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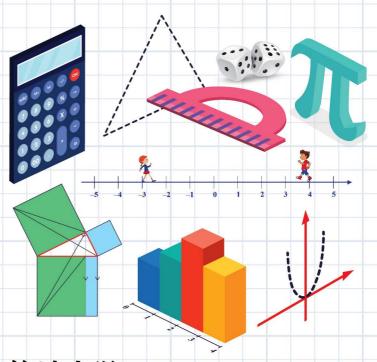
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#### **FOREWORD**



Congratulations to CRICED, University of Tsukuba and SEAMEO RECSAM for another collaboration project in the publication of three series of guidebook entitled Mathematics Challenges for Classroom Practices based on the SEAMEO Basic Education Standards: Common Core Regional Learning Standards (SEA-BES CCRLS) in Mathematics. Two of the series are for the lower and upper primary level while the third series is for the lower secondary level. Generally, curriculum standards of subjects are not widely scrutinised by classroom practitioners and teacher educators compared to the curriculum specialists. The publication of these three new guidebooks anchor well and consolidate the role and importance of the SEA-BES Common Core Regional

Standards document which was already introduced to all the 11 SEAMEO member countries and beyond since published in 2017.

The content of this guidebook series covers across Grade 1 to Grade 9 and consists of tasks written to understand the learning standards in Mathematics. The transfer of information from the SEA-BES CCRLS to the newly published book series will create an awareness among classroom teachers and teacher educators the importance and relevance of curriculum standards in formulating and designing learning specifications for students. The presentation of the book series emphasised on three aspects, namely highlighting the misconceptions, developed new ideas from the previously learned knowledge and explanation of new concepts in mathematics. The task-based approach will surely help readers to enhance their own mathematical understanding and ultimately provide better support for classroom teaching and learning.

I sincerely hope that the Minister of Education of SEAMEO members would provide support and promote the use of this guidebook series among educators and teachers in their respecting countries. This effort and spirit of cooperation among SEAMEO members and associate members can be realised to bring benefits for classroom practices, which will eventually benefit children of our future.

My sincere appreciation and congratulations to CRICED, University of Tsukuba as a project proponent and provided the financial support, SEAMEO RECSAM as the main collaborator, other collaborating partner institutions and individual educators and specialists for their expertise, commitment and contributions in this endeavour.

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#### **FOREWORD**



On behalf of SEAMEO RECSAM, I would like to express my sincerest appreciations to the Centre for Research on International Cooperation in Educational Development (CRICED), University of Tsukuba for inviting the Centre as the main collaborator in the publication of the guidebook series, titled "Mathematics Challenges for Classroom Practices" for the i) Lower Primary Level, ii) Upper Primary Level and iii) Lower Secondary Level. Besides the involvement of SEAMEO RECSAM, many educators and specialists of other collaborating partners such as Khon Kaen University, Thailand; the Institute for the Promotion of Teaching Science and Technology (IPST), Thailand, SEAMEO QITEP in Mathematics, Indonesia; mathematics specialists in APEC economies, educators, local teacher educators, and curriculum specialists involved in the SEAMEO Basic Education Standards:

Common Core Regional Learning Standards (SEA-BES CCRLS) in Mathematics had contributed their writings in this guidebook series.

SEA-BES CCRLS in Mathematics and Science was first published in 2017 by SEAMEO RECSAM but had limited and restricted usage despite being shared with all SEAMEO member countries and beyond. Today, SEA-BES CCRLS has been given a new life where the learning standards of the Mathematics component have been adopted and used as the main reference for this guidebook series. Having said that, I am grateful to the outstanding writing team who made this possible. I shall start by acknowledging the contribution of Professor Dr Masami Isoda, who initiated the idea and the project and had graciously invited SEAMEO RECSAM to produce this guidebook series; Ms Teh Kim Hong who coordinated the project with Mr Pedro Jr. Montecillo; Mr Gan Teck Hock who was later recruited to join the writing team and other mathematics specialists who were also invited to contribute their writings. Despite facing time constraints and changes of staff members, the writing team stayed intact with their contributions and commitment until this guidebook series is published. Besides the writing team, I also like to thank the panel reviewers of RECSAM who provided their constructive suggestions to improve the content of this guidebook series.

The guidebook series covers the mathematics content across Grade 1 to Grade 9 with the focus of utilising written tasks to understand the learning standards of SEA-BES CCRLS in Mathematics. The transfer of information from the later to the newly published guidebook series will create awareness among classroom teachers and teacher educators regarding the importance and relevance of curriculum standards in the planning of teaching and learning. The presentation of this guidebook series emphasised on highlighting misconceptions, contradictions, and developed new ideas from the previously learned knowledge to enhance learning and develop mathematical thinking. Such an approach of contradiction will foster deeper thinking among readers, thus enhancing mathematical understanding, translating into better support for classroom teaching and learning.

Without a doubt, much commitment and hard work had been invested to produce these guidebooks. I hope that this mathematics guidebook series will be used widely by teachers and educators of SEAMEO member countries for classroom practices. I sincerely hope SEAMEO Secretariat will also provide their support by promoting this guidebook series in the classrooms of educators and teachers in all SEAMEO member countries.

I am therefore proud to present this guidebook series as the contribution of SEAMEO RECSAM and CRICED, University of Tsukuba, for the promotion and development of mathematics education in this region. This would not have been possible without CRICED, University of Tsukuba's content expertise and financial support. I hope this valuable collaboration and cooperation will continue in other future projects to benefit education development in this region.

Dr SHAH JAHAN BIN ASSANARKUTTY Centre Director, SEAMEO RECSAM

#### **FOREWORD**



In addition to the Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science Technology (MEXT), the University of Tsukuba has been playing the role of an affiliate member to collaborate with SEAMEO. As the Director of the Centre for Research on International Cooperation in Educational Development (CRICED), it is my pleasure to continue working with SEAMEO RECSAM on the SEAMEO Basic Education Standards for Mathematics (SEA-BES-M). This project was launched in 2014 as a reference book for curriculum reformers and teachers to develop the 21st century skills and OECD competency (2005) in education. For SEA-BES-M, I had collaborated with Pedro Montecillo Jr., Kim Hong Teh, and the late Mohd Sazali bin Hi. Khalid of RECSAM, along with

the contribution from curriculum developers in SEAMEO countries, specialists in APEC economies and several internationally leading researchers. Finally, SEA-BES-M was incorporated into the 'SEAMEO Basic Education Standards (SEA-BES): Common Core Regional Learning Standards (CCRLS) in Mathematics and Science' which was published by RECSAM in 2017.

Before SEA-BES-M was published, a comparative analysis of the mathematics curriculum documents of SEAMEO countries revealed that the higher order thinking presented as process standards is compartmentalised between every content description. Therefore, a major contribution of SEA-BES-M to the world, particularly the SEAMEO countries is its clear description of the meaning of higher order thinking for the mathematics curriculum standards to develop mathematical thinking. After the publication, we recognized that there are difficulties for readers to understand the intended meaning of every standard. This is mainly due to the fact that readers will interpret what is read based on their curriculum knowledge and experience teaching mathematics of their own countries. As such, it is crucial to develop a book series to be used as references for interpreting SEA-BES-M.

This book series is prepared, particularly for teacher educators, textbook authors, and curriculum developers as well as teachers to understand higher order thinking for developing mathematical thinking in their classrooms. In this book series, the authors had collaborated with leading researchers and educators in major teacher education institutions, CRME-IRDTP at KKU (Thailand), IPST (Thailand) and SEAMEO QITEP in Mathematics (Indonesia) with the support of the coordinators.

Furthermore, the authors had made some minor revisions to the SEA-BES-M to align with the needs of the Era of the 4th Industrial Revolutions to develop stakeholders and users of Artificial Intelligence and Big Data in business as well as establishing a successful life under the reality of humanity with technology. The minor revision was made based on the curriculum reform recommendation (2020) by APEC InMside Project with the purpose of promoting mathematical capitalism under mathematical-statistical-informational sciences on the demands of the Era. It is hoped that this book series is used in teacher education to develop new curriculum content knowledge for teaching in this Era. I would like to acknowledge SEAMEO secretariat and centres for their collaborations, especially Shah Jahan Bin Assanarkutty, the Director of RECSAM, who made possible this publication. Last but not least, I would like to convey my sincere appreciation to all contributing writers stated in the contributor list and Gakko Tosho (the Japanese Textbook Publisher) which provided us innovative ideas.

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#### **PREFACE**

Realising reform in school curriculum beyond the 21st century and revitalising teacher education have been set as prioritised agendas in SEAMEO countries. On this demand, SEAMEO Basic Education Standards: Common Core Regional Learning Standards (SEA-BES:CCRLS) in Mathematic was published in 2017 for the main purpose of strengthening collaboration on curriculum standards and learning assessment across different educational systems in SEAMEO countries. In order for this document to be understood beyond the curriculum developers, supporting materials need to be developed for helping other users such as classroom teachers and teacher educators to acquire a deeper understanding of the standards. This book is an initiative to provide such support. With this support, it is anticipated that teachers and teacher educators will be able to innovate their classroom practices for developing competency and professional development aligning with the trends of the 4th Industrial Revolution.

Mathematics Challenges for Classroom Practices at the Lower Secondary Level consists of mathematical tasks for the following strands:

- Numbers and Algebra
- Relations and Functions
- Space and Geometry
- Statistics and Probability

These tasks are prepared to be used for pre-service and in-service mathematics teacher education. Its main purpose is to help readers develop mathematical knowledge for teaching (MKT) which consists of subject matter knowledge (SMK) and pedagogical content knowledge (PCK) (see, Ball, Thames, and Phelps, 2008)¹. In developing the tasks, the English edition of Japanese mathematics textbooks publised by Gakko Tosho² had been used as the main reference. These textbooks provided major guides for learning mathematics through problem solving approach to develope mathematical thinking. As such, the tasks in this book are focused on mathematical ideas and ways of thinking. Basically, the tasks are developed in three ways: (a) analysing misconception of ideas, (b) developing ideas from previously learnt knowledge, and (c) using inquiry-based investigation to learn new ideas. In designing the tasks, the importance of local contexts of the SEAMEO community had been considered. However, some essential elements of Japanese school mathematics were also incorporated into the tasks. It is hoped that these elements will set off a new breath of mathematics learning in the SEAMEO community, shaping our students to be critical and creative thinkers in the era of artificial intelligence and data science.

Each task is written based on a standard in SEA-BES: CCRLS in Mathematics and it serves to clarify (a) the curriculum knowledge of teaching in PCK, and (b) the mathematical ideas and ways of thinking on SMK related to the standard. Apart from that, SEA-BES CCRLS in Mathematics is used as the basic source for MKT. Since SEA-BES CCRLS in Mathematics was developed with curriculum specialists of SEAMEO countries, solving the tasks will also provide a bird's eye view of their national curriculum to the readers. Furthermore, it will broaden their perspective of mathematical ideas, ways of thinking and curriculum sequence with respect to their use of local textbooks.

<sup>1.</sup> Ball, D. L., Thames, M. H., & Phelps, G. (2008). Content Knowledge for Teaching: What makes it special? Journal of Teacher Education, 49(5), 389-407.

<sup>2.</sup> Hitotsumatsu, S. et al (2005). Study with your friends: mathematics for elementary school (G. 1-6). Tokyo: Gakko Tosho./ Isoda, M., Murata, A., Yap, A. (2011, 2015, 2020) Study with your friends: mathematics for elementary school (G. 1-6). Tokyo: Gakko Tosho/ Isoda, M., Tall, D. (2019). Junior High School Mathematics (G. 1-3). Tokyo: Gakko Tosho. For developing tasks in this book, authors are inspired by the tasks and task sequence of these mathematics textbooks.

Although the targeted readers of this book are teachers and teacher educators, most of the tasks can also be solved by students in classrooms as they are also aligned with school mathematics curriculum. In addition, teachers and teacher educators are expected to solve them without much difficulties. However, studying the tasks carefully will raise the awareness of the depth of SMK and PCK required to complete the tasks. This will triggered off a need to upskill their understanding of mathematical ideas and function effectively to develop students mathematical competency. Thus, solving tasks in this book will provide readers the opportunities to relearn the mathematics content for teaching. Furthermore, it will also help them to identify (a) the objectives of teaching the content, (b) the gap between students' prior knowledge and what is to be learnt, (c) what and how students reorganise the content knowledge of their learning, (d) students' difficulties in learning the content, and (e) what ideas will be developed through their new learning.

Readers may also choose to work with any task according to their interests. It is not necessary to work out all the tasks according to the sequence in the book. However, for a deeper understanding of the mathematical ideas embeded in a task, it is recommended that readers should solve the task in the following manner: (a) solve the task by themselves and read the related standards, (b) communicate their solutions with others to identify what is really new content for them, and (c) paraphrase and summarise the communication with others based on the perpective of mathematical ideas and ways of thinking that align with the framework of SEA-BES CCRLS as described in Chapter One.

This book is recommended for use in many ways and various contexts. Firstly, as all the tasks were designed based on school mathematics curriculum, so they can be used directly by students as learning tasks. In addition, teachers can also use the book as a quick guide to create similar mathematical tasks that incorporate mathematical thinking. Secondly, when the book is used in the context of in-service teacher education such as in lesson study, teachers can solve the tasks in this book as a step to gain a deep understanding of the mathematical ideas in order to prepare a unit of lesson plan based on the standard chosen. This may help to improve the effectiveness of lesson planning and anticipate responses of students to the tasks. Thirdly, in the context of pre-service teacher education, the tasks in this book can serve as a mean to acquire MKT which may be required for any teacher employment examination or entrace examination for an education graduate programme. Fourthly, in the context of mathematics education research, this book can be used as a reference for MKT. Last but not least, when the book is used in the context of curriculum reform and textbook revision, it could serve as a guide to formulate new objectives and tasks which are not existing in their current curriculum and textbooks.

Mathematics Challenges for Classroom Practices at the Lower Secondary Level is the outcome of many contributions of educators and academia from different leading institutions. In order to ensure good quality of content and streamline the presentation of the writings, many rounds of editing and rewriting were unavoidable. It is our hope that the mathematical ideas and ways of thinking promoted through this book will enhance the teachers' capacities to develop their students' potentials in facing the challenging and demanding era ahead.

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#### **CHAPTER 1**

#### **Guide to the SEA-BES CCRLS Framework in Mathematics**

The Southeast Asia Basic Education: Common Core Regional Learning Standards (SEA-BES CCRLS) was developed and directed to create a harmonious SEAMEO Member community in the era of artificial intelligence and data science through mutual understanding. In this respect, the CCRLS framework in Mathematics (2017) outlines three basic components towards developing creative, competent and productive global citizens essential for achieving this aim. The comprehensive illustration of the framework is attached in Appendix A. The revised framework in Figure 1 shows the interconnection of the three components.

#### **Mathematical Values, Attitudes and Habits for Human Character Mathematical Values Mathematical Attitude Mathematical Habits of Mind** Seeking -Attempting to -For living -Generality and See and think mathematically Reasonably and critically while Pose questions and develop respecting and appreciating others expandability Reasonableness and explanations Autonomously and socially harmony Generalise and extend Creatively, innovatively and Usefulness and Appreciate others' ideas and harmoniously to develop citizenship efficiency change representations for Judiciously in using various tools Simpler and easier meaningful elaborations With empowerment in predicting Beautifulness the future through lifelong learning **Mathematical Thinking and Processes** Mathematical Activities: Mathematical Ideas of: Mathematical Ways of Thinking: **Problem Solving** Set, Unit, Comparison, Generalisation and Specialisation **Exploration and Enquiry** Operation, Algorithm, Extension and Integration Mathematical Modeling, Fundamental Principles, Inductive, Analogical and Deductive Mathematisation and Permanence of Form, Reasoning Abstracting, Concretising and Programming Various Representations and Conjecturing, Justifying and Translations. **Embodiment** Proving Objectifying by Representation and Conceptualisation and Proceduralisation Relational and Functional Thinking Thinking Forward and Backward Representation and Sharing **Contents** Key Stage 1 Key Stage 2 Key Stage 3 Numbers & Operations Extension of Numbers & Numbers & Algebra Quantity & Measurement Operations Relations & Functions Shapes, Figures & Solids Measurement & Relations Space & Geometry Pattern & Data Plane Figures & Space Figures > Statistics & Probability Data Handling & Graphs Representations

Figure 1. Revised CCRLS Framework in Mathematics

This book is written to guide readers acquire a better understanding of this framework particularly on mathematical thinking and processes which are embedded in all the tasks. The detailed explanation of mathematical ideas, mathematical ways of thinking and mathematical activities can

be found in Appendix B. The standards for the strand on Mathematical Processes-Humanity is attached in Appendix C to provide readers with challenging activities to promote metacognitive thinking at different level of arguments to make sense of mathematics. In order to understand the development and progression of learning from the primary level to the secondary level (Key Stage 3), the learning standards of Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 can be referred in Appendix D and Appendix E, respectively.

The interconnection of the three components is shown in Figure 2. The ultimate aim of the CCRLS framework is to develop mathematical values, attitudes and human characters which are the essence of a harmonious society. This component is closely related to the affective domain of human character traits which correspond to soft skills that can be developed through appreciation. In relation to this, acquisition of mathematics contents as hard skills and reflection on the thinking processes are needed to inculcate the capability of appreciation. The reflection is necessary for learners to recognise their cognitive skills derived through the contents. Even though contents appeared to be learned independently through acquisition, the mathematical thinking and process, and the appreciation of mathematical values, attitudes and habits for human character is possible to be developed through reflective experiences.

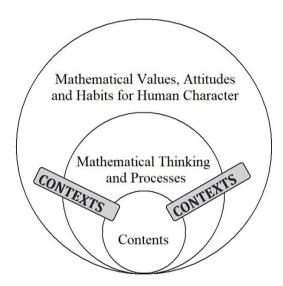


Figure 2. Interconnection of Components in CCRLS Framework in Mathematics

The three components will not be ideally operationalised without appropriate contexts. The tasks in this book provide the contexts for developing the mathematical thinking and processes, which are the key learning objectives. Completing the tasks correspond to gauging the readers' acquired mathematical knowledge for teaching. Thus, it is recommended that readers should constantly reflect on the appropriateness of their solutions to the tasks. Other than this, comparing solutions and discussion with others should always be done habitually in order to gain a deeper understanding of the mathematical processes. This may enable the readers to discover any hidden mathematical ideas and structures in the tasks with appreciation. The tasks are specifically designed to cater for this purpose.

In a nutshell, an important target of solving the tasks in this book is to enable readers to acquire a better insight of the learning standards. This insight will in turn help them to understand and appreciate their national mathematics curriculum from the perspective of SEABES CCRLS. Furthermore, since the learning standards are developed based on the framework which emphasised on the components of contents, thinking and processes, as well as values of mathematics, ultimately, readers will be able to acquire mathematical teaching knowledge with appreciation.

#### CHAPTER TWO

#### **Numbers and Algebra**

#### **Topic 1: Extending Numbers to Positive and Negative Numbers**

#### Standard 1.1:

Extending numbers to positive and negative numbers and integrate four operations into addition and multiplication

- Understand the necessity and significance of extending numbers to positive and negative i. numbers in relation to directed numbers with quantity
- Compare numbers which is greater or less than on the extended number line and use absolute value for distance from zero
- Extend operations to positive and negative numbers and explain the reason iii.
- Get efficiency on calculation in relation to algebraic sum

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Positive and Negative Numbers in the Real World

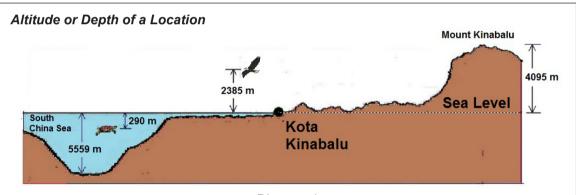


Diagram 1

Altitude is the vertical distance above sea level and depth is the vertical distance below sea level.

Diagram 1 shows the cross sectional view of Mount Kinabalu to its nearest city, Kota Kinabalu which is next to the South China Sea.

- Use numbers to indicate the altitude or depth of the following locations:
  - The summit of Mount Kinabalu
  - The eagle
  - Kota Kinabalu City
  - The sea turtle
  - The seabed of South China Sea
- How can numbers be used to differentiate locations above and below the sea level? ii.

#### Elevator with Positive and Negative Floors

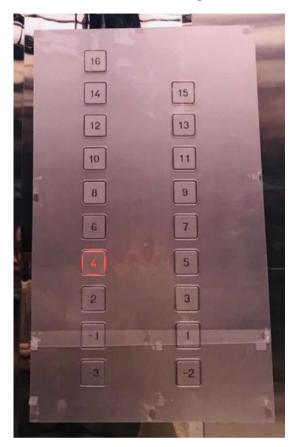
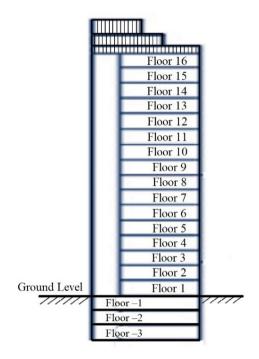


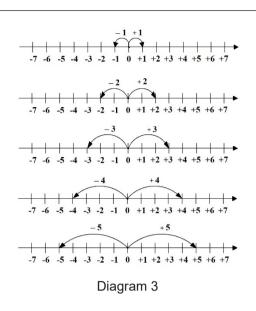
Diagram 2

Diagram 2 shows a button panel of an elevator. In this elevator, positive numbers are used to label floors on and above the ground, whereas negative numbers are used to label basement floors as shown below.



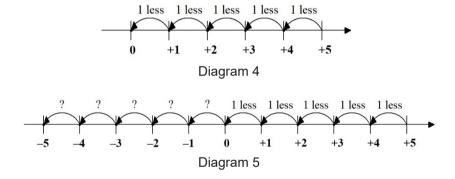
- i. Are the positive and negative numbers used correctly in labelling the floors? Why or why not?
- ii. What modifications to the button panel would you suggest?
- iii. Explain the reasons for your suggestions.

#### Task 2: Comparing Positive and Negative Numbers



- Diagram 3 shows five number lines used to i. represent the numbers +1, +2, +3, +4, +5, -1,-2, -3, -4 and -5.
  - Describe how positive and negative numbers are represented in a number line.
  - With the use of real-world examples, explain why +5 > +3, but -5 < -3.

Diagram 4 shows a number line for zero and positive numbers whereas Diagram 5 shows an extended number line to include the negative numbers.

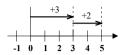


As shown in Diagram 4, any number on the number line is always 1 less than the number to its right.

- Does the same rule still apply for the extended number line?
- Based on this rule, what can you conclude on using a number line to compare positive and negative numbers?
- Delete the wrong word in the (
  - All positive numbers are (less/greater) than zero.
  - All negative numbers are (less/greater) than zero. \*
  - All positive numbers are (less/greater) than negative numbers.
  - For any two positive numbers, the one with larger absolute value is (smaller/ larger).
  - For any two negative numbers, the one with larger absolute value is (smaller/ larger).
- iii. Why is number line a good tool to represent positive and negative numbers?

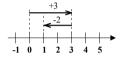
#### Task 3: Addition and Subtraction of Positive and Negative Numbers Using Number Line

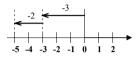
#### Addition Using Number Line



(a) 
$$(+3) + (+2) = \square$$

(b) 
$$(-3) + (+2) = \Box$$





(c) 
$$(+3) + (-2) = \square$$

(d) 
$$(-3) + (-2) = \square$$

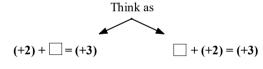
Diagram 6

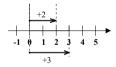
On a number line, adding a positive or negative number can be performed by moving the number of steps toward the positive (right) or the negative (left) direction.

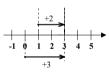
- Diagram 6 shows four additions involving positive and negative using number numbers performed lines.
  - Draw an arrow on each of the number lines to show the answer ☐ for each of the additions.
- A student claims that "adding a negative number is the same as subtracting the positive part of the number."
  - Justify that this claim is always

#### Subtraction Using Number Line

(a) 
$$(+3) - (+2) = \square$$

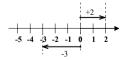






(b) 
$$(-3) - (+2) = \square$$

Think as  $(+2) + \Box = (-3)$ + (+2) = (-3)



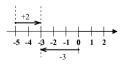


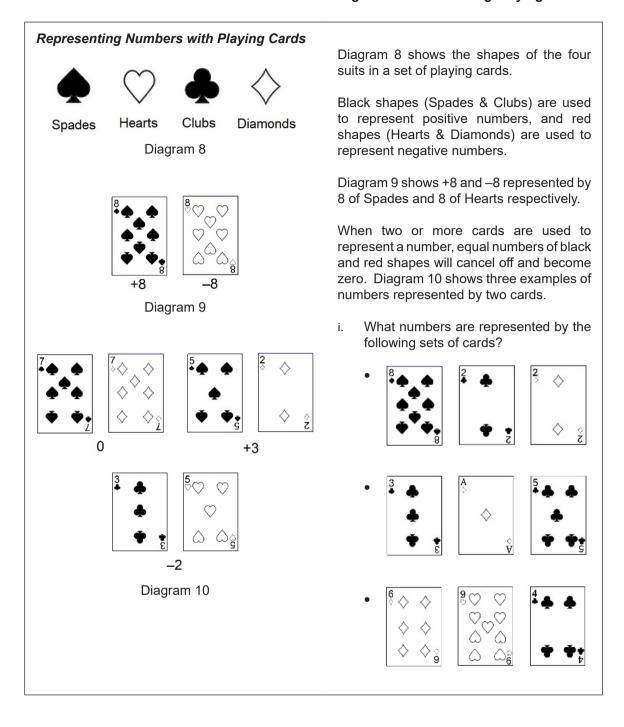
Diagram 7

Subtraction is the inverse operation of addition. Thus, a subtraction can be thought of as an addition with a missing addend. As an example,  $(+3) - (+2) = \square$  can either be thought of as

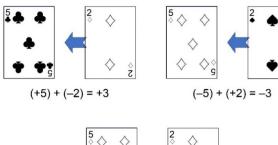
$$(+2) + \square = (+3)$$
 or  $\square + (+2) = (+3)$ .

- Diagram 7 shows two subtractions involving positive negative and numbers performed using number lines.
  - Draw an arrow on each of the number lines to show the answer ☐ for the two ways of thinking for each of the subtractions.
- Perform the following subtractions using number lines:
  - (+3) (-2)
  - (-3) (-2)
- Which of the two ways of thinking about iii. subtraction do you find it easier to perform subtraction involving positive and negative numbers using number line? Why?

Task 4: Addition and Subtraction of Positive and Negative Numbers Using Playing Cards



#### Addition Using Playing Cards



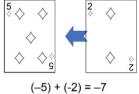
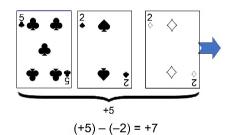


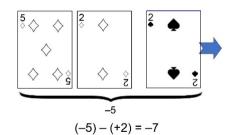
Diagram 11

When using playing cards, addition can be performed by "putting in" cards. Diagram 11 shows three examples of addition performed using playing cards.

- Use playing card to perform the ii. following calculations:
  - (+8) + (-5)
  - (-4) + (-2)
  - (-1) + (+4)

#### Subtraction Using Playing Cards





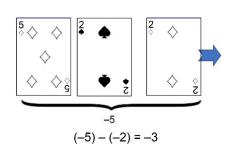


Diagram 12

Subtraction is the inverse operation of addition. So, it can be performed by "taking away" cards. Diagram 12 shows three examples of subtraction performed using playing cards.

- Use playing card to perform the following calculations:
  - (+7) (+2)
  - (+3) (-6)
  - (-3) (-8)
  - (-5) (+7)

#### Task 5: Comparing Number-Line Method and Playing-Card Method

Number lines and playing cards are two methods of performing addition and subtraction. These two methods have some distinct similarities and differences in terms of the mathematical ideas involved.

- i. Compare and contrast these two methods.
- Which of these two methods do you think will be easier for your students? Why? ii.
- Which of these two methods do you think can help your students learn other mathematical ideas such as vector in their future grades?

#### Task 6: Addition and Subtraction Rules Involving Negative Numbers

$$(+5) + (+2) = (+7)$$

$$\downarrow 1 \text{ less} \qquad \downarrow 1 \text{ less}$$

$$(+5) + (+1) = (+6)$$

$$\downarrow 1 \text{ less} \qquad \downarrow 1 \text{ less}$$

$$(+5) + 0 = (+5)$$

$$\downarrow 1 \text{ less} \qquad \downarrow 1 \text{ less}$$

$$(+5) + (-1) = (+4)$$
Diagram 13

A student was asked to find the sum (+5) + (-1) and he gave the answer +4. When asked to explain his method to get the answer, the student's reasoning is shown in Diagram 13. He further explained that "adding a negative number is the same as subtracting the corresponding positive number."

- Is the student's reasoning valid? Why or why not? i.
- Using the example (+5) (-1) = (+6), how would you use the same reasoning to convince ii. other students that "subtracting a negative number is the same as adding the corresponding positive number"?

#### Task 7: Application of Negative Numbers in Real World

In an international athletics competition, depending on its direction of blow, a tailwind is considered either assisting or opposing the effort of the runners. According to the International Association of Athletics Federation (IAAF) Competition Rules, a tailwind of more than +2 m/s will make the results not considered as a record although the results are considered valid for that competition.

Table 1 Current World Records for Man's 100 m Sprint

Record Holder & Country	Usain Bolt, Jamaica
Time	9.58 s
Tailwind	+0.9 m/s
Venue	World Athletics Championship, Berlin, Germany
Date	16 Aug 2009

- i. Table 1 shows the current world records for 100 m sprint for the man category.
  - Why was the tailwind of +0.9 m/s considered as an advantage to Usain Bolt?
  - Usain Bolt's run was the result of his own running speed assisted by the tailwind. Calculate the resultant speed of Usain Bolt's run.
  - Assuming the tailwind was pushing Usain Bolt's whole body forward at the speed of +0.9 m/s. Calculate Usain Bold's own running speed without the assistance of the tailwind.
- The current woman record holder for South America Continent is Rosângela Santos of Brazil. Her record is 10.91 s with a tailwind of -0.2 m/s.
  - Why was this tailwind of 0.2 m/s considered as a disadvantage to Rosângela Santo?
  - Calculate the resultant speed of Rosângela Santo with the influence of the tailwind.
  - Calculate the actual speed of Rosângela Santo without the influence of the tailwind.

Task 8: Real-World Multiplication and Division Involving Positive and Negative Numbers

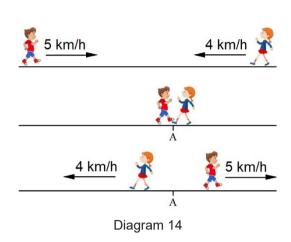


Diagram 14 shows a boy and a girl walking along a straight track. The boy walks to the right from one end of the track with a speed of 5 km/h, and the girl walks in the opposite direction from another end with a speed of 4 km/h.

Both the boy and the girl cross at location A and continue their walking.

- Use multiplication sentences to represent the respective distance of the boy and the girl from location A at the following times:
  - 2 hours after they crossed.
  - 2 hours before they crossed [Hint: Consider the direction of movement (right or left) and time (after or before).]

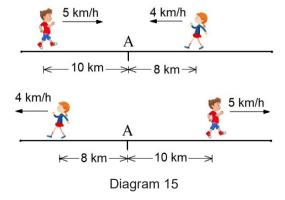


Diagram 15 shows two instances of the boy and girl during the walk. Use division sentences ii. to represent the respective time for the two instances.

Task 9: Multiplication and Division Rules Involving Positive and Negative Numbers

#### Justify by the Distributive Rule of Multiplication

$$(-3) \times 0 = 0$$
 ... any number multiplied by 0 is 0  
 $(-3) \times [(+2) + (-2)] = 0$  ... since  $(+2) + (-2) = 0$ 

Expand by Distributive Rule,

$$[(-3) \times (+2)] + [(-3) \times (-2)] = 0$$
  
 $(-6) + [(-3) \times (-2)] = 0$  ... since  $(-3) \times (+2) = (-6)$   
 $\therefore [(-3) \times (-2)] = (+6)$  ... since  $(-6) + (+6) = 0$ 

- approaches used by two students to justify that  $(-3) \times (-2) = (+6)$ .
  - Which of these approaches do you think is easier to convince your students? Why?

Diagram 16 shows two different

- Justify that  $(+3) \times (-2) = (-6)$ .
- Justify that  $(-8) \div (-2) = (+4)$ .

#### Justify by Permanence of Form

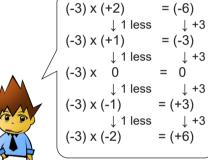
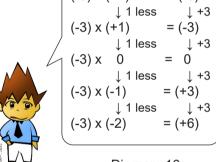


Diagram 16



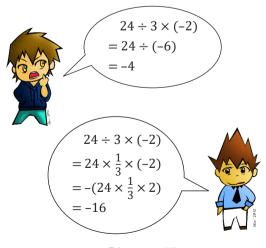


Diagram 17

- ii Two students calculated  $24 \div 3 \times (-2)$  in two different ways and got different answers as shown in Diagram 17.
  - Which student is correct? Explain your reasons.
  - What was the mistake made by the student who got the wrong answer?
  - How would you help your students to avoid such mistake?

#### Calculate

- $(-12) \div (-2) \times 5$
- $4 \times (-5) \div 12$
- $(-36) \div (-8) \div (-3)$
- $\frac{2}{3} \div (-\frac{9}{5}) \div 5$

#### Task 10: Calculation Involving Algebraic Sum

$$(+2) - (+5) = (+2) + (-5)$$

... because subtracting a positive number is the same as adding the corresponding negative number.

(+2) + (-5) is the algebraic sum of two terms, the positive term is (+2)and the negative term is (-5).



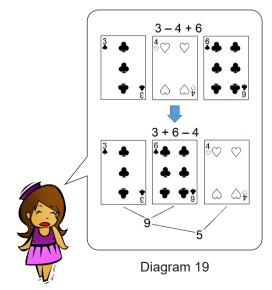
So, the sum of (+2) and (-5) is (-3).

$$(+2) - (-5) = (+2) + (+5)$$

... because subtracting a negative number is the same as adding the corresponding positive number.

So the sum of (+2) and (+5) is (+7).

Diagram 18



- i. A student claims that subtraction involving positive and negative numbers is easier to calculate if the subtraction is change to addition. Diagram 18 shows the explanation given by the student based on two examples.
  - Is the student's claim valid? Why or why not?
- Change the following into additiononly mathematics expressions and then find the sum for each expression.
  - (+8) (+2)
  - (+6) (-4)
  - (-9) + (-3) (-5)
  - (-5) (-2) (-8)
  - (+2) + (-0.6) (+1.8)
- Find the value of (a + b + c) for each of the following sets of a, b and c.
  - a = 5, b = -8, c = -3
  - a = -6.5, b = 2, c = 4
  - $a = -3\frac{1}{2}$ , b = -4,  $c = -\frac{1}{2}$

Another student claims that the commutative property, a + b = b + a, which only hold true for addition of anv real numbers a, b and c can also be used to do calculation involving subtraction. She gives the following example to support her claim.

$$3 - 4 + 6 = 3 + 6 - 4$$

Then, she uses playing card to explain her example as shown in Diagram 19.

- Is the second student's claim valid? Why or why not?
- Calculate
  - 12 18 + 14
  - -12 + 3 4 + 6
  - 2 5 + 7 1
  - -2.3 5.7
  - 1 1.8 0.4
  - $-\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{3} (-\frac{1}{6})$

#### Topic 2: Utilising Letters for Algebraic Expressions and Equations

#### Standard 2.1:

Extending the utilisation of letters for general representation of situations and find ways to simplify algebraic expressions

- i. Appreciate the utilisation of letter for general representation of situations to see the expression as process and value
- ii. Find ways to simplify expressions using distributive law and figural explanations, establish the calculation with like and unlike letter
- iii. Acquire fluency of simplifying expression and appreciate it for representing the pattern of situation

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

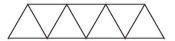
#### Task 1: Representing Number Patterns by Algebraic Expressions

#### Truss-Bridge Problem



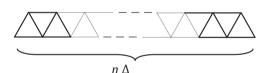
Diagram 1

Diagram 1 shows a truss bridge made up of many triangles.
 15 steel beams are needed to build the following bridge with 7 triangles.



 How many steel beams are needed to build a truss bridge with 11 triangles?

i. There are n number of triangles in the following truss bridge.



(Note: *n* is an odd number.)

- Write an algebraic expression in term of n to represent the number of steel beams needed to build the bridge.
- Diagrams 2, 3 and 4 show the reasoning of three students in solving the Truss-Bridge Problem.

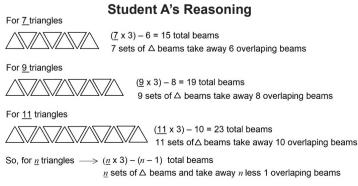
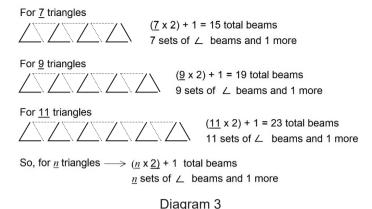
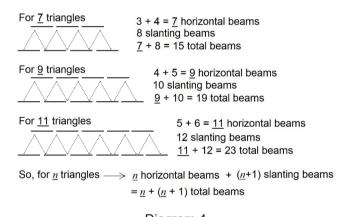


Diagram 2

#### Student B's Reasoning



#### Student C's Reasoning



#### Diagram 4

The three students viewed n to represent different things in their reasoning and ended up in getting three different expressions in term of n.

Student A:  $n \times 3 - (n-1)$ Student B:  $(n \times 2) + 1$ Student C: n + (n + 1)

- What was *n* representing in Student A's reasoning?
- What was *n* representing in Student B's reasoning?
- What was *n* representing in Student C's reasoning?
- If the students have learned the simplification of algebraic expressions, they will see that these three different expressions will be simplified to be a same expression, that is 2n + 1. However, if the students have not learned how to simplify algebraic expressions, it will be difficult for them to view the three expressions as representing a same solution to the Truss-Bridge problem.
  - Without simplifying the expressions, how would you help your students see that the three different expressions are representing a same solution?

#### Task 2: Simplifying Algebraic Expressions



Diagram 5

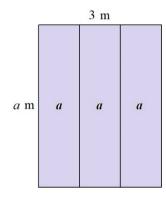


Diagram 6

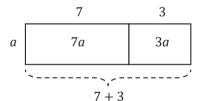


Diagram 7

$$\frac{6_{x}+1}{2}=\frac{\cancel{6}_{x}+1}{\cancel{2}^{1}}=3_{x}+1$$

Diagram 8

- i. Diagram 5 shows 3 chairs each weighing a kg.
  - What does 3a mean with respect to the chairs?
  - Write an addition sentence involving 3a.
- Diagram 6 shows a floor mat which is 3 m ii. wide and a m long.
  - What does 3a mean with respect to the floor mat?
  - Write а multiplication sentence involving 3a.
  - How does this multiplication sentence relate to the addition sentence in (i)?
- A student is having difficulty to understand that 7a + 3a = 10a. Diagram 7 shows a drawing used by a teacher to help the student overcome the difficulty.
  - Show how the distributive property of multiplication can be used to verify that 7a + 3a = 10a.
  - Show how the distributive property of multiplication can be used to verify that 7a - 3a = 4a.
- Diagram 8 shows a student's work when simplifying an algebraic expression.
  - What is the student's misconception?
  - Simplify  $\frac{6x+1}{2}$  by using the following methods.
    - \* Draw a diagram.
    - Use the distributive property of multiplication.
- A student claims that 3a + 2b = 5ab.
  - What is the student's misconception?
  - How would you help the student to correct the misconception?

#### Standard 2.2:

Thinking about set of numbers in algebraic expression with letters as variables and represent them with equality and inequality

- Recognise numbers as positive and negative numbers, and explain integers as a part of numbers
- Represent a set of numbers using variables with equality and inequality ii.
- iii. Translate given sets of numbers on the number lines using interval and inequality notations
- iv. Appreciate redefining of even and odd numbers using letters to represent different sets of variables

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

#### Task 1: Sets of Numbers in Algebraic Expressions

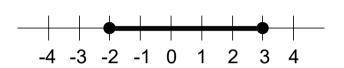


Diagram 1

The dark line segment in Diagram 1 represents the value of x for  $-2 \le x \le 3$ .

Given that *x* is an integer.

- i. Why is the diagram **not** correctly representing the values of x?
- ii. Make correction to the diagram.
- iii. What if x is a real number and  $-2 \le x < 3$ ?

#### Task 2: Redefining Even and Odd Numbers

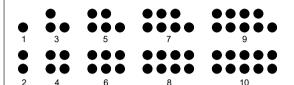


Diagram 2

If *n* is an integer, then

- 2*n* is an even number.
- both 2n + 1 and 2n 1are odd numbers.

Diagram 3

A and B are the sets of positive odd and even numbers respectively.

- $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, ...\}$
- $B = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, ...\}$

Diagram 2 shows the first five odd and first five even numbers represented by black dots.

