



HSC Trial Examination 2020

Mathematics Extension 1

Solutions and marking guidelines

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Section I

Sample answer	Syllabus content, outcomes and targeted performance bands
<p>Question 1 A</p> <p>If α and $\alpha + 1$ are zeros of $P(x)$, then</p> $P(x) = x^2 - (2\alpha + 1)x + (\alpha^2 + \alpha).$ <p>Equating coefficients gives $b = -(2\alpha + 1)$ and $c = \alpha^2 + \alpha$.</p>	<p>ME-F2 Polynomials ME11-1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Bands E2–E3</p>
<p>Question 2 D</p> $\frac{d}{dx}(\tan^{-1}f(x)) = \frac{f'(x)}{1 + (f(x))^2}$ <p>$f(x) = 2x - 1$ and $f'(x) = 2$</p> $\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx}(\tan^{-1}(2x - 1)) &= \frac{2}{1 + (2x - 1)^2} \\ &= \frac{2}{4x^2 - 4x + 2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2x^2 - 2x + 1} \end{aligned}$	<p>ME-C2 Further Calculus Skills ME12-1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Bands E2–E3</p>
<p>Question 3 B</p> <p>Let X represent the number of tails where $X \sim \text{Bin}(3, p)$ and let p represent the probability of obtaining tails.</p> <p>From the frequency distribution, it is clear that $p < 0.5$.</p> <p>Consider: {1000$P(X = 0)$, 1000$P(X = 1)$, 1000$P(X = 2)$, 1000$P(X = 3)$}</p> <p>For $p = 0.3$, the theoretical frequency distribution is {343, 441, 189, 27}, and for $p = 0.4$ it is {216, 432, 288, 64}.</p> <p>Compared to the given experimental frequency distribution, the closest theoretical distribution is for $p = 0.4$.</p>	<p>ME-S1 The Binomial Distribution ME12-5</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Bands E2–E3</p>
<p>Question 4 A</p> $R\sin(x + \alpha) = R\sin x\cos\alpha + R\cos x\sin\alpha$ $\sin x + \cos x = R\sin x\cos\alpha + R\cos x\sin\alpha$ <p>Equating coefficients of $\sin x$ gives $R\cos\alpha = 1$. (1)</p> <p>Equating coefficients of $\cos x$ gives $R\sin\alpha = 1$. (2)</p> <p>Squaring both (1) and (2) and adding gives $R^2 = 2 \Rightarrow R = \sqrt{2} (> 0)$.</p> <p>Substituting into (1) and (2) gives $\cos\alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ and $\sin\alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$.</p> <p>So $\alpha = \frac{\pi}{4}$ and hence $\sin x + \cos x = \sqrt{2}\sin\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$.</p>	<p>ME-T3 Trigonometric Equations ME12-3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Bands E2–E3</p>

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<p>Question 5 A</p> <p>The table outlines the possible seating arrangements.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="172 371 829 470"> <tr> <td>M1</td> <td>M2</td> <td>M3</td> <td>M4</td> <td>F1</td> <td>F2</td> <td>F3</td> <td>F4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> <td>4</td> <td>3</td> <td>2</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </table> <p>Therefore the number of possible seating arrangements is $3! \times 4! = 144$.</p>	M1	M2	M3	M4	F1	F2	F3	F4	1	3	2	1	4	3	2	1	ME-A1 Working with Combinatorics ME11-5, ME11-7 Bands E2-E3
M1	M2	M3	M4	F1	F2	F3	F4										
1	3	2	1	4	3	2	1										
<p>Question 6 C</p> <p>At $(0, 0)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ and so A is incorrect.</p> <p>At $(-1, 1)$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ and so B and D are incorrect.</p>	ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E3																
<p>Question 7 B</p> $\begin{aligned}\vec{OD} &= \vec{OC} + \vec{CD} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\vec{OB} + \vec{AB} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\vec{OB} + \vec{AO} + \vec{OB} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\vec{b} - \vec{a} + \vec{b} \\ &= \frac{3}{2}\vec{b} - \vec{a}\end{aligned}$	ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E2-E3																
<p>Question 8 D</p> $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-9x^2}} dx = \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{9\left(\frac{4}{9}-x^2\right)}} dx$ <p>Consider integrals of the form $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} + C$ with $a^2 = \frac{4}{9} \Rightarrow a = \frac{2}{3} (> 0)$.</p> $\frac{1}{3} \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{3} \sin^{-1} \frac{3x}{2}$	ME-C2 Further Calculus Skills ME12-1 Bands E2-E3																
<p>Question 9 C</p> <p>The parametric equations are:</p> $x = \cos^2 t \quad (1)$ $y = 4 \sin^2 t \quad (2)$ $\frac{(2)}{4} \text{ gives } \frac{y}{4} = \sin^2 t. \quad (3)$ <p>(1) + (3) and using $\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$ gives $x + \frac{y}{4} = 1 \Rightarrow 4x + y = 4$.</p> <p>$0 \leq \cos^2 t \leq 1$ and so $0 \leq x \leq 1$.</p> <p>Therefore, $y = 4 - 4x$ for $0 \leq x \leq 1$.</p>	ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-2 Bands E2-E3																

