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Tyd: 3 uur Punte: 180 Eksaminator: A.I. Olivier

Beantwoord al die vrae

E-pos die volgende drie aanhangsels teen 22:00 aan aio"AT"sun.ac.za:

- 1. "JouVanSelfoon.xls"
- 2. "JouVanLyn.xls".
- 3. "JouVanWord.doc", wat al jou nie-Excel antwoorde bevat.

QUESTION 1

Open the MyCellPhone.xls workbook. You can use it as a tool to solve this problem. Then you must *replicate* MyCellPhone.xls and save it as "YourNameCellphone.xls" Write up other answers in MyWord.doc and save it as "YourNameWord.doc.

You are buying a new cellphone. You must decide: should you take the *PayCall* or the *BussCall* package? The details are shown in the table.

	PayCall	BussCall
Free minutes	0	0
Cost/month	0	R180
Cost/minute	R2,60	R1,60

- (a) Complete a table in Excel to show how the costs differ, depending on the number of minutes you talk per month.
- (b) Illustrate graphically how the cost changes depending on the time talked.
- (c) Design a calculator to calculate the costs for any number of minutes.
- (d) Where is the break even point where they cost the same? Find the break even point algebraically.
- (e) When is Paycall cheaper than BussCall and when not?

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Open die MyLyn.xls werkboek.

Maak 'n replika van die leeraktiwiteit. Save as "JouVanLyn.xls".

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QUESTION 3

In January the petrol price is increased by 10%. Then, in February the petrol price is reduced by 10%. John says that the petrol price is now the same as it was before the first increase. Is this correct? Explain!

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QUESTION 4

Check that $1 \div 7 = 0.142857142 \dots$

The 1st digit is 1, the 2nd digit is 4, etc. What is the 2005th digit in the decimal? Show your reasoning.

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QUESTION 5

You know that in a regular triangle (i.e. an equilateral triangle) each angle is 60°. You also know that in a regular quadrilateral (i.e. a square), each angle is 90°, and you probably know that in a regular hexagon (i.e. a polygon with 6 sides) each angle is 120°. Investigate and find a formula for the relationship between the number of sides of a regular polygon and the size of one of its angles.

Draw a graph of the relationship.