

**Sixth Term Examination Papers**

**9475**

**MATHEMATICS 3**

Morning

**WEDNESDAY 26 JUNE 2013**

Time: 3 hours

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Additional Materials: Answer Booklet  
Formulae Booklet

### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**Please read this page carefully, but do not open this question paper until you are told that you may do so.**

Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces on the answer booklet.

Begin each answer on a new page.

Write the numbers of the questions you answer in the order attempted on the front of the answer booklet.

### **INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

Each question is marked out of 20. There is no restriction of choice.

All questions attempted will be marked.

Your final mark will be based on the **six** questions for which you gain the highest marks.

You are advised to concentrate on no more than **six** questions. Little credit will be given for fragmentary answers.

You are provided with a Mathematical Formulae Booklet.

**Calculators are not permitted.**

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## Section A: Pure Mathematics

- 1 Given that  $t = \tan \frac{1}{2}x$ , show that  $\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + t^2)$  and  $\sin x = \frac{2t}{1 + t^2}$ .

Hence show that

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \frac{1}{1 + a \sin x} dx = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1 - a^2}} \arctan \frac{\sqrt{1 - a}}{\sqrt{1 + a}} \quad (0 < a < 1).$$

Let

$$I_n = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}\pi} \frac{\sin^n x}{2 + \sin x} dx \quad (n \geq 0).$$

By considering  $I_{n+1} + 2I_n$ , or otherwise, evaluate  $I_3$ .

- 2 In this question, you may ignore questions of convergence.

Let  $y = \frac{\arcsin x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$ . Show that

$$(1 - x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} - xy - 1 = 0$$

and prove that, for any positive integer  $n$ ,

$$(1 - x^2) \frac{d^{n+2}y}{dx^{n+2}} - (2n + 3)x \frac{d^{n+1}y}{dx^{n+1}} - (n + 1)^2 \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = 0.$$

Hence obtain the Maclaurin series for  $\frac{\arcsin x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$ , giving the general term for odd and for even powers of  $x$ .

Evaluate the infinite sum

$$1 + \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{2^2}{5!} + \frac{2^2 \times 3^2}{7!} + \dots + \frac{2^2 \times 3^2 \times \dots \times n^2}{(2n + 1)!} + \dots$$

- 3** The four vertices  $P_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ) of a regular tetrahedron lie on the surface of a sphere with centre at  $O$  and of radius 1. The position vector of  $P_i$  with respect to  $O$  is  $\mathbf{p}_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ). Use the fact that  $\mathbf{p}_1 + \mathbf{p}_2 + \mathbf{p}_3 + \mathbf{p}_4 = \mathbf{0}$  to show that  $\mathbf{p}_i \cdot \mathbf{p}_j = -\frac{1}{3}$  for  $i \neq j$ .

Let  $X$  be any point on the surface of the sphere, and let  $XP_i$  denote the length of the line joining  $X$  and  $P_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ).

- (i) By writing  $(XP_i)^2$  as  $(\mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{x}) \cdot (\mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{x})$ , where  $\mathbf{x}$  is the position vector of  $X$  with respect to  $O$ , show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 (XP_i)^2 = 8.$$

- (ii) Given that  $P_1$  has coordinates  $(0, 0, 1)$  and that the coordinates of  $P_2$  are of the form  $(a, 0, b)$ , where  $a > 0$ , show that  $a = 2\sqrt{2}/3$  and  $b = -1/3$ , and find the coordinates of  $P_3$  and  $P_4$ .

- (iii) Show that

$$\sum_{i=1}^4 (XP_i)^4 = 4 \sum_{i=1}^4 (1 - \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{p}_i)^2.$$

By letting the coordinates of  $X$  be  $(x, y, z)$ , show further that  $\sum_{i=1}^4 (XP_i)^4$  is independent of the position of  $X$ .

- 4** Show that  $(z - e^{i\theta})(z - e^{-i\theta}) = z^2 - 2z \cos \theta + 1$ .

