

**Assessment Schedule – 2014****Scholarship Calculus (93202)****Evidence Statement**

Where a response to any half-question uses a novel or unexpected solution, markers use their professional judgement and guidance from the Panel Leader to apply the following:

<b>Across all half-questions</b>						
0	No attempt, or little progress made					
1	An attempt is made, showing an appropriate approach, but below Scholarship level					
2	Significant progress is made toward an answer, at borderline Scholarship level					
3	An answer is found, containing a small error, partially incomplete, or lacking clarity/insight					
4	A full, clear and/or insightful solution is found – possibly an unexpected/novel solution					

Combining part-question scores:

+	0	1	2	3	4
0	0	1	2	4	5
1	1	2	4	5	6
2	2	4	5	6	7
3	4	5	6	7	8
4	5	6	7	8	8

**QUESTION ONE (8 marks)**

- (a) Note that  $(7 + 4\sqrt{3})(7 - 4\sqrt{3}) = 1$ .

Let  $A = 7 + 4\sqrt{3}$  and  $k = t^2 - 5t + 5$ .

$$A^k + \left(\frac{1}{A}\right)^k = 14$$

$$A^k + A^{-k} - 14 = 0$$

$$A^{2k} - 14A^k + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 14x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{14 \pm \sqrt{196 - 4}}{2} = \frac{14 \pm 8\sqrt{3}}{2} = 7 \pm 4\sqrt{3}$$

So now  $x = A^k = (7 + 4\sqrt{3})^k = 7 \pm 4\sqrt{3}$  so  $k = \pm 1$ .

For  $k = 1$ ,  $t^2 - 5t + 5 = 1$  gives  $t^2 - 5t + 4 = 0$  so  $t = 1$  or  $t = 4$ .

For  $k = -1$ ,  $t^2 - 5t + 5 = -1$  gives  $t^2 - 5t + 6 = 0$  so  $t = 2$  or  $t = 3$ .

The full solution set is  $t \in \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ .

QUESTION ONE (a)	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	One solution found
2	Two solutions found
3	Three solutions found
4	Four solutions found

*Note: deduct one mark for each and every incorrect answer given*

(b) Answer ONE of the following options.

• **EITHER**

Let  $u = \ln(\sin^{-1} e^x)$ . Then  $u^5 = u$ .

So  $u(u^4 - 1) = 0$ , giving  $u = 0$  or  $u = \pm 1$  (ruling out the complex roots  $u = \pm i$ ).

Case 1:  $u = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\ln(\sin^{-1} e^x) &= 0 \\ \sin^{-1} e^x &= 1 \\ e^x &= \sin 1\end{aligned}$$

Solution is  $x = \ln(\sin 1)$ .

Case 2:  $u = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\ln(\sin^{-1} e^x) &= 1 \\ \sin^{-1} e^x &= e \\ e^x &= \sin(e)\end{aligned}$$

It appears another solution is  $x = \ln(\sin e)$ . However, since  $\sin^{-1}(e^{\ln(\sin e)}) = \sin^{-1}(\sin e) = \pi - e$  this solution is *not valid*; it does not give  $e$  as required.

Case 3:  $u = -1$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\ln(\sin^{-1} e^x) &= -1 \\ \sin^{-1} e^x &= \frac{1}{e} \\ e^x &= \sin \frac{1}{e}\end{aligned}$$

Solution is  $x = \ln(\sin \frac{1}{e})$ .

There are **two** solutions:  $x_1 = \ln(\sin 1)$  and  $x_2 = \ln \left( \sin \frac{1}{e} \right)$ .

$$\ln \sin 1 \approx -0.1726$$

$$\ln \sin e \approx -0.8897$$

$$\ln \sin \frac{1}{e} \approx -1.0227$$

QUESTION ONE (b) [first option]		
0	No attempt, or little progress made	
1	One (potential) solution found, any method	numerical solutions
2	Two (potential) solutions found	sufficient
3	All three potential solutions found, exact form	
4	False solution eliminated with justification	

• **OR**

Constraints:

