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1994 Trial HSC 4 Unit Mathematics

1. (a) Sketch the graph of $y = (2x + 1)(x + 1)$ showing clearly the intercepts on the coordinate axes and the coordinates of any turning points.

(b) (i) Use the graph in part (a) to sketch the graph of $y = \ln[(2x + 1)(x + 1)]$ showing the intercepts on the coordinate axes and the equations of any asymptotes.

(ii) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = \ln[(2x + 1)(x + 1)]$ at the origin. Hence find the values of the real number k such that exactly one of the solutions of the equation $\ln[(2x + 1)(x + 1)] = kx$ is a positive number.

(c) (i) Use the graph in part (a) to sketch the graph of $y = \frac{1}{(2x+1)(x+1)}$ showing clearly the intercepts on the coordinate axes, the coordinates of any turning points and the equations of any asymptotes.

(ii) The region bounded by the curve $y = \frac{1}{(2x+1)(x+1)}$, the coordinate axes and the line $x = 4$ is rotated through one complete revolution about the y -axis. Use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid generated.

2. (a) Find: (i) $\int \tan^2 x \, dx$ (ii) $\int \frac{e^x}{\sqrt{1-e^{2x}}} \, dx$.

(b) Evaluate $\int_1^6 x\sqrt{6-x} \, dx$.

(c) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{1+\sin x} \, dx$ using the substitution $t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$.

(d) Find: (i) $\int \ln x \, dx$ (ii) $\int 2x \ln(x^2 + 1) \, dx$.

3. (a) $-3 + 4i$ has two square roots z_1 and z_2 . Find z_1 and z_2 in the form $a + ib$ and show the points representing $-3 + 4i$, z_1 and z_2 on an Argand diagram. Show that these three points are the vertices of a right angled triangle.

(b) The equation $z^2 + (1 - 2i)z - (7 + i) = 0$ has roots α and β . Find the monic equation with numerical coefficients whose roots are $\alpha - i$ and $\beta - i$. Hence find the values of α and β .

(c) The complex number z is represented by the point P on an Argand diagram. Indicate clearly on a single diagram the locus of P in each of the following cases:

(i) $|z - 4| = |z + 2i|$; (ii) $\arg(z + 3) = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

Show that there is a point representing a complex number of the form ib , where b is real, which lies on both loci.

(d) On an Argand diagram the point A represents the real number 1, O is the origin and the point P represents the complex number z which satisfies the condition $\arg(z - 1) = 2 \arg z$.

(i) Show this information on a diagram and deduce that triangle OAP is isosceles.

(ii) Deduce that the locus of P is a circle and show this circle on your diagram.

(iii) Find z in modulus/argument form if z also satisfies the condition $|z| = |z - 1|$.

4. $P(20 \cos \theta, 12 \sin \theta)$ is a point on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{20^2} + \frac{y^2}{12^2} = 1$. P lies in the first quadrant, and the tangent to the ellipse at P meets the directrices in Q and R where Q is nearer the focus S' and R is nearer the focus S . Q and R each lie above the x -axis, and QS' meets RS in K where K lies in the third quadrant.

(i) Sketch the ellipse showing its directrices and foci and the points P, Q, R and K .

(ii) Show that the tangent at P has equation $3x \cos \theta + 5y \sin \theta = 60$.

(iii) Show that K has coordinates $\left(-20 \cos \theta, \frac{4(9-25 \sin^2 \theta)}{3 \sin \theta}\right)$.

(iv) If K lies on the ellipse, find the coordinates of P and show that $PSKS'$ is a rectangle.

5. ABC is an isosceles triangle with $AB = BC = 2$ and $\angle ABC = \theta$. The circle with centre C and radius CA cuts AB internally at D and BC internally at E .

(i) Show this information on a sketch and show that $CA = 4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$. State the maximum possible value of θ . (ii) Show that $\angle ACD = \theta$.

