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1 (a) Find the roots of the equation  $m^2 + 2m + 2 = 0$  in the form  $a + ib$ . (2 marks)

(b) (i) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 4x \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

(ii) Hence express  $y$  in terms of  $x$ , given that  $y = 1$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$  when  $x = 0$ . (4 marks)

2 (a) Find  $\int_0^a xe^{-2x} dx$ , where  $a > 0$ . (5 marks)

(b) Write down the value of  $\lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} a^k e^{-2a}$ , where  $k$  is a positive constant. (1 mark)

(c) Hence find  $\int_0^{\infty} xe^{-2x} dx$ . (2 marks)

3 (a) Show that  $y = x^3 - x$  is a particular integral of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2xy}{x^2 - 1} = 5x^2 - 1 \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(b) By differentiating  $(x^2 - 1)y = c$  implicitly, where  $y$  is a function of  $x$  and  $c$  is a constant, show that  $y = \frac{c}{x^2 - 1}$  is a solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2xy}{x^2 - 1} = 0 \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(c) Hence find the general solution of

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2xy}{x^2 - 1} = 5x^2 - 1 \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

- 4 (a) Use the series expansion

$$\ln(1 + x) = x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4 + \dots$$

to write down the first four terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of  $x$ , of  $\ln(1 - x)$ . (1 mark)

- (b) The function  $f$  is defined by

$$f(x) = e^{\sin x}$$

Use Maclaurin's theorem to show that when  $f(x)$  is expanded in ascending powers of  $x$ :

- (i) the first three terms are

$$1 + x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

- (ii) the coefficient of  $x^3$  is zero. (3 marks)

- (c) Find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^{\sin x} - 1 + \ln(1 - x)}{x^2 \sin x} \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

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5 (a) The function  $y(x)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

where  $f(x, y) = x \ln x + \frac{y}{x}$

and  $y(1) = 1$

(i) Use the Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + h f(x_r, y_r)$$

with  $h = 0.1$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.1)$ . *(3 marks)*

(ii) Use the formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_{r-1} + 2h f(x_r, y_r)$$

with your answer to part (a)(i) to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.2)$ , giving your answer to three decimal places. *(4 marks)*

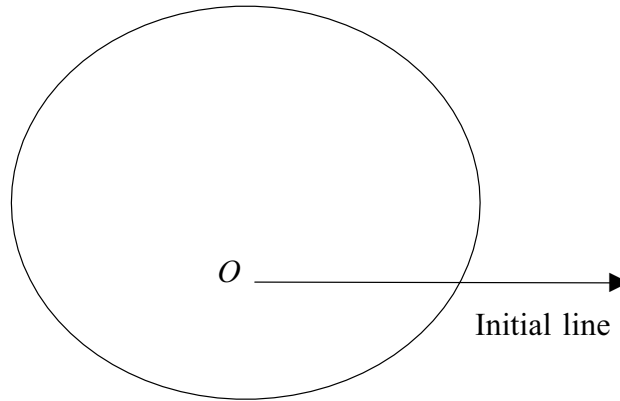
(b) (i) Show that  $\frac{1}{x}$  is an integrating factor for the first-order differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x}y = x \ln x \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(ii) Solve this differential equation, given that  $y = 1$  when  $x = 1$ . *(6 marks)*

(iii) Calculate the value of  $y$  when  $x = 1.2$ , giving your answer to three decimal places. *(1 mark)*

- 6 (a) A circle  $C_1$  has cartesian equation  $x^2 + (y - 6)^2 = 36$ . Show that the polar equation of  $C_1$  is  $r = 12 \sin \theta$ . (4 marks)
- (b) A curve  $C_2$  with polar equation  $r = 2 \sin \theta + 5$ ,  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$  is shown in the diagram.



