



PRESENTATION COLLEGE CHAGUANAS
CAPE MATHEMATICS UNIT I – Practice Test Module 1

Form: 6S1/N1/B1

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2013/14

Time: 1 hour

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Answer ALL questions
 - Show all working clearly. Marks will be given for the correct steps in the solutions.
 - The use of silent electronic calculators(non programmable) is allowed.
 - Attempt each question on a new page
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1. Let p and q be two propositions. Construct truth tables for the statements

a)

(i) $p \wedge q$ [1mk]

(ii) $p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$ [3mks]

b) What is meant by logical equivalence? [1mk]

c) Prove by Mathematical Induction $\sum_{r=1}^n 4r(r-1) = \frac{4n(n+1)(n-1)}{3}$ [7mks]

2. a) The polynomial $f(x)$ is defined by $10x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 3$.

(i) Use the Factor Theorem to show that $(x - 1)$ is a factor of $f(x)$ [2mks]

(ii) Find the remaining factors of $f(x)$. [4mks]

(iii) Hence solve, $(10x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 3)(x^2 - 16) = 0$ [4mks]

3.

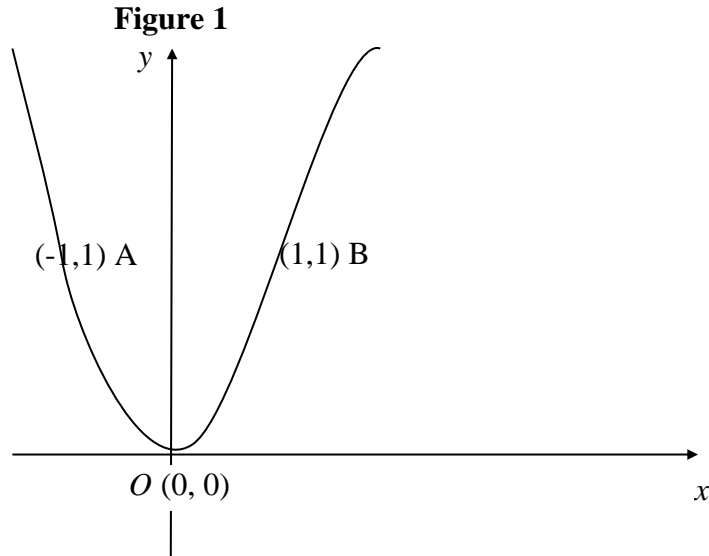


Figure 1 shows a sketch of the curve with equation $y = f(x)$. The curve passes through the points $(-1, 1)$ and $(1, 1)$ and touches the x -axis at the point $(0, 0)$.

On separate diagrams, sketch the curve with equation

(a) $y = f(x + 1)$ (b) $y = 2f(x)$ (c) $y = f\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$ [6mks]

On each diagram show clearly the coordinates of any points at which the curve meets the axes.

d) The function, **f and g**, are defined on **R** by $f: x \rightarrow 6x + 10$ and $g: x \rightarrow x - 7$

(i) Show that **f** is one to one. [2mks]

(ii) Find $f[g(x)]$ and $g[f(x)]$ [4mks]

(iii) Determine the value(s) of x for which $f(g(2x+1)) = f(3x-2) + 4$ [4mks]

4.

(a)(i) Rationalise the denominator of $\frac{(2-\sqrt{x})}{(2+3\sqrt{x})}$ [3mks]

(ii) Hence show that $\frac{(2-\sqrt{x})}{(2+3\sqrt{x})} (4-9x) = 4 - 8\sqrt{x} + 3x$ [2mks]

(b) Solve the following simultaneous equations.

$$\begin{aligned} \log(x-1) + 2 \log y &= 2 \log 3 \\ \log x + \log y &= \log 6 \end{aligned} \quad [6mks]$$

(c) The cubic equation $2x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + 6 = 0$ has roots α, β and γ . Find the new equation whose roots are $\frac{2}{\alpha}, \frac{2}{\beta}$ and $\frac{2}{\gamma}$ [6mks]

(d) Solve the inequality $\frac{4x+1}{3x-2} < 0$ [5mks]