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# Further Mathematics

Unit 1  
Pure Mathematics



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**MONDAY 8 JUNE, MORNING**

**TIME**

2 hours.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided at the top of this page.

**You must answer the questions in the spaces provided.**

**Do not write outside the boxed area on each page, on blank pages or tracing paper.**

**Complete in blue or black ink only. Do not write with a gel pen.**

All working should be clearly shown since marks may be awarded for partially correct solutions.

Where rounding is necessary give answers correct to **2 decimal places** unless stated otherwise.  
Answer **all sixteen** questions.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The total mark for this paper is 100.

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You may use a calculator.

The Formula Sheet is on pages 2 and 3.



## Formula Sheet

### PURE MATHEMATICS

Quadratic equations: If  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  ( $a \neq 0$ )

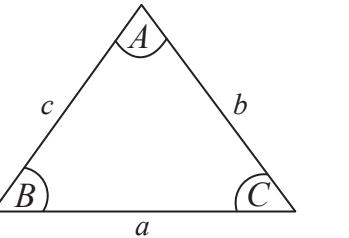
$$\text{then } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

Trigonometry:

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$



Differentiation:

$$\text{If } y = ax^n \quad \text{then} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = nax^{n-1}$$

Integration:

$$\int ax^n \, dx = \frac{ax^{n+1}}{n+1} + c \quad (n \neq -1)$$

Logarithms:

$$\text{If } a^x = n \quad \text{then} \quad x = \log_a n$$

$$\log(ab) = \log a + \log b$$

$$\log\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) = \log a - \log b$$

$$\log a^n = n \log a$$

Matrices:

$$\text{If } \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{then } \det \mathbf{A} = ad - bc$$

$$\text{and } \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad - bc} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix} \quad (ad - bc \neq 0)$$



## MECHANICS

Vectors:

Magnitude of  $x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$  is given by  $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$

Angle between  $x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{i}$  is given by  $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$

Uniform Acceleration:  $v = u + at$   $s = \frac{1}{2}(u + v)t$

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

where

$u$  is initial velocity

$t$  is time

$v$  is final velocity

$s$  is change in displacement

$a$  is acceleration

Newton's Second Law:  $F = ma$

where

$F$  is resultant force

$m$  is mass

$a$  is acceleration

## STATISTICS

Statistical measures: Mean =  $\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$  Median =  $L_1 + \frac{\left\{ \frac{N}{2} - (\Sigma f)_l \right\} c}{f_{median}}$

where

$L_1$  is lower class boundary of the median class

$N$  is total frequency

$(\Sigma f)_l$  is the sum of the frequencies up to but not including the median class

$f_{median}$  is the frequency of the median class

$c$  is the width of the median class

Standard deviation =  $\sqrt{\frac{\sum fx^2}{\sum f} - (\bar{x})^2}$  where  $\bar{x}$  is the mean

Probability:

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

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

Bivariate Analysis:

Spearman's coefficient of rank correlation is given by

$$r = 1 - \frac{6 \sum d^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}$$



1 Evaluate

(a)  $\begin{bmatrix} p \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 2p \\ r \end{bmatrix}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(b)  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(c)  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} [4 \quad 5]$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]



2 Solve the equation  $x^2 - 10x + 2 = 0$  by completing the square.

Give your answer in the form  $a \pm \sqrt{b}$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are whole numbers.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [4]

[Turn over]



- 3 A wooden block is  $x$  cm long,  $\frac{1}{2}x$  cm wide and  $\frac{1}{3}x$  cm high.

The total surface area of the block is  $72 \text{ cm}^2$ .

Form an equation in  $x$  and hence find the value of  $x$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [5]



4 If  $y = \frac{3}{4}x^8 + 2x + \frac{3}{x^3}$

(i) find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]

(ii) Hence find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

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5 Find  $\int \left(4x^2 - \frac{3}{x^3} + 1\right) dx$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [4]



6 (i) Solve the equation

$$\tan \theta = 1.8$$

for  $0^\circ \leq \theta < 360^\circ$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

(ii) Hence solve the equation

$$\tan (0.9x - 40^\circ) = 1.8$$

for  $0^\circ \leq x < 360^\circ$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]

[Turn over]



7 The inverse  $\mathbf{A}^{-1}$  of a matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]



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**8 (a) Simplify fully**

$$\frac{1}{4x} \div \frac{x-3}{6x^2 - 2x}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]



(b) (i) Simplify fully

$$\frac{x^2 - 2x}{x^2 - x - 2}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

(ii) Hence simplify fully

$$\frac{2x}{x^2 - 1} + \frac{x^2 - 2x}{x^2 - x - 2}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]

[Turn over]



- 9** The owners of Wee Dotes Day Nursery plan to build a rectangular play area. They have enough edging bricks to make the perimeter 42 m and enough paving stones to cover an area of  $108 \text{ m}^2$ .

