

HIGHER MATHS 2014 PAPER 1 SOLUTIONS

1.  $u_{n+1} = \frac{1}{3}u_n + 1 \quad u_2 = 15$

$$u_3 = \frac{1}{3}(15) + 1 \\ = 6$$

$$u_4 = \frac{1}{3}(6) + 1 \\ = 3$$

(C)

2.  $C(1,2) \quad T(3,-1)$

$$m_r = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$m_T = \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{as } m_1 m_2 = -1 \\ \text{for } \perp \text{ lines}$$

$$m_r = \frac{-1 - 2}{3 - 1}$$

$$m_r = -\frac{3}{2}$$

(B)

3.  $\log_4 12 - \log_4 x = \log_4 6$

$$\log_4 \frac{12}{x} = \log_4 6$$

$$\frac{12}{x} = 6$$

$$x = 2$$

(A)

4.  $3 \sin x - 4 \cos x$

$$k \cos(x-a) = k \cos x \cos a + k \sin x \sin a$$

$$k \sin a = 3$$

$$k \cos a = -4$$

(D)

5.  $\int (2x+9)^5 dx$

$$= \frac{(2x+9)^6}{6 \cdot 2} + c$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} (2x+9)^6 + c$$

(D)

6.  $\underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$2\underline{u} - 3\underline{v} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 5 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

(A)

7.  $\sin a = \frac{3}{\sqrt{34}} \quad \cos a = \frac{5}{\sqrt{34}}$

$$\sin 2a = 2 \sin a \cos a$$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{3}{\sqrt{34}} \cdot \frac{5}{\sqrt{34}}$$

$$= \frac{30}{34}$$

$$= \frac{15}{17}$$

(C)

8.  $\frac{d}{dx} (4 - 9x^4)^{1/2}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (4 - 9x^4)^{-1/2} \cdot -36x^3$$

$$= -18x^3 (4 - 9x^4)^{-1/2}$$

(D)

9.  $5 \sin 2x + 5\sqrt{3} \cos 2x$        $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x$  has max. value of 2

$= 5(\sin 2x + \sqrt{3} \cos 2x)$        $5(\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x)$  has max. value of 10

max value = 10

↑ affects no. of waves  
in  $360^\circ$  not max/min

(B)

10.  $u_{n+1} = (k-2)u_n + 5 \quad u_0 = 3$

for a limit to exist  $-1 < (k-2) < 1$

$$1 < k < 3$$

(C)

11.  $y = 2f(x) + 1$  ← move up 1  
 ↑  
 double y coordinates

$$(2, 3) \rightarrow (2, 7)$$

$$(5, 0) \rightarrow (5, 1)$$

(C)

12.  $f(x) = \frac{6x}{x^2 + 6x - 16}$  (cannot divide by zero)

$$x^2 + 6x - 16 = 0$$

$$(x + 8)(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = -8, 2$$

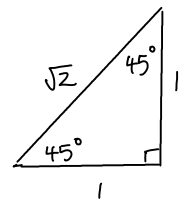
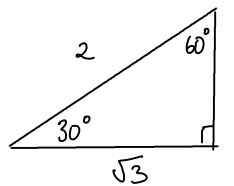
$$\Rightarrow x \neq -8 \text{ or } x \neq 2$$

(A)

13.  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) - \cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$



(B)

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \sin 60^\circ$$

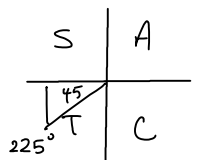
$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= \cos 225^\circ$$

$$= -\cos 45^\circ$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$



$$14. \quad \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ k \\ k \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

if  $\underline{u} \perp \underline{v}$  then  $\underline{u} \cdot \underline{v} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \cdot (-6) + k \cdot 2 + k \cdot 5 = 0$$

$$-6 + 7k = 0$$

$$7k = 6$$

$$k = \frac{6}{7} \quad \text{(D)}$$

15. Root at  $x = -1$  and repeated root at  $x = 2$

$$\Rightarrow y = a(x+1)(x-2)^2$$

y-intercept at  $y = -8$   $(0, -8)$

$$\Rightarrow -8 = a(0+1)(0-2)^2$$

$$-8 = 4a$$

$$a = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -2(x+1)(x-2)^2 \quad \text{(B)}$$