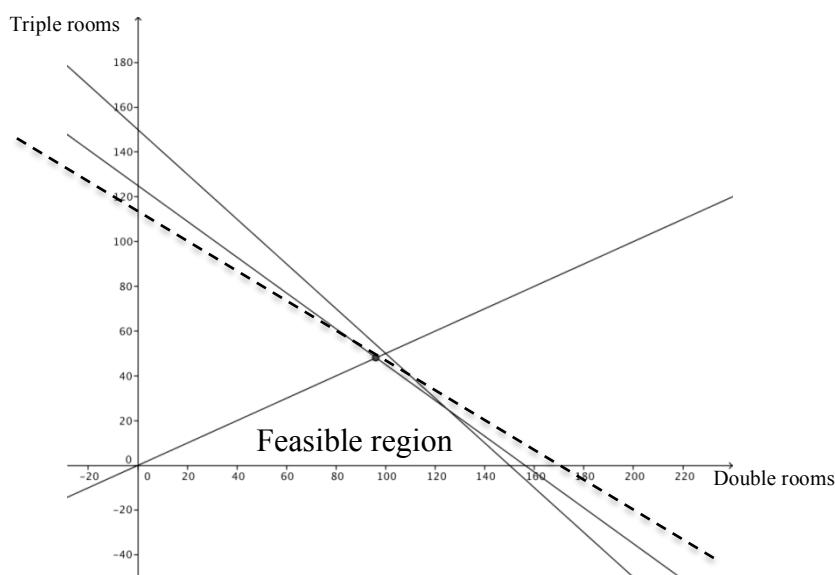
$$x \geq 0 \text{ and } y \geq 0$$

$$x + y \leq 150$$

$$6400x + 800y \leq 1000000 \text{ or equivalent } 8x + 10y \leq 1250$$

$$3 \times 2x \geq 4 \times 3y \quad \text{or equivalent } x \geq 2y$$

$$\text{Daily Income} = 200x + 1800y$$



At (96,48) the income is \$201 600 (96 double rooms and 48 triple rooms).

This uses only 144 of the available 150 rooms.

Resolutions:

- (i) If they could find an extra \$40 000, the profit would be maximized at 100 double and 50 triple rooms with an increase in revenue of \$8400.
- (ii) Change the charges so that a double room charge is \$1400 and a triple \$1575. This would change the income to \$214 375 if they had 125 double rooms and 25 triple rooms. However, the change in price might change the demand.

QUESTION ONE (b) [second option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Three constraints found (can infer $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$ from shaded diagram)
2	Consistent feasible region indicated
3	Maximum found
4	Resolution of issue discussed

**QUESTION TWO (8 marks)**

(a) First, let  $z = x^2$ , then  $z^2 - 2kz + q^2 = 0$ .

$$\text{This has roots } z = \frac{2k \pm \sqrt{4k^2 - 4q^2}}{2} = k \pm \sqrt{k^2 - q^2}.$$

Case 1:  $q^2 > k^2$  which arises when  $|q| > |k|$ . So  $z$  is complex, and  $x$  is **complex**; the roots are distinct.

Case 2:  $q^2 = k^2$  which arises when  $q = \pm k$ . Then  $z = k$ .

Case 2a:

If  $k < 0$  then the solutions are **complex** roots:  $x = \pm\sqrt{k}$  i.

Case 2b:

If  $q = k = 0$  then  $z = 0$  is the only root (a **repeated** root).

Case 2c:

If  $k > 0$  then the solutions are real roots:  $x = \pm\sqrt{k}$ .

Case 3:  $q^2 < k^2$  which arises when  $|q| < |k|$ . Then  $z$  is real.

