

**Wednesday 18 May 2016 – Morning****A2 GCE MATHEMATICS****4729/01 Mechanics 2****QUESTION PAPER**

Candidates answer on the Printed Answer Book.

**OCR supplied materials:**

- Printed Answer Book 4729/01
- List of Formulae (MF1)

**Other materials required:**

- Scientific or graphical calculator

**Duration: 1 hour 30 minutes****INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

These instructions are the same on the Printed Answer Book and the Question Paper.

- The Question Paper will be found inside the Printed Answer Book.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the spaces provided on the Printed Answer Book. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the Printed Answer Book.** Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- You are permitted to use a scientific or graphical calculator in this paper.
- 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.
- The acceleration due to gravity is denoted by  $g \text{ ms}^{-2}$ . Unless otherwise instructed, when a numerical value is needed, use  $g = 9.8$ .

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

This information is the same on the Printed Answer Book and the Question Paper.

- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question on the Question Paper.
- **You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.**
- The total number of marks for this paper is **72**.
- The Printed Answer Book consists of **12** pages. The Question Paper consists of **8** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.

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Answer **all** the questions.

- 1** A car of mass 1400 kg is travelling on a straight horizontal road against a constant resistance to motion of 600 N. At a certain instant the car is accelerating at  $0.3 \text{ m s}^{-2}$  and the engine of the car is working at a rate of 23 kW.

- (i) Find the speed of the car at this instant.

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Subsequently the car moves up a hill inclined at  $10^\circ$  to the horizontal at a steady speed of  $12 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . The resistance to motion is still a constant 600 N.

- (ii) Calculate the power of the car's engine as it moves up the hill.

[3]

- 2**  $A$  and  $B$  are two points on a line of greatest slope of a plane inclined at  $55^\circ$  to the horizontal.  $A$  is below the level of  $B$  and  $AB = 4\text{m}$ . A particle  $P$  of mass 2.5 kg is projected up the plane from  $A$  towards  $B$  and the speed of  $P$  at  $B$  is  $6.7 \text{ m s}^{-1}$ . The coefficient of friction between the plane and  $P$  is 0.15. Find

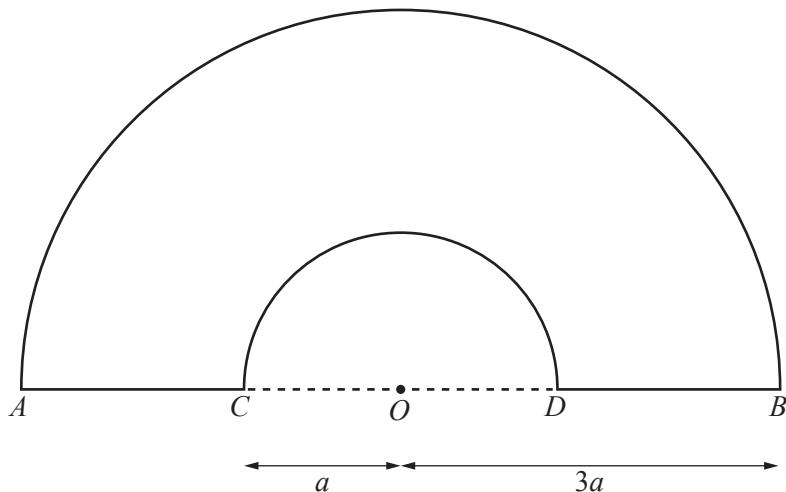
- (i) the work done against the frictional force as  $P$  moves from  $A$  to  $B$ ,

[3]

- (ii) the initial speed of  $P$  at  $A$ .

[4]

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**Fig. 1**

A uniform lamina  $ABDC$  is bounded by two semicircular arcs  $AB$  and  $CD$ , each with centre  $O$  and of radii  $3a$  and  $a$  respectively, and two straight edges,  $AC$  and  $DB$ , which lie on the line  $AOB$  (see Fig. 1).

- (i) Show that the distance of the centre of mass of the lamina from  $O$  is  $\frac{13a}{3\pi}$ .

