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## A Level Mathematics B (MEI) H640/01 Pure Mathematics and Mechanics Sample Question Paper

Version 2

### Date – Morning/Afternoon

Time allowed: 2 hours

**You must have:**

- Printed Answer Booklet

**You may use:**

- a scientific or graphical calculator



#### INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Complete the boxes provided on the Printed Answer Booklet with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the Printed Answer Booklet.** Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- You are permitted to use a scientific or graphical calculator in this paper.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.
- The acceleration due to gravity is denoted by  $g\text{ m s}^{-2}$ . Unless otherwise instructed, when a numerical value is needed, use  $g = 9.8$ .

#### INFORMATION

- The total number of marks for this paper is **100**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].
- You are advised that an answer may receive **no marks** unless you show sufficient detail of the working to indicate that a correct method is used. You should communicate your method with correct reasoning.
- The Printed Answer Booklet consists of **20** pages. The Question Paper consists of **12** pages.

## Formulae A Level Mathematics B (MEI) (H640)

### Arithmetic series

$$S_n = \frac{1}{2}n(a+l) = \frac{1}{2}n\{2a+(n-1)d\}$$

### Geometric series

$$S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$$

$$S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r} \quad \text{for } |r| < 1$$

### Binomial series

$$(a+b)^n = a^n + {}^nC_1 a^{n-1}b + {}^nC_2 a^{n-2}b^2 + \dots + {}^nC_r a^{n-r}b^r + \dots + b^n \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}),$$

$$\text{where } {}^nC_r = {}_nC_r = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!}x^2 + \dots + \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-r+1)}{r!}x^r + \dots \quad (|x| < 1, n \in \mathbb{R})$$

### Differentiation

f(x)	f'(x)
tan kx	k sec <sup>2</sup> kx
sec x	sec x tan x
cot x	-cosec <sup>2</sup> x
cosec x	-cosec x cot x

$$\text{Quotient Rule } y = \frac{u}{v}, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$$

### Differentiation from first principles

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

### Integration

$$\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \ln |f(x)| + c$$

$$\int f'(x)(f(x))^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1}(f(x))^{n+1} + c$$

$$\text{Integration by parts } \int u \frac{dv}{dx} dx = uv - \int v \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

### Small angle approximations

$$\sin \theta \approx \theta, \quad \cos \theta \approx 1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2, \quad \tan \theta \approx \theta \quad \text{where } \theta \text{ is measured in radians}$$

**Trigonometric identities**

$$\sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$$

$$\tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B} \quad (A \pm B \neq (k + \frac{1}{2})\pi)$$

**Numerical methods**

Trapezium rule:  $\int_a^b y \, dx \approx \frac{1}{2} h \{ (y_0 + y_n) + 2(y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_{n-1}) \}$ , where  $h = \frac{b-a}{n}$

The Newton-Raphson iteration for solving  $f(x) = 0$ :  $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$

**Probability**

$$P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A)P(B | A) = P(B)P(A | B) \quad \text{or} \quad P(A | B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$

**Sample variance**

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} S_{xx} \quad \text{where} \quad S_{xx} = \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \sum x_i^2 - \frac{(\sum x_i)^2}{n} = \sum x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2$$

Standard deviation,  $s = \sqrt{\text{variance}}$

**The binomial distribution**

If  $X \sim B(n, p)$  then  $P(X = r) = {}^n C_r p^r q^{n-r}$  where  $q = 1 - p$

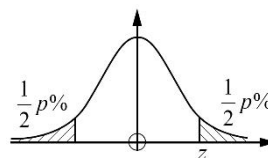
Mean of  $X$  is  $np$

**Hypothesis testing for the mean of a Normal distribution**

If  $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$  then  $\bar{X} \sim N\left(\mu, \frac{\sigma^2}{n}\right)$  and  $\frac{\bar{X} - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}} \sim N(0, 1)$

**Percentage points of the Normal distribution**

$p$	10	5	2	1
$z$	1.645	1.960	2.326	2.576

**Kinematics**

Motion in a straight line

$$v = u + at$$

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

$$s = \frac{1}{2} (u + v)t$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$$

$$s = vt - \frac{1}{2} at^2$$

Motion in two dimensions

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{u} + \mathbf{a}t$$

$$\mathbf{s} = \mathbf{u}t + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}t^2$$

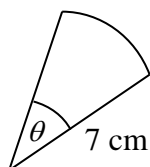
$$\mathbf{s} = \frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v})t$$

$$\mathbf{s} = \mathbf{v}t - \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}t^2$$

Answer **all** the questions

**Section A** (23 marks)

- 1 **Fig. 1** shows a sector of a circle of radius 7 cm. The area of the sector is  $5 \text{ cm}^2$ .



**Fig. 1**

Find the angle  $\theta$  in radians.

[2]

- 2 A geometric series has first term 3. The sum to infinity of the series is 8.  
Find the common ratio.

