

**B O A R D O F S T U D I E S**  
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EXAMINATION**

# Mathematics Extension 2

## General Instructions

- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 3 hours
- Write using black or blue pen  
Black pen is preferred
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- In Questions 11–16, show relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations

## Total marks – 100

**Section I** Pages 2–8

### 10 marks

- Attempt Questions 1–10
- Allow about 15 minutes for this section

**Section II** Pages 9–19

### 90 marks

- Attempt Questions 11–16
- Allow about 2 hours and 45 minutes for this section

## Section I

10 marks

Attempt Questions 1–10

Allow about 15 minutes for this section

Use the multiple-choice answer sheet for Questions 1–10.

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1 Let  $z = 5 - i$  and  $w = 2 + 3i$ .

What is the value of  $2z + \bar{w}$ ?

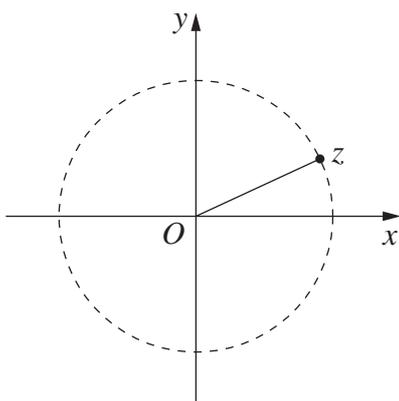
- (A)  $12 + i$
- (B)  $12 + 2i$
- (C)  $12 - 4i$
- (D)  $12 - 5i$

2 The equation  $x^3 - y^3 + 3xy + 1 = 0$  defines  $y$  implicitly as a function of  $x$ .

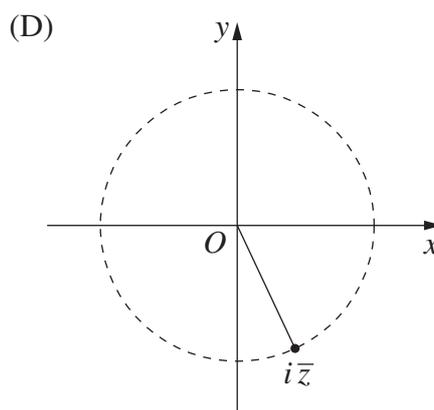
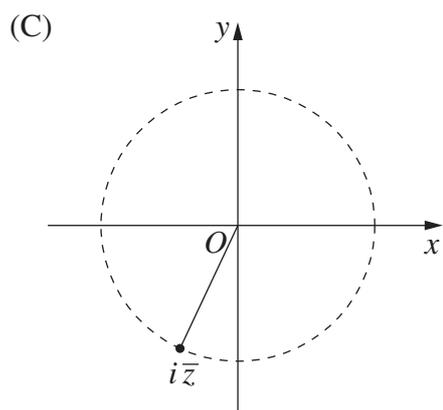
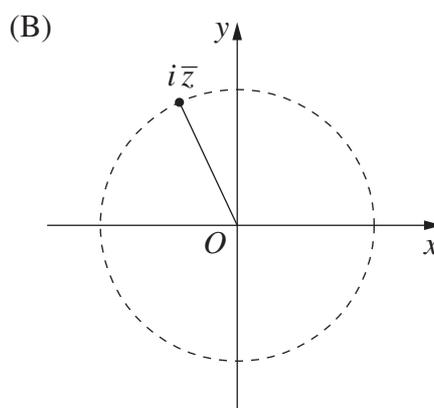
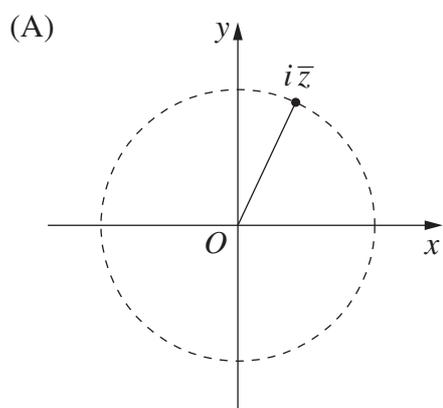
What is the value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at the point  $(1, 2)$ ?

