

## End of Year 12 AS Pure &amp; Applied - Homework 1 (2 hr)

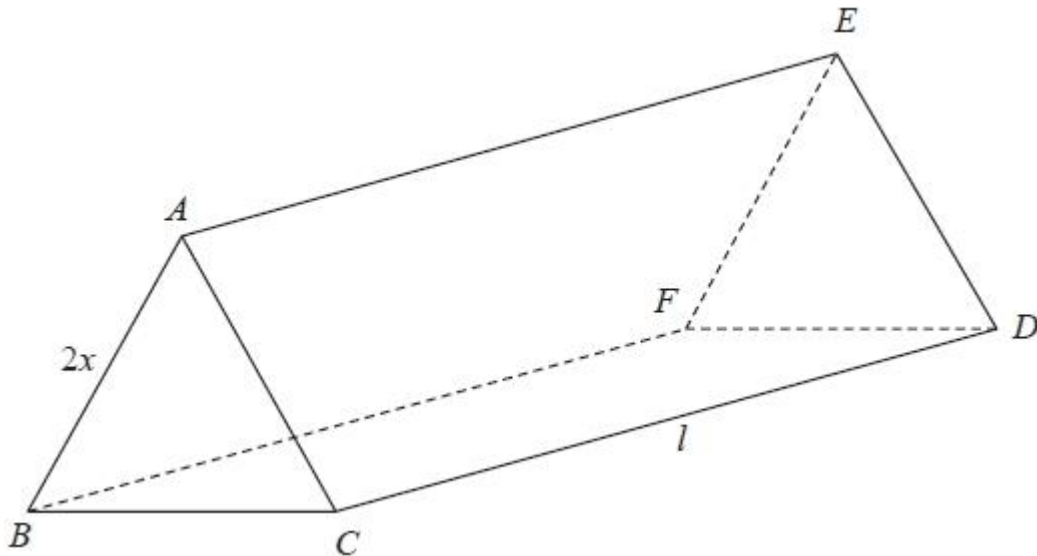
**Section A: Pure Mathematics**
**Question 1**

**Figure 6**

Figure 6 shows a solid triangular prism  $ABCDEF$  in which  $AB = 2x$  cm and  $CD = l$  cm.

The cross section  $ABC$  is an equilateral triangle.

The rectangle  $BCDF$  is horizontal and the triangles  $ABC$  and  $DEF$  are vertical.

The total surface area of the prism is  $S$  cm<sup>2</sup> and the volume of the prism is  $V$  cm<sup>3</sup>.

(a) Show that  $S = 2x^2\sqrt{3} + 6xl$  (3)

Given that  $S = 960$ ,

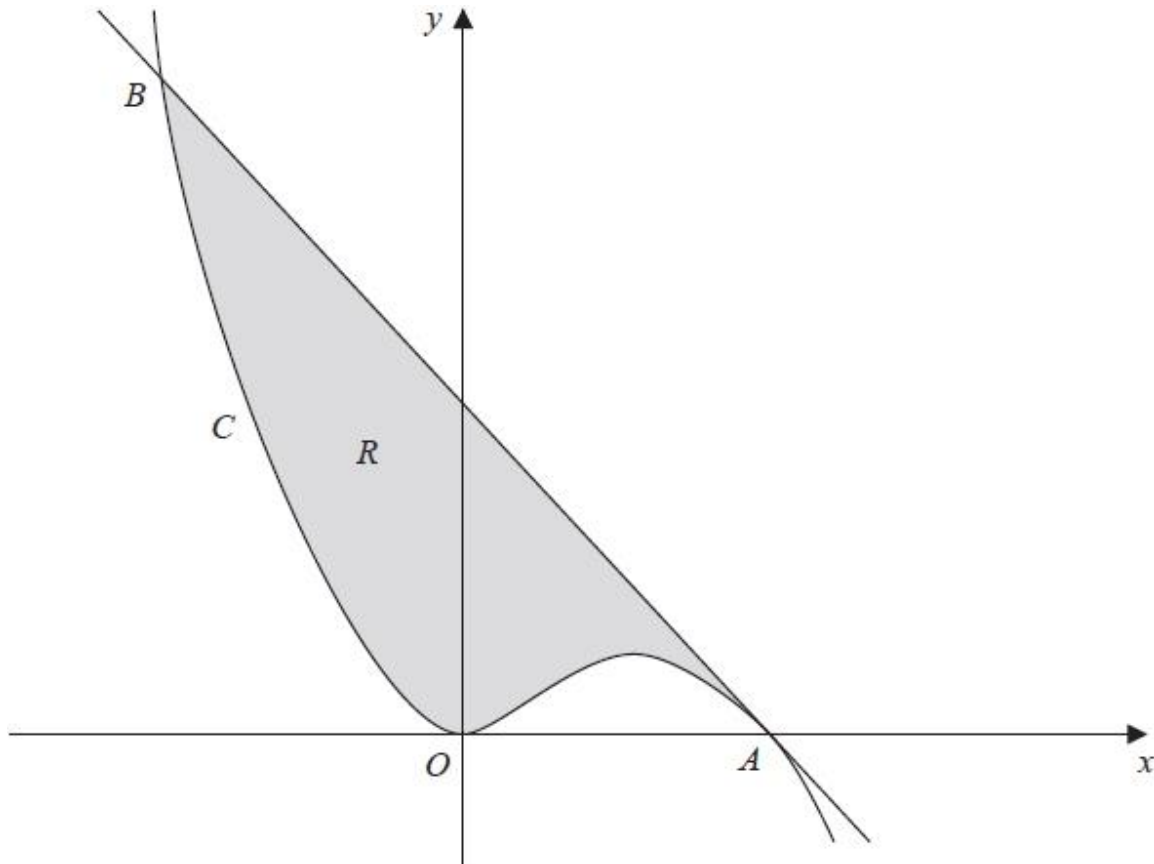
(b) show that  $V = 160x\sqrt{3} - x^3$  (5)

