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**Tuesday 21 June 2022 – Afternoon**

**A Level Mathematics B (MEI)**

**H640/03 Pure Mathematics and Comprehension**

**Time allowed: 2 hours**



**You must have:**

- the Printed Answer Booklet
- the Insert
- a scientific or graphical calculator

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Use black ink. You can use an HB pencil, but only for graphs and diagrams.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the **Printed Answer Booklet**. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of the Printed Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Fill in the boxes on the front of the Printed Answer Booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Where appropriate, your answer should be supported with working. Marks might be given for using a correct method, even if your answer is wrong.
- Give your final answers to a degree of accuracy that is appropriate to the context.
- Do **not** send this Question Paper for marking. Keep it in the centre or recycle it.

**INFORMATION**

- The total mark for this paper is **75**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [ ].
- This document has **8** pages.

**ADVICE**

- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

## 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

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

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

### 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

$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
$\tan kx$	$k \sec^2 kx$
$\sec x$	$\sec x \tan x$
$\cot x$	$-\operatorname{cosec}^2 x$
$\operatorname{cosec} x$	$-\operatorname{cosec} x \cot x$

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

### 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

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

**Trigonometric identities**

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

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

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

**Numerical methods**

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

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

**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**

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

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

**The binomial distribution**

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

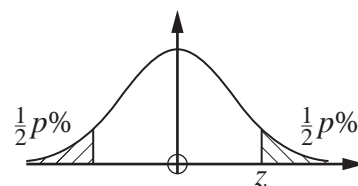
Mean of  $X$  is  $np$

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

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

**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

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

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

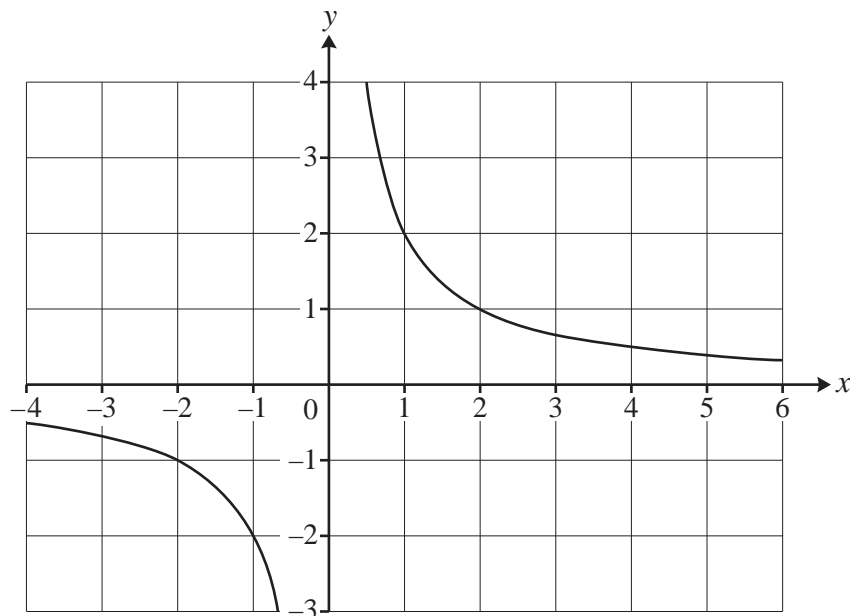
$$\mathbf{s} = \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v})t$$

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

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Answer **all** the questions.**Section A** (60 marks)

- 1 A curve for which  $y$  is inversely proportional to  $x$  is shown below.



Find the equation of the curve.

[2]

- 2 The function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  is defined on the domain  $x \geq 0$ .

The function  $g(x) = 25 - x^2$  is defined on the domain  $\mathbb{R}$ .

(a) Write down an expression for  $fg(x)$ .

[1]

(b) (i) Find the domain of  $fg(x)$ .

[3]

(ii) Find the range of  $fg(x)$ .

[2]

- 3 An infinite sequence  $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots$  is defined by  $a_n = \frac{n}{n+1}$ , for all positive integers  $n$ .

