

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

**Advanced Subsidiary General Certificate of Education
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MATHEMATICS

2640

Mechanics 4

Thursday

22 MAY 2003

Afternoon

1 hour 20 minutes

Additional materials:

Answer booklet

Graph paper

List of Formulae (MF8)

TIME 1 hour 20 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your Name, Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided on the answer booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures unless a different degree of accuracy is specified in the question or is clearly appropriate.
- Where a numerical value for the acceleration due to gravity is needed, use 9.8 m s^{-2} .
- You are permitted to use a graphic calculator in this paper.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

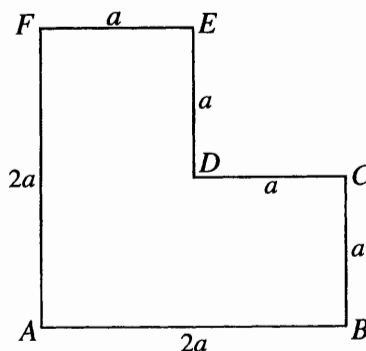
- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 60.
- Questions carrying smaller numbers of marks are printed earlier in the paper, and questions carrying larger numbers of marks later in the paper.
- **You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.**

This question paper consists of 4 printed pages.

- 1 A propeller shaft has constant angular acceleration. It turns through 160 radians as its angular speed increases from 15 rad s^{-1} to 25 rad s^{-1} . Find

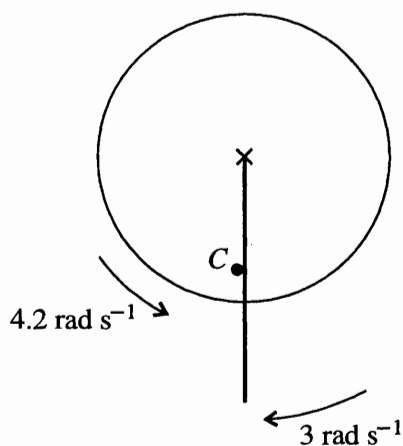
- (i) the angular acceleration of the propeller shaft, [2]
 (ii) the time taken for this increase in angular speed. [2]

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The diagram shows a uniform lamina $ABCDEF$ in which all the corners are right angles. The mass of the lamina is $3m$.

- (i) Show that the moment of inertia of the lamina about AB is $3ma^2$. [3]
 (ii) Find the moment of inertia of the lamina about an axis perpendicular to the lamina and passing through A . [2]
- 3 A uniform rod, of mass 0.75 kg and length 1.6 m , rotates in a vertical plane about a fixed horizontal axis through one end. A frictional couple of constant moment opposes the motion. The rod is released from rest in a horizontal position and, when the rod is first vertical, its angular speed is 3 rad s^{-1} .
- (i) Find the magnitude of the frictional couple. [4]



A disc is rotating about the same axis. The moment of inertia of the disc about the axis is 0.56 kg m^2 . When the rod is vertical, the disc has angular speed 4.2 rad s^{-1} in the opposite direction to that of the rod (see diagram). At this instant the rod hits a magnetic catch C on the disc and becomes attached to the disc.

- (ii) Find the angular speed of the rod and disc immediately after they have become attached. [3]

- 4 A cruise ship C is sailing due north at a constant speed of 12 m s^{-1} . A boat B , initially 2000 m due west of C , sails with constant speed 11 m s^{-1} on a straight line course which takes it as close as possible to C .

(i) Find the bearing of the direction in which B sails. [4]

(ii) Find the shortest distance between B and C in the subsequent motion. [4]

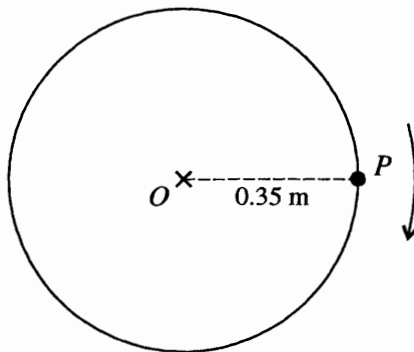
- 5 The region bounded by the x -axis, the line $x = 8$ and the curve $y = x^{\frac{1}{3}}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 8$, is rotated through 2π radians about the x -axis to form a uniform solid of revolution. The unit of length is the metre, and the density of the solid is 350 kg m^{-3} .

