

**Mathematics**  
**Higher Level**  
**Paper 1**

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**Instructions to candidates**

- Write your name in the box above.
- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- You are not permitted access to any calculator for this paper.
- Section A: answer all of Section A in the spaces provided.
- Section B: answer all of Section B on the answer sheets provided. Write your name on each answer sheet and attach them to this examination paper.
- Unless otherwise stated in the question, all numerical answers must be given exactly or correct to three significant figures.
- A clean copy of the **mathematics: analysis and approaches formula booklet** is required for this paper.
- The maximum mark for this examination paper is **[110 marks]**.

**exam: 12 pages**



Full marks are not necessarily awarded for a correct answer with no working. Answers must be supported by working and/or explanations. In particular, solutions found from a graphic display calculator should be supported by suitable working, for example if graphs are used to find a solution, you should sketch these as part of your answer. Where an answer is incorrect, some marks may be given for a correct method, provided this is shown by written working. You are therefore advised to show all working.

**Section A** (56 marks)

Answer **all** questions in the boxes provided. Working may be continued below the lines, if necessary.

1. [Maximum mark: 5]

Given that  $px^3 + qx^2 - 9x + 18$  is exactly divisible by  $(x + 2)(x - 3)$ , find the value of  $p$  and the value of  $q$ .

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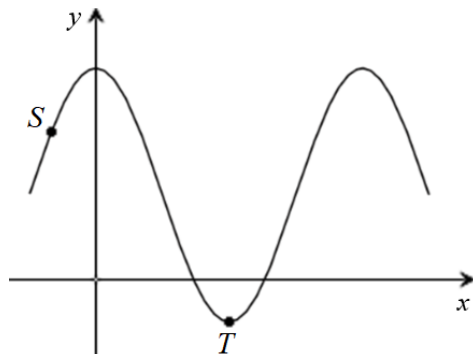
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2. [Maximum mark: 6]

The diagram below shows a curve with equation  $y = 2 + k \cos x$ , defined for  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{5\pi}{2}$ .



The point  $S$  lies on the curve and has coordinates  $\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{7}{2}\right)$ . The point  $T$  with coordinates  $(a, b)$  is the minimum point.

(a) Show that  $k = 3$ . [2]

(b) Hence, find the value of  $a$  and the value of  $b$ . [4]

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**3.** [Maximum mark: 6]

A geometric series has a positive common ratio  $r$ . The series has a sum to infinity of 9 and the sum of the first two terms is 5. Find the first three terms of the series.

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5. [Maximum mark: 7]

Consider the equation  $ax^2 + 7x - 2a = 0$  that has two distinct solutions for  $x$ .

(a) Given that  $x = -3$  is a solution of  $ax^2 + 7x - 2a = 0$ , find the value of  $a$  and the other solution for  $x$ . [4]

(b) Hence, express  $\frac{5x - 7}{ax^2 + 7x - 2a}$  as the sum of two fractions. [3]

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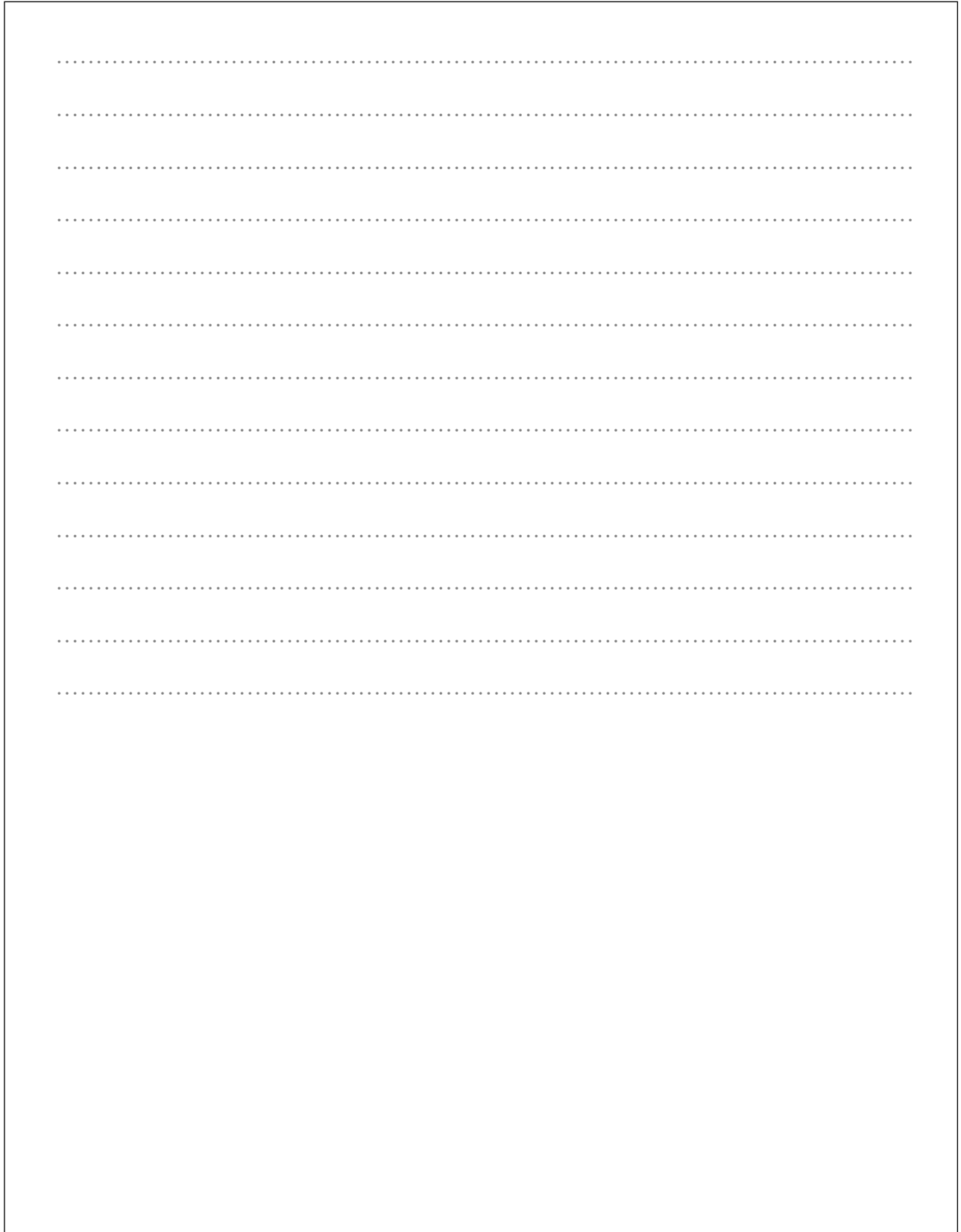
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**6.** [Maximum mark: 7]

