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You must answer **all eight** questions in the spaces provided.
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Complete in black ink only. **Do not write with a gel pen**.
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Answers should be given to three significant figures unless otherwise stated.
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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 Use the Trapezium Rule with five ordinates to find an estimate of

$$\int_1^2 \sqrt{1 + 2x^2}\, dx \qquad [6]$$

2 The equation of a circle is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y = 0$$

(i) Find the centre and radius of this circle. [4]

(ii) Find the equation of the tangent to this circle at the point (−3, 3). [4]

3 **(a)** Find

$$\int 2x^3 - \sqrt{x} + \frac{1}{x^4} - 3 \, dx \qquad [5]$$

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(b) The curves with equations $y = x^2 - 5x + 8$ and $y = -x^2 + 5x - 4$ intersect at the points (2, 2) and (3, 2) as shown in **Fig. 1** below.

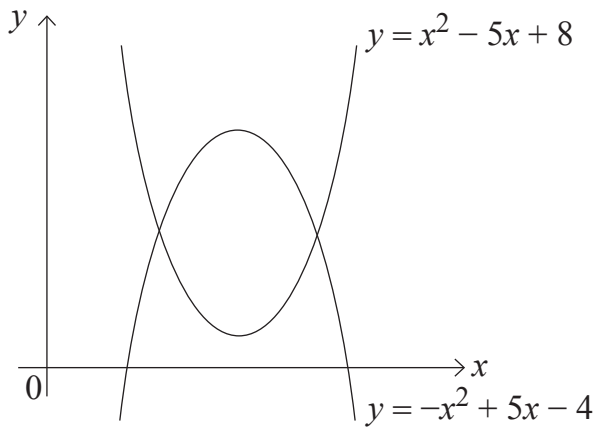

Fig. 1

Find the area enclosed by the curves. [6]

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4 A wing of a toy aeroplane can be modelled by two triangles ABC and ACD joined together to make a quadrilateral ABCD, as shown in **Fig. 2** below.

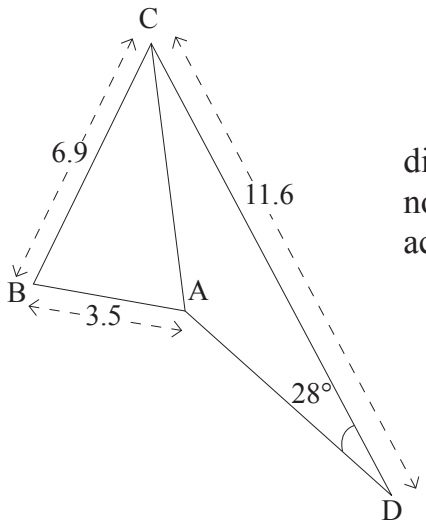

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Fig. 2

AB = 3.5 cm BC = 6.9 cm
The area of the triangle ABC is 9.8 cm^2

(i) Find the size of $C\hat{B}A$. [3]

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CD = 11.6 cm

AD̂C = 28° CÂD is obtuse.

(ii) Find the size of CÂD. [6]

5 **(i)** Use the binomial theorem to expand

$$(3 + x)^5$$

in ascending powers of x. [4]

[Turn over

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, find the values of P, Q and R for which

$$(3 + x)^5 - (3 - x)^5 \equiv Px + Qx^3 + Rx^5$$ [4]

[Turn over

6 **(i)** Prove that

$$\frac{(1 - \cos\theta)(1 + \cos\theta)}{\sin\theta\cos\theta} \equiv \tan\theta \qquad [4]$$

(ii) Hence, solve the equation

$$\frac{(1 - \cos\theta)(1 + \cos\theta)}{\sin\theta\cos\theta} = 2 - \tan^2\theta$$

for $0 \leqslant \theta \leqslant 2\pi$ [6]

7 Animator Paul is designing a new character, Alfie, for a game as shown in **Fig. 3** below. **Fig. 4** below shows a circle of radius r and centre O.
AB is a chord of the circle with $A\hat{O}B = \theta$ radians.

Fig. 3

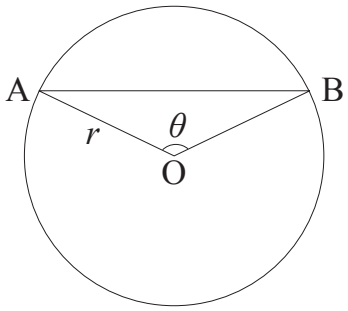

Fig. 4

Paul models Alfie's hat as the minor segment and his face as the major segment of this circle.

(i) Find, in terms of r and θ, the area of Alfie's hat. [3]

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In the model, the area of Alfie's face is m times the area of his hat.

(ii) Find m in terms of θ and π. [5]

8 **(a)** Given that

$$\frac{5^{x-1}}{3^{2x}} = 27$$

find x. [8]

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(b) The first three terms in an arithmetic progression are

$$\log(4x + 1), \quad \log(2x + 3), \quad \log(x + 3)$$

Find the value of x. [7]

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