

# Year 13 Mathematics Mock Set#03c

## Pure Paper 2

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- You can also print in A4, double-sided, and two staples on the left
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This exam paper has 15 questions, for a total of 100 marks.

Question	Marks	Score
1	5	
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11	6	
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13	9	
14	6	
15	8	
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2. Given that  $a$  is a positive constant and

$$f(x) = |3x - a| \quad \{x \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

(a) sketch the graph with equation  $y = f(x)$ , showing the coordinates of the points where the graph cuts or meets the coordinate axes.

(2)

Given that  $x = 4$  is a solution to the equation

$$|3x - a| = \frac{1}{2}x + 2$$

(b) find the two possible values of  $a$ .

(3)

For one of the values of  $a$ ,  $x = 4$  is the smaller of the two equations.

For this value of  $a$ ,

(c) find the value of the larger solution.

(2)









3. Let  $f(x) = 2x^3 + 3x$ .

Use differentiation from first principles to show that  $f'(x) = 6x^2 + 3$

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4.

$$f(x) = \frac{10}{\sqrt{4-3x}}$$

(a) Show that the first 4 terms of the binomial expansion of  $f(x)$ , in ascending powers of  $x$ , are

$$A + Bx + Cx^2 + \frac{675}{1024}x^3$$

where  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are constants to be found.

Give each constant in simplest form.

(4)

Given that this expansion is valid for  $|x| < k$

(b) state the largest value of  $k$ .

(1)

By substituting  $x = \frac{1}{3}$  into  $f(x)$  and into the answer for part (a),

(c) find an approximation for  $\sqrt{3}$ .

Give your answer in the form  $\frac{a}{b}$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers to be found.

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6.

$$f(x) = 4 \cos x + e^{-x}$$

(a) Show that the equation  $f(x) = 0$  has a root  $\alpha$  between 1.6 and 1.7

(2)

(b) Taking 1.6 as your first approximation to  $\alpha$ , apply the Newton-Raphson procedure once to  $f(x)$  to obtain a second approximation to  $\alpha$ .

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

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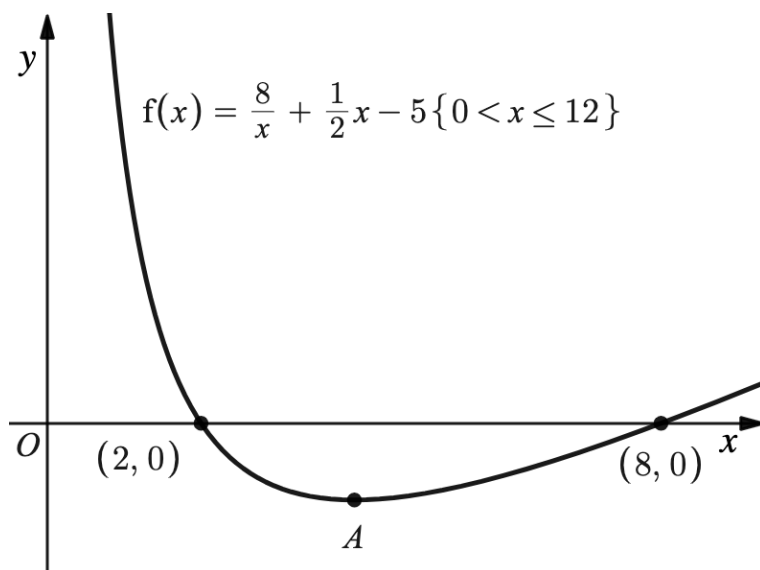


Figure 1: <https://www.desmos.com/calculator/0vavyopdns>

Figure 1 shows a sketch of the curve with equation  $y = f(x)$  where

$$f(x) = \frac{8}{x} + \frac{1}{2}x - 5 \quad \{0 < x \leq 12\}$$

The curve crosses the  $x$ -axis at  $(2, 0)$  and  $(8, 0)$  and has a minimum point at  $A$ .

(a) Use calculus to find the coordinates of  $A$ .

(5)

(b) State

(i) the roots of the equation  $2f(x) = 0$

(ii) the coordinates of the turning point on the curve  $y = f(x) + 2$

(iii) the roots of the equation  $f(4x) = 0$

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8. (a) Express  $\frac{3x^2 - 4}{x^2(3x - 2)}$  in partial fractions.

