

**ABBOTSLEIGH**  
**TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**

1999

**MATHEMATICS**

**4 UNIT**

**Time allowed: 3 hours**

- All questions may be attempted
- Answer each question in a separate booklet
- All questions are of equal value
- Approved calculators may be used

**Question One**

**Marks**

- (a) Evaluate  $\int_0^1 \frac{2dx}{\sqrt{2-x^2}}$  2
- (b) Find  $\int xe^{-x} dx$  2
- (c) Find  $\int \sin^5 x \cos^2 x dx$  3
- (d) Using the substitution  $x = \frac{1}{u}$ , where  $u > 0$  find  $\int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{x^2+1}}$  3
- (e) Find  $\int \sin(\log x) dx$  5

**Question Two****Marks**

(a) Let  $z = \frac{-i}{1+i\sqrt{3}}$

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- (i) Sketch  $z$  on the Argand diagram.  
(ii) Find the modulus and argument of  $z$

(b) Let  $A = 1 + 2i$  and  $B = -3 + 4i$

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Draw sketches to show the loci satisfied on the Argand diagram by

(i)  $|z - A| = |B|$

(ii)  $|z - A| = |z - B|$

(iii)  $\arg(z - A) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

(c) (i) Solve the equation  $z^4 = 1$

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(ii) Hence find all solutions of the equation  $z^4 = (z-1)^4$

(d) Use De Moivre's Theorem to express  $\cos 4\theta$  in terms of  $\cos \theta$ 

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(e) Express the roots of the equation  $z^2 + 2(1+2i)z - (11+2i) = 0$  in the form  $a + ib$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are real.

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(f) Draw Argand diagrams to represent the following regions

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(i)  $1 \leq |z + 3 - 2i| \leq 3$

(ii)  $\frac{\pi}{6} \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{3}$

**Question Three**

(a) Make neat sketches of the following graphs, labelling any important features.

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(i)  $y = \sin^2 2x$  for  $-2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$

(ii)  $|x| - |y| = 1$

(b) (i) Express  $\frac{3x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)}$  in the form  $\frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$ 

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(ii) Hence find  $\int \frac{3x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} dx$

**Question Three (continued)****Marks**

(c) Given  $I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x dx$  where  $n$  is a positive integer

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(i) Prove that  $I_n = \frac{n-1}{n} I_{n-2}$  for  $n \geq 2$

(ii) Hence evaluate  $I_4$

(d) (i) Show that  $1+i$  is a zero of the polynomial

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$$P(x) = x^3 + x^2 - 4x + 6$$

(ii) Express  $P(x)$  as a product of irreducible factors over the set of real numbers.

**Question Four**

(a) (i) Show that the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$  at the point

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$P(3, 1)$  has equation  $x + y = 4$ .

(ii) If this tangent cuts the directrix in the fourth quadrant at the point  $T$ , and  $S$  is the corresponding focus, show that  $SP$  and  $ST$  are at right angles to each other.

(b) (i) Show that the tangent to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the

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point  $T(ct, \frac{c}{t})$  has equation  $x + t^2y = 2ct$ .

(ii) The tangents to the rectangular hyperbola  $xy = c^2$  at the points

$P(cp, \frac{c}{p})$  and  $Q(cq, \frac{c}{q})$ , where  $pq = 1$ , intersect at  $R$ .

Find the equation of the locus of  $R$  and state any restrictions on the values of  $x$  for this locus.