- Given that *n* is an integer.
  - Write in terms of n, an algebraic expression to represent
    - Set A
    - Set B
  - State clearly the possible values of *n* for each algebraic expression in (i).
- Prove that:
  - The sum of two even numbers is always even.
  - The sum of two odd numbers is always even.
- Diagram 3 shows a student's confusion when he read the statement about both 2n + 1 and 2n - 1 are odd numbers for any integer n.
  - Using specific values of *n*, construct a table to verify the statement to the student.
- In this case, the letter n functions as a variable and the expression 2nrepresents the condition of the set of even numbers, whereas the expression 2n + 1 and 2n - 1 represent the condition of the set of odd numbers.
  - What is a variable?
  - Why is variable important in Algebra?

#### Standard 2.3:

Thinking about how to solve simple linear equation

- Review the answers of equations from the set of numbers and thinking backward
- Know the properties of equations which keep the set of answers of equation ii.
- Appreciate the efficient use of the properties of equations to solve linear equation iii.
- Use equations based on life situations to develop fluency, to solve equation, and interpret the iv. solution

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Equality and Inequality

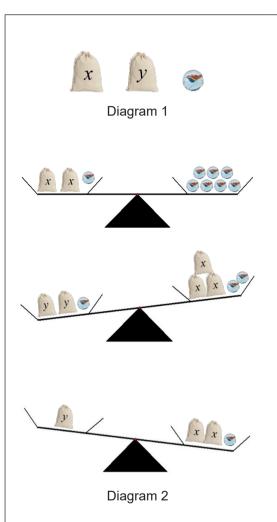


Diagram 1 shows two bags and a marbles. One bag has x number of marbles in it and the other bag has y number of marbles. All marbles are the same.

Diagram 2 shows three situations comparing the bags and marbles.

- Find the number of marbles in i.
  - Bag x
  - Bag y
- ii. Describe your process of finding the solutions for (i).

#### Task 2: Properties of Equality

- i. Solve the equations by inspection:
  - a + 2 = 6 Equation (1)
  - b-2=6 Equation (2)
  - 3x = 12 Equation (3)
  - $\frac{y}{2} = 3$  Equation (4)
- ii. Diagram 3 shows the processes of solving the four equations in (i).
  - Fill in the equation for each ?

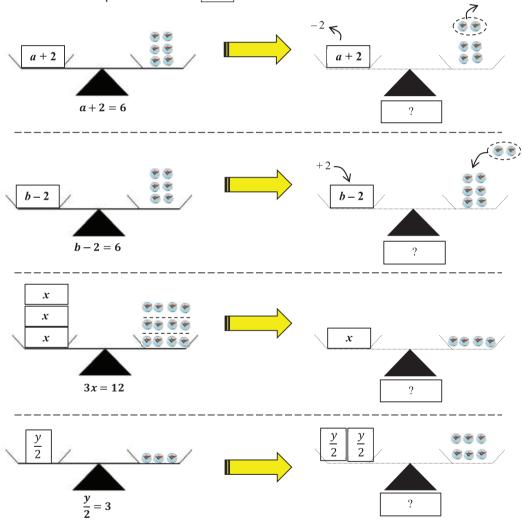


Diagram 3

- iii. The process of solving equations ① to ④ as illustrated in Diagram 3 reflect four properties of equality.
  - State the four properties of equality.

#### Task 3: Applying Properties of Equation in Solving Equations

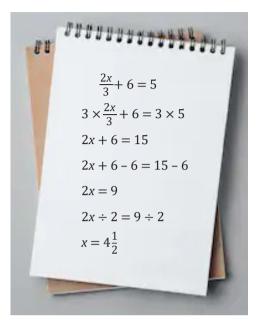


Diagram 4

- What does it mean by solving an equation? i.
- Diagram 4 shows the work of a student solving the equation  $\frac{2x}{3} + 6 = 5$ . ii.
  - What is the error made by the student?
  - How would you guide the student to realise that  $x = 4\frac{1}{2}$  is a wrong solution?
  - How would you help the student to correct his error?

#### Topic 3: Algebraic Expressions, Monomials and Polynomials and Simultaneous Equations

#### Standard 3.1:

Thinking about the calculations of monomial and polynomials, simple case

- Introduce terms, monomials and polynomials
- Introduce a number raised to the power of two as square, and a number raised to the power third as cube
- iii. Get fluency for the calculation of polynomials such as combining like terms and the use of the four operations in simple cases

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

#### Task 1: Monomials and Polynomial Expressions

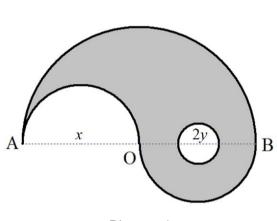


Diagram 1

Diagram 1 shows a figure formed by a big semicircle, two smaller semicircles and a small circle.

Given that AOB is the diameter of the big semicircle and AO = OB = x cm.

- If the diameter of the small circle is 2y cm, find its area and circumference as monomial i. expressions in terms of y.
- Show that the outer perimeter of the shaded region is  $2\pi x$ . ii.
- Find the area of the shaded region as a polynomial expression in terms of x and y. iii.
- If both x and y are doubled, what will happen to the outer perimeter and area of the shaded iv. region?

Task 2: Square and Cube

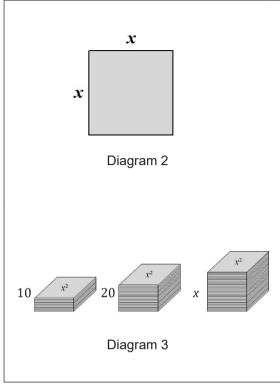
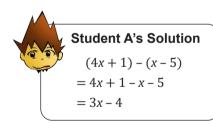


Diagram 2 shows a square metal sheet with side length x units.

- i Find the area of the metal sheet in term of *x*.
- Calculate the area of the metal sheet for the ii. following values of x.
  - x = 10 cm
  - $x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ m}$
  - x = 5.2 m
- Identical metal sheets with area  $x^2$  square units are stacked up to 10 cm, 20 cm and x cm high as shown in Diagram 3.
  - Find the volume of the three stacks of metal sheets in terms of x, respectively.
  - Calculate the volume of each stack of metal sheets for the same values of xin (ii).

**Task 3: Calculation Involving Polynomials** 



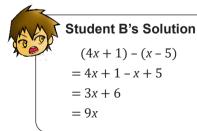


Diagram 4

- i. Diagram 4 shows the solutions of two students, A and B, when doing calculation involving polynomials.
  - For each of the student work, show where the mistake is and explain why.



### Student A's Method

$$\frac{x+2y}{2} - \frac{x-y}{3}$$

$$= \frac{3(x+2y)}{6} - \frac{2(x-y)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3(x+2y) - 2(x-y)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3x+6y-2x-2y}{6}$$

$$= \frac{x+8y}{6}$$



## Student B's Method

$$\frac{x+2y}{2} - \frac{x-y}{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(x+2y) - \frac{1}{3}(x-y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}x + y - \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{1}{3}y$$

$$= \frac{3}{6}x - \frac{2}{6}x + \frac{3}{3}y + \frac{1}{3}y$$

$$= \frac{1}{6}x + \frac{4}{3}x$$

Diagram 5

- i. Diagram 5 shows two students' methods to do calculation involving polynomials.
  - Are the answers obtained using the two methods the same or different? Explain your reasons.
  - Which method do you think is easier for your students? Explain your reasons.
- ii. Simplify.
  - -2(3x-4)+8x-3
  - $\bullet \quad a \frac{a+5b}{3}$
  - $\bullet \quad \frac{4x-y}{3} + \frac{x-3y}{2}$

### Task 4: A Mathematical Trick

 1
 2
 3
 4
 5

 6
 7
 8
 9

- Pick any two cards.
   Example: 3 and 5.
- Form two 2-digit numbers using the digits.

Example: 35 and 53.

 Find the difference between the two numbers.

Example: 53 - 35 = 18

Diagram 6

Diagram 6 shows the rule to play a trick using the number cards 1 to 9.

On his first trial, a student picked 4 and 5 and obtained the following result:

$$54 - 45 = 9$$

On his second trial, the students picked 4 and 7 and obtained the following result:

$$74 - 47 = 27$$

Based on these results, the student concluded that the difference between the two numbers is always a multiple of 9.

i. Prove that the student's conclusion is always true.

[Hint: Any 2-digit number ab can be expressed as a polynomial 10a + b, where a and b are any digit from 1 to 9.]

#### Standard 3.2:

Thinking about how to solve simultaneous equation in the case of linear equations

- Understand the meaning of solution of linear equations and simultaneous linear equations as a pair of numbers
- Know the substitution and elimination methods of solving simultaneous linear equations ii.
- iii. Get fluency for selecting the methods from the form of the simultaneous linear equations
- Appreciate simultaneous linear equation in the situations

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

## Task 1: Solving Simultaneous Linear Equations with Two Variables

Chicken-and-Sheep Problem

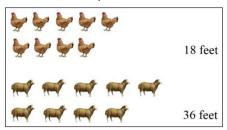
Table 1 Solving Chicken-and-Sheep Problem

X	у	Total Animal Heads	Total Animal Feet

Old MacDonald had a chicken-and-sheep farm. There are *x* number of chickens and y number of sheep in the farm.

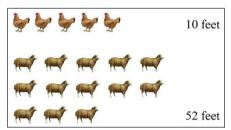
- One day, he counted all the animals in his farm and announced to his wife that:
  - "There are altogether 18 animal heads in our farm."
  - Write an equation in terms of x and y to represent the relationship.
  - Fill in Table 1 to show all the possible values of x, v and total number of animal heads.
- Later, his wife counted all the animals and announced to him that:
  - "There are altogether 60 animal feet in our farm."
  - Write another equation in terms of x and y to represent the second relationship.
  - Complete Table 1 to show all the possible numbers of animal feet.
- How many chicken and how many sheep are there in Old McDonald's farm?
- What does it mean by solving two equations simultaneously?

Assume there are 9 chickens. There will be 9 sheep.



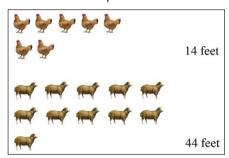
18 heads and 54 feet

Not enough feet. Assume there are 5 chickens. There will be 13 sheep.



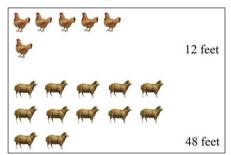
18 heads and 62 feet

Too many feet. Assume there are 7 chickens. There will be 11 sheep.



18 heads and 58 feet

Not enough feet. Assume there are 6 chicken. There will be 12 sheep.



18 heads and 60 heads

Diagram 1

- A student solved the Chicken-and-Sheep problem by first setting a tentative number of chickens, then proceeded to find the solution by a repeated process as shown in Diagram 1.
  - Explain the student's reasoning in solving the problem.
  - Using this student's method, solve

$$x + y = 9$$

$$2x + y = 16$$

## Apple-and-Orange Problem

In a supermarket in Bangkok, a packet of 2 apples and 1 orange is sold at 31 Bhat, but a packet of 1 apple and 2 oranges is sold at 26 Baht. What is the price of an apple and an orange respectively?

- Solve the Apple-and-Orange problem by your own reasoning. vi.
- vii. Three students solved the Apple-and-Orange problem.
  - Diagrams 2 shows the reasoning of the first student in solving the problem.

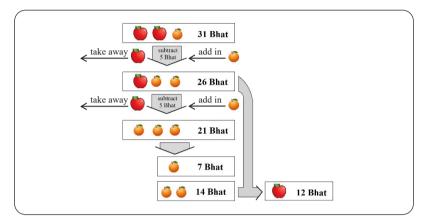


Diagram 2

- Explain the first student's reasoning.
- Does your own reasoning used in solving the problem match the students' reasoning? If yes, explain how the reasoning matched? If no, represent your reasoning with a diagram.
- The second student represented his reasoning while solving the problem with a diagram as shown in Diagram 3 and explained it using a series of equations.

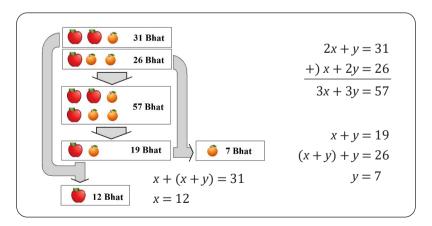


Diagram 3

Explain how the equations are connected to the student's reasoning.

The third student represented his reasoning while solving the problem with a diagram as shown in Diagram 4.

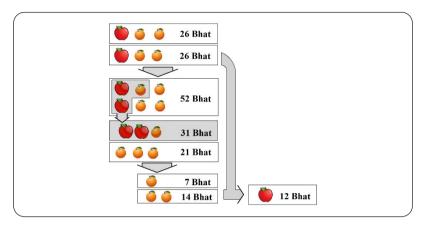


Diagram 4

Explain the third student's reasoning using a series of equations.

## Guava-and-Mango Problem



Guavas and mangoes packed into seperate boxes. Each box has a same number of guavas or mangoes.

Somchai bought 3 boxes of guavas and 5 boxes of mangoes. He counted the fruits and found that there are altogether 86 fruits. Then, he gave away 3 boxes of mangoes to his parents and he had 56 fruits left.



How many fruits in each box of guavas and mangoes, respectively?

Diagram 5

Set A
$$x + y = 12$$

$$2x + 3y = 28$$

Set B
$$a + b + c = 15$$

$$a + 2b + 3c = 24$$

Diagram 6

- Diagram 5 shows a problem involving the number of fruits in a box.
  - Represent your reasoning in solving the Guava-and-Mango problem with a diagram. Explain your diagram.

- ii. Diagram 6 shows two sets of equations.
  - When these two sets of equations are solved simultaneously, what can you say about the number of solutions for each set of equations?
  - What is the relationship between the number of variables and the number of equations when solving a set of equations simultaneously?

## **Topic 4: Expansion and Factorisation of Polynomials**

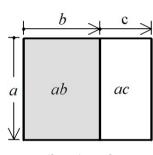
#### Standard 4.1:

Acquisition to see the polynomials in second degree with expansion and factorisation and use it

- Use the distributive law to explain the formulae for expansion and explain them on diagrams
- Acquire proficiency for selecting and using the appropriate formulae
- iii. Use the expansion formulae to factorise the second degree expression and recognize both formulae with inverse operation
- iv. Solve simple second degree equation using the factorisation and apply in life situations

### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

## Task 1: The Distributive Property of Multiplication



$$a \times (b+c) = ab + ac$$

Diagram 1

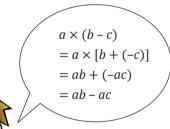


Diagram 2

- Diagram 1 shows the distributive property i. involving the multiplication of any three numbers a. b and c.
  - Verify that  $a \times (b + c) = ab + ac$  holds true for both positive and negative numbers.
  - Draw another diagram to verify that  $(b+c) \times a = ab + ac = a \times (b+c)$ .
- A student claimed that "since subtracting ii. a number is the same as adding the corresponding negative number, therefore  $a \times (b - c) = ab - ac$ ." The student's reasoning is shown in Diagram 2.
  - Draw a diagram to support the student's claim.

## Task 2: Multiplication and Division of Algebraic Expressions

## Multiplication and Division of Polynomials by Monomials

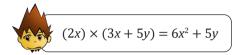


Diagram 3

- i. When asked to multiply the monomial 2xwith the polynomial 3x + 5v, a student gave a wrong answer as shown in Diagram 3.
  - What is the possible cause for the student's mistake?
  - Draw a diagram to help the student correct the mistake.

2*a* m  $(10a^2 + 6a) \text{ m}^2$ 

Diagram 4

- Diagram 4 shows a plot of rectangular land length (2a) m and with area  $(10a^2 + 6a) \text{ m}^2$ 
  - Write an algebraic expression relating the width of the land to its length and area.
  - Find the width of the land in terms of *a*.

## Multiplication of Polynomials by Polynomials

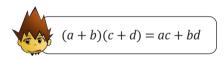


Diagram 5

- When asked to multiply the polynomials i. (a + b) with (c + d), a student gave a wrong answer as shown in Diagram 5.
  - What is the possible cause for the student's mistake?

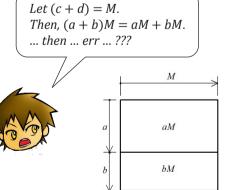


Diagram 6

- Another student tried to explain to the first student by drawing a diagram as shown in Diagram 6. However, this student got stuck halfway and could not complete his explanation.
  - Complete the explanation using the diagram drawn by the second student.

## Task 3: Expansion of Algebraic Expressions

## Expansion Formulae

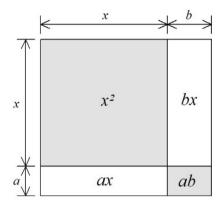


Diagram 7

shows Diagram 7 the expansion of  $(x+a)(x+b) = x^2 + (a+b)x + ab$  diagrammatically.

- Explain the process of expansion using the distributive property of multiplication.
- Explain how the following expansion formulae could be derive from the expansion of (x + a)(x + b).
  - $(x + a)^2$
  - $(x a)^2$
  - (x+a)(x-a)
- Use the expansion formulae to expand
  - (2x + 3)(2x + 5)
  - $(3b + 2)^2$
  - $(2x 3y)^2$
  - (3c-5)(3c+5)
  - (a-3b)(-2a+4b)
- Expand iv.
  - 4(a + 2b 3c)
  - (a + b)(x y + 3)

Task 4: Factorisation of Algebraic Expressions

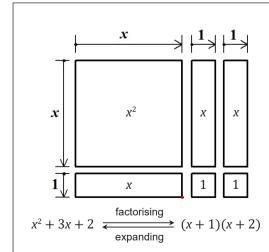
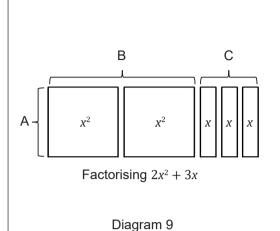


Diagram 8

8 shows how the polynomial  $x^2 + 3x + 2$  is factorised to be (x + 1)(x + 2).

- i. What does Diagram 8 tell you about factorisation of polynomial expressions?
- Use the cut-out pieces ( $x^2$ -piece, x-piece, ii. 1-piece) in Material Sheet 1 at the end of this topic to factorise:
  - $x^2 + 5x + 6$
  - $2x^2 + 7x + 3$

## Task 5: Factorise by Common Factor



- i. Diagram 9 shows how the polynomial  $2x^2 + 3x$  is factorise using the cut-out pieces.
  - What is the value of A, B and C respectively?
- The factorisation of  $2x^2 + 3x$  involves a ii. common factor.
  - What is the common factor?
  - Use the cut-out pieces to factorise  $2x^2 + 6x$ .
- There are two different ways to arrange the cut-out pieces in the factorisation of  $2x^2 + 6x$ .
  - What is the same and what is different about the results of these two arrangements?
- How would you use the cut-out pieces to factorise  $2x^2 - 6x$ ?
- Factorise
  - 2ax 6ay
  - $3x^2 + 6xy$
  - $x^2y + xy^2$
  - $a^2 4ab + 3a$

## Task 6: Factorise by Formulae

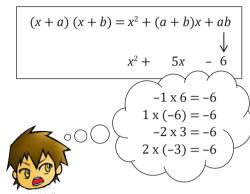


Diagram 10

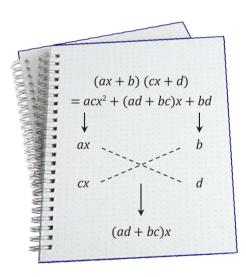


Diagram 11

When using the expansion formula for (x + a) (x + b) to factorise the polynomial expression  $x^2 + 5x - 6$ , a student made a comparison between the formula and the expression as shown in Diagram 10.

The student found four possible combinations of numbers a and b to get the product -6. He then decided that (-1) and 6 was the correct combination and complete the factorisation  $x^2 + 5x - 6 = (x - 1)(x + 6)$ .

- Did the student make the correct decision? Explain your reasons.
- **Factorise** ii.
  - (x + a)(x + b)
  - $(x + a)^2$
  - $(x a)^2$
  - (x+a)(x-a)
  - Use any of these expansion formulae to factorise the following.
    - $4x^2 9$
    - $x^2 6x + 9$
    - $a^2 + 10a + 25$
    - $y^2 y 12$
- From the expansion of (ax + b)(cx + d), a student made a note on how to factorise some second degree polynomials as shown in Diagram 11.
  - Explain the student's method.
  - Factorise
    - $2x^2 + 5x + 3$ •
    - $9x^2 12x + 4$

## Material Sheet 1: Cut-Out Pieces ( $x^2$ -piece, x-piece, 1-piece)

	$x^2$		$x^2$				
	$\mathcal{X}$			X			
	$\mathcal{X}$		$\mathcal{X}$				
	X		X				
1	1	1	1	1	1		
1	1	1	1	1	1		
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## **Topic 5: Extending Numbers with Square Roots**

#### Standard 5.1:

Extending numbers with square roots and calculate the square roots algebraically

- Define square root and discuss ways to estimate the nearest value of a square root by Sandwich Theorem
- Understand that some square roots cannot be represented as fractions ii.
- Compare square roots using number line and understand that the order does not change but the differences between two consecutive square roots varied
- Think about multiplication and addition of square root and understand the algebraic way of iv. calculation which is similar to polynomial
- Appreciate square roots in applying to situations in life V.

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

## Task 1: Square Root

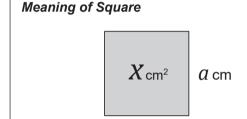


Diagram 1 shows a square with side length a cm and area  $x \text{ cm}^2$ .

- How would you explain that  $\sqrt{x} = a$ ?
- We know that  $\sqrt{4} = 2$ . Why is -2 also a square root of 4?

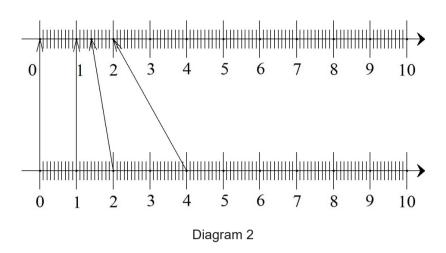
## Plotting Square Roots on a Double Number Line

Diagram 1

Table 1 Estimated Values of  $\sqrt{x}$ 

X	$\sqrt{\chi}$
0	0.0
1	1.0
2	1.4
3	
4	2.0
5	
6	
7	
8	2.8
9	3.0
10	3.2

- Table 1 shows some positive estimated values of  $\sqrt{x}$  to one decimal place for  $0 \le x \le 10$  where x is an integer.
  - Complete the table. (Use an electronic calculator to help you.)



- ii. Diagram 2 show a double number line for  $0 \le x \le 10$ . The arrows show the mapping of x onto  $\sqrt{x}$  for  $\sqrt{0}$ ,  $\sqrt{1}$ ,  $\sqrt{2}$  and  $\sqrt{4}$ .
  - Complete the mapping of x onto  $\sqrt{x}$  on the double number line for the other values of x in Table 1.
  - What do you observe about the lengths between two consecutive dots on
    - $\Leftrightarrow$  the *x* number line?
    - $\star$  the  $\sqrt{x}$  number line?
    - What could you conclude about the order and values of  $\sqrt{x}$ ?
- iii. Between 8, and 9, which number is closer to  $\sqrt{72.3}$  ? Explain how do you make the decision.

# Estimate Square Roots Using Drawing

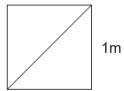


Diagram 3

Diagram 3 shows a square with one of its diagonals. The side length of the square is 1 m.

- i. Show that the length of the diagonal is  $\sqrt{2}$  m.
- ii. Prove that  $\sqrt{2}$  **cannot** be express in the form  $\frac{a}{b}$ , for a, b are integers and  $b \neq 0$ .
- iii. Using a scale of 10 cm to represent 1 m, draw the square on a graph paper.
  - How would you use your drawing to estimate the value of  $\sqrt{2}$ ?
  - Show that  $1.4 < \sqrt{2} < 1.5$  on your drawing.
- iv. Draw another diagram to estimate the value of  $\sqrt{5}$  to one decimal place. Check your estimate with a calculator.

## Estimate Square Roots using Electronic Spread Sheet

Table 2 Estimated Value of  $\sqrt{2}$ 

$b^2$	$\sqrt{b^2} = b$
1.00000	1.00000
2.25000	1.50000
1.96000	1.40000
2.10250	1.45000
4.00000	2.00000

If a, b and c are positive numbers and a < b < c, then  $\sqrt{a} < \sqrt{b} < \sqrt{c}$  . This relationship can be used to estimate the values of square roots. For example. since we know that  $\sqrt{1} = 1$  and  $\sqrt{4} = 2$ , then  $1 < \sqrt{2} < 2$ 

- Table 2 shows some values of b and  $b^2$  for 1 < b < 2 and  $1 < b^2 < 4$ . As shown in the table,  $1.40 < \sqrt{2} < 1.45$  So, the estimated value of  $\sqrt{2}$ to one decimal place has to be 1.4.
  - Use an electronic spread sheet to construct Table 2. Continue to input the values of b to estimate the value of  $\sqrt{2}$  to four decimal places. Check your estimate with an electronic calculator.
- Construct another table to estimate the value of  $\sqrt{3}$  to three decimal places. Check your estimate with an electronic calculator.

Task 2: Calculation Involving Square Roots

- A square root,  $\sqrt{x}$ , is simplified if x cannot be divided by a perfect square other than 1. For examples,  $\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\sqrt{3}$  and  $\sqrt{5}$  are simplified, but  $\sqrt{8}$  and  $\sqrt{18}$  are not simplified.
  - Simplify each expression.
    - $\sqrt{8}$ \*
    - √18
    - ❖  $\sqrt{75} 4\sqrt{3}$
  - What property of square roots is used to simplify the expressions?
- Rationalise the denominator of each expression.
- What properties of square roots are used to rationalise the denominator of each expression in (ii)?

## Task 3: Applying Square Roots to Situations in Life

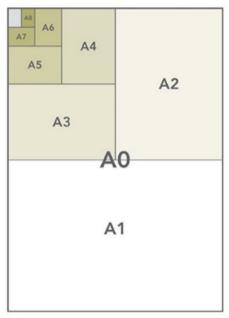


Diagram 4

Table 3 International A Series Paper Size

Size	width (mm) x length (mm)
A0	841 x 1188
A1	594 x 841
A2	420 x 594
A3	297 x 420
A4	210 x 297
A5	148 x 210

Diagram 4 shows how the A series of international paper sizes A1 to A8 are derived from paper size A0. Each size is half the paper size before it. For examples, A1 is half the size of A0, A2 is half the size of A1, and so on.

Table 3 shows the measurements of the A0 to A5 sizes given as (width x length) in millimitres.

- i. Calculate the ratio of length: width for each size.
- Show that the ratios for the various paper size are all approximately equal to  $\sqrt{2}$ .
  - Why is it so?

## **Topic 6: Solving Quadratic Equations**

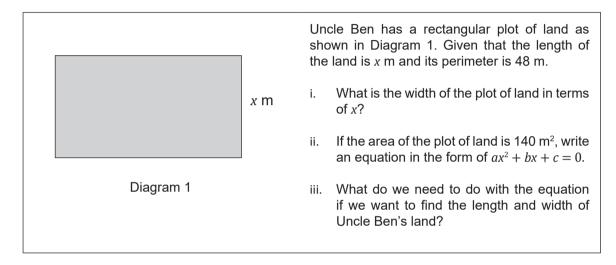
#### Standard 6.1:

Solving simple second degree equation using the factorisation and apply on the situation

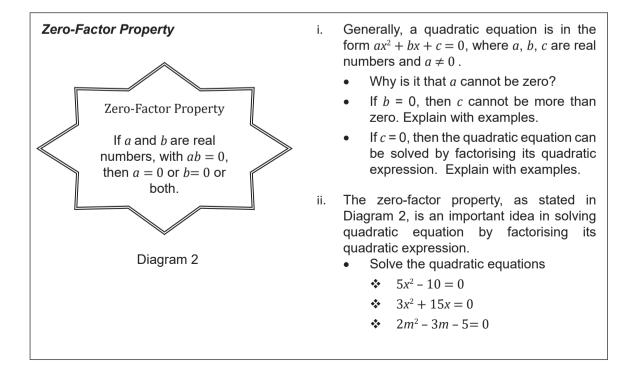
- Find the answers of simple second degree quadratic equations by substitution and explore by completing the square, quadratic formula and factorisation
- Get fluency to select the appropriate ways for solving quadratic equations ii.
- Apply quadratic equations in life situations iii.

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

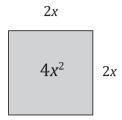
**Task 1: Forming Quadratic Equations** 



Task 2: Solving Quadratic Equations of Various Forms

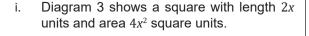


## Solving Quadratic Equations of the **form** $(x + q)^2 = r$



Area = 
$$(2x) x (2x) = (2x)^2 = 4x^2$$

Diagram 3

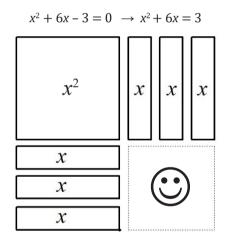


- What is the value of x, if the area of the square is 20 square unit?
- Any quadratic equation in the form ii.  $(x+q)^2 = r$  may be solved using the idea of square roots.
  - Solve the quadratic equations

$$(a-3)^2 = 25$$

$$(2x+3)^2 = 49$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 36$$



 $x^2 + 6x + \boxed{\odot} = (x + 3)^2$ 

Diagram 4

- iii. Any quadratic equation in the general form  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$  may be solved if it could be transformed into the form  $(x + q)^2 = r$ . Diagram 4 shows part of the process to transform  $x^2 + 6x - 3 = 0$  into the form  $(x+q)^2=r.$ 
  - What is the number in ©?
  - Explain how the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 6x - 3 = 0$  is transformed into  $(x+3)^2 = 12.$
  - In general, what number needs to be added to the expression  $(x^2 + bx)$  in order to change it to be  $(x + q)^2$ ?
  - Transform each quadratic equation into the form  $(x + q)^2 = r$

$$x^2 + 8x - 7 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 5x + 2 = 0$$

$$3x^2 + 6x - 9 = 0$$

## Quadratic Formula

$$x^{2} + bx + c = 0$$

$$x^{2} + bx = [ ]$$

$$x^{2} + bx + (\frac{b}{2})^{2} = [ ] - c$$

$$(x + \frac{b}{2})^{2} = [ ]$$

$$= \pm \sqrt{\frac{b^{2} - 4c}{4}}$$

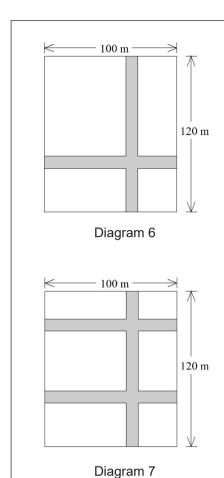
$$x = -\frac{b}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{b^{2} - 4c}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^{2} - 4c}}{2}$$

Diagram 5

- Diagram 5 shows how a quadratic formula can be derived to solve any quadratic equation i. in the general form  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$ .
  - Fill in the missing parts.
  - What can we say about the solutions of a quadratic equation  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$  if
    - **♦**  $b^2 4c > 0$
    - $b^2 4c = 0$
    - $b^2 4c < 0$
- Derive a general formula for solving  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

Task 3: Real-World Problem Solving with Quadratic Equations



Uncle Manat has a piece of rectangular land. He wants to create paths with equal width as shown in Diagram 6. The rest of the land will be made into gardens.

Let x be the width of the paths.

The total area of the gardens is to be 11 781 m<sup>2</sup>.

- Write a quadratic equation in terms of *x* to show the i. relationship.
- Solve the equation to find the width of the paths. ii.
- iii. There are two solutions to the quadratic equation in (ii), but only one is the width of the path. Why is the other solution not the width of the path?
- What if Uncle Manat wants to add another path of equal width as shown in Diagram 7, but still keeps the same total area for the gardens?

## CHAPTER THREE

## **Relations and Functions**

## Topic 1: Extending Proportion and Inverse Proportion to Functions with Variables

## Standard 1.1:

Extending proportion and inverse proportion to functions with variables on positive and negative numbers

- i. Extend proportions to positive and negative numbers, using tables and equations on situations
- Plot set of points as graph for proportions defined in ordered pairs (x, y) in the coordinate plane ii. using appropriate scales precisely
- Introduce inverse proportion using tables, equations and graphs iii.
- Introduce function as correspondences of two variables in situations iv.
- Explore the property of proportional function with comparison of inverse proportional function V.
- vi. Appreciate proportion and inverse proportion functions in life

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Function

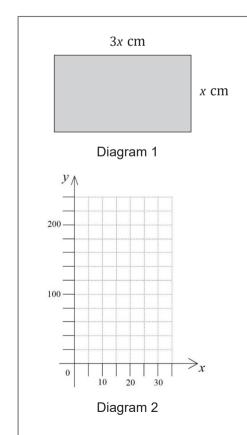


Diagram 1 shows a rectangle with a width which is thrice its length, x.

- Given that *y* is the perimeter of the rectangle.
  - Express *y* in terms of *x* using an equation.
    - What is the relationship between *x* and v?
  - Complete the following table for the values of x and y.

<i>x</i> (cm)	5	10	15	20	25	30	
<i>y</i> (cm)	40						

- Plot the graph of *y* against *x* on Diagram 2.
- Explain why y is a function of x.

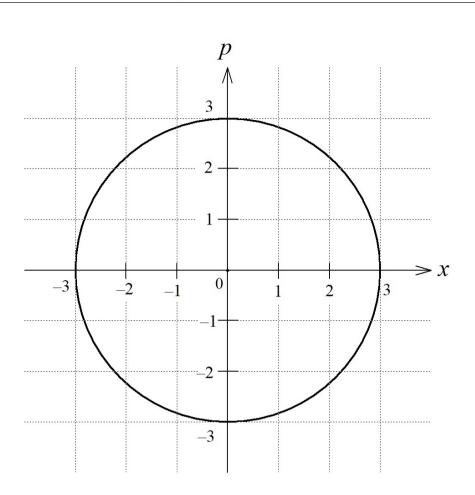


Diagram 3

- ii. Diagram 3 shows the graph of  $p^2 + x^2 = 9$ .
  - Is *p* a function of *x*? Explain your reasons.

## **Task 2: Direct Proportions**

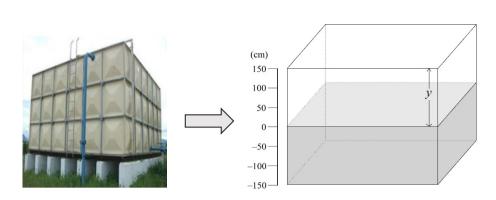


Diagram 4

Diagram 4 shows a water tank with a height of 300 cm and its orthogonal-projection drawing. The tank is being filled with water and the water level increases 2 cm per minute.

- Let the half-tank water level be the reference point and y cm as the water level after x minutes.
  - What is the water level 15 minutes later?
  - What is the water level 10 minutes before?
  - Complete the following table.

x (min)	-15	-10	-5	0	5	10	15	20
y (cm)			-10	0	10			

- When  $x \neq 0$ , find the value of  $\frac{y}{x}$  for each order pairs (x, y).
- Express *y* in terms of *x* as an equation.
- What does it mean by y is directly proportional to x?
- What is the constant of proportion for this case?
- Plot the graph of y against x.
- After the tank is fully filled, water is being removed where the water level decreases 3 cm per minute. Again, let the half-tank level be the reference point.
  - Complete the following table for the removal of water.

x (min)	-30	-20	-10	0	10	20	30	40
<i>y</i> (cm)			30	0		-60		

- Explain the meaning of
  - y = 30 cm when x = -10 min
  - y = -60 cm when x = 20 min
- Plot the graph of *y* against *x* for the removal of water.
- In this case, is *y* still directly proportional to *x*? Explain your reasons.

## **Task 3: Inverse Proportion**

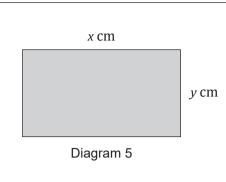


Diagram 5 shows a rectangle with width x cm and length y cm.

- Given that the area of the reactangle is 18 cm<sup>2</sup>.
  - Express *y* in terms of *x* using an equation.
  - Explain why  $x \neq 0$  and  $y \neq 0$ .
  - Find the values of y for the values of x as follows:
    - \*  $x = \frac{1}{4}$
    - $x = \frac{1}{2}$
    - $x = \frac{3}{4}$
    - x = 5
- Complete the following table for the values of x and v.

<i>x</i> (cm)	1	2	3	4	5½	6
<i>y</i> (cm)	18	9	6			

- Study the order pairs (1, 18) and (2, 9). As the value of x increases 2 times, what can you say about the value of *y*?
  - What about (1, 18) and (3, 6)?
  - Can you say the same for all other order pairs?
- What does it mean by y is inversely proportional to x?
  - What is the constant of proportion for this case?
- Explain what will happen to the rectangle and the values of y when x < 0.
  - Extend the table to include the values of  $-6 \le x < 0$ .
  - Plot the graph of *y* against *x* for the domain  $-6 \le x \le 6$ .
  - Why is the point when x = 0 cannot be plotted on the graph?

## **Task 4: Application of Proportion**

## Proportional Relationship of a Circle

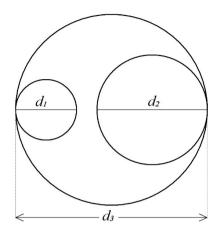


Diagram 6

Diagram 6 shows three circles with diameters  $d_{+}$ ,  $d_2$  and  $d_3$ .

- From practical measurements, we know that  $\frac{\mathcal{C}_1}{d_1} = \frac{\mathcal{C}_2}{d_2} = \frac{\mathcal{C}_3}{d_3} = k$ , where  $\mathcal{C}_1$ ,  $\mathcal{C}_2$  and  $\mathcal{C}_3$  are circumferences of the three corresponding circles, and k is a constant.
  - What is the proportional relationship between C and d?
- We also know that the formula to calculate the area of a circle is  $A = \pi r^2$ , where A is the area and r is the radius of the circle.
  - What is the proportional relationship between A and r?

## **Problem Solving with Weighing**



Diagram 7

Pak Agus wanted to use 300 pieces of iron nails but he found it very troublesome to count the nails. So, he decided to weigh the nails instead. He counted 10 identical nails of the same mass and weighed the iron nails as shown in Diagram 7.

He then added more iron nails until he got a lump of the iron nails.

The lump of iron nails was 800 g. Did Pak Agus get enough pieces of iron nails? Justify your answer.

## **Burning Insence Stick**



Diagram 8

Diagram 8 shows an insence stick burning at a rate of -1.2 cm/min. After burning for few minutes, the length of the insence stick was found to be 24 cm.

- What was the length of the insence stick 2 minutes before this?
- What will the length of the insence stick be 5 minutes after this?
- How many more minutes will it take the insence stick to burn completely?

## Interlocking Gears

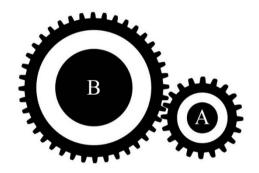


Diagram 9

Diagram 9 shows two gears, A and B that are rotating while interlocking with each other. Gear A has 20 teeth and rotates 8 times per second. Gear A is fixed, but Gear B can be fitted with different gears.

- If Gear B has 40 teeth, how many times will it rotate in one second?
- If we want Gear B to rotate 1 time in one second, how many teeth must it have?

## Walking Speed

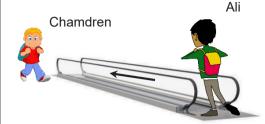


Diagram 10 shows a moving walkway which is 60 m long and moves at a speed of 1 m per second.

As Ali was getting onto the moving walkway, he saw his classmate, Chamdren, started walking next to the moving walkway from the opposite direction at a speed of 1.2 m per second.

Diagram 10

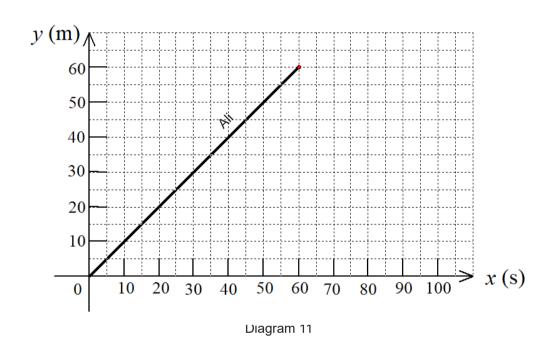


Diagram 11 shows the graph that represent Ali's movement.

Plot another graph on Diagram 11 to represent Chamdren's movement. i.

Use the graphs in Diagram 11 to answer questions (ii) to (iv).

- 20 s after they both started walking, how far apart were Ali and Chamdren?
- After how many seconds of walking would Chamdren walk pass Ali?
- When Chamdren arrived at the end of the moving walkway, how many m was Ali from the other end of the walkway?

