

MARKSCHEME

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FURTHER MATHEMATICS

Standard Level

Paper 1

1. (a) When performing a χ^2 test where ν , the number of degrees of freedom is 1, the continuity correction is used to compensate for the fact that the χ^2 distribution is continuous, whereas cell entries are discrete. (A1)

(b) H_0 : coin is fair.

H_1 : coin is not fair.

Assuming H_0 , the expected numbers of heads and tails are 100 each.

$$\chi^2 = \frac{\{|108-100|-0.5\}^2}{100} + \frac{\{|92-100|-0.5\}^2}{100} = 1.125 \quad (M1)(A1)$$

For $\nu = 1$, χ^2 value at 1% level of significance is 6.635. (A1)

Since $6.635 > 1.125$, we cannot reject the null hypothesis that the coin is fair. (R1)

[5 marks]

2. Given (G, \circ) is a group. Let x, y be any two elements of G .

Since $x \circ x = e, x^{-1} = x$ for all $x \in G$ (C1)

Hence $(x \circ y)^{-1} = x \circ y$. Also $(x \circ y)^{-1} = y^{-1} \circ x^{-1}$ (M1)

So $y^{-1} \circ x^{-1} = x \circ y$ (M1)

Also $y^{-1} \circ x^{-1} = y \circ x$ (A1)

So $x \circ y = y \circ x$ for all $x, y \in G$, and the group is Abelian. (R1)

[5 marks]

3. Let P_k be the profit in thousands of dollars at the end of the k th year. Then

$$P_1 = 30, P_2 = 68, P_3 = 144$$

$$P_{n+1} = 2P_n + 8 \quad (M1)(A1)$$

$$\text{Hence } P_{n+1} = 2(2P_{n-1} + 8) + 8 \quad (M1)$$

$$= 2^2(P_{n-1}) + 8(2+1)$$

$$= 2^3(P_{n-2}) + 8(2^2 + 2 + 1) = \dots$$

$$= 2^n P_1 + 8 \frac{2^n - 1}{2 - 1} = 2^n P_1 + 2^n - 8 - 8$$

$$P_{n+1} = 2^n (P_1 + 8) - 8 \quad (A1)$$

$$P_n = 38000 \times 2^{n-1} - 8000 \quad (A1)$$

[5 marks]

4. We need to find a bijective function from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R}^+ that preserves the operation, for example, let

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$ be such that $f(x) = e^x$. (M1)

$e^x = e^y$ implies $x = y$ and hence f is an injection. (M1)

For any $c \in \mathbb{R}^+$, there exists $d \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $d = \ln c$ so that $f(d) = e^d = c$. So f is a

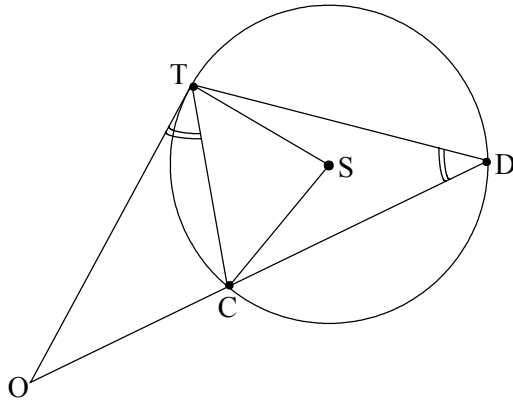
surjection, and hence f is a bijection from \mathbb{R} onto \mathbb{R}^+ (M1)

Since, $f(x+y) = e^{x+y} = e^x \times e^y = f(x) \times f(y)$ (A1)

f is an isomorphism. (R1)

[5 marks]

5.



S is the centre of the circle.

$$\hat{C}DT = \frac{1}{2} \hat{C}ST \quad (M1)$$

$$\hat{O}TC = \frac{1}{2} \hat{C}ST \quad (M1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{O}TC = \hat{C}DT \quad (A1)$$

$$\hat{T}OC = \hat{T}OD$$

Therefore $\triangle OTC$ is similar to $\triangle ODT$ (M1)

$$\frac{OT}{OC} = \frac{OD}{OT} \quad (A1)$$

$$\Rightarrow OT^2 = OD \times OC \quad (AG)$$

[5 marks]

6. (a) $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(n+1)^7} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n a_n$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{(n+1)^7} \Rightarrow a_n \geq a_{n+1}, n = 0, 1, \dots, \quad (C1)$$

$$\text{Also } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} a_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)^7} = 0. \quad (M1)$$

