GRADE 12 EXAMINATION
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# ADVANCED PROGRAMME MATHEMATICS: PAPER I
# MODULE 1: CALCULUS AND ALGEBRA

## MARKING GUIDELINES

Time: 2 hours 200 marks

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**QUESTION 1**

1.1 (a) $(\ln x)^2 + 2\ln x - 3 = 0$

$k = \ln x$

$(k+3)(k-1) = 0$

$\ln x = -3 \qquad \ln x = 1$

$x = e^{-3} = 0{,}0498 \qquad x = e = 2{,}718$ (6)

(b) $|x + p| = \ln q$

$x \geq -p: \qquad x + p = \ln q$

$\qquad x = \ln q - p$

$x \leq -p: \qquad -x - p = \ln q$

$\qquad x = -\ln q - p$ (5)

1.2 (a) $(0; 3)$ (1)

(b) $0 = x^2 + |2x - 3|$

$x^2 \neq -|2x - 3|$

since LHS and RHS cannot both be zero simultaneously (3)

(c) $\left(\frac{3}{2}; \frac{9}{4}\right)$ (Critical point is at zero of abs value term) (2)

(d) $y = x^2 - 2x + 3$ (Note that other branch does not contain tp)

$0 = 2x - 2$

$\therefore x = 1; \; y = 2$ (4)

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**QUESTION 2**

2.1 $889 = Ae^{15k}$

$596 = Ae^{5k}$

$\therefore e^{10k} = \frac{889}{596}$

$\therefore k = 0{,}04$

$\therefore A = 488$ (7)

2.2 $6000 = 488e^{0{,}04t}$

$\therefore t = 62{,}72$

$\therefore$ *year* 2032 (*or accept* 2033) (3)

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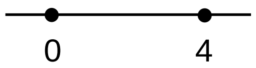
## QUESTION 3

3.1 $x = \dfrac{-p \pm \sqrt{p^2 - 4p}}{2p}$

$p(p-4) < 0$




$p = 2$ (6)

3.2 $x = -2i$ is also a solution

$\therefore x^2 + 4$ is a factor

$\left(x^2+4\right)\left(x^2-2x+5\right) = x^4 - 2x^3 + px^2 - 8x + 20$

$\therefore x = 1 \pm 2i$ and $p = 9$ (8)

3.3 Note that $i + i^2 + i^3 + i^4 = 0$

Therefore: $i + i^2 + i^3 + i^4 + ..... + i^{2016} = 0$

Therefore answer = $i$ (4)

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## QUESTION 4

Prove true for $n$ = 2:

LHS = $1 - \dfrac{1}{4} = \dfrac{3}{4}$ RHS = $\dfrac{2+1}{2(2)} = \dfrac{3}{4}$

Assume true for $n = k$:

$$\left(1-\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(1-\frac{1}{9}\right)..........\left(1-\frac{1}{k^2}\right) = \frac{k+1}{2k}$$

Prove true for $n = k + 1$

$$\left(1-\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(1-\frac{1}{9}\right)..........\left(1-\frac{1}{k^2}\right)\left(1-\frac{1}{(k+1)^2}\right)$$

$$=\left(\frac{k+1}{2k}\right)\left(1-\frac{1}{(k+1)^2}\right) \text{ by assumption}$$

$$=\left(\frac{k+1}{2k}\right)\left(\frac{(k+1)^2-1}{(k+1)^2}\right)$$

$$=\frac{k(k+2)}{2k(k+1)}$$

$$=\frac{k+2}{2(k+1)}$$

But this is the formula with $n = k + 1$. Therefore, we have proved by PMI that the result is true for all natural values of n.

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## QUESTION 5

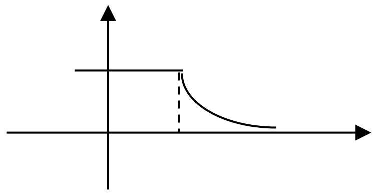
5.1 (a) $\lim_{x \to 1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \to 1} 4 = 4$

$\lim_{x \to 1^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \to 1} \frac{4}{x} = 4$

$f(1) = 4$

Therefore, continuous at x = 1.

Not differentiable due to sudden change of gradient.



(6)

(b) $\lim_{x \to 2^-} f'(x) = \lim_{x \to 2^+} f'(x)$

$\frac{-4}{x^2} = a$

$\therefore a = -1$

$\frac{4}{x} = -x + b$

$\therefore b = 4$ (8)

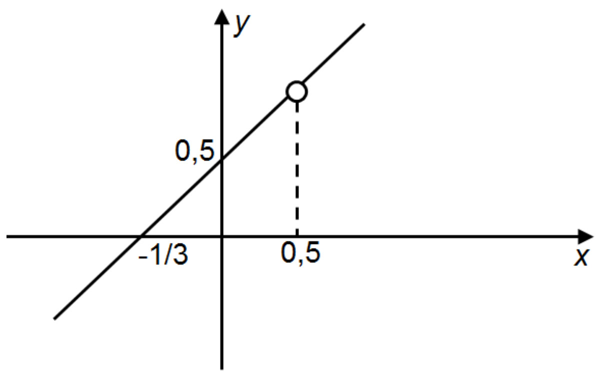
5.2 (a) $6x^2 - x - 1 = (3x-2)(2x+1) + k$

