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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Write your name and index number in the spaces provided above.  
Sign and write the date of examination in the spaces provided above.  
This paper consists of **FOUR** sections; **A, B, C, and D.**  
Answer **SIX** questions as follows:

- Question **ONE** in section **A** is **compulsory**;
- Answer any **THREE** questions from section **B**;
- Answer any **ONE** question from section **C**;
- Answer any **ONE** question from section **D.**

Answers to the questions **MUST** be written in the spaces provided.  
Mathematical tables and/or scientific calculators may be used.  
Do **NOT** remove any pages from this booklet.  
Candidates should answer the questions in English.

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Section	Question	Maximum Score	Candidate's Score
A	1	25	
	2	15	
B	3	15	
	4	15	
	5	15	
	6	15	
C	7	15	
	8	15	
D	9	15	
	10	15	
Total Score			

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**SECTION A (25 marks)**

Answer **ALL** the questions in this section in the spaces provided.

1. (a) Find the image of the point  $Q(6,3)$  under a rotation of  $60^\circ$  anticlockwise about the origin. (4 marks)

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- (b) A circle passes through the points  $(1,7)$ ,  $(-2,-2)$  and  $(-8,10)$ . Determine its equation. (4 marks)

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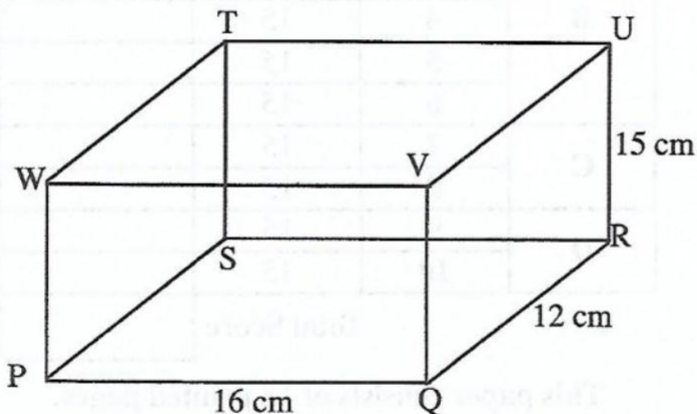


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- (c) The figure below shows a cuboid PQRSTUW with dimensions as shown.



Calculate the angle between the plane PQRS and the line WR. (4 marks)

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- (d) The equation of an ellipse is  $x^2 + 9y^2 - 4x - 18y + 4 = 0$ . Determine the foci and the vertices of the ellipse. (5 marks)

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- (e) In a game one participant tosses a coin and another throws a die. Determine the probability that the outcome will be:

(i) a tail and a three; (2 marks)

(ii) a head and an odd number. (2 marks)

- (f) If vectors  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$  are neither parallel nor zero, determine the values of the scalars  $h$  and  $k$  such that  $h(3\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) = (2 - 3k)\mathbf{b} + k\mathbf{a}$ . (4 marks)

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## SECTION B: ANALYSIS AND CALCULUS (45 marks)

Answer any **THREE** questions from this section in the spaces provided after question 6.

2. (a) Given the function  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$ , evaluate  $f^{-1}(3)$ . (3 marks)

- (b) Using the first principles, find the derivative of

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + 1}.$$

(5 marks)

- (c) Evaluate the integral

$$\int \frac{2x-1}{(x+1)^2} dx.$$

(4 marks)

- (d) Evaluate  $\int_0^2 f(x) dx$ , where

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 5x^4 + 1, & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ x^5 - 3 & \text{if } 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

(3 marks)

3. (a) Find the domain and the range of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{9-x^2}$ . Hence sketch the curve. (4 marks)

- (b) Evaluate  $\int \cos^2 \theta \cos 5\theta d\theta$  (4 marks)

- (c) Given the function  $f(x) = 4x^3 - 12x + 8$ , determine the  $x$  and  $y$  intercepts of the curve and the nature of the turning points of the curve. (7 marks)

4. (a) Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{x^2 + x + 1} - x.$$

(4 marks)

- (b) Determine the length of the arc of the curve  $y^2 = (x-1)^3$  from A(1,0) to B(2,1). (5 marks)

- (c) Solve the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 6 \frac{dy}{dx} + 9y = 6e^{3x} + e^{-2x}.$$

(6 marks)

5. (a) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + x - 2}$ . (3 marks)
- (b) Differentiate the function  $y = \log_2(5x^3)$ . (3 marks)
- (c) Evaluate  $\int (x+3)\sqrt{2x-1} dx$ . (3 marks)
- (d) Solve the initial value problem  $x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + y - 2xy = x^2$ ,  $y(1) = 2$ . (6 marks)
6. (a) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\cos x - x}{x^2}$ . (3 marks)
- (b) Given  $y = 3^{x^2}$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . (3 marks)
- (c) Evaluate  $\int x^3 \ln x dx$ . (3 marks)
- (d) The rate at which the ice melts is proportional to the amount of ice at that instant. Find the amount of ice left after 2 hours if half the quantity melts in 30 minutes. (6 marks)
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