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**X847/76/11**

**Mathematics  
Paper 1 (Non-calculator)**

THURSDAY, 4 MAY  
9:00 AM – 10:15 AM



**Total marks — 55**

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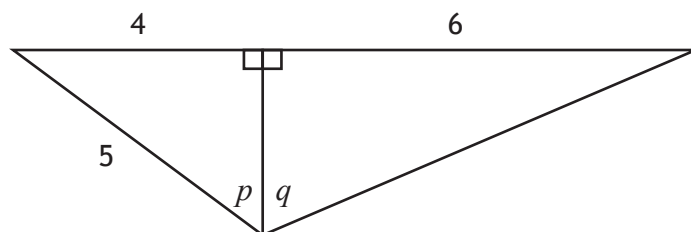
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1. Given that  $y = x^{\frac{5}{3}} - \frac{10}{x^4}$ , where  $x \neq 0$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ . 3

2. P and Q are the points  $(-2, 6)$  and  $(10, 0)$ .  
Find the equation of the perpendicular bisector of PQ. 4

3. Solve  $\log_5 x - \log_5 3 = 2$ . 3

4. The diagram shows two right-angled triangles with angles  $p$  and  $q$  as marked.



(a) Determine the value of:

(i)  $\cos p$  1

(ii)  $\cos q$ . 1

(b) Hence determine the value of  $\cos(p + q)$ . 3

5. The equation  $2x^2 + (3p - 2)x + p = 0$  has equal roots.  
Determine the possible values of  $p$ .

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6. Find  $\int (2x^5 - 6\sqrt{x}) dx, x \geq 0$ .

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7. (a) Evaluate  $\log_2 5 + \log_2 \frac{1}{40}$ .

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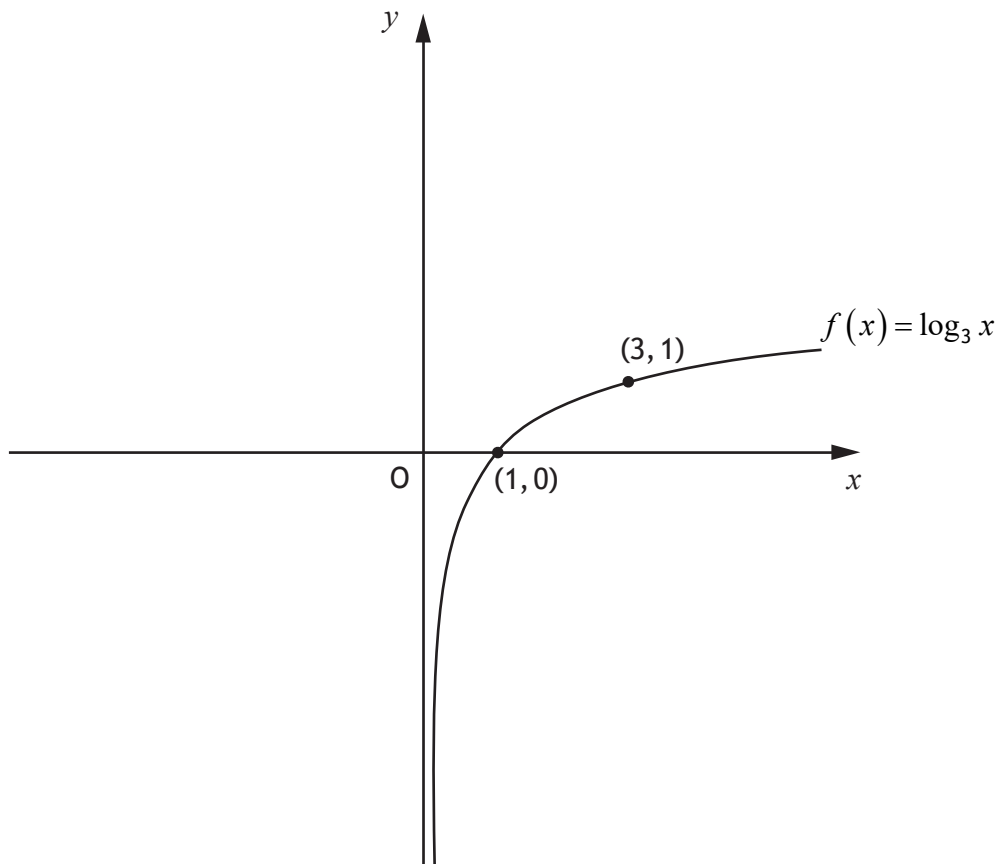
- (b) Given that  $a \in \mathbb{R}$  and that  $\log_8 a$  is negative, state the range of possible values of  $a$ .

