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Mathematics

MPC1

Unit Pure Core 1

Monday 14 January 2013 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables.
- You must **not** use a calculator.



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Time allowed

- 1 hour 30 minutes

Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Write the question part reference (eg (a), (b)(i) etc) in the left-hand margin.
- You must answer each question in the space provided for that question. If you require extra space, use an AQA supplementary answer book; do **not** use the space provided for a different question.
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Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 75.

Advice

- Unless stated otherwise, you may quote formulae, without proof, from the booklet.
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Answer all questions.

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- 1 The point A has coordinates $(-3, 2)$ and the point B has coordinates $(7, k)$.
The line AB has equation $3x + 5y = 1$.
- (a) (i) Show that $k = -4$. (1 mark)
- (ii) Hence find the coordinates of the midpoint of AB . (2 marks)
- (b) Find the gradient of AB . (2 marks)
- (c) A line which passes through the point A is perpendicular to the line AB . Find an equation of this line, giving your answer in the form $px + qy + r = 0$, where p , q and r are integers. (3 marks)
- (d) The line AB , with equation $3x + 5y = 1$, intersects the line $5x + 8y = 4$ at the point C . Find the coordinates of C . (3 marks)

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Answer space for question 1

$$A(-3, 2) \quad B(7, k)$$

$$a) \quad 3x + 5y = 1 \quad x = 7, \quad y = k$$

$$3(7) + 5k = 1$$

$$21 + 5k = 1 \quad (-21)$$

$$5k = -20 \quad (\div 5)$$

$$k = -4 \quad (\text{as req.})$$

OR

$$3(7) + 5(-4) = 1$$

$$21 + -20 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$ii) \quad \text{Midpoint} = \left(\frac{-3+7}{2}, \frac{2+(-4)}{2} \right)$$

$$= \left(\frac{4}{2}, \frac{-2}{2} \right)$$

$$= (2, -1)$$



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Answer space for question 1

$$A \begin{matrix} x_1 & y_1 \\ (-3, 2) \end{matrix} \quad B \begin{matrix} x_2 & y_2 \\ (7, -4) \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) gradient} &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{-4 - 2}{7 - (-3)} \\ &= \frac{-6}{10} = -\frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) perpendicular gradient is } 5/3 \\ \text{point } A(-3, 2) \\ y - 2 &= \frac{5}{3}(x + 3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3y - 6 &= 5x + 15 \\ 5x - 3y + 21 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } 3x + 5y &= 1 \quad (1) \quad (\times 8) \\ 5x + 8y &= 4 \quad (2) \quad (\times 5) \\ 24x + 40y &= 8 \quad (3) \quad (4) - (3) \\ 25x + 40y &= 20 \quad (4) \\ -24x + 40y &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = 12 \rightarrow \text{sub in } (1)$$

$$3(12) + 5y = 1$$

$$36 + 5y = 1$$

$$5y = -35$$

$$y = -7$$

$$C = (12, -7)$$

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- 2 A bird flies from a tree. At time t seconds, the bird's height, y metres, above the horizontal ground is given by

$$y = \frac{1}{8}t^4 - t^2 + 5, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 4$$

- (a) Find $\frac{dy}{dt}$. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) Find the rate of change of height of the bird in metres per second when $t = 1$. (2 marks)
- (ii) Determine, with a reason, whether the bird's height above the horizontal ground is increasing or decreasing when $t = 1$. (1 mark)
- (c) (i) Find the value of $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2}$ when $t = 2$. (2 marks)
- (ii) Given that y has a stationary value when $t = 2$, state whether this is a maximum value or a minimum value. (1 mark)

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Answer space for question 2

2) $y = \frac{1}{8}t^4 - t^2 + 5$

a) $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{4}{8}t^3 - 2t$

b) When $t = 1$
 $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{4}{8}(1)^3 - 2(1)$
 $= -1\frac{1}{2}$

c) $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0 \therefore$ height is decreasing at $t = 1$