(4)

(b) Given that  $x > \frac{2}{3}$ , find the general solution of the differential equation

$$x^2(3x - 2) \frac{dy}{dx} = y(3x^2 - 4)$$

Give your answer in the form  $y = f(x)$

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10. The growth of duckweed on a pond is being studied.

The surface area of the pond covered by duckweed,  $A \text{ m}^2$ , at a time  $t$  days after the start of the study is modelled by the equation

$$A = pq^t$$

where  $p$  and  $q$  are positive constants.

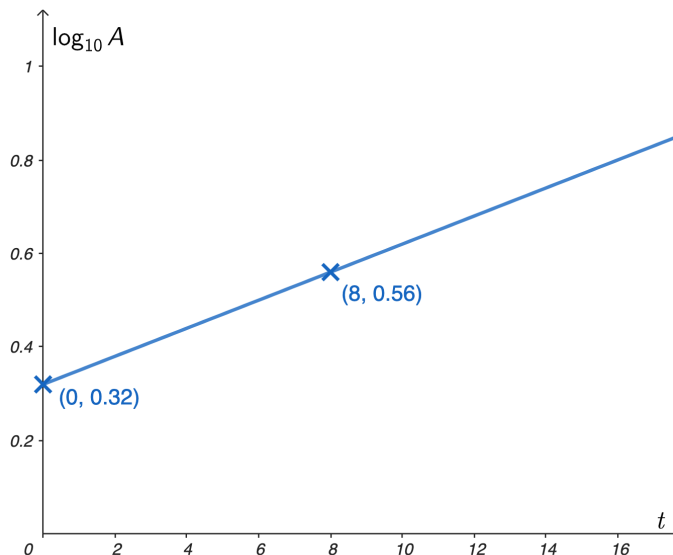


Figure 2: <https://www.geogebra.org/calculator/xvhnge2d>

Figure 2 shows the linear relationship between  $\log_{10} A$  and  $t$ .

The points  $(0, 0.32)$  and  $(8, 0.56)$  lie on the line as shown.

(a) Find the value of  $p$  and the value of  $q$ .

Give your answers to 3 decimal places.

(4)

Using the model with the values of  $p$  and the value of  $q$  found in part (a),

(b) find the rate of increase of the surface area of the pond covered by duckweed, in  $\text{m}^2/\text{day}$ , exactly 6 days after the start of the study.

Give your answer to 2 decimal places.

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11.

$x$	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9
$y$	1.632	1.711	1.786	1.869	1.930

The table above shows corresponding values of  $x$  and  $y$  for the curve with equation  $y = f(x)$  between  $x = 0.5$  and  $x = 0.9$

The values of  $y$  are given to 4 significant figures.

- (a) Using the trapezium rule, with all the values of  $y$  in the table, to find an estimate for

$$\int_{0.5}^{0.9} f(x) \, dx$$

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

(3)

- (b) Using your answer to part (a), deduce an estimate for

$$\int_{0.5}^{0.9} (3f(x) + 2) \, dx$$

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12.

In this question you must show all stages of your working.  
Solutions relying on calculator technology are not acceptable.

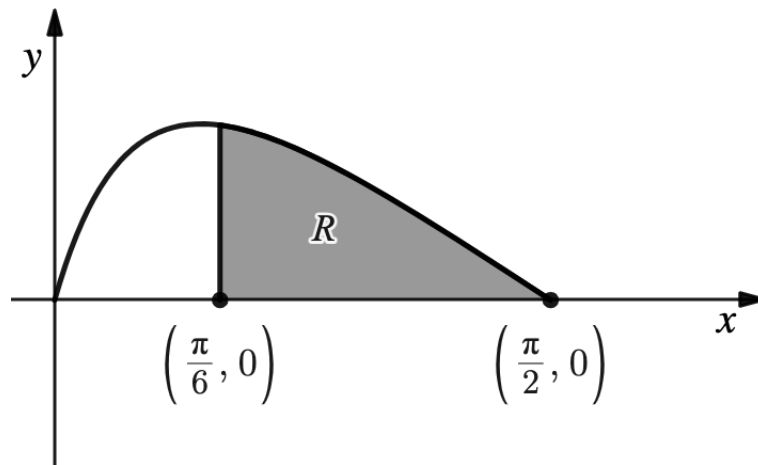


Figure 3

Figure 3 shows a sketch of the curve with equation

$$y = \frac{16 \sin 2x}{(3 + 4 \sin x)^2} \quad \left\{ 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2} \right\}$$

The region  $R$ , shown shaded, is bounded by the curve, the  $x$ -axis and the line  $x = \frac{\pi}{6}$

Using the substitution  $u = 3 + 4 \sin x$ , show that the area of  $R$  can be written in the form  $a + \ln b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are rational constants to be found.

