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Check that you have the correct question paper.
Answer ALL the questions.
You must write your answer for each question in the space following the question.
When a calculator is used, the answer should be given to an appropriate degree of accuracy.

## Information for Candidates

A booklet 'Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables' is provided.
Full marks may be obtained for answers to ALL questions.
The marks for individual questions and the parts of questions are shown in round brackets: e.g. **(2)**.
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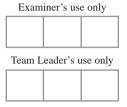
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1. The point $P$ lies on the curve with equation

$$y = 4e^{2x+1}.$$

The $y$-coordinate of $P$ is 8.

(a) Find, in terms of ln 2, the $x$-coordinate of $P$.

**(2)**

(b) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point $P$ in the form $y = ax + b$, where $a$ and $b$ are exact constants to be found.

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**2.**
$$f(x) = 5\cos x + 12\sin x$$

Given that $f(x) = R\cos(x - \alpha)$, where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \dfrac{\pi}{2}$,

(a) find the value of $R$ and the value of $\alpha$ to 3 decimal places.

**(4)**

(b) Hence solve the equation

$$5\cos x + 12\sin x = 6$$

for $0 \leqslant x < 2\pi$.

**(5)**

(c) (i) Write down the maximum value of $5\cos x + 12\sin x$.

**(1)**

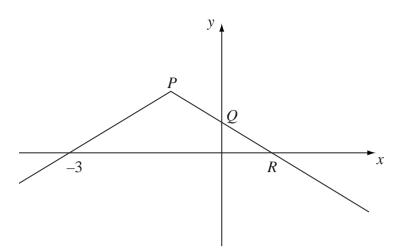(ii) Find the smallest positive value of $x$ for which this maximum value occurs.

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**3.**



**Figure 1**

Figure 1 shows the graph of $y = f(x), \ x \in \mathbb{R}$.
The graph consists of two line segments that meet at the point $P$.
The graph cuts the $y$-axis at the point $Q$ and the $x$-axis at the points $(-3, 0)$ and $R$.
Sketch, on separate diagrams, the graphs of

(a) $y = |f(x)|$,

**(2)**

(b) $y = f(-x)$.

**(2)**

Given that $f(x) = 2 - |x + 1|$,

(c) find the coordinates of the points $P$, $Q$ and $R$,

**(3)**

(d) solve $f(x) = \dfrac{1}{2}x$.

**(5)**

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**Question 3 continued**

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**4.** The function f is defined by

$$f : x \mapsto \frac{2(x-1)}{x^2 - 2x - 3} - \frac{1}{x-3}, \quad x > 3.$$

(a) Show that $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+1}, \quad x > 3.$

**(4)**

(b) Find the range of f.

**(2)**

(c) Find $f^{-1}(x)$. State the domain of this inverse function.

**(3)**

The function g is defined by

$$g : x \mapsto 2x^2 - 3, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

(d) Solve $fg(x) = \frac{1}{8}.$

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**Question 4 continued**

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**5.** (a) Given that $\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta \equiv 1$, show that $1 + \cot^2\theta \equiv \mathrm{cosec}^2\theta$.

**(2)**

(b) Solve, for $0 \leqslant \theta < 180°$, the equation

$$2\cot^2\theta - 9\,\mathrm{cosec}\,\theta = 3,$$

giving your answers to 1 decimal place.

**(6)**

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**6.** (a) Differentiate with respect to $x$,

   (i)  $e^{3x}(\sin x + 2\cos x)$,

**(3)**

   (ii)  $x^3 \ln (5x + 2)$.

**(3)**

Given that $y = \dfrac{3x^2 + 6x - 7}{(x+1)^2}, \quad x \neq -1,$

   (b)  show that $\dfrac{dy}{dx} = \dfrac{20}{(x+1)^3}$.

**(5)**

   (c)  Hence find $\dfrac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$ and the real values of $x$ for which $\dfrac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -\dfrac{15}{4}$.

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**Question 6 continued**

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**7.**
$$f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x - 6$$

(a)  Show that $f(x) = 0$ has a root, $\alpha$, between $x = 1.4$ and $x = 1.45$

**(2)**

(b)  Show that the equation $f(x) = 0$ can be written as

$$x = \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{x} + \frac{2}{3}\right)}, \quad x \neq 0.$$

**(3)**

(c)  Starting with $x_0 = 1.43$, use the iteration

$$x_{n+1} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{x_n} + \frac{2}{3}\right)}$$

to calculate the values of $x_1$, $x_2$ and $x_3$, giving your answers to 4 decimal places.

**(3)**

(d)  By choosing a suitable interval, show that $\alpha = 1.435$ is correct to 3 decimal places.

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**Question 7 continued**

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