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Annotations and abbreviations

Annotation in scoris	Meaning
√and ≭	
BOD	Benefit of doubt
FT	Follow through
ISW	Ignore subsequent working
M0,M1	Method mark awarded 0, 1
A0, A1	Accuracy mark awarded 0, 1
B0, B1	Independent mark awarded 0, 1
Е	Explanation mark 1
SC	Special case
^	Omission sign
MR	Misread
BP	Blank page
Highlighting	
Other abbreviations in	Meaning
mark scheme	
E1	Mark for explaining a result or establishing a given result
dep*	Mark dependent on a previous mark, indicated by *. The * may be omitted if only previous M mark.
cao	Correct answer only
oe	Or equivalent
rot	Rounded or truncated
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soi	Rounded or truncated Seen or implied
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Question	Answer	Marks	AOs		Guidance
1 (a)	$x^2 + y^2 = 4$	B1 [1]	1.2		
(b)	Let d be the distance concerned. Then d is as in the diagram below. By reference to a diagram using the cosine rule $d^2 = 2^2 + 2^2 - 2 \times 2 \times 2 \cos(c - b)$ $= 8(1 - \cos(c - b))$ Therefore $d = 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c - b)}$.	M1 A1 [2]	2.1	Diagram not necessary. $d^2 = (2\cos(c) - 2\cos(b))^2 + (2\sin(c) - 2\sin(b))^2$	

Questio	n Answer	Marks	AOs		Guidance
(d)	For the circles to touch, need $d = 2$ in the above. $2 = 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c - b)}$ $\Rightarrow 1 = \sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c - b)}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{1 - \cos(c - b)}$ Then $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = 1 - \cos(c - b)$ $\Rightarrow \cos(c - b) = \frac{1}{2}$ $\Rightarrow c - b = \frac{\pi}{3}, \text{ since } 0 \le b < c < \pi$	Marks M1 A1 [2] B1 [2]	2.1 1.1 1.1	Or just state that it's an equilateral triangle in this case. Equations are not required in this part.	Guidance
	-2 -3				

Question	Answer	Marks	AOs		Guidance
(e)	$x^2 + y^2 = 1$ $x^2 + y^2 = 9$	B1 B1 [2]	1.2 1.2		
2 (a)	Gradient of the line through $(0, a)$ and $(1, a^2)$ is $\frac{a^2 - a}{1 - 0} = a(1 - a).$ The line crosses the $y - axis$ at $(0, a)$ so the equation of the line is $y = a(a - 1)x + a$	M1 A1 [2]	1.1a 1.1b		
(b)	The two straight lines are $y = b(b-1)x + b$ and $y = c(c-1)x + c$. These are parallel if $b(b-1) = c(c-1)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = c^2 - b^2 + b - c$ $\Rightarrow 0 = (c-b)(c+b) - (c-b)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = (c-b)(c+b-1)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = c+b-1 \text{ (since } c \neq b)$ $\Rightarrow c+b=1$	M1 A1 [3]	3.1a 2.4 2.1	Note that equation can be solved using CAS which is an acceptable method.	

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Answer	Marks	AOs		Guidance
a = 0.3	B1	1.1b	One mark for each branch of the curve, check for shape, asymptotes, max/min and quadrants and and	
	B1	1.1b	points on the axes. Note that question requires 'sketch'.	
4 -3 -2 /1 2 5 6				
/ / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / /	[2]			
	a = 0.3	a = 0.3 B1 B1	a = 0.3 B1 1.1b B1 1.1b	B1 1.1b One mark for each branch of the curve, check for shape, asymptotes, max/min and quadrants and and points on the axes. Note that question requires 'sketch'.

Questio	n Answer	Marks	AOs		Guidance
(d)	Let $f(x, y, a) = a(a-1)x - y + a$. The envelope is the set of points for which, simultaneously $f(x, y, a) = 0$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial a}(x, y, a) = 0$, for some value of a . $f(x, y, a) = a^2x - ax - y + a$ $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial a} = 2ax - x + 1$ $\frac{\partial f}{\partial a}(x, y, a) = 0$ implies that $a = \frac{x-1}{2x}$ (note x not zero), If, in addition, $f(x, y, a) = 0$ then $0 = \left(\frac{x-1}{2x}\right)\left(\frac{x-1}{2x} - 1\right)x - y + \frac{x-1}{2x}$ $\Rightarrow y = \frac{x-1}{2x}\left(\frac{-1-x}{2} + 1\right)$ oe isw	Marks M1 M1 M1 A1 [5]	1.1 1.1 2.2a 2.1	This is awarded for any correct expression with y in terms of x explicitly. (x, y^2 (x, y^2 (x, y^2 (x, y^2 (y, y^2)	Guidance
				Might also see $y = -\frac{(x-1)^2}{4x}$ or $y = \left(\frac{x-1}{2x}\right)\left(\frac{1-x}{2}\right)$ for example.	