$p = 3$ (5)

(b) (i) $f(x) = \frac{(3x+1)(2x-1)}{2(2x-1)}$

Removable discontinuity at $x = 0{,}5$. Factor cancels out. (4)

(ii) $\therefore y = \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}; \quad x \neq \frac{1}{2}$




(5)

(c) $f'(x) = \frac{(3x-2)(12x-1) - (6x^2 - x - 1)(3)}{(3x-2)^2}$

$\therefore 0 = 18x^2 - 24x + 5 \qquad i.e.\ \Delta > 0$ (7)

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## QUESTION 6

6.1 Using the cosine rule:

$10^2 = 10^2 + 8^2 - 2(10)(8)\cos\hat{O}$

$\therefore \hat{O} = 1{,}159$ radians (4)

6.2 Area of sector = $\frac{1}{2}(10)^2(1{,}159) = 57{,}96$ units$^2$

Area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2}(8)(10)\sin 1{,}159 = 36{,}656$

Shaded area = 21,3 units$^2$ (6)

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## QUESTION 7

7.1 $y = -(4x+3)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}(4x+3)^{-\frac{3}{2}}(4)$

$= \frac{2}{(4x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$

$m = 2$ and $n = \frac{3}{2}$ (5)

7.2 (a) $\cos y \frac{dy}{dx} - \sin x = 0$

$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin x}{\cos y}$ (5)

(b) $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$: $\sin y + \frac{1}{2} = 1$

$\sin y = \frac{1}{2}$

$y = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin\frac{\pi}{3}}{\cos\frac{\pi}{6}} = 1$ (5)

7.3 (a) $x_{r+1} = x_r - \frac{\tan x + x^2 + 1}{\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} + 2x}$

$x_0 = -1$
$x1 = -1{,}31047803...$
$x2 = -1{,}227348576...$
$x3 = -1{,}181802226...$
$x4 = -1{,}172412988...$ (7)

(b) $x5 = -1{,}172093968...$
$x6 = -1{,}172093617...$
$x7 = -1{,}1720936...$ (2)

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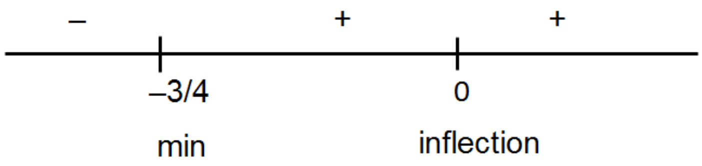
## QUESTION 8

8.1 $4x^3 + 3x^2 = 0$

$\therefore x^2(4x+3) = 0$




$g''(x) = 12x^2 + 6x$

$0 = 6x(2x+1)$

$x = 0$ or $x = -\frac{1}{2}$

Therefore $x = 0$ is stationary (noting sign of gradient does not change) and $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ is non-stationary. (8)

8.2 $y = \int 4x^3 + 3x^2 dx$

$y = x^4 + x^3 + C$

$4 = 1 + 1 + C$

$y = x^4 + x^3 + 2$ (6)

8.3 For a cubic, f''(x) is linear and hence f''(x) = 0 always has a solution.
For a quartic, f''(x) is quadratic and hence f''(x) = 0 may not have real solutions. (3)

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## QUESTION 9

9.1 (a) $RHS = \sec^2\theta\left(\tan^2\theta + 1\right)$

$= \sec^2\theta\left(\sec^2\theta\right)$

$= \sec^4\theta$ (4)

(b) $\int \sec^2\theta.\tan^2\theta + \sec^2\theta\, d\theta$

$= \dfrac{\tan^3\theta}{3} + \tan\theta + C$ (7)

9.2 (a) $\int \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + 2\sin x\cos x\ dx$

$= \int 1 + \sin 2x\, dx$

$= x - \dfrac{\cos 2x}{2} + C$ (8)

(b) $\dfrac{1}{6}\int 6\left(x-2\right)\left(3x^2 - 12x + 5\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx$

$= \dfrac{1}{9}\left(3x^2 - 12x + 5\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$ (7)

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## QUESTION 10

10.1 The turning point of the graph is (2; 4). At the turning point, the rectangles change from under-approximating to over-approximating so the error cancels out to some extent. (4)

10.2 (a) $2 \times 2 = 4$ (2)

(b) $h(-x) = \frac{3}{2}h(x)$

$\frac{3}{2} \times 2 + 2 = 5$ units (4)

(c) $2 - 2 = 0$ (2)

10.3 (a) $y = a\left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{p}$

$0 = a\left(\frac{p^2}{4}\right) + \frac{1}{p}$

$a = -\dfrac{4}{p^3}$ (6)

(b) Area = $\displaystyle\int_0^p -\frac{4}{p^3}\left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{p}\,dx$

$= \left[-\dfrac{4}{p^3}\dfrac{\left(x - \frac{p}{2}\right)^3}{3} + \dfrac{1}{p}x\right]_0^p$

$= \dfrac{2}{3}$ (9)

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