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PREPARATORY EXAMINATION 2024

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MATHEMATICS

(PAPER 1)

MATHEMATICS: Paper 1

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TIME: 3 hours

MARKS: 150

11 pages + 1 information sheet





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INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

- 1. This question paper consists of 12 questions.
- 2. Answer ALL the questions.
- 3. Clearly show ALL calculations, diagrams, graphs, etc. that you have used in determining your answers.
- 4. Answers only will NOT necessarily be awarded full marks.
- 5. You may use an approved scientific calculator (non-programmable and non-graphical), unless stated otherwise.
- 6. If necessary, round-off answers to TWO decimal places, unless stated otherwise.
- 7. An information sheet with formulae is included at the end of the question paper.
- 8. Number the answers according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
- 9. Write neatly and legibly.



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1.1 Given: 2k = (x-5)(x-k), determine:

1.1.1
$$k \text{ if } x = 2$$
 (2)

1.1.2
$$x \text{ if } k = 2$$
 (4)

1.2 Solve for x:

1.2.1
$$2x^2 + 3 = 8x$$
 (correct to TWO decimal places) (4)

1.2.2
$$\sqrt{2(x+10)} - 10 = x - 12$$
 (4)

1.2.3
$$3^{x}(x-5) < 0$$
 (2)

1.3 Solve the following equations simultaneously:

$$\sqrt{3^x} \cdot 9^y = 27$$
 and $x + 4y^2 = 6$ (6)

1.4 The solutions of a quadratic equation are given by

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2p+5}}{7}.$$

State the value(s) of p for which this equation will have:

QUESTION 2

2.1 Given the quadratic sequence: 0; 5; 14; ...; 779; 860

2.1.1 Write down the value of the
$$4^{th}$$
 term, T_4 , of this sequence. (1)

- 2.1.2 Determine an expression for the n^{th} term of this sequence. (4)
- 2.1.3 Calculate the number of terms in the sequence. (3)
- 2.2 Determine the sum of the whole numbers between 100 and 1 000 which are divisible by 11. (5) [13]



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3.1 Given the geometric sequence: $8(x-2)^2$; $4(x-2)^3$; $2(x-2)^4$; ... $x \ne 2$

3.1.1 Determine the value(s) of x where the sequence converges. (3)

3.1.2 Determine the sum to infinity of the series if x = 2,5. (4)

3.2 Given: $\sum_{k=3}^{12} 3(-2)^{k-2}$

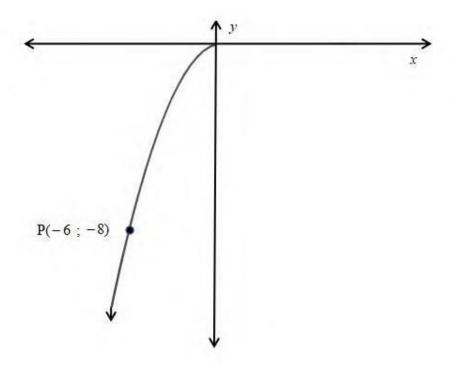
3.2.1 How many terms are there in this series? (1)

3.2.2 Calculate the sum of the series. (3) [11]



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The graph of $f(x) = ax^2$, $x \le 0$, is sketched below. The point P(-6; -8) lies on the graph of f.



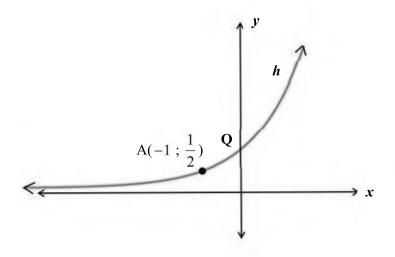
- 4.1 Calculate the value of a. (2)
- 4.2 Determine the equation of f^{-1} , in the form y = ... (2)
- 4.3 Write down the range of f^{-1} . (1)
- 4.4 Sketch the graph of f^{-1} . Indicate the coordinates of any point on the graph different to (0; 0). (2)
- 4.5 The graph of f is reflected across the line y = x, and thereafter it is reflected across the x-axis.

Determine the equation of the new function in the form y = ... (2)



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- The point P(2; $\sqrt{3}$) lies in the Cartesian plane. Determine the coordinates of the image of point P if P is rotated about the origin through 90° in an anti-clockwise direction. (2)
- 5.2 The graph of $h(x) = a^x$ is sketched below. A(-1; $\frac{1}{2}$) is a point on the graph of h.