(c) Use calculus to find the maximum value of  $V$ , giving your answer to the nearest integer. (5)

(d) Justify that the value of  $V$  found in part (c) is a maximum. (2)

**(Total for question = 15 marks)**

**Question 2**



**Figure 5**

Figure 5 shows a sketch of part of the curve  $C$  with equation  $y = x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3$ .  
 $C$  touches the  $x$ -axis at the origin and cuts the  $x$ -axis at the point  $A$ .

(a) Show that the coordinates of  $A$  are  $(3, 0)$ . (1)

(b) Show that the equation of the tangent to  $C$  at the point  $A$  is  $y = -3x + 9$  (5)

The tangent to  $C$  at  $A$  meets  $C$  again at the point  $B$ , as shown in Figure 5.

(c) Use algebra to find the  $x$  coordinate of  $B$ . (4)

The region  $R$ , shown shaded in Figure 5, is bounded by the curve  $C$  and the tangent to  $C$  at  $A$ .

(d) Find, by using calculus, the area of region  $R$ .  
*(Solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.)* (5)

**(Total for question = 15 marks)**

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**Question 3**

(a) Show that

$$\frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x}{1 - \sin^2 x} \equiv 1 - \tan^2 x, \quad x \neq (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (2)$$

(b) Hence solve, for  $0 \leq x < 360$ ,

$$\frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x}{1 - \sin^2 x} + 2 = 0 \quad (5)$$

**(Total for question = 7 marks)**

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**Question 4**

The height of sea water,  $h$  metres, on a harbour wall at time  $t$  hours after midnight is given by

$$h = 3.7 + 2.5 \cos(30t - 40)^\circ, \quad 0 \leq t < 24$$

(a) Calculate the maximum value of  $h$  and the exact time of day when this maximum first occurs. (4)

Fishing boats cannot enter the harbour if  $h$  is less than 3

(b) Find the times during the morning between which fishing boats cannot enter the harbour.

Give these times to the nearest minute.

*(Solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.)* (6)

**(Total for question = 10 marks)**

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**Question 5 (Grade A\*)**

$$2 \log_2 x + \log_2(x - 1) - \log_2(5x + 4) = 1$$

Find the only real root of the above logarithmic equation (6)

**(Total for question = 6 marks)**

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## Section B: Statistics

### Question 6.

The table below shows the distances (to the nearest km) travelled to work by the 50 employees in an office.

Distance (km)	Frequency (f)	Distance midpoint (x)
0 – 2	16	1.25
3 – 5	12	4
6 – 10	10	8
11 – 20	8	15.5
21 – 40	4	30.5

[You may use  $\sum fx = 394$ ,  $\sum fx^2 = 6500$ ]

A histogram has been drawn to represent these data.

The bar representing the distance of 3 – 5 has a width of 1.5 cm and a height of 6 cm.

- (a) Calculate the width and height of the bar representing the distance of 6 – 10 (3)
- (b) Use linear interpolation to estimate the median distance travelled to work. (2)
- (c) (i) Show that an estimate of the mean distance travelled to work is 7.88 km.
- (ii) Estimate the standard deviation of the distances travelled to work. (4)

Peng starts to work in this office as the 51<sup>st</sup> employee.

