

**LABASA SANGAM (SKM) COLLEGE**

**YEAR 12**

**MATHEMATICS**

**WORKSHEET # 1**

**STRAND 1 BASIC MATHEMATICS**

1. What is  $2 \log 8 + \frac{1}{4} \log 16 - 2 \log 4$  when expressed as the logarithm of a single number equal to?

A.  $\log \frac{5}{2}$

B.  $\log 8$

C.  $\log 12$

D.  $\log 52$

(1 mark)

2. The table below shows the results of an operation  $*$  on the set  $S = \{a, b, c, d\}$

*	a	b	c	d
a	d	a	b	c
b	a	b	c	d
c	b	c	d	a
d	c	d	a	b

The identify element for the operation is

A. a

B. b

C. c

D. d

(1 mark)

3. When simplified  $\frac{3}{2+\sqrt{7}}$  is equivalent to

A.  $2 + \sqrt{7}$

B.  $2 - \sqrt{7}$

C.  $-2 - \sqrt{7}$

D.  $-2 + \sqrt{7}$  (1 mark)

4. The expression  $7\sqrt{2} + 3\sqrt{5} - 2\sqrt{2} - 6\sqrt{5}$  when simplified is equal to

A.  $10\sqrt{5} - 8\sqrt{2}$

B.  $10\sqrt{15} - 8\sqrt{15}$

C.  $5\sqrt{2} + 3\sqrt{5}$

D.  $5\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{5}$  (1 mark)



13. A new TV set costs \$690 cash. It is available on hire purchase by paying a deposit of 15% followed by 15 monthly installments of \$55.85.

- i. Calculate the deposit (1 mark)
- ii. Find the total of the installments (1 mark)
- iii. Work out the total amount to be paid (1 mark)
- iv. Which choice is better: buying on hire purchase or buying on cash? (1 mark)

14. Solve for x in  $\log_2 30 = x$ . (2 marks)

15. The table given below shows the result of a binary operation \* on set  $S = \{p, q, r, s\}$

*	p	q	r	s
p	r	s	p	Q
q	s	p	q	R
r	p	q	r	S
s	q	r	s	Q

Show that the system  $(S, *)$  is a group (2 marks)

16. If  $x = \log 2$  and  $y = \log 3$ , write the expression for  $\log 36$  in terms of x and y. (2 marks)

17.  $(27 a^{\frac{3}{4}})^{\frac{1}{3}} \times (9a^{\frac{-3}{2}}) (9a^{\frac{-3}{2}})^{\frac{-1}{2}}$  (2 marks)