[3]

- 3 Solve the inequality  $|2x - 1| \geq 4$ .

[4]

- 4 Differentiate the following.

(a)  $\sqrt{1 - 3x^2}$

[3]

(b)  $\frac{x^2}{3x + 2}$

[3]

- 5 A woman is pulling a loaded sledge along horizontal ground. The only resistance to motion of the sledge is due to friction between it and the ground.



**Fig. 5**

At first, she pulls with a force of 100 N inclined at  $32^\circ$  to the horizontal, as shown in **Fig.5**, but the sledge does not move.

- (a) Determine the frictional force between the ground and the sledge.  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures. [2]
- (b) Next she pulls with a force of 100 N inclined at a smaller angle to the horizontal. The sledge still does not move.

Compare the frictional force in this new situation with that in part (a), justifying your answer.

[2]

6 Fig. 6 shows a partially completed spreadsheet.

This spreadsheet uses the trapezium rule with four strips to estimate  $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \sqrt{1 + \sin x} \, dx$ .

	A	B	C	D	E
1		$x$	$\sin x$	$y$	
2	0	0.0000	0.0000	1.0000	0.5000
3	0.125	0.3927	0.3827	1.1759	1.1759
4	0.25	0.7854	0.7071	1.3066	1.3066
5	0.375	1.1781	0.9239	1.3870	1.3870
6	0.5	1.5708	1.0000	1.4142	0.7071
7					5.0766
8					

Fig. 6

(a) Show how the value in cell B3 is calculated. [1]

(b) Show how the values in cells D2 to D6 are used to calculate the value in cell E7. [1]

(c) Complete the calculation to estimate  $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \sqrt{1 + \sin x} \, dx$ .

Give your answer to 3 significant figures. [2]

Answer **all** the questions

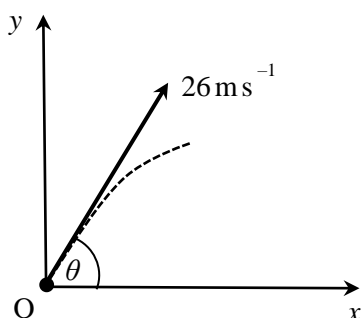
**Section B** (77 marks)

**7** In this question take  $g = 10$ .

A small stone is projected from a point O with a speed of  $26 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  at an angle  $\theta$  above the horizontal. The initial velocity and part of the path of the stone are shown in **Fig. 7**.

You are given that  $\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$ .

After  $t$  seconds the horizontal displacement of the stone from O is  $x$  metres and the vertical displacement is  $y$  metres.



**Fig. 7**

(a) Using the standard model for projectile motion,

- show that  $y = 24t - 5t^2$ ,
- find an expression for  $x$  in terms of  $t$ .

[4]

The stone passes through a point A. Point A is 16 m above the level of O.

(b) Find the two possible horizontal distances of A from O.

[4]

A toy balloon is projected from O with the same initial velocity as the small stone.

(c) Suggest two ways in which the standard model could be adapted.

[2]

8 Find  $\int x^2 e^{2x} dx$ . [7]

- 9 In an experiment, a small box is hit across a floor. After it has been hit, the box slides without rotation.

The box passes a point A. The distance the box travels after passing A before coming to rest is  $S$  metres and the time this takes is  $T$  seconds.

The only resistance to the box's motion is friction due to the floor. The mass of the box is  $m$  kg and the frictional force is a constant  $F$  N.

- (a) (i) Find the equation of motion for the box while it is sliding.

(ii) Show that  $S = kT^2$  where  $k = \frac{F}{2m}$ . [4]

- (b) Given that  $k = 1.4$ , find the value of the coefficient of friction between the box and the floor. [4]

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- 10** In a certain region, the populations of grey squirrels,  $P_G$  and red squirrels  $P_R$ , at time  $t$  years are modelled by the equations:

$$P_G = 10000(1 - e^{-kt})$$

$$P_R = 20000e^{-kt}$$

where  $t \geq 0$  and  $k$  is a positive constant.

- (a) (i) On the axes in your Printed Answer Book, sketch the graphs of  $P_G$  and  $P_R$  on the same axes.
- (ii) Give the equations of any asymptotes. [4]
- (b) What does the model predict about the long term population of
- grey squirrels
  - red squirrels? [2]

Grey squirrels and red squirrels compete for food and space. Grey squirrels are larger and more successful than red squirrels.

- (c) Comment on the validity of the model given by the equations, giving a reason for your answer. [1]
- (d) Show that, according to the model, the rate of decrease of the population of red squirrels is always double the rate of increase of the population of grey squirrels. [4]
- (e) When  $t = 3$ , the numbers of grey and red squirrels are equal. Find the value of  $k$ . [4]

- 11 Fig. 11 shows the curve with parametric equations

$$x = 2 \cos \theta, \quad y = \sin \theta, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi.$$

The point P has parameter  $\frac{1}{4}\pi$ . The tangent at P to the curve meets the axes at A and B.