A curve has equation  $4xy - y^2 - x^3 = 0$  for  $x > 0$ ,  $y > 0$ . The graph of the curve has a vertical tangent at point R. Find the coordinates of R.









**9.** [Maximum mark: 6]

The coefficients of  $x^2$  in the expansions  $(1+x)^{2n}$  and  $(1+15x^2)^n$  are equal. Given that  $n$  is a positive integer, find the value of  $n$ .

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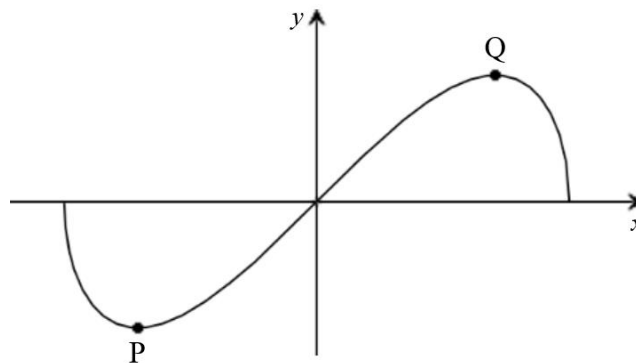
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### Section B (54 marks)

Answer **all** the questions on the answer sheets provided. Please start each question on a new page.

10. [Maximum mark: 24]

The diagram shows the graph of the function defined by  $f(x) = x\sqrt{1-x^2}$ ,  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$ .



The function has a minimum at the point P and a maximum at point Q.

- (a) Show that  $f'(x) = \frac{1-2x^2}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ . [4]
- (b) Find the coordinates of P, and the coordinates of Q. [4]
- (c) Find the total area enclosed by the graph of  $f$  and the  $x$ -axis. [5]
- (d) The graph of  $f$  is rotated  $2\pi$  radians about the  $x$ -axis, forming a solid.  
Show that the total volume of this solid is  $\frac{4\pi}{15}$ . [5]

The function  $g$  is defined as  $g(x) = 2f(x-3)$ .

- (e) Determine the domain and the range of  $g$ . [4]
- (f) Another solid is formed when the graph of  $g$  is rotated  $2\pi$  radians about the  $x$ -axis.  
Write down the total volume of this solid. [2]

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11. [Maximum mark: 17]

Consider the points  $A(8, -4, 5)$ ,  $B(5, -3, 4)$  and  $C(3, -2, 5)$ .

(a) Find the vector  $\vec{AC} \times \vec{AB}$ . [4]

(b) Determine the area of triangle ABC. [3]

(c) Plane  $\Pi_1$  contains triangle ABC. Show that a Cartesian equation for  $\Pi_1$  is  $2x + 5y - z = -9$  [3]

A second plane  $\Pi_2$  is defined by the Cartesian equation  $\Pi_2 : x + by + cz = -6$ , where  $b$  and  $c$  are constants. Plane  $\Pi_2$  is perpendicular to plane  $\Pi_1$  and the two planes intersect at a line with the Cartesian equation  $\frac{x+1}{-16} = \frac{y+1}{5} = \frac{z-2}{-7}$ .

(d) Find the value of  $b$ , and the value of  $c$ . [4]

A third plane,  $\Pi_3$ , is defined by the Cartesian equation  $\Pi_3 : x + 2y - 2z = 9$ .

(e) Given that  $\Pi_1$ ,  $\Pi_2$  and  $\Pi_3$  intersect at point P, find the coordinates of P. [3]

12. [Maximum mark: 13]

Consider the complex number  $w = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ .

(a) Show that  $w^n + \frac{1}{w^n} = 2 \cos n\theta$  where  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ . [3]

(b) Hence, write down an expression, in terms of  $\cos \theta$ , for  $\left(w + \frac{1}{w}\right)^5$ . [1]

(c) Show that  $\cos^5 \theta = \frac{1}{16}(\cos 5\theta + 5 \cos 3\theta + 10 \cos \theta)$ . [4]

(d) Hence, find all the solutions of  $\cos 5\theta + 5 \cos 3\theta + 12 \cos \theta = 0$  in the interval  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ . [5]