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## MATHEMATICS

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Paper 3 Pure Mathematics 3

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1 hour 50 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: List of formulae (MF19)

### INSTRUCTIONS

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- 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.

### INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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1 Solve the equation  $8^{3-6x} = 4 \times 5^{-2x}$ . Give your answer correct to 3 decimal places.





2 Find the exact coordinates of the stationary point of the curve  $y = e^{2x} \sin 2x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}\pi$ . [5]



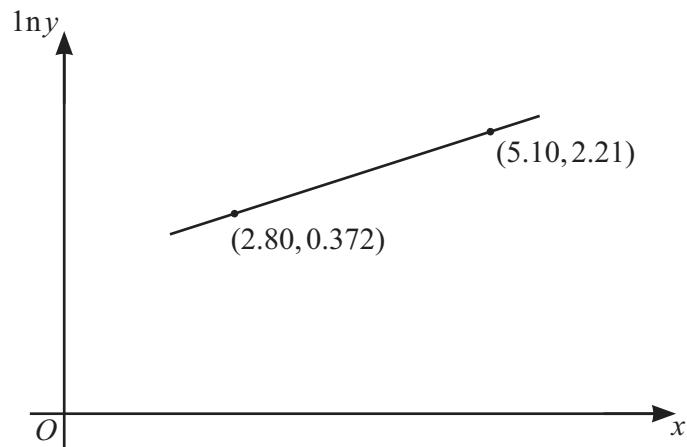


3 The square roots of  $24 - 7i$  can be expressed in the Cartesian form  $x + iy$ , where  $x$  and  $y$  are real and exact.

By first forming a quartic equation in  $x$  or  $y$ , find the square roots of  $24 - 7i$  in exact Cartesian form.

[5]





The variables  $x$  and  $y$  satisfy the equation  $ky = e^{cx}$ , where  $k$  and  $c$  are constants. The graph of  $\ln y$  against  $x$  is a straight line passing through the points  $(2.80, 0.372)$  and  $(5.10, 2.21)$ , as shown in the diagram.

Find the values of  $k$  and  $c$ . Give each value correct to 2 significant figures.

[4]



5 Express  $\frac{6x^2 - 2x + 2}{(x-1)(2x+1)}$  in partial fractions.





6 (a) On an Argand diagram shade the region whose points represent complex numbers  $z$  which satisfy both the inequalities  $|z - 4 - 3i| \leq 2$  and  $\arg(z - 2 - i) \geq \frac{1}{3}\pi$ . [5]

(b) Calculate the greatest value of  $\arg z$  for points in this region. [2]





7 Let  $f(x) = 8x^3 + 54x^2 - 17x - 21$ .

(a) Show that  $x + 7$  is a factor of  $f(x)$ .

[1]

(b) Find the quotient when  $f(x)$  is divided by  $x+7$ .

[2]





(c) Hence solve the equation

$$8\cos^3\theta + 54\cos^2\theta - 17\cos\theta - 21 = 0,$$

for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ .

[3]



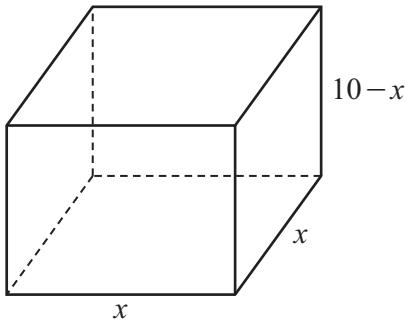


8 (a) Express  $3\cos 2x - \sqrt{3}\sin 2x$  in the form  $R\cos(2x + \alpha)$ , where  $R > 0$  and  $0 < \alpha < \frac{1}{2}\pi$ . Give the exact values of  $R$  and  $\alpha$ . [3]





(b) Hence find the exact value of  $\int_0^{\frac{1}{12}\pi} \frac{3}{(3 \cos 2x - \sqrt{3} \sin 2x)^2} dx$ , simplifying your answer. [5]



A container in the shape of a cuboid has a square base of side  $x$  and a height of  $(10-x)$ . It is given that  $x$  varies with time,  $t$ , where  $t > 0$ . The container decreases in volume at a rate which is inversely proportional to  $t$ .

When  $t = \frac{1}{10}$ ,  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  and the rate of decrease of  $x$  is  $\frac{20}{37}$ .

(a) Show that  $x$  and  $t$  satisfy the differential equation

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{-1}{2t(20x - 3x^2)}. \quad [5]$$

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(b) Solve the differential equation, obtaining an expression for  $t$  in terms of  $x$ .





**10** The equations of two straight lines are

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2a\mathbf{k} + \lambda(3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + a\mathbf{k}) \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{r} = -3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k} + \mu(-\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}),$$

where  $a$  is a constant.

(a) Given that the acute angle between the directions of these lines is  $\frac{1}{4}\pi$ , find the possible values of  $a$ . [6]





(b) Given instead that the lines intersect, find the value of  $a$  and the position vector of the point of intersection. [5]



11 Use the substitution  $2x = \tan \theta$  to find the exact value of

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{12}{(1+4x^2)^2} dx .$$

Give your answer in the form  $a+b\pi$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are rational numbers.

[9]





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