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**A2 GCE**  
**4754/01A**

**MATHEMATICS (MEI)**  
**Applications of Advanced**  
**Mathematics (C4) Paper A**

**QUESTION PAPER**

**FRIDAY 18 JANUARY 2013: Afternoon**

**DURATION: 1 hour 30 minutes**  
**plus your additional time allowance**

**MODIFIED ENLARGED 18pt**

**Candidates answer on the Printed Answer Book or any suitable paper provided by the centre. The Printed Answer Book may be enlarged by the centre.**

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**Printed Answer Book 4754/01A**  
**MEI Examination Formulae and Tables (MF2)**

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**Scientific or graphical calculator**

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- **Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.**
- **Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.**
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- **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.**
- **The Printed Answer Book consists of 16 pages.**
- **This paper will be followed by PAPER B: COMPREHENSION.**

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**SECTION A (36 marks)**

- 1 Solve the equation  $\frac{2x}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x-1} = 1$ . [4]**
- 2 Find the first four terms of the binomial expansion of  $\sqrt[3]{1-2x}$ . State the set of values of  $x$  for which the expansion is valid. [6]**
- 3 The parametric equations of a curve are**  
 $x = \sin \theta, \quad y = \sin 2\theta, \quad \text{for } 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi.$
- (i) Find the exact value of the gradient of the curve at the point where  $\theta = \frac{1}{6}\pi$ . [4]**
- (ii) Show that the cartesian equation of the curve is  $y^2 = 4x^2 - 4x^4$ . [3]**

- 4 Fig. 4 below shows the curve  $y = \sqrt{1 + e^{2x}}$ , and the region between the curve, the  $x$ -axis, the  $y$ -axis and the line  $x = 2$ .

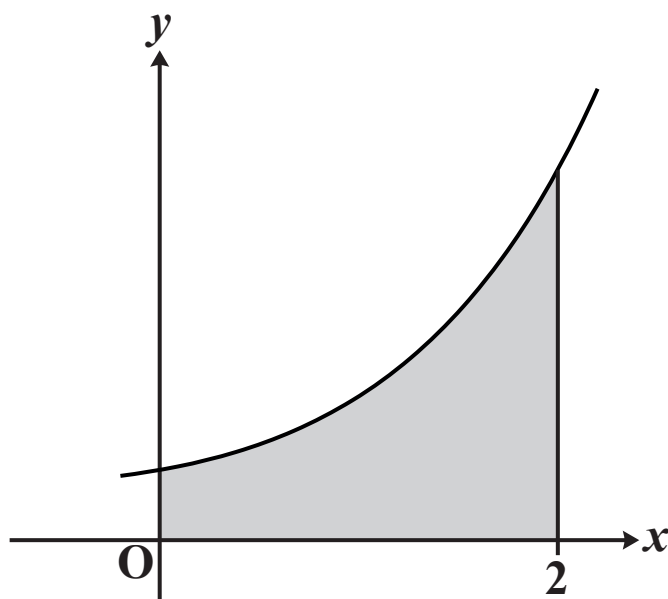


FIG. 4

- (a) Find the exact volume of revolution when the shaded region is rotated through  $360^\circ$  about the  $x$ -axis. [4]
- (b) (i) Complete the table of values, and use the trapezium rule with 4 strips to estimate the area of the shaded region. [3]

|     |   |        |        |        |   |
|-----|---|--------|--------|--------|---|
| $x$ | 0 | 0.5    | 1      | 1.5    | 2 |
| $y$ |   | 1.9283 | 2.8964 | 4.5919 |   |

- (ii) The trapezium rule for  $\int_0^2 \sqrt{1 + e^{2x}} dx$  with 8 and 16 strips gives 6.797 and 6.823, although not necessarily in that order. Without doing the calculations, say which result is which, explaining your reasoning. [1]

5 Solve the equation  $2 \sec^2 \theta = 5 \tan \theta$ , for  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ . [6]

6 In Fig. 6 below, ABC, ACD and AED are right-angled triangles and  $BC = 1$  unit. Angles CAB and CAD are  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  respectively.

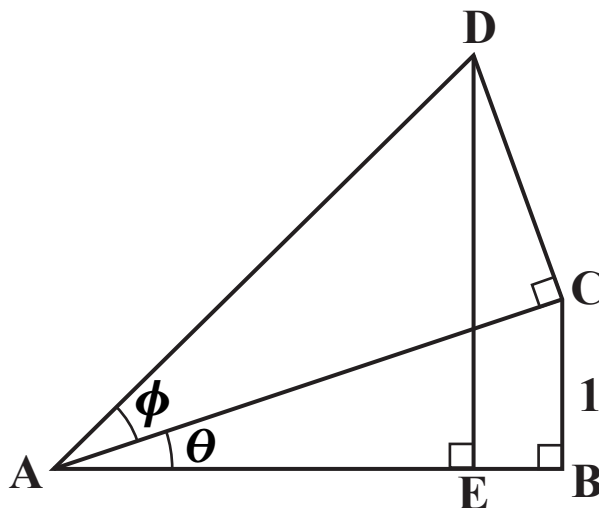


FIG. 6

(i) Find AC and AD in terms of  $\theta$  and  $\phi$ . [2]