(iii) Show that if the chord AD and the arc DE are equal in length, then $\pi - 3\theta = 4 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$.

(iv) Use a graphical method to show there is exactly one value of θ for which the chord AD and the arc DE have equal length. Use Newton's Method to find this value of θ to the nearest 0.1 radians.

6. A particle of mass m is projected vertically upwards from a point high above the ground. The particle experiences a resistance of magnitude mkv^2 where k is a positive constant and the velocity of the particle has magnitude v . During its downward motion, the terminal velocity of the particle is V . Its initial velocity of projection is half this terminal velocity.

(i) By considering the forces on the particle during its downward motion, show that $kV^2 = g$.

(ii) Show that during its upward motion, the acceleration of the particle is given by $V^2 \ddot{x} = -g(V^2 + v^2)$, and the distance x travelled by the particle when its velocity is v is given by $x = \frac{V^2}{2g} \ln \left\{ \frac{5V^2}{4(V^2 + v^2)} \right\}$.

(iii) Find the maximum height h of the particle above its projection point.

(iv) Show that during its downward motion, the acceleration of the particle is given by $V^2 \ddot{x} = g(V^2 - v^2)$.

(v) Find the position of the particle relative to its projection point when it attains 60% of its terminal velocity.

7. (a) (i) Show that $\tan(A + \frac{\pi}{2}) = -\cot A$.

(ii) Use the method of mathematical induction to show that $\tan \left\{ (2n+1) \frac{\pi}{4} \right\} = (-1)^n$ for all integers $n \geq 1$.

(b) $P(x) = x^6 + x^3 + 1$.

(i) Show that the roots of $P(x) = 0$ are amongst the roots of $x^9 - 1 = 0$.

(ii) Hence show the roots of $P(x) = 0$ on the unit circle, centre the origin, on an Argand diagram.

- (iii) Show that $P(x) = (x^2 - 2x \cos \frac{2\pi}{9} + 1)(x^2 - 2x \cos \frac{4\pi}{9} + 1)(x^2 - 2x \cos \frac{8\pi}{9} + 1)$.
 (iv) Evaluate $\cos \frac{2\pi}{9} \cos \frac{4\pi}{9} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{9} \cos \frac{8\pi}{9} + \cos \frac{8\pi}{9} \cos \frac{2\pi}{9}$.

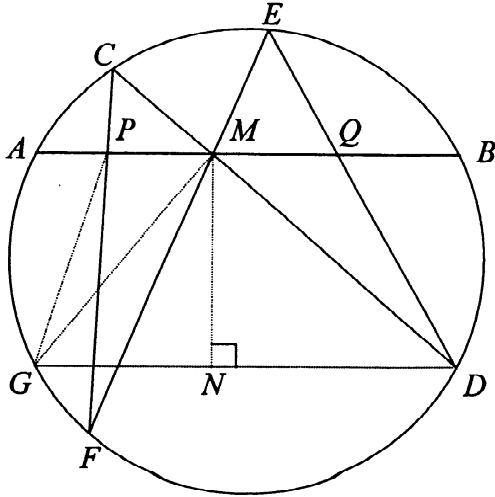
8. (a) The quadratic equation $x^2 - x + k = 0$, where k is a real number, has two distinct positive real roots α and β .

(i) Show that $0 < k < \frac{1}{4}$.

(ii) Show that $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = 1 - 2k$ and deduce that $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 > \frac{1}{2}$.

(iii) Show that $\frac{1}{\alpha^2} + \frac{1}{\beta^2} > 8$.

(b)



Chords AB, CD, EF are concurrent in M where M is the midpoint of AB . CF, ED meet AB in P, Q respectively. Chord DG is constructed parallel to AB , and N is the foot of the perpendicular from M to DG .

- (i) Copy the diagram.
 (ii) Show that $\triangle MGD$ is isosceles.
 (iii) Show that $PMFG$ is a cyclic quadrilateral.
 (iv) Show that $MP = MQ$.
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