

1. (a) Find the exact value of x such that

$$3 \arctan (x - 2) + \pi = 0. \quad (3)$$

- (b) Solve, for $-\pi < \theta < \pi$, the equation

$$\cos 2\theta - \sin \theta - 1 = 0,$$

giving your answers in terms of π . (5)

2. (a) Express

$$\frac{4x}{x^2 - 9} - \frac{2}{x + 3}$$

as a single fraction in its simplest form. (4)

- (b) Simplify

$$\frac{x^3 - 8}{3x^2 - 8x + 4}. \quad (5)$$

3. Differentiate each of the following with respect to x and simplify your answers.

(a) $\cot x^2$ (2)

(b) $x^2 e^{-x}$ (3)

(c) $\frac{\sin x}{3 + 2 \cos x}$ (4)

4. (a) Find, as natural logarithms, the solutions of the equation

$$e^{2x} - 8e^x + 15 = 0. \quad (4)$$

- (b) Use proof by contradiction to prove that $\log_2 3$ is irrational. (6)
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5. The function f is defined by

$$f : x \rightarrow 3e^{x-1}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (a) State the range of f . (1)

- (b) Find an expression for $f^{-1}(x)$ and state its domain. (4)

The function g is defined by

$$g : x \rightarrow 5x - 2, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Find, in terms of e ,

- (c) the value of $gf(\ln 2)$, (3)

- (d) the solution of the equation

$$f^{-1}g(x) = 4. \quad (4)$$

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6. $f(x) = 2x^2 + 3 \ln(2 - x), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x < 2.$

- (a) Show that the equation $f(x) = 0$ can be written in the form

$$x = 2 - e^{kx^2},$$

where k is a constant to be found. (3)

The root, α , of the equation $f(x) = 0$ is 1.9 correct to 1 decimal place.

- (b) Use the iteration formula

$$x_{n+1} = 2 - e^{kx_n^2},$$

with $x_0 = 1.9$ and your value of k , to find α to 3 decimal places and justify the accuracy of your answer. (5)

- (c) Solve the equation $f'(x) = 0$. (5)

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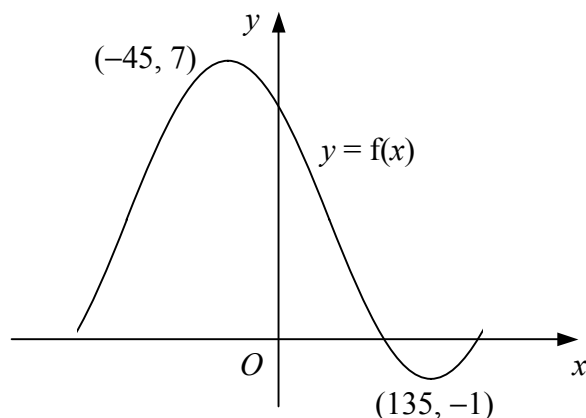


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows the curve $y = f(x)$ which has a maximum point at $(-45, 7)$ and a minimum point at $(135, -1)$.

(a) Showing the coordinates of any stationary points, sketch on separate diagrams the graphs of

(i) $y = f(|x|),$

(ii) $y = 1 + 2f(x).$ **(6)**

Given that

$$f(x) = A + 2\sqrt{2} \cos x^\circ - 2\sqrt{2} \sin x^\circ, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad -180 \leq x \leq 180,$$

where A is a constant,

(b) show that $f(x)$ can be expressed in the form

$$f(x) = A + R \cos (x + \alpha)^\circ,$$

where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < 90,$ **(3)**

(c) state the value of $A,$ **(1)**

(d) find, to 1 decimal place, the x -coordinates of the points where the curve $y = f(x)$ crosses the x -axis. **(4)**

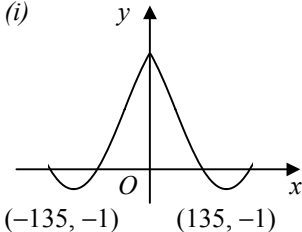
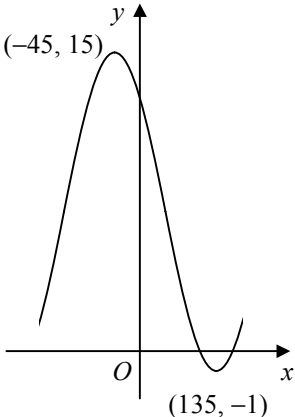
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C3 Paper K – Marking Guide