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<p>Question 10 C</p> <p>The diagonals of $OABC$ are given by \vec{OB} and \vec{CA}.</p> <p>To prove they are perpendicular, form $\vec{CA} \cdot \vec{OB}$ and show that it equals zero.</p> <p>$\vec{CA} = \underline{a} - \underline{c}$ and $\vec{OB} = \underline{a} + \underline{c}$.</p> <p>Therefore $\vec{CA} \cdot \vec{OB} = 0$ if $(\underline{a} - \underline{c}) \cdot (\underline{a} + \underline{c}) = 0$.</p>	ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E2-E3

Section II

Sample answer	Syllabus content, outcomes, targeted performance bands and marking guide
Question 11	
<p>(a) (i) $f(x) = x^2 - 4x + 6$ is a parabola. Excluding the turning point at $(2, 2)$, for each value of $f(x)$ in the range there are two x-values. Geometrically, this corresponds to a horizontal line intersecting the graph twice.</p> <p>If x and y are swapped, each x-value in the domain will have two y-values. Hence the inverse will not be a function.</p>	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-1 Bands E2–E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explains using the horizontal line test OR equivalent merit 1
<p>(ii) Use the completing the square method to express $f(x)$ in turning point form:</p> $f(x) = x^2 - 4x + 6 \quad (x \leq 2)$ $= (x - 2)^2 + 2$ <p>Swap x and y, then make y the subject.</p> $x = (y - 2)^2 + 2$ $x - 2 = (y - 2)^2$ $y - 2 = -\sqrt{x - 2} \quad (\sqrt{x - 2} \text{ is discarded as } y \leq 2)$ $y = -\sqrt{x - 2} + 2$ $f^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{x - 2} + 2$	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-1 Bands E2–E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gives the correct solution 2 Swaps x and y OR equivalent merit. 1
<p>(iii) The domain is $x \geq 2$ as $x - 2 \geq 0$.</p> <p>The range is $y \leq 2$ as $-\sqrt{x - 2} \leq 0$.</p>	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-1 Bands E2–E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> States correct domain AND range 2 States correct domain OR range 1
<p>(iv) The curves $y = f(x)$ and $y = f^{-1}(x)$ have a common intersection with the line $y = x$.</p> <p>For example, attempting to solve $f(x) = x$ for x:</p> $x^2 - 4x + 6 = x$ $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ $x = 2, 3$ <p>When $x = 2$, $y = 2$ and so $(2, 2)$ lies on the line $y = x$.</p> <p>When $x = 3$, $y = 1$ and so $(3, 1)$ does not lie on the line $y = x$.</p> <p>Therefore the coordinates of P are $(2, 2)$.</p>	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-1 Bands E2–E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gives the correct solution 2 Attempts to solve $f(x) = x$ for x OR equivalent merit. 1

