Solomon Practice Paper

Pure Mathematics 4G

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1. Find the set of values of x for which

$$\frac{x^2 - 12}{x} \ge 1.$$
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2. Show that the sum of the first n terms of the series

$$5^2 + 9^2 + 13^3 + 17^2 + \dots$$

is given by  $\frac{1}{3}n(16n^2 + 36n + 23)$ .

3.

$$\mathbf{f}(x) \equiv x^3 - 5x^2 + 2$$

- (a) Show that the equation f(x) = 0 has a root  $\alpha$  in the interval [0, 1].
- (b) Use the Newton-Raphson method with initial value x = 0.5 to find a value for  $\alpha$  which is [5] correct to 2 decimal places.
- (c) Give a reason why the Newton-Raphson method fails if an initial value of x = 0 is used in [2] part (b).
- 4. The complex number z is given by

$$z = \frac{1 + \mathbf{i}\sqrt{3}}{1 - \mathbf{i}\sqrt{3}}.$$

- (a) Show that z can be expressed in the form  $\lambda(1 i\sqrt{3})$  where  $\lambda$  is a rational number which [4] you should find.
- (b) Find the modulus and argument of z.
- (c) Hence, or otherwise, find the modulus and argument of

$$\left(\frac{1+\mathbf{i}\sqrt{3}}{1-\mathbf{i}\sqrt{3}}\right)^4.$$

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5. (a) Find the values of p and q such that  $y = p \sin(x) + q \cos(x)$  is a particular integral of the [7] differential equation

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 y}{\mathrm{d}x^2} + 2\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + 5y = \sin(x)$$

(b) Find the general solution of this differential equation.

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[3]

6. (a) Show that

$$\int 2\cot(x)\,\mathrm{d}x = \ln\left(\sin^2(x)\right) + c$$

where c is an arbitrary constant.

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[7]

[2]

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(b) Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\sin(x)\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + 2y\cos(x) = 1$$

Given that 
$$y = 0$$
 when  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  
(c) show that when  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$ ,  
 $y = \frac{2}{3} \left(\sqrt{2} - 1\right)$ .
[4]

7. Figure shows the curve C with polar equation



and the line l with polar equation

$$r\cos(\theta) = \frac{3}{2},$$

referred to the pole O and initial line  $\theta = 0$ .

- (a) Find the polar coordinates of the points A and B, where l intersects C. [6]  $0\sqrt{3}$
- (b) Show that the area of triangle OAB is  $\frac{9\sqrt{3}}{4}$ . [3]
- (c) Hence find the area of the shaded region bounded by C and l.

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[8]



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