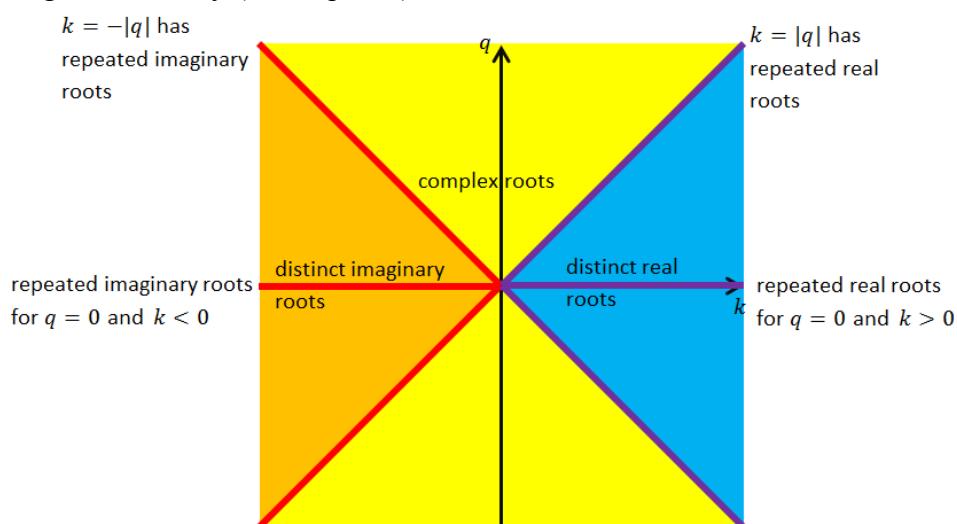
Case 3a:

If  $k < 0$  then both roots are negative since  $\sqrt{k^2 - q^2} < k$ . So the four roots are **complex** and distinct.

Case 3b:

If  $k > 0$  then both roots are positive. So the four roots are real and distinct unless  $q = 0$ , and then there is a **repeated** root of  $x = 0$ .

Diagrammatically (not required):



QUESTION TWO (a)		
0	No attempt, or little progress made	
1	Identifies the roots as $x = \pm\sqrt{k \pm \sqrt{k^2 - q^2}}$ in some way	independent marks
2,3	Identifies some <b>repeated</b> roots ( $q = 0$ or $q = \pm k$ )	
	Identifies some <b>complex</b> roots	
4	Full discussion covering all cases	

(b) Answer ONE of the following options.

• **EITHER**

We need to find the intersection of the curves  $y = 9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x$  and  $y = 16 \sin^2 x$ .

$$16 \sin^2 x = 9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x$$

$$\sin^4 x = \frac{9}{16}$$

$$\sin x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

From the graph it is clear that  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $x = \frac{2\pi}{3}$  are the intersections.

Now, note that  $16 \sin^2 x = 8 - 8 \cos 2x$ , which allows us to find the integrals.

$$\int 9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \, dx = -9 \cot x + C$$

$\int 16 \sin^2 x \, dx = 8x - 4 \sin 2x + C$  using a trigonometric identity on the integrand.

$$A = C = \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} (9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - 16 \sin^2 x) \, dx = 6\sqrt{3} - \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

$$B = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{2\pi}{3}} (16 \sin^2 x - 9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x) \, dx = \frac{8\pi}{3} - 2\sqrt{3}$$

QUESTION TWO (b) [first option]		
0	No attempt, or little progress made	
1,2,3	Finds $\int 9 \operatorname{cosec}^2 x \, dx = -9 \cot x$	Marks independent
	Locates the limits of integration $x = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}$	
	Finds $\int 16 \sin^2 x \, dx = 8x - 4 \sin 2x$	
4	Finds the areas of the regions	

• **OR**

We write the equations as an augmented matrix.

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} c+2 & 0 & c-2 & 0 \\ c+3 & c-3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c+5 & c-5 & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{c-2}{c+2} & 0 \\ c+3 & c-3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & c+5 & c-5 & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim \left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{c-2}{c+2} & 0 \\ 0 & c-3 & \frac{-(c+3)(c-2)}{c+2} & 0 \\ 0 & c+5 & \frac{c+2}{c-5} & 0 \end{array} \right] \sim$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & \frac{c-2}{c+2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{-(c+3)(c-2)}{(c+2)(c-3)} & 0 \\ 0 & c+5 & \frac{(c+5)(c+3)(c-2)}{(c+2)(c-3)} & 0 \end{array} \right]$$