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<p>(b) Let $u = 1 + 2 \tan x$.</p> $\frac{du}{dx} = 2 \sec^2 x = \frac{2}{\cos^2 x} \Rightarrow dx = \frac{\cos^2 x}{2} du$ <p>When $x = 0$, $u = 1$ and when $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$, $u = 3$.</p> $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1}{(1 + 2 \tan x)^2 \cos^2 x} dx = \int_1^3 \frac{1}{2u^2} du$ $= -\left[\frac{1}{2u}\right]_1^3$ $= -\left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2}\right)$ $= \frac{1}{3}$	<p>ME-C2 Further Calculus Skills ME12-1 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution. 2 • Finds an expression for the integral in terms of u OR equivalent merit 1
<p>(c) Substituting $\cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$, $\sin x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$ where $t = \tan \frac{1}{2}x$ into $\cos x - \sin x = 1$ and expressing</p> $1 = \frac{1+t^2}{1+t^2}$ gives: $\frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} - \frac{2t}{1+t^2} = \frac{1+t^2}{1+t^2}$ $\frac{1-t^2-2t-1-t^2}{1+t^2} = 0$ $\frac{-2(t^2+t)}{1+t^2} = 0$ $t^2+t=0$ $t(t+1)=0$ $t=-1, 0$ <p>$\tan \frac{1}{2}x = -1, 0$</p> <p>$\tan \frac{1}{2}x = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}x = 0, \pi$</p> <p>$\tan \frac{1}{2}x = -1$</p> <p>$\tan$ is negative in the second quadrant and the related angle is $\frac{\pi}{4}$.</p> <p>$\tan \frac{1}{2}x = -1 \Rightarrow \frac{x}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$</p> <p>So $x = 0, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi$.</p>	<p>ME-T3 Trigonometric Equations ME12-3 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution. 3 • Determines that $\tan \frac{1}{2}x = -1, 0$ 2 • Attempts to form a quadratic equation in t 1

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<p>(d) (i) Substituting $\underline{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\underline{s} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ into</p> $W = \underline{F} \cdot \underline{s} \text{ gives:}$ $W = \underline{F} \cdot \underline{s}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ $= 20$	<p>ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E3-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution1
<p>(ii) A unit vector in the direction of \overrightarrow{PQ} is $\hat{s} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$.</p> <p>Substituting $\underline{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$, $\hat{s} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\underline{s} = 5$ into</p> $W = (\underline{F} \cdot \hat{s}) \underline{s} \text{ gives:}$ $W = \left(\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \right) 5$ $= 20$	<p>ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E3-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution1
<p>(iii) The component of \underline{F} in the direction of l is given by</p> $\left(\frac{\underline{F} \cdot \underline{s}}{\underline{s} \cdot \underline{s}} \right) \underline{s}.$ <p>Substituting $\underline{F} \cdot \underline{s} = 20$, $\underline{s} \cdot \underline{s} = 25$ and $\underline{s} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ into</p> $\left(\frac{\underline{F} \cdot \underline{s}}{\underline{s} \cdot \underline{s}} \right) \underline{s} \text{ gives:}$ $\left(\frac{\underline{F} \cdot \underline{s}}{\underline{s} \cdot \underline{s}} \right) \underline{s} = \frac{20}{25} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \frac{4}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 2.4 \\ -3.2 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Alternatively, the component of \underline{F} in the direction of l is $(\underline{F} \cdot \hat{s})\hat{s}$.</p>	<p>ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E3-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution1

