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Further Mathematics
Advanced
PAPER 4C: Further Mechanics 2

You must have:
 Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Green), calculator

Total Marks

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- 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.
- There are 8 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
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- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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1. Three particles of masses $2m$, $3m$ and km are placed at the points with coordinates $(3a, 2a)$, $(a, -4a)$ and $(-3a, 4a)$ respectively.

The centre of mass of the three particles lies at the point with coordinates (\bar{x}, \bar{y}) .

(a) (i) Find \bar{x} in terms of a and k

(ii) Find \bar{y} in terms of a and k

(4)

Given that the distance of the centre of mass of the three particles from the point $(0, 0)$

is $\frac{1}{3}a$

(b) find the possible values of k

(2)

i) Take moments about the y axis. ①

$$\bar{x}(2m + 3m + km) = 2m(3a) + 3m(a) + km(-3a)$$

$$\Rightarrow (5+k)m\bar{x} = (9-3k)ma$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{(9-3k)a}{5+k} \quad ①$$

ii) Take moments about the x -axis. ①

$$\bar{y}(2m + 3m + km) = 2m(2a) + 3m(-4a) + km(4a)$$

$$\Rightarrow (5+k)m\bar{y} = (4k-8)ma$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{y} = \frac{(4k-8)a}{5+k} \quad ①$$

b) Recall that the distance from the origin is $\sqrt{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{y}^2}$

$$\frac{1}{3}a = \sqrt{\left(\frac{(9-3k)a}{5+k}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{(4k-8)a}{5+k}\right)^2}$$

We can immediately cancel out the a .



Question 1 continued

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{9} = \left(\frac{9-3k}{5+k} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{4k-8}{5+k} \right)^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (5+k)^2 = 9(9-3k)^2 + 9(4k-8)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 + 10k + 25 = 9(4k^2 - 54k + 81) + 9(16k^2 - 64k + 64)$$

$$\Rightarrow 224k^2 - 1072k + 1280 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{5}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad k = \frac{16}{7} \quad \text{using a calculator.} \quad (1)$$

(Total for Question 1 is 6 marks)



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2. A cyclist and her cycle have a combined mass of 60 kg . The cyclist is moving along a straight horizontal road and is working at a constant rate of 200 W .

When she has travelled a distance x metres, her speed is $v \text{ m s}^{-1}$ and the magnitude of the resistance to motion is $3v^2 \text{ N}$.

(a) Show that $\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{200 - 3v^3}{60v^2}$ (4)

The distance travelled by the cyclist as her speed increases from 2 m s^{-1} to 4 m s^{-1} is D metres.

(b) Find the exact value of D (3)

a) Recall that Force = $\frac{\text{Power}}{\text{Velocity}}$ and $F = ma$

$$F = ma$$

$$\Rightarrow F = m v \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{200}{v} - 3v^2 = 60 v \cdot \frac{dv}{dx} \quad (1) \quad F = \frac{200}{v}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{200 - 3v^3}{v} = 60 v \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{200 - 3v^3}{60v^2} = \frac{dv}{dx} \quad (1)$$

b) This is a separable ODE.

$$\int dx = \int \frac{60v^2}{200 - 3v^3} dv \quad (1)$$

We can either use a substitution, or see that this is reverse chain rule as $\frac{d}{dv}(v^3) = 3v^2$, so we will have a multiple of a natural log.



Question 2 continued

$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{60}{9} \ln(200 - 3v^3) + C$$

$$\text{When } v=2, x = -\frac{60}{9} \ln(176) + C$$

$$\text{When } v=4, x = -\frac{60}{9} \ln(8) + C$$

$$0 = -\frac{60}{9} \ln(8) + C - \left[-\frac{60}{9} \ln(176) + C \right] \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \frac{60}{9} \ln\left(\frac{176}{8}\right) = \frac{60}{9} \ln(22) \quad (1)$$



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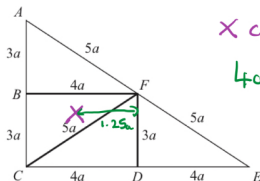


Figure 1

Nine uniform rods are joined together to form the rigid framework $ABCDEFA$, with $AB = BC = DF = 3a$, $BF = CD = DE = 4a$ and $AF = FE = CF = 5a$, as shown in Figure 1. All nine rods lie in the same plane.

The mass per unit length of each of the rods BF , CF and DF is twice the mass per unit length of each of the other six rods.

- (a) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the framework from AC

(4)

The mass of the framework is M . A particle of mass kM is attached to the framework at E to form a loaded framework.

When the loaded framework is freely suspended from F , it hangs in equilibrium with CE horizontal.