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3	(a)	(i)				Pseudo code accepted, condone lack of syntax, give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors
			Appropriate structure program Loop with correct range dependent on m, n. Check for common divisors with if statement and tracking greatest one found.	M1 M1	3.3	Example code for Python def hcf(m,n): k = min(m,n) hcf=1 for i in range(1,k+1): if m%i==0 and n%i==0:
			Fully correct program.	A1 [3]	2.5	hcf=i return hcf print(hcf(m,n)
		(ii)	(74333, 89817) = 49	B1 [1]	1.1	Set $m = 74333$ and $n = 89817$ in the above.

(b)	(i)				Pseudo code accepted, condone lack of syntax, give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors
		Appropriate structure program	M1	3.3	Example code for Python with hcf function as in 2(i) above.
		Loop with correct range and counts number of values coprime to k.	M1	2.1	def phi(k): count = 0 for i in range(1,k):
		Fully correct programme	A1	2.5	if $hcf(i,k)==1$: count = count + 1
			[3]		return count print(phi(k))
	(ii)	$\varphi(128) = 64$ and $\varphi(1000) = 400$	B1 B1 [2]	1.1 1.1	
	(iii)	$\varphi(2^n) = 2^{n-1}$. This is because all the odd	M1	2.1	Spotting odd/even property.
		numbers less than 2^n are coprime to 2^n and all the even numbers less than 2^n are not. The are 2^n – 1 such odd numbers.	A1 [2]	3.2a	Correct value in terms of <i>n</i> .
	(iv)	$\varphi(10^n) = 4 \times 10^{n-1}$. All numbers less than 10^n	M1	2.1	Spotting end digit property.
		with final digit 1, 3, 7 and 9 are coprime to 10^n , any other number is not. There are four such numbers in 1, 2,,10, four in 11, 12,,20, four in 21,22,,30, and so on. There are 10^{n-1} such groups before reaching 10^n . So there are	M1	2.2a	Applying it across all numbers less than 10^n .
		$4 \times 10^{n-1}$ number less than 10^n which are coprime to 10^n .	A1 [3]	3.2a	Correct value in terms of <i>n</i> .

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(c)	(i)	F(5) = 9, the corresponding fractions are	B1	1.1		
		1 1 1 2 1 3 2 3 4				
		$[5, \overline{4}, \overline{3}, \overline{5}, \overline{2}, \overline{5}, \overline{3}, \overline{4}, \overline{5}]$				
		F(6) = 11, the corresponding fractions are				
		1 1 1 1 2 1 3 2 3 4 5	B1	1.1		
		6,5,4,3,5,2,5,3,4,5,6	[2]			
	(ii)	Adding to the distinct fractions between 0 and 1	B1	3.1a		
		with denominator k , the only 'new' fractions				
		with denominator $k + 1$ have numerators which				
		are coprime to $k + 1$. Therefore there are	B 1	2.4		
		$\varphi(k+1)$ of these.	[2]			
	(iii)	100	M1	3.1a	By adding code such as	
		By (c)(ii) required value is $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \varphi(k)$. By			def fracs(k):	
		k=1			count = 0	
		adapting previous program this is 3043.	A1	1.1	for i in range(1,k+1):	
			[2]		count = count + phi(i)	
					return count	
					print(fracs(100))	

4	(a)	(i)	Solution is $y = \ln(x+1) - \frac{x}{2}$	B1	1.1a	
				[1]		
		(ii)	3	B1	1.1	
			2			
			$y = \ln(x+1) - \frac{x}{2}$			
			0 1 2 3 4 5 6			
				F43		
			-3	[1]		
		(iii)	With $y = \ln(x+1) - \frac{x}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2}$.	M1	1.1a	
			Solving $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ gives $x = 1$. When $x = 1$,			
			$y = \ln(2) - \frac{1}{2}$	A1 [2]	1.1	
	(b)	(i)	Fig 4.1, <i>a</i> is around 0.5	B1 [1]	1.1	

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(ii)	Fig 4.2. <i>a</i> is around 1	B1 [1]	1.1	
(iii	Fig 4.1 1.2	B1	1.1	Sufficient to see slight downturn as <i>x</i> increases and only stationary pt is the maximum

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(iv)	Fig 3.2 1.2	B1 [2]	1.1	Sufficient to be increasing.	
(v)	One is increasing for the values of <i>x</i> shown. The other has a stationary point (local maximum).	B1 [1]	1.2	Either comment will do. Allow 'one intersects the x-axis (eventually), the other doesn't.'	

