

ADVANCED GCE

MATHEMATICS (MEI)

Methods for Advanced Mathematics (C3)

4753/01

QUESTION PAPER

Candidates answer on the printed answer book.

OCR supplied materials:

- Printed answer book 4753/01
- MEI Examination Formulae and Tables (MF2)

Other materials required:

- Scientific or graphical calculator

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INSTRUCTION TO EXAMS OFFICER / INVIGILATOR

- Do not send this question paper for marking; it should be retained in the centre or destroyed.

Section A (36 marks)

- 1 Given that $y = \sqrt[3]{1+x^2}$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$. [4]
- 2 Solve the inequality $|2x + 1| \geq 4$. [4]
- 3 The area of a circular stain is growing at a rate of 1 mm^2 per second. Find the rate of increase of its radius at an instant when its radius is 2 mm. [5]
- 4 Use the triangle in Fig. 4 to prove that $\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta = 1$. For what values of θ is this proof valid? [3]

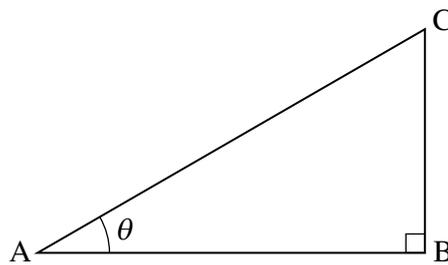


Fig. 4

- 5 (i) On a single set of axes, sketch the curves $y = e^x - 1$ and $y = 2e^{-x}$. [3]
- (ii) Find the exact coordinates of the point of intersection of these curves. [5]
- 6 A curve is defined by the equation $(x + y)^2 = 4x$. The point $(1, 1)$ lies on this curve.
- By differentiating implicitly, show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{x+y} - 1$.
- Hence verify that the curve has a stationary point at $(1, 1)$. [4]

- 7 Fig. 7 shows the curve $y = f(x)$, where $f(x) = 1 + 2 \arctan x$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$. The scales on the x - and y -axes are the same.

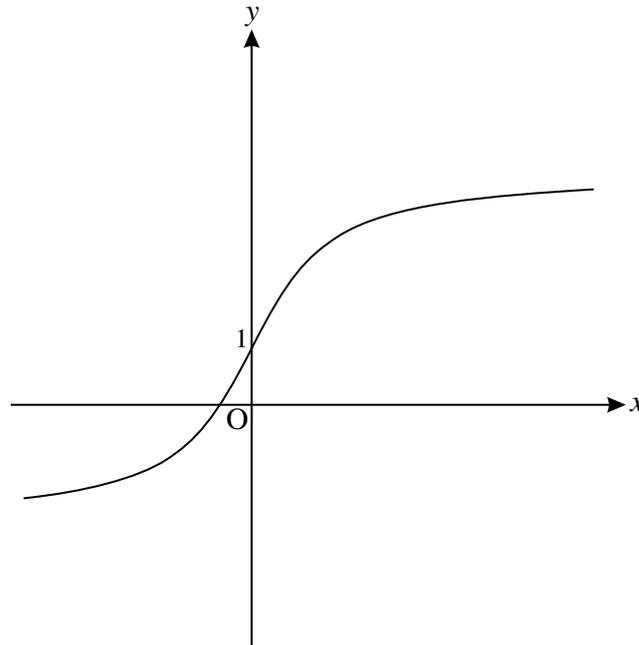


Fig. 7

- (i) Find the range of f , giving your answer in terms of π . [3]
- (ii) Find $f^{-1}(x)$, and add a sketch of the curve $y = f^{-1}(x)$ to the copy of Fig. 7. [5]

Section B (36 Marks)

- 8 (i) Use the substitution $u = 1 + x$ to show that

$$\int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{1+x} dx = \int_a^b \left(u^2 - 3u + 3 - \frac{1}{u} \right) du,$$

where a and b are to be found.

Hence evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{1+x} dx$, giving your answer in exact form. [7]

Fig. 8 shows the curve $y = x^2 \ln(1+x)$.

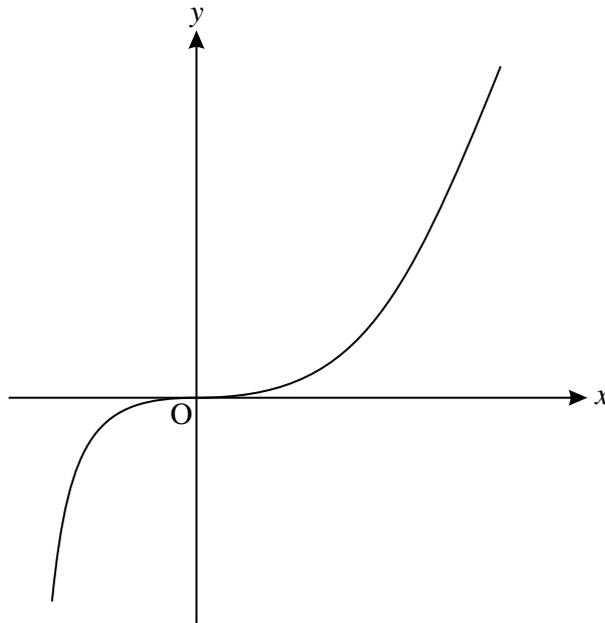


Fig. 8

- (ii) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

Verify that the origin is a stationary point of the curve. [5]

- (iii) Using integration by parts, and the result of part (i), find the exact area enclosed by the curve $y = x^2 \ln(1+x)$, the x -axis and the line $x = 1$. [6]

- 9 Fig. 9 shows the curve $y = f(x)$, where $f(x) = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$, $-\frac{1}{2}\pi < x < \frac{1}{2}\pi$, together with its asymptotes $x = \frac{1}{2}\pi$ and $x = -\frac{1}{2}\pi$.