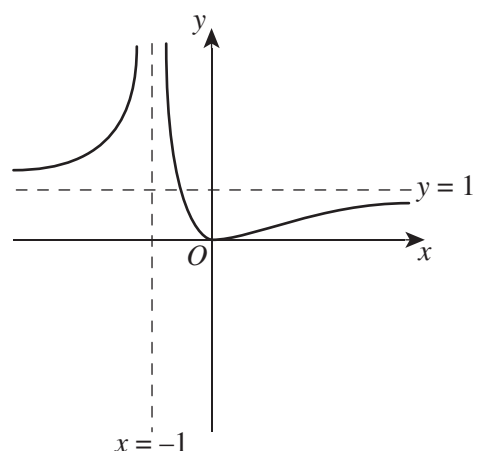
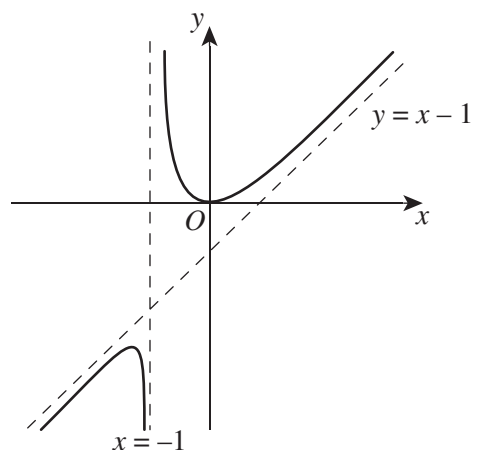
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Question 12	
<p>(a) (i) Using $\sin A \sin B = \frac{1}{2}[\cos(A - B) - \cos(A + B)]$ with</p> $A = B = \frac{\pi x}{8} \text{ gives:}$ $\text{LHS} = \sin \frac{\pi x}{8} \sin \frac{\pi x}{8}$ $= \sin^2 \frac{\pi x}{8}$ $\text{RHS} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos \left(\frac{\pi x}{8} - \frac{\pi x}{8} \right) - \cos \left(\frac{\pi x}{8} + \frac{\pi x}{8} \right) \right]$ $= \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos 0 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} \right)$ $= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} \right)$ <p>So $\sin^2 \left(\frac{\pi x}{8} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} \right)$.</p>	<p>ME-T2 Further Trigonometric Identities ME11-3 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates that $\text{LHS} = \sin^2 \frac{\pi x}{8}$. <p>AND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates that $\text{RHS} = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} \right) \dots\dots\dots 2$ <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates that $\text{LHS} = \sin^2 \frac{\pi x}{8}$. <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates that $\text{RHS} = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} \right) \dots\dots\dots 1$
<p>(ii) $A = 6 \int_0^8 \sin^2 \left(\frac{\pi x}{8} \right) dx$</p> $= 3 \int_0^8 1 - \cos \frac{\pi x}{4} dx$ $= 3 \left[x - \frac{4}{\pi} \sin \frac{\pi x}{4} \right]_0^8$ $= 3 \left(8 - \frac{4}{\pi} \sin 2\pi - (0 - \sin 0) \right)$ $= 3(8 - 0)$ $= 24$	<p>ME-C2 Further Calculus Skills ME12-1, 12-4 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gives the correct solution. 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uses the part (a) (i) result to form a definite integral 1
<p>(b) (i) $E(\hat{P}) = p$</p> $= 0.36$ $\text{sd}(\hat{P}) = \sqrt{\frac{0.36 \times 0.64}{25}}$ $= 0.096$	<p>ME-S1 The Binomial Distribution ME12-5 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Correctly shows the mean AND standard deviation. 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Correctly shows the mean OR standard deviation. 1
<p>(ii) Transforming to a standard normal variable, Z, gives:</p> $P \left(Z < \frac{0.12 - 0.36}{0.096} \right) = P(Z < -2.5)$ $= 1 - P(Z < 2.5)$ $= 1 - 0.9938$ $= 0.0062$	<p>ME-S1 The Binomial Distribution ME12-5 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gives the correct solution. 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Calculates $z = \frac{0.12 - 0.36}{0.096}$. <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uses the table appropriately with an incorrect value for z. 1

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<p>(iii) The number of adults in the sample who have a mortgage is $25 \times 0.36 = 9$. Let X represent the number of adults who have a mortgage and $X \sim \text{Bin}(25, 0.36)$.</p> $P(X = 9) = \binom{25}{9} (0.36)^9 (1 - 0.36)^{16}$ $= 0.1644$	<p>ME-S1 The Binomial Distribution ME12-5 Bands E2-E3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution2 • Attempts to find $P(X = 9)$ where $X \sim \text{Bin}(25, 0.36)$1
<p>(c) (i) Rearranging $y = \frac{1}{x^2 + 1}$ to express x^2 in terms of y gives $x^2 = \frac{1}{y} - 1$.</p> $V = \pi \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 \left(\frac{1}{y} - 1 \right) dy$ $= \pi \left[\ln y - y \right]_{\frac{1}{2}}^1$ $= \pi \left(\ln 1 - 1 - \left(\ln \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \right)$ $= \pi \left(\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \right)$	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution2 • Provides correct integrand for volume of revolution1
<p>(ii) Rearranging $y = 1 - \frac{x}{2}$ to express x in terms of y gives $x = 2(1 - y)$.</p> $V = \pi \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 (4(1 - y)^2) dy$ $= -\frac{4\pi}{3} \left[(1 - y)^3 \right]_{\frac{1}{2}}^1$ $= -\frac{4\pi}{3} \left(0 - \frac{1}{8} \right)$ $= \frac{\pi}{6}$ <p>Alternatively:</p> <p>The solid formed is a cone of radius 1 and height $\frac{1}{2}$.</p> <p>Substituting these values into $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ gives:</p> $V = \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 1^2 \times \frac{1}{2}$ $= \frac{\pi}{6}$	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution2 • Provides correct integrand for volume of revolution OR equivalent merit.1
<p>(iii) From the diagram, it can be reasoned that $\pi \left(\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \right) > \frac{\pi}{6}$.</p> <p>So $\ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} > \frac{1}{6} \Rightarrow \ln 2 > \frac{2}{3}$.</p>	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution1

