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MATHEMATICS
HIGHER

Paper 2
Units 1,2 and 3

Read Carefully

- 1 Calculators may be used in this paper.
- 2 Full credit will be given only where the solution contains appropriate working.
- 3 Answers obtained by readings from scale drawings will not receive any credit.

FORMULAE LIST**Circle:**

The equation $x^2 + y^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$ represents a circle centre $(-g, -f)$ and radius $\sqrt{g^2 + f^2 - c}$.

The equation $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$ represents a circle centre (a, b) and radius r .

Scalar Product: $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}| \cos \theta$, where θ is the angle between \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b}

or $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + a_3 b_3$ where $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{pmatrix}$.

Trigonometric formulae:

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

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

$$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$$

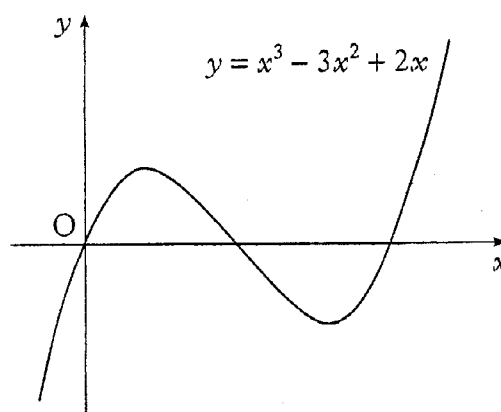
Table of standard derivatives and integrals:

$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
$\sin ax$	$a \cos ax$
$\cos ax$	$-a \sin ax$

$f(x)$	$\int f(x) dx$
$\sin ax$	$-\frac{1}{a} \cos ax + C$
$\cos ax$	$\frac{1}{a} \sin ax + C$

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1. The diagram shows a sketch of the graph of $y = x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x$.



- (a) Find the equation of the tangent to this curve at the point where $x = 1$.
- (b) The tangent at the point $(2, 0)$ has equation $y = 2x - 4$. Find the coordinates of the point where this tangent meets the curve again.

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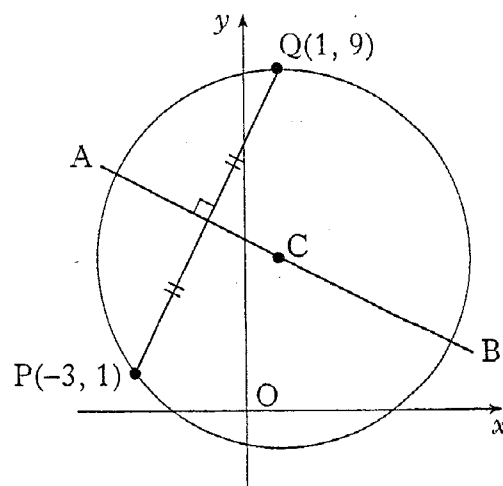
2. (a) Find the equation of AB, the perpendicular bisector of the line joining the points $P(-3, 1)$ and $Q(1, 9)$.

- (b) C is the centre of a circle passing through P and Q. Given that QC is parallel to the y-axis, determine the equation of the circle.

- (c) The tangents at P and Q intersect at T.

Write down

- (i) the equation of the tangent at Q
- (ii) the coordinates of T.



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3. $f(x) = 3 - x$ and $g(x) = \frac{3}{x}$, $x \neq 0$.

- (a) Find $p(x)$ where $p(x) = f(g(x))$.

- (b) If $q(x) = \frac{3}{3-x}$, $x \neq 3$, find $p(q(x))$ in its simplest form.

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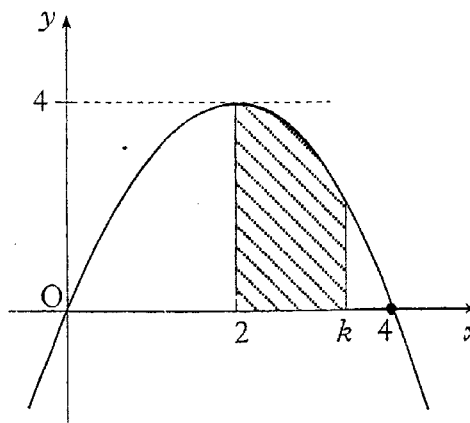
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4. The parabola shown crosses the x -axis at $(0, 0)$ and $(4, 0)$, and has a maximum at $(2, 4)$.

