Bearings - Worksheet

Skill

Group A - Drawing bearings from a point

Measure and draw the given bearings from a point P:

1) 030°

2) 045°

3) 060°

4) 095°

5) 155°

6) 205°

7) 227°

8) 259°

9) 312°

Group B - Calculating bearings around a point

(All diagrams are not to scale)

From the diagram, calculate the bearing of A from P.:

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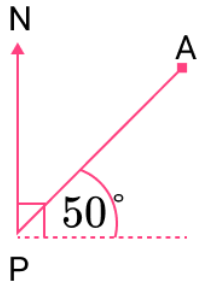

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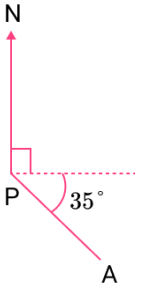

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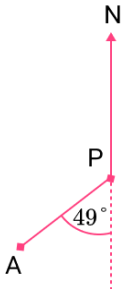

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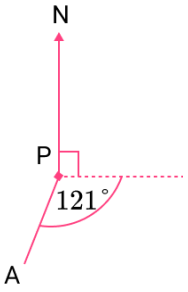

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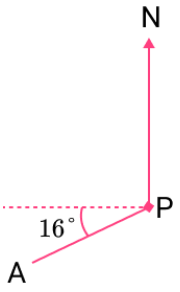

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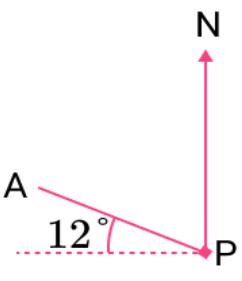

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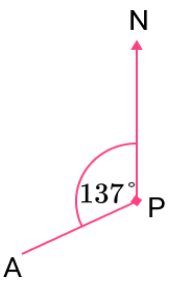

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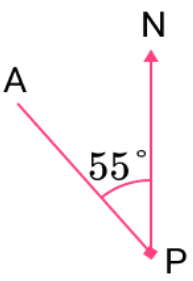

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Group C - Calculating bearing using parallel lines and/or trigonometry

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Find the required bearing:

1) The bearing of A from B is $035°$. What is the bearing of B from A?

2) The bearing of P from Q is $146°$. What is the bearing of Q from P?

3) The bearing of M from N is $192°$. What is the bearing of N from M?

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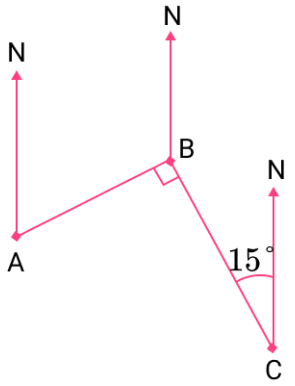

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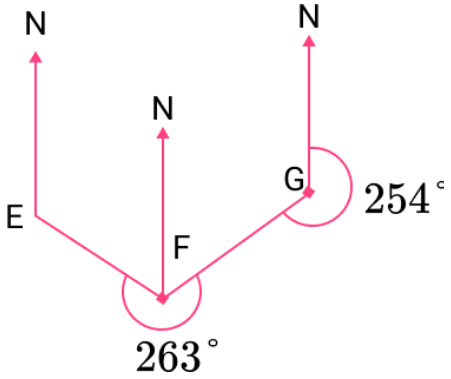