(a) Find the limit of the sequence.

[1]

(b) Prove that this is an increasing sequence.

[3]

**4 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.**

Determine the exact solutions of the equation  $2 \cos^2 x = 3 \sin x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [5]

**5** A curve is defined implicitly by the equation  $2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 + 2 = 0$ .

(a) Show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{4x+3y}{3x+2y}$ . [3]

**(b) In this question you must show detailed reasoning.**

Find the coordinates of the stationary points of the curve. [4]

**6** A hot drink is cooling. The temperature of the drink at time  $t$  minutes is  $T^\circ\text{C}$ .

The rate of decrease in temperature of the drink is proportional to  $(T - 20)$ .

(a) Write down a differential equation to describe the temperature of the drink as a function of time. [2]

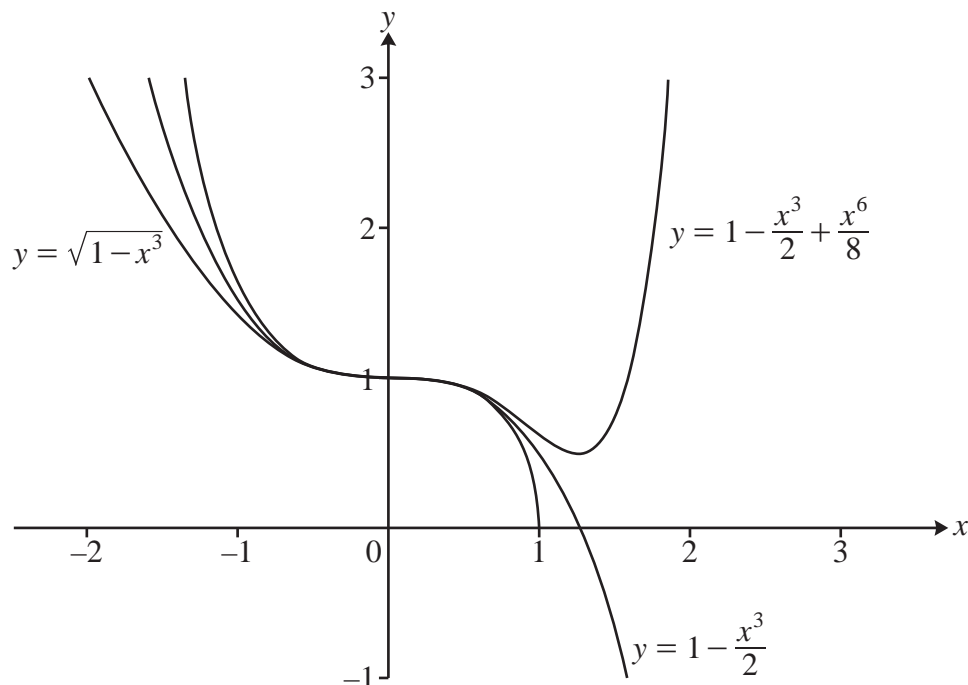
(b) When  $t = 0$ , the temperature of the drink is  $90^\circ\text{C}$  and the temperature is decreasing at a rate of  $4.9^\circ\text{C}$  per minute.

Determine how long it takes for the drink to cool from  $90^\circ\text{C}$  to  $40^\circ\text{C}$ . [6]

7 A student is trying to find the binomial expansion of  $\sqrt{1-x^3}$ .

She gets the first three terms as  $1 - \frac{x^3}{2} + \frac{x^6}{8}$ .

She draws the graphs of the curves  $y = \sqrt{1-x^3}$ ,  $y = 1 - \frac{x^3}{2}$  and  $y = 1 - \frac{x^3}{2} + \frac{x^6}{8}$  using software.



