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Higher level
Paper 1

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- Answer all questions.
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1. [Maximum mark: 5]

Sergio is interested in whether an adult's favourite breakfast berry depends on their income level. He obtains the following data for 341 adults and decides to carry out a χ^2 test for independence, at the 10% significance level.

		Income level		
		Low	**Medium**	**High**
Favourite berry	**Strawberry**	21	39	30
	Blueberry	39	67	42
	Other berry	32	45	26

(a) Write down the null hypothesis. [1]

(b) Find the value of the χ^2 statistic. [2]

The critical value of this χ^2 test is 7.78.

(c) Write down Sergio's conclusion to the test in context. Justify your answer. [2]

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2. [Maximum mark: 5]

Celeste heated a cup of coffee and then let it cool to room temperature. Celeste found the coffee's temperature, T, measured in $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$, could be modelled by the following function,

$$T(t) = 71\,\mathrm{e}^{-0.0514t} + 23\,,\ t \geq 0\,,$$

where t is the time, in minutes, after the coffee started to cool.

(a) Find the coffee's temperature 16 minutes after it started to cool. [2]

(b) Write down the room temperature. [1]

(c) Given that $T^{-1}(50) = k$, find the value of k. [2]

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3. [Maximum mark: 5]

An artificial ski slope can be modelled as a triangular prism, as shown in the diagram. Rectangle ABCD is horizontal, and rectangle CDEF is vertical.

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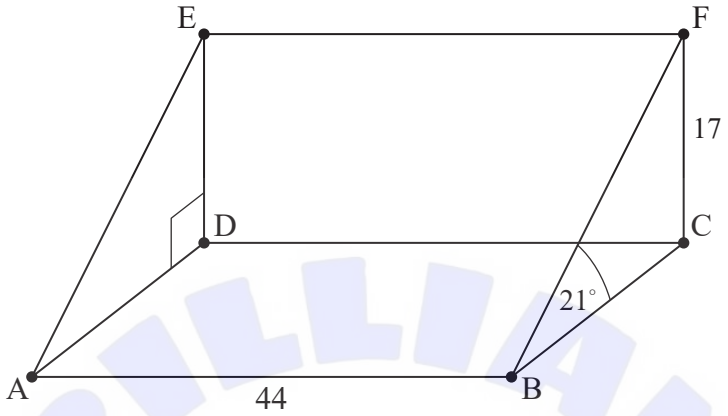

The maximum height of the ski slope, CF, is 17 metres and the steepest angle of the ski slope, $\hat{FBC}$, is 21°.

(a) Calculate the length of [BF]. [2]

The width of the base of the ski slope, AB, is 44 metres. Mayumi skis in a straight line, starting from point E and finishing at the base of the ski slope.

(b) Find the value of the least steep angle that Mayumi can ski. [3]

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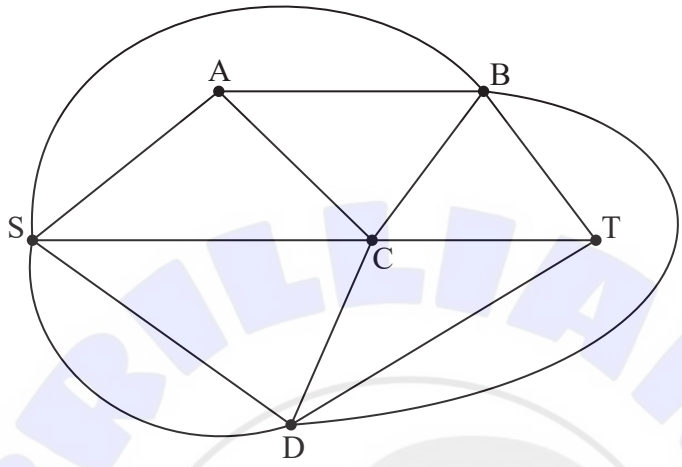
4. [Maximum mark: 7].

In a competition, a contestant has to move through a maze to find treasure. A graph of the maze is shown below, where each edge represents a corridor in the maze. The contestant starts at S and the treasure is located at T.



