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**Time** 1 hour 30 minutes

**Paper**  
**reference**

**WME02/01**

**Mathematics**

**International Advanced Subsidiary/Advanced Level**  
**Mechanics M2**

**You must have:**

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Yellow), calculator

Total Marks

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### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions and ensure that your answers to parts of questions are clearly labelled.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- You should show sufficient working to make your methods clear. Answers without working may not gain full credit.
- Whenever a numerical value of  $g$  is required, take  $g = 9.8 \text{ m s}^{-2}$ , and give your answer to either 2 significant figures or 3 significant figures.

### Information

- A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
- There are 8 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 75.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.
- If you change your mind about an answer, cross it out and put your new answer and any working underneath.
- Good luck with your examination.

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1. A motorcyclist and his motorcycle have a combined mass of 480 kg.

The motorcyclist drives down a straight road that is inclined at an angle  $\theta$  to the horizontal, where  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{12}$ , with the engine of the motorcycle working at 3.5 kW. The motorcycle is moving at a constant speed of  $V \text{ ms}^{-1}$ . The resistance to the motion of the motorcycle is modelled as a constant force with magnitude  $20V$  newtons.

Find the value of  $V$ .

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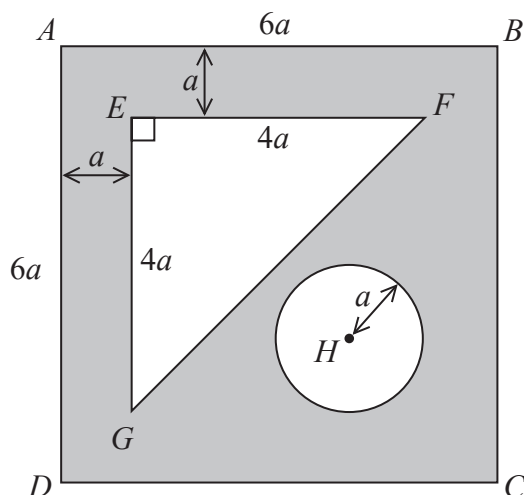


Figure 1

The uniform lamina  $ABCD$  is a square of side  $6a$ . The template  $T$ , shown shaded in Figure 1, is formed by removing the right-angled triangle  $EFG$  and the circle, centre  $H$  and radius  $a$ , from the square lamina.

Triangle  $EFG$  has  $EF = EG = 4a$ , with  $EF$  parallel to  $AB$  and  $EG$  parallel to  $AD$ . The distance between  $AB$  and  $EF$  is  $a$  and the distance between  $AD$  and  $EG$  is  $a$ .

The point  $H$  lies on  $AC$  and the distance of  $H$  from  $BC$  is  $2a$ .

- (a) Show that the centre of mass of  $T$  is a distance  $\frac{4(67 - 3\pi)}{3(28 - \pi)}a$  from  $AD$ . (5)

The template  $T$  is suspended from the ceiling by two light inextensible vertical strings. One string is attached to  $T$  at  $A$  and the other string is attached to  $T$  at  $B$  so that  $T$  hangs in equilibrium with  $AB$  horizontal.

The weight of  $T$  is  $W$ . The tension in the string attached to  $T$  at  $B$  is  $kW$ , where  $k$  is a constant.

- (b) Find the value of  $k$ , giving your answer to 2 decimal places. (3)

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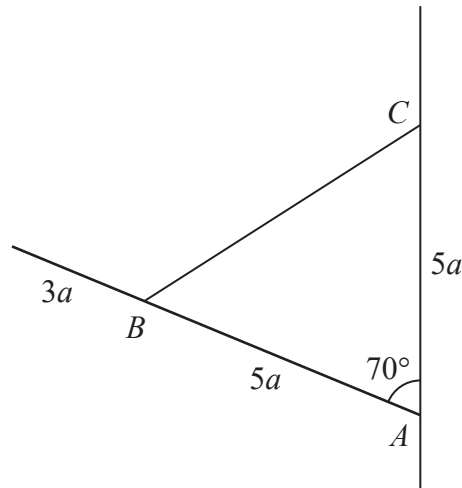


Figure 3

A uniform rod, of length  $8a$  and mass  $M$ , has one end freely hinged to a fixed point  $A$  on a vertical wall. One end of a light inextensible string is attached to the rod at the point  $B$ , where  $AB = 5a$ . The other end of the string is attached to the wall at the point  $C$ , where  $AC = 5a$  and  $C$  is vertically above  $A$ . The rod rests in equilibrium in a vertical plane perpendicular to the wall with angle  $BAC = 70^\circ$ , as shown in Figure 3.

(a) Find, in terms of  $M$  and  $g$ , the tension in the string. (3)

The magnitude of the force acting on the rod at  $A$  is  $\lambda Mg$ , where  $\lambda$  is a constant.

(b) Find, to 2 significant figures, the value of  $\lambda$ . (6)

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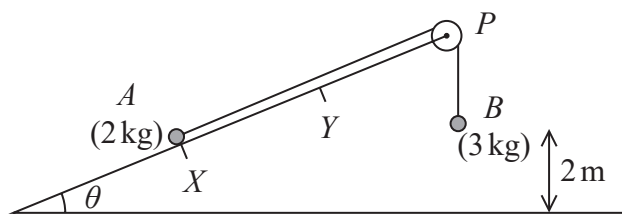


Figure 4

Two particles,  $A$  and  $B$ , of mass  $2\text{ kg}$  and  $3\text{ kg}$  respectively, are connected by a light inextensible string. Particle  $A$  is held at rest at the point  $X$  on a fixed rough ramp that is inclined at an angle  $\theta$  to the horizontal, where  $\tan \theta = \frac{5}{12}$ . The string passes over a small smooth pulley  $P$  that is fixed at the top of the ramp. Particle  $B$  hangs vertically below  $P$ ,  $2\text{ m}$  above the ground, as shown in Figure 4.

The particles are released from rest with the string taut so that  $A$  moves up the ramp and the section of the string from  $A$  to  $P$  is parallel to a line of greatest slope of the ramp. The coefficient of friction between  $A$  and the ramp is  $\frac{3}{8}$ .

Air resistance is ignored.

(a) Find the potential energy lost by the system as  $A$  moves  $2\text{ m}$  up the ramp. (3)

(b) Find the work done against friction as  $A$  moves  $2\text{ m}$  up the ramp. (4)

When  $B$  hits the ground,  $B$  is brought to rest by the impact and does not rebound and  $A$  continues to move up the ramp.

(c) Use the work-energy principle to find the speed of  $B$  at the instant before it hits the ground. (4)

Particle  $A$  comes to instantaneous rest at the point  $Y$  on the ramp, where  $XY = (2 + d)\text{ m}$ .

(d) Use the work-energy principle to find the value of  $d$ . (4)

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