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# Level 2 Certificate FURTHER MATHEMATICS

Paper 1 Non-Calculator

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Morning

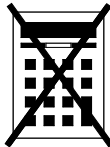
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### Materials

For this paper you must have:

- mathematical instruments
- the Formulae Sheet (enclosed).

You must **not** use a calculator.



### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
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### Information

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Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

**1** The function  $f$  is given by  $f(x) = 2x + 1$

**1 (a)** Work out  $x$  when  $f(x) = -5$

**[2 marks]**

$$2x + 1 = -5 \leftarrow \text{Setting } f(x) \text{ equal to } -5$$

$$2x = -6 \leftarrow \text{Subtracting 1 from both sides to get the } x \text{ term on its own}$$

$$x = \frac{-6}{2} = -3$$

↑  
Dividing both sides by 2 gets  $x$  on its own

**1 (b)** The function  $g$  is given by  $g(x) = x^2$

Work out  $fg(3)$

**[2 marks]**

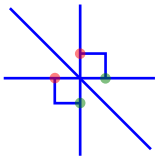
$$3^2 \leftarrow \text{Substituting 3 for } x \text{ in } g(x) \text{ gives 9}$$

$$2(9) + 1 \leftarrow \text{Substituting 9 for } x \text{ in } f(x) \text{ gives 19}$$

Answer 19







Drawing a unit square on a graph with coordinates  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(1, 0)$ ,  $(1, 1)$ .  
 Drawing the line of  $y = -x$  (which goes diagonally down through the origin).  
 Reflecting the unit square in this line. The corner in red  $(0, 1)$  transforms to  $(-1, 0)$  and the corner in green  $(1, 0)$  transforms to  $(0, -1)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Multiplying the transformation matrix by the coordinates  $(0, 1)$  as a matrix must give  $(-1, 0)$  as a matrix

$$b = -1$$

$$d = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{pmatrix}$$

So  $a(0) + b(1) = b = -1$  and  $c(0) + d(1) = d = 0$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Multiplying the transformation matrix by the coordinates  $(1, 0)$  as a matrix must give  $(0, -1)$  as a matrix

$$a = 0$$

$$c = -1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{pmatrix}$$

So  $a(1) + b(0) = a = 0$  and  $c(1) + d(0) = c = -1$

4 S (7, 2) and T (5, -4) are points on a straight line.

4 (a) Work out the gradient of the line.

[2 marks]

$$\frac{-4 - 2}{5 - 7} \leftarrow \text{Gradient} = (\text{change in } y)/(\text{change in } x)$$

$$\frac{-6}{-2}$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 (b) Work out the distance between S and T.

Give your answer in the form  $a\sqrt{b}$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are both integers greater than 1

[3 marks]

$$6^2 + 2^2 = ST^2 \leftarrow \text{Pythagoras' Theorem can be used to work out the distance between two points. } a^2 + b^2 = c^2, \text{ where } a \text{ and } b \text{ are the shorter sides and } c \text{ is the longest side. The change in } y \text{ was } -6, \text{ which is a distance of } 6. \text{ The change in } x \text{ was } -2, \text{ which is a distance of } 2. \text{ Substituting } 6 \text{ for } a, 2 \text{ for } b \text{ and } ST \text{ for } c$$

$$ST = \sqrt{40} \leftarrow 6^2 = 36 \text{ and } 2^2 = 4. \text{ Then } 36 + 4 = 40. \text{ Square rooting both sides eliminates the } 2 \text{ as a power on } ST. \text{ There is no need to do the negative square root as length cannot be negative}$$

$$= \sqrt{4}\sqrt{10} \leftarrow \sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b} = \sqrt{ab}, \text{ so } \sqrt{40} \text{ can be split into } \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{10}. \sqrt{4} \text{ was chosen as this can be square rooted to give an integer}$$

$$\sqrt{4} = 2$$

Answer \_\_\_\_\_  $2\sqrt{10}$  \_\_\_\_\_ units



5  $X_n$  and  $Y_n$  are the  $n$ th terms of two sequences.

$$X_n = (n - 1)(n + 1)$$

$$Y_n = (n + 1)(n + 2)$$

Prove that every term of the sequence with  $n$ th term  $Y_n - X_n$  is a multiple of 3