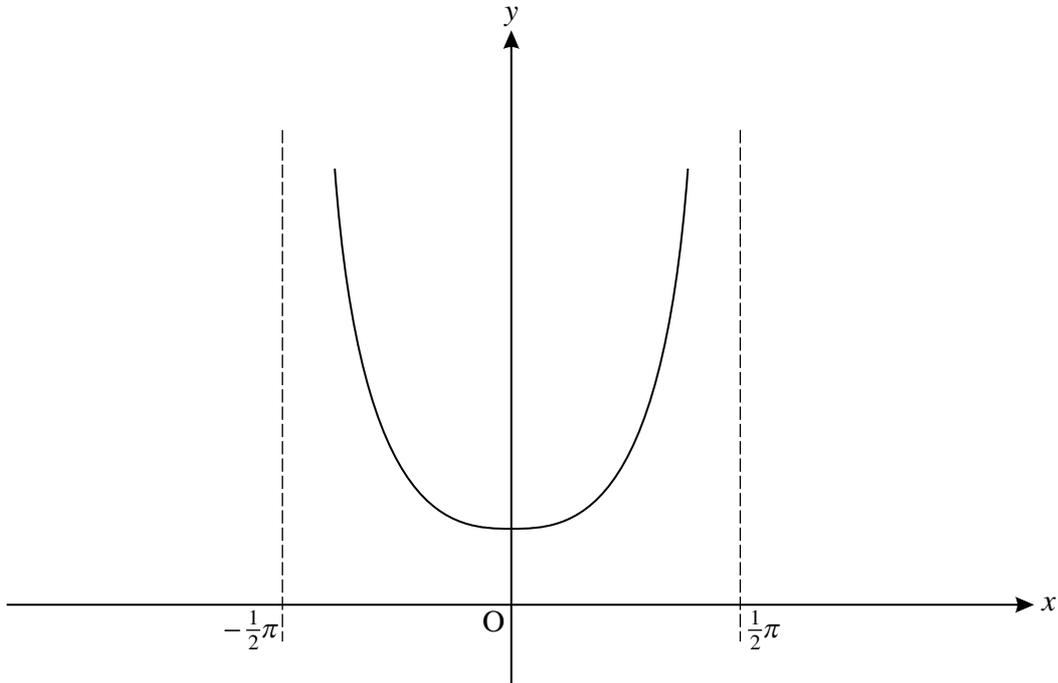


Fig. 9

- (i) Use the quotient rule to show that the derivative of $\frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$ is $\frac{1}{\cos^2 x}$. [3]

- (ii) Find the area bounded by the curve $y = f(x)$, the x -axis, the y -axis and the line $x = \frac{1}{4}\pi$. [3]

The function $g(x)$ is defined by $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}f(x + \frac{1}{4}\pi)$.

- (iii) Verify that the curves $y = f(x)$ and $y = g(x)$ cross at $(0, 1)$. [3]

- (iv) State a sequence of two transformations such that the curve $y = f(x)$ is mapped to the curve $y = g(x)$.

On the copy of Fig. 9, sketch the curve $y = g(x)$, indicating clearly the coordinates of the minimum point and the equations of the asymptotes to the curve. [8]

- (v) Use your result from part (ii) to write down the area bounded by the curve $y = g(x)$, the x -axis, the y -axis and the line $x = -\frac{1}{4}\pi$. [1]

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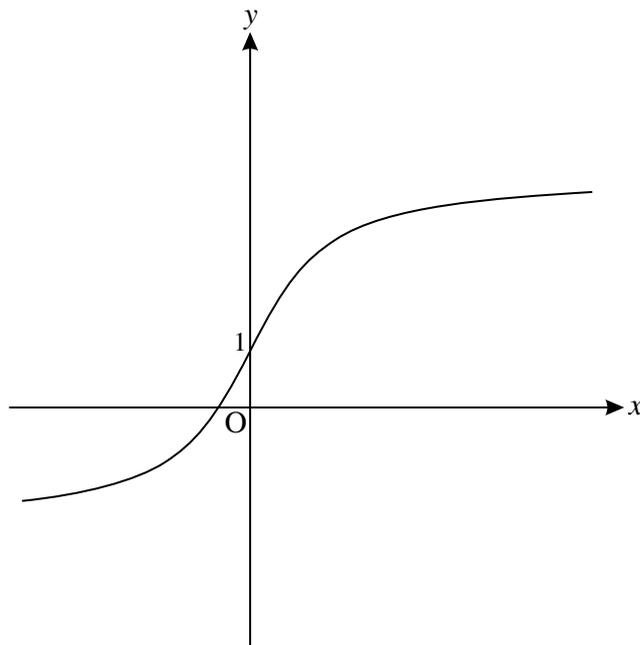


