

C3 JUNE 2013 INT

1. Express

$$\frac{3x+5}{x^2+x-12} - \frac{2}{x-3}$$

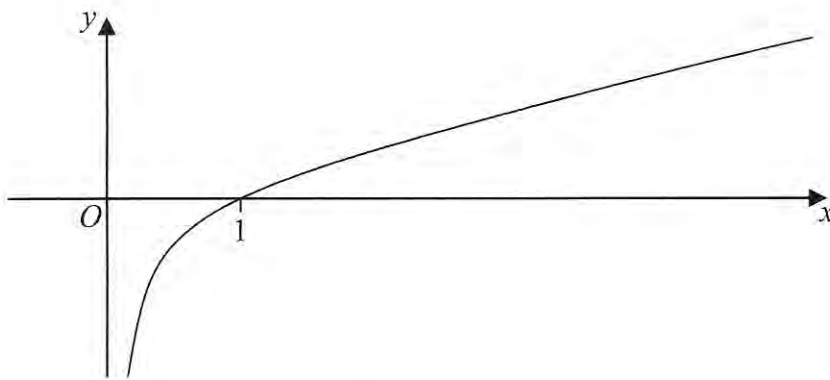
as a single fraction in its simplest form.

(4)

$$\frac{3x+5}{(x+4)(x-3)} - \frac{2(x+4)}{(x+4)(x-3)} = \frac{3x+5-2x-8}{(x+4)(x-3)}$$

$$= \frac{x-3}{(x+4)(x-3)} = \frac{1}{x+4}$$

Q1) MUCH EASIER THAN UK PAPER



**Figure 1**

Figure 1 shows a sketch of the curve with equation  $y = f(x)$ ,  $x > 0$ , where  $f$  is an increasing function of  $x$ . The curve crosses the  $x$ -axis at the point  $(1, 0)$  and the line  $x = 0$  is an asymptote to the curve.

On separate diagrams, sketch the curve with equation

(a)  $y = f(2x)$ ,  $x > 0$

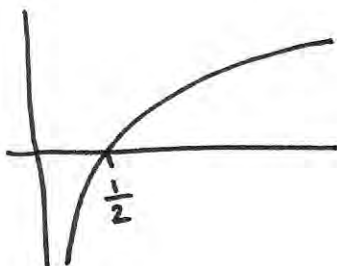
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(b)  $y = |f(x)|$ ,  $x > 0$

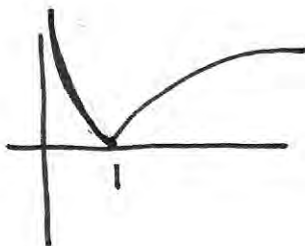
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Indicate clearly on each sketch the coordinates of the point at which the curve crosses or meets the  $x$ -axis.

a)  $y = f(2x)$   
 $\rightarrow 2 \leftarrow$



b)  $y = |f(x)|$



Q2. slightly easier than UK. No asymptotes.

$$f(x) = 7\cos x + \sin x$$

Given that  $f(x) = R\cos(x - \alpha)$ , where  $R > 0$  and  $0 < \alpha < 90^\circ$ ,

(a) find the exact value of  $R$  and the value of  $\alpha$  to one decimal place.

(3)

(b) Hence solve the equation

$$7\cos x + \sin x = 5$$

for  $0 \leq x < 360^\circ$ , giving your answers to one decimal place.

(5)

(c) State the values of  $k$  for which the equation

$$7\cos x + \sin x = k$$

has only one solution in the interval  $0 \leq x < 360^\circ$

(2)

$$a) R \cos(x - \alpha) = R \cancel{\cos x} \cos \alpha + R \cancel{\sin x} \sin \alpha$$

$$7\cos x + 1\sin x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{R \sin \alpha}{R \cos \alpha} = \frac{1}{7} \Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{1}{7} \Rightarrow 8.1^\circ \quad R^2 = 1^2 + 7^2$$

$$\Rightarrow R^2 = 50$$

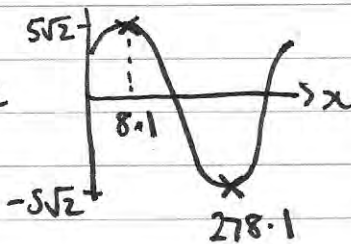
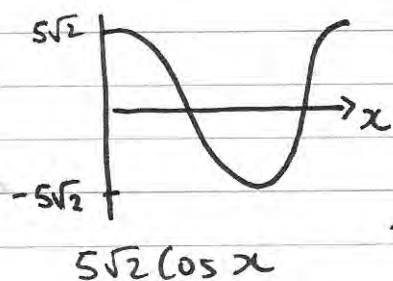
$$\Rightarrow R = 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$b) 5\sqrt{2} \cos(x - 8.1) = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos(x - 8.1) = \frac{5}{5\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Rightarrow x - 8.1 = 45, 315$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 8.1 = 45, 315 \quad \therefore x = \underline{53.1}; \underline{323.1}^\circ$$