The case we need to consider in detail is when  $c - 5 + \frac{(c+5)(c+3)(c-2)}{(c+2)(c-3)} = 0$ .

$$\frac{(c+5)(c+3)(c-2)}{(c+2)(c-3)} = -(c-5)$$

$$(c+5)(c+3)(c-2) = -(c-5)(c+2)(c-3)$$

$$c^3 + 6c^2 - c - 30 = -c^3 + 6c^2 + c - 30$$

$$2c^3 - 2c = 0$$

$$c(c-1)(c+1) = 0$$

$$c \in \{-1, 0, 1\}$$

Candidates with knowledge of matrix determinants could find

$$\left| \begin{array}{ccc} c+2 & 0 & c-2 \\ c+3 & c-3 & 0 \\ 0 & c+5 & c-5 \end{array} \right| = 2c^3 - 2c$$

with a similar amount of work, and note that when this determinant is zero, the system does not have a unique solution.

Since the system of equations always has the solution  $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$  the system has this unique solution when  $c \notin \{-1, 0, 1\}$ , and has infinitely many solutions (on a line) otherwise.

QUESTION TWO (b) [second option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Identifies that $(0, 0, 0)$ is a solution, possibly for just a particular case
2	Rearrange to find any expression involving $c$ <u>only</u>
3	Finds the key values $c \in \{-1, 0, 1\}$
4	Describes how the solutions are different for these values

**QUESTION THREE (8 marks)**

(a) We need to find the given integral, and solve to find the value(s) of  $c$  which make it zero.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{12} \rho(x)(x - c) dx &= 0 \\ \int_0^{12} bx^r(12 - x)(x - c) dx &= 0 \\ b \int_0^{12} ((12 + c)x^{r+1} - 12cx^r - x^{r+2}) dx &= 0 \\ \left[ \frac{(12 + c)x^{r+2}}{r + 2} - \frac{12cx^{r+1}}{r + 1} - \frac{x^{r+3}}{r + 3} \right]_0^{12} &= 0 \\ \frac{(12 + c)12^{r+2}}{r + 2} - \frac{12c \times 12^{r+1}}{r + 1} - \frac{12^{r+3}}{r + 3} &= 0 \\ \frac{12(12 + c)}{r + 2} - \frac{12c}{r + 1} - \frac{144}{r + 3} &= 0 \\ \dots \\ c &= \frac{12(r + 1)}{(r + 3)} \end{aligned}$$

**QUESTION THREE (a)**

0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Correctly expands integrand
2	Integrates correctly
3	Simplifies expressions in definite integral (eliminates $b12^r$ )
4	Solves for $c$ in terms of $r$

(b) Answer ONE of the following options.

• **EITHER**

The maxima and minima of  $h_p(x)$  occur at the same places as the maxima and minima of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$ ; these are 1 and 3, and 25 and 27 respectively.

So the maximum of  $h_p(x)$  is  $3^{1-p}27^p$  and the minimum is  $1^{1-p}25^p$ .

Therefore  $S(p) = 3^{1-p}27^p - 25^p$ .

$$\frac{dS}{dp} = -\ln 3 \times 3^{1-p}27^p + \ln 27 \times 3^{1-p}27^p - \ln 25 \times 25^p = 0$$

$$3^{1-p}27^p(\ln 27 - \ln 3) = \ln 25 \times 25^p$$

$$\ln 25 \times 25^p = 3 \times (\ln 27 - \ln 3) \frac{1}{3^p} 27^p$$

$$\frac{3^p \times 25^p}{27^p} = \frac{3(3 \ln 3 - \ln 3)}{\ln 25}$$

$$\left(\frac{25}{9}\right)^p = \frac{6 \ln 3}{2 \ln 5} = \frac{3 \ln 3}{\ln 5}$$

$$p = \log_{\frac{25}{9}}\left(\frac{3 \ln 3}{\ln 5}\right) = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{3 \ln 3}{\ln 5}\right)}{\ln \frac{25}{9}} = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{\ln 27}{\ln 5}\right)}{\ln \frac{25}{9}} \approx 0.702$$

Several forms are given; any exact form is sufficient.

