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**Specialist Mathematics**

**Trial Examination 2**



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**SPECIALIST MATHEMATICS**

**Trial Written Examination 2  
(Analysis Task)**

Reading time: 15 minutes

Total writing time: 1 hour 30 minutes

**QUESTION AND ANSWER BOOK**

<i>Number of questions</i>	<i>Number of questions to be answered</i>	<i>Number of marks</i>
5	5	60

- Students are permitted to bring into the examination room: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners, rulers, a protractor, set-squares, aids for curve sketching, up to four pages (two A4 sheets) of pre-written notes (typed or handwritten) and an approved scientific and/or graphics calculator (memory may be retained).
- Students are NOT permitted to bring into the examination room: blank sheets of paper and/or whiteout liquid/tape.

**Materials supplied**

- Question and answer book of 20 pages with a detachable sheet of miscellaneous formulas in the centrefold.
- Working space is provided throughout the book.

**Instructions**

- Detach the formula sheet from the centre of this book during reading time.
- Write your **student number** in the space provided above on this page.
- All written responses must be in English.

**Students are NOT permitted to bring mobile phones and/or any other electronic communication devices into the examination room.**

# **SPECIALIST MATHEMATICS**

## **Written examinations 1 and 2**

### **FORMULA SHEET**

Directions to students

Detach this formula sheet during reading time.

This formula sheet is provided for your reference.

## Specialist Mathematics Formulae

### **Mensuration**

area of a trapezium:  $\frac{1}{2}(a + b)h$

curved surface area of a cylinder:  $2\pi rh$

volume of a cylinder:  $\pi r^2 h$

volume of a cone:  $\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$

volume of a pyramid:  $\frac{1}{3}Ah$

volume of a sphere:  $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

area of triangle:  $\frac{1}{2}bc \sin(A)$

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

cosine rule: 
$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(C)$$

### **Coordinate geometry**

ellipse: 
$$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

hyperbola: 
$$\frac{(x - h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y - k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

### **Circular ( trigonometric ) functions**

$$\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x) = 1$$

$$1 + \tan^2(x) = \sec^2(x)$$

$$\sin(x + y) = \sin(x)\cos(y) + \cos(x)\sin(y)$$

$$\sin(x - y) = \sin(x)\cos(y) - \cos(x)\sin(y)$$

$$\cos(x + y) = \cos(x)\cos(y) - \sin(x)\sin(y)$$

$$\cos(x - y) = \cos(x)\cos(y) + \sin(x)\sin(y)$$

$$\cot^2(x) + 1 = \operatorname{cosec}^2(x)$$

$$\tan(x + y) = \frac{\tan(x) + \tan(y)}{1 - \tan(x)\tan(y)}$$

$$\tan(x - y) = \frac{\tan(x) - \tan(y)}{1 + \tan(x)\tan(y)}$$

$$\cos(2x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x) = 2\cos^2(x) - 1 = 1 - 2\sin^2(x)$$

$$\sin(2x) = 2\sin(x)\cos(x)$$

$$\tan(2x) = \frac{2\tan(x)}{1 - \tan^2(x)}$$

function	$\text{Sin}^{-1}$	$\text{Cos}^{-1}$	$\text{Tan}^{-1}$
domain	$[-1, 1]$	$[-1, 1]$	$R$
range	$\left[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right]$	$[0, \pi]$	$\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

## Algebra ( Complex Numbers )

$$z = x + yi = r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) = r \text{ cis } \theta$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = r$$

$$-\pi < \text{Arg } z \leq \pi$$

$$z_1 z_2 = r_1 r_2 \text{ cis } (\theta_1 + \theta_2)$$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{r_1}{r_2} \text{ cis } (\theta_1 - \theta_2)$$

$$z^n = r^n \text{ cis } (n\theta) \text{ (de Moivre's theorem)}$$

## Vectors in two and three dimensions

$$\underline{r} = x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k}$$

$$|\underline{r}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2} = r$$

$$\underline{r}_1 \cdot \underline{r}_2 = r_1 r_2 \cos\theta = x_1 x_2 + y_1 y_2 + z_1 z_2$$

$$\dot{\underline{r}} = \frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dt}\hat{i} + \frac{dy}{dt}\hat{j} + \frac{dz}{dt}\hat{k}$$

