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**MATHS METHODS (CAS) 3 & 4
TRIAL EXAMINATION 1
SOLUTIONS**

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Question 1

a. $y = \frac{e^{2x}}{x^2 + 3}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(x^2 + 3) \times 2e^{2x} - 2xe^{2x}}{(x^2 + 3)^2} \quad (\text{quotient rule})$$

(1 mark)

Avoid “further engagement” errors by leaving this fraction as it is. No like terms are obtained by expanding the brackets in the numerator.

b. $f(x) = 2x \tan\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$

$$f'(x) = 2x \times \frac{1}{3} \sec^2\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + 2 \tan\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) \quad (\text{product rule})$$

$$f'(\pi) = \frac{2\pi}{3} \sec^2\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 2 \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \quad (\text{1 mark})$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} \times \frac{1}{\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)} + 2 \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} \times \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} \times 1 \div \frac{1}{4} + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} \times 1 \times \frac{4}{1} + 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{8\pi}{3} + 2\sqrt{3}$$

(1 mark)

Question 2

a.
$$\int \sin(3x-1) dx$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} \cos(3x-1)$$

(1 mark)

Note, because we are looking for ‘an’ antiderivative, the constant of antidifferentiation c does not have to be included because “an” antiderivative could be the case where $c = 0$.

Marks would not be lost though if c was included.

b.
$$\int_0^2 \frac{1}{2x+1} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 \frac{2}{2x+1} dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{2} \log_e |2x+1| \right]_0^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log_e |4+1| - \frac{1}{2} \log_e |1|$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \log_e (5) \quad \text{since } \log_e (1) = 0$$

(1 mark)

Question 3

a. $f(x) = \log_e(x), \quad x > 0$
 $f\left(\frac{1}{u}\right) = \log_e\left(\frac{1}{u}\right), \quad u > 0$
 $= \log_e(u^{-1})$
 $= -1 \log_e(u)$
 $= -f(u)$

as required.

(1 mark)

b. Given $2f(u) = f(2v) + f(3v)$ and $u, v \in R^+$,

$$2 \log_e(u) = \log_e(2v) + \log_e(3v) \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$\log_e(u^2) = \log_e(6v^2)$$

$$u^2 = 6v^2$$

$$\text{So, } u = \pm\sqrt{6}v \quad \text{but } u, v \in R^+$$

$$\text{so } u = \sqrt{6}v$$

(1 mark)

Question 4

a. $g : R \rightarrow R, g(x) = 3 + \sin\left(\frac{2x}{3}\right)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{period} &= \frac{2\pi}{n} \text{ where } n = \frac{2}{3} \\ &= 2\pi \div \frac{2}{3} \\ &= 2\pi \times \frac{3}{2} \\ &= 3\pi \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

The amplitude of the function is 1 and the graph of $y = \sin\left(\frac{2x}{3}\right)$ is translated 3 units

up to become the graph of $y = 3 + \sin\left(\frac{2x}{3}\right)$.

The range of g is therefore $[2, 4]$.

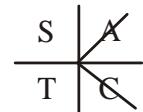
(1 mark)

b. $\cos(3x) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad x \in R$

$$3x = -\frac{\pi}{6} + 2n\pi, \quad \frac{\pi}{6} + 2n\pi, \quad n \in Z$$

$$3x = 2n\pi \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{2n\pi}{3} \pm \frac{\pi}{18}$$



(1 mark) – correct base angles

(1 mark) – correct use of $2n\pi$

(1 mark) – correct answer

Question 5

x	0	1	2	3
$\Pr(X = x)$	0.2	0.1	0.4	p

a. $0.2 + 0.1 + 0.4 + p = 1$

$$p = 0.3$$

(1 mark)

b. $\Pr(X \leq 1 | X < 3) = \frac{0.2 + 0.1}{0.2 + 0.1 + 0.4}$

(1 mark)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{0.3}{0.7} \\ &= \frac{3}{7} \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

c. $E(X) = 0 \times 0.2 + 1 \times 0.1 + 2 \times 0.4 + 3 \times 0.3$
 $= 0.1 + 0.8 + 0.9$
 $= 1.8$

(1 mark)

(1 mark)

Question 6

$$f : R \rightarrow R, f(x) = 1 - e^{2(x-1)}$$

Let $y = 1 - e^{2(x-1)}$

Swap x and y for inverse.

$$x = 1 - e^{2(y-1)}$$

(1 mark)

