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## Mathematics

Assessment Unit F2

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Module FP2: Further Pure Mathematics 2

[AMF21]



WEDNESDAY 2 FEBRUARY, MORNING

### TIME

1 hour 30 minutes.

### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Write your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the Answer Booklet provided.

Answer **all seven** questions.

Show clearly the full development of your answers.

Answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.

You are permitted to use a graphic or scientific calculator in this paper.

### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

The total mark for this paper is 75

Figures in brackets printed down the right-hand side of pages indicate the marks awarded to each question or part question.

A copy of the **Mathematical Formulae and Tables booklet** is provided.

Throughout the paper the logarithmic notation used is  $\ln z$  where it is noted that  $\ln z \equiv \log_e z$



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- 1** Show that the sum of the series

$$1 \times 2 \times 5 + 2 \times 3 \times 6 + \dots + n(n+1)(n+4)$$

is given by

$$\frac{1}{12} n(n+1)(n+2)(3n+17) \quad [6]$$

- 2** Write

$$\frac{2x^2 - x + 1}{(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2)}$$

in partial fractions.

[6]

- 3** Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} - 6y = \sin x \quad [12]$$

- 4 (i)** Using Maclaurin's theorem, derive a series expansion for  $\cos \theta$  up to and including the term in  $\theta^4$  [5]

**(ii)** Hence, and using a binomial expansion, find a series expansion for

$$\frac{\cos 3x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

up to and including the terms in  $x^4$

[8]

5 Prove by mathematical induction that

$$a_n = 5^n + 3$$

is divisible by 4 for each non-negative integer  $n$ .

[7]

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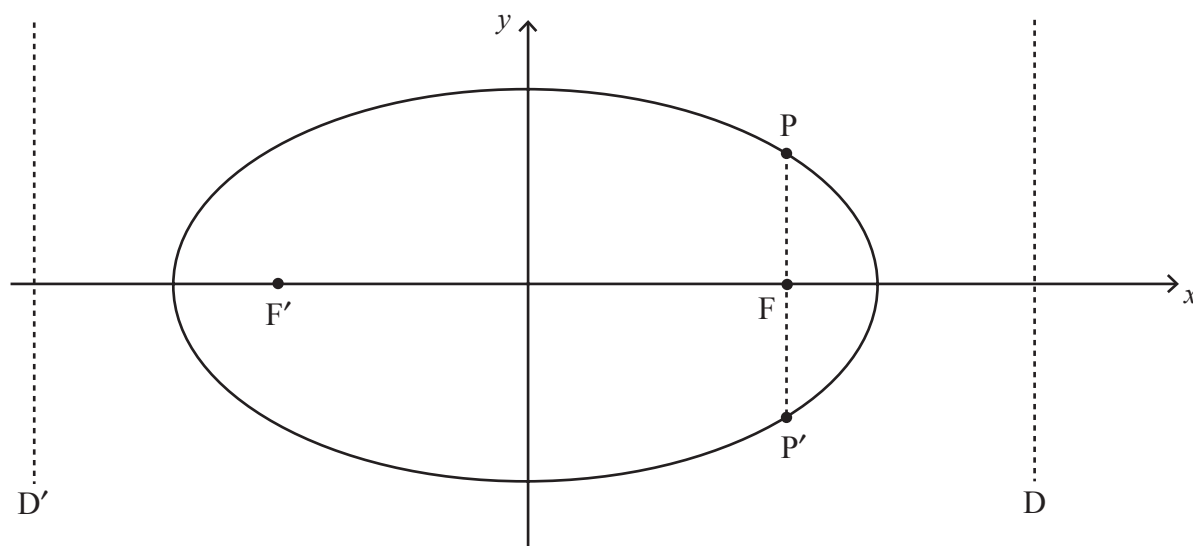


Fig. 1

Fig. 1 above shows an ellipse with equation

$$\frac{x^2}{17^2} + \frac{y^2}{8^2} = 1$$

The foci of the ellipse are  $F'$ ,  $F$  and its directrices are  $D'$  and  $D$ .

(i) Show that the equation of the directrix  $D$  is  $x = \frac{289}{15}$  [3]

(ii) Find the coordinates of the focus  $F$ . [2]

(iii) Derive the equation of the tangent to the ellipse at a general point  $(17 \cos \theta, 8 \sin \theta)$ . [5]

$PP'$  is a latus rectum of the ellipse.

(iv) Show that the tangent at  $P$  meets the  $x$ -axis on the directrix  $D$ . [6]

7 (i) If  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$  is a complex number, show that

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} (z + z^{-1}) \quad [2]$$

(ii) Hence find numbers  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  such that

$$\cos^4 \theta = a \cos 4\theta + b \cos 2\theta + c \quad [7]$$

(iii) Hence, or otherwise, find the general solution of

$$2 \cos 4\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta + 5 = 0 \quad [6]$$