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## Pearson Edexcel Level 3 GCE

Time 1 hour 30 minutes

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**9FM0/4C**

### Further Mathematics

Advanced

**PAPER 4C: Further Mechanics 2**

**You must have:**

Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Green), calculator

Total Marks

**Candidates may use any calculator permitted by Pearson regulations. 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).
- **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.
- Unless otherwise indicated, whenever a 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.

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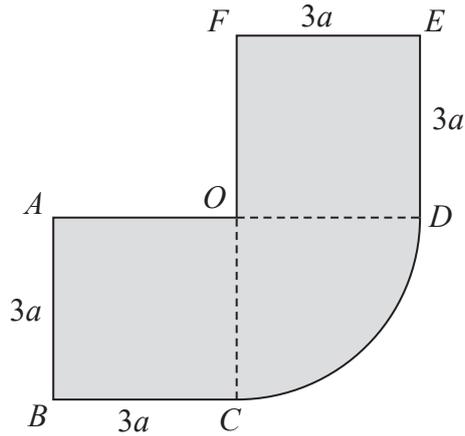


Figure 3

The uniform plane lamina shown in Figure 3 is formed from two squares,  $ABCO$  and  $ODEF$ , and a sector  $ODC$  of a circle with centre  $O$ . Both squares have sides of length  $3a$  and  $AO$  is perpendicular to  $OF$ . The radius of the sector is  $3a$

[In part (a) you may use, without proof, any of the centre of mass formulae given in the formulae booklet.]

(a) Show that the distance of the centre of mass of the sector  $ODC$  from  $OC$  is  $\frac{4a}{\pi}$  (3)

(b) Find the distance of the centre of mass of the lamina from  $FC$  (4)

The lamina is freely suspended from  $F$  and hangs in equilibrium with  $FC$  at an angle  $\theta^\circ$  to the downward vertical.

(c) Find the value of  $\theta$  (4)

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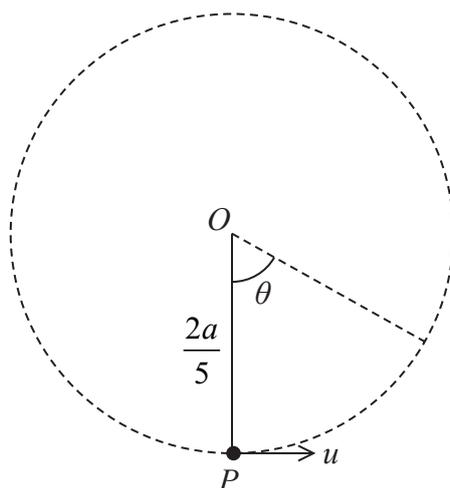


Figure 5

A package  $P$  of mass  $m$  is attached to one end of a string of length  $\frac{2a}{5}$ . The other end of the string is attached to a fixed point  $O$ . The package hangs at rest vertically below  $O$  with the string taut and is then projected horizontally with speed  $u$ , as shown in Figure 5.

When  $OP$  has turned through an angle  $\theta$  and the string is still taut, the tension in the string is  $T$

The package is modelled as a particle and the string as being light and inextensible.

(a) Show that  $T = 3mg \cos \theta - 2mg + \frac{5mu^2}{2a}$  (6)

Given that  $P$  moves in a complete vertical circle with centre  $O$

(b) find, in terms of  $a$  and  $g$ , the minimum possible value of  $u$  (2)

Given that  $u = 2\sqrt{ag}$

(c) find, in terms of  $g$ , the magnitude of the acceleration of  $P$  at the instant when  $OP$  is horizontal. (3)

(d) Apart from including air resistance, suggest one way in which the model could be refined to make it more realistic. (1)

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