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**MATHEMATICS: PAPER I**

**MARKING GUIDELINES**

Time: 3 hours

150 marks

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**NOTE:**

- If a student answers a question more than once, only mark the FIRST attempt.
- Consistent Accuracy applies in all aspects of the marking memorandum.

**SECTION A****QUESTION 1**

(a)	$2x - 7 = 4$ $x = \frac{11}{2}$	squaring $x = \frac{11}{2}$
(b)	$3x - 1 = \pm(x + 1)$ $3x - 1 = x + 1$ or $3x - 1 = -x - 1$ $x = 1$ or $x = 0$ <b>OR</b> $9x^2 - 6x + 1 = x^2 + 2x + 1$ $8x^2 - 8x = 0$ $8x(x - 1) = 0$ $x = 0$ or $x = 1$	$3x - 1 = \pm(x + 1)$ $x = 1$ <sup>a</sup> $x = 0$  Multiplying out $x = 1$ $x = 0$
(c)	$7^{2x} = 7^{x-2}$ $\therefore 2x = x - 2$ $\therefore x = -2$  <b>Alternate:</b> $7^{2x} - 7^{x-2} = 0$ $7^x \cdot 7^x - 7^x \cdot 7^{-2} = 0$ $7^x \left( 7^x - \frac{1}{7^2} \right) = 0$ $\therefore 7^x = 0$ n/v or $7^x = 7^{-2}$ $\therefore x = -2$	$7^{2x} = 7^{x-2}$  $\therefore 2x = x - 2$  $\therefore x = -2$  $7^{2x} = 7^{x-2}$ $7^x \left( 7^x - \frac{1}{7^2} \right) = 0$ $\therefore x = -2$
(d)	$\log_2(x^2 - 3x + 10) = 3$ $x^2 - 3x + 10 = 2^3$ $x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$ $(x - 2)(x - 1) = 0$ $x = 2$ or $x = 1$	$x^2 - 3x + 10 = 2^3$ $(x - 2)(x - 1) = 0$ $x = 2$ $x = 1$
(e)	$2x^2 + 3px + p^2 = 0$ $(2x + p)(x + p) = 0$ $x = -\frac{1}{2}p$ or $x = -p$	$(2x + p)(x + p) = 0$  $x = -\frac{1}{2}p$  $x = -p$

**QUESTION 2**

(a)(1)	$T_1 = 7 ; T_2 = 1$	$T_1 = 7$ $T_2 = 1$
(a)(2)	$S_{\infty} = \frac{7}{1 - \frac{1}{7}}$ $S_{\infty} = \frac{49}{6}$	$S_{\infty} = \frac{7}{1 - \frac{1}{7}}$ $S_{\infty} = \frac{49}{6}$
(b)	$\begin{array}{ccccccc} 2 & 5 & 6 & 5 & 2 \\ & 3 & 1 & -1 & -3 \\ & & -2 & -2 & -2 \end{array}$ <p style="text-align: center;">Sequence First difference Constant second differ.</p> $2a = -2 \quad \therefore a = -1$ $3a + b = 3 \quad \therefore b = 6$ $a + b + c = 2 \quad \therefore c = -3$ $T_n = -n^2 + 6n - 3$	First difference Constant second differ. $a = -1$ $b = 6$ $c = -3$

**QUESTION 3**

(a)	$P = x \left[ \frac{1 - (1+i)^{-n}}{i} \right]$ $1800\ 000 = x \left[ \frac{1 - \left(1 + \frac{9,25}{1200}\right)^{-30 \times 12}}{\frac{9,25}{1200}} \right]$ $x = R14\ 808,16$	Use of correct formula $\left(1 + \frac{9,25}{1200}\right)$ $n = 360$ in Pv formula $x = R14\ 808,16$
(b)	$OB = A - F$ $A = 1800\ 000 \left(1 + \frac{9,25}{1200}\right)^{144}$ $A = 5\ 438\ 647,444$ $F = 14\ 808,15766 \left[ \frac{\left(1 + \frac{9,25}{1200}\right)^{144} - 1}{\frac{9,25}{1200}} \right]$ $F = 3\ 883\ 363,245$ $OB = 1555\ 284,20$ <p><b>OR</b></p> $OB$ $= 14\ 808,16 \left[ \frac{1 - \left(1 + \frac{9,25}{1200}\right)^{-216}}{\frac{9,25}{1200}} \right]$ $= R1\ 555\ 284,45$	interest rate for n Correct formula Substitution answer  interest rate for n Correct formula Substitution answer

