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Mathematics Advance Information Version 2

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- Please ensure that you have read this notice before the examination.

Information

- This notice covers all examined components.
- The format/structure of the assessments remains unchanged.
- The Advance Information details the focus of the content of the exams in the May–June 2022 assessments.
- There are no restrictions on who can use this notice.
- This notice is meant to help students to focus their revision time.
- Students and teachers can discuss the advance information.
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General advice

- In addition to covering the content outlined in the advance information, students and teachers should consider how to:
 - manage their revision of parts of the specification which may be assessed in areas not covered by the advance information
 - manage their revision of other parts of the specification which may provide knowledge which helps with understanding the areas being tested in 2022.
- For specifications with synoptic assessments, topics not explicitly given in the advance information may appear, e.g. where students are asked to bring together knowledge, skills and understanding from across the specification.
- For specifications with optional papers/topics/content, students should only refer to the advance information for their intended option.
- For specifications with NEA, advance information does not cover any NEA components.

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Advance Information

Subject specific section

- Advance information will be provided for each paper and for each tier of entry.
- The information is presented in approximate specification order and does not reflect the order of the questions.
- Questions may be answerable using one or more of the indicated areas of specification content.
- The areas of content listed are suggested as key areas of focus for revision and final preparation, in relation to the May–June 2022 examinations.
- The aim should still be to cover all specification content in teaching and learning.
- Students may need to draw on prior knowledge and skills.
- Students will still be expected to apply their knowledge to unfamiliar contexts.
- Students responses to questions may draw upon knowledge, skills and understanding from across the content listed when responding to questions.
- Students will be credited for using any relevant knowledge from any other topic areas when answering questions.

Exam Aid

- A formula sheet will be provided for foundation tier and higher tier students.

Paper 1F – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|---|--|
| Arithmetic | Money |
| | Negative number |
| Fractions | Order fractions, decimals, percentages |
| | Fraction of an amount |
| | Fraction arithmetic |
| Properties | Place value |
| | Product of prime factors |
| Standard Form | Conversion |
| | Calculation |
| Approximation and Estimation | Estimation |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Substitute values |
| Equations and inequalities | Linear inequality |
| | Quadratic equation |
| Graphs | Quadratic graph |
| Sequences | Linear sequence |
| Ratio, proportion, and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas) | |
| Conversion | Length |
| Percentages | Percentage of an amount |
| | Percentage increase |
| Ratio | Write as a ratio |
| | Share in a ratio |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |

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| Compound Measures | Speed |
| | Density |
| Geometry and measures | |
| Shape | Reflection |
| | Plan and elevation |
| Angles | Angles in a polygon |
| Length, area and volume | Volume of a cube |
| | Volume of a cylinder |
| Pythagoras's Theorem and Trigonometry | Exact trigonometric values |
| Probability | |
| Probability | Probability |
| | Frequency tree |
| Statistics | |
| Diagrams | Pictogram |
| | Bar chart |
| | Stem and leaf diagram |



Paper 2F – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Arithmetic | Money |
| | Negative number |
| Fractions | Fraction arithmetic |
| | Order fractions |
| Properties | Order integers |
| | Multiples |
| Approximation and Estimation | Rounding |
| | Error interval |
| Other | Mathematical symbols |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of bracket |
| | Factorisation |
| | Laws of indices |
| Equations and inequalities | Linear simultaneous equations |
| Graphs | Coordinates |
| | Straight line graph |
| Functions | Number machines |
| Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas) | |
| Conversions | Mass, time, area |
| | Scale drawing |
| Percentages | Decimal to percentage |
| | Percentage profit |
| | Depreciation |

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|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Ratio | Write as a ratio |
| | Use of ratio |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| | Currency conversion |
| Geometry and measures | |
| Shape | Polygons |
| | Circles |
| | Parallel and perpendicular lines |
| | Transformations |
| Angles | Angles in a triangle |
| | Vertically opposite angles |
| Length, area and volume | Area of a rectangle |
| Probability | |
| Probability | Tree diagram |
| | Combined events |
| Statistics | |
| Diagrams | Interpret graph |
| | Two-way table |
| | Frequency table |
| Measures | Mode |
| | Median |
| | Mean |

