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# Further Mathematics

**Advanced Subsidiary**  
**Further Mathematics options**  
**Further Mechanics 2**

Sample Assessment Material for first teaching September 2017

**Time: 50 minutes**

Paper Reference

**8FM0/2J****You must have:**

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables, calculator

Total Marks

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## 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 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.
- Answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.

## Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- There are 3 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 40.
- 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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Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Unless otherwise indicated, whenever a numerical 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.

1. A particle  $P$  moves on the  $x$ -axis. At time  $t$  seconds the velocity of  $P$  is  $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$  in the direction of  $x$  increasing, where

$$v = (t - 2)(3t - 10), \quad t \geq 0$$

When  $t = 0$ ,  $P$  is at the origin  $O$ .

- (a) Find the acceleration of  $P$  at time  $t$  seconds. (2)
- (b) Find the total distance travelled by  $P$  in the first 2 seconds of its motion. (3)
- (c) Show that  $P$  never returns to  $O$ , explaining your reasoning. (3)

a)  $a = \frac{dv}{dt}$

$$\begin{aligned} v &= (t-2)(3t-10) \\ &= 3t^2 - 6t - 10t + 20 \\ &= 3t^2 - 16t + 20 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = 6t - 16$$

$$a = 6t - 16$$

b)  $s = \int v \, dt$

$$s = \int_0^2 (3t^2 - 16t + 20) \, dt$$

$$= \left[ \frac{3t^3}{3} - \frac{16t^2}{2} + 20t \right]_0^2$$

$$= [8 - 8(2)^2 + 20(2)] - 0$$

$$= 16 \text{ m}$$

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Question 1 continued

c) P is at 0 when  $s=0$

$$s = t^3 - 8t^2 + 20t$$

$$t^3 - 8t^2 + 20t = 0$$

$$t(t^2 - 8t + 20) = 0$$

$$t=0 \quad t^2 - 8t + 20 = 0$$

$$\text{when } t > 0, s = t^2 - 8t + 20$$

$$s = (t-4)^2 - 16 + 20$$

$$s = (t-4)^2 + 4$$

$s$  is always  $> 0$  for all values of  $t$   
 $\therefore$  hence P never returns to 0.

(Total for Question 1 is 8 marks)

2. A light inextensible string has length  $7a$ . One end of the string is attached to a fixed point  $A$  and the other end of the string is attached to a fixed point  $B$ , with  $A$  vertically above  $B$  and  $AB = 5a$ . A particle of mass  $m$  is attached to a point  $P$  on the string where  $AP = 4a$ . The particle moves in a horizontal circle with constant angular speed  $\omega$ , with both  $AP$  and  $BP$  taut.

(a) Show that

(i) the tension in  $AP$  is  $\frac{4m}{25}(9a\omega^2 + 5g)$

(ii) the tension in  $BP$  is  $\frac{3m}{25}(16a\omega^2 - 5g)$ .

(10)

The string will break if the tension in it reaches a magnitude of  $4mg$ .

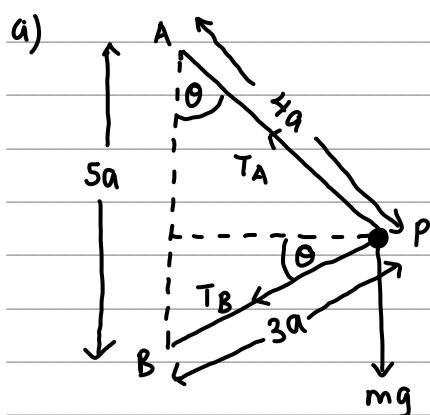
The time for the particle to make one revolution is  $S$ .

(b) Show that

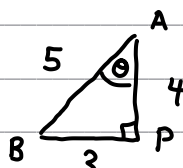
$$3\pi\sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}} < S < 8\pi\sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}} \tag{5}$$

(c) State how in your calculations you have used the assumption that the string is light.