**Question Five****Marks**(a) (i) Sketch the curve  $y = \sin^{-1}x$ 

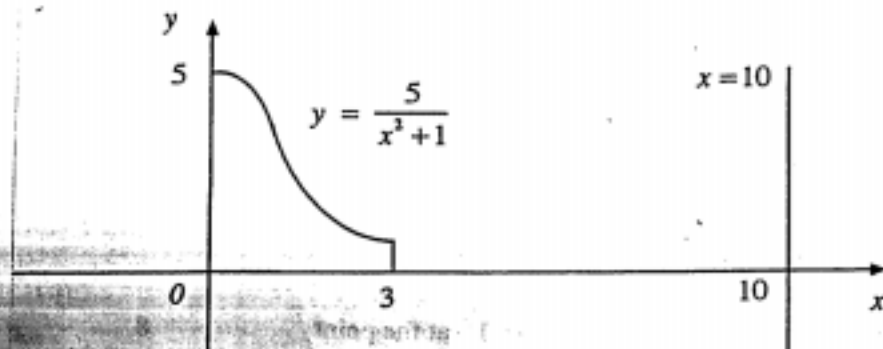
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(ii) Find the volume of the solid generated by rotating the region bounded by the curve  $y = \sin^{-1}x$ , the x-axis and the ordinate  $x = 1$  about the y-axis. Use the method of slices.(b) The base of a solid is the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ . Find the volume of the solid if every section perpendicular to the x-axis is a semi-circle whose diameter lies in the base of the solid.

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(c)

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The region bounded by the curve  $y = \frac{5}{x^2+1}$ , the x-axis and the lines  $x = 0$  and  $x = 3$  is rotated about the line  $x = 10$ .

(i) Use the method of cylindrical shells to show that the volume

$$V \text{ cm}^3 \text{ is given by } V = \int_0^3 \frac{100\pi - 10\pi x}{x^2+1} dx$$

(ii) Hence find the volume  $V$  to the nearest  $\text{cm}^3$ .

### Question Six

### Marks

(a) The equation  $x^4 + 4x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x - 2 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ .  
Find the equation with roots  $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}, \frac{1}{\delta}$ .

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(b) Solve  $x^5 + 2x^4 - 2x^3 - 8x^2 - 7x - 2 = 0$  if it has a root of multiplicity 4.

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(c) The chord of contact of the point  $T(x_0, y_0)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cuts the axes at M and N. If the mid-point of MN lies on the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  what is the locus of T?

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### Question Seven

(a) A railway line has been constructed around a circular curve of radius 500 m. The distance between the rails is 1.5 m and the outside rail is 0.1 m above the inside rail. Find the speed that eliminates a sideways force on the wheels for a train on this curve. (Take  $g = 9.8 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ .)

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(b) A particle of mass  $m$  is set in motion with speed  $u$ . Subsequently the only force acting upon the particle directly opposes its motion and is of magnitude  $mk(1 + v^2)$  where  $k$  is a constant and  $v$  is its speed at time  $t$ .

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(i) Show that the particle is brought to rest after a time  $\frac{1}{k} \tan^{-1} u$ .

(ii) Find an expression for the distance travelled by the particle in this time.

(c) In  $\Delta ABC$ ,  $AB = AC$ . The bisector of  $\angle ABC$  meets AC at M. The circle through A, B and M cuts BC at Q. Show, with reasons that  $AM = CQ$ .

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**Question Eight**

**Marks**

(a) The tangent at a point P on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  cuts the x-axis at M, while the normal cuts the x-axis at N. Prove that  $OM.ON = a^2 e^2$ .

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(b) A particle is projected from the origin with initial velocity U to pass through a point (a,b). Prove that there are two possible trajectories if

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$$(U^2 - gb)^2 > g^2(a^2 + b^2)$$

(c) A cone is placed with its vertex upward. A light string of length  $l$  metres is attached at one end to the vertex and the other end to a particle of mass  $m$  kg, which is made to describe a circle of uniform angular velocity  $\omega$  in contact with the cone. Assume there is no friction on the cone's surface. Find the tension in the string, and the normal reaction of the surface. Hence, find the condition for this to happen.

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(1)

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Question One (15 marks)

$$(a) \int_0^1 \frac{2 dx}{\sqrt{2-x^2}} = 2 \int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{2-x^2}}$$

$$= 2 \left[ \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{2}} \right]_0^1 \quad (V)$$

$$= 2 \left( \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \sin^{-1} 0 \right) \quad (V)$$

$$= 2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{4} - 0$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(b) \int x e^{-x} dx$$

