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General Certificate of Education  
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# Mathematics

# MFP1

## Unit Further Pure 1

**Specimen paper for examinations in June 2010 onwards**

**For this paper you must have:**

- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables.
- You may use a graphics calculator.

**Time allowed**

- 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Pencil should only be used for drawing.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Write the question part reference (eg (a), (b)(i) etc) in the left-hand margin.
- You must answer the questions in the space provided. Do not write outside the box around each page.
- Show all necessary working; otherwise marks for method may be lost.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work that you do not want to be marked.

**Information**

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 75.

**Advice**

- Unless stated otherwise, you may quote formulae, without proof, from the booklet.

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Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

**1** The equation

$$2x^2 + x - 8 = 0$$

has roots  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

- (a)** Write down the values of  $\alpha + \beta$  and  $\alpha\beta$ . *(2 marks)*
- (b)** Find the value of  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$ . *(2 marks)*
- (c)** Find a quadratic equation which has roots  $4\alpha^2$  and  $4\beta^2$ . Give your answer in the form  $x^2 + px + q = 0$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are integers. *(3 marks)*

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**2** A curve has equation

$$y = x^2 - 6x + 5$$

The points  $A$  and  $B$  on the curve have  $x$ -coordinates 2 and  $2 + h$  respectively.

- (a)** Find, in terms of  $h$ , the gradient of the line  $AB$ , giving your answer in its simplest form. (5 marks)
- (b)** Explain how the result of part **(a)** can be used to find the gradient of the curve at  $A$ . State the value of this gradient. (3 marks)

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**3** The complex number  $z$  is defined by

$$z = x + 2i$$

where  $x$  is real.

**(a)** Find, in terms of  $x$ , the real and imaginary parts of:

**(i)**  $z^2$ ; *(3 marks)*

**(ii)**  $z^2 + 2z^*$ . *(2 marks)*

**(b)** Show that there is exactly one value of  $x$  for which  $z^2 + 2z^*$  is real. *(2 marks)*

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4 The variables  $x$  and  $y$  are known to be related by an equation of the form

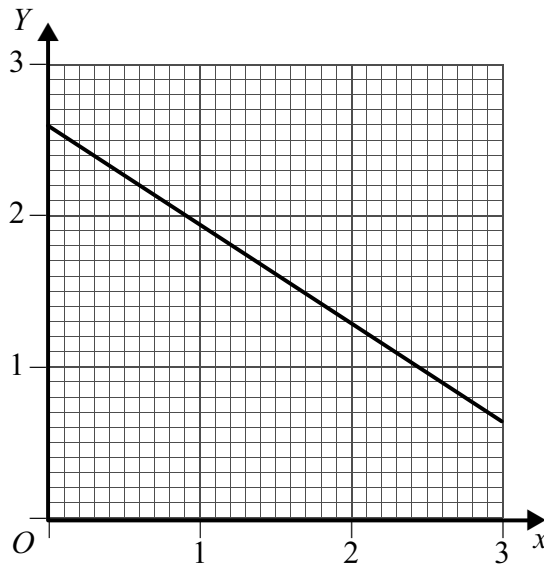
$$y = ab^x$$

where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants.

(a) Given that  $Y = \log_{10}y$ , show that  $x$  and  $Y$  must satisfy an equation of the form

$$Y = mx + c \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(b) The diagram shows the linear graph which has equation  $Y = mx + c$ .



Use this graph to calculate:

- (i) an approximate value of  $y$  when  $x = 2.3$ , giving your answer to one decimal place;
- (ii) an approximate value of  $x$  when  $y = 80$ , giving your answer to one decimal place.

(You are not required to find the values of  $m$  and  $c$ .) (4 marks)

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**5 (a)** Find the general solution of the equation

$$\cos(3x - \pi) = \frac{1}{2}$$

giving your answer in terms of  $\pi$ .

*(6 marks)*

**(b)** From your general solution, find all the solutions of the equation which lie between  $10\pi$  and  $11\pi$ .

*(3 marks)*

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A series of horizontal dotted lines for writing the answer.



6 An ellipse  $E$  has equation

$$\frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

(a) Sketch the ellipse  $E$ , showing the coordinates of the points of intersection of the ellipse with the coordinate axes. (3 marks)

(b) The ellipse  $E$  is stretched with scale factor 2 parallel to the  $y$ -axis.  
Find and simplify the equation of the curve after the stretch. (3 marks)

(c) The **original** ellipse,  $E$ , is translated by the vector  $\begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$ . The equation of the translated ellipse is

$$4x^2 + 3y^2 - 8x + 6y = 5$$

Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ . (5 marks)

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7 (a) Using surd forms where appropriate, find the matrix which represents:

(i) a rotation about the origin through  $30^\circ$  anticlockwise; (2 marks)

(ii) a reflection in the line  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x$ . (2 marks)

(b) The matrix **A**, where

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \sqrt{3} \\ \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

represents a combination of an enlargement and a reflection. Find the scale factor of the enlargement and the equation of the mirror line of the reflection. (2 marks)

(c) The transformation represented by **A** is followed by the transformation represented by **B**, where

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3} & -1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{3} \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the matrix of the combined transformation and give a full geometrical description of this combined transformation. (5 marks)

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