1.	(a)	$\arctan(x-2) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$	M1	
		$x-2 = \tan(-\frac{\pi}{3}) = -\sqrt{3}$	M1	
		$x = 2 - \sqrt{3}$	A1	
	(b)	$1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta - \sin \theta - 1 = 0$	M1	
		$2 \sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta = 0$		
		$\sin \theta (2 \sin \theta + 1) = 0$	M1	
		$\sin \theta = 0$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$	A1	
		$\theta = 0$ or $-\frac{\pi}{6}, -\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$		
		$\theta = -\frac{5\pi}{6}, -\frac{\pi}{6}, 0$	A2	(8)
2.	(a)	$= \frac{4x}{(x+3)(x-3)} - \frac{2}{x+3}$	M1	
		$= \frac{4x - 2(x-3)}{(x+3)(x-3)}$	M1	
		$= \frac{2x+6}{(x+3)(x-3)} = \frac{2(x+3)}{(x+3)(x-3)}$	M1	
		$= \frac{2}{x-3}$	A1	
	(b)	$2^3 - 8 = 0 \therefore (x-2) \text{ is a factor of } (x^3 - 8)$	B1	
		$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 2x + 4 \\ x-2 \overline{) x^3 + 0x^2 + 0x - 8} \\ \underline{x^3 - 2x^2} \\ 2x^2 + 0x \\ \underline{2x^2 - 4x} \\ 4x - 8 \\ \underline{4x - 8} \\ 0 \end{array}$	M1 A1	
		$\therefore x^3 - 8 = (x-2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)$		
		$\therefore \frac{x^3 - 8}{3x^2 - 8x + 4} = \frac{(x-2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)}{(3x-2)(x-2)} = \frac{x^2 + 2x + 4}{3x-2}$	M1 A1	(9)
3.	(a)	$= -\operatorname{cosec}^2 x^2 \times 2x = -2x \operatorname{cosec}^2 x^2$	M1 A1	
	(b)	$= 2x \times e^{-x} + x^2 \times (-e^{-x}) = xe^{-x}(2-x)$	M1 A2	
	(c)	$= \frac{\cos x \times (3 + 2 \cos x) - \sin x \times (-2 \sin x)}{(3 + 2 \cos x)^2}$	M1 A1	
		$= \frac{3 \cos x + 2 \cos^2 x + 2 \sin^2 x}{(3 + 2 \cos x)^2} = \frac{3 \cos x + 2}{(3 + 2 \cos x)^2}$	M1 A1	(9)
4.	(a)	$(e^x - 3)(e^x - 5) = 0$	M1 A1	
		$e^x = 3, 5$		
		$x = \ln 3, \ln 5$	M1 A1	
	(b)	assume $\log_2 3$ is rational	B1	
		$\therefore \log_2 3 = \frac{p}{q}$ where p and q are integers and $q \neq 0$	M1	
		$\Rightarrow 2^{\frac{p}{q}} = 3$	M1	
		$\Rightarrow 2^p = 3^q$	A1	
		2 and 3 are co-prime $\therefore$ only solution is $p = q = 0$	M1	
		but $q \neq 0 \therefore$ contradiction $\therefore \log_2 3$ is irrational	A1	(10)

5.	(a)	$f(x) > 0$	B1
	(b)	$y = 3e^{x-1}, \quad x - 1 = \ln \frac{y}{3}$ $x = 1 + \ln \frac{y}{3}$ $f^{-1}(x) = 1 + \ln \frac{x}{3}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x > 0$	M1
	(c)	$f(\ln 2) = 3e^{\ln 2 - 1} = 3e^{-1}e^{\ln 2} = 6e^{-1}$ $gf(\ln 2) = g(6e^{-1}) = 30e^{-1} - 2$	M1 A1 A1
	(d)	$f^{-1}g(x) = f^{-1}(5x - 2) = 1 + \ln \frac{5x-2}{3}$ $\therefore 1 + \ln \frac{5x-2}{3} = 4, \quad \frac{5x-2}{3} = e^3$ $x = \frac{1}{5}(3e^3 + 2)$	M1 A1 M1 A1 (12)

6.	(a)	$2x^2 + 3 \ln(2-x) = 0 \Rightarrow 3 \ln(2-x) = -2x^2$ $\ln(2-x) = -\frac{2}{3}x^2$ $2-x = e^{-\frac{2}{3}x^2}$ $x = 2 - e^{-\frac{2}{3}x^2} \quad [k = -\frac{2}{3}]$	M1 M1 A1
	(b)	$x_1 = 1.90988, x_2 = 1.91212, x_3 = 1.91262, x_4 = 1.91273$ $\therefore \alpha = 1.913$ (3dp) $f(1.9125) = 0.0070, f(1.9135) = -0.020$ sign change, $f(x)$ continuous $\therefore$ root	M1 A1 A1 M1 A1
	(c)	$f'(x) = 4x + \frac{3}{2-x} \times (-1) = 4x - \frac{3}{2-x}$ $\therefore 4x - \frac{3}{2-x} = 0, \quad 4x = \frac{3}{2-x}, \quad 4x(2-x) = 3$ $4x^2 - 8x + 3 = 0, \quad (2x-3)(2x-1) = 0$ $x = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$	M1 A1 M1 M1 A1 (13)

7.	(a)	(i)		(ii)		B3
	(b)	$2\sqrt{2} \cos x - 2\sqrt{2} \sin x = R \cos x \cos \alpha - R \sin x \sin \alpha$ $R \cos \alpha = 2\sqrt{2}, R \sin \alpha = 2\sqrt{2}, \quad \therefore R = \sqrt{8+8} = 4$ $\tan \alpha = 1, \alpha = 45$ $\therefore f(x) = A + 4 \cos(x + 45)^\circ$			M1 A1 B1	
	(c)	3			B1	
	(d)	$3 + 4 \cos(x + 45) = 0, \quad \cos(x + 45) = -\frac{3}{4}$ $x + 45 = 180 - 41.4, 180 + 41.4 = 138.6, 221.4$ $x = 93.6, 176.4 \text{ (1dp)}$			M1 M1 A2	

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Total (75)