$$= uv - \int v \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

$$= -x e^{-x} - \int -e^{-x} \cdot 1 dx$$

$$= -x e^{-x} + e^{-x} + C \quad (V)$$

$$= -e^{-x}(x+1) + C$$

$$(c) \int \sin^2 x \cos^2 x dx$$

$$= \int (1 - \cos^2 x) \sin^2 x \cos^2 x dx \quad (V)$$

$$= \int (1 + \cos^2 x - 2\cos^2 x) \cos^2 x \sin^2 x dx$$

$$= \int (\cos^2 x + \cos^4 x - 2\cos^2 x) \sin^2 x dx \quad (V)$$

$$= -\frac{\cos^3 x}{3} - \frac{\cos^5 x}{5} + 2\frac{\cos^3 x}{3} + C \quad (V)$$

$$(d) \int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{x^2+1}}$$

$$= \int \frac{-\frac{du}{u^2}}{\frac{1}{u} \sqrt{\frac{1}{u^2} + 1}} \quad (V)$$

$$= \int -\frac{du}{u^2} \times \frac{u \cdot u}{\sqrt{1+u^2}}$$

$$= -\int \frac{du}{\sqrt{1+u^2}} \quad (V)$$

$$= -\log(u + \sqrt{1+u^2}) + C \quad (V)$$

$$= -\log\left(\frac{1}{x} + \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{x^2}}\right) + C \quad (V)$$

$$(e) I = \int \sin(\log x) dx$$

$$= \int \sin(\log x) \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(x) dx \quad (V)$$

$$= \sin(\log x) \cdot x - \int x \cos(\log x) \frac{1}{x} dx \quad (V)$$

$$= x \sin(\log x) - \int \cos(\log x) dx \quad (V)$$

$$= x \sin(\log x) - \left[ \cos(\log x) \cdot x - \int x [-\sin(\log x)] \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx \right] \quad (V)$$

$$= x \sin(\log x) - x \cos(\log x) - (\sin(\log x)) dx \quad (V)$$

$$\therefore 2I = x(\sin(\log x) - \cos(\log x)) \quad (V)$$

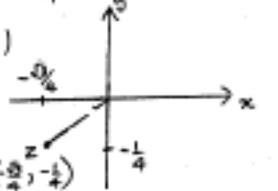
$$\therefore I = \frac{1}{2} x (\sin(\log x) - \cos(\log x)) + C \quad (V)$$

Question Two (15 marks)

$$(a) z = \frac{-i}{1+i\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1-i\sqrt{3}}{1-i\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{-i + i^2\sqrt{3}}{1 - i^2 3}$$

$$= \frac{-i - \sqrt{3}}{4} = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} - \frac{1}{4}i \quad (V)$$

(i)   $(V)$

(ii) modulus =  $\sqrt{\frac{3}{16} + \frac{1}{16}} = \frac{1}{2} \quad (V)$

$\tan \theta = \frac{-1/4}{-\sqrt{3}/4} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

$\therefore \theta = 30^\circ$

$\therefore \arg z = -150^\circ \quad (V)$

$$(b) A = 1+2i, B = -3+4i$$

(i)  $|z-A| = |B|$

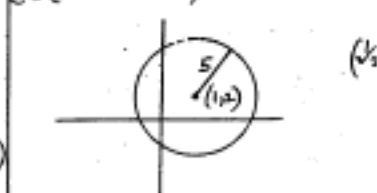
$$|z-(1+2i)| = \sqrt{9+16}$$

$$|z-(1+2i)| = 5$$

represents a circle  $(V)$

centre  $(1,2)$ , radius = 5

(b) (continued)



(ii)  $|z-A| = |z-B|$

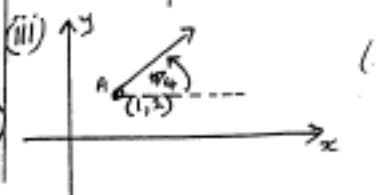
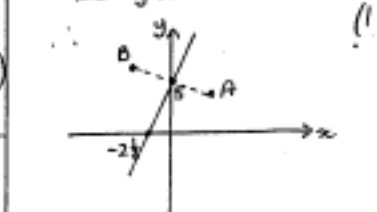
Locus is the perpendicular bisector of AB