(i) Show that the mass of the solid is $6720\pi \text{ kg}$. [3]

(ii) Find the x -coordinate of the centre of mass of the solid. [3]

(iii) Find the moment of inertia of the solid about the x -axis. [4]

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A wheel consists of a uniform circular disc, with centre O , mass 0.08 kg and radius 0.35 m , with a particle P of mass 0.24 kg attached to a point on the circumference. The wheel is rotating without resistance in a vertical plane about a fixed horizontal axis through O (see diagram).

(i) Find the moment of inertia of the wheel about the axis. [3]

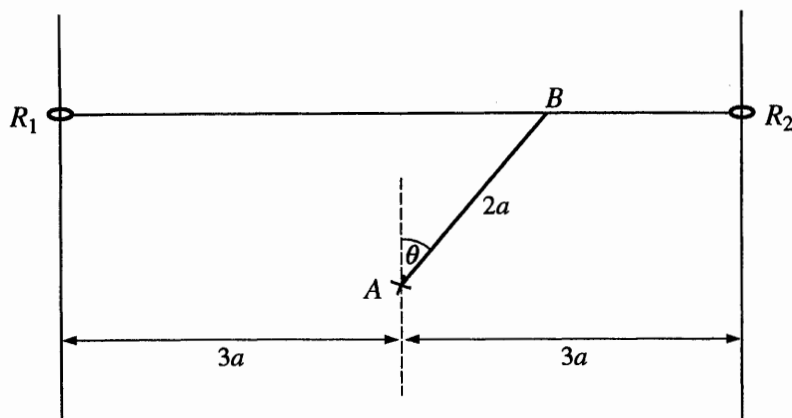
(ii) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the wheel from the axis. [2]

At an instant when OP is horizontal and the angular speed of the wheel is 5 rad s^{-1} , find

(iii) the angular acceleration of the wheel, [2]

(iv) the magnitude of the force acting on the wheel at O . [6]

[Question 7 is printed overleaf.]

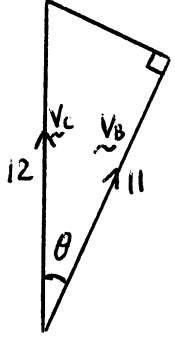
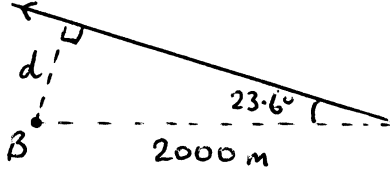


A uniform rod AB , of mass m and length $2a$, is pivoted to a fixed point at A and is free to rotate in a vertical plane. Two fixed vertical wires in this plane are a distance $6a$ apart and the point A is half-way between the two wires. Light smooth rings R_1 and R_2 slide on the wires and are connected to B by light elastic strings, each of natural length a and modulus of elasticity $\frac{1}{4}mg$. The strings BR_1 and BR_2 are always horizontal and the angle between AB and the upward vertical is θ , where $-\frac{1}{2}\pi < \theta < \frac{1}{2}\pi$ (see diagram).

- (i) Taking A as the reference level for gravitational potential energy, show that the total potential energy of the system is

$$mga(1 + \cos \theta + \sin^2 \theta). \quad [5]$$

- (ii) Given that $\theta = 0$ is a position of stable equilibrium, find the approximate period of small oscillations about this position. [8]

