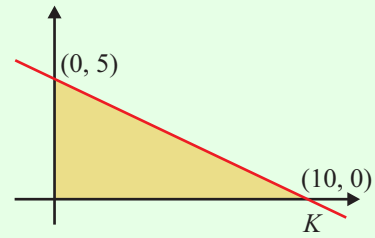


**LINEAR PROGRAMMING (Q 11, PAPER 2)**

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11 (a) The line  $K$  cuts the  $x$ -axis at  $(10, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, 5)$ .

- (i) Find the equation of  $K$ .
- (ii) Write down the three inequalities that together define the region enclosed by  $K$ , the  $x$ -axis and the  $y$ -axis.



(b) A developer is planning a scheme of holiday homes, consisting of large and small bungalows. Each large bungalow will accommodate 8 people and each small bungalow will accommodate 6 people. The development is not permitted to accommodate more than 216 people. The floor area of each large bungalow is  $200 \text{ m}^2$  and the floor area of each small bungalow is  $100 \text{ m}^2$ . The total floor area of all the bungalows must not exceed  $4000 \text{ m}^2$ .

- (i) Taking  $x$  as the number of large bungalows and  $y$  as the number of small bungalows, write down two inequalities in  $x$  and  $y$  and illustrate these on graph paper.
- (ii) The expected net annual income from each large bungalow is €14 000 and from each small bungalow is €8000. How many of each type should be built in order to maximise the total expected net annual income?
- (iii) The developer decides to build as indicated in part (ii). The cost of building each large bungalow is €110 000 and the cost of building each small bungalow is €85 000. The total cost of the development is equal to the building costs plus €1.58 million. How many years will it take to recoup the total cost of the development?

**ANSWERS**

- 11 (a) (i)  $x + 2y - 10 = 0$   
(ii)  $x + 2y - 10 \leq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ ,  $x \geq 0$
- (b) (i)  $4x + 3y \leq 108$ ,  $2x + y \leq 40$   
(ii)  $x = 6$ ,  $y = 28$   
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