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Mathematics   MFP1

Unit Further Pure 1

Specimen paper for examinations in June 2010 onwards

For this paper you must have:
- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables.
You may use a graphics calculator.

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 the questions in the space provided. Do not write outside the box around each page.
- Show all necessary working; otherwise marks for method may be lost.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.

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 in the spaces provided.

1 The equation

$$2x^2 + x - 8 = 0$$

has roots α and β.

(a) Write down the values of $\alpha + \beta$ and $\alpha\beta$. *(2 marks)*

(b) Find the value of $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$. *(2 marks)*

(c) Find a quadratic equation which has roots $4\alpha^2$ and $4\beta^2$. Give your answer in the form $x^2 + px + q = 0$, where p and q are integers. *(3 marks)*

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2 A curve has equation

$$y = x^2 - 6x + 5$$

The points A and B on the curve have x-coordinates 2 and $2 + h$ respectively.

(a) Find, in terms of h, the gradient of the line AB, giving your answer in its simplest form. *(5 marks)*

(b) Explain how the result of part **(a)** can be used to find the gradient of the curve at A. State the value of this gradient. *(3 marks)*

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3 The complex number z is defined by

$$z = x + 2i$$

where x is real.

(a) Find, in terms of x, the real and imaginary parts of:

(i) z^2 ; *(3 marks)*

(ii) $z^2 + 2z^*$. *(2 marks)*

(b) Show that there is exactly one value of x for which $z^2 + 2z^*$ is real. *(2 marks)*

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4   The variables x and y are known to be related by an equation of the form
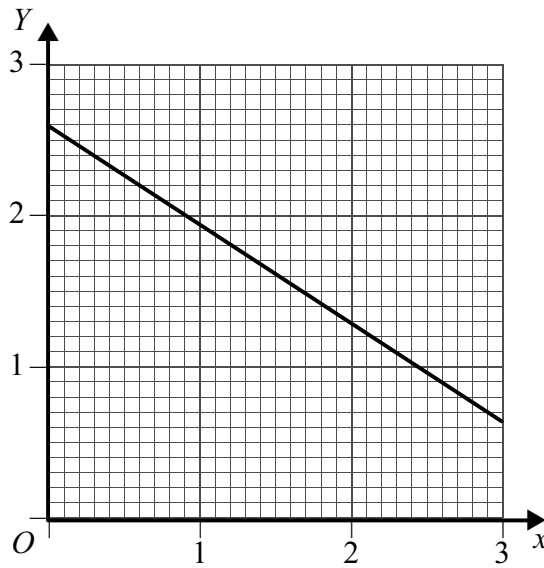
$$y = ab^x$$

where a and b are constants.

(a)   Given that $Y = \log_{10} y$, show that x and Y must satisfy an equation of the form

$$Y = mx + c \qquad \qquad \textit{(3 marks)}$$

(b)   The diagram shows the linear graph which has equation $Y = mx + c$.

Use this graph to calculate:

(i)   an approximate value of y when $x = 2.3$, giving your answer to one decimal place;

(ii)   an approximate value of x when $y = 80$, giving your answer to one decimal place.

(You are not required to find the values of m and c.)   *(4 marks)*

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5 (a) Find the general solution of the equation

$$\cos(3x - \pi) = \tfrac{1}{2}$$

giving your answer in terms of π. *(6 marks)*

(b) From your general solution, find all the solutions of the equation which lie between 10π and 11π. *(3 marks)*

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6 An ellipse E has equation

$$\frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

(a) Sketch the ellipse E, showing the coordinates of the points of intersection of the ellipse with the coordinate axes. *(3 marks)*

(b) The ellipse E is stretched with scale factor 2 parallel to the y-axis.

Find and simplify the equation of the curve after the stretch. *(3 marks)*

(c) The **original** ellipse, E, is translated by the vector $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$. The equation of the translated ellipse is

$$4x^2 + 3y^2 - 8x + 6y = 5$$

Find the values of a and b. *(5 marks)*

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7 (a)   Using surd forms where appropriate, find the matrix which represents:

   (i)   a rotation about the origin through 30° anticlockwise;   *(2 marks)*

   (ii)   a reflection in the line $y = \dfrac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x$.   *(2 marks)*

  (b)   The matrix **A**, where

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

represents a combination of an enlargement and a reflection. Find the scale factor of the enlargement and the equation of the mirror line of the reflection.   *(2 marks)*

  (c)   The transformation represented by **A** is followed by the transformation represented by **B**, where

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & -1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the matrix of the combined transformation and give a full geometrical description of this combined transformation.   *(5 marks)*

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8   A curve has equation

$$y = \frac{x^2}{(x-1)(x-5)}$$

(a)   Write down the equations of the three asymptotes to the curve.   *(3 marks)*

(b)   Show that the curve has no point of intersection with the line $y = -1$.   *(3 marks)*

(c) (i)   Show that, if the curve intersects the line $y = k$, then the *x*-coordinates of the points of intersection must satisfy the equation

$$(k-1)x^2 - 6kx + 5k = 0$$ *(2 marks)*

(ii)   Show that, if this equation has equal roots, then

$$k(4k + 5) = 0$$ *(2 marks)*

(d)   Hence find the coordinates of the two stationary points on the curve.   *(5 marks)*

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