

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS

**Advanced Subsidiary General Certificate of Education
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MATHEMATICS

2640

Mechanics 4

Wednesday

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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.

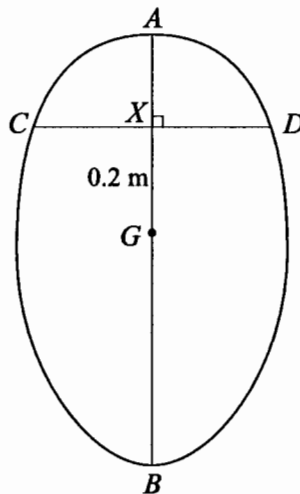
INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- 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 3 printed pages and 1 blank page.

- 1 A wheel is rotating freely with angular speed 25 rad s^{-1} about a fixed axis through its centre. The moment of inertia of the wheel about the axis is 0.65 kg m^2 . A couple of constant moment is applied to the wheel, and in the next 5 seconds the wheel rotates through 180 radians.
- (i) Find the angular acceleration of the wheel. [2]
- (ii) Find the moment of the couple about the axis. [2]
- 2 The region enclosed by the curve $y = \sqrt{x}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 9$, the x -axis and the line $x = 9$ is occupied by a uniform lamina. Find the coordinates of the centre of mass of this lamina. [7]

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A lamina has mass 1.5 kg . Two perpendicular lines AB and CD in the lamina intersect at the point X . The centre of mass, G , of the lamina lies on AB , and $XG = 0.2 \text{ m}$ (see diagram). The moment of inertia of the lamina about AB is 0.02 kg m^2 , and the moment of inertia of the lamina about CD is 0.12 kg m^2 . The lamina is free to rotate in a vertical plane about a fixed horizontal axis perpendicular to the lamina and passing through X .

- (i) The lamina makes small oscillations as a compound pendulum. Find the approximate period of these oscillations. [3]
- (ii) The lamina starts at rest with G vertically below X . A couple of constant moment 3.2 N m about the axis is now applied to the lamina. Find the angular speed of the lamina when XG is first horizontal. [4]
- 4 A boat A has constant velocity 12 m s^{-1} in the direction with bearing 110° . A boat B , which is initially 250 m due south of A , moves with constant speed 6 m s^{-1} in the direction which takes it as close as possible to A .
- (i) Find the bearing of the direction in which B moves. [4]
- (ii) Find the shortest distance between A and B in the subsequent motion. [4]

- 5 In this question, a and k are positive constants.

The region enclosed by the curve $y = ae^{-\frac{x}{a}}$ for $0 \leq x \leq ka$, the x -axis, the y -axis and the line $x = ka$ is rotated through 2π radians about the x -axis to form a uniform solid of mass m . Show that the moment of inertia of this solid about the x -axis is $\frac{1}{4}ma^2(1 + e^{-2k})$. [8]

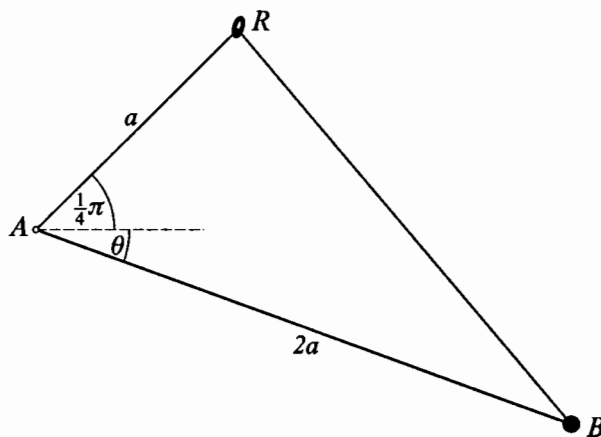
- 6 A uniform circular disc, of mass m and radius a , has centre C . The disc can rotate freely in a vertical plane about a fixed horizontal axis through the point A on the disc, where $CA = \frac{1}{2}a$. The disc is released from rest in the position with CA horizontal. When the disc has rotated through an angle θ ,

(i) show that the angular acceleration of the disc is $\frac{2g \cos \theta}{3a}$, [4]

(ii) find the angular speed of the disc, [3]

(iii) find the components, parallel and perpendicular to CA , of the force acting on the disc at the axis. [6]

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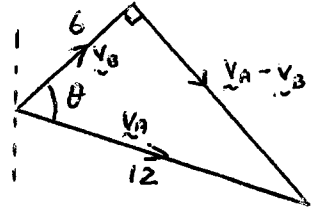


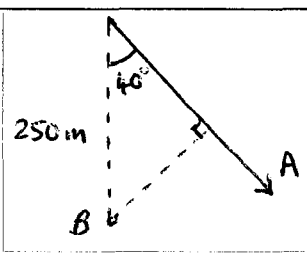
A light rod AB of length $2a$ can rotate freely in a vertical plane about a fixed horizontal axis through A . A particle of mass m is attached to the rod at B . A fixed smooth ring R lies in the same vertical plane as the rod, where $AR = a$ and AR makes an angle $\frac{1}{4}\pi$ above the horizontal. A light elastic string, of natural length a and modulus of elasticity $mg\sqrt{2}$, passes through the ring R ; one end is fixed to A and the other end is fixed to B . The rod makes an angle θ below the horizontal, where $-\frac{1}{4}\pi < \theta < \frac{3}{4}\pi$ (see diagram).