(c)	(i)				Give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors and consider correct answers to 4(c)(ii), 4(c)(iii), 4(c)(iv) as evidence of correct formulae in the spreadsheet.	
		A1 contains 0 B1 contains 0 I1 contains 0.1 (the value of h) K1 contains a (the value of a) C1 =\$I\$1*((1- A1)/(2*(A1+1))+\$K\$1*ATAN(B1)) D1 =\$I\$1*((1- (A1+\$I\$1))/(2*(A1+\$I\$1+1))+\$K\$1*ATAN(B1+C1)) A2 =A1+\$I\$1 B2 = =B1+0.5*(C1+D1) copy down	B1 B1 B1 B1	3.1a 3.1a 3.1a 2.5	Allows for a and h to be varied. Cols for x and y Cols for k_1 and k_2 Formulae for x_{n+1} and y_{n+1}	
	(ii)	Approximation to <i>y</i> when $x = 5.0$ with $a = 0.5$, using $h = 0.1$ is -0.249889 (to 6 d.p.)	B1 [1]	1.1	Correct answer to at least 3 s.f. Must for correct for the number of significant figures given.	
	(iii)	Approximation to y when $x = 5.0$ with $a = 1$, using $h = 0.1$ is 3.160809 (to 6 d.p.)	B1 [1]	1.1	Correct answer to at least 3 s.f. Must for correct for the number of significant figures given.	

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	(iv)	Using $a = 0.645$ (with $h = 0.1$) produces an	M1	3.1a		
		approximate solution which increases initially but				
		then peaks and descreases.				
		Using $a = 0.655$ (with $h = 0.1$) produces an				
		approximate solution which increases indefinitely.	M1	3.1a		
		This is evidence that a^* is between 0.645 and				
		0.655.	M1	2.2a	Further investigation of other	
					values of <i>h</i> and graphing software	
		This suggests that $a^* = 0.65$ to 2 d.p.			might be used to confirm this. This	
			A1	2.2b	should be awarded credit	
			[4]		appropriately.	
					E.g here is solution with $a = 0.645$	
					0.8	
					10.6 / / /	
					102/	
					1 0 -1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	
					And here is solution with $a = 0.655$	
					12 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
					0.8 / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / /	
					10.6 / / / / /	
					104//	
					102//	
					10/-1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	

Question	A01	A02	A03	Е	С	A	
1(i)(A)	1			1			C1, C4
1(i)(B)	1	1		2			C4
1(i)(C)	1	1		1	1		C4
1(i)(D)	2			2			C9
1(i)(E)	2			2			C4, C9
1(ii)(A)	2			2			C4
1(ii)(B)		2	1	1	2		C4
1(ii)(C)	2			1	1		C9
1(ii)(D)	2	2	1			5	C9
2(i)(A)		2	1	2	1		T1, T5
2(i)(B)	1			1			T5
2(ii)(A)		2	1	2	1		T6
2(ii)(B)	2			1	1		T5, T6
2(ii)(C)		1	1	1	1		T5, T6
2(ii)(D)		2	1	1	1	1	T5, T6
2(iii)(A)	2			2			T5
2(iii)(B)		1	1			2	T5, T6
2(iii)(C)	1		1			2	T5, T6
3(i)(A)	1			1			C1
3(i)(B)	1			1			C1
3(i)(C)	2			2			C5
3(ii)(A)	2			2			C2, C6
3(ii)(B)	2			2			C6
3(ii)(C)	1				1		C6
3(iii)(A)		1	3		3	1	C7
3(iii)(B)	1				1		C7
3(iii)(C)	1				1		C7
3(iii)(D)		2	2			4	C6, C7, C8
Total	30	17	13	30	15	15	0.00

S&C marks: 1(ii)D 5 marks

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