

# MAWA FORMULA SHEET FOR MATHEMATICS METHODS (Unit 1)

## Functions and graphs

**Binomial distribution**  $(x+y)^n = x^n + \binom{n}{1}x^{n-1}y + \dots + \binom{n}{r}x^{n-r}y^r + \dots + y^n$

**Completing the square**  $ax^2+bx+c = a\left(x+\frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 + \left(c-\frac{b^2}{4a}\right)$

**Discriminant**  $\Delta = b^2 - 4ac$

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

## Trigonometric functions

**Angle sum and difference identities**  $\sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$   
 $\cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$

**Area of a sector**  $A = \frac{1}{2}r^2\theta$

**Area of a segment**  $A = \frac{1}{2}r^2\theta$

**Length of an arc**  $l = r\theta$

**Length of a chord**  $l = 2r \sin \frac{1}{2}\theta$

**Sine rule**  $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$

**Cosine rule**  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$

## Counting and probability

**Probability**  $P(A) = 1 - P(\bar{A})$   
 $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

$$P(A \cap B) = P(A) P(B \mid A) = P(B) P(A \mid B)$$

**Conditional probability**

$$P(A \mid B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$$