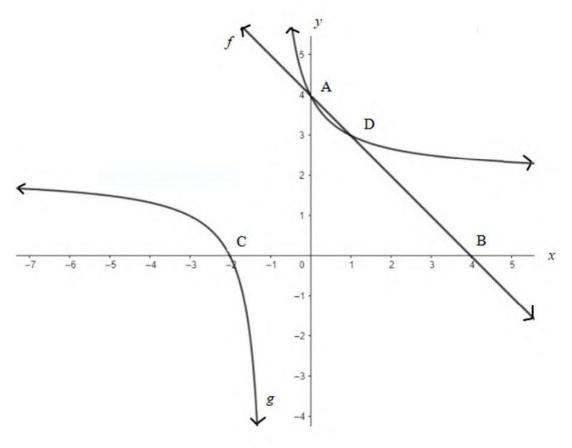
- 5.2.1 Substantiate why the coordinates of Q, the y-intercept of h, are (0; 1). (2)
- 5.2.2 Calculate the value of a. (2)
- 5.2.3 Write down the equation of the inverse function, h^{-1} in the form y = ... (2)
- 5.2.4 Draw a sketch graph of h^{-1} . Indicate the coordinates of TWO points that lie on this graph. (3)
- 5.2.5 Read off from your graph the values of x for which $\log_2 x > -1$. (2)
- 5.2.6 If $g(x) = (100).3^x$, determine the values of x for which h(x) = g(x). (3)
- 5.3 The price (p), in Rands per unit, of EACH item in a consignment of q items, is given by $p = \log(10 + \frac{q}{2})$.
 - 5.3.1 Calculate the value of p and the total price of the consignment when the consignment has 1 980 items. (3)
 - 5.3.2 Determine the number of items in the consignment when the price of each item is R2. (2) [21]

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Sketched below are the graphs of f(x) = -x + 4 and $g(x) = \frac{2}{x+1} + 2$.



- 6.1 Write down the domain of g. (1)
- 6.2 Write down the equations of the asymptotes of g. (2)
- 6.3 Calculate the coordinates of point D, a point of intersection of g and f. (5) [8]

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- 7.1 At what annual percentage interest rate, compounded quarterly, should a lump sum be invested in order for it to double in 6 years? (3)
- 7.2 Micaela buys furniture to the value of R10 000. She borrows the money on 1 February 2023 from a financial institution that charges interest at a rate of 9,5% *p.a.* compounded monthly. Micaela agrees to pay monthly instalments of R450. The loan agreement allows Micaela to start paying equal monthly instalments from 01 August 2023.
 - 7.2.1 Calculate the total amount owing to the financial institution on 1 July 2023. (3)
 - 7.2.2 How many months will it take Micaela to pay back the loan? (4)
 - 7.2.3 What is the balance of the loan immediately after Micaela has made the 25th payment? (3)
 [13]

QUESTION 8

8.1 If
$$f(x) = -2x^2 + 3x$$
, determine $f'(x)$ from first principles. (4)

8.2 Given:
$$f(x) = \frac{3x^2}{2} - 24\sqrt{x}$$
. Calculate $f'(9)$. (5)

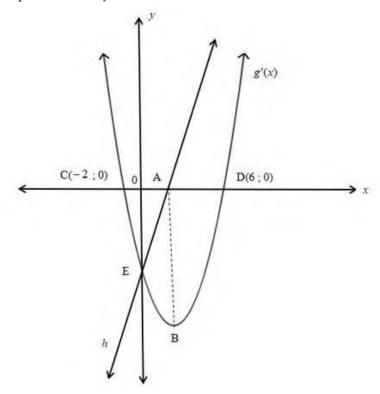
8.3 A function $g(x) = ax^2 + \frac{b}{x}$ has a minimum value at x = 4. The function value at x = 4 is 96.

Calculate the values of a and b. (6) [15]



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- 9.1 The graphs of $g'(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ and h(x) = 2x 4 are sketched below. The graph of $g'(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ is the derivative graph of a cubic function g.
 - The graphs of h and g' have a common y-intercept at point E.
 - C(-2; 0) and D(6; 0) are the x-intercepts of the graph of g'.
 - Point A is the x-intercept of h and point B is the turning point of g'.
 - Line AB is parallel to the *y*-axis.



