

**VHEMBE WEST DISTRICT**

Liberty through Knowledge



**MARKS: 50**

**DURATION: 1 HOUR**

## INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

Read the following instructions carefully before answering the questions.

1. **This Question paper consists of 5 pages including the cover page.**
2. This question paper consists of 5 questions.
3. Answer all questions.
4. Number your answers exactly as the questions are numbered in the question paper.
5. Read through the questions carefully and make sure that you allocate enough time for each question.
6. You may use an approved scientific calculator (Non-programmable and Non-graphical).
7. Clearly show ALL the calculations.
8. If necessary, round off to TWO decimal places unless otherwise stated.
9. Answers alone will not necessarily earn full marks.
10. It is in your best interest to write legibly and present your work neatly.

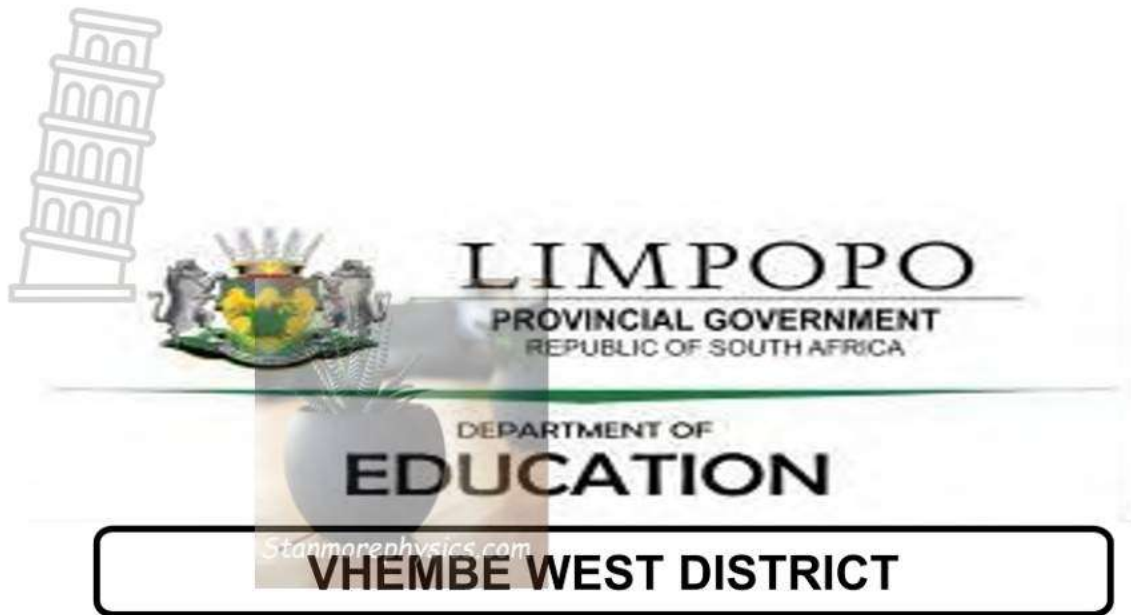
QUESTION NUMBER	QUESTION ITEMS	MARK ALLOCATION
1	<b>MULTIPLE CHOICE</b>	<b>[5 MARKS]</b>
1.1	Choose the letter with the correct answer e.g. 1.1 E The car travels a distance of 80km in 30 minutes? Calculate it's average speed. A. 80 km/h B. 40 km/h C. 160 km/h D. 20 km/h	(1)
1.2	Calculate: $13,78 \times 2,11 =$ A. 15,89 B. 29,0758 C. 92,7508 D. 29,0875	(1)
1.3	A bag was bought for R250 and sold for R350. Calculate the percentage increase. A. 50% B. 25 % C. 40 % D. 20%	(1)
1.4	Calculate: $[5 - (8 - 16) + 5]$ A. -2 B. 18 C. 16 D. 13	(1)
1.5	The value of $\sqrt{0,25}$ is ..... A. 0.2 B. 0.5 C. 0.05 D. 0,15	(1)

<b>2</b>	<b>WHOLE NUMBERS</b>	<b>[13 MARKS]</b>
2.1	Write 124 as a product of its prime factors	(1)
2.2	Find the HCF of 24 and 32	(3)
2.3	Find the LCM of 12 and 18	(3)
2.4	Divide R500 between Mulweli and Lloyd in the ratio of 6:4	(3)
2.5	A packet of apples cost R22 excluding VAT. What will the price of the apples be once 14% VAT is added to the price?	(3)
<b>3</b>	<b>INTERGERS</b>	<b>[12 MARKS]</b>
	Calculate the following and show all the steps	
3.1	$- 23 - (- 18)$	(2)
3.2	$2(8-3+4)$	(2)
3.3	$3^3 + 4^2 - 5^2$	(3)
3.4	$\sqrt{9 + 16} + 7$	(2)
3.5	$\frac{-6+3(-4)-3(4)}{(2+3)(-3)}$	(3)
<b>4</b>	<b>COMMON FRACTIONS</b>	<b>[11MARKS]</b>
4.1	Calculate: $10 \div \frac{5}{8}$	(3)
4.2	Simplify: $\sqrt{\frac{25}{49}}$	(2)
4.3	Simplify: $\sqrt[3]{\frac{8}{27}} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$	(3)
4.4	Determine the percentage decrease if a chocolate that cost R10 is marked down to R7	(3)