- (A)  $\frac{1}{3}$
- (B)  $\frac{1}{2}$
- (C)  $\frac{3}{4}$
- (D) 1

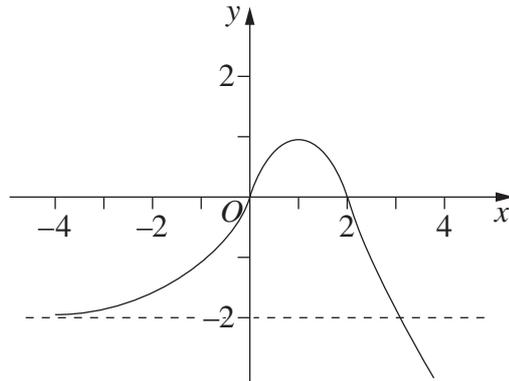
3 The complex number  $z$  is shown on the Argand diagram below.



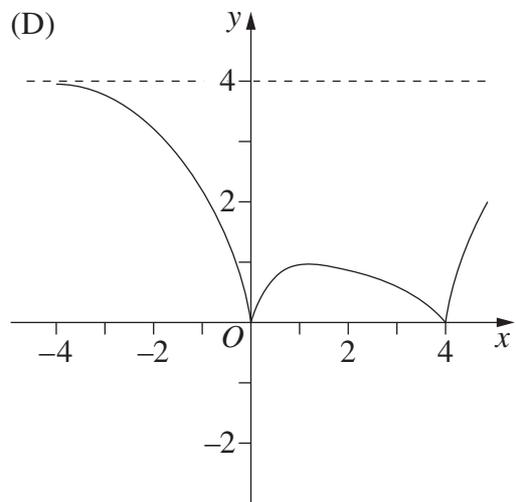
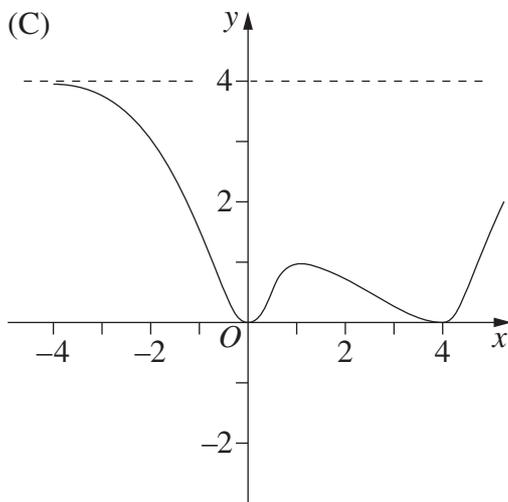
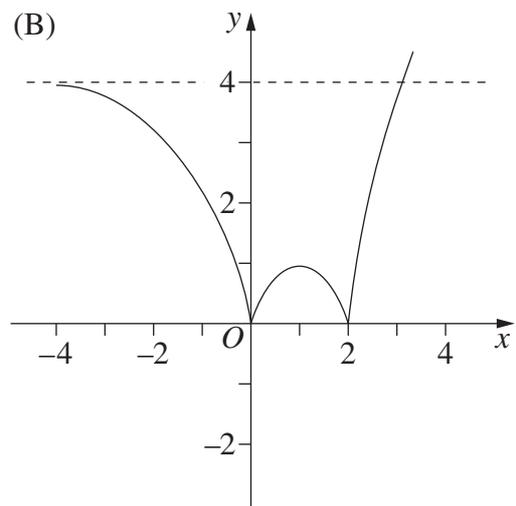
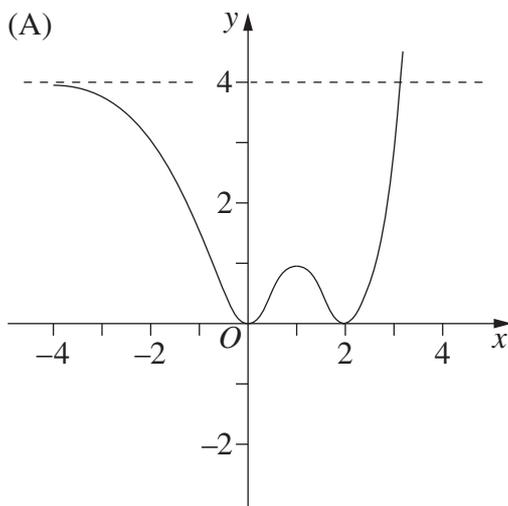
Which of the following best represents  $i\bar{z}$ ?



