

**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE
MATHEMATICS (MEI)**

4755/01

Further Concepts for Advanced Mathematics (FP1)

FRIDAY 11 JANUARY 2008

Morning
Time: 1 hour 30 minutes

Additional materials: Answer Booklet (8 pages)
Graph paper
MEI Examination Formulae and Tables (MF2)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name in capital letters, your Centre Number and Candidate Number in the spaces provided on the Answer Booklet.
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- You are permitted to use a graphical calculator in this paper.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 72.
- You are advised that an answer may receive **no marks** unless you show sufficient detail of the working to indicate that a correct method is being used.

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Section A (36 marks)

- 1 You are given that matrix $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and matrix $\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$.
- (i) Find \mathbf{BA} . [2]
- (ii) A plane shape of area 3 square units is transformed using matrix \mathbf{A} . The image is transformed using matrix \mathbf{B} . What is the area of the resulting shape? [3]
- 2 You are given that $\alpha = -3 + 4j$.
- (i) Calculate α^2 . [2]
- (ii) Express α in modulus-argument form. [3]
- 3 (i) Show that $z = 3$ is a root of the cubic equation $z^3 + z^2 - 7z - 15 = 0$ and find the other roots. [5]
- (ii) Show the roots on an Argand diagram. [2]
- 4 Using the standard formulae for $\sum_{r=1}^n r$ and $\sum_{r=1}^n r^2$, show that $\sum_{r=1}^n [(r+1)(r-2)] = \frac{1}{3}n(n^2 - 7)$. [6]
- 5 The equation $x^3 + px^2 + qx + r = 0$ has roots α , β and γ , where
- $$\begin{aligned} \alpha + \beta + \gamma &= 3, \\ \alpha\beta\gamma &= -7, \\ \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 &= 13. \end{aligned}$$
- (i) Write down the values of p and r . [2]
- (ii) Find the value of q . [3]
- 6 A sequence is defined by $a_1 = 7$ and $a_{k+1} = 7a_k - 3$.
- (i) Calculate the value of the third term, a_3 . [2]
- (ii) Prove by induction that $a_n = \frac{(13 \times 7^{n-1}) + 1}{2}$. [6]

Section B (36 marks)

- 7 The sketch below shows part of the graph of $y = \frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x+3)(2x+3)}$. One section of the graph has been omitted.

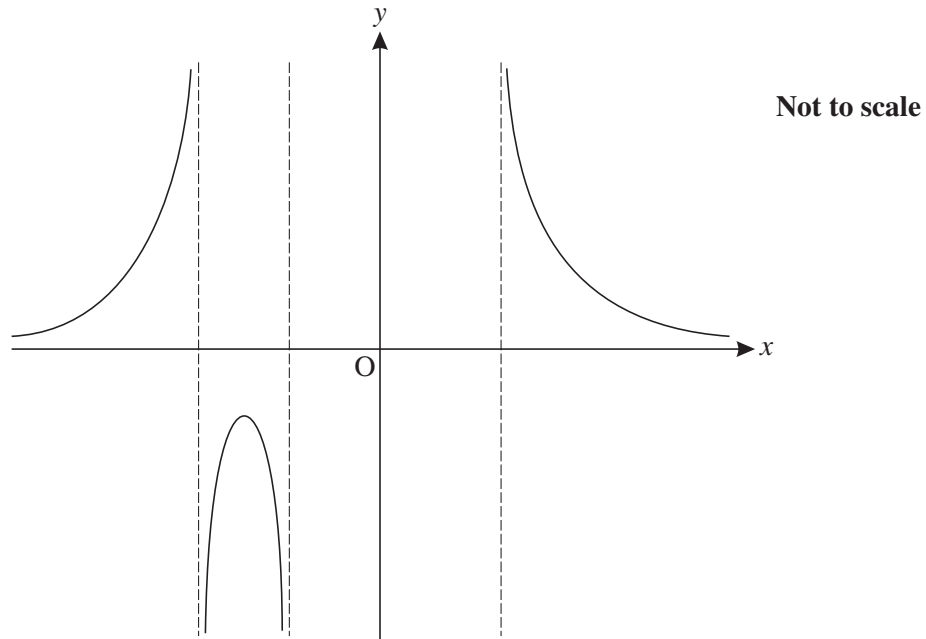


Fig. 7

- (i) Find the coordinates of the points where the curve crosses the axes. [2]
- (ii) Write down the equations of the three vertical asymptotes and the one horizontal asymptote. [4]
- (iii) Copy the sketch and draw in the missing section. [2]
- (iv) Solve the inequality $\frac{x-1}{(x-2)(x+3)(2x+3)} \geq 0$. [3]
- 8 (i) On a single Argand diagram, sketch the locus of points for which
- (A) $|z - 3j| = 2$, [3]
- (B) $\arg(z + 1) = \frac{1}{4}\pi$. [3]
- (ii) Indicate clearly on your Argand diagram the set of points for which
- $$|z - 3j| \leq 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \arg(z + 1) \leq \frac{1}{4}\pi. \quad [2]$$
- (iii) (A) By drawing an appropriate line through the origin, indicate on your Argand diagram the point for which $|z - 3j| = 2$ and $\arg z$ has its minimum possible value. [2]
- (B) Calculate the value of $\arg z$ at this point. [2]

- 9 A transformation T acts on all points in the plane. The image of a general point P is denoted by P' . P' always lies on the line $y = x$ and has the same x -coordinate as P . This is illustrated in Fig. 9.

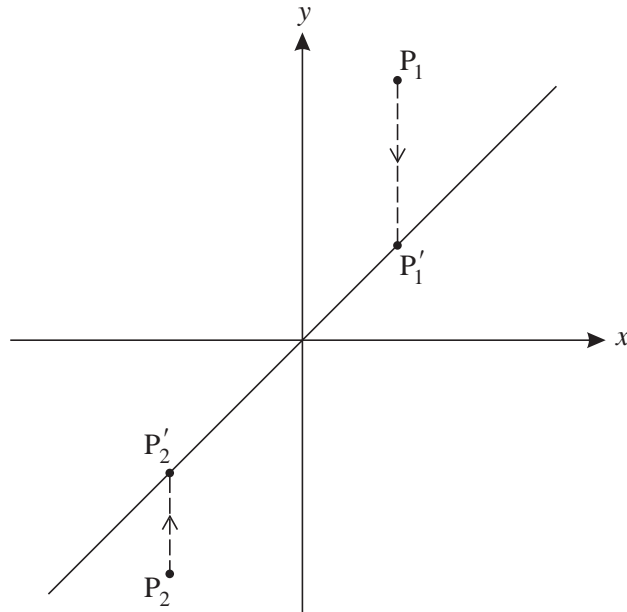


Fig. 9

- (i) Write down the image of the point $(-3, 7)$ under transformation T . [1]
- (ii) Write down the image of the point (x, y) under transformation T . [2]
- (iii) Find the 2×2 matrix which represents the transformation. [3]
- (iv) Describe the transformation M represented by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$. [2]
- (v) Find the matrix representing the composite transformation of T followed by M . [2]
- (vi) Find the image of the point (x, y) under this composite transformation. State the equation of the line on which all of these images lie. [3]