

**ELEMENTARY MATHEMATICS****4016/02**

Paper 2 Suggested Solutions

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1. **Topics: Algebraic Manipulation, Solutions to Quadratic Equations**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \frac{7p^2-28}{p^2+2p} &= \frac{7(p^2-4)}{p(p+2)} \\ &= \frac{7(p+2)(p-2)}{p(p+2)} \\ &= \frac{7(p-2)}{p} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad 1 - \frac{3f-g}{f+2g} &= \frac{f+2g-(3f-g)}{f+2g} \\ &= \frac{f+2g-3f+g}{f+2g} \\ &= \frac{3g-2f}{f+2g} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c)} \quad \text{(i)} \quad x^2 + 11x - 15 &= x^2 + 11x + \left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{11}{2}\right)^2 - 15 \\ &= \left(x + \frac{11}{2}\right)^2 - 45.25 \\ &= (x + 5.5)^2 - 45.25 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad x^2 + 11x - 15 = 0$$

From (c)(ii):

$$(x + 5.5)^2 - 45.25 = 0$$

$$(x + 5.5)^2 = 45.25$$

$$x + 5.5 = \pm 6.7268$$

$$x = \mathbf{1.23 \text{ or } -12.23}$$

Completing the Square:

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + bx + c &= x^2 + bx + \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 + c \\ &= \left(x + \frac{b}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2 + c \end{aligned}$$

**Hence** question (no  
*Otherwise* stated)

⇒ you cannot use

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

2. **Topic: Trigonometry**

$$\text{(a)} \quad \cos 49^\circ = \frac{AD}{9.4}$$

$$AD \approx \mathbf{6.17 \text{ m (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad \angle PAB = 90^\circ - 49^\circ - 32^\circ = 9^\circ$$

$$\sin 9^\circ = \frac{PB}{12.1}$$

$$PB \approx \mathbf{1.89 \text{ m (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c)} \quad \text{Area of } \triangle APQ &= \frac{1}{2} (9.4) (12.1) \sin 32^\circ \\ &\approx \mathbf{30.1 \text{ m}^2 \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d)} \quad \text{Using cosine rule, } PQ^2 &= 9.4^2 + 12.1^2 - 2(9.4)(12.1) \cos 32^\circ \\ PQ &\approx \mathbf{6.47 \text{ m (3 sig. fig.)}} \end{aligned}$$

3. **Topic: Arithmetic (Application of Mathematics in Practical Situations)**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad \text{Total cost of making 25 000 souvenirs} &= 25000 \times \$0.90 \\ &= \mathbf{\$22500} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad \text{Cost of materials per souvenir} = \$ \left[ \frac{0.9}{15} \times 5 \right] = \mathbf{\$0.30}$$

$$\text{Cost of wages per souvenir} = \$ \left[ \frac{0.9}{15} \times 4 \right] = \mathbf{\$0.24}$$

$$\text{(c)} \quad \text{Total no. of hours spent} = 7 \times 5 = 35 \text{ hours}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Salary for 35 hours} = \$630 \text{ (Given)}$$

$$\text{Salary per hour} = \$630 \div 35 = \$18$$

$$\therefore \text{no. of souvenirs John made in one hour} = \frac{18}{0.24} = \mathbf{75}$$

$$\text{(d)} \quad \text{From (b): Original cost of materials} = \$0.30$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Increase in cost of materials} = \$0.30 \times 50\% = \$0.15$$

$$\text{Original wages} = \$0.24$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Increase in wages} = \$0.24 \times 10\% = \$0.024$$

$$\begin{aligned} \% \text{ increase in cost of making a souvenir} &= \frac{\$0.15 + \$0.024}{\$0.90} \times 100\% \\ &\approx \mathbf{19.3\% \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(e)} \quad 125\% \text{ of cost price} = \$2.00$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Cost price} = \frac{\$2.00}{1.25} = \mathbf{\$1.60}$$



4. **Topic: Number Patterns**

(a)  $u_5 = 2^4 + 9 = 25$  (shown)