(1)



$\angle APB$  must be  $90^\circ$



$$\sin\theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$R(\uparrow) : T_A \cos\theta = mg + T_B \sin\theta$$

$$\frac{4}{5}T_A = mg + \frac{3}{5}T_B \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$+ \leftarrow N2L(P) : T_A \sin\theta + T_B \cos\theta = m(r)\omega^2$$

$$r = 4a \sin\theta = 4a \times \frac{3}{5} = \frac{12a}{5}$$

$$\therefore T_A \left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + T_B \left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = \frac{12m a \omega^2}{5}$$

$$3T_A + 4T_B = 12m a \omega^2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Question 2 continued

$$\textcircled{1} \times 5: 4T_A = 5mg + 3T_B$$

$$T_B = \frac{4T_A - 5mg}{3}$$

$$\rightarrow \textcircled{2}: 3T_A + \frac{4}{3}(4T_A - 5mg) = 12maw^2$$

$$\left(3 + \frac{16}{3}\right)T_A - \frac{20mg}{3} = 12maw^2$$

$$\frac{25}{3}T_A = m\left(12aw^2 + \frac{20g}{3}\right)$$

$$T_A = \frac{m}{25}(36aw^2 + 20g)$$

$$T_A = \frac{4m}{25}(9aw^2 + 5g)$$

$$\text{ii) } T_B = \frac{1}{3}(4T_A - 5mg)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left[\frac{16m}{25}(9aw^2 + 5g) - 5mg\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{144}{25}maw^2 + \frac{16mg}{5} - 5mg\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{144}{25}maw^2 - \frac{9}{5}mg\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}\left[\frac{9m}{25}(16aw^2 - 5g)\right]$$

$$T_B = \frac{3m}{25}(16aw^2 - 5g)$$

$$\text{b) } T_A < 4mg: \frac{4m}{25}(9aw^2 + 5g) < 4mg$$

$$9aw^2 + 5g < 25g$$

$$9aw^2 < 20g$$

$$w^2 < \frac{20g}{9a}$$

$$w < \sqrt{\frac{20g}{9a}}$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi}{w} \quad \text{so } T > 2\pi \times \frac{1}{w}$$

sign flips as we take reciprocal of  $w$

$$\therefore (T =) s > 2\pi\sqrt{\frac{9a}{20g}}$$

Question 2 continued

$$S > 6\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{5 \times 4g}}$$

$$S > \frac{6\pi}{2} \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}}$$

$$\therefore S > 3\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}}$$

and also  $T_B > 0$  for this circular motion to continue

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3m}{25} (16aw^2 - 5g) > 0$$

$$16aw^2 - 5g > 0$$

$$w^2 > \frac{5g}{16a}$$

$$w > \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{5g}{a}}$$

$$\text{so } T < \frac{2\pi}{w}$$

$$T < 2\pi \times \frac{1}{\frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{5g}{a}}}$$

$$T < (2\pi \times 4) \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}}$$

$$\text{so } S < 8\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}}$$

putting the inequalities together :

$$3\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}} < S < 8\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{5g}}$$

c) tension is constant in both parts of the string (ie AP/BP)

(Total for Question 2 is 16 marks)