Calculate the area bounded by  $C_2$ . (6 marks)

- (c) The circle  $C_1$  intersects the curve  $C_2$  at the points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Find, in surd form, the area of the quadrilateral  $OPMQ$ , where  $M$  is the centre of the circle and  $O$  is the pole. (6 marks)

**END OF QUESTIONS**

Practice 2

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1.  $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 2 \sin y$

It is given that  $y = 1$  at  $x = 0$ .

Use the approximation  $\frac{y_1 - y_0}{h} = \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_0$  with a step length of  $h = 0.1$  to find estimates of  $y$  at  $x = 0.1$  and at  $x = 0.2$ , giving your answers to 4 decimal places.

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5. Given that

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} + 9\mathbf{k} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{b} = -\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k},$$

(a) show that  $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = c(2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k})$ , and state the value of the constant  $c$ . (2)

The plane  $\Pi_1$  passes through the point  $(3, 1, 3)$  and the vector  $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$  is perpendicular to  $\Pi_1$ .

(b) Find a cartesian equation for the plane  $\Pi_1$ . (2)

The line  $l_1$  has equation  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{k} + \lambda\mathbf{a}$ .

(c) Show that the line  $l_1$  lies in the plane  $\Pi_1$ . (2)

The line  $l_2$  has equation  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + \mathbf{k} + \mu\mathbf{b}$ .

The line  $l_2$  lies in a plane  $\Pi_2$ , which is parallel to the plane  $\Pi_1$ .

(d) Find a cartesian equation of the plane  $\Pi_2$ . (2)

(e) Find the distance between the planes  $\Pi_1$  and  $\Pi_2$ . (3)

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$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 11 & -5\sqrt{3} \\ -5\sqrt{3} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Given that  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  are the eigenvalues of  $\mathbf{M}$  and  $\lambda_1 > \lambda_2$ ,

(a) show that  $\lambda_1 = 16$  and find the value of  $\lambda_2$ . (4)

(b) Find eigenvectors corresponding to the eigenvalues  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$ . (4)

Given that there is an orthogonal matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  such that  $\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{M}\mathbf{P}$  is the diagonal matrix  $\mathbf{D}$ ,

where  $\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

(c) find the matrix  $\mathbf{P}$ , (2)

(d) verify that  $\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{M}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{D}$ . (4)

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7. The point  $P$  represents the complex number  $z$  in an Argand diagram.  
Point  $P$  moves on the curve  $C$  given by the equation

$$|z - 4 + 4i| = 2|z - 1 + i|$$

- (a) Show that  $C$  is a circle whose equation may be written  $|z| = k$ , giving the exact value of  $k$ . **(5)**

- (b) Draw an Argand diagram showing the circle  $C$  and the points representing the complex numbers  $1 - i$  and  $4 - 4i$ . **(3)**

- (c) For the points on the circle  $C$ , find the maximum and minimum values of  $|z - 4 + 4i|$ . **(3)**

The transformation  $T$  from the  $z$ -plane to the  $w$ -plane is given by  $w = z + \frac{8}{z}$ .

- (d) Show that  $T$  maps the curve  $C$  onto a line segment in the  $w$ -plane and define this line segment by giving its equation and the coordinates of its end points. **(5)**

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Answer **all** questions.

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1 The function  $y(x)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

where  $f(x, y) = \ln(1 + x^2 + y)$

and  $y(1) = 0.6$

(a) Use the Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + h f(x_r, y_r)$$

with  $h = 0.05$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.05)$ , giving your answer to four decimal places. (3 marks)

(b) Use the improved Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + \frac{1}{2}(k_1 + k_2)$$

where  $k_1 = h f(x_r, y_r)$  and  $k_2 = h f(x_r + h, y_r + k_1)$  and  $h = 0.05$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.05)$ , giving your answer to four decimal places. (6 marks)

2 A curve has polar equation  $r(1 - \sin \theta) = 4$ . Find its cartesian equation in the form  $y = f(x)$ . (6 marks)

3 (a) Show that  $x^2$  is an integrating factor for the first-order differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2}{x}y = 3(x^3 + 1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(b) Solve this differential equation, given that  $y = 1$  when  $x = 2$ . (6 marks)



