

## Victorian Certificate of Education 2023

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## **MATHEMATICAL METHODS**

## Written examination 2

**Thursday 2 November 2023** 

Reading time: 11.45 am to 12.00 noon (15 minutes)
Writing time: 12.00 noon to 2.00 pm (2 hours)

### **QUESTION AND ANSWER BOOK**

#### Structure of book

	Section	Number of	Number of questions	Number of
		questions	to be answered	marks
	A	20	20	20
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- Students are permitted to bring into the examination room: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners, rulers, a protractor, set squares, aids for curve sketching, one bound reference, one approved technology (calculator or software) and, if desired, one scientific calculator. Calculator memory DOES NOT need to be cleared. For approved computer-based CAS, full functionality may be used.
- Students are NOT permitted to bring into the examination room: blank sheets of paper and/or correction fluid/tape.

#### Materials supplied

- Question and answer book of 23 pages
- Formula sheet
- Answer sheet for multiple-choice questions

#### **Instructions**

- Write your **student number** in the space provided above on this page.
- Check that your **name** and **student number** as printed on your answer sheet for multiple-choice questions are correct, **and** sign your name in the space provided to verify this.
- Unless otherwise indicated, the diagrams in this book are **not** drawn to scale.
- All written responses must be in English.

#### At the end of the examination

- Place the answer sheet for multiple-choice questions inside the front cover of this book.
- You may keep the formula sheet.

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#### **SECTION A – Multiple-choice questions**

#### **Instructions for Section A**

Answer all questions in pencil on the answer sheet provided for multiple-choice questions.

Choose the response that is **correct** for the question.

A correct answer scores 1: an incorrect answer scores 0.

Marks will **not** be deducted for incorrect answers.

No marks will be given if more than one answer is completed for any question.

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#### **SECTION B**

#### **Instructions for Section B**

Answer all questions in the spaces provided.

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In questions where more than one mark is available, appropriate working must be shown.

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#### **FORMULA SHEET**

#### Instructions

This formula sheet is provided for your reference.

A question and answer book is provided with this formula sheet.

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## **Mathematical Methods formulas**

### Mensuration

area of a trapezium	$\frac{1}{2}(a+b)h$	volume of a pyramid	$\frac{1}{3}Ah$
curved surface area of a cylinder	$2\pi rh$	volume of a sphere	$\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$
volume of a cylinder	$\pi r^2 h$	area of a triangle	$\frac{1}{2}bc\sin(A)$
volume of a cone	$\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$		

## Calculus

$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$		$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + c, \ n \neq -1$				
$\frac{d}{dx}\Big((ax+b)^n\Big) = an$	$\left(ax+b\right)^{n-1}$	$\int (ax+b)^n dx = \frac{1}{a(n+1)} (ax+b)^{n+1} + c, n \neq -1$				
$\frac{d}{dx}\left(e^{ax}\right) = ae^{ax}$		$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax} + c$				
$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_e(x)) = \frac{1}{x}$		$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \log_e(x) + c$	c, x > 0			
$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin(ax)) = a\cos(ax)$	s(ax)	$\int \sin(ax)dx = -\frac{1}{a}\cos(ax) + c$				
$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos(ax)) = -as$	in(ax)	$\int \cos(ax)dx = \frac{1}{a}\sin(ax) + c$				
$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan(ax)) = \frac{c}{\cos^2}$	$\frac{a}{(ax)} = a\sec^2(ax)$					
product rule	$\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u\frac{dv}{dx} + v\frac{du}{dx}$	quotient rule $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$				
chain rule	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du}\frac{du}{dx}$	Newton's method $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$				
trapezium rule approximation	$Area \approx \frac{x_n - x_0}{2n} \Big[ f(x_0) + 1 \Big]$	$2f(x_1) + 2f(x_2) + \dots$	$+2f(x_{n-2})+2f(x_{n-1})+f(x_n)$			

## **Probability**

$\Pr(A) = 1 - \Pr(A)$	<i>A'</i> )	$Pr(A \cup B) = Pr(A) + Pr(B) - Pr(A \cap B)$					
$Pr(A B) = \frac{Pr(A B)}{Pr}$	$A \cap B$ $B$						
mean	$\mu = E(X)$	variance	$var(X) = \sigma^2 = E((X - \mu)^2) = E(X^2) - \mu^2$				
binomial coefficient	$\binom{n}{x} = \frac{n!}{x!(n-x)!}$						

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Pro	bability distribution	Mean	Variance
discrete	$\Pr(X=x) = p(x)$	$\mu = \sum x  p(x)$	$\sigma^2 = \sum (x - \mu)^2 p(x)$
binomial	$\Pr(X = x) = \binom{n}{x} p^x (1-p)^{n-x}$	$\mu = np$	$\sigma^2 = np(1-p)$
continuous	$\Pr(a < X < b) = \int_{a}^{b} f(x) dx$	$\mu = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x  f(x) dx$	$\sigma^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mu)^2 f(x) dx$

## **Sample proportions**

$\hat{P} = \frac{X}{n}$		mean	$E(\hat{P}) = p$
standard deviation	$\operatorname{sd}(\hat{P}) = \sqrt{\frac{p(1-p)}{n}}$	approximate confidence interval	$\left(\hat{p}-z\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}, \ \hat{p}+z\sqrt{\frac{\hat{p}(1-\hat{p})}{n}}\right)$







# VCE MATHEMATICAL METHODS Written Examination 2

### **ANSWER SHEET – 2023**

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Shade the " <b>ABSENT</b> " box if the student was absent from the examination.
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4	А	В	C	D	E	14	А	В	C	D	E
5	Α	В	С	D	Е	15	Α	В	С	D	E
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