**[3 marks]**

$$(n^2 + 2n + n + 2) - (n^2 + n - n - 1) \leftarrow \text{Expanding the brackets for } Y_n \text{ and } X_n \text{ and subtracting them}$$

$$n^2 + 2n + n + 2 - n^2 - n + n + 1 \leftarrow \text{Flipping the sign of all the terms in the second bracket as the bracket is negative}$$

$$3n + 3 \leftarrow \text{Collecting like terms}$$

$$3(n + 1) \leftarrow \text{Bringing 3 out as a factor proves that it is a multiple of 3}$$

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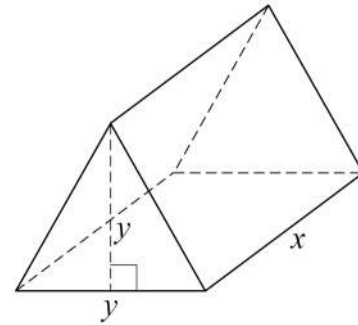
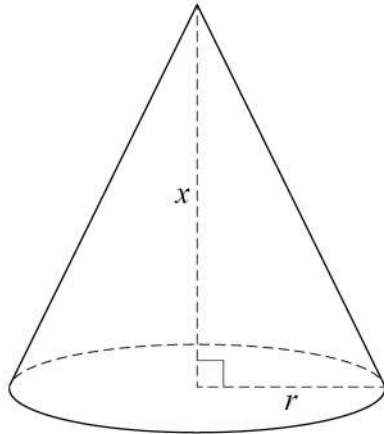
The diagram below shows a cone and a prism.

All measurements are in cm

The cone has base radius  $r$  and perpendicular height  $x$ .

The prism has a triangular cross section with base  $y$  and perpendicular height  $y$ .

The length of the prism is  $x$ .



$$\text{Volume of a cone} = \frac{1}{3} \times \text{area of base} \times \text{perpendicular height}$$

The volume of the cone is **four** times the volume of the prism.

Express  $r$  in terms of  $y$ .

[4 marks]

$$\frac{1}{3} \times \pi r^2 \times x = 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times y \times y \times x$$

Setting the volume of the cone equal to four times the volume of the prism. The base of the cone is a circle. Area of circle =  $\pi \times \text{radius}^2$ .  
Volume of prism = area of cross section  $\times$  length. The cross section is a triangle. Area of triangle =  $\frac{1}{2} \times \text{base} \times \text{height}$

$$r^2 = \frac{6y^2}{\pi}$$

First dealing with the numbers:  $4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2$ . Then multiplying both sides by 3 to eliminate the  $\frac{1}{3}$  on the left gets 6 on the right.

Then dealing with the letters: dividing both sides by  $x$  cancels it out on both sides.  $y \times y = y^2$ .

Then dividing both sides by  $\pi$  to get  $r^2$  on its own

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{6y^2}{\pi}}$$

Doing the square root of both sides to cancel out the 2 as a power on the left. Not doing the negative square root as length cannot be negative



8 A circle has centre (0, 0) and radius 5

A straight line has equation  $2y = x + 5$

Work out the coordinates of the **two** points where the circle and straight line intersect.

Do **not** use trial and improvement.

You **must** show your working.

[6 marks]

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25 \leftarrow \text{The equation of a circle with its centre at the origin (0, 0) is } x^2 + y^2 = \text{radius}^2$$

$$x = 2y - 5 \leftarrow \text{Rearranging the equation of the straight line to make } x \text{ the subject by subtracting 5 from both sides}$$

$$(2y - 5)^2 \leftarrow \text{Expressing } x^2 \text{ in terms of } y$$

$$4y^2 - 20y + 25 + y^2 = 25 \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Expanding the brackets by squaring the first term, doubling} \\ \text{the product of the two terms, squaring the last term.} \\ \text{Putting this back into the equation of the circle in place of } x^2 \end{array}$$

$$5y^2 - 20y = 0 \leftarrow \text{Collecting like terms and subtracting 25 from both sides}$$

$$5y(y - 4) = 0 \leftarrow \text{Factorising the left side. Either } 5y = 0 \text{ (so } y = 0) \text{ or } y - 4 = 0 \text{ (so } y = 4)$$

$$x = 2(0) - 5 \leftarrow \text{Substituting 0 for } y \text{ in } x = 2y - 5 \text{ finds that } x = -5 \text{ when } y = 0$$

$$x = 2(4) - 5 \leftarrow \text{Substituting 4 for } y \text{ in } x = 2y - 5 \text{ finds that } x = 3 \text{ when } y = 4$$

Answer (  -5 ,  0 ) and (  3 ,  4 )