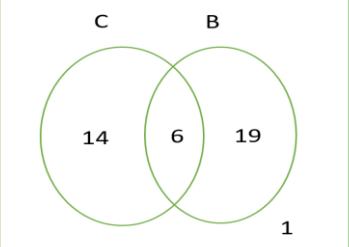
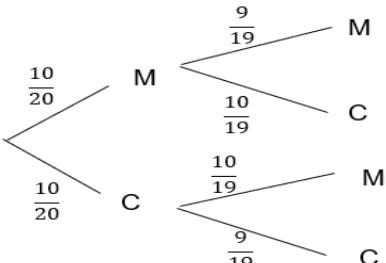
**QUESTION 4**

(a)(1)	<p>Shape Vertical asymptote Horizontal asymptote x-intercept y-intercept</p>	
(a)(2)	$\mathbb{R} - \{-2\}$ <b>OR</b> $(-\infty; -2) \cup (-2; \infty)$ <b>OR</b> $\{x : x < -2 \text{ or } x > -2\}$	
(b)(1)	$y = 3^x$ For inverse: let $x = 3^y$ $g(x) = \log_3 x$	$x = 3^y$ $g(x) = \log_3 x$
(b)(2)(i)	$x \in R$	$x \in R$
(b)(2)(ii)	$\therefore 0 < x \leq 1$	

**QUESTION 5**

(a)	$f(x) = -2x^2 + 3x$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2(x+h)^2 + 3(x+h) - (-2x^2 + 3x)}{h}$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-2x^2 - 4xh - 2h^2 + 3x + 3h + 2x^2 - 3x}{h}$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4xh - 2h^2 + 3h}{h}$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(-4x - 2h + 3)}{h}$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (-4x - 2h + 3)$ $= -4x + 3$	$\frac{-2(x+h)^2 + 3(x+h) - (-2x^2 + 3x)}{h}$ Squaring and distributing Factorisation Notation Sub. to get: $= -4x + 3$
(b)(1)	$y = 2x^3 - 4x + 5$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 4$	$6x^2$ <sup>a</sup> $-4$
(b)(2)	$y = x^{-\frac{2}{5}}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2}{5}x^{-\frac{7}{5}}$	$y = x^{-\frac{2}{5}}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2}{5}x^{-\frac{7}{5}}$
(c)	For $f'(x) > 0$ $f'(x) = -x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$ $x = 3$ or $x = -1$ Increasing for: $-1 \leq x \leq 3$ Also accept $<$	$f'(x) = -x^2 + 2x + 3$ $f'(x) = 0$ $x = 3$ or $x = -1$ $-1 \leq x \leq 3$

**QUESTION 6**

(a)(1)	No, There are 6 students playing both cricket and basketball.	No Explanation
(a)(2)	$P(C \text{ or } B) = P(C) + P(B) - P(C \text{ and } B)$ $P(C \text{ or } B) = \frac{20}{40} + \frac{25}{40} - \frac{6}{40}$ $= \frac{39}{40}$ <p>Alternate:</p>  $P(C \text{ or } B) = \frac{39}{40}$	$\frac{20}{40} + \frac{25}{40}$ $- \frac{6}{40}$ $= \frac{39}{40}$
(b)(1)		correct diagram correct M probabilities correct C probabilities
(b)(2)	$P(M \text{ and } C) \text{ OR } P(C \text{ and } M)$ $= \frac{10}{20} \times \frac{10}{19} + \frac{10}{20} \times \frac{10}{19}$ $= \frac{10}{19}$	$\frac{10}{20} \times \frac{10}{19}$ $\frac{10}{20} \times \frac{10}{19}$ $\frac{10}{19}$
(c)	$\frac{4!}{6!}$ $= \frac{4!}{6 \times 5 \times 4!}$ $= \frac{1}{30}$	$\frac{4!}{6!}$ $= \frac{4!}{6 \times 5 \times 4!}$ $= \frac{1}{30}$

**SECTION B****QUESTION 7**

(a)	$3500000 = P \left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^{13}$ $P = \text{R}1\ 974\ 950,74$	Correct formula $3500000 = P \left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^{13}$ $P = \text{R}1\ 974\ 950,74$
(b)	$1\ 800\ 000 \left(1 + \frac{5}{100}\right)^n = 1974\ 950,74 \left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^n$ $\frac{\left(1 + \frac{5}{100}\right)^n}{\left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^n} = \frac{1974\ 950,74}{1800\ 000}$ $\left(\frac{1,05}{1,045}\right)^n = 1,0971948\dots$ $n = 19,4$  Year: 2027	$1\ 800\ 000 \left(1 + \frac{5}{100}\right)^n = 1974\ 950,74 \left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^n$ $\frac{\left(1 + \frac{5}{100}\right)^n}{\left(1 + \frac{4,5}{100}\right)^n} = \frac{1974\ 950,74}{1800\ 000}$ $n = 19,4$  2027

