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Paper 3 Pure Mathematics 3 **(P3)** **May/June 2010**

1 hour 45 minutes

Additional Materials: Answer Booklet/Paper
Graph Paper
List of Formulae (MF9)

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READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

If you have been given an Answer Booklet, follow the instructions on the front cover of the Booklet.
Write your Centre number, candidate number and name on all the work you hand in.
Write in dark blue or black pen.
You may use a soft pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
Do not use staples, paper clips, highlighters, glue or correction fluid.

Answer **all** the questions.
Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures, or 1 decimal place in the case of angles in degrees, unless a different level of accuracy is specified in the question.
The use of an electronic calculator is expected, where appropriate.
You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.

At the end of the examination, fasten all your work securely together.
The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
The total number of marks for this paper is 75.
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1 Solve the equation

$$\frac{2^x + 1}{2^x - 1} = 5,$$

giving your answer correct to 3 significant figures. [4]

2 Show that $\int_0^{\pi} x^2 \sin x \, dx = \pi^2 - 4$. [5]

3 It is given that $\cos a = \frac{3}{5}$, where $0° < a < 90°$. Showing your working and without using a calculator to evaluate a,

(i) find the exact value of $\sin(a - 30°)$, [3]

(ii) find the exact value of $\tan 2a$, and hence find the exact value of $\tan 3a$. [4]

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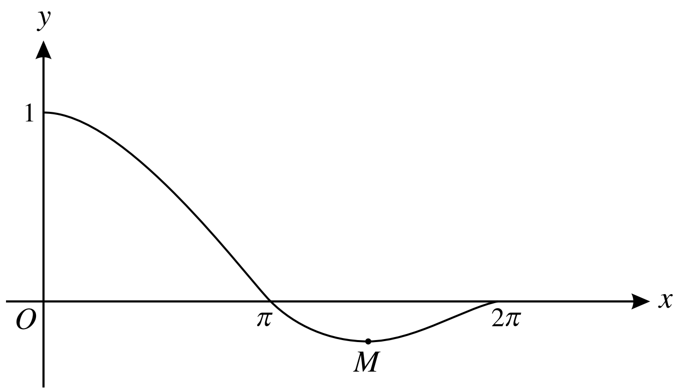

The diagram shows the curve $y = \frac{\sin x}{x}$ for $0 < x \leqslant 2\pi$, and its minimum point M.

(i) Show that the x-coordinate of M satisfies the equation

$$x = \tan x.$$ [4]

(ii) The iterative formula

$$x_{n+1} = \tan^{-1}(x_n) + \pi$$

can be used to determine the x-coordinate of M. Use this formula to determine the x-coordinate of M correct to 2 decimal places. Give the result of each iteration to 4 decimal places. [3]

5 The polynomial $2x^3 + 5x^2 + ax + b$, where a and b are constants, is denoted by $p(x)$. It is given that $(2x + 1)$ is a factor of $p(x)$ and that when $p(x)$ is divided by $(x + 2)$ the remainder is 9.

(i) Find the values of a and b. [5]

(ii) When a and b have these values, factorise $p(x)$ completely. [3]

6 The equation of a curve is

$$x \ln y = 2x + 1.$$

(i) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y}{x^2}$. [4]

(ii) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point where $y = 1$, giving your answer in the form $ax + by + c = 0$. [4]

7 The variables x and t are related by the differential equation

$$e^{2t} \frac{dx}{dt} = \cos^2 x,$$

where $t \geqslant 0$. When $t = 0$, $x = 0$.

(i) Solve the differential equation, obtaining an expression for x in terms of t. [6]

(ii) State what happens to the value of x when t becomes very large. [1]

(iii) Explain why x increases as t increases. [1]

8 The variable complex number z is given by

$$z = 1 + \cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta,$$

where θ takes all values in the interval $-\frac{1}{2}\pi < \theta < \frac{1}{2}\pi$.

(i) Show that the modulus of z is $2\cos\theta$ and the argument of z is θ. [6]

(ii) Prove that the real part of $\frac{1}{z}$ is constant. [3]

9 The plane p has equation $3x + 2y + 4z = 13$. A second plane q is perpendicular to p and has equation $ax + y + z = 4$, where a is a constant.

(i) Find the value of a. [3]

(ii) The line with equation $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k} + \lambda(\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$ meets the plane p at the point A and the plane q at the point B. Find the length of AB. [6]

10 **(i)** Find the values of the constants A, B, C and D such that

$$\frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2(2x-1)} \equiv A + \frac{B}{x} + \frac{C}{x^2} + \frac{D}{2x-1}.$$ [5]

(ii) Hence show that

$$\int_1^2 \frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2(2x-1)}\, dx = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\ln\left(\frac{16}{27}\right).$$ [5]

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