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Question 13	
(a) (i) Substituting $x = 12$, $V = 21$ and $t = T$ into $x = Vt \cos \theta$ gives $12 = 21T \cos \theta \Rightarrow T = \frac{12}{21 \cos \theta}$. Cancelling and using $\frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \sec \theta$ gives $T = \frac{4}{7} \sec \theta$.	ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E2-E3 • Gives the correct solution. 1
(ii) Substituting $y = 2$, $V = 21$ and $t = T$ into $y = Vt \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2}gt^2$ gives $2 = 21T \sin \theta - 4.9T^2$. Substituting $T = \frac{4}{7} \sec \theta$ into $2 = 21T \sin \theta - 4.9T^2$ gives: $2 = 21\left(\frac{4}{7} \sec \theta\right) \sin \theta - 4.9\left(\frac{4}{7} \sec \theta\right)^2$ $= 12 \tan \theta - \frac{8}{5} \sec^2 \theta$ $= 12 \tan \theta - \frac{8}{5}(1 + \tan^2 \theta)$ $10 = 60 \tan \theta - 8(1 + \tan^2 \theta)$ $0 = 8 \tan^2 \theta - 60 \tan \theta + 18$ So $4 \tan^2 \theta - 30 \tan \theta + 9 = 0$.	ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2 Bands E2-E3 • Gives the correct solution. 2 • Substitutes $T = \frac{4}{7} \sec \theta$ into $2 = 21T \sin \theta - 4.9T^2$ and attempts to form a quadratic in $\tan \theta$ 1
(iii) Using the quadratic formula to solve $4 \tan^2 \theta - 30 \tan \theta + 9 = 0$ for $\tan \theta$ gives $\tan \theta = \frac{15 \pm 3\sqrt{21}}{4}$ ($= 0.3130\dots, 7.1869\dots$). The shortest flight time occurs for $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{15 - 3\sqrt{21}}{4}\right)$ ($= 0.3130\dots$). Substituting $\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{15 - 3\sqrt{21}}{4}\right)$ ($= 0.3130\dots$) into $T = \frac{4}{7} \sec \theta$ gives $T = 0.60$ (s).	ME-V1 Introduction to Vectors ME12-2, 12-6 Bands E2-E3 • Gives the correct solution. 2 • Correctly solves quadratic equation to obtain two values for $\tan \theta$ 1

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<p>(b) Consider $n = 1$.</p> $\text{LHS} = \frac{2}{1 \times 3} = \frac{2}{3} \text{ and}$ $\text{RHS} = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2(1) + 3}{(1+1)(1+2)} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3} = \text{LHS.}$ <p>The statement is true when $n = 1$.</p> <p>Suppose true for $n = k$.</p> <p>So $\frac{2}{1 \times 3} + \frac{2}{2 \times 4} + \frac{2}{3 \times 5} + \dots + \frac{2}{k(k+2)} = \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2k+3}{(k+1)(k+2)}$.</p> <p>Show it is true for $n = k + 1$; that is,</p> $\frac{2}{1 \times 3} + \frac{2}{2 \times 4} + \frac{2}{3 \times 5} + \dots + \frac{2}{k(k+2)} + \frac{2}{(k+1)(k+3)} =$ $\frac{3}{2} - \frac{2(k+1)+3}{((k+1)+1)((k+1)+2)}$ $\text{LHS} = \frac{2}{1 \times 3} + \frac{2}{2 \times 4} + \frac{2}{3 \times 5} + \dots + \frac{2}{k(k+2)} + \frac{2}{(k+1)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2k+3}{(k+1)(k+2)} + \frac{2}{(k+1)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{(2k+3)(k+3) - 2(k+2)}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2k^2 + 7k + 5}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{(2k+5)(k+1)}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2k+5}{(k+2)(k+3)}$ $= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{2(k+1)+3}{((k+1)+1)((k+1)+2)}$ <p>= RHS</p> <p>If true for $n = k$, then true for $n = k + 1$.</p> <p>Hence, by mathematical induction, true for $n \geq 1$.</p>	<p>ME-P1 Proof by Mathematical Induction ME12-1 Bands E2–E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct proof3 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establishes the inductive step OR equivalent merit.2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establishes the $n = 1$ case OR equivalent merit.1

