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A Level Further Mathematics B (MEI)

Y436/01 Further Pure with Technology

Time allowed: 1 hour 45 minutes



You must have:

- the Printed Answer Booklet
- the Formulae Booklet for Further Mathematics B (MEI)
- a computer with appropriate software
- a scientific or graphical calculator

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. You can use an HB pencil, but only for graphs and diagrams.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the **Printed Answer Booklet**. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of the Printed Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Fill in the boxes on the front of the Printed Answer Booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Where appropriate, your answer should be supported with working. Marks might be given for using a correct method, even if your answer is wrong.
- Give your final answers to a degree of accuracy that is appropriate to the context.
- Do **not** send this Question Paper for marking. Keep it in the centre or recycle it.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **60**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- This document has **8** pages.

ADVICE

- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

Answer **all** the questions.

- 1 (a) A family of curves is given by the equation

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2axy = 1 \quad (*)$$

where the parameter a is a real number.

You may find it helpful to use a slider (for a) to investigate this family of curves.

- (i) On the axes in the Printed Answer Booklet, sketch the curve in each of the cases

- $a = 0$
- $a = 0.5$
- $a = 2$

[3]

- (ii) State a feature of the curve for the cases $a = 0$, $a = 0.5$ that is **not** a feature of the curve in the case $a = 2$. [1]

- (iii) In the case $a = 1$, the curve consists of two straight lines. Determine the equations of these lines. [2]

- (b) (i) Find an equation of the curve (*) in polar form. [3]

- (ii) Hence, or otherwise, find, in exact form, the area bounded by the curve, the positive part of the x -axis and the positive part of the y -axis, in the case $a = 2$. [2]

- (c) In this part of the question m is any real number.

Describing all possible cases, determine the pairs of values a and m for which the curve with equation (*) intersects the straight line given by $y = mx$. [9]

- 2 (a) In this part of the question n is an integer greater than 1.

An integer q , where $0 < q < n$ is said to be a quadratic residue modulo n if there exists an integer x such that $x^2 \equiv q \pmod{n}$.

Note that under this definition 0 is not considered to be a quadratic residue modulo n .

- (i) Find all the integers x , where $0 \leq x < 1000$ which satisfy $x^2 \equiv 481 \pmod{1000}$. [1]
- (ii) Explain why 481 is a quadratic residue modulo 1000. [1]
- (iii) Determine the quadratic residues modulo 11. [2]
- (iv) Determine the quadratic residues modulo 13. [2]
- (v) Show that, for any integer m , $m^2 \equiv (n-m)^2 \pmod{n}$. [2]
- (vi) Prove that if p is prime, where $p > 2$, then the number of quadratic residues modulo p is $\frac{p-1}{2}$. [4]
- (b) Fermat's little theorem states that if p is prime and a is an integer which is co-prime to p , then $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$.
- (i) Use Fermat's little theorem to show that 91 is not prime. [2]
- (ii) Create a program to find an integer n between 500 and 600 which is not prime and such that $a^{n-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$ for all integers a which are co-prime to n .
In the Printed Answer Booklet
- Write down your program in full.
 - State the integer found by your program.
- [6]

3 In this question you are required to consider the family of differential equations

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y^a}{x+1} - \frac{1}{y} \quad (*)$$

and its solutions. The parameter a is a real number.

You should assume that $x \geq 0$ and $y > 0$ throughout this question.

(a) In this part of the question $a = 1$.

(i) On the axes in the Printed Answer Booklet

- Sketch the isocline defined by $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$.
- Shade and label the region in which $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$.
- Shade and label the region in which $\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$.

[3]

(ii) For $b > 0$, find, in terms of b , the solution to (*) which passes through the point $(0, b)$.

[1]

(iii) Determine

- The values of $b > 0$ for which the solution in (ii) has a turning point.
- The corresponding maximum value of y .

[4]

(b) **Fig. 3.1** and **Fig. 3.2** show tangent fields for two distinct but unspecified values of a . In each case a sketch of the solution curve $y = g(x)$ which passes through $(0, 2)$ is shown for $0 \leq x \leq 0.5$.

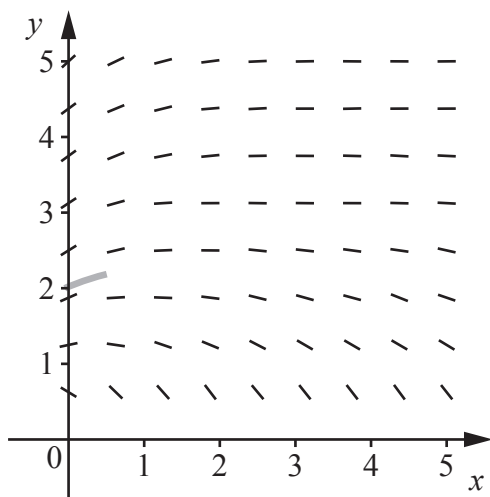


Fig. 3.1

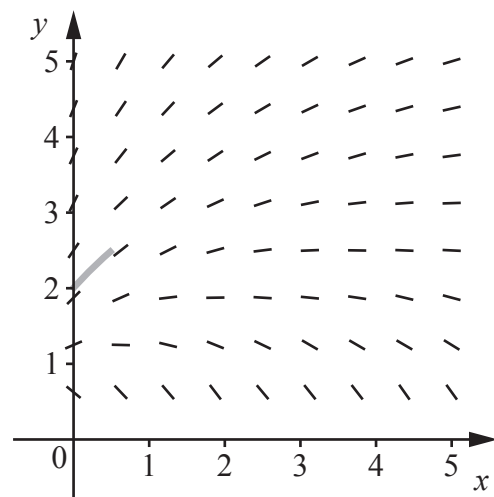


Fig. 3.2

(i) For the case in **Fig. 3.1** suggest a possible value of a .

[1]

(ii) For the case in **Fig. 3.2** suggest a possible value of a .

[1]

- (iii) In each case, continue the sketch of the solution curves for $0.5 \leq x \leq 5$ in the Printed Answer Booklet. [2]
- (iv) State a feature which is present in one of the curves in part (iii) for $0.5 \leq x \leq 5$ but not in the other. [1]
- (c) (i) The Euler method for the solution of the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$ is as follows
- $$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(x_n, y_n).$$
- It is given that $x_0 = 0$ and $y_0 = 2$.
- Construct a spreadsheet to solve (*) using the Euler method so that the value of a and the value of h can be varied, in the case $x_0 = 0$ and $y_0 = 2$.
 - State the formulae you have used in your spreadsheet. [3]
- (ii) In this part of the question $a = 0.1$.
- Use your spreadsheet with $h = 0.1$ to approximate the value of y when $x = 3$ for the solution to (*) in which $y = 2$ when $x = 0$. [1]
- (iii) In this part of the question $a = -0.2$.
- Use your spreadsheet to approximate, to 1 decimal place, the x -coordinate of the local maximum for the solution to (*) in which $y = 2$ when $x = 0$. [3]

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