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# Mathematical studies SL formula booklet

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# Prior learning

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5.0	Area of a parallelogram	$A = b \times h$ , where b is the base,
	Area of a triangle	$A = \frac{1}{2}(b \times h)$ , where <i>b</i> is the base, <i>h</i> is the height
	Area of a trapezium	$A = \frac{1}{2}(a+b)h$ , where <i>a</i> and <i>b</i> are the parallel sides, <i>h</i> is the height
	Area of a circle	$A = \pi r^2$ , where <i>r</i> is the radius
	Circumference of a circle	$C = 2\pi r$ , where <i>r</i> is the radius
	Distance between two points $(x_1, y_1)$ and $(x_2, y_2)$	$d = \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$
	Coordinates of the midpoint of a line segment with endpoints $(x_1, y_1)$ and $(x_2, y_2)$	$\left(\frac{x_1+x_2}{2},\frac{y_1+y_2}{2}\right)$



## Topic I—Number and algebra

1.2	Percentage error	$\varepsilon = \left  \frac{v_{\rm A} - v_{\rm E}}{v_{\rm E}} \right  \times 100\% \text{, where } v_{\rm E} \text{ is the exact value and } v_{\rm A} \text{ is the approximate value of } v$
1.7	The <i>n</i> th term of an arithmetic sequence The sum of <i>n</i> terms of an arithmetic sequence	$u_{n} = u_{1} + (n-1)d$ $S_{n} = \frac{n}{2}[2u_{1} + (n-1)d] = \frac{n}{2}(u_{1} + u_{n})$
1.8	The <i>n</i> th term of a geometric sequence The sum of <i>n</i> terms of a geometric sequence	$u_n = u_1 r^{n-1}$ $S_n = \frac{u_1(r^n - 1)}{r - 1} = \frac{u_1(1 - r^n)}{1 - r}, \ r \neq 1$
1.9	Compound interest	$FV = PV \times \left(1 + \frac{r}{100k}\right)^{kn}$ , where $FV$ = future value, $PV$ = present value, $n$ = number of years, $k$ = number of compounding periods per year, $r\%$ = nominal annual rate of interest

#### Topic 2—Descriptive statistics

2.5	Mean of a set of data	$\overline{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{k} f_i x_i}{n}$ , where $n = \sum_{i=1}^{k} f_i$
2.6	Interquartile range	$IQR = Q_3 - Q_1$

## Topic 3—Logic, sets and probability

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3.3	Truth tables	p	q	$\neg p$	$p \wedge q$	$p \lor q$	$p \lor q$	<i>p</i> =		
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3.6	Probability of an event A	P(A) =	number total nu	r of outo	comes ir f outcon	n <u>A</u> nes				
	Complementary events	P(A') =	1 - P(A)	)						
3.7	Combined events	$P(A \cup B)$	P(A) = P(A)	l) + P(B)	)-P(A)	$\cap B$ )				
	Mutually exclusive events	$P(A \cap B)$	B) = 0							
	Independent events	$P(A \cap B)$	B) = P(A)	( <i>i</i> ) P( <i>B</i> )						
	Conditional probability	$P(A \mid B)$	$=\frac{P(A)}{P(B)}$	$(A \cap B)$ (B)						

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Тор	oic 5—Geometr	ry and trigonometry
5.1	Equation of a straight line	y = mx + c;  ax + by + d = 0
	Gradient formula	$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$
5.3	Sine rule	$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$
	Cosine rule	$a^{2} = b^{2} + c^{2} - 2bc\cos A;  \cos A = \frac{b^{2} + c^{2} - a^{2}}{2bc}$
	Area of a triangle	$A = \frac{1}{2}ab\sin C$ , where <i>a</i> and <i>b</i> are adjacent sides, <i>C</i> is the included angle
5.5	Area of the curved surface of a cylinder	$A = 2\pi rh$ , where r is the radius, h is the height
	Surface area of a sphere	$A = 4\pi r^2$ , where r is the radius
	Area of the curved surface of a cone	$A = \pi r l$ , where r is the radius, l is the slant height
	Volume of a pyramid	$V = \frac{1}{3}Ah$ , where A is the area of the base, h is the vertical height
	Volume of a cuboid	$V = l \times w \times h$ , where <i>l</i> is the length, <i>w</i> is the width, <i>h</i> is the height
	Volume of a cylinder	$V = \pi r^2 h$ , where <i>r</i> is the radius, <i>h</i> is the height
	Volume of a sphere	$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$ , where <i>r</i> is the radius
	Volume of a cone	$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ , where <i>r</i> is the radius, <i>h</i> is the vertical height
	Volume of a prism	V = Ah, where A is the area of cross-section, h is the height

### Topic 5—Geometry and trigonometry

### Topic 6—Mathematical models

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6.3	Equation of the axis of symmetry for the graph of the quadratic function $y = ax^2 + bx + c$	$x = -\frac{b}{2a}$	

### Topic 7—Introduction to differential calculus

7.2	Derivative of $ax^n$	$f(x) = ax^n \implies f'(x) = nax^{n-1}$
	Derivative of a sum	$f(x) = ax^{n}, g(x) = bx^{m} \implies f'(x) + g'(x) = nax^{n-1} + mbx^{m-1}$