(a) Complete the adjacency matrix, $\boldsymbol{M}$, for the graph. [2]

$$\begin{array}{c} \\ \mathrm{S} \\ \mathrm{A} \\ \mathrm{B} \\ \mathrm{C} \\ \mathrm{D} \\ \mathrm{T} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{cccccc} \mathrm{S} & \mathrm{A} & \mathrm{B} & \mathrm{C} & \mathrm{D} & \mathrm{T} \end{array} \\ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & \square & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & \square & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \square & \square & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{array}$$

The competition rules state that the contestant can walk along a maximum of four corridors.

(b) Find the number of walks from S to T with a maximum of 4 edges. [4]

(c) Explain why the number of ways the contestant can reach the treasure is less than the answer to part (b). [1]

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5. [Maximum mark: 7]

Taizo plays a game where he throws one ball at two bottles that are sitting on a table. The probability of knocking over bottles, in any given game, is shown in the following table.

Number of bottles knocked over	0	1	2
Probability	0.5	0.4	0.1

(a) Taizo plays two games that are independent of each other. Find the probability that Taizo knocks over a **total** of two bottles. [4]

In any given game, Taizo will win k points if he knocks over two bottles, win 4 points if he knocks over one bottle and lose 8 points if no bottles are knocked over.

(b) Find the value of k such that the game is fair. [3]

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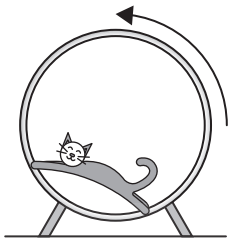
6. [Maximum mark: 6]

A cat runs inside a circular exercise wheel, making the wheel spin at a constant rate in an anticlockwise direction. The height, h cm, of a fixed point, P, on the wheel can be modelled by $h(t) = a\sin(bt) + c$ where t is the time in seconds and a, b, $c \in \mathbb{R}^+$.



When $t = 0$, point P is at a height of 78 cm.

(a) Write down the value of c. [1]

When $t = 4$, point P first reaches its maximum height of 143 cm.

(b) Find the value of

(i) a.

(ii) b. [3]

(c) Write down the minimum height of point P. [1]

Later, the cat is tired, and it takes twice as long for point P to complete one revolution at a new constant rate.

(d) Write down the new value of b. [1]

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7. [Maximum mark: 7]

On 1 December 2022, Laviola invests 800 euros (EUR) into a savings account which pays a nominal annual interest rate of $7.5\,\%$ compounded monthly. At the end of each month, Laviola deposits an additional $\text{EUR}\ 500$ into the savings account.

At the end of k months, Laviola will have saved enough money to withdraw $\text{EUR}\ 10\,000$.

(a) Find the smallest possible value of k, for $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. [4]

(b) For this value of k, find the interest earned in the savings account. Express your answer correct to the nearest EUR. [3]

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8. [Maximum mark: 7]

Line L_1 has a vector equation $\boldsymbol{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3p+4 \\ 2p-1 \\ p+9 \end{pmatrix}$, where $p \in \mathbb{R}$.

Line L_2 has a vector equation $\boldsymbol{r} = \begin{pmatrix} q-2 \\ 1-q \\ 2q+1 \end{pmatrix}$, where $q \in \mathbb{R}$.

The two lines intersect at point M.

(a) Find the coordinates of M. [3]

(b) Find the acute angle between the two lines. [4]

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9. [Maximum mark: 8]

The transformation T is represented by the matrix $\boldsymbol{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$.

A pentagon with an area of $12\,\text{cm}^2$ is transformed by T.

(a) Find the area of the image of the pentagon. [2]

Under the transformation T, the image of point X has coordinates $(2t - 3,\ 6 - 5t)$, where $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

(b) Find, in terms of t, the coordinates of X. [6]

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10. [Maximum mark: 7]

Stars are classified by their brightness. The brightest stars in the sky have a magnitude of 1. The magnitude, m, of another star can be modelled as a function of its brightness, b, relative to a star of magnitude 1, as shown by the following equation.

$$m = 1 - 2.5 \log_{10}(b)$$

The star called Acubens has a brightness of 0.0525.

(a) Find the magnitude of Acubens. [2]

Ceres has a magnitude of 7 and is the least bright star visible without magnification.

(b) Find the brightness of Ceres. [2]

The star Proxima Centauri has a greater magnitude than the planet Neptune. The difference in their magnitudes is 3.2.