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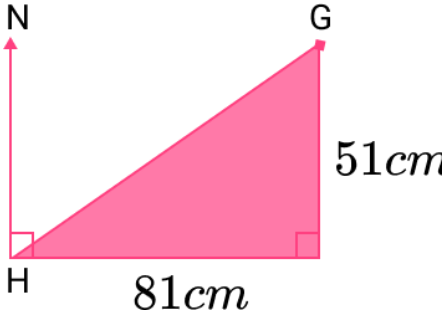
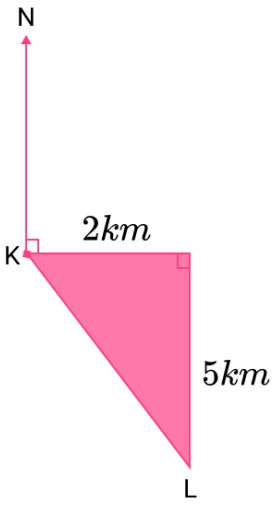
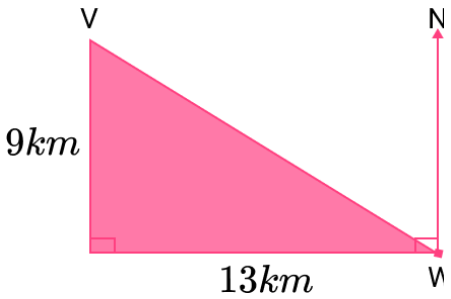


8) What is the bearing of L from K?



9) What is the bearing of V from W?



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Applied

1) Two planes P and Q, take off from an airport A. A short time after takeoff, P is $20km$ from A on a bearing of $085°$, and Q is $35km$ from A on a bearing of $200°$.

(a) Using a scale of $1: 500\ 000$, produce a scale drawing of the positions of the airport A and the planes P, Q.

(b) Measure the distance between P and Q and give the actual distance in km.

2) Airport runways around the world show the direction of the runway as a bearing depending on the direction the plane is heading to help it land.
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This runway shows 05 at one end and 23 at the other end. 05 stands for $050°$ and 23 stands for $230°$ which is the back bearing. $050° + 180° = 230°$

(a) A runway has 07 at one end. What number will be at the other end?

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3) Two hikers walk $10km$ from a cabin. One walks on a bearing of $114°$, the other walks on a bearing of $226°$.
A point M is the midpoint of the hiker's positions.

(a) What is the bearing of M from the cabin?

(b) Calculate the distance between the two hikers.

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4) A boat sails from port P for $12km$ on a bearing of $070°$ to point Q. It then immediately heads on a bearing of $160°$ to point R. The distance from R to P is $13km$.

(a) Find the distance the boat sailed from Q to R.

(b) Find the bearing of P from Q.

Bearings - Exam Questions

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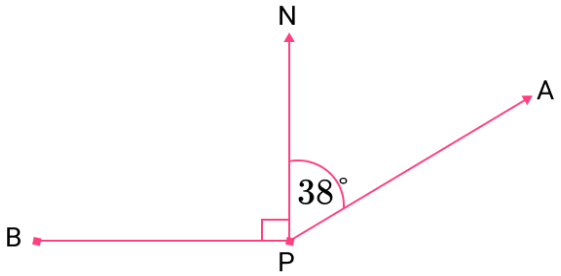

Diagram not to scale

(a) Write down the bearing of A from P.

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(1)

(b) Write the bearing of B from P.

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(1)

(2 marks)

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2) The bearing of A from B is 215°. Find the bearing of B from A.

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(2 marks)

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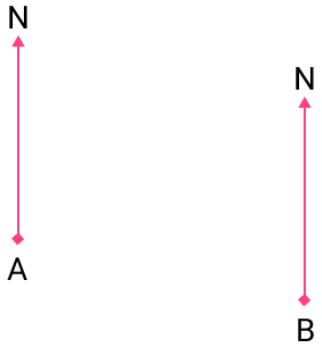
3) The point C is on a bearing of 065° from point A and on a bearing of 310° from point B. On the diagram, mark with a (x) the position of point C.