## Mechanics

momentum:  $\underline{p} = m\underline{v}$

equation of motion:  $\underline{R} = m\underline{a}$

sliding friction:  $F \leq \mu N$

constant ( uniform ) acceleration:

$$v = u + at$$

$$s = ut + \frac{1}{2}at^2$$

$$v^2 = u^2 + 2as$$

$$s = \frac{1}{2}(u + v)t$$

acceleration:

$$a = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = \frac{dv}{dt} = v \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2}v^2 \right)$$

## Calculus

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{ax}) = ae^{ax}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_e(x)) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin(ax)) = a \cos(ax)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos(ax)) = -a \sin(ax)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan(ax)) = a \sec^2(ax)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin^{-1}(x)) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos^{-1}(x)) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan^{-1}(x)) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + c, n \neq -1$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax} + c$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \log_e(x) + c, \text{ for } x > 0$$

$$\int \sin(ax) dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos(ax) + c$$

$$\int \cos(ax) dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin(ax) + c$$

$$\int \sec^2(ax) dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan(ax) + c$$

$$\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + c, a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{-1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + c, a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{a}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + c$$

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:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \frac{du}{dx}$

mid-point rule:  $\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx (b-a) f\left(\frac{a+b}{2}\right)$

trapezoidal rule:  $\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{1}{2}(b-a)(f(a) + f(b))$

Euler's method

If  $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x)$ ,  $x_0 = a$  and  $y_0 = b$ , then  $x_{n+1} = x_n + h$  and  $y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(x)$

Take the acceleration due to gravity to have magnitude  $g \text{ m/s}^2$ , where  $g = 9.8$



**Question 1**

- a. Jared sets out on a walk from a point  $O$  and walks 30 metres east to a point  $A$  and then  $10\sqrt{10}$  metres on a bearing north  $\alpha$  east where  $\alpha = \text{Tan}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$  to a point  $B$ , all the time on horizontal ground.
- i. Taking  $\underline{i}$  as a unit vector in the east direction,  $\underline{j}$  as a unit vector in the north direction, find the vector  $\overline{OB}$  in terms of  $\underline{i}$  and  $\underline{j}$ .

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- ii. Using a suitable scalar product, find the bearing of  $B$  from  $O$  in degrees and minutes.

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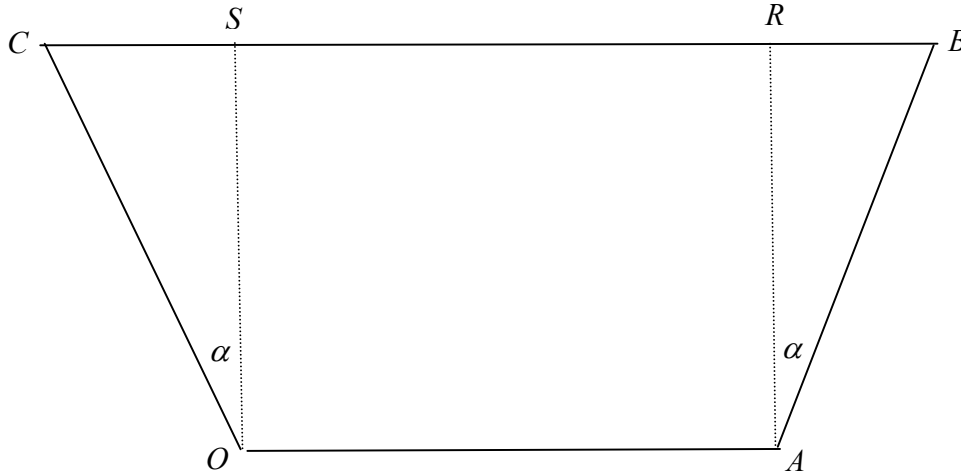


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Question 1 (continued)

- b.  $OABC$  is a trapezium and  $OARS$  is a square as shown. Both  $\overrightarrow{AB}$  and  $\overrightarrow{OC}$  are inclined at an angle of  $\alpha$  to the vertical where  $\alpha = \text{Tan}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$



Let  $\overrightarrow{OA} = a$  and  $\overrightarrow{OC} = c$ .

- i. Show that  $\overrightarrow{OB} = \frac{1}{3}(5a + 3c)$ .

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1 mark

Question 1 (continued)

b.

- ii. Let  $M$  be the mid-point of  $\overline{OA}$  and  $P$  be a point on  $MC$  such that the ratio of the distances  $MP : MC = \frac{3}{13}$ . Show that  $\overrightarrow{MP} = \frac{3}{26}(2\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{a})$ .

