



crash**MATHS**

FP1

PRACTICE PAPER B



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75 MARKS / 1 HOUR 30 MINUTES

2 (a) On the same axis, sketch the graphs of

(i) $C_1 : y^2 = 4ax$, $a > 0$.

(ii) $C_2 : y = \frac{c^2}{x}$

On your sketch, you should show the focus and directrix of C_1 and the asymptotes of the curve C_2 .

(5)

(b) Using your sketch, state and justify the number of solutions to the equation

$$\left(\frac{c^2}{x}\right)^2 = 4ax$$

(2)



8 Here is a recurrence relationship.

$$x_{k+1} = 3(x_k + 1)$$

Given that $x_1 = 1$,

(a) Find x_2 and x_3 .

(2)

(b) Use the method of mathematical induction to prove that

$$x_n = \frac{5(3^{n-1}) - 3}{2}$$

(6)

for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.



9 The rectangular hyperbola H has the equation

$$xy = 16$$

The three distinct points P , Q and R lie on H and have the coordinates $\left(4p, \frac{4}{p}\right)$, $\left(4q, \frac{4}{q}\right)$ and $\left(4r, \frac{4}{r}\right)$ respectively, where $p, q, r \neq 0$.

(a) Find the equation of the line PQ .

(4)

Another point $S\left(4\sqrt{pq}, \frac{4}{\sqrt{pq}}\right)$ lies on H , where $pq > 0$.

Given that PR is parallel to PS ,

(b) Show that the normal to H at the point R is perpendicular to PQ .

(7)