OR Let  $z = x+iy$  then

$$(x-1)^2 + (y-2)^2 = (x+3)^2 + (y-4)^2$$

Expand & collect like terms

$$2x - y + 5 = 0$$



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## Question Two (continued)

$$(c)(i) z^4 - 1 = 0$$

$$(z^2 - 1)(z^2 + 1) = 0$$

$$(z-1)(z+1)(z-i)(z+i) = 0$$

$$\therefore z = \pm 1, \pm i \quad (1)$$

$$(ii) z^4 = (z-1)^4$$

$$\left(\frac{z}{z-1}\right)^4 = 1$$

From (i)  $\frac{z}{z-1} = \pm 1, \pm i$ 

Consider all solutions

$$\text{If } \frac{z}{z-1} = 1, z = z-1 \quad (1/2)$$

$$\therefore \text{no solutions}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{z}{z-1} = -1, z = -z+1 \quad (1/2)$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{z}{z-1} = i, \quad (1/2)$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{i}{1-i}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{z}{z-1} = -i, \quad (1/2)$$

$$\text{then } z = \frac{-i}{1+i}$$

$$(d) \cos 4\theta + i \sin 4\theta = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^4 \quad (1/2)$$

De Moivre's Theorem.

$$= (c + is)^4$$

$$= c^4 + 4c^3is + 6c^2i^2s^2 + 4ci^3s^3 + i^4s^4 \quad (1/2)$$

$$= c^4 - 6c^2s^2 + s^4 + i(4c^3s - 4cs^3)$$

Equate real parts

$$\cos 4\theta = c^4 - 6c^2s^2 + s^4 \quad (1/2)$$

$$= c^4 - 6c^2(1-c^2) + (-c^2)^2$$

$$= 8c^4\theta - 8c^2\theta + 1 \quad (1/2)$$

$$(e) z = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-(2-4i) \pm \sqrt{4(1+2i)^2 + 4(11+2i)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1-2i \pm 2\sqrt{-4+4i+11+2i}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-1-2i \pm \sqrt{8+6i}}{2} \quad (1/2)$$

$$\text{If } (a+ib)^2 = 8+6i$$

$$\text{then } a^2 - b^2 = 8$$

$$\text{and } 2iab = 6i$$

$$\therefore ab = 3$$

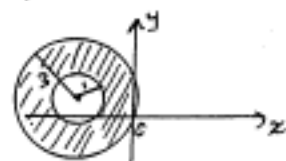
$$\therefore a = 3, b = 1$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{8+6i} = 3+i$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{-1-2i \pm 3+i}{2} \quad (1/2)$$

$$= (2-i) \text{ or } (-4-3i)$$

$$(f)(i) 1 \leq |z+3-2i| \leq 3 \quad (1/2)$$



$$(ii) \frac{\pi}{6} \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{3} \quad (1/2)$$

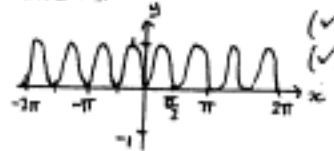


## Question Three (15 marks)

$$(a)(i) y = \sin^2 2x$$

$$\text{for } -2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

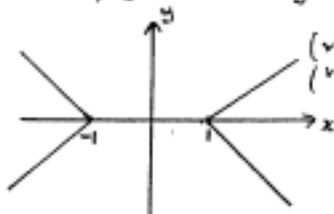
$$\text{Period} = \pi$$



$$(ii) |x| - |y| = 1$$

If  $(x, y)$  lies on the curve then so does  $(-x, y)$ ,  $(x, -y)$  and  $(-x, -y)$

If  $x > 0, y > 0$  then  $x - y = 1$



$$(b)(i) \frac{3x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$$

$$A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)(x+1) = 3x+1$$

$$\text{When } x = -1, A = -1$$

$$\text{When } x = 0, A+C = 1$$

$$\therefore C = 2$$

Equate coefficients of  $x^2$ 

$$\therefore A+B=0 \therefore B=1$$

$$\therefore \frac{3x+1}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{-1}{x+1} + \frac{x+2}{x^2+1}$$

$$(ii) I = -\int \frac{1}{x+1} + \int \frac{x+2}{x^2+1}$$

$$= -\ln|x+1| + \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+1| + 2 \tan^{-1} x$$



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Question Three (continued)

