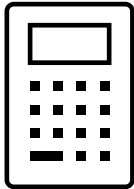


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A Level Mathematics – Pure Maths

Paper 2



Practice Set B

ANSWERS



Materials

- **Formulae Sheet** (on the next pages)
- **Black** ink or ball-point pen
- Pencil
- Eraser
- If needed (protractor, compass, tracing paper)
- Spare plain paper
- **Calculator allowed**

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Instructions

- Time allowed: **60 minutes**.
- The total mark for this paper is **50**.
- Show **all** of your working.
- Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Plot graphs in pencil.
- Diagrams are **not** accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- Cross through any work you don't want to be marked.
- Use plain paper for extra working out space if needed.

A Level (Pure) Formulae Sheet

Mensuration

Surface area of sphere = $4\pi r^2$

Area of curved surface of cone = $\pi r \times \text{slant height}$

Arithmetic Sequence

$$S_n = \frac{1}{2}n(a + l) = \frac{1}{2}n[2a + (n - 1)d]$$

Logarithms and Exponentials

$$\log_a x = \frac{\log_b x}{\log_b a}$$

$$e^{x \ln a} = a^x$$

Geometric Sequence

$$S_n = \frac{a(1 - r^n)}{1 - r}$$

$$S_\infty = \frac{a}{1 - r} \text{ for } |r| < 1$$

Binomial Series

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

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

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

Differentiation

First Principles

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

f(x) **f'(x)**

$$\tan kx \quad k \sec^2 kx$$

$$\sec kx \quad k \sec kx \tan kx$$

$$\cot kx \quad -k \operatorname{cosec}^2 kx$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} kx \quad -k \operatorname{cosec} kx \cot kx$$

$$\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \quad \frac{f'(x)g(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$$

Integration (+ constant)

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$$f(x) \quad \int f(x) \, dx$$

$$\sec^2 kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \tan kx$$

$$\tan kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \ln |\sec kx|$$

$$\cot kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \ln |\sin kx|$$

$$\operatorname{cosec} kx \quad -\frac{1}{k} \ln |\operatorname{cosec} kx + \cot kx|, \quad \frac{1}{k} \ln |\tan(\frac{1}{2}kx)|$$

$$\sec kx \quad \frac{1}{k} \ln |\sec kx + \tan kx|, \quad \frac{1}{k} \ln |\tan(\frac{1}{2}kx + \frac{1}{4}\pi)|$$

$$\int u \frac{dv}{dx} dx = uv - \int v \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

A Level (Pure) Formulae Sheet continued

Numerical Methods

The trapezium rule: $\int_a^b y \, dx \approx \frac{1}{2} h \{(y_0 + y_n) + 2(y_1 + y_2 + \dots + y_{n-1})\}$, where $h = \frac{b - a}{n}$

The Newton-Raphson iteration for solving $f(x) = 0$: $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$

Trigonometric Identities

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

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

$$\tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B} \quad (A \pm B \neq (k + \frac{1}{2})\pi)$$

$$\sin A + \sin B = 2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$\sin A - \sin B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$\cos A + \cos B = 2 \cos \frac{A+B}{2} \cos \frac{A-B}{2}$$

$$\cos A - \cos B = -2 \sin \frac{A+B}{2} \sin \frac{A-B}{2}$$

Small angle approximations

$$\sin \theta \approx \theta$$

$$\cos \theta \approx 1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2}$$

$$\tan \theta \approx \theta$$

where θ is measured in radians

1 A rectangle has an area of $5 + 7\sqrt{5}$ cm²

The base of the rectangle is $3 + 2\sqrt{5}$ cm

Work out the height of the rectangle.

