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Further Mathematics

**Advanced Subsidiary
Further Mathematics options
25: Further Mechanics 1
(Part of options C, E, H and J)**

You must have:

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Green), calculator

Total Marks

**Candidates may use any calculator permitted by Pearson regulations.
Calculators must not have the facility for symbolic algebra manipulation,
differentiation and integration, or have retrievable mathematical formulae
stored in them.**

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions and ensure that your answers to parts of questions are clearly labelled.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need*.
- You should show sufficient working to make your methods clear.
Answers without working may not gain full credit.
- Unless otherwise indicated, whenever a value of g is required, take $g = 9.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ and give your answer to either 2 significant figures or 3 significant figures.

Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- The total mark for this part of the examination is 40. There are 4 questions.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question*.

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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1. Two particles, P and Q , of masses $3m$ and $2m$ respectively, are moving on a smooth horizontal plane. They are moving in opposite directions along the same straight line when they collide directly.

Immediately before the collision, P is moving with speed $2u$.

The magnitude of the impulse exerted on P by Q in the collision is $\frac{9mu}{2}$

- (a) Find the speed of P immediately after the collision.

(3)

The coefficient of restitution between P and Q is e .

Given that the speed of Q immediately before the collision is u ,

- (b) find the value of e .

(5)



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2. A racing car of mass 750 kg is moving along a straight horizontal road at a constant speed of $U \text{ km h}^{-1}$. The engine of the racing car is working at a constant rate of 60 kW.

The resistance to the motion of the racing car is modelled as a force of magnitude $37.5v \text{ N}$, where $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$ is the speed of the racing car.

Using the model,

- (a) find the value of U

(4)

Later on, the racing car is accelerating up a straight road which is inclined to the horizontal at an angle α , where $\sin \alpha = \frac{5}{49}$. The engine of the racing car is working at a constant rate of 60 kW.

The total resistance to the motion of the racing car from non-gravitational forces is modelled as a force of magnitude $37.5v \text{ N}$, where $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$ is the speed of the racing car. At the instant when the acceleration of the racing car is 2 m s^{-2} , the speed of the racing car is $V \text{ m s}^{-1}$.

Using the model,

- (b) find the value of V

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3. A stone of mass 0.5 kg is projected vertically upwards with a speed $U\text{ m s}^{-1}$ from a point A . The point A is 2.5 m above horizontal ground.

The speed of the stone as it hits the ground is 25 m s^{-1}

The motion of the stone from the instant it is projected from A until the instant it hits the ground is modelled as that of a particle moving freely under gravity.

- (a) Use the model and the principle of conservation of mechanical energy to find the value of U .

(4)

In reality, the stone will be subject to air resistance as it moves from A to the ground.

- (b) State how this would affect your answer to part (a).

(1)

The ground is soft and the stone sinks a vertical distance $d\text{ cm}$ into the ground. The resistive force exerted on the stone by the ground is modelled as a constant force of magnitude 2000 N and the stone is modelled as a particle.

- (c) Use the model and the work-energy principle to find the value of d , giving your answer to 3 significant figures.

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4.

**Figure 1**

Three particles, P , Q and R , lie at rest on a smooth horizontal plane. The particles are in a straight line with Q between P and R , as shown in Figure 1.

Particle P is projected **towards** Q with speed u . At the same time, R is projected with speed $\frac{1}{2}u$ **away from** Q , in the direction QR .

Particle P has mass m and particle Q has mass $2m$.

The coefficient of restitution between P and Q is e .

- (a) Show that the speed of Q immediately after the collision between P and Q is

$$\frac{u(1+e)}{3} \quad (6)$$

It is given that $e > \frac{1}{2}$

- (b) Determine whether there is a collision between Q and R . (2)

- (c) Determine the direction of motion of P immediately after the collision between P and Q . (2)

- (d) Find, in terms of m , u and e , the total kinetic energy lost in the collision between P and Q , simplifying your answer. (3)

- (e) Explain how using $e = 1$ could be used to check your answer to part (d). (1)

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TOTAL FOR FURTHER MECHANICS 1 IS 40 MARKS

