

**UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS**

GCE Advanced Subsidiary Level

**MARK SCHEME for the November 2004 question paper**

**9709 MATHEMATICS**

**9709/02**

**Paper 2, maximum raw mark 50**

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|             | maximum mark available | minimum mark required for grade: |    |    |
|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|
|             |                        | A                                | B  | E  |
| Component 2 | 50                     | 33                               | 29 | 15 |

The thresholds (minimum marks) for Grades C and D are normally set by dividing the mark range between the B and the E thresholds into three. For example, if the difference between the B and the E threshold is 24 marks, the C threshold is set 8 marks below the B threshold and the D threshold is set another 8 marks down. If dividing the interval by three results in a fraction of a mark, then the threshold is normally rounded down.

## Mark Scheme Notes

Marks are of the following three types:

- M Method mark, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem. Method marks are not lost for numerical errors, algebraic slips or errors in units. However, it is not usually sufficient for a candidate just to indicate an intention of using some method or just to quote a formula; the formula or idea must be applied to the specific problem in hand, e.g. by substituting the relevant quantities into the formula. Correct application of a formula without the formula being quoted obviously earns the M mark and in some cases an M mark can be implied from a correct answer.
  - A Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. Accuracy marks cannot be given unless the associated method mark is earned (or implied).
  - B Mark for a correct result or statement independent of method marks.
- When a part of a question has two or more "method" steps, the M marks are generally independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly when there are several B marks allocated. The notation DM or DB (or dep\*) is used to indicate that a particular M or B mark is dependent on an earlier M or B (asterisked) mark in the scheme. When two or more steps are run together by the candidate, the earlier marks are implied and full credit is given.
  - The symbol  $\surd$  implies that the A or B mark indicated is allowed for work correctly following on from previously incorrect results. Otherwise, A or B marks are given for correct work only. A and B marks are not given for fortuitously "correct" answers or results obtained from incorrect working.
  - Note: B2 or A2 means that the candidate can earn 2 or 0.  
B2/1/0 means that the candidate can earn anything from 0 to 2.

The marks indicated in the scheme may not be subdivided. If there is genuine doubt whether a candidate has earned a mark, allow the candidate the benefit of the doubt. Unless otherwise indicated, marks once gained cannot subsequently be lost, e.g. wrong working following a correct form of answer is ignored.

- Wrong or missing units in an answer should not lead to the loss of a mark unless the scheme specifically indicates otherwise.
- For a numerical answer, allow the A or B mark if a value is obtained which is correct to 3 s.f., or which would be correct to 3 s.f. if rounded (1 d.p. in the case of an angle). As stated above, an A or B mark is not given if a correct numerical answer arises fortuitously from incorrect working. For Mechanics questions, allow A or B marks for correct answers which arise from taking  $g$  equal to 9.8 or 9.81 instead of 10.

The following abbreviations may be used in a mark scheme or used on the scripts:

|     |                                                                                                                                                                                         |
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| AEF | Any Equivalent Form (of answer is equally acceptable)                                                                                                                                   |
| AG  | Answer Given on the question paper (so extra checking is needed to ensure that the detailed working leading to the result is valid)                                                     |
| BOD | Benefit of Doubt (allowed when the validity of a solution may not be absolutely clear)                                                                                                  |
| CAO | Correct Answer Only (emphasising that no "follow through" from a previous error is allowed)                                                                                             |
| CWO | Correct Working Only – often written by a 'fortuitous' answer                                                                                                                           |
| ISW | Ignore Subsequent Working                                                                                                                                                               |
| MR  | Misread                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| PA  | Premature Approximation (resulting in basically correct work that is insufficiently accurate)                                                                                           |
| SOS | See Other Solution (the candidate makes a better attempt at the same question)                                                                                                          |
| SR  | Special Ruling (detailing the mark to be given for a specific wrong solution, or a case where some standard marking practice is to be varied in the light of a particular circumstance) |

### Penalties

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| MR -1 | A penalty of MR -1 is deducted from A or B marks when the data of a question or part question are genuinely misread and the object and difficulty of the question remain unaltered. In this case all A and B marks then become "follow through $\sqrt{}$ " marks. MR is not applied when the candidate misreads his own figures – this is regarded as an error in accuracy. An MR-2 penalty may be applied in particular cases if agreed at the coordination meeting. |
| PA -1 | This is deducted from A or B marks in the case of premature approximation. The PA -1 penalty is usually discussed at the meeting.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