## **Topic 2: Exploring Linear Function in Relation to Proportions**

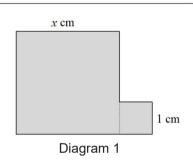
#### Standard 2.1:

Exploring linear function in relation to proportion and inverse proportions

- Identify linear functions based on situations represented by tables and compare it with proportional functions
- Explore properties of linear function represented by tables, equations and graphs and compare ii. it with direct and inverse proportional functions
- Acquire fluency to translate the rate of change of a linear function represented in table, as coefficient in an expression and gradient in a graph
- Acquire fluency to translate y values of x = 0 in a table, constant in an expression, and y iv. intercept in graph
- Apply the graphs of linear functions to solve simultaneous equations ٧.
- vi. Apply the linear function for data representation on situations to determine best fit line

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

#### Task 1: Linear Function



- A square with side *x* cm is joined to another square with side 1 cm to form a new shape as shown in Diagram 1.
  - What will happen to the shape if x = 1?
  - What if 0 < x < 1?
  - What if x = 0?
- Given that v is the perimeter of the shape and z is its area.
  - Complete the following table for the domain  $0 \le x \le 10$ .

x (cm)	0	3/4	1	2	6	7½	9	10
y (cm)								
z (cm²)								

- iii. Given that y is a function of x.
  - Express y as a function of x using an equation for the domains (a)  $1 \le x \le 10$  and (b)  $0 \le x \le 1$ .
  - What do you notice about function *y* for the two domains?
- Given that z is also a function of x.
  - Express z as a function of x using an equation for the domains (a)  $1 \le x \le 10$  and (b)  $0 \le x \le 1$ .
  - What do you notice about function *z* for the two domains?
- Sketch the graphs of *y* against *x* and *z* against *x* respectively.
  - What is the same and what is different about the two graphs?
- What will happen to functions y and z if the values of x are extended to the domain x < 0? Illustrate your answer with a sketch of the new shape.
- vii. Given that *y* is a linear function but *z* is not.
  - What is a linear function?

## **Task 2: Linear Functions and Proportional Functions**

## Water Temperature



Room temperature = 22 °C Rate of heating = 12 °C per minute

Diagram 2

Diagram 2 shows a kettle of water being heated up at room temperature.

- Explain what does it mean by the increase in water temperature is proportional to the time of heating.
- Assuming *y* is the increment of water temperature in ii. °C and *x* is the time of heating in minute.
  - Express y as a function of x.
  - What is the constant of proportion?
  - What is the increment of water temperature after 5 minutes of heating?
- Given that the water temperature is  $p^{\circ}$  C after x minutes of heating.
  - Express p as a function of x.
  - Why is function y different from function p?
  - Is p a linear function? Explain your reasons.

### Running Speed



Diagram 3

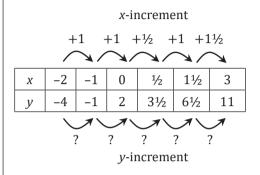
Diagram 3 shows a runner reaching the finishing line in a marathon run.

- A runner takes 6 hours to finish the run, what is his average speed of running in km per hour?
- A runner is running at an average speed of 8 km per ii. hour. How many hours will he take to finish the run?
- Explain what does it mean by the average speed is inversely proportional to the time of running.
- Assuming *x* is the time in hours and *s* is the average speed in km per hour for a runner to run the 42.2 km marathon race
  - Express s as a function of x.
  - What is the constant of proportion?
  - Is *s* a linear function? Explain your reasons.

## Task 3: Rate of Change of a Function

#### Linear Function

Table 1 Values of x and y of a Linear Function



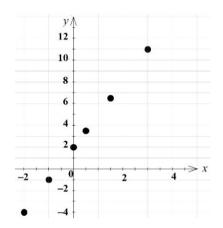


Diagram 4

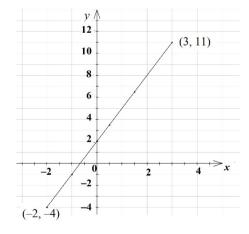


Diagram 5

Table 1 shows the values of x, y and the respective x-increment of a linear function y for the domain  $-2 \le x \le 3$ .

- When x increases from -2 to -1, the x-increment is +1. What is the corresponding *y*-increment?
- Let the ratio  $\frac{y\text{-increment}}{x\text{-increment}} = k$ .
  - Find the value of k for x = -2 to x = -1.
  - Find all other corresponding values of y-increment and k for the x-increment shown in Table 1.
  - Verify that the value of *k* is a constant.
  - The constant k is known as the rate of change of y with respect to x. Explain the meaning of rate of change.
- The 6 ordered pairs of (x, y) from Table 1 are plotted on a graph as shown in Diagram 4. These 6 points are then joined to form a straight line as shown in Diagram 5.
  - The 6 points plotted are finite, but a straight line is formed by infinite points. Although the 6 points look like forming a straight line, can we say that the graph of linear function *y* plotted against *x* is a straight line? Explain your reasons.
  - Justify that the graph is a straight line by using similarity of triangles. [Hint: Take a common point such as A on the line. Then, consider corresponding angles of various similar triangles going through point A.]
  - Find the gradient of the graph of linear function y.
- Express *y* in terms of *x* using an equation.

#### Nonlinear Function

Table 2 Inverse Proportion  $y = \frac{12}{y}$ 

X	 -3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	
у				-				

This task is to investigate the rate of change of an inverse proportion function.

- Given an inverse proportion  $y = \frac{12}{x}$ . i.
  - What is the constant of proportion?
  - Complete Table 2.
  - Find the rate of change of *y* with respect to *x* for the following intervals of *x*:

$$x = -3 \text{ to } x = -2$$

$$x = -2 \text{ to } x = -1$$

$$x = 1 \text{ to } x = 2$$

$$x = 2 \text{ to } x = 3$$

- Verify that the rate of change of  $y = \frac{12}{x}$  is not a constant.
- Why is  $y = \frac{12}{x}$  considered a nonlinear function? Explain your reasons.
- Is each of the following statements true or false? Explain your reasons.
  - All linear functions are direct proportions.
  - All nonlinear functions are not direct proportions.
  - A linear functions is **not** an inverse proportion.

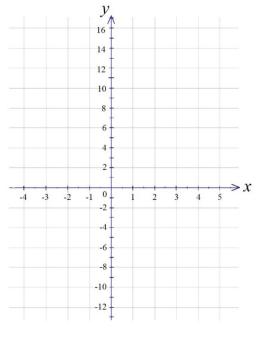
## Task 4: Graphs of Linear Functions

Table 3 Values of *x* and *y* for Three Linear Functions

X	 -4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	
$y_1 = 2x$				-2	0	2					
$y_2 = 2x + 6$				4	6	8					
$y_3 = 2x - 4$				-6	-4	-2					

Any linear function can be represented in the form y = ax + c. Table 3 shows some values of x and y for  $y_1 = 2x$ ,  $y_2 = 2x + 6$  and  $y_3 = 2x - 4$ .

- i. Complete the table.
- ii. Plot the graphs of  $y_1$ ,  $y_2$  and  $y_3$  on Diagram 5.
  - What does the value of *a* and *c* tell us respectively?
  - What will happen to the graph when a = 0?
- iii. A student claims that "when a increases positively, the graph y = ax + 4 will rotate counterclockwise." What does the student's claim mean?
- iv. Plot the graphs of  $y_4 = -x + 4$ ,  $y_5 = -2x + 4$ , and  $y_6 = -3x + 4$  on Diagram 6.
  - What will happen to the graph when a decreases negatively?



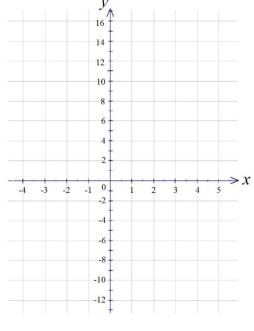


Diagram 5

Diagram 6

## Task 5: Using Graphs of Linear Functions to Solve Simultaneous Equations

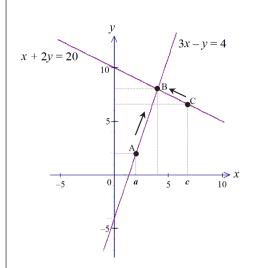


Diagram 7

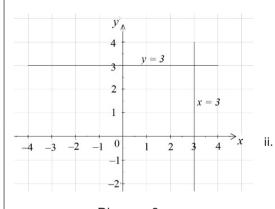


Diagram 8

i. Given a system of linear equations

$$x + 2y = 20$$
$$3x - y = 4$$

- Solve the simultaneous equations.
- Diagram 7 shows the graphs of the two equations. A and C are two points on the lines 3x - y = 4 and x + 2y = 20 respectively. If A and C move in the directions as shown by the arrows, the two points will meet at B, which is the intersection point of the two lines. The x-coordinates of A and C are a and c, respectively.
  - What is the *y*-coordinate of A in terms of a?
  - \* Find the *y*-coordinate of A as the value of a changes as follows:

$$a = 2\frac{1}{3} \rightarrow a = 3\frac{1}{3} \rightarrow a = 4\frac{1}{3}$$

- What is the y-coordinate of C in terms of c?
- Find the y-coordinate of C as the value of c changes as follow:

$$c = 6 \rightarrow c = 5 \rightarrow c = 3$$

- What will happen to the values of *a* and c when A and C meet at B? What about the y-coordinates of A and C?
- Find the coordinates of B.
- Compare the coordinates of B with the solution of simultaneous equation in (i). What could you conclude?
- Diagram 8 shows the graphs of x = 3 and y = 3. Both x = 3 and y = 3 are straight lines on the graph but not both are linear functions.
  - Why is y = 3 a linear function but x = 3 is not?

## Task 6: Application of Linear Functions

## Scientific Investigation



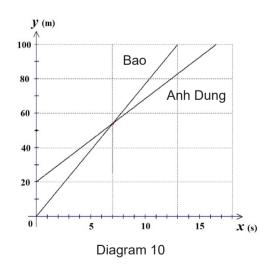
Table 4 Water Temperature After x Minutes of Heating

x (min)	0	1	2	3	4
у (°С)	25.2	35.3	45.0	57.1	68.2

Diagram 9 shows a beaker of water at room temperature is being heated. Table 4 shows the water temperature, y °C, after it was heated for x minutes.

- i. Based on Table 4, plot all the points (x, y)on a piece of graph paper. Use a scale of 2 cm = 10 °C for y-axis and 2 cm = 1 min for x-axis.
- Assuming y is a linear function of x, draw the ii. straight line of best fit for the points. Use the graph to answer the following questions.
  - How many minutes after heating will the water temperature reach 80 °C?.
  - Find the rate of increase in water temperature with respect to time.
  - Find the equation of the line of best fit.

## Study of Movement



- Diagram 10 shows the relationship of i. distance (*y* metres) and time (*x* seconds) for a 100-metre race between two friends, Anh Dung and Bao.
  - Explain what happen at the start?
  - What is the running speed (in m/s) of Anh Dung and Bao respectively?
  - At what time and distance from the start did Bao overtake Anh Dung?
  - At what time did Bao complete the race?
  - How many metres away from the ending point was Anh Dung when Bao completed the race?
- ii. 5 seconds after the race started, Chinh ride a bicycle to chase after the two friends along the same track at a speed of 10 m/s. Draw the graph that represent Chinh's movement on Diagram 10.
  - Did Chinh manage to overtake (a) Anh Dung, and (b) Bao respectively? If yes, at what distance from the ending point?

## Determining the Best Deal

Printing Company	Printing Cost		
А	RM100 for printing each book.		
В	There is an initial payment of RM100 and then RM60 fo printing each book.		
С	If the number of books is not more than 60, the cost is RM400 no matter how many books are printed.		

Diagram 11

RECSAM wants to print a guide book for Mathematics teachers. Diagram 11 shows the quotations from three printing companies.

Let the cost of printing x copies of books be y ringgit (RM).

Express *y* in terms of *x* for each of the quotations.

Plot the graphs of y against x for the three quotations, then use the graphs to answer the following questions.

- If RECSAM wants to print 25 copies of the book, at what cost will each company offer?
- Which company offers the cheapest cost for printing iii.
  - 15 copies of the books?
  - 35 copies of the books?
  - 55 copies of the books?

## **Topic 3: Exploring Simple Quadratic Function**

#### Standard 3.1:

Exploring quadratic function  $y = ax^2$  in relation to linear function

- Identify the quadratic function on situations using tables and compare it with linear function
- Explore properties of quadratic function using tables, equations as well as graphs and comparing it with linear function
- Apply the quadratic function on situations in daily life and appreciate it iii.

## Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Simple Quadratic Function,  $v = ax^2$ 

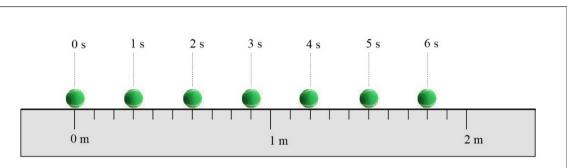


Diagram 1

A tennis ball was rolled on a flat runway. The stroboscopic photograph in Diagram 1 shows i. the position of the tennis ball every second after it was rolled. Let y be the distance in metre travelled by the tennis ball after x seconds.

Table 1 Distance Travelled for Flat Runway

x (s)	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
y (m)	0	0.3					

- Complete Table 1 for the flat runway.
- Plot the graph of *y* against *x*.
  - Is y proportional to x? Explain your reasons.
- Write an equation to represent the relationship of y as a function of x for the flat runway.
- Where will the position of the tennis ball be after it rolled for 7 s?

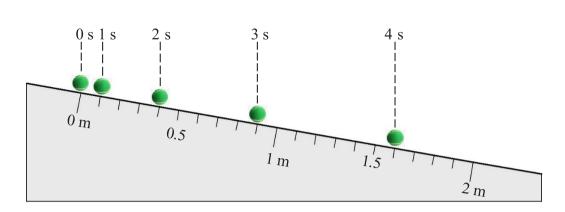


Diagram 2

Later, the runway was tilted and the tennis ball was let go to roll down the slope. The stroboscopic photograph in Diagram 2 shows the position of the tennis ball every second after it was let go.

Table 2 Distance Travelled for Tilted Runway

x (s)	0	1	2	3	4
<i>y</i> (m)	0	0.1			

- Complete Table 2 for the tilted runway.
- Plot the graph of *y* against *x*.
  - Is *y* proportional to *x*? Explain your reason.
- Plot the graph of y against  $x^2$ .
  - $\diamond$  Is y proportional to  $x^2$ ? Explain your reason.
- Write an equation to represent the relationship of y as a function of x for the tilted runway.
- Where would the position of the tennis ball be after it rolled for 5 s?

# Task 2: Properties of Quadratic Function

Table 3 Quadratic Function  $y = x^2$ 

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$x^2$	0	1	4	9	16	25	36	49	64
A	_	1	3	5	7				
В	_	_	2						

Table 4 Quadratic Function

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$3x^2$	0	3	12	27	48	75			
A	-	3	9	15	21				
В	_	-	6						

Table 3 shows the values of  $x^2$ , A and Bfor the interval  $0 \le x \le 8$ .

- The numbers in row A are derived from the numbers in row  $x^2$ . Study the numbers 1, 3, 5, 7 in row Acarefully.
  - How are the numbers 1, 3, 5, 7 derived from the numbers in row  $x^2$ ?
  - Complete row A.
- The numbers in row B are derived from the numbers in row A by a similar way.
  - How is the number 2 in row Bderived from the numbers in row A?
  - Complete row B.
  - What do you notice about the numbers in row B?

Table 4 shows the values of  $3x^2$ , A and B for the interval  $0 \le x \le 8$ .

- The numbers in rows A and B are derived the same way as in Table 3.
  - Complete Table 4
  - What do you notice about the numbers in row B?
- Construct a similar table for the iv. quadratic function  $y = 5x^2$ .
  - What will the number in row B be?
  - Explain your reasons.
- What will the number in row *B* be for the following quadratic functions?
  - $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$  ?
  - $y = -2x^2$
  - $y = 2x^2 + 3$
- vi. Why does the number in row B becomes a constant for a particular quadratic function?

Task 3: The Graph of Function

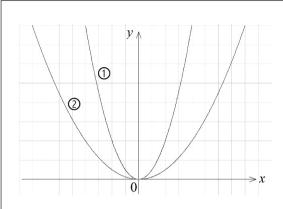


Diagram 3

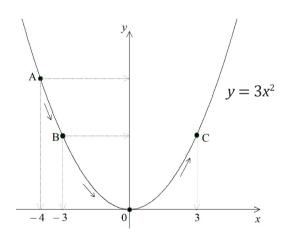


Diagram 4

The graph of quadratic function  $y = ax^2$  is always in the shape of a parabola irrespective of the values of a.

- Diagram 3 shows two graphs of  $v = ax^2$ for a > 0.
  - Match each of the graphs with the corresponding function. Justify your decision.

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$$

$$v = 2x^2$$

- What will happen to the graph when a < 0?
- What will happen to the function and its graph when a = 0?
- The parabolas shown in Diagram 3 may ii. look different. However, the two parabolas are basically a same shape because all parabolas are similar shapes.
  - Prove that the two parabolas are similar. [Hint: Consider enlargement of the parabolas with origin as the centre of enlargement.]
- Diagram 4 shows the graphs of  $y = 3x^2$ iii. passing through the origin. A, B and C are three points on the graph.
  - What will happen to the values of x and *y* as point A moves in the direction indicated by the arrows toward point C passing through point B and the origin?
  - At what value of *x* is *y* minimum?
  - What is the minimum value of *y*?
  - What is the rate of change of y with respect to x between points A and B?
  - What will happen to this rate of change as point A moves towards C?

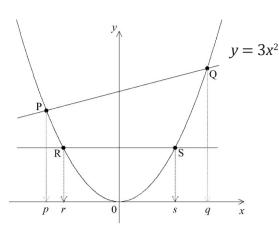


Diagram 5

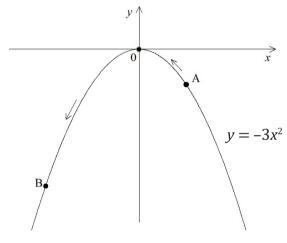


Diagram 6

- Diagram 5 shows the graph of  $y = 3x^2$ iv. again but this time a slanting line is drawn to intersect with the graph at points P and Q. Another line parallel to the x-axis is drawn to intersect with the graph at points R and S. The x-coordinates of point P, Q, R, S are p, q, r, s respectively.
  - What is the numerical relationships between the absolute values |p| and |q|?
  - What is the numerical relationship between the absolute value |r| and |s|?
  - Explain your reasons.
- Diagram 6 shows the graph of  $y = -3x^2$ passing through the origin. A and B are two points on the graph.
  - What will happen to the values of x and y as point A moves in the direction indicated by the arrows toward point B passing through the origin?
  - At what value of *x* is *y* maximum?
  - What is the maximum value of *y*?
  - What will happen to the rate of change of y with respect to x as point A moves toward point B?
- Compare the graphs of quadratic function  $y = ax^2$  with linear function y = ax. Describe the differences between the two graphs from the following aspects:
  - Shape of the graph, when (a) a > 0, (b) a < 0.
  - Change in the value of y as the value of x changes, when (a) a > 0, (b) a < 0.
  - Rate of change of y with respect to x when (a) a > 0, (b) a < 0.

# Task 4: Applications of $y = ax^2$ in Real World

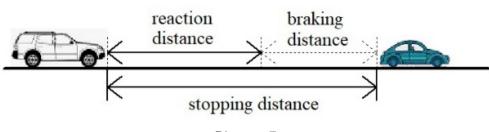


Diagram 7

When you follow behind a car during a driving journey, it is important to keep a safe stopping distance. Stoping distance is the distance it takes you to bring your car to a complete stop in an emergency. As show in Diagram 7,

> Reaction Stopping **Braking** distance distance distance

Reaction distance is the distance your car travels between something happening on the road up ahead and you reacting to it. This distance is directly proportional to the speed of your car, x.

Reaction distance = ax

where *a* is your reaction time.

Braking distance is the distance your car travels after you hit the brakes before it comes to a complete stop. This distance is directly proportional to the square of the speed of your car,  $x^2$ .

Braking distance =  $kx^2$ ,

where k is a constant of proportion depending on the breaking system of your car.

- i. Given that your reaction time is 0.6 s. When your car is running at a speed of 40 km per hour, its' breaking distance is 10 m.
  - If your car is travelling at 90 km per hour, calculate the safe stopping distance.
  - What if your car is travelling at 110 km per hour?

# **Topic 4: Generalising Functions**

#### Standard 4.1:

Generalising functions with various representations on situations

- Distinguish domain, range and intervals and is appropriately use for explaining function
- ii. Use various situation for generalizing ideas of functions such as moving point A and moving point B with time
- iii. Compose a graph as a function of two or more graphs with different domains in a situation
- iv. Introduce situations of step-functions with graph for generalization the idea of function which cannot be represented by equation

### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

# Task 1: Domain, Range and Interval of a Quadratic Function

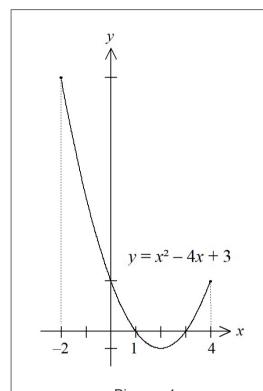


Diagram 1

Diagram 1 shows the graph of  $y = x^2 - 4x + 3$  for  $-2 \le x \le 4$ .

- i. What is the interval of *x* and range of *y* for each of the following domains?
  - -2 < x < 4
  - -2 < x < 1
  - $1 \le x \le 4$
- ii. What is the minimum value of *y* for each of the following domains?
  - -2 < x < 4
  - $-2 \le x \le 1$
  - $1 \le x \le 4$
- iii. What is the maximum value of *y* for each of the following domains?
  - -2 < x < 4
  - $-2 \le x \le 1$
  - $1 \le x \le 4$

Task 2: Domain, Range and Interval of a Direct Proportion Function

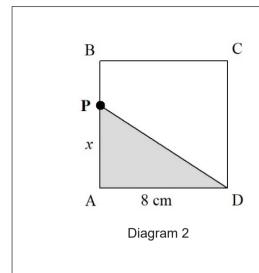
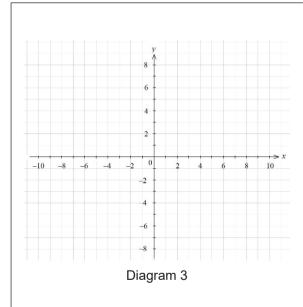


Diagram 2 shows a square ABCD with side length 8 cm. A point P is moving from A to D through B and C along sides AB, BC and then CD.

Given *y* is the area of triangle  $\triangle APD$ .

- i. Express *y* as a function for the domain
  - 0 < x < 8
  - 8 < x < 16
  - 16 < x < 24
- Sketch the graph of function y for the domain  $0 < x \le 16$ ?

Task 3: Domain and Range of an Inverse Proportion Function



Given an inverse proportion function  $y = -\frac{2}{y}$ .

- Sketch the graph of function y on Diagram 3 for the domain  $1 \le x \le 10$ .
- Consider the domain 0 < x < 1. ii.
  - As x is approaching 0, what will happen to the value of *y*?
- iii. As approaching 0. happen to the value of x?
- What is the range of y for the domain 0 < x < 10?
- Sketch the graph of function y on Diagram 3 for the domain  $-10 \le x \le -1$ .
- vi. Consider the domain  $-1 \le x \le 0$ .
  - As x is approaching 0, what will happen to the value of y?
  - As y is approaching 0, what will happen to the value of x?
- vii. What is the range of y for the domain -10 < x < 0?

# **Task 4: Step Functions**

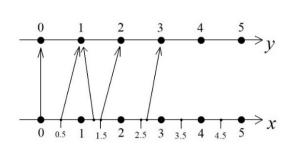


Diagram 5

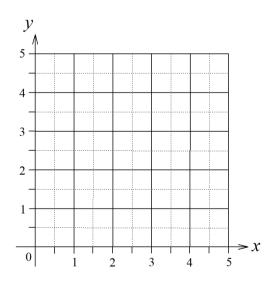


Diagram 6

Consider the domain 0 < x < 5 where x is a real number and v is the value when x is rounded to the nearest whole number.

Diagram 5 shows a double number line mapping some values of x to the corresponding values of y. Examples shown are

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 0 \rightarrow 0 & 0.5 \rightarrow 1 & 1.3 \rightarrow 1 \\ 1.5 \rightarrow 2 & 2.7 \rightarrow 3 \end{array}$$

Map each of the following values of x to its correcponding value of y.

- Draw the graph of y against x for the ii. domain on Diagram 6.
- This type of function *y* is also known as a step function. Explain why y is a function of x.
- iv. Another way to represent a step function is by listing out the values of y for different intervals of x. For example, for the domain  $0 \le x < 2.5$ , y can be represented as follow:

$$y = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } 0 \le x < 0.5 \\ 1 & \text{if } 0.5 \le x < 1.5 \\ 2 & \text{if } 1.5 \le x < 2.5 \end{cases}$$

Complete this way of representing function y for the domain  $0 \le x \le 5.$ 

#### Task 5: Functions in Real World

# Car Parking Fee

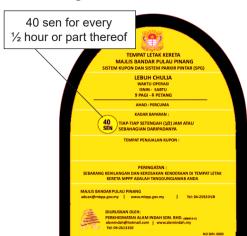
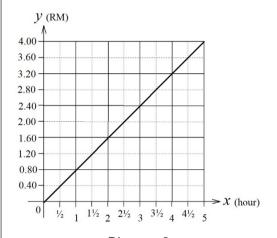


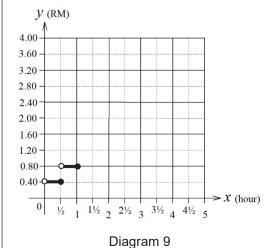
Diagram 7 shows the rate of parking fee charged by Penang Island City Council.

Diagram 7

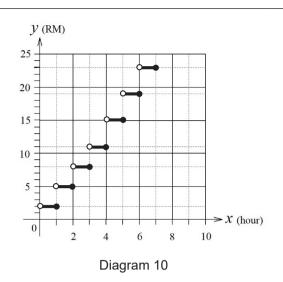


- A student think that since it charges 40 sen, which is RM0.40 for every ½ hour, so the parking fee is directly proportional to parking time. He then plotted the graph as shown in Diagram 8 to represent the relationship between parking fee, y and time x.
  - What is wrong with the graph? Why is it wrong?

Diagram 8



- Diagram 9 shows the graph of parking fee, y in RM against parking time, x in hour plotted for the interval  $0 < x \le 1$ .
  - Complete the graph for the interval  $1 < x \le 5$ .
  - Is y a function of x? Explain your reasons.



- Diagram 10 shows the graph of parking fee, y against parking time, x of a private car park in Penang Island for the interval 0 < x < 7.
  - Based on the graph, explain the rate of parking charges at this private car park.
  - Uncle Ben parked his car at this private car park for 4 hours 25 minutes. How much is the parking charge?
  - Ms Aishah has RM20 only with her. How long can she park her car at this private car park?

# Rotating Wheels

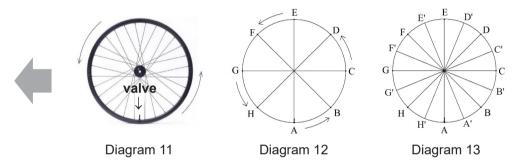


Diagram 11 shows a bicycle wheel with its valve, A, at the ground level. The wheel is rotating counter-clockwise to move to the left as shown by the arrows. Given that the radius of the rim of the wheel is 50 cm and the valve rotates at a constant speed of 1 revolution in every 4 s.

- i. What will happen to the location of the valve as the wheel move?
- Diagram 12 shows seven other positions of the valve, B, C, D, E, F, G, and H, as the wheel ii. moves.
  - What is the time taken for the valve to move from
    - \*\* A to C?
    - A to E? \*
    - A to G? \*
    - \*\* A to B?
    - \* A to H?
  - What is the vertical distance of the valve from the ground level at
    - position C? \*
    - \* position E?
    - position G?
- Diagram 13 shows another eight positions of the valve, A', B', C', D', E', F', G' and H'.
  - What is the time taken for the valve to move from
    - A to A'?
    - A to F'?

iv. Let the vertical height of the valve from the ground level be y cm after it starts to rotate x seconds from A. Diagram 14 shows part of the graph of y against x for the domain  $0 \le x \le 4$ .

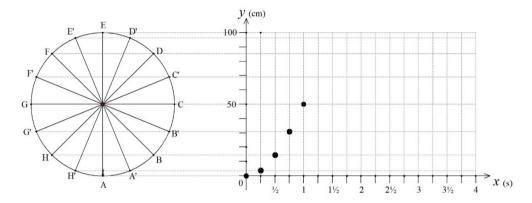


Diagram 14

In this graph, the coordinates (x, y) when the valve is at positions A, A', B, B' and C are already plotted. At A and C, y = 0 cm and y = 50 cm respectively. However, with the help of Diagram 14, the coordinates at A', B, and B' are plotted without the need to know the values of y.

- Explain how this can be done.
- Plot the coordinates for all other positions of the valve.
- Complete the graph by joining all the coordinates plotted with a smooth curve.
- Explain why *y* is a function of *x* for the domain  $0 \le x \le 4$ .
  - If we continue drawing the graph for the domain  $4 < x \le 8$ , how would the graph look like?
  - Is y still a function of x for the domain  $0 \le x \le 8$ ? Explain your reasons.

# CHAPTER FOUR

# **Space and Geometry**

# **Topic 1: Exploring Angles, Construction and Designs in Geometry**

#### Standard 1.1:

Exploring angles to explain simple properties on the plane geometry and do the simple geometrical Construction

- Explain how to determine the value of angles using the geometrical properties of parallel lines, intersecting lines, and properties of figures
- Use ruler and compass to construct a simple figure such as perpendicular lines and bisectors ii.
- Appreciate the process of reasoning that utilizes the properties of angles and their congruency in simple geometrical constructions

# Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Lines and Angles

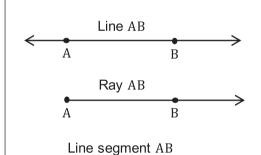


Diagram 1

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Lines, Rays and Line Segments

Diagram 1 shows three basic figures that passes through points A and B, a line, a ray and a line segment.

Explain the similarities and differences between a line, a ray and a line segment.

### Vertical Angles

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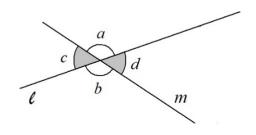


Diagram 2

Diagram 2 shows two intersecting lines,  $\ell$  and m.

- $\angle a$  and  $\angle b$  are a pair of vertical angles.
  - What is the relationship between
    - $\angle a$  and  $\angle c$
    - $\angle b$  and  $\angle c$
  - Explain why  $\angle a = \angle b$ ?
- $\angle c$  and  $\angle d$  are another pair of vertical angles.
  - Prove that  $\angle c = \angle d$ .

# **Corresponding Angles and Alternate** Interior Angles

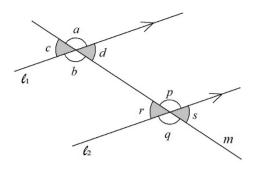
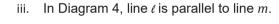


Diagram 3

Diagram 3 shows two parallel lines,  $\ell_1$   $\ell_2$  and an intersecting line, m.

- $\angle a$  and  $\angle p$  are a pair of corresponding angles.
  - What is the relationship between  $\angle a$  and ∠p?
  - There other of are three pairs corresponding angles in Diagram 3.
    - \* Name the three pairs of corresponding angles.
    - State the relationships among these pairs of corresponding angles.
- $\angle d$  and  $\angle r$  are a pair of alternate interior angles.
  - Explain why  $\angle d = \angle r$ .
  - There is another pair of alternate interior angles in Diagram 3. Name the pair of alternate interior angles and state their relationship.



- Find  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$  and  $\angle c$ .
- Explain your reasoning in finding  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$ and  $\angle c$  by using the properties of angle such as parallel lines and intersection.

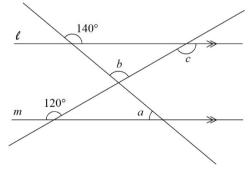


Diagram 4

Task 2: Sum of Interior Angles

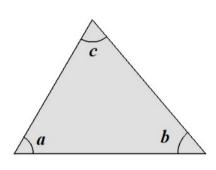


Diagram 5

- i. Diagram 5 shows a triangle with interiors angles  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$  and  $\angle c$ .
  - Prove that  $\angle a + \angle b + \angle c = 180^{\circ}$

[Hint: Use the properties of lines intersecting with parallel lines.]

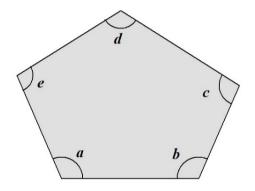
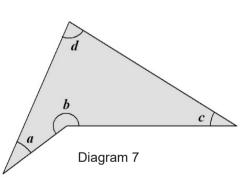


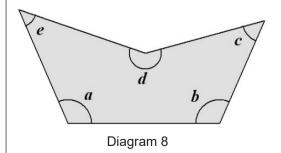
Diagram 6

Diagram 6 shows a pentagon with interior ii. angles  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$ ,  $\angle c$ ,  $\angle d$  and  $\angle e$ . Find the sum  $\angle a + \angle b + \angle c + \angle d + \angle e$ .



- iii. Diagram 7 shows a concave quadrilateral with interior angles  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$   $\angle c$  and  $\angle d$ .
  - Prove that  $\angle a + \angle b + \angle c + \angle d = 360^{\circ}$ .

[Hint: Use sum of interior angles of a triangle.]



- iv. Diagram 8 shows a concave pentagon with interior angles  $\angle a$ ,  $\angle b$ ,  $\angle c$ ,  $\angle d$ , and  $\angle e$ .
  - Find the sum  $\angle a + \angle b + \angle c + \angle d + \angle e$ .

Task 3: Determining a Location

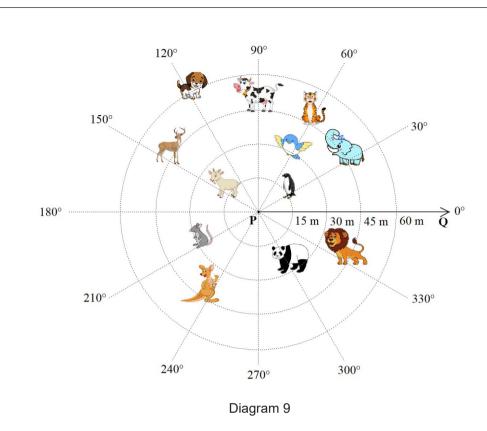


Diagram 9 shows a system to determine location in a plane. P, the centre of the concentric circles is taken as the reference point. Two basic measurements used to determine a location are the distance from P and the angle from ray PQ.

- i. Find the animals located at
  - 60 m from P
  - 45 m from P
  - 240° from ray PQ
  - 150° from ray PQ
- ii. What animal is located at 45 m from P and 150° from ray PQ?
- iii. State the location of the cow, the deer and the panda respectively.
- iv. If there is an animal located at 180° from ray PQ, what can you say about the distance of the animal from P?
- v. In a treasure hunt game, what would you do for each of the following instructions?
  - Stand at the tree. One treasure is 10 m from the tree.
  - Stand at the tree and look at the mountain top. Another treasure is 45° from this
    direction.
- vi. In this system, why are both distance and angle important in determining a location?

#### **Task 4: Geometrical Constructions**

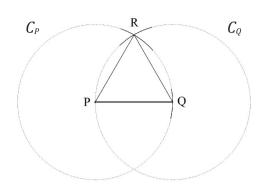


Diagram 10

- Diagram 10 shows a line segment PO. Two i. circles,  $C_P$  and  $C_O$  are constructed with P and Q as the centre respectively. Both circles have equal radii, which is the length of PO. R is an intersection point of  $C_P$  and  $C_Q$ .
  - Why is PQ = PR = QR?
  - Why is  $\angle POR = \angle PRO = \angle OPR$ ?
  - What is the value of  $\angle PQR$ ?

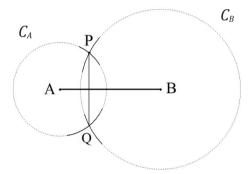


Diagram 11

- ii. Diagram 11 shows a line segment AB and a point P not on the segment. Two circles  $C_A$ and  $C_B$  with centre A and B respectively are constructed. The radius of  $C_A$  is AP and the radius of  $C_B$  is BP. Q is an intersection point of  $C_A$  and  $C_B$ .
  - Why is line segment PQ perpendicular to AB?

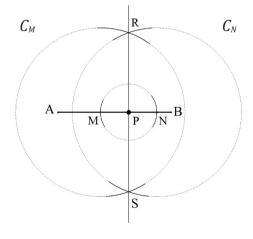


Diagram 12

- Diagram 12 shows a line segment AB iii. and a point P on the segment. A circle,  $C_P$  is constructed with P as its centre.  $C_P$ intersects with AB at points M and N. Then, two other circles with equal radii,  $C_M$  and  $C_N$  with centre at M and N respectively are constructed. R and S are two intersection points of  $C_M$  and  $C_N$ .
  - Why is line segment RS perpendicular to AB?

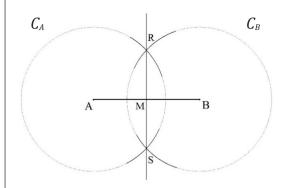
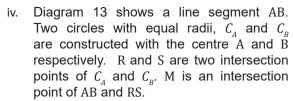


Diagram 13



- Why is AM = MB?
- Why is  $\angle AMR = 90^{\circ}$ ?
- What does line RS do to line segment AB?

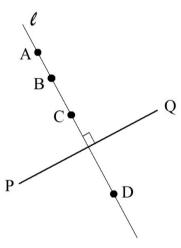


Diagram 14

- Diagram 14 shows a line segment PQ and its perpendicular bisector  $\ell$ . A, B, C and D are four points on  $\ell$ .
  - What relationship exists between line segments
    - AP and AQ?
    - BP and BQ?
    - CP and CQ?
    - DP and DQ?
  - What can you conclude about the distance from any point on the bisector to P and Q respectively?

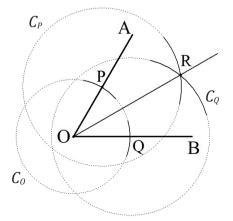


Diagram 15

- Diagram 15 shows an angle ∠A0B. A circle,  $C_0$ , is first constructed with 0 as its centre. Co intersects with line segments OA and OB at points P and Q respectively. Then, two other circles with equal radii,  $C_p$  and  $C_q$  are constructed with P and Q as the centres. OR is a ray joining 0 to the intersection point of  $C_p$  and  $C_0$ .
  - Why is  $\angle AOR = \angle BOR$ ?
  - What does ray OR do to AOB?

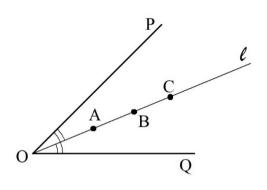


Diagram 16

- vii. Diagram 16 shows an angle ∠P00 and its angle bisector  $\ell$ . A, B and C are three points on l
  - What relationships exist between the distances from point A, B, C to the two sides of the angle, OP and OQ respectively?

- B

- viii. Diagram 17 shows a line segment AB.
  - Given C is a point such that  $\angle CAB = 60^{\circ}$  and  $\angle CBA = 30^{\circ}$ . Use compass and ruler only to construct  $\triangle$ ABC.
  - Given P is a point such that  $\angle PAB = 45^{\circ}$ and  $\angle PBA = 90^{\circ}$ . Use compass and ruler only to construct  $\triangle ABP$ .

Diagram 17

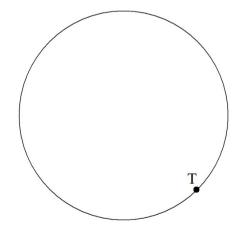


Diagram 18

- Diagram 18 shows a circle with its centre unmarked. T is a point on the circle.
  - What properties of a circle can be used to locate the centre of the circle?
  - Use compass and ruler only to locate the centre of the circle on Diagram 18. Mark and label the centre as 0.
  - The tangent of a circle is perpendicular to its radius that passes through the point of tangency. Use compass and ruler only to construct the tangent of the circle at point T on Diagram 18.

# Task 5: Application of Geometrical Construction in Real World









#### Diagram 19

Diagram 19 shows a groundwater well pump and the locations of three villagers' houses in a rural village in Cambodia.

- Mr Ratha and Mr Chantha want to construct a groundwater well together for their families i. use. They want it to be built at a location which will be the same distance from the two houses.
  - Help the two villagers to identify the possible locations to construct the well by doing some geometrical constructions on Diagram 19.
  - Which location will be the nearest to their houses?
- When Mr Vutha heard about his two neighbours' plan, he asks to join in the construction of the well. Now, the three of them are having a little problem in identifying the location for the well that will be the same distance from the three houses.
  - Help the three villagers to identify the best location for the well by doing some geometrical constructions on Diagram 19.
- If a fourth villager wants to join in the construction of the well, there will be a condition that need to be fulfilled in order to find a location that is the same distance from four houses.
  - What is the condition?
  - What if there are five houses or more?