4 The graph  $y = f(x)$  is shown below.



Which of the following graphs best represents  $y = [f(x)]^2$ ?



5 The equation  $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 5x - 1 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ .

What is the value of  $\frac{1}{\alpha^3\beta^3\gamma^3}$ ?

(A)  $\frac{1}{8}$

(B)  $-\frac{1}{8}$

(C) 8

(D) -8

6 What is the eccentricity of the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{6} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ ?

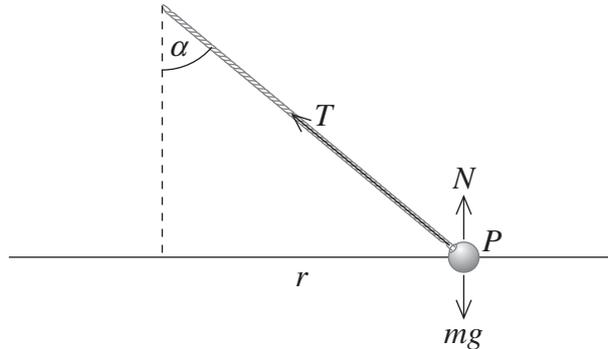
(A)  $\frac{\sqrt{10}}{2}$

(B)  $\frac{\sqrt{15}}{3}$

(C)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$

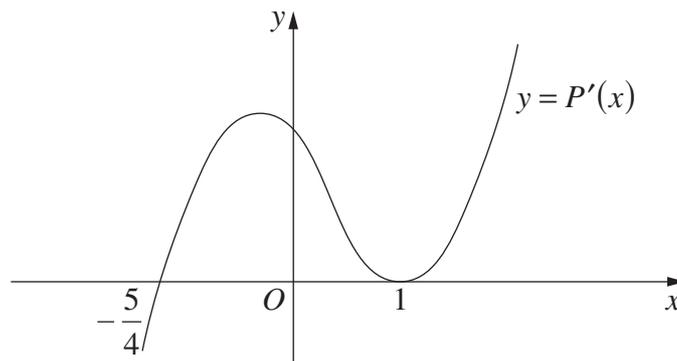
(D)  $\frac{\sqrt{13}}{3}$

- 7 A particle  $P$  of mass  $m$  attached to a string is rotating in a circle of radius  $r$  on a smooth horizontal surface. The particle is moving with constant angular velocity  $\omega$ . The string makes an angle  $\alpha$  with the vertical. The forces acting on  $P$  are the tension  $T$  in the string, a reaction force  $N$  normal to the surface and the gravitational force  $mg$ .



Which of the following is the correct resolution of the forces on  $P$  in the vertical and horizontal directions?

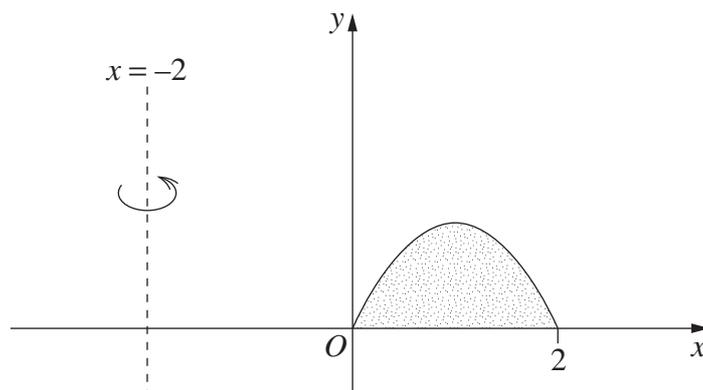
- (A)  $T \cos \alpha + N = mg$  and  $T \sin \alpha = mr\omega^2$   
 (B)  $T \cos \alpha - N = mg$  and  $T \sin \alpha = mr\omega^2$   
 (C)  $T \sin \alpha + N = mg$  and  $T \cos \alpha = mr\omega^2$   
 (D)  $T \sin \alpha - N = mg$  and  $T \cos \alpha = mr\omega^2$
- 8 The following diagram shows the graph  $y = P'(x)$ , the derivative of a polynomial  $P(x)$ .



Which of the following expressions could be  $P(x)$ ?

