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General Certificate of Education  
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# Mathematics

# MFP4

## Unit Further Pure 4

Tuesday 18 June 2013 9.00 am to 10.30 am

**For this paper you must have:**

- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables.

You may use a graphics calculator.

### Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

### Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Write the question part reference (eg (a), (b)(i) etc) in the left-hand margin.
- You must answer each question in the space provided for that question. If you require extra space, use an AQA supplementary answer book; do **not** use the space provided for a different question.
- Do not write outside the box around each page.
- Show all necessary working; otherwise marks for method may be lost.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.

### Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 75.

### Advice

- Unless stated otherwise, you may quote formulae, without proof, from the booklet.
- You do not necessarily need to use all the space provided.



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Answer **all** questions.

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- 1** The points  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  have position vectors  $\mathbf{a}$ ,  $\mathbf{b}$ ,  $\mathbf{c}$  and  $\mathbf{d}$  respectively relative to the origin  $O$ , where

$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{c} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{d} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (a) Find  $\overrightarrow{AB} \times \overrightarrow{AC}$ . (3 marks)
- (b) The points  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  lie in the plane  $\Pi$ . Find a Cartesian equation for  $\Pi$ . (2 marks)
- (c) Find the volume of the parallelepiped defined by  $\overrightarrow{AB}$ ,  $\overrightarrow{AC}$  and  $\overrightarrow{AD}$ . (3 marks)

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**2** The system of equations

$$2x - y - z = 3$$

$$x + 2y - 3z = 4$$

$$2x + y + az = b$$

does not have a unique solution.

**(a)** Show that  $a = -3$ . (3 marks)

**(b)** Given further that the equations are inconsistent, find the possible values of  $b$ . (2 marks)

**(c)** State, with a reason, whether the vectors  $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$  are linearly dependent or linearly independent. (1 mark)

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**5** The matrix  $\mathbf{M}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(a) Show that  $\lambda = 2$  is an eigenvalue for  $\mathbf{M}$ , and find the other two eigenvalues. (5 marks)

(b) Find an eigenvector that corresponds to  $\lambda = 2$ . (3 marks)

(c) The matrix  $\mathbf{N}$  is given by

$$\mathbf{N} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ -3 & 3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

(i) Show that  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  is an eigenvector for  $\mathbf{N}$ , and find the corresponding eigenvalue. (2 marks)

(ii) Hence state one eigenvector for the matrix  $\mathbf{MN}$ , and find the corresponding eigenvalue. (3 marks)

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8 A line and a plane have equations

$$\frac{x-3}{p} = \frac{y-q}{3} = \frac{z-1}{-1}$$

and

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = 10$$

respectively, where  $p$  and  $q$  are constants.

- (a) Show that the line is **not** perpendicular to the plane. (1 mark)
- (b) In the case where the line lies in the plane, find the values of  $p$  and  $q$ . (4 marks)
- (c) In the case where the angle,  $\theta$ , between the line and the plane satisfies  $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$ , and the line intersects the plane at  $z = 2$ :
- (i) find the value of  $p$ ; (5 marks)
- (ii) find the value of  $q$ . (2 marks)

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