

- 1 A sequence u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots is such that $u_n = 2u_{n-1} - 15n^2 + 60n + A$, where A is a constant, and $n \geq 2$. It is given that $u_1 = 2$ and $u_2 = 4$.

(i) Find A and u_3 . [2]

It is known that the n th term of this sequence is given by $u_n = p(2^{n+1}) - qn^2 + r$.

(ii) Find p, q and r . [3]

- 2 It is known that the n th term of a sequence is given by $u_n = \ln\left(\frac{n}{n+1}\right)$, where $n \geq 1$.

(i) Determine if the sequence is convergent, stating your reason clearly. [1]

(ii) By using the method of differences or otherwise, find $\sum_{n=1}^N u_n$ in terms of N . [3]

- 3 A curve C has equation $y = 1 - \frac{1}{x}$, where $x \neq 0$. The line l is the tangent to C at $x = a$, where a is positive integer. Show that the equation of l may be expressed in the form $a^2y - x = a^2 - 2a$. [3]

Find the value of a for which l is parallel to the line $9y - x = 1$. Hence find the equation of l in this case. [3]

- 4 The curve C has equation $y = \frac{x^2 + x + 3}{x - 2}$.

(i) Without using a calculator, find the set of values that y can take. [4]

(ii) Sketch the graph of C , stating clearly the equations of any asymptotes and the coordinates of any turning points and axial intercepts. [3]

(iii) By drawing a suitable graph on the same diagram in (ii), find the range of values of k , where $k > 0$, such that the equation $(x+1)^2(x-2)^2 + (x^2 + x + 3)^2 = k^2(x-2)^2$ has at least one positive real root, giving your answer correct to 3 decimal places. [3]

- 5 The function f , with domain the set of all real values, is given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4 - x^2 & \text{for } 0 < x \leq 2, \\ 2x - 4 & \text{for } 2 < x \leq 4, \end{cases}$$

and that $f(x) = f(x + 4)$.

- (i) Find $f(45)$. [1]

- (ii) Sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$ for $-4 \leq x \leq 7$ and state the range of f . [3]

The function g is defined by $g : x \mapsto (x - 1)^2 + 2$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $0 < x < 1$.

- (iii) Explain why the composite function gf does not exist. [1]

- (iv) Find an expression for $fg(x)$ and hence, or otherwise, find $(fg)^{-1}(\frac{1}{2})$. [4]

- 6 The plane p has equation $x - 2y + 2z = 12$. With reference to the origin O , the point A has position vector $2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$.

- (i) Find the coordinates of the foot of perpendicular, N , from A to p . Hence determine the coordinates of the reflection of A in p . [5]

- (ii) Find the cartesian equations of the planes such that the perpendicular distance from each plane to p is 15. [5]

- 7 (a) Find $\int \frac{2x^3}{1+x^4} dx$. [2]

- (b) Find $\int \cos 4x \sin 10x dx$. [2]

- (c) Show, by means of the substitution $x = \tan \theta$, that

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{(x^2 + 1)^3} dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta d\theta. \quad \text{Hence find the exact value of } \int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{(x^2 + 1)^3} dx. [5]$$

- 8** A marathon runner and a sprinter are running around in laps on a track. Each lap is 400 m. The sprinter runs his first lap in 56 seconds, and the time he takes for each subsequent lap is 6 seconds more than the previous lap. The marathon runner runs his first lap in 1 minute, and the time he takes for each subsequent lap is 4% more than the time taken for the previous lap.

- (i) Show that the time the sprinter takes to complete n laps is $3n^2 + 53n$. [2]
- (ii) Find the time the marathon runner takes to complete n laps, giving your answer in terms of n . [2]
- (iii) How many complete laps does it take for the marathon runner to first exceed a total time of 40 minutes? [3]

The 2 runners decide to do a 12km race with the same starting point.

- (iv) Determine which runner will be the first to complete the race. [3]
- (v) Determine which lap the winner is on when he first overtakes the other runner. [3]

- 9** (a) The function f is defined as $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 + ax^2 - 16x + b$, where a and b are real and non-zero.

- (i) Given that two of the roots of $f(x) = 0$ are of the form ki , where k is real and non-zero, find these two roots and show that $16 - 4a + b = 0$. [4]
- (ii) The graph of f meets the y -axis at $(0, 20)$. Express $f(x)$ as a product of two quadratic factors. [4]
- (b) Find the modulus of the complex number

$$\frac{z(i - z^*)}{3i(z^2 + iz)},$$

where z is a complex number.

[3]

- 10 (i) On the same axes, sketch the graphs of $y = \sin 2x$ and $y = \cos x$ for $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, stating the exact coordinates of the points where the curves cross the axes. [2]
- (ii) Solve exactly the inequality $\sin 2x > \cos x$, where $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$. [2]
- (iii) Hence, find $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} |\sin 2x - \cos x| dx$ without using a calculator. [4]
- (iv) The region bounded by the curves $y = \sin 2x$, $y = \cos x$ and the y -axis, where $x \geq 0$ is rotated through 2π radians about the x -axis. Find the exact volume of the solid obtained. [3]
- 11 [The volume of a cone of base radius r and height h is given by $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$.]

A disposable cup for water dispenser, in the form of a cone, is made from a circular piece of paper of radius 8 cm with negligible thickness. A sector is cut off from the piece of paper as shown in Fig. 1. The rest of the paper is then folded to form a cone with slant height 8 cm, base radius r cm and height h cm as shown in Fig. 2.

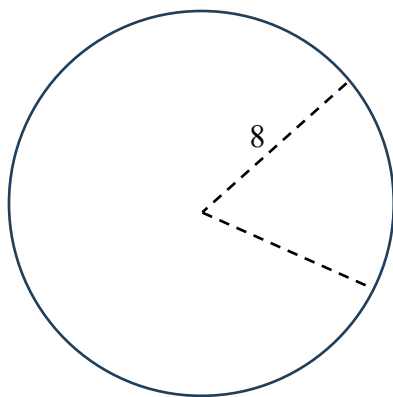


Fig. 1

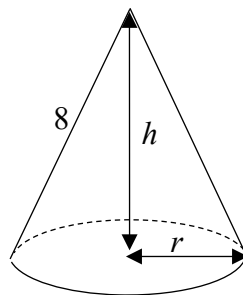


Fig. 2

- (i) Find the maximum volume of the cone, giving your answer in exact form. [6]
- (ii) Show that $r = \sqrt{2}h$ when the volume of the cone is a maximum. [2]

- (iii) The cone with the volume found in (i) is then inverted and is held with its axis vertical and vertex downwards. Water from the dispenser flows into the cone at a rate of $3\pi \text{ cm}^3$ per second. At time t seconds after the start, the radius of the water surface is x cm as shown in Fig. 3. Find the rate of change of the height of the water in the cone after 6 seconds.

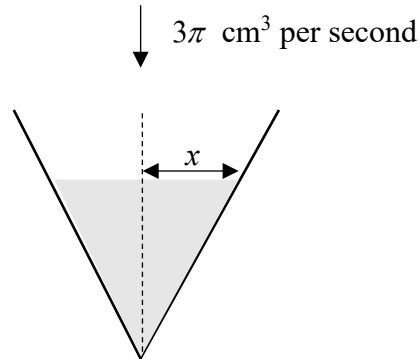


Fig. 3

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