Candidates might simplify  $S(p) = 3^{1+2p} - 25^p$  at the start.

QUESTION THREE (b) [first option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Finds maximum and minimum values of $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ ; or of $h_p(x)$
2	Finds expression for $S(p)$
3	Finds $\frac{ds}{dp}$
4	Solves to find $p$ for maximum (any exact form)

- OR

Critical Path Tasks A –B – D – E – G – I – J – K, Duration 43 weeks (see diagram below)

Crash the **least expensive activities on the critical path**:

Crash activity J from 4 weeks to 2 weeks \$2,400

Crash activity I from 3 weeks to 2 weeks \$2,000

Crash activity K from 3 weeks to 2 weeks \$2,000

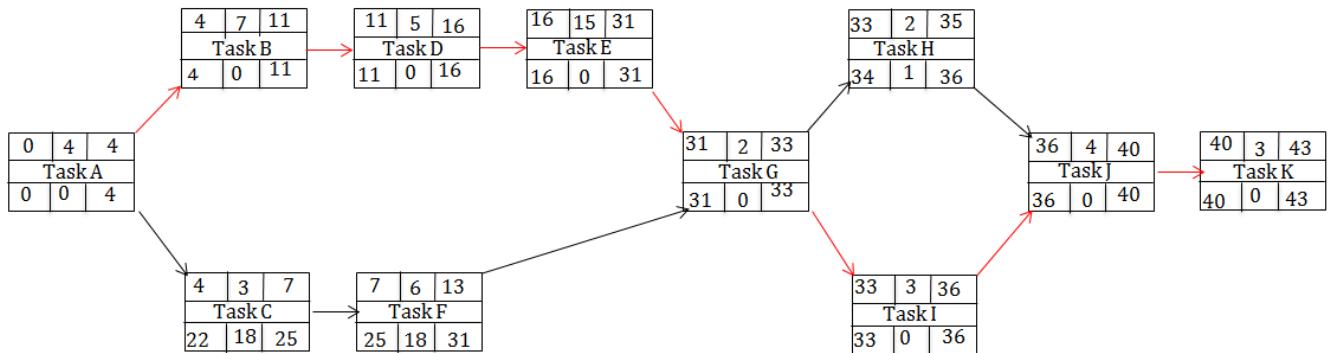
Crash activity B from 7 weeks to 6 weeks \$2,500

Most economical cost to the clients is **\$8,900**

There are now 2 critical paths:

Tasks A –B – D – E – G – I – J – K

Tasks A –B – D – E – G – H – J – K



QUESTION THREE (b) [second option]			
0	No attempt, or little progress made		
1	Identifies critical path and 43 week duration		
2	Finds <i>any</i> way to crash to 38 weeks		
3	Finds the most economical cost to clients		
4	Discusses solution (two new critical paths)		

**QUESTION FOUR (8 marks)**

(a) If  $\text{cis}(x^2) = \text{cis } x$  then  $x^2 = x + 2k\pi$  where  $k$  is an integer.

When  $k = 0$ ,  $x^2 = x$  so  $x = 0$  or  $x = 1$ .

In general,  $x^2 - x - 2k\pi = 0$  has roots at  $x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+8k\pi}}{2}$ .

Note that when  $k < 0$ , these will be complex arguments.

$$\text{At } k = 0 \quad x_1 = 0$$

$$x_2 = 1$$

$$\text{At } k = 1 \quad x_3 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{1+8\pi}}{2} \approx -2.06$$

$$x_4 = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{1+8\pi}}{2} \approx 3.06$$

$$\text{At } k = 2 \quad x_5 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{1+16\pi}}{2} \approx -3.08$$

$$\text{but not } \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{1+16\pi}}{2} \approx 4.08 > \pi$$

All other solutions with  $k > 2$  are outside the required domain.

