

ALGEBRA - FORMULAS

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Formulae

- 1** The charge for a phone calls (in pence) is given by the formula.

$$\text{Charge} = 1.2 \times \text{minutes} \quad \text{or } C = 1.2m$$

Find the charge for these calls.

- a) 3 minutes
b) 10 minutes

- 2** The formula to convert Pounds to Euros is

$$\text{Euros} = 1.15 \times \text{Pounds} \quad \text{or } \text{€} = 1.15 \times \text{£}$$

Converts these amounts to Euros.

- a) £50 b) £200

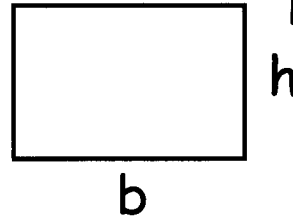
- 3** Speed = distance \div time

$$\text{Distance} = 63 \text{ miles}$$

$$\text{Time} = 3 \text{ hours.}$$

Find the speed.

- 4** Rectangle Area = bh
Perimeter = $2b + 2h$



$b = 7 \text{ cm}$ and $h = 4 \text{ cm}$. Find

- a) Area =
b) Perimeter =

- 5** Area = $bh \div 2$
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$b = 6 \text{ cm}$ and $h = 4 \text{ cm}$. Find the area

- 6** Area = $(a + b)h \div 2$
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$a = 4 \text{ cm}$, $b = 10 \text{ cm}$ and $h = 4 \text{ cm}$.

Find the area

- 7** $v = u + at$
 $u = 20$, $a = 5$ and $t = 2$. Find v .

- 8** $s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$
 $u = 10$, $a = 4$ and $t = 5$. Find s .

- 9** $s = \frac{1}{2}(u + v)t$
 $u = 10$, $v = 14$ and $t = 3$. Find s .

- 10** $F = 1.8C + 32$

F = temperature in $^{\circ}\text{F}$

C = temperature in $^{\circ}\text{C}$

- a) Find F when $C = 5^{\circ}\text{C}$
b) Find F when $C = 100^{\circ}\text{C}$

There are b bears



There are d ducks



L stands for the total number of legs

Write a formula $L =$

If $b = 5$ and $d = 3$ what does $L = ?$



there are u unicycles



there are b bikes



there are c cars (ignore spare wheel and steering wheel)

W stands for the total number of wheels. $W =$

If $u = 4$, $b = 3$ and $c = 5$ what does $W = ?$

There are



t triangular buttons



s square buttons

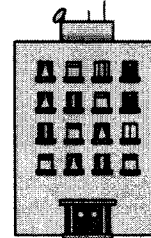


c circular buttons

H stands for the total number of holes.

$H =$

If $t = 4$, $s = 2$ and $c = 5$ what does $H = ?$



f blocks of flats



h houses

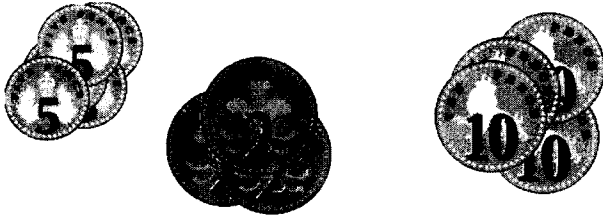


b bungalows

W stands for windows you can see. $W =$

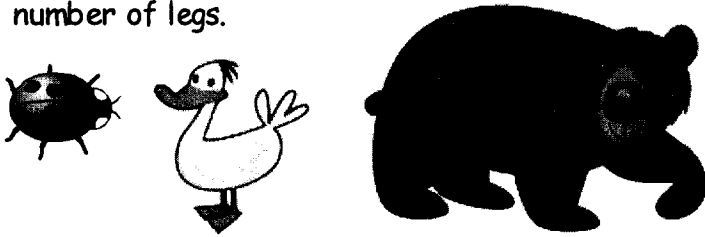
If $f = 2$, $h = 10$ and $b = 7$, what does $W = ?$

1) There are 's' 2p pieces, 't' 5p pieces and 'u' 10p pieces.
Write a formula for the total amount of money.



2) On a mobile phone tariff. John pays 11p per text and 15p per minute for a call.
He makes 'm' minutes of calls and sends 't' texts. Write a formula for the total
cost of his bill.

3) There are 'L' ladybirds, 'd' ducks and 'b' bears. Write a formula for the
total number of legs.



4) Pens cost 23p each. Pencils cost 12p. Sally buys 'p' pens and 'q' pencils.
Write a formula for the total cost of the pens and pencils.



5) Tariq has 'a' 10g weights and 'b' 20g weights. Write a formula
for the total weight he has.



6) To cook a chicken it takes 30 minutes per kg plus an extra
20 minutes. Write a formula for the total time taken to cook
a chicken weighing 'w' kg.

7) To go to the cinema it costs £4 per child and £6 per adult.
'a' adults and 'c' children go to the cinema. Write a formula for the
total cost.