- (A)  $(x - 2)(x - 1)^3$   
 (B)  $(x + 2)(x - 1)^3$   
 (C)  $(x - 2)(x + 1)^3$   
 (D)  $(x + 2)(x + 1)^3$

- 9 The diagram shows the graph  $y = x(2 - x)$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2$ . The region bounded by the graph and the  $x$ -axis is rotated about the line  $x = -2$  to form a solid.



Which integral represents the volume of the solid?

- (A)  $2\pi \int_0^2 x(2-x)^2 dx$
- (B)  $2\pi \int_0^2 x^2(2-x) dx$
- (C)  $2\pi \int_0^2 x(2-x)(2+x) dx$
- (D)  $2\pi \int_0^2 x(2-x)(x-2) dx$

- 10 Without evaluating the integrals, which one of the following integrals is greater than zero?

(A)  $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{x}{2 + \cos x} dx$

(B)  $\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x^3 \sin x dx$

(C)  $\int_{-1}^1 (e^{-x^2} - 1) dx$

(D)  $\int_{-2}^2 \tan^{-1}(x^3) dx$

## Section II

90 marks

Attempt Questions 11–16

Allow about 2 hours and 45 minutes for this section

Answer each question in a SEPARATE writing booklet. Extra writing booklets are available.

In Questions 11–16, your responses should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

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**Question 11** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Express  $\frac{2\sqrt{5} + i}{\sqrt{5} - i}$  in the form  $x + iy$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real. 2

(b) Shade the region on the Argand diagram where the two inequalities 2

$$|z + 2| \geq 2 \quad \text{and} \quad |z - i| \leq 1$$

both hold.

(c) By completing the square, find  $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 + 4x + 5}$ . 2

(d) (i) Write  $z = \sqrt{3} - i$  in modulus–argument form. 2

(ii) Hence express  $z^9$  in the form  $x + iy$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real. 1

(e) Evaluate  $\int_0^1 \frac{e^{2x}}{e^{2x} + 1} dx$ . 3

(f) Sketch the following graphs, showing the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.

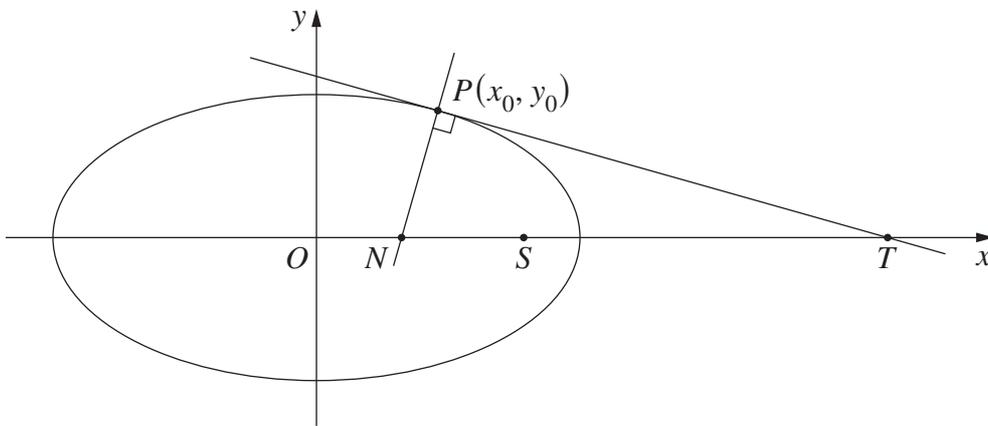
(i)  $y = |x| - 1$  1

(ii)  $y = x(|x| - 1)$  2

**Question 12** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Using the substitution  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ , or otherwise, find  $\int \frac{d\theta}{1 - \cos\theta}$ . **3**

- (b) The diagram shows the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  with  $a > b$ . The ellipse has focus  $S$  and eccentricity  $e$ . The tangent to the ellipse at  $P(x_0, y_0)$  meets the  $x$ -axis at  $T$ . The normal at  $P$  meets the  $x$ -axis at  $N$ .