<b>5</b>	<b>DECIMAL FRACTIONS</b>	<b>[9]</b>
	Calculate:	
5.1.	$0,12 \times 0,06$	(2)
5.2	$0,064 \div 0,4$	(3)
5.3	$(0,7)^3$	(2)
5.4	$\sqrt{0,16} =$	(2)
	<b>TOTAL= 50 MARKS</b>	







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GRADE 8

**MATHEMATICS**  
**2024 TERM 1**  
**COMMON TEST MEMORANDUM**

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This Memorandum consists of 5 pages including the Cover page.


This is a **MARKING GUIDELINE**.

Award any correct Mathematical procedures displayed by Learners.

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1.4	B ✓	(1)																						
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2.1	$2 \times 2 \times 31$ ✓	(1)																						
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	$\checkmark\checkmark$ $\therefore \text{LCM} = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 = 36 \checkmark$	
2.4	Divide R500 between Mulweli and Lloyd in the ratio of 6:4 $6 + 4 = 10 \checkmark$ $\text{Mulweli} = \frac{6}{10} \times \text{R}500$ $= \text{R}300 \checkmark$ $\text{Lloyd} = \frac{4}{10} \times \text{R}500$ $= \text{R}200 \checkmark$	(3)
2.5	A packet of apples cost R22 excluding VAT. What will the price of the apples be once 14% VAT is added to the price? $= \text{R}22 \times \frac{14}{100} \checkmark$ $= \frac{308}{100}$ $= \text{R}3,08 \checkmark$ $\text{Selling price} = \text{R}22 + \text{R}3,08$ $= \text{R}25,08 \checkmark$	(3)
<b>3</b>	<b>INTERGERS</b>	<b>[12 MARKS]</b>
	Calculate the following and show all the steps.	
3.1	$- 23 - (- 18)$ $= - 23 + 18 \checkmark$ $= - 5 \checkmark$	(2)
3.2	$2(8 - 3 + 4)$ $= (2 \times 8) - (2 \times 3) + (2 \times 4)$ $= 16 - 6 + 8$ $= 10 + 8 \checkmark$ $= 18 \checkmark$	(2)
3.3	$3^3 + 4^2 - 5^2$ $= 27 + 16 - 25 \checkmark$ $= 43 - 25 \checkmark$ $= 18 \checkmark$	(3)



3.4	$\sqrt{9+16} + 7$ $= \sqrt{25+7} \checkmark$ $= 5+7$ $= 12 \checkmark$	(2)
3.5	$\frac{-6+3(-4)-3(4)}{(2+3)(-3)}$ $= \frac{-6-12-12}{5(-3)}$ $= \frac{-30}{-15} \checkmark \checkmark$ $= 2 \checkmark$	(3)
4	 <p><b>COMMON FRACTIONS</b></p>	<b>[11MARKS]</b>
4.1	$10 \div \frac{5}{8}$ $= \frac{10}{1} \times \frac{8}{5} \checkmark$ $= \frac{80}{5} \checkmark$ $= 16 \checkmark$	(3)
4.2	<p>Simplify:</p> $\sqrt{\frac{25}{49}}$ $= \frac{5}{7} \checkmark \checkmark$	(2)
4.3	<p>Simplify: <math>\sqrt[3]{\frac{8}{27}} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2</math></p> $= \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{4} \checkmark$ $= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{4}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{3}{3}$ $= \frac{8}{12} + \frac{3}{12} \checkmark$ $= \frac{11}{12} \checkmark$	(3)
4.4	<p>% decrease = <math>\frac{\text{original amount} - \text{decreased amount}}{\text{original amount}} \times 100</math></p> $= \frac{10-7}{10} \times 100 \checkmark$ $= \frac{3}{10} \times 100$ $= \frac{300}{10} \checkmark$ $= 30\% \checkmark$	(3)

5	DECIMAL FRACTIONS	[9 MARKS]
	Calculate:	
5.1.	$0,12 \times 0,06$ $= \frac{12}{100} \times \frac{6}{100} \checkmark$ $= \frac{72}{10\,000}$ $= 0,0072 \checkmark$	(2)
5.2	$0,064 \div 0,4$ $= \frac{64}{1\,000} \div \frac{4}{10} \checkmark$ $= \frac{64}{1\,000} \times \frac{10}{4} \checkmark$ $= \frac{640}{4\,000}$ $= 0,16 \checkmark$	(3)
5.3	$(0,7)^3$ $= 0,7 \times 0,7 \times 0,7 \checkmark$ $= 0,343 \checkmark$	(2)
5.4	$\sqrt{0,16}$ $= \sqrt{\frac{16}{100}} \checkmark$ $= \frac{4}{10}$ $= 0,4 \checkmark$	(2)
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