



MILITARY TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE

GFP EXIT EXAM PRE-SCREENING SPECIMEN PAPER

Module name	Basic Mathematics	Module code	MTCG1016
Total Questions	25	Duration of exam	60 Minutes

Instructions:

- Use of only non- programmable calculators is allowed.
- The figures shown, if any, are only for illustration.
- **This exam carries 100% of the overall module mark.**

Circle the correct answer in the following questions. ✎

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Each question carries 4 marks.

[Total Marks 100]

1) Which number is a **rational number**?

a) $\sqrt{3}$	b) 1.73205087	c) $\frac{-3}{5}$
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2) Simplify $(-3)^2 - (2)(-2)^2 + (-5)$

a) - 4	b) - 6	c) 12
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3) **Cardinality** of the set of even prime numbers is ...

a) 2	b) 1	c) ∞
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4) In a class of 150 students, 60 like music, 110 like sports and 35 like both music and sports.
How many students like sports but not music?

a) 90	b) 75	c) 115
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5) Find the greatest number which divides 44 and 68 leaving 8 as the remainder?

a) 12	b) 6	c) 18
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6) Two numbers have **HCF of 15** and **LCM of 300**. If one of the number is 60 , what is the second number?

a) 75	b) 90	c) 45
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7) How many significant figures are there in **0.00013** ?

a) 6	b) 5	c) 2
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8) Simplify $\frac{2x^0}{3-1}$

a) $\frac{2}{-3}$	b) 6	c) $\frac{3}{2}$
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9) Simplify $\left(\frac{27x^6y^3}{3x^{-2}y^2}\right)^2$

a) $81x^8y^2$	b) $9x^8y^2$	c) $81x^{16}y^2$
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10) Factorise $7x^2 - 28$

a) $7(x-2)(x+2)$	b) $7(x^2-4)$	c) $(7x+4)(7x-4)$
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11) **15** marks out of **60** as a percentage is equal to....

a) 20%	b) 15%	c) 25%
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12) **3** pipes take **60 minutes** to water the field. How long will it take **5** pipes to water the same field?

a) 36 minutes	b) 1 hour 40 minutes	c) 30 minutes
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13) Solve $2.5x - 0.3(x-4) = 10$

a) -4	b) 4	c) 5
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14) Interval notation of $-7 \leq x < 8$ is

a) $(-7, 8)$	b) $(-7, 8]$	c) $[-7, 8)$
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15) Bashar is **4** years older than Rashid. Four years from now, the sum of their ages will be **36**. How old is Bashar at present? ...

a) 16	b) 18	c) 12
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16) Solve the following equation $(x - 4)^2 - 9 = 0$

a) $x = -1$ or 7	b) $x = 1$ or 7	c) $x = -7$ or 1
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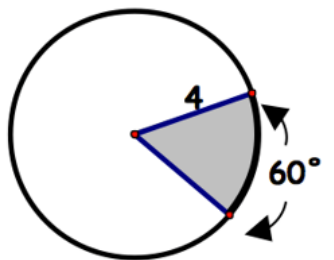
17) The solution of $4 + \sqrt{(2x + 3)} = 7$ is.....

a) $x = -3$	b) $x = 0$	c) $x = 3$
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18) The value of the angle $\frac{3\pi}{4}$ radians in degree is...

a) 125°	b) 135°	c) 270°
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19) What is the area of the shaded region?



a) 8.38 units^2	b) 480 units^2	c) 301.59 units^2
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20) The diagonal of a square is **35.355 m**. What is the length of one side of the square?

a) 25m	b) 24m	c) 23m
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21) The top of the Eiffel Tower is seen from a distance of **500 m** away from its base at an angle of **45°** . The height of the tower is..

a) 125m	b) 250m	c) 500m
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22) If the distance between the points **(5, -2)** and **(1, a)** is **5** units, then find the possible value(s) of **a** ?

a) - 5 and 2	b) 1 and - 5	c) - 1 and - 5
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23) Find the equation of a line passing through the point **(-7, 2)** and is parallel to the line **-4x + 10y = -5**

a) $y = \frac{2}{5}x + \frac{14}{5}$	b) $5y - 2x = 24$	c) $- 2x + 5y = -24$
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24) The centre of the circle **$x^2 + y^2 = 1$** is

a) (1, 1)	b) (-1, -1)	c) (0, 0)
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25) The equation of the circle with tangent **$y = -1$** and centre at **(1, 3)** is ...

a) $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 4$	b) $(x + 1)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 16$	c) $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 3)^2 = 16$
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END OF QUESTIONS

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Answer

- 1) c
- 2) a
- 3) b
- 4) b
- 5) a
- 6) a
- 7) c
- 8) b
- 9) c
- 10) a
- 11) c
- 12) a
- 13) b
- 14) c
- 15) a
- 16) b
- 17) c
- 18) b
- 19) a
- 20) a
- 21) c
- 22) b
- 23) b
- 24) c
- 25) c