- (i) Show that the tangent to the ellipse at  $P$  is given by the equation **2**

$$y - y_0 = -\frac{b^2 x_0}{a^2 y_0} (x - x_0).$$

- (ii) Show that the  $x$ -coordinate of  $N$  is  $x_0 e^2$ . **2**
- (iii) Show that  $ON \times OT = OS^2$ . **2**

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Question 12 (continued)

(c) For every integer  $n \geq 0$  let

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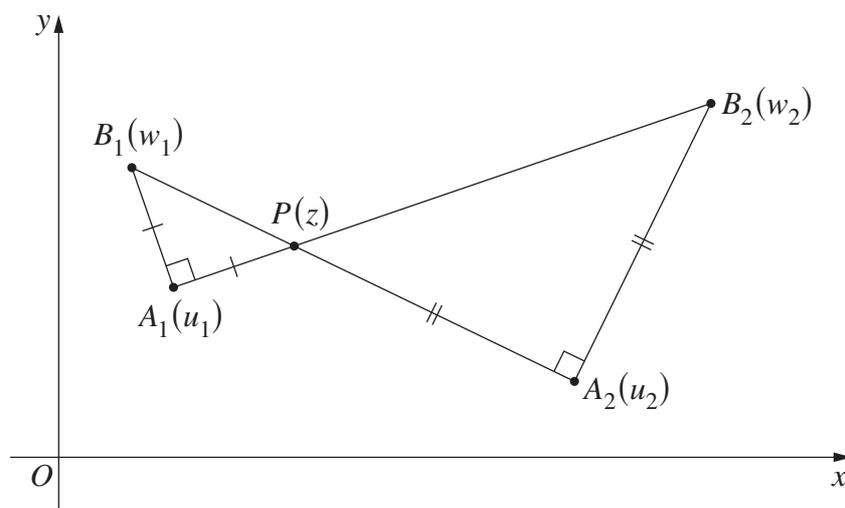
$$I_n = \int_1^{e^2} (\log_e x)^n dx.$$

Show that for  $n \geq 1$

$$I_n = e^2 2^n - n I_{n-1}.$$

(d) On the Argand diagram the points  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  correspond to the distinct complex numbers  $u_1$  and  $u_2$  respectively. Let  $P$  be a point corresponding to a third complex number  $z$ .

Points  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  are positioned so that  $\triangle A_1 P B_1$  and  $\triangle A_2 B_2 P$ , labelled in an anti-clockwise direction, are right-angled and isosceles with right angles at  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ , respectively. The complex numbers  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  correspond to  $B_1$  and  $B_2$ , respectively.



(i) Explain why  $w_1 = u_1 + i(z - u_1)$ .

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(ii) Find the locus of the midpoint of  $B_1 B_2$  as  $P$  varies.

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End of Question 12

**Question 13** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) An object on the surface of a liquid is released at time  $t = 0$  and immediately sinks. Let  $x$  be its displacement in metres in a downward direction from the surface at time  $t$  seconds.

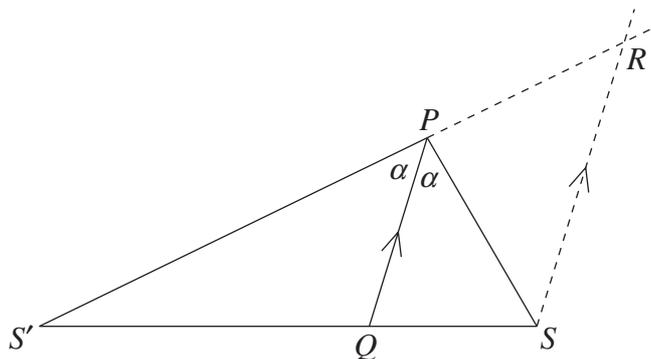
The equation of motion is given by

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = 10 - \frac{v^2}{40},$$

where  $v$  is the velocity of the object.

- (i) Show that  $v = \frac{20(e^t - 1)}{e^t + 1}$ . 4
- (ii) Use  $\frac{dv}{dt} = v \frac{dv}{dx}$  to show that  $x = 20 \log_e \left( \frac{400}{400 - v^2} \right)$ . 2
- (iii) How far does the object sink in the first 4 seconds? 2

- (b) The diagram shows  $\triangle S'SP$ . The point  $Q$  is on  $S'S$  so that  $PQ$  bisects  $\angle S'PS$ . The point  $R$  is on  $S'P$  produced so that  $PQ \parallel RS$ .

