

Mathematical Formulae

1. ALGEBRA

Quadratic Equation

For the equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$,

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

Binomial expansion

$$(a + b)^n = a^n + \binom{n}{1} a^{n-1} b + \binom{n}{2} a^{n-2} b^2 + \dots + \binom{n}{r} a^{n-r} b^r + \dots + b^n,$$

where n is a positive integer and $\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} = \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-r+1)}{r!}$

2. TRIGONOMETRY

Identities

$$\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1$$

$$\sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A$$

$$\operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A$$

$$\sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$$

$$\tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B}$$

$$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$$

$$\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

Formulae for $\triangle ABC$

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} bc \sin A$$

1 (a) Differentiate $\ln\left(\frac{x+1}{2-x}\right)$ with respect to x . [2]

(b) A curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}e^{2-x} - 1$, where $x < 1$.

(i) Determine whether the curve has a stationary point. [2]

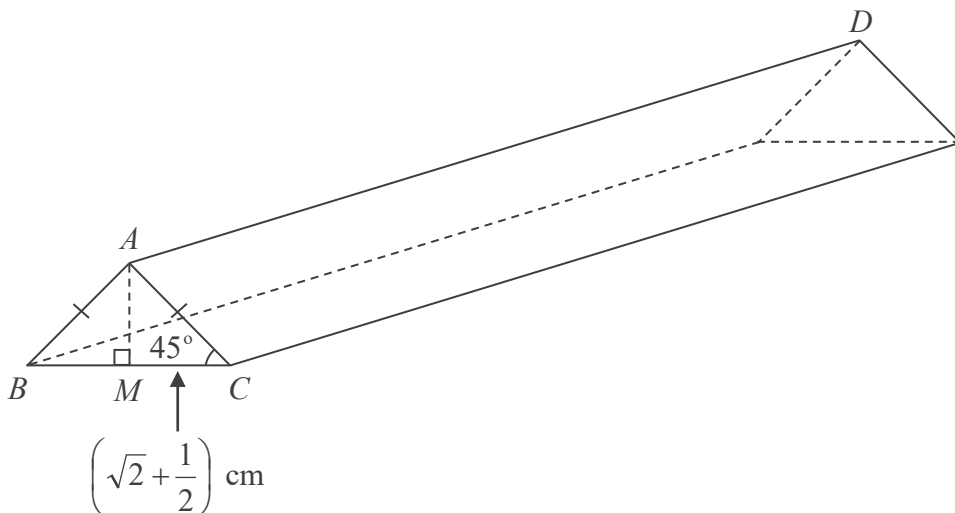
(ii) Given that the curve passes through the point $\left(0, \frac{1}{2}e^2\right)$, find the equation of the curve. [3]

2 (i) Differentiate $x \cos 3x$ with respect to x . [3]

(ii) Using your answer to part (i), find $\int x \sin 3x \, dx$ and hence show that

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} x \sin 3x \, dx = \frac{\pi}{9}. \quad [5]$$

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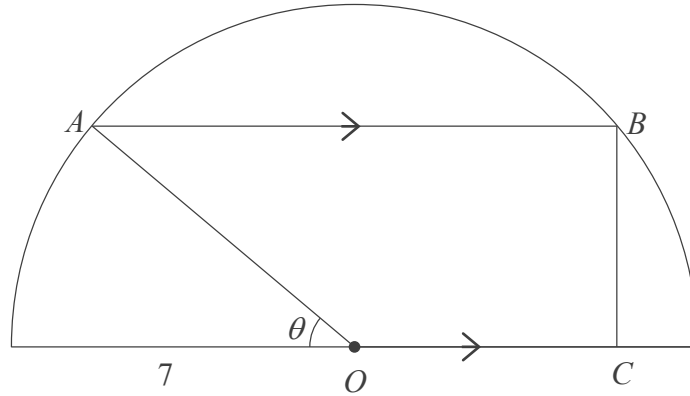
The diagram shows a chocolate bar in the form of a triangular prism and the cross-section of the chocolate bar is an isosceles triangle. $MC = \left(\sqrt{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)$ cm and angle $ACB = 45^\circ$.