(i) Use the cosine rule to show that $RB^2 = a^2(5 - (2\sqrt{2})\cos\theta + (2\sqrt{2})\sin\theta)$. [2]

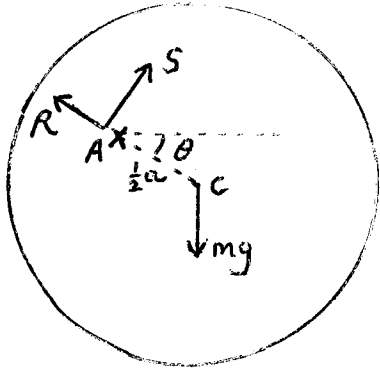
(ii) Show that $\theta = 0$ is a position of stable equilibrium. [6]

(iii) Show that $\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} = -k\sin\theta$, expressing the constant k in terms of a and g , and hence write down the approximate period of small oscillations about the equilibrium position $\theta = 0$. [5]

1 (i)	$\theta = \omega_1 t + \frac{1}{2} \alpha t^2, \quad 180 = 25 \times 5 + \frac{1}{2} \alpha \times 25$ $\alpha = 4.4 \text{ rads}^{-2}$	M1 A1 2	
1 (ii)	Moment = $I\alpha = 0.65 \times 4.4$ $= 2.86 \text{ Nm}$	M1 A1 ft 2	
2	$\text{Area} = \int_0^9 \sqrt{x} \, dx = \left[\frac{2}{3} x^{\frac{3}{2}} \right]_0^9 = 18$ $\int xy \, dx = \int_0^9 x^{\frac{3}{2}} \, dx = \left[\frac{2}{5} x^{\frac{5}{2}} \right]_0^9 = 97.2$ $\bar{x} = \frac{97.2}{18}$ $= \frac{27}{5} = 5.4$ $\int \frac{1}{2} y^2 \, dx = \int_0^9 \frac{1}{2} x \, dx = \left[\frac{1}{4} x^2 \right]_0^9 = 20.25$ $\bar{y} = \frac{20.25}{18}$ $= \frac{9}{8} = 1.125$	B1 B1 M1 A1 B1 M1 A1 7	For $\frac{2}{5} x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ For $\frac{1}{4} x^2$ (or $\frac{9}{2} y^2 - \frac{1}{4} y^4$)
3 (i)	$I = 0.02 + 0.12 = 0.14$ Period is $2\pi \sqrt{\frac{I}{mgh}} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{0.14}{1.5 \times 9.8 \times 0.2}}$ $= 1.37 \text{ s}$	B1 M1 A1 3	
3 (ii)	WD by couple is $3.2 \times \frac{1}{2} \pi$ $3.2 \times \frac{1}{2} \pi = 1.5 \times 9.8 \times 0.2 + \frac{1}{2} (0.14) \omega^2$ $\omega = 5.46 \text{ rads}^{-1}$	B1 M1 A1 ft A1 4	For WD = PE + KE
4 (i)	 $\cos \theta = \frac{6}{12}$ $\theta = 60^\circ$ Bearing of B's velocity is $110 - 60 = 050^\circ$	M1 A1 M1 A1 4	Relative velocity perpendicular to v_B Correct velocity triangle

(ii)	As viewed from B:		M1 A1 M1 A1	Considering relative displacement Relative velocity on bearing 140°
Shortest distance is $250 \sin 40$ $= 161 \text{ m}$		4		