8) $C = 10s + 20$ Find C when $s = 10$

9) $T = 5a + 3b$ Find T when $a=2$ and $b= 10$

10) Using the formulas you have written find the answers when

a) Qu 1 $s=4$, $t=3$ and $u=2$

b) Qu 2 $m=20$ and $t=30$

c) Qu 3 $L=2$, $d=4$ and $b=3$

d) Qu 4 $p=3$ and $q=3$

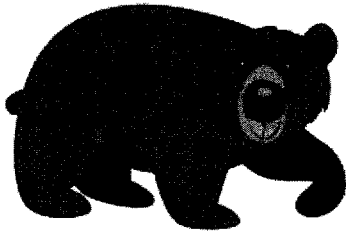
e) Qu 5 $a=3$ and $b=6$

f) Qu 6 $w=3\text{kg}$

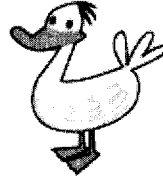
g) Qu 7 $a=2$ and $c=4$

LEGS

There are b bears



There are d ducks



L stands for the total number of legs

There are 6 bears ($b = 6$) and 3 ducks ($d = 3$). How many legs?

$L = 10$ and $b = 2$. $d = ?$

$L = 20$ and $d = 4$. $b = ?$

Write these formulas

L given b and d .

b given L and d .

d given L and b .

BUTTONS

should be t not r

There are



r triangular buttons



s square buttons

H stands for the total number of holes.

If $s = 2$ and $t = 5$ what does $H = ?$

If $H = 14$ and $t = 2$ what does $s =$

If $H = 18$ and $s = 3$ what does $t =$

Write these formulas

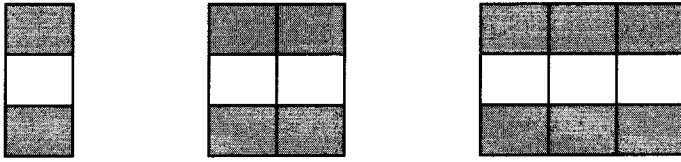
$H =$ given s and t

$s =$ given H and t

$t =$ given H and s

Formulas

1 Look at the following patterns of grey and white squares.



a) Fill in this table

White squares (w)	1	2	3	4	5	6
Grey squares (g)	2	4	6			

b) How many grey squares would there be for 10 white squares? _____

c) How many white squares would there be for 30 grey squares? _____

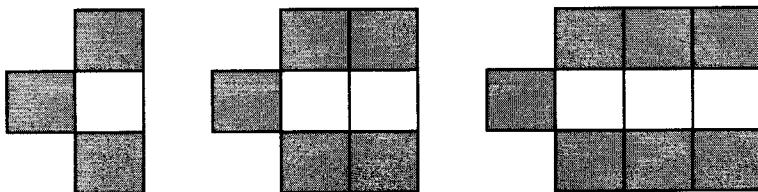
d) Write down a rule for finding the number of grey squares (g) if you know the number of white squares (w).

$$g =$$

e) Write down a rule for finding the number of white squares (w) if you know the number of grey squares (g).

$$w =$$

2 Look at the following patterns of grey and white squares.



a) Fill in this table

White squares (w)	1	2	3	4	5	6
Grey squares (g)	3	5	7			

b) How many grey squares would there be for 10 white squares? _____

c) How many white squares would there be for 41 grey squares? _____

d) Write down a rule for finding the number of grey squares (g) if you know the number of white squares (w). $g =$

e) Write down a rule for finding the number of white squares (w) if you know the number of grey squares (g). $w =$

Make x the subject of each of these formulas

1) $x + a = b$

2) $x - c = d$

3) $ex = f$

4) $\frac{x}{g} = h$

5) $\sqrt{x} = j$

6) $x^2 = k$

7) $mx + n = p$

8) $\frac{x}{q} - s = t$

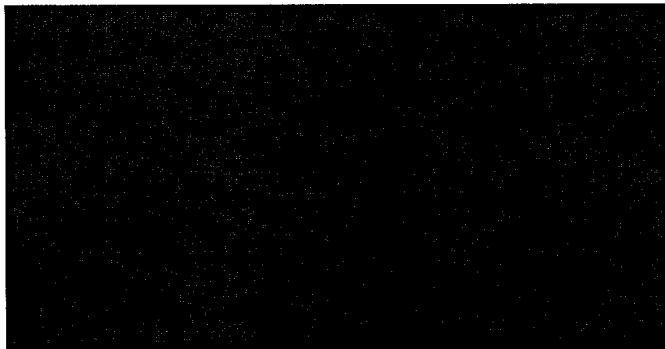
9) $ax + b^2 = c$

10) $abcx = d$

11) $4x - 9y = 8$

12) $a - x = b$

b



h

$A = \text{Area}$

$A =$

$b =$

$P = \text{Perimeter}$

$P =$

$b =$

Rearranging Formulas

Make 'x' the subject of these formulas

1) $A = x + y$

6) $y = x - 3d$

2) $s = 2x$

7) $y = 3x^2$

3) $w = 2x + y$

8) $a - x = y$

4) $d = 3x + 4y$

9) $d = \frac{x}{3} - h$

5) $e = \frac{x}{3}$

10) $y = \sqrt{x} - 2$

Make the letter in brackets the subject of these formulas. Write down what each formula is for, including defining each letter.

11) $C = \pi d$ (d)

Make x the subject for 21 and 22

12) $A = \pi r^2$ (r)

21) $ax = bx + y$

13) $V = L \times B \times H$ (L)

22) $ax - by = cx + dy$

14) $S = \frac{D}{T}$ (T)

15) $V = \pi r^2 h$ (h)

16) $V = \pi r^2 h$ (r)

17) $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$ (h)

18) $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$ (r)

19) $D = \frac{M}{V}$ (M)

20) $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$ (r)