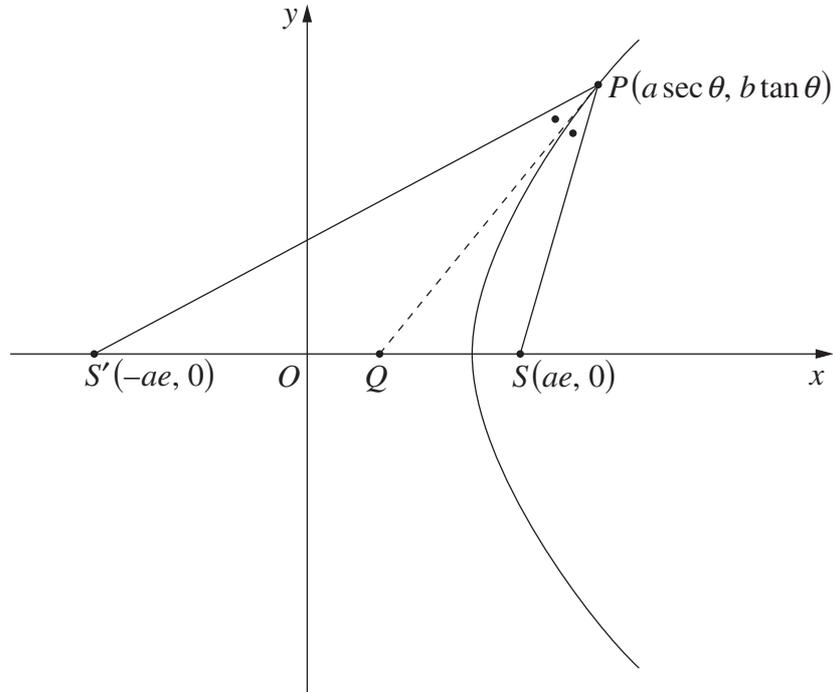


- (i) Show that  $PS = PR$ . 1
- (ii) Show that  $\frac{PS}{QS} = \frac{PS'}{QS'}$ . 2

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Question 13 (continued)

- (c) Let  $P$  be a point on the hyperbola given parametrically by  $x = a \sec \theta$  and  $y = b \tan \theta$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are positive. The foci of the hyperbola are  $S(ae, 0)$  and  $S'(-ae, 0)$  where  $e$  is the eccentricity. The point  $Q$  is on the  $x$ -axis so that  $PQ$  bisects  $\angle SPS'$ .



- (i) Show that  $SP = a(e \sec \theta - 1)$ . 1
- (ii) It is given that  $S'P = a(e \sec \theta + 1)$ . Using part (b), or otherwise, show that the  $x$ -coordinate of  $Q$  is  $\frac{a}{\sec \theta}$ . 2
- (iii) The slope of the tangent to the hyperbola at  $P$  is  $\frac{b \sec \theta}{a \tan \theta}$ . (Do NOT prove this.) 1

Show that the tangent at  $P$  is the line  $PQ$ .

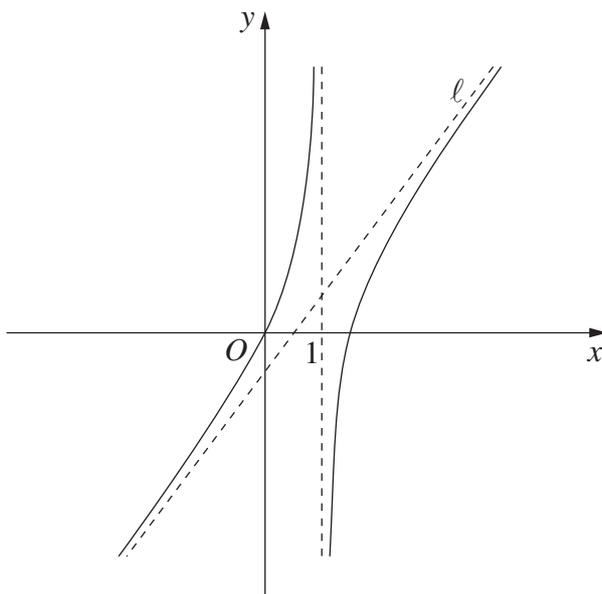
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**Question 14** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Find  $\int \frac{3x^2 + 8}{x(x^2 + 4)} dx$ .

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(b) The diagram shows the graph  $y = \frac{x(2x - 3)}{x - 1}$ . The line  $\ell$  is an asymptote.



