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1. Using the laws of the algebra of sets, show that

$$A' \cap (B - A)' = (A \cup B)' \quad [4 \text{ marks}]$$

2. If $y = \sin[\ln(1+x)]$, show that $(1+x)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (1+x) \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$. [4 marks]

3. The equation of a curve is

$$2x^2 + 8xy + 5y^2 + 3 = 0.$$

Find the equations of the two tangents which are parallel to the x-axis. [5 marks]

4. Find the sum to n terms of the series

$$3 - x + \frac{x^2}{3} - \frac{x^3}{3^2} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^{r-1} x^{r-1}}{3^{r-2}} + \dots$$

Given that the series is convergent, state the set of possible values of x , and the sum to infinity. [6 marks]

5. Solve the inequality $|5x - 7| > 2x + 1$. [5 marks]

6. The coordinates of the vertices O, A and B of a triangle are $(0, 0)$, $(12, 0)$ and $(0, 16)$ respectively.

a) Verify that the point with coordinates $(4, 4)$ is equidistant from the three sides of the triangle OAB. [5 marks]

b) Obtain the equation of the inscribed circle of the triangles OAB. [4 marks]

7. a) Matrices P and Q are given as $P = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, $Q = \begin{pmatrix} x & y \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$, where x and y are real numbers. Find a diagonal matrix S such that $PSP^{-1} = Q$. [5 marks]

b) If $M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$, show that $M^3 = M$. Hence, find M^{20} . [5 marks]

8. Sketch the curves $y = x^2(5x - 6)$ and $y = x(4x - 5)$ on the same diagram. [3 marks]

Calculate the area of the region bounded by the curves. [5 marks]

9. The complex numbers z_1 and z_2 satisfy the equation $z^2 = -3 + 4i$

- (a) Express z_1 and z_2 in the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real numbers. [6 marks]
- (b) Represent z_1 and z_2 in an Argand diagram, [1 mark]
- (c) For each of z_1 and z_2 , find the modulus, and the argument in radians. [4 marks]

10. (a) The function f and g are given by

$$f(x) = e^{2x}, \quad g(x) = 1 - x, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

- (i) State the domains of f and g . [1 mark]
- (ii) Find $f^{-1}(x)$ and hence obtain $(g \circ f^{-1})(x)$. [5 marks]

(b) If function h is defined as

$$h(x) = \begin{cases} Ax + 2, & -3 \leq x \leq 1 \\ x^2 + Bx + A, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 1 - \frac{1}{x}, & 2 \leq x \leq 5 \end{cases} \quad [-3, 5]$$

Find the values of A and B such that h is continuous in the interval $[3, 5]$

[5 marks]

11. Express $f(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 16x + 11}{(2-x)^2(1+4x)}$ in partial fractions.

[5 marks]

Hence, find the expansion of $f(x)$ in ascending powers of x up to the term in x^3 .

[6 marks]

State the set of values of x which the expansion is valid.

[2 marks]

12. It is given that $y = e^x$ and $y = 7 - 3x$.

(a) Sketch the graph of the two functions on the same coordinates axes. [3 marks]

(b) Use your graph in (a) to deduce a first approximation to the root of the equation

$$e^x = 7 - 3x. \quad \} \quad [1 \text{ mark}]$$

(c) Show that the equation $e^x = 7 - 3x$ has a root that lies between 1 and 1.5.

[4 marks]

(d) By using the Newton-Raphson method, determine the root of the equation correct to three decimal places.

[6 marks]