Write down the  $(2n)$ th roots of  $-1$  in the form  $e^{i\theta}$ , where  $-\pi < \theta \leq \pi$ , and deduce that

$$z^{2n} + 1 = \prod_{k=1}^n \left( z^2 - 2z \cos \left( \frac{(2k-1)\pi}{2n} \right) + 1 \right).$$

Here,  $n$  is a positive integer, and the  $\prod$  notation denotes the product.

- (i) By substituting  $z = i$  show that, when  $n$  is even,

$$\cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2n} \right) \cos \left( \frac{3\pi}{2n} \right) \cos \left( \frac{5\pi}{2n} \right) \cdots \cos \left( \frac{(2n-1)\pi}{2n} \right) = (-1)^{\frac{1}{2}n} 2^{1-n}.$$

- (ii) Show that, when  $n$  is odd,

$$\cos^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{2n} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{3\pi}{2n} \right) \cos^2 \left( \frac{5\pi}{2n} \right) \cdots \cos^2 \left( \frac{(n-2)\pi}{2n} \right) = n2^{1-n}.$$

You may use without proof the fact that  $1 + z^{2n} = (1 + z^2)(1 - z^2 + z^4 - \cdots + z^{2n-2})$  when  $n$  is odd.

**5** In this question, you may assume that, if  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are positive integers such that  $a$  and  $b$  are coprime and  $a$  divides  $bc$ , then  $a$  divides  $c$ . (Two positive integers are said to be *coprime* if their highest common factor is 1.)

(i) Suppose that there are positive integers  $p$ ,  $q$ ,  $n$  and  $N$  such that  $p$  and  $q$  are coprime and  $q^n N = p^n$ . Show that  $N = kp^n$  for some positive integer  $k$  and deduce the value of  $q$ .

Hence prove that, for any positive integers  $n$  and  $N$ ,  $\sqrt[n]{N}$  is either a positive integer or irrational.

(ii) Suppose that there are positive integers  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $c$  and  $d$  such that  $a$  and  $b$  are coprime and  $c$  and  $d$  are coprime, and  $a^a d^b = b^a c^b$ . Prove that  $d^b = b^a$  and deduce that, if  $p$  is a prime factor of  $d$ , then  $p$  is also a prime factor of  $b$ .

If  $p^m$  and  $p^n$  are the highest powers of the prime number  $p$  that divide  $d$  and  $b$ , respectively, express  $b$  in terms of  $a$ ,  $m$  and  $n$  and hence show that  $p^n \leq n$ . Deduce the value of  $b$ . (You may assume that if  $x > 0$  and  $y \geq 2$  then  $y^x > x$ .)

Hence prove that, if  $r$  is a positive rational number such that  $r^r$  is rational, then  $r$  is a positive integer.

**6** Let  $z$  and  $w$  be complex numbers. Use a diagram to show that  $|z - w| \leq |z| + |w|$ .

For any complex numbers  $z$  and  $w$ ,  $E$  is defined by

$$E = zw^* + z^*w + 2|zw|.$$

(i) Show that  $|z - w|^2 = (|z| + |w|)^2 - E$ , and deduce that  $E$  is real and non-negative.

(ii) Show that  $|1 - zw^*|^2 = (1 + |zw|)^2 - E$ .

Hence show that, if both  $|z| > 1$  and  $|w| > 1$ , then

$$\frac{|z - w|}{|1 - zw^*|} \leq \frac{|z| + |w|}{1 + |zw|}.$$

Does this inequality also hold if both  $|z| < 1$  and  $|w| < 1$ ?

- 7 (i) Let  $y(x)$  be a solution of the differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y^3 = 0$  with  $y = 1$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$  at  $x = 0$ , and let

$$E(x) = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2}y^4.$$

Show by differentiation that  $E$  is constant and deduce that  $|y(x)| \leq 1$  for all  $x$ .

