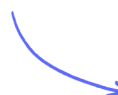


# Practice Paper 2 (Pure 2)

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Total Marks

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- 1 (a)** (a) Write  $e^{2x}(1 + e^{2x} + e^2)$  in the form  $e^{f(x)} + e^{g(x)} + e^{h(x)}$ , where  $f(x)$ ,  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  are all linear functions of  $x$ .

**(2 marks)**

(b) Hence show that

**(b)** 
$$\int_0^1 e^{2x}(1 + e^{2x} + e^2) \, dx = \frac{3}{4}(e^4 - 1)$$

**(4 marks)**

(a) On the same axes, sketch the graphs of  $y = |f(x)|$  and  $y = |g(x)|$  where

**2 (a)**

$$\begin{array}{ll} f(x) = 3x - 1 & x \in \mathbb{R} \\ g(x) = 2x + 2 & x \in \mathbb{R} \end{array}$$

Label the points at which the graphs intersect the coordinate axes.

**(3 marks)**

**(b)** (b) Solve the equation  $|f(x)| = |g(x)|$ .

**(3 marks)**

An exponential growth model for the number of bacteria in an experiment is of the form

$$N = N_0 a^{kt}.$$

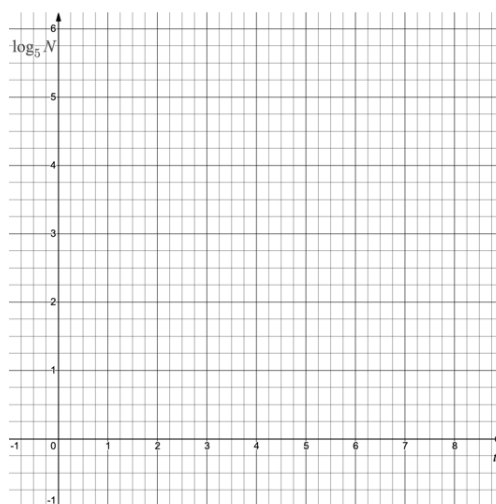
$N$  is the number of bacteria and  $t$  is the time in hours since the experiment began.  
 $N_0$ ,  $a$  and  $k$  are constants.

A scientist records the number of bacteria at various points over a six-hour period.  
 The results are in the table below.

|                       |     |     |     |      |
|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| $t$ , hours           | 0   | 2   | 4   | 6    |
| $N$ , no. of bacteria | 200 | 350 | 600 | 1100 |

**3 (a)**

- (a) Plot the observations on the graph below - plotting  $\log_5 N$  against  $t$ .  
 Draw a line of best fit.



**(2 marks)**

- (b)** (b) Find an equation for your line of best fit in the form  $\log_5 N = mt + \log_5 c$ .

**(2 marks)**

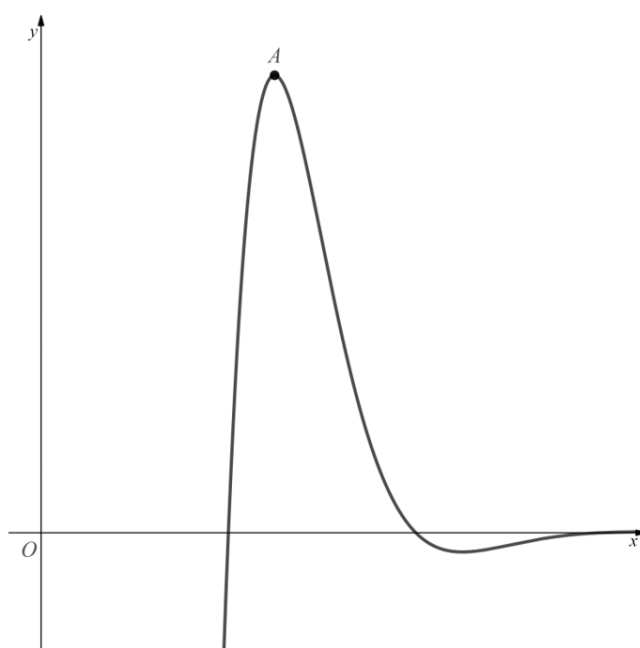
- (c) (c) Estimate the values of  $N_0$ ,  $a$ , and  $k$ .

(2 marks)

The diagram below shows part of the graph of  $y = f(x)$ , where  $f(x)$  is the function defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{\sin x}{1 - e^x}, \quad x > 0$$

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Point  $A$  is a maximum point on the graph.

Show that the  $x$ -coordinate of  $A$  is a solution to the equation

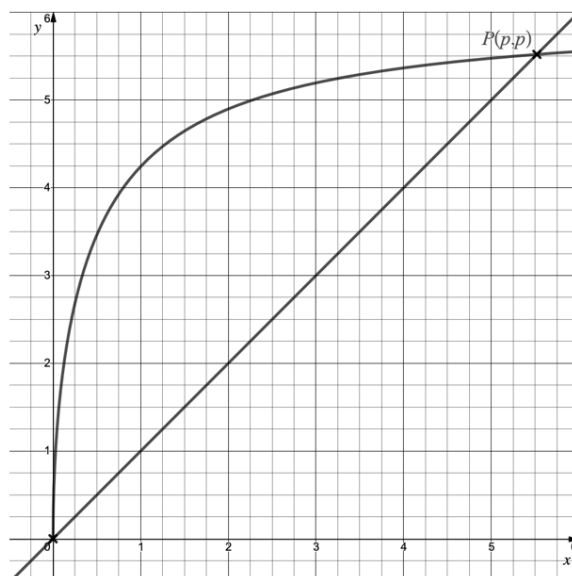
$$\frac{\cos x + e^x(\sin x - \cos x)}{e^{2x} - 2e^x + 1} = 0$$

(5 marks)

The village of Greendale lies on a straight road, as modelled by the line  $y = x$  on the graph below. To ease rush hour congestion, a bypass is to be built around Greendale.

The path of the bypass is modelled by the equation  $y = 6\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x+1}}$ .

5 (a)



The bypass runs from the origin to the point  $P(p, p)$ .

- (a) On the diagram show how using the iterative formula  $x_{n+1} = 6\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x_n+1}}$  with  $0 < x_0 < p$  will lead to convergence at the point  $P$ .

(1 mark)

- (b) Use the iterative method  $x_{n+1} = 6\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{x_n+1}}$  with  $x_0 = 5$  to find the value of  $p$ , correct to two decimal places.

(3 marks)

The curve  $C$  has parametric equations

**6 (a)**  $x = t^2 - 4$   $y = 3t$

(a) Show that at the point  $(0, 6)$ ,  $t = 2$  and find the value of  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  at this point.

**(4 marks)**

**(b)** (b) The tangent at the point  $(0, 6)$  is parallel to the normal at the point  $P$ .  
Find the exact coordinates of point  $P$

**(3 marks)**

$f(x) = x^3 + rx^2 + sx - 30$ . Given that  $f(2) = 0$  and  $f(-3) = -240$ :

**7 (a)**

(a) find the values of  $r$  and  $s$ .

**(6 marks)**

**(b)** (b) Factorise  $f(x)$  completely.

**(3 marks)**

(a) Show that, for  $\theta \neq k\pi$  (where  $k$  is an integer),

**8 (a)**

$$\frac{2 - 2 \cos^2 \theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \tan \theta$$

**(3 marks)**

(b) Use calculus and your result from part (a) to show that

**(b)**

$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{2 - 2 \cos^2 \theta}{\sin 2\theta} \, d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \ln 3$$

**(4 marks)**