

**CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCY IN THE MERCHANT NAVY
MARINE ENGINEER OFFICER**

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STCW 78 as amended SMALL VESSEL CHIEF ENGINEER <3000 GT, <9000 kW UNLIMITED

058-11 - GENERAL ENGINEERING SCIENCE I

FRIDAY, 18 JUNE 2021

1400 - 1600 hrs

Materials to be supplied by examination centres

Candidate's examination workbook Graph paper

Examination Paper Inserts

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Notes for the guidance of candidates:

1. Examinations administered by SQA on behalf of the Maritime & Coastguard Agency.
2. Candidates are required to obtain 50% of the total marks allocated to this paper to gain a pass **AND** also obtain a minimum 40% in Sections A and B of the paper.
3. Non-programmable calculators may be used.
4. All formulae used must be stated and the method of working and ALL intermediate steps must be made clear in the answer.



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Attempt ALL questions

Marks for each question are shown in brackets

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Section A

1. (a) Simplify the following showing all working:

$$\frac{A^2 D^2 \sqrt{B}}{C^2} \div \frac{A^2}{\sqrt{B} D C^2} \quad (4)$$

- (b) Simplify the following showing all working, show the solution in its simplest mixed number form:

$$\left(9\frac{5}{8} \div 2\frac{3}{4}\right) + 2\frac{2}{3} \quad (4)$$

2. Simplify EACH of the following:

(a) $\frac{x^2 (x^2 y z + x y z)}{y(x^3 z + y^2 x^4 z)}$ (4)

(b) $\frac{4xy}{2y} - \left(\frac{2y}{4} \times \frac{4x}{2}\right)$ (4)

3. The equation for a straight line graph is given by the following expression.

$$Y = m x + c$$

Where m is the slope of the graph and c is the intercept with the y axis:

- (a) plot points shown in Table Q3 using the given scales and draw the best fit line; (4)
- (b) determine the values of m and c from your graph; (4)
- (c) state the law of the plotted straight line. (2)

X	-1	1	3	5
Y	-1	3	7	11

Table Q3

4. For the shape shown in FIG Q4, determine EACH of the following:

- (a) the length of the side AB; (4)
- (b) the area of the shape. (4)

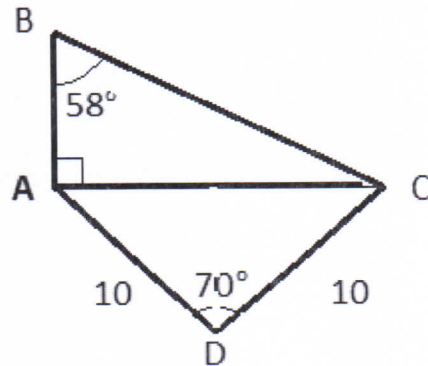


FIG Q4

Note: units may be ignored

5. Describe EACH of the following with the aid of a diagram:
- (a) an equilateral triangle; (2)
- (b) a scalene triangle; (2)
- (c) an isosceles triangle; (2)
- (d) a tangent to a circle. (2)

6. TWO solid objects are compared to each other. The first is a cone with a height of 1.2 m and a base diameter of 1 m. The second is a sphere with a diameter of 0.8 m.

Show which object has the greater total surface area.

(8)

Section B

7. A motor is uniformly accelerated from 450 rev/min to 800 rev/min in 10 seconds.

Determine EACH of the following:

- (a) the angular acceleration in rad/s^2 ; (4)
(b) the number of revolutions turned during the acceleration period. (4)

8. A piston has a mass of 30 kg, its velocity increases uniformly in part of its stroke from 1.0 m/s to 2.4 m/s in 0.4 seconds.

- (a) Calculate the accelerating force required. (4)
(b) The piston is now uniformly retarded at 6 m/s^2 from 2.4 m/s until the mass just comes to rest. Calculate for the retardation period EACH of the following:
(i) the time taken to come to rest; (3)
(ii) the distance travelled. (3)

9. A beam, 5 m long, is supported at points A and B as shown in FIG Q9. The beam has a mass of 1.5 tonne and carries a UDL of 4 kN/m over a length of 3 m as shown in FIG Q9.

Determine EACH of the following:

- (a) normal reaction at point A; (6)
(b) normal reaction at point B. (2)

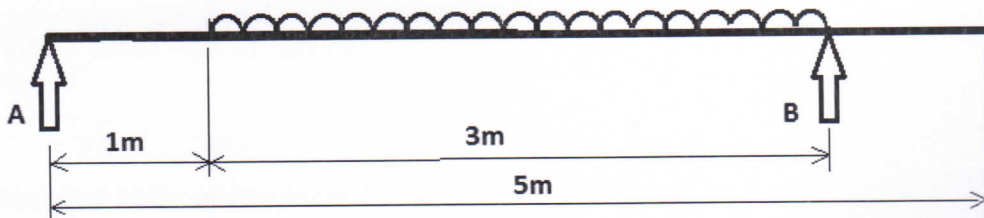


FIG Q9

10. A stationary body with a mass of 15 kg has a force of 100 N applied to it which causes acceleration in a horizontal plane. The coefficient of friction between the body and the plane is 0.35.

Calculate EACH of the following:

- (a) the acceleration of the body; (4)
- (b) the distance the body will travel from rest in 5 seconds. (4)

11. A simple hoist has a pulley and axle with a pulley diameter of 220 mm on an axle of 55 mm diameter:

- (a) sketch the hoist with dimensions; (2)
- (b) determine EACH of the following:
- (i) the movement ratio (velocity ratio) of the machine; (2)
- (ii) the force ratio (mechanical advantage) of the machine if it requires an effort of 300 N to just lift a mass of 100 kg; (2)
- (iii) the efficiency of the machine under the conditions described in Q11(b)(ii). (2)

12. Steel plate 25 mm thick requires a hole 20 mm diameter. A hydraulic press punch is to be used for this purpose.

The steel has an ultimate shear stress of 380 N/mm²:

- (a) determine the force required to punch the hole; (4)
- (b) briefly describe EACH of the following terms;
- (i) *compressive stress*; (2)
- (ii) *tensile stress*. (2)