- (b) Find the exact value of k

(3)

a) We take moments about AC . ①

rod	CD	DE	EF	FA	AB	BC	BF	DF	CF
Mass ratio	4	4	5	5	3	3	8	6	10
From AC	$2a$	$6a$	$6a$	$2a$	0	0	$2a$	$4a$	$2a$

BF , CF and DF have double mass

$$\bar{x} \times \text{Mass} = \sum (\text{mass} \times \text{distance})$$

$$\text{LHS: } \bar{x} (4+4+5+5+3+3+8+6+10) = 48\bar{x} \quad \text{①}$$



Question 3 continued

$$\text{RHS: } 4(2a) + 4(6a) + 5(6a) + 5(2a) + 8(2a) + 6(4a) + 10(2a) \quad (1) \\ = 132a$$

$$\Rightarrow 48\bar{x} = 132a$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{11}{4}a \quad (1)$$

b) Take moments about F. (1)

$$1.25a M_g = 4a (k M_g) \quad (1) \text{ Using the diagram}$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \frac{5}{16} \quad (1)$$



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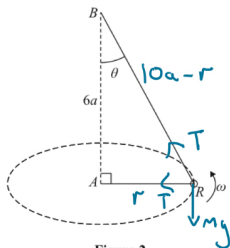


Figure 2

A small smooth ring R of mass m is threaded onto a light inextensible string. One end of the string is attached to a fixed point A and the other end of the string is attached to the fixed point B such that B is vertically above A and $AB = 6a$.

The ring moves with constant angular speed ω in a horizontal circle with centre A . The string is taut and BR makes a constant angle θ with the downward vertical, as shown in Figure 2.

The ring is modelled as a particle.

Given that $\tan \theta = \frac{8}{15}$

(a) find, in terms of m and g , the magnitude of the tension in the string,

(3)

(b) find ω in terms of a and g

(5)

$$a) \tan \theta = \frac{8}{15} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{8}{17}, \cos \theta = \frac{15}{17}$$

Resolve Vertically ①

$$T \cos \theta = mg \quad ①$$

$$\Rightarrow T \left(\frac{15}{17} \right) = mg \Rightarrow T = \frac{17}{15} mg \quad ①$$



Question 4 continued

b) Recall that $F = mv$ and $a = \omega^2 r$

Resolve Horizontally

$$T + T \sin \theta = m r \omega^2 \quad (1)$$

$$r = 6a \tan \theta = \frac{16}{5} a$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{17}{15} m g \left(1 + \frac{8}{17}\right) = m \omega^2 \left(\frac{16}{5} a\right) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5}{3} g = \omega^2 \left(\frac{16}{5} a\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{25}{3} g = 16 a \omega^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega^2 = \frac{25g}{48a} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \sqrt{\frac{25g}{48a}} \quad (1)$$



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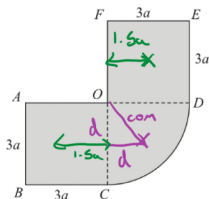


Figure 3

The uniform plane lamina shown in Figure 3 is formed from two squares, $ABCO$ and $ODEF$, and a sector ODC of a circle with centre O . Both squares have sides of length $3a$ and AO is perpendicular to OF . The radius of the sector is $3a$

[In part (a) you may use, without proof, any of the centre of mass formulae given in the formulae booklet.]

(a) Show that the distance of the centre of mass of the sector ODC from OC is $\frac{4a}{\pi}$ (3)

(b) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the lamina from FC (4)

The lamina is freely suspended from F and hangs in equilibrium with FC at an angle θ° to the downward vertical.

(c) Find the value of θ (4)

a) Using the formula booklet, for a sector of a circle with radius r , angle α at centre $2d$, the COM is $\frac{2r \sin \alpha}{3\alpha}$ from the centre.

$$r = 3a, \quad \alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{So } \text{COM} = \frac{2(3a) \sin(\pi/4)}{3(\pi/4)} = \frac{8a}{\pi\sqrt{2}} \quad (1)$$



Question 5 continued

We want the COM from OC not O.

Using Pythagoras and the diagram,

$$d^2 + d^2 = \left(\frac{8a}{\pi\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2d^2 = \frac{64a^2}{2\pi^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow d^2 = \frac{16a^2}{\pi^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{4a}{\pi} \quad (1)$$

b) $\bar{x} \times \text{Mass} = \sum \text{distance} \times \text{mass}$

$$\bar{x}(9a^2 + 9a^2 + \frac{9}{4}\pi a^2) = 1.5a(9a^2) - 1.5a(9a^2) + \frac{4a}{\pi}(\frac{9}{4}\pi a^2) \quad (1)$$