Rearrange

$$x - 1 = -e^{2(y-1)}$$

$$1 - x = e^{2(y-1)}$$

$$\log_e(1-x) = 2(y-1)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \log_e(1-x) = y-1$$

$$y = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \log_e(1-x)$$

So $f^{-1}(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \log_e(1-x)$

(1 mark)

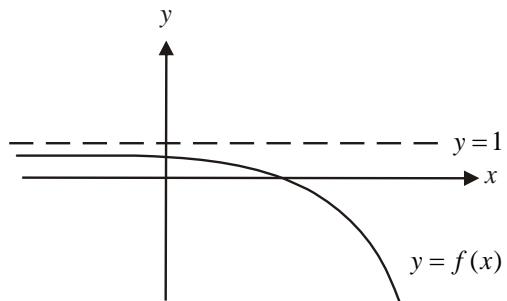
To find the domain of f^{-1} ,

Method 1

$$d_{f^{-1}} = r_f$$

Do a quick sketch of $y = f(x)$.

So $r_f = (-\infty, 1)$ and so $d_{f^{-1}} = (-\infty, 1)$



(1 mark)

Method 2

$$\text{Since } f^{-1}(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \log_e(1-x),$$

$1-x > 0$ for the log function to be defined

$$-x > -1$$

$$x < 1$$

$$\text{So } d_{f^{-1}} = (-\infty, 1)$$

(1 mark)

Note that to find the inverse function f^{-1} you must give the domain and the rule.

Question 7**Method 1**

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

where (x', y') is the image point

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= 2x + 0y + 1 & y' &= 0x + 4y - 3 \\ &= 2x + 1 & &= 4y - 3 \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

Rearrange $x' - 1 = 2x$ $y' + 3 = 4y$
 $x = \frac{x' - 1}{2}$ $y = \frac{y' + 3}{4}$

Substitute into $y = \frac{1}{x}$

$$\frac{y' + 3}{4} = 1 \div \frac{x' - 1}{2}$$

$$\frac{y' + 3}{4} = 1 \times \frac{2}{x' - 1}$$

$$y' + 3 = \frac{8}{x' - 1}$$

$$y' = \frac{8}{x' - 1} - 3$$

So the image equation is $y = \frac{8}{x - 1} - 3$ (1 mark)

RE-READ THE QUESTION!

Since $y = \frac{a}{x+b} + c$, $a = 8$, $b = -1$ and $c = -3$.

(1 mark)

Method 2

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

We have a dilation by a factor 2 from the y -axis

so $y = \frac{1}{x}$ becomes $y = \frac{1}{x/2} = \frac{2}{x}$.

We have a dilation by a factor of 4 from the x -axis

so $y = \frac{2}{x}$ becomes $\frac{y}{4} = \frac{2}{x}$ so $y = \frac{8}{x}$. (1 mark)

We have a translation of 1 unit to the right and 3 units down

so $y = \frac{8}{x}$ becomes $y + 3 = \frac{8}{x-1}$ so $y = \frac{8}{x-1} - 3$

So the image equation is $y = \frac{8}{x-1} - 3$ (1 mark)

RE-READ THE QUESTION!

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(1 mark)

Question 8

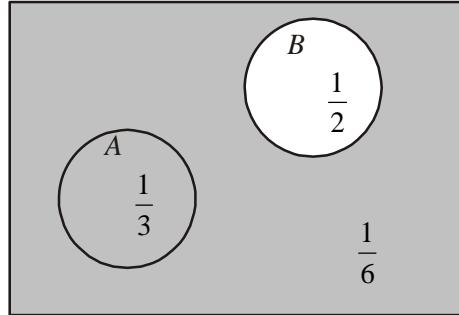
$$\Pr(A) = \frac{1}{3}, \quad \Pr(B) = \frac{1}{2}$$

- a. If A and B are mutually exclusive then $\Pr(A \cap B) = 0$

Method 1 – Venn diagram

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Note: } & \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{2}{6} + \frac{3}{6} \\ &= \frac{5}{6} \end{aligned}$$

$\Pr(A \cup B')$ is shaded.



