

GED Mathematical Reasoning

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1. The graph shows a handyman's fees, $f(x)$, in terms of the hours worked, x . The fees include a fuel charge and an hourly rate. What is the handyman's hourly rate?

- (A) \$5
 - (B) \$55
 - (C) \$30
 - (D) \$25
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2. An expression for a company's cost to make n bicycles is $-0.017n^2 - 6.8n + 690$. An expression for the revenue from selling these n bicycles is $70n$. Profit is revenue minus cost. Which is an expression for the profit for making and selling n bicycles?

- (A) $-0.017n^2 - 76.8n + 690$
 - (B) $0.017n^2 + 76.8n - 690$
 - (C) $0.017n^2 + 63.2n + 690$
 - (D) $-0.017n^2 + 63.2n + 690$
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3. Acceleration, a , in meters per second squared (m/s^2), is found by the formula $a = (V_2 - V_1)/t$ where V_1 is the beginning velocity, V_2 is the end velocity, and t is time. What is the acceleration, in m/s^2 , of an object with a beginning velocity of 14 m/s and end velocity of 8 m/s over a time of 4 seconds?

- (A) 1.5
 - (B) -1.5
 - (C) 4.5
 - (D) -12
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4. Simplify $6^2 - 3^2$

- (A) 6
 - (B) 9
 - (C) 27
 - (D) 3
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5. What is the slope of a line perpendicular to the line given by the equation $5x - 2y = -10$?

- (A) -0.4
 - (B) 25
 - (C) 52
 - (D) -2.5
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6. The owner of a small cookie shop is examining the shop's revenue and costs to see how she can increase profits. Currently, the shop has expenses of \$41.26 and \$0.19 per cookie. The shop's revenue and profit depend on the sales price of the cookies. The daily revenue is given in the graph below, where x is the sales price of the cookies and y is the expected revenue at that price. The owner has decided to take out a loan to purchase updated equipment. A bank has agreed to loan the owner \$2,000 for the purchase of the equipment at a simple interest rate of 4.69% payable annually. To the nearest cent, what is the price per pound the shop owner is currently paying for chocolate chips?

- (A) \$0.10
 - (B) \$4.38
 - (C) \$0.23
 - (D) \$4.28
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7. The number line below shows the solution set of an inequality: Which two inequalities represent the graph shown?

- (A) $-2x > 4$ and $4x < -8$
 - (B) $3x > -6$ and $x - 4 > 6$
 - (C) $4x < -8$ and $x \geq 6$
 - (D) $4x < -8$ and $x \geq 6$
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8. A figure is formed by shaded squares on a grid. Which figure has a perimeter of 12 units and an area of 8 square units?

- (A) m-18a.png
 - (B) m-18b.png
 - (C) m-18c.png
 - (D) None of the above
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9. Laura walks every evening on the edges of a sports field near her house. The field is in the shape of a rectangle 300 feet (ft) long and 200 ft wide, so 1 lap on the edges of the field is 1,000 ft. She enters through a gate at point G, located exactly halfway along the length of the field. Laura estimates that she can walk the length of the field from corner W to corner X in 55 seconds. To the nearest tenth of a mile per hour, what is her walking speed? (1 mile = 5,280 feet)

- (A) 3.7
 - (B) 5.5
 - (C) 3.4
 - (D) 5.3
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10. The graph shows data for a 5-hour glucose tolerance test for four patients. Symptoms of a patient with diabetes during a 5-hour glucose tolerance test include a high blood-glucose level that increases quickly and then decreases only minimally over the 5-hour period. Which patient displays symptoms of diabetes?

- (A) patient 2
- (B) patient 1
- (C) patient 4
- (D) patient 3