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Core Mathematics C34

Advanced

Sample Assessment Material
Time: 2 hours 30 minutes

Paper Reference

WMA02/01

You must have:

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Blue)

Total Marks

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Candidates may use any calculator allowed by the regulations of the Joint Council for Qualifications. 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). Coloured pencils and highlighter pens must not be used.
- **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.
- When a calculator is used, the answer should be given to an appropriate degree of accuracy.

Information

- The total mark for this paper is 125.
- 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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4. (a) Use the binomial theorem to expand

$$(2 - 3x)^{-2}, \quad |x| < \frac{2}{3}$$

in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^3 . Give each coefficient as a simplified fraction.

(5)

$$f(x) = \frac{a + bx}{(2 - 3x)^2}, \quad |x| < \frac{2}{3}, \quad \text{where } a \text{ and } b \text{ are constants.}$$

In the binomial expansion of $f(x)$, in ascending powers of x , the coefficient of x is 0 and the coefficient of x^2 is $\frac{9}{16}$

Find

(b) the value of a and the value of b ,

(5)

(c) the coefficient of x^3 , giving your answer as a simplified fraction.

(3)

8.
$$h(x) = \frac{2}{x+2} + \frac{4}{x^2+5} - \frac{18}{(x^2+5)(x+2)}, \quad x \geq 0$$

(a) Show that $h(x) = \frac{2x}{x^2+5}$ (4)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, find $h'(x)$ in its simplest form. (3)

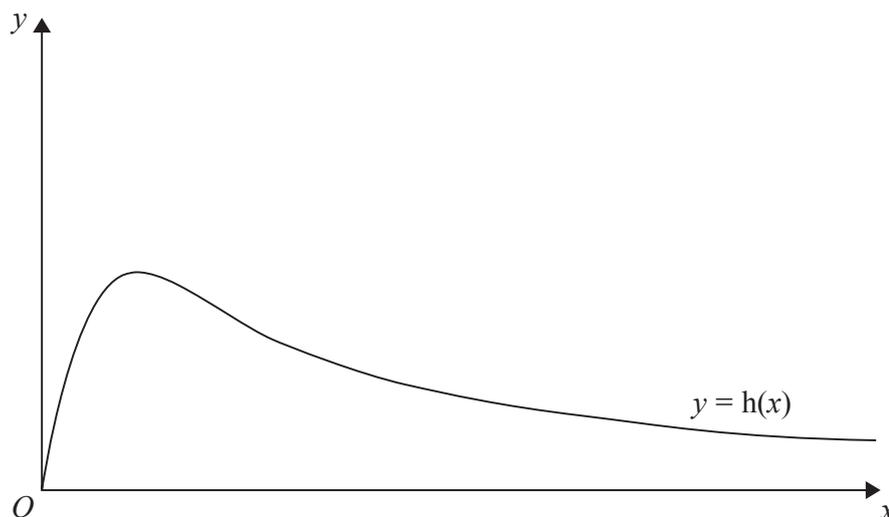


Figure 2

Figure 2 shows a graph of the curve with equation $y = h(x)$.

(c) Calculate the range of $h(x)$. (5)

10.

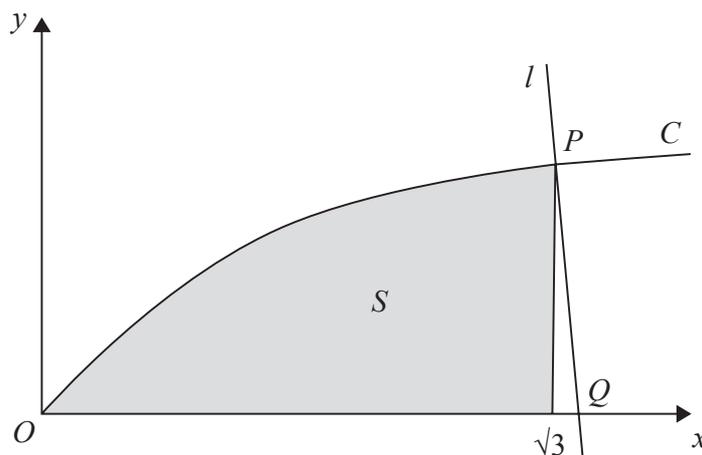


Figure 3

Figure 3 shows part of the curve C with parametric equations

$$x = \tan \theta, \quad y = \sin \theta, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

The point P lies on C and has coordinates $\left(\sqrt{3}, \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}\right)$

- (a) Find the value of θ at the point P . (2)

The line l is a normal to C at P . The normal cuts the x -axis at the point Q .

- (b) Show that Q has coordinates $(k\sqrt{3}, 0)$, giving the value of the constant k . (6)

The finite shaded region S shown in Figure 3 is bounded by the curve C , the line $x = \sqrt{3}$ and the x -axis. This shaded region is rotated through 2π radians about the x -axis to form a solid of revolution.

- (c) Find the volume of the solid of revolution, giving your answer in the form $p\pi\sqrt{3} + q\pi^2$, where p and q are constants. (7)