- (ii) Let  $v(x)$  be a solution of the differential equation  $\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + x\frac{dv}{dx} + \sinh v = 0$  with  $v = \ln 3$  and  $\frac{dv}{dx} = 0$  at  $x = 0$ , and let

$$E(x) = \left(\frac{dv}{dx}\right)^2 + 2 \cosh v.$$

Show that  $\frac{dE}{dx} \leq 0$  for  $x \geq 0$  and deduce that  $\cosh v(x) \leq \frac{5}{3}$  for  $x \geq 0$ .

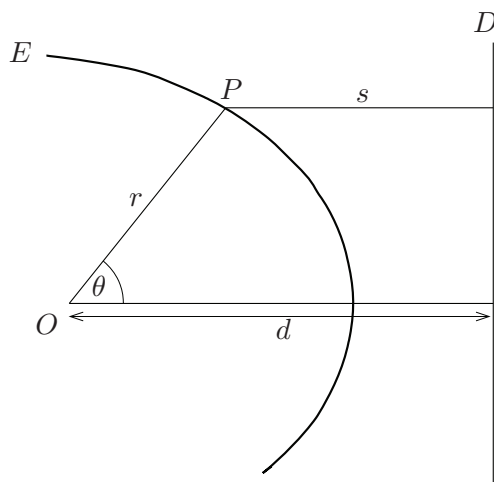
- (iii) Let  $w(x)$  be a solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2w}{dx^2} + (5 \cosh x - 4 \sinh x - 3)\frac{dw}{dx} + (w \cosh w + 2 \sinh w) = 0$$

with  $\frac{dw}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  and  $w = 0$  at  $x = 0$ . Show that  $\cosh w(x) \leq \frac{5}{4}$  for  $x \geq 0$ .

- 8 Evaluate  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} e^{2i(\alpha+r\pi/n)}$  where  $\alpha$  is a fixed angle and  $n \geq 2$ .

The fixed point  $O$  is a distance  $d$  from a fixed line  $D$ . For any point  $P$ , let  $s$  be the distance from  $P$  to  $D$  and let  $r$  be the distance from  $P$  to  $O$ . Write down an expression for  $s$  in terms of  $d$ ,  $r$  and the angle  $\theta$ , where  $\theta$  is as shown in the diagram below.



The curve  $E$  shown in the diagram is such that, for any point  $P$  on  $E$ , the relation  $r = ks$  holds, where  $k$  is a fixed number with  $0 < k < 1$ .

Each of the  $n$  lines  $L_1, \dots, L_n$  passes through  $O$  and the angle between adjacent lines is  $\frac{\pi}{n}$ . The line  $L_j$  ( $j = 1, \dots, n$ ) intersects  $E$  in two points forming a chord of length  $l_j$ . Show that, for  $n \geq 2$ ,

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{l_j} = \frac{(2 - k^2)n}{4kd}.$$

## Section B: Mechanics

- 9** A sphere of radius  $R$  and uniform density  $\rho_s$  is floating in a large tank of liquid of uniform density  $\rho$ . Given that the centre of the sphere is a distance  $x$  above the level of the liquid, where  $x < R$ , show that the volume of liquid displaced is

$$\frac{\pi}{3}(2R^3 - 3R^2x + x^3).$$

The sphere is acted upon by two forces only: its weight and an upward force equal in magnitude to the weight of the liquid it has displaced. Show that

$$4R^3\rho_s(g + \ddot{x}) = (2R^3 - 3R^2x + x^3)\rho g.$$

Given that the sphere is in equilibrium when  $x = \frac{1}{2}R$ , find  $\rho_s$  in terms of  $\rho$ . Find, in terms of  $R$  and  $g$ , the period of small oscillations about this equilibrium position.