Paper 3F – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Arithmetic | Four operations |
| | Negative number |
| Fractions | Fraction of an amount |
| | One amount as a fraction of another |
| | Equivalent fractions |
| Properties | Factors |
| | Lowest Common Multiple |
| Powers and roots | Square root |
| Approximation and estimation | Rounding |
| Other | Calculator use |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of bracket |
| | Factorisation |
| | Substitute values |
| | Change subject of a formula |
| | Forming an expression |
| Equations and inequalities | Linear equation |
| | Form an equation |
| Sequences | Linear sequence |
| Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas) | |
| Conversions | Time |
| | Compound units |
| | Scale drawing |

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| Percentages | Percentage to fraction |
| | One quantity as a percentage of another |
| | Percentage decrease |
| | Reverse percentage |
| Ratio | Write as a ratio |
| | 1 : n form |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| Compound measures | Average speed |
| Geometry and measures | |
| Shape | Triangle properties |
| | Quadrilaterals |
| | Triangular prism |
| Angles | Angle properties of parallel lines |
| | Angles in a triangle |
| | Vertically opposite angles |
| | Bearings |
| Length, area and volume | Area of a triangle |
| | Area of a trapezium |
| Pythagoras's Theorem and Trigonometry | Pythagoras's Theorem |
| Probability | |
| Probability | Probability scale |
| | Probability |
| Statistics | |
| Diagrams | Frequency polygon |
| Measures | Median |
| | Range |
| Population | Comparison of distributions |

Paper 1H – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|--|---|
| Fractions | Fraction of an amount |
| | Fraction arithmetic |
| | Recurring decimal to fraction |
| Properties | Product of prime factors |
| | Negative and fractional indices |
| Powers and roots | Simplification of surds |
| Standard Form | Conversion |
| | Calculation |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of brackets |
| | Algebraic fractions |
| Equations and inequalities | Linear inequality |
| | Form an equation |
| | Quadratic equation |
| | Equation of a tangent to a circle |
| Graphs | Quadratic graph |
| | Speed-time graph |
| | Gradients of parallel and perpendicular lines |
| | Gradient of a curve |

Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas)

Percentages

Percentage of an amount

Ratio

Write as a ratio

Use of ratio

Share in a ratio

Ratio to fraction

Proportion

Equations of proportion

Compound Measures

Density

Geometry and measures

Angles

Angles in a polygon

Length, area and volume

Area of a triangle

Volume of a cube

Surface area of a cuboid

Area of a sector

Pythagoras's Theorem and Trigonometry

Pythagoras's Theorem

Exact trigonometric values

Vectors

Vector geometry

Probability

Probability

Probability

Independent combined events

Statistics

Diagrams

Cumulative frequency graph

Measures

Mean

Inter-quartile range

Paper 2H – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| Approximation and estimation | Error interval |
| Other | Use of a calculator |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of bracket |
| | Factorisation |
| | Laws of indices |
| Equations and inequalities | Linear equation |
| | Equations of parallel lines |
| | Form an equation |
| | Quadratic inequality |
| Graphs | Coordinates |
| | Transformations of functions |
| | Graphs of trigonometric functions |
| Functions | Inverse and composite functions |
| Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas) | |
| Conversions | Area |
| Percentages | Depreciation |
| Ratio | Use of ratio |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| | Currency conversion |
| | Inverse proportion |
| Compound measures | Pressure |

Geometry and measures

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| Shape | Transformations |
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| Angles | Circle theorems |
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| Length, area and volume | Area of a rectangle |
| | Volume of composite solid |

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| Pythagoras's Theorem and Trigonometry | Sine and Cosine Rules |
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Probability

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| Probability | Venn diagram |
| | Probability from a Venn diagram |

Statistics

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| Diagrams | Box plot |
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| Measures | Lower and upper quartiles |
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| Populations | Compare distributions |
| | Capture-recapture method |