(c) Find how many times brighter Neptune is compared to Proxima Centauri. [3]

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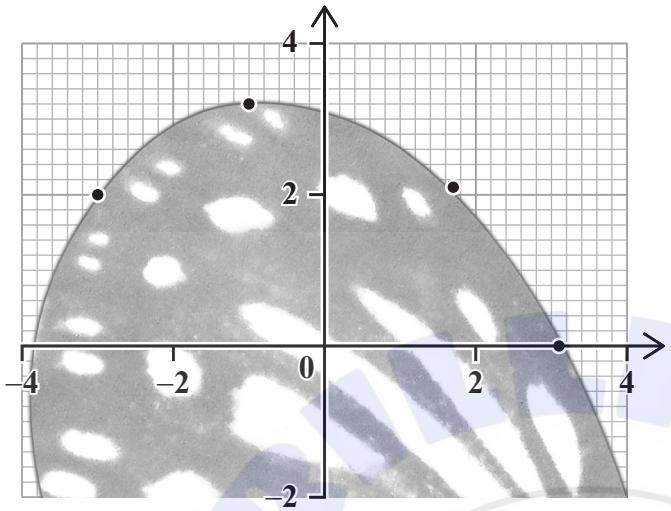
11. [Maximum mark: 5]

Gloria wants to model the curved edge of a butterfly wing. She inserts a photo of the wing into her graphing software and finds the coordinates of four points on the edge of the wing.



x	y
–3	2
–1	3.2
1.7	2.1
3.1	0

Gloria thinks a cubic curve will be a good model for the butterfly wing.

(a) Find the equation of the cubic regression curve for this data. [2]

For the photo of a second butterfly wing, Gloria finds the equation of the regression curve is $y = 0.0083x^3 - 0.075x^2 - 0.58x + 2.2$.

Gloria realizes that her photo of the second butterfly is an enlargement of the life-size butterfly, scale factor 2 and centred on $(0, 0)$.

(b) Find the equation of the cubic curve that models the life-size wing. [3]

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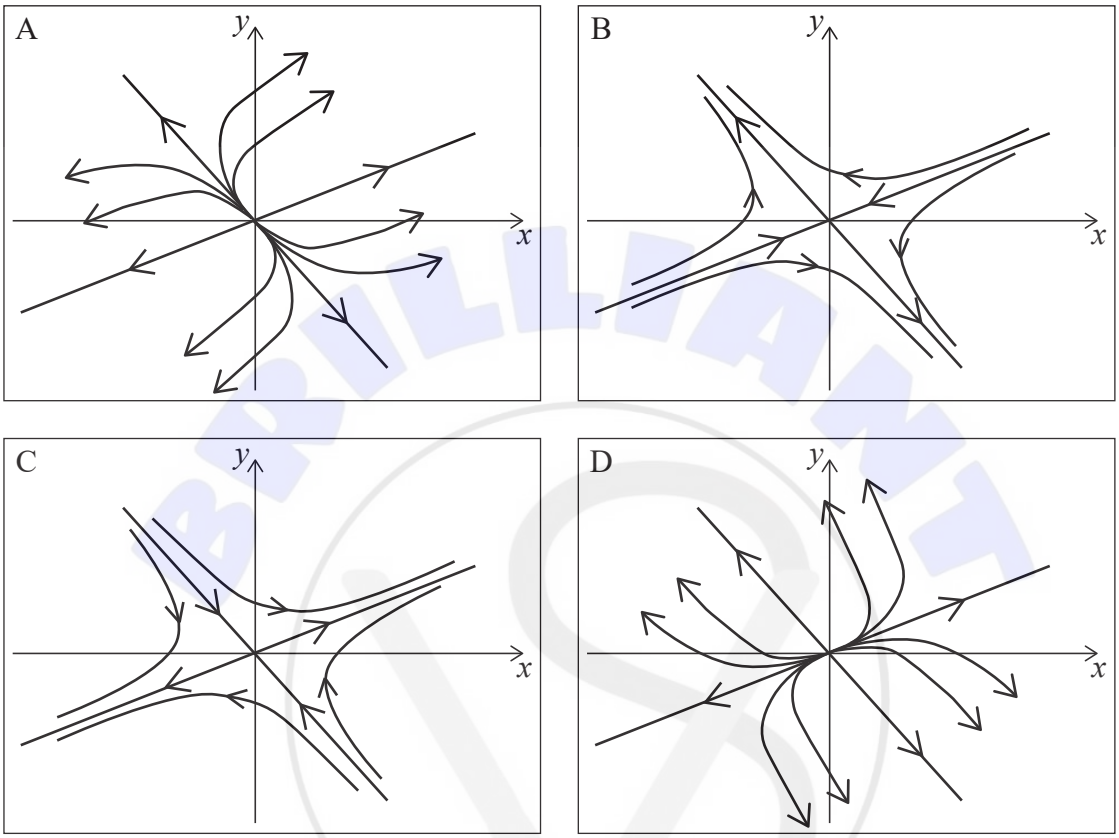
12. [Maximum mark: 5]