- 9.1.1 Write down the coordinates of point E.
- 9.1.2 Determine the equation of the graph of g' in the form $y = ax^2 + bx + c$. (4)
- 9.1.3 Write down the x-coordinates of the turning point of g. (2)
- 9.1.4 Write down the x-coordinate of the point of inflection of the graph of g. (1)
- 9.1.5 Explain why g has a local maximum at x = -2. (2)
- 9.2 Given: $h(x) = 4x^3 + 5x$

Substantiate whether it is possible to draw a tangent to the graph of h that has a negative gradient.

(2)

(1)

[12]



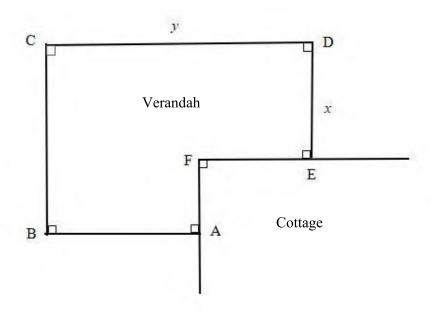
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The diagram below shows the plan for a verandah which is to be built onto the corner of a cottage. A railing ABCDE is to be constructed around the four edges of the verandah.

It is given that AB = DE = x and BC = CD = y, and the length of the railing must be 30 metres.

Calculate the value of x and y for which the veranda will have a maximum area.



[8]

QUESTION 11

Let A and B be two events in a sample space.

Suppose that P(A) = 0.4; P(A or B) = 0.7 and P(B) = k.

- 11.1 For what value of k are A and B mutually exclusive? (2)
- 11.2 For what value of k are A and B independent? (3)

[5]



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12.1 The data obtained from a city's police department indicates that of all motor vehicles reported stolen, 80% were stolen by syndicates to be sold off, and 20% were stolen by individuals for personal use.

Of the vehicles presumed stolen by syndicates:

- 24% were recovered within 48 hours
- 16% were recovered after 48 hours
- 60% were never recovered

Of those vehicles presumed stolen by individuals:

- 38% were recovered within 48 hours
- 58% were recovered after 48 hours
- 4% were never recovered
- 12.1.1 Draw a tree diagram for the given information above. (3)
- 12.1.2 Calculate the probability that if a vehicle was stolen in this city, it would be stolen by a syndicate and recovered within 48 hours. (2)
- 12.1.3 Calculate the probability that a vehicle stolen in this city will not be recovered. (3)
- You have to choose a password for your new "Facebook" profile. The password must be in the format: $\psi\psi\psi$ @@ where ψ is any digit (0's are not allowed) and @ is any vowel (a; e; i; o; u). You may repeat any digit, but you may not repeat a vowel.

How many passwords can be formed? (3) [11]

TOTAL: 150



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INFORMATION SHEET

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$A = P(1+ni) \qquad A = P(1-ni) \qquad A = P(1-i)^n \qquad A = P(1+i)^n$$

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d \qquad S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$T_n = ar^{n-1} \qquad S_n = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}; \ r \neq 1 \qquad S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1 - r}; \ -1 < r < 1$$

$$F = \frac{x[(1+i)^n - 1]}{i} \qquad P = \frac{x[1 - (1+i)^{-n}]}{i}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2} \qquad M\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}; \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}\right)$$

$$y = mx + c \qquad y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \qquad m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \qquad m = \tan\theta$$

$$(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$$
In $\triangle ABC$:
$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cdot \cos A$$

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$$area \triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2}ab \cdot \sin C$$

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos\alpha\cos\beta - \sin\alpha\sin\beta$$

$$\cos 2\alpha = \begin{cases} \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \\ 1 - 2\sin^2 \alpha \\ 2\cos^2 \alpha - 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x}{n}$$

$$P(A) = \frac{n(A)}{n(S)}$$

$$\hat{y} = a + bx$$

$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos\alpha\cos\beta + \sin\alpha\sin\beta$$

$$\sin 2\alpha = 2\sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \overline{x})^2}{n}$$

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

$$b = \frac{\sum (x - \overline{x})(y - \overline{y})}{\sum (x - \overline{x})^2}$$

