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Mathematics

**International Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced Level
Pure Mathematics P2**

You must have:

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Yellow), 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.
- Inexact answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.

Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- There are 10 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- 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. $f(x) = ax^3 + 3x^2 - 8x + 2$ where a is a constant

Given that when $f(x)$ is divided by $(x - 2)$ the remainder is 3, find the value of a .

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Question 1 continued

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2. Find the coefficient of the term in x^7 of the binomial expansion of

$$\left(\frac{3}{8} + 4x\right)^{12}$$

giving your answer in simplest form.

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3. The circle C

- has centre $A(3, 5)$
 - passes through the point $B(8, -7)$

(a) Find an equation for C .

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The points M and N lie on C such that MN is a chord of C .

Given that MN

- lies above the x -axis
 - is parallel to the x -axis
 - has length $4\sqrt{22}$

(b) find an equation for the line passing through points M and N .

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4. (a) Sketch the curve with equation

$$y = a^{-x} + 4$$

where a is a constant and $a > 1$

On your sketch show

- the coordinates of the point of intersection of the curve with the y -axis
- the equation of the asymptote to the curve.

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x	-4	-1.5	1	3.5	6	8.5
y	13	6.280	4.577	4.146	4.037	4.009

The table above shows corresponding values of x and y for $y = 3^{-\frac{1}{2}x} + 4$

The values of y are given to four significant figures, as appropriate.

Using the trapezium rule with all the values of y in the table,

- (b) find an approximate value for

$$\int_{-4}^{8.5} \left(3^{-\frac{1}{2}x} + 4 \right) dx$$

giving your answer to two significant figures.

(3)

- (c) Using the answer to part (b), find an approximate value for

(i) $\int_{-4}^{8.5} \left(3^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \right) dx$

(ii) $\int_{-4}^{8.5} \left(3^{-\frac{1}{2}x} + 4 \right) dx + \int_{-8.5}^4 \left(3^{\frac{1}{2}x} + 4 \right) dx$

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(Total for Question 4 is 9 marks)



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5. (i) Find the value of

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} 6 \times (0.25)^r \quad (3)$$

(ii) A sequence u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots is defined by

$$u_{n+1} = \frac{u_n - 3}{u_n - 2} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

(a) Show that this sequence is periodic.

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(b) State the order of this sequence.

(1)

(c) Hence find

$$\sum_{n=1}^{70} u_n \quad (2)$$



Question 5 continued

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(Total for Question 5 is 8 marks)



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6. (a) Given that

$$2\log_4(x+3) + \log_4 x = \log_4(4x+2) + \frac{1}{2}$$

show that

$$x^3 + 6x^2 + x - 4 = 0$$

(4)

(b) Given also that -1 is a root of the equation

$$x^3 + 6x^2 + x - 4 = 0$$

(i) use algebra to find the other two roots of the equation.

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(ii) Hence solve

$$2\log_4(x+3) + \log_4 x = \log_4(4x+2) + \frac{1}{2}$$

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Question 6 continued

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(Total for Question 6 is 8 marks)



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7. Wheat is grown on a farm.

- In year 1, the farm produced 300 tonnes of wheat.
 - In year 12, the farm is predicted to produce 4000 tonnes of wheat.

Model A assumes that the amount of wheat produced on the farm will increase by the same amount each year.

- (a) Using model A, find the amount of wheat produced on the farm in year 4. Give your answer to the nearest 10 tonnes.

(3)

Model B assumes that the amount of wheat produced on the farm will increase by the same percentage each year.

- (b) Using model B, find the amount of wheat produced on the farm in year 2. Give your answer to the nearest 10 tonnes.

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- (c) Calculate, according to the two models, the difference between the total amounts of wheat predicted to be produced on the farm from year 1 to year 12 inclusive.
Give your answer to the nearest 10 tonnes.

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8. (i) Use a counter example to show that the following statement is **false**

“ $n^2 + 3n + 1$ is prime for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ”

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(ii) Use algebra to prove by exhaustion that for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$

“ $n^2 - 2$ is **not** a multiple of 4”

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(Total for Question 8 is 6 marks)



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9.

In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Solutions relying entirely on calculator technology are not acceptable.

- (i) Solve, for $0 \leq x < 360^\circ$, the equation

$$\sin x \tan x = 5$$

giving your answers to one decimal place.

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(ii)

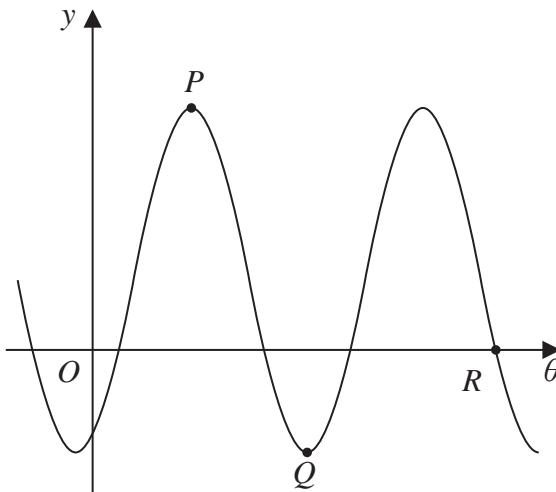


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows a sketch of part of the curve with equation

$$y = A \sin\left(2\theta - \frac{3\pi}{8}\right) + 2$$

where A is a constant and θ is measured in radians.

The points P , Q and R lie on the curve and are shown in Figure 1.

Given that the y coordinate of P is 7

- (a) state the value of A ,

(1)

- (b) find the exact coordinates of Q ,

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- (c) find the value of θ at R , giving your answer to 3 significant figures.

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Question 9 continued

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10.

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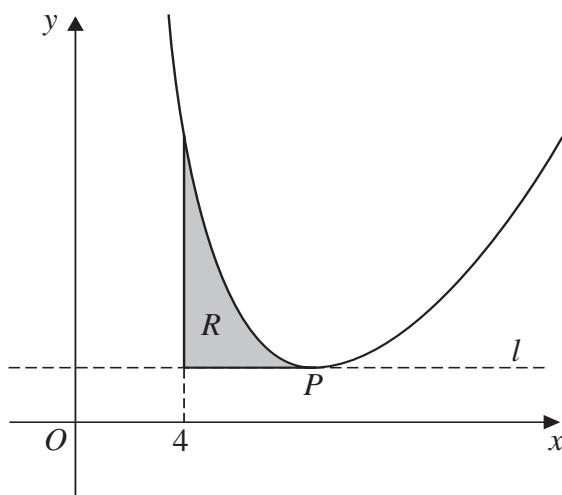


Figure 2

Figure 2 shows a sketch of the curve with equation

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1458}{\sqrt{x^3}} - 74 \quad x > 0$$

The point P is the only stationary point on the curve.

- (a) Use calculus to show that the x coordinate of P is 9

(4)

The line l passes through the point P and is parallel to the x -axis.

The region R , shown shaded in Figure 2, is bounded by the curve, the line l and the line with equation $x = 4$

- (b) Use algebraic integration to find the exact area of R .

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