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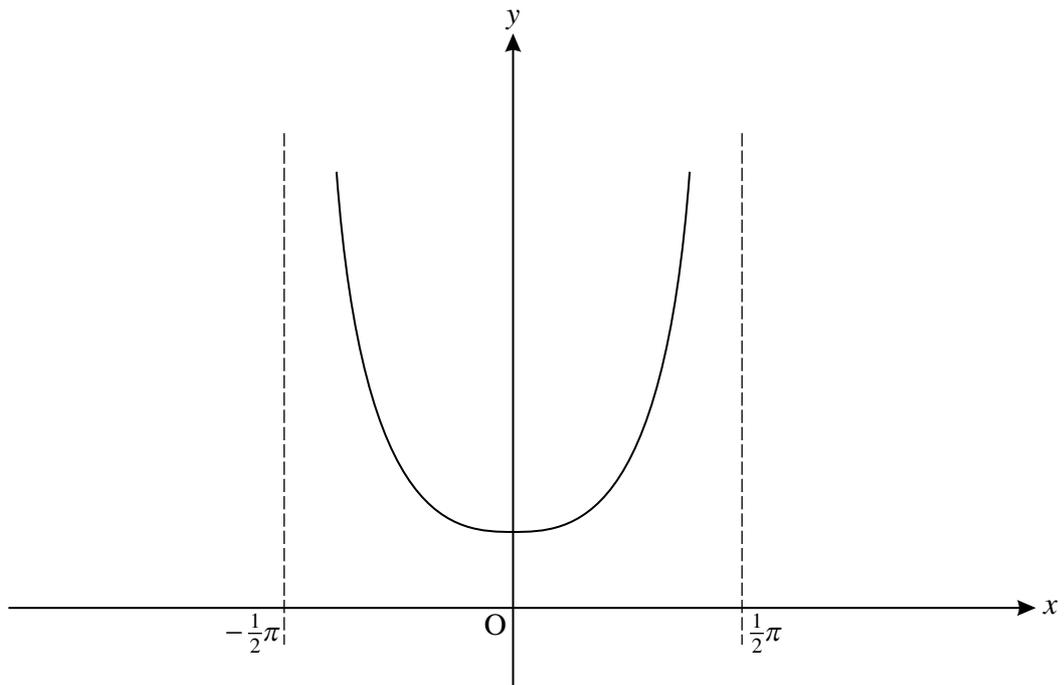


Fig. 9

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Mathematics (MEI)

Advanced GCE

Unit **4753**: Methods for Advanced Mathematics

Mark Scheme for January 2011

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Marking instructions for GCE Mathematics (MEI): Pure strand

1. You are advised to work through the paper yourself first. Ensure you familiarise yourself with the mark scheme before you tackle the practice scripts.
2. You will be required to mark ten practice scripts. This will help you to understand the mark scheme and will not be used to assess the quality of your marking. Mark the scripts yourself first, using the annotations. Turn on the comments box and make sure you understand the comments. You must also look at the definitive marks to check your marking. If you are unsure why the marks for the practice scripts have been awarded in the way they have, please contact your Team Leader.
3. When you are confident with the mark scheme, mark the ten standardisation scripts. Your Team Leader will give you feedback on these scripts and approve you for marking. (If your marking is not of an acceptable standard your Team Leader will give you advice and you will be required to do further work. You will only be approved for marking if your Team Leader is confident that you will be able to mark candidate scripts to an acceptable standard.)
4. Mark strictly to the mark scheme. If in doubt, consult your Team Leader using the messaging system within *scoris*, by email or by telephone. Your Team Leader will be monitoring your marking and giving you feedback throughout the marking period.

An element of professional judgement is required in the marking of any written paper. Remember that the mark scheme is designed to assist in marking incorrect solutions. Correct *solutions* leading to correct answers are awarded full marks but work must not be judged on the answer alone, and answers that are given in the question, especially, must be validly obtained; key steps in the working must always be looked at and anything unfamiliar must be investigated thoroughly.

Correct but unfamiliar or unexpected methods are often signalled by a correct result following an *apparently* incorrect method. Such work must be carefully assessed. When a candidate adopts a method which does not correspond to the mark scheme, award marks according to the spirit of the basic scheme; if you are in any doubt whatsoever (especially if several marks or candidates are involved) you should contact your Team Leader.

5. The following types of marks are available.

M

A suitable method has been selected and *applied* in a manner which shows that the method is essentially understood. Method marks are not usually lost for numerical errors, algebraic slips or errors in units. However, it is not usually sufficient for a candidate just to indicate an intention of using some method or just to quote a formula; the formula or idea must be applied to the specific problem in hand, eg by substituting the relevant quantities into the formula. In some cases the nature of the errors allowed for the award of an M mark may be specified.

A

Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. Accuracy marks cannot be given unless the associated Method mark is earned (or implied). Therefore M0 A1 cannot ever be awarded.

B

Mark for a correct result or statement independent of Method marks.

E

A given result is to be established or a result has to be explained. This usually requires more working or explanation than the establishment of an unknown result.

Unless otherwise indicated, marks once gained cannot subsequently be lost, eg wrong working following a correct form of answer is ignored. Sometimes this is reinforced in the mark scheme by the abbreviation isw. However, this would not apply to a case where a candidate passes through the correct answer as part of a wrong argument.

6. When a part of a question has two or more ‘method’ steps, the M marks are in principle independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly where there are several B marks allocated. (The notation ‘dep *’ is used to indicate that a particular mark is dependent on an earlier, asterisked, mark in the scheme.) Of course, in practice it may happen that when a candidate has once gone wrong in a part of a question, the work from there on is worthless so that no more marks can sensibly be given. On the other hand, when two or more steps are successfully run together by the candidate, the earlier marks are implied and full credit must be given.
7. The abbreviation ft implies that the A or B mark indicated is allowed for work correctly following on from previously incorrect results. Otherwise, A and B marks are given for correct work only — differences in notation are of course permitted. A (accuracy) marks are not given for answers obtained from incorrect working. When A or B marks are awarded for work at an intermediate stage of a solution, there may be various alternatives that are equally acceptable. In such cases, exactly what is acceptable will be detailed in the mark scheme rationale. If this is not the case please consult your Team Leader.

