



**GCE AS/A level**

975/01

**MATHEMATICS C3**

**Pure Mathematics**

P.M. WEDNESDAY, 19 January 2011

1½ hours

#### **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. Use Simpson's Rule with five ordinates to find an approximate value for the integral

$$\int_4^6 \frac{1}{3-\sqrt{x}} dx.$$

Show your working and give your answer correct to three decimal places. [4]

2. (a) Show, by counter-example, that the statement

$$\sec^2 \theta \equiv 1 - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$$

is false. [2]

- (b) Find all values of  $\theta$  in the range  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$  satisfying

$$3 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = 11 - 2 \cot \theta. [6]$$

3. (a) Given that

$$x^4 + 3x^2y - 2y^2 = 15,$$

find an expression for  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in terms of  $x$  and  $y$ . [4]

- (b) Given that  $x = \ln t$ ,  $y = t^3 - 7t$ ,

(i) find an expression for  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in terms of  $t$ ,

(ii) find the value of  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  when  $t = \frac{1}{3}$ . [8]

4. **You may assume** that the equation  $6x^4 + 7x - 3 = 0$  has a root  $\alpha$  between 0 and 1.  
The recurrence relation

$$x_{n+1} = \frac{3 - 6x_n^4}{7}$$

with  $x_0 = 0.4$  can be used to find  $\alpha$ . Find and record the values of  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$ .

Write down the value of  $x_4$  correct to four decimal places and show this is the value of  $\alpha$  correct to four decimal places. [5]

5. (a) Differentiate each of the following with respect to  $x$ , simplifying your answer wherever possible.

(i)  $\sqrt{2+5x^3}$                       (ii)  $x^2 \sin 3x$                       (iii)  $\frac{e^{2x}}{x^4}$  [8]

(b) By first writing  $y = \tan^{-1}x$  as  $x = \tan y$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in terms of  $x$ . [4]

6. (a) Find

$$(i) \int \cos 4x \, dx, \quad (ii) \int 5e^{2-3x} \, dx, \quad (iii) \int \frac{3}{(6x-7)^5} \, dx. \quad [6]$$

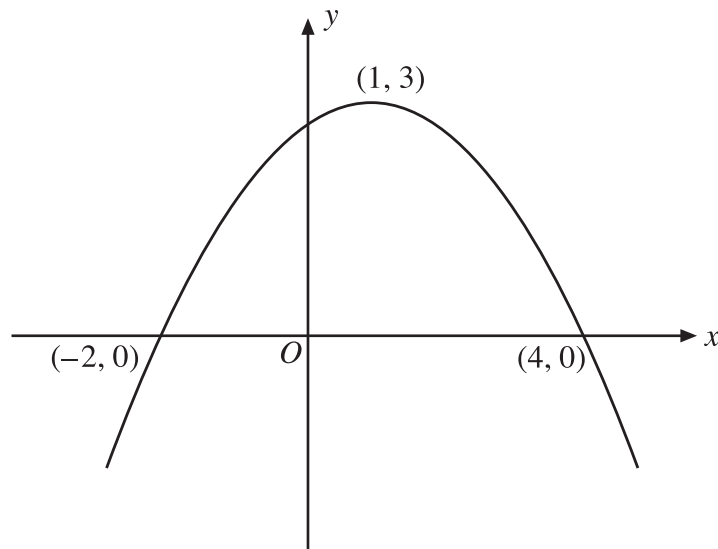
(b) Evaluate  $\int_1^4 \frac{9}{2x+5} \, dx$ , giving your answer correct to three decimal places. [4]

7. Solve the following.

(a)  $5|x| + 1 = 7 - 3|x|$  [2]

(b)  $|3x - 1| > 5$  [3]

8. The diagram shows a sketch of the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . The graph passes through the points  $(-2, 0)$  and  $(4, 0)$  and has a maximum point at  $(1, 3)$ .



Sketch the graph of  $y = -3f(x + 2)$ , indicating the coordinates of the stationary point and the coordinates of the points of intersection of the graph with the  $x$ -axis. [3]

**TURN OVER**

9. The function  $f$  has domain  $(-\infty, -1]$  and is defined by

$$f(x) = 4x^2 - 3.$$

- (a) Write down the range of  $f$ . [1]
- (b) Find an expression for  $f^{-1}(x)$  and write down the range and domain of  $f^{-1}$ . [5]
- (c) (i) Evaluate  $f^{-1}(6)$ .
- (ii) By carrying out an appropriate calculation involving  $f$ , verify that your answer to part (i) is correct. [3]

10. The functions  $f$  and  $g$  have domains  $[0, \infty)$  and  $(-\infty, \infty)$  respectively and are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= e^x, \\ g(x) &= 4x^3 + 7. \end{aligned}$$

- (a) Find and simplify an expression for  $gf(x)$ . [2]
- (b) Find the domain and range of  $gf$ . [2]
- (c) (i) Solve the equation  $gf(x) = 18$ . Give your answer correct to three decimal places.
- (ii) Giving a reason, write down a value for  $k$  so that  $gf(x) = k$  has no solution. [3]