



# Cambridge Pre-U

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**FURTHER MATHEMATICS****9795/01**

Paper 1 Further Pure Mathematics

**October/November 2020****3 hours**

You must answer on the answer booklet/paper.

You will need: Answer booklet/paper  
Graph paper  
List of formulae (MF20)

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Answer **all** questions.
- If you have been given an answer booklet, follow the instructions on the front cover of the answer booklet.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number on all the work you hand in.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- You should use a calculator where appropriate.
- You must show all necessary working clearly; no marks will be given for unsupported answers from a calculator.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures, or 1 decimal place for angles in degrees, unless a different level of accuracy is specified in the question.
- At the end of the examination, fasten all your work together. Do **not** use staples, paper clips or glue.

**INFORMATION**

- The total mark for this paper is 120.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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- 1 Using standard summation results, prove that  $\sum_{r=1}^n (4r^3 - 6r^2 + 4r - 1) = n^4$ . [4]
- 2 The parabola  $y = px^2 + qx + r$  passes through the points  $(-1, -1)$ ,  $(9, 53)$  and  $(-11, 45)$ .
- (a) (i) Write down a system of three equations in  $p$ ,  $q$  and  $r$ . [2]  
(ii) Formulate this system as a matrix equation in the form  $\mathbf{Cx} = \mathbf{a}$ , where  $\mathbf{C}$  is a  $3 \times 3$  matrix,  $\mathbf{x}$  is an unknown column vector and  $\mathbf{a}$  is a constant vector. [1]
- (b) Using any suitable method, determine the values of  $p$ ,  $q$  and  $r$ . [4]
- 3 (a) (i) Write down the equations of the asymptotes of the curve  $y = \frac{x-1}{x-4}$ . [2]  
(ii) Sketch this curve, showing all significant features. [4]
- (b) Determine the equation of the oblique asymptote of the curve  $y = \frac{(x-1)^2}{x-4}$ . [2]
- 4 A curve has polar equation  $r = 3 + \sqrt{2} \sin \theta$ , for  $\frac{1}{4}\pi \leq \theta \leq \frac{3}{4}\pi$ . Find, in its simplest exact form, the area of the region enclosed by the curve and the lines  $\theta = \frac{1}{4}\pi$  and  $\theta = \frac{3}{4}\pi$ . [6]
- 5 The equation  $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 5x - 12 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ .
- (a) State the value of  $\alpha\beta\gamma$ . [1]
- A second cubic equation, with integer coefficients, has roots  $\alpha + \frac{12}{\beta\gamma}$ ,  $\beta + \frac{12}{\gamma\alpha}$  and  $\gamma + \frac{12}{\alpha\beta}$ .
- (b) (i) Show that these new roots can be written as  $3\alpha$ ,  $3\beta$  and  $3\gamma$  respectively. [2]  
(ii) Find the second cubic equation. [3]
- 6 (a) Given the matrix  $\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ , calculate  $\mathbf{X}^2$ ,  $\mathbf{X}^3$  and  $\mathbf{X}^4$ . [3]
- (b) Conjecture an expression for  $\mathbf{X}^n$  for positive integers  $n$  and prove the result by induction. [4]
- (c) Is the result still true when  $n = -1$ ? Justify your answer. [3]
- 7 (a) (i) Express the complex number  $\omega = 1 + i\sqrt{3}$  in the form  $re^{i\theta}$ , where  $r > 0$  and  $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ . [2]  
(ii) Hence show that  $\omega^7$  is an integer multiple of  $\omega$ . [3]
- (b) Solve the equation  $z^7 = 64 - 64i\sqrt{3}$ . Give each answer in the form  $r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ , where  $r > 0$  and  $0 < \theta < 2\pi$ . [5]

8 A non-abelian group  $G$ , with identity element  $e$ , contains an element  $a$  of order 4 and an element  $b$  such that  $a^3b = ba$ .

(a) State, with justification, whether  $G$  is a cyclic group. [1]

(b) Show, in any order, that

- $b = aba$ ,
- $b = a^2ba^2$ ,
- $ba^3 = ab$ .

Justify fully each step of your working. [7]

9 The function  $f$  is defined for  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$  by  $f(x) = \cos^{-1}x$ .

(a) (i) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [1]

(ii) Given that  $y = \cos^{-1}x$ , prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ . [4]

(b) Determine  $\int \cos^{-1}x \, dx$ . [5]

10 (a) Use the vector product to find the area of triangle  $ABC$  with vertices  $A(1, 2, 3)$ ,  $B(5, 1, -3)$  and  $C(2, 3, -1)$ . [4]

(b) (i) Calculate the volume of tetrahedron  $OABC$ , where  $O$  is the origin. [3]

(ii) Deduce the shortest distance from  $O$  to the plane  $ABC$ . [2]

(c) Determine the shortest distance between the line through  $O$  and  $A$  and the line through  $B$  and  $C$ . Give your answer in an exact surd form. [5]

11 The curve  $C$  has equation  $y = \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 15$ .

(a) The length of  $C$  is denoted by  $L$ . Showing full working, determine the value of  $L$ . [4]

(b) The area of the surface generated when  $C$  is rotated once about the  $x$ -axis is denoted by  $A$ .

(i) Show that  $A = \frac{4}{3}\pi \int_0^{15} x\sqrt{(x + \frac{1}{2})^2 - \frac{1}{4}} \, dx$ . [3]

(ii) Use a suitable substitution to show that the exact value of  $A$  is

$$406\pi\sqrt{15} + \frac{1}{12}\pi \ln(31 + 8\sqrt{15}). \quad [8]$$

12 It is given that the solution,  $y$ , of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} \sinh x + 4y \cosh x = 8e^x \quad (*)$$

satisfies  $y = 3$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 4$  when  $x = \ln 2$ .

- (a) (i) Find the Taylor series expansion for  $y$  about  $x = \ln 2$  up to and including the quadratic term. [5]
- (ii) Deduce an approximation for  $y$  when  $x = 0.75$ . Give your answer to 3 decimal places. [1]

Three students try different methods to calculate approximations for the value of  $y$  when  $x = 0.75$ . They do this by replacing  $\sinh x$ ,  $\cosh x$  and  $e^x$  in  $(*)$  by the first few terms of their Maclaurin series and getting an approximate differential equation which they hope to be able to solve instead.

The first student uses quadratic approximations to  $\sinh x$ ,  $\cosh x$  and  $e^x$ ; the second student uses linear approximations; and the third student uses constant approximations.

- (b) (i) Find the approximate differential equations obtained by the three students. [4]
- (ii) For the approximate differential equation obtained by the second student, find a particular integral. [3]
- (iii) Solve the approximate differential equation obtained by the third student and use your answer to calculate a second approximation for the value of  $y$  when  $x = 0.75$ . Show full working and give the final answer correct to 3 decimal places. [9]

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