(b)  $u_6 = 2^5 + 11 = 43$

(c)  $u_n = 2^{n-1} + 2n - 1$

(d)  $u_{20} = 2^{19} + 2(20) - 1 = 524327$

(e) (i) L.H.S.:  $2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} = \frac{2^n}{2} - \frac{2^n}{2^2}$   
 $= 2^n \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right)$   
 $= 2^n \left( \frac{1}{4} \right)$   
 $= 2^n (2^{-2})$   
 $= 2^{n-2} = \text{R.H.S. (Shown)}$

(ii)  $u_n - u_{n-1} = [2^{n-1} + 2n - 1] - [2^{n-2} + 2(n-1) - 1]$   
 $= [2^{n-1} + 2n - 1] - [2^{n-2} + 2n - 3]$   
 $= 2^{n-1} + 2n - 1 - 2^{n-2} - 2n + 3$   
 $= 2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} + 2$   
 $= 2^{n-2} + 2$

Sub  $2^{n-1} - 2^{n-2} = 2^{n-2}$   
 as proven in (e)(i).

5. **Topic: Algebraic Representation & Formulae**

(a) Cost of each apple =  $\frac{\$12}{m} = \left(\frac{1200}{m}\right)\text{¢}$

\$12 = 1200¢  
 → question requires this to  
 be expressed in cents.

(b) No. of remaining apples =  $(m - 3)$

Selling price of each apple =  $\left(\frac{1200}{m} + 2\right)\text{¢}$  ..... (1)

∴ Total sum received from the sale of the apples  
 $= (m - 3)\left(\frac{1200}{m} + 2\right)$

(c)  $(m - 3)\left(\frac{1200}{m} + 2\right) - 1200 = 96$

$(m - 3)\left(\frac{1200 + 2m}{m}\right) = 1296$

$(m - 3)(1200 + 2m) = 1296m$

$1200m + 2m^2 - 3600 - 6m = 1296m$

$2m^2 - 102m - 3600 = 0$

$m^2 - 51m - 1800 = 0$  (Shown)

Total cost = \$12 = 1200¢ (given)  
 Total sales =  $(m - 3)\left(\frac{1200}{m} + 2\right)$  from (b)  
 Profit = total sales - total cost

(d)  $m^2 - 51m - 1800 = 0$   
 $m = \frac{51 \pm \sqrt{(-51)^2 - 4(1)(-1800)}}{2}$   
 $= \frac{51 \pm \sqrt{9801}}{2}$   
 $= 75 \text{ or } -24$

(e)  $m = 75$  ( $m = -24$  rejected ∵ number of apples cannot be negative)

Sub  $m = 75$  into (1): Selling price =  $\left(\frac{1200}{75} + 2\right)\text{¢}$   
 $= 18\text{¢} = \$0.18$

6. **Topics: Congruence & Similarity, Angles & Triangles**

(a)  $\angle LAD = \angle LCB$  (angles in same segment)

$\angle LDA = \angle LBC$  (angles in same segment)

$\angle ALD = \angle CLB = 90^\circ$  (vertically opposite angles)

∴  $\Delta LAD$  and  $\Delta LCB$  are similar (AAA) (Shown)

(b) (i)  $\angle CNO = 90^\circ$  ( $ON \perp BC$  ∵  $N$  is midpt of  $BC$  of isosceles  $\Delta OBC$ )

(ii)  $\angle DCB = \angle DAB = 58^\circ$  (angles in same segment)

$\angle CON = 180^\circ - \angle CNO - (\angle DCO + \angle DCB)$  (sum of  $\angle$ s in a triangle)  
 $= 180^\circ - 90^\circ - (18^\circ + 58^\circ)$   
 $= 14^\circ$

$\angle CNO = 90^\circ$  from (b)(i)

(iii)  $\angle CBA = 180^\circ - \angle CLB - \angle DCB$  (sum of  $\angle$ s in a triangle)

$= 180^\circ - 90^\circ - 58^\circ$   
 $= 32^\circ$

$\angle DCB = 58^\circ$  from (b)(ii)

(iv)  $\angle CDO = \angle DCO = 18^\circ$  (base  $\angle$ s of isosceles  $\Delta DCO$ )

$\angle ADC = \angle CBA$  (angles in same segment)  
 $= 32^\circ$

$\angle ADO = \angle ADC - \angle CDO$   
 $= 32^\circ - 18^\circ$   
 $= 14^\circ$

$\angle CBA = 32^\circ$  from (b)(iii)