Sometimes the answer to one part of a question is used in a later part of the same question. In this case, A marks will often be ‘follow through’. In such cases you must ensure that you refer back to the answer of the previous part question even if this is not shown within the image zone. You may find it easier to mark follow through questions candidate-by-candidate rather than question-by-question.

8. Wrong or missing units in an answer should not lead to the loss of a mark unless the scheme specifically indicates otherwise. Candidates are expected to give numerical answers to an appropriate degree of accuracy, with 3 significant figures often being the norm. Small variations in the degree of accuracy to which an answer is given (e.g. 2 or 4 significant figures where 3 is expected) should not normally be penalised, while answers which are grossly over- or under-specified should normally result in the loss of a mark. The situation regarding any particular cases where the accuracy of the answer may be a marking issue should be detailed in the mark scheme rationale. If in doubt, contact your Team Leader.
9. **Rules for crossed out and/or replaced work**

If work is crossed out and not replaced, examiners should mark the crossed out work if it is legible.

If a candidate attempts a question more than once, and indicates which attempt he/she wishes to be marked, then examiners should do as the candidate requests.

If two or more attempts are made at a question, and just one is not crossed out, examiners should ignore the crossed out work and mark the work that is not crossed out.

If there are two or more attempts at a question which have not been crossed out, examiners should mark what appears to be the last (complete) attempt and ignore the others.

NB Follow these maths-specific instructions rather than those in the assessor handbook.

10. For a *genuine* misreading (of numbers or symbols) which is such that the object and the difficulty of the question remain unaltered, mark according to the scheme but following through from the candidate's data. A penalty is then applied; 1 mark is generally appropriate, though this may differ for some units. This is achieved by withholding one A mark in the question.

Note that a miscopy of the candidate's own working is not a misread but an accuracy error.

11. Annotations should be used whenever appropriate during your marking.

The A, M and B annotations must be used on your standardisation scripts for responses that are not awarded either 0 or full marks. It is vital that you annotate standardisation scripts fully to show how the marks have been awarded.

For subsequent marking you must make it clear how you have arrived at the mark you have awarded.

12. For answers scoring no marks, you must either award NR (no response) or 0, as follows:

Award NR (no response) if:

- Nothing is written at all in the answer space
- There is a comment which does not in any way relate to the question being asked (“can’t do”, “don’t know”, etc.)
- There is any sort of mark that is not an attempt at the question (a dash, a question mark, etc.)

The hash key [#] on your keyboard will enter NR.

Award 0 if:

- There is an attempt that earns no credit. This could, for example, include the candidate copying all or some of the question, or any working that does not earn any marks, whether crossed out or not.

13. The following abbreviations may be used in this mark scheme.

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| M1 | method mark (M2, etc, is also used) |
| A1 | accuracy mark |
| B1 | independent mark |
| E1 | mark for explaining |
| U1 | mark for correct units |
| G1 | mark for a correct feature on a graph |
| M1 dep* | method mark dependent on a previous mark, indicated by * |
| cao | correct answer only |
| ft | follow through |
| isw | ignore subsequent working |
| oe | or equivalent |
| rot | rounded or truncated |
| sc | special case |
| soi | seen or implied |
| www | without wrong working |

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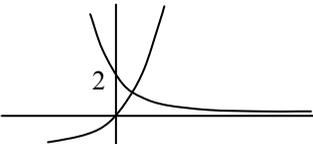
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| BOD | Benefit of doubt |
| FT | Follow through |
| ISW | Ignore subsequent working (after correct answer obtained) |
| M0, M1 | Method mark awarded 0, 1 |
| A0, A1 | Accuracy mark awarded 0, 1 |
| B0, B1 | Independent mark awarded 0,1 |
| SC | Special case |
| ^ | Omission sign |
| MR | Misread |

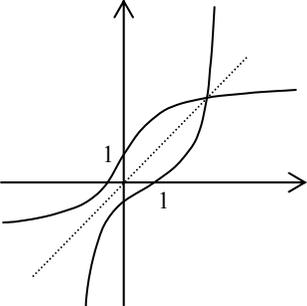
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15. The comments box will be used by the Principal Examiner to explain his or her marking of the practice scripts for your information. Please refer to these comments when checking your practice scripts.

