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**Wednesday 20 May 2020**

Morning (Time: 1 hour 30 minutes)

Paper Reference **WMA12/01**

**Mathematics**

**International Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced Level**  
**Pure Mathematics P2**

**You must have:**

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Lilac), calculator

Total Marks

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### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **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.
- Inexact answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.

### Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- There are 9 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- 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.
- If you change your mind about an answer, cross it out and put your new answer and any working underneath.

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5. Ben is saving for the deposit for a house over a period of 60 months.

Ben saves £100 in the first month and in each subsequent month, he saves £5 more than the previous month, so that he saves £105 in the second month, £110 in the third month, and so on, forming an arithmetic sequence.

(a) Find the amount Ben saves in the 40th month. (2)

(b) Find the total amount Ben saves over the 60-month period. (3)

Lina is also saving for a deposit for a house.

Lina saves £600 in the first month and in each subsequent month, she saves £10 less than the previous month, so that she saves £590 in the second month, £580 in the third month, and so on, forming an arithmetic sequence.

Given that, after  $n$  months, Lina will have saved exactly £18 200 for her deposit,

(c) form an equation in  $n$  and show that it can be written as

$$n^2 - 121n + 3640 = 0$$

(3)

(d) Solve the equation in part (c). (2)

(e) State, with a reason, which of the solutions to the equation in part (c) is **not** a sensible value for  $n$ . (1)

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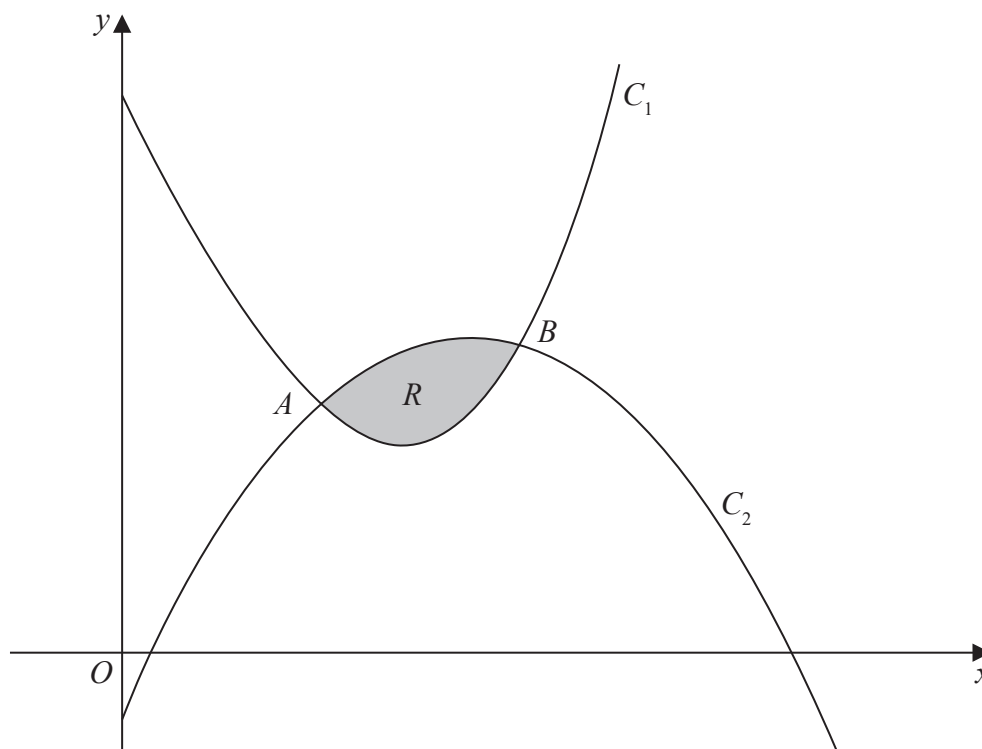


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows a sketch of part of the curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  with equations

$$\begin{aligned} C_1 : y &= x^3 - 6x + 9 & x &\geq 0 \\ C_2 : y &= -2x^2 + 7x - 1 & x &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

The curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  intersect at the points  $A$  and  $B$  as shown in Figure 1.

The point  $A$  has coordinates  $(1, 4)$ .

Using algebra and showing all steps of your working,

- (a) find the coordinates of the point  $B$ . (4)

The finite region  $R$ , shown shaded in Figure 1, is bounded by  $C_1$  and  $C_2$

- (b) Use algebraic integration to find the exact area of  $R$ . (5)

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8. A geometric series has first term  $a$  and common ratio  $r$ .

(a) Prove that the sum of the first  $n$  terms of this series is given by

$$S_n = \frac{a(1 - r^n)}{1 - r} \tag{3}$$

The second term of a geometric series is  $-320$  and the fifth term is  $\frac{512}{25}$

(b) Find the value of the common ratio. (2)

(c) Hence find the sum of the first 13 terms of the series, giving your answer to 2 decimal places. (3)

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9. (i) Find the exact value of  $x$  for which

$$\log_3(x + 5) - 4 = \log_3(2x - 1) \tag{4}$$

- (ii) Given that

$$3^{y+3} \times 2^{1-2y} = 108$$

- (a) show that

$$0.75^y = 2 \tag{4}$$

- (b) Hence find the value of  $y$ , giving your answer to 3 decimal places. (2)

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