## 7. Topics: Geometrical Properties of Circles, Trigonometry

(a) (i)  $\tan \angle AOC = \frac{AC}{OC}$  ( $OC \perp AC$ :  $OC$  is perpendicular bisector of chord  $AB$ )  
 $= \frac{40}{50}$

$$\angle AOC = 0.6747 \text{ rad}$$

$$\therefore \angle AOB = 2 \times \angle AOC$$

$$= 2 \times 0.6747 \text{ rad}$$

$$\approx 1.349 \text{ rad}$$

$$\approx \mathbf{1.35 \text{ rad (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

(ii) Using Pythagoras' theorem for  $\triangle OAC$ ,

$$AO \text{ (length of radius of sector } OAB) = \sqrt{40^2 + 50^2} \text{ cm}$$

$$= \sqrt{4100} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Area of window} = \text{Area of sector } OAB - \text{Area of } \triangle OAB$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times AO^2 \times \angle AOB - \frac{1}{2} \times AB \times OC$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{4100})^2 (1.349) - \frac{1}{2} (80) (50)$$

$$\approx \mathbf{766 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

(b) (i) Using cosine rule for  $\triangle DEX$ ,

$$EX^2 = DE^2 + DX^2 - 2(DE)(DX) \cos \angle EDX$$

$$= 80^2 + 80^2 - 2(80)(80) \cos 38^\circ$$

$$\therefore EX \approx 52.09 \text{ cm}$$

$$\approx \mathbf{52.1 \text{ cm (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

(ii) Using Pythagoras' theorem,

$$DF = DY = \sqrt{200^2 + 80^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{46400} \text{ cm}$$

Using cosine rule for  $\triangle FDY$ ,

$$FY^2 = DF^2 + DY^2 - 2(DF)(DY) \cos \angle FDY$$

$$\cos \angle FDY = \frac{(\sqrt{46400})^2 + (\sqrt{46400})^2 - (52.09)^2}{2 \sqrt{46400} \sqrt{46400}}$$

$$= 0.97076$$

$$\therefore \angle FDY \approx \mathbf{13.9^\circ \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

$$FY = EX \approx 52.09 \text{ cm}$$

from (b)(i)

## 8. Topic: Mensuration

(a) (i) Using Pythagoras' theorem,

$$\text{Slant height, } s = \sqrt{\left(\frac{0.8}{2}\right)^2 + 2^2} \text{ cm}$$

$$= \sqrt{0.4^2 + 2^2} \text{ cm}$$

$$\approx 2.0396 \text{ cm}$$

$$\approx \mathbf{2.04 \text{ cm (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

$$\text{Radius of pencil} = \frac{0.8}{2} \text{ cm}$$

(ii) Total surface area

$$= \text{Area of cone} + \text{area of cylinder} + \text{area of circular base}$$

$$= \pi(0.4)(2.0396) + 2\pi(0.4)(16) + \pi(0.4)^2$$

$$\approx \mathbf{43.3 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

$$\text{Sub } s = 2.0396$$

from (a)(i) into  
area of cone =  $\pi rs$ .

(b) Volume of pencil

$$= \text{Volume of cone} + \text{volume of cylinder}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \pi (0.4)^2 (2) + \pi (0.4)^2 (16)$$

$$\approx 8.378 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\approx \mathbf{8.38 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ (3 sig. fig.)}}$$

(c) (i) Width of box = 6 × pencil diameter = 6 × 0.8 cm = 4.8 cm

$$\text{Height of box} = 2 \times \text{pencil diameter} = 2 \times 0.8 \text{ cm} = 1.6 \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{Length of box} = 1 \times \text{pencil length} = (16+2) \text{ cm} = 18 \text{ cm}$$

$$\therefore \text{volume of box} = 4.8 \text{ cm} \times 1.6 \text{ cm} \times 18 \text{ cm}$$

$$= \mathbf{138.24 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ (Shown)}}$$

(ii) Volume of box not occupied by the pencils

$$= \text{Volume of box} - \text{total volume of 12 pencils in box}$$

$$= 138.24 \text{ cm}^3 - 12 \times 8.378 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$= 37.704 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Volume of each pencil}$$

$$\approx 8.378 \text{ cm}^3 \text{ from (b)}$$

$$\therefore \% \text{ of the volume not occupied by the pencils}$$

$$= \frac{37.704}{138.24} \times 100\%$$

$$\approx \mathbf{27.3 \%}$$





9. **Topic: Graphical Solution of Equations**

- (a) Sub  $x = 4$  into  $y = \frac{1}{5}x(12 - x^2)$ :  $p = \frac{1}{5}(4)(12 - 4^2) = -3.2$
- (b) See graph.
- (c) Plot  $y = 1$  for the range  $-3 \leq x \leq 4$ .