4 (a) Explain why  $\int_0^e \frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$  is an improper integral. (1 mark)

(b) Use integration by parts to find  $\int x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \ln x dx$ . (3 marks)

(c) Show that  $\int_0^e \frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$  exists and find its value. (4 marks)

5 Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = 6 + 5 \sin x \quad (12 \text{ marks})$$

6 The function  $f$  is defined by  $f(x) = (1 + 2x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

(a) (i) Find  $f'''(x)$ . (4 marks)

(ii) Using Maclaurin's theorem, show that, for small values of  $x$ ,

$$f(x) \approx 1 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^3 \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

(b) Use the expansion of  $e^x$  together with the result in part (a)(ii) to show that, for small values of  $x$ ,

$$e^x(1 + 2x)^{\frac{1}{2}} \approx 1 + 2x + x^2 + kx^3$$

where  $k$  is a rational number to be found. (3 marks)

(c) Write down the first four terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of  $x$ , of  $e^{2x}$ . (1 mark)

(d) Find

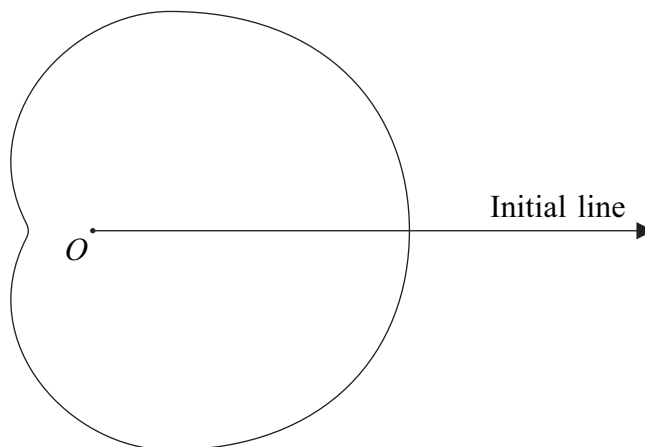
$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{e^x(1 + 2x)^{\frac{1}{2}} - e^{2x}}{1 - \cos x} \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

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7 A curve  $C$  has polar equation

$$r = 6 + 4 \cos \theta, \quad -\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi$$

The diagram shows a sketch of the curve  $C$ , the pole  $O$  and the initial line.



(a) Calculate the area of the region bounded by the curve  $C$ . (6 marks)

(b) The point  $P$  is the point on the curve  $C$  for which  $\theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ .

The point  $Q$  is the point on  $C$  for which  $\theta = \pi$ .

Show that  $QP$  is parallel to the line  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ . (4 marks)

(c) The line  $PQ$  intersects the curve  $C$  again at a point  $R$ .

The line  $RO$  intersects  $C$  again at a point  $S$ .

(i) Find, in surd form, the length of  $PS$ . (4 marks)

(ii) Show that the angle  $OPS$  is a right angle. (1 mark)

**END OF QUESTIONS**

### Practice 4

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1. The variable  $y$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x + \cos y.$$

It is given that  $y = 0.6$  at  $x = 0$ .

Use the approximation  $\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_0 \approx \frac{y_1 - y_0}{h}$ , with a step length of 0.05, to estimate the values of  $y$  at  $x = 0.05$  and  $x = 0.1$ , giving your answers to four decimal places.

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$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & p & 2 \\ 0 & 3 & q \\ 2 & p & 1 \end{pmatrix},$$

where  $p$  and  $q$  are constants.

Given that  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  is an eigenvector of  $\mathbf{M}$ ,

(a) show that  $q = 4p$ . (3)

Given also that  $\lambda = 5$  is an eigenvalue of  $\mathbf{M}$ , and  $p < 0$  and  $q < 0$ , find

(b) the values of  $p$  and  $q$ , (4)

(c) an eigenvector corresponding to the eigenvalue  $\lambda = 5$ . (3)

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3.

