

AQA Level 2 Further mathematics Number & algebra

Section 1: Basic number and algebra

Section test

1) Work out $\left(4\frac{1}{4} - 2\frac{2}{3}\right) \div 1\frac{1}{6}$

(a) $1\frac{13}{14}$

(b) $1\frac{27}{28}$

(c) $1\frac{5}{14}$

(d) $-\frac{3}{2}$

(e) I don't know

2) In a sale, a coat priced at £150 is reduced by 55%. What is the new price of the coat?

(a) £82.50

(b) £67.50

(c) £95.00

(d) £145.00

(e) I don't know

3) The expression $3(2x + 3y - 1) - 2(3x - 2y - 4)$ can be simplified to give the expression

(a) $13y + 5$

(b) $10y + 5$

(c) $12x + 5y - 11$

(d) $y - 5$

(e) I don't know

4) The expression $(2x - 5)(x + 3)$ is equivalent to

(a) $2x^2 + x - 15$

(b) $2x^2 - x - 15$

(c) $2x^2 + 11x - 25$

(d) $2x^2 - 2x - 15$

(e) I don't know

5) Simplify $\sqrt{75} - \sqrt{27}$

(a) $\sqrt{12}$

(b) $\sqrt{48}$

(c) $4\sqrt{3}$

(d) $2\sqrt{3}$

(e) I don't know

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6) Simplify $\sqrt{12} \times \sqrt{8} \times \sqrt{98}$

- (a) $56\sqrt{6}$ (b) $56\sqrt{3}$
(c) $28\sqrt{3}$ (d) $28\sqrt{6}$
(e) I don't know

7) The ratio $\sqrt{8} : \sqrt{18} : \sqrt{50}$ can be written in its simplest form as

- (a) $4 : 9 : 25$ (b) $2 : 3 : 5$
(c) $1 : 10 : 42$ (d) $1 : \sqrt{10} : \sqrt{42}$
(e) I don't know

8) Multiply out $(2 - \sqrt{3})(1 + 2\sqrt{3})$ and simplify as far as possible

- (a) $-4 + \sqrt{3}$ (b) $2 + 3\sqrt{3}$
(c) $-4 + 3\sqrt{3}$ (d) $2 + \sqrt{3}$
(e) I don't know

In Questions 9 and 10, rationalise the denominator and simplify as far as possible.

9) $\frac{2}{3\sqrt{2}}$

- (a) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$ (b) $\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$
(c) $3\sqrt{2}$ (d) $\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}$
(e) I don't know

10) $\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{1 + \sqrt{2}}$

- (a) 5 (b) $2 + \sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}$
(c) $2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6} - \sqrt{3} - 2$ (d) $\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{5}$
(e) I don't know