

OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS  
General Certificate of Secondary Education

**MATHEMATICS C**  
**(Graduated Assessment)**

**1966/2343B**

HIGHER TERMINAL PAPER – SECTION B

Tuesday

**7 JUNE 2005**

Afternoon

1 hour

Candidates answer on the question paper.

Additional materials:

Geometrical instruments

Tracing paper (optional)

Scientific or graphical calculator

Candidate Name	Centre Number	Candidate Number

**TIME** 1 hour

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Write your name, Centre number and candidate number in the boxes above.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Write your answers, in blue or black ink, on the dotted lines unless the question says otherwise.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- There is a space after most questions. Use it to do your working. In many questions marks will be given for a correct method even if the answer is incorrect.

**INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES**

- You are expected to use a calculator in Section B of this paper.
- The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this Section is 50.
- Section B starts with question 12.
- Use the  $\pi$  button on your calculator or take  $\pi$  to be 3.142 unless the question says otherwise.

**FOR EXAMINER'S USE**

**Section B**

**This question paper consists of 11 printed pages and 1 blank page.**

12 (a) Calculate.

$$\frac{26.1}{\sqrt{(15.6 - 3.78)}}$$

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

(a) .....[2]

(b) Calculate.

$$4.86 \times 10^{-6} - 4.5 \times 10^{-7}$$

Give your answer in standard form.

(b) .....[2]

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13 The table below shows the percentage of Year 9 pupils reaching level 6 in English at Oakmount School.

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Percentage of pupils	34	52	37	46	53	36

(a) Calculate the three-year moving averages.

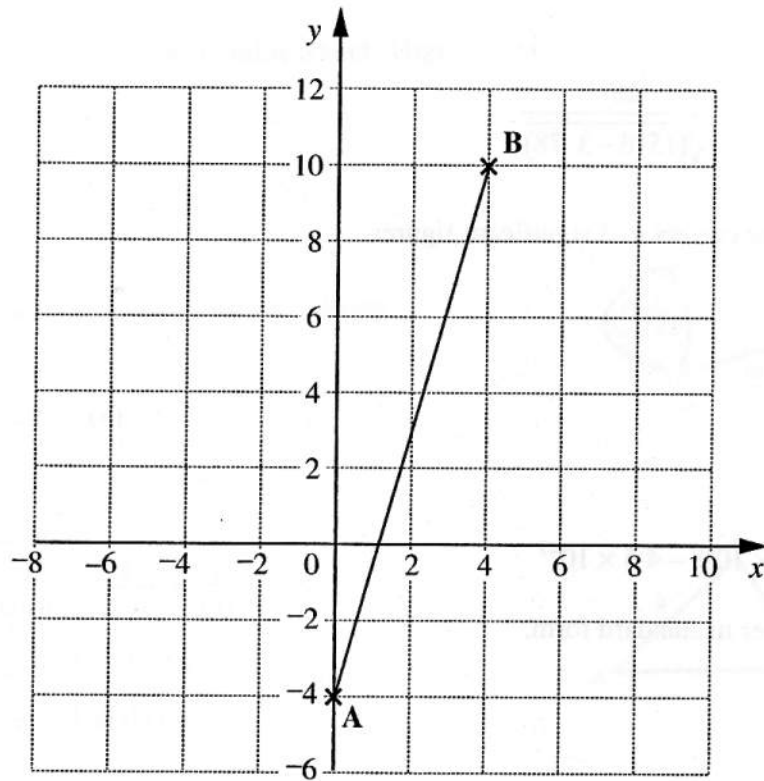
(a) ..... , ..... , ..... , ..... [2]

(b) Use the three-year moving averages to describe the trend.

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[Turn over



A is the point  $(0, -4)$  and B is the point  $(4, 10)$ .

- (a) Calculate the length of AB.  
Show your working clearly.

(a) .....[3]

(b) Find

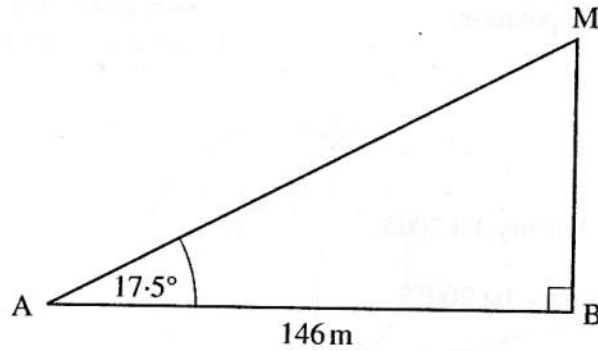
- (i) the gradient of the line through A and B,

(b)(i) .....[2]

- (ii) the equation of the line through A and B.

(ii) .....[2]

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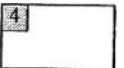
The diagram shows two points, A and B, on horizontal ground and a vertical mast BM.

$AB = 146\text{ m}$  and angle  $MAB = 17.5^\circ$ .

Calculate the height of the mast.

Give your answer to a sensible degree of accuracy.

