

## OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

Advanced Subsidiary General Certificate of Education Advanced General Certificate of Education

MATHEMATICS 2631

Pure Mathematics 1

Monday 10 JANUARY 2005 Afternoon 1 hour 20 minutes

Additional materials: Answer booklet Graph paper List of Formulae (MF8)

**TIME** 1 hour 20 minutes

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your Name, Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
- Answer all the questions.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures unless a different degree of accuracy is specified in the question or is clearly appropriate.
- You are permitted to use only a scientific calculator in this paper.

## **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 60.
- Questions carrying smaller numbers of marks are printed earlier in the paper, and questions carrying larger numbers of marks later in the paper.
- You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.

- 1 (i) Express  $11^{-2}$  as a fraction. [1]
  - (ii) Express  $\sqrt{50} + \frac{6}{\sqrt{3}}$  in the form  $a\sqrt{2} + b\sqrt{3}$ , where a and b are integers. [3]
- 2 Given that  $2x^2 12x + p = q(x r)^2 + 10$  for all values of x, find the constants p, q and r. [4]
- 3 The curve  $y = 5\sqrt{x}$  is transformed by a stretch, scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$ , parallel to the x-axis, followed by a translation of -3 units parallel to the y-axis. Find the equation of the curve after it has been transformed.
- 4 (a) Find the values of x, in the interval  $0 \le x \le 180$ , for which  $\tan 2x^{\circ} = 1$ . [3]

**(b)** Show that 
$$\tan \theta^{\circ} + \frac{1}{\tan \theta^{\circ}} \equiv \frac{1}{\sin \theta^{\circ} \cos \theta^{\circ}}$$
. [3]

5 Solve the simultaneous equations

$$x^{2} - 3y + 11 = 0,$$
  $2x - y + 1 = 0.$  [5]

- 6 (i) Calculate the discriminant of  $x^2 + 3x + 7$  and hence state the number of real roots of the equation  $x^2 + 3x + 7 = 0$ . [2]
  - (ii) The quadratic equation  $2x^2 + (p+1)x + 8 = 0$  has equal roots. Find the possible values of p. [4]
- 7 The points D, E and F have coordinates (-2, 0), (0, -1) and (2, 3) respectively.
  - (i) Calculate the gradient of *DE*.
  - (ii) By calculating the gradient of EF, show that DEF is a right-angled triangle. [2]
  - (iii) Find the equation of the line through F, parallel to DE, giving your answer in the form ax + by + c = 0. [3]
- 8 (i) Find the gradient of the curve  $y = 2x^2$  at the point where x = 3. [2]
  - (ii) At a point A on the curve  $y = 2x^2$ , the gradient of the normal is  $\frac{1}{8}$ . Find the coordinates of A. [3]

Points  $P_1(1, y_1)$ ,  $P_2(1.01, y_2)$  and  $P_3(1.1, y_3)$  lie on the curve  $y = kx^2$ . The gradient of the chord  $P_1P_3$  is 6.3 and the gradient of the chord  $P_1P_2$  is 6.03.

- (iii) What do these results suggest about the gradient of the tangent to the curve  $y = kx^2$  at  $P_1$ ? [1]
- (iv) Deduce the value of k. [3]

(i) Sketch the curve  $y = x(x^2 - 1)$ , stating the coordinates of the points where it crosses the x-axis. 9 [3]

(ii) Find the area of the region bounded by the curve and the negative x-axis.

[5]

- The length of a rectangular children's playground is 10 m more than its width. The width of the playground is x metres.
  - (i) The perimeter of the playground is greater than 64 m. Write down a linear inequality in x. [1]
  - (ii) The area of the playground is less than 299 m<sup>2</sup>. Show that (x 13)(x + 23) < 0. [2]
  - (iii) By solving the inequalities in parts (i) and (ii), determine the set of possible values of x. [5]

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