(c)  $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^n x \, dx$

(i)  $I_n = \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{n-1} x \frac{d(\sin x)}{dx} dx$   
(provided  $n \geq 1$ )

$$= [\sin x \cos^{n-2} x]_0^{\pi/2} - \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin x (n-1) \cos^{n-3} x (-\sin x) dx$$

(provided  $n \geq 2$ ) (✓)

$$= (n-1) \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{n-2} x \sin^2 x \, dx$$

$$= (n-1) \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{n-2} x (1 - \cos^2 x) \, dx$$

$$= (n-1) I_{n-2} - (n-1) I_n$$

$$\therefore n I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}$$

$$I_n = \frac{n-1}{n} I_{n-2}$$

(ii)  $I_4 = \frac{3}{4} I_2$

$$I_2 = \frac{1}{2} I_0$$

$$I_2 = \int_0^{\pi/2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore I_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$I_4 = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

(d) (i)

$$P(1+i) = (1+i)^3 + (1+i)^2 - 4(1+i) + 6$$
  
$$= 1+3i-3i-i+1+2i-1-4-4i+6$$
  
$$= 0$$

 $\therefore (1+i)$  is a zero of  $P(x)$  (✓)ii) Since  $P(x)$  has real coefficients, the conjugate of  $(1+i)$  i.e.  $(1-i)$  is also a zero of  $P(x)$  (✓)Let the other zero be  $\alpha$ 

Sum of zeros

$$(1+i) + (1-i) + \alpha = -1$$
  
$$\alpha = -3$$

Question Three (d) (continued)

$$\therefore P(x) = [x - (1+i)][x - (1-i)](x+3)$$
  
$$= (x^2 - 2x + 2)(x+3)$$

Question Four (15 marks)

(a) (i)  $\frac{x^2}{12} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

$$\frac{2x}{12} + \frac{2y}{4} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{3y}$$

At  $P(3,1)$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{3}{3} = -1$  (✓)

$$\therefore y-1 = -1(x-3)$$

$$\therefore x+y=4$$

(ii)  $e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{12}} = \frac{\sqrt{11}}{3}$

$$\therefore \text{focus is } (2\sqrt{3}, \frac{\sqrt{11}}{3}, 0)$$

and the directrix is

$$x = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\frac{\sqrt{11}}{3}} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{at } T, x+y=4$$

and  $x = 3\sqrt{2}$

$$\therefore y = 4 - 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore P(3,1), S(2\sqrt{3}, 0),$$

$$T(3\sqrt{2}, 4 - 3\sqrt{2})$$

$$\therefore \text{gradient } SP \times \text{gradient } ST$$

$$= \frac{1}{3-2\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{4-3\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4-3\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2}-4}$$

$$= -1$$

 $\therefore SP$  and  $ST$  are at $90^\circ$  to each other.

(b) (i)  $xy = c^2$

$$\therefore y = \frac{c^2}{x}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{c^2}{x^2}$$

$$\therefore \text{at } T(ct, \frac{c}{t}), \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{c^2}{(ct)^2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{t^2}$$

 $\therefore$  tangent at  $T(ct, \frac{c}{t})$ has gradient  $-\frac{1}{t^2}$  and

equation

$$y - \frac{c}{t} = -\frac{1}{t^2}(x - ct)$$

$$t^2 y - ct = -x + ct$$

$$x + t^2 y = 2ct$$

(ii) Tangent at  $P(cp, \frac{c}{p})$ and at  $Q(cq, \frac{c}{q})$  are

$$x + p^2 y = 2cp \quad (1)$$

$$x + q^2 y = 2cq \quad (2)$$

Solve (1) and (2) simultaneously!

$$(1) - (2)$$

$$(p^2 - q^2)y = 2c(p - q)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2c}{p+q}$$

Sub in (1)

$$x + p^2 \left(\frac{2c}{p+q}\right) = 2cp$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{2cpq}{p+q}$$

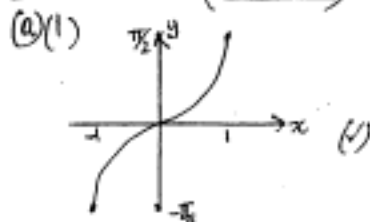
 $\therefore R(x, y)$  is the point

$$R\left(\frac{2cpq}{p+q}, \frac{2c}{p+q}\right)$$

$$= R\left(\frac{2c}{\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}}, \frac{2c}{\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q}}\right)$$

Since  $pq=1$ , Locus: $R$  lies on the line  $y=x$  (✓)where  $-c < x < 0$ ,  $0 < x < c$ since  $pq=1$ ,  $x \neq 0$ .