- 10** A uniform rod  $AB$  has mass  $M$  and length  $2a$ . The point  $P$  lies on the rod a distance  $a - x$  from  $A$ . Show that the moment of inertia of the rod about an axis through  $P$  and perpendicular to the rod is

$$\frac{1}{3}M(a^2 + 3x^2).$$

The rod is free to rotate, in a horizontal plane, about a fixed vertical axis through  $P$ . Initially the rod is at rest. The end  $B$  is struck by a particle of mass  $m$  moving horizontally with speed  $u$  in a direction perpendicular to the rod. The coefficient of restitution between the rod and the particle is  $e$ . Show that the angular velocity of the rod immediately after impact is

$$\frac{3mu(1 + e)(a + x)}{M(a^2 + 3x^2) + 3m(a + x)^2}.$$

In the case  $m = 2M$ , find the value of  $x$  for which the angular velocity is greatest and show that this angular velocity is  $u(1 + e)/a$ .

- 11 An equilateral triangle, comprising three light rods each of length  $\sqrt{3}a$ , has a particle of mass  $m$  attached to each of its vertices. The triangle is suspended horizontally from a point vertically above its centre by three identical springs, so that the springs and rods form a tetrahedron. Each spring has natural length  $a$  and modulus of elasticity  $kmg$ , and is light. Show that when the springs make an angle  $\theta$  with the horizontal the tension in each spring is

$$\frac{kmg(1 - \cos \theta)}{\cos \theta}.$$

Given that the triangle is in equilibrium when  $\theta = \frac{1}{6}\pi$ , show that  $k = 4\sqrt{3} + 6$ .

The triangle is released from rest from the position at which  $\theta = \frac{1}{3}\pi$ . Show that when it passes through the equilibrium position its speed  $V$  satisfies

$$V^2 = \frac{4ag}{3}(6 + \sqrt{3}).$$



## Section C: Probability and Statistics

- 12** A list consists only of letters  $A$  and  $B$  arranged in a row. In the list, there are  $a$  letter  $A$ s and  $b$  letter  $B$ s, where  $a \geq 2$  and  $b \geq 2$ , and  $a + b = n$ . Each possible ordering of the letters is equally probable. The random variable  $X_1$  is defined by

$$X_1 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if the first letter in the row is } A; \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The random variables  $X_k$  ( $2 \leq k \leq n$ ) are defined by

$$X_k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if the } (k-1)\text{th letter is } B \text{ and the } k\text{th is } A; \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

The random variable  $S$  is defined by  $S = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i$ .

- (i) Find expressions for  $E(X_i)$ , distinguishing between the cases  $i = 1$  and  $i \neq 1$ , and show that  $E(S) = \frac{a(b+1)}{n}$ .

- (ii) Show that:

(a) for  $j \geq 3$ ,  $E(X_1 X_j) = \frac{a(a-1)b}{n(n-1)(n-2)}$ ;

(b)  $\sum_{i=2}^{n-2} \left( \sum_{j=i+2}^n E(X_i X_j) \right) = \frac{a(a-1)b(b-1)}{2n(n-1)}$ ;

(c)  $\text{Var}(S) = \frac{a(a-1)b(b+1)}{n^2(n-1)}$ .

**13 (a)** The continuous random variable  $X$  satisfies  $0 \leq X \leq 1$ , and has probability density function  $f(x)$  and cumulative distribution function  $F(x)$ . The greatest value of  $f(x)$  is  $M$ , so that  $0 \leq f(x) \leq M$ .

(i) Show that  $0 \leq F(x) \leq Mx$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ .

(ii) For any function  $g(x)$ , show that

$$\int_0^1 2g(x)F(x)f(x)dx = g(1) - \int_0^1 g'(x)(F(x))^2 dx.$$

**(b)** The continuous random variable  $Y$  satisfies  $0 \leq Y \leq 1$ , and has probability density function  $kF(y)f(y)$ , where  $f$  and  $F$  are as above.

(i) Determine the value of the constant  $k$ .

(ii) Show that

$$1 + \frac{nM}{n+1}\mu_{n+1} - \frac{nM}{n+1} \leq E(Y^n) \leq 2M\mu_{n+1},$$

where  $\mu_{n+1} = E(X^{n+1})$  and  $n \geq 0$ .

(iii) Hence show that, for  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$\mu_n \geq \frac{n}{(n+1)M} - \frac{n-1}{n+1}.$$

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