(1 mark)

$$\text{So } \Pr(A \cup B') = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

(1 mark)

Method 2 – Addition formula

$$\Pr(A \cup B') = \Pr(A) + \Pr(B') - \Pr(A \cap B')$$

(1 mark)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{3} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

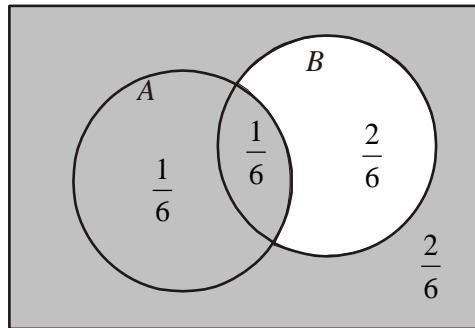
- b. If A and B are independent events then $\Pr(A) \times \Pr(B) = \Pr(A \cap B)$

Method 1 – Venn diagram

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \Pr(A \cap B) &= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

$\Pr(A \cup B')$ is shaded.



(1 mark)

Method 2 – Addition formula

$$\Pr(A \cup B') = \Pr(A) + \Pr(B') - \Pr(A \cap B')$$

(1 mark)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{6} \\ &= \frac{2}{6} + \frac{3}{6} - \frac{1}{6} \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(1 mark)

Question 9

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Pr(\text{June shops locally exactly once in the coming 3 weeks}) \\
 &= \Pr(L, M, M) + \Pr(M, L, M) + \Pr(M, M, L) && \text{(1 mark)} \\
 &= 0.4 \times 0.7 \times 0.6 + 0.6 \times 0.4 \times 0.7 + 0.6 \times 0.6 \times 0.4 && \text{(1 mark)} \\
 &= 0.168 + 0.168 + 0.144 \\
 &= 0.48 && \text{(1 mark)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Question 10

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= x^{\frac{3}{5}} + c \\
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{3}{5}x^{-\frac{2}{5}}
 \end{aligned}$$

At $x = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{3}{5} \times 1 \\
 &= \frac{3}{5}
 \end{aligned}$$

The gradient of the tangent at $x = 1$ is $\frac{3}{5}$ so the gradient of the normal at $x = 1$ is $\frac{-5}{3}$.
(1 mark)

The normal passes through the point $(a, 0)$ which is its x -intercept and through the point of

normalcy which occurs at $x = 1$. At $x = 1$, $y = 1^{\frac{3}{5}} + c = 1 + c$.

So the point of normalcy is $(1, 1 + c)$.

The gradient of the normal is therefore given by

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} &= \frac{1 + c - 0}{1 - a} \\
 &= \frac{1 + c}{1 - a} \\
 \text{So } \frac{-5}{3} &= \frac{1 + c}{1 - a} && \text{(1 mark)} \\
 -5(1 - a) &= 3(1 + c) \\
 -5 + 5a &= 3 + 3c \\
 5a &= 8 + 3c \\
 a &= \frac{3c + 8}{5} && \text{(1 mark)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Question 11

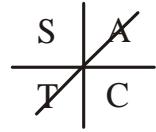
The graphs intersect when $2\sin(x) = 2\cos(x)$

$$\sin(x) = \cos(x)$$

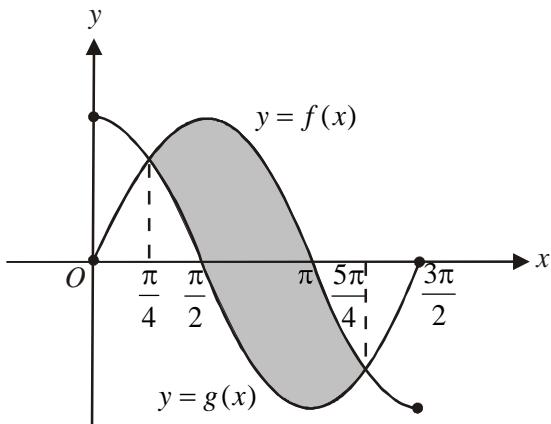
$$\frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)} = 1$$

$$\tan(x) = 1$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}$$



(1 mark)



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{shaded area} &= \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{5\pi}{4}} (f(x) - g(x)) dx \\
 &= \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{5\pi}{4}} (2\sin(x) - 2\cos(x)) dx \\
 &= \left[-2\cos(x) - 2\sin(x) \right]_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{5\pi}{4}} \\
 &= -2 \left\{ \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} \right) - \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right\} \\
 &= -2 \left\{ \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right\} \\
 &= -2 \left(\frac{-2}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \\
 &= -2 \times \frac{-4}{\sqrt{2}} \\
 &= 4\sqrt{2} \text{ square units}
 \end{aligned}$$

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