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8. A function,  $f$ , is defined on  $\mathbb{R}$ , the set of real numbers, by  $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x + 5$ .  
Find the coordinates of the stationary points of  $f$  and determine their nature.

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9. The diagram shows the graph of the function  $f(x) = \log_3 x$ , where  $x > 0$ .



The inverse function,  $f^{-1}$ , exists.

On the diagram in your answer booklet, sketch the graph of  $y = f^{-1}(x) - 1$ .

3

10. (a) Show that  $(x+5)$  is a factor of  $x^4 + 3x^3 - 7x^2 + 9x - 30$ .

2

- (b) Hence, or otherwise, solve  $x^4 + 3x^3 - 7x^2 + 9x - 30 = 0$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

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11. (a) Evaluate  $\int_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\pi} (5 \sin x - 3 \cos x) dx$ . 3

The diagram in your answer booklet shows the graphs with equations  $y = 5 \sin x$  and  $y = 3 \cos x$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

- (b) On the diagram in your answer booklet, shade the area represented by the integral in (a). 1

12. Express  $-2x^2 - 12x + 7$  in the form  $a(x+b)^2 + c$ . 3

13. Functions  $f$  and  $g$  are defined by:

- $f(x) = 2 \sin x$ , where  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$
- $g(x) = 2x$ , where  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{4}$

- (a) (i) Evaluate  $f\left(g\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right)$ . 1

- (ii) Determine an expression for  $f(g(x))$ . 2

- (b) (i) Given that  $f(p) = \frac{1}{3}$ , determine the exact value of  $\sin p$ . 1

- (ii) Hence, determine the exact value of  $f(g(p))$ . 3

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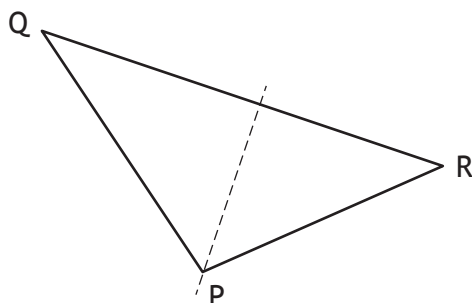
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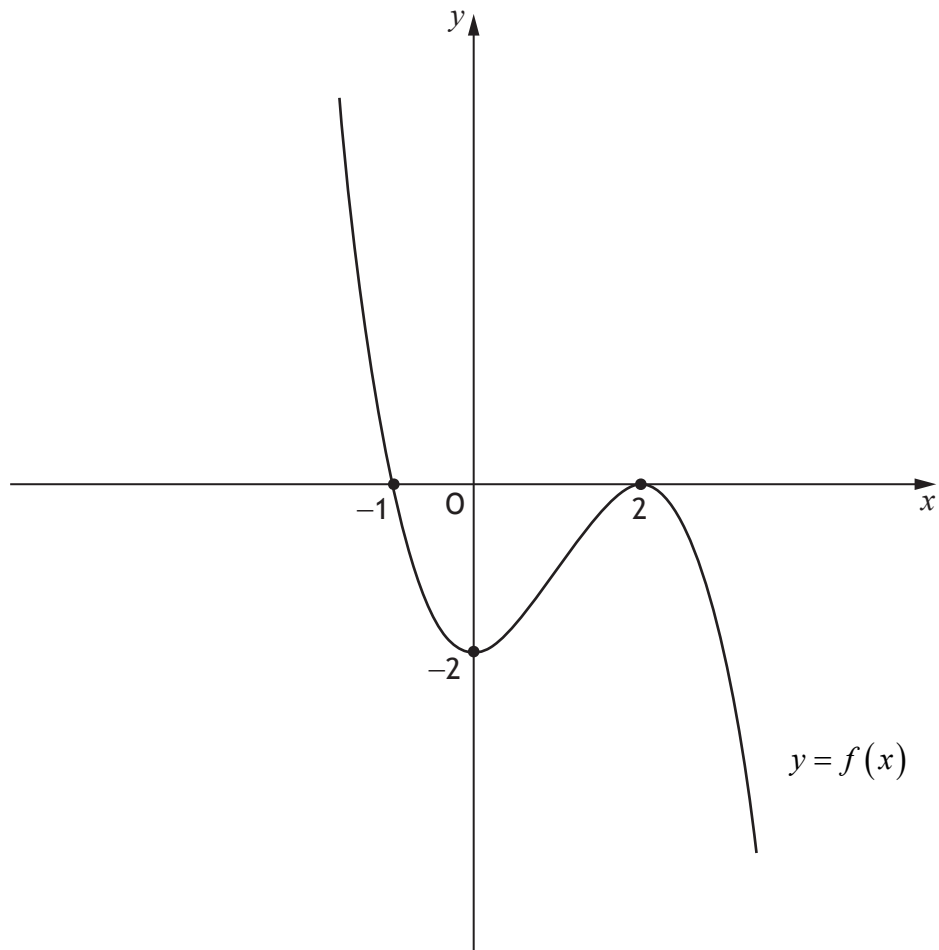
1. Triangle PQR has vertices  $P(5, -1)$ ,  $Q(-2, 8)$  and  $R(13, 3)$ .