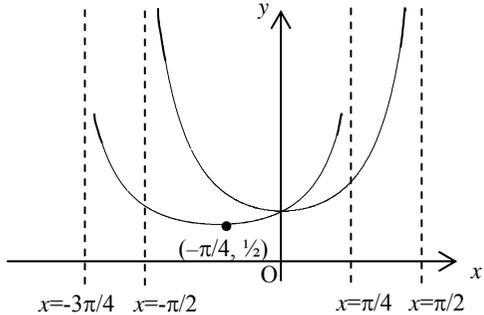
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16. Write a brief report on the performance of the candidates. Your Team Leader will tell you when this is required. The Assistant Examiner's Report Form (AERF) can be found on the Cambridge Assessment Support Portal. This should contain notes on particular strengths displayed, as well as common errors or weaknesses. Constructive criticisms of the question paper/mark scheme are also appreciated.
17. Link Additional Objects with work relating to a question to those questions (a chain link appears by the relevant question number) – see *scoris* assessor Quick Reference Guide page 19-20 for instructions as to how to do this – this guide is on the Cambridge Assessment Support Portal and new users may like to download it with a shortcut on your desktop so you can open it easily! For AOs containing just formulae or rough working not attributed to a question, tick at the top to indicate seen but not linked. When you submit the script, *scoris* asks you to confirm that you have looked at all the additional objects. Please ensure that you have checked all Additional Objects thoroughly.
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| <p>1 $y = \sqrt[3]{1+x^2} = (1+x^2)^{1/3}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}(1+x^2)^{-2/3} \cdot 2x$ $= \frac{2}{3}x(1+x^2)^{-2/3}$</p> | <p>M1 M1 B1 A1 [4]</p> | <p>$(1+x^2)^{1/3}$ chain rule $(1/3)u^{-2/3}$ (soi) cao, mark final answer</p> | <p>Do not allow MR for square root their $dy/du \times du/dx$ (available for wrong indices) no fit on $1/2$ index oe e.g. $\frac{2x(1+x^2)^{-2/3}}{3}$, $\frac{2x}{3\sqrt[3]{(1+x^2)^2}}$, etc but must combine 2 with 1/3.</p> |
| <p>2 $2x+1 \geq 4$ $\Rightarrow 2x+1 \geq 4 \Rightarrow x \geq 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $2x+1 \leq -4 \Rightarrow x \leq -2\frac{1}{2}$</p> | <p>M1 A1 M1 A1 [4]</p> | <p>allow M1 for $1\frac{1}{2}$ seen allow M1 for $-2\frac{1}{2}$ seen</p> | <p>Same scheme for other methods, e.g. squaring, graphing Penalise both $>$ and $<$ once only. -1 if both correct but final ans expressed incorrectly, e.g. $-2\frac{1}{2} \geq x \geq 1\frac{1}{2}$ or $1\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq -2\frac{1}{2}$ (or even $-2\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq 1\frac{1}{2}$ from previously correct work) e.g. SC3</p> |
| <p>3 $A = \pi r^2$ $\Rightarrow dA/dr = 2\pi r$ When $r = 2$, $dA/dr = 4\pi$, $dA/dt = 1$ $\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dA}{dr} \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$ $\Rightarrow 1 = 4\pi \cdot dr/dt$ $\Rightarrow dr/dt = 1/4\pi = 0.0796$ (mm/s)</p> | <p>M1A1 A1 M1 A1 [5]</p> | <p>$2\pi r$ soi (at any stage) chain rule (o.e) cao: 0.08 or better condone truncation</p> | <p>M1A0 if incorrect notation, e.g. dy/dx, dr/dA, if seen. $2r$ is M1A0 must be dA/dr (soi) and dA/dt any correct form stated with relevant variables, e.g. $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{dr}{dA} \cdot \frac{dA}{dt}$, $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{dr}{dA} / \frac{dt}{dA}$, etc. allow $1/4\pi$ but mark final answer</p> |
| <p>4 $\sin \theta = BC/AC$, $\cos \theta = AB/AC$ $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$ $\Rightarrow (AB/AC)^2 + (BC/AC)^2 = 1$ $\Rightarrow \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$ Valid for $(0^\circ <) \theta < 90^\circ$</p> | <p>M1 A1 B1 [3]</p> | <p>or a/b, c/b condone taking $AC = 1$ Must use Pythagoras allow \leq, or 'between 0 and 90' or < 90 allow $< \pi/2$ or 'acute'</p> | <p>allow o/h, a/h etc if clearly marked on triangle. but must be stated arguing backwards unless \Leftrightarrow used A0</p> |
| <p>5(i)</p>  | <p>B1 B1 B1 [3]</p> | <p>shape of $y = e^x - 1$ and through O shape of $y = 2e^{-x}$ through $(0, 2)$ (not $(2,0)$)</p> | <p>for first and second B1s graphs must include negative x values condone no asymptote $y = -1$ shown asymptotic to x-axis (shouldn't cross)</p> |
| <p>(ii) $e^x - 1 = 2e^{-x}$ $\Rightarrow e^{2x} - e^x = 2$ $\Rightarrow (e^x)^2 - e^x - 2 = 0$ $\Rightarrow (e^x - 2)(e^x + 1) = 0$ $\Rightarrow e^x = 2$ (or -1) $\Rightarrow x = \ln 2$ $\Rightarrow y = 1$</p> | <p>M1 M1 B1 B1 B1cao [5]</p> | <p>equating re-arranging into a quadratic in $e^x = 0$ stated www www www</p> | <p>allow one error but must have $e^{2x} = (e^x)^2$ (soi) award even if not from quadratic method (i.e. by 'fitting') provided www allow for unsupported answers, provided www need not have used a quadratic, provided www</p> |

