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1 hour

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

Additional Materials: Graphics Calculator

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Answer **all** the questions.
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In this paper you will also be assessed on your ability to provide full reasons and to communicate your mathematics clearly and precisely.
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THE INVESTIGATION STARTS ON PAGE 3.

Answer **all** the questions.

INVESTIGATION **SUMS OF TWO SQUARES**

This investigation looks at the results when two square numbers are added together.

1 Here is a list of the first 11 prime numbers.

2 3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23 29 31

(a) In the list there are 4 numbers that are one more than a multiple of 4.
These are called *Pythagorean Primes*.
The smallest one is 5 and the largest one is 29.

Write down the other two.

5, ... , ... , 29

(b) The 17th century French mathematician Albert Girard proved that every Pythagorean Prime equals the sum of two square numbers.

Write your answers to **part (a)** as the sum of two square numbers.
Two have been written down for you.

$5 = 1^2 + 2^2$

..... = ... + ...

..... = ... + ...

$29 = 2^2 + 5^2$

(c) Another Pythagorean Prime is 101.
Write 101 as the sum of two square numbers.

101 = ... + ...

2 The sum of two square numbers can equal another square number.
For example,

$$\mathbf{3}^2 + \mathbf{4}^2 = 9 + 16$$
$$= 25$$
$$= \mathbf{5}^2$$

We say that **3**, **4**, **5** is a *Pythagorean Triple*.

(a) Show, by calculation, that 7, 24, 25 is a Pythagorean Triple.

(b) Each row in this table is a Pythagorean Triple.

Complete the table.
Use patterns of numbers in the table to help you.

3	4	5
5	12	13
7	24	25
9	40	
11	60	
13		
		113

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(c) What is the connection between the **square** of the smallest number and the other two numbers in each Pythagorean Triple in the table?

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(d) Use your answer to **part (c)** and the patterns of numbers in the table to complete the following Pythagorean Triple.

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3 $2\sqrt{x},\ x-1,\ x+1$ is a Pythagorean Triple when x is a square number.

(a) (i) Find the Pythagorean Triple when $x = 16$.

..... , ... , ...

(ii) Check that your answer to **part (a)(i)** is a Pythagorean Triple.
Use the method of the example in **question 2**.

(b) In the table, x is the square of an even number.
Each row is a Pythagorean Triple.

	$2\sqrt{x}$	$x - 1$	$x + 1$
($x = 16$)			
($x = 36$)	12		37
	16	63	65
		99	
	24		145

Write your answer to **part (a)(i)** in the first row of this table.

Complete the three columns of the table.
You may use patterns or the fact that $2\sqrt{x},\ x-1,\ x+1$ is a Pythagorean Triple to help you.

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(c) What is the connection between the **square** of the smallest number and the sum of the other two numbers in each of the Pythagorean Triples in the table?

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(d) Show algebraically that $2\sqrt{x},\ x-1,\ x+1$ satisfies your connection in **part (c)**.

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