Paper 3H – grouped by content area

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
|--|---|
| Arithmetic | Negative number |
| Properties | Laws of indices |
| Approximation and estimation | Bounds |
| Other | Product rule for counting |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of bracket |
| | Substitute values |
| | Difference of two squares |
| | Expansion of brackets |
| | Change subject of a formula |
| | Forming an expression |
| | Algebraic fractions |
| Equations and inequalities | Set up and solve equation |
| | Simultaneous equations linear/quadratic |
| Graphs | Gradient of a straight line graph |
| Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas) | |
| Conversions | Time |
| Percentages | Percentage decrease |
| | Depreciation |
| | Reverse percentage |

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|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Ratio | Write as a ratio |
| | 1 : n form |
| | Share in a ratio |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| Compound Measures | Average speed |
| Growth and decay | General iterative processes |
| Geometry and measures | |
| Angles | Circle theorems |
| Length, area and volume | Area of a trapezium |
| | Similar triangles |
| Pythagoras's Theorem and Trigonometry | Pythagoras's Theorem |
| | Trigonometry |
| | Trigonometry in 3-D |
| Vectors | Column vectors |
| Probability | |
| Probability | Dependent combined events |
| Statistics | |
| Diagrams | Frequency polygon |
| | Histogram |

Foundation Tier: Collated content for Paper 1F, 2F and 3F

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
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| | Product of prime factors |
| Powers and roots | Square root |
| Standard Form | Conversion |
| | Calculation |
| Approximation and estimation | Rounding |
| | Estimation |
| | Error interval |
| Other | Mathematical symbols |
| | Calculator use |

Algebra

Manipulation

Simplification

Expansion of bracket

Factorisation

Substitute values

Change subject of a formula

Forming an expression

Laws of indices

Equations and inequalities

Linear equation

Linear inequality

Linear simultaneous equations

Form an equation

Quadratic equation

Graphs

Coordinates

Straight line graph

Quadratic graph

Functions

Number machines

Sequences

Linear sequence

Ratio, proportion and rates of change (*see Number – some overlap of topic areas)

Conversion

Length, mass, time, area

Compound units

Scale drawing

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| Percentages | Percentage to fraction |
| | Decimal to percentage |
| | Percentage of an amount |
| | Percentage increase/decrease |
| | Percentage profit |
| | One quantity as a percentage of another |
| | Depreciation |
| | Reverse percentage |
| Ratio | Write as a ratio |
| | Share in a ratio |
| | Use of ratio |
| | 1 : n form |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| | Currency conversion |
| Compound Measures | Speed |
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| | Density |
| Geometry and measures | |
| Shape | Triangle properties |
| | Quadrilaterals |
| | Polygons |
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| | Reflection |
| | Transformations |
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| Diagrams | Pictogram |
| | Bar chart |
| | Interpret graph |
| | Two-way table |
| | Frequency table |
| | Stem and leaf diagram |
| | Frequency polygon |
| Measures | Mode, median, mean, range |
| Population | Comparison of distributions |

Higher Tier: Collated content for Paper 1H, 2H and 3H

| Number (*see Ratio – some overlap of topic areas) | |
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| Arithmetic | Negative number |
| Fractions | Fraction of an amount |
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| | Recurring decimal to fraction |
| Properties | Product of prime factors |
| | Laws of indices |
| | Negative and fractional indices |
| Powers and roots | Simplification of surds |
| Standard Form | Conversion |
| | Calculation |
| Approximation and estimation | Error Interval |
| | Bounds |
| Other | Use of a calculator |
| | Product rule for counting |
| Algebra | |
| Manipulation | Simplification |
| | Expansion of bracket |
| | Factorisation |
| | Laws of indices |
| | Substitute values |
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| | Reverse percentage |

