

## 2004 Paper 2 Question 1

### Multi-part question

Answer all parts.

- (a) Name at least *four* different types of ethical theory. [4 marks]
- (b) You are building a flight-control system for which a convincing safety case must be made. Would you assign the tasks of safety requirements engineering, test case development and assurance documentation to a separate team, or distribute them among your developers? Justify your answer briefly. [4 marks]
- (c) Describe two particular features of ML and two (different) features of Java that might be expected to help the process of designing, implementing, debugging or maintaining high quality programs in a cost effective manner. Explain whether the features you have noted are ones that come into play for all users or if they are capabilities that a user can choose to use or to ignore. [4 marks]
- (d) Draw a state diagram for a *deterministic finite automaton* that accepts  $w \in \{a, b\}^*$  if, and only if,  $w$  either begins with  $a$  and is of odd length or begins with  $b$  and is of even length. [4 marks]
- (e) A (ROM) Read Only Memory has 8 address inputs and 8 data outputs. Estimate how many two-input gates would be required, on average, to perform the function of the ROM. [4 marks]