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

(a) By differentiating equation (I) with respect to  $x$ , show that

$$(x^2 + 1)\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = (1 - 4x)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (4y - 2)\frac{dy}{dx}. \quad (3)$$

Given that  $y = 1$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$  at  $x = 0$ ,

(b) find the series solution for  $y$ , in ascending powers of  $x$ , up to and including the term in  $x^3$ . (4)

(c) Use your series to estimate the value of  $y$  at  $x = -0.5$ , giving your answer to two decimal places. (1)

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4. The point  $P$  represents a complex number  $z$  on an Argand diagram such that

$$|z - 3| = 2|z|.$$

(a) Show that, as  $z$  varies, the locus of  $P$  is a circle, and give the coordinates of the centre and the radius of the circle.

(5)

The point  $Q$  represents a complex number  $z$  on an Argand diagram such that

$$|z + 3| = |z - i\sqrt{3}|.$$

(b) Sketch, on the same Argand diagram, the locus of  $P$  and the locus of  $Q$  as  $z$  varies.

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(c) On your diagram shade the region which satisfies

$$|z - 3| \geq 2|z| \quad \text{and} \quad |z + 3| \geq |z - i\sqrt{3}|.$$

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$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} k & -2 \\ 1-k & k \end{pmatrix}, \text{ where } k \text{ is constant.}$$

A transformation  $T: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$  is represented by the matrix  $\mathbf{A}$ .

- (a) Find the value of  $k$  for which the line  $y = 2x$  is mapped onto itself under  $T$ . (3)
  
- (b) Show that  $\mathbf{A}$  is non-singular for all values of  $k$ . (3)
  
- (c) Find  $\mathbf{A}^{-1}$  in terms of  $k$ . (2)

A point  $P$  is mapped onto a point  $Q$  under  $T$ .

The point  $Q$  has position vector  $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$  relative to an origin  $O$ .

Given that  $k = 3$ ,

- (d) find the position vector of  $P$ . (3)

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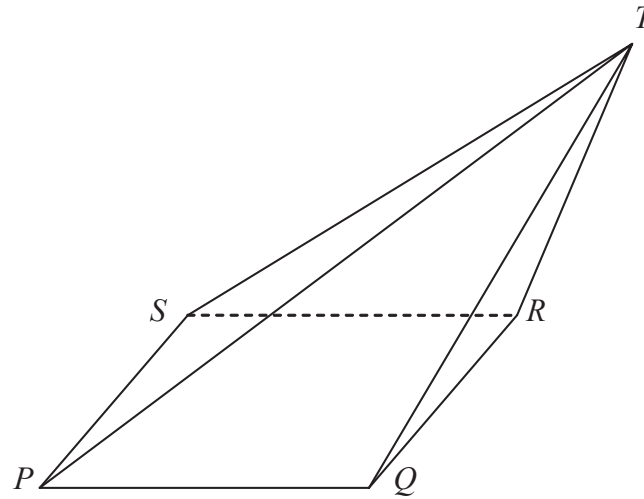


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows a pyramid  $PQRST$  with base  $PQRS$ .

The coordinates of  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$  are  $P(1, 0, -1)$ ,  $Q(2, -1, 1)$  and  $R(3, -3, 2)$ .

Find

(a)  $\vec{PQ} \times \vec{PR}$ , (3)

(b) a vector equation for the plane containing the face  $PQRS$ , giving your answer in the form  $\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{n} = d$ . (2)

The plane  $\Pi$  contains the face  $PST$ . The vector equation of  $\Pi$  is  $\mathbf{r} \cdot (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - 5\mathbf{k}) = 6$ .

