



ASSESSMENT and
QUALIFICATIONS
ALLIANCE

Mark scheme January 2004

GCE

Mathematics & Statistics B

Unit MBP3

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Key to mark scheme

M	mark is for	method
m	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for	method
A	mark is dependent on M or m mark and is for	accuracy
B	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for	method and accuracy
E	mark is for	explanation
√ or ft or F		follow through from previous incorrect result
CAO		correct answer only
AWFW		anything which falls within
AWRT		anything which rounds to
AG		answer given
SC		special case
OE		or equivalent
A2,1		2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks
– x EE		Deduct x marks for each error
NMS		No method shown
PI		Perhaps implied
c		Candidate

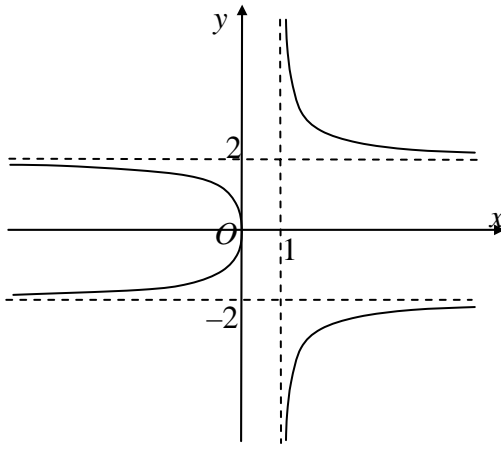
Abbreviations used in marking

MC – x	deducted x marks for miscopy
MR – x	deducted x marks for misread
ISW	ignored subsequent working
BOD	gave benefit of doubt
WR	work replaced by candidate

Application of mark scheme

Correct answer without working	mark as in scheme
Incorrect answer without working	zero marks unless specified otherwise

Award method and accuracy marks as appropriate to an alternative solution using a correct method or partially correct method.

Question number and part	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)(i)	$\alpha + \beta = -2, \alpha\beta = 3$	B1 B1	2	
(ii)	$(\alpha + \beta)^3 - 3\alpha\beta(\alpha + \beta)$ $\Rightarrow \alpha^3 + \beta^3 = 10$	M1 A1 A1	3	Or $(\alpha + \beta)(\alpha^2 - \alpha\beta + \beta^2)$ & $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$ ag
(iii)	$\frac{\alpha^3 + \beta^3}{(\alpha\beta)^3} = \frac{10}{27}$	M1 A1	2	
(b)	New product of roots = $\frac{1}{(\alpha\beta)^3} = \frac{1}{27}$ $x^2 - [\text{cand's (a) (iii)}]x + [\text{cand's product}]$ $\Rightarrow 27x^2 - 10x + 1 = 0$	B1 M1 A1✓	3	ft Must have integer coefficients and be an equation
Total			10	
2(a)	∩ - shaped parabola Vertex at O, good sketch, symmetry obvious	M1 A1	2	Essentially all correct
(b)	$x^2 = 8y$ or equivalent	M1 A1	2	M1 for general idea
(c)	Translation; by vector $\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	M1 A1	2	sc: B1 for correct description without "translation"
Total			6	
3(a)	$a = 4$ and $b = 1$	B1 B1	2	
(b)	Asymptotes $x = 1, y = 2, y = -2$ Graph: Correct for $y > 0$ Symmetry in x -axis All correct	B1 B1 B1 B1 B1	5	One correct; second correct Or B1 for each correct region E.g. 4/5 for all correct graph but with asymptotes $x = 1, y = \pm 4$
				