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Answer space for question 2

$$ci) \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} t^3 - 2t$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = \frac{3}{2} t^2 - 2$$

$$\text{When } t=2, \quad \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = \frac{3}{2} (2)^2 - 2$$

$$= \underline{4}$$

$$ii) \quad \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} > 0 \quad \therefore \text{a minimum}$$

value at $t=2$

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3 (a) (i) Express $\sqrt{18}$ in the form $k\sqrt{2}$, where k is an integer. (1 mark)

(ii) Simplify $\frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{18} + \sqrt{32}}$. (3 marks)

(b) Express $\frac{7\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3}}$ in the form $m + \sqrt{n}$, where m and n are integers. (4 marks)

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{3a) } \sqrt{18} &= \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2} \\ &= \underline{3\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{18} + \sqrt{32}} &= \frac{\sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{16} \times \sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2}} \\ &= \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{7\sqrt{2}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{2}{7}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } \frac{(7\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3})}{(2\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{3})} \times \frac{(2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3})}{(2\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3})} &= \frac{14\sqrt{4} + 7\sqrt{6} - 2\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{9}}{4\sqrt{4} - 2\sqrt{6} + 2\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{9}} \\ &= \frac{14(2) + 5\sqrt{6} - 3}{4(2) - 3} \\ &= \frac{28 + 5\sqrt{6} - 3}{8 - 3} \\ &= \frac{25 + 5\sqrt{6}}{5} \\ &= \underline{\underline{5 + \sqrt{6}}} \end{aligned}$$



Answer space for question 3

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4 (a) (i) Express $x^2 - 6x + 11$ in the form $(x - p)^2 + q$. (2 marks)

(ii) Use the result from part (a)(i) to show that the equation $x^2 - 6x + 11 = 0$ has no real solutions. (2 marks)

(b) A curve has equation $y = x^2 - 6x + 11$.

(i) Find the coordinates of the vertex of the curve. (2 marks)

(ii) Sketch the curve, indicating the value of y where the curve crosses the y -axis. (3 marks)

(iii) Describe the geometrical transformation that maps the curve with equation $y = x^2 - 6x + 11$ onto the curve with equation $y = x^2$. (3 marks)

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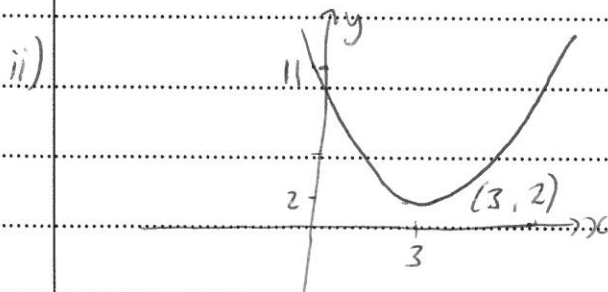
$$4ai) \quad x^2 - 6x + 11 = (x-3)^2 - 9 + 11 \\ = (x-3)^2 + 2$$

$$ii) \quad (x-3)^2 + 2 = 0 \quad (-2) \\ (x-3)^2 = -2 \quad (5) \\ x-3 = \pm\sqrt{-2}$$

can't $\sqrt{\text{a negative number}}$ \therefore no
real solution

$$bi) \quad (x-3)^2 + 2$$

coordinate of vertex is (3, 2)



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iii) from $y = (x-3)^2 + 2$ to $y = x^2$

Translation $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

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- 5 The polynomial $p(x)$ is given by

$$p(x) = x^3 - 4x^2 - 3x + 18$$

- (a) Use the Remainder Theorem to find the remainder when $p(x)$ is divided by $x + 1$. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) Use the Factor Theorem to show that $x - 3$ is a factor of $p(x)$. (2 marks)
- (ii) Express $p(x)$ as a product of linear factors. (3 marks)
- (c) Sketch the curve with equation $y = x^3 - 4x^2 - 3x + 18$, stating the values of x where the curve meets the x -axis. (3 marks)