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- 16 The population of a village is changing.  
Planners use a formula to predict its population.  
The formula is

$$P = 870 \times 0.98^t$$

where  $P$  is the population and  
 $t$  is the number of years after January 1st 2005.

- (a) What was the population on January 1st 2005?

(a) .....[1]

- (b) Calculate the predicted population on January 1st 2008.

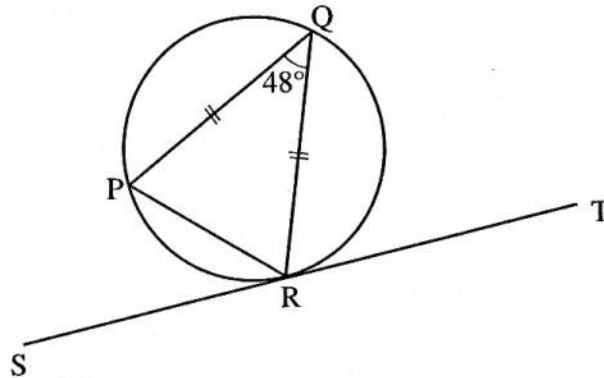
(b) .....[2]

- (c) Describe how the population is predicted to change.

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- 17 P, Q and R are points on the circumference of a circle.  
 $PQ = QR$  and angle  $PQR = 48^\circ$ .  
 The tangent ST touches the circle at R.



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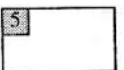
- (a) Calculate the size of angle QRT, giving reasons for your answer.

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- (b)  $PQ = 4$  cm.

Calculate the area of triangle PQR.

(b) .....cm<sup>2</sup> [2]



- 18 (a) Anne drives 15 miles at a steady speed of 20 mph and then 30 miles at a steady speed of 60 mph.

Work out the **total** time for her journey.

(a) .....[3]

- (b) (i) Jamie cycles 12 miles at a steady speed of  $x$  mph and then 25 miles at a steady speed of  $(x + 4)$  mph.

Write down an expression, in terms of  $x$ , for the **total** time that Jamie takes.

(b)(i) .....[1]

- (ii) The total time that Jamie takes is 2 hours.

Form an equation in  $x$  and show that it simplifies to  $2x^2 - 29x - 48 = 0$ .

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- (iii) Solve the equation  $2x^2 - 29x - 48 = 0$  to find the speed  $x$  mph.

(iii) .....[3]

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- 19 Solve the equation  $\cos x = 0.75$  for values of  $x$  between  $0^\circ$  and  $360^\circ$ .

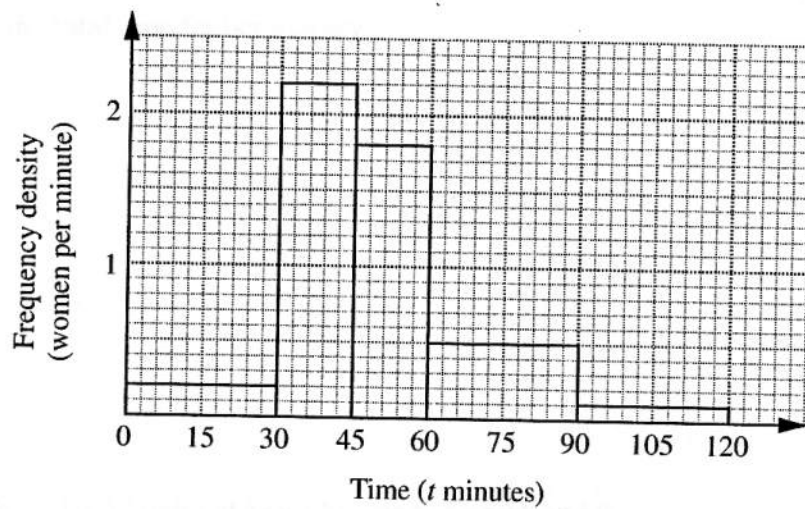
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- 20 Eighty-four women completed a charity walk.

The histogram shows the distribution of the times,  $t$  minutes, taken by the women.



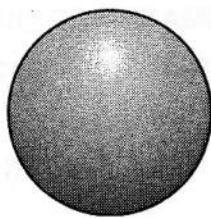
Complete the table and use it to calculate an estimate of the mean time taken for the walk.

Time ( $t$ minutes)	Number of women
$0 < t \leq 30$	6
$30 < t \leq 45$	33
$45 < t \leq 60$	
$60 < t \leq 90$	
$90 < t \leq 120$	
	84

.....minutes [4]

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- 21 A whole cheese is made in the shape of a sphere.  
The volume of the sphere is  $5000 \text{ cm}^3$ .



- (a) Show that the radius of the sphere is approximately  $10.6 \text{ cm}$ .

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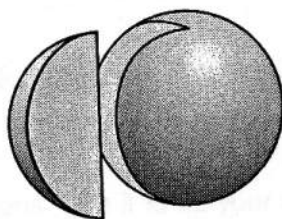
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- (b) The cheese is sliced through the centre to make 20 identical pieces.

Calculate the **total** surface area of one of the pieces.



(b) ..... $\text{cm}^2$  [4]

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