Give your answer as an exact surd in its simplest form.

$$\text{Area} = \text{base} \times \text{height}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{height} = \frac{\text{Area}}{\text{base}}$$

$$= \frac{(5 + 7\sqrt{5})}{(3 + 2\sqrt{5})} \times \frac{(3 - 2\sqrt{5})}{(3 - 2\sqrt{5})}$$

$$= \frac{15 - 10\sqrt{5} + 21\sqrt{5} - 70}{9 - 6\sqrt{5} + 6\sqrt{5} - 20}$$

$$= \frac{-55 + 11\sqrt{5}}{-11}$$

$$= 5 - \sqrt{5}$$

$$\underline{5 - \sqrt{5}}$$

(Total for question 1 is 5 marks)

2 The polynomial $f(x)$ is defined as

$$f(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 15$$

(a) Given that:

- $(x-1)$ is a factor of $f(x) \rightarrow f(1) = 0$
- $f(x)$ divided by $(x+1)$ has a remainder of 24. $\rightarrow f(-1) = 24$

Find the values of constants a and b .

$$\begin{aligned} f(1) &= (1)^3 + a(1)^2 + b(1) + 15 \\ &= a + b + 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$a + b + 16 = 0$$

$$a + b = -16$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(-1) &= (-1)^3 + a(-1)^2 + b(-1) + 15 \\ &= a - b + 14 \end{aligned}$$

$$a - b + 14 = 24$$

$$a - b = 10$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{+} \quad a + b &= -16 \\ a - b &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

$$2a = -6$$

$$a = -3$$

$$b = -16 - a$$

$$b = -16 - (-3)$$

$$b = -13$$

$$a = \underline{-3}$$

$$b = \underline{-13}$$

(6)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, solve the equation $f(x) = 0$

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 13x + 15$$

$(x-1)$ is a factor of $f(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r} \overline{x^2 - 2x - 15} \\ x-1 \overline{x^3 - 3x^2 - 13x + 15} \\ - (x^3 - x^2) \\ \hline -2x^2 - 13x + 15 \\ - (-2x^2 + 2x) \\ \hline -15x + 15 \\ - (-15x + 15) \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x-1)(x^2 - 2x - 15) \\ &= (x-1)(x-5)(x+3) \end{aligned}$$

$\downarrow$
 $x=1$

$\downarrow$
 $x=5$

$\downarrow$
 $x=-3$

$$\boxed{x=1, x=5, x=-3}$$

(4)

(Total for question 2 is 10 marks)

- 3 Solve the following exponential equations.
Give your answers to 3 significant figures.

(a) $2^{3x-2} = 3^{23}$

$$3x - 2 = \log_2 3^{23}$$

$$3x - 2 = 23 \log_2 3$$

$$3x = (23 \log_2 3) + 2$$

$$x = \frac{(23 \log_2 3) + 2}{3}$$

$$x = 12.81804584...$$

$$x = \underline{12.8}$$

(3)

(b) $5^{y+1} = \frac{10}{5^y}$

$$5^{y+1} \times 5^y = 10$$

$$5^{2y+1} = 10$$

$$2y + 1 = \log_5 10$$

$$2y = (\log_5 10) - 1$$

$$y = \frac{(\log_5 10) - 1}{2}$$

$$y = 0.215338279$$

$$y = \underline{0.215}$$

(5)

(Total for question 3 is 8 marks)

4 Solve the following trigonometric equation for $0 < \theta \leq 180$

$$\frac{1}{3} \tan 2\theta - 2 \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow 0 < 2\theta \leq 360$$

$$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \tan 2\theta - 2 \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{\sin 2\theta}{3 \cos 2\theta} - 2 \sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$\times 3 \cos 2\theta$$

$$\hookrightarrow \sin 2\theta - 6 \sin 2\theta \cos 2\theta = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \sin 2\theta (1 - 6 \cos 2\theta) = 0$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\sin 2\theta = 0$$

$$2\theta = 0 \times \text{invalid}$$

$$2\theta = 180$$

$$2\theta = 360$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\theta = 90$$

$$\theta = 180$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$2\theta = 80.4059 \dots$$

$$2\theta = 279.5940 \dots (360 - 80.4059)$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\theta = 40.2029 \dots$$

$$\theta = 139.7970 \dots$$

$$\theta = 40.2^\circ, 90^\circ, 139.8^\circ, 180^\circ$$

(Total for question 4 is 8 marks)

- 5 Evaluate the following sum.
You must show your working.

$$\sum_{r=1}^{80} \left(240 - \frac{3r}{2} \right)$$

$$u_n = 240 - \frac{3r}{2}$$

$$a = u_1 = 240 - \frac{3(1)}{2} = 238.5$$

$$L = u_{80} = 240 - \frac{3(80)}{2} = 120$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} (a + L)$$

