

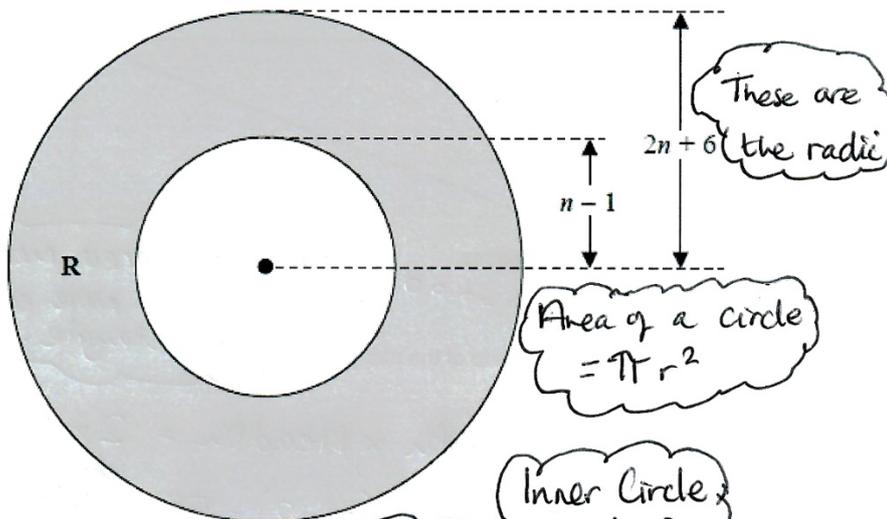
Quadratic Questions

Example and Explanation

Questions

Q1.

The region R, shown shaded in the diagram, is the region between two circles with the same centre.



The outer circle has radius $(2n + 6)$
 The inner circle has radius $(n - 1)$
 All measurements are in centimetres.

The area of R is greater than the area of a circle of radius $(n + 13)$ cm.

n is an integer.

Find the least possible value of n .
 You must show all of your working.

$$\therefore ((4n^2 + 24n + 36) - (n^2 - 2n + 1))\pi > (n^2 + 26n + 169)\pi$$

$$\therefore (3n^2 + 26n + 35)\pi > (n^2 + 26n + 169)\pi$$

$$\therefore (2n^2)\pi > 134\pi$$

⇒ Divide by π on both sides
 ⇒

$$2n^2 > 134$$

$$n^2 > 67$$

$8^2 = 64$
 $67 > 64$ so the answer must be 9

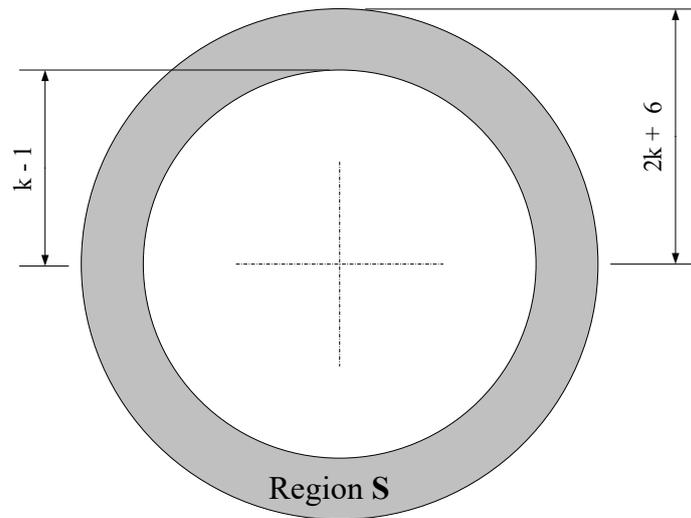
As $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\sqrt{67} > 8$ so $n \geq 9$.

means integers

(Total for question = 5 marks)

Q1

The region **S** shown in the diagram below is the region between two concentric circles. Concentric means that the circles have the same centre.



The outer circle has radius $(2k + 6)$.

The inner circle has radius $(k - 1)$.

All measurements are in metres.

The area of **S** is *greater than* the area of a circle of radius $(k + 13)$ m.

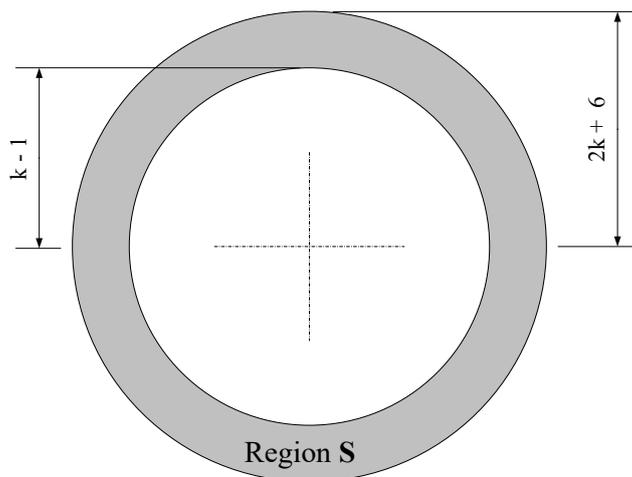
k is an integer.