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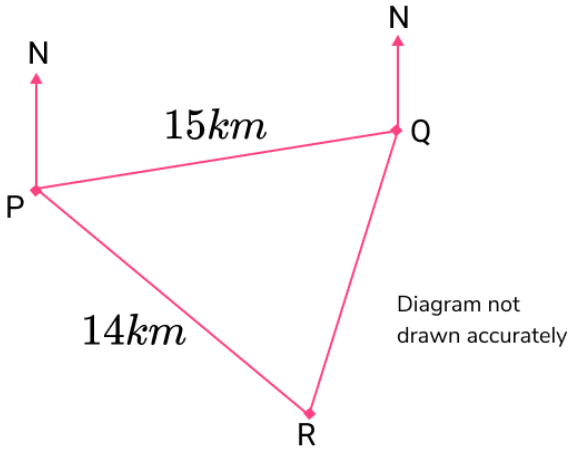
4) The diagram shows the positions of three towns labelled P, Q and R.
Q is on a bearing of $080°$ from P.
R is on a bearing of $132°$ from P.
The distance PQ is $15km$ and the distance PR is $14km$.



(a) Find the distance QR.

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(3)

(b) Find the bearing of R from Q.

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(5)

(8 marks)

Bearings - Answers

	Question	Answer
	Skill Questions	
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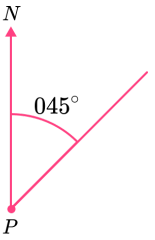
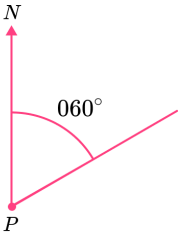
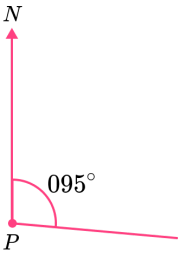
	2) 045°	**2)** 
	3) 060°	**3)** 
	4) 095°	**4)** 

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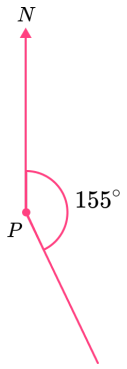
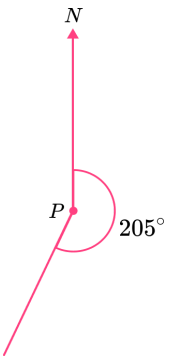
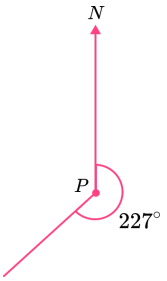
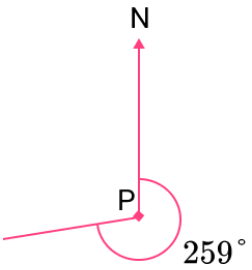
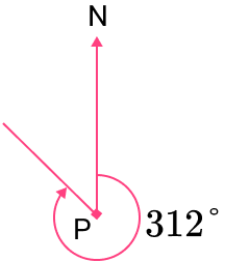
Group A contd	**5)** $155°$	**5)** 
	6) $205°$	**6)** 
	7) $227°$	**7)** 
	8) $259°$	**8)** 
	9) $312°$	**9)** 

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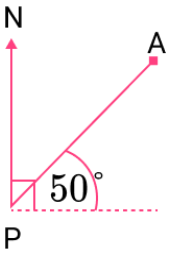
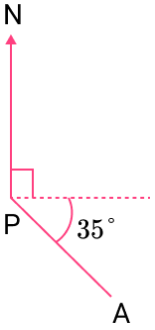
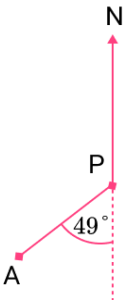
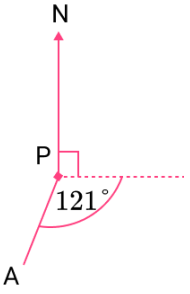
Group B	(All diagrams are not to scale) From the diagram, calculate the bearing of A from P: **1)**  **2)**  **3)**  **4)**  **5)** 	**1)** 040° **2)** 125° **3)** 155° **4)** 229° **5)** 211°

