

Department of Mathematics

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You will no doubt have seen that ChatGPT and its relatives are capable of producing answers to mathematics questions. We encourage you to experiment with this in your own time. When you do, you should pay particular attention to whether the answers are logically correct (as opposed to just looking good) and whether the factual information given is correct.

At present, ChatGPT answers to our exercise questions would typically be given failing grades. It is therefore not in your interest to try to submit these answers. It is also *prohibited* and submitting AI-generated answers will be considered *academic misconduct*, as described at <https://info.lse.ac.uk/current-students/services/assessment-and-results/exams/exam-discipline-and-academic-misconduct>.

You should notice that the penalties for academic misconduct are severe. This prohibition applies to both summative (counts to your grade) and formative (does not count to your grade) work.

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