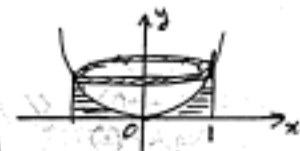
## Question Five (15 marks)



(ii) Consider a hollow disc perpendicular to the y-axis, of thickness  $\delta y$ , radii  $x$  and 1

The volume of the disc is

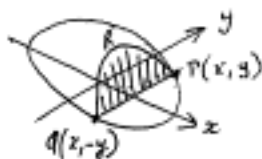
$$\begin{aligned} \delta V &= \pi(1-x^2)\delta y \\ &= \pi(1-\sin^2 y)\delta y \\ &= \pi \cos^2 y \delta y \end{aligned}$$



The volume of the solid

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \lim_{\delta y \rightarrow 0} \sum_{y=0}^{\pi/2} \pi \cos^2 y \delta y = \int_0^{\pi/2} \pi \cos^2 y \, dy \\ &= \int_0^{\pi/2} \pi \left( \frac{1+\cos 2y}{2} \right) dy \\ &= \pi \left[ \frac{y}{2} + \frac{\sin 2y}{4} \right]_0^{\pi/2} = \frac{\pi^2}{4} \end{aligned}$$

The base of the solid is in the plane of its paper. The boundary of the solid is along the circle  $x^2+y^2=25$



The cross section (is a semi-circle) PRQP at a distance  $x$  from the origin, at right angles to the x-axis is shown above.

$PQ = 2y$   
Radius of circle PRQ is  $y$   
 $\therefore A(x) = \text{area cross section} = \frac{1}{2} \pi y^2$

Now  $x^2+y^2=25$   
 $\therefore y^2=25-x^2$   
 $\therefore A(x) = \frac{\pi}{2}(25-x^2)$

The volume of the solid is

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \int_{-5}^5 A(x) \, dx \\ &= \int_{-5}^5 \frac{\pi}{2}(25-x^2) \, dx \\ &= \int_0^5 \pi(25-x^2) \, dx \\ &= \pi \left[ 25x - \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^5 \\ &= \pi \left( 125 - \frac{125}{3} \right) \\ &= \frac{250}{3} \pi \text{ cubic unit} \end{aligned}$$

(c)(i) Take strips of thickness  $\delta x$  parallel to the y-axis

Volume of shell is

$$\begin{aligned} \delta V &\doteq 2\pi(10-x)y \delta x \\ \therefore V &= \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum 2\pi(10-x)y \delta x \\ &= \int_0^3 2\pi(10-x) \frac{5}{x^2+1} \, dx \\ &= \int_0^3 \frac{100\pi - 10\pi x}{x^2+1} \, dx \end{aligned}$$

(ii)  $V = 100\pi \int_0^3 \frac{dx}{x^2+1} - 5\pi \int_0^3 \frac{2x \, dx}{x^2+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 100\pi [\tan^{-1}x]_0^3 - 5\pi [\ln(x^2+1)]_0^3 \\ &= 100\pi \tan^{-1}3 - 5\pi \ln 10 \\ &= 356 \text{ cm}^3 \end{aligned}$$

## Question Six (15 marks)

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

$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$ .

