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MATHEMATICS Compulsory Part

S4 – S5 Core Assignment Set 8

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Attempt ALL questions in this paper. Write your answers in the spaces provided in this Question-Answer Book.
2. Unless otherwise specified, all workings (except for multiple choice questions) must be clearly shown.
3. Unless otherwise specified, numerical answers should be either exact or correct to 3 significant figures.
4. The diagrams in this paper are not necessarily drawn in scale.

**Suggested solution**



Distributed in summer course  
S4 – S5 Core  
Phase 2 – Lesson 4

1. B

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} x - y + 9 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 4x + cy - 45 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $c$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
2	0	–

Required range does not contain 2 and 2 is not a boundary value.

The answer is B.

2. C

Consider the system

$$\begin{cases} x - y + 13 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 14x + cy - 223 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Put  $y = x + 13$  into equation of circle gives a quadratic equation.

Discriminant of the quadratic equation should be positive (2 distinct real roots)  $\Rightarrow$  options A or C

When  $c = 0$ , by calculator program, there are two intersections  $\Rightarrow$  required range contains 0  
 $\Rightarrow$  the answer is C.

3. B

$PR$  (equation  $x = 3$ ) is vertical and is the tangent to the circle.

Consider the centre and radius of the circles.

A. ✗. Centre  $\left(9, \frac{9}{2}\right)$ , radius  $= \sqrt{9^2 + \left(\frac{81}{4}\right)^2 - 59} = 6.5$ .

Distance between centre and  $x = 3$  is  $6 \neq 6.5$ .

B. ✓. Centre  $(5, 4)$ , radius  $= \sqrt{5^2 + 4^2 - 37} = 2$ .

Distance between centre and  $x = 3$  is 2.

C. ✗. Centre  $\left(\frac{5}{2}, 2\right)$ , radius  $= \sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + 2^2 - 37}$ , which is not a real number.

D. ✗. Centre  $\left(\frac{9}{2}, \frac{9}{4}\right)$ , radius  $= \sqrt{\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{9}{4}\right)^2 - 59}$ , which is not a real number.

4. A

$$(1)^2 + y^2 - 8(1) + 4y - 5 = 0$$

$$y^2 + 4y - 12 = 0$$

$$y = -6 \quad \text{or} \quad 2$$

Coordinates of  $A$  are  $(1, -6)$ .

Coordinates of centre  $G$  are  $(4, -2)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } AG = \frac{-2 + 6}{4 - 1}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{Slope of } L_1 = -\frac{3}{4}$$

Equation of  $L_1$  is

$$y + 6 = -\frac{3}{4}(x - 1)$$

$$3x + 4y + 21 = 0$$

5. A

Coordinates of centre  $G$  are  $(-4, 1)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } GP = \frac{1 + 1}{-4 + 2}$$

$$= -1$$

Slope of tangent = 1

Required equation is

$$y + 1 = 1(x + 2)$$

$$x - y + 1 = 0$$

6. B

$$x^2 + (x - 1)^2 - 4x + 4(x - 1) + c = 0$$

$$2x^2 + (-2 - 4 + 4)x + (1 - 4 + c) = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 2x + (c - 3) = 0$$

$$\Delta = 2^2 - 4(2)(c - 3) < 0$$

$$-8c + 28 < 0$$

$$c > \frac{7}{2}$$

7. A

$$x^2 + (x - 1)^2 - 2x + 4(x - 1) + k = 0$$

$$2x^2 + (-2 - 2 + 4)x + (1 - 4 + k) = 0$$

$$2x^2 + (k - 3) = 0$$

$$\Delta = 0^2 - 4(2)(k - 3) \geq 0$$

$$24 - 8k \geq 0$$

$$k \leq 3$$

The largest value of  $k$  is 3.

8. B

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} 2x + y - 5 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - kx + 6y - 10 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $k$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
2	2	+

Required range does not contain 2 and 2 is not a boundary value of the range.

The answer is B.

9. B

Coordinates of centre  $G$  are  $(-1, -2)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } GP = \frac{1 + 2}{-3 + 1} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{Slope of tangent} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Required equation is

$$y - 1 = \frac{2}{3}(x + 3)$$

$$2x - 3y + 9 = 0$$

10. D

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} x - y + k = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 4y - 3 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $k$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
-7	1	0
0	2	+

Required range has -7 as a boundary value and excludes 0.

The answer is D.

11. C

Let the radius of the inscribed circle be  $r$ .

Consider the area of  $\triangle OAB$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{(OA)r}{2} + \frac{(OB)r}{2} + \frac{(AB)r}{2} &= \frac{(12)(5)}{2} \\ \frac{12r}{2} + \frac{5r}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}r}{2} &= 30 \\ r &= 2\end{aligned}$$

Coordinates of the centre of inscribed circle are  $(2, 2)$ .

Required equation is  $(x - 2)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 4$ .

12. B

Check by the calculator program.

A. MATH ERROR

B.  $(-0.354, 8.65)$  and  $(-5.65, 3.35)$

C. MATH ERROR

D. MATH ERROR

The answer is B. Note that the "two parts" do not have to be equal.

