

**GCE ADVANCE LEVEL
FURTHER PURE MATHEMATICS
2015 PAPER 2**

1. Express $8\cosh(x + \ln 4)$ in the form $Ae^x + Be^{-x}$ where A and B are real numbers.

Hence, or otherwise,

(i) find the two solutions of the equation $8\cosh(x + \ln 4) = 12 - e^{-x}$

(ii) show that

$$\int_0^{\ln 2} \frac{1}{\cosh(x + \ln 4)} dx = 2 \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{4}{33} \right)$$

2. (a) Find the set of values of x for which

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{r-1} \frac{x^r}{2^r (r+1)}$$

is convergent

(b) The function f , for each positive integer n , is given by $f(n) = 15^n - 8^{n-2}$.

(i) Express $f(n+1) - 8f(n)$ in the form $k(15^n)$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, prove that $15^n - 8^{n-2}$ is a multiple of 7 for all $n \geq 2$

3. (a) Solve completely the equation

$$z^6 - 64 = 0, \text{ giving your answers in the form } re^{i\theta}, r > 0, -\pi < \theta \leq \pi$$

(b) Given that $\omega = e^{i\theta}$, $\theta \neq n\pi$, $\pi \in \square$, show that

i. $\frac{\omega^2 - 1}{\omega} = 2i \sin \theta$

ii. $(1 + \omega)^2 = 2^n \left(\frac{1}{2} \theta \right) e^{i \frac{1}{2} (1 + \omega)}$

(c) Given that one of the roots of the equation $z^4 = a(1 + i\sqrt{3})$ is $z = 2e^{i\frac{\pi}{12}}$. Find the value of a

4. By using the substitution $\frac{dy}{dx} = v - x$, or otherwise, show that the differential equation

$$(x^2 - 1) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 2x \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 1$$

can be transformed to the differential equation

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{2xv}{x^2 - 1}, \text{ where } v = f(x).$$

Hence find the solution, in the form $y = f(x)$, of the differential equation

$$(x^2 - 1) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - 2x \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 1, \text{ for which } y = -2, \frac{dy}{dx} = 1, \text{ when } x = 2$$

5. (a) The parametric equations of a curve are

$$x = \frac{2}{3}(t-1)^{\frac{3}{2}} \text{ and } y = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}(1+t)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad 2 \leq t \leq 4$$

Show that the length of the arc is

$$\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3}(4-\sqrt{2})$$

(b) A function f is given by

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4}\sqrt{4x-1}, \text{ for } 1 \leq x \leq 9.$$

Show that the surface area obtained when the curve $y = f(x)$ is rotated completely about the

$$x\text{-axis is } \frac{104}{3}\pi$$

6. Find the equation of the normal at the point $P(4\cos\theta, 3\sin\theta)$ on the ellipse

$$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

The normal at P crosses the x - and y - axes at A and B respectively.

(i) Find the coordinates of A and B .

(ii) Show that as θ varies, the locus of the point M , the midpoint of AB is another ellipse and find its equation.

7. (a) Investigate and sketch the curve $y = |x-2| + |3x+4|$.

Hence, or otherwise, solve the inequality $|x-2| + |3x+4| \leq 6$

(b) Given that $r = 2a\sin^2\theta, a > 0$ is the polar equation of a curve.

(i) Find the equation of the tangents at the pole to the curve.

(ii) Show that $f(\theta) = 2a\sin^2\theta$ is an even function.

(iii) Sketch the curve $r = 2a\sin^2\theta$.

8. (a) Two plane Π_1 and Π_2 with equations $px+4y-2z=10$ and $5x+y+pz=13$ respectively are perpendicular, find the value of p .

(b) Two lines L_1 and L_2 are such that $L_1: r = 2i + j - k + \lambda(i + j + k)$ and L_2 passes through the point $(3, 1, -1)$ and is parallel to the line $r = j + t(2i + j + k)$.

Find

(i) the position vector of the intersection, r_0 , of L_1 and L_2 .

(ii) the Cartesian equation of the plane containing L_1 and L_2 .

(iii) The area of the triangle with vertices at the point with position vector r_0 and the points when $\lambda = 2$ on L_1 and $t = 1$ on L_2 .

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$$969x - 1683y = 51$$

(b) Using Euclid's algorithm, or otherwise, find the greatest common divisor, h , of the numbers $a = 1625$ and $b = 858$ and express it in the form, $h = sa + tb$, where s and t are integers