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- iii. Hence find the vector  $\overrightarrow{OP}$  and show that  $O, P$  and  $B$  are collinear.  
What is the ratio of the distances  $OP : OB$ ?

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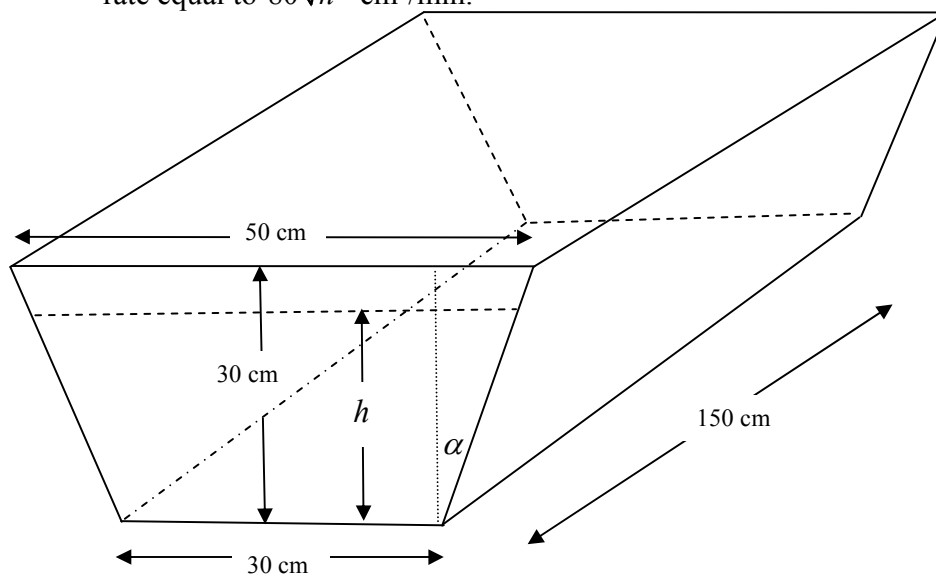
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**Question 1 (continued)**

- c. A drinking trough has a length of 150 cm and its cross-sectional face is in the shape of a trapezium, with a height of 30 cm and with lengths 30 and 50 cm. Both sloping edges are at an angle of  $\alpha$  to the vertical, where  $\alpha = \text{Tan}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$  as shown in the diagram below. The trough contains water to a height of  $h$  cm. The water, however, leaks out through a crack along the base of the trough at a rate equal to  $80\sqrt{h}$  cm<sup>3</sup>/min.



- i. Show that the differential equation for the height of water  $h$  cm in the trough,

where  $0 \leq h \leq 30$ , at a time  $t$  minutes, is given by  $\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{4\sqrt{h}}{5(45+h)}$

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**Question 2**

Let  $\alpha = \text{Tan}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$ ,  $\beta = \text{Tan}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$ ,  $u = 3+i$  and  $v = 2+i$

**a.** Find the exact value of  $\cos(\alpha + \beta)$ .

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**b.** Show that  $\sin(2\beta) = \frac{\text{Im}(v^2)}{|v^2|}$ .

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Question 2 (continued)

c. Find  $\text{Arg}(uv)$  and explain how this shows that  $\alpha + \beta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .

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2 marks

d.  $P(z) = z^3 + az^2 + bz + 20 = 0$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are real numbers and  $P(u) = 0$ .  
Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$  and state all the roots of  $P(z) = 0$ .

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2 marks

Question 2 (continued)

- e. If  $Q(z) = z^3 - (2+i)z^2 + 5z - 10 - 5i = 0$ , show that  $Q(\bar{z}) = 0$  and, hence, find all the values of  $z$  where  $Q(z) = 0$ .

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2 marks

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**Question 3**

- a. Ashley is driving his sports car along a straight road at a speed of 10 m/s when he brakes. Assuming a constant retardation of  $2.5 \text{ m/s}^2$ , find how long in seconds and the distance travelled in metres, before the speed of the car is reduced to 5 m/s.

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- b. Ashley's sports car has a mass 800 kg and on another day he is moving along a level section of a street at a speed of 10 m/s when he brakes. The total resistance forces are  $40v^2$  newtons, where  $v \text{ m/s}$  is the speed of the sports car at a time  $t$  seconds, and  $x$  is its distance from the point where Ashley applied the brakes.
- i. By choosing an appropriate form for the acceleration, show that a differential equation relating  $v$  to  $x$  is  $\frac{dv}{dx} = -\frac{v}{20}$ .