(c) Find cartesian equations of the line through  $P$  and  $S$ . (5)

(d) Hence show that  $PS$  is parallel to  $QR$ . (2)

Given that  $PQRS$  is a parallelogram and that  $T$  has coordinates  $(5, 2, -1)$ ,

(e) find the volume of the pyramid  $PQRST$ . (3)

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1 The function  $y(x)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

where

$$f(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$$

and

$$y(2) = 1$$

(a) Use the Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + hf(x_r, y_r)$$

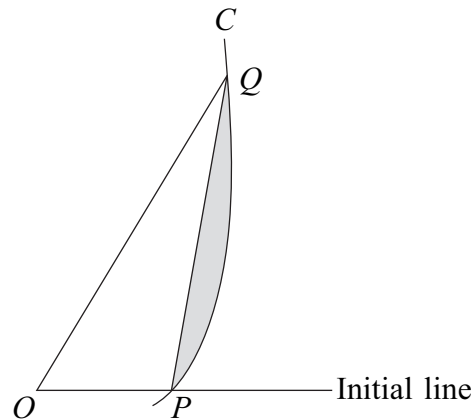
with  $h = 0.1$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(2.1)$ . *(3 marks)*

(b) Use the formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_{r-1} + 2hf(x_r, y_r)$$

with your answer to part (a), to obtain an approximation to  $y(2.2)$ . *(3 marks)*

- 2 The diagram shows a sketch of part of the curve  $C$  whose polar equation is  $r = 1 + \tan \theta$ . The point  $O$  is the pole.



The points  $P$  and  $Q$  on the curve are given by  $\theta = 0$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  respectively.

- (a) Show that the area of the region bounded by the curve  $C$  and the lines  $OP$  and  $OQ$  is

$$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3} + \ln 2 \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

- (b) Hence find the area of the shaded region bounded by the line  $PQ$  and the arc  $PQ$  of  $C$ . (3 marks)

- 3 (a) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 5y = 5 \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

- (b) Hence express  $y$  in terms of  $x$ , given that  $y = 2$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3$  when  $x = 0$ . (4 marks)

- 4 (a) Explain why  $\int_1^{\infty} xe^{-3x} dx$  is an improper integral. (1 mark)

- (b) Find  $\int xe^{-3x} dx$ . (3 marks)

- (c) Hence evaluate  $\int_1^{\infty} xe^{-3x} dx$ , showing the limiting process used. (3 marks)

5 By using an integrating factor, find the solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{4x}{x^2 + 1} y = x$$

given that  $y = 1$  when  $x = 0$ . Give your answer in the form  $y = f(x)$ . (9 marks)

6 A curve  $C$  has polar equation

$$r^2 \sin 2\theta = 8$$

(a) Find the cartesian equation of  $C$  in the form  $y = f(x)$ . (3 marks)

(b) Sketch the curve  $C$ . (1 mark)

(c) The line with polar equation  $r = 2 \sec \theta$  intersects  $C$  at the point  $A$ . Find the polar coordinates of  $A$ . (4 marks)

7 (a) (i) Write down the expansion of  $\ln(1 + 2x)$  in ascending powers of  $x$  up to and including the term in  $x^3$ . (2 marks)

(ii) State the range of values of  $x$  for which this expansion is valid. (1 mark)

(b) (i) Given that  $y = \ln \cos x$ , find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ ,  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  and  $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$ . (4 marks)

(ii) Find the value of  $\frac{d^4y}{dx^4}$  when  $x = 0$ . (3 marks)

(iii) Hence, by using Maclaurin's theorem, show that the first two non-zero terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of  $x$ , of  $\ln \cos x$  are

$$-\frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{12} \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(c) Find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{x \ln(1 + 2x)}{x^2 - \ln \cos x} \right] \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$



8 (a) Given that  $x = e^t$  and that  $y$  is a function of  $x$ , show that:

(i)  $x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt}$ ; *(3 marks)*

(ii)  $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - \frac{dy}{dt}$ . *(3 marks)*

(b) Hence find the general solution of the differential equation

$$x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 6x \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$$
*(5 marks)*

**END OF QUESTIONS**

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Answer **all** questions.