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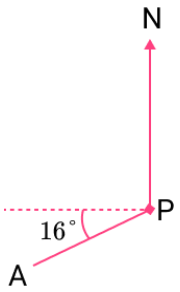
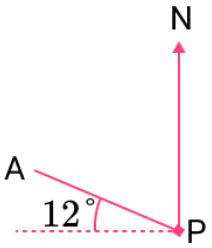
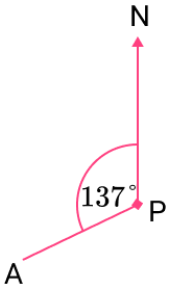
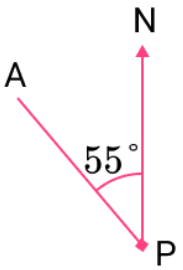
Group B contd	**6)** 	**6)** 254°
	7) 	**7)** 282°
	8) 	**8)** 223°
	9) 	**9)** 305°
Group C	Find the required bearing: **1)** The bearing of A from B is 035°. What is the bearing of B from A? **2)** The bearing of P from Q is 146°. What is the bearing of Q from P? **3)** The bearing of M from N is 192°. What is the bearing of N from M? **4)** The bearing of X from Y is 308°. What is the bearing of Y from X?	**1)** 215° **2)** 326° **3)** 012° **4)** 128°

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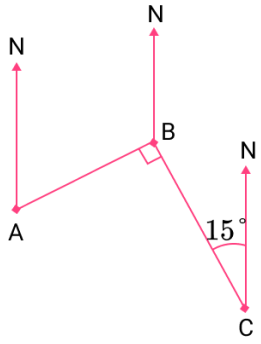
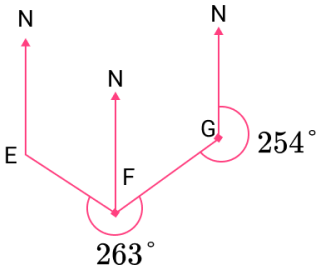
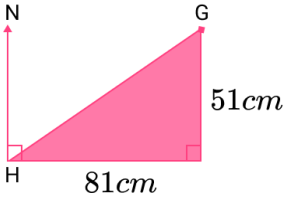
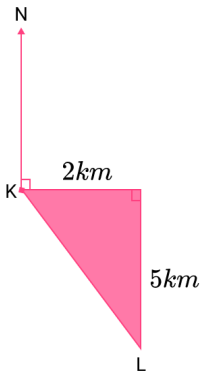
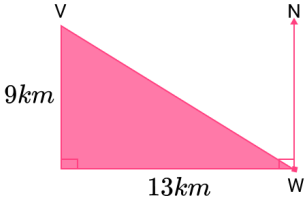
Group C contd	**5)** What is the bearing of B from A?  	**5)** 075°
	6) What is the bearing of E from F?  	**6)** 337°
	7) What is the bearing of G from H?  	**7)** 058°
	8) What is the bearing of L from K?  	**8)** 158°
	9) What is the bearing of V from W?  	**9)** 305°

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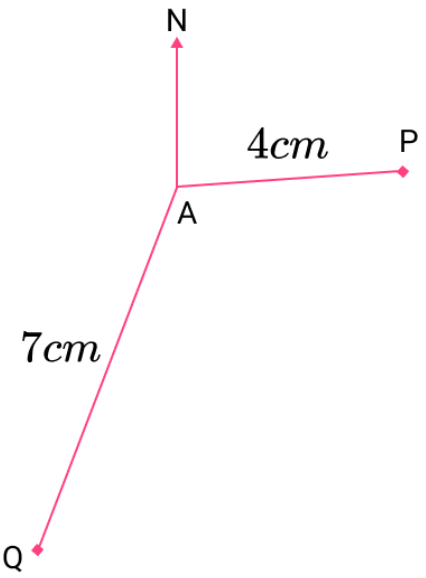
	a) Using a scale of $1:500\,000$, produce a scale drawing of the positions of the airport A and the planes P, Q.	**a)** 
	b) Measure the distance between P and Q and give the actual distance in km.	**b)** $9.4cm = 47km$
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	a) A runway has 07 at one end. What number will be at the other end?	**a)** 25
	b) A runway has 31 at one end. What number will be at the other end?	**b)** 13