#### Standard 1.2:

Exploring the relationship of figures using congruency and enlargement for designs

- Explore the congruence of figures through reflection, rotation and translation and explain the congruency using line of symmetry, point of symmetry and parallel lines
- Explore similarity of figures with enlargement using points, ratio, and correspondences ii.
- Enjoy using transformations in creating designs iii

# Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

### **Task 1: Transforming Geometric Figures**

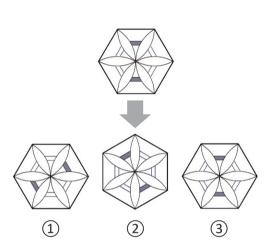


Diagram 1

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Diagram 2

- Diagram 1 shows a geometric figure and its three images. Each image is the result of only one transformation.
  - Explain why enlargement cannot be involved in creating any of the three images.
  - Which image is the result of a translation? Justify your decision.
  - Which two images are the result of a reflection? Justify your decision. Then, describe each reflection clearly.
  - All three images are the results of a rotation. Describe each rotation.
    - A student claims that every image has more than one angle of rotation. How is this possible?
  - Each of the geometric figures has two lines of symmetry. Identify the lines of symmetry for each figure.
  - Is there any figure that has a point of symmetry? If any, where is the point?
- Three black pentagons and three white pentagons are tiled as shown in Diagram 2.
  - What is the minimum number of transformation to move pentagon (1) to fit onto (2), (5), and (6), respectively?
    - Describe how it can be done.
  - What is the minimum number of transformation to move pentagon (4) to fit onto 6?
    - Describe how it can be done.
  - What is the minimum number of transformation to move pentagon (3) to fit onto 6?
    - Describe how it can be done.

#### **Task 2: Isometric Transformations**

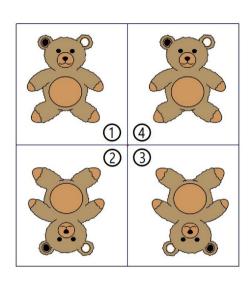
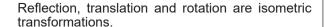


Diagram 3



- In Diagram 3, teddy bear (1) has undergone translation, reflection and rotation respectively. Study teddy bear (1) and its three images.
  - Identify the transformation that has moved teddy bear (1) onto teddy bears (2), (3) and (4), respectively.
  - What has changed and what remains unchanged between teddy bear (1) and each of its images?
  - What does it mean by all the teddy bears in Diagram 3 are congruent figures?
  - What is an isometric transformation?



Diagram 4

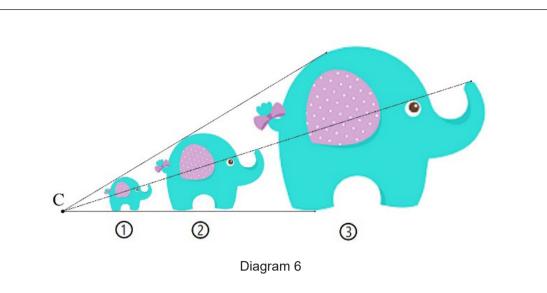
- Diagram 4 shows a bird and its image after being rotated.
  - Use compass and ruler to locate and mark the centre of rotation.
  - Measure and state the angle of rotation.



Diagram 5

- iii. Diagram 5 shows a bird and its image after being reflected.
  - Use compass and ruler to draw and mark the axis of reflection.

**Task 3: Non-Isometric Transformation** 



The three elephants in Diagram 6 are similar figures.

- i. Explain the meaning of similar figures.
- What transformation is involved here? ii.
- iii. What is point C? Why is it important?
- Given that the size of elephant (3) is 2 times the size of elephant (2), and the size of iv. elephant (1) is ½ the size of elephant (2).
  - If the tail of elephant ① is 15 cm long, how long is the tail of elephant ③?
  - What is the ratio between the size of elephant (3) and the size of elephant (1)?
  - If the ear of elephant (2) has an area of 2500 cm<sup>2</sup>, what is the area of the ear of elephant (3)?

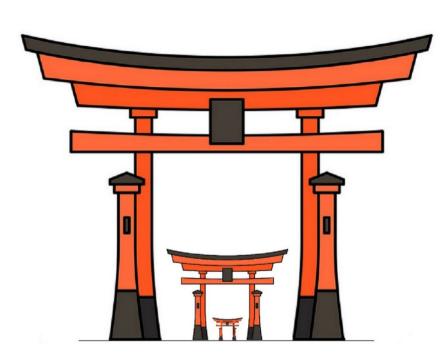


Diagram 7

- Diagram 7 shows three Japanese torii gates created by enlarging the smallest gate.
  - Locate and mark the centre of enlargement on Diagram 7.



Diagram 8

- Diagram 8 shows another three torri gates as a results of enlarging the smallest gate.
  - Locate and mark the centre of enlargement on Diagram 8.

# **Task 4: Creative Designs Using Transformations**

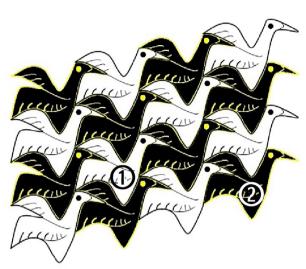


Diagram 9

Transformation is often found in the creation of creative visual art.

- i. The tessellation of the white and black birds in Diagram 9 is a creative design produced using transformation. As we can see, both the black and white birds are congruent figures.
  - What transformation takes bird (1) onto bird (2)?

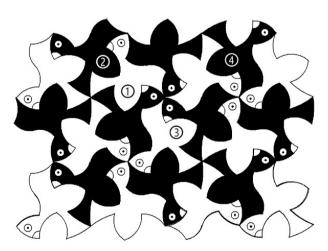


Diagram 10

- Diagram 10 shows another tessellation of white and black birds. ii.
  - What one transformation takes bird ① onto bird ②?
  - What two transformations take bird ③ onto bird ④?

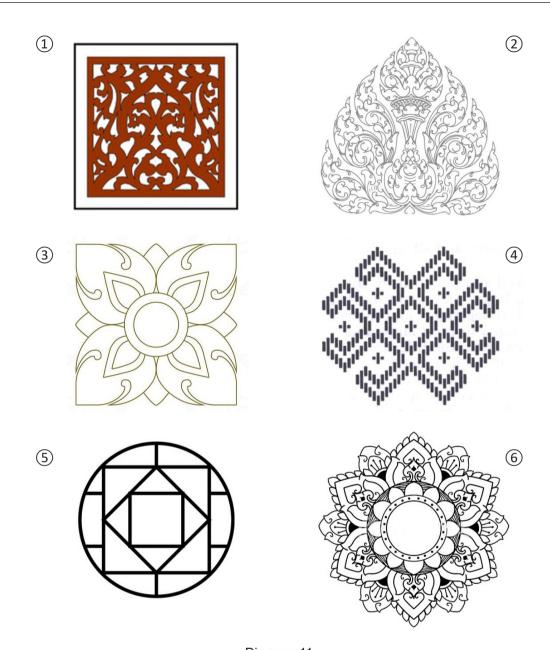


Diagram 11

- iii. Symmetry is commonly seen in traditional native designs found in different cultural items such as textiles and sculptures. Diagram 11 shows six native designs from the ASEAN countries.
  - Draw all the lines of symmetry for each of the designs.
  - Identify all the rotational symmetry for each of the designs, if any.
  - Identify the point of symmetry for each of the designs, if any.

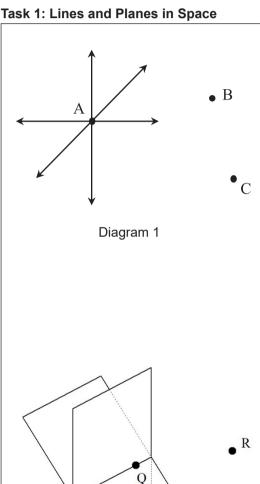
# **Topic 2: Exploring the Space With Its Components**

#### Standard 2.1:

Exploring space by using the properties of planes, lines and their combinations to form solids

- Explore the properties produced by planes, lines and their combinations, such as parallel lines produced by intersection of parallel planes with another plane
- ii. Produce solids by combining planes such as nets and motion such as rotation, reflection and translation
- iii. Recognise the space of an object based on its properties and projection in life

# Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards



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Diagram 2

- Diagram 1 shows three points A, B, C and three lines passing through point A on a same plane.
  - How many other lines passing through point A are there altogether?
  - Of all the lines passing through point A, how many line will also pass through point B?
  - Is there a line that passes through all three points A, B and C?
    - Why or why not?
  - How many minimum points are required to determine a line?
- Diagram 2 shows three points P, Q and R in space. Two planes passing through both points P and Q are shown.
  - How many planes passing through both points P and Q are there altogether?
  - Of all the planes that passing through points P and Q, how many plane will also pass through point R?
  - A minimum of three points in space are required to determine a plane. What is the condition of the three points?



Diagram 3

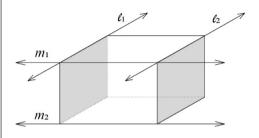
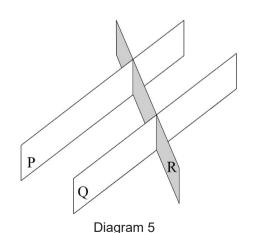


Diagram 4

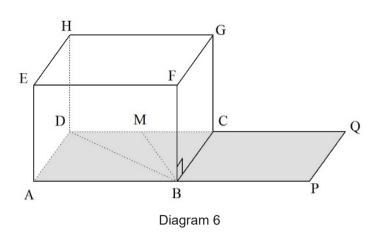


- Diagram 3 shows a camera tripod.
  - Why does a camera tripod have 3 legs?

- Diagram 4 shows a cuboid and four lines,  $\ell_1$ ,  $\ell_2$ ,  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  that pass through four of its edges.
  - Why are  $\ell_1$  and  $\ell_2$  called parallel lines?
  - Lines  $\ell_1$  and  $m_1$  intersect with each other at a point because they are not parallel lines. However, lines  $\ell_2$  and  $m_2$  are not parallel lines but they will not intersect with each other. Explain why  $\ell_2$  and  $m_2$  will not intersect with each other. [Note:  $\ell_2$  and  $m_2$  are known as a pair of

skew lines.]

- What is the condition for two non-parallel lines in space to intersect with each other?
- Diagram 5 shows three planes, P, Q and R. Planes P and Q are parallel, whereas plane R intersects with planes P and Q.
  - Why are planes P and Q called parallel planes?
  - When plane R intersects with planes P and Q, two intersecting lines are formed.
    - What is the positional relationship between the two intersecting lines?
    - ❖ What if planes P and Q are not parallel?
  - How can we define the distance between two parallel planes such as planes P and Q?
  - How can we define the angle between two intersecting planes such as planes P and R?



- vi. Diagram 6 shows a cuboid ABCDEFGH placed on plane APQD. M is a point on edge CD. Given that line FB is perpendicular to plane ABCD and  $\angle$ FBC = 90°.
  - What is ∠FBP, ∠FBA, ∠FBD and ∠FBM, respectively?
  - What is the positional relationship between lines GC, HD and EA with line FB?
  - What is the positional relationships between lines GC, HD and EA with plane APQD, respectively?

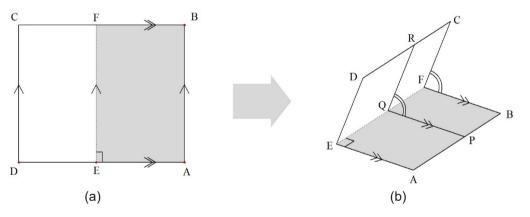
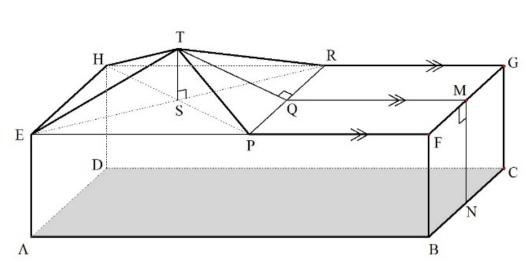


Diagram 7

- vii. In Diagram 7(a), a rectangular card ABCD is folded along EF such that EF || AB || CD. Then, part of the card, EDCF is turned to form two planes intersecting at EF as shown in Diagram 7(b). P, Q and R are three points on lines AB, EF and DC, respectively such that PQ || AE || BF and QR || ED || CF.
  - What is the measure of ∠DEF?
  - What is the positional relationships between  $\angle PQR$ ,  $\angle BFC$  and  $\angle AED$ ?
  - What is the measures of  $\angle PQE$  and  $\angle RQF$  respectively?



- Diagram 8
- viii. Diagram 8 shows a solid made up of a cuboid ABCDEFGH as the base with a rectangular pyramid EPRHT on top of the cuboid. TS is the perpendicular line from the apex of the pyramid to its base. Line TQ is perpendicular to line PR. M is a point on edge FG such that  $QM \parallel PF \parallel RG$  and N is a point on edge BC such that  $NM \perp FG$ .
- · Which edges are parallel lines with PR?
- Which edges are intersecting lines with PR?
- Which edges are skew lines with PR?
- State the distance from point E to (a) point A, (b) line FB, and (c) face BCGF, respectively.
- State the distance from point T to (a) point P, (b) line PR, and (c) base EPRH of the pyramid, respectively.
- State the angle between base EPRH of the pyramid and (a) line TE, (b) line TQ, (c) face PRT, respectively.

Task 2: Solids of One-Directional Movement

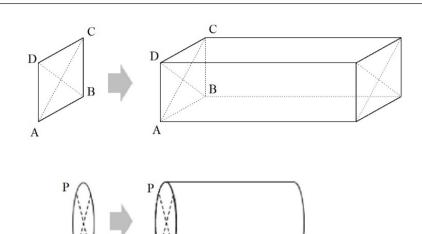


Diagram 9

- Diagram 9 shows a cuboid generated from square ABCD and a cylinder generated from i. circle P.
  - Describe how square ABCD could be moved to generate the cuboid.
  - Describe how circle P could be moved to generate the cylinder.
  - What transformation is involved in generating the cuboid and the cylinder?

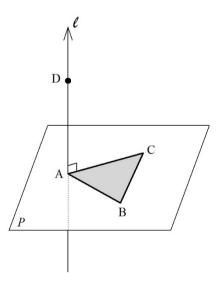
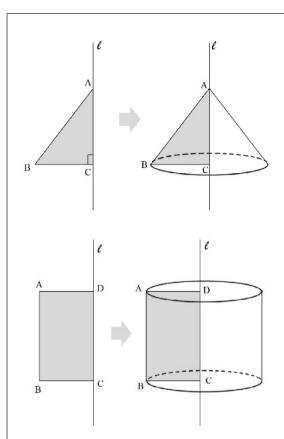


Diagram 10

- Diagram 10 shows a triangle ABC on a plane P and line  $\ell$  is perpendicular to plane P.
  - If  $\triangle ABC$  moves vertically up along line  $\ell$  from A to D, what solid will be created by the movement of  $\triangle ABC$ ?
  - Sketch the solid.

# Task 3: Solids of Revolution



- Diagram 11 shows a cone generated from △ABC and a cylinder generated from rectangle ABCD.
  - Describe how  $\triangle ABC$  could be moved to generate the cone.
  - Describe how rectangle ABCD could be moved to generate the cylinder.





Diagram 11

- Diagram 12
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Diagram 13

- Diagram 12 shows a semicircle and a line  $\ell$ .
  - What solid will be generated if the semicircle is revolved once about axis €?
- Diagram 13 shows a trapezium, a square and a circle with a line  $\ell$ .
  - Sketch the solid that will be created by the following revolutions.
    - Revolving trapezium (A) once about axis  $\ell$ .
    - Revolving square ® once about
    - Revolving circle © once about axis  $\ell$ .

### Task 4: Projections of Points, Line Segments and Faces

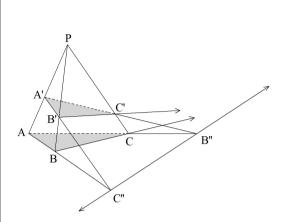


Diagram 14

Diagram 14 shows a triangular pyramid with base ABC and apex P.  $\triangle A'B'C'$  is a cross section of the pyramid. The projections of AB and A'B' intersect at point C". Likewise, the projections of AC and A'C' intersect at point B". This makes B"C" the line of intersection of plane AC"B" and plane A' C"B".

- i. Given the projections of BC and B'C intersect at A".
  - Where will A" be?
  - Verify your answer on Diagram 14.
- How can we define the angle between the two intersecting planes, plane AC"B" and plane A' C"B"?
- What will points A, B' and C become, respectively?
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point P.
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point C".
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point B".
- What will line segments AB, BB', A'C' and B'C' become, respectively?
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point P.
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point C".
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point B".
- What will faces ABC, A'B'C', ABB'A', and BCC'B' become, respectively?
  - Taking the view from the perspective of point P.
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Task 5: Projection of Solids

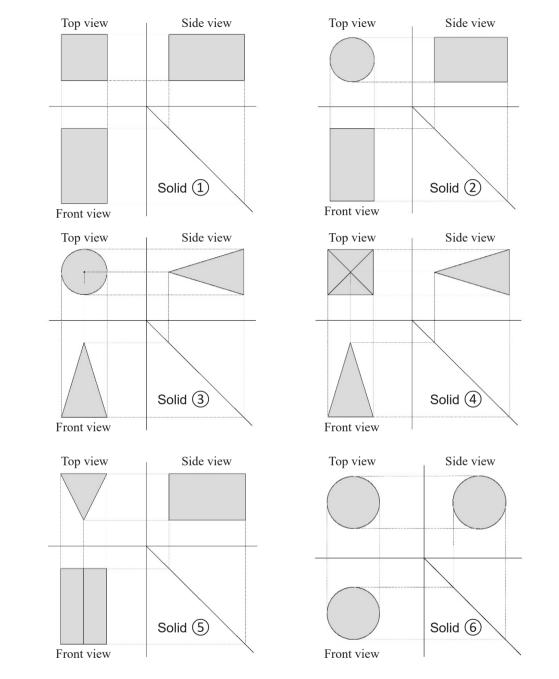


Diagram 15

Diagram 15 shows the projections of 6 solids.

- What solid does each projection represent? i.
- ii. Sketch the solid for each projection.

Task 6: Nets of Solids

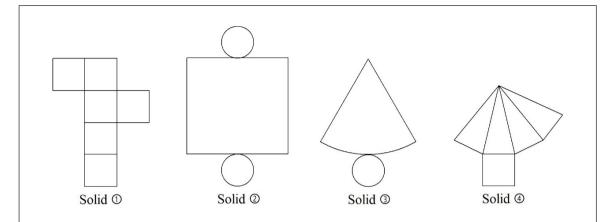
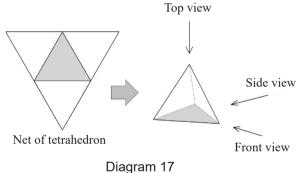


Diagram 16

i. Diagram 16 shows the nets of 4 solids. Identify and sketch each solid.



- Diagram 17 shows a net folds up to be a solid tetrahedron.
  - Match the top, front and side views with the following drawings.



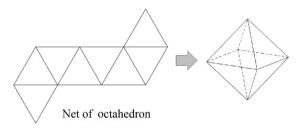
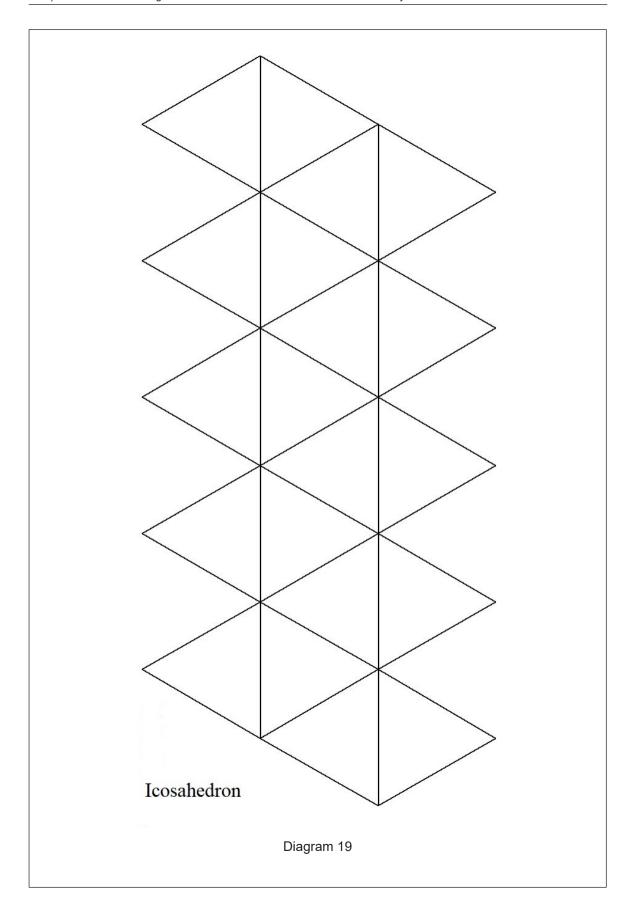
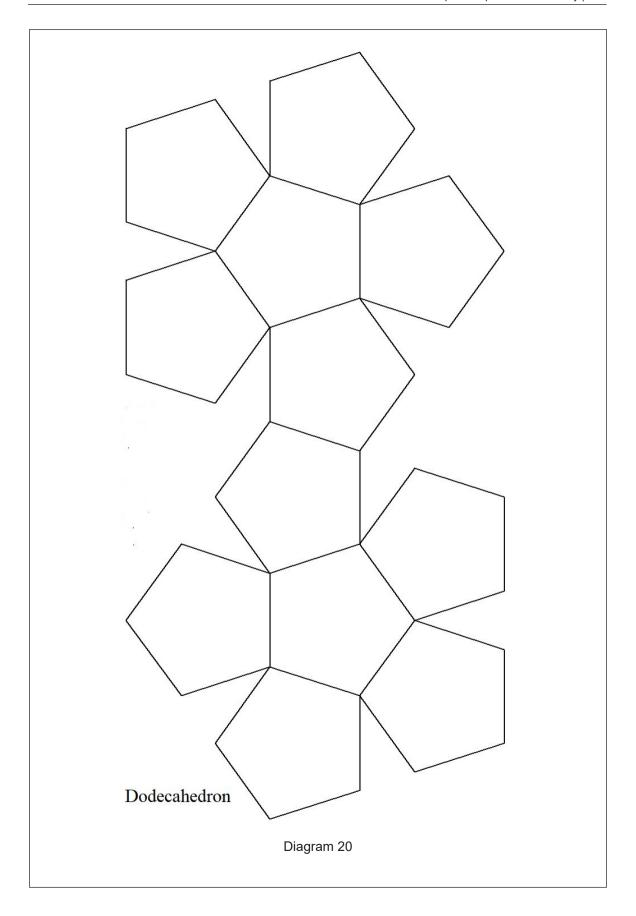


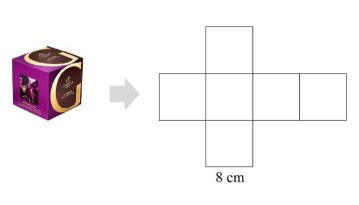
Diagram 18

- Diagram 18 shows a net folds up to be a solid octahedron.
  - Draw the top, front and side views of the octahedron.
- Diagrams 19 and 20 show the nets of two regular polyhedrons.
  - Make a copy of the nets.
  - Cut out the nets and then build the regular polyhedrons.



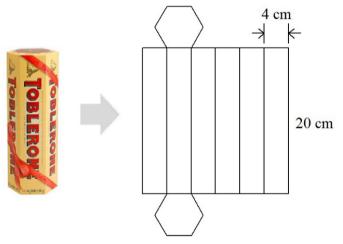


Task 7: Surface Area and Volume of Solids



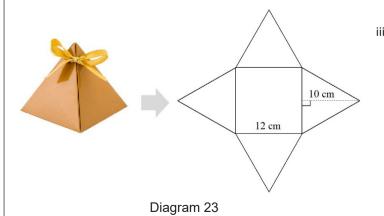
- i. Diagram 21 shows a candy box in the shape of a cube and its net. Each edge of the square base is 8 cm.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the candy box.

Diagram 21



- ii. Diagram 22 shows another candy box in the shape of a prism and its net. The base of the prism is a regular hexagon. Each edge of the hexagon is 4 cm and the height of the prism is 20 cm.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the candy box.

Diagram 22



- Diagram 23 shows a gift box in the shape of a pyramid and its net. The base of the pyramid is a square with 12 cm edge. The distance from its apex to the edge of the square base is 10 cm.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the gift box.

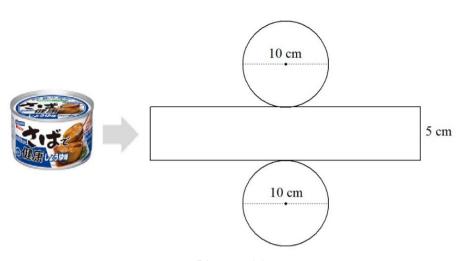


Diagram 24

- Diagram 24 shows a tin of canned food and its nets. The circular base of the tin has a diameter of 10 cm and its height is 5 cm.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the tin.

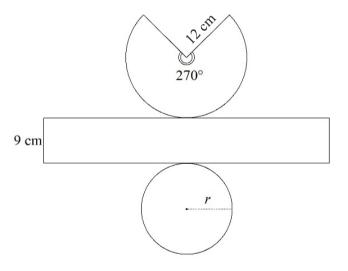


Diagram 25

- Diagram 25 shows the net of a gift box.
  - Sketch the shape of the gift box.
  - Find r, the radius of the circular base.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the gift box.

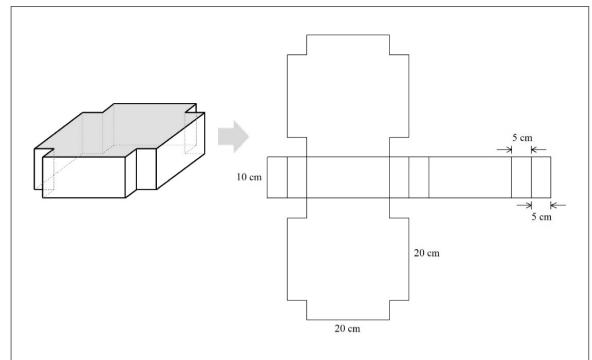


Diagram 26

- vi. A gift box has the shape shown in Diagram 26. The height of the gift box is 10 cm, the longer edges are 20 cm long, and the short edges of the square corner cut-outs are each 5 cm long. Part of the net of the gift box is also shown in Diagram 26.
  - Complete the net of the gift box.
  - Calculate the surface area and volume of the gift box.

## Topic 3: Exploring the Ways of Argument for Proving and Its Application in Geometry

#### Standard 3.1:

Exploring properties of congruency and similarity on plane geometry

- Explore ways of arguments using the congruence of two triangles and appreciate the logic of argument in simple proving
- ii. Explore ways of arguments using the similarity of two triangles based on ratio and angles and appreciate the logic of arguments in simple proving
- Explore the proof of the properties of circles such as inscribed angles, intercepted arcs iii.
- Appreciate proving through making the order of proven propositions to find new propositions

#### Sample Tasks for understanding the standards

#### **Task 1: Congruent and Similar Figures**

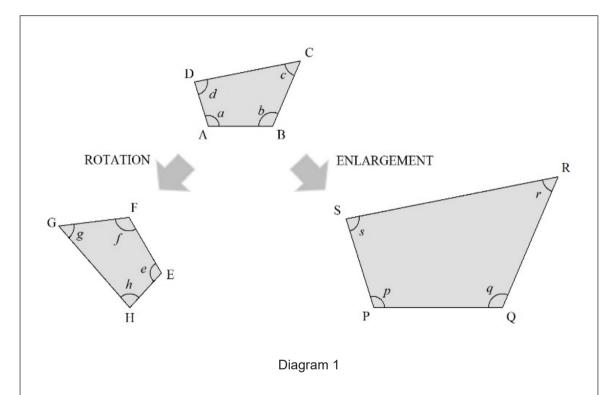
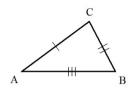


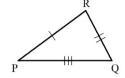
Diagram 1 shows a quadrilateral ABCD being rotated to become quadrilateral EFGH and enlarged to become quadrilateral PQRS.

ABCD is said to be congruent to EFGH, but similar to PQRS.

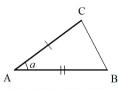
Explain the similarities and differences between congruent figures and similar figures. i.

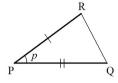
## Task 2: Proof Using Congruence Conditions for Triangles



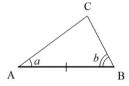


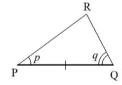
Condition  $\odot$ : AB = PQ, BC = QR, AC = PR





**Condition** ②: AB = PQ, AC = PR,  $\angle a = \angle P$ 





Condition ③:  $\angle a = \angle p$ ,  $\angle b = \angle q$ , AB = PQ

Diagram 2

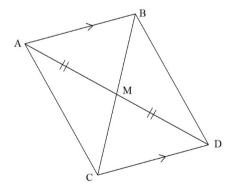


Diagram 3

Diagram 2 shows the three conditions for congruence of triangles:

- (1) All three pairs of corresponding sides are equal (Side-Side-Side).
- 2 Two pairs of corresponding sides and the angle between them are equal (Side-Angle-Side).
- Two pairs of corresponding angles and the side between them are equal (Angle-Side-Angle).

Triangles  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle PQR$  are congruent if any of the conditions is fulfilled.

i. In the figure shown in Diagram 3, AB || CD and AM = DM. Line segments AD and BC intersects at point M. Two students, Antonio and Buwan, tried to write the proof for CM = MB using a congruence condition for triangles.

#### Antonio's Written Proof

Since  $\angle$ BAM =  $\angle$ CDM,  $\angle$ AMB =  $\angle$ CMD, and AM = DM, therefore,  $\triangle$ AMB  $\triangle$ CMD So, CM = MB.

#### Buwan's Written Proof

Given that  $AB \parallel CD$  and alternate interior angles formed by parallel lines are equal, so

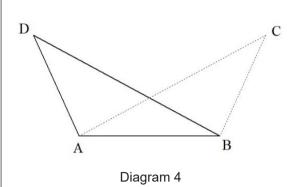
 $\angle BAM = \angle CDM$  ... Supposition (1)

Since vertical angles are equal, so  $\angle AMB = \angle CMD$  ... Supposition (2)

Also given AM = DM ... Supposition ③ From suppositions ①, ②, and ③, because of the Angle-Side-Angle congruence condition,  $\triangle AMB \triangle CMD$ .

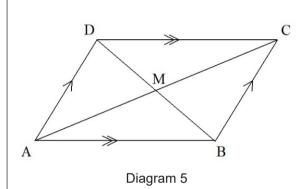
Since the corresponding sides in congruent triangles are equal, therefore CM = MB.

- Which proof is easier to understand? Why?
- Prove that AC || BD. (State all the suppositions clearly in your proof.)



- In the figure shown in Diagram 4, AD = BC and AC = BD.
  - Using any of the congruence conditions for triangles, prove that  $\angle ADB = \angle ACB$ .
  - Prove that  $\angle DAC = \angle DBC$ .

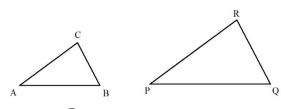
(State all the suppositions clearly in your proof.)



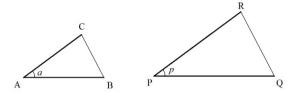
- Diagram 5 shows a quadrilateral ABCD. Given that AB || DC and AD || BC. The diagonals AC and BD intersect at point
  - Prove that  $\angle ABC = \angle ADC$ .
  - Prove that AB = DC and AD = BC.
  - Prove that M is the mid-point of both diagonals.

(State all the suppositions clearly in your proof.)

## Task 3: Proof Using Conditions for Similarity of Triangles



Condition (1): AB:PQ = AC:PR= BC:QR

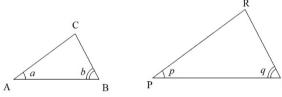


**Condition** ②: AB:PQ = AC:PR and  $\angle a = \angle p$ 

Diagram 6 shows the three conditions for similarity of triangles:

- 1 The ratios of all three pairs of corresponding sides are equal.
- 2 The ratios of two pairs of corresponding sides and the angle between them are equal.
- 3 Any two pairs of corresponding angles are equal.

Triangles  $\triangle ABC$  and  $\triangle PQR$  are similar if any of the conditions is fulfilled.



**Condition** ③ :  $\angle a = \angle p$  and  $\angle b = \angle q$ 

Diagram 6

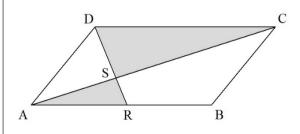


Diagram 7

i. Diagram 7 shows a parallelogram ABCD. R is a point on AB and S is the intersection point of DR and AC. Prove that  $\triangle$ ARS is similar to  $\triangle$ CDS

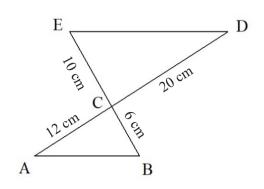
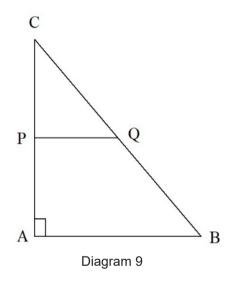


Diagram 8

- In the figure shown in Diagram 8, C is the intersection point of line segments AD and BE. Given BC = 6 cm. AC = 12 cm, CE = 10 cm and CD = 20 cm.
  - Prove that  $\triangle ABC$  is similar to  $\triangle DEC$ .
  - Prove that line segment AB is parallel to line segment ED.



- Diagram 9 shows a right-angled triangle Given that P and Q are the  $\triangle ABC$ . mid-points of AC and BC, respectively. prove required to (a) AB = 2PQ, (b)  $\triangle ABC$  is similar to  $\triangle PQC$ , and (c) area of  $\triangle PQC = \frac{1}{4} \times \text{area of } \triangle ABC$ .
  - Which of the three proofs should you work out first? Explain your reasons.
  - Work out the three proofs.

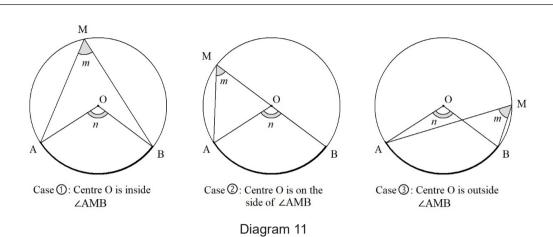


Diagram 10

- Diagram 10 shows a tree and a man i. standing under the sun at a certain time of a day. The shadow of the tree was 16.8 m and the shadow of the man was 1.2 m.
  - Explain how and why the idea of similar triangles can be used to find the height of the tree.
  - If the height of the man is 1.7 m, what is the height of the tree?



## Task 4: Properties of a Circle



i. Diagram 11 shows three cases of the positional relationships between the inscribed angle  $\angle AMB$  subtended from minor arc AB to point M and the corresponding central angle  $\angle AOB$  of a circle with centre O. In all three cases we can prove that  $\angle AMB = \frac{1}{2} \angle AOB$ .

respectively.

- Which case will you prove first? Explain your reasons.
- State clearly your order of proving the three cases.
- Work out the three proofs according to your sequence.

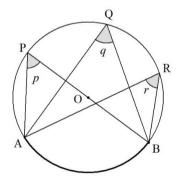


Diagram 12

iii. Diagram 13 shows a circle with centre O and diameter AB. Using the results from the proofs in (i), prove that ∠APB = 90°.

prove that  $\angle p = \angle q = \angle r$ .

Diagram 12 shows a circle with centre O.  $\angle p$ ,  $\angle q$  and  $\angle r$  are three inscribed angles subtended from minor arc AB to points P, Q and R,

Using the results from the proofs in (i),

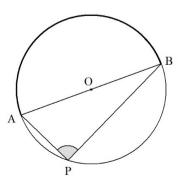


Diagram 13

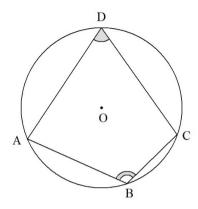


Diagram 14

- Diagram 14 shows a circle with centre O and A, B, C, D are four points on the circle.
  - Prove that  $\angle ADC = 180^{\circ} \angle ABC$ .

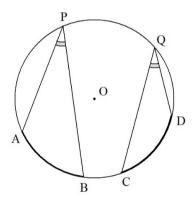


Diagram 15

- Diagram 15 shows a circle with centre O. AB and CD are two minor arcs with equal lengths.
  - Prove that  $\angle APB = \angle CQD$ .

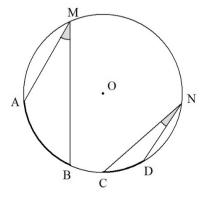


Diagram 16

- Diagram 16 shows a circle with centre O. AB and CD are two minor arcs where the relationship of the arc lengths is AB = 2CD.
  - Prove that  $\angle AMB = 2 \angle CND$ .
  - If AB = 3CD, make a conjecture about the relationship between ∠AMB and ∠CND.
  - Prove your conjecture.

#### Standard 3.2:

Exploring Pythagorean theorem in solving problems in plane geometry and spaces

- i. Explore the proving of Pythagorean theorem using diagram and use it in solving problems involving plane figures
- ii. Apply Pythagorean theorem on prism by viewing the figures through faces
- iii. Explore the situations for simple trigonometry using special angles in relation to the Pythagorean theorem
- iv. Appreciate the use of Pythagorean theorem in life

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

## Task 1: Proving Pythagorean Theorem

## Prove by Tiling Pattern

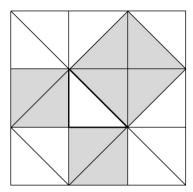


Diagram 1

Diagram 1 shows a tiling pattern with three darken squares.

i. Explain how this tiling pattern could be used to prove the Pythagorean Theorem.

#### Algebraic Proof

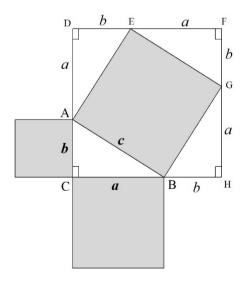


Diagram 2

with sides a, b and c. Three other right-angle triangles congruent to  $\triangle ABC$  are added as shown to form a bigger square CHFD.

Diagram 2 shows a right-angle triangle △ABC

i. Use the figure in Diagram 2 to prove that  $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$ .

(*Hint*: Consider the relationship between the area of ABGE and the area of CDFH.)

## Geometrical Proof by Euclid

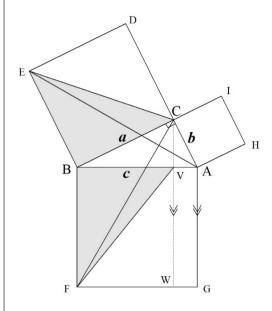
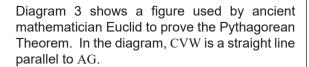


Diagram 3



- Valid arguments involving  $a^2$  can be built up based on the figure. Euclid argued that the area of  $\triangle BEC = \triangle BFV$  based on the answers to the following questions:
  - Why is ACD a straight line?
  - Why is the area of  $\triangle BEC = \triangle BEA$ ?
  - Why is the area of  $\triangle BEA = \triangle BFC$ ?
  - Why is the area of  $\triangle BFC = \triangle BFV$ ?
  - Why is the area of rectangle BFWV =  $a^2$ ?

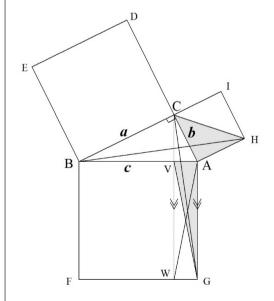


Diagram 4

- In a similar manner, Diagram 4 can be used to build up the arguments involving  $b^2$ .
  - Explain why  $\triangle ACH = \triangle AGV$ .
  - Explain why the area of rectangle  $AGWV = b^2$ .
- Explain why  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ .

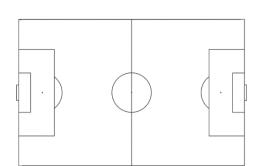


Diagram 5

- i. A teacher was given the task to construct a football field as shown in Diagram 5. In order to ensure that all corners of the field are 90°, he used the 3-4-5 method to construct the corners. He first made a 12-m loop with three knots A, B and C to make intervals of 3 m, 4m and 5 m on the loop. He then stretched the loop to form a triangle with sides 3 m, 4 m and 5 m as shown in Diagram 6.
- Prove that ∠BAC = 90°.

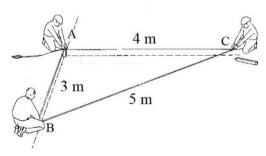


Diagram 6

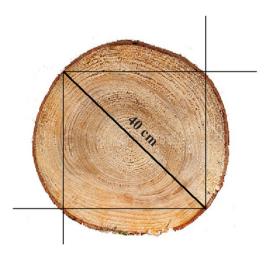
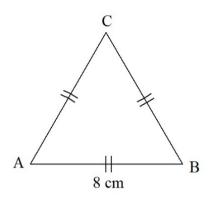


Diagram 7

- ii. A timber log with a diameter of 40 cm is to be cut into a timber block with a square cross section as shown in Diagram 7.
- What is the maximum side length of the square in order to cut out the thickest timber block?



- Diagram 8 shows an equilateral triangle  $\triangle ABC$  with each side 8 cm.
- Find the area of  $\triangle ABC$ .

Diagram 8

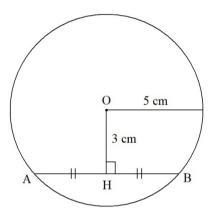


Diagram 9

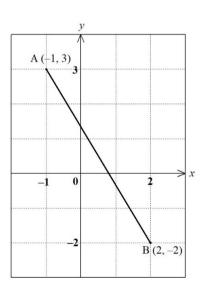
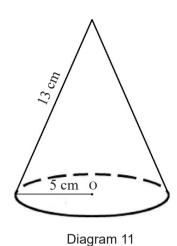


Diagram 10

- Diagram 9 shows a circle centre O with radius 5 cm. AB is a chord 2 cm from the centre of the circle.
- Find the length of chord AB.