Hence the series converges by the alternating series test. (R1)

(b) For six decimal place accuracy, error E satisfies $|E| < | \text{first truncated term} |$

$$\text{Therefore } \frac{1}{(n+1)^7} < 0.000005$$

Therefore $n+1 > 7.9 \Rightarrow n > 6.9$, so $n = 7$ (smallest integer value) (A1)

Sum of the series correct to six decimal places is

$$1 - \frac{1}{2^7} + \frac{1}{3^7} - \dots + \frac{1}{7^7} = 0.992594 \text{ (6 d.p.)} \quad (R1)$$

OR

$$\text{Since } 8^{-7} = 0.000000476837, \quad (M1)$$

The sum of the series correct to six decimal places is

$$1 - \frac{1}{2^7} + \frac{1}{3^7} - \frac{1}{4^7} + \frac{1}{5^7} - \frac{1}{6^7} + \frac{1}{7^7} = 0.992594 \quad (A1)$$

OR

$$\text{Sum} = 0.992594 \quad (G2)$$

[5 marks]

7. $f(x) = e^{-x^2}$

$\int_0^5 e^{-x^2} dx$ may be approximated to 2 d.p. provided n satisfies

$$\max_{0 < c < 5} |f''(c)| \left(\frac{5-0}{12} \right) \left(\frac{5}{n} \right)^2 \leq 5 \times 10^{-3} \quad (M1)$$

$$\max |f''(c)| = 2 \quad (G1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \times \frac{5}{12} \times \frac{25}{n^2} \leq 5 \times 10^{-3} \quad (M1)$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 \geq \frac{10 \times 25 \times 10^3}{12 \times 5}$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 \geq \frac{25 \times 10^3}{6}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \geq 64.5 \quad (M1)$$

thus $n = 65$ (A1)

[5 marks]

8. If $y = mx + c$ is a tangent to the ellipse, then $(x, mx + c)$ will lie on the ellipse.

Hence $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{(mx + c)^2}{b^2} = 1$ (M1)

or $x^2(b^2 + a^2m^2) + 2mxca^2 + (c^2 - b^2)a^2 = 0$ (1) (A1)

If $y = mx + c$ is a tangent, then the equation (1) should have a double root and hence the discriminant should be zero.

Therefore $y = mx + c$ is a tangent to the ellipse if and only if (1) has two equal roots; (M1)

if $4m^2c^2a^4 = 4(b^2 + a^2m^2)(c^2 - b^2)a^2$ (A1)

$$= 4b^2(c^2 - b^2)a^2 + 4a^4m^2(c^2 - b^2)$$

It is true if (and only if) $c^2 - b^2 = a^2m^2$ (R1)

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = a^2m^2 + b^2 \quad (AG)$$

[5 marks]

9. (a) Statistic: t statistic since sample sizes are small. (A1)
Variance: Pooled variance since population variances are equal. (A1)

(b) $H_0 : \mu_1 = \mu_2$
 $H_1 : \mu_1 \neq \mu_2$

Let \bar{x}_1 and \bar{x}_2 be the sample means for mines 1 and 2, respectively.

$\bar{x}_1 = 8230, \bar{x}_2 = 7940$ (G1)

$$t = \frac{(8230 - 7940)}{\sqrt{\frac{(5 \times 112.25^2 + 6 \times 95.39^2)}{(5 + 6 - 2)} \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6}\right)}} \quad (M1)$$

$= 4.19$ (A1)

OR

2 sample t -test, $t = 4.19, p = 0.0023, 9$ degrees of freedom. (G2)

$t_{.025}$ with $11 - 2 = 9$ degrees of freedom = 2.262.

Since calculated t value $4.19 > t_{.025} = 2.262$, we reject the null hypothesis. (R1)

[5 marks]

10. If G has a spanning tree each vertex must be in that tree and hence G is connected. (M1)(R1)

Conversely, if G is connected then using the breadth first search spanning tree algorithm to G , we get a set L of vertices and a set T of edges connecting vertices in L . (M1)

Since T is a tree and G is connected each vertex of G is labelled. (M1)

Thus L contains all the vertices of G and T is a spanning tree for the graph G . (R1)

Note: For the converse, some candidates may argue differently. Award marks as follows:
Award (M1)(A1) for G is simple and connected then a tree can be created by taking one vertex and extending one edge and one vertex at a time to include all vertices without a cycle.
Award (R1) for a tree is created which contains all the vertices, so we have a tree which spans G .

[5 marks]