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GCE AS LEVEL

MARK SCHEME

MAXIMUM MARK: 50

**SYLLABUS/COMPONENT: 9709/02**

**MATHEMATICS**  
**Paper 2 (Pure Mathematics 2)**

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- 1** *EITHER:* State or imply non-modular inequality  $(x + 1)^2 > x^2$  or corresponding quadratic equation or linear equation  $x + 1 = -x$  B1  
Obtain critical value  $-\frac{1}{2}$  B1  
State answer  $x > -\frac{1}{2}$  B1
- OR:* Obtain critical value  $-\frac{1}{2}$  by solving a linear inequality or by graphical method or inspection B2  
State answer  $x > -\frac{1}{2}$  B1 **3**
- [For  $2x + 1 > 0$ ,  $x > +\frac{1}{2}$ , or similar reasonable method] M1
- 2** Use logarithms to obtain an equation in  $\ln x$  M1  
Obtain  $\ln x = \frac{\ln 11}{(3.9 - 3.2)}$ , or equivalent A1  
Obtain answer  $x = 31$  (accept 30.7, 30.74) A1 **3**
- 3** At any stage, state answer  $x = 90^\circ$  (c.w.o) B1  
Write the equation in the form  $6\sin x \cos x = \cos x$  B1  
Remove factor of  $\cos x$  and solve an equation in  $\sin x$  for  $x$  M1  
Obtain answer  $x = 9.59^\circ$  and no others in the range ( $9.6^\circ$  OK: rubric) A1 **4**  
(ignore answers outside the given range.)
- 4** State or obtain  $16 - 20 + 2a + b = 0$  B1  
Substitute  $x = -1$  and equate to  $-6$  M1  
Obtain a 3-term equation in any correct form A1  
Solve a relevant pair of equations, obtaining  $a$  or  $b$  M1  
Obtain  $a = 1$  and  $b = 2$  A1 **5**
- 5 (i)** Use the product rule to obtain the first derivative (must involve 2 terms) M1  
Obtain derivative  $2x \ln x + x^2 \frac{1}{x}$  or equivalent A1  
Equate derivative to zero and solve for  $x$  M1  
Obtain answer  $x = e^{-0.5}$  or  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{e}}$  or equivalent (e.g. 0.61) A1 **4**
- (ii)** Determine nature of stationary point using correct second derivative  $(3 + 2\ln x)$  or correct first derivative or equation of the curve M1  
(3  $y$ -values, central one  $y(\exp(-0.5))$ ) A1 **2**  
Show point is a minimum completely correctly
- 6 (i)** Make recognisable sketch of an appropriate trig curve, e.g.  $y = \cot x$ , for  $0 < x < \frac{1}{2}\pi$  B1  
Sketch the appropriate second curve e.g.  $y = x$  correctly and justify the given statement B1 **2**

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| (ii)  | Consider sign of $\cot x - x$ at $x = 0.8$ and $x = 0.9$ , or equivalent<br>Complete the argument correctly with appropriate calculations                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | M1<br>A1                          | 2 |
| (iii) | Show, using $\cot x \equiv \frac{1}{\tan x}$ , that $\cot x = x$ is equivalent to $x = \arctan\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$<br>(or vice versa)                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | B1                                | 1 |
| (iv)  | Use the iterative formula correctly at least once<br>Obtain final answer 0.86<br>Show sufficient iterations to justify its accuracy to 2 decimal places, or show that there is a sign change in (0.855, 0.865)                                                                                                                                                      | M1<br>A1<br>B1                    | 3 |
| 7 (i) | State coordinates (0, 5)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | B1                                | 1 |
| (ii)  | State first derivative of the form $k e^x + m e^{-2x}$ , where $km \neq 0$<br>Obtain correct first derivative $2 e^x - 6 e^{-2x}$<br>Substitute $x = 0$ , obtaining gradient of $-4$<br>Form equation of line through A with this gradient (NOT the normal)<br>Obtain equation in any correct form e.g. $y - 5 = -4x$<br>Obtain coordinates (1.25, 0) or equivalent | M1<br>A1<br>A1√<br>M1<br>A1<br>A1 | 6 |
| (iii) | Integrate and obtain $2 e^x - \frac{3}{2} e^{-2x}$ , or equivalent<br>Use limits $x = 0$ and $x = 1$ correctly<br>Obtain answer 4.7                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | B1 + B1<br>M1<br>A1               | 4 |
| 8 (i) | State answer $R = \sqrt{2}$<br>Use trigonometric formulae to find $\alpha$<br>Obtain answer $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}\pi$ (NOT $45^\circ$ , unless $45^\circ = \frac{\pi}{4}^c$ somewhere, later)                                                                                                                                                                       | B1<br>M1<br>A1                    | 3 |
| (ii)  | Use $\cos \theta + \sin \theta = \sqrt{2} \cos\left(\theta - \frac{1}{4}\pi\right)$ to justify the given answer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | B1                                | 1 |
| (iii) | Differentiate using the quotient or product rule<br>Obtain derivative in any correct form<br>Obtain the given answer correctly                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | M1<br>A1<br>A1                    | 3 |
| (iv)  | Convert integrand to give $\int \frac{1}{2} \sec^2\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) d\theta$<br>Integrate, to obtain function $\frac{1}{2} \tan\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$<br>Substitute (correct) limits correctly, to obtain given result                                                                                                              | B1<br>M1<br>A1                    | 3 |