- Diagram 10 shows the locations of point A(-1, 3) and point B(2, -2)
- Find the distance between A and B.



- vi. Diagram 11 shows a circular cone with a base radius of 5 cm and a generatrix of length 13 cm.
  - Find the height and the volume of the cone.

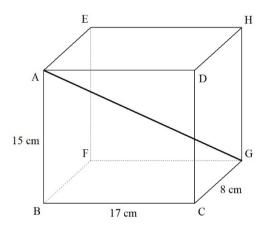


Diagram 12

- vii. Diagram 12 shows a rectangular prism with a dimension of 8 cm  $\times$  15 cm  $\times$  17 cm as shown. AG is a diagonal of the prism.
  - Find the length of AG.

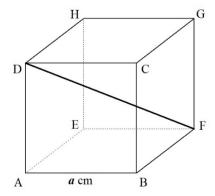


Diagram 13

- viii. Diagram 13 shows a cube with side length  $a \ \mathrm{cm}$ . DF is a diagonal of the cube.
  - Prove that the ratio of its diagonal to its side,  $\frac{DF}{AB} = \sqrt{3}$ .

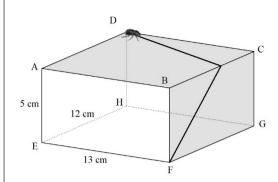


Diagram 14

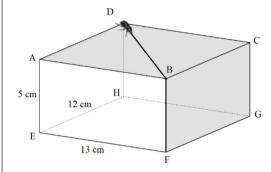


Diagram 15

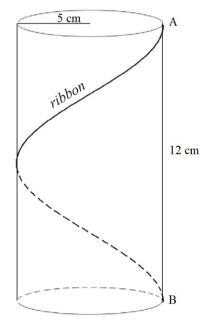


Diagram 16

Diagram 14 shows a rectangular prism box with a beetle at vertex D. The beetle starts to crawl in a straight line towards edge BC and it then turns to crawl in a straight line until it reaches vertex F as shown.

A student argues that if the beetle crawls towards vertex B in a straight and then crawls along edge BF as shown in Diagram 15, the distance travelled will be the shortest.

Prove that the student's argument is wrong.

> [Hint: Open up the box at face BCGF so that ADGF becomes a rectangle.]

Find the shortest distance travelled by the beetle from D to F.

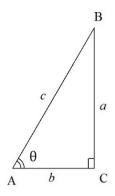
Diagram 16 shows a cylinder with a base radius of 5 cm, height 12 cm and generatrix AB.

A ribbon ties around the cylinder goes around once from point A to point B as shown in the diagram.

Find the shortest length of ribbon, rounding your answer to the nearest tenth.

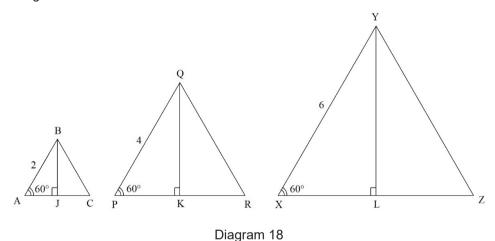
(Let 
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## Task 3: Simple Trigonometry with Special Angles

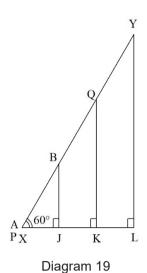


- i. Diagram 17 shows a right-angle triangle  $\triangle$ ABC with an angle  $\theta$ . Given that  $0^{\circ} < \theta < 90^{\circ}$ . the length of sides BC, AC and AB are a, b and c, respectively.
  - Why are  $\sin\theta$ ,  $\cos\theta$  and  $\tan\theta$  called the trigonometrical ratios with respect to  $\triangle ABC$ ?

Diagram 17

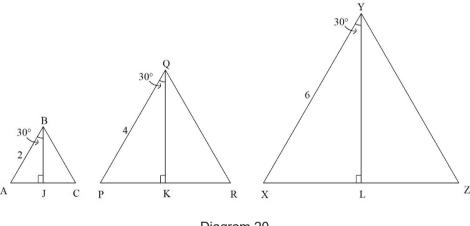


- ii. Diagram 18 shows three equilateral triangles,  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\triangle PQR$  and  $\triangle XYZ$  with sides 2 units, 4 units, 6 units, respectively. Given that BJ, QK and YL are perpendicular bisectors to AC, PR and XZ respectively.
  - Find the length of sides AJ, PK and XL, respectively.
  - Find the length of sides BJ, QK and YL, respectively.
  - Find each of the following trigonometrical ratios using the measures in  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\triangle PQR$  and  $\triangle XYZ$  respectively.
    - ❖ sin60°
    - ❖ cos60°
    - tan60°
  - Show that the each of the trigonometrical ratios  $\sin 60^\circ$ ,  $\cos 60^\circ$ ,  $\tan 60^\circ$  and found from the three right-angle triangles with different sizes is a constant.
  - Calculate values of sin60°, cos60°, and tan60°, rounded to four decimal places.



- Diagram 19 shows the situation when the three rightiii. angle triangles are overlapped.
  - Based on this diagram, explain why each of the trigonometrical ratios sin60°, cos60°, and tan60° is a constant ratio?
  - Will each of the trigonometrical ratios for angles other than 60° also a constant? Explain your reasoning.

Diagram 20 shows the same three triangles in Diagram 18.



- Diagram 20
- Explain why  $\angle ABJ = \angle PQK = \angle XYL = 30^{\circ}$ .
- Find each of the following trigonometrical ratios using the measurements in  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $\triangle$ PQR and  $\triangle$ XYZ respectively.
  - sin60°
  - cos60°
  - \* tan60°
- Explain why each of the trigonometrical ratios sin30°, cos30° and tan30° is also a constant.
- What conclusion can you make about the ratios  $sin\theta$ ,  $cos\theta$  and  $tan\theta$  for any angle  $\theta$ , where  $0 < \theta < 90^{\circ}$ ? What if  $0 = \theta$ ? What if  $0 = 90^{\circ}$ ?

- vi. What relationship exists between the following trigonometrical ratios?
  - sin30° and cos60°
  - sin60° and cos30°
  - tan30° and tan60°

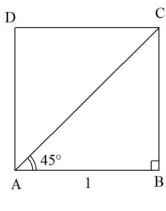


Diagram 21

- vii. Diagram 21 shows a square ABCD with sides 1 unit and AC is its diagonal.
  - Explain why  $\angle BAC = \angle BCA = 45^{\circ}$ .
  - Find the length of side AC.
  - Show that  $\sin 45^\circ = \cos 45^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ .
  - Find tan45°.
- viii. From your answers in (ii), (iv) and (vii), verify each of the following trigonometric identities.
  - $\sin^2 30^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ = 1$
  - $\sin^2 45^\circ + \cos^2 45^\circ = 1$
  - $\sin^2 60^\circ + \cos^2 60^\circ = 1$
- ix. Using the Pythagorean Theorem, prove that for the case of a right-angled triangle with an acute angle  $\theta$ ,  $\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1$ .

## CHAPTER FIVE

# **Statistics and Probability**

### Topic 1: Exploring Distribution with the Understanding of Variability

#### Standard 1.1:

Exploring distribution with histograms, central tendency and variability

- Use histogram with different class intervals to show different distribution of the same set of data
- ii Identify alternative ways to show a distribution such as dot plot, box plot and frequency polygon
- Investigate central tendencies such as mean, median, mode and their relationships in a distribution
- Investigate dispersion such as range and inter-quartile range in a distribution
- Appreciate the analysis of variability through the finding of the hidden structure of distribution on situations using the measure of central tendency and dispersion

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

#### Task 1: Describing a Set of Data Using Central Tendency and Dispersion

#### Representative Value of a Set of Data

Two classes of students. Class A and Class B. took a Mathematics test.

- i. Table 1 shows the test scores of 23 students from Class A.
  - Draw a dot plot to represent the test scores of this class of students on Diagram 1.
  - At a glance, what important information about the distribution of the test scores could you get from the dot plot?

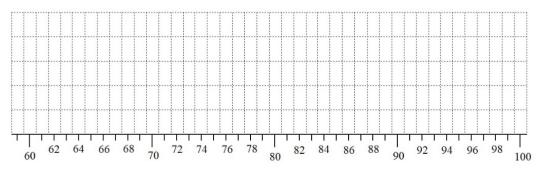


Diagram 1

Table 1 Test Scores of Class A

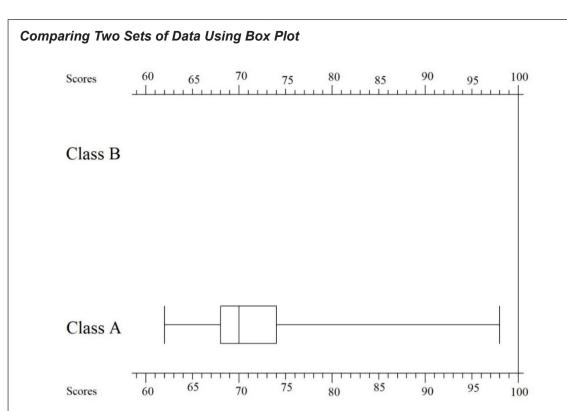
Student No.	Score
A1	69
A2	98
A3	64
A4	78
A5	98
A6	73
A7	62
A8	69
A9	98
A10	68
A11	68
A12	74
A13	72
A14	65
A15	70
A16	69
A17	72
A18	65
A19	74
A20	70
A21	98
A22	66
A23	72

- Find the following measures of central tendency of the test scores.
  - Mean
  - Mode
  - Median
- Find the following measures of dispersion for the test scores.
  - Range
  - Inter-quartile range
- In reporting the performance of Class A, the teacher decided to pick 98 to be the representative score of the class since it is the highest score.
   Is the score 98 appropriate to be chosen as the representative score of the class? Explain your reasons.
- In your opinion, what value of score is most appropriate to represent the scores of this class of students? Justify your choice.

Table 2 Test Scores of Class B

Student No.	Score
B1	60
B2	61
В3	61
B4	64
B5	64
В6	65
B7	65
B8	66
В9	67
B10	67
B11	68
B12	68
B13	68
B14	68
B15	68
B16	69
B17	69
B18	69
B19	70
B20	70
B21	71
B22	71
B23	72
B24	73
B25	73
B26	74
B27	76
B28	78

- Table 2 shows the test scores of another 28 students from Class B in ascending order.
  - Find the following measures of central tendency and dispersion for the test scores.
    - Mean, mode and median
    - Range and inter-quartile range
    - In your opinion, which of these measures of central tendency is most appropriate to represent the scores of Class B? Justify your choice.
    - What do these measures of dispersion tell you about the distribution of Class B's test scores?
- iii. Compare the mean scores of Class A and Class
  - Based on this comparison, which class performed better in the test? Justify your decision.
  - How confident are you with the decision? Explain your reasons.
  - What can you conclude on the use of measures of central tendency and dispersion to represent a set of data? Explain briefly.



- i. Diagram 2 shows the box plot for the test scores of Class A from Table 1.
  - Draw a box plot for the test scores of Class B from Table 2 on Diagram 2.

Diagram 2

- Compare the two box plots.
  - What can you say about the two classes' test scores from the aspect of central tendency and dispersion?
  - Based on this comparison, which class performed better in the test? Justify your decision.
  - Is this decision same as the decision based on comparison of mean scores in the previous sub-task? Explain briefly.
- Which set of data has a greater variability? How does the variability affect the choice of representative value for the set of data?

#### Task 2: Using Histogram to Investigate Trends in Data

Table 3 Hand Circumference of Lower Secondary Male (M) and Female (F) Students

Student	Hand (cm) /	Student	Hand (cm) /
No.	Gender	No.	Gender
1	17.2 / F	39	21.0 / M
2	17.5 / F	40	21.1 / M
3	18.1 / F	41	21.1 / M
4	18.2 / F	42	21.3 / F
5	18.3 / F	43	21.3 / M
6	18.5 / F	44	21.4 / F
7	18.5 / F	45	21.4 / M
8	19.0 / F	46	21.7 / F
9	19.1 / F	47	21.8 / F
10	19.2 / F	48	22.0 / M
11	19.2 / M	49	22.3 / F
12	19.3 / F	50	22.3 / M
13	19.3 / F	51	22.3 / M
14	19.3 / F	52	22.3 / M
15	19.4 / F	53	22.4 / M
16	19.4 / F	54	22.5 / M
17	19.5 / F	55	22.5 / M
18	19.5 / F	56	22.6 / F
19	19.5 / M	57	22.6 / F
20	19.6 / F	58	22.7 / M
21	19.6 / F	59	22.7 / M
22	19.6 / F	60	22.8 / M
23	19.7 / F	61	22.8 / M
24	19.8 / F	62	22.9 / M
25	19.8 / M	63	22.9 / M
26	20.0 / F	64	23.1 / M
27	20.0 / F	65	23.1 / M
28	20.2 / M	66	23.5 / M
29	20.3 / F	67	23.6 / F
30	20.3 / F	68	23.6 / M
31	20.3 / M	69	23.6 / M
32	20.5 / F	70	23.7 / M
33	20.5 / M	71	23.8 / F
34	20.5 / M	72	23.8 / M
35	20.6 / M	73	23.8 / M
36	20.8 / F	74	24.5 / M
37	20.9 / F	75	24.9 / M
38	21.0 / M		-



Diagram 3

The circumference of а hand shown in Diagram 3 is one of the basic measurements to determine glove size. A manufacturer investigated some data on hand circumference in order to produce hand gloves with appropriate sizes for school students.

- Table 3 shows the raw data of hand circumference measured in cm, in ascending order, obtained from 75 lower secondary male (M) and female (F) students.
  - Find the following measures of central tendency and dispersion of hand circumference for this group of students.
    - Mean, median and mode
    - Range and inter-quartile range

Table 4 Frequency Distribution of Hand Circumference of Lower Secondary Students

Hand	Frequ	iency	
Circumference, x cm	1 cm interval	2 cm interval	
17 ≤ <i>x</i> < 18	2	7	
$18 \le x < 19$	5	/	
$19 \le x < 20$	18	20	
$20 \le x < 21$	12	30	
$21 \le x < 22$	10	26	
$22 \le x < 23$	16	20	
$23 \le x < 24$	10	12	
$24 \le x < 25$	2	12	

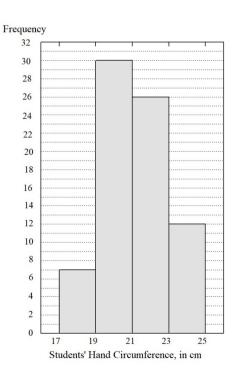
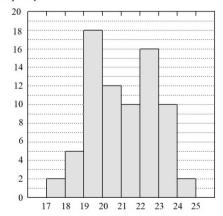


Diagram 4

The raw data from Table 3 are grouped ii. into classes with 1 cm and 2 cm of interval respectively. The frequency distributions for the students' hand circumference with the two different class intervals are shown in Table 4.

- Which class will 20.6 cm belong to?
- Which class will 22.0 cm belong to?
- Based on Table 4, find the (a) mean, (b) median, (c) mode, (d) range and (d) inter-quartile range of the students' hand circumference based on the data for the two different class intervals. respectively.
- values Compare these of measures of central tendency and dispersion from those obtained from Table 3.
  - What do you observe about each of the values? Explain briefly.
  - If the values are different, which values do you think are more appropriate to represent the set of data?





Students' Hand Circumference, in cm

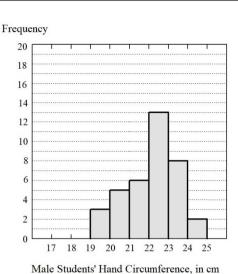
Diagram 5

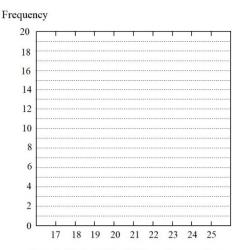
- The two frequency distributions of students' hand circumference are displayed using histogram with class interval 2 cm and 1 cm, respectively as shown in Diagram 4 and Diagram 5.
  - Compare the two histograms.
    - What is the same and what is different about the information on the students' hand circumference that you can read from the two histograms?
  - What characteristic of the data shown in Diagram 5 indicates that the glove sizes of the male and female students may need to be different in term of measurement?
  - What can you say about the effect of changing the size of class interval on the characteristics of the data shown by the histograms?

Table 5 Frequency Distribution of Hand Circumference for Male and Female Students

Hand Circumference,	Frequency	
x cm	Male	Female
$17 \le x < 18$	-	
18 ≤ <i>x</i> < 19	-	
19 ≤ <i>x</i> < 20	3	
$20 \le x < 21$	5	
21 ≤ <i>x</i> < 22	6	
22 ≤ <i>x</i> < 23	13	
$23 \le x < 24$	8	
$24 \le x < 25$	2	

- Based on the information from iv. Diagram 5. the manufacturer decides to have two different sets of measurement for the male and female students glove sizes. Hence, the data for the male and female students were separated as shown in Table 5.
  - Complete the frequency distribution female for the students in Table 5.
  - Based on Table 5, find the (a) mean, (b) median, (c) mode, (d) range and (e) inter-quartile range of the male and female students' hand circumference, respectively.





Female Students' Hand Circumference, in cm

Diagram 6

Diagram 7

- v. Diagram 6 shows the histogram of the male students' hand circumference.
  - Draw the histogram of the females' hand circumference on Diagram 7.
  - Compare the two histograms.
  - Based on the comparison, what can you say about the distributions of the male and female students' hand circumference?

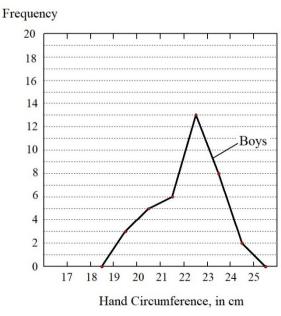


Diagram 8

- vi. Diagram 8 shows the frequency polygon of the male students' hand circumference.
  - Draw the frequency polygon for the girls' hand circumference on Diagram 8.
  - Compare the two frequency polygons. What can you read from them?
  - What is the advantage of frequency polygon in analysing trend as compare to histogram?
- vii. The manufacturer decided to make three different sizes, Small, Medium, and Large, for the hand gloves. However, two different sets of measurement for each size will be determined for the male and female students.
  - What measurement of each size would you recommend for the male and female students? Justify your decision.
  - What proportions of the different sizes would you recommend the manufacturer to produce? Justify your decision.

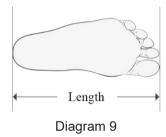
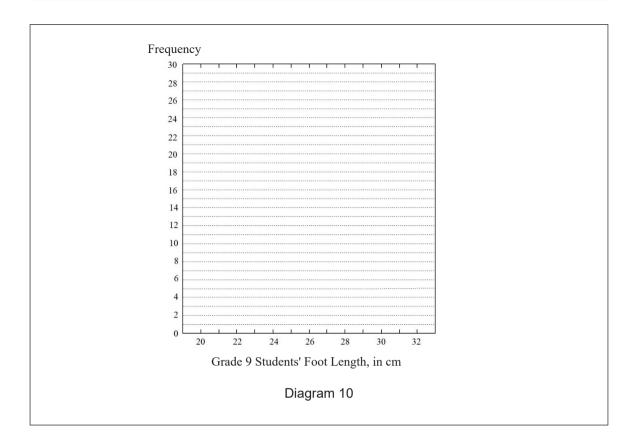


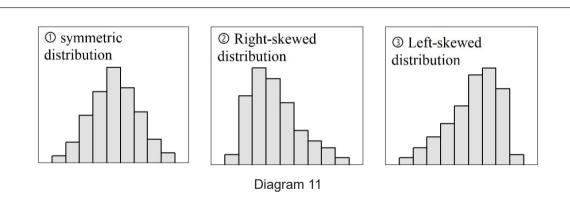
Table 6 Frequency Distribution of Foot Length of **School Students** 

Foot Length, x cm	Frequency
$20 \le x < 21$	5
21 ≤ <i>x</i> < 22	17
$22 \le x < 23$	25
23 ≤ <i>x</i> < 24	15
24 ≤ <i>x</i> < 25	14
$25 \le x < 26$	22
26 ≤ x < 27	29
27 ≤ <i>x</i> < 28	18
28 ≤ x < 29	14
29 ≤ <i>x</i> < 30	4
$30 \le x < 31$	5
$31 \le x < 32$	2

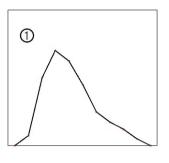
- viii. Diagram 9 shows the measurement of foot length used to determine shoe size. In a project to determine appropriate shoe sizes for school students, the foot lengths of 170 male and female students were measured. Table 6 shows the frequency distribution of the foot lengths.
  - Draw the histogram for the foot lengths on Diagram 10.
  - Analyse the histogram.
    - What characteristic of the data indicates that there may be a need to analyse further on the frequency distribution?
  - What do you think is the appropriate next step of analysing the data? Explain your reasons.

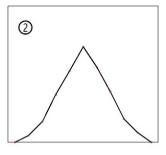


Task 3: Relationships Among Mean, Median and Mode



- i. Diagram 11 shows three histograms used to represent one symmetric distribution and two skewed distributions of three sets of data.
  - Match the histogram with the following relationships.
    - ❖ Mode < Median < Mean</p>
    - ❖ Mode = Median = Mean
    - ❖ Mean < Median < Mode</p>
  - Justify your choice for each relationship.





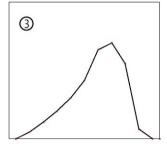


Diagram 12

- Diagram 12 shows the frequency polygons of the distributions of three set of data. ii.
  - Match the frequency polygons with the following distributions.
    - Symmetric
    - \*\* Right skewed
    - Left skewed
  - In what ways will skewed distribution affect the measures of central tendency and dispersion for a set of data?
  - What will you suggest to reduce the effects?

## Task 4: Variability Arises From Data Distribution and Informal Statistical Inferences

i. Variability is an essential element of statistical thinking due to the fact that it arises everywhere in statistics. It represents the conception of variation, which may not be defined mathematically at a certain stage of learning, before it is defined formally as a specific measurement. For this standard, it is considered as an observable characteristic of an entity which describes how much variation is present in data and how spread out the data are. It is disccussed at every stage of learning statistics, depending on what is already learnt and what is not known yet by the learners at each stage. In addition, through the use of informal statistical inference, which is trying to make inference without using formal knowledge and procedures of statistics, any related discussion becomes open ended until variation is defined as a formal concept mathematically at a later stage. As such, informal statistical inference plays an important role in school curriculum toward developing statistical reasoning among students. Furthermore, the informal nature of discussion can also bring fun and interest to the learning of statistics in school curriculum. Thus, in this era of artificial intellegence and data science, discussion on variability and informal statistical inference is inevitable in school statistical education curriculum.

As such, one implicit aim of this topic is to help students develop understanding of variability arises from variation in data distribution through the formation of informal statistical inferences.

In your opinion, to what extend are the tasks in this topic able to promote a better understanding of variability arises from variation in data distribution through informal statistical inferences among lower secondary school students.

## Topic 2: Exploring Probability With Law of Large Numbers and Sample Space

#### Standard 2.1:

Exploring probability with descriptive statistics, law of large numbers and sample space

- i. Experiment with tossing coins and dice to explore the distribution of the relative frequency and understand the law of large numbers
- ii. Use the idea of equally likely outcomes to infer the value of a probability
- iii. Analyse sample space of situations represented by a table to determine the probability and use it for predicting occurrence.
- iv. Use various representations such as table, tree diagram, histogram and frequency polygon for finding probability
- v. Analyse data related to issues on sustainable development and use probability to infer and predict future events

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

#### Task 1: Probability From Empirical Trials

Heads

#### **Empirical Probability**





Tails

Diagram 1

Diagram 1 shows the two sides of a new 10-piso coin of the Philippines.

i. In an experiment of tossing the coin, the frequencies of getting heads for different number of total trials are recorded as shown in Table 1. The difference in frequencies between two consecutive total number of trials,  $f_n - f_{n-1}$ , and its ratio to the difference in total number of trials,  $N_n - N_{n-1}$ , are calculated.

Table 1
Ratio of Difference in Frequency to Difference in Total Tosses

n	Total Number of Tosses, N	Frequency of Tossing Heads, $f$	$f_n - f_{n-1}$	$N_n - N_{n-1}$	$\frac{f_n - f_{n-1}}{N_n - N_{n-1}}$
1	50	23	-	-	-
2	100	45	22	50	0.440
3	200	104	59	100	0.590
4	400	201	97	200	0.485
5	600	307	106	200	0.530
6	800	412	105	200	0.525
7	1000	522	110	200	0.550
8	1200	628	106	200	0.530
9	1400	718			
10	1600	810			
11	1800	896			
12	2000	1002			

- Complete the table.
- Do you notice any convergence in the value of the ratio, as the total trials increases?
- The relative frequencies of tossing heads for different number of total trials are also i. calculated as shown in Table 2.

Table 2 Relative Frequency of Tossing Heads

Total Number of Trials, N	Frequency of Tossing Heads, f	Relative Frequency of Tossing Heads,
50	23	0.460
100	45	0.450
200	104	0.520
400	201	0.503
600	307	0.512
800	412	0.515
1000	522	0.522
1200	628	0.523
1400	718	
1600	810	
1800	896	
2000	1002	

- Complete the table.
- Diagram 2 shows a part of the line graph plotted for the results in Table 2. ii.

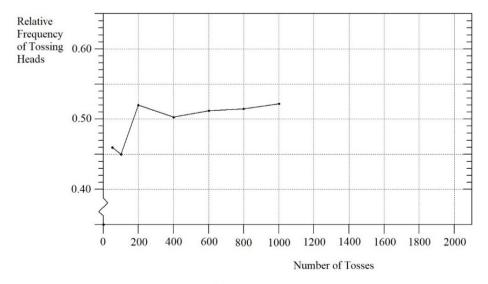


Diagram 2

- Complete the line graph.
- What happen to the relative frequency as the number of trials increases?
- Compare what happen to the relative frequency and the ratio  $\frac{f_n f_{n-1}}{N_n N_{n-1}}$ , as the total trials increases.
- Explain what happen to the relative frequency as the number of trials increases with the Law of Large Numbers.
- iv. Table 3 shows the results of three students each tossed a fair coin 100 times.

Table 3
Results of Tossing a Fair Coin 100 Times

Student	Heads	Tails
А	61	39
В	42	58
С	50	50

• When asked to comment on these results, Chee Seng says:

"Student C gets the most accurate result because in 100 trials, we expect to get 50 heads and 50 tails. Student A's result is very not accurate and since he gets much more heads than tails, if he continue to toss the coin for another 10 times, he should get more tails than heads in order to balance out his result. Similarly, Students B should also get more heads in his next 10 trials.

- What is wrong with Chee Seng's comment? Why is it wrong?
  - v. Diagram 3 shows a die and its six faces.
    - Carry out an experiment of throwing a die.
    - Record your result of getting in Table 4.



Diagram 3

Table 4
Result of Throwing a Die

Total Number of Trials	Frequency of Throwing •	Relative Frequency of Throwing •
50		
100		
200		
300		
400		
500		

• What is the probability of throwing • ?

## Empirical Probability in Real World

- i. Clinical trials have found a drug to have a success rate of 92% in curing patients infected with COVID-19. In the coming year, 14 290 COVID-19 patients will be treated with the drug.
  - How many patients would be expected to be cured?
  - How certain are you with the expected number of cured patients? Explain briefly.
  - Based on your answer, make a more reasonable estimate of the number of cured patients. Explain your reasoning.
- ii. Table 5 shows the number of live births in Malaysia from years 2013 to 2018.

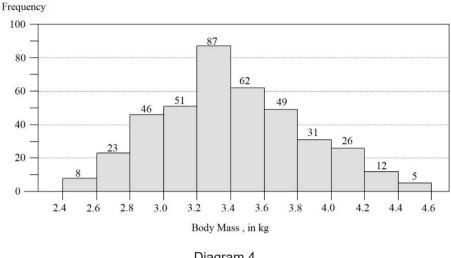
Table 5 Birth Statistics of Malaysia, 2013 to 2018

Year	Total	Male	Female
2018	501 945	259 582	242 363
2017	508 685	262 575	246 110
2016	508 203	262 755	245 448
2015	521 136	269 255	251 881
2014	511 865	264 396	247 469
2013	503 914	260 725	243 189

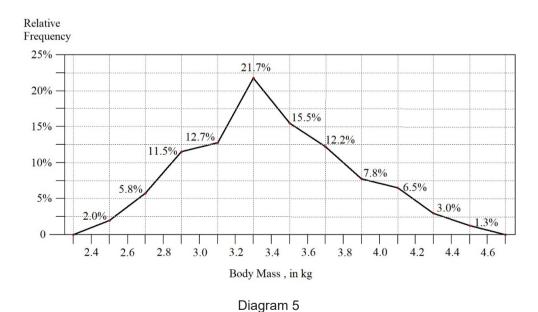
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- What is the relative frequency of giving birth to (a) a baby boy, and (b) a baby girl in Malaysia from years 2013 to 2018?
- In this period of time, if a mother in Malaysia gives birth to 2 babies, what is the probability that the babies will be a boy and a girl?
- If another mother gives birth to 3 babies, what is the probability that the babies will be all girls?





- Diagram 4
- The histogram in Diagram 4 shows the distribution of body mass of 400 babies at birth.
  - Find the probability that a baby is born with a body mass of less than 3.0 kg.
  - Find the probability that a baby is born with a body mass of 3.0 kg or more, but less than 4.0 kg.



- The frequency polygon in Diagram 5 shows the distribution of relative frequencies of the 400 newly born babies' body mass from the histogram in Diagram 4.
  - Find the probability that a baby born with a body mass of less than 3.0 kg.
  - Find the probability that a baby is born with a body mass of 4.0 kg or more, but less than 4.4 kg.

## Task 2: Probability From Theoretical Perspective

#### Tossing Two Fair Coins

Table 6 Sample Space of Tossing Two Coin, A and B

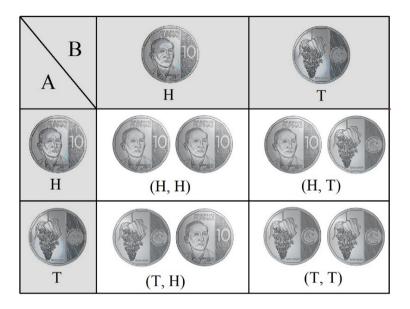


Table 6 shows the sample space of tossing two coins, A and B. Assuming each side of the coin is equally likely to occur.

- i. Explain the meaning of sample space.
- What does it mean by "equally likely to occur"? ii.
- What is the probability of each of the following events? iii.
  - Two heads
  - One heads and one tails, in any order
  - Not two tails
- The two coins are tossed 1000 times. iv.
  - How many times do you expect to get two heads?
  - How certain are you with your answer? Explain briefly.
- A fair coins is tossed 4 times and the sequences of the outcomes are recorded. Compare the probability of obtaining the following sequences: HHHH and HTTH.
  - In a discussion about the question, a student explain that:
    - "The probability of getting HTTH is higher than the probability of getting HHHH because in real life, it is very difficult for the same thing to happen 4 times continuously."
    - What is wrong with the student's reasoning? Explain briefly.

# Tossing Two Fair Dice

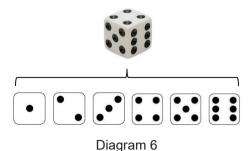


Diagram 6 shows a fair die and its six faces.

Table 7
Sample Space of Tossing Two Dice

#2	•	•	••		<b>:•</b>	
•	(1, 1)	(1, 2)	(1, 3)	(1, 4)	(1, 5)	(1, 6)
•	(2, 1)	(2, 2)	(2, 3)	(2, 4)	(2, 5)	(2, 6)
••	(3, 1)	(3, 2)	(3, 3)	(3, 4)	(3, 5)	(3, 6)
	(4, 1)	(4, 2)	(4, 3)	(4, 4)	(4, 5)	(4, 6)
	(5, 1)	(5, 2)	(5, 3)	(5, 4)	(5, 5)	(5, 6)
	(6, 1)	(6, 2)	(6, 3)	(6, 4)	(6, 5)	(6, 6)

Table 7 shows the sample space of tossing two **fair** dice together.

- i. What does it mean by the dice are "fair"?
- ii. Find the probability of the following.
  - Both the tossed numbers are the same
  - The sum of the tossed numbers is 10
  - The sum of the tossed numbers is less than 6
- iii. The sum of the two tossed numbers could be 2 to 12, inclusively.
  - Which sum has the greatest probability?
- iii. Three fair dice are rolled. What is the probability of each of the following events?
  - Three event numbers
  - Two even and one odd numbers
  - No even number at all

# Tossing a Fair Die and a Fair Coin





Diagram 7

Diagram 7 shows a fair die and a fair coin. The die and coin are tossed together.

- Show the sample space using i.
  - a table
  - a tree diagram
- Find the probability of getting
  - number '6' and 'heads'
  - an even number and 'tails'

# Picking Marbles Randomly



Diagram 8

- Diagram 8 shows a bag with 10 black marbles. You pick one marble at random from the i. bag.
  - What does it mean by picking "at random"?
  - What is the probability of you getting a black marble?
  - The marble picked is then put back to the bag and you repeat picking a marble following the same procedure for a total of 10 times.
    - How many black marbles do you expect to get?
    - How certain are you with your answer? Explain your reasons.



Diagram 9

- ii. Diagram 9 shows a bag with 7 black marbles and 3 white marbles. You pick one marble at random from the bag.
  - What is the probability of you getting a black marble?
  - The marble picked is then put back to the bag and you repeat picking a marble following the same procedure for a total of 10 times.
    - How many black marbles do you expect to get?
    - How certain are you that you will get exactly your expected number of black marbles? Explain your reasons.
- iii. You pick two marbles together from the bag in Diagram 8. This situation is the same as picking one marble first and then pick a second marble **without** putting the first marble back to the box.
  - If the first marble picked is white, what is the probability of getting a black marble in the second pick?
  - If the first marble picked is black, what is the probability of getting a white marble in the second pick?
  - What is the probability that you will pick one white and one black marbles in any order?
  - What is the probability that both marbles will be white?
  - What is the probability that both marbles will be black?

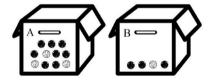


Diagram 10

iv. Diagram 10 shows two boxes, A and B, with black and white balls. Agus is to pick a ball at random from one of the boxes. If he pick a black ball, he will win a prize. So, he has to decide which box to pick the ball from. He thinks to himself:

What is wrong with Agus's reasoning?

<sup>&</sup>quot;There are more black balls in box A. So, I will be more likely to pick a black ball from A than from B."

# Spinning Two Spinners

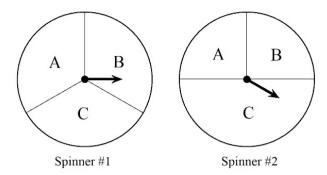


Diagram 11

Diagram 11 shows two spinners. Each spinner board is divided into three regions, A, B and C. Assuming each spinner moves freely when it is spun.

- i. Spinner #1 is spun and stopped.
  - What is the probability that it will fall in region A, B and C, respectively?
- Spinner #2 is spun and stopped.
  - A student claims: "Since there are 3 possible outcomes, so the probability for the spinner to fall in region A is  $\frac{1}{3}$ ."
    - What is wrong with the student's reasoning? Explain briefly.
- Both spinners are spun one after another.
  - Draw a tree diagram to show the sample space.
  - What is the probability of each of the following events?
    - One spinner falls in region A and one spinner falls in region C.
    - \* Both spinners fall in region B.
    - Both spinners fall in region C.
    - None of the spinners fall in region A.

# **Task 3: Not Equally Likely Outcomes**

## Tossing a Biased Coin



Diagram 12

Diagram 12 shows an ancient coin used in India around the end of the  $5^{th}$  century. The coin is biased and each side of the coin is **not** equally likely to occur when it is tossed. Given the probability of tossing heads is  $\frac{3}{5}$ .

- i. The coin is tossed once.
  - What is the probability of tossing tails?

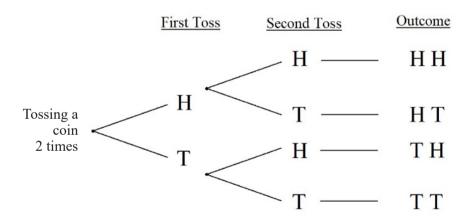


Diagram 13

- ii. The tree diagram in Diagram 13 shows the sample space of tossing the coin twice in succession. What is the probability of tossing each of the following events?
  - Two heads
  - One heads and one tails, in any order
  - Not two tails
- iv. The coin is tossed three times in succession. What is the probability of tossing each of the following events?
  - Three tails
  - · One head and two tails in any order

## Task 4: Misconception About Probability

- On the eve of a test, Alejandro tells his parent that he has a 50% chance of passing the i. test. He goes on to explain that:
  - "There are only two possible outcomes. Either I pass the test, or I fail. So, the probability of me passing the test is  $\frac{1}{2}$ , which is 50%!"
  - What is wrong with Alejandro's reasoning?
- Ahmed is playing a board game. He needs to toss a die and get "6" to start moving his counter. However, after 8 times of tossing, he is still unable to get a "6" to start the game. Based on this experience, Ahmed concludes that:
  - "It is very hard to get "6". I think the probability of getting a "6" is lower than other numbers."
  - What is wrong with Ahmed's reasoning?
- Aroon tosses a fair coin 8 times and gets 8 heads in a row. Before the next toss, he thinks to himself:
  - "Since I have got 8 heads in a row, I will have a better chance to get a tails than a heads this time."
  - What is wrong with Aroon's reasoning?
- Analu takes a quiz with 10 'true or false' questions. After the quiz, he tells his friends:
  - "I just guess the answers for all the questions. Since the probability that my guess is right is  $\frac{1}{2}$  for each question, I am certain that I will get 5 right answers."
  - What is wrong with Analu's reasoning?
- Liverpool FC is to play against Manchester United in a charity football match. Adriel says to his friends:
  - "Liverpool FC can either win, lose or draw, so the probability that Liverpool will win is  $\frac{1}{2}$ ."
  - What is wrong with Adriel's reasoning?

# Task 4: Application of Probability in Real World

#### **Draw Lots**

Three brothers want to go for a movie but they only have enough money to buy one ticket. After discussion, they agree to draw lots in order to decide who will be the lucky person to see the movie. So, they prepare three pieces of paper as shown in Diagram 14.

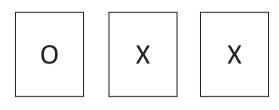


Diagram 14

The papers are folded and put into a box. The three brothers then take turn to draw a piece of paper from the box without looking into the box. The person who draw the paper with the O mark will win the ticket and get to see the movie.

i. The three brothers think to themselves.

#### First Brother:

"The first person to pick will have two pieces of paper with the "O" and the chances to pick "O" is higher. So, I better let my two brothers pick first."

#### Second Brother:

"The first person to pick will have the chance to pick "O" first. So, I better pick first before the "O" is picked by my two brothers."

## Third Brother:

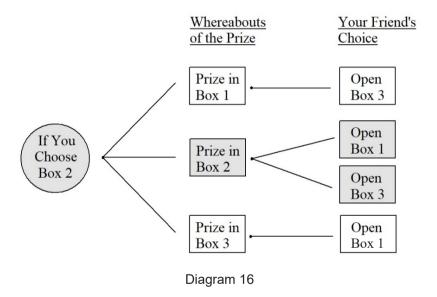
"Whether I pick first or last, my chance of winning the ticket will still be the same. So, there is no need to rush. I better let my two brothers to draw the lots first."

- Which brother reason correctly? Support your answer with some calculation of probability.
- What if they have enough money to buy two tickets?

#### A Game of Choices



You are playing a game with your friend to win a prize. There are three boxes in front of you as shown in Diagram 15. Your friend will put the prize into one of the boxes without you seeing it. Then, you will make an initial choice by choosing one box that you think has the prize in it, without opening it. At that point, your friend will open a box with no prize from among the two boxes that you did not choose. You will then have to decide whether to stick with your original choice, or switch your choice to the remaining unopened box.



The tree diagram as shown in Diagram 16 illustrates the case of you choosing Box 2 initially.

- i. Let's say you choose Box 2 initially.
  - If the prize is in Box 1, then your friend is left with only one choice. Explain why.
  - If the prize is in Box 2, then your friend is left with two choices. Explain why.
  - If the prize is in Box 3, then your friend is also left with only one choice. Explain why.
- Should you switch to change your choice? Explain your reasons.

## False Positives and False Negatives in Medical Test

Statistical data shows that 2% of senior citizen from a region are infected with COVID-19.

- A particular COVId-19 test gives a correct positive result with a probability of 0.95 when the virus is present, but gives an incorrect positive result with a probability of 0.15 when the virus is not present (false positive).
  - What is the probability of the test to give an incorrect negative result when the virus is present (false negative)?
  - What is the probability of the test to give a correct negative result when the virus is not present?
- A senior citizen from that region, Uncle Sam is tested positive by the test.
  - What is the probability that Uncle Sam is really infected by the virus?
- iii. Another senior citizen from the same region, Auntie Pamela is tested negative to the test.
  - What is the probability that Auntie Pamela is really **not** infected by the virus?
- If 1000 senior citizen from the region are tested positive by the test, how many of them do you expect to really have not infected by the virus?