From graph,

$y = \frac{1}{5}x(12 - x^2)$  intersects  $y = 1$  at  $x = 0.42, 3.23$

$\therefore$  Solution of  $\frac{1}{5}x(12 - x^2) = 1$ :  $x = \mathbf{0.42, 3.23}$

Check:  $x^3 - 12x + 5 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow x = \mathbf{3.23, -3.66, 0.42}$

- (d) From graph, gradient of tangent at  $(3, 1.8) = \frac{4 - (-0.5)}{2.25 - 3.75} = -3$

**AMaths students:**

Check:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{12}{5} - \frac{3x^2}{5}$   
Sub  $x = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -3$

- (e) Since  $2x + y = 2$  is linear, sub the values of  $x = -1$  and  $x = 3$  to obtain the y-values of the two points:

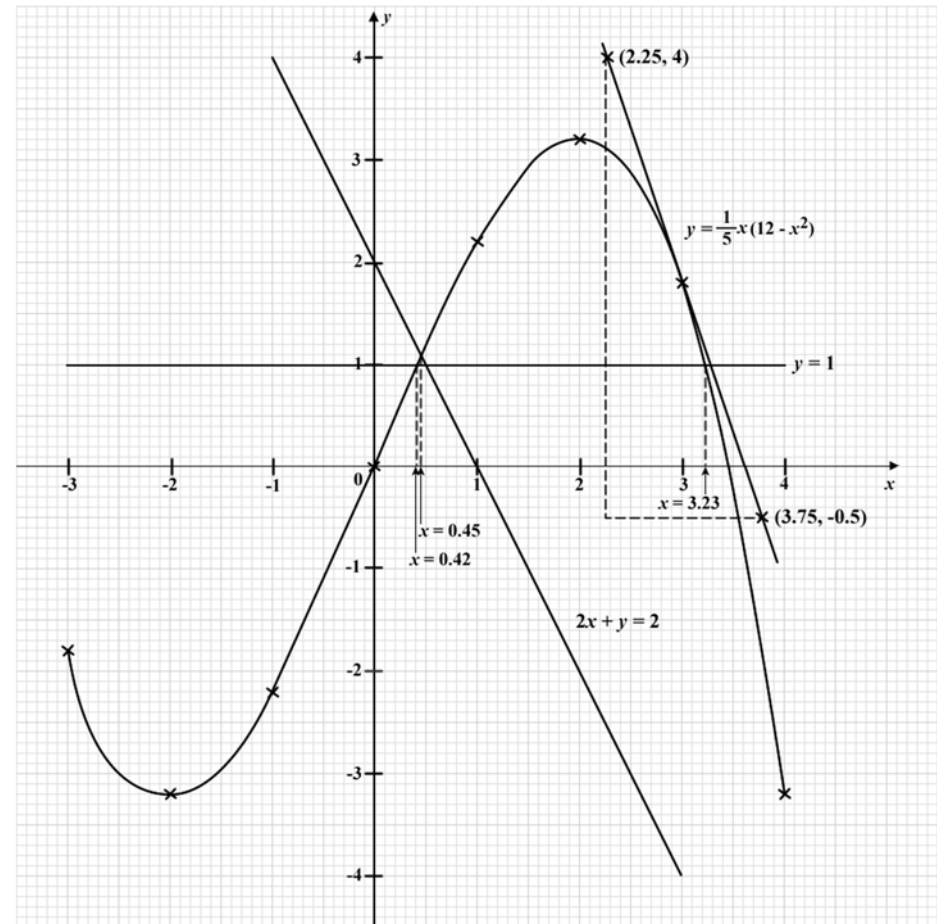
$x$	-1	3
$y$	4	-4

Join up these two points to get the graph of  $2x + y = 2$ .