Let  $x$  and  $y$  represent the length and width, in metres, of the planned play area.

- (i) Write down two equations connecting  $x$  and  $y$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]



(ii) Hence find the length and width of the play area.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ m

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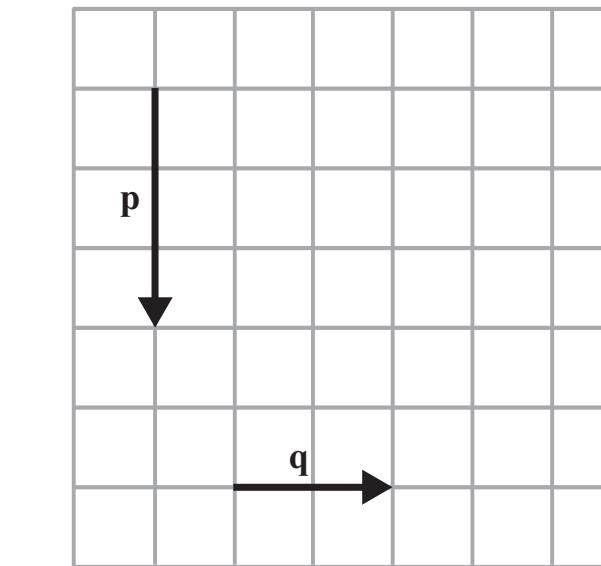
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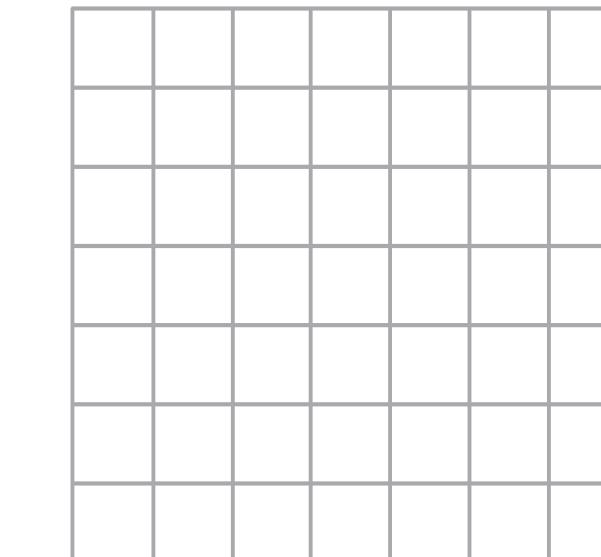


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10 (a) The vectors  $\mathbf{p}$  and  $\mathbf{q}$  are shown below.



On the grid below show the vector  $\mathbf{q} - 2\mathbf{p}$

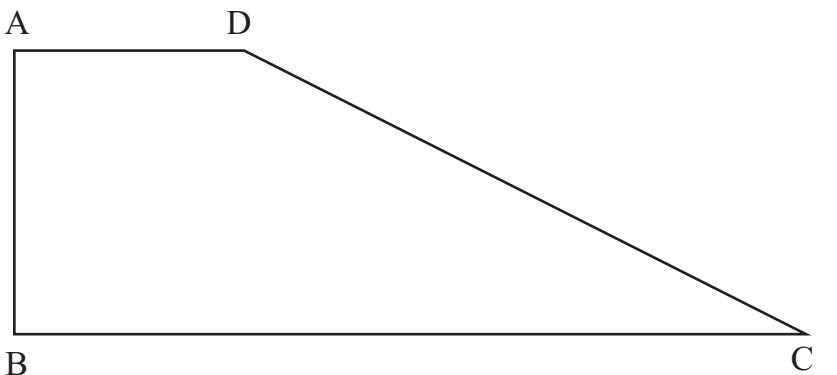


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- (b)** In the trapezium ABCD below, AD is parallel to BC and  $AD = \frac{1}{3} BC$ .  
 $\vec{AB}$  represents the vector  $\mathbf{r}$  and  $\vec{BD}$  represents the vector  $\mathbf{s}$



- (i)** Express  $\vec{AD}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{r}$  and  $\mathbf{s}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

- (ii)** Express  $\vec{BC}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{r}$  and  $\mathbf{s}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]



(iii) Express  $\vec{DC}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{r}$  and  $\mathbf{s}$ , simplifying your answer as far as possible.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

E is the point on BD such that  $BE = 2 ED$ .