(i) Use the above graph to draw a one-third page sketch of the graph

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$$y = \frac{x - 1}{x(2x - 3)}$$

indicating all asymptotes and all  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.

(ii) By writing  $\frac{x(2x - 3)}{x - 1}$  in the form  $mx + b + \frac{a}{x - 1}$ , find the equation of the line  $\ell$ .

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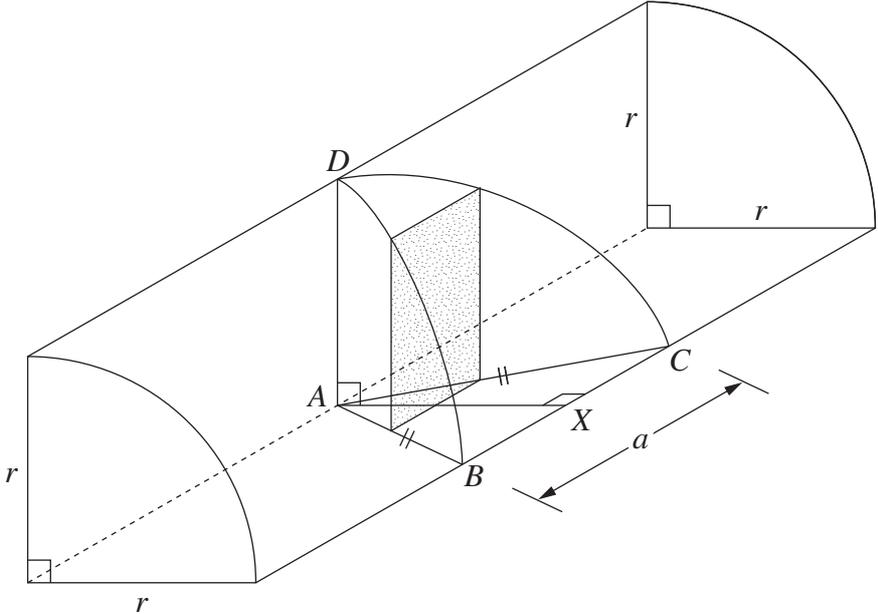
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Question 14 (continued)

- (c) The solid  $ABCD$  is cut from a quarter cylinder of radius  $r$  as shown. Its base is an isosceles triangle  $ABC$  with  $AB = AC$ . The length of  $BC$  is  $a$  and the midpoint of  $BC$  is  $X$ .

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The cross-sections perpendicular to  $AX$  are rectangles. A typical cross-section is shown shaded in the diagram.

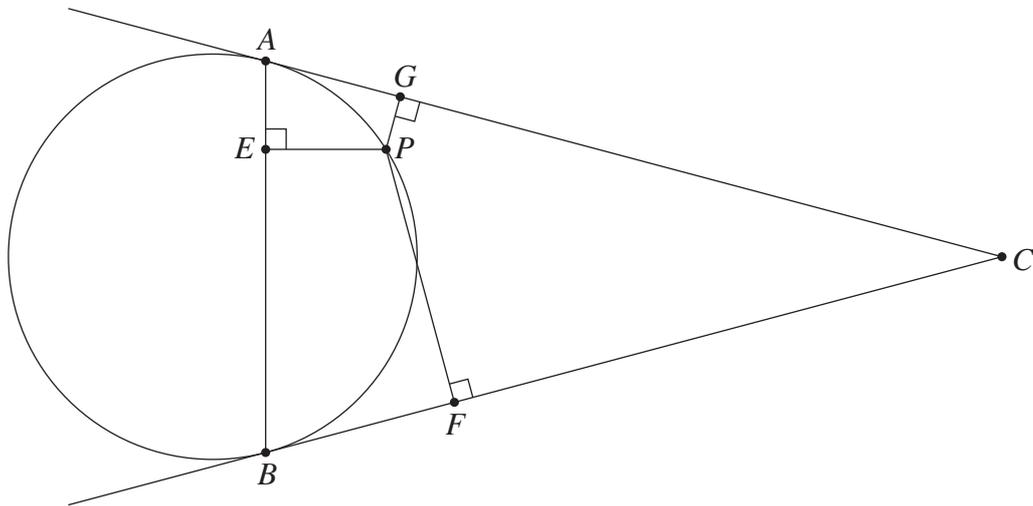


Find the volume of the solid  $ABCD$ .