Note. You may refer to readings on Bayes' Theorem in order to solve this problem. Although this theorem may not be found in your country lower secondary school mathematics curriculum, knowledge on it is a worthwhile enhancement for teachers in order to understand the decision making process in artificial intelligence and data science.

## Predicting the Weather

You plan to go outing with your family members in one non-rainy day next week. The TV station has just broadcast the weather forecast for next week as shown in Table 6. In addition, the odds in favour of raining on Monday is also shown.

Table 6 Whether Forecast for Next Week

Day	Probability of Raining	Odds in favour of Raining
Monday	30%	3:7
Tuesday	60%	
Wednesday	75%	
Thursday	60%	
Friday	85%	
Saturday	90%	
Sunday	50%	

- i. Find the odds in favour of raining on each of the remaining day for next week and complete Table 6.
- Based on the data in Table 6, at a glance, should you cancel your plan? Justify your decision.
- iii. Find the odds in favour of raining for 7 successive days in next week.
  - Should you revise your decision in (ii)? Explain your reasons.

## Task 4: Variability and Uncertainty in Sampling

i. For this standard, variability is considered from the perspectives of uncertainty due to sampling in determining measures of likelihood. A good understanding of how this uncertainty could affect the measures of likelihood is crucial for a better understanding of probability.

As such, one implicit aim of this topic is to help students develop understanding of variability arises from uncertainty in sampling through the formation of informal statistical inferences.

In your opinion, to what extend are the tasks in this topic able to promote a better understanding of variability arises from uncertainty in sampling through informal statistical inferences among lower secondary school students.

## **Topic 3: Exploring Statistics with Sampling**

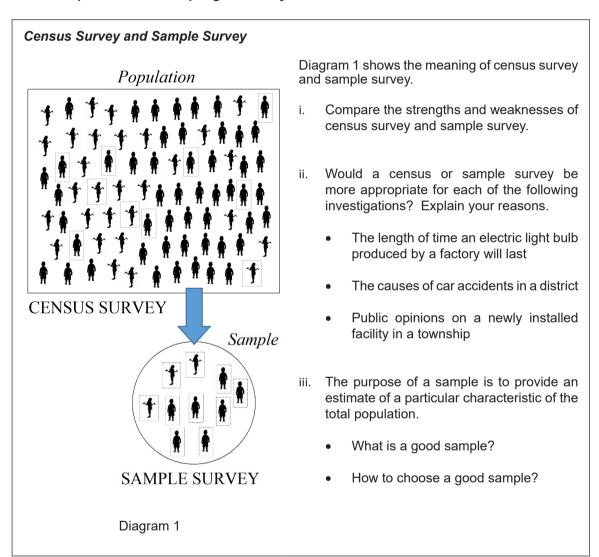
#### Standard 3.1:

Exploring sampling with the understanding of randomness

- i. Discuss the hidden hypothesis behind sample and population
- ii. Use randomness to explain sampling
- iii. Analyse the data exploratory such as dividing the original into two for knowing better data representations and discuss appropriateness such as regrouping
- iv. Appreciate data sampling in a situation with sustainable development

#### Sample Tasks for Understanding the Standards

Task 1: Population and Sampling Variability



## Estimating Population Characteristic From Sample Characteristic

A school intends to organise a mathematics seminar for all its 200 lower secondary students. The school conducted a census survey where all students from the population were asked whether or not they are in favour of the seminar and their replies were shown in Diagram 2. where Y indicates a "ves' and N indicates a "no".

1st student –	• Y	Υ	Υ	N	Υ	N	Υ	Ν	Ν	N	Y	,	N	Ν	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	N		
	N	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	,	N	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ .	← 40 <sup>th</sup>	student
41st student –	→ N	Ν	Υ	Ν	Ν	Ν	Ν	Υ	Υ	Ν	Y	,	N	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν	Ν	Ν	Υ	Ν	]	
	Ν	Ν	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Y	,	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ •	← 80 <sup>th</sup>	student
81st student —	→ N	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	N	I	N	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ		
	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Y	,	N	Ν	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ·	<u> </u>	th student
121st student –	→ N	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Y	,	Υ	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ		
	Υ	Ν	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	N		Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ •	<del>←</del> 160	th student
161st student –	→ N	Ν	Ν	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	N	I	Υ	Ν	Υ	Ν	Ν	Υ	Υ	Ν	Ν		
	N	Υ	Υ	Υ	Υ	N	N	Υ	Υ	N	Y	,	N	Y	Υ	N	N	N	N	Υ	Υ	<u>-</u> 200	th student

Diagram 2

- i. Find the proportion of students from the population who are in favour of the seminar.
- Find the proportion of the (a) first 10, and (b) last 10 students who are in favour of the ii. seminar.
  - Are these two good samples? Explain your reasons.
- iii. Generate a set of 20 random numbers between 1 and 200 inclusively. Use this set of random numbers to select a random sample of 20 students from the population.
  - Find the proportion of students of this sample who are in favour of the seminar.
  - Generate another two sets of 20 random numbers to select two other random samples of 20 students.
  - Find the proportion of students who are in favour of the seminar in the two cases
  - Compare the results of the three samples. Comment briefly on the results of your comparison.
  - [Note. 1. Random numbers can be generated easily by the lucky-draw method. Write the numbers 1 - 200 separately on 200 pieces of cards. Place all the cards face down, mix them well, and then draw 20 cards to generate a set of 20 random numbers between 1 – 200 inclusively.
    - 2. Random numbers can also be generated from a random number table, a calculator or an electronic spreadsheet.

Task 2: The Effect of Sample Size

Diagram 3 shows the heights, in cm, of a population of 120 lower secondary students from a school.

1st student –	→ 152	146	162	185	169	158	149	183	161	173
	173	180	184	167	166	183	181	156	151	180 ← 20 <sup>th</sup> student
21st student –	<del>→</del> 170	176	175	184	173	167	177	156	162	167
	178	175	164	182	147	161	177	147	152	154 ← 40 <sup>th</sup> student
41st student –	<del>→</del> 180	153	161	152	166	152	180	183	168	184
	166	165	158	161	156	176	179	179	159	170 ← 60 <sup>th</sup> student
61st student –	→ 183	180	166	172	181	169	175	158	183	155
	157	173	184	174	181	157	163	164	163	157 ← 80 <sup>th</sup> student
81st student –	→ 158	148	155	145	178	161	158	168	164	156
	166	185	156	157	160	171	175	167	160	170 ← 100 <sup>th</sup> student
101st student –	→ 180	175	155	153	147	174	173	156	168	184
	147	181	179	183	154	160	165	175	167	170 ← 120 <sup>th</sup> student
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Diagram 3

- i. Find the mean height of the population.
- ii. Randomly select a sample of 10 students.
  - Find the mean height of the sample.
  - How close is the sample mean to the population mean? Explain your answer.

Table 1 shows the data obtained from 16 samples each with 10 students' heights randomly selected from the population. The mean heights for sample #1 to sample #10 have been calculated.

Table 1 Sample Mean of Students' Height in cm With Sample Size n = 10

Sample	Student Height	Sample Mean
#1	148, 161, 173, 152, 174, 175, 155, 170, 166, 175	164.9
#2	173, 180, 153, 168, 170, 163, 168, 184, 183, 170	171.2
#3	158, 177, 161, 152, 161, 179, 180, 153, 175, 156	165.2
#4	184, 165, 154, 179, 160, 178, 158, 157, 147, 147	162.9
#5	173, 157, 184, 181, 158, 183, 185, 175, 157, 156	170.9
#6	168, 151, 156, 173, 178, 157, 180, 154, 158, 152	162.7
#7	183, 180, 173, 157, 175, 178, 158, 146, 183, 161	169.4
#8	173, 175, 154, 184, 160, 169, 164, 167, 180, 155	168.1
#9	156, 177, 157, 179, 146, 180, 157, 184, 183, 151	165.0
#10	170, 166, 174, 152, 163, 161, 155, 179, 162, 147	162.9
#11	164, 156, 165, 164, 160, 158, 174, 167, 171, 146	
#12	181, 182, 145, 185, 160, 184, 185, 152, 147, 166	
#13	155, 149, 176, 183, 168, 158, 147, 164, 175, 152	
#14	158, 180, 152, 148, 158, 160, 174, 155, 173, 167	
#15	175, 166, 156, 156, 157, 166, 161, 163, 180, 171	
#16	175, 147, 173, 166, 183, 173, 147, 181, 156, 164	
#17		
#18		

- Calculate the mean heights for sample #11 to sample #16 and fill in the appropriate columns in Table 1.
- Select two more random samples (#17 and #18) each with 10 students and fill in the data in Table 1.
- Calculate the mean heights for these two random samples and complete Table 1.

iv. Table 2 shows the mean heights obtained from 16 samples each with 20 students' heights randomly selected from the population.

Table 2 Sample Mean of Students' Height in cm With Sample Size n = 20

Sample	Mean Height (cm)	Sample	Mean Height (cm)	Sample	Mean Height (cm)
#1	163.7	#7	165.2	#13	168.9
#2	165.8	#8	168.4	#14	168.6
#3	167.7	#9	163.9	#15	167.2
#4	163.7	#10	164.7	#16	169.2
#5	170.4	#11	167.8	#17	
#6	162.6	#12	163.8	#18	

- Select two more random samples (#17 and #18) each with 20 students' heights from the population.
- Find the sample means for samples #17 and #18 to complete Table 2.
- v. Complete the frequency distribution table for the sample means with sample size n = 10 from Table 1 and sample size n = 20 from Table 2.

Table 3 Frequency Distribution Table for Sample Means With Sample Sizes n = 10 and n = 20

Cample Magna am	Frequency							
Sample Means, <i>x</i> cm	Sample Size n = 10	Sample Size n = 20						
$145 \le x < 150$								
$150 \le x < 155$								
$155 \le x < 160$								
$160 \le x < 165$								
$165 \le x < 170$								
$170 \le x < 175$								
$175 \le x < 180$								
$180 \le x < 185$								

- Draw the histograms of sample size n = 10 and n = 20 respectively,
- Compare the two histograms. What do you observe about the distribution of sample means for the two different sample sizes?
- What effect does the sample size have on estimating the mean of the population?
- vi. Generally, how can we increase the reliability of an estimate of a population characteristic based on sampling survey?



Diagram 4

Table 4 Mean Mass in g of 10 Samples of Eggs With Sample Size n = 20

58.6 g	60.9 g	61.3 g	62.8 g
63.2 g	63.3 g	63.4 g	63.5 g
64.0 g	64.2 g		

- vii. Diagram 4 shows the eggs produced by a farm in one day. Ten random samples each with 20 eggs were selected and the mean mass, in g, for each sample of eggs was calculated. Table 4 shows the sample means arranged from smallest to largest.
  - Based on the data, state whether each of the following statements is true or false.
    - The mean for the population is at least 58.6 q.
    - The mean for the population is not more than 64.2 q.
    - Among the sample means, there is a value which is exactly the same as the mean of the population.
    - The mean of the population is close to 63 q.
    - If we increase the sample size to 40, the sample mean would be more reliable as an estimate for the population mean.

Task 3: Application of Sample Survey

## Capture-Recapture Method



Diagram 5

- Diagram 5 shows a fish pond belongs to a farmer Ko Aung Myint. He wants to estimate the number of fish in his pond. At 10 different locations of the pond, he caught 60 fish and each fish was "tagged" and then released back to the pond. A week later, 80 fish was caught randomly from the pond and it was found that 12 of them had tags.
  - What is the population?
  - What is the sample?
  - Estimate how many fish there are in the pond.

# **Quality Control of Factory Products**



Diagram 6

Diagram 6 shows your favorite dark chocolate bar. The weight on the wrapping indicates 100 g. To avoid customer complaints and lawsuits, the manufacturer has to make sure that 98% of all chocolate bars weigh 100 g or more.

- As a quality control check, 84 chocolate bars were randomly selected from a batch of chocolate bars produced by a factory and 2 of them were found to weigh less than 100 g.
  - Estimate how many percent of the chocolate bars are up to the standard specified on the wrapping?

# Task 4: Variability and Random Sampling

- i. For this standard, variability is considered from the perspective of random nature of sample survey. As such, one implicit aim of this topic is to help students develop understanding of variability arising from randomness of samples through the formation of informal statistical inferences.
  - In your opinion, to what extend are the tasks in this topic able to promote a better understanding of variability arising from randomness of sample through informal statistical inferences among lower secondary school students?

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# **APPENDIX A**

## Framework for CCRLS in Mathematics

#### **Nature of Mathematics**

Mathematics has been recognised as a necessary literacy for citizenship and not only living economically but also to establish a society with fruitful arguments and creations for better living. It has been taught as a basic language for all academic subjects using visual and logical-symbolic representations. In this information society, mathematics has increased its role to establish 21st century skills through reviewing mathematics as the science of patterns for future prediction and designing with big data which produces innovation not only for technology advancement but also for business model. Mathematics is an essential subject to establish common reasoning for sustainable development of society through viable argument in understanding each other and develop critical reasoning as the habits of mind. Mathematics should be learned as basis for all subjects. For clarifying the framework in CCRLS on mathematics and by knowing the role of mathematics education, the humanistic and philosophical natures of mathematics are confirmed as follows:

Humanistic nature of mathematics is explained by the attitudes of competitiveness and understanding of others by challenging mathematicians such as Blaise Pascal, Rene Descartes, Isaac Newton and Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz. For example, if you read the letter from Pascal to Pierre de Fermat, you recognize competitive attitude of Blaise Pascal to Fermat's intelligence and seeking the way to be understood on his excellence of his finding on Pascal's Triangles. If we read the Pascal's Pensées, you recognise how Pascal denied Descartes geometry using algebra from the aspect of ancient Greece geometry. On the other hand, Descartes tried to overcome the difficulties of ancient geometry by algebra. If you read the letter from Descartes to Elisabeth, you recognise how Descartes appreciated and felt happy the Royal Highness Elisabeth used his ideas of algebra in geometry. Despite being a princess, Elisabeth had been continuously learning mathematics in her life.

There were discussions on who developed calculus between Britain and Continent. On that context, Johann Bernoulli, a continental mathematician, posed a question on the journal about the Brachistochrone problem, locus of the point on circumference of the circle when it rotates on the line. No one replied and Bernoulli extended the deadline of the answer and asked Newton to reply. Newton answered it within a day. Finally, six contributions of the appropriate answer including Newton and other Continental mathematicians were accepted. All those stories show that mathematics embraces the humanistic nature of proficiency for competitiveness and understand others for sharing ideas.

Philosophical nature of mathematics can be explained on ontological and epistemological perspectives. On the ontological perspective, mathematics can be seen as a subject for universal understanding and common scientific language. Plato and Aristotle are usually compared on this perspective. Plato believes that the existence of the world of "idea" and mathematics existed in the world of "idea" on Platonism. On this context, mathematical creation is usually explained by the word "discover" which means taking out the cover from which it has already existed. At the moment of discovery, reasonable, harmony and beautifulness of mathematical system is usually felt. Aristotle tried to explain about reaching an idea from the "material" to the "form". This explains that abstract mathematics can be understood with concrete materials using terms such as "modelling", "instruments", "embodiment", "metaphor" and "change representation". From both ontological perspectives, mathematics can be understood and acquired by anyone and if acquired, it serves as a common scientific language which is used to express in any subjects. Once representing the ideas using the shared common language, the world can possibly be perceived in the same view autonomously.

On the epistemological perspective, mathematics can be developed through processes which are necessary to acquire mathematical values and ways of thinking. From this perspective, idealism and materialism are compared. On the context of Hegel, a member of German idealism, Imre Lakatos explained the development of mathematics through proof and refutation. In his context, mathematics is not fixed but an expandable system that can be restructured through a process of dialectic in constructing viable arguments. Plato also used dialectic for reaching ideas with examples of mathematics. The origin of dialectic is known as the origin of indirect proof. In education today, dialectic is a part of critical thinking for creation. Parallel perspectives for mathematical developments are given by George Polya and Hans Freudenthal. For the discovery of mathematics, Polya explained mathematical problem solving processes with mathematical ideas and mathematical ways of thinking in general. Freudenthal enhanced the activity to reorganise mathematics by the term mathematisation.

Genetic epistemologist Jean Piaget established his theory for operations based on various theories, including the discussion of Freudenthal and explained mathematical development of operations by the term reflective abstraction. Reflection is also a necessary activity for mathematisation by Freudenthal. On materialism, under Vygotskyian perspective, intermediate tools such as language become the basis for reasoning in the mind. Under his theory, the high quality mathematical thinking can be developed depending on the high quality communication in mathematics classrooms. Dialectical-critical discussion should be enhanced in the mathematics class. From both the epistemological perspectives, mathematics can be developed through the processes of communication, problem solving and mathematisation which include reorganization of mathematics. Those processes are necessary to acquire mathematical values and ways of thinking through reflection

#### Aims of Mathematics in CCRLS

The aims of mathematics in CCRLS for developing basic human characters, creative human capital, and well qualified citizens in ASEAN for a harmonious society are as follows:

- Develop mathematical values, attitudes and habits of mind for human character,
- Develop mathematical thinking and able to engage in appropriate processes,
- Acquire proficiency in mathematics contents and apply mathematics in appropriate situations.

Framework for CCRLS in Mathematics as shown in Figure 3 is developed based on the three components with discussions of the humanistic and philosophical nature of mathematics. This framework also depicts the concrete ideas of mathematics learning of the above aims.

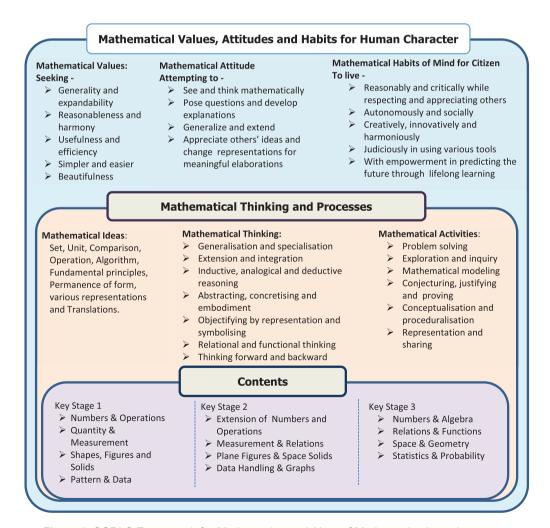


Figure 3. CCRLS Framework for Mathematics and Aims of Mathematics Learning.

#### Mathematical Values, Attitude and Habits for Human Character

For cultivating basic human characters, values, attitudes and habits of mind are essentials to be developed through mathematics. Values are basis for setting objectives and making decisions for future directions. Attitudes are mindsets for attempting to pursue undertakings. Habits of mind are necessary for soft skills to live harmoniously in the society. Mathematical values, mathematical attitudes and mathematical habits of mind are simultaneously developed and inculcated through the learning of the content knowledge.

Essential examples on values, attitudes and habits of mind are given in Figure 3. On mathematical values. generalisable and expandable ideas are usually recognised as strong ideas. Explaining why a proving is necessary in mathematics is a way of seeking reasonableness. Harmony and beautifulness are described not only in relation to mathematical arts, but also in the science of patterns and system of mathematics. Usefulness and simplicity are used in selection of mathematical ideas and procedures.

On mathematical attitudes, "seeing and thinking mathematically" means attempting to use the mathematics learned for seeing and thinking about the objects. Posing questions and providing explanation such as the "why" and the "when" are ordinary sequence for thinking mathematically. Changing representation to other ways such as modelling can overcome the running out of ideas in problem solving. The mindset for trying to understand others is the basis to explain one's own ideas that is understandable by the rest with appreciation. Producing a concept with definition operationally is a manner of mathematics.

On mathematical habits of mind for citizens to live, mathematical attitudes and values are necessary for reasoning critically and reasonably. Appreciating and respecting other ideas is also necessary. Mathematics is developed independently for those who appreciate life creatively, innovatively and harmoniously. Seeking the easier and effective manner of selecting appropriate tools is necessary. Mathematics is a subject to challenge and experience competitiveness, appreciation with others, develop the mindset for lifelong learning, personal development and social mobility.

## **Mathematical Thinking and Processes**

For developing creative human capital, mathematical ideas, mathematical ways of thinking and mathematical activities are essential. Mathematical ideas are process skills involving mathematical concepts. Mathematical thinking is mathematical way of reasoning in general which does not depend on specific concepts. Mathematical activities are various types of activities such as problem solving, exploration and inquiry. Mathematical processes which include these components are necessary skills to use mathematics in our life, such as innovation in this society (e.g. Internet of Things (IOT)). In the context of education, competency referring to mathematical processes is the basis for STEM and STEAM1 education as well as basis for social science and economy education.

Mathematical ideas serve as the basis of content knowledge related to promoting and developing mathematical thinking. Some key ideas of mathematics are used as special process. The fundamental ideas of set and unit lead to a more hierarchical and simple structural relationship. The ability to compare, operate, and perform algorithm of related functions enables efficient ways of learning mathematics and solving problem in learners' life with mathematics.

In the case of set, set is a mathematical ideas is related with conditions and elements. It is related with activity in grouping and distinguishing with other groups by conditions. Example, 3 red flowers and 4 white flowers become 7 flowers, if we change the condition of the set by not considering the colours. "A" and non A" is a simple manner to distinguish sets with logical reasoning. For categorizing, we use intervals such as x > 0, x < 0, x = 0. This situation can be seen in the hyperbolic graph where y=1/x.

In the case of unit, it is a mathematical idea that is related with the process to produce and apply the unit with operations. On some cases, trying to find the common denominator is the way to find the unit of two given quantity. Tentative unit such as arbitrary units can be set and applied locally whereas standard units are used globally. In the combination of different quantities it produces new measurement quantity such as distance with respect to time produce speed. Square unit such as square centimetres is a unit for area.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> STEM refers to Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. STEAM refers to Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics or Applied Mathematics.

Mathematical thinking is well discussed by George Polya. Inductive, analogical and deductive reasoning are major logical reasoning at school. However, deductive reasoning is enhanced in relation to formal logic and inductive and analogical reasoning are not well recognised. Polya enlightens the importance of those reasoning in mathematics. On the process of mathematisation by Hans Freudenthal, objectifying of the method is necessary. David Toll mentioned it by the term thinkable concept on the process of conceptual development. Polya mentioned thinking forward and backward in relation to ancient Greek term analysis.

Mathematical activities are ways to represent mathematical process. Problem solving process was analysed by Polya. He influenced problem solving with various strategies. Technology enhances the activities of conjecturing and visualizing for inquiries. Conceptualization is done based on procedures such as the procedure 3+3+3+3=12, become the basis for 4x3. The proceduralisation of multiplication is done through developing the multiplication table, idea of distribution and memorizing.

#### Content

For cultivating well qualified citizens, content knowledge of mathematics is essential. Content of mathematics is usually divided by the set of mathematics. However, for developing human characters and creative human capitals, it should be developed through the mathematical processes. Values, attitudes and habits of mind are driving force for engagement in mathematical processes. Thus, without involving human character formations with mathematical process skills, content knowledge of mathematics cannot be realised. The content is divided into three stages in CCRLS and every stage has four strands. Between the stages, the names of the strands are directly connected and those on the standard level are well connected too. The names of strands for every key stage are as follows:

**Key Stages** Strands Key Stage 1 Numbers and Operations Quantity and Measurement Shapes, Figures and Solids Pattern and Data Representations Key Stage 2 Extension of Numbers and Operations Measurement and Relations Plane Figures & Space Figures Data Handling and Graphs Key Stage 3 Numbers and Algebra Relations and Functions Space and Geometry Statistics and Probability

In every stage, four content strands are mutually related<sup>2</sup>. Between the key stages, all strands in different key stages are mutually related. The same content strand names are not used to indicate development and reorganisation beyond each stage. For example, "Numbers and Operations" in Key stage 1, "Extension of Numbers and Operation" in Key stage 2, and "Numbers and Algebra" in Key stage 3 are well connected. These names of the content strands show the extension and integration of contents. For example, even and odd numbers can be taught at any stage with the different definition. At Key stage 1 even numbers can be introduced as "counting by two" which does not include zero. In Key stage 2, it can be re-defined by a number divisible by two. Finally, in Key stage 3 it can be re-defined as a multiple of two in integers which includes zero. Although we use the same name as even number, they are conceptually different. The definition in Key stage 1 is based on counting, Key stage 2 is based on division while Key stage 3 is based on algebraic notation<sup>3</sup>. Expressing such theoretical differences requires name of strands for content be distinguished. In the case of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Strands used to explain mutual relation of content (Jeremy Kilpatrick, Jane Swafford, Bradford Findell. "Adding it up", National Academies Press. 2001). The term domain is sometimes used for compartmentalisation through categorisation of content.

measurement, there is no strand name of measurement in Key stage 3. Key stage 1 relates with quantity and setting the units. In Key stage 2, it extends to non-additive quantity beyond dimension. In Key stage 3 the idea of unit and measurement is embedded in every strand. For example, square root in Numbers and Algebra strand is an irrational number which means unmeasurable, Pythagorean Theorem in Space and Geometry strand is used for measuring, proportional function in Relations and Functions strand is used for counting the number of nails by weight, and in Statistics and Probability strand, new measurement units are expressed such as quartile for boxplot.

#### **Context to Link the Three Components**

Three components in Figure 3 should be embedded in every key stage as standards for the content of teaching. "Mathematical values, attitudes, habits for human character" component and "Mathematical thinking and processes" component cannot exist without "Content" component. The first two components can be taught through teaching with the content. For teaching those three components at the same time, context is introduced as shown in Figure 4.

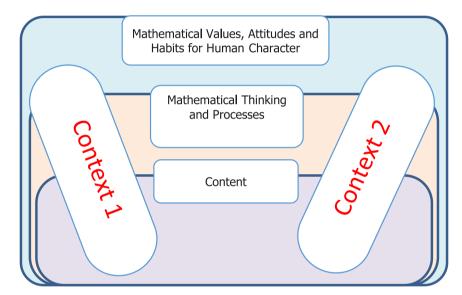


Figure 4. Interlinking of the three components with the context.

On a given context, three components are well connected. For this reason, classroom activities for developing competencies should be designed to link all of them. The following contexts are samples:

- Explore a problem with curiosity in a situation and attempting to formulate mathematical problems
- Apply the mathematics learned, listen to other's ideas and appreciate the usefulness, power and beauty of mathematics
- Enjoy classroom communications on mathematical ideas in solving problems with patience and develop perseverance
- Feel the excitement of "Eureka" with enthusiasm for the solutions and explanation of unknown problems
- Think about ways of explanation using understandable representations such as language, symbols, diagrams and notation of mathematics
- Discuss the differences in seeing situations before and after learning mathematics
- Explain, understand others and conclude mathematical ideas
- Explore ideas through inductive and deductive reasoning when solving problems to foster mathematical curiosity
- Explore ideas with examples and counter examples

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> In algebraic notation of numbers, addition and multiplication are major operations. Subtraction can be represented by addition of negative numbers and division can be represented by reciprocal or multiplicative inverse property.

- Feel confident in using mathematics to analyse and solve contextual problems both in school and in real-life situations
- Promote knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary to pursue further learning in mathematics
- Enhance communication skills with the language of mathematics
- Promote abstract, logical, critical and metacognitive thinking to assess one's own and other's work
- Foster critical reasoning for appreciating other's perspectives
- Promote critical appreciation on the use of information and communication technology in mathematics
- Appreciate the universality of mathematics and its multicultural and historical perspectives

Those contexts are chosen for illustrating the interwoven links of the two components with contents. It looks like methods of teaching, however all the three components are the subjects of teaching on the contexts.

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# **APPENDIX B**

# **Terminologies Explained**

#### Mathematical Thinking and Processes

Higher order thinking is the terminology for curriculum but it is not specified in mathematics. Here, it is explained generally as acceptable terms from the perspective of mathematics in education. On the Mathematical thinking and processes, the following terms are the sample which can be seen on SEA-BES: CCRLS for making clear descriptions of the objective of teaching. If you can use these terminologies for writing the objectives of teaching, you would be able to consider how you teach them in the process. Mathematical Thinking can be explained through Mathematical Ideas, Mathematical Ways of Thinking, and Mathematical Attitude. Mathematical attitude is a component of the Value, Attitude and Human Character Formation in Appendix A. Mathematical Ideas, Mathematical Ways of Thinking can be developed through the reflection of the process and Value and Attitude can be developed through appreciation.

#### **Mathematical Ideas**

Even through every mathematics content embedded some ideas, there are essential mathematical ideas which are used in various occasions. Mathematical ideas are not exclusive but functions as complementary. The followings are samples of essential mathematical ideas.

Terminology	Explanation
Set	A set is a collection of elements based on certain conditions. When the condition of the set changes, result of reasoning related to the set may change too. Sets are compared by one to one correspondence. Basically, the idea of set is reflected through activities that require us to think about membership (elements and conditions) of a set. In addition, activities involving subsets, cardinality and power are extended ideas of set. Number of elements called cardinal or cardinal number (or set number). Ordinal number does not imply number of elements. Other ideas include operations of sets such as union, intersection, complement, the ordered pair/combination of elements such as Cartesian products and dimension mapping. A number system is a set with structures that has the structures of equality, order (greater, less than), and operations, which is developed and extended throughout the curriculum from natural number to complex number: the set of complex numbers does not have the structure of order.
Unit	Unit is necessary for counting, measurement, number line, operations and transformation. It is represented as "denomination' for discrete quantity, such as 1 "apple' for situations involving counting, or continuous quantity, such as 1 gram for situations involving measurement. Mathematically, unit is used to indicate a number by mapping it with the quantity in a situation.
	In a situation, it can be fixed based on the context of comparison, which can either be direct or indirect comparison. In this context, a remainder or a difference from a comparison can be used for fixing a new arbitrary unit for measurement which is a fraction of the original unit. This process of determining a new unit is the application of Euclidean algorithm for finding the greatest common divisor.
	For the base-10 place value number system, every column is defined by the units such as ones, tens, hundreds and so on. However, in other place value number system such as the binary system, every column is defined by the units

such as ones, twos, fours and so on. Therefore, in a place value number system. the unit is not always a multiple of the power of ten.

In addition, various other number systems are made up of different units. For the calendar system, the lunar calendar is based on 30 (29.5) days, while the solar calendar is based on 365 (365.25) days. On the other hand, the imperial and U.S. customary measurements include units in the base-12 and base-16 systems. In the ancient Chinese and Japanese systems, there were units in the base-4, thus also included the base-16. On the other hand, the units used in different currency systems are dependent on differing culture and countries. However. many countries had lost the unit of 1/100 on their currency systems, which originated from "per centos" that means percent. Even though the based-10 place value system is used to represent the value of money, many currency systems are using the units for 2, 5, and 25 in their denominations instead.

Unit for a new quantity can be derived from ratio of different quantities. For example, the unit for speed (km/h) is the ratio of distance (km) over time (h) which cannot be added directly. A car moves at 30km/h and then moves at 20km/h does not mean the car moves at 50km/h.

Identity element for multiplication is one but additive identity is zero. Identity for multiplication is the base for multiplicative and proportional reasoning. Inverse element for multiplication is defined by using one.

## Comparison

In any mathematical investigation, particularly in the mathematics classroom, problem solving approach, comparisons of various ideas, representations and solutions are key activities for discussion and appreciation. This comparison is a nature of mathematical activity.

Comparison of concrete objects can be done directly or indirectly without measurement unit. As mentioned at the Unit, direct comparison can be used to fix a new unit of measurement, whereas indirect comparison can be used to promote logic for transitivity which includes syllogism.

Comparison of multiple denominated numbers with different unit quantities on the same magnitude such as 5.2 m and 5 m 12 cm can be done if they are represented by a single denominated number by the unified unit quantity, such as 520 cm and 512 cm. Furthermore, comparison of expressions which has the same answers on the same operation such as 2 + 4, 3 + 3 and 4 + 2 can be used to find rules and patterns. For example, 2 + 4 = 4 + 2 can show commutative rule for addition whereas for 2 + 4 = 3 + 3 can be used to show pattern when 1 is added to 2 and subtracted from 4, the sum is still the same.

Comparison of fractions is an activity to find the unit fraction. For comparison of fractions such ad 1/2 and 1/3, we have to find the unit fraction 1/6 which can measure 1/2 and 1/3: 1/6 is the common denominator for 1/2 and 1//3. The algorithm to find the unit fraction as the common denominator is called 'reduction of fraction'.

On numbers, the relationship of two numbers can be equal, greater or less. The numbers set up to real numbers is a total/linear order set, thus two numbers can be compared on real number set. However, complex number as an extension of real number cannot be compared directly because it has two dimension.

On the number line as real number, the size of number (distance) is defined by the difference. 1 = 2 - 1 = 3 - 2 = 4 - 3 = ... Here the difference is the value of subtraction as binary operation and can be seen as the equivalence class. On the idea of equivalence class, the value of operations can be compared. On the plane such as complex plane, even though the number is not simply ordered, the size of number (distance) is defined by Pythagorean theorem. By using this definition,  $|11| = |(\sqrt{2}/2)(1+i)| = |i| = |(\sqrt{2}/2)(1-i)| = ...$  the theorem produce the distance on the plane and the distance can be compared.

Explained at the Unit, on measurement, the magnitude is given by defining the unit of magnitude. One of the ways to produce the unit magnitude is a direct comparison which provides the difference and Euclidean Algorithm produce the unit of measurement as the greatest common devisor. Another way to produce the unit is by using the ratio and so on. Such a newly produced magnitude usually lost the linearity. In Physics, 'db' is the size of volume which is produced by the common logarithm of sound pressure. 'db' is fitting well for human impression of the size of sounds on its linearity. It is known as Weber-Fechner's law that human senses are proportional to the logarithm of stimulus. On science, logarithmic scale is used for Semi-log graph and Log-log graph for demonstrating the linearity even it is an exponential phenomenon. Logarithm produce the scale to illustrate multiplicative phenomena as an additive phenomena.

#### Operations

Addition, Subtraction, multiplication and division are four basic arithmetic operations. These are binary operations involving any two numbers with symbols of operations, +, -, × and ÷. Polynomial expressions such as can be seen as a combination of binary operations. Mental arithmetic may be used in column method with the base 10 place value system. An operation is not just a rule but can be demonstrated by using various representations. For example, an operation can be represented by the manipulation of concrete objects as well as expressions. However, the manipulating process is not the same as the operation process because it cannot be recorded without using a diagram.

From key stage 3 up to the field theory at the university levels, arithmetic operations are expressed as addition and multiplication. On the axiom of vector space, negative vector is represented by using the minus symbol.

#### **Algorithm**

Algorithm is a set of sequential activity at the special situation to produce a particular solution to a task. The column method is based on the base 10 place value system. When using this method, 200 + 300 is done by just 2 + 3 on the hundreds place value. This algorithm is adapted for mental calculation. Representation of column method is not universal like an expression as algebraic representation. Algorithm for the column method is fixed as a formal form on their culture, however it can be created from the manipulation of the base ten blocks.

A formula also functions like an algorithm. It can be applied without understanding its meaning. However it cannot be created without understanding and recognising its underlying structure or meaning. If we understand the structure or meaning such as ratio and proportionality, it is not necessary to memorise it.

Fundamental principles are the rules which is related with mathematical structures and forms in general.

Commutativity, Associativity and Distributivity are three fundamental principles for arithmetic operations. Commutativity does not work on subtraction and division. On the discussion of Distributivity, if a, b, and c, are positive numbers, then the expressions a(b+c), (b+c)a, a(b-c), and (b-c)a are different. However, if a, b, c are both positive and negative numbers, then the four expressions can be seen as the same.

There are also other fundamental principles for arithmetic operations at the elementary level such as the followings:

Principles can be identified through comparison. They are necessary for the explanation of algorithms and thinking about how to calculate by using models and other representations. On the extension of numbers and operations, principles are used for the discussion of the permanence of form (see the permanence of form).

In geometry, the extendable nature of a line changes its functions in curriculum. For example, shape is extended to figure; edge, which may include the inner part of a shape, is extended to side, which may not include the inner part of a figure. Then, the side is extended to a line which enable the discussion on the possibility of escribed circles. In addition, parallel lines are necessary to derive the area formula for triangles with various heights.

# Permanence of Form

Permanence of the equivalence of form, Hankel's Principle, is known as Commutativity, Associativity, and Distributivity for algebra for the field theory.

Permanence of form had appeared in history of mathematics in 16 century and functioned to shift from arithmetic algebra to symbolic algebra. On Peacock's Permanence of Form, it is not only the limited three rules like Hankel's, but it is applied to any algebraic symbolic form.

In Education, the form is not a limited expression but includes the patterns and the permanence of form can be used in various occasions. Especially, it is used for the extension of numbers and operations from elementary level to secondary level education like the followings:

$$(+3) + (+2) = +5 
\downarrow -1 
(+3) + (+1) = +4 
(+3) - (+1) = (+2) 
\downarrow -1 
(+3) - (+1) = (+2) 
\downarrow +1 
(+3) + 0 = +3 
\downarrow (+3) - 0 = (+3) 
\downarrow (+3) + (-1) = ? 
(+3) - (-1) = ?$$

The '?' are unknown, not vet learned. However, people could imagine the '?' by analogical reasoning with the idea of the permanence of the patterns. Here, the permanence of patterns are used as hypothesis and it makes possible to apply it to the unknown cases.

Permanence of form is used for initiation of number in key stage 1 and later throughout all other key stages. For examples, it is used to explain the necessity of zero (0) and the sum of any number with zero (0) as at key stage 1.

## **Various** Representations and Translations

Every specified representation provides some meanings on its essential nature of representation which can be produced by specified symbols and operations. Different representations have the different nature, use different symbols and operations. Every representation has the limitation of interpretation on its nature, thus, thinking by using only one specified representation provides the limitation of reasoning and understanding. If one type of representation is translated to another type of representation, then the representation can be interpreted in other ways. If the idea of specified representation with certain embedded nature is translated into various representations, a rich and comprehensive meaning and use will be produced. However, for making the translation meaningful, it is necessary to know the way of translations which consists with the correspondences between symbols and operations on different representations.

For example, proportional number lines only functions for teachers and students who know well how to represent the proportionality on the tape diagrams and number lines, and so on. If they know what it is, they can use it for explanation to produce the expression.

Comprehensive learning of mathematics by using various representations and translations are necessary however students have to learn how to represent it in other representations and translate, at first, as well as between expressions and situations.

#### **Mathematical Ways of Thinking**

Mathematical ways of thinking support the student's thinking process by and for themselves.

# Generalisation and Specialisation

Generalisation is to consider the general under the given conditions of situations. Any task in mathematics textbooks is usually explained by using some examples which are known as special cases, however it is usually preferred to discuss the general ideas. Given conditions are usually unclear in textbooks, however if students are asked to consider other cases such as by saying 'for example', the conditions become clear. In the upper grades, variable, domain, range, parameter, discrete, continuous, zero, finite and infinite become the terms of set to consider the conditions for general.

Specialisation is to consider the thinkable example on situations and necessary to find the hidden conditions. Considering general with thinkable example is called generalisable-special example. In mathematics, general theory is usually stronger than local theory. It is one of the objectives for generalisation and specialisation.

In mathematical inquiry, the process is usually on going from special cases to a general case to establish a stronger theory. Thus, task sequence of every unit in textbooks is usually progressed from special cases to general for generating simple procedures, exceptionally the tasks for exercise and training the procedures which usually progress from general to special because students already learned the general.

For students engaging in generalisation and specialisation by and for themselves, students have to produce examples. Thus, developing students who say 'for example' by and for themselves is a minimum requirement for teaching mathematics.

## Extension and Integration

Extension means extend the structure beyond the known set.

The product of multiplication is usually increased if both the factors are naturel numbers. However if we extend it into fractions and decimals, there are cases where the products decrease.

On the extension of structure beyond set, learned knowledge produce the misconception which is explained by the over generalisation of learned knowledge. In mathematics curriculum, we cannot initiate numbers from fractions and decimals instead of natural numbers. Thus, producing misconception is an inevitable nature of mathematics curriculum and its learning. Even though it is a source of difficulty for students to learn mathematics, it is the most necessary opportunity to think mathematically and to justify the permanent ideas to be extended. After experiencing the extension with misconceptions, if students learn what ideas can be extended, it is a moment of integration.

Extension and Integration is a mathematical process for mathematisation to reorganise mathematics. It implicates that the school mathematics curriculum is a kind of nets which connect local theory of mathematics as knots even though their strings/paths include various inconsistencies with contradictions. It is a long term principle for task sequence to establish relearning on the spiral curriculum.

In order to develop the way of thinking for extension and integration, teachers need efforts to clarify the repetition of both, the same patterns for extensions and the reflections after every extensions in classroom. For example, there are repetitions for the extensions of numbers from key stage 1 to 3. On every extension of numbers, there are discussions of the existence of numbers with quantity, the comparison with equality, greater and lesser, and constructing operations of numbers with the permanence of form. Through the reflection of every repetition, students are able to learn what should be done on the extension of numbers.

## Inductive, Analogical and Deductive reasoning

These three reasoning are general ways of reasoning as for the components of logical reasoning in any subject in our life, however mathematics is the best subjects in schools to teach them.