QUESTION FOUR (a)	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Identifies the straightforward solutions at $x = 0$ and $x = 1$
2	Makes adjustment of $+2\pi$ or $+2k\pi$
3	Identifies two more exact solutions
4	Identifies all solutions in the domain, eliminating others

(b) Answer ONE of the following options.

- **EITHER**

Using the given rule, the rule for the second derivative is

$$\begin{aligned}(uvw)'' &= u''vw + u'v'w + u'vw' + u'v'w + uv''w + uv'w' + u'vw' + uv'w' + uvw'' \\ &= u''vw + uv''w + uvw'' + 2u'v'w + 2uv'w' + 2u'vw'\end{aligned}$$

Finding the full form of the solution can be shortened by the symmetry of the problem; the coefficients in each row are equal.

$$\begin{aligned}(uvw)''' &= 1u'''vw + 1uv'''w + 1uvw''' \\ &\quad + 3u''v'w + 3u''vw' + 3u'v''w + 3uv''w' + 3u'vw'' + 3uv'w'' \\ &\quad + 6u'v'w'\end{aligned}$$

$$A = B = C = 1$$

$$D = E = F = G = H = I = 3$$

$$J = 6$$

QUESTION FOUR (b) [first option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Second derivative found, any form
2	Third derivative found, any form
3	Third derivative in correct form, stating coefficients
4	Work showing insight, clarity or flair

• **OR**

Using the definition of the binomial coefficients and rearranging the factorials:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{n!}{(n-r)!r!} &= \frac{(n+1)!}{(n+1-(r-1))!(r-1)!} \\ \frac{n!}{(n-r)!r!} &= \frac{(n+1)!}{(n-r+2)!(r-1)!} \\ \frac{(n-r+2)!}{(n-r)!} &= \frac{(n+1)!r!}{n!(r-1)!}\end{aligned}$$

Most of the factorials cancel:

$$\begin{aligned}(n-r+2)(n-r+1) &= (n+1)r \\ n^2 - nr + n - nr + r^2 - r + 2n - 2r + 2 &= nr + r \\ n^2 - 3nr + 3n + r^2 - 4r + 2 &= 0 \\ n^2 + (3-3r)n + (r^2 - 4r + 2) &= 0\end{aligned}$$

As a quadratic in  $n$ , the roots are:

$$\begin{aligned}n &= \frac{3r-3 \pm \sqrt{(3-3r)^2 - 4(r^2 - 4r + 2)}}{2} \\ n &= \frac{3r-3 \pm \sqrt{9-18r+9r^2-4r^2+16r-8}}{2} \\ n &= \frac{3r-3 + \sqrt{5r^2-2r+1}}{2}\end{aligned}$$

(as only the larger root is useful).

Trying some values of  $r$ , most give irrational values for  $n$

$$r = 1 \quad n = 1$$

For  $1 < r < 6$  we find  $n$  is not an integer.

$$r = 6 \quad n = 14$$

$$\text{So } \binom{14}{6} = \binom{15}{5} = 3003.$$

Note that searching for an integer value of  $\sqrt{5r^2 - 2r + 1}$  by solving  $5r^2 - 2r + 1 = k^2$  for various values of  $k$  would need a search to  $k = 13$ .

Other – much larger but acceptable – integer solutions exist.

QUESTION FOUR (b) [second option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Simplify expressions for coefficients to eliminate all factorials
2	Write as a quadratic in $n$ , or collected the $n^2$ and $n$ terms
3	Find $n$ in terms of $r$ (with $\pm$ acceptable)
4	Find particular solution, eg $\binom{14}{6} = \binom{15}{5}$ or as $n = 14$ and $r = 6$

**QUESTION FIVE (8 marks)**

- (a) Finding the first derivative, then rearranging the second derivative to contain only  $y$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dy}{dx} &= e^{cx} \cdot e^{cx} \cdot c \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= e^{cx} \cdot e^{cx} \cdot c \cdot e^{cx} \cdot c + e^{cx} \cdot e^{cx} \cdot c \cdot c \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= e^{cx} \cdot e^{cx} \cdot c^2 \cdot (e^{cx} + 1) \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= c^2 \cdot y \cdot \ln y \cdot (1 + \ln y)\end{aligned}$$