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**Question 3 (continued)**

- b.**
- iv.** Express the velocity  $v$  in terms of the time  $t$  and sketch the velocity time graph on the axes below, marking in suitable scales.

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2 marks

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**Question 4**

- a. The position vector of a particle at a time  $t$  seconds is given by

$$\underline{r}(t) = 2 \cot(t) \underline{i} + (1 - \cos(2t)) \underline{j}, \text{ for } t \geq 0.$$

Find the Cartesian equation of the curve.

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2 marks

**Question 4 (continued)**

**b.** Given the function  $f : R \rightarrow R$  where  $f(x) = \frac{8}{x^2 + 4}$ ,

**i.** Find the exact coordinates of the turning point and the inflexion points for the function.

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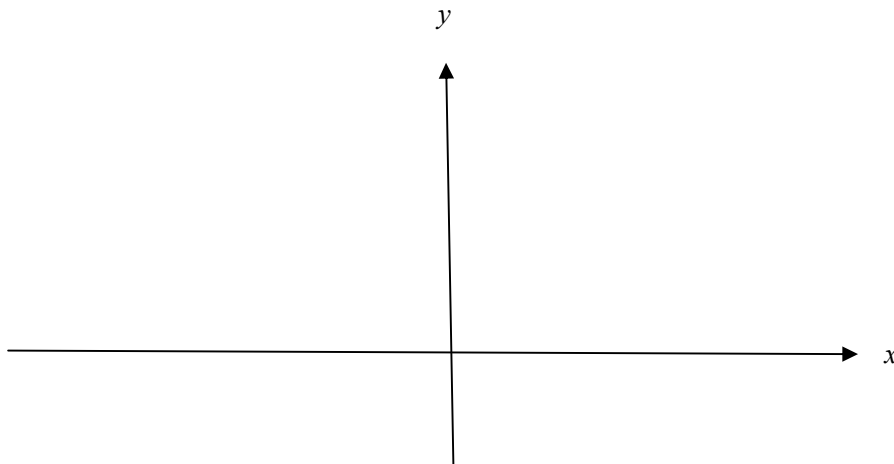
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**ii.** Sketch the graph of the function  $f(x) = \frac{8}{x^2 + 4}$  on the axes below, marking in suitable scales.



1 mark



**Question 4 (continued)**

- c. Given the function  $g(x) = \frac{8}{x^2 - 4}$ ,
- i. State the maximal domain and range of the function  $g(x)$  and the equations of all the asymptotes. Sketch the graph of  $g(x) = \frac{8}{x^2 - 4}$  on the axes below, marking in a suitable scale.

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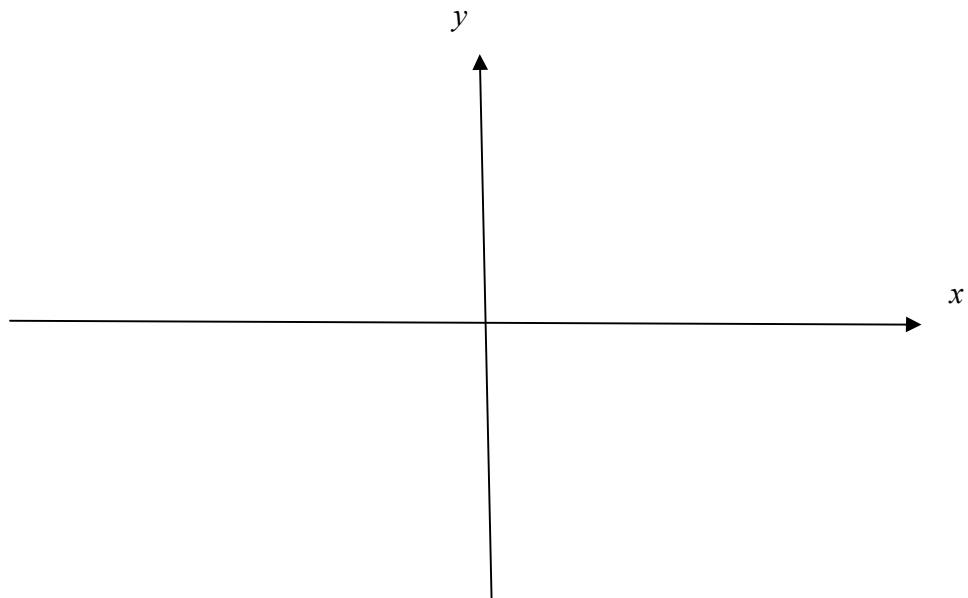
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2 marks



**Question 4 (continued)****c.**

- ii. A section of piping is formed when the area bounded by the curve  $y = \frac{8}{x^2 - 4}$ , the  $x$ -axis and the lines  $x = 6$  and  $x = 8$  is rotated  $360^\circ$  about the  $x$ -axis. Find, using calculus, the exact volume of this section of piping.