(ii) Hence show that  $DE = 1 + \frac{\tan \phi}{\tan \theta}$ . [3]

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## SECTION B (36 marks)

- 7 A tent has vertices ABCDEF with coordinates as shown in Fig. 7 below. Lengths are in metres. The Oxy plane is horizontal. The following points are shown on the diagram:

A  $(0, -4, 0)$

B  $(8, -a, 0)$

C  $(8, a, 0)$

D  $(6, 0, 2)$

E  $(1, 0, 3)$

F  $(0, 4, 0)$

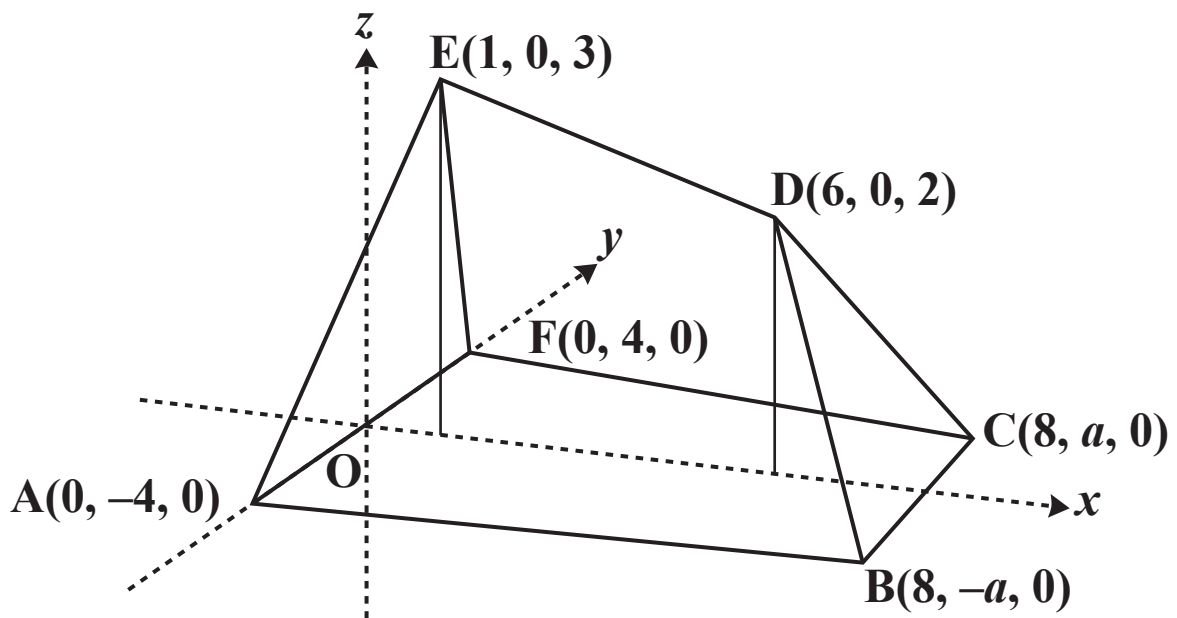


Fig. 7



- (i) Find the length of the ridge of the tent  $DE$ , and the angle this makes with the horizontal. [4]
- (ii) Show that the vector  $\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$  is normal to the plane through  $A$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ .

Hence find the equation of this plane. Given that  $B$  lies in this plane, find  $a$ . [7]

- (iii) Verify that the equation of the plane  $BCD$  is  $x + z = 8$ .

Hence find the acute angle between the planes  $ABDE$  and  $BCD$ . [6]

**8 The growth of a tree is modelled by the differential equation**

$$10 \frac{dh}{dt} = 20 - h,$$

where  $h$  is its height in metres and the time  $t$  is in years. It is assumed that the tree is grown from seed, so that  $h = 0$  when  $t = 0$ .

- (i) Write down the value of  $h$  for which  $\frac{dh}{dt} = 0$ , and interpret this in terms of the growth of the tree. [1]**
- (ii) Verify that  $h = 20(1 - e^{-0.1t})$  satisfies this differential equation and its initial condition. [5]**

**The alternative differential equation**

$$200 \frac{dh}{dt} = 400 - h^2$$

is proposed to model the growth of the tree. As before,  $h = 0$  when  $t = 0$ .

- (iii) Using partial fractions, show by integration that the solution to the alternative differential equation is**
$$h = \frac{20(1 - e^{-0.2t})}{1 + e^{-0.2t}}. \quad [9]$$
- (iv) What does this solution indicate about the long-term height of the tree? [1]**
- (v) After a year, the tree has grown to a height of 2 m. Which model fits this information better? [3]**

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