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5) $p(x) = x^3 - 4x^2 - 3x + 18$

a) $p(-1) = (-1)^3 - 4(-1)^2 - 3(-1) + 18$
 $= -1 - 4 + 3 + 18$
 $= 16$ remainder is 16

bi) $p(3) = (3)^3 - 4(3)^2 - 3(3) + 18$
 $= 27 - 36 - 9 + 18$
 $= 0$ $\therefore (x-3)$ is a factor of $p(x)$

ii)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 - x - 6 \\
 x-3 \overline{) x^3 - 4x^2 - 3x + 18} \\
 \underline{-(x^3 - 3x^2)} \\
 0 - x^2 - 3x \\
 \underline{-(x^2 - 3x)} \\
 0 - 6x + 18 \\
 \underline{-(6x - 18)} \\
 0 + 0
 \end{array}$$

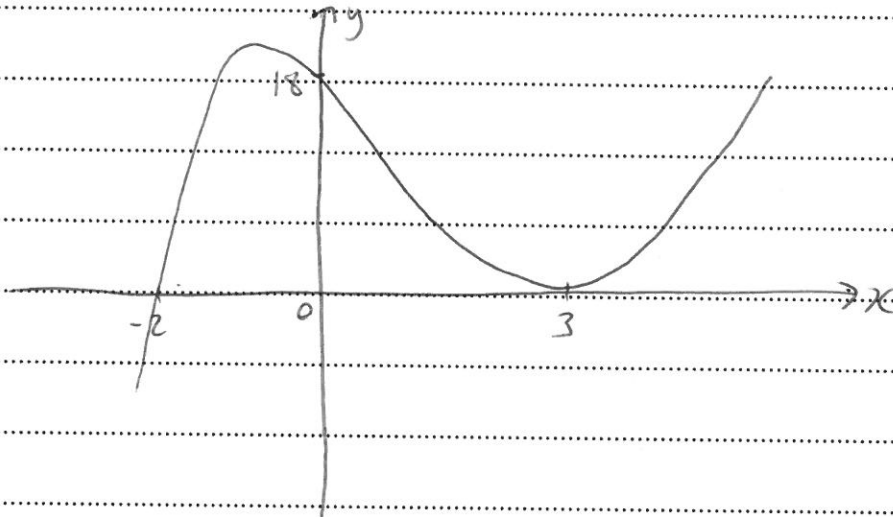
$(x-3)(x^2 - x - 6)$
 $(x-3)(x-3)(x+2)$



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c) x intersects at $(3, 0)$ - touches
 $(-2, 0)$
 y intersects at $(0, 18)$



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- 6 The gradient, $\frac{dy}{dx}$, of a curve at the point (x, y) is given by

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 6x^2 + 5$$

The curve passes through the point $P(1, 4)$.

- (a) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point P , giving your answer in the form $y = mx + c$. (3 marks)
- (b) Find the equation of the curve. (5 marks)

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6) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 6x^2 + 5$ $P(1, 4)$

a) $y = 4, x = 1$
 When $x = 1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10(1)^4 - 6(1)^2 + 5$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10 - 6 + 5$
 $= 9$ (gradient)

$$y - 4 = 9(x - 1)$$

$$y - 4 = 9x - 9$$

$$y = 9x - 5$$

b) $y = \frac{10x^5}{5} - \frac{6x^3}{3} + 5x + c$ $x = 1, y = 4$

$$y = 2x^5 - 2x^3 + 5x + c$$

$$4 = 2(1)^5 - 2(1)^3 + 5(1) + c$$

$$4 = 2 - 2 + 5 + c$$

$$c = -1$$

$$\text{so, } y = 2x^5 - 2x^3 + 5x - 1$$



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- 7 A circle with centre $C(-3, 2)$ has equation

$$x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 4y = 12$$

- (a) Find the y -coordinates of the points where the circle crosses the y -axis. (3 marks)
- (b) Find the radius of the circle. (3 marks)
- (c) The point $P(2, 5)$ lies outside the circle.
- (i) Find the length of CP , giving your answer in the form \sqrt{n} , where n is an integer. (2 marks)
- (ii) The point Q lies on the circle so that PQ is a tangent to the circle. Find the length of PQ . (2 marks)