Or, with logarithms

$$\begin{aligned}\ln y &= e^{cx} \\ \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} &= ce^{cx} \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= y \cdot ce^{cx} \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{dy}{dx} ce^{cx} + yc^2 e^{cx} \\ &= yc^2 e^{cx} e^{cx} + yc^2 e^{cx} \\ &= c^2 \cdot y \cdot e^{cx} \cdot (1 + e^{cx}) \\ &= c^2 \cdot y \cdot \ln y \cdot (1 + \ln y)\end{aligned}$$

QUESTION FIVE (a)	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Find the first derivative; any form
2	Find the second derivative; any form
3	Substitute to eliminate $e^{cx} = y$ (or reach this step via second form)
4	Factorise to required form

(b) Answer ONE of the following options.

• **EITHER**

The function is only defined when  $1 - x^2 - y^2 \geq 0$ . This is the region inside a circle of radius 1, centred at  $(0,0)$ .

The boundaries of the rectangle arise from the other terms:

$$(x^2 - A)(y^2 - (1 - A)) = (x + \sqrt{A})(x - \sqrt{A})(y + \sqrt{1 - A})(y - \sqrt{1 - A})$$

The four lines are  $x = \pm\sqrt{A}$  and  $y = \pm\sqrt{1 - A}$ . The corners are  $(\pm\sqrt{A}, \pm\sqrt{1 - A})$ .

Since  $(\sqrt{A})^2 + (\sqrt{1 - A})^2 = A + 1 - A = 1$  the corners lie on the circle.

The area of the circle is  $\pi$ .

The area of the rectangle is  $R = 4\sqrt{A}\sqrt{1 - A}$ .

$$4\sqrt{A(1 - A)} = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\sqrt{A(1 - A)} = \frac{\pi}{8}$$

$$A(1 - A) = \frac{\pi^2}{64}$$

$$A^2 - A + \frac{\pi^2}{64} = 0$$

$$A = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 - \frac{\pi^2}{16}}}{2}$$

$A \approx 0.1905, 0.8095$ .

QUESTION FIVE (b) [first option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Describes the circle and horizontal/vertical lines arising from the boundary
2	Expression for rectangle area in terms of $A$ , $R = 4\sqrt{A}\sqrt{1 - A}$ , any form
3	Find $A = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 - \frac{\pi^2}{16}}}{2}$ , any exact form
4	Show that the corners of the rectangle are on the circle

• **OR**

First, note we have  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ .

Suppose  $a$  is a variable. We aim to find  $b$  in terms of  $a$  so that the ellipse intersects the hyperbolas with a common tangent line.

This means that there is a repeated root in the solution for  $x$  in terms of  $a$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} &= 1 \\ \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{1}{b^2x^2} &= 1 \\ x^4 + \frac{a^2}{b^2} - a^2x^2 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Let  $u = x^2$ :

$$u^2 - a^2u + \frac{a^2}{b^2} = 0$$

This has repeated roots when  $a^4 - \frac{4a^2}{b^2} = 0$ .

$$a^2 \left( a^2 - \frac{4}{b^2} \right) = 0$$

So  $b = \frac{2}{a}$ .

Now the area of the ellipse is  $A = \pi ab = \pi a \times \frac{2}{a} = 2\pi$ .

Since the area of the ellipse does not vary with  $a$ , all ellipses which touch the hyperbolas have the same maximal area.

QUESTION FIVE (b) [second option]	
0	No attempt, or little progress made
1	Find an expression for the intersection in terms of $x$ (or $y$ ) only
2	Recognise that at maximum, the intersection is a repeated root (determinant equal to zero)
3	Find $b = \frac{2}{a}$
4	Recognise that <b>ALL</b> ellipses which touch the hyperbolas have the maximal area $2\pi$

*Note that finding the area of a particular ellipse tangent to the hyperbolas has area  $2\pi$  is not sufficient.*