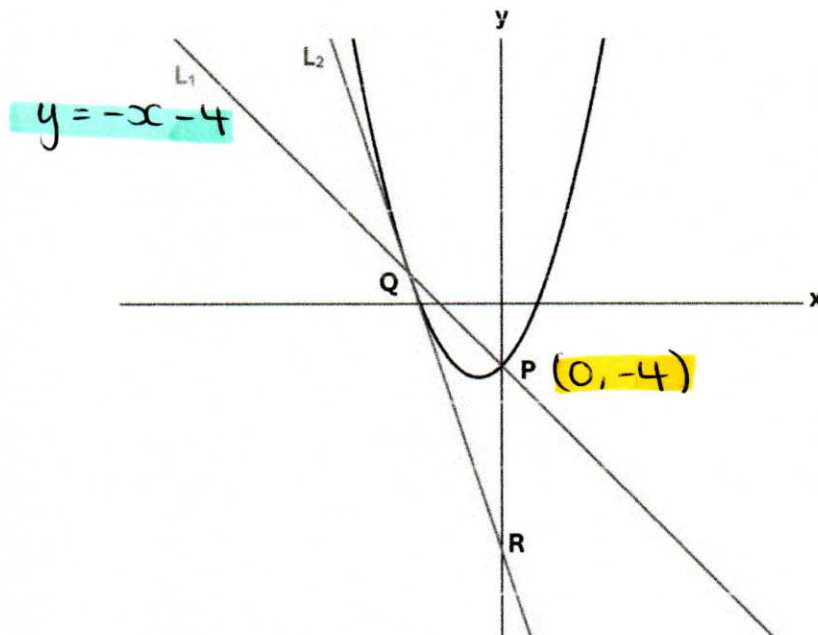
$$S_{80} = \frac{80}{2} (238.5 + 120)$$

$$S_{80} = 14340$$

14340

(Total for question 5 is 4 marks)

- 6 The figure below shows the curve C with equation $y = \frac{1}{3}x^2 + x - 4$



The curve crosses the y axis at point P. The normal to C at point P is the straight line L_1 .

(a) Find an equation for line L_1 in the form $y = mx + c$

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x^2 + x - 4$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3}x + 1$$

At point P, $x = 0$

gradient of tangent at P = $\frac{2}{3}(0) + 1 = 1$

gradient of normal at P = -1

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - (-4) = -1(x - 0)$$

$$y + 4 = -x$$

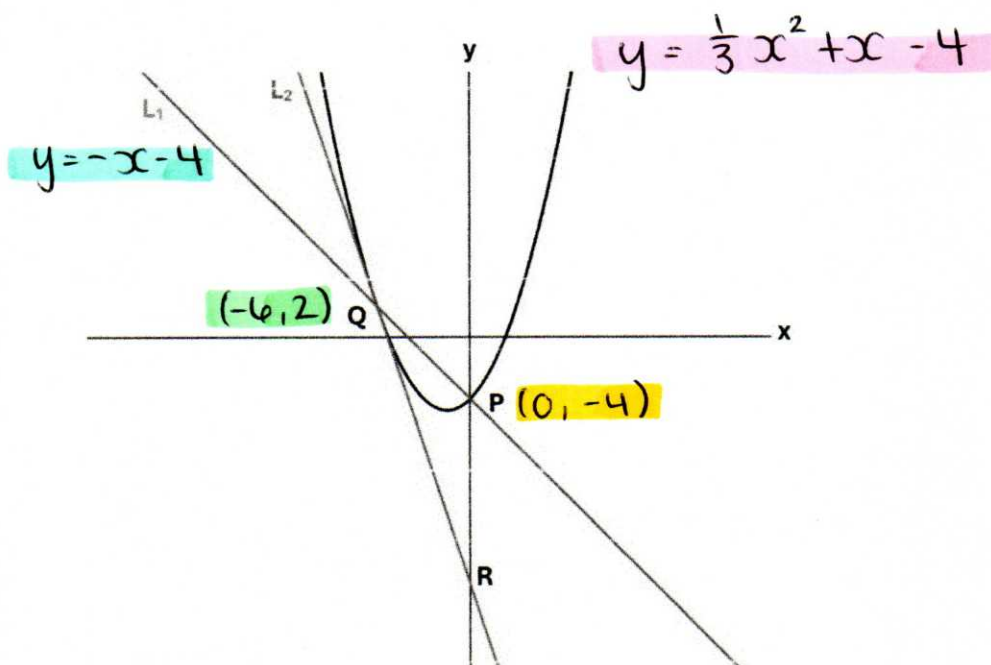
$$y = -x - 4$$

tangent and normal
are perpendicular so
their gradients are
the negative reciprocal

$$y = -x - 4$$

(5)

