

MATHEMATICS
Compulsory Part
PAPER 1

Marking Scheme

SECTION A(1) (35 marks)

1.

(3 marks)

$$\frac{(2xy^4)^3}{8x^{-2}y^3} = \frac{8x^3y^{12}}{8x^{-2}y^3}$$

$$= x^5y^9$$

1M

1M for $x^{3-(-2)}$ or y^{12-3} (can be absorbed)
1A

2.

(3 marks)

$$\frac{Ax}{B} = x + 2C$$

$$Ax = Bx + 2BC$$

$$Ax - Bx = 2BC$$

$$x = \frac{2BC}{A - B}$$

1M for removing denominator (can be absorbed)

1M for putting x on one side

1A or equivalent

3.

(4 marks)

(a) $m^2 - 6mn + 9n^2 = (m - 3n)^2$

1A

(b) $36k^2 - 4m^2 + 24mn - 36n^2 = 36k^2 - 4(m^2 - 6mn + 9n^2)$

$$= 36k^2 - 4(m - 3n)^2$$

1M for using (a)

$$= [6k + 2(m - 3n)][6k - 2(m - 3n)]$$

1M for difference of two squares

$$= 4(3k + m - 3n)(3k - m + 3n)$$

1A

Alternative Solution

$$36k^2 - 4m^2 + 24mn - 36n^2 = 4[9k^2 - (m^2 - 6mn + 9n^2)]$$

$$= 4[9k^2 - (m - 3n)^2]$$

1M for using (a)

$$= 4(3k + m - 3n)(3k - m + 3n)$$

1M for difference of two squares
+ 1A

4.

(5 marks)

(a) $2x \leq x - \frac{3+x}{2}$

$4x \leq 2x - 3 - x$

$3x \leq -3$

$x \leq -1$

1M for putting x on one side

1A

$5x \geq -20$

$x \geq -4$

Therefore, we have $x \leq -1$ or $x \geq -4$

Thus, the solutions of (*) are all real numbers.

1A

1A

(b) 1

1A

5.

(4 marks)

Let x and y be the number of apples and the number of oranges respectively.

$\begin{cases} x + y = 148 \dots\dots\dots(1) \end{cases}$

1A+1A

$\begin{cases} y = (1 - 15\%)x \dots\dots(2) \end{cases}$

1M for an equation in only 1 unknown

So, we have $x + 0.85x = 148$

Solving, we have $x = 80$ and $y = 68$

\therefore The difference of the number of apples and number of oranges is 12.

1A

Alternative Solution

Let y be the number of oranges.

$y = (1 - 15\%)(148 - y)$

1A for $y = (1 - 15\%)x$ + 1A for $x = 148 - y$

$y = 125.8 - 0.85y$

1M for a linear equation

$y = 68$

Note that $68 \div (1 - 15\%) - 68 = 12$.

\therefore The difference of the number of apples and number of oranges is 12.

1A

Alternative Solution

Difference

$= 148 \div 1.85 \times 0.15$

1A for 1.85 + 1A for 0.15 + 1M

$= 12$.

1A

6.

(4 marks)

(a) $120 \times (1 - 25\%)$
 $= \$90$

1M

\therefore The selling price of the book is \$90.

1A

(b) The cost of the book
 $= 120 \div (1 + 50\%)$

1M

$= \$80$

$< \$90$

\therefore There is a gain after selling the book.

1 ft.

7.

(3 marks)

- (a) $B = (5, 150^\circ)$ 1A
- (b) Req. distance = $5 \cos 60^\circ$ 1M
- $= \frac{5}{2}$ 1A

8.

(5 marks)

- (a) $\triangle OBE, \triangle CBE, \triangle CDE$ 1A for any, 2A for all
- (b) $OB = OD = CD = CB$ (corr. sides, $\cong \triangle s$)
 Therefore, $OBCD$ is a rhombus
 Alternatively,
 $OE = CE$ and $DE = BE$ (corr. sides, $\cong \triangle s$) and $OC \perp BD$ (given)
 Therefore, $OBCD$ is a rhombus
2 marks for correct proof with reasons
1 mark for correct proof with some reasons
- (c) 60° 1A

9.

(4 marks)

Median = $\frac{9}{5}(21.5) + 32 = \underline{70.7^\circ\text{F}}$ 1A for finding 21.5°C from graph + 1A

Interquartile range = $\frac{9}{5}(22.5 - 20) = \underline{4.5^\circ\text{F}}$ 1M for New IQR = $\frac{9}{5} \times \text{Original IQR}$ + 1A

SECTION A(2) (35 marks)

10.