9 Rearrange  $w = \frac{y^2 + 5}{y^2 - 2}$  to make  $y$  the subject.

[4 marks]

$$wy^2 - 2w = y^2 + 5 \leftarrow \text{Multiplying both sides by } y^2 - 2 \text{ to eliminate the denominator involving } y$$

$$wy^2 - y^2 = 2w + 5 \leftarrow \text{Subtracting } y^2 \text{ from both sides and adding } 2w \text{ to both sides to get all terms involving } y \text{ on the same side and all the other terms on the other side}$$

$$y^2(w - 1) = 2w + 5 \leftarrow \text{Factorising the left side to get } y^2 \text{ out of the terms}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{2w + 5}{w - 1} \leftarrow \text{Dividing both sides by } w - 1 \text{ to get } y^2 \text{ on its own}$$

Answer  $y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2w + 5}{w - 1}}$

Doing the positive and negative square root to cancel out the 2 as a power and get  $y$  on its own

Turn over for the next question



10 Rationalise the denominator and simplify fully

$$\frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{3 - \sqrt{5}}$$

[4 marks]

$$\frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{3 - \sqrt{5}} \times \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{3 + \sqrt{5}}$$

Flipping the sign in the middle of  $3 - \sqrt{5}$  gives  $3 + \sqrt{5}$ .  
Multiplying both the numerator and denominator by this

$$\frac{3 + \sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{5} + 5}{9 + 3\sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{5} - 5}$$

Expanding the numerators and denominators.  $\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} = 5$

$$\frac{8 + 4\sqrt{5}}{4}$$

Collecting like terms

Answer  $\frac{2 + \sqrt{5}}{1}$

Dividing both terms on the numerator by the 4



11  $y = \frac{1}{12}x^4 + 3x^2 + 4$

Work out the **positive** value of  $x$  for which  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 55$

[3 marks]

$$\frac{1}{3}x^3 + 6x$$

Differentiated by multiplying each term by the power then subtracting 1 from the power. 4 is basically  $4x^0$  so becomes 0

$$x^2 + 6 = 55$$

Differentiated again by multiplying each term by the power then subtracting 1 from the power.  $6x^1$  becomes  $6x^0$ , which is 6. Setting equal to the 55

$$x^2 = 49$$

Subtracting 6 from both sides to get  $x^2$  on its own

$$x = \frac{7}{1}$$

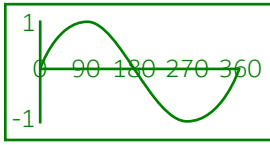
Square rooting both sides eliminates the 2 as a power on the left and gets  $x$  on its own. Not doing the negative square root as this gives a negative value of  $x$

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12 (a) Write down the value of  $x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$  when  $\sin x = -1$

[1 mark]



$$x = \underline{\hspace{10em} 270^\circ \hspace{10em}}$$

12 (b) Work out the values of  $y$  for  $0^\circ \leq y \leq 360^\circ$  when  $\sqrt{3} \tan y = 1$

[3 marks]

$$\tan y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

Dividing both sides by  $\sqrt{3}$  to get  $\tan y$  on its own

0	30	45	60	90
0	1	2	3	4
4	3	2	1	0

Listing out the angles  $0^\circ, 30^\circ, 45^\circ, 60^\circ, 90^\circ$ . Listing 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 under these for the sin values. Listing 4, 3, 2, 1, 0 under these for the cos values. Square rooting them and putting them over 2 works out the trig values. Dividing the sin values by the cos values gives the tan values.  $\sin 30 = 1/2$  and  $\cos 30 = \sqrt{3}/2$ .  $\tan 30 = 1/\sqrt{3}$  as  $\sin 30 \div \cos 30 = 1/\sqrt{3}$

$$\text{Answer } \underline{\hspace{10em} 30^\circ, 210^\circ \hspace{10em}}$$

A tan graph repeats every  $180^\circ$  so adding  $180^\circ$  to the  $30^\circ$  gives another value in the range



13 Write  $\frac{2x-3}{x} - \frac{1}{3x} + 1$  as a single fraction.

Give your answer in its simplest form.

[3 marks]

$$\frac{6x-9}{3x} - \frac{1}{3x} + \frac{3x}{3x}$$

Multiplying both the numerator and denominator of the 1st fraction by 3 and multiplying both the numerator and denominator of the 3rd fraction (1/1) by 3x makes it so that all three fractions have the same denominator

Answer  $\frac{9x-10}{3x}$

$6x - 9 - 1 + 3x = 9x - 10$ . The denominator stays the same

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14 Solve  $\frac{8}{x} + 3x \leq 10$  where  $x$  is positive.