6 (continued)



- (b) The line L_1 meets the curve C again at point Q .
Determine the coordinates of point Q .

$$\frac{1}{3}x^2 + x - 4 = -x - 4$$

$$\frac{1}{3}x^2 + 2x = 0$$

$$(\times 3) \quad x^2 + 6x = 0$$

$$x(x + 6) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \downarrow & \downarrow \\ x=0 & x=-6 \end{array}$$

$$y = -x - 4$$

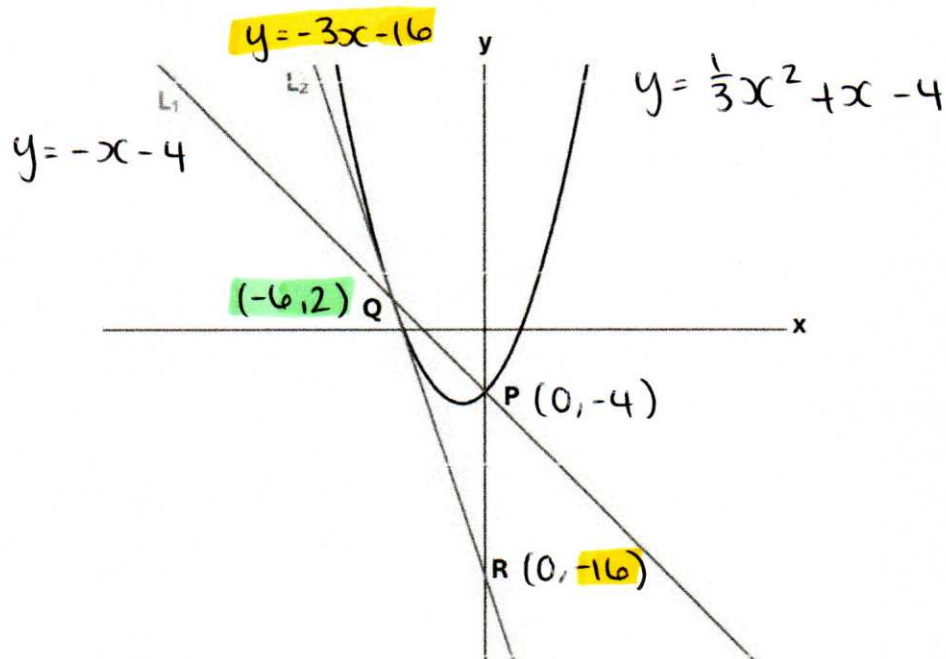
$$y = -(-6) - 4$$

$$y = 2$$

$$Q(-6, 2)$$

(4)

6 (continued)



- (c) The tangent to curve C at point Q is the straight line L_2 .
 L_2 crosses the y axis at point R.
 Calculate the area of triangle PQR.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{3}x + 1$$

At point Q, $x = -6$

gradient of tangent at Q = $\frac{2}{3}(-6) + 1 = -3$

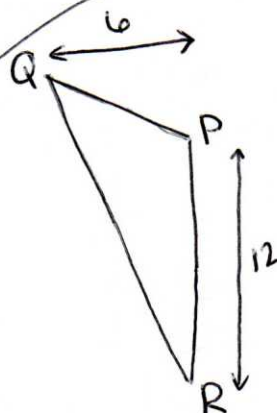
$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 2 = -3(x - (-6))$$

$$y - 2 = -3x - 18$$

$$y = -3x - 16$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{\text{base} \times \text{height}}{2} \\ &= \frac{12 \times 6}{2} \\ &= 36 \end{aligned}$$



$$\underline{36} \text{ units}^2$$

(6)

(Total for question 6 is 15 marks)

END OF TEST

TOTAL FOR THIS PAPER IS 50 MARKS