Medical doctors often use radioactive iodine a tracer when diagnosing some thyroid gland disorders. The iodine decays in such a way after t days, the amount left is given by:

$$A(t) = 6 \cdot 0.917^t$$

where A(t) is measured in grams.

1. Calculate the initial amount of iodine.

 $1 \, \text{mark}$ 

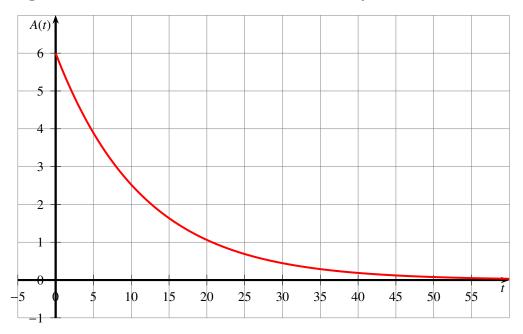
2. Calculate how much iodine remains after 15 days (round to two decimals)

 $1 \, \text{mark}$ 

3. Calculate the date when the amount of iodine drops below 1 gram (round to 1 day).

2 marks

The diagram below shows the elimination of iodine from the body:



4. Based on this graph and the expression of the function, **explain** why the iodine is not completely removed from the body.

 $1 \, \text{mark}$ 

Calc. : ✓

Exercise 2

An athlete, specialist in the shot put, participates in the eliminatory events with a view to his possible selection for the European championships. He is required to make 12 throws, the lengths of which, in meters, are given below:

18.6, 19.4, 20.8, 15.9, 17.7, 21.1, 19.8, 15.2, 17.2, 16.5, 20.5, 21.9

1. **Find** the mean of the series of throws. **Interpret** this result with a sentence.

 $1 \, \text{mark}$ 

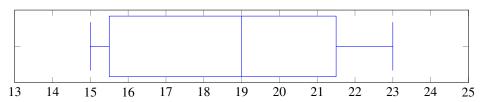
2. Find the median of the series of throws. Interpret this result with a sentence.

 $1 \, \text{mark}$ 

3. **Determine** the quartiles of the series of throws and **draw** the box-plot.

2 marks

Another athlete has also made 12 throws, and the box and whiskers plot of those throws, in meters, are given below:



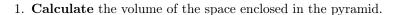
4. Compare the series of throws of those 2 athletes.

2 marks

The Louvre pyramid in Paris is a regular square-based pyramid of 21.6 m height. The square base measures 35 m each side. The triangular faces are made of glass.

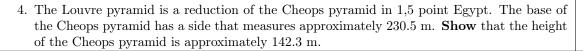
The formula for the volume of a pyramid is:

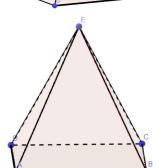
$$\frac{1}{3} \times \text{area of base} \times \text{height}$$



H is the midpoint of [AB].

- 2. In the diagram opposite, **represent** [EH], the height of the triangle ABE from E (by coding the figure), then **show** that EH = 27.8 m, rounded to tenths of a meter.
- 3. Calculate the area of the glass.





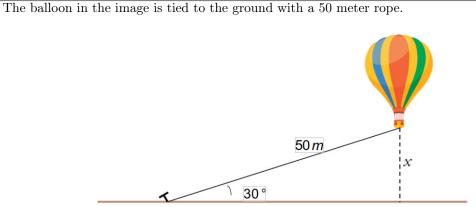
1.5 marks

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Exercise 4 Calc. : 🗸



Calculate the distance between the ground and the bottom of the balloon basket.

3.5 marks