figure 7(c) and use it to find all the possible values of  $x$  such that  $4x^3 - 28x^2 + 49x - 20 = 0$ . (Give the answers to 1 decimal place.) (4 marks)

(c) Using the results of (a) and (b), deduce the values of  $k$  such that the volume of the box is  $20 \text{ cm}^3$ . (Give the answers to 1 decimal place.) (2 marks)

(d) By the method of magnification, find the smaller value of  $k$  in (c) to two decimal places. (3 marks)

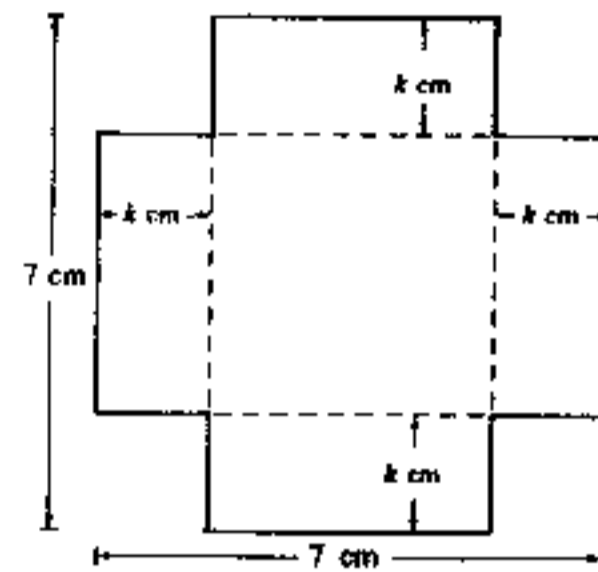


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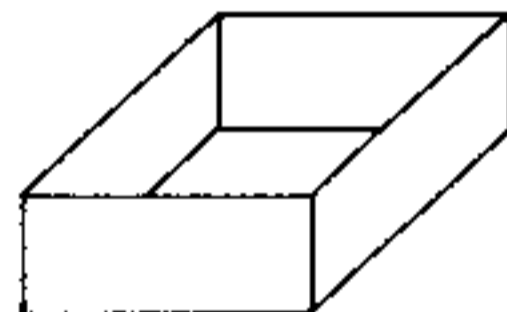


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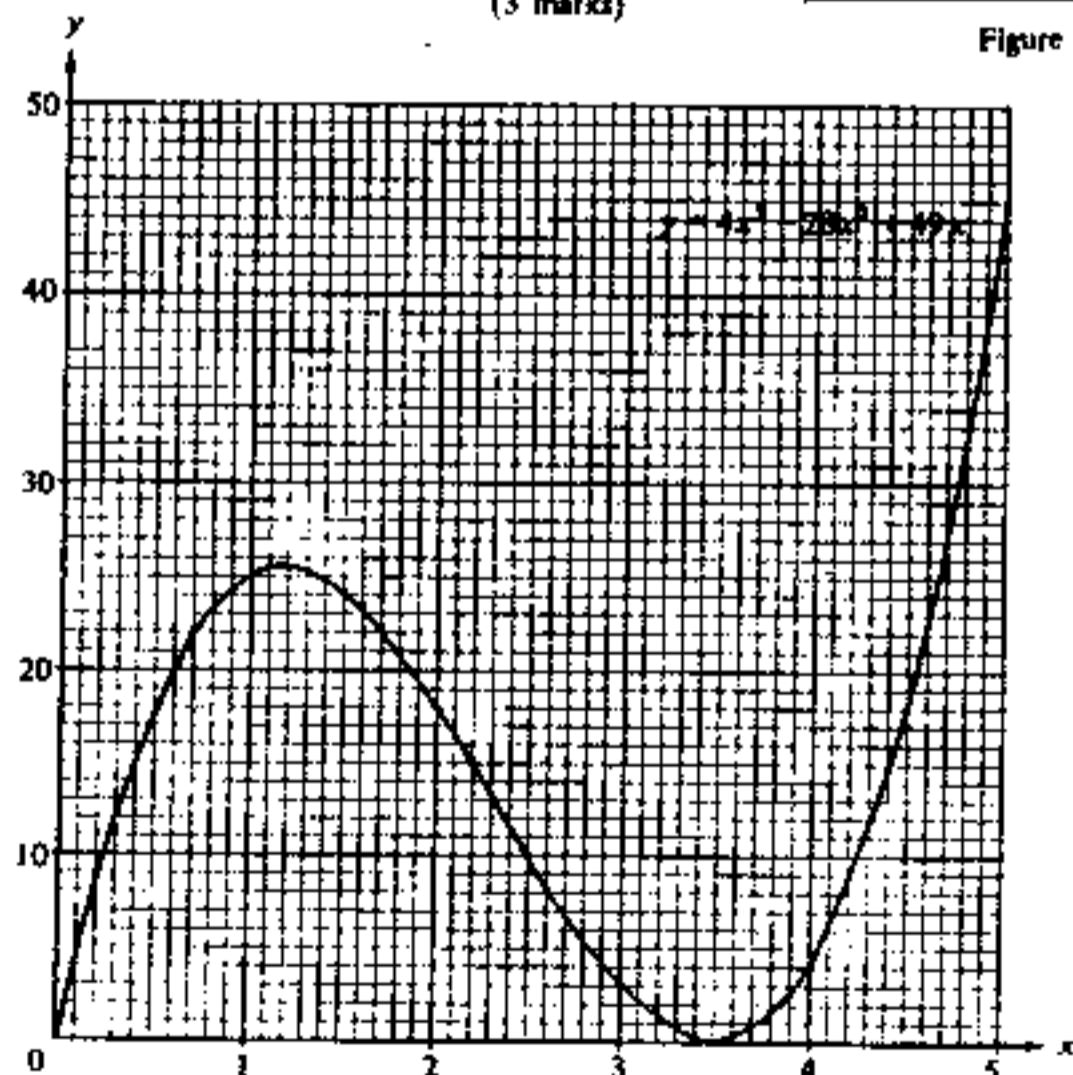


