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FURTHER MATHEMATICS

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Bronze Set A (Edexcel Version)

Time allowed: 50 minutes

Instructions to candidates:

- In the boxes above, write your centre number, candidate number, your surname, other names and signature.
- Answer ALL of the questions.
- You must write your answer for each question in the spaces provided.
- You may use a calculator.

Information to candidates:

- Full marks may only be obtained for answers to ALL of the questions.
- The marks for individual questions and parts of the questions are shown in round brackets.
- There are 5 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 40.

Advice to candidates:

- You should ensure your answers to parts of the question are clearly labelled.
- You should show sufficient working to make your workings clear to the Examiner.
- Answers without working may not gain full credit.

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2 The matrix \mathbf{A} is defined such that

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Write down the characteristic equation of \mathbf{A} . (2)

(b) Show that $\mathbf{A}^3 = 12\mathbf{A} + 16\mathbf{I}$. (2)

(c) Calculate the eigenvalues and eigenvectors of the matrix \mathbf{A} . (4)

(d) Hence, find matrices \mathbf{P} and \mathbf{D} such that

$$\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{D}$$

where \mathbf{P} is orthogonal. (3)



3 The point P represents the complex number z on an Argand diagram, where

$$|z + 2| = 4|z - 3i|$$

(a) Show that the locus of P is a circle and find the centre and radius of this circle. (6)

(b) Sketch the region on Argand diagram that satisfies

$$|z + 2| \leq 4|z - 3i| \quad (2)$$



4 The set S is defined such that

$$S = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix} : x \in \mathbb{R}, x \neq 0 \right\}$$

In other words, S contains all 2×2 matrices with identical entries.

(a) Show that any matrix in S is singular. (1)

(b) Find the value of e such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e & e \\ e & e \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix} \quad (2)$$

(c) Hence, find, in terms of x , the value of y such that

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & x \\ x & x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y & y \\ y & y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} e & e \\ e & e \end{pmatrix}$$

where e is the value found in (b). (2)

(d) Show that the set S forms a group under matrix multiplication.

(You may refer to parts (b) and (c) in your answer, but you must explain your reasoning. You may also assume that matrix multiplication is associative.) (4)

(e) Explain why the restriction that $x \neq 0$ is important for S to be a group. (1)



5 A sequence of numbers is defined by

$$u_1 = 2$$
$$u_{n+1} = 2u_n + 4^{n+1}, \quad n \geq 1$$

Prove by induction that, for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

$$u_n = 2^n(2^{n+1} - 3) \tag{5}$$