Find the least possible value of k .

You must show all your working.

Q2

The region **S** shown in the diagram below is the region between two concentric circles.



The outer circle has radius $(2k + 6)$.

The inner circle has radius $(k - 1)$.

All measurements are in centimetres.

The area of **S** is *less than* the area of a circle of radius $(k + 13)$ m.

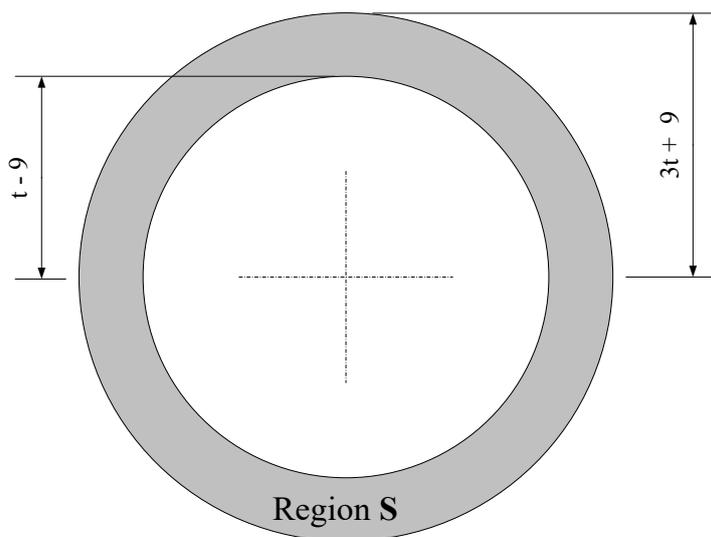
k is an integer.

Find the maximum possible value of k .

You must show all your working.

Q3

The region **S** shown in the diagram below is the region between two concentric circles.



The outer circle has radius $(3t + 9)$.

The inner circle has radius $(t - 9)$.

All measurements are in metres.

The area of **S** is *greater than* the area of a circle of radius $(t + 15)$ m.

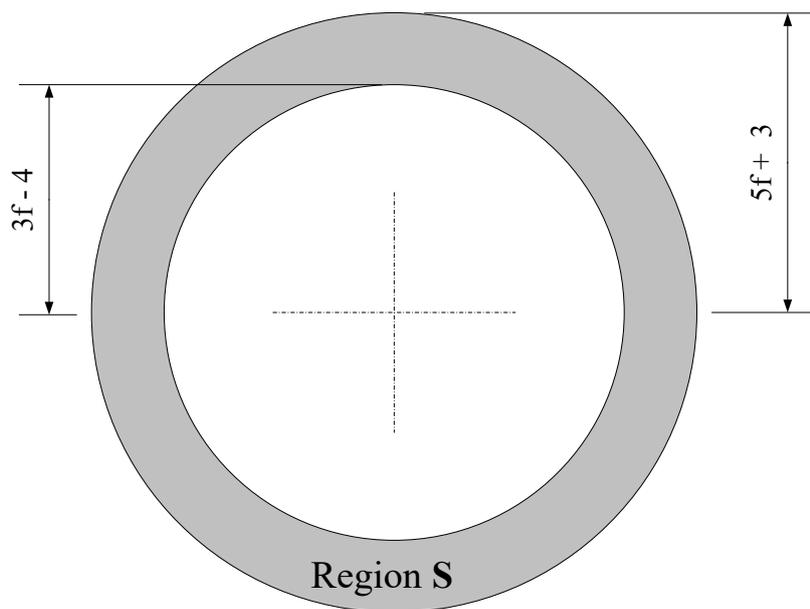
t is an integer.

Find the least possible value of t .

You must show all your working.

Q4

The region **S** shown in the diagram below is the region between two concentric circles.



The outer circle has radius $(5f + 3)$.

The inner circle has radius $(3f - 4)$.

All measurements are in centimetres.

The area of **S** is *greater than* the area of a circle of radius $(2f - 14)$ m.

f is an integer.

Find the least possible value of f .

You must show all your working.

Knowledge Test

1. Concentric means ...

2. What is the name given to equations of the type $3x^4 + 5x^3 - 12x^2 + x - 41 = 12$?

3. $(3x + 7)$ is called a b..... .

4. An equation of highest order two is called a _____ .

5. An equation of highest order three is called a _____ .

6. Circle the formula for the area of a circle.

$$\pi d \quad \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3 \quad 4\pi r^2 \quad \pi r^2$$