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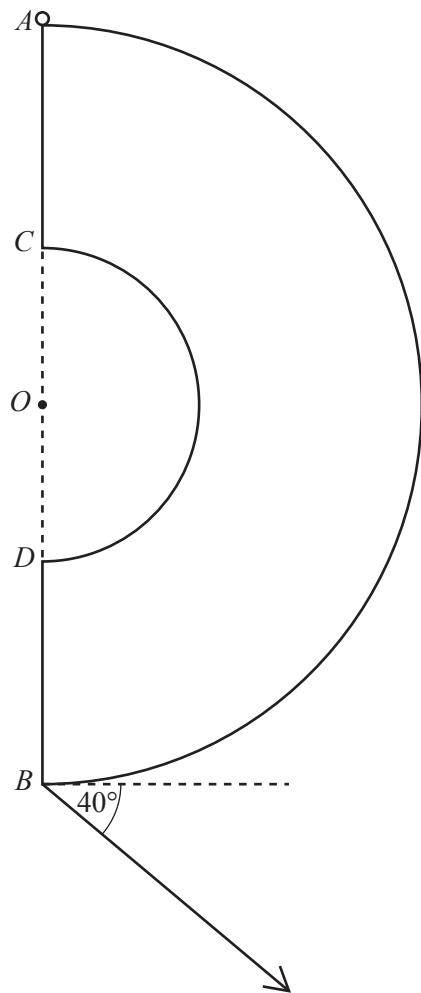
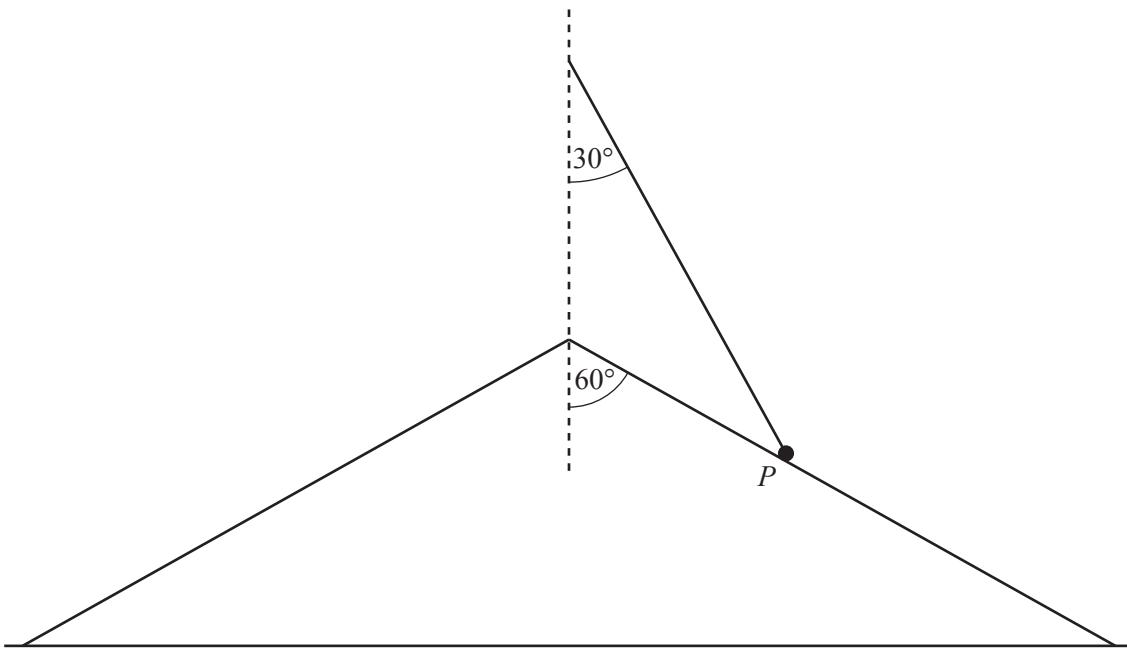


Fig. 2

The lamina has mass 3 kg and is freely pivoted to a fixed point at  $A$ . The lamina is held in equilibrium with  $AB$  vertical by means of a light string attached to  $B$ . The string lies in the same plane as the lamina and is at an angle of  $40^\circ$  below the horizontal (see Fig. 2).

(ii) Calculate the tension in the string. [3]

(iii) Find the direction of the force acting on the lamina at  $A$ . [4]



A smooth solid cone of semi-vertical angle  $60^\circ$  is fixed to the ground with its axis vertical. A particle  $P$  of mass  $m$  is attached to one end of a light inextensible string of length  $a$ . The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point vertically above the vertex of the cone.  $P$  rotates in a horizontal circle on the surface of the cone with constant angular velocity  $\omega$ . The string is inclined to the downward vertical at an angle of  $30^\circ$  (see diagram).