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7) $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 4y = 12$

a) $x = 0$ when crosses y axis

$$y^2 - 4y = 12$$

$$y^2 - 4y - 12 = 0$$

$$(y - 6)(y + 2) = 0$$

$$\underline{y = 6} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{y = -2}$$

b) $x^2 + 6x + y^2 - 4y = 12$

$$(x + 3)^2 - 9 + (y - 2)^2 - 4 = 12$$

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 25$$

$$r^2 = 25$$

$$\underline{r = 5}$$



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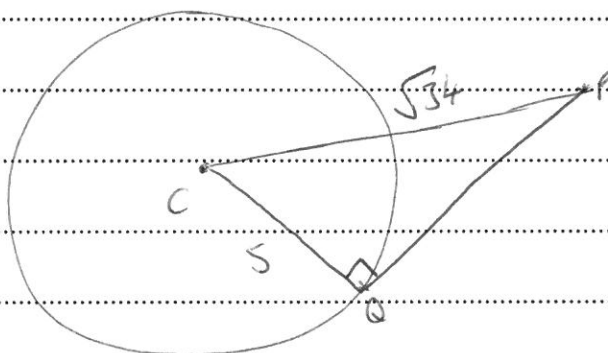
ci) $C(-3, 2)$ $P(2, 5)$

$$CP = \sqrt{(-3-2)^2 + (2-5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 9}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\sqrt{34}}}$$

ii)



$$PQ^2 = (\sqrt{34})^2 - 5^2$$

$$= 34 - 25$$

$$PQ = \sqrt{9}$$

$$PQ = \underline{\underline{3}}$$

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- 8 A curve has equation $y = 2x^2 - x - 1$ and a line has equation $y = k(2x - 3)$, where k is a constant.

- (a) Show that the x -coordinate of any point of intersection of the curve and the line satisfies the equation

$$2x^2 - (2k + 1)x + 3k - 1 = 0 \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

- (b) The curve and the line intersect at two distinct points.

- (i) Show that $4k^2 - 20k + 9 > 0$. (3 marks)

- (ii) Find the possible values of k . (4 marks)

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8) $y = 2x^2 - x - 1$ $y = k(2x - 3)$

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

$$2x^2 - x - 1 = 2kx - 3k$$

$$2x^2 - 2kx - x + 3k - 1 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - (2k + 1)x + 3k - 1 = 0 \text{ (as required)}$$

b) $b^2 - 4ac > 0$ as two distinct solutions

$$a = 2, \quad b = -(2k + 1) \quad c = 3k - 1$$

$$= -2k - 1$$

$$(-2k - 1)^2 - 4(2)(3k - 1) > 0$$

$$(2k + 1)^2 - 8(3k - 1) > 0$$

$$4k^2 + 4k + 1 - 24k + 8 > 0$$

$$4k^2 - 20k + 9 > 0$$

$$\text{(as required)}$$

$$(2k + 1)(2k + 1)$$

$$4k^2 + 2k + 2k + 1$$

$$4k^2 + 4k + 1$$



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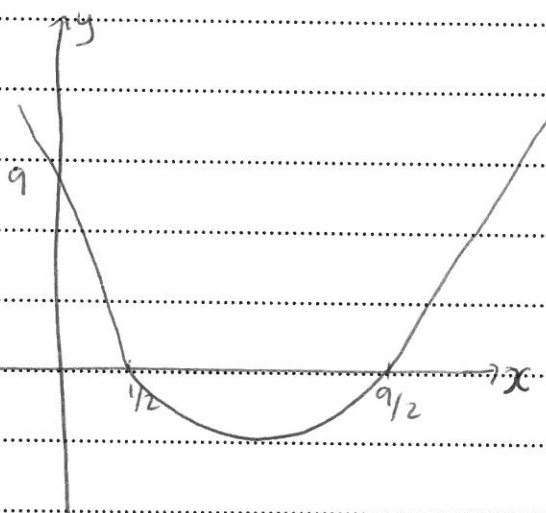
$$\text{ii)} \quad 4k^2 - 20k + 9 > 0$$

$$(2k - 1)(2k - 9) > 0$$

$$2k - 1 = 0 \quad \text{OR} \quad 2k - 9 = 0$$

$$k = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$k = \frac{9}{2}$$



$$4k^2 - 20k + 9 > 0$$

so graph is above x axis

(greater than 0)

$$\underline{k < \frac{1}{2}} \quad , \quad \underline{k > \frac{9}{2}}$$

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