Inductive reasoning is the reasoning to generalise the limited number of cases to the whole set or situations. Three considerable cases or more will be the minimum to be considered inductive reasoning. To promote inductive reasoning, teachers usually provide the table for finding the patterns, however it is not the way to develop the inductive reasoning. To promote inductive reasoning, students need to consider various possible parameters in a situation and choose two or further parameters by fixing other parameters. Then, consider the relationship in the situation for knowing the cause and effect, and subsequently, set the ways to check the cases by well ordering of the cause and get the effect, follow by recording the data in a table. It is the concern of students because to develop inductive reasoning, students

have to learn the ordering of natural numbers is vital because it is the cause of effect and beautifulness of patters that is originated from the order of natural number. Table is a tool for finding pattern but students cannot produce their inductive reasoning by and for themselves as long as it is given by teachers. Students have to learn the way of ordering for finding the pattern, inductively.

**Analogical reasoning** is the reasoning to apply known ideas to the unknown set or situations when we recognise the similarity with the known set or situations. Depending on the case it is called abduction. Most of the reasoning to find ways of solution for unknown-problem solving by using what we already knew is analogical reasoning. In analogical reasoning, it is to recognising similarity between the unknown-problem and the known problems.

Even though the rule of translations between different representations are not well established, analogical reasoning may functions as a metaphor for understanding. Many teachers explains operations by using diagrams. It appears meaningful to provide the hint for solving but most students cannot use the hint by and for themselves because students do not recognise the similarity as in their own analogy. To develop analogical reasoning, the most necessary way is to develop the habit to use what students learned before by and for themselves. Providing assisting tasks before posing the unknown problem is also used as a strategy to find similarity.

Deductive reasoning is the reasoning with components of already approved notions and given by using 'if... then' and logics for propositions such as transitivity rule. 'If not' also functions for proof by contradiction as well as counter examples. In cases where the rules of translations are well established, the translations of various representations still function under their limitations too. Various methods for proving such as a complete induction is also done by deductive reasoning.

For finding the ways of explaining and proving, inductive and analogical reasoning are necessary, and analytical reasoning, thinking backward from conclusion to the given, is also used but these reasoning do not allow to write at the formal proof by deductive reasoning. Arithmetic and algebraic operation can be seen as automatised deductive reasoning. Most students do it just by recognising the structure of expression intuitively without explaining why. For clarifying the reason, teachers are necessary to ask why?

For developing the three reasoning, knowing the objectives of reasoning are necessary. Inductive reasoning is applied to find general hypothesises. Analogical reasoning is applied to challenge unknown problem solving. Deductive reasoning is applied to explain or proof in general on local system.

## Abstracting, concretising and embodiment

Abstracting and concretising are changing perspectives relatively by changing representations such as expressions. Abstracting is usually done for making clear a structure. Concretising is usually done for making ideas meaningful by concrete objects. For numerical expressions, manipulative and diagrams function as concrete objects. For algebraic expression, numerical expressions function as concrete objects. For both examples, abstract representations and concrete representations do not correspond one to one on translation because concrete representation usually have some limitations but concrete representations function as metaphors of abstract ideas.

Embodiment functions in both abstracting and concretising. When abstract ideas can be concretised, it implicates that abstract ideas are embedded with some specified concrete ideas. When concrete ideas can be abstracted, it implicates concrete ideas are embedded into abstract ideas. Both the embodiments function for understanding ideas using metaphors but their translations are limited only for corresponding contents.

## Objectifying operations for symbolising and establishing new operations on mathematisation

A mathematical representation can be characterised by its symbols and operations with specified purpose and context. In the process of mathematisation, lower level operational matters are usually objectified for new symbolising and its operations.

Until key stage 2, numbers do not mean the positive and the negative numbers. The number in red on financial matter is large if the number is 'large'. The number in black on financial matter is large if the number is 'large'. Here, the meaning of 'large' are defined at the opposite number rays, thus cannot be compared the numbers in red and black easily. At key stage 3, as for integration, we have to alternate new symbols and operations. We represent the red number by the negative symbol '-' and the black number by the positive symbol '+' and integrate the one direction for comparison into one dimensional number line.

Here, on key stage 3, 'larger' for comparison (operational matter on number rays) on lower level become the object of higher level to produce the comparison (operational matter on number line) for new number symbols with positive and negative.

It is the process of mathematisation by objectifying the operational matter to establish new symbols and operations. The process of abstracting from concrete can be seen as the process of mathematisation.

# Relational and **Functional Thinking**

Relational and functional thinking are ways of thinking that can be represented by relation and function if we need describing them by mathematical notation. It has been used as major terminologies to explain mathematical thinking at the Klein Movement, 100 years ago. Relation in pure mathematics is the ordered pairs between two sets. Mapping is a relationship and ordering is also a relationship. Equivalence class is a relationship in which axiom is defined by reflective, symmetric and transitive properties.

Function is a binary relation between two sets that associates every element of the first set to exactly one element to the second set. In education, the second set is usually numbers. Relational thinking is the thinking which can be represented by various representations such as graphs. It is the activity for students who do not know such representations, and teachers have to teach such representations on the necessity of students to engage in their activity: It is a welcome for students

to create their necessary informal representation such as graph and diagram by themselves.

Historically, characteristics of functional thinking was described by Hamley (1934). He defined functional thinking by four elements: Class, Order, Variable and Correspondence, Class is a set which has possibility to include equivalence in operations such as 5 can be seen as the value of 1+4, 2+3, 3+2, 4+1. Order is discussed in a set and between sets. Variables are domain and range which are not the same as the origin set and the destination set. Correspondence is discussed between domain and range.

Functional thinking is useful to predict and control a situation. In elementary level, proportionality and operations are used for functional thinking on this objective. For knowing the changing properties of each function, tables and graphs are useful. Teachers usually provide the tables and the graph papers from the beginning of experiment for finding patterns and properties of function. However, this is not the way to develop functional thinking because teachers take over the opportunities from students to consider and fix the sets, orders, variables, correspondences and so on by themselves.

Rate of change is used to check if a function has linearity. In the case if it is constant, it is a liner function. If not, otherwise. The limit of the rate of change for finding the tangent is the definition of differentiation.

Correlation in statistics is a relation but not necessary functions as a causal relation.

## Thinking forward and backward

Thinking forward and backward are the terminologies of Polya. In Pappus of Alexandria (4th Century A. D.), thinking forward corresponds to synthesis and thinking backward corresponds to analysis. Synthesis is the deductive reasoning (proving) from the given and known whereas analysis is the reasoning from the conclusion for finding the possible ways of reasoning from the given and known.

From Ancient Greece, analysis is a method of heuristics which was the ways to find adjoin lines on construction problem, valance for area and volume problem. Descartes used unknown x for algebraic problem. Leibniz used unknown limit x of the function for calculus. These are hypothetic-heuristic reasoning beginning from the conclusion, such as if the construction is achieved, if the valance is kept, if the unknown x is given, and if the limit of x existed. Since analysis began from hypothesis, without proving from the given, people used to believe that analysis produced tautology which is not allowed to write in the system. On the other hands, modern mathematics system itself begins from the axiom as presupposition. Thus, if the ways of analytic reasoning become a part of presupposition, it is allowed in a written form. On this reason, the unknown x is able to be written in Algebra and the limit of x is able to be written in Calculus. However, until such reformations of mathematics, analysis, a method of heuristics, do not allow to be written in a part of theory. It is a reason why some mathematics textbooks looks very difficult to understand because they have to be written in the form of deductive reasoning for the construction of the system from axiom which does not include heuristics and ways of findings. On this consequence, there are old fashioned textbooks which just oriented to exercise the procedures as rules without explaining why.

Current school textbooks, which orients to write the problem solving process with various solutions as well as misconception by using what already learned,

include the heuristics such as thinking backward and so on. In the standards of key stage 1 and 2, addition and subtraction are inverse operation, and multiplication and division are inverse operation as for verification of answers on operations. Such ideas are reformulated at the algebra in key stage 3

In the case where 'If your saying (conclusion) is true, it produces contradiction which we already knew' is known as dialectic in communication and it was formalised as the proof by contradiction in mathematics. It is also the way of analysis for thinking backward. In mathematical communication, thinking backward is a part. Without the preparation of lesson plan which includes thinking backward, teachers cannot realise the classroom communication including misconception because the counter example is the component for the proof by contradiction. Though the communication of both objective and way of reasoning such as thinking backwards by using what students already learned, we are able to develop students' mathematical thinking.

#### **Mathematical Activities**

Mathematical Activities usually explain the teaching and learning process but also embedded the mathematical ideas and thinking. The style of teaching approaches can enhance mathematical activities but do not necessarily make them clear.

#### **Problem Solving**

Pure mathematicians inquire problems that are never solved yet and they develop new theorems for solving their problems. It produces a part of system. Such authentic activity is the model of problem solving in education because it usually embedded rich ideas, ways of thinking and values in mathematics. As mathematicians usually pose problems for themselves, the activity includes problem posing and reflection which is necessary for establishing new theories.

In education, there are two major approaches for embedding them in learning.

The first one is setting the time, unit or project for the problem solving. Here, solving problem itself is an objective for students. It focuses on heuristics: It is usually observed unexpectedly and to plan it inevitably is not easy. On this difficulty, the problem solving tasks are usually provided in two types. The first type focuses on mathematical modelling from the real world. The second type focuses on open ended tasks for students because it provides the opportunity for various solutions.

The second one is called the problem solving approach, tries to teach content through problem solving in classes. This case is only possible if teachers prepare the task sequence that enabling students to challenge the unknown-task by using what students already learned (ZPD). In problem solving approach, the tasks given by teachers are planned for students where they are able to learn the content, mathematical ideas and ways of thinking. For teachers, solving the tasks itself is not the objective of their classes but students reveal the objectives of teaching by teachers through recognising problematic as an unknown and finding the way of solutions. For students to be able to learn by and for themselves, it is necessary to plan the class with the preparation of future learning as well as by using learned knowledge. Textbooks such as the Japanese textbooks equipped task sequence for this purpose. In such textbooks, heuristics is not an accidental matter but a purposeful matter because every task in the textbook will be solved by utilising the already learned representation and so on. It is called a 'quided

discovery' under ZPD because it expects well-learned students on the learning trajectory and never expects the genius students on producing unknown ideas.

For observers, the way of teaching by the problem solving approach in a class cannot be distinguished with the open-ended approach. The open approach is not necessary to prepare the task sequence because it is characterised by an independent open-ended task. If teachers set the open-ended task independently, it is the first approach. If teachers set the task sequence of open ended tasks for learning mathematics itself, it is the problem solving approach, the second one. Both of the approaches were known as Japanese innovation in textbooks since 1934 for elementary level and since 1943 for secondary level. Currently, Japanese textbooks until the middle school level equipped the task sequence for problem solving approach.

Even though problem solving in education resemble activities of authentic mathematicians, it is actually not the same because problems of mathematicians are usually unsolvable beyond decades, while tasks in classroom can be explained by teachers who posed the problems. When teachers refer problem solving in education, it includes various objectives such as developing mathematical ideas, thinking, values and attitudes. These terminologies are used in education to develop students who learn mathematics by and for themselves while mathematicians only use some of them. On teacher education, if teachers only learned the content of mathematics, they may lack the opportunity to learn the necessary terminology. If teachers do not know it, the higher order thinking becomes a black box which cannot be explained.

# **Exploration and** Inquiry

Exploration has been enhanced in finding hypothesis by using technology such as Dynamic Geometry Software and Graphing Software. These software provide the environment for students to explore easily. Exploration of environment produces hypothesis.

Inquiry which includes exploration orients to the justification and proving through reflections.

Both explorations and inquiry enhance questioning by students. Thus, the process and finding will be depending on students' questioning sequence, not likely on problem solving by the task which teachers are able to design before the class.

## Mathematical Modelling, Programming and Mathematisation

Mathematical modelling is a necessary way to solve real world problems in the world. Mathematical model is hypothetically set by using mathematics to represent the situation of the problem. Mathematical answers based on the model are confirmed in the situation through interpretation. Modelling enhanced various possibility to apply various representations in mathematics.

In education, modelling has been enhanced for the problem solving after the new math movement which recognised school mathematics with set and structure. In this era of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Big Data, modelling is done through programming with algorithms and it is also a part of mathematics.

Before mathematical modelling, mathematics had functioned as the metaphor, theory and language for the nature. In Ancient Greece, music and astronomy were exactly theorised under geometric representations. Today, mathematics itself has various theories with algebraic representations, thus, modelling means hypothetical approach for the real world by using universal mathematical language.

Mathematisation has two usages: The first usage is for science and engineering in the establishment of mathematical model and produce new mathematics theories based on the model. In physics, mathematical problem solving of nature has produced the various theorisation in mathematics for solving problems in general. The second usage is used in education as the principle of mathematics curriculum sequence which enhances reorganisation of mathematical experiences. It includes the process of extension and integration based on the prior learned knowledge.

# Conjecturing, Justifying and Proving

Conjecturing, justifying and proving have been on the context of proof and refutation. In education, students conjecture hypothesis with reasoning on exemplar. Conjecture is conceived through generalisation and justifying with appropriate conditions. Proving includes not only the formal proof in a local system but also the various ways of explanations. Counter example is a way of refutation. Counter example is meaningful because it sets off the reasoning from which if the conclusion is true.

# Conceptualisation and Proceduralisation

Conceptual knowledge is the knowledge to explain the meaning and used for the conscious reasoning, and procedural knowledge is the skilful knowledge used for unconscious-automatised reasoning. A unit of mathematics textbook usually begins from the initiations of new conceptual knowledge by using learned procedural-conceptual knowledge which is called conceptualisation. After the initiations, new conceptual knowledge formulate the new procedural knowledge for convenience and the exercises produce proficiency of procedure which is called proceduralisation.

In mathematics, the proposition format 'if..., then...' is the basic format to represent knowledge, however in school mathematics, it is impossible to make clear the proposition from the beginning because 'if' part can be clarified later. For example, 'number' changes its meaning several times in school curriculum. In multiplication, products become large if it is [...] number. Until numbers are extended to decimal, [...] part cannot be learned. On this problematic, it is normal that students meet the difficulty in their learning and challenge to produce appropriate knowledge if they do have a chance to over-generalise knowledge for knowing [...] part.

On this reason for producing exact knowledge in mathematics, conceptualisation and proceduralisation is a journey that continues recursively in mathematics learning to change the view of mathematics. It is the opportunity to learn necessary mathematical ideas and ways of thinking, and to develop value and attitude. The process of mathematisation also can be seen from the perspective of conceptualisation and proceduralisation on the context of number and algebra.

# Representations and Sharing

A mathematical representation consists of symbols, operations, and objective (context). Solving equations in algebra can be seen as specific ordered elements of every equation which has the same answer. Order of equations shows the context that it is the process of solving. Operation of equations between an equation to another equation can be explained by the property of equality. Each equation is a symbolic sentence.

If operations of representation are missing, it is not a mathematical representation even through it has some artistic images such as diagrams. When students draw diagrams, it is sharable if the rule of the drawing (operation) are shared. In a classroom, students produce their own images in diagrams. It is helpful to encourage for their explanation by themselves but every explanation is independent until knowing the hidden ideas as in the comparison. Other students cannot re-present it until the ways of drawing (operation) is shared. Thus, comparison of various representations is a part of the process to recognise ideas for producing symbol and operations, and translations as in mathematical representations.

In mathematics, different representations use different symbols and operations. If there is a rule for correspondence between symbols and operations on different representations, it can be translated and produce rich meanings. It is the way to produce a mathematics system.

In mathematics, representation system should be defined universally, which is the product of convention by mathematicians. For teachers, it looks far for students' activity in classroom however it is the opportunity for students to reinvent the representation and its system through considering the why and how. For example, to produce meter as the measurement quantity includes such activities: There are historical episodes on why and how 'm' was defined by Condorcet and others in the Middle of the French Revolution. On the Area of Engineering, Informatics and Science, applied mathematicians usually try to produce new measurements based on their necessity of research to conceptualise the idea mathematically and operationally: Setting the measurable quantity is a part of mathematical modelling for real-world problem solving because if it is measurable we can apply known mathematics.

# **APPENDIX C**

#### Strand: Mathematical Processes - Humanity for Key Stage 3

Critical argument in mathematics is enhanced through communication with others beyond Key Stage 2. The proposed challenging activities will promote metacognitive thinking at different level of arguments to make sense of mathematics. Translating real life activities into mathematical models and solving problems using appropriate strategies are emphasised in functional situations. The process of doing mathematical activities involves patience that develops perseverance in learners and takes responsibility of one's own learning. At this stage, the habitual practice of self-learning will eventually develop confidence, thus, opportunity for challenges to extend mathematics and the ability to plan sequence of future learning are also enhanced.

#### **Standards**

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning for extension of operations into algebra, space and geometry, relationship and functions, and statistics and probability

Enjoying measuring space using calculations with various formulae

Producing proof in geometry and algebra

Utilising tables, graphs and expressions in situations

Using diagrams for exploring possible and various cases logically

Exploring graphs of functions by rotation, by symmetry and by translation of proportional function

Understanding ways for extension of numbers

Designing sustainable life with mathematics

Utilising ICT tools as well as other technological tools

Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of society in mathematics

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning and conjecturing for extension of operations into algebra, space and geometry, relationship and functions, and statistics and probability<sup>1</sup>

- i. Pose questions to extend numbers and operations into positive and negative numbers, algebraic operations, and further extension into polynomial operations, and numbers with square roots
- ii. Pose questions to solve linear equations, simultaneous equations and simple quadratic equations
- iii. Pose assumptions in geometry as objects of argument and proof
- iv. Pose questions to transform three dimensional objects into two dimensional shapes and vice versa
- v. Pose questions in relations and functions for knowing properties of different types of function
- vi. Pose questions to exploratory of data handling for knowing structure of distribution
- vii. Pose questions that apply PPDAC in relation to statistical problem solving
- viii. Pose questions in relation to "equally likely" events
- ix. Pose assumptions to discuss hypothesis based on sample and population
- x. Pose conjecturing such as if x increases and y decreases then it is inverse proportion

Enjoying measuring space using calculations with various formulae<sup>2</sup>

- Extend the number line to positive and negative numbers and compare the size of numbers with the idea of absolute value
- ii. Derive the square root using unit squared paper through the idea of area
- iii. Explain the expansion of polynomials using area diagrams
- iv. Use the projection of space figures to plane figures using the Pythagorean theorem
- v. Apply similarity and simple trigonometry for measurement
- vi. Use common factors to explain factorisation of the area of a rectangle based on the area of a square

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Connected to the three strands, namely Numbers and Algebra, Relations and Functions and Space and Geometry.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Connected to the three strands, namely Numbers and Algebra, Relations and Functions and Space and Geometry.

#### Producing proof in geometry and algebra

- i. Have an assumption through exploration and produce propositions
- ii. Justify the proposition using examples and counter examples for understanding
- Rewrite propositions from sentences to mathematical expressions by using letters and diagrams iii.
- Search the ways of proving by thinking backward from the conclusion and thinking forward from the given
- V. Show the proof and critique for the shareable and reasonableness
- vi. Deduce another propositions in the process of proving and after proving using what if and what if not
- vii. Adapt ways of proving to other similar propositions of proof
- viii. Explain the written proof in geometry and algebra by the known
- Revise others' explanation meaningfully

#### Utilising tables, graphs and expressions in situations<sup>3</sup>

- Explore the properties of functions by using tables, graphs and expressions and establish the fluency of connections among them for interpreting functions in context
- ii. Analyse distribution of raw data by using tables, graphs and expressions in daily life

# Using diagrams for exploring possible and various cases logically4

- i. Use number line with inequality to identify range and set
- Use circle to identify relationship between the circumference and the central angle (acute, obtuse ii. and right)
- iii. Use rectangle and rotating a point on the side rectangle to draw the graph of the area
- Use tree diagram for thinking about all possible cases sequentially

#### Exploring graph of functions by rotation, by symmetry and by translation of proportional function<sup>5</sup>

- i. Use the slope of a graph for the proportional function to rotate the graph or to determine the point of intersection
- ii. Explore to know the nature of two simultaneous equations by using translation
- Use the y-axis, x-axis and y = x as the line of symmetry to explore proportional function
- iv. Explain the graph of linear function by translation of proportional function.

#### Understanding ways for extension of numbers6

- i. Extend the numbers based on the necessity of solving equations such as x + 5 = 3 and  $x^2 = 2$ , and show examples for demonstrating the existence such as on the number lines, and understand it as set
- ii. Compare the size of number and identify how to explain the order of numbers and its equivalence
- Extend operations for keeping the form<sup>7</sup> beyond the limitations of meaning<sup>8</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Connected to the strand on Relations and Functions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Connected to the two strands on Relations and Functions and Space and Geometry

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Connected to the two strands on Numbers and Algebra and Relations and Functions

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Connected to the strand on Numbers and Algebra

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> There are three meanings of form: (1) Permanence of form means "keep the pattern of operation" such as (-3)x(+2)=-6, (-3)x(+1)=-3, (-3)x(-2)=+3, and (-3)x(-1)=+3, and (-3)x(-2)=+6. Here, the product of the pattern increases by 3; (2) The form means "Principle of the permanence of equivalence form" which means to keep the law of commutativity, associativity and distributivity; and (3) The form means the axiom of field in Algebra. Normally, in education, we only treat (1) and (2).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> For the extension of numbers to positive and negative numbers, beyond the limitations of meaning such as subtract a smaller number from a larger number. For the extension of numbers to irrational number, beyond the limitation of meaning such as rational number is a quotient (value of division).

#### Designing models for sustainability using mathematics9

- i. Discuss and utilise probabilities in life such as weather forecasting for planning
- ii. Design cost saving lifestyle models through comparison of data such as cost of electricity, water consumption, and survey
- iii. Plan emergency evacuation such as heavy raining and landslide where the calculations on the amount of water in barrel per minute exceeds the maximum standards
- iv. Forecast the future with mathematics

# Utilising ICT tools as well as other technological tools

- i. Use dynamic geometry software for assumption, specialisation and generalisation
- ii. Use graphing tool for comparison of the graph and knowing properties of function
- iii. Use data to analyse statistics with software
- iv. Use internet data for the discussion of sustainable development
- v. Use calculators for operations at necessary context
- vi. Use projector for sharing ideas such as project survey, reporting and presentation
- vii. Use the idea of function to control mechanism
- viii. Use ICT tools for conjecturing and justifying to produce the object of proving.

#### Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of society using mathematics

- Utilise notebooks, journal books and appropriate ICT tools to wisely record and produce good ideas for sharing with others
- ii. Prepare and present ideas using posters, projectors, pamphlets and social media to promote good practices in society
- iii. Promote the beautifulness, reasonableness and simplicity of mathematics through contextual situations in the society
- iv. Listen to other's ideas and ask questions for better designs, craftsmanship and innovations
- Utilise information, properties, models and visible representations as the basis for making intelligent decisions
- vi. Utilise practical arts, home economics, financial mathematics and outdoor studies to investigate local issues for improving welfare of life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Connected to the three strands, Numbers and Algebra, Relations and Functions and Space and Geometry

# APPENDIX D

The four strands of content learning standards and the strand on Mathematical Process-Humanity of Key Stage one

#### **KEY STAGE 1**

Key Stage 1 (KS1) serves as the foundation of knowledge covering the basic facts and skills developed through simple hands-on activities, manipulation of concrete objects, pictorial and symbolic representations. This stage focuses on arousing interest, enjoyment and curiosity in the subject through exploration of patterns, characterisation, identification and describing shapes, performing the four fundamental operations, identify its algorithm, and understanding basic mathematical concepts and skills experienced in daily life. Calculation of quantities will also be established to carefully and wilfully understand the attribution of objects that are used to make direct and indirect comparison.

#### Strand: Numbers and Operations

Number is introduced with situations, concrete objects, pictorial, symbolic representations and extended based on knowledge and skills learned. Ways of counting and distributions are extended to addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Base ten number system is the key for extending the numbers and operations for standard algorithms in vertical form. Also, various procedures of calculations and algorithms are focused. Models and diagrams are used for extension instead of concrete materials itself. Number sense will be developed through the establishment of fluency of calculations with connection to situations and models. Fractions and decimals are introduced with manipulative.

# Topics:

Introducing Numbers up to 120 Introducing Addition and Subtraction Utilising Addition and Subtraction Extending Numbers with Based Ten System up to 1 000 000 Gradually Producing Vertical Forms for Addition and Subtraction and Acquiring Fluency of Standard Algorithms Introducing Multiplication and Produce Multiplication Algorithm Introducing Division and Extending it to Remainder Introducing Fractions and Extending to Addition and Subtraction of Similar Fractions Introducing Decimals and Extending to Addition and Subtraction

#### **Introducing Numbers up to 120**

Enjoying counting orally and manipulatively with number names without symbolic numerals;

- i. Develop the fluency of the order of number names and use it based on situations1
- ii. Set initial object for counting, direction of counting and recognize the end object with one to one correspondence

Understanding and using the cardinality and ordinality of numbers with objects and numerals<sup>2</sup> through activities of grouping, corresponding and ordering, and develop number sense<sup>3</sup> and appreciate its beautifulness

Group objects for counting with conditions such as cups, flowers, and rabbits in situations and introduce numerals.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The denomination such as 3 cups, 2 cups, one cup is describe at strand on the Quantity and Measurement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *Inclusive in reading and writing of numerals* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Unit for counting that describe the Quantity and Measurement

- ii. Obtain fluency of counting concrete objects and understand counting on, and recognise the necessity of zero
- iii. Compare different sets by one to one correspondence and recognize larger, smaller or equal with appreciation in drawing paths between objects.
- iv. Compose and decompose numbers for strengthening number sense4 and cardinality
- v. Understand the difference between ordinal and cardinal numbers and use them appropriately in situations and challenge the mixed sequence.
- vi. Acquire number sense<sup>5</sup> and appreciate the beautifulness in ordering numerals with and without concrete objects

Introducing base ten system with groupings of 10 and extend numbers up to 1206

- Extend numbers to more than 10 with base ten manipulative representing numbers in ones and tens, and appreciate the base ten numeration system.
- ii. Extend the order sequence of numbers to more than 10 in relation to the size of ones and tens and compare numbers using numeral in every place value.
- iii. Introduce number lines to represent the order of numbers and for comparison starting from zero and counting by ones, twos, fives, and tens.
- Enjoy various ways of the distribution of objects with counting such as playing cards, and explain it and enhance number sense
- v. Draw diagram for representing the size of number with base ten blocks

#### **Introducing Addition and Subtraction**

Understanding situations for addition up to 10 and obtaining fluency of using addition in situations

- i. Introduce situations (together, combine, and increase) for addition and explain it orally with manipulative to define addition for operation
- ii. Develop fluency of addition expressions using composition of numbers for easier calculation with number sense for composition of numbers
- iii. Apply addition with fluency in learners' life

Extending addition to more than 10 and obtaining fluency of using addition in situations

- Extend addition situations and think about how to answer using the idea of making 10 with decomposition and composition of numbers
- ii. Explain the idea of addition with place value using base ten blocks
- iii. Develop fluency of addition expressions to more than 10 for easier calculation
- iv. Apply addition fluency in learners' life.

Understanding situations for subtraction up to 10 and obtaining fluency of using subtraction in situations

- i. Introduce subtraction situations (remaining, complement, and difference) and explain orally with manipulative to define subtraction for operation<sup>7</sup>
- ii. Develop fluency of subtraction expressions using decomposition of numbers for easier calculation
- iii. Apply subtraction fluency in learners' life

Extending subtraction to more than 10 and obtaining fluency of using subtraction in situations

- i. Extend subtraction with situations and think about how to answer using the idea of 10 with addition and subtraction of numbers (composition and decomposition of numbers)
- ii. Explain the idea of subtraction in place value using base ten blocks

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Relationship of composing and decomposing numbers become the preparation for addition and subtraction for inverse operation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Number pattern is discussed under Pattern and Data Representations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> For discussing the difference of hundred twenty is not twelve ten in English

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Distinguish minuend and subtrahend

- iii. Develop fluency of subtraction expressions to more than 10 for easier calculation
- iv. Apply subtraction fluency in learners' daily life

#### **Utilising Addition and Subtraction**

Utilising addition and subtraction in various situations and understanding their relationships

- i. Understand the difference between addition and subtraction situations with tape diagrams
- Explain subtraction as an inverse of addition situations with tape diagrams
- Understand addition with three numbers, subtraction with three numbers and combination of addition and subtraction situations
- iv. Apply addition and subtraction in various situations such as in ordering numbers

#### Extending Numbers with Base Ten System Up to 1 000 000 Gradually

Extending numbers using base ten system up to 1 000

- Experience counting of 1 000 by using various units and appreciate the necessity of the base ten i. system
- ii. Extend the order of numbers to more than 1 000 in relation to the size of ones, tens and hundreds
- Use a partial number line to compare size of numbers through translation of the size of every digit with appropriate scale
- Represent appropriate diagram to show the size of numbers without counting such as three of hundreds mean 30 of tens and visualise the relative size of numbers
- V. Represent larger or smaller numbers by symbol of inequality

Extending numbers using base ten system up to 10 000

- i. Visualise the 10 000 by using thousand, hundred, ten and one as units
- Extend the order sequence of numbers to more than 10 000 in relation to the size of ones, tens. hundreds and thousands
- Use number line with appropriate scale to show size of numbers and relative size of numbers while iii. focusing on the scale

Extending numbers using based ten system up to 1 000 0008

- Extend numbers up to 1 000 000 and learn the representation of the place value for grouping every i. 3-digit numeral system up to million
- Write large numbers using grouping of 3-digit numeral system9 such as thousand as a unit and ii. compare numbers in relation to it
- Develop number sense such as larger and smaller based on comparison of place values through iii. visualisation of relative size of numbers

#### Producing Vertical Form Addition and Subtraction<sup>10</sup> and Acquiring Fluency of Standard Algorithms

Thinking about the easier ways for addition and subtraction and producing vertical form algorithms

i. Think about easier ways of addition or subtraction situations and use models with base ten blocks meaningfully for representing base ten system

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> One million is too big for counting and is introduced only for learning of the three digit system

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> 3-digit numeral system such as 123 times thousand equals the same way of reading plus thousand. In the case of Chinese, fourdigit numeral system is used.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Understanding the relationship of addition and subtraction is discussed under Pattern and Data Representations

- ii. Produce and elaborate efficient ways and identify the standard algorithms<sup>11</sup> in relation to base ten system with appreciation
- iii. Explain the algorithms of borrowing and carrying with regrouping of base ten models
- iv. Acquire fluency in addition and subtraction algorithms

Acquiring fluency of standard algorithm for addition and subtraction and extend up to 4 digit numbers

- Extend the vertical form addition and subtraction through the extension of numbers and appreciate the explanation using base ten block model
- ii. Develop fluency of every extension up to 3-digit numbers and simple case for 4 digit numbers

Developing number sense<sup>12</sup> for estimation<sup>13</sup> and using calculator judiciously for addition and subtraction

- i. Develop number sense for mental arithmetic with estimation for addition or subtraction of numbers
- ii. Identify necessary situations to use calculators judiciously in real life.
- iii. Appreciate the use of calculators in the case of large numbers for finding the total and the difference

#### **Introducing Multiplication and Produce Multiplication Algorithm**

Introducing multiplication and mastering multiplication table

- i. Understand the meaning of multiplication<sup>14</sup> as a model of repeated addition situations and distinguish from the common addition
- ii. Produce multiplication table in the case of counting by 2 and 5 with array diagrams, pictures or base ten block models and extend it until 9 and 1 with appreciation of patterns<sup>15</sup>
- iii. Develop number sense for multiplication through mental calculation with fluencyiv. Use multiplication in daily life, differentiating multiplication in various situations with understanding that any number can be a unit for counting in multiplication

Producing multiplication in vertical form and obtaining fluency

- i. Think about easier ways of multiplication in the case of numbers greater than 10 using array diagrams and base ten block models
- ii. Develop multiplication in vertical form using multiplication table, array, model, and base ten system with appreciation
- iii. Extend multiplication algorithm to 3-digits times 2-digits numbers
- iv. Obtain fluency of standard algorithm for multiplication
- v. Use estimation with multiplication of tens or hundreds in learners' life
- vi. Compare multiplication expressions which is larger, smaller or equivalent
- vii. Appreciate the use of calculator judiciously in life in the case of large numbers

#### Introducing Division and Extending It to Remainder

Introducing division with two different situations and find the answers by multiplication

- i. Understand division with quotative and partitive division for distribution situations
- ii. Think about how to find the answer of division situations by distributions using diagrams, repeated subtractions and multiplication
- iii. Obtain fluency to identify answers of division through inverse operation of multiplication
- iv. Appreciate the use of multiplication table for acquiring mental division

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Various algorithms are possible and there is no one specific form because depending on the country, vertical form itself is not the same. Here, standard algorithm means the selected appropriate form.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Money system is discussed under Measurement an Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Rounding numbers are treated in key stage 2 under Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Meaning of area is described in Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Multiplication row of 1 is not a repeated addition

Extending division into the case of remainders and use division for distribution in daily situations

- Extend division situations with remainders and understand division even it has the same as repeated subtraction with different remainders
- ii. Obtain fluency in division and apply it in daily situations
- iii. Understand simple cases of division algorithm

#### Introducing Fractions and Extending to Addition and Subtraction of Similar Fractions

Introducing simple fractions such as halves, quarters and so on using paper folding and drawing diagrams

- Introduce simple fractions using manipulative such as paper folding and drawing diagrams in the context of part whole relationship
- ii. Use "a half of" and "a quarter of" in a daily context such as half a slice of bread
- iii. Count a quarter for representing one quarter, two quarters, three quarters, and so on
- iv. Compare and explain simple fractions in the case where the whole is the same

Extending fractions using tape diagram and number line to one, and think about how to add or subtract similar fractions for producing simple algorithm

- Extend fractions to more than one unit quantity for representing the remaining parts such as measuring the length of tape, recognising the remaining parts as a unit measure of length, and understand proper and improper fractions
- ii. Appreciate fractions with quantities in two ways; firstly whole is a unit of quantity and secondly, based on the number of unit fraction
- iii. Compare fractions in the case where the whole is the same and explain it with tape diagram or number line, and develop fraction number sense such as 1/10 with quantities and so on
- iv. Think about how to add or subtract similar fractions with tape diagram or number line and produce simple algorithm with fluency

#### Introducing Decimals and Extend to Addition and Subtraction

Introducing decimals to tenths, and extend addition and subtraction into decimals

- i. Introduce simple decimals to tenths by remaining part such as using tape diagram with appreciation
- ii. Compare size of decimal numbers on a number line with the idea of place value
- iii. Extend addition and subtraction of decimals utilising the place value system in vertical form up to tenths
- Think about appropriate place value for applying addition and subtraction in life

# Strand: Quantity and Measurement

Attributes of objects are used to make direct and indirect comparison, the non-standard and standard units are also used for comparison. Counting activities denominate units of quantities such as cups for volumes, armlength and hand-spans for length. Standard units such as metre, centimetre, kilogram and litre are introduced. Time and durations which are not the base ten system are introduced. Money is not a complete model for base ten system. The concept of conservation of quantities will be established through the calculation of quantities. The sense for quantity is developed through appropriate selection of measurement tools.

#### Topics:

Comparing Sizes Directly and Indirectly Using Appropriate Attributes and Non-Standard Units Introducing Quantity of Length and Expand to Distance Introducing Quantity of Mass for its Measurement and Operation Introducing Quantity of Liquid Capacity for its Measurement and Operation

Introducing Time and Duration and its Operation Introducing Money as a Quantity

#### Comparing Size Directly and Indirectly Using Appropriate Attributes and Non-Standard Units

Comparing and describing quantity using appropriate expression

- Compare two objects directly using attributes instead of stating in length and amount of water such as longer or shorter and less or more
- ii. Compare two objects indirectly using non-standard units to appreciate the unification of units
- iii. Use appropriate denomination<sup>16</sup> of quantity (such as number of cups) for counting and appreciate the usage of units for quantity in suitable context

#### Introducing Quantity of Length and Extend to Distance

Introducing centimetre for length and extend to millimetre and meter

- i. Compare length of different objects and introduce centimetre with calibrated tape17 of one centimetre
- ii. Demonstrate equivalent length with addition and subtraction such as part-part whole
- iii. Extend centimetre to millimetre to represent remaining parts with ideas of equally dividing and idea of making tens
- iv. Extend centimetre to metre to measure using meter stick
- v. Estimate length of objects and select appropriate tools or measuring unit for measurement with fluency
- vi. Convert mixed and common units of length for comparison<sup>18</sup>
- vii. Convert mixed and common units of length when adding or subtracting in acquiring the sense for quantity

Introducing distance for the extension of length

- Introduce kilometre to measure distance travelled using various tools and appreciate the experiences of measuring skills
- ii. Distinguish distance travelled and the distance of two places on the map
- iii. Compare mixed units of length with appropriate scale on a number line

#### Introducing Quantity of Mass and Its Measurement and Operation

Introducing gram for mass and extend to kilogram and metric ton

- i. Compare mass of different objects directly using balance and introduce gram
- ii. Demonstrate equivalent mass with addition and subtraction such as part-part whole
- iii. Extend gram to kilogram, measure with weighing scale
- iv. Extend kilogram to metric ton through relative measure (such as 25 children, each weigh 40 kilogram)
- v. Estimate mass of objects and select appropriate tools or measuring unit for measurement with fluency
- vi. Convert mixed and common units of mass for comparison
- vii. Convert mixed and common units of mass for addition and subtraction in acquiring the sense for quantity

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Denomination is necessary for learning the group of counting. It's also describe pattern and data representations and number and operation both of Key Stage 1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> The plane tape can be used for direct comparison and indirect comparison by marking. If the tape is scaled by non-standard unit we can use it for measurement. If the tape is scaled by one centimeter we can defined the length of centimetre

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Which one is longer, 2 m 3 cm or 203 mm?

#### Introducing Quantity of Liquid<sup>19</sup> Capacity and Its Measurement and Operation

Introducing litre for capacity of liquid and extend to millilitre

- i. Compare amount of water in different containers and introduce litre with measuring cups of 1 litre
- ii. Demonstrate equivalent capacity with addition and subtraction such as part-part whole
- iii. Extend litre by decilitre/100 millilitre cup for representing remaining parts with ideas of equally dividing and making 10, and extend until millilitre
- Estimate capacity of containers and select appropriate measuring unit iv.
- Convert mixed and common units of capacity for comparison
- Convert mixed and common units of capacity for addition and subtraction in acquiring the sense for quantity

#### Introducing Time and Duration, and Its Operation

Introducing analogue time and extend to duration

- Tell and write analogue time of the day corresponding with different activities in daily life such as morning, noon, afternoon, day and night.
- ii. Show time by using clock face with hour hand and minute hand
- Understand the relative movement of clock hands

Extending clock time to duration of one day<sup>20</sup>

- i. Introduce duration in hours and minutes based on the beginning time and end time of activities
- ii. Express time and duration on time line, and understand duration as the difference between two times
- Addition and subtraction of duration and time iii.
- Extend time and duration to seconds iv
- Convert mixed and common units of duration for comparison
- Estimate duration of time and select appropriate measuring unit for measurement with fluency and appreciate the significance of time and duration in life
- vii. Appreciate the difference in time depending on the area (time zone) and the seasons

#### **Introducing Money as Quantity**

Introducing money as quantity and use it as the model of base ten system<sup>21</sup>

- i. Introduce unit of money using notes and coins and determine the correct amount
- ii. Use counting by fives and so on for base ten system
- Appreciate fluency in calculation of money with all the four operations iii.
- Appreciate number sense for the conversion and transaction of money in daily life

#### Strand: Shapes, Figures and Solids

Basic skills of exploring, identifying, characterising and describing shapes, figures and solids are learned based on their features. Activities such as paper folding enable exploration of various features of shapes. Identification of similarities and differences in shapes and solids enable classification to be done for defining figures. Using appropriate materials and tools, relationship in drawing, building and comparing the 2D shapes

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> The density which explains the relationship between mass and liquid capacity is usually learned in Science at later stage. In the case of CCRLS Science it starts in Key Stage 2 such as 1 cubic centimeter of water is equivalent to 1 gram.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Calendar is possible in the keys stage 1 under Pattern and Data Representation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Coins and notes are dependent on the country. Some countries use currency unit of twenty and twenty-five which are in coins or notes. These forms are not appropriate for the model of base 10 system

and 3D objects are considered. Through these activities, the skills for using the knowledge of figures and solids will be developed. The compass is introduced to draw circles and mark scales with the same length.