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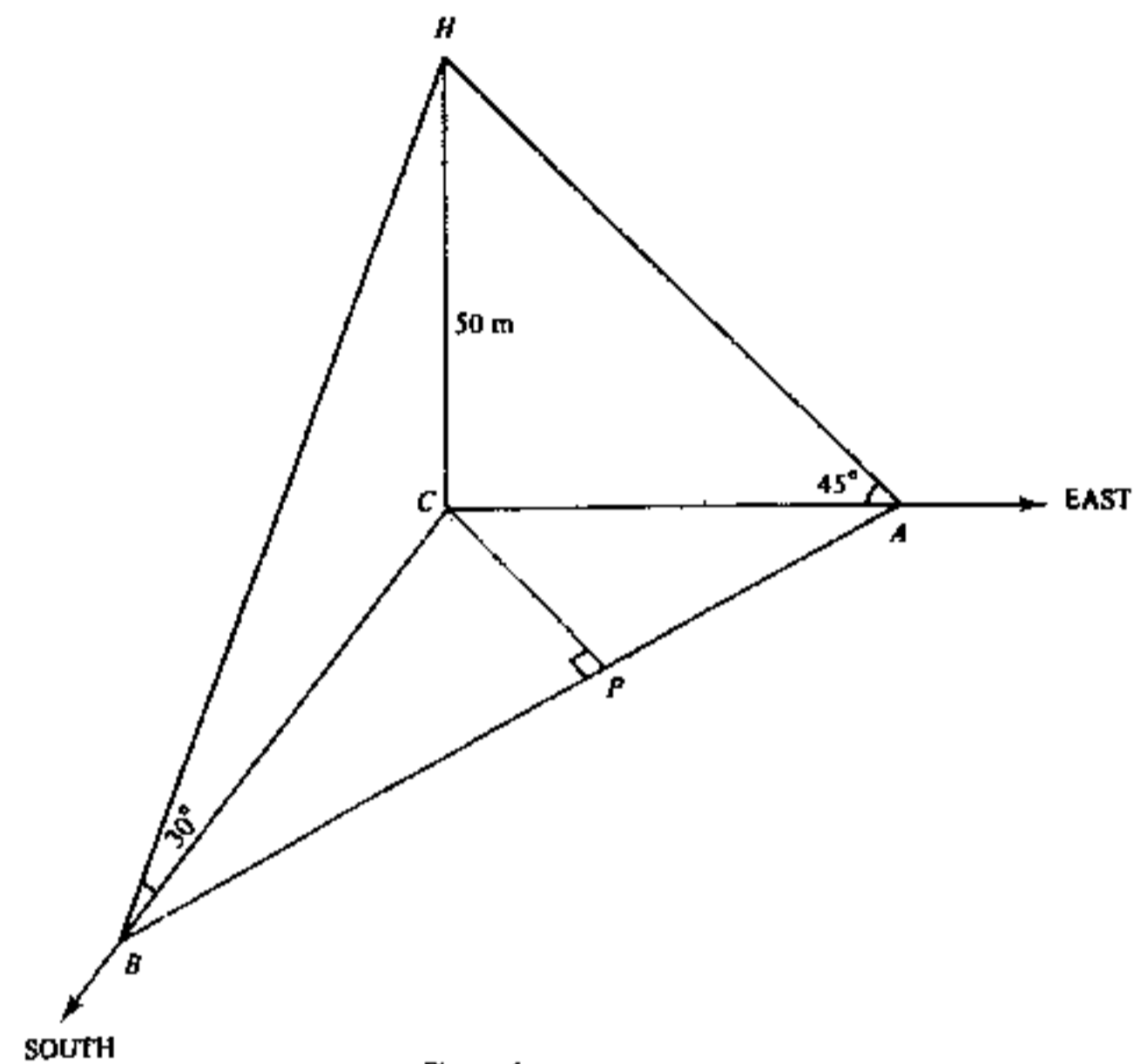


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14.  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 2mx + n = 0$  where  $m$  and  $n$  are real numbers.

- (a) Find, in terms of  $m$  and  $n$ ,
- (i)  $(m - \alpha) + (m - \beta)$ ,
- (ii)  $(m - \alpha)(m - \beta)$ . (5 marks)
- (b) Find, in terms of  $m$  and  $n$ , the quadratic equation having roots  $m - \alpha$  and  $m - \beta$ . (3 marks)
- (c) If  $n = 4$ , find the range of values of  $m$  such that the equation  $x^2 - 2mx + n = 0$  has real roots. (4 marks)

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