**QUESTION 8**

(a)	$7 + x + y = -2x - 7$ $y = -3x - 14$  $\frac{x}{7} = \frac{-3x - 14}{x}$ $x^2 + 21x + 98 = 0$ $x = -7 \text{ or } x = -14$ $y = 7 \text{ or } y = 28$	$7 + x + y = -2x - 7$  $\frac{x}{7} = \frac{-3x - 14}{x}$ $x = -7 \text{ or } x = -14$  $y = 7 \text{ or } y = 28$
(b)	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)d]$ $160 = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)(5)]$ $320 = 2an + 5n^2 - 5n$  $725 = \frac{2n}{2}[2a + (2n-1)(5)]$ $725 = 2an + 10n^2 - 5n$  $405 = 5n^2$ $n = 9$	$160 = \frac{n}{2}[2a + (n-1)(5)]$ $320 = 2an + 5n^2 - 5n$  $725 = \frac{2n}{2}[2a + (2n-1)(5)]$ $725 = 2an + 10n^2 - 5n$  $405 = 5n^2$ $n = 9$

**QUESTION 9**

(a)	$y = a(x+1)^2 + q \text{ sub. } (-4;0)$ $0 = a(-4+1)^2 + q$ $0 = 9a + q \quad \dots \text{ eq 1}$ $y = a(x+1)^2 + q \text{ sub. } (-2;4)$ $4 = a(-2+1)^2 + q$ $4 = a + q \quad \dots \text{ eq.2}$ $a = -\frac{1}{2}$ $q = \frac{9}{2}$ $y = -\frac{1}{2}(x+1)^2 + \frac{9}{2}$ $y = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x + 4$ $\therefore a = -\frac{1}{2}; b = -1; c = 4$	$y = a(x+1)^2 + q$ $0 = 9a + q \quad \dots \text{ eq 1}$ $4 = a + q \quad \dots \text{ eq.2}$ $a = -\frac{1}{2}$ $b = -1$ $c = 4$
OR	$x\text{- intercepts are } -4 \text{ and } 2$ $y = a(x+4)(x-2)$ $\text{Substitute } (-2;4)$ $4 = a(-2+4)(-2-2)$ $\therefore a = -\frac{1}{2}$ $y = -\frac{1}{2}(x+4)(x-2)$ $y = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x + 4$ $\therefore a = -\frac{1}{2}; b = -1; c = 4$	$y = a(x+4)(x-2)$ <p>Correct substitution</p> $a = -\frac{1}{2}$ $b = -1$ $c = 4$
(b)(1)	$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 2x - 8)$ $f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}[(x+1)^2 - 8 - 1]$ $f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}[(x+1)^2 - 9]$ $f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(x+1)^2 + \frac{9}{2}$	$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 2x - 8)$ $f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}[(x+1)^2 - 8 - 1]$ $f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}[(x+1)^2 - 9]$
(b)(2)	$-2 < x < 0 \text{ and } x \neq -1$	$-2 < x < 0$ $x \neq -1$
(c)	$X\text{-int of } g: x = -8$ $X\text{-int of } f: x = 2 \text{ or } x = -4$ $x \in [-8; -4] \cup [2; \infty)$	$x \in [-8; -4] \cup [2; \infty)$

<p>(d)</p> $\begin{aligned} \text{Top - Bottom} &= x + 8 - \left[ -\frac{1}{2}(x+1)^2 + \frac{9}{2} \right] \\ &= x + 8 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x - 4 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x + 4 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= x + 2 \\ \therefore x &= -2 \\ \text{Top - Bottom} &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x + 4 \quad \dots \text{sub. } x = -2 \\ \therefore \text{Max. 2 units} & \end{aligned}$	$\begin{aligned} &= x + 8 - \left[ -\frac{1}{2}(x+1)^2 + \frac{9}{2} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x + 4 \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= x + 2 \\ \therefore x &= -2 \\ \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x + 4 & \dots \text{sub. } x = -2 \\ \therefore \text{Max. 2 units} & \end{aligned}$
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### QUESTION 10

$y = a(-x)^2 - 7(-x) + c$ $\therefore b = 7$ $-\frac{b}{2a} = 1$ $\therefore a = -\frac{7}{2}$ $f(x) = -\frac{7}{2}x^2 + 7x + c \quad \text{sub } (4; -20)$ $-20 = -\frac{7}{2}(4)^2 + 7(4) + c$ $c = 8$ $\therefore f(x) = -\frac{7}{2}x^2 + 7x + 8$	$y = a(-x)^2 - 7(-x) + c$ $\therefore b = 7$ $-\frac{b}{2a} = 1$ $\therefore a = -\frac{7}{2}$ $-20 = -\frac{7}{2}(4)^2 + 7(4) + c$ $c = 8$
<b>Alternative:</b> $f(x) = a(-x)^2 - 7(-x) + c$ $f(x) = ax^2 + 7x + c$ $f'(x) = 2ax + 7 \text{ for TP sub. } (x = 1)$ $2a(1) + 7 = 0$ $\therefore a = -\frac{7}{2}$ $\therefore b = 7$ $f(x) = -\frac{7}{2}x^2 + 7x + c \quad \text{sub } (4; -20)$ $-20 = -\frac{7}{2}(4)^2 + 7(4) + c$ $c = 8$ $\therefore f(x) = -\frac{7}{2}x^2 + 7x + 8$	$y = a(-x)^2 - 7(-x) + c$ $f'(x) = 2ax + 7$ $\therefore a = -\frac{7}{2}$ $\therefore b = 7$ $-20 = -\frac{7}{2}(4)^2 + 7(4) + c$ $c = 8$