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| <p>6 $(x + y)^2 = 4x$ $\Rightarrow 2(x + y)(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}) = 4$ $\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{2(x + y)} = \frac{2}{x + y}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{x + y} - 1$ *</p> | <p>M1 A1 A1</p> | <p>Implicit differentiation of LHS correct expression = 4 www (AG)</p> | <p>Award no marks for solving for y and attempting to differentiate allow one error but must include dy/dx ignore superfluous dy/dx = ... for M1, and for both A1s if not pursued condone missing brackets A0 if missing brackets in earlier working</p> |
| <p>or $x^2 + 2xy + y^2 = 4x$ $\Rightarrow 2x + 2x\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y + 2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 4$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx}(2x + 2y) = 4 - 2x - 2y$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{2x + 2y} - 1 = \frac{2}{x + y} - 1$ *</p> | <p>M1dep A1 A1</p> | <p>Implicit differentiation of LHS dep correct expansion correct expression = 4 (oe after re-arrangement) www (AG)</p> | <p>allow 1 error provided $2xdy/dx$ and $2ydy/dx$ are correct, but must expand $(x + y)^2$ correctly for M1 (so $x^2 + y^2 = 4x$ is M0) ignore superfluous dy/dx = ... for M1, and for both A1s if not pursued A0 if missing brackets in earlier working</p> |
| <p>When $x = 1, y = 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{1+1} - 1 = 0$ *</p> | <p>B1 [4]</p> | <p>(AG) oe (e.g. from $x + y = 2$)</p> | <p>or e.g. $2/(x + y) - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x + y = 2, \Rightarrow 4 = 4x, \Rightarrow x = 1, y = 1$ (oe)</p> |
| <p>7 (i) bounds $-\pi + 1, \pi + 1$ $\Rightarrow -\pi + 1 < f(x) < \pi + 1$</p> | <p>B1B1 B1cao [3]</p> | <p>or ... < y < ... or $(-\pi + 1, \pi + 1)$</p> | <p>not ... < x < ..., not 'between ...'</p> |
| <p>(ii) $y = 2\arctan x + 1 \quad x \leftrightarrow y$ $x = 2\arctan y + 1$ $\Rightarrow \frac{x-1}{2} = \arctan y$ $\Rightarrow y = \tan(\frac{x-1}{2}) \Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \tan(\frac{x-1}{2})$</p>  | <p>M1 A1 A1 B1 B1 [5]</p> | <p>attempt to invert formula or $\frac{y-1}{2} = \arctan x$ reasonable reflection in $y = x$ (1, 0) intercept indicated.</p> | <p>one step is enough, i.e. $y - 1 = 2\arctan x$ or $x - 1 = 2\arctan y$ need not have interchanged x and y at this stage allow y = ... curves must cross on $y = x$ line if present (or close enough to imply intention) curves shouldn't touch or cross in the third quadrant</p> |

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| <p>8(i) $\int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{1+x} dx$ let $u = 1+x$, $du = dx$ when $x = 0$, $u = 1$, when $x = 1$, $u = 2$ $= \int_1^2 \frac{(u-1)^3}{u} du$ $= \int_1^2 \frac{(u^3 - 3u^2 + 3u - 1)}{u} du$ $= \int_1^2 (u^2 - 3u + 3 - \frac{1}{u}) du$ $\int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{1+x} dx = \left[\frac{1}{3}u^3 - \frac{3}{2}u^2 + 3u - \ln u \right]_1^2$ $= (\frac{8}{3} - 6 + 6 - \ln 2) - (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{3}{2} + 3 - \ln 1)$ $= \frac{5}{6} - \ln 2$</p> | <p>B1 B1 M1 A1 dep B1 M1 A1 cao [7]</p> | <p>$a = 1$, $b = 2$ $(u - 1)^3/u$ expanding (correctly) dep $du = dx$ (o.e.) AG $\left[\frac{1}{3}u^3 - \frac{3}{2}u^2 + 3u - \ln u \right]$ substituting correct limits dep integrated must be exact – must be 5/6</p> | <p>seen anywhere, e.g. in new limits e.g. $du/dx = 1$, condone missing dx's and du's, allow $du = 1$ upper – lower; may be implied from 0.140... must have evaluated $\ln 1 = 0$</p> |
| <p>(ii) $y = x^2 \ln(1+x)$ $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{1+x} + 2x \cdot \ln(1+x)$ $= \frac{x^2}{1+x} + 2x \ln(1+x)$ When $x = 0$, $dy/dx = 0 + 0 \cdot \ln 1 = 0$ (\Rightarrow Origin is a stationary point)</p> | <p>M1 B1 A1 M1 A1 cao [5]</p> | <p>Product rule $d/dx (\ln(1+x)) = 1/(1+x)$ cao (oe) mark final ans substituting $x = 0$ into correct deriv www</p> | <p>or $d/dx (\ln u) = 1/u$ where $u = 1+x$ $\ln 1+x$ is A0 when $x = 0$, $dy/dx = 0$ with no evidence of substituting M1A0 but condone missing bracket in $\ln(1+x)$</p> |
| <p>(iii) $A = \int_0^1 x^2 \ln(1+x) dx$ let $u = \ln(1+x)$, $dv/dx = x^2$ $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{1+x}$, $v = \frac{1}{3}x^3$ $\Rightarrow A = \left[\frac{1}{3}x^3 \ln(1+x) \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 \frac{1}{3} \frac{x^3}{1+x} dx$ $= \frac{1}{3} \ln 2 - \left(\frac{5}{18} - \frac{1}{3} \ln 2 \right)$ $= \frac{1}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{18} + \frac{1}{3} \ln 2$ $= \frac{2}{3} \ln 2 - \frac{5}{18}$</p> | <p>B1 M1 A1 B1 B1 ft A1 [6]</p> | <p>Correct integral and limits parts correct $= \frac{1}{3} \ln 2 - \dots$ $\dots - 1/3$ (result from part (i)) cao</p> | <p>condone no dx, limits (and integral) can be implied by subsequent work u, du/dx, dv/dx and v all correct (oe) condone missing brackets condone missing bracket, can re-work from scratch oe e.g. $= \frac{12 \ln 2 - 5}{18}$, $\frac{1}{3} \ln 4 - \frac{5}{18}$, etc but must have evaluated $\ln 1 = 0$ Must combine the two \ln terms</p> |