(6 marks)

- (a) Since the mean of the 17 student marks is 74,
 $k = 74$ 1M
1A

- (b) (i)
 The standard deviation of the 18 student marks is 9.32737905.
 The corresponding interval is $(74 - 2 \times 9.32737905, 74 + 2 \times 9.32737905)$ 1M
 $\approx (55.34524189, 92.65475811)$

Thus, 55 is an *outlier*. 1A

- (ii)
 There is no change in the median, which is 74 in both cases. 1A
 The standard deviation decreases as the extreme datum (the outlier) is removed. 1A

11.

(6 marks)

(a)

Let $V \text{ cm}^3$ be the volume of water in the vessel.

$$\frac{V - 245}{V} = \left(\frac{20}{25}\right)^3$$

$$V = 502.0491803$$

1M + 1A

The final volume of water in the vessel is 502 cm^3 (*cor. to 3 sig. fig.*)

1A

(b)

Let $r \text{ cm}$ be the radius of water surface.

$$\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times r^2 \times 25 = 502.05$$

$$r = 4.379139881$$

1M

The final area of wet curved surface

$$= \pi \times r \times \sqrt{r^2 + 25^2}$$

1M

$$\approx 349.1734811 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$< 350 \text{ cm}^2$$

The claim is correct.

1A f.t.

12.

(6 marks)

(a)

Let $C = k_1 + k_2n$, where k_1 and k_2 are non-zero constants.

$$20750 = k_1 + 35k_2 \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

$$23000 = k_1 + 40k_2 \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Solving, $k_2 = 450$

$$k_1 = 5000$$

$$C = 5000 + 450n$$

When $n = 50$,

$$C = 5000 + 450(50)$$

$$= 27500$$

The cost of the camp is \$27500.

1A

1M

1A for both k_1 and k_2

1A

(b)

$$34025 = 5000 + 450n$$

$$n = 64.5$$

It is not possible since 64.5 is not an integer.

1M

1A f.t.

13

(6 marks)

- (a) The distance of car
- X
- from town
- P
- at 2:30 pm

$$= \frac{100(120 - 30)}{120}$$

1M

$$= 75 \text{ km}$$

1A

- (b) Suppose that car
- X
- and car
- Y
- meet at the time
- t
- minutes after 2:30 pm.

$$\frac{t + 30}{120} = \frac{30}{100}$$

1M

$$t = 6$$

\therefore Car X and car Y meet at 2:36 pm.

1A

- (c)

During the period 2:30 pm to 4:00 pm, car Y travels 30 km while car X travels more than 30 km.

\therefore The average speed of car Y is lower than that of car X .

1M

\therefore The claim is disagreed.

1A f.t.

14. (a)

(6 marks)

$$f(2) = -50$$

1M

$$7(2)^3 + h(2)^2 + k(2) - 4 = -50$$

$$2k + 52 + 4h = -50 \quad \dots\dots(1)$$

$$f(4) = 0$$

$$7(4)^3 + h(4)^2 + k(4) - 4 = 0$$

$$4k + 444 + 16h = 0 \quad \dots\dots(2)$$

Solving,

$$h = -30$$

1A

$$k = 9$$

1A

- (b)

$$f(x) = 0$$

$$(x - 4)(7x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0$$

1A

$$\Delta = (-2)^2 - 4(7)$$

$$= -24$$

$$< 0$$

1M

The equation $f(x) = 0$ has one real root and two unreal roots.

\therefore The claim is disagreed.

1A f.t.

15. Let the inclination of L be θ .

(5 marks)

$$\tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

1M

$$\theta = 120^\circ$$

The required locus is a pair of angle bisectors, L_1 and L_2 .

1A

L_1 and L_2 pass through the origin.

The equation of L_1 is

$$y = x \tan 60^\circ$$

1M

$$\sqrt{3}x - y = 0$$

1A

(accept $y = \sqrt{3}x$)

The equation of L_2 is

$$y = x \tan 150^\circ$$

$$y = -\frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$x + \sqrt{3}y = 0$$

1A

(accept $y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}x$ or $y = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x$)

SECTION B (35 marks)

16.