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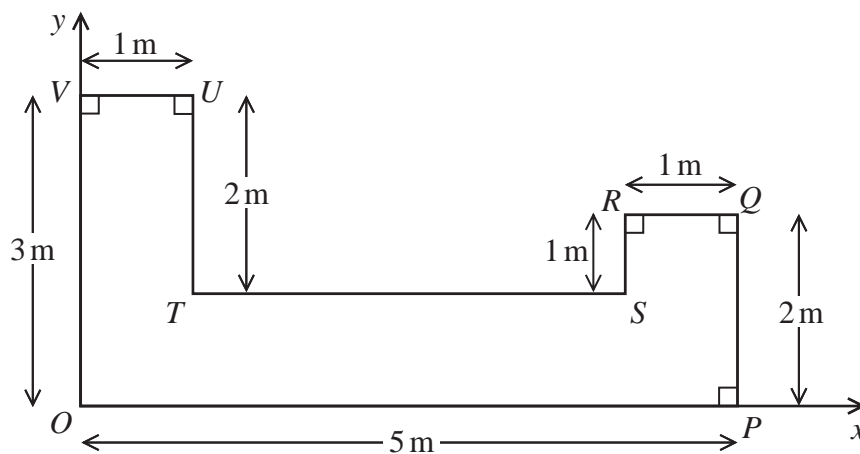


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows the shape and dimensions of a template  $OPQRSTUV$  made from thin uniform metal.

$OP = 5\text{ m}$ ,  $PQ = 2\text{ m}$ ,  $QR = 1\text{ m}$ ,  $RS = 1\text{ m}$ ,  $TU = 2\text{ m}$ ,  $UV = 1\text{ m}$ ,  $VO = 3\text{ m}$ .

Figure 1 also shows a coordinate system with  $O$  as origin and the  $x$ -axis and  $y$ -axis along  $OP$  and  $OV$  respectively. The unit of length on both axes is the metre.

The centre of mass of the template has coordinates  $(\bar{x}, \bar{y})$ .

(a) (i) Show that  $\bar{y} = 1$

(ii) Find the value of  $\bar{x}$ .

(7)

A new design requires the template to have its centre of mass at the point  $(2.5, 1)$ . In order to achieve this, two circular discs, each of radius  $r$  metres, are removed from the template which is shown in Figure 1, to form a new template  $L$ . The centre of the first disc is  $(0.5, 0.5)$  and the centre of the second disc is  $(0.5, a)$  where  $a$  is a constant.

(b) Find the value of  $r$ .

(4)

(c) (i) Explain how symmetry can be used to find the value of  $a$ .

(ii) Find the value of  $a$ .

(2)

The template  $L$  is now freely suspended from the point  $U$  and hangs in equilibrium.

(d) Find the size of the angle between the line  $TU$  and the horizontal.

(3)

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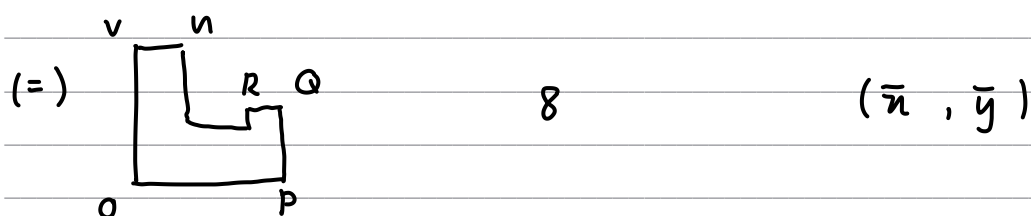
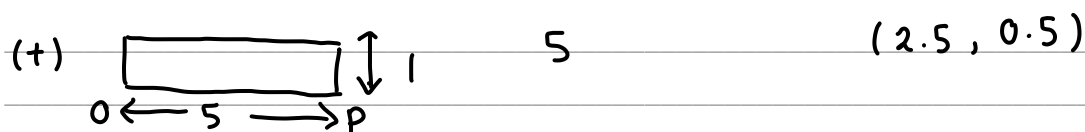
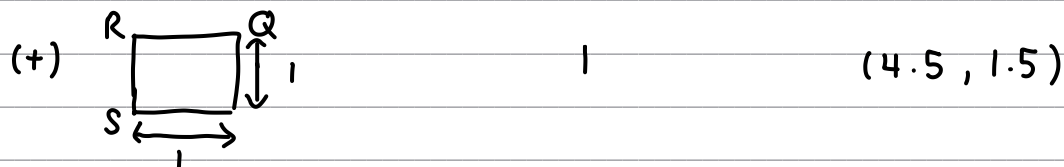
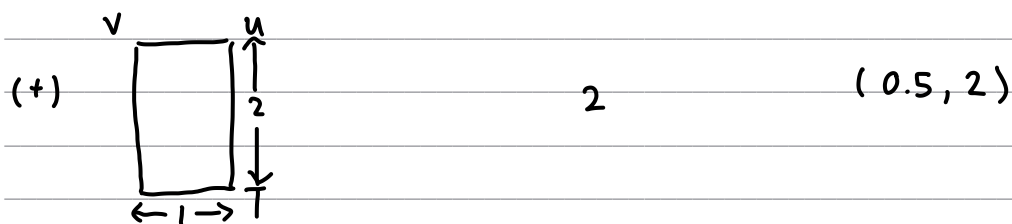
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## Question 3 continued