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1 The function  $y(x)$  satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

where

$$f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{x + y}$$

and

$$y(1) = 3$$

(a) Use the Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + hf(x_r, y_r)$$

with  $h = 0.2$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.2)$ . (3 marks)

(b) Use the improved Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + \frac{1}{2}(k_1 + k_2)$$

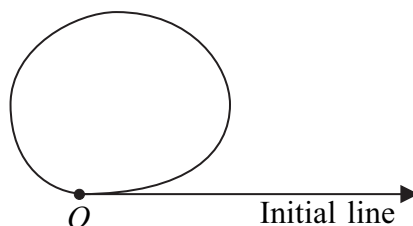
where  $k_1 = hf(x_r, y_r)$  and  $k_2 = hf(x_r + h, y_r + k_1)$  and  $h = 0.2$ , to obtain an approximation to  $y(1.2)$ , giving your answer to four decimal places. (5 marks)

2 (a) Show that  $\frac{1}{x^2}$  is an integrating factor for the first-order differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{2}{x}y = x \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

(b) Hence find the general solution of this differential equation, giving your answer in the form  $y = f(x)$ . (4 marks)

- 3 The diagram shows a sketch of a loop, the pole  $O$  and the initial line.



The polar equation of the loop is

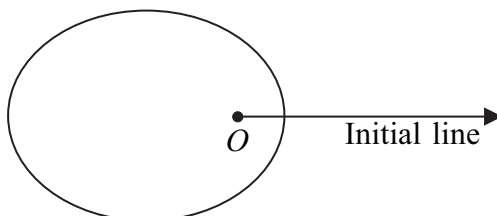
$$r = (2 + \cos \theta)\sqrt{\sin \theta}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$$

Find the area enclosed by the loop.

(6 marks)

- 4 (a) Use integration by parts to show that  $\int \ln x \, dx = x \ln x - x + c$ , where  $c$  is an arbitrary constant. (2 marks)
- (b) Hence evaluate  $\int_0^1 \ln x \, dx$ , showing the limiting process used. (4 marks)

- 5 The diagram shows a sketch of a curve  $C$ , the pole  $O$  and the initial line.



The curve  $C$  has polar equation

$$r = \frac{2}{3 + 2 \cos \theta}, \quad 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

- (a) Verify that the point  $L$  with polar coordinates  $(2, \pi)$  lies on  $C$ . (1 mark)
- (b) The circle with polar equation  $r = 1$  intersects  $C$  at the points  $M$  and  $N$ .
- (i) Find the polar coordinates of  $M$  and  $N$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Find the area of triangle  $LMN$ . (4 marks)
- (c) Find a cartesian equation of  $C$ , giving your answer in the form  $9y^2 = f(x)$ . (5 marks)

Turn over for the next question

6 The function  $f$  is defined by  $f(x) = e^{2x}(1 + 3x)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ .

(a) (i) Use the series expansion for  $e^x$  to write down the first four terms in the series expansion of  $e^{2x}$ . (2 marks)

(ii) Use the binomial series expansion of  $(1 + 3x)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$  and your answer to part (a)(i) to show that the first three non-zero terms in the series expansion of  $f(x)$  are  $1 + 3x^2 - 6x^3$ . (5 marks)

(b) (i) Given that  $y = \ln(1 + 2 \sin x)$ , find  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ . (4 marks)

(ii) By using Maclaurin's theorem, show that, for small values of  $x$ ,

$$\ln(1 + 2 \sin x) \approx 2x - 2x^2 \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(c) Find

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - f(x)}{x \ln(1 + 2 \sin x)} \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

7 (a) Given that  $x = e^t$  and that  $y$  is a function of  $x$ , show that

$$x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - \frac{dy}{dt} \quad (7 \text{ marks})$$

(b) Hence show that the substitution  $x = e^t$  transforms the differential equation

$$x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4x \frac{dy}{dx} = 10$$

into

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dt} = 10 \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(c) Find the general solution of the differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dt} = 10$ . (5 marks)

(d) Hence solve the differential equation  $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4x \frac{dy}{dx} = 10$ , given that  $y = 0$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8$  when  $x = 1$ . (5 marks)

**END OF QUESTIONS**