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| <p>1 (i)</p> | $25^2 = 15^2 + 2\alpha \times 160$ $\alpha = 1.25 \text{ rad s}^{-2}$ | <p>M1 A1 2</p> | <p>Use of appropriate formula</p> |
| <p>(ii)</p> | $160 = \frac{1}{2}(15 + 25)t$ $t = 8 \text{ s}$ | <p>M1 A1 2</p> | <p>Or $25 = 15 + 1.25t$ etc</p> |
| <p>2 (i)</p> | $I_{AB} = \frac{4}{3}(2m)a^2 + \frac{4}{3}(m)\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2$ $= \frac{8}{3}ma^2 + \frac{1}{3}ma^2$ $= 3ma^2$ <p>OR $\frac{4}{3}(2m)\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2 + \left\{\frac{1}{3}m\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2 + m\left(\frac{3}{2}a\right)^2\right\}$ $= \frac{2}{3}ma^2 + \frac{7}{3}ma^2 = 3ma^2$ <p>OR $\frac{4}{3}(4m)a^2 - \left\{\frac{1}{3}m\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2 + m\left(\frac{3}{2}a\right)^2\right\}$ $= \frac{16}{3}ma^2 - \frac{7}{3}ma^2 = 3ma^2$ </p></p> | <p>B1B1 B1 (ag) 3 B1B1 B1 B1B1 B1</p> | |
| <p>(ii)</p> | $I = I_{AB} + I_{AF}$ $= 6ma^2$ | <p>M1 A1 2</p> | <p>Use of perpendicular axes rule</p> |
| <p>3 (i)</p> | $I = \frac{4}{3} \times 0.75 \times 0.8^2 \quad (= 0.64)$ $- C\left(\frac{1}{2}\pi\right) = \frac{1}{2}I \times 3^2 - 0.75 \times 9.8 \times 0.8$ $C = 1.91 \text{ N m}$ | <p>B1 M1 A1 A1 4</p> | <p>Equation involving WD, KE, PE Accept $\frac{6}{\pi}$</p> |
| <p>(ii)</p> | $(0.64 + 0.56)\omega = 0.56 \times 4.2 - 0.64 \times 3$ $\omega = 0.36 \text{ rad s}^{-1}$ | <p>M1 A1 ft A1 3</p> | <p>Conservation of angular momentum</p> |
| <p>4 (i)</p> |  $\cos \theta = \frac{11}{12}$ $\theta = 023.6^\circ$ | <p>M1 A1 M1 A1 4</p> | <p>Relative velocity perpendicular to v_B Correct velocity triangle</p> |
| <p>(ii)</p> | <p>As viewed from B</p>  $d = 2000 \sin 23.6$ $= 799 \text{ m}$ | <p>M1 A1 ft M1 A1 4</p> | <p>Use of relative velocity Correct diagram with shortest distance indicated Accept 799 to 801</p> |

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| 5 (i) | $V = \int_0^8 \pi(x^{\frac{1}{3}})^2 dx$ $= \pi \left[\frac{3}{5} x^{\frac{5}{3}} \right]_0^8$ $= \frac{96}{5} \pi$ <p>Mass is $350 \times \frac{96}{5} \pi = 6720\pi$ kg</p> | M1 A1 A1 (ag) | For $\frac{3}{5} x^{\frac{5}{3}}$ 3 |
| 5 (ii) | $\int xy^2 dx = \int_0^8 x(x^{\frac{1}{3}})^2 dx$ $= \left[\frac{3}{8} x^{\frac{8}{3}} \right]_0^8 = 96$ $\bar{x} = \frac{\int xy^2 dx}{\int y^2 dx} = \frac{96}{\frac{96}{5}}$ $= 5$ | M1 M1 A1 | 3 |
| 5 (iii) | $I = \int \frac{1}{2} (\rho \pi y^2) y^2 dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \times 350\pi \int_0^8 (x^{\frac{1}{3}})^4 dx$ $= 175\pi \left[\frac{3}{7} x^{\frac{7}{3}} \right]_0^8$ $= 9600\pi \quad (= 30\,200) \text{ kg m}^2$ | M1 A1 A1 A1 | Integration of y^4 For $\frac{3}{7} x^{\frac{7}{3}}$ 4 |
| 6 (i) | $I = \frac{1}{2} \times 0.08 \times 0.35^2 + 0.24 \times 0.35^2$ $= 0.0343 \text{ kg m}^2$ | B1B1 B1 | 3 |
| 6 (ii) | $(0.08 + 0.24)\bar{x} = 0 + 0.24 \times 0.35$ $\bar{x} = 0.2625 \text{ m}$ | M1 A1 | 2 |
| 6 (iii) | $0.24 \times 9.8 \times 0.35 = I\alpha$ $\alpha = 24 \text{ rad s}^{-2}$ | M1 A1 | Or $0.32 \times 9.8 \times 0.2625 = I\alpha$ Accept 2.45g (but omission of g is M0) |
| 6 (iv) | $H = mr\omega^2$ $= 0.32 \times 0.2625 \times 5^2 \quad (= 2.1)$ $mg - V = mr\alpha$ $V = 0.32 \times 9.8 - 0.32 \times 0.2625 \times 24 \quad (= 1.12)$ <p>Magnitude $\sqrt{H^2 + V^2} = 2.38 \text{ N}$</p> | M1 A1 ft M1 A1 ft M1A1 | 6 |

