

Free-Standing Mathematics Qualification  
June 2006  
Advanced Level



**MODELLING WITH CALCULUS**  
**Unit 12**

**6992/2**

Thursday 18 May 2006 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

**For this paper you must have:**

- an 8-page answer book
- a calculator
- a clean copy of the Data Sheet (enclosed)

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use blue or black ink or ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Write the information required on the front of your answer book. The *Examining Body* for this paper is AQA. The *Paper Reference* is 6992/2.
- Answer **all** questions.
- All necessary working should be shown; otherwise marks for method may be lost.
- The **final** answer to questions requiring the use of a calculator should normally be given to three significant figures.
- You may **not** refer to the copy of the Data Sheet that was available prior to this examination. A clean copy is available for your use.

**Information**

- The maximum mark for this paper is 60.
- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.

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**SECTION A**Answer **all** questions.Use **Tennis** on page 2 of the Data Sheet.

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**1** Maria hits a ball while playing tennis.The vertical height of the ball,  $y$  metres, above  $A$ , the point at which it was hit, is given by

$$y = 4t - 5t^2$$

where  $t$  is the time in seconds after the ball is hit.

- (a) (i) Find the height of the ball above  $A$  when  $t = 0.5$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Find the height of the ball above  $A$  when  $t = 1$ .  
Interpret your answer. (2 marks)
- (b) Find  $\frac{dy}{dt}$ , the vertical velocity of the ball, in metres per second. (2 marks)
- (c) Find  $t$  when  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$ . (2 marks)
- (d) Hence predict the maximum vertical height of the ball above  $A$ . (2 marks)
- (e) (i) Find  $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2}$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Hence state how this value confirms that the answer to part (d) is the maximum height and not the minimum. (1 mark)
- (f) Maria hits the ball when it is 2.4 metres above the level of the horizontal ground.  
Find the time when the ball hits the ground. (4 marks)

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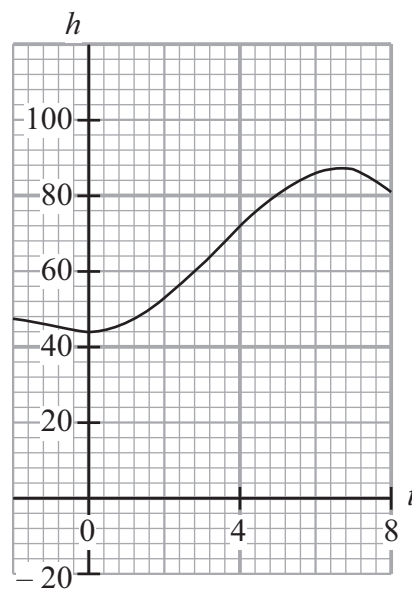
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**SECTION B**Answer **all** questions.Use **Tides** on page 2 of the Data Sheet.

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- 2 At 8 am, the time,  $t$  hours, was taken to be 0.  
For values of  $t$  from 0 to 8, the height of the water,  $h$  centimetres, may be modelled by the function

$$h = 43 + 3t^2 - 0.3t^3$$



- (a) **Using the model**  $h = 43 + 3t^2 - 0.3t^3$  **and calculus**, find the maximum height of the water. (6 marks)
- (b) State the time when the height of the water is at a minimum. (1 mark)
- (c) The mean height of the water,  $\bar{h}$ , during the first 8 hours is given by

$$\bar{h} = \frac{\int_0^8 (43 + 3t^2 - 0.3t^3) dt}{8}$$

- (i) Use the trapezium rule with four strips to find an estimate for the mean height of the water during these eight hours. (5 marks)
- (ii) Use integration to find the exact value of  $\bar{h}$ . (4 marks)
- (d) When  $t = 6$ , the actual height of the water was 90 cm.

Find the percentage error, when  $t = 6$ , in using the model to predict the height of the water. (3 marks)

- (e) Find the value of  $t$  when  $\frac{d^2h}{dt^2}$  is zero. Interpret what is happening at this time. (4 marks)

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## SECTION C

Answer **all** questions.