- (f) (i) From graph,  $x$ -coordinate =  $\mathbf{0.45}$
- (ii)  $\frac{1}{5}x(12 - x^2) = 2 - 2x$   
 $x^3 - 22x + 10 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (1)$

Comparing coefficients of (1) with  $x^3 + Ax^2 + Bx + C = 0$ ,

$A = 0, B = -22, C = 10$



10. **Topics: Data Analysis (Statistics, Cumulative Frequency Distribution), Probability**

(a) (i) From the cumulative frequency graph,

Mass (x kg)	$4 \leq x < 8$	$8 \leq x < 12$	$12 \leq x < 16$	$16 \leq x < 20$	$20 \leq x < 24$
Frequency	3	7	14	11	5

freq. ( $x < 8$ ) –  
freq. ( $x \leq 4$ )  
= 3 – 0

freq. ( $x < 12$ ) –  
freq. ( $x \leq 8$ )  
= 10 – 3

freq. ( $x < 16$ ) –  
freq. ( $x \leq 12$ )  
= 24 – (7+3)

freq. ( $x < 20$ ) –  
freq. ( $x \leq 16$ )  
= 35 – (7+3+14)

freq. ( $x < 24$ ) –  
freq. ( $x \leq 20$ )  
= 40 – (7+3+14+11)

(ii) (a) Mean mass =  $\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}$   

$$= \frac{3(6)+7(10)+14(14)+11(18)+5(22)}{40}$$
 Use the mid-value of each interval for x.  

$$= 14.8$$

(b) Standard deviation =  $\sqrt{\frac{\sum fx^2}{\sum f} - \left(\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f}\right)^2}$   

$$= \sqrt{\frac{3(6)^2+7(10)^2+14(14)^2+11(18)^2+5(22)^2}{40} - 14.8^2}$$

$$= 4.4$$

$$\frac{\sum fx}{\sum f} = 14.8 \text{ from (ii)(a)}$$

(iii) The 2<sup>nd</sup> curve will have an overall gentler slope (due to its larger standard deviation), lying above the original curve for  $x < 15$  and below the original curve for  $x > 15$ , and intersecting the original curve at  $x = 15$  (since they have the same median).

(b) (i)

	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>1</b>		1,2	1,3 <sup>♠</sup>	1,4	1,5	1,6 <sup>♠</sup>
<b>2</b>	2,1		2,3 <sup>♠</sup>	2,4 <sup>♠</sup>	2,5	2,6 <sup>♠♠</sup>
<b>3</b>	3,1 <sup>♠</sup>	3,2 <sup>♠</sup>		3,4 <sup>♠</sup>	3,5 <sup>♠♠</sup>	3,6 <sup>♠</sup>
<b>4</b>	4,1	4,2 <sup>♠</sup>	4,3 <sup>♠</sup>		4,5	4,6 <sup>♠♠</sup>
<b>5</b>	5,1	5,2	5,3 <sup>♠♠</sup>	5,4		5,6 <sup>♠</sup>
<b>6</b>	6,1 <sup>♠</sup>	6,2 <sup>♠♠</sup>	6,3 <sup>♠</sup>	6,4 <sup>♠♠</sup>	6,5 <sup>♠</sup>	

♠ - both balls even  
 ♠♠ - sum is 8  
 ♠♠♠ - at least one is multiple of 3

Without replacement  $\Rightarrow$  (1, 1), (2, 2) ... (6, 6) outcomes are impossible.

From the possibility diagram, total no. of possible outcomes = 30

(ii) (a) P (both have even number) =  $\frac{\text{\# of } \spadesuit}{\text{Total \# of outcomes}} = \frac{6}{30} = \frac{1}{5}$   
 Check:  $\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{5} \times 6$

(b) P (sum of numbers drawn is 8) =  $\frac{\text{\# of } \clubsuit}{\text{Total \# of outcomes}} = \frac{4}{30} = \frac{2}{15}$   
 Check:  $\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{5} \times 4$

(c) P (product is 7) =  $\frac{0}{30} = 0$

(d) P (at least one of the no. drawn is a multiple of 3) =  $\frac{18}{30} = \frac{3}{5}$   
 Check:  $\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{1}{5} \times 18$