

Free-Standing Mathematics Qualification

Modelling with Calculus 6992/2 Advanced Level

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Key to mark scheme and abbreviations used in marking

М	mark is for method			
m or dM	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method			
А	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy			
В	mark is independent of M or m marks and is	for method and	accuracy	
Е	mark is for explanation			
or ft or F	follow through from previous			
	incorrect result	MC	mis-copy	
CAO	correct answer only	MR	mis-read	
CSO	correct solution only	RA	required accuracy	
AWFW	anything which falls within	FW	further work	
AWRT	anything which rounds to	ISW	ignore subsequent work	
ACF	any correct form	FIW	from incorrect work	
AG	answer given	BOD	given benefit of doubt	
SC	special case	WR	work replaced by candidate	
OE	or equivalent	FB	formulae book	
A2,1	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks	NOS	not on scheme	
–x EE	deduct x marks for each error	G	Graph	
NMS	no method shown	с	Candidate	
PI	possibly implied	sf	significant figure(s)	
SCA	substantially correct approach	dp	decimal place(s)	

No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded. However, there are situations in some units where part marks would be appropriate, particularly when similar techniques are involved. Your Principal Examiner will alert you to these and details will be provided on the mark scheme.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award **full marks**. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn **no marks**.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns **full marks**, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains **no marks**.

Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.

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Advanced Level – Modelling with Calculus (6992/2) Answers and Marking Scheme June 2008 Question 1

(a)	$\frac{\mathrm{d}F}{\mathrm{d}t} = 2t - 5$	M1A1	No calculus seen no marks in (a) could be seen in (b) – full marks given
	$\frac{\mathrm{d}F}{\mathrm{d}t} = 0 \Longrightarrow$		
	2t - 5 = 0	M1	
	$t=\frac{5}{2}$	A1	
	When $t = \frac{5}{2}$,		
	$F = \left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - 5\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) + 71$	M1	
	= 64.75°	A1	
(b)	$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 F}{\mathrm{d}t^2} = 2$	B 1	
	Thus the value in (a) was a minimum	B1	
(c)		B1 B1	Quadratic shape with minimum point Cuts axis at 71 and goes higher as $t \rightarrow 8$
(d)	The sketch just drawn curves ever steeper as the values of <i>x</i> differ from 3 The data sheet graph becomes less steep at both ends	B1 B1	B1 for general comment about shape B1 for specific mention of <i>x</i> and 3 B1 for different values
	TOTAL	12	when $t = 0$

Question 2

(a)(i)	$\frac{dh}{dx} = 12 + 120x - 120x^2$	M1A1	No calculus seen
	$\frac{dh}{dx} = 0 \Longrightarrow$	M1	
	$12 + 120x - 120x^2 = 0$		Needs quadratic seen – can be solved by graphic calculator etc
	$10x^2 - 10x \ -1 = 0$	A1	
	$x = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{100 + 40}}{20}$	M1	
	$=\frac{21.83}{20}$ or $-\frac{1.83}{20}$		
	For maximum $x = 1.0916$		
	= 1.09	A1	Differentiation and $x = 1.1$ SC5
(a)(ii)	When $x = 1.09$,	M1	Substitution must be seen if not correct answer
	$h = 12 \times 1.09 + 60(1.09)^2 - 40(1.09)^3$		
	= 32.56		
	Maximum height is 32.6m	A1	
(a)(iii)	$\frac{d^2h}{dx^2} = 120 - 240x$	M1A1	ft (from (a)(i))
(a)(iv)	When $x = 1.09$,		
	$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 h}{\mathrm{d}x^2} = -141.6$	B 1	
	This is negative, hence answer in (ii) is a maximum	E1	
(a)(v)	$\frac{d^2h}{dx^2} = 0$ when $120 - 240x = 0$	M1	
	$x = \frac{1}{2}$	A1	
	The slope of the sand dune is steepest when $x = \frac{1}{2}$	E 1	
(a)(vi)	$\frac{dh}{dx} = 12 + 120x - 120x^2$		
	When $x = 0.7$, $\frac{dh}{dx} = 37.2$	B 1	
	Gradient of sand dune is 0.372 m/m	B 1	Accept 37.2 m in 100

Question 2 (cont)

(b)(i)	Three strips \Rightarrow values of x are: 0, 0.5, 1 and 1.5		
	When $x = 0, h = 0$		
	x = 0.5, h = 16		
	x=1, h=32		
	x = 1.5, h = 18	B 1	B1 if 3 of 4 correct
	Area		
	$\approx \frac{1}{2} \times 0.50 \times (18 + 2 (16 + 32))$	M1A1	Accept use of scale of 100 for x
	$=\frac{1}{4}(18+2\times48)$		needs at least one 'h' correct
	= 28.5	A1	
	\therefore Mean height is $\frac{28.5}{1.5}$		
	= 19 metres	A1	
(b)(ii)	$\frac{1}{1.5} \int_{0}^{1.5} (12x + 60x^2 - 40x^3) dx$		
	$= \frac{1}{1.5} \left(6 x^2 + 20 x^3 - 10 x^4 \right)_0^{1.5}$	B1B1	
	$= \frac{1}{1.5} \left[6(1.5)^2 + 20(1.5)^3 - 10(1.5)^4 \right]$	M1	Condone no $\frac{1}{1.5}$
	= 20.3	A1	Accept 20.25
(b)(iii)	Very similar values	B1	Accept Accurate integration is greater as the curve is convex
	TOTAL	27	

Question 3

(a)	When $t = 0$, $y = 90 - 20\cos 0$		
	$= 90 - 20 \times 1$	B 1	B1 for $\cos 0 = 1$
	= 70	B 1	
(b)	When $t = 6$, $y = 90 - 20\cos \pi$	M1	
	= 110	A1	
(c)	$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = +20.\frac{\pi}{6}\sin\frac{\pi t}{6}$	B1 B1 B1	$\frac{\frac{\pi}{6}}{\sin\frac{\pi t}{6}}$ Use of 90 and 20
	TOTAL	7	

Question 4

(a)(i)	$\frac{\mathrm{d}r}{\mathrm{d}t} = -0.2r$		
	$\int \frac{\mathrm{d}r}{r} = -\int 0.2 \mathrm{d}t$	M1	
	$\ln r = -0.2t + c$	A1A1M1	M1 for $+ c$
	$r = \mathrm{C} e^{-0.2t}$	A1	
(a)(ii)	When $t = 0, r = 4, \therefore C = 4$		
	$r = 4 e^{-0.2t}$	B 1	
(b)	When $r = 2$, $2 = 4 e^{-0.2t}$		
	$e^{-0.2t} = \frac{1}{2}$		
	$\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -0.2 t$	M1	
	-0.2 t = -0.693147	M1A1	
	t = 3.4657		
	= 3.47	A1	3.45 or 3.5, only M2A1
	TOTAL	10	

Question 5

(a)(i)	<i>r</i> = 2.1952	B1	Accept 2.20
(a)(ii)	<i>r</i> = 2.1518	B 1	Condone 2.151, 2.152
(b)	$\frac{\mathrm{d}r}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{r(t=3.1) - r(t=3)}{0.1}$	M1	
	$= \frac{2.1518 - 2.1952}{0.1}$		- 0.43 M1
	= - 0.435	A1	Accept - 0.434
	TOTAL	4	
	TOTAL MARK FOR PAPER	60	