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Question 14 (continued)

- (d) The diagram shows points  $A$  and  $B$  on a circle. The tangents to the circle at  $A$  and  $B$  meet at the point  $C$ . The point  $P$  is on the circle inside  $\triangle ABC$ . The point  $E$  lies on  $AB$  so that  $AB \perp EP$ . The points  $F$  and  $G$  lie on  $BC$  and  $AC$  respectively so that  $FP \perp BC$  and  $GP \perp AC$ .



Copy or trace the diagram into your writing booklet.

- (i) Show that  $\triangle APG$  and  $\triangle BPE$  are similar. 2
- (ii) Show that  $EP^2 = FP \times GP$ . 2

**End of Question 14**

**Question 15** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) (i) Prove that  $\sqrt{ab} \leq \frac{a+b}{2}$ , where  $a \geq 0$  and  $b \geq 0$ . 1

(ii) If  $1 \leq x \leq y$ , show that  $x(y-x+1) \geq y$ . 2

(iii) Let  $n$  and  $j$  be positive integers with  $1 \leq j \leq n$ . Prove that 2

$$\sqrt{n} \leq \sqrt{j(n-j+1)} \leq \frac{n+1}{2}.$$

(iv) For integers  $n \geq 1$ , prove that 1

$$\left(\sqrt{n}\right)^n \leq n! \leq \left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)^n.$$

(b) Let  $P(z) = z^4 - 2kz^3 + 2k^2z^2 - 2kz + 1$ , where  $k$  is real.

Let  $\alpha = x + iy$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real.

Suppose that  $\alpha$  and  $i\alpha$  are zeros of  $P(z)$ , where  $\bar{\alpha} \neq i\alpha$ .

(i) Explain why  $\bar{\alpha}$  and  $-i\bar{\alpha}$  are zeros of  $P(z)$ . 1

(ii) Show that  $P(z) = z^2(z-k)^2 + (kz-1)^2$ . 1

(iii) Hence show that if  $P(z)$  has a real zero then 2

$$P(z) = (z^2+1)(z+1)^2 \quad \text{or} \quad P(z) = (z^2+1)(z-1)^2.$$

(iv) Show that all zeros of  $P(z)$  have modulus 1. 2

(v) Show that  $k = x - y$ . 1

(vi) Hence show that  $-\sqrt{2} \leq k \leq \sqrt{2}$ . 2

**Question 16** (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) (i) In how many ways can  $m$  identical yellow discs and  $n$  identical black discs be arranged in a row? **1**
- (ii) In how many ways can 10 identical coins be allocated to 4 different boxes? **1**

- (b) (i) Show that  $\tan^{-1}x + \tan^{-1}y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+y}{1-xy}\right)$  for  $|x| < 1$  and  $|y| < 1$ . **1**

- (ii) Use mathematical induction to prove **3**

$$\sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2j^2}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)$$

for all positive integers  $n$ .

- (iii) Find  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{j=1}^n \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2j^2}\right)$ . **1**

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Question 16 (continued)

- (c) Let  $n$  be an integer where  $n > 1$ . Integers from 1 to  $n$  inclusive are selected randomly one by one with repetition being possible. Let  $P(k)$  be the probability that exactly  $k$  different integers are selected before one of them is selected for the second time, where  $1 \leq k \leq n$ .

(i) Explain why  $P(k) = \frac{(n-1)!k}{n^k(n-k)!}$ . **2**

(ii) Suppose  $P(k) \geq P(k-1)$ . Show that  $k^2 - k - n \leq 0$ . **2**

(iii) Show that if  $\sqrt{n + \frac{1}{4}} > k - \frac{1}{2}$  then the integers  $n$  and  $k$  satisfy **2**  
$$\sqrt{n} > k - \frac{1}{2}.$$

(iv) Hence show that if  $4n + 1$  is not a perfect square, then  $P(k)$  is greatest **2**  
when  $k$  is the closest integer to  $\sqrt{n}$ .

You may use part (iii) and also that  $k^2 - k - n > 0$  if  $P(k) < P(k-1)$ .

**End of paper**

## STANDARD INTEGRALS

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE :  $\ln x = \log_e x, \quad x > 0$