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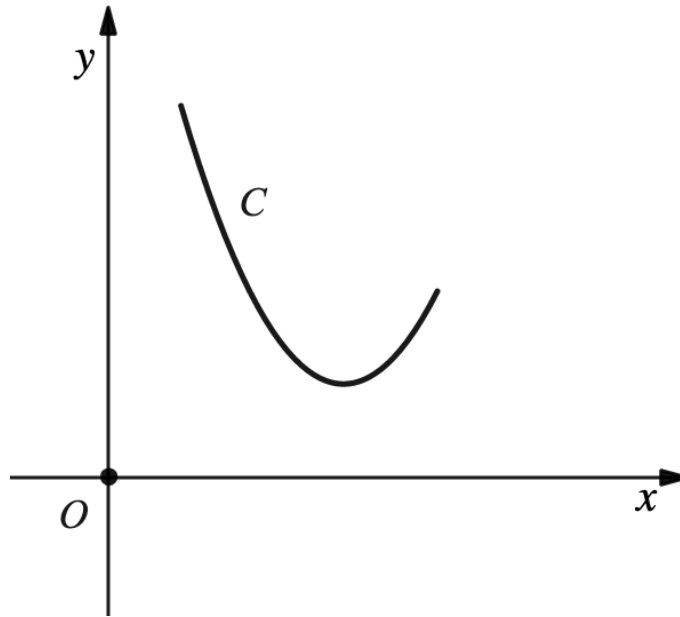








13.



**Figure 4:** <https://www.desmos.com/calculator/6sado6amu7>

Figure 4 shows a sketch of the curve  $C$  with parametric equations

$$x = 5 + 2 \tan t \quad y = 8 \sec^2 t \quad \left\{ -\frac{\pi}{3} \leq t \leq \frac{\pi}{4} \right\}$$

- (a) Use parametric differentiation to find the gradient of  $C$  at  $x = 3$  (4)

The curve  $C$  has equation  $y = f(x)$ , where  $f$  is a quadratic function.

- (b) Find  $f(x)$  in the form  $a(x + b)^2 + c$ , where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are constants to be found. (3)
- (c) Find the range of  $f$ . (2)

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14. Relative to a fixed origin  $O$ ,

- the point  $A$  has position vector  $5\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$
- the point  $B$  has position vector  $7\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$
- the point  $C$  has position vector  $4\mathbf{i} + 8\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$

(a) Find  $|\overrightarrow{AB}|$

Give your answer as a simplified surd.

(2)

Given that  $ABCD$  is a parallelogram,

(b) find the position vector of the point  $D$ .

(2)

The point  $E$  is positioned such that

- $ACE$  is a straight line
- $AC : CE = 2 : 1$

(c) Find the coordinates of the point  $E$ .

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Question 14 continued

Lined writing area for the answer to Question 14.







15. (a) Express  $12 \sin x - 5 \cos x$  in the form  $R \sin(x - \alpha)$ , where  $R$  and  $\alpha$  are constants,  $R > 0$  and  $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

Give the exact value of  $R$  and give the value of  $\alpha$  in radians, to 3 decimal places.

(3)

The function  $g$  is defined by

$$g(\theta) = 10 + 12 \sin\left(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) - 5 \cos\left(2\theta - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \quad \{\theta > 0\}$$

- (b) (i) the minimum value of  $g(\theta)$   
 (ii) the smallest value of  $\theta$  at which this minimum value occurs.

(3)

The function  $h$  is defined by

$$h(\beta) = 10 - 12\left(12 \sin \beta - 5 \cos \beta\right)^2$$

- (c) Find the range of  $h$ .

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