5	$m = \rho \int \pi y^2 dx = \rho \pi \int_0^{ka} a^2 e^{-\frac{2x}{a}} dx$ $= \rho \pi \left[-\frac{1}{2} a^3 e^{-\frac{2x}{a}} \right]_0^{ka}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi a^3 (1 - e^{-2k})$ $I = \int \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi y^4 dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi \int_0^{ka} a^4 e^{-\frac{4x}{a}} dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi \left[-\frac{1}{4} a^5 e^{-\frac{4x}{a}} \right]_0^{ka} = \frac{1}{8} \rho \pi a^5 (1 - e^{-4k})$ $= \frac{\frac{1}{4} m a^2 (1 - e^{-4k})}{1 - e^{-2k}}$ $= \frac{\frac{1}{4} m a^2 (1 - e^{-2k})(1 + e^{-2k})}{1 - e^{-2k}} = \frac{1}{4} m a^2 (1 + e^{-2k})$	M1 A1 A1 M1 A1 ft A1 M1 A1 (ag)	Integral of $\left(e^{-\frac{x}{a}} \right)^2$ (when finding mass or volume) For $\int e^{-\frac{2x}{a}} dx = -\frac{1}{2} a e^{-\frac{2x}{a}}$ For mass or volume Integral of y^4 Correct integral expression (in terms of x) <i>Dependent on previous M1M1</i> <i>Intermediate step not required, provided no wrong working seen</i>	
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<p>6 (i)</p>	 $I = \frac{1}{2}ma^2 + m\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)^2$ $= \frac{3}{4}ma^2$ $mg\left(\frac{1}{2}a \cos \theta\right) = I\alpha = \left(\frac{3}{4}ma^2\right)\alpha$ $\alpha = \frac{2g \cos \theta}{3a}$	<p>M1 A1 M1 A1 (ag)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">4</p>	<p>Using parallel axes rule</p> <p>Or differentiating the energy equation</p>
<p>(ii)</p>	$\frac{1}{2}I\omega^2 = mg\left(\frac{1}{2}a \sin \theta\right)$ $\omega = \sqrt{\frac{4g \sin \theta}{3a}}$	<p>M1 A1 A1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p>	<p>Using $\frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$</p>
<p>(iii)</p>	$R - mg \sin \theta = m\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)\omega^2$ $R = \frac{5}{3}mg \sin \theta$ <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> $mg \cos \theta - S = m\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)\alpha$ $S = \frac{2}{3}mg \cos \theta$ <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>OR</p> $S\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right) = I_G \alpha$ $S\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2}ma^2\right)\alpha$ $S = \frac{2}{3}mg \cos \theta$	<p>B1 M1 A1</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>B1 M1 A1</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>M1 A1 A1</p>	<p>For radial acc'n of C is $\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)\omega^2$ $\pm R \pm mg \sin \theta = m r \omega^2$ or $k m a \omega^2$ (with numerical k)</p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>For transverse acc'n of C is $\left(\frac{1}{2}a\right)\alpha$ as above</p> <p>6 Direction must be clear</p> <p><i>Equations involving horizontal and vertical components can earn B1M1B1M1</i></p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p>Must use I_G</p>

7 (i)	$RB^2 = a^2 + (2a)^2 - 2(a)(2a)\cos(\theta + \frac{1}{4}\pi)$ $= 5a^2 - 4a^2(\cos\theta\cos\frac{1}{4}\pi - \sin\theta\sin\frac{1}{4}\pi)$ $= a^2(5 - 2\sqrt{2}\cos\theta + 2\sqrt{2}\sin\theta)$	M1 A1 (ag) 2	
(ii)	$V = -mg(2a\sin\theta) + \frac{mg\sqrt{2}}{2a} \times RB^2$ $= \frac{5}{2}\sqrt{2}mga - 2mga\cos\theta$ $\frac{dV}{d\theta} = 2mga\sin\theta$ <p>When $\theta = 0$, $\frac{dV}{d\theta} = 0$, hence equilibrium</p> $\frac{d^2V}{d\theta^2} = 2mga\cos\theta$ <p>When $\theta = 0$, $\frac{d^2V}{d\theta^2} = 2mga > 0$, hence stable</p>	M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A1 6	Considering PE and EE Correctly shown or other method for max / min Correctly shown
(iii)	<p>KE is $\frac{1}{2}m(2a\dot{\theta})^2$</p> $\frac{5}{2}\sqrt{2}mga - 2mga\cos\theta + 2ma^2\dot{\theta}^2 = E$ <p>Differentiating w.r.t. t,</p> $2mga\sin\theta\dot{\theta} + 4ma^2\dot{\theta}\ddot{\theta} = 0$ $\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{2a}\sin\theta$ <hr/> <p>OR $(mg\cos\theta - T\sin\phi)(2a) = I\ddot{\theta}$, where</p> $T = \frac{mg\sqrt{2}(RB)}{a} \text{ and } \frac{\sin\phi}{a} = \frac{\sin(\theta + \frac{1}{4}\pi)}{RB}$ $\ddot{\theta} = -\frac{g}{2a}\sin\theta$ <hr/> <p>Period is $2\pi\sqrt{\frac{2a}{g}}$</p>	B1 M1 M1 A1 M2 A2 B1 ft 5	Requires fully correct working or $mg\cos\theta - T\sin\phi = m(2a\ddot{\theta})$ Give A1 if just one minor error ft provided that k is in terms of a and g only