(i) Find the exact length of AC . [3]

(ii) Find an expression for the area of the cross-section of the chocolate bar in the form $(a + b\sqrt{2}) \text{ cm}^2$, where a and b are rational numbers. [3]

(iii) Given that the volume of the chocolate bar is $(25 + 22\sqrt{2}) \text{ cm}^3$, find the length of AD in the form $(c + d\sqrt{2}) \text{ cm}$, where c and d are integers. [3]

- 4 (a) Given that $(2 + ax)^5(1 + 3x - 2x^2) = 32 - 144x + bx^2 + \dots$, find the value of a and of b . [4]
- (b) Given that the coefficients of x^{11} and x^{12} in the expansion of $(2 + kx)^{19}$ are in the ratio 3 : 5, find the value of k . [4]
- 5 The curve $y = x^3 + \frac{3}{x^2}$ passes through the point $P(1, 4)$. The tangent to the curve at P meets the x -axis at A and the normal to the curve at P meets the x -axis at B .
- (i) Find the coordinates of A and of B . [7]
- (ii) Find the area of triangle APB . [2]
- 6 (i) Find the coordinates of the stationary points of the curve $y = \frac{x^2}{2x + 1}$. [5]
- (ii) Determine the nature of each of the stationary points. [4]
- 7 A circle C , which passes through the origin, meets the x -axis and y -axis at $(1, 0)$ and $(0, 2)$ respectively.
- (i) Find the equation of C . [3]
- The line $y = x + k$, where k is a constant, is a tangent to the circle C .
- (ii) Find the possible values of k , leaving your answers in the simplest surd form. [6]
- 8 The roots of the quadratic equation $2x^2 - 2x + 5 = 0$ are α and β .
- (i) Find the value of $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$. [3]
- (ii) Using your answer in part (i), find the value of $\alpha^3 + \beta^3$ and of $\alpha^3\beta^3$. [3]
- (iii) Find a quadratic equation whose roots are $\frac{1}{\alpha^3}$ and $\frac{1}{\beta^3}$. [4]



The diagram shows a trapezium $OABC$ inscribed in a semicircle with centre O , and radius 7 cm. OA makes an angle θ with the diameter. BC is perpendicular to both AB and CO .

- (i) State the property that shows that AB is twice the length of OC . [1]
- (ii) Show that P cm, the perimeter of the trapezium, can be expressed in the form $m + n \cos \theta + q \sin \theta$, where m , n and q are constants to be found. [3]
- (iii) Express P in the form $m + R \cos(\theta - \alpha)$, where $R > 0$ and α is an acute angle. [3]
- (iv) Hence, find the maximum value of P and the corresponding value of θ at which this occurs. [3]
- 10 (a) The expression $f(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + c$ leaves the same remainder, R , when it is divided by $x + 2$ and when it is divided by $x - 2$.
- (i) Find the value of b . [2]
- $f(x)$ also leaves the same remainder, R , when divided by $x - 1$.
- (ii) Find the value of a . [2]
- $f(x)$ leaves a remainder of 4 when divided by $x - 3$.
- (iii) Find the value of c . [1]
- (b) Given that $4x^4 - 12x^3 - b^2x^2 - 7bx - 2$ is exactly divisible by $2x + b$,
- (i) show that $3b^3 + 7b^2 - 4 = 0$, [2]
- (ii) find the possible values of b . [4]

- 11 The table shows experimental values of the variables x and y which are related by the equation $y = Ab^x$, where A and b are constants.

x	2	4	6	8	10
y	9.8	19.4	37.4	74.0	144.4

- (i) Using suitable variables, draw, on graph paper, a straight line graph. [4]
- (ii) Use your graph to estimate the value of A and of b . [3]
- (iii) On the same diagram, draw the straight line representing $y = 2^x$ and hence find the value of x for which $A = \left(\frac{2}{b}\right)^x$. [3]

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