#### Topics:

Exploring shapes of objects
Characterising the shapes for figures and solids
Explaining positions and directions

# **Exploring Shapes of Objects**

Exploring shapes of objects for finding their attributes

- Roll, fold, stack, arrange, trace, cut, draw, and trace objects (blocks such as boxes, cans and so on) for knowing their attributes
- ii. Use attributes of blocks for drawing the picture or by tracing the shape on the paper and explain
- iii. Create patterns of shapes (trees, rockets and so on) by using the attributes and recognise the characteristics of shapes<sup>22</sup>
- iv. Appreciate functions of shapes of objects in learners' life

#### **Characterising the Shapes for Figures and Solids**

Describing figures with characters of shapes

- Use characteristics of shapes for understanding figures (quadrilateral, square, rectangle and triangle, right angle, same length)
- ii. Introduce line and right angle with relations to activities such as paper folding and use it for describing figures with simple properties such as triangle has 3 lines
- iii. Appreciate the names of figures in daily life by using mother-tongue such as "segitiga" and "segi empat" in Malay and "tatsulok" in Tagalog
- iv. Classify triangles by specific properties, such as the sides, angles and vertexes (right triangle, equilateral, isosceles)

Describing solids with characteristics of shapes

- Use the characteristics of shapes, understanding solids such as boxes can be developed by six rectangular parts with simple properties
- ii. Develop boxes with their properties
- iii. Appreciate functions of solids around daily life

Drawing a circle and recognising the sphere based on the circle

- i. Think about how to draw a circle and find the centre and radius
- ii. Draw a circle with an instrument such as compass
- iii. Enjoy drawing pictures using the function of circles such as Spirograph
- iv. Find the largest circle through cutting the sphere and recognise the sphere by the centre and radius
- v. Appreciate functions of circles and spheres in daily life such as the difference between soccer ball and rugby ball

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Pattern of shapes is discussed in Key stage 1 under Pattern and Data Representations

#### **Explaining Positions and Directions**

Exploring how to explain a position and direction

- i. Identify simple positions and directions of an object accurately using various ways such as in my perspective, in your perspective in the classroom, and the left, right, front, back, west, east, north, south and with measurement
- Draw the map around the classroom with consideration of locations
- iii. Design a game to appreciate the changing positions and directions in a classroom

#### Strand: Pattern and Data Representations

Various types of patterns such as the number sequence and repetition of shapes are considered. Size of pictures can be represented by number sequence. Tessellation of shapes and paper folding can be represented by the repetition of shapes. Exploration of patterns and features are also considered to represent the data structure in our life using pictographs and bar graphs. Patterns and features produce meaning of data and represent mathematical information. Patterns are represented by diagrams and mathematical sentences which are also used for communication in identifying and classifying situations to produce meaningful interpretations.

#### Topics:

Using Patterns under the Number Sequence Producing Harmony of Shapes using Patterns Collecting Data and Represent the Structure

#### Using Patterns under the Number Sequence<sup>23</sup>

Arranging objects for beautiful patterns under the number sequence

- i. Know the beautifulness of patterns in cases of arranging objects based on number sequence
- ii. Arrange objects according to number sequence to find simple patterns
- Arrange expressions such as addition and subtraction to find simple patterns
- Express the representation of patterns using placeholders (empty box) iv.
- Enjoy the arrangement of objects based on number sequence in daily life V.
- Find patterns on number tables such as in calendars<sup>24</sup> vi.

#### Producing Harmony of Shapes Using Patterns<sup>25</sup>

Arranging tiles of different or similar shapes in creating harmony

- i. Know the beautifulness of patterns in cases of arranging the objects based on shapes, colours and
- ii. Arrange objects according to shapes, colours and sizes to show patterns
- iii. Arrange boxes according to shapes, colour and sizes to create structure
- iv. Arrange circles and spheres for designing
- Enjoy the creation based on different shapes, colour and sizes in daily life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Number sequence will be discussed in Key Stage 1 under Numbers and Operations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Time and duration are discussed in key stage 1 under Quantity and Measurement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Harmony of shapes will be discussed in Key Stage 1 under Shapes, Figures and Solids

#### **Collecting Data and Represent the Structure**

Collecting data through categorisation for getting information

- i. Explore the purpose of why data is being collected.
- ii. Grouped data by creating similar attributes on the denomination<sup>26</sup> of categories and count them (check mark and count)
- iii. Think about what information is obtained from the tables with categories and how to use it

Organising the data collected and represent using pictogram for easy visualisation

- i. Produce the table and pictograms from collected data under each categories
- ii. Interpretation of tables and pictograms as a simple conclusion about the data being presented.
- iii. Appreciate pictograms through collecting data and adding data in daily activities in learners' life

Representing a data structure by using bar graph to predict the future of communities

- Understand how to draw bar graph from table using data categories and sort the graph for showing its structure
- ii. Appreciate ways of presenting data such as using tables, pictograms and bar graphs with sorting for predicting their future communities
- iii. Appreciate the using of data for making decision

#### Strand: Mathematical Process - Humanity

Enjoyable mathematical activities are designed to bridge the standards in different strands. Exploration of various number sequence, skip counting, addition and subtraction operations help to develop number sense that is essential to support explanation of contextual scenarios and mathematical ideas. Mathematical ways of posing questions in daily life are also necessary learned at this stage. Ability to select simple, general and reasonable ideas enables effective future learning. Application of number sense provides facility for preparing sustainable life. The use of ICT tools and other technological tools provide convenience in daily life. At initial stage, concrete model manipulation is enjoyable, however drawing diagram is most necessary for explaining complicated situations by using simple representation.

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning for four operations in situations

Enjoying measuring through setting and using the units in various situations

Using blocks as models and its diagram for performing operations in base ten

Enjoying tiling with various shapes and colours

Explaining ideas using various and appropriate representations

Selecting simple, general and reasonable ideas which can apply for future learning

Preparing sustainable life with number sense

Utilising ICT tools such as calculators as well as other tools such as note book and other instrument such as clocks

Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of neighbourhood using mathematics

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning for four operations in situations<sup>27</sup>

- i. In addition situations, pose questions for 'altogether' and 'increase'
- ii. In subtraction situations, pose questions for 'remainder' and 'difference'
- iii. In multiplication situations, pose questions for number of groups
- iv. In division situations, pose questions for partition and quotient
- v. Enjoy questioning in various situations by using combination of operations
- vi. In operations, pose questions to find the easier ways of calculation
- vii. Use posing questions for four operations on measurements in daily life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Denomination will be learned in Key stage 1 under Quantity and Measurement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> It is related with Numbers and Operations and Quantity and Measurement both in Key Stage 1.

Enjoying measuring through setting and using the units in various situations<sup>28</sup>

- i. Compare directly and indirectly
- Set tentative units from difference for measuring
- Give appropriate names (denominations) for counting units iii.
- Use measurement for communication in daily life
- Use tables and diagrams for showing the data of measures V

Using blocks as models and its diagram for performing operations in base ten<sup>29</sup>

- i. Show increasing and decreasing patterns using blocks
- Show based ten system using blocks, a unit cube is 1, a bar stick is 10 and a flat block represents
- iii. Explain addition and subtraction algorithm in vertical form using base ten block model
- Explain multiplication table with number of grouped blocks iv.
- Explain division using equal distribution of blocks and repeated subtraction of blocks V.
- Use the number of blocks for measurement in daily life

Enjoying tiling with various shapes and colours<sup>30</sup>

- i. Appreciate to produce beautiful designs with various shapes and find the pattern to explain it
- ii. Reflect, rotate and translate to produce patterns
- Cut and paste various shapes and colours to form the box and ball such as develop the globe from map

Explaining ideas using various and appropriate representations<sup>31</sup>

- i. Explain four operations using pictures, diagrams, blocks and expressions for developing ideas
- ii. Explain measurement using measuring tools, tape diagrams, container and paper folding for sharing ideas
- Make decision on how to explain figures and solids by using manipulative objects or diagrams or iii. only verbal explanation
- Explain patterns using diagrams, numbers, tables and expressions with blank box iv.
- Ask questions using terms such as why, how, what, if and if not, and reply using examples and 'for example' in discussion
- Change the representation and translate it appropriately in daily life

Selecting simple, general and reasonable ideas which can apply for future learning<sup>32</sup>

- i Discuss the argument for easier ways for addition and subtraction algorithm in vertical form
- ii Extend the algorithm to large numbers for convenience and fluency
- Use the pattern of increase in multiplication table for convenience
- Use multiplication tables for finding answers of division

Applying number sense<sup>33</sup> acquired in Key Stage 1 for preparing sustainable life<sup>34</sup>

- i Use mathematics for the minimum and sequential use of resources in situations
- ii Estimate for efficient use of resources in situations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> It is related with Quantity and Measurement and Pattern and Data Representations both in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> It is related with Pattern and Data Representations and Numbers and Operations both in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> It is related with Shapes, Figures and Solids and Pattern and Data Representations both in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> It is related to all strands in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> It is related to Numbers and Operations and Pattern and Data Representations both in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> It is related to Numbers and Operations, Pattern and Data Representations and Quantity and Measurement, all included in Key Stage 1.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Sustainable development goals were crafted at <u>the 70th Session of the United Nations General Assembly</u> and indicated them as universal value in education.

- iii Maximize the use of resources through appropriate arrangement in space
- iv Understand equally likely of resources in situations

Utilising ICT tools such as calculators as well as other tools such as notebook and other instrument such as clocks<sup>35</sup>

- i Use calculators for multi addition in situations
- ii Use mental calculations for estimations
- iii Use a balance scale to produce equality and inequality
- iv Use cups, tapes, stop watches, and weighing scales for measuring distances and weights
- V Use calculators to explain the process of calculation by solving backward and understand the relationship of addition and subtraction, and multiplication and division.
- vi Enjoy using notebooks to exchange learning from each other such as mathematics journal writing
- vii Enjoy presentations with board writing
- viii Use various tools for conjecturing and justifying

Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of neighbourhood using mathematics

- i. Utilise the notebooks and journal books to record and find good ideas and share with others
- ii. Prepare and present ideas using posters to promote good practices in neighbourhood
- iii. Listen to other's ideas and asking questions for better creation
- iv. Utilise information, properties and models as basis for reasoning
- v. Utilise practical arts and outdoor studies to investigate local issues for improving welfare of life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> STEM education is enhanced. Mathematics is the major and base subject for STEM Education in Key Stage 1 hence, technological contents are included in Mathematics.

# APPENDIX E

The four strands of content learning standards and the strand on Mathematical Process-Humanity of Key Stage Two

#### **KEY STAGE 2**

Key Stage 2 (KS2) can be learned based on the key stage 1. This stage provides the extension of numbers and operations, measurement and relations, plane figures and space figures as well as data handling and graphs. This stage enable the extension of the four operations to daily use of numbers such as decimal and fraction and allows the use of mathematical terminologies, performing investigations and establish the ground for analysing, evaluating and creating learners' life. Appreciating the beauty of the structure of mathematics will enable them to enjoy and sustain their learning which provides basis for key stage 3.

#### Strand: Extension of Numbers and Operations

Numbers are extended to multi-digits, fractions and decimals. Multiplication and division algorithms are completed with fluency. Fraction becomes numbers through the redefinition as a quotient instead of part - whole relationship. Multiplication and division of decimals and fractions are also explored to produce procedures for calculation. Various representations are used to elaborate and produce meaning for the calculation. Number sense such as approximating numbers, relative size of numbers and values are enhanced for practical reasoning in the appropriate context of life.

#### Topics:

Extending Numbers with Base Ten up to Billion and also to Thousandths with Three Digit Numeral System Gradually

Making Decision of Operations on Situations with Several Steps and Integrate Them in One Expression and Think about the Order of Calculations and Produce the Rule (PEMDAS)

Producing the Standard Algorithm for Vertical Form Division with Whole Numbers

Extending the Vertical Form Addition and Subtraction with Decimals to Hundredths

Extending the Vertical Form Multiplication and Division with Decimals and Find the Appropriate Place Value such as the Product. Quotient and Remainder

Using Multiples and Divisors for Convenience

Introducing Improper and Mixed Fractions and Extending to Addition and Subtraction of Fractions to Dissimilar Fractions

Extending Fractions as Numbers and Integrate

Extending Multiplication and Division to Fractions

# Extending Numbers with Base Ten Up to Billion and also to Thousandths with Three Digit Numeral System Gradually

Extending numbers using base ten system up to billion<sup>1</sup> with three digit numeral system<sup>2</sup>

- Adopt the three digit numeral system, extend numbers up to billion with the idea of relative size of i numbers
- Compare numbers such as larger, smaller with base<sup>3</sup> ten system of place values through visualisation of relative size of numbers using cubes, plane(flats), bar(longs) and unit

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Billion is too large for counting and it is introduced in the three digit system under relative size of number

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *In British system, it is referred as short scale* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Metric system names of units is discussed under measurement and relations

Extending decimal numbers to hundredths, and to thousandths<sup>4</sup>

- i. Use the idea of quantity and fractions, extend decimal numbers from tenths to hundredths
- ii. Compare decimal numbers such as larger, smaller with base ten system of place value
- iii. Adopt the ways of extension up to thousandths and so on, and compare the relative sizes

# Making Decision of Operations on Situations with Several Steps and Integrate them in One Expression and Think about the Order of Calculations and Produce the Rule (PEMDAS)

Finding the easier ways of calculations using the idea of various rules of calculations<sup>5</sup> such as the associative, commutative and distributive rule

- Find the easier ways of addition and subtraction and use it, if necessary, such as answer is the same
  if add same number to the subtrahend and minuend
- ii. Find the easier ways of multiplication and division and use them in convenient ways such as 10 times of multiplicand produce the product 10 times
- iii. Use associative, commutative and distributive rules of addition and multiplication for easier ways of calculation, however commutative property does not work in subtraction and division
- iv. Appreciate the use of simplifying rules of calculations

Thinking about the order of calculations in situations and produce rules and order of operations

- i. Integrate several steps of calculation into one mathematical sentence
- ii. Produce the rule of PEMDAS and apply it to the several steps situation
- iii. Think about the easier order of calculation and acquiring fluency of PEMDAS and rules with appreciation

#### Producing the Standard Algorithm Using Vertical Form Division with Whole Numbers

Knowing the properties of division and use it for easier way of calculation

- i. Find the easier ways of division and use it, if necessary, such as answer is the same if multiplying the same number to the dividend and divisor
- ii. For confirmation of answer of division, use the relationship among divisor, quotient and remainder and appreciate the relationship

Knowing the algorithm of division in vertical form and acquiring fluency

- i. Know the division algorithm with tentative quotient and confirm the algorithm by the relationship among divisor, quotient and remainder
- ii. Interpret meaning of quotient and remainder in situations
- iii. Acquire fluency for division algorithm up to 3-digit whole number divided by 2-digit
- iv. Think about situations with or without remainder in relation to situations for quotative and partitive division

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Under the three digit system, if we teach until thousandths we can extend by three digit

 $<sup>^{5}</sup>$  In measurement and relations, Use of constant sum, difference, product and quotient are described. (e.g. 25 - 21 = 4, 26 - 22 = 4, 27 - 23 = 4)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Discussion of decimals to hundredths is related to the use of money. It is a minimum requirement. If teaching to hundredths, further extension of place value can be understood.

#### Extending the Vertical Form Addition and Subtraction with Decimals to Hundredths

Extending the vertical form addition and subtraction in decimals to hundredths

- i. Extend the vertical form addition and subtraction to hundredths place and explain it with models
- ii. Appreciate the use of addition and subtraction of decimals in their life

# Extending the Vertical Form Multiplication and Division with Decimals and Find the Appropriate Place Value Such as Product, Quotient and Remainder

Extending the multiplication from the whole number to decimal numbers

- i. Extend the meaning of multiplication with the idea of measurement by the number of unit length for multiplication of decimal numbers and use diagrams such as number lines to explain them with appreciation in situations
- Extend the vertical forms multiplication of decimals up to 3 digits by 2 digits with consideration of the decimal places step by step
- Obtain fluency using multiplication of decimals with sensible use of calculators in learners' life
- Develop number sense in multiplication of decimals<sup>7</sup> such as comparing sizes of products before iv. multiplying

Extending the division from the whole number to decimal numbers

- Understand how to represent division situations using diagrams such as number lines, and extend i. the diagram of decimal numbers for explaining division by decimal numbers
- Extend the division algorithm in vertical form of decimal numbers and interpret the meaning of decimal places of quotient and remainder with situations
- Acquire fluency in division algorithm of decimals up to 3 digits by 2 digits with consideration of iii. decimal places step by step
- Obtain fluency using division of decimals with sensible use of calculators in learners' life iv.
- Develop number sense of division in decimals such as comparing sizes of quotient before multiplying
- vi. Distinguish the situations with decimal numbers of multiplication and division

#### **Using Multiples and Divisors for Convenience**

Using multiples and divisors for convenience with appreciation to enrich number sense

- Understand set of numbers by using multiples and divisors i.
- Find common multiples and appreciate the use in situations, and enrich number sense with figural ii. representations such as arrangement of rectangles to produce a square
- Find common divisor and appreciate its use in situations, and enrich number sense with figural iii. representations such as dividing a rectangle into pieces of square
- Understand numbers as composite of multiplication of numbers as factors8. iv.
- Appreciate ideas of prime, even and odd numbers in situations using multiples and divisors V.
- Acquire the sense of numbers to see the multiples and divisors for convenience vi.

#### Introducing Improper and Mixed Fractions and Extending to Addition and Subtraction of Fractions to **Dissimilar Fractions**

Extending fractions to improper, mixed and equivalent fractions

i. Extend fractions to improper and mixed fractions using number line of more than one by measuring with unit fraction9

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Applying the idea of multiplication into ratio, percent and proportion is discussed in Measurement and Relations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> This idea is related to the strand on Measurement and Relations in key stage 2 at the area of rectangle.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Extension of fraction more than one is done by using the fraction with quantity for situation such as  $\frac{4}{2}$  m

- Find ways to determine equivalent fractions with number lines and with the idea of multiple of numerator and denominator
- iii. Compare fractions using number line and the idea of multiple

Extending addition and subtraction of similar fractions to improper and mixed fractions, and dissimilar fractions

- Extend addition and subtraction of similar fractions to proper and mixed fractions with explanations using models and diagrams
- ii. Extend addition and subtraction into dissimilar fractions with explanations using diagrams and common divisors
- iii. Acquire fluency of addition and subtraction of fractions with appreciation of idea to produce the same denominators

#### Extending Fractions as Numbers and Integrate<sup>10</sup>

Seeing fractions<sup>11</sup> as decimals and seeing decimals as fractions

- i. See fractions as decimals using division and define quotient from the case of indivisible
- ii. See decimals as fractions such as hundredths is per hundred
- iii. Compare decimals and fractions and ordering them on a number line

#### **Extending Multiplication and Division to Fractions**

Extending multiplication to fraction

- Extend multiplication situations to fraction using diagrams such as number lines, and find the simple algorithm for the multiplication of fractions step by step
- ii. Acquire fluency with multiplication of fractions
- iii. Develop number sense<sup>12</sup> of multiplication of fractions such as comparing sizes of products before multiplying

#### Extending division to fraction

- i. Extend the division to fraction with situations using diagrams such as number lines step by step
- ii. Acquire fluency with division of fractions
- ii. Develop number sense of division of fractions such as comparing sizes of quotients before dividing

# **Strand: Measurement and Relations**

Additive quantity such as angles, areas and volume and relational quantities such as population density, and speed are introduced. Additive quantity can be introduced by establishment of the standard unit which is the same way as the Quantity and Measurement of Key Stage 1. Relations of quantities in situations are discussed with patterns such as sum is constant, difference is constant, product is constant and quotient is constant using tables and represented by mathematical sentences and letters. Proportion and ratio are introduced with representations of diagrams, graphs and tables for multiplication, and connected with decimals and fractions. Percent is introduced with diagrams in relation to ratio and proportion. Relational quantity is produced by different quantities with understanding of ratio. Area of a circle is discussed through a proportional relationship between radius and the circumference. Ideas of ratio and proportion are fluently applied for real world problem solving.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Selecting the appropriate denomination of quantities and units for fraction in the context ( $\frac{2}{3}m$  is two of  $\frac{1}{3}m$  and the whole is 1m, howeve  $\frac{3}{3}m$  is  $3x(\frac{1}{3})m$ ; the structure is the same as tens is ten of units and discussed under Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Fraction as ratio is introduced in Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Applying the idea of the multiplication of fraction into ratio, proportion, percentage and base is discussed in Measurement and Relations

#### Topics:

Introducing Angle and Measuring it **Exploring and Utilising Constant Relation** Extending Measurement of Area in Relation to Perimeter Extending Measurement of Volume in Relation to Surface Approximating with Quantities Extending Proportional Reasoning to Ratio and Proportion Producing New Quantities Per Unit Investigating the Area of a Circle **Exchanging Local Currencies in ASEAN Community** Extending the Relation of Time and Use of Calendar Converting Quantities in Various System of Units Showing Relationship Using Venn Diagram

#### Introducing Angle and Measuring It13

Introducing angle by rotation, enabling measure and acquire fluency using the protractor

- i. Compare extent of rotation and introduce degree as a unit for measuring angle
- ii. Recognise right angle is 90 degrees, and adjacent angle of two right angles is 180 degrees, and 4 right angles is 360 degrees
- iii. Acquire fluency in measuring angles using the protractor
- Draw equivalent angles with addition and subtraction using multiples of 90 degrees iv.
- Appreciate measurement of angles in geometrical shapes and situations in life<sup>14</sup>

# **Exploring and Utilising Constant Relation**

Exploring equal constant relation with utilisation of letters to represent placeholders<sup>15</sup>

- i. Explore two possible unknown numbers such that their sum (or difference/product/quotient) is constant, <sup>16</sup> for example  $\Box + \Delta = 12$  ( $\Box$  and  $\Delta$  are placeholders).
- Use letters instead of placeholder<sup>17</sup> (empty box)to derive equivalent relation ii.
- Understand the laws for operations (e.g. associative, commutative and distributive etc.) to explain the simpler way of calculation
- Appreciate the use of diagrams such as number lines and area to represent relation when finding solutions

#### **Extending Measurement of Area in Relation to Perimeter**

Introducing area and produce formula for the area of a rectangle

- i. Compare extent of area and introduce its unit, and distinguish it from perimeter
- Introduce one square centimetre as a unit for area and its operation using addition and subtraction ii.
- Investigate area of rectangles and squares and produce the formula of area<sup>18</sup> iii.
- Extend square centimetre to square metre and to square kilometre for measure of large areas iv.
- Convert units and use appropriate units of area with fluency V.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Right angle is learned at key stage 1 in Shapes, Figures and Solids for explaining the properties of figures

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Conservation of angles will be re-learnt in triangle under key stage 2 Plane Figures and Space Figures

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> The idea for the use of Numbers and Operations (key stage 2) in finding the easier ways of calculations with the idea of rules of calculations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Constants of multiplication and division, corresponds proportionality in multiplication table at key stage 1 under number and operations. Constant of addition and subtraction are treated in key stage 1 under Pattern and Data Representation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Place holder is introduced in key stage 1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Multiplications were studied in Key stage 1 Numbers and Operations

- vi. Draw the equivalent size of rectangular area based on a given area with the composite numbers19
- vii. Appreciate the use of areas in learners' daily life such as comparing of land sizes.

Extending area of a rectangle to other figures to derive formulae

- Explore and derived formula for the area of a parallelogram by changing its shape to rectangle without changing its area
- ii. Explore and derived formula for the area of a triangle by bisecting a rectangle into two triangles without changing its area
- iii. Appreciate the idea of changing or dividing shapes of rectangle, parallelogram, or/and triangle for deriving the area of other figures
- iv. Use formulae to calculate areas in daily life

#### **Extending Measurement of Volume in Relation to Surface**

Introducing volume from area and derive formula for cuboid

- i. Compare the extent of volume and introduce its unit, and distinguish it from surface
- ii. Introduce one cubic centimetre as unit for volume and its addition and subtraction
- iii. Investigate volume of cuboid and cube and produce the formulas
- iv. Extend cubic centimetre to cubic metre to measure large volume
- v. Convert units and use appropriate units of volume with fluency
- vi. Appreciate the use of volume in their life such as comparison of capacity of containers

Extending volume of cuboid to other solid figures to derive formula

- i. Extend the formula for the volume of a cuboid as base area x height for exploring solid figures such as prism and cylinder
- ii. Extend the formula for the volume of a prism and a cylinder to explore and derive the volume formula of pyramid and cone
- iii. Use the formulas to calculate volume in daily life

# **Approximating with Quantities**

Approximating numbers with quantities depending on the necessity of contexts

- i. Understand the ways of rounding such as round off, round up and round down
- ii. Use rounding as approximation for making decision on the quantity with related context
- iii. Critique over approximation beyond the context with a sense of quantity such as based on relative size of a unit

#### Extending Proportional Reasoning to Ratio<sup>20</sup> and Proportion

Extending proportional reasoning to ratio and percent

- i. Understand ratio as a relationship between two same quantities or between two different quantities (the later idea is rate)<sup>21</sup>
- ii. Express the value of ratio by quotient such as the rate of two different quantities<sup>22</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> The idea of composite numbers such as 2 times 10 equals 5 times 4 is related to factors in extending the numbers and operations at the same key stage 2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Band graph and pie chart for representing ratio are discussed under key stage 2 under the strand Data Handling and Graphs <sup>21</sup> Ratio of different quantities is a rate. Ratio of the same quantities is a narrow meaning of ratio.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> The value of fraction as a ratio is not necessary a part of a whole in situations. Fraction as a ratio is usually used in the context of multiplication situation, where denominator is the base or a unit for comparison.

- iii. Understand percent as the value of ratio with the same quantities<sup>23</sup>
- iv. Understand proportion with ratio
- Apply the rule of three<sup>24</sup> in using ratio

#### Extending proportional reasoning to proportion

- Extend proportional reasoning to multiplication tables as an equal ratio and understand i. proportions
- ii. Understand proportion using multiple and constant quotient, not changing the value of ratio<sup>25</sup>
- Demonstrate simple inverse proportion by constant product<sup>26</sup>
- Express proportion in mathematical sentence using letters and graph<sup>27</sup> iv.
- Use properties of proportionality to predict and explain phenomenon in daily life

#### **Producing New Quantities by Per Unit**

Producing new quantities by per unit with the idea of average such as population density and speed

- Introduce average as a unit for distribution and comparison of different sets of values
- Introduce population density with the idea of average and appreciate it for comparison ii.
- Introduce speed with the idea of average and appreciate it for comparison
- Appreciate using diagrams such as number lines and tables to decide the operations situations of measurement per unit quantity
- Comparing on the context of different quantities with the idea of average as rate<sup>28</sup> V.
- Apply the idea of measurement per unit quantity in different context<sup>29</sup> vi.

# Investigating the Area of Circle

Areas of a circle are discussed through the relationship between the radius and circumference.

- Investigate relationship between the diameter of a circle and its circumference using the idea of i. proportion
- Investigate area of a circle by transforming into a triangle or parallelogram and find the formula of the ii. circle
- Estimate the area of a inscribed and out scribed shapes based on known formula of areas<sup>30</sup> iii.
- Enjoy to estimate the area of irregular shapes with fluency in life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Percent is used in Data Handling and Graphs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Rule of three is the method on the table to find one unknown term from the three known terms using proportional reasoning such as;

 $<sup>^{25}</sup>$  Enlargement is discussed in Key stage 2 under Plane Figures and Space Figures. The graph is treated at key stage 2 under the strand Data Handling and Graphs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> Proportion and Inverse proportion is necessary in Key stage 3 in science

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> This will be discussed in detail in same key stage 2 under Data Handling and Graphs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> On number and operations key stage 2, rate is the value of division as quotient

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Using measurement per unit quantity with fluency to make logical judgment in daily life, refer to Key stage 2 Data Handling and Graphs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Relationship on polygons and circles are discussed in Key stage 2 under Plane Figures and Space Figures

# **Exchanging Local Currency with Currency in ASEAN Community**

Exchanging local currency in ASEAN community with the idea of rate

- i. Extend the use of ratio for currency exchange (rate of exchange)
- ii. Apply the four operations for money in appropriate notation in life
- iii. Appreciate the value of money

# Extending the Relation of Time and Use of Calendar in Life

Extending the relation of time and use of calendar in life

- i. Convert time in 12-hour system with abbreviation a.m. and p.m. to 24-hour system and vice versa
- ii. Investigate the numbers in calendar to relate days, weeks, months and year using the idea of number patterns
- iii. Appreciate the significance of various calendars in life

#### **Converting Quantities in Various System of Units**

Converting measurement quantities based on international and non-international system with the idea of base 10

- Convert measurement system of metre and kilogram with prefixes deci-, centi-, and milli-, and with deca-, hecto-, and kilo-
- ii. Convert measurement system of litre with cubic centimetre
- iii. Convert measurement system of area using are (a) and hectare (ha) with square meter
- iv. Convert measurement of local quantities with standard quantities
- v. Understand the unit system with power, such as metre, square metre and cubic metre

#### **Showing Relationship Using Venn Diagram**

Using Venn diagram to show relationships of numbers and figures

- Show relationship of squares, rectangles, rhombus, parallelogram, trapezoid and quadrilateral by using a Venn diagram
- ii. Show relationship of numbers

#### Strand: Plane Figures and Space Figures

Through tessellation, figures can be extended through plane figures. Parallelogram and perpendicular lines are tools to explain properties of triangles and quadrilaterals as plane figures. They are also needed for identifying and recognising symmetry and congruency. Plane figures are used to produce solids in space and vice versa. Opening faces of solids would produce plane figures which are referred as nets. Activities related to building solids from plane figures are emphasized and encouraged to facilitate finding the area of a circle through numerous sectors of the circle to construct a rectangle. Circles are used for explaining the nets of cylinders.

#### Topics:

Exploring Figures with their Components in the Plane Exploring Solids with their Components in Relation to the Plane Exploring Figures with Congruence, Symmetry and Enlargement

#### **Exploring Figures with their Components in the Plane**

Exploring figures with their components in the plane and use properties

- Examine parallel lines and perpendicular lines by drawing with instruments i.
- Examine quadrilaterals using parallel and perpendicular lines, and identify parallelogram, rhombus, trapezium through discussion
- Find properties of figures through tessellations such as a triangle where the sum of the angles is 180 degree, a straight angle
- Extend figures to polygons and expand it to circles with knowing and using its properties iv.

#### Exploring Solids with their Components in Relation to the Plane

Exploring rectangular prisms and cubes with their components

- Identify relationship among faces, edges and vertices for drawing sketch
- Explore nets of rectangular prism and find the corresponding position between components
- Explore the perpendicularity and parallelism between faces of a rectangular prism
- Explain positions in rectangular prisms with the idea of 3 dimensions

Extending rectangular prism to others solids such as prisms and cylinders

- i. Extend the number of relationships among faces, edges and vertices for drawing sketch
- Explore nets of prisms and cylinders, and find the corresponding position between components ii.
- iii. Distinguish prism and cylinder by the relationship of their faces

#### **Exploring Figures with Congruence, Symmetry and Enlargement**

Exploring the properties of congruence

- i. Explore properties of figures which overlap and identify conditions of congruency with corresponding points and sides
- Draw congruent figures using minimum conditions and confirm by measuring angles and sides ii.
- Appreciate the power of congruent figures by tessellation

Exploring the properties of symmetry

- Explore the properties of figures which reflect and identify conditions of symmetry with line and its i. correspondence
- ii. Draw symmetrical figures using conditions in appropriate location
- Appreciate the power of symmetry in designs

Exploring the properties of enlargement<sup>31</sup>

- Explore properties of figures in finding the centre of enlargement in simple case such as a rectangle i.
- Draw enlargement of rectangle using ratio (multiplication of the value of ratio)<sup>32</sup> ii
- Appreciate the power of enlargement in interpretation of map

#### Strand: Data Handling and Graphs

The process of simple data handling is introduced through data representation such as using table, bar graph, line graph, bar chart and pie chart. Graphs are utilised depending on the qualitative and quantitative data used such as bar graph is for distinguishing and counting in every category. The discussion of producing the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> General case will be discussed in key stage 3, space and geometry

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Ratio and rate is discussed in key stage 2 under measurement and relations

line graph includes taking data at specific intervals, suitable scale used and slope. Histogram is necessary for interpreting the data representation of social study and science, and is also used as a special type of bar graph. Average is introduced based on the idea of ratio for making the dispersion of bar chart even, and used for summarising and comparing data on a table. Problem-Plan-Data-Analysis-Conclusion (PPDAC) cycles are experienced through the process of data handling by using those data representation skills. Those skills are necessary for learning of sustainable development.

#### **Topics**

Arranging Tables for Data Representations Drawing and Reading Graphs for Analysing Data Using Graphs in PPDAC Cycle (Employing the Problem-Plan-Data-Analysis-Conclusion) appropriately Applying Data Handling for Sustainable Development

#### **Arranging Tables for Data Representations**

- i. Explore how to collect multi category data based on a situation
- Explore how to arrange and read multi category data on appropriate tables.
- Appreciate the using of multi category tables in situations iii.

# **Drawing and Reading Graphs for Analysing Data**

Drawing and reading line graphs for knowing the visualised pattern as tendency

- i. Introduce line graphs based on appropriate situations such as rainfall, temperature and others
- ii. Distinguish line graph from bar graph for observation such as increase, decrease, and no-change
- iii. Introduce the graph of proportion using the idea of line graph and read the gradient by constant ratio33
- Appreciate the line graph in various situations iv.

Drawing and reading band graph and pie chart for representing ratio in a whole.34

- i. Explore how to scale the bar or circle for representing ratio or percent
- ii. Use the band graph and pie chart for comparison of different groups
- iii. Appreciate the band graph and pie chart in a situation.

Reading histogram<sup>35</sup> for analysing frequency distribution.

- i. Draw a simple histogram<sup>36</sup> from frequency table on situations
- ii. Read various histograms for analysing data distribution
- Use mean<sup>37</sup> to compare different groups in the same situation with histograms

#### Using Graphs in PPDAC38 Cycle Appropriately

Identifying appropriate graphs for data handling in PPDAC cycle

Critique a situation and discuss the expectation before taking data for proper clarification of the objective

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> Proportions are learnt in the key stage 2 under Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Ratio is learnt under Key stage 2 Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> How to draw histogram is discussed in Key stage 3 under Statistics and Probability. Reading histograms is necessary in Social studies and science

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> Using ICT for drawing graph will be mentioned in mathematical activities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> Mean is introduced as average in key stage 2 under Measurement and Relations

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> PPDAC itself will be described in the mathematical activities later.

- ii Plan the survey for the expectation
- Take the data based on the objective of the situation
- Use appropriate graphical representation which is most suitable for the objective iv.
- Appreciate the use of graphs before making a conclusion

#### Applying Data Handling for Sustainable Living

Applying data handling for sustainable development39 and appreciate the power of data handling for predicting the future

- Read data related to sustainable development such as emergency preparedness and resiliency, food and energy security, world weather warming, inclusion and human connectivity in society, and lifelong learning in the changing society such as TVET (Technical and Vocational and Training) and adopting positive views for changing the society.
- Understand the idea of probability as ratio and percentage in reading the data for situations related to sustainable development such as weather report and risk analysis
- Experience a project of reasonable size in data handling purposes for sustainable development and appreciate the power of data handling

# Strand: Mathematical Processes - Humanity

As a follow up of Key Stage 1, activities are designed to enable an appreciation of knowledge and skills learned and the ways of learning such as applying knowledge of number sense to solve daily problems. Mathematical processes such as communication, reasoning are used to provide explanation for mathematical problems and modelling. The ability to connect and reason mathematical ideas would trigger an excitement among learners. Discussions of misconceptions are usually enjoyable and challenging. Mathematics learning usually begins from situations at Key Stage 1. In Key Stage 2, the development of mathematics is possible through the discussions for the extension of the forms. Appreciation of ideas and representations learned become part of the enjoyable activities. Through the consistent use of representations such as diagrams, application of learning becomes meaningful.

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning and conjecturing for extension of operations into decimals and fractions with proportionality and new quantities such as area and volume

Enjoying measuring through settings and using the area and volume in situations

Using ratio and rate in situations

Using number lines, tables, and area diagrams for representing operations and relations in situations Establishing the idea of proportion to integrate various relations with consistency of representations Enjoying tiling with various figures and blocks

Producing valuable explanation based on established knowledge, shareable representations and examples Performing activities of grouping and enjoy representing with Venn diagram

Experiencing PPDAC (Problem-Plan-Data Analysis-Conclusion) cycle and modelling cycle in simple projects in life

Preparing sustainable life with number sense and mathematical representations

Utilizing ICT tools as well as notebooks and other technological tools

Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of community using mathematics

Enjoying problem solving through various questioning and conjecturing for extension of operations into decimals and fractions with proportionality and new quantities such as area and volume<sup>40</sup>

- i. Pose questions to develop division algorithm in vertical form using multiplication and subtraction
- ii. Pose questions to develop multiplication and division of decimal numbers using the idea of proportionality with tables and number lines

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> This standard which is related to SDG as inter subject content between social studies and science

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> This is connected to the three strands, Extension of Numbers and Operations, Measurement and Relations, and Plane Figures and Space Figures.

- Pose questions to develop multiplication and division of fractions using the idea of proportionality with tables, area diagrams and number lines
- ii. Pose questions to extend multiplication and division algorithm in vertical form to decimal numbers and discuss about decimal points
- iii. Pose questions to use decimals and fractions in situations
- iv. Pose questions to use area and volume in life
- v. Pose questions to use ratio and rate in life
- vi. Pose conjectures based on ideas learned such as when multiplying, the answer becomes larger

Enjoying measuring through settings and using the area and volume in situations

- i. Compare directly and indirectly areas and volumes
- ii. Set tentative units from difference for measuring area and volume<sup>41</sup>
- iii. Give the formula for the area and volume for counting units
- iv. Use measurement for communication in daily life

Using ratio and rate in situations<sup>42</sup>

- i. Understand division as partitive (between different quantities) and quotative (between same quantity) in situations
- ii. Develop the idea of ratio and rate utilizing the idea of average and per unit with tables and number lines
- iii. Communicate using the idea of population density and velocity in life

Using number lines, tables, and area diagrams for representing operations and relations in situations<sup>43</sup>

- i. Represent proportionality on number lines with the idea of multiplication tables
- ii. Use number lines, tables, and area diagrams for explaining operations and relations of proportionality in situations

Establishing the idea of proportion to integrate various relations with consistency of representations<sup>44</sup>

- i. Use the idea of proportion as the relation of various quantities in life
- ii. Identify through the idea of proportion using tables, letters, and graphs
- iii. Adopt the idea of proportion to angles, arcs and area of circles
- iv. Adopt the idea of proportion to area and volume
- v. Adopt the idea of proportion to enlargement
- vi. Use ratio for data handling such as percent and understand the difficulties to extend it to proportion

Enjoying tiling with various figures and blocks<sup>45</sup>

- i. Appreciate to produce parallel lines with tessellation of figures
- ii. Explain the properties of figures in tessellations by reflections, rotations and translations
- iii. Develop nets from solids and explain the properties of solids by each of the component figures
- iv. Use the idea of tiling for calculating the area and volume

Producing valuable explanations based on established knowledge, shareable representations and examples

- i. Establish the habit of explanation by referring to prior learning and ask questions using terms such as why, how, what, if and if not, and reply using examples and 'for example' in discussion
- ii. Assessing the appropriateness of explanations using representations such as generality, simplicity and clarity

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Euclidean algorithm is a method of finding the largest common divisor of two numbers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Ratio and proportion bridge multiplication and division in situation of two quantities with reference to Extension of Numbers and Operations and Measurement and Relations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> This is a bridge to the Extension of Numbers and Operations and Measurement and Relations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Bridge to the three strands, Measurement and Relations, Plane Figures and Space Solids and Data Handling and Graphs.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> Connected to the two strands, Measurement and Relations, and Plane Figures and Space Solids

- iii. Use other's ideas to produce better understanding
- iv. Use inductive reasoning for extending formulas

Performing activities of grouping and enjoy representing with Venn diagram

- Use the idea of Venn diagram for social study
- ii Understand classifications based on characteristics and represent by using Venn diagrams

Experiencing PPDAC (Problem-Plan-Data-Analysis-Conclusion) cycle and modelling cycle in simple projects in life

- i. Understand the problem of context
- ii. Plan appropriate strategies to solve the problem
- Gather data and analyse using appropriate methods and tools
- Draw conclusion with justification based on data analysis

Preparing sustainable life with number sense and mathematical representations<sup>46</sup>

- i. Use minimum and sequential use of resources in situations
- ii. Use data with number sense such as order of quantity and percentage for the discussion of matters related to sustainable development
- iii. Estimate the efficient use of resources in situations
- Maximize the use of resources through appropriate arrangement in a space such as a room iv.
- Understand "equally likely" of resources in situations

Utilising ICT tools as well as notebooks and other technological tools

- i. Use internet data for the discussion of matters related to sustainable development
- Distinguish appropriate or inappropriate qualitative and quantitative data for using ICT ii.
- Use calculators for organizing data such as average iii.
- Use calculators for operations in necessary context
- Use projectors for sharing ideas as well as board writing
- Eniov using of notebooks to exchange learning experiences between each other such as in mathematics journal writing
- Use protractors, triangular compasses, straight edges, clinometers for drawing and measuring
- viii. Use the idea of proportionality to use mechanism such as rotate once and move twice (wheels, gears)
- ix. Use various tools for conjecturing and justifying

Promoting creative and global citizenship for sustainable development of community using mathematics

- Utilise notebooks, journal books and appropriate ICT tools to record and find good ideas and share i.
- Prepare and present ideas using posters and projectors to promote good practices in the community
- Listen to other's ideas and ask questions for better designs
- Utilize information, properties, models and visible representations as the basis for reasoning
- Utilize practical arts, home economics and outdoor studies to investigate local issues for improving welfare of life

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> It is related to Numbers and Operations, Pattern and Data Representations and Quantity and Measurement all under Key Stage 1.







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