New equation has roots

$\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}, \frac{1}{\delta}$

New equation is

$$\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^4 + 4\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^3 - 3\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)^2 - 4\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) - 2 = 0$$

$$1 + 4x - 3x^2 - 4x^3 - 2x^4 = 0$$

i.e.  $2x^4 + 4x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$

(b)  $P(x) = x^5 + 2x^4 - 2x^3 - 8x^2 - 7x - 2$

$P'(x) = 5x^4 + 8x^3 - 6x^2 - 16x - 7$

$P''(x) = 20x^3 + 24x^2 - 12x - 16$

$P'''(x) = 60x^2 + 48x - 12$

$12(5x^2 + 4x - 1) = 0$

$12(5x-1)(x+1) = 0$

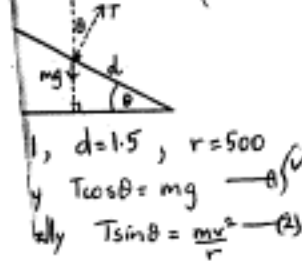
$x = \frac{1}{5}, -1$

Section Six (continued)  
 $\phi(-1) = 0 \therefore z = -1$  is a root of multiplicity 4  
 $\therefore P(x) = (x+1)^4(x-2) = 0$   
 $\therefore x = -1$  or  $2$

The equation of the chord of contact is  
 $\frac{xx_0}{a^2} - \frac{yy_0}{b^2} = 1$   
 This chord meets the x-axis at  $M(\frac{a^2}{x_0}, 0)$  and the y-axis at  $N(0, \frac{b^2}{y_0})$   
 The coordinates of the midpoint of MN are  
 $x = \frac{a^2}{2x_0}, y = \frac{b^2}{2y_0}$

Given that  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$   
 hence  $(\frac{a^2}{2x_0})^2 + (\frac{b^2}{2y_0})^2 = 1$   
 The locus of T is  
 $\frac{x^4}{a^4} + \frac{y^4}{b^4} = 1$   
 $\frac{y_0^4}{a^4} + \frac{b^4 x_0^4}{4y_0^4} = 4x_0^2 y_0^2$   
 $a^4 y^4 + b^4 x^4 = 4x^2 y^2$

Section Seven (15 marks)

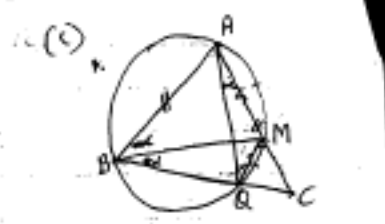


(2) (i)  $x^2 = \tan \theta$   
 But  $\tan \theta = \frac{h}{\sqrt{a^2 - h^2}}$   
 $\therefore v^2 = \frac{rg h}{\sqrt{a^2 - h^2}}$   
 $\therefore v^2 = \frac{500 \times 9.8 \times 0.1}{\sqrt{1.5^2 - 0.1^2}}$   
 $\therefore v = 18.1 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

(b)  $\ddot{x} = -k(1+v^2)$   
 When  $t=0, x=0, v=u$   
 $\frac{dv}{dt} = -k(1+v^2)$   
 $\frac{dv}{1+v^2} = -k dt$   
 $\tan^{-1} v = -kt + C$

When  $x=0, v=u \therefore C = \tan^{-1} u$   
 $\therefore t = \frac{1}{k} (\tan^{-1} u - \tan^{-1} v)$   
 As the particle is brought to rest, its velocity is zero.  
 $\therefore v=0, \therefore t = \frac{1}{k} \tan^{-1} u$   
 (ii)  $\ddot{x} = -k(1+v^2)$   
 $v \frac{dv}{dx} = -k(1+v^2)$   
 $\frac{v dv}{1+v^2} = -k dx$   
 $\frac{1}{2} \ln(1+v^2) = -kx + C$   
 When  $x=0, v=u \therefore C = \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+u^2)$

$x = \frac{1}{2k} (\ln(1+u^2) - \ln(1+v^2))$   
 $= \frac{1}{2k} \ln \left( \frac{1+u^2}{1+v^2} \right)$   
 When  $v=0, x = \frac{1}{2k} \ln(1+u^2)$   
 is the distance travelled



In  $\Delta ABC, AB=AC$ . The bisector of  $\hat{ABC}$  meets AC at M. The circle through A, B and M cuts BC at Q. Let  $\hat{ABC} = 2\alpha$ . Then  $\hat{ABM} = \hat{MBC} = \alpha$ .  
 $\therefore AM = MQ$  (Since arc AM = arc MQ)  
 Now  $\hat{MBQ} = \hat{QAM}$  (angles standing on same arc QM).  
 $\therefore \hat{QAM} = \alpha$ .  
 Now  $\Delta AMQ$  is isosceles since  $AM = QM$ .  
 $\therefore \hat{AMQ} = 180 - 2\alpha$  (angle sum of  $\Delta$ )  
 $\therefore \hat{QMC} = 2\alpha = \hat{ACB}$ .  
 Hence  $\Delta CQM$  is isosceles and  $QM = CQ$ .  
 $\therefore AM = CQ$

