

- 2. A straight line goes through the points (p, q) and (r, s), where
  - p + 2 = r
  - q + 4 = s.

Find the gradient of the line.

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3(a). The line *L* has equation 2y + 3x = 1.

Find the gradient of line *L*.

(b). Find the *y*-intercept of line *L*.

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(i) Sketch the graph of y = -x + 4. Mark the value where the line crosses the y-axis.

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(ii) Write down the gradient of the line y = -x + 4.

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Write down the equation of the line **parallel** to line *L* that passes through (0, 0).

(b).	Write down the gradient of line <i>L</i> .
(c).	[1] What are the coordinates of the point where line <i>L</i> crosses the <i>y</i> -axis?
(d).	() [1] Explain how you can tell that the line $y = -\frac{1}{5}x - 5$ is not perpendicular to line <i>L</i> .
	[1]



Each statement below is sometimes true and sometimes false.

For each statement sketch a graph to show an example where it is true and an example where it is false. The first one has been done for you.

Statement	True	False
A straight line graph goes through the origin.	<i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i> <i>y</i>	y o x
The gradient of a straight line graph is positive.		
A quadratic equation $ax^2 + bx + c =$ 0 has two positive solutions.	<i>y</i> 0 <i>x</i>	

7. Here are six equations of straight lines, each labelled with a letter.

A
 B
 C

 
$$y = 4x - 7$$
 $y = 3x + 14$ 
 $y = 2x + 5$ 

 D
 E
 F

  $y = ^{-}3x + 1$ 
 $y = 14x - 7$ 
 $y = 4x + 3$ 

Choose the correct letters to make each statement true.

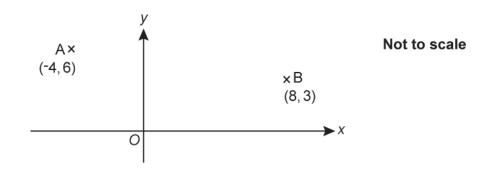
Line \_\_\_\_\_ is the steepest line.

Lines \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are parallel.

Lines \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ meet on the y-axis.

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8(a). Point A has coordinates (-4, 6) and point B has coordinates (8, 3).



(i) Find the gradient of line AB.

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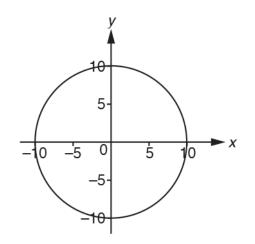
(ii) Find the equation of line AB.

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(b). Point P has coordinates (0, -2).

Write down the equation of the line parallel to line AB that passes through P.

9(a). The diagram shows a circle, centre the origin.



Write down the equation of the circle.

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(b). Point P has coordinates (8, -6).Show that point P lies on the circle.

(c). Find the equation of the tangent to the circle at point P.

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Q	uestio	n	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance		
1			Fully correct explanation, finding gradients of both lines and showing that the gradients' product equals – 1	4	B1 for gradient of first line is $\frac{4}{3}$ B1 for gradient of second line is $\frac{-3}{4}$ M1 for finding the product of <i>their</i> gradients <b>oe</b>		
			Total	4			
2			2	3	M1 for any correct $\frac{\text{change in } y}{\text{change in } x}$ M1 for $\frac{s-q}{r-p} = \frac{4}{2}$ If zero scored SC1 for $\frac{\text{change in } x}{\text{change in } y} = \frac{1}{2}$		
			Total	3			
3	a		–1.5 oe	2	M1 for y = 0.5 – 1.5 <i>x</i> soi OR SC1 for answer 1.5 oe	$\frac{3}{-2}$ for 2 marks M1 implied by answer of -1.5x oe <b>Examiner's Comments</b> It was clear that many candidates knew that $y =$ mx + c is the equation for a straight line and that m is the gradient. The most common answers in this part were 3 and -3 as candidates did not rearrange the equation to its explicit form, and simply quoted the coefficient of <i>x</i> . Candidates who did attempt the rearrangement generally gained at least 1 mark for getting the correct answer of-1.5 or for the answer 1.5.	

Question	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks	marks and guidance	
b	0.5 oe	1	FT <i>their y</i> = 0.5 – 1.5 <i>x</i>	FT <i>their</i> $y = a + bx$ from (a), if $b \neq 0$ Condone (0, 0.5) as answer Examiner's Comments Candidates generally gave the correct value for the intercept.	
	Total	3			

Q	Question		Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance		
4		i	Straight line with negative gradient and <i>y</i> -intercept 4 marked.	2	B1 for line with negative gradient or <i>y</i> -intercept 4 marked. Non-linear graph does not score.	Condone freehand line for 2 marks Ignore anything on <i>x</i> -axis <b>Examiner's Comments</b> Most candidates were able to draw a sketch and many indicated the correct intercept. However there were many who did not know the difference between negative and positive gradient.	
		ii	-1	1		Not – <i>x</i> etc Examiner's Comments Common wrong answers were 1 and 4.	
			Total	3			