Four possible phase portraits for the coupled differential equations $\frac{dx}{dt} = ax + by$ and $\frac{dy}{dt} = cx + dy$ are shown, labelled A, B, C and D.



The matrix $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ has eigenvalues λ_1 and λ_2.

(a) Complete the following table by writing down the letter of the phase portrait that best matches the description. [3]

Description	Phase portrait
$\lambda_1 = 2$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\lambda_2 = 3$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$	
$\lambda_1 = 2$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\lambda_2 = -3$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$	
$\lambda_1 = -2$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\lambda_2 = 3$ with eigenvector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$	

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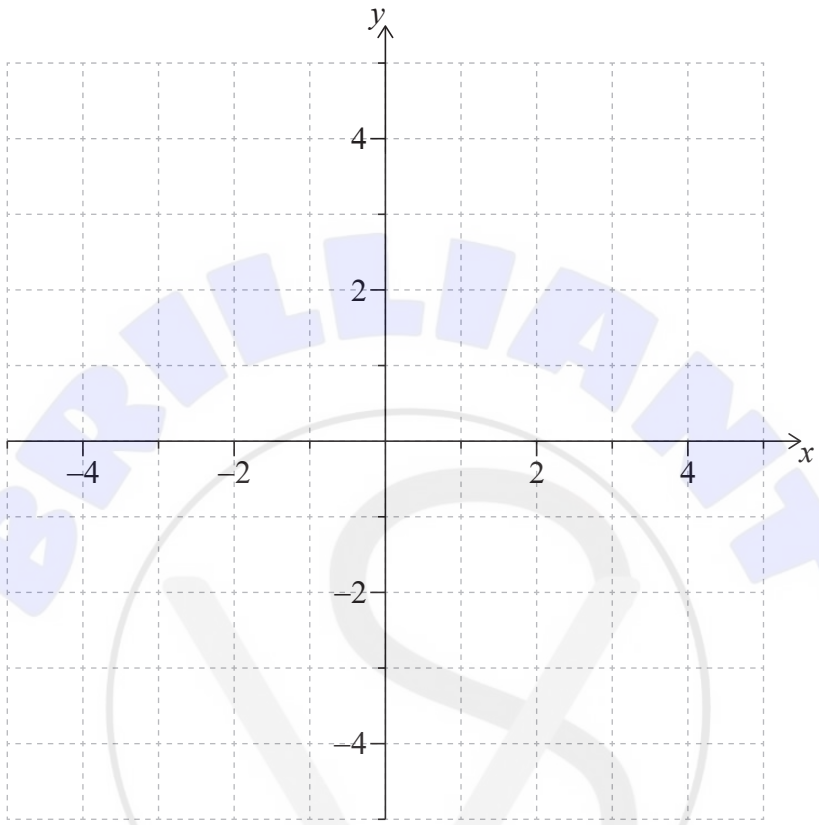
(b) On the following axes, sketch the phase portrait that corresponds to $\lambda_1 = -2 + 3\mathrm{i}$ and $\lambda_2 = -2 - 3\mathrm{i}$, given that $\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = -12$ at $(3, 0)$. [2]



