

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS**

**Advanced Subsidiary General Certificate of Education  
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**MEI STRUCTURED MATHEMATICS**

**4751**

Introduction to Advanced Mathematics (C1)

Monday                      **16 JANUARY 2006**                      Morning                      1 hour 30 minutes

Additional materials:  
8 page answer booklet  
Graph paper  
MEI Examination Formulae and Tables (MF2)

**TIME**    1 hour 30 minutes

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- You are **not** permitted to use a calculator in this paper.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- 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 being used.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 72.



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**This question paper consists of 4 printed pages.**

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## Section A (36 marks)

- 1  $n$  is a positive integer. Show that  $n^2 + n$  is always even. [2]

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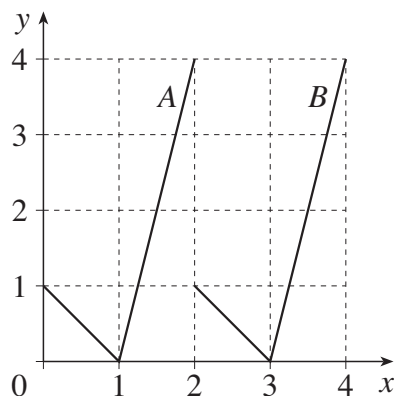


Fig. 2

Fig. 2 shows graphs  $A$  and  $B$ .

- (i) State the transformation which maps graph  $A$  onto graph  $B$ . [2]

- (ii) The equation of graph  $A$  is  $y = f(x)$ .

Which one of the following is the equation of graph  $B$ ?

$$y = f(x) + 2$$

$$y = f(x) - 2$$

$$y = f(x + 2)$$

$$y = f(x - 2)$$

$$y = 2f(x)$$

$$y = f(x + 3)$$

$$y = f(x - 3)$$

$$y = 3f(x)$$

[2]

- 3 Find the binomial expansion of  $(2 + x)^4$ , writing each term as simply as possible. [4]

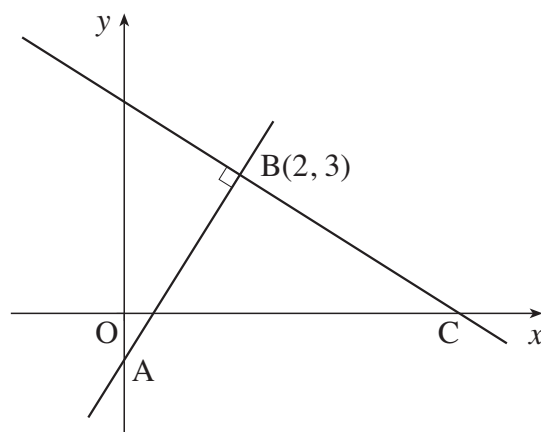
- 4 Solve the inequality  $\frac{3(2x + 1)}{4} > -6$ . [4]

- 5 Make  $C$  the subject of the formula  $P = \frac{C}{C + 4}$ . [4]

- 6 When  $x^3 + 3x + k$  is divided by  $x - 1$ , the remainder is 6. Find the value of  $k$ . [3]

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**Fig. 7**

The line AB has equation  $y = 4x - 5$  and passes through the point  $B(2, 3)$ , as shown in Fig. 7. The line BC is perpendicular to AB and cuts the  $x$ -axis at C. Find the equation of the line BC and the  $x$ -coordinate of C. [5]

- 8 (i) Simplify  $5\sqrt{8} + 4\sqrt{50}$ . Express your answer in the form  $a\sqrt{b}$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers and  $b$  is as small as possible. [2]
- (ii) Express  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6 - \sqrt{3}}$  in the form  $p + q\sqrt{3}$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are rational. [3]
- 9 (i) Find the range of values of  $k$  for which the equation  $x^2 + 5x + k = 0$  has one or more real roots. [3]
- (ii) Solve the equation  $4x^2 + 20x + 25 = 0$ . [2]

**Section B (36 marks)**

- 10 A circle has equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 45$ .
- (i) State the centre and radius of this circle. [2]
- (ii) The circle intersects the line with equation  $x + y = 3$  at two points, A and B. Find algebraically the coordinates of A and B.
- Show that the distance AB is  $\sqrt{162}$ . [8]

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- 11** (i) Write  $x^2 - 7x + 6$  in the form  $(x - a)^2 + b$ . [3]
- (ii) State the coordinates of the minimum point on the graph of  $y = x^2 - 7x + 6$ . [2]
- (iii) Find the coordinates of the points where the graph of  $y = x^2 - 7x + 6$  crosses the axes and sketch the graph. [5]
- (iv) Show that the graphs of  $y = x^2 - 7x + 6$  and  $y = x^2 - 3x + 4$  intersect only once. Find the  $x$ -coordinate of the point of intersection. [3]
- 12** (i) Sketch the graph of  $y = x(x - 3)^2$ . [3]
- (ii) Show that the equation  $x(x - 3)^2 = 2$  can be expressed as  $x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x - 2 = 0$ . [2]
- (iii) Show that  $x = 2$  is one root of this equation and find the other two roots, expressing your answers in surd form.
- Show the location of these roots on your sketch graph in part (i). [8]