[4 marks]

$$8 + 3x^2 \leq 10x$$

Multiplying all terms on both sides by  $x$  to eliminate it as a denominator

$$3x^2 - 10x + 8 \leq 0$$

Subtracting  $10x$  from both sides to get everything on the same side and 0 on the other side

$$3x^2 - 6x - 4x + 8$$

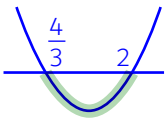
Factorising the left side. It is in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$ . Multiplying  $a$  by  $c$  gives 24. Two numbers which multiply to this 24 and add to  $b$  are -6 and -4. Splitting the middle  $x$ -term into these numbers of  $x$

$$3x(x - 2) - 4(x - 2)$$

Factorising the left two terms separately to the right two terms

$$(3x - 4)(x - 2) = 0$$

Bringing the  $3x$  and  $-4$  together and writing the  $(x - 2)$  once. The quadratic is now factorised. Setting it equal to 0. Either  $3x - 4 = 0$  (so  $x = 4/3$ ) or  $x - 2 = 0$  (so  $x = 2$ )



Sketching a graph and showing the  $x$ -coordinates where the curve meets the  $x$ -axis. It is u-shaped as it is positive  $x^2$

Answer  $\frac{4}{3} \leq x \leq 2$

It is less than or equal to 0 when  $x$  is greater than or equal to  $4/3$  and less than or equal to 2



15 Solve  $\left(x^{\frac{1}{2}} - x^{\frac{3}{2}}\right)^2 = x^2 + x$

**[4 marks]**

$$x - 2x^2 + x^3 = x^2 + x$$

Expanding the square bracket by squaring the first term, doubling the product of the two terms, squaring the last term.  $(a^w)^y = a^{wy}$  and  $a^w \times a^y = a^{w+y}$ .  $1/2 \times 2 = 1$ ,  $1/2 + 3/2 = 4/2 = 2$ ,  $3/2 \times 2 = 3$

$$x^3 - 3x^2 = 0$$

Subtracting  $x^2$  and  $x$  from both sides to get everything on the same side equal to 0. Collecting like terms

$$x^2(x - 3) = 0$$

Factorising the left side

Answer  $x = 0$   
 $x = 3$

Either  $x^2 = 0$  (so  $x = 0$ ) or  $x - 3 = 0$  (so  $x = 3$ )

- 16 The expansions of  $(1 + 12x)^4$  and  $(a + 4x)^3$  have the same coefficient of  $x^2$ .  
Work out the value of  $a$ .

**[4 marks]**

See the next page for the method

$$a = 18$$

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$$\begin{array}{c}
 1 \\
 1 \ 1 \\
 1 \ 2 \ 1 \\
 1 \ 3 \ 3 \ 1 \\
 1 \ 4 \ 6 \ 4 \ 1
 \end{array}$$

Writing Pascal's Triangle up to the 5th line to help work out the coefficients of each term of the binomial expansions

$$1(1)^4(12x)^0 + 4(1)^3(12x)^1 + 6(1)^2(12x)^2 \dots$$

Doing a binomial expansion of  $(1 + 12x)^4$  up to the  $x^2$  term. The coefficients are found on the 5th line of Pascal's Triangle. The power of 1 decreases by 1 and the power of  $12x$  increases by 1 between each term

$$1(a)^3(4x)^0 + 3(a)^2(4x)^1 + 3(a)^1(4x)^2 \dots$$

Doing a binomial expansion of  $(a + 4x)^3$  up to the  $x^2$  term. The coefficients are found on the 4th line of Pascal's Triangle. The power of  $a$  decreases by 1 and the power of  $4x$  increases by 1 between each term

$$\begin{array}{r}
 144 \\
 \times \quad 6 \\
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 864 = 48a \\
 \substack{2 \quad 2}
 \end{array}$$

$6(1)^2(12x)^2 = 6 \times 12^2 \times x^2 = 6 \times 144 \times x^2 = 864x^2$  so the coefficient of the  $x^2$  term in the binomial expansion of  $(1 + 12x)^4$  is 864.  $3(a)^1(4x)^2 = 3 \times 4^2 \times a \times x^2 = 3 \times 16 \times a \times x^2 = 48ax^2$ , so the coefficient of the  $x^2$  term in the binomial expansion of  $(a + 4x)^3$  is  $48a$ . These coefficients are equal

$$48 \overline{) 0 \ 1 \ 8}$$

$$48, 96, 144, 192, 240, 288, 336, 384$$

Dividing both sides by 48 finds that  $a = 18$ . Listing the 48 times table helps with the division