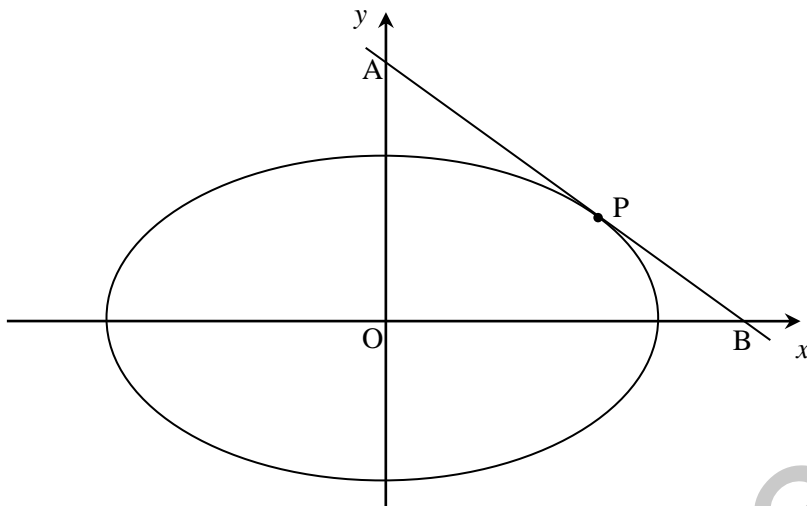


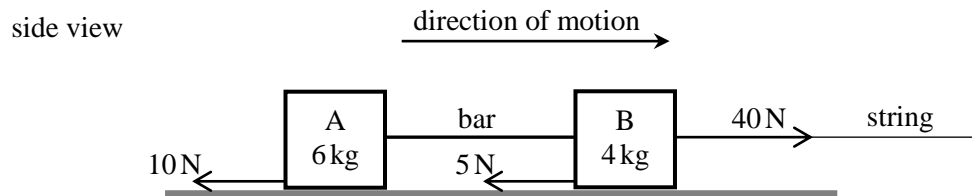
Fig. 11

- (a) Show that the equation of the line AB is  $x + 2y = 2\sqrt{2}$ . [6]
- (b) Determine the area of the triangle AOB. [3]
- 12 A model boat has velocity  $\mathbf{v} = ((2t - 2)\mathbf{i} + (2t + 2)\mathbf{j})$  m s<sup>-1</sup> for  $t \geq 0$ , where  $t$  is the time in seconds.  $\mathbf{i}$  is the unit vector east and  $\mathbf{j}$  is the unit vector north. When  $t = 3$ , the position vector of the boat is  $(3\mathbf{i} + 14\mathbf{j})$  m.
- (a) Show that the boat is never instantaneously at rest. [2]
- (b) Determine any times at which the boat is moving directly northwards. [2]
- (c) Determine any times at which the boat is north-east of the origin. [5]
- 13 In this question you must show detailed reasoning. Determine the values of  $k$  for which part of the graph of  $y = x^2 - kx + 2k$  appears below the  $x$ -axis. [4]

- 14** Blocks A and B are connected by a light rigid horizontal bar and are sliding on a rough horizontal surface.

A light horizontal string exerts a force of 40 N on B.

This situation is shown in **Fig. 14**, which also shows the direction of motion, the mass of each of the blocks and the resistances to their motion.



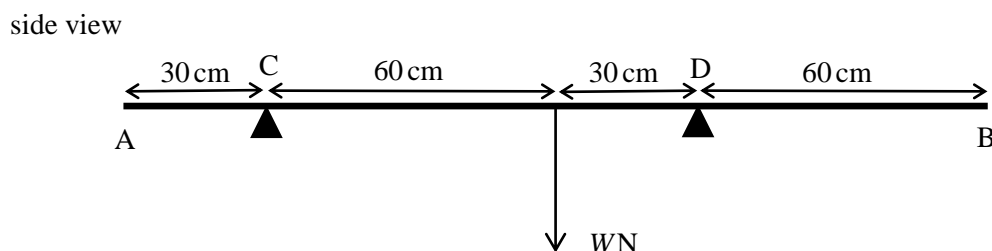
**Fig. 14**

- (a) Calculate the tension in the bar. [4]

The string breaks while the blocks are sliding. The resistances to motion are unchanged.

- (b) Determine
- the magnitude of the new force in the bar,
  - whether the bar is in tension or in compression. [5]

- 15** **Fig. 15** shows a uniform shelf AB of weight  $W$  N. The shelf is 180 cm long and rests on supports at points C and D. Point C is 30 cm from A and point D is 60 cm from B.



**Fig. 15**

Determine the range of positions a point load of  $3W$  could be placed on the shelf without the shelf tipping. [6]

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