(iv) Express  $\vec{AE}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{r}$  and  $\mathbf{s}$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

(v) Show that AE is parallel to DC.

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**[Turn over**



11 (a) Solve the equation

$$6^{3x+1} = 3^{x-2}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [5]

(b) Write  $\log\left(\frac{ab}{c}\right)$  in terms of  $\log a$ ,  $\log b$  and  $\log c$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]



(c) Given that  $\log 2 = p$ , express  $\log \sqrt{8}$  in terms of  $p$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]

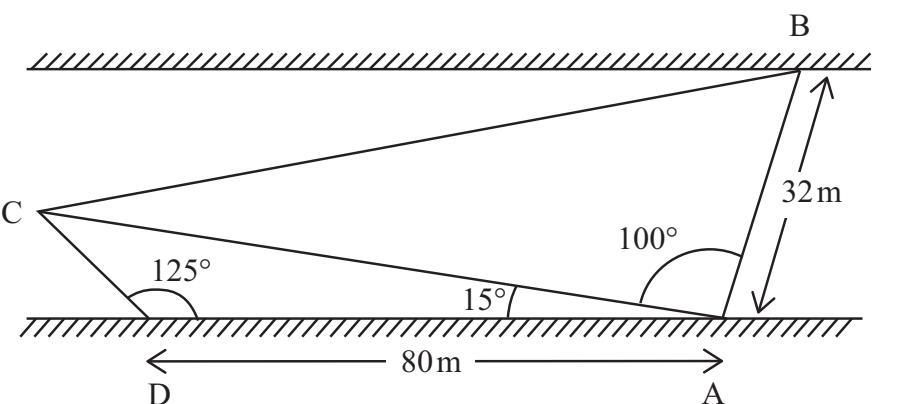
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- 12 On its migration from Tanzania to Kenya, a wildebeest had to cross the Mara River. It entered the river at a point A and swam in a straight line towards a point B, 32 m from A, on the other side of the river where it could climb up the bank.

At the moment when it entered the river an observer at a point D, 80 m from A, noticed a crocodile in the river at a point C, and measured the angle  $\hat{CDA}$  as  $125^\circ$ .

Another observer at the point A also spotted the crocodile and measured the angles  $\hat{CAD}$  and  $\hat{CAB}$  as  $15^\circ$  and  $100^\circ$  respectively, as shown in the diagram below.



Calculate

- (i) the size of the angle  $\hat{ACD}$ ,

Answer \_\_\_\_\_  $^\circ$  [1]



(ii) the distance AC,

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ m [2]

(iii) the distance CB.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ m [2]

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The wildebeest swam at a constant speed of 0.8 m/s. The crocodile swam at a constant speed of 2.7 m/s in a straight line towards B.

- (iv) Calculate whether or not the wildebeest made it safely to the other side or was caught by the crocodile.

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- 13 (i) Find the equation of the **normal** to the curve  $y = x^2 - \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$  at the point  $(1, -1)$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [4]



This normal cuts the  $x$ -axis at the point P and the  $y$ -axis at the point Q.

(ii) Find the coordinates of the point P.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iii) Find the coordinates of the point Q.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

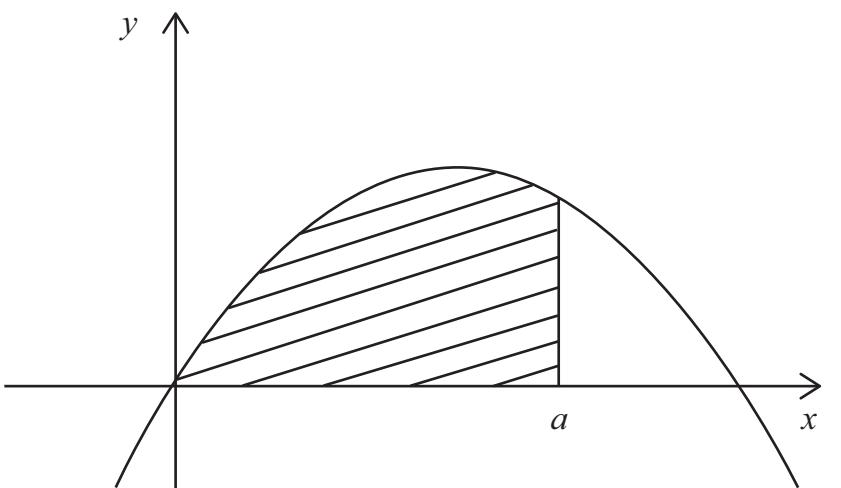
(iv) Hence find the area of the triangle OPQ, where O is the origin.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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- 14 A sketch of the curve  $y = -3x^2 + 8x$  is shown below.