She travels a distance of 7.88 km to work.

(d) Without carrying out any further calculations, state, giving a reason, what effect Peng's addition to the workforce would have on your estimates of the

- (i) mean,
  - (ii) median,
  - (iii) standard deviation
- of the distances travelled to work. (3)

**(Total for question = 12 marks)**

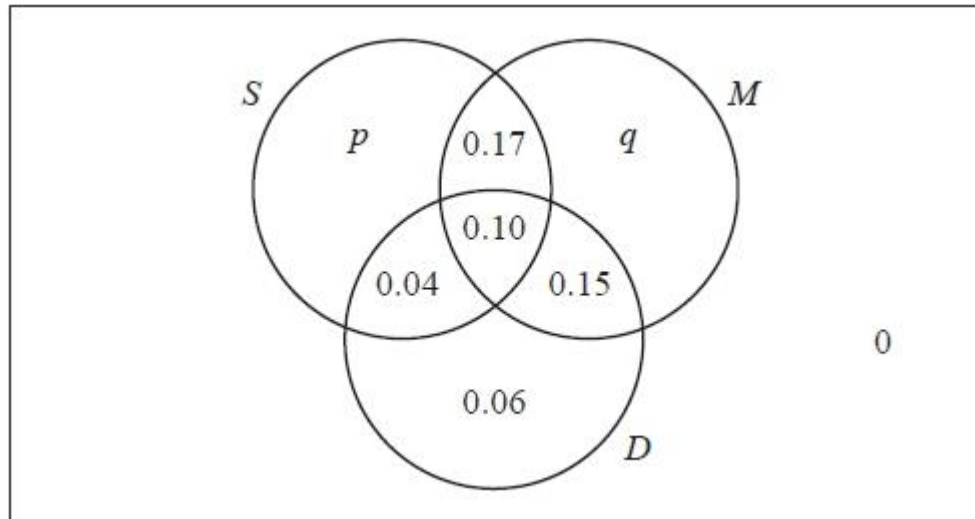
### Question 7.

The Venn diagram below shows the probabilities of customers having various combinations of a starter, main course or dessert at Polly's restaurant.

$S$  = the event a customer has a starter.

$M$  = the event a customer has a main course.

$D$  = the event a customer has a dessert.



Given that the events  $S$  and  $D$  are statistically independent

(a) find the value of  $p$ . (4)

(b) Hence find the value of  $q$ . (2)

**(Total for question = 6 marks)**

### Question 8

A company claims that 35% of its peas germinate. In order to test this claim Ann decides to plant 15 of these peas and record the number which germinate.

(a) (i) State suitable hypotheses for a two-tailed test of this claim.  
 (ii) Using a 5% level of significance, find an appropriate critical region for this test. The probability in each of the tails should be as close to 2.5% as possible. (4)

(b) Ann found that 8 of the 15 peas germinated. State whether or not the company's claim is supported. Give a reason for your answer. (2)

(c) State the actual significance level of this test. (1)

**(Total for question = 7 marks)**



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**Section C: Mechanics**

**Question 9**

A ball is thrown vertically upwards with speed  $20 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  from a point  $A$ , which is  $h$  metres above the ground. The ball moves freely under gravity until it hits the ground  $5 \text{ s}$  later.

(a) Find the value of  $h$ . (3)

A second ball is thrown vertically downwards with speed  $w \text{ m s}^{-1}$  from  $A$  and moves freely under gravity until it hits the ground.

The first ball hits the ground with speed  $V \text{ m s}^{-1}$  and the second ball hits the ground

with speed  $\frac{3}{4}V \text{ m s}^{-1}$

(b) Find the value of  $w$ . (5)

**(Total for question = 8 marks)**

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**Question 10**

A car starts from rest at a point  $A$  and moves along a straight horizontal road. The car moves with constant acceleration  $1.5 \text{ m s}^{-2}$  for the first  $8 \text{ s}$ . The car then moves with constant acceleration  $0.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$  for the next  $20 \text{ s}$ . It then moves with constant speed for  $T$  seconds before slowing down with constant deceleration  $2.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$  until it stops at a point  $B$ .

(a) Find the speed of the car  $28 \text{ s}$  after leaving  $A$ . (3)

(b) Sketch, in the space provided, a speed–time graph to illustrate the motion of the car as it travels from  $A$  to  $B$ . (2)

(c) Find the distance travelled by the car during the first  $28 \text{ s}$  of its journey from  $A$ . (4)

The distance from  $A$  to  $B$  is  $2 \text{ km}$ .

(d) Find the value of  $T$ . (4)

**(Total for question = 13 marks)**

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