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**MATHEMATICS****9709/15**

Paper 1 Pure Mathematics 1

**May/June 2025****1 hour 50 minutes**

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: List of formulae (MF19)

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer **all** questions.
- 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 in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
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- If additional space is needed, you should use the lined page at the end of this booklet; the question number or numbers must be clearly shown.
- 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.

## 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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Find the possible values of the constant  $a$ .

[5]

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- 3 (a) Use completing the square to find the exact solutions of the equation  $4x^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$ . [2]

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- (b) Hence solve the equation  $4 \tan \theta = 4 + \frac{1}{\tan \theta}$  for  $0^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$ . [3]

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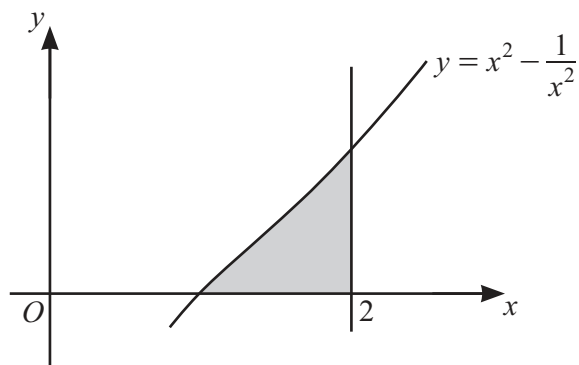




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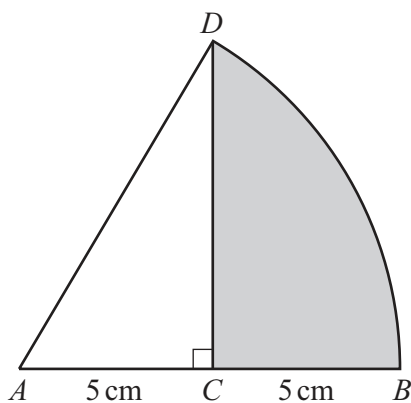
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The diagram shows part of the curve  $y = x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$ . The shaded region is bounded by the curve, the line  $x = 2$  and the  $x$ -axis.

Find the volume formed when the shaded region is rotated through  $360^\circ$  about the  $x$ -axis, giving your answer correct to 2 decimal places. [5]

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The diagram shows a sector  $ABD$  of a circle with centre  $A$  and radius 10 cm. The perpendicular bisector of  $AB$  passes through  $D$ .

- (a) Find the perimeter of the shaded region  $BCD$ , giving your answer correct to 1 decimal place. [4]

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On Ananya's first birthday, her father gives her \$10. Every subsequent year, her father gives her \$5 more than he gave her the previous year.

(a) Show that on Ananya's eleventh birthday she receives more from her mother than from her father.

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- 7 In the parallelogram  $ABCD$ , the coordinates of  $A$  are  $(3, 7)$ , the coordinates of  $B$  are  $(6, p)$  and the coordinates of  $D$  are  $(1, p)$ . It is given that the gradient of  $AB$  is  $-\frac{2}{3}$ .

(a) Find the value of  $p$ . [2]

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(b) Find the coordinates of  $C$ . [2]

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- (a) Find the values of the constants  $a$  and  $b$ .

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(b) Find the coordinates of the other stationary point.

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(c) A point  $P$  is moving along part of the curve in such a way that the  $y$ -coordinate of  $P$  is increasing at a constant rate of 6 units per second.

Find the rate at which the  $x$ -coordinate of  $P$  is increasing when  $x = 5$ . [3]

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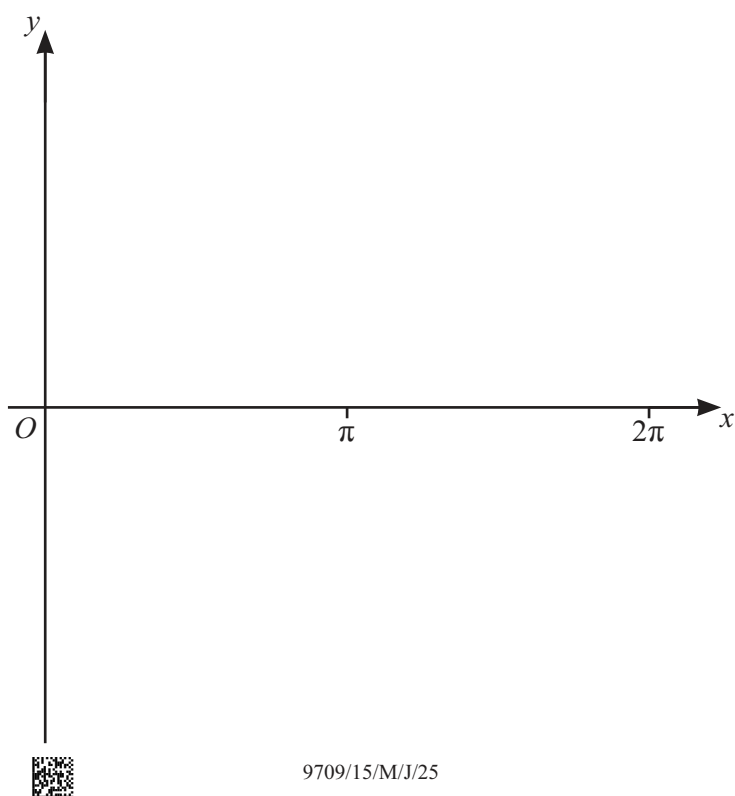
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$$g(x) = 3 \cos(x - \pi) + 2 \text{ for } \pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

- (a) Describe fully the transformations that have been combined to transform the graph of  $y = f(x)$  to the graph of  $y = g(x)$ . [4]

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- (b) On the given axes, sketch the graphs of  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = g(x)$ . [4]





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(a) Find an equation of the tangent to the circle at the point  $(2, 8)$ , giving your answer in the form  $ax + by + c = 0$ . [4]

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