



**FURTHER MATHEMATICS
STANDARD LEVEL
PAPER 2**

Tuesday 20 May 2008 (morning)

2 hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Do not open this examination paper until instructed to do so.
- Answer all the questions.
- Unless otherwise stated in the question, all numerical answers must be given exactly or correct to three significant figures.

Please start each question on a new page. Full marks are not necessarily awarded for a correct answer with no working. Answers must be supported by working and/or explanations. In particular, solutions found from a graphic display calculator should be supported by suitable working, e.g. if graphs are used to find a solution, you should sketch these as part of your answer. Where an answer is incorrect, some marks may be given for a correct method, provided this is shown by written working. All students should therefore be advised to show their working.

1. [Total mark: 21]

Part A [Maximum mark: 10]

The graph G has the following cost adjacency matrix.

	A	B	C	D	E	F
A	-	2	-	-	-	9
B	2	-	6	-	-	3
C	-	6	-	7	3	2
D	-	-	7	-	1	-
E	-	-	3	1	-	7
F	9	3	2	-	7	-

- (a) Draw G in planar form. [2 marks]
- (b) Use Dijkstra's Algorithm to find the shortest path between the vertices A and D. Show all the steps in the algorithm and state the length of the shortest path. [8 marks]

Part B [Maximum mark: 11]

- (a) Given that $ax \equiv b \pmod{p}$ where $a, b, p, x \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, p is prime and a is not a multiple of p , use Fermat's little theorem to show that

$$x \equiv a^{p-2}b \pmod{p}. \quad [3 \text{ marks}]$$

- (b) Hence solve the simultaneous linear congruences

$$\begin{aligned} 3x &\equiv 4 \pmod{5} \\ 5x &\equiv 6 \pmod{7} \end{aligned}$$

giving your answer in the form $x \equiv c \pmod{d}$. [8 marks]

2. [Total mark: 28]

Part A [Maximum mark: 18]

The function f is defined by $f(x) = \ln(1 + \sin x)$.

- (a) Show that $f''(x) = \frac{-1}{1 + \sin x}$. [4 marks]
- (b) Determine the Maclaurin series for $f(x)$ as far as the term in x^4 . [6 marks]
- (c) Deduce the Maclaurin series for $\ln(1 - \sin x)$ as far as the term in x^4 . [2 marks]
- (d) By combining your two series, show that $\ln \sec x = \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{12} + \dots$ [4 marks]
- (e) Hence, or otherwise, find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln \sec x}{x\sqrt{x}}$. [2 marks]

Part B [Maximum mark: 10]

When a scientist measures the concentration μ of a solution, the measurement obtained may be assumed to be a normally distributed random variable with mean μ and standard deviation 1.6.

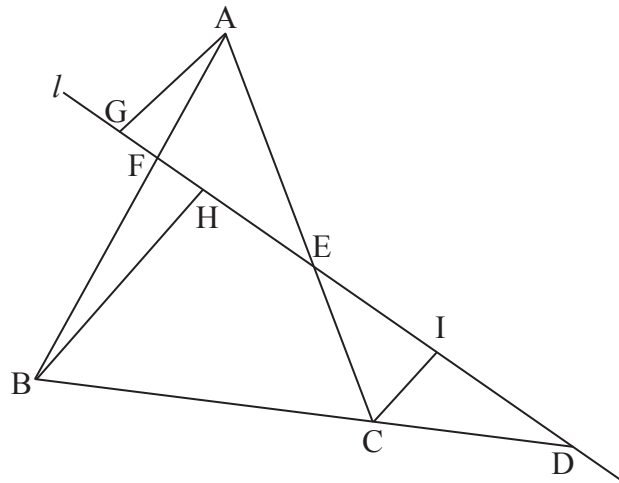
- (a) He makes 5 independent measurements of the concentration of a particular solution and correctly calculates the following confidence interval for μ .

$$[22.7, 26.1]$$

Determine the confidence level of this interval. [5 marks]

- (b) He is now given a different solution and is asked to determine a 95 % confidence interval for its concentration. The confidence interval is required to have a width less than 2. Find the minimum number of independent measurements required. [5 marks]

3. [Maximum mark: 20]



(a) The diagram shows the line l meeting the sides of the triangle ABC at the points D , E and F . The perpendiculars to l from A , B and C meet l at G , H and I .

(i) State why $\frac{AF}{FB} = \frac{AG}{HB}$.

(ii) Hence prove Menelaus' theorem for the triangle ABC .

(iii) State and prove the converse of Menelaus' theorem.

[13 marks]

(b) A straight line meets the sides (PQ) , (QR) , (RS) , (SP) of a quadrilateral $PQRS$ at the points U , V , W , X respectively. Use Menelaus' theorem to show that

$$\frac{PU}{UQ} \times \frac{QV}{VR} \times \frac{RW}{WS} \times \frac{SX}{XP} = 1.$$

[7 marks]

4. [Total mark: 26]

Part A [Maximum mark: 14]

(a) The relation R_1 is defined for $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ by aR_1b if and only if $n|(a^2 - b^2)$ where n is a fixed positive integer.

(i) Show that R_1 is an equivalence relation.

(ii) Determine the equivalence classes when $n = 8$. [11 marks]

(b) The relation R_2 is defined for $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ by aR_2b if and only if $(4 + |a - b|)$ is the square of a positive integer. Show that R_2 is not transitive. [3 marks]

Part B [Maximum mark: 12]

Consider the group $\{G, *\}$ and let H be a subset of G defined by

$$H = \{x \in G \text{ such that } x * a = a * x \text{ for all } a \in G\}.$$

Show that $\{H, *\}$ is a subgroup of $\{G, *\}$.

5. [Maximum mark: 12]

(a) The independent random variables X and Y have Poisson distributions and $Z = X + Y$. The means of X and Y are λ and μ respectively. By using the identity

$$P(Z = n) = \sum_{k=0}^n P(X = k) P(Y = n - k)$$

show that Z has a Poisson distribution with mean $(\lambda + \mu)$. [6 marks]

(b) Given that U_1, U_2, U_3, \dots are independent Poisson random variables each having mean m , use mathematical induction together with the result in (a) to show that $\sum_{r=1}^n U_r$ has a Poisson distribution with mean nm . [6 marks]

6. [Maximum mark: 13]

$$\text{Let } S_n = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k}.$$

- (a) Show that, for $n \geq 2$, $S_{2n} > S_n + \frac{1}{2}$. [3 marks]
- (b) Deduce that $S_{2^{m+1}} > S_2 + \frac{m}{2}$. [7 marks]
- (c) Hence show that the sequence $\{S_n\}$ is divergent. [3 marks]
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