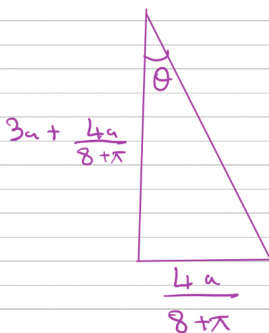
$$\Rightarrow \bar{x}(18 + \frac{9}{4}\pi) = 9a \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{4a}{3+\pi} \quad (1)$$



Question 5 continued

c)



$$3a + \frac{4a}{8+\pi} = \frac{28a+3a\pi}{8+\pi} \quad (1)$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{4a}{8+\pi}}{\frac{28a+3a\pi}{8+\pi}} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{4}{28+3\pi}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 6.1 \quad (1)$$



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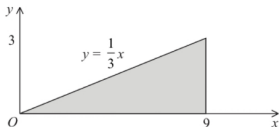


Figure 4

The shaded region shown in Figure 4 is bounded by the x -axis, the line with equation $x = 9$ and the line with equation $y = \frac{1}{3}x$. This shaded region is rotated through 360° about the x -axis to form a solid of revolution. This solid of revolution is used to model a solid right circular cone of height 9 cm and base radius 3 cm.

The cone is non-uniform and the mass per unit volume of the cone at the point (x, y, z) is $\lambda x \text{ kg cm}^{-3}$, where $0 \leq x \leq 9$ and λ is constant.

- (a) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the cone from its vertex.

(6)

A toy is made by joining the circular plane face of the cone to the circular plane face of a uniform solid hemisphere of radius 3 cm, so that the centres of the two plane surfaces coincide.

The weight of the cone is W newtons and the weight of the hemisphere is kW newtons.

When the toy is placed on a smooth horizontal plane with any point of the curved surface of the hemisphere in contact with the plane, the toy will remain at rest.

- (b) Find the value of k

(4)

a) Recall that $\text{Mass} = \pi \int p y^2 dx$

$$\text{Mass} = \pi \int_0^9 (\lambda x) \left(\frac{1}{3} x \right)^2 dx \quad (1)$$

$$= \lambda \pi \left[\frac{x^4}{36} \right]_0^9 = \frac{729}{4} \lambda \pi \quad (1)$$

Recall that $\bar{x} = \frac{\pi \int \rho x y^2 dx}{\text{Mass}}$



Question 6 continued

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\pi \int (\lambda x)(x) \left(\frac{1}{3}\right) x^2 dx}{\frac{729}{4} \lambda \pi} \quad (1)$$

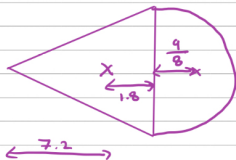
$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{\lambda \pi \int_0^9 \frac{1}{9} x^4 dx}{\frac{729}{4} \lambda \pi} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \frac{\left[\frac{x^5}{45}\right]_0^9}{\frac{729}{4}} \quad (1) = 7.2 \text{ cm.} \quad (1)$$

- b) If the object remains at rest, then the centre of mass is at the centre of plane surface. (1)

Using the formula booklet, the COM of a solid hemisphere with radius r is $\frac{3}{8} r$ from the centre.

COM is $\frac{9}{8}$ from the centre.



Question 6 continued

Take moments about the diameter ①
of plane surface.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 1.8W = \frac{4kW}{8} \Rightarrow k = \frac{8}{5} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

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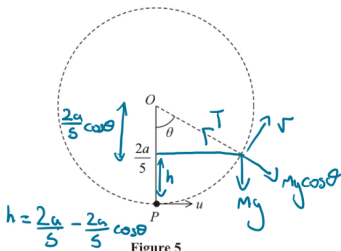
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7.



A package P of mass m is attached to one end of a string of length $\frac{2a}{s}$. The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point O . The package hangs at rest vertically below O with the string taut and is then projected horizontally with speed u , as shown in Figure 5.

When OP has turned through an angle θ and the string is still taut, the tension in the string is T .

The package is modelled as a particle and the string as being light and inextensible.

- (a) Show that $T = 3mg \cos \theta - 2mg + \frac{5mu^2}{2a}$ (6)

Given that P moves in a complete vertical circle with centre O

- (b) find, in terms of a and g , the minimum possible value of u (2)

Given that $u = 2\sqrt{ag}$

- (c) find, in terms of g , the magnitude of the acceleration of P at the instant when OP is horizontal. (3)

- (d) Apart from including air resistance, suggest one way in which the model could be refined to make it more realistic. (1)

a) Recall that $F = ma$ and $a = \frac{v^2}{r}$



Question 7 continued

Resolving forces, ①

$$T - mg \cos \theta = \frac{mv^2}{r} \quad ①$$

$$\Rightarrow T - mg \cos \theta = \frac{5mv^2}{2a} \quad (i) \quad r = \frac{2a}{5}$$