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3)	Two hikers walk $10km$ from a cabin. One walks on a bearing of $114°$, the other walks on a bearing of $226°$. A point M is the midpoint of the hiker's positions. **a)** What is the bearing of M from the cabin? **b)** Calculate the distance between the two hikers.	**a)** $170°$ **b)** $16.58km$
4)	A boat sails from port P for $12km$ on a bearing of $070°$ to point Q. It then immediately heads on a bearing of $160°$ to point R. The distance from R to P is $13km$. **a)** Find the distance the boat sailed from Q to R. **b)** Find the bearing of P from Q.	**a)** $5km$ **b)** $250°$

Bearings - Mark Scheme

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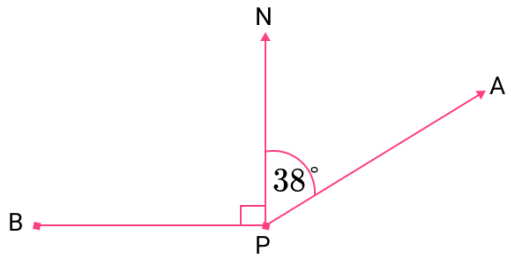
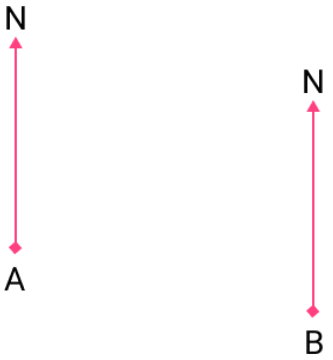
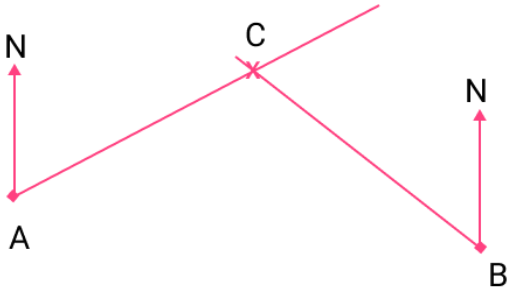
	Exam Questions		
1)	The diagram below shows the position of person A and person B in relation to person P who is facing North.  		
(a)	Write down the bearing of A from P.	**(a)** 038°	**(1)**
(b)	Write the bearing of B from P.	**(b)** 270°	**(1)**
2)	The bearing of A from B is 215°. Find the bearing of B from A.	$215 - 180$ **or** $360 - 215 = 145$ **seen** 035°	**(1)** **(1)**
3)	The point C is on a bearing of 065° from point A and on a bearing of 310° from point B. On the diagram, mark with a (x) the position of point C.  	 Correct line from A **or** correct line from B Both lines correct and (x) shown	**(1)** **(1)**

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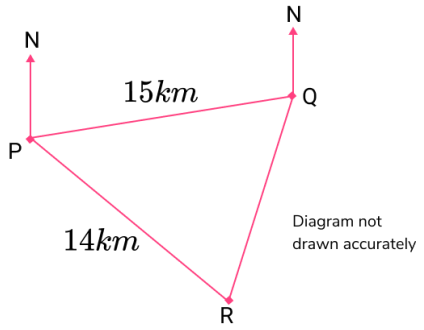
4)	The diagram shows the positions of three towns labelled P, Q and R. Q is on a bearing of $080°$ from P. R is on a bearing of $132°$ from P. The distance PQ is $15km$ and the distance PR is $14km$.  		
(a)	Find the distance QR.	**(a)** Angle $QPR = 132° - 80° = 52°$ $QR^2 = 15^2 + 14^2 - 2 \times 15 \times 14 \times cos\,52$ $QR = 12.74km$ (2dp[)	**(1)** **(1)** **(1)**
(b)	Find the bearing of R from Q.	**(b)** $\frac{sin\,52}{12.74} = \frac{sin\,PQR}{14}$ Angle $PQR = 59.96°$ $100°$ anticlockwise from North Q $360 - (100 + 59.96)$ $200°$ (0dp)	**(1)** **(1)** **(1)** **(1)** **(1)**