- (a) Find the equation of the altitude from P. 3
- (b) Calculate the angle that the side PR makes with the positive direction of the  $x$ -axis. 2
2. Find the equation of the tangent to the curve with equation  $y = 2x^5 - 3x$  at the point where  $x = 1$ . 4
3. Find  $\int 7 \cos\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) dx$ . 2

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4. The diagram shows the cubic graph of  $y = f(x)$ , with stationary points at  $(2, 0)$  and  $(0, -2)$ .



On the diagram in your answer booklet, sketch the graph of  $y = 2f(-x)$ .

2

5. A function,  $f$ , is defined by  $f(x) = (3 - 2x)^4$ , where  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .  
Calculate the rate of change of  $f$  when  $x = 4$ .

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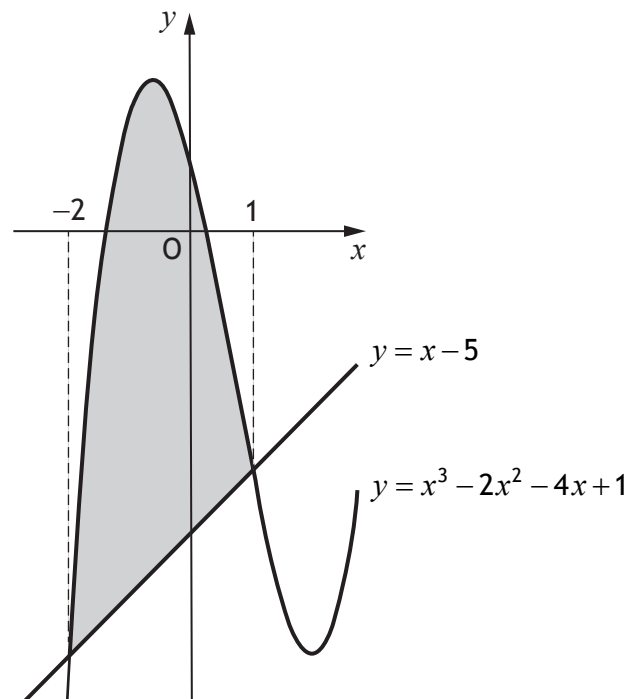
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7. Solve the equation  $\sin x^\circ + 2 = 3 \cos 2x^\circ$  for  $0 \leq x < 360$ .

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8. The diagram shows part of the curve with equation  $y = x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1$  and the line with equation  $y = x - 5$ .

The curve and the line intersect at the points where  $x = -2$  and  $x = 1$ .



Calculate the shaded area.