16.  $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} = \frac{2}{3}$       $\underline{a} \perp \underline{b}$  are unit vectors  
ie.  $|\underline{a}| = |\underline{b}| = 1$

$$\underline{a} \cdot (\underline{a} + 2\underline{b})$$

$$= \underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} + 2\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}$$

$$= a^2 + 2 \cdot \frac{2}{3}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= \frac{7}{3} \quad \text{(C)}$$

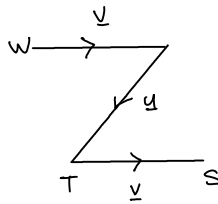
$$\begin{aligned}
 17. \quad & 3x^2 + 12x + 17 \\
 & = 3(x^2 + 4x) + 17 \\
 & = 3[(x+2)^2 - 4] + 17 \\
 & = 3(x+2)^2 - 12 + 17 \\
 & = 3(x+2)^2 + 5
 \end{aligned}$$

(B)

$$\begin{aligned}
 18. \quad & 1 - 2\sin^2 15^\circ \\
 & = \cos 2(15^\circ) \quad \text{using } \cos 2A = 1 - 2\sin^2 A \\
 & = \cos 30^\circ \\
 & = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

(C)

$$\begin{aligned}
 19. \quad \vec{SW} &= -\underline{v} - \underline{u} - \underline{v} \\
 &= -\underline{u} - 2\underline{v}
 \end{aligned}$$



(A)

$$\begin{aligned}
 20. \quad & 2 - \log_5 \frac{1}{25} \\
 & = 2 - (-2) \\
 & = 4
 \end{aligned}$$

$\log_5 \frac{1}{25} =$  what power of 5 gives  $\frac{1}{25}$ ?  
 $\frac{1}{25} = \frac{1}{5^2} = 5^{-2}$   
 $\Rightarrow$  power -2

(D)

21. (a)  $y = 3x^2 - x^3$

for stationary points  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - 3x^2$$

$$6x - 3x^2 = 0$$

$$3x(2-x) = 0$$

$$x = 0, 2$$

When  $x = 0$

$$y = 0$$

when  $x = 2$

$$y = 3(2)^2 - (2)^3$$

$$y = 12 - 8$$

$$y = 4$$

stat pts at  $(0,0)$  &  $(2,4)$

$x$	$\rightarrow$	0	$\rightarrow$	2	$\rightarrow$
$\frac{dy}{dx}$	-	0	+	0	-
shape	\	—	/	—	\

when  $x = -1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6(-1) - 3(-1)^2$$

$$= -6 - 3$$

$$m = -9$$

when  $x = 1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6(1) - 3(1)^2$$

$$= 6 - 3$$

$$m = 3$$

when  $x = 3$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6(3) - 3(3)^2$$

$$= 18 - 27$$

$$m = -9$$

Min TP at  $(0,0)$

Max TP at  $(2,4)$

(b) on  $x$ -axis  $y = 0$

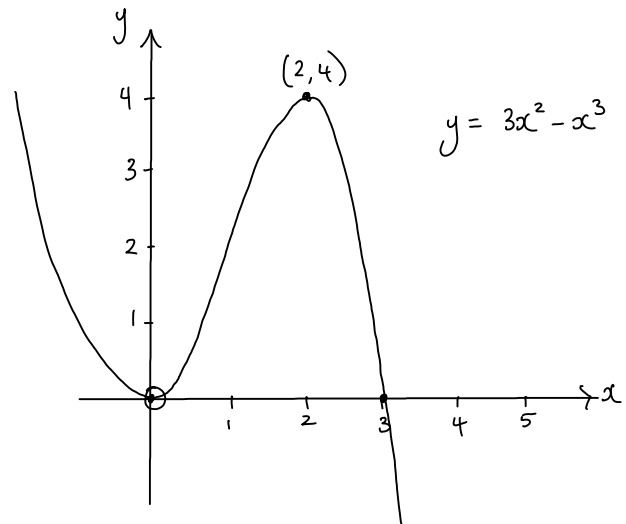
$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 - x^3 = 0$$

