

1.(a)

$$m_{ae} = \frac{3-8}{13+2}$$

$$= \frac{-5}{15}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$m_{alt} = 3$$

$$y+1 = 3(x-5)$$

$$y+1 = 3x-15$$

$$y = 3x-16$$

1.(b)

$$m_{PR} = \frac{3+1}{13-5}$$

$$= \frac{4}{8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = 26.6^\circ$$

Question			Generic scheme	Illustrative scheme	Max mark
1.	(a)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ find gradient of QR •² use property of perpendicular lines •³ determine equation of altitude 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $-\frac{1}{3}$ or $-\frac{5}{15}$ •² 3 •³ $y = 3x - 16$ 	3
Notes:					
1. • ³ is only available to candidates who find and use a perpendicular gradient. 2. The gradient of the perpendicular bisector must appear in fully simplified form at • ² or • ³ stage for • ³ to be awarded - see Candidate B. 3. • ³ is not available as a consequence of using the midpoint of QR and the point P. 4. At • ³ , accept any arrangement of a candidate's equation where constant terms have been simplified.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A - BEWARE Correct equation from incorrect substitution $m = \frac{13 - (-2)}{3 - (8)} = 3$ • ¹ ✗ • ² ^ $y = 3x - 16$ • ³ ✗			Candidate B - unsimplified gradient $m = -\frac{5}{15}$ • ¹ ✓ $m_{\perp} = \frac{15}{5}$ • ² ✓ $15x - 5y - 80 = 0$ • ³ ^		
	(b)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ determine gradient of the line •⁵ use $m = \tan \theta$ to find the angle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ $m = \frac{1}{2}$ or $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ •⁵ 26.6° or $0.4636...$ radians 	2
Notes:					
5. Do not penalise the omission of units at • ⁵ . 6. Accept any answers which round to 27° or 0.46 radians. 7. For 27° or 0.46 radians without working award 2/2. 8. Where candidates find the angle of the altitude or other sides with the positive direction of the x -axis only • ⁵ is available.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate C - no reference to tan $m = \frac{4}{8}$ • ⁴ ✓ 26.6° • ⁵ ✓			Candidate D - BEWARE $m = \frac{1}{2}$ • ⁴ ✓ $\theta = \tan \frac{1}{2}$ • ⁵ ✗ $\theta = 26.6^{\circ}$ Stating \tan rather than \tan^{-1} See general marking principle (g)		
Candidate E $\tan^{-1}(3) = 72^{\circ}$ • ⁴ ✗ • ⁵ ✓ ₁					