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| <p>7 (i)</p> | <p>GPE is $mga \cos \theta$</p> <p>EPE in BR_1 is $\frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{3} \frac{mg}{a} (3a + 2a \sin \theta - a)^2$ $= \frac{1}{2} mga(1 + \sin \theta)^2$</p> <p>EPE in BR_2 is $\frac{1}{2} \frac{4}{3} \frac{mg}{a} (3a - 2a \sin \theta - a)^2$ $= \frac{1}{2} mga(1 - \sin \theta)^2$</p> <p>EPE = $\frac{1}{2} mga(1 + 2 \sin \theta + \sin^2 \theta + 1 - 2 \sin \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$ $= mga(1 + \sin^2 \theta)$</p> <p>Total PE, $V = mga(1 + \cos \theta + \sin^2 \theta)$</p> | <p>B1</p> <p>M1A1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1 (ag)</p> | <p>5</p> |
| <p>(ii)</p> | <p>KE is $\frac{1}{2} (\frac{4}{3} ma^2) \dot{\theta}^2$</p> <p>$\frac{2}{3} ma^2 \dot{\theta}^2 + mga(1 + \cos \theta + \sin^2 \theta) = K$</p> <p>$\frac{4}{3} ma^2 \dot{\theta} \ddot{\theta} + mga(-\sin \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta) \dot{\theta} = 0$</p> <p>$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{3g}{4a} \sin \theta (2 \cos \theta - 1) = 0$</p> <hr/> <p>OR $T_1 = \frac{1}{4} \frac{mg}{a} (2a + 2a \sin \theta)$</p> <p>$T_2 = \frac{1}{4} \frac{mg}{a} (2a - 2a \sin \theta)$ M1A1</p> <p>$(T_2 - T_1)(2a \cos \theta) + mga \sin \theta = I \ddot{\theta}$ M1</p> <p>$(-mg \sin \theta)(2a \cos \theta) + mga \sin \theta = (\frac{4}{3} ma^2) \ddot{\theta}$ A1 ft</p> <p>$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{3g}{4a} \sin \theta (2 \cos \theta - 1) = 0$</p> <hr/> <p>For small θ, $\sin \theta \approx \theta$, $\cos \theta \approx 1$</p> <p>$\ddot{\theta} + \frac{3g}{4a} \theta \approx 0$</p> <p>Approx SHM with period $2\pi \sqrt{\frac{4a}{3g}}$ ($= 4\pi \sqrt{\frac{a}{3g}}$) M1A1</p> <hr/> <p>OR KE is $\frac{1}{2} (\frac{4}{3} ma^2) \dot{\theta}^2$ M1A1</p> <p>$V'(\theta) = mga(-\sin \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)$</p> <p>$V''(\theta) = mga(-\cos \theta + 2 \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin^2 \theta)$ M2A1</p> <p>$V''(0) = mga$ A1</p> <p>Period is $2\pi \sqrt{\frac{2K(0)}{V''(0)}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{\frac{4}{3} ma^2}{mga}}$ M1</p> <p>$= 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{4a}{3g}}$ A1</p> | <p>M1A1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 ft</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 ft</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 ft</p> <p>M1A1</p> <p>8</p> | <p>Differentiating energy equation</p> <p>M2 for finding $V''(\theta)$</p> <p>Dependent on M2 above</p> |