Q	QuestionAnswer/Indicative contentMarks5a $y = 4x$ 2		Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance		
5			2	B1 for $4x$ , $y = mx$ (any $m \neq 0$ ), $y = 4x + c$ (any $c \neq 0$ ) Examiner's Comments Most candidates were able to demonstrate their understanding of $y=mx+c$ and give the correct answers for the first 3 parts of question. Common errors for the gradient were $4x$ or -5 and (0,5) or ( $-5$ ,0) for the y-intercept. Some candidates were able to pick up 1 mark for just the correct gradient or the correct y intercept, while many felt the need to emphasise both parts and answered $y=4x+0$ .	Condone $y = 4 x + 0$ for 2 marks And $y = mx + 0$ for 1 mark		
	b		4	1	Not 4 <i>x</i>	Allow 4/1	
	с		(0, –5) cao	1			
	d		- 1/5 × 4 ≠ -1	1	Or gradient should be $-\frac{1}{4}$ Not -ve reciprocal etc Examiner's Comments This was less well answered with only the more able capable of explaining the error. Correct answers usually referred to the gradient not being the negative reciprocal or another common answer was to state the correct line should be $y = -\frac{1}{4}x - 5$ . A few strong candidates demonstrated that the product of the gradients was not equal to -1. Weaker candidates referred just to reciprocals or 'not equal to' or 'not opposite'.	Soi 'Inverse' does not mean 'reciprocal'	

Question		Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance
		Total	5	

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6	$  \xrightarrow{n}_{x} \xrightarrow{n}_{x} \xrightarrow{n}_{x} \xrightarrow{n}_{x} \xrightarrow{n}_{x}$	1	both correct, first line any with positive gradient, second line any with negative gradient or horizontal or vertical line	accept any clear intention of correct graphs, ie not ruled but attempt at straight line
		2	both correct, first graph any with two positive solutions, second any with one/no positive solutions Or B1 for any one parabola seen Examiner's Comments Understanding of the sign of the gradient of a straight line was good and the majority of candidates sketched a correct pair of lines for this statement. Candidates were less successful in identifying the quadratic graphs correctly, however a good proportion of them could sketch a parabola for this part and so gained some credit. Common misconceptions about the signs of the roots appeared to be that they were related to the <i>y</i> -intercept being positive or negative or to the orientation of the parabola rather than where the curve crossed the <i>x</i> -axis. It was apparent that, as the graphs for the first two statements were linear, some candidates assumed that the third must also be linear.	accept any clear intention of correct graphs, ie not ruled but attempt at straight line Accept any clear intention of correct graphs, ie attempt at parabola Condone more than one parabola on axes for B1
	Total	3		1

Qı	uestio	n	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks a	nd guidance
7			E	1		accept equations in the place of letters
			AF	1	in either order	
			AE	1	in either order	
					Examiner's Comments	
					Most candidates did not gain full marks here and one confusion was over which number indicated the gradient; those who decided it was the last number gave B as the steepest, A and E as parallel and A and F meeting on the y-axis. Others thought that B and D were parallel, probably because they have the same number as coefficient of x without taking regard of the sign.	
			Total	3		

Question	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance		
8 a i	$-rac{1}{4}$ oe	<b>2</b> 2 AO1.3a	M1 for $\frac{\pm (3-6)}{\pm (8-^{-}4)}$		
			or answer		
			$\frac{1}{4}$ oe or		
			answer		
			$-\frac{1}{4}x$		
			<b>Examiner's Comment</b> In (a)(i), most candidates attempted to use rise/run or difference in $y$ /difference in x, and gained at least 1 mark despite having some difficulties in calculating with negative numbers. Common wrong answers were $\frac{1}{4}$ , 4 or $-4$ . Those who answered (a)(i) correctly generally proceeded to get the correct equation in (a)(ii). To find the value of the <i>y</i> -intercept, the strongest candidates often substituted a point into $y = mx + c$ , whilst others often used a similar triangle approach on the diagram. Part (b) was fairly well answered and many candidates who had lost marks earlier on were able to gain full credit by follow through from their previous answer. Weaker candidates often realised that the y- intercept was $-2$ for 1 mark, however, some strong candidates confused 'parallel' with 'perpendicular' when giving their answer.		

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	$y = -\frac{1}{4}x + 5$ oe	2 2 AO1.3b	M1 for substitution of $(-4, 6)$ or $(8, 3)$ 
b	$y = -\frac{1}{4}x - 2 \text{ oe or FT}$	2FT 3 AO2.1a	B1FT for $y =$ their mx [+ a] where m is FTFT is for 
	Total	6	

Q	Question		Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance			
9	а		<i>x</i> <sup>2</sup> + <i>y</i> <sup>2</sup> = 100 oe	1	Only a few candidates w able to write down the equation of the circle. Ma candidates merely plotte (8, -6) on the diagram w asked to show the point on the circle whereas a calculation such as Pythagoras was required was rather alarming that some of these plots show the point marked in the wrong quadrant and also not on the circle. Only a small number of candida attempted to find the equation of the tangent to did so with some succes			
	b		$8^{2}$ + (-6) <sup>2</sup> = 100, so it's on the circle oe	2	M1 for $8^2$ + ([-]6) <sup>2</sup> seen or for substituting x = 8 and $y= -6 intotheir part(a)$	Alternative using Pythagoras $\sqrt{8^2 + 6^2} = 10$ their part (a) must be an equation in both x and y.		
	С		3 <i>y</i> - 4 <i>x</i> + 50 = 0 oe	5	B2 for [tangent gradient = ] $\frac{4}{3}$ oe or M1 for	Equivalents include: $y = \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{50}{3}$ Condone decimals with at least 2 decimal places rot: Eg. $y =$ 1.33 $x -$ 16.67		

Question	Answer/Indicative content	Marks	Part marks and guidance		
			$\pm \frac{6}{8}$ or	Equivalent for <b>M2</b> includes	
			$\pm \frac{8}{6}$ oe AND	y = their	
			M2 for y + 6 = their $\frac{4}{3}(x - 8)$ or M1 for y = their $\frac{4}{3}x + c'$	$\frac{4}{3}x + c$ and then attempt to find <i>c</i> by substituting in <i>y</i> = -6 and <i>x</i> = 8	
	Total	8			