The shaded area is bounded by the parabola, the x -axis and the lines $x = 2$ and $x = k$.

- (a) Find the equation of the parabola.
 (b) Hence show that the shaded area, A , is given by

$$A = -\frac{1}{3}k^3 + 2k^2 - \frac{16}{3}$$



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5. Solve the equation $3 \cos 2x^\circ + \cos x^\circ = -1$ in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 360$.

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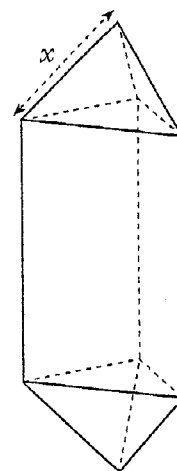
6. A goldsmith has built up a solid which consists of a triangular prism of fixed volume with a regular tetrahedron at each end.

The surface area, A , of the solid is given by

$$A(x) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \left(x^2 + \frac{16}{x} \right)$$

where x is the length of each edge of the tetrahedron.

Find the value of x which the goldsmith should use to minimise the amount of gold plating required to cover the solid.

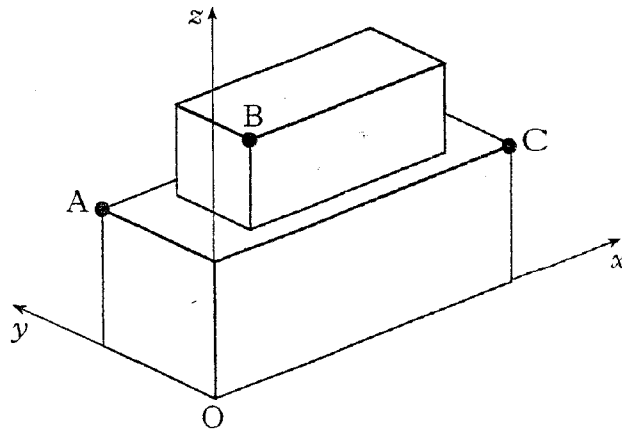
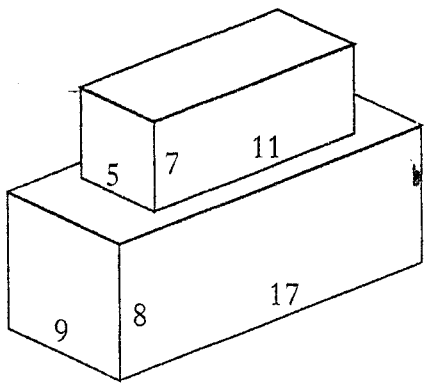


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7. For what value of t are the vectors $u = \begin{pmatrix} t \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $v = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 10 \\ t \end{pmatrix}$ perpendicular? Marks
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8. Given that $f(x) = (5x - 4)^{\frac{1}{2}}$, evaluate $f'(4)$. 3

9. A cuboid measuring 11 cm by 5 cm by 7 cm is placed centrally on top of another cuboid measuring 17 cm by 9 cm by 8 cm. Coordinate axes are taken as shown.



- (a) The point A has coordinates $(0, 9, 8)$ and C has coordinates $(17, 0, 8)$.
Write down the coordinates of B. 1
- (b) Calculate the size of angle ABC. 6

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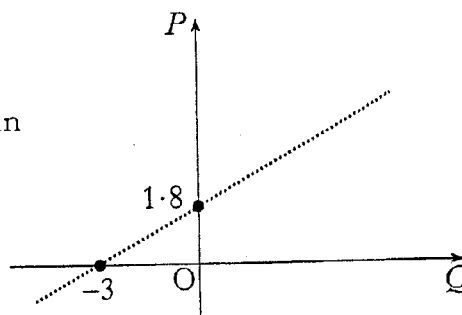
10. Find $\int \frac{1}{(7-3x)^2} dx$.

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11. The results of an experiment give rise to the graph shown.

- (a) Write down the equation of the line in terms of P and Q .

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It is given that $P = \log_e p$ and $Q = \log_e q$.

- (b) Show that p and q satisfy a relationship of the form $p = aq^b$, stating the values of a and b .

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