(2+2 = 4 marks)

(a) No. of teams can be formed

$$= C_3^8 + C_2^8 C_1^4 + C_1^8 C_2^4$$

1M for 3 cases

$$= 216$$

1A

Alternative:

$$C_3^{12} - C_3^4$$

1M

$$= 216$$

1A

(b) Required Probability

$$\frac{C_3^8 + C_2^8 C_1^4}{C_3^{12}}$$

$$= \frac{C_3^8 + C_2^8 C_1^4}{C_3^{12}}$$

1M for denominator

$$= \frac{216}{C_3^{12}}$$

$$= \frac{7}{9}$$

1A r.t. 0.778

$$= \frac{7}{9}$$

Alternative:

$\left(1 - \frac{C_3^4}{C_3^{12}} - \frac{C_2^4 C_1^8}{C_3^{12}}\right) \div \left(\frac{216}{C_3^{12}}\right)$	1M	$\frac{C_3^8 + C_2^8 C_1^4}{216}$	1M for denominator	$\frac{C_3^{12} - C_3^4 - C_2^4 C_1^8}{216}$	1M
$= \frac{7}{9}$	1A r.t. 0.778	$= \frac{7}{9}$	1A r.t. 0.778	$= \frac{7}{9}$	1A r.t. 0.778

17.

(2+3 = 5 marks)

(a) Let a be the first term and r be the common ratio

$$a \times ar = 12 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$ar^2 \times ar^3 = 972 \quad \dots (2)$$

1M for either one

(2) ÷ (1):

$$r^4 = 81$$

$$r = 3 \quad \text{or} \quad r = -3 \quad (\text{rej})$$

By (1), when $r = 3$, $a = 2$ or $a = -2$

1A

(b) $2 \times 3^{n-1} + 2 \times 3^{n+1} < 3 \times 10^{16}$

1A

$$3^{n-1}(2+18) < 3 \times 10^{16}$$

$$3^{n-1} < \frac{3}{2} \times 10^{15}$$

$$(n-1) \log 3 < \log 1.5 + 15$$

$$\therefore n < 32.80761936$$

1A

\therefore The greatest value of n is 32.

1A

18.

(3+2+2 = 7 marks)

(a)(i) $m+n=5-r$
 $mn+r(m+n)=3$

1A

$$mn+r(5-r)=3$$

$$mn=r^2-5r+3$$

1A

(ii) The required equation: $x^2 - (5-r)x + r^2 - 5r + 3 = 0$.

1A

(b) $x^2 - (5-r)x + r^2 - 5r + 3 = 0$ has real roots m and n .

$$\therefore \Delta \geq 0$$

$$[-(5-r)]^2 - 4(1)(r^2 - 5r + 3) \geq 0$$

1M

$$r^2 - 10r + 25 - 4r^2 + 20r - 12 \geq 0$$

$$3r^2 - 10r - 13 \leq 0$$

$$-1 \leq r \leq \frac{13}{3}$$

1A

(c) By symmetry of m , n and r and (b), $m = -1$

By (a), n and r satisfy $x^2 - [5 - (-1)]x + (-1)^2 - 5(-1) + 3 = 0$

i.e. $x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$

$$\therefore n = r = 3$$

\therefore The claim is agreed.

1 f.t.

1M for using (a) or (b)
 (withhold if state sub $r = -1$)

19.

(4+6 = 10 marks)

(a)(i) In $\triangle ACD$,

$$AD^2 = AC^2 + CD^2 - 2 \times AC \times CD \times \cos \angle ACD \quad \boxed{1M}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AD &= \sqrt{15^2 + 12^2 - 2 \times 15 \times 12 \times \cos 70^\circ} \text{ cm} \\ &\approx 15.68032998 \text{ cm} \\ &= 15.7 \text{ cm, cor. to 3 sig. fig.} \end{aligned}$$

$\boxed{1A}$

$$BC = AD = 15.7 \text{ cm}$$

$\boxed{1A}$

(ii) $AE = AB = CD = 12 \text{ cm}$

In $\triangle AED$,

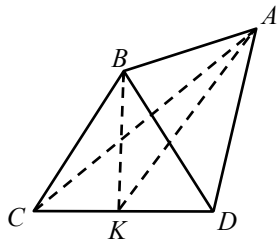
$$\begin{aligned} \cos \angle AED &= \frac{AE^2 + ED^2 - AD^2}{2 \times AE \times ED} \\ &\approx \frac{12^2 + 10^2 - 15.7^2}{2 \times 12 \times 10} \end{aligned}$$

$$\angle AED \approx 90.44709029^\circ$$

$$= 90.4^\circ, \text{ cor. to 3 sig. fig.}$$

$\boxed{1A}$

(b)(i) Join BK .



The required angle is $\angle BAK$.