(6)

Question Eight (15 marks)(a) Let P be  $(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$ 

The equation of the tangent to the ellipse at P is  $\frac{\cos \theta}{a} x + \frac{\sin \theta}{b} y = 1$  (✓)

The tangent meets the x-axis at  $y=0$ ,  $x = \frac{a}{\cos \theta}$

∴ The coordinates of M are  $(\frac{a}{\cos \theta}, 0)$  (✓)

The equation of the normal to the ellipse at P is

$$\frac{ax}{\cos \theta} - \frac{by}{\sin \theta} = a^2 - b^2 \quad (✓)$$

The co-ordinates of N are  $(\frac{(a^2-b^2) \cos \theta}{a}, 0)$  (✓)

∴ OM, ON =  $\frac{a}{\cos \theta}$  and  $\frac{(a^2-b^2) \cos \theta}{a}$  (✓)

$$= |a^2 - b^2| = a^2 - a^2(1 - e^2) = a^2 e^2 \quad (✓)$$

b) Equations of motion are

Horizontal	Vertical
$\ddot{x} = 0$	$\ddot{y} = -g$
$\dot{x} = u \cos \alpha$	$\dot{y} = -gt + u \sin \alpha$
$x = u \cos \alpha t$	$y = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + u t \sin \alpha$

The point (a, b) lies on the trajectory (a, b) satisfies the circle's Cartesian

equation

$$y = \frac{-gx^2}{2u^2 \cos^2 \alpha} + x \tan \alpha \quad (✓)$$

hence

$$b = \frac{-ga^2}{2u^2 \cos^2 \alpha} + a \tan \alpha$$

$$= -\frac{ga^2 \sec^2 \alpha}{2u^2} + a \tan \alpha \quad (✓)$$

$$= -\frac{ga^2 (1 + \tan^2 \alpha) + 2u^2 \tan \alpha}{2u^2}$$

$$\therefore ga^2 \tan^2 \alpha - 2u^2 \tan \alpha + ga^2 + 2bu^2 = 0$$

This is a quadratic in terms of  $\tan \alpha$ . There are two solutions if  $\Delta > 0$

$$\Delta = (2u^2)^2 - 4(ga^2 + 2bu^2)(ga^2 + 2bu^2) = 4a^2(u^2 - 2bg u^2 - g^2 a^2)$$

$$\Delta > 0 \text{ if } u^2 - 2bg u^2 - g^2 a^2 > 0$$

By completing the square  $(u^2 - bg)^2 - g^2 a^2 - b^2 g^2 > 0$  (✓)

$$\therefore (u^2 - bg)^2 > g^2(a^2 + b^2)$$

Resolving these forces vertically,  $T \cos \alpha + R \sin \alpha = mg$  (✓)  
horizontally,  $T \sin \alpha - R \cos \alpha = ml \sin \alpha \omega^2$  (✓)

(note  $\sin \alpha = \frac{r}{l}$ )  
 $\therefore r = l \sin \alpha$

(1) by  $\cos \alpha + (2)$  by  $\sin \alpha$  gives  $T = mg \cos \alpha + ml \sin^2 \alpha \omega^2$  (✓)

(1) by  $\sin \alpha - (2)$  by  $\cos \alpha$  gives  $R = mg \sin \alpha - ml \sin \alpha \cos \alpha \omega^2$  (✓)

For the particle not to lose contact with the cone

$$R \geq 0, \quad m \sin \alpha (g - l \cos \alpha \omega^2) \geq 0$$

$$\omega^2 \leq \frac{g}{l \cos \alpha} \quad (✓)$$

End of Paper

Total marks = 120

(c)



The particle experiences three forces: the weight  $mg$ , the tension  $T$  in the string and the normal reaction  $R$ , perpendicular to the surface of the cone.