a) shape area c.o.m coordinates (origin 0)



moments about 0

$$\cancel{2m} \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \cancel{m} \begin{pmatrix} 4.5 \\ 1.5 \end{pmatrix} + \cancel{5m} \begin{pmatrix} 2.5 \\ 0.5 \end{pmatrix} = 8m \begin{pmatrix} \bar{x} \\ \bar{y} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$2(0.5) + 4.5 + 5(2.5) = 8\bar{x}$$

$$18 = 8\bar{x}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{18}{8} = \frac{9}{4}$$

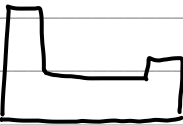


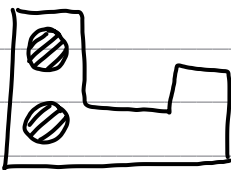
$$2(2) + 1.5 + 5(0.5) = 8\bar{y}$$

$$8 = 8\bar{y}$$

$$\bar{y} = 1$$



## Question 3 continued

b)	shape	area	c.o.m.
(+)		8	$(\frac{9}{4}, 1)$
(-)		$\pi r^2$	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$
(-)		$\pi r^2$	$(\frac{1}{2}, a)$
(=)		$8 - 2\pi r^2$	$(\frac{5}{2}, 1)$

moments about O (for  $x$ )

$$8\cancel{m}(\frac{9}{4}) + \pi r^2 \cancel{m}(\frac{1}{2}) + \pi r^2 \cancel{m}(\frac{1}{2}) = (8 - 2\pi r^2) \cancel{m}(\frac{5}{2})$$

$$18 - \pi r^2 = 20 - 5\pi r^2$$

$$4\pi r^2 = 2$$

$$\therefore r^2 = \frac{2}{4\pi}$$

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

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\pi}}$$

$$= 0.399$$

ci)  $\bar{y} = 1$  for original template so the holes must be equidistant from  $(\bar{y} = 1)$

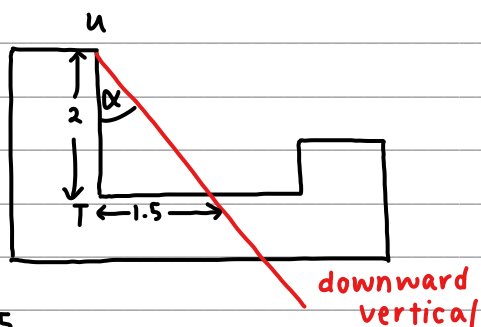
$$\text{ii) } 1 - 0.5 = 0.5$$

$$1 + 0.5 = 1.5$$

$$a = 1.5$$

## Question 3 continued

d)



$$\tan \alpha = \frac{1.5}{2}$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1.5}{2}\right)$$

$$= 36.87^\circ$$

$$\text{so angle with horizontal} = 90 - 36.87$$

$$= \boxed{53.1^\circ}$$

(Total for Question 3 is 16 marks)

**TOTAL IS 40 MARKS**