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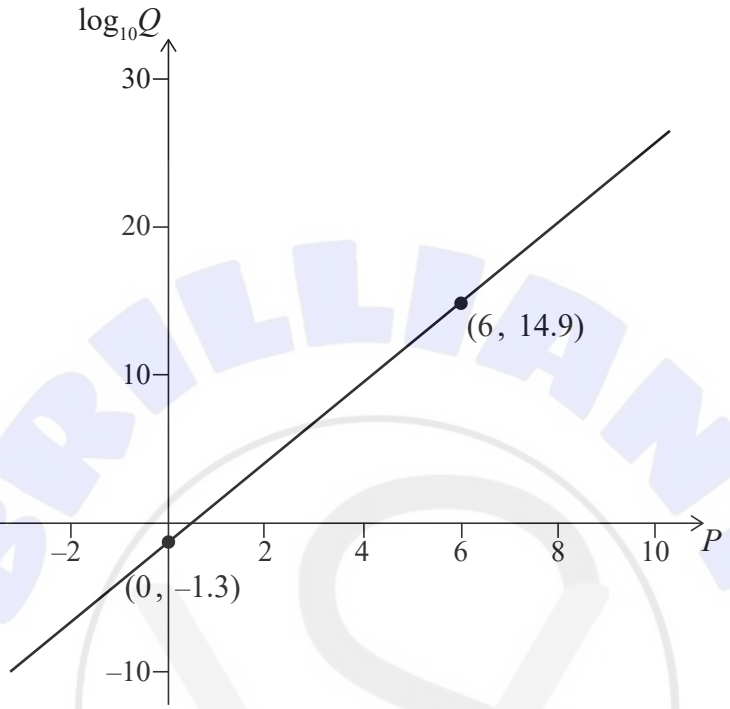
13. [Maximum mark: 6]

Gen is investigating the relationship between two sets of data, labelled P and Q, that she collected. She created a scatter plot with P on the x-axis and $\log_{10} Q$ on the y-axis. Gen noticed that the points had a strong linear correlation, so she drew a line of best fit, as shown in the diagram. The line passes through the points $(0, -1.3)$ and $(6, 14.9)$.



(a) Find an equation for Q in terms of P. [3]

Gen also investigates the relationship between the same data, Q, and some new data, R. She believes that the data can be modelled by $Q = a \ln R + b$ and she decides to create a scatter plot to verify her belief.

(b) State what expression Gen should plot on each axis to verify her belief. [1]

The scatter plot has a linear relationship and Gen finds $a = 4.3$ and $b = 12.1$.

(c) Find an equation for P in terms of R. [2]

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14. [Maximum mark: 9]

A particle moves such that its velocity, v metres per second, at time t seconds, is given by $v = t\sin(t^2)$.

(a) Find an expression for the acceleration of the particle. [2]

(b) Hence, or otherwise, find its greatest acceleration for $0 \leq t \leq 8$. [2]

The particle starts at the origin.

(c) Find an expression for the displacement of the particle. [3]

(d) Hence show that the particle never has a negative displacement. [2]

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15. [Maximum mark: 5]

An electrical circuit contains a capacitor. The charge on the capacitor, q Coulombs, at time t seconds, satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2q}{\mathrm{d}t^2} + 5\frac{\mathrm{d}q}{\mathrm{d}t} + 20q = 200\,.$$

Initially $q = 1$ and $\frac{\mathrm{d}q}{\mathrm{d}t} = 8$.

Use Euler's method with $h = 0.1$ to estimate the maximum charge on the capacitor during the first second.

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16. [Maximum mark: 8]

The principal of a school is concerned that only 30% of her students are choosing healthy options from the school canteen. She organizes a campaign to promote healthy eating and decides to test if the campaign has increased the number of students choosing healthy options. She assumes that a student's choice is independent of other students' choices.

(a) Write down suitable hypotheses for this test. [2]

The principal decides to take a random sample of 80 students. She will reject the null hypothesis if at least 31 students choose a healthy option.

(b) Find the probability that she makes a Type I error. [3]

In fact, the campaign led to 40% of her students choosing a healthy option.

(c) Find the probability that she makes a Type II error. [3]

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17. [Maximum mark: 8]

The time of sunrise, R hours after midnight, in Taipei can be modelled by

$$R = 1.08\cos(0.0165t + 0.413) + 4.94,$$

where t is the day of the year 2021 (for example, $t = 2$ represents 2 January 2021).

The time of sunset, S hours after midnight, in Taipei can be modelled by

$$S = 1.15\cos(0.0165t - 2.97) + 18.9.$$

The number of daylight hours, D, in Taipei during 2021 can be modelled by

$$D = a\cos(0.0165t + b) + c.$$

(a) Find the value of a, of b and of c. [6]

(b) Hence, or otherwise, find the largest number of daylight hours in Taipei during 2021 and the day of the year on which this occurs. [2]

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