Recall that $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$, $E_p = mgh$, and energy is conserved.

$$\frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mgh \quad ① \quad \text{Using the diagram,}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + mg \left(\frac{2a}{5} - \frac{2a}{5} \cos \theta \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5mv^2 = 5mv^2 + 4mga(1 - \cos \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow 5v^2 - 4ga(1 - \cos \theta) = 5v^2 \quad ① \quad \text{Sub this into (i)}$$

$$\Rightarrow T - mg \cos \theta = \frac{m}{2a} (5v^2 - 4ga(1 - \cos \theta))$$

$$\Rightarrow T - mg \cos \theta = \frac{5mv^2}{2a} - 2mg + 2mg \cos \theta$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 3mg \cos \theta - 2mg + \frac{5mv^2}{2a} \quad ①$$



Question 7 continued

b) T must always be greater than 0 in order for circular motion to continue. We find the minimum possible value of v by comparing with $\pi = 0$.

$T > 0$ when $\theta = \pi$ implies that

$$3mg \cos \pi - 2mg + \frac{5mv^2}{2a} \geq 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow -5g + \frac{5v^2}{2a} \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 \geq 2ag$$

$$\Rightarrow v \geq \sqrt{2ag} \quad \text{So the minimum } v = \sqrt{2ag} \quad (1)$$

c) When OP is horizontal, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

When $\theta = \pi/2$, $v = 2\sqrt{ag}$, (1)

$$T = 3mg \cos(\pi/2) - 2mg + \frac{5m(2\sqrt{ag})^2}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = -2mg + \frac{20mag}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = -8mg \Rightarrow a = -8g$$

We know that the vertical acceleration is g downwards. (1)

$$a = \sqrt{(-8g)^2 + g^2} = \sqrt{65}g \quad (1)$$



Question 7 continued

d) We have assumed that the string is inextensible, but it may be extensible. ①

(Total for Question 7 is 12 marks)



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8.

Throughout this question, use $g = 10 \text{ m s}^{-2}$

A light elastic string has natural length 1.25 m and modulus of elasticity 25 N .

A particle P of mass 0.5 kg is attached to one end of the string. The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point A . Particle P hangs freely in equilibrium with P vertically below A .

The particle is then pulled vertically down to a point B and released from rest.

(a) Show that, while the string is taut, P moves with simple harmonic motion with

$$\text{period } \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{10}} \text{ seconds.}$$

(6)

The maximum kinetic energy of P during the subsequent motion is 2.5 J .

(b) Show that $AB = 2 \text{ m}$

(3)

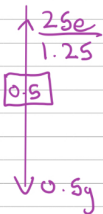
The particle returns to B for the first time T seconds after it was released from rest at B

(c) Find the value of T

(5)

a) Recall that $T = \frac{\lambda x}{v}$ and $F = ma = m\ddot{x}$

$$T = \frac{25e}{1.25}$$



$$\frac{25e}{1.25} = 0.5g$$

$$\Rightarrow e = 0.25 \quad (1)$$

$$T = m\ddot{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{25(0.25 + x)}{1.25} - 0.5g = -0.5\ddot{x} \quad (1)$$



Question 8 continued

$$\Rightarrow 5 + 20x - 5 = -0.5\ddot{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow -40x = \ddot{x} \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega^2 = 40 \quad (\text{SHM})$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega = \sqrt{40}$$

$$\text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$\Rightarrow T = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{40}} = \frac{2\pi}{2\sqrt{10}} = \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{10}} \quad (1)$$

b) Recall that $v^2 = \omega^2(A^2 - x^2)$, $E_k = \frac{1}{2}mv^2$

$$2.5 = \frac{1}{2}(0.5)v^2 \Rightarrow v^2 = 10 \quad (1)$$

The maximum speed is when $x=0$.

$$10 = 40(A^2 - 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 0.5 \quad (1)$$

$$AB = l + e + A = 1.25 + 0.25 + 0.5 = 2\text{m} \quad (1)$$

c) The string will go slack when $x = -0.25$.

Recall that $x = A\cos\omega t$.

$$-0.25 = 0.5\cos(\sqrt{40}t) \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 0.33 \quad (1)$$



Question 8 continued

After the string has gone slack, we need to find the initial speed.

$$U^2 = w^2 (A^2 - x^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow U^2 = 40(0.5^2 - 0.25^2) \text{ ①} = \sqrt{7.5}$$

The displacement is 0 and acceleration is $-g$

$$S = Ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$0 = \sqrt{7.5}t_2 - \frac{1}{2} \times 10 \times t_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow t_2 = 0.547.$$

As the particle comes back down, t_1 is repeated.

$$t = 2t_1 + t_2 \text{ ①} = 1.2s \text{ ①}$$