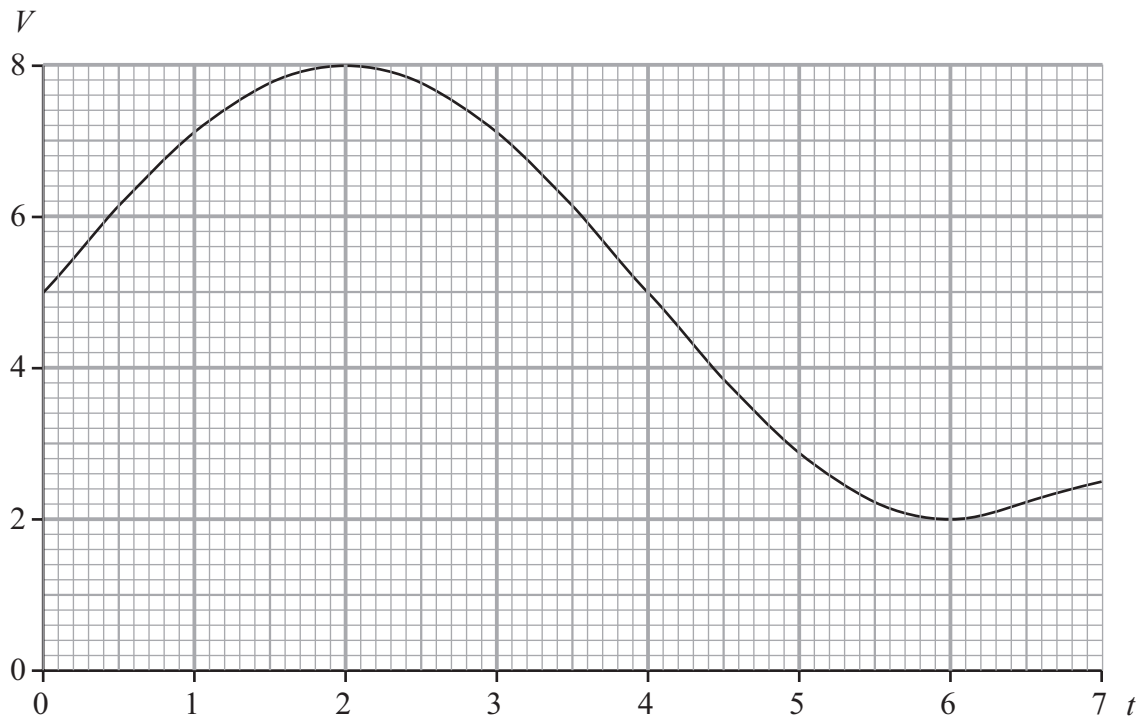
Use **Value of Lisbon Logistics shares** on page 3 of the Data Sheet.

- 3 The value of Lisbon Logistics shares, £ $V$ , during the first seven months of the year 2005, may be modelled by the function

$$V = 5 + 3 \sin \frac{\pi}{4} t$$

where  $t$  is the time in months after 1 January 2005.

The graph of this equation for  $0 \leq t \leq 7$  is shown below.



- (a) State the value predicted by the model when:
- (i)  $t = 0$ ; (1 mark)
  - (ii)  $t = 1$ . (1 mark)
- (b) (i) Find an expression for  $\frac{dV}{dt}$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Show that a highest point predicted by the model is when  $t = 2$ . (2 marks)
- (c) (i) State the maximum value of  $\frac{dV}{dt}$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Explain what is happening when  $\frac{dV}{dt}$  has this value. (1 mark)

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**SECTION D**Answer **all** questions.Use **Temperature** on page 4 of the Data Sheet.

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- 4 A bottle of milk is taken out of a fridge at  $2^{\circ}\text{C}$  and placed in a room at a temperature of  $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

After  $t$  minutes, the temperature,  $c$  (in  $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), satisfies the equation

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = \frac{1}{40}(20 - c)$$

- (a) (i) Find  $\frac{dc}{dt}$  when  $c = 5$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Interpret this value. (1 mark)
- (b) Show that  $\frac{1}{40}t = \ln \frac{18}{20 - c}$ . (4 marks)
- (c) Rearrange this equation to give  $c$  in terms of  $t$ . (3 marks)
- (d) When  $t = 10$ , find the temperature of the milk. (2 marks)
- (e) (i) State the value which  $c$  approaches as  $t$  becomes very large. (1 mark)
- (ii) State the value of  $\frac{dc}{dt}$  as  $t$  becomes very large. (1 mark)

**END OF QUESTIONS**

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