$$c) 5\sqrt{2} \cos(x - 8.1) = k$$



$$\therefore k = 5\sqrt{2}, -5\sqrt{2}$$

$$x = 8.1, 278.1$$

(no asked)

Q3. MUCH! easier than UK.

4. The functions  $f$  and  $g$  are defined by

$$f: x \mapsto 2|x| + 3, \quad x \in \mathbb{R},$$

$$g: x \mapsto 3 - 4x, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

(a) State the range of  $f$ .

(2)

(b) Find  $fg(1)$ .

(2)

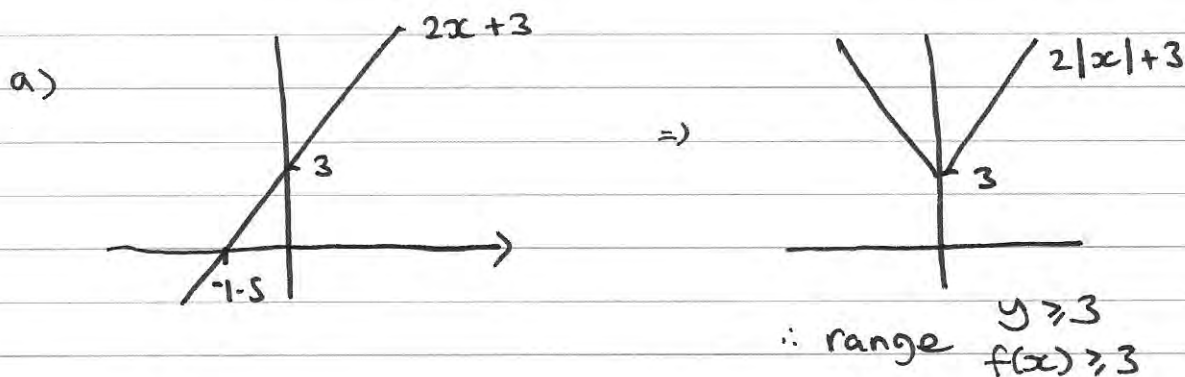
(c) Find  $g^{-1}$ , the inverse function of  $g$ .

(2)

(d) Solve the equation

$$gg(x) + [g(x)]^2 = 0$$

(5)



$$b) \quad g(1) = -1 \quad \therefore fg(1) = f(-1) = 5$$

$$c) \quad y = 3 - 4x \Rightarrow x = \frac{3 - y}{4} \Rightarrow 4y = 3 - x$$

$$\therefore y = g^{-1} = \frac{3 - x}{4}$$

$$d) \quad gg(x) = 3 - 4(3 - 4x) = 3 - 12 + 16x = 16x - 9$$

$$[g(x)]^2 = (3 - 4x)^2 = 9 - 24x + 16x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x - 9 + 9 - 24x + 16x^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x^2 - 8x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x(2x - 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

Q4  
Easier  
than  
uk.

5. (a) Differentiate

$$\frac{\cos 2x}{\sqrt{x}}$$

with respect to  $x$ .

(3)

(b) Show that  $\frac{d}{dx}(\sec^2 3x)$  can be written in the form

$$\mu(\tan 3x + \tan^3 3x)$$

where  $\mu$  is a constant.

(3)

(c) Given  $x = 2 \sin\left(\frac{y}{3}\right)$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in terms of  $x$ , simplifying your answer.

(4)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } u &= \cos 2x & v &= x^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ u' &= -2 \sin 2x & v' &= \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2\sqrt{x} \sin 2x - \frac{\cos 2x}{2\sqrt{x}}}{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } y &= (\sec 3x)^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2(\sec 3x) \times 3 \sec 3x \tan 3x \\ &= 6 \sec^2 3x \tan 3x \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (6 \tan^2 3x + 6) \tan 3x = 6(\tan^3 3x + \tan 3x)$$

$$\text{c) } x = 2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{3}y\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{2}{3} \cos\left(\frac{1}{3}y\right) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2 \cos\left(\frac{1}{3}y\right)}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2 \sqrt{\cos^2\left(\frac{1}{3}y\right)}} = \frac{3}{2 \sqrt{1 - \sin^2\left(\frac{1}{3}y\right)}} \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2 \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2}}$$

$$\text{alt } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2} \sec\left(\frac{y}{3}\right) = \frac{3}{2} \sec\left[\arcsin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]$$

(Q5. c) isn't easy, but overall, easier and more standard than UK.

