## GCSE MATHEMATICS

# Speed





These questions have been taken or modified from previous AQA GCSE Mathematics Papers.

#### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Answer all questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- If your calculator does not have a  $\pi$  button, take the value of  $\pi$  to be 3.14 unless another value is given in the question.

#### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The quality of your written communication is specifically assessed in questions that are indicated with an asterisk (\*).

#### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- In all calculations, show clearly how you work out your answer.
- Use the number of marks for the question as a guide to the amount of time you need to spend.
- Look at previous parts of the question, e.g. a), b), c) i) as there may be information there you need to answer later parts.
- Check your answer is realistic and appropriate.
- For calculator decimal numbers always write your full calculator display in the working out area and then, if you need to, round the answer on the answer line.

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1 The table shows information about two journeys.

Journey	Distance (km)	Average speed (km/hr)
Α	15	x
В	6	x + 4

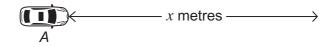
The total time of the two journeys is 1 hour.

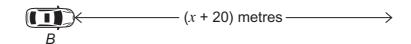
You are given that  $time = \frac{distance}{average speed}$ 

Set up and solve an equation to work out <i>x</i> .	[7 marks]
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### 2 Car A travels x metres at a speed of 15 m/s

Car B travels (x + 20) metres at a speed of 17 m/s





Both cars travel for the same time.

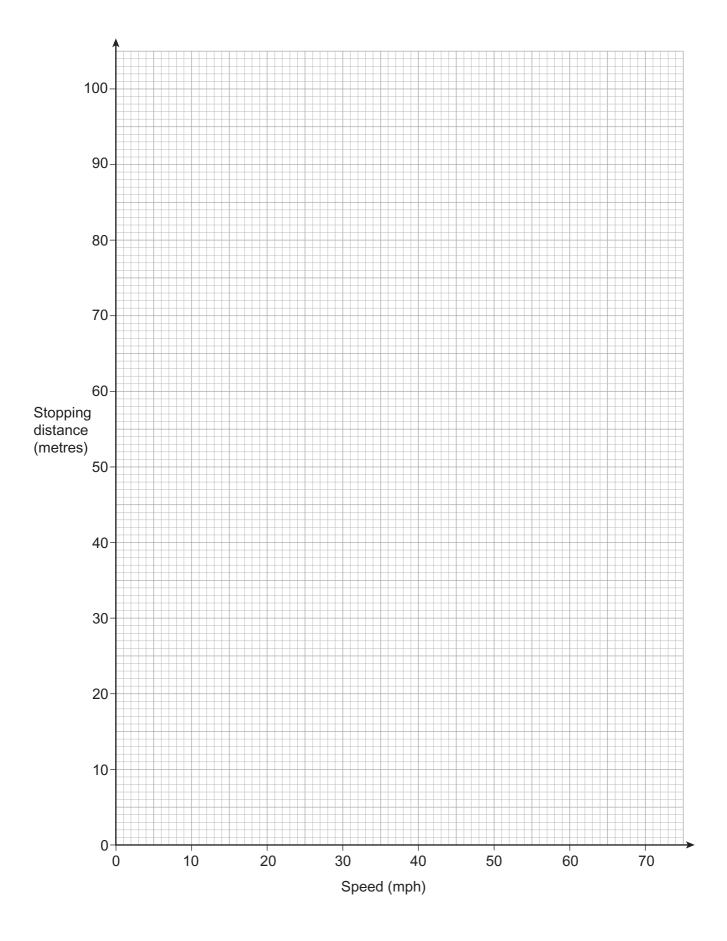
Set up an equation and work out x.

[4 marks]

*x* = \_\_\_\_\_

A scooter is travelling at a constant speed of 75 kilometres per hour.					
The scooter	travels at this speed for 20 minutes.				
How many ki	How many kilometres has the scooter travelled in this time?				
	Answerkm	(2 marks <sub>)</sub>			
	mit is 50 <b>miles</b> per hour. r travelling faster or slower than the speed limit?				
Faster	Slower				
You <b>must</b> she	ow your working.				
		(2 marks)			
Jack drives 9	5 miles.				
	at an average speed of 38 mph nis journey at 7 am				
What time do	es he arrive?	[3 marks			
	Answer				

5	Jacques travels 240 km in 2 hours 3		
	Work out his average speed. State the units of your answer.		[3 marks]
	Answer		
6	The table shows stopping distance f	ior a car whon braking	
,	The table shows stopping distance i	or a car when braking.	
	Speed (mph)	Stopping distance (metres)	
	20	12	
	30	23	
	40	36	
	50	53	
	60	73	
6 (a)	Plot this data on the grid opposite.		
, (a)	Join your points with a smooth curve	<b>)</b> .	[2 marks]
6 (b)	Extend your smooth curve to estima	te the stopping distance at 70 mph	[2 marks]
	Answer	metres	



## 7 (a) A speed camera takes two photographs of a car. $0.6 \, \text{m}$ Photograph 2 $0.6 \, m$ Photograph 2 was taken 0.5 seconds after Photograph 1. Marks on the road are 0.6 metres apart. Calculate the average speed of the car in m/s. (3 marks) Answer ...... m/s 7 (b) You are given that 1 kilometre = 1000 metres and 1 hour 3600 seconds A lorry is travelling at 13.6 m/s. The speed limit is 50 km/h. Show that the lorry is travelling below the speed limit.

(3 marks)

Two boats leave a port at the same time.

Boat A travels due West at an average speed of 20 km/h

Boat B travels due South at an average speed of 30 km/h

How far apart are the boats after 2.5 hours? Give your answer to 2 significant figures.

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					[5 marks]
				N	
				$\uparrow$	
	Answer		k	(m	