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Mechanics M5

Advanced/Advanced Subsidiary

Tuesday 21 June 2016 – Morning
Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Paper Reference

6681/01

You must have:

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Pink)

Total Marks

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Candidates may use any calculator allowed by the regulations of the Joint Council for Qualifications. Calculators must not have the facility for symbolic algebra manipulation, differentiation and integration, or have retrievable mathematical formulae stored in them.

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B). Coloured pencils and highlighter pens must not be used.
- **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 two significant figures or three significant figures.
- When a calculator is used, the answer should be given to an appropriate degree of accuracy.

Information

- 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.

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2. A particle P is moving in a plane. At time t seconds the position vector of P is \mathbf{r} metres and the velocity of P is \mathbf{v} m s⁻¹. When $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$, P is instantaneously at rest at the point with position vector $(\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j})$ m.

Given that \mathbf{r} satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2\mathbf{r}}{dt^2} + 4\mathbf{r} = (3 \sin t) \mathbf{i}$$

find \mathbf{v} in terms of t .

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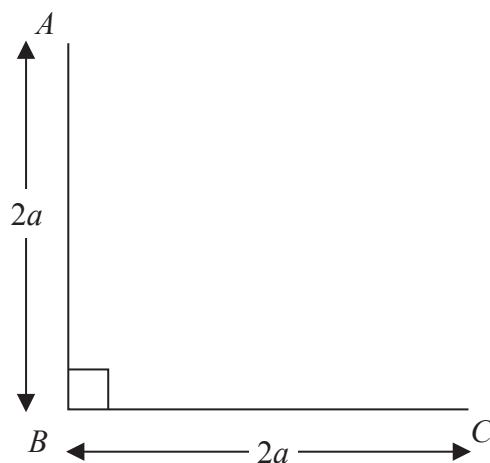


Figure 1

A uniform piece of wire ABC , of mass $2m$ and length $4a$, is bent into two straight equal portions, AB and BC , which are at right angles to each other, as shown in Figure 1. The wire rotates freely in a vertical plane about a fixed smooth horizontal axis L which passes through A and is perpendicular to the plane of the wire.

- (a) Show that the moment of inertia of the wire about L is $\frac{20ma^2}{3}$ (3)
- (b) By writing down an equation of rotational motion for the wire as it rotates about L , find the period of small oscillations of the wire about its position of stable equilibrium. (8)

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