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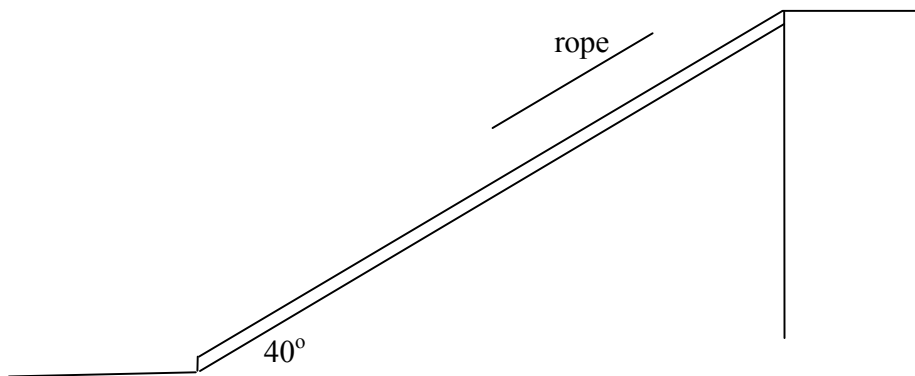
**Question 5**

Lilly is waiting for the delivery of some white goods, which were recently purchased.

- a.** A refrigerator has a mass of 102 kg and is on a loading bay from a delivery station. The loading bay is inclined at an angle of  $40^\circ$  to the horizontal as shown in the diagram below. When a delivery man exerts a force of  $P$  newtons on a rope up and parallel to the loading bay, the refrigerator is just prevented from sliding down the loading bay.

- i.** On the diagram below mark in all the forces acting on the refrigerator.

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- ii.** If the coefficient of friction between the refrigerator and the loading bay is 0.25, find the value of  $P$  correct to two decimal places.

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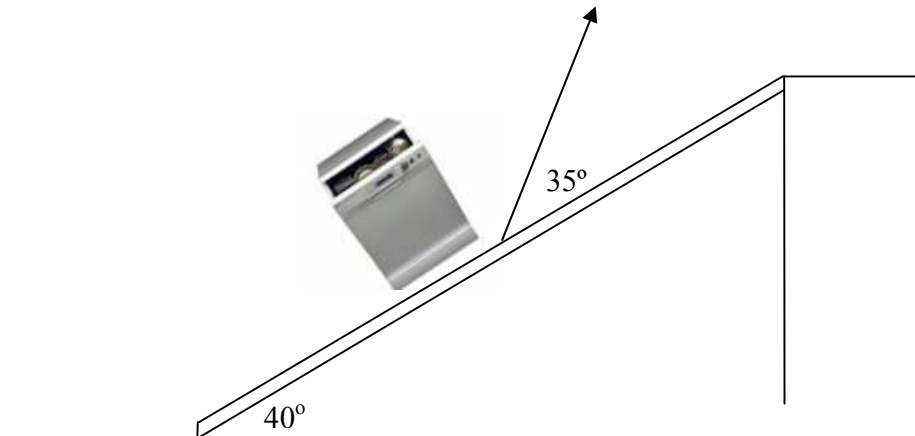
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- b. A dishwasher has a mass 52 kg and is now on the loading bay from the delivery station. The loading bay is still inclined at an angle of  $40^\circ$  to the horizontal as shown in the diagram below. When the delivery man now exerts an upwards force of 300 newtons on a rope inclined at an angle of  $35^\circ$  to the loading bay, the dishwasher is moving down the loading bay with an acceleration of  $0.5 \text{ m/s}^2$ .
- i. On the diagram below mark in all the forces acting on the dishwasher.



- ii. Find the value of the coefficient of friction between the dishwasher and the loading bay giving your answer correct to three decimal places.

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**WORKING SPACE**

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