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| <p>9(i) $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right) = \frac{\cos x \cdot \cos x - \sin x \cdot (-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x}$ $= \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} *$</p> | <p>M1 A1 A1 [3]</p> | <p>Quotient (or product) rule (AG)</p> | <p>product rule: $\frac{1}{\cos x} \cdot \cos x + \sin x \left(-\frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \right) (-\sin x)$ but must show evidence of using chain rule on $1/\cos x$ (or $d/dx (\sec x) = \sec x \tan x$ used)</p> |
| <p>(ii) Area = $\int_0^{\pi/4} \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} dx$ $= [\tan x]_0^{\pi/4}$ $= \tan(\pi/4) - \tan 0 = 1$</p> | <p>B1 M1 A1 [3]</p> | <p>correct integral and limits (soi) [tan x] or $\left[\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right]$</p> | <p>condone no dx; limits can be implied from subsequent work unsupported scores M0</p> |
| <p>(iii) $f(0) = 1/\cos^2(0) = 1$ $g(x) = 1/2\cos^2(x + \pi/4)$ $g(0) = 1/2\cos^2(\pi/4) = 1$ $(\Rightarrow f \text{ and } g \text{ meet at } (0, 1))$</p> | <p>B1 M1 A1 [3]</p> | <p>must show evidence</p> | <p>or $f(\pi/4) = 1/\cos^2(\pi/4) = 2$ so $g(0) = 1/2 f(\pi/4) = 1$</p> |
| <p>(iv) Translation in x-direction through $-\pi/4$ Stretch in y-direction scale factor $1/2$</p>  | <p>M1 A1 M1 A1 B1ft B1ft B1 B1dep [8]</p> | <p>must be in x-direction, or $\begin{pmatrix} -\pi/4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ must be in y-direction asymptotes correct min point $(-\pi/4, 1/2)$ curves intersect on y-axis correct curve, dep B3, with asymptote lines indicated and correct, and TP in correct position</p> | <p>‘shift’ or ‘move’ for ‘translation’ M1 A0; $\begin{pmatrix} -\pi/4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ alone SC1 ‘contract’ or ‘compress’ or ‘squeeze’ for ‘stretch’ M1A0; ‘enlarge’ M0 stated or on graph; condone no $x = \dots$, ft $\pi/4$ to right only (viz. $-\pi/4, 3\pi/4$) stated or on graph; ft $\pi/4$ to right only (viz. $(\pi/4, 1/2)$) ‘y-values halved’, or ‘x-values reduced by $\pi/4$, are M0 (not geometric transformations), but for M1 condone mention of x- and y- values provided transformation words are used.</p> |
| <p>(v) Same as area in (ii), but stretched by s.f. $1/2$. So area = $1/2$.</p> | <p>B1ft [1]</p> | <p>$1/2$ area in (ii)</p> | <p>or $\int_{-\pi/4}^0 g(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi/4}^0 \frac{1}{\cos^2(x + \pi/4)} dx = \frac{1}{2} [\tan(x + \pi/4)]_{-\pi/4}^0 = 1/2$ allow unsupported</p> |

4753 Methods for Advanced Mathematics (Written Examination)

General Comments

Although there was the usual wide range of responses, including many excellent scripts which obtained over 60 marks, this paper proved to be slightly more challenging than its immediate predecessors. In particular, questions 5(ii) and 7(i) were found to be difficult by all but the best candidates, and even question 4, which was a relatively straightforward 3-line proof of a well-known result, caused many candidates to struggle, albeit over only 3 marks. The two section B questions were perhaps seen as more routine and familiar, and consequently, for many candidates, section B outscored section A.

It is worth emphasising to students that they must show valid methods for obtaining correct answers – for example, many candidates gained the correct solution in question 5(ii) but through faulty algebra, and gained few marks. There is also a tendency from some candidates whose algebra is fragile to simplify answers such as in 8(ii) incorrectly. 'Fudging' 'shows' such as in 9(ii) can also lose 'method' marks by introducing inconsistencies into the mathematical argument.

It is noticeable that many candidates' first reaction to a part question is to see it as a new task unrelated to what has gone before, notwithstanding a 'hence' in the question. The point of having longer, linked, section B questions is to encourage strategic thinking – the ability to seek and make connections between different parts. Questions 8(i) and 8(iii), and 9(i) 9(ii) and 9(iv), might serve as useful examples of when to deploy such strategies.

This is the first C3 paper with a printed answer booklet. In general, candidates seem to have had sufficient space to answer the questions in the allotted spaces. If they require more space, it is important that they use additional pages, rather than use space allocated to other questions.

Comments on Individual Questions

- 1) This question on the chain rule was very well done generally, with most candidates scoring full marks. Occasionally candidates wrote a correct derivative but then made algebraic mistakes in trying to simplify it.
- 2) This modulus question was reasonably well done. Candidates scored 2 out of 4 for getting the correct bounds (1.5 and -2.5), and additional 'A' marks for the correct inequalities ($x \leq -2.5$, $x \geq 1.5$). A surprising number of candidates lost a mark for combining the two discrete solution domains in a double inequality, e.g. $-2.5 \geq x \geq 1.5$.
- 3) Candidates had mixed success here, although plenty scored full marks. Most recognised the context as an application of the chain rule, and gained a mark for a correct form of this written in appropriate variables. There were some surprisingly incorrect circle formulae offered, and the most common error was to differentiate this as dr/dA rather than dA/dr , and substitute 4π rather than $1/4\pi$ into their chain rule.
- 4) There was a disappointing response to this 'direct proof' question. Candidates often seemed to be unclear about how to go about proving a statement, and offered special case triangles such as those with 30, 60 and 90, or 45, 45, and 90 degree angles. Some offered statements such as ' $\sin = o/h$ ' without defining the angle of the sine or what they meant by 'o' and 'h', which is of course a necessary prerequisite for a formal

proof. Others proved Pythagoras's theorem from the given statement, presenting the argument backwards but without the necessary \Leftrightarrow signs. Even those who offered a satisfactory proof failed to distinguish between when the statement is true (i.e. for all values) and the range of validity of their proof (i.e. acute angles).