Total			7	

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4(a)	$24 - 3k$	B1	1																	
(b)	$\text{Det} = 0 \Rightarrow k = 8$	M1✓ A1✓	2	ft (a)																
(c)(i)	Area = 0	B1✓	1	ft 5 × cand's Det with $k = 8$																
(ii)	Det = 3 and / or -3 $\Rightarrow k = 7 \quad \Rightarrow k = 9$	M1 A1✓ A1	3	ft cand's "24 - 3k = 3" cao																
Total			7																	
5(a)	$\ln Q = \ln a + b \ln x$	B1	1																	
(b)(i)	$\ln x$: -0.92 -0.69 -0.51 -0.36 -0.22 $\ln Q$: 0.54 1.11 1.56 1.94 2.28 Points plotted on graph provided	B1 B1 B1	3	Most correct At most one error Reasonably accurately																
(ii)	"Good" line of best fit drawn	B1	1																	
(c)(i)	$\ln Q = 1.29 - 1.30 \Rightarrow Q \approx 3.6 - 3.7$	M1 A1	2																	
(ii)	Method for finding gradient: $b = 2.5$ Reading off y-intercept: $\ln a \approx 2.8$ $a = 16 - 17$	M1 A1 M1 A1	4	± 0.1 Give M marks for simultaneous equations approach																
Total			11																	
6(a)(i)	$-5 + 12i$	M1 A1	2																	
(ii)	Squaring their answer to (i) or use of the binomial theorem: $-119 - 120i$	M1 A1✓	2	ft																
(b)(i)	Subst ^g . their z^4 , $z = 2 + 3i$ into equation $(-119 - 120i) + 40(2 + 3i) + k = 0$ $\Rightarrow k = 39$	M1 A1	2	cao																
(ii)	$2 - 3i$	B1	1	Or $z = -1, -3$																
Total			7																	
7(a)(i)	<table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="padding: 0 10px;">8</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">6</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">4</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">2</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 0 10px;">6</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">8</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">10</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">12</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 0 10px;">4</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">10</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">2</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">8</td></tr> <tr><td style="padding: 0 10px;">2</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">12</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">8</td><td style="padding: 0 10px;">4</td></tr> </table>	8	6	4	2	6	8	10	12	4	10	2	8	2	12	8	4	B1 B1 B1 B1	4	One for each correct row/column
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(ii)	Only elements of S appear in the Cayley table	E1	1	Or equivalent statements																
(iii)	The identity is 8	B1	1																	
(iv)	$12^{-1} = 10$	B1	1																	
(b)	$x \equiv 6 \pmod{14}$ but allow $x = 6$	B1	1																	
(c)	$x = 4$ and $x = 10$	B1 B1	2	sc B1 for $x^2 \equiv 2 \pmod{14}$ only																
Total			10																	

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8(a)	$r_{\max} = 2$ when $\theta = \frac{1}{4}\pi$ and $\theta = -\frac{3}{4}\pi$	B1 B1 B1	3	Penalise degrees max. once; ignore correct out-of-range answers
(b)	$\sin 2\theta = -1 \Rightarrow 2\theta = \frac{3}{2}\pi, \dots$ giving $\theta = \frac{3}{4}\pi, \theta = -\frac{1}{4}\pi$	M1 A1 A1 A1	4	
(c)	Use of $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ Use of either $\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r}, \cos \theta = \frac{x}{r}$ $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 1 + \frac{2xy}{x^2 + y^2}$	B1 M1 A1	3	Any correct form at earliest stage
Total			10	
9(a)(i)	Attempt at $f(r+1) - f(r)$ $= r(r+1)(r+2)(r+3)$ $\quad - (r-1)r(r+1)(r+2)$ $= r(r+1)(r+2) \{ r+3 - r+1 \}$ $= 4r(r+1)(r+2)$	M1 A1	2	i.e $k = 4$
(ii)	$\sum r(r+1)(r+2) = \frac{1}{4} \sum \{f(r+1) - f(r)\}$ $= \frac{1}{4} \{f(n+1) - f(1)\}$ $= \frac{1}{4} n(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)$	M1 ✓ m1 A1	3	ft k
(b)	For $n = 1$, LHS = RHS = $\frac{1}{3}$ Adding next term to at least the RHS Correct $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$ term used: $\frac{2}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)}$ RHS = $\frac{1}{2} - \left\{ \frac{(k+3) - 2}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)} \right\}$ $= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{(k+2)(k+3)}$ Clear induction hypothesis somewhere	B1 M1 B1 M1 A1 E1	6	With correct sign Or full explanation at end
(c)	$S = \frac{1}{2}$	B1	1	
Total			12	
TOTAL			80	