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AS Level Mathematics B (MEI)

H630/01 Pure Mathematics and Mechanics

Practice Paper – Set 1

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

You must have:

- Printed Answer Booklet

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.** If additional space is required, you should use the lined page(s) at the end of the Printed Answer Booklet. The question number(s) must be clearly shown.
- 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.
- The acceleration due to gravity is denoted by $g \text{ m s}^{-2}$. Unless otherwise instructed, when a numerical value is needed, use $g = 9.8$.

INFORMATION

- The total number of marks for this paper is **70**.
- 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 **16** pages. The Question Paper consists of **8** pages.

Formulae AS Level Mathematics B (H630)

Binomial series

$$(a+b)^n = a^n + {}^nC_1 a^{n-1}b + {}^nC_2 a^{n-2}b^2 + \dots + {}^nC_r a^{n-r}b^r + \dots + b^n \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}),$$

$$\text{where } {}^nC_r = {}_nC_r = \binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

$$(1+x)^n = 1 + nx + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!}x^2 + \dots + \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-r+1)}{r!}x^r + \dots \quad (|x| < 1, n \in \mathbb{R})$$

Differentiation from first principles

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

Sample variance

$$s^2 = \frac{1}{n-1} S_{xx} \text{ where } S_{xx} = \sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2 = \sum x_i^2 - \frac{(\sum x_i)^2}{n} = \sum x_i^2 - n\bar{x}^2$$

$$\text{Standard deviation, } s = \sqrt{\text{variance}}$$

The binomial distribution

$$\text{If } X \sim B(n, p) \text{ then } P(X=r) = {}^nC_r p^r q^{n-r} \text{ where } q = 1-p$$

Mean of X is np

Kinematics

Motion in a straight line

$$v = u + at$$

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$s = \frac{1}{2}(u+v)t$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$$

$$s = vt - \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 Solve the equation $\cos 2\theta = 0.3$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta < 360^\circ$. [3]

- 2 James tries to solve the inequality $x^2 - 5x - 14 \geq 0$. He writes his answer as

$$\{x : x \leq 2\} \cup \{x : x < 7\}.$$

Correct all the errors in his answer.

[3]

- 3 A block of mass $5m$ kg is in equilibrium on a rough horizontal table. It is connected by horizontal light inextensible strings over smooth pulleys to particles of mass m kg and $2m$ kg which hang freely, as shown in Fig. 3.

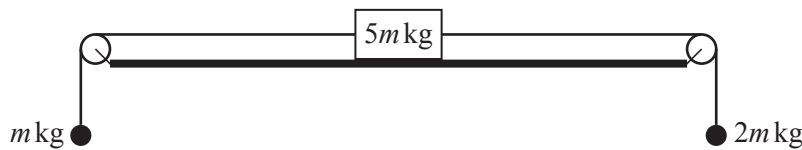


Fig. 3

Find the frictional force acting on the block, clearly indicating its direction.

[3]

- 4 A circle has centre $C(-4, 3)$ and passes through the origin.

(i) Find the equation of the circle.

[3]

(ii) The circle crosses the positive y -axis at the point A. The tangent to the circle at A meets the x -axis at B. Find the x -coordinate of B. [5]

- 5 The spreadsheet in Fig. 5 shows a multiplication table. The numbers 35, 36, 35 in the shaded cells are of the form $n^2 - 1$, n^2 , $n^2 + 1$, where $n = 6$. This pattern can also be seen for the other square numbers on the diagonal of the table in cells B2, C3, ..., I9.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100

Fig. 5

The spreadsheet can be extended to include larger numbers. Prove that the pattern holds for all integers $n > 1$. [3]

6 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

A boy plays on a path that runs north-south through an origin O. His displacement x metres north of O at time t seconds is given by

$$x = -0.7t^2 + 4t \text{ for } 0 \leq t \leq 10.$$

(i) Determine the direction in which he is moving when $t = 7$. [3]

(ii) Find the furthest distance from O reached by the boy for $0 \leq t \leq 10$. [5]

7 OACB is a parallelogram. O is the origin and point A has coordinates (5, 6). Point B has position vector $\mathbf{b} = -2\mathbf{i} - 7\mathbf{j}$.

(i) Find the coordinates of point C. [3]

M is the midpoint of AB.

(ii) Prove that $\overrightarrow{OM} = \overrightarrow{MC}$. [3]

(iii) Find the exact distance MC. [2]

8 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Find the total area of the shaded regions shown in Fig. 8, bounded by the line $x = -1$, the x -axis and the curve $y = x^3(x-3)$. [6]

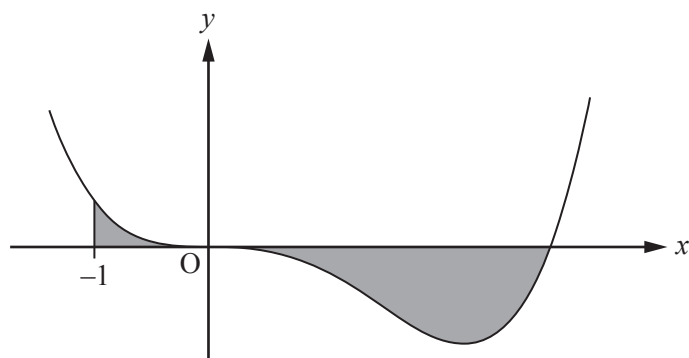


Fig. 8

9 (i) Sketch the curve $y = e^{2x}$. [2]

(ii) Describe fully the transformation that maps the curve $y = e^x$ onto the curve $y = e^{2x}$. [2]

(iii) Find the equation of the tangent to $y = e^{2x}$ at the point where $x = 3$, giving your answer in the form $y = e^a(bx + c)$ where a , b and c are integers. [6]

- 10** Dorothy and Harold push a wheelbarrow of mass 20 kg. They both push in the direction of motion. The wheelbarrow moves 10 m from rest on a straight horizontal path. Dorothy applies a force of 90 N. Harold applies a force of 90 N for the first 3 m, and then reduces the force to 80 N for the remaining 7 m. The resistance to motion is 170 N throughout.

Find the time taken for the wheelbarrow to move the 10 m. **[9]**

- 11** Cheung wishes to model the fuel consumption of a car. He tries the quadratic model

$$y = a(v - b)^2 + c$$

where y is the fuel needed in litres per 100 km and v is the speed in km h^{-1} .

Travelling as a passenger, he notices that the minimum fuel consumption displayed on the dashboard is 10 litres per 100 km and occurs at 80 km h^{-1} .

- (i)** Write down the values of b and c for which Cheung's model fits this information. **[2]**

At 30 km h^{-1} the fuel consumption displayed is 12 litres per 100 km.

- (ii)** Find the value of a for which Cheung's model fits this information. **[2]**

- (iii)** Use this model to predict the fuel consumption at 110 km h^{-1} . **[2]**

- (iv)** Sketch the graph of the model for speeds between 30 km h^{-1} and 110 km h^{-1} . **[2]**

Later in the journey, Cheung notices that fuel consumption of 12 litres per 100 km is displayed at 30 km h^{-1} and also at 110 km h^{-1} . The minimum fuel consumption still occurs at 80 km h^{-1} .

- (v)** Give a reason why a quadratic model cannot fit all the information Cheung has found. **[1]**

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