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A Level Further Mathematics B (MEI)

Y420/01 Core Pure

Practice Paper – Set 3

Time allowed: 2 hours 40 minutes

You must have:

- Printed Answer Booklet
- Formulae Further Mathematics B (MEI)

You may use:

- a scientific or graphical calculator

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Complete the boxes provided on the Printed Answer Booklet with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the Printed Answer Booklet.** Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Do **not** write in the barcodes.
- You are permitted to use a scientific or graphical calculator in this paper.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.

INFORMATION

- The total number of marks for this paper is **144**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- You are advised that an answer may receive **no marks** unless you show sufficient detail of the working to indicate that a correct method is used. You should communicate your method with correct reasoning.
- The Printed Answer Booklet consists of **24** pages. The Question Paper consists of **8** pages.

Section A (35 marks)

Answer **all** the questions

1 By considering $\frac{1}{r^2} - \frac{1}{(r+1)^2}$, find $\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{2r+1}{r^2(r+1)^2}$. [5]

2 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Find the cube roots of -8 , expressing them in the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real. [4]

3 The transformation T of the plane has associated matrix $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) On the grid in the Printed Answer Booklet, plot the image $OA'B'C'$ under the transformation T of the unit square with vertices $O(0,0)$, $A(1,0)$, $B(1,1)$ and $C(0,1)$. [2]

(b) (i) Find $\det \mathbf{M}$. [1]

(ii) Explain the significance of the value of $\det \mathbf{M}$ for the image of the unit square in part (i). [2]

4 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

The complex numbers z_1 and z_2 are given by $z_1 = \sqrt{3} + i$ and $z_2 = \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2}i$.

(a) Express each of z_1 and z_2 in modulus-argument form. [2]

(b) By considering $\frac{z_2}{z_1}$, show that $\cos \frac{1}{12}\pi = \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4}$. [5]

5 (a) Using exponentials, show that $2 \cosh^2 x - 1 = \cosh 2x$. [3]

(b) The region enclosed by the x -axis, the y -axis, the curve $y = \cosh x$ and the line $x = \frac{1}{2}$ is rotated through 360° about the x -axis.

Find, in terms of e and π , the exact volume of the solid generated. [4]

6 You are given that $2 + i$ is a root of the equation $2x^3 - 5x^2 + ax + b = 0$, where a and b are real constants.

Find

- the other roots of the equation,
- the values of a and b .

[7]

Section B (109 marks)

Answer **all** the questions.

- 7 A particle moves in a straight line with simple harmonic motion of period 4π s about a fixed point O. The displacement from O of the particle at time t s is x m.
- (a) Express the relationship between x and t as a differential equation. [2]
- (b) Find x in terms of t , given that when $t = 0$, $x = 4$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 1.5$. [4]
- (c) Find the amplitude of the motion. [1]
- 8 (a) Sketch the curve $r = a \cos^2 \theta$ for $-\frac{1}{2}\pi \leq \theta < \frac{1}{2}\pi$, where a is a positive constant. [2]
- (b) **In this question you must show detailed reasoning.**
- Find, in terms of a and π , the area of the region enclosed by the curve. [7]
- 9 It is conjectured that $\sum_{r=1}^n (r+1)2^r = (a+bn)2^n$, where a and b are constants.
- (a) If the conjecture is true, verify that $a = 0$ and $b = 2$. [3]
- (b) Prove the conjecture. [5]
- 10 A set S of complex numbers is defined by $S = \{z: |z+2-2i| \leq \sqrt{2}\}$.
- (a) Show on an Argand diagram the set of points that represents S . [3]
- (b) Find, in terms of π , the greatest and least values of $\arg z$, given that $z \in S$. [7]
- 11 (a) Beth uses a Maclaurin series to claim that $\ln(1+e) \approx e - \frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{e^3}{3} - \dots$.
- Explain whether Beth is correct. [2]
- (b) Using the series for $\ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{e}\right)$, show that $\ln(1+e) = 1 + \frac{1}{e} - \frac{1}{2e^2} + \frac{1}{3e^3} - \dots$. [3]
- (c) (i) Use the first 4 terms of this series to find an approximation for $\ln(1+e)$. [1]
- (ii) Find, correct to 2 decimal places, the percentage error in this approximation. [2]

12 A pyramid has vertices $A(0, 2, 4)$, $B(-1, 3, 2)$, $C(-2, 0, 5)$ and $D(2, 4, 0)$.

(a) (i) Find $\overrightarrow{AB} \times \overrightarrow{AC}$. [2]

(ii) Hence find the area of triangle ABC. [3]

(b) (i) Find the distance between the point D and the plane ABC. [4]

(ii) Hence find the volume of the pyramid ABCD.

[The volume of a pyramid is $\frac{1}{3} \times \text{area of base} \times \text{height}$.] [1]

(c) Find the shortest distance between the lines AB and CD. [5]

13 You are given that

$$C = \cos \theta + \cos \left(\theta + \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) + \cos \left(\theta + \frac{4\pi}{n} \right) + \dots + \cos \left(\theta + \frac{(2n-2)\pi}{n} \right),$$

$$S = \sin \theta + \sin \left(\theta + \frac{2\pi}{n} \right) + \sin \left(\theta + \frac{4\pi}{n} \right) + \dots + \sin \left(\theta + \frac{(2n-2)\pi}{n} \right),$$

where n is an integer greater than 1.

By considering $C + iS$, show that $C = 0$ and $S = 0$. [7]

14 Three planes have equations

$$\lambda x + y + z = 0,$$

$$3x + \lambda y - z = 1,$$

$$-x + 2y + z = 2,$$

where λ is a constant.

(a) Show that, for all values of λ , these planes meet at a point. [5]

(b) (i) Find, in terms of λ , the point of intersection of the planes. [8]

(ii) Find the coordinates of the point of intersection given that it lies in the y - z plane. [3]

15 Show that $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5-4x+4x^2}} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)$. [8]

16 A particle of mass m kg falls vertically from rest under gravity. After time t s, its velocity is v m s⁻¹.

In an initial model, a force of magnitude $2mv$ N resisting the motion is assumed to be acting.

(a) Formulate a differential equation in v and t . [1]

(b) Hence show that $v = \frac{1}{2}g(1 - e^{-2t})$. [6]

(c) Describe the behaviour as t tends to infinity of

- the velocity,
- the acceleration. [2]

An alternative model produces the differential equation $(1 + t)\frac{dv}{dt} + 2v = g(1 + t)$.

(d) (i) State the resistance force on the particle used by this model. [1]

(ii) Solve the differential equation. [6]

(e) For this alternative model, describe the behaviour as t tends to infinity of

- the velocity,
- the acceleration. [3]

(f) Comment on how the different results in parts **(c)** and **(e)** relate to the different resistance forces used in each model. [2]

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