**QUESTION 11**

(a)	$-3^3 + 5 \times 3^2 - 3 \times 5 + d = 0$ $d = 9$ <p><b>Alternate:</b></p> $y = -1(x-3)(x-3)(x+p)$ $y = -1(x^2 - 6x + 9)(x+p)$ $y = -1(x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + px^2 - 6px + 9p)$ $y = -x^3 + (6-p)x^2 - (9-6p)x - 9p$ $\therefore 9-6p=3$ $p=1$ $\therefore d = -9(p) = -9$	$-3^3 + 5 \times 3^2 - 3 \times 5 + d = 0$ $d = 9$ $-1(x-3)(x-3)(x+p)$ $-x^3 + (6-p)x^2 - (9-6p)x - 9p$ $\therefore 9-6p=3$ $p=1$ $\therefore d = -9(p) = -9$
(b)	$f'(x) = -3x^2 + 10x - 3$ $f''(x) = -6x + 10 = 0$ $-6x = -10$ $x = \frac{5}{3}$ $\text{Gradient} = -3\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2 + 10 \times \frac{5}{3} - 3$ $= \frac{16}{3}$	$f'(x) = -3x^2 + 10x - 3$ $f''(x) = -6x + 10 = 0$ $x = \frac{5}{3}$ $-3\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2 + 10 \times \frac{5}{3} - 3$ $= \frac{16}{3}$
(c)	$x < \frac{5}{3}$ <p>Allow <math>x \leq \frac{5}{3}</math></p>	$x < \frac{5}{3}$
(d)	$f(x) - k + 3 = 0$ $f(x) = k - 3$ $f'(x) = -3x^2 + 10x - 3 = 0$ $x = 3 \text{ or } x = \frac{1}{3}$ $\text{When } x = \frac{1}{3}; y = -\frac{256}{27}$ $\therefore -\frac{256}{27} \leq k - 3 \leq 0$ $\therefore -\frac{175}{27} \leq k \leq 3$	$\text{derivative} = 0$ $x = 3 \text{ or } x = \frac{1}{3}$ <p>substitution of one third</p> $y = -\frac{256}{27} \therefore -\frac{256}{27} \leq k - 3 \leq 0$ $\therefore -\frac{175}{27} \leq k \leq 3$

**QUESTION 12**

(a)	$f'(0) = 15$	$f'(0) = 15$
(b)	$f'(a) = 0$ $\therefore a = 10$	$\therefore a = 10$
(c)	$m = \frac{15 - 0}{0 - 10} = -\frac{3}{2}$ $f'(x) = -\frac{3}{2}x + 15$ $\therefore f'(1) = 13,5$	for equation for gradient
(d)	Graph is concave down – no p.o.i	

**QUESTION 13**

(a)	<p>Let: <math>x^2 + 2tx - t = x - \frac{5}{2}</math></p> $x^2 + (2t-1)x + \left(\frac{5}{2} - t\right) = 0$ $\Delta = (2t-1)^2 - 4(1)\left(\frac{5}{2} - t\right)$ $4t^2 - 9 < 0$ <p>Crit values: <math>-\frac{3}{2}; \frac{3}{2}</math></p> <p>Will never touch for: <math>-\frac{3}{2} &lt; t &lt; \frac{3}{2}</math></p>	$x^2 + 2tx - t = x - \frac{5}{2}$ $\Delta = (2t-1)^2 - 4(1)\left(\frac{5}{2} - t\right)$ $\Delta < 0$ or any method $4t^2 - 9 < 0$ <p>Crit values: <math>-\frac{3}{2}; \frac{3}{2}</math></p> $-\frac{3}{2} < t < \frac{3}{2}$
(b)	$\frac{500}{x} - \frac{500}{x+3} = 40$ $40x^2 + 120x - 1500 = 0$ $2x^2 + 6x - 75 = 0$ $x = 4,8$ or $x = -7,8$  Original time: $\frac{500}{4,805}$ $= 104,1$ seconds	$\frac{500}{x} - \frac{500}{x+3} = 40$ $40x^2 + 120x - 1500 = 0$ $x = 4,8$ or $x = -7,8$  $\frac{500}{4,805}$ $= 104,1$ seconds

**Total: 150 marks**