

# Paper Reference(s) 66666 Edexcel GCE Core Mathematics C4 Advanced Subsidiary Set A: Practice Paper 5

Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Materials required for examination Mathematical Formulae Items included with question papers

### **Instructions to Candidates**

In the boxes above, write your centre number, candidate number, your surname, initials and signature. You must write your answer for each question in the space following the question. If you need more space to complete your answer to any question, use additional answer sheets.

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# **Information for Candidates**

A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided. Full marks may be obtained for answers to ALL questions. This paper has seven questions.

#### Advice to Candidates

You must ensure that your answers to parts of questions are clearly labelled. You must show sufficient working to make your methods clear to the examiner. Answers without working may gain no credit.



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1. 
$$f(x) = (1 + 3x)^{-1}, |x| < \frac{1}{3}.$$

- (a) Expand f(x) in ascending powers of x up to and including the term in  $x^3$ .
- (*b*) Hence show that, for small *x*,

$$\frac{1+x}{1+3x} \approx 1 - 2x + 6x^2 - 18x^3$$

(c) Taking a suitable value for x, which should be stated, use the series expansion in part (b) to find an approximate value for  $\frac{101}{103}$ , giving your answer to 5 decimal places.

(2)

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2. (a) Express  $\frac{13-2x}{(2x-3)(x+1)}$  in partial fractions.

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(b) Given that y = 4 at x = 2, use your answer to part (a) to find the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y(13-2x)}{(2x-3)(x+1)}, \quad x > 1.5$$

Express your answer in the form y = f(x).

(7)



Figure 2 shows part of the curve with equation  $y = x^2 + 2$ .

The finite region *R* is bounded by the curve, the *x*-axis and the lines x = 0 and x = 2.

(a) Use the trapezium rule with 4 strips of equal width to estimate the area of R.

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(1)

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- (b) State, with a reason, whether your answer in part (a) is an under-estimate or overestimate of the area of R.
- (c) Using integration, find the volume of the solid generated when R is rotated through  $360^{\circ}$  about the x-axis, giving your answer in terms of  $\pi$ .
- 4. A Pancho car has value  $\pounds V$  at time t years. A model for V assumes that the rate of decrease of V at time t is proportional to V.
  - (a) By forming and solving an appropriate differential equation, show that  $V = Ae^{-kt}$ , where A and k are positive constants.

The value of a new Pancho car is  $\pounds 20000$ , and when it is 3 years old its value is  $\pounds 11000$ .

(b) Find, to the nearest £100, an estimate for the value of the Pancho when it is 10 years old.

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A Pancho car is regarded as 'scrap' when its value falls below £500.

(c) Find the approximate age of the Pancho when it becomes 'scrap'.

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Figure 1 shows the curve *C* with equation y = f(x), where

$$f(x) = \frac{8}{x} - x^2, \ x > 0.$$

Given that C crosses the x-axis at the point A,

(a) find the coordinates of A.

(2)

The finite region *R*, bounded by *C*, the *x*-axis and the line x = 1, is rotated through  $2\pi$  radians about the *x*-axis.

(b) Use integration to find, in terms of  $\pi$ , the volume of the solid generated.

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- 6. Referred to a fixed origin O, the points A and B have position vectors  $(\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} 3\mathbf{k})$  and  $(5\mathbf{i} 3\mathbf{j})$  respectively.
  - (a) Find, in vector form, an equation of the line  $l_1$  which passes through A and B.

(2)

# The line $l_2$ has equation $\mathbf{r} = (4\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) + \mu(\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$ , where $\mu$ is a scalar parameter.

(b) Show that A lies on $l_2$ .	(1)
(c) Find, in degrees, the acute angle between the lines $l_1$ and $l_2$ .	(4)
The point <i>C</i> with position vector $(2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{k})$ lies on $l_2$ .	
( <i>d</i> ) Find the shortest distance from <i>C</i> to the line $l_1$ .	(4)





Part of the design of a stained glass window is shown in Fig. 2. The two loops enclose an area of blue glass. The remaining area within the rectangle *ABCD* is red glass.

The loops are described by the curve with parametric equations

$$x = 3 \cos t$$
,  $y = 9 \sin 2t$ ,  $0 \le t < 2\pi$ .

- (a) Find the cartesian equation of the curve in the form  $y^2 = f(x)$ .
- (b) Show that the shaded area in Fig. 2, enclosed by the curve and the x-axis, is given by  $\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} A \sin 2t \sin t \, dt$ , stating the value of the constant A.
  (3)
- (c) Find the value of this integral.

The sides of the rectangle *ABCD*, in Fig. 2, are the tangents to the curve that are parallel to the coordinate axes. Given that 1 unit on each axis represents 1 cm,

(*d*) find the total area of the red glass.

(4)

(4)

(4)

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