- (a) Explain why  $1 - \frac{x^3}{2} + \frac{x^6}{8} \geq 1 - \frac{x^3}{2}$  for all values of  $x$ . [1]
- (b) Explain why the graphs suggest that the student has made a mistake in the binomial expansion. [1]
- (c) Find the first **four** terms in the binomial expansion of  $\sqrt{1-x^3}$ . [3]
- (d) State the set of values of  $x$  for which the binomial expansion in part (c) is valid. [1]
- (e) Sketch the curve  $y = 2.5\sqrt{1-x^3}$  on the grid in the Printed Answer Booklet. [2]
- (f) **In this question you must show detailed reasoning.**

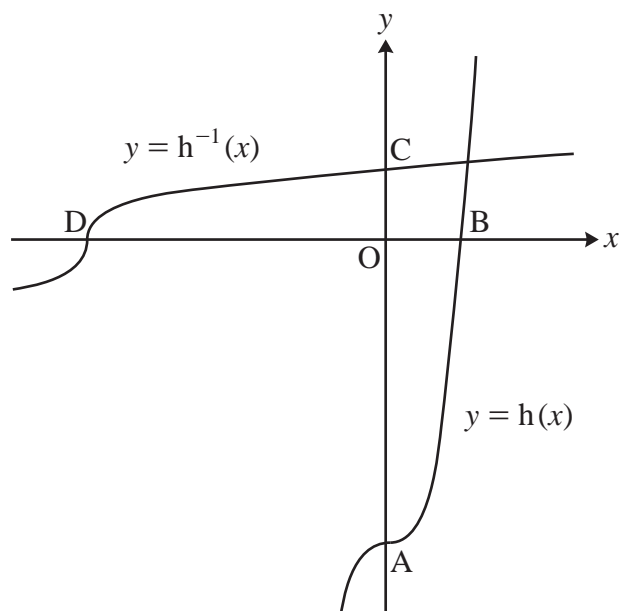
The end of a bus shelter is modelled by the area between the curve  $y = 2.5\sqrt{1-x^3}$ , the lines  $x = -0.75$ ,  $x = 0.75$  and the  $x$ -axis. Lengths are in metres.

Calculate, using your answer to part (c), an approximation for the area of the end of the bus shelter as given by this model. [4]

8 The curves  $y = h(x)$  and  $y = h^{-1}(x)$ , where  $h(x) = x^3 - 8$ , are shown below.

The curve  $y = h(x)$  crosses the  $x$ -axis at B and the  $y$ -axis at A.

The curve  $y = h^{-1}(x)$  crosses the  $x$ -axis at D and the  $y$ -axis at C.



- (a) Find an expression for  $h^{-1}(x)$ . [2]
- (b) Determine the coordinates of A, B, C and D. [5]
- (c) Determine the equation of the perpendicular bisector of AB. Give your answer in the form  $y = mx + c$ , where  $m$  and  $c$  are constants to be determined. [4]
- (d) Points A, B, C and D lie on a circle.

Determine the equation of the circle. Give your answer in the form  $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$ , where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $r^2$  are constants to be determined. [5]

Answer **all** the questions.

**Section B** (15 marks)

The questions in this section refer to the article on the Insert. You should read the article before attempting the questions.

9 Show that  $y = x$  has the same gradient as  $y = \sin x$  when  $x = 0$ , as stated in line 5. [2]

10 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Fig. C2.2 indicates that the curve  $y = \frac{4x(\pi - x)}{\pi^2} - \sin x$  has a stationary point near  $x = 3$ .

- Verify that the  $x$ -coordinate of this stationary point is between 2.6 and 2.7.
- Show that this stationary point is a maximum turning point. [5]

11 Show that, for the angle  $45^\circ$ , the formula  $\sin \theta \approx \frac{4\theta(180 - \theta)}{40500 - \theta(180 - \theta)}$  given in line 28 gives the same approximation for the sine of the angle as the formula  $\sin x \approx \frac{16x(\pi - x)}{5\pi^2 - 4x(\pi - x)}$  given in line 23. [3]

12 (a) Show that  $\cos x = \sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . [2]

(b) Hence show that  $\sin x \approx \frac{16x(\pi - x)}{5\pi^2 - 4x(\pi - x)}$  gives the approximation  $\cos x \approx \frac{\pi^2 - 4x^2}{\pi^2 + x^2}$ , as stated in line 31. [3]

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