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Paper 5 Investigation (Core)

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1 hour 10 minutes

You must answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are needed.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do not write on any bar codes.
- You should use a graphic display calculator where appropriate.
- You may use tracing paper.
- You must show all necessary working clearly, including sketches, to gain full marks for correct methods.
- In this paper you will be awarded marks for providing full reasons, examples and steps in your working to communicate your mathematics clearly and precisely.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is 36.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [].

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Answer **all** the questions.

INVESTIGATION

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PILING SQUARES

This investigation looks at different ways of piling squares. All the squares are the same size.

Squares are piled in a pattern, like this:

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(b) (i) Complete the table.

Number of squares on the bottom row (s)	1	2	3	4	5	6
Total number of squares (<i>T</i>)	1	3	6			

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	(ii)	When the number of squares on the bottom row is 3 the total number of squares is 6.	
		Use this information to explain how to calculate the total number of squares when there 4 squares on the bottom row.	are
			[1]
(c)	(i)	Write down the number of extra squares needed to change a pattern with 9 squares on bottom row to one with 10 squares on the bottom row.	the
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	(ii)	Calculate the total number of squares when there are 10 squares on the bottom row.	
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(d) (i) A formula for finding the total number of squares, T, in terms of the number of squares on the bottom row, s, is $T = ks^2 + \frac{1}{2}s, \qquad \text{where } k \text{ is a constant.}$

Use the results in **part** (b)(i) to find the value of k.

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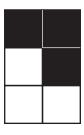
(ii) A pattern has 12 squares on the bottom row. Show that your formula in **part** (i) gives the correct total number of squares.

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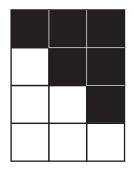
2 Black squares and white squares are now piled on top of each other like this:



1 square on the bottom row Height = 2 squares Total = 2 squares



2 squares on the bottom row Height = 3 squares Total = 6 squares



3 squares on the bottom row Height = 4 squares Total = 12 squares

(a) On the dotty paper, complete the next diagram in the sequence.

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(b) (i) Complete the table.

Number of squares on the bottom row (s)	1	2	3	4	5	6
Height (H)	2	3	4			

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(ii) Write down a formula for the height, H, in terms of the number of squares on the bottom row, s.

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(c) (i) Complete the table.

Number of squares on the bottom row (s)	1	2	3	4	5	6
Total number of squares (<i>T</i>)	2	6	12			

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	(ii)	Find a formula for the total number of squares, T , in terms of the number of squares on the bottom row, s .
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	(iii)	Find the total number of squares in a pattern with 15 squares on the bottom row.
	(111)	That the total number of squares in a pattern with 13 squares on the bottom fow.
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(d)		te down a formula to calculate the number of black squares, N , in a pattern with s squares on bottom row.
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(e)		culate the number of white squares, the number of black squares and the total number ares in a pattern with 50 squares on the bottom row.
		Number of white squares =
		Number of black squares =
		Total number of squares =
(f)	(i)	A pattern of black squares and white squares has 561 black squares. Find the number of squares in the bottom row.
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	(ii)	Is it possible to have a pattern of black squares and white squares with a total of 480 squares? Give a reason for your answer.
		because
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