The area between the curve, the  $x$ -axis and the line  $x = a$  is shaded.

The shaded area is  $a^3$ .

Find the value of  $a$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [5]



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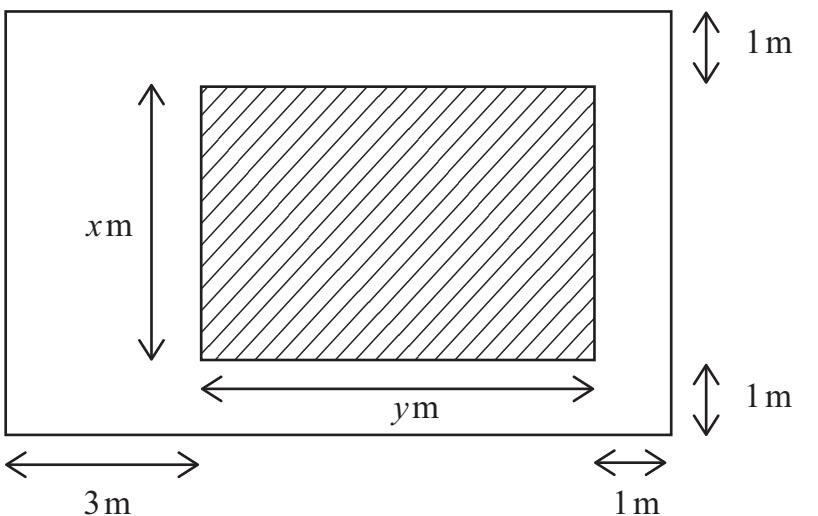
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- 15 The owner of a stately home wishes to build a rectangular ornamental pond in his grounds. He wishes to surround the pond with a tarmac path, 1 m wide on three sides, and 3 m wide at one end to allow for seating.



Let  $x$  and  $y$  be the lengths of the sides of the pond in metres.

Express in terms of  $x$  and  $y$ ,

- (i) the surface area of the pond,

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]



(ii) the total surface area A of the tarmac.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [3]

The surface area of the pond is to be  $100\text{m}^2$ .

(iii) Show that the total area of the tarmac is given by

$$A = 4x + \frac{200}{x} + 8$$

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The owner wishes to minimise the amount of tarmac necessary.

- (iv) Find the value of  $x$  which will minimise the area of the tarmac, proving that it is a minimum.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [4]



(v) Hence determine the corresponding dimensions of the pond.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

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**16** A curve is defined by the equation  $y = 15 - 4x - 3x^2$

- (i) Find the coordinates of the points where the curve crosses the  $x$ -axis.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [2]

- (ii) Find the coordinates of the turning point of the curve.

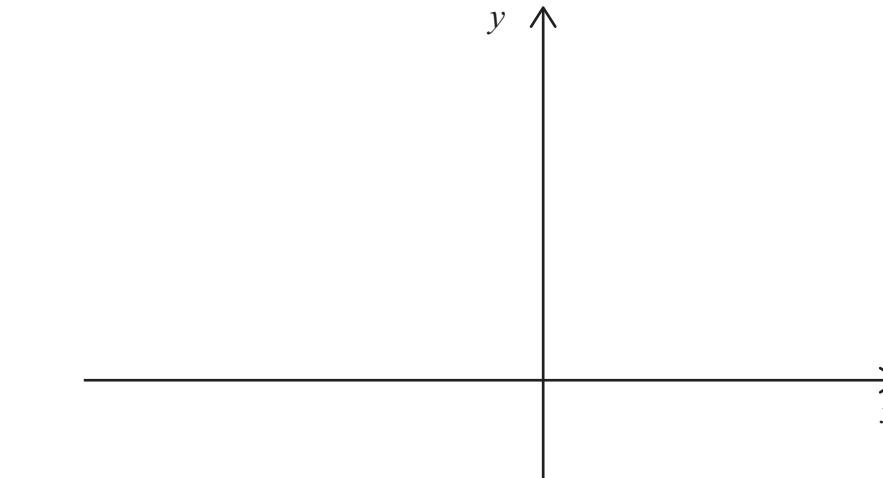
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(iii) Identify the turning point as either a maximum or a minimum point. You **must** show working to justify your answer.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ [1]

(iv) Sketch the curve on the axes below. Your sketch must show the turning point and where the curve crosses the  $x$ -axis.



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