

ARITHMETIC (Q 1, PAPER 1)

2007

1 (a) Convert 164 miles to kilometres, taking 5 miles to be equal to 8 kilometres.

(b) €8500 was invested for 2 years at compound interest.

(i) The rate of interest for the first year was 4%.

Find the amount of the investment at the end of the first year.

(ii) The amount of the investment at the end of the second year was €9237.80.

Find the rate of interest for the second year.

(c) The table shows the hours Alan worked over four days.

Day	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Hours worked	9	9	9.5	h

Alan's basic rate of pay is €15.60 per hour.

He is paid one and a half times the basic rate for work on Saturday and Sunday.

(i) Calculate Alan's total pay for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

(ii) Alan was paid a total of €702 for the four days' work.

Find h , the number of hours Alan worked on Sunday.

ANSWERS

1 (a) 262.4 km

(b) (i) €8,840 (ii) 4.5%

(c) (i) €503.10 (ii) 8.5 hours