6. (i) Use an appropriate double angle formula to show that

$$\operatorname{cosec} 2x = \lambda \operatorname{cosec} x \sec x,$$

and state the value of the constant  $\lambda$ .

(3)

- (ii) Solve, for  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ , the equation

$$3\sec^2\theta + 3\sec\theta = 2\tan^2\theta$$

You must show all your working. Give your answers in terms of  $\pi$ .

(6)

$$\text{i) } \frac{1}{\sin 2x} = \frac{1}{2\sin x \cos x} = \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{cosec} x \sec x$$

$$\lambda = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{ii) } 3\sec^2\theta + 3\sec\theta = 2(\sec^2\theta - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\sec^2\theta + 3\sec\theta = 2\sec^2\theta - 2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec^2\theta + 3\sec\theta + 2 = 0$$

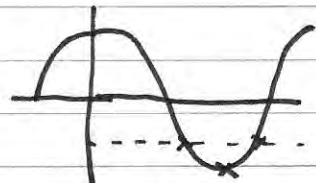
$$\Rightarrow (\sec\theta + 2)(\sec\theta + 1) = 0$$

$$\sec\theta = -2 \quad \sec\theta = -1$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{-1}{2} \quad \cos\theta = -1$$

$$\therefore \theta = 120^\circ, 240^\circ, 180^\circ$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \pi$$



Q6. v. easy, standard, trig qo.

overall trig was MUCH easier on the paper ↓

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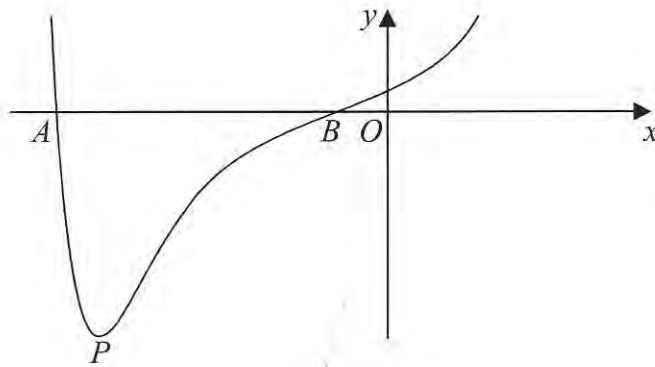


Figure 2

Figure 2 shows a sketch of part of the curve with equation  $y = f(x)$  where

$$f(x) = (x^2 + 3x + 1)e^{x^2}$$

The curve cuts the  $x$ -axis at points  $A$  and  $B$  as shown in Figure 2.

(a) Calculate the  $x$  coordinate of  $A$  and the  $x$  coordinate of  $B$ , giving your answers to 3 decimal places. (2)

(b) Find  $f'(x)$ . (3)

The curve has a minimum turning point at the point  $P$  as shown in Figure 2.

(c) Show that the  $x$  coordinate of  $P$  is the solution of

$$x = -\frac{3(2x^2 + 1)}{2(x^2 + 2)} \quad (3)$$

(d) Use the iteration formula

$$x_{n+1} = -\frac{3(2x_n^2 + 1)}{2(x_n^2 + 2)}, \quad \text{with } x_0 = -2.4,$$

to calculate the values of  $x_1$ ,  $x_2$  and  $x_3$ , giving your answers to 3 decimal places. (3)

The  $x$  coordinate of  $P$  is  $\alpha$ .