- 5) Part (i) was generally quite well answered. The $y = e^x - 1$ curve should have shown an asymptote of $y = -1$, but this was not required to score the mark. The $y = 2e^{-x}$ curve required the y -intercept of $(0, 2)$ to be shown and $y = 0$ as an asymptote. Part (ii), on the other hand, was generally poorly done, even by good candidates. The idea of obtaining a quadratic in e^x proved to be too subtle for most. Many candidates obtained the correct intersection point fortuitously through false arguments, e.g. $e^{2x} - e^x = 2 \Rightarrow 2x - x = \ln 2$. The crucial step of recognising that $e^{2x} = (e^x)^2$ was not sufficiently well known to lead candidates to think of this as a quadratic in e^x .
- 6) In general, the implicit differentiation was quite well done, either by using a chain rule on the given left hand side, or expanding this first. In the first approach, missing a bracket round the ' $1 + dy/dx$ ' term cost the final 'A' mark, but this method made obtaining the given answer easier. If the second approach was used, candidates were expected to show the correct expansion of $(x + y)^2$ and obtain the $2x dy/dx$ and $2y dy/dx$ terms. The verification of the origin was a stationary point was usually done well.
- 7) Not many candidates scored any marks for part(i) of this question. Marks were given for the upper and lower bounds of the range $(-\pi + 1, \pi + 1)$, and a final mark for a correctly defined range (viz $-\pi + 1 < y < \pi + 1$ or $-\pi + 1 < f(x) < \pi + 1$). Part (ii) was more successful. Finding the inverse function was well done, although some got $y = \frac{\tan(x-1)}{2}$ rather than $y = \tan\left(\frac{x-1}{2}\right)$. The graphical relationship between a function and its inverse are well understood. Candidates needed to show a reasonable reflection in $y = x$, and got a mark for showing the x -intercept $(1, 0)$. They lost the mark if the two graphs touched or crossed in the 3rd quadrant, or failed to intersect on the $y=x$ line. Strictly speaking, the inverse graph should not go beyond the vertical in the 1st quadrant, but this was condoned.
- 8) Most candidates scored at least 4 out of 7 for part (i), with a reasonable number getting full marks. Integration by substitution was generally well understood, and it was pleasing to see that most candidates included a statement that $du = dx$ (or equivalent to this). Sometimes the limits changed in the wrong place, but this was condoned. Most expanded $(u - 1)^3$ from scratch (rather than use the binomial theorem), and there were occasional errors in signs here. The integration was quite well done, the most common mistake being the failure to obtain $\ln u$ from $1/u$.

In part (ii), a small number of candidates unfortunately failed to read the question and differentiated $x^3/(1 + x)$ instead of $x^2 \ln(1 + x)$. The product rule was well understood: errors were in differentiating $\ln(1 + x)$ as $1/x$, and 'simplifying' $x^2/(1 + x)$ as x . This unfortunately lost three marks, as the final two depended on their obtaining the correct derivative.

Part (iii) proved to be more challenging. Most candidates obtained the correct 'parts' and put these into the formula correctly. However, many failed to spot the connection between the integral part of this and part (i), and only the best candidates were able to work through the algebra to obtain a correct exact answer. An interesting conceptual error was to put a third of their result of part (i) in square brackets, and thereby adding and subtracting it!

- 9) This question scored higher than question 8, with quite a few accessible marks. Part (i) was well done, with many cases of full marks. However, candidates are prone to muddling negative signs when differentiating $\sin x$ and $\cos x$, and, in trying to 'fudge' the final answer, lost the 'M' mark for the quotient rule, which needed to be consistent with their derivatives.

Part (ii) was a very straightforward 'hence', but not all candidates seem to be used to spotting these sorts of links between parts, and proceeded to integrate $1/\cos^2 x$ by various false methods.

Part (iii) sometimes suffered from a lack of working. Clearly more was needed than simply stating that 'when $x = 0$, $f(x) = 1$ '. Verifying $g(0) = 1$ required candidates to get a correct expression for $g(x) = 1/2\cos^2(x + \pi/4)$, which requires a bracket round the $x + \pi/4$.

Although most candidates scored over half marks in part (iv), few scored a perfect 8. Candidates were usually well prepared in describing the transformations required. We expect them to use 'one-way stretch' (condoning 'stretch') and 'translation' to describe these: arithmetic operations on the coordinates score no marks. However, translating these into successful graphs proved difficult: they got a mark for the correct asymptotes ($x = -3\pi/4$ and $\pi/4$), a mark for the correct turning point of $(-\pi/4, 1/2)$, a mark for the two curves intersecting on the y -axis, and a final mark for all this together with a good curve.

The final mark was the preserve of the best candidates. Quite a few tried the integral from scratch, failing to spot the connection between this area and the integral in part (ii).

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