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<p>(c) (i) Use of $\tan(A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$ with $A = B = \theta$.</p> $\tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta}$ <p>Use of $\tan(A + B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$ with $A = 2\theta$ and $B = \theta$.</p> $\begin{aligned} \tan 3\theta &= \frac{\tan 2\theta + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan 2\theta \tan \theta} \\ &= \frac{\frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} + \tan \theta}{1 - \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \tan \theta} \\ &= \frac{2 \tan \theta + \tan \theta(1 - \tan^2 \theta)}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{(1 - \tan^2 \theta) - 2 \tan^2 \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta} \\ &= \frac{3 \tan \theta - \tan^3 \theta}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta} \end{aligned}$	<p>ME-T3 Trigonometric Equations ME12-3 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct proof. 3 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtains a correct unsimplified expression for $\tan 3\theta$ involving only $\tan^2 \theta$ and $\tan \theta$ OR equivalent merit 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtains a correct expression for $\tan 3\theta$ involving only $\tan 2\theta$ and $\tan \theta$ OR equivalent merit. 1
<p>(ii) Consider $x^3 - 3x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$ with $x = \tan \theta$.</p> $\tan^3 \theta - 3 \tan^2 \theta - 3 \tan \theta + 1 = 0$ $\frac{3 \tan \theta - \tan^3 \theta}{1 - 3 \tan^2 \theta} = 1$ <p>So $\tan 3\theta = 1$ and finding the roots of $\tan 3\theta = 1$ corresponds to finding the roots of the cubic equation where $x = \tan \theta$.</p> $3\theta = \tan^{-1} 1 + k\pi \text{ where } k \text{ is an integer}$ $\begin{aligned} \theta &= \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{k\pi}{3} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{12}, \frac{5\pi}{12}, \frac{9\pi}{12} \end{aligned}$ <p>$\tan \frac{3\pi}{4} = -1$ and so one factor of the cube is $x + 1$.</p> <p>So $x^3 - 3x^2 - 3x + 1 = (x + 1)(x^2 - 4x + 1)$.</p> <p>So $\tan \frac{\pi}{12}$ and $\tan \frac{5\pi}{12}$ are the roots of $x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$.</p> <p>Solving the quadratic equation $x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$ for x gives $x = 2 \pm \sqrt{3}$.</p> <p>Since $\tan \frac{\pi}{12} < \tan \frac{5\pi}{12}$, $\tan \frac{\pi}{12}$ is the smaller root and $x = 2 - \sqrt{3}$.</p>	<p>ME-T3 Trigonometric Equations ME12-3 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives correct exact value of $\tan \frac{\pi}{12}$ 4 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives correct solutions to the cubic equation. 3 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deduces that $\theta = \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{k\pi}{3}$ where k is an integer OR equivalent merit 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deduces that $\tan 3\theta = 1$ 1