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9. (a) Express  $7 \cos x^\circ - 3 \sin x^\circ$  in the form  $k \sin(x + a)^\circ$  where  $k > 0$ ,  $0 < a < 360$ . 4
- (b) Hence, or otherwise, find:
- (i) the maximum value of  $14 \cos x^\circ - 6 \sin x^\circ$  1
- (ii) the value of  $x$  for which it occurs where  $0 \leq x < 360$ . 2
10. Determine the range of values of  $x$  for which the function  $f(x) = 2x^3 + 9x^2 - 24x + 6$  is strictly decreasing. 4
11. Circle  $C_1$  has equation  $(x - 4)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 37$ .  
Circle  $C_2$  has equation  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y - 7 = 0$ .
- (a) Calculate the distance between the centres of  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ . 3
- (b) Hence, show that  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  intersect at two distinct points. 3

12. A curve, for which  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x^3 + 3$ , passes through the point  $(-1, 3)$ .  
Express  $y$  in terms of  $x$ .

4

13. A patient is given a dose of medicine.  
The concentration of the medicine in the patient's blood is modelled by

$$C_t = 11e^{-0.0053 t}$$

where:

- $t$  is the time, in minutes, since the dose of medicine was given
- $C_t$  is the concentration of the medicine, in mg/l, at time  $t$ .

- (a) Calculate the concentration of the medicine 30 minutes after the dose was given.

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The dose of medicine becomes ineffective when its concentration falls to 0.66 mg/l.

- (b) Calculate the time taken for this dose of the medicine to become ineffective.

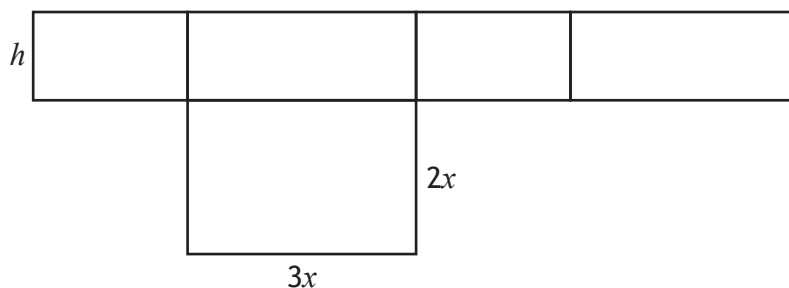
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14. A net of an open box is shown.

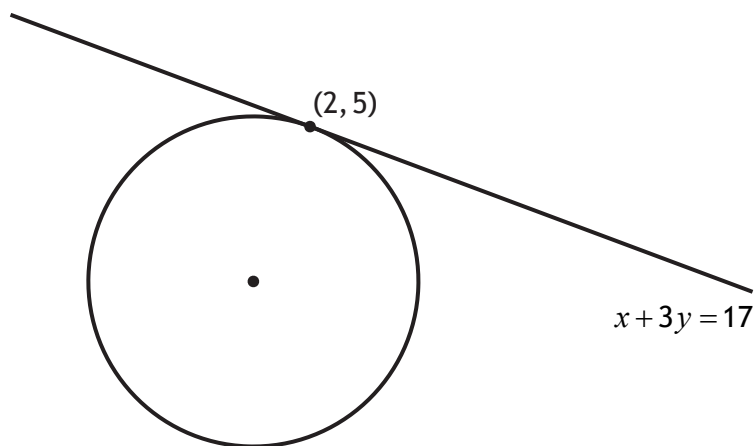
The box is a cuboid with height  $h$  centimetres.

The base is a rectangle measuring  $3x$  centimetres by  $2x$  centimetres.



- (a) (i) Express the area of the net,  $A \text{ cm}^2$ , in terms of  $h$  and  $x$ . 1
- (ii) Given that  $A = 7200 \text{ cm}^2$ , show that the volume of the box,  $V \text{ cm}^3$ , is given by  $V = 4320x - \frac{18}{5}x^3$ . 2
- (b) Determine the value of  $x$  that maximises the volume of the box. 4

15. The line  $x + 3y = 17$  is a tangent to a circle at the point  $(2, 5)$ .



The centre of the circle lies on the  $y$ -axis.

Find the coordinates of the centre of the circle. 4

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