$\boxed{1A}$

In $\triangle ACK$,

$$35^\circ + 70^\circ + \angle AKC = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle AKC = 75^\circ$$

$\boxed{1A}$

$$\frac{AK}{\sin \angle ACD} = \frac{AC}{\sin \angle AKC}$$

$$\frac{AK}{\sin 70^\circ} = \frac{15 \text{ cm}}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

$$AK = 14.59262081 \text{ cm}$$

By the sine formula,

$$\frac{CK}{\sin \angle CAK} = \frac{AC}{\sin \angle AKC}$$

$$\frac{CK}{\sin 35^\circ} = \frac{15 \text{ cm}}{\sin 75^\circ}$$

$$CK = 8.907150333 \text{ cm}$$

$\boxed{1M}$ for finding AK or CK

$\boxed{1A}$ for either AK or CK

In $\triangle BCD$,

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \angle BCD &= \frac{BC^2 + CD^2 - BD^2}{2 \times BC \times CD} \\ &= \frac{15.7^2 + 12^2 - 10^2}{2 \times 15.7 \times 12}\end{aligned}$$

$$\angle BCD = 39.6^\circ, \text{ cor. to 3 sig. fig.}$$

In $\triangle BCK$,

$$\begin{aligned}BK^2 &= CK^2 + BC^2 - 2 \times CK \times BC \times \cos \angle BCD \\ BK &= \sqrt{8.91^2 + 15.7^2 - 2 \times 8.91 \times 15.7 \times \cos 39.6^\circ} \text{ cm} \\ &= 10.49039544 \text{ cm}\end{aligned}$$

In $\triangle ABK$,

$$\begin{aligned}\cos \angle BAK &= \frac{AB^2 + AK^2 - BK^2}{2 \times AB \times AK} \\ &= \frac{12^2 + 14.6^2 - 10.5^2}{2 \times 12 \times 14.6}\end{aligned}$$

$$\angle BAK = 45.2^\circ, \text{ cor. to 3 sig. fig.}$$

$\boxed{1M}$ for finding $\angle BCD$ or BK

$\boxed{1A}$

$$(a) \begin{cases} x^2 + y^2 = 4 \\ y = mx + c \end{cases}$$

$$x^2 + (mx + c)^2 = 4$$

$$(m^2 + 1)x^2 + 2mcx + c^2 - 4 = 0$$

1A

As L is tangent to C , we have $\Delta = 0$

$$(2mc)^2 - 4(m^2 + 1)(c^2 - 4) = 0$$

1M for $\Delta = 0$

$$m^2c^2 - m^2c^2 + 4m^2 - c^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$\therefore c^2 = 4m^2 + 4$$

$$\text{i.e. } c^2 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

1 f.t.

Alternative Solution (Out of Syllabus)

Centre of $C = (0, 0)$ and radius = 2

$$\text{As } L \text{ is a tangent to } C, \left| \frac{m(0) - 0 + c}{\sqrt{m^2 + 1}} \right| = 2$$

1M + 1A

$$\text{i.e. } |c| = 2\sqrt{m^2 + 1}$$

$$\therefore c^2 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

1 f.t.

(b) (i) Suppose $L: y = mx + c$ is the tangent from P .

$$\text{Then } b = am + c$$

$$\text{i.e. } c = b - am$$

1A

$$\text{By (a), } c^2 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

$$(b - am)^2 = 4(m^2 + 1)$$

1M for using (a)

$$a^2m^2 - 2abm + b^2 = 4m^2 + 4$$

$$(a^2 - 4)m^2 - 2abm + b^2 - 4 = 0$$

1 f.t.

(ii) By (b)(i), m_1 and m_2 satisfy $(a^2 - 4)m^2 - 2abm + b^2 - 4 = 0$.

$$\therefore m_1m_2 = \frac{b^2 - 4}{a^2 - 4}$$

1A

$$\text{The tangents are perpendicular} \Rightarrow m_1m_2 = \frac{b^2 - 4}{a^2 - 4} = -1$$

1M

$$\therefore b^2 - 4 = -a^2 + 4$$

$$\text{i.e. } a^2 + b^2 - 8 = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{The equation of locus of } P \text{ is } x^2 + y^2 - 8 = 0.$$

1A

FOR REFERENCE

Question

(c) Consider a circle D with equation $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$ on a rectangular coordinate plane, where h , k and r are constants and $r \geq 0$. If Q is a moving point on the same coordinate plane, and the two tangents from Q to D are perpendicular to each other, write down the equation of locus of Q in terms of h , k and r .

Answer

(c) Equation of locus of Q is $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = 2r^2$.

1A for centre (h, k)
1A for R.H.S. $2r^2$
Accept equivalent