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<p>Question 14</p>	
<p>(a) (i)</p> 	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-2, 11-7 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketches correct graph with asymptotes at $x = -1$ and $y = 1$ 2 • Shows minimum turning point at origin OR equivalent merit 1
<p>(ii)</p> 	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-2, 11-7 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sketches correct graph with asymptotes at $x = -1$ and $y = x - 1$ 2 • Shows minimum turning point at origin OR equivalent merit 1
<p>(iii) $(f(x))^2 = f(x) \Rightarrow f(x)(f(x) - 1) = 0$ So $f(x) = 1$ or $f(x) = 0$. $-\frac{x}{x+1} = 1 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{2}$ Hence $x = -\frac{1}{2}$ or $x = 0$. OR The graphs of $y = f(x)$ and $y = (f(x))^2$ intersect at O, where $x = 0$. The graphs of $y = f(x)$ and $y = (f(x))^2$ intersect on the line $y = 1$, where $x = -\frac{1}{2}$.</p>	<p>ME-F1 Further Work with Functions ME11-2, 11-7 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution 1
<p>(b) (i) Start with the RHS and show that it equals the LHS. $\text{RHS} = \frac{1}{50} \left(\frac{(50-A)+A}{A(50-A)} \right)$ $= \frac{1}{A(50-A)}$ $= \text{LHS}$</p>	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution 1

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<p>(ii) This is a differential equation of the form $\frac{dA}{dt} = g(A)$.</p> <p>Attempt to separate variables and integrate both sides.</p> $\int 1 dt = \int \frac{25}{A(50 - A)} dA$ $t = \frac{1}{2} \int \left(\frac{1}{A} + \frac{1}{50 - A} \right) dA \text{ (using the part (i) result)}$ $= \frac{1}{2} (\ln A - \ln 50 - A) + c$ $= \frac{1}{2} \ln \left \frac{A}{50 - A} \right + c$ <p>Rearranging gives $A_0 e^{2t} = \frac{A}{50 - A}$ where $A_0 = e^{-2c}$ and hence $A_0 > 0$.</p> <p>When $t = 0$, $A = \frac{1}{2}$ and so $A_0 = \frac{1}{99}$.</p> <p><i>Note: There are various possible ways to find the value of the constant.</i></p> $e^{2t} = \frac{99A}{50 - A}$ $99Ae^{-2t} = 50 - A$ $A(1 + 99e^{-2t}) = 50$ <p>So $A = \frac{50}{1 + 99e^{-2t}}$.</p>	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives correct solution. 3 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Correctly applies initial condition 2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uses the part (b) (i) result and separation of variables to find t in terms of A 1
<p>(iii) As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $1 + 99e^{-2t} \rightarrow 1$ and so $A \rightarrow \frac{50}{1} = 50$.</p> <p>The limiting area of the bacteria colony is 50 cm^2.</p>	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution. 1

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<p>(iv) The graph of $\frac{dA}{dt}$ versus A (inverted parabola) has a maximum at $A = 25$.</p> <p>It requires us to find the value of t such that</p> $25 = \frac{50}{1 + 99e^{-2t}}$ $25(1 + 99e^{-2t}) = 50$ $1 + 99e^{-2t} = 2$ $e^{-2t} = \frac{1}{99}$ $e^{2t} = 99$ $t = \frac{1}{2} \ln 99 \text{ (days)}$ <p>The rate of change of the area is at its maximum at $t = \frac{1}{2} \ln 99$ (days).</p> <p><i>Note: There are other valid but more time-consuming methods of determining this solution.</i></p> <p><i>Method 1:</i> Finding $\frac{d^2A}{dt^2} = \frac{1}{25^2}A(50 - A)(50 - 2A)$, determining that $\frac{dA}{dt}$ is a maximum when $A = 25$ and then solving for t as above.</p> <p><i>Method 2:</i> Determining the value of t when the (non-stationary) point of inflection occurs by finding $\frac{d^2A}{dt^2}$ in terms of t and then finding the value of t such that $\frac{d^2A}{dt^2} = 0$.</p>	<p>ME-C3 Applications of Calculus ME12-4 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognises that the graph of $\frac{dA}{dt}$ versus A has a maximum at $A = 25$ OR equivalent merit.....1
<p>(c) From the table, $f(x) = g^{-1}(x)$ and so $f(-1) = g^{-1}(-1) = 0$.</p> $f'(-1) = \frac{1}{g'(f(-1))}$ $= \frac{1}{g'(0)}$ $= \frac{1}{2}$ $= 2$	<p>ME-C2 Further Calculus Skills ME12-1 Bands E2-E4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gives the correct solution3 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determines $f(-1) = g^{-1}(-1) = 0$ AND $f'(-1) = \frac{1}{g'(f(-1))}$2 <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Determines $f(-1) = g^{-1}(-1) = 0$ OR $f'(-1) = \frac{1}{g'(f(-1))}$1