(e) By choosing a suitable interval, prove that  $\alpha = -2.43$  to 2 decimal places. (2)

a)  $x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0 \quad \left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{9}{4} + \frac{4}{4} = 0$

$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{5}{4} \Rightarrow x + \frac{3}{2} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2} \therefore x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$

$x_A = \frac{-3 - \sqrt{5}}{2} = \underline{-2.618} \quad x_B = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{5}}{2} = \underline{-0.382}$

b)  $u = x^2 + 3x + 1 \quad v = e^{x^2}$   
 $u' = 2x + 3 \quad v' = 2xe^{x^2}$

$\therefore f'(x) = (2x + 3)e^{x^2} + 2x(x^2 + 3x + 1)e^{x^2}$

c) TP when  $f'(x) = 0$

$(2x + 3 + 2x^3 + 6x^2 + 2x)e^{x^2} = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2x^3 + 6x^2 + 4x + 3 = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2x^3 + 4x = -6x^2 - 3$

$\Rightarrow x \times 2(x^2 + 2) = -3(2x^2 + 1)$

$\therefore x = -\frac{3(2x^2 + 1)}{2(x^2 + 2)} \quad \#$

- d)  $x_0 = -2.4$
- $x_1 = -2.420$
- $x_2 = -2.427$
- $x_3 = -2.430$

e)  $f'(-2.425) = 22. > 0$   
 $f'(-2.435) = -15 < 0$   $\therefore$  by sign change rule  $\alpha = -2.43$  (2dp)

Q7 - similar difficulty



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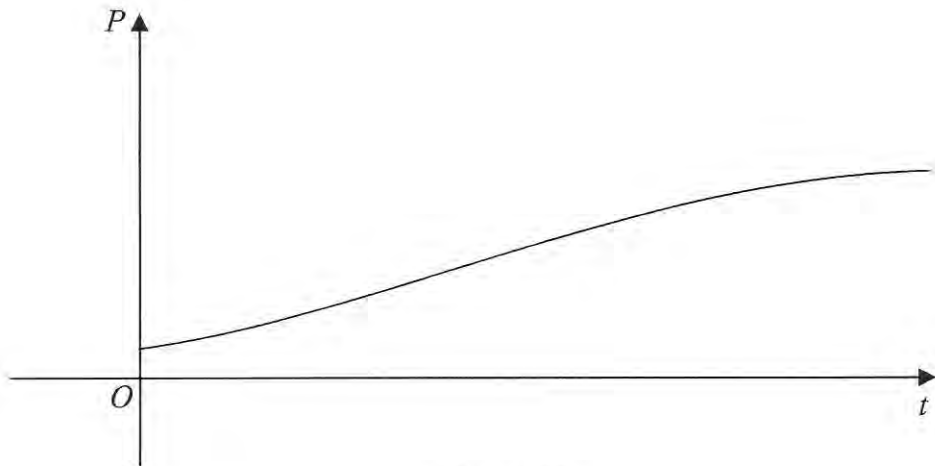


Figure 3

The population of a town is being studied. The population  $P$ , at time  $t$  years from the start of the study, is assumed to be

$$P = \frac{8000}{1 + 7e^{-kt}}, \quad t \geq 0,$$

where  $k$  is a positive constant.

The graph of  $P$  against  $t$  is shown in Figure 3.

Use the given equation to

(a) find the population at the start of the study, (2)

(b) find a value for the expected upper limit of the population. (1)

Given also that the population reaches 2500 at 3 years from the start of the study,

(c) calculate the value of  $k$  to 3 decimal places. (5)

Using this value for  $k$ ,

(d) find the population at 10 years from the start of the study, giving your answer to 3 significant figures. (2)

(e) Find, using  $\frac{dP}{dt}$ , the rate at which the population is growing at 10 years from the start of the study. (3)

$$a) t=0 \Rightarrow P = \frac{8000}{8} = \underline{1000}$$

$$b) \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty \quad 7e^{-kt} \rightarrow 0 \quad \therefore P \rightarrow \frac{8000}{1} = \underline{8000}$$

$$c) \quad \cancel{2500} = \frac{8000}{1+7e^{-3k}} \Rightarrow 25 + 175e^{-3k} = 80$$

$$\Rightarrow 175e^{-3k} = 55 \Rightarrow e^{-3k} = \frac{11}{35} \Rightarrow -3k = \ln\left(\frac{11}{35}\right)$$

$$\therefore k = \underline{\underline{-\frac{1}{3} \ln\left(\frac{11}{35}\right) = 0.386}}$$

$$d) \quad \frac{8000}{1+7e^{-0.386 \times 10}} = \underline{6970}$$

$$e) \quad P = 8000(1+7e^{-kt})^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dP}{dt} = -8000(1+7e^{-kt})^{-2} \times (-7ke^{-kt})$$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{56000ke^{-kt}}{(1+7e^{-kt})^2}$$

$$\text{at } t=10 \quad \frac{dP}{dt} = 346.2$$

Γ e) is awkward but otherwise a reasonable question ↓

This paper was MUCH easier than UK!