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| | Use of ratio |
| | 1 : n form |
| | Share in a ratio |
| | Ratio to fraction |
| Proportion | Direct proportion |
| | Currency conversion |
| | Inverse proportion |
| | Equations of proportion |
| Compound Measures | Average speed |
| | Density |
| | Pressure |
| Growth and decay | General iterative processes |
| Geometry and measures | |
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| | Vector geometry |
| Probability | |
| Probability | Probability |
| | Venn diagram |
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| | Dependent combined events |
| Statistics | |
| Diagrams | Frequency polygon |
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| Measures | Mean |
| | Lower and upper quartiles |
| | Inter-quartile range |
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Foundation Tier Formulae Sheet

Perimeter, area and volume

Where a and b are the lengths of the parallel sides and h is their perpendicular separation:

$$\text{Area of a trapezium} = \frac{1}{2} (a + b) h$$

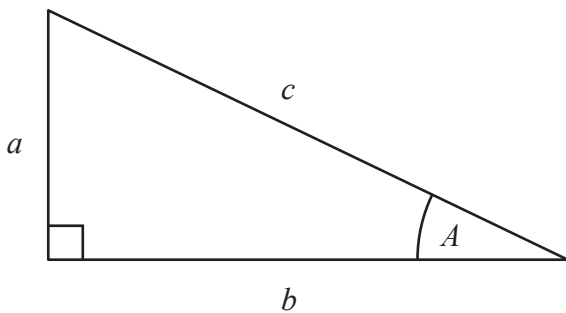
Volume of a prism = area of cross section \times length

Where r is the radius and d is the diameter:

$$\text{Circumference of a circle} = 2\pi r = \pi d$$

$$\text{Area of a circle} = \pi r^2$$

Pythagoras' Theorem and Trigonometry



In any right-angled triangle where a , b and c are the length of the sides and c is the hypotenuse:

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

In any right-angled triangle ABC where a , b and c are the length of the sides and c is the hypotenuse:

$$\sin A = \frac{a}{c} \quad \cos A = \frac{b}{c} \quad \tan A = \frac{a}{b}$$

Compound Interest

Where P is the principal amount, r is the interest rate over a given period and n is number of times that the interest is compounded:

$$\text{Total accrued} = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100} \right)^n$$

Probability

Where $P(A)$ is the probability of outcome A and $P(B)$ is the probability of outcome B :

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

Higher Tier Formulae Sheet

Perimeter, area and volume

Where a and b are the lengths of the parallel sides and h is their perpendicular separation:

$$\text{Area of a trapezium} = \frac{1}{2} (a + b) h$$

Volume of a prism = area of cross section \times length

Where r is the radius and d is the diameter:

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$$\text{Area of a circle} = \pi r^2$$

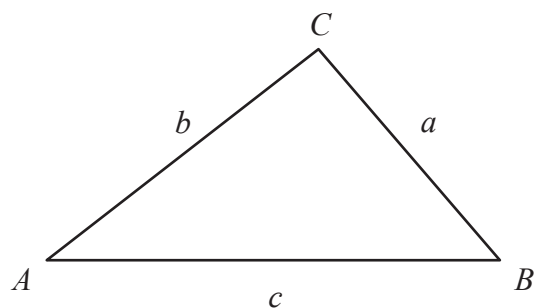
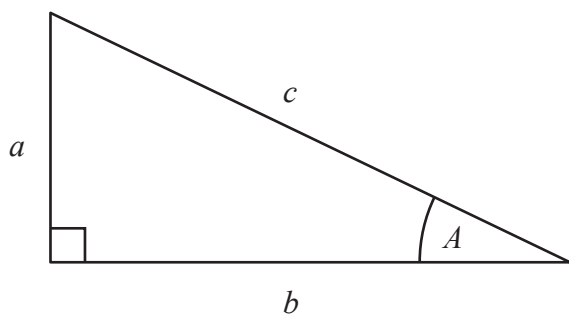
Quadratic formula

The solution of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

where $a \neq 0$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

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In any triangle ABC where a , b and c are the length of the sides:

$$\text{sine rule: } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\text{cosine rule: } a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

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$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

$$P(A \text{ and } B) = P(A \text{ given } B) P(B)$$

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