$$x^2(3-x) = 0$$

Roots at  $x = 0, 3$

on  $y$ -axis,  $x = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y = 0$$



22.  $6x^3 + 7x^2 + ax + b$

$(x+1)$  is a factor

$\Rightarrow x = -1$  is a root

$$x = -1 \left| \begin{array}{cccc} 6 & 7 & a & b \\ & -6 & -1 & 1-a \\ \hline 6 & 1 & a-1 & 0 \end{array} \right| \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} b + 1 - a &= 0 \\ b &= a - 1 \end{aligned}$$

72 is the remainder when divided by  $(x-2)$

$$x = 2 \left| \begin{array}{cccc} 6 & 7 & a & b \\ & 12 & 38 & 2a+7b \\ \hline 6 & 19 & a+38 & 72 \end{array} \right| \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} b + 2a + 76 &= 72 \\ b &= -2a - 4 \end{aligned}$$

solve:

$$\begin{aligned} a - 1 &= -2a - 4 \\ 3a &= -3 \\ a &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b &= (-1) - 1 \\ b &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

$$a = -1 \text{ and } b = -2$$

(b) Using first quotient:

$$6x^2 + x + (a-1) = 6x^2 + x - 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow (x+1)(6x^2 + x - 2) \\ = (x+1)(3x+2)(2x-1) \end{aligned}$$

23. (a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 15 = 0$       $y = 3x - 5$

for points of intersection  $y = y$

$$x^2 + (3x-5)^2 + 2x - 4(3x-5) - 15 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 9x^2 - 30x + 25 + 2x - 12x + 20 - 15 = 0$$

$$10x^2 - 40x + 30 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$(x-1)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x = 1, 3$$

$$\Rightarrow P(1, -2) \text{ and } Q(3, 4)$$

when  $x = 1$

$$y = 3(1) - 5$$

$$y = -2 \quad (1, -2)$$

when  $x = 3$

$$y = 3(3) - 5$$

$$y = 4 \quad (3, 4)$$

$$(b) \quad T(-1, 2) \quad P(1, -2) \quad Q(3, 4)$$

$$m_{PT} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$
$$= \frac{-2 - 2}{1 - (-1)}$$

$$= \frac{-4}{2}$$

$$m_{PT} = -2$$

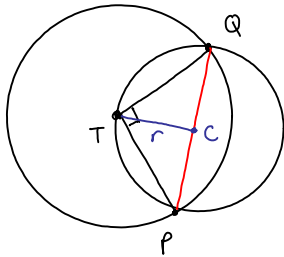
$$m_{QT} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$
$$= \frac{4 - 2}{3 - (-1)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{4}$$

$$m_{QT} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$m_{PT} \times m_{QT} = -1 \Rightarrow PT \perp QT$$

(c)



As  $PT \perp QT$  then  $PQ$  is diameter of  $C_2$ .

Centre of  $C_2$  will be midpoint of  $PQ$

$$C(2, 1)$$

$$r^2 = (2 - (-1))^2 + (1 - 2)^2$$

$$r^2 = 9 + 1$$

$$r^2 = 10$$

$$\text{Equation of } C_2 \text{ is } (x - 2)^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 10$$



24.

$$y = ka^x$$

$$\log y = \log ka^x$$

$$\log y = \log k + \log a^x$$

$$\log y = x \log a + \log k$$

$$Y = m x + c$$

$$\log_a a = m$$

$$\log_a k = c$$

$$\log_a a = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\log_a k = 2$$

$$a = a^{1/2}$$

$$k = a^2$$

$$a = 3$$

$$k = 81$$

$$\text{from graph: } m = \frac{5-2}{6-0} \quad c = 2$$

$$m = \frac{3}{6}$$

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

$$Y = m x + c$$

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

(where  $Y = \log_a y$ )