- (i) Show that the magnitude of the contact force between the cone and the particle is  $\frac{1}{6}m(2\sqrt{3}g - 3a\omega^2)$ . [6]
- (ii) Given that  $a = 0.5$  m and  $m = 3.5$  kg, find, in either order, the greatest speed for which the particle remains in contact with the cone and the corresponding tension in the string. [3]

- 5 A uniform ladder  $AB$ , of weight  $W$  and length  $2a$ , rests with the end  $A$  in contact with rough horizontal ground and the end  $B$  resting against a smooth vertical wall. The ladder is inclined at an angle  $\theta$  to the horizontal, where  $\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$ . A man of weight  $6W$  is standing on the ladder at a distance  $x$  from  $A$  and the system is in equilibrium.

- (i) Show that the magnitude of the frictional force exerted by the ground on the ladder is  $\frac{5W}{24}(1 + \frac{6x}{a})$ . [5]

The coefficient of friction between the ladder and the ground is  $\frac{1}{3}$ .

- (ii) Find, in terms of  $a$ , the greatest value of  $x$  for which the system is in equilibrium. [3]

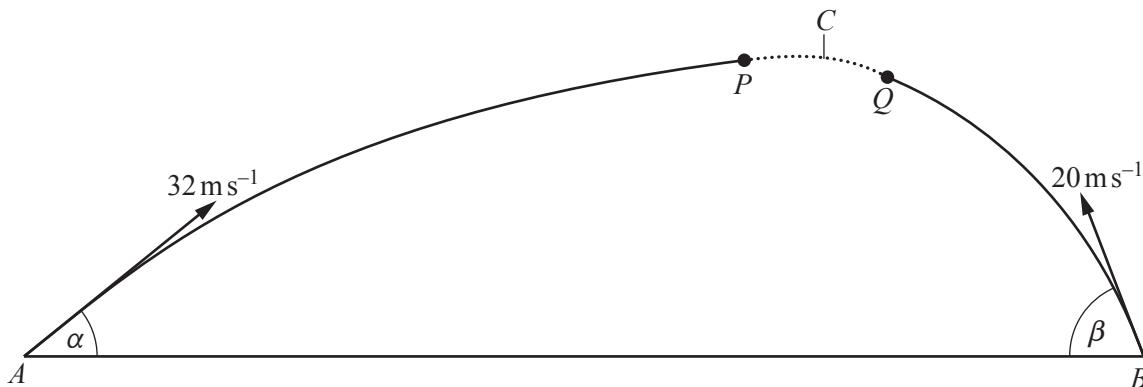
The bottom of the ladder  $A$  is moved closer to the wall so that the ladder is now inclined at an angle  $\alpha$  to the horizontal. The man of weight  $6W$  can now stand at the top of the ladder  $B$  without the ladder slipping.

- (iii) Find the least possible value of  $\tan \alpha$ . [3]

- 6 The masses of two particles  $A$  and  $B$  are 4 kg and 3 kg respectively. The particles are moving towards each other along a straight line on a smooth horizontal surface.  $A$  has speed  $8 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  and  $B$  has speed  $10 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  before they collide. The kinetic energy lost due to the collision is 121.5 J.

(i) Find the speed and direction of motion of each particle after the collision. [8]

(ii) Find the coefficient of restitution between  $A$  and  $B$ . [2]



A particle  $P$  is projected with speed  $32 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  at an angle of elevation  $\alpha$ , where  $\sin \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ , from a point  $A$  on horizontal ground. At the same instant a particle  $Q$  is projected with speed  $20 \text{ m s}^{-1}$  at an angle of elevation  $\beta$ , where  $\sin \beta = \frac{24}{25}$ , from a point  $B$  on the same horizontal ground. The particles move freely under gravity in the same vertical plane and collide with each other at the point  $C$  at the instant when they are travelling horizontally (see diagram).

(i) Calculate the height of  $C$  above the ground and the distance  $AB$ . [4]

Immediately after the collision  $P$  falls vertically.  $P$  hits the ground and rebounds vertically upwards, coming to instantaneous rest at a height 5 m above the ground.

(ii) Given that the mass of  $P$  is 3 kg, find the magnitude and direction of the impulse exerted on  $P$  by the ground. [4]

The coefficient of restitution between the two particles is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

(iii) Find the distance of  $Q$  from  $C$  at the instant when  $Q$  is travelling in a direction of  $25^\circ$  below the horizontal. [9]

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