17 The curve  $y = ax^3 + bx^2 + 7$  has a stationary point at  $(-2, 11)$

Work out the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

[5 marks]

$$11 = a(-2)^3 + b(-2)^2 + 7$$

The point  $(-2, 11)$  is on the curve so its coordinates must satisfy the equation. Substituting  $-2$  for  $x$  and  $11$  for  $y$

$$-8a + 4b = 4$$

$(-2)^3 = -8$  and  $(-2)^2 = 4$ . Subtracting  $11$  from both sides. This forms the 1st equation

$$3ax^2 + 2bx$$

Differentiating to give an expression of the gradient by multiplying each term by the power then subtracting  $1$  from the power.  $7$  is basically  $7x^0$  so becomes  $0$

$$3a(-2)^2 + 2b(-2) = 0$$

Substituting  $-2$  for  $x$  and setting equal to  $0$  as the gradient at a stationary point is  $0$

$$12a - 4b = 0$$

Simplifying. This forms the 2nd equation

$$4a = 4$$

Doing simultaneous equations to solve the 1st and 2nd equations. Adding the 1st equation to the 2nd equation cancels out the  $b$  term. Then dividing both sides by  $4$  finds that  $a = 1$

$$12 - 4b = 0$$

Substituting  $1$  for  $a$  in the 2nd equation

$$4b = 12$$

Adding  $4b$  to both sides to make it positive. Then dividing both sides by  $4$  finds that  $b = 3$

$$a = \underline{\quad 1 \quad} \quad b = \underline{\quad 3 \quad}$$



18 Solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + y &= 13 && \leftarrow \text{1st equation} \\ x + 3z &= 2 && \leftarrow \text{2nd equation} \\ z - 2y &= -7 && \leftarrow \text{3rd equation} \end{aligned}$$

Do **not** use trial and improvement.

You **must** show your working.

[5 marks]

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + 6z &= 4 && \leftarrow \text{Multiplying all terms in the 2nd equation by 2 to get the same magnitude of x as the 1st equation. This forms the 4th equation} \\ 6z - y &= -9 && \leftarrow \text{Subtracting the 1st equation from the 4th equation cancels out the x terms to get an equation just in terms of z and y. This forms the 5th equation} \\ 12z - 2y &= -18 && \leftarrow \text{Multiplying all terms in the 5th equation by 2 to get the same magnitude of y as the 3rd equation. This forms the 6th equation} \\ 11z &= -11 && \leftarrow \text{Subtracting the 3rd equation from the 6th equation cancels out the y terms to get an equation just in terms of z. Then dividing both sides by 11 finds that } z = -1 \\ -1 - 2y &= -7 && \leftarrow \text{Substituting } -1 \text{ for } z \text{ in the 3rd equation} \\ 6 = 2y &&& \leftarrow \text{Adding } 2y \text{ to both sides make the y term positive. Adding 7 to both sides gets the y term on its own. Then dividing both sides by 2 finds that } y = 3 \\ 2x + 3 &= 13 && \leftarrow \text{Substituting 3 for } y \text{ in the 1st equation} \\ 2x &= 10 && \leftarrow \text{Subtracting 3 from both sides gets the x term on its own. Then dividing both sides by 2 finds that } x = 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = \underline{\quad 5 \quad} \quad y = \underline{\quad 3 \quad} \quad z = \underline{\quad -1 \quad}$$



19  $8x^2 + 20x + n \equiv c(x + d)^2 + 3$  where  $c$ ,  $d$  and  $n$  are constants.

Work out the values of  $c$ ,  $d$  and  $n$ .

[3 marks]

$$8\left(x^2 + \frac{5}{2}x\right) + n$$

Bringing 8 out as a factor on the first two terms.  $20/8 = 5/2$

$$8\left(x + \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 + n - 12.5$$

Completing the square by halving the coefficient of  $x$ , putting this in a bracket with  $x$  and squaring the bracket, then subtracting  $8(5/4)^2$  from the end.  $(5/4)^2 = 25/16$  then  $8(25/16) = 25/2 = 12.5$

$\uparrow$   
c

$\uparrow$   
d

$$n - 12.5 = 3$$

Equating the constants. Adding 12.5 to both sides finds that  $n = 15.5$

$$c = \underline{\quad 8 \quad} \quad d = \underline{\quad \frac{5}{4} \quad} \quad n = \underline{\quad 15.5 \quad}$$



