



**GCE AS/A level**

0976/01

**MATHEMATICS – C4**  
**Pure Mathematics**

A.M. MONDAY, 16 June 2014

1 hour 30 minutes

**ADDITIONAL MATERIALS**

In addition to this examination paper, you will need:

- a 12 page answer book;
- a Formula Booklet;
- a calculator.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Use black ink or black ball-point pen.

Answer **all** questions.

Sufficient working must be shown to demonstrate the **mathematical** method employed.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

The number of marks is given in brackets at the end of each question or part-question.

You are reminded of the necessity for good English and orderly presentation in your answers.

1. The curve  $C$  is defined by

$$3x^3 - 5xy^2 + 2y^4 = 15.$$

The point  $P$  has coordinates  $(1, 2)$  and lies on  $C$ .

Find the equation of the **normal** to  $C$  at  $P$ .

[5]

2. (a) Express  $\frac{5x^2 + 7x + 17}{(x + 1)^2(x - 4)}$  in terms of partial fractions. [4]

- (b) **Use your answer to part (a)** to express  $\frac{5x^2 + 9x + 9}{(x + 1)^2(x - 4)}$  in terms of partial fractions. [2]

3. (a) Find all values of  $x$  in the range  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$  satisfying

$$\tan 2x = 3 \cot x. \quad [4]$$

- (b) (i) Express  $21 \sin \theta - 20 \cos \theta$  in the form  $R \sin(\theta - \alpha)$ , where  $R$  and  $\alpha$  are constants with  $R > 0$  and  $0^\circ < \alpha < 90^\circ$ .

- (ii) Use your results to part (i) to find the greatest value of

$$\frac{1}{21 \sin \theta - 20 \cos \theta + 31}.$$

Write down a value for  $\theta$  for which this greatest value occurs.

[6]

4. The region  $R$  is bounded by the curve  $y = 3 + 2 \sin x$ , the  $x$ -axis and the lines  $x = 0$ ,  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Find the volume of the solid generated when  $R$  is rotated through four right angles about the  $x$ -axis. Give your answer correct to the nearest integer. [6]

5. Expand

$$6\sqrt{1-2x} - \frac{1}{1+4x}$$

in ascending powers of  $x$  up to and including the term in  $x^2$ .

State the range of values of  $x$  for which your expansion is valid.

[7]

6. The curve  $C$  has the parametric equations  $x = 2t$ ,  $y = 5t^3$ . The point  $P$  lies on  $C$  and has parameter  $p$ .

- (a) Show that the equation of the tangent to  $C$  at the point  $P$  is

$$2y = 15p^2x - 20p^3. \quad [4]$$

- (b) The tangent to  $C$  at the point  $P$  intersects  $C$  again at the point  $Q(2q, 5q^3)$ . Given that  $p = 1$ , show that  $q$  satisfies the equation

$$q^3 - 3q + 2 = 0.$$

Hence find the value of  $q$ . [5]

7. (a) Find  $\int x^4 \ln 2x \, dx$ . [4]

- (b) Use the substitution  $u = 10 \cos x - 1$  to evaluate

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sqrt{(10 \cos x - 1)} \sin x \, dx. \quad [4]$$

8. The value  $\pounds V$  of a long term investment may be modelled as a continuous variable. At time  $t$  years, the rate of increase of  $V$  is directly proportional to the value of  $V$ .

- (a) Write down a differential equation satisfied by  $V$ . [1]

- (b) Show that  $V = Ae^{kt}$ , where  $A$  and  $k$  are constants. [3]

- (c) The value of the investment after 2 years is  $\pounds 292$  and its value after 28 years is  $\pounds 637$ .

- (i) Show that  $k = 0.03$ , correct to two decimal places.  
 (ii) Find the value of  $A$  correct to the nearest integer.  
 (iii) Find the initial value of the investment. Give your answer correct to the nearest pound. [6]

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9. (a) The vectors  $\mathbf{p}$  and  $\mathbf{q}$  are given by

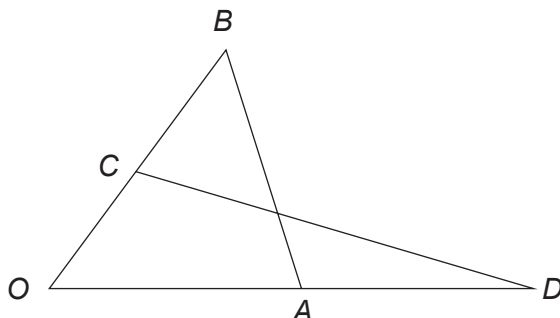
$$\mathbf{p} = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

$$\text{and } \mathbf{q} = 5\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 8\mathbf{k}.$$

Find the angle between  $\mathbf{p}$  and  $\mathbf{q}$ .

[4]

- (b) In the diagram below, the points  $O$ ,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  are such that  $A$  is the mid-point of  $OD$  and  $C$  is the mid-point of  $OB$ .



Taking  $O$  as the origin, the position vectors of  $A$  and  $B$  are denoted by  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  respectively.

- (i) Show that  $\mathbf{CD} = 2\mathbf{a} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{b}$ .

Hence show that the vector equation of the line  $CD$  may be expressed in the form

$$\mathbf{r} = 2\lambda\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{2}(1 - \lambda)\mathbf{b}.$$

The vector equation of the line  $L$  may be expressed in the form

$$\mathbf{r} = \frac{1}{3}\mu\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{3}(\mu - 1)\mathbf{b}.$$

The lines  $CD$  and  $L$  intersect at the point  $E$ .

- (ii) By giving  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  appropriate values, or otherwise, show that  $E$  has position vector  $\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{b}$ .

- (iii) Give a geometrical interpretation of the fact that  $E$  has position vector  $\frac{2}{3}\mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{3}\mathbf{b}$ . [7]

10. Complete the following proof by contradiction to show that

$$\sin\theta + \cos\theta \leq \sqrt{2}$$

for all values of  $\theta$ .

Assume that there is a value of  $\theta$  for which  $\sin\theta + \cos\theta > \sqrt{2}$ .  
Then squaring both sides, we have:

[3]

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