
GCSE Mathematics

Angles in Parallel Lines

Mark Scheme - Foundation | Grades 4-5

M = method mark, A = accuracy mark (dependent on the preceding M mark), B = independent mark.

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Edexcel-style questions

Q1 Grade 4 Edexcel style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$a = 75^\circ$	B1
(a)	corresponding angles are equal	B1

Q2 Grade 4 Edexcel style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$a = 80^\circ$	B1
(a)	alternate angles are equal	B1

Q3 Grade 5 Edexcel style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$180 - 105$	M1
(a)	$a = 75^\circ$	A1
(a)	co-interior angles sum to 180°	B1

Q4 Grade 5 Edexcel style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$y = 70^\circ$ (vertically opposite angles)	B1
(a)	$180 - 70$	M1
(a)	$x = 110^\circ$ (co-interior angles)	A1

Q5 Grade 5 Edexcel style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	draw a line through M parallel to both lines	M1
(a)	$35^\circ + 40^\circ$ (alternate angles on each part of the bend)	M1
(a)	$x = 75^\circ$	A1

AQA-style questions

Q6 Grade 4 AQA style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$b = 110^\circ$	B1
(a)	corresponding angles are equal	B1

Q7 Grade 4 AQA style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$b = 55^\circ$	B1
(a)	alternate angles are equal	B1

Q8 Grade 5 AQA style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$180 - 72$	M1
(a)	$b = 108^\circ$	A1
(a)	co-interior angles sum to 180°	B1

Q9 Grade 5 AQA style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$x = 48^\circ$ (corresponding angles)	B1
(a)	$180 - 48$	M1
(a)	$y = 132^\circ$ (co-interior angles)	A1

Q10 Grade 5 AQA style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$4x - 10 = 70$ (corresponding angles are equal)	M1
(a)	$4x = 80$	M1
(a)	$x = 20$	A1

OCR-style questions

Q11 Grade 4 OCR style**Total: 2**

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$c = 65^\circ$	B1
(a)	corresponding angles are equal	B1

Q12 Grade 4 OCR style**Total: 2**

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$c = 63^\circ$	B1
(a)	alternate angles are equal	B1

Q13 Grade 5 OCR style**Total: 3**

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$180 - 118$	M1
(a)	$c = 62^\circ$	A1
(a)	co-interior angles sum to 180°	B1

Q14 Grade 5 OCR style**Total: 3**

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$x = 82^\circ$ (alternate angles)	B1
(a)	$180 - 82$	M1
(a)	$y = 98^\circ$ (co-interior angles)	A1

Q15 Grade 5 OCR style**Total: 2**

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$115^\circ + 70^\circ = 185^\circ$	M1
(a)	the lines are not parallel, because co-interior angles that sum to 180° would be needed, and $185^\circ \neq 180^\circ$	A1

Teachably-style questions

Q16 Grade 4 Teachably style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$d = 98^\circ$	B1
(a)	corresponding angles are equal	B1

Q17 Grade 4 Teachably style

Total: 2

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$d = 72^\circ$	B1
(a)	alternate angles are equal	B1

Q18 Grade 5 Teachably style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$180 - 95$	M1
(a)	$d = 85^\circ$	A1
(a)	co-interior angles sum to 180°	B1

Q19 Grade 5 Teachably style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$x = 63^\circ$ (vertically opposite angles)	B1
(a)	$180 - 63$	M1
(a)	$y = 117^\circ$ (co-interior angles)	A1

Q20 Grade 5 Teachably style

Total: 3

Part	Mark scheme	Marks
(a)	$x = 65^\circ$ (corresponding angles)	B1
(a)	the vertically opposite angle at the middle intersection is also 65° , so $180 - 65$	M1
(a)	$y = 115^\circ$ (co-interior angles)	A1

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