13. D

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} mx - y - 1 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 16x - 2y + 31 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

The system has repeated solutions when  $m = \frac{5}{3}$  and when  $m = -\frac{3}{5}$ .

Thus,  $m = \frac{5}{3}$  or  $-\frac{3}{5}$ .

14. A

$$x^2 + (-2x - 1)^2 - 6x - 2(-2x - 1) + k = 0$$

$$5x^2 + 2x + (k + 3) = 0$$

$$\Delta = 2^2 - 4(5)(k + 3) < 0$$

$$-20k - 56 < 0$$

$$k > -\frac{14}{5}$$

15. D

Coordinates of centre  $G$  are  $(-h, -k)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } AG = \frac{b + k}{a + h}$$

$$m \times \frac{b + k}{a + h} = -1$$

$$m = -\frac{h + a}{k + b}$$

16. D

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} x - y + m = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 4y - 13 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $m$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
$-9$	$0$	$-$

Required range does not contain  $m = -9$  and  $-9$  is not a boundary value of the required range.  
The answer is D.

17. A

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} 3x + 4y + k = 0 \\ x^2 + y^4 - \frac{9}{4} = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $k$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
$-\frac{15}{2}$	$1$	$0$
$0$	$2$	$+$

Required range has  $-\frac{15}{2}$  as a boundary value (not equal to) and includes  $0$ .  
The answer is A.

18. D

$$0^2 + y^2 + 6(0) - 2y - 3 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0$$

$$y = 3 \quad \text{or} \quad -1$$

Coordinates of centre  $G$  are  $(-3, 1)$ .

Since  $A, B, G$  are collinear, the slope of  $AG$  is also positive.

The coordinates of  $B$  are  $(0, 3)$ .

Let the coordinates of  $A$  be  $(a, b)$ .

$$\frac{a+0}{2} = -3 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{b+3}{2} = 1$$

$$a = -6 \quad \quad \quad b = -1$$

The coordinates of  $A$  are  $(-6, -1)$ .

19. D

- A. ✗. Using the calculator program, the system  $\begin{cases} x + y - 9 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 6y + 9 = 0 \end{cases}$  does not have real solutions.
- B. ✗.  $x + y + 9 = 0$  does not pass through (3, 6).
- C. ✗. Same reason as A.
- D. ✓.

20. A

Put (3,  $b$ ) into the equation of  $L$ .

$$(3) - 4(b) - 11 = 0$$

$$b = -2$$

Put (-1, -3) and (3, -2) into the equation of  $C$ .

$$\begin{cases} 1 + 9 - a - 15 + c = 0 \\ 9 + 4 + 3a - 10 + c = 0 \end{cases}$$

Solving, we have  $a = -2$  and  $c = 3$ .

The answer is A.

21. A

$$x^2 + (kx - 2)^2 + 4kx + 4 = 0$$

$$(1 + k^2)x^2 + (-4k + 4k)x + 4 + 4 = 0$$

$$(1 + k^2)x^2 + 8 = 0$$

$$\Delta = 0^2 - 4(1 + k^2)(8)$$

$$= -32k^2 - 32$$

$$< 0$$

$L$  and  $S$  do not intersect.

22. D

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} x - 2y + 1 = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 6x + k = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $k$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
0	2	+

Required range does not contain  $k = 0$  and 0 is not a boundary value of the required range.  
The answer is D.

23. D

$$(x+3)^2 + (3-1)^2 = 5$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 1$$

$$x = -4 \quad \text{or} \quad -2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Required area} &= \frac{(-2+4)(3)}{2} \\ &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

24. D

$$x^2 + 0^2 - 8x - 6(0) + 12 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$$

$$x = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad 6$$

Coordinates of the centre  $G$  are  $(4, 3)$ .

$L$  passes through centre  $G$  and  $A$ , and has a positive slope.

The coordinates of  $A$  are  $(2, 0)$ .

$$\text{Slope of } L = \frac{3-0}{4-2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

Required equation is

$$y - 3 = \frac{3}{2}(x - 4)$$

$$y = \frac{3}{2}x - 3$$

25. C

$$\text{Centre } (-2, 4). \text{ Slope of radius} = \frac{4-3}{-2+7} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{Slope of tangent} = -5$$

Equation of tangent is

$$y - 3 = -5(x + 7)$$

$$5x + y + 32 = 0$$

26. C

$$x^2 + k^2 - 2x - 2k + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + (k^2 - 2k + 1) = 0$$

$$\Delta = 2^2 - 4(1)(k^2 - 2k + 1) = 0$$

$$-4k^2 + 8k = 0$$

$$k = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad 2$$



27. A

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} mx - y = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 4 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

- A. 1 intersection  $\rightarrow$  tangent
- B. No intersections
- C. No intersections
- D. No intersections

28. C

$$x^2 + 16^2 - 2kx - 2k(16) + k^2 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2kx + (k^2 - 32k + 256) = 0$$

$$\Delta = (2k)^2 - 4(1)(k^2 - 32k + 256) = 0$$

$$128k - 1024 = 0$$

$$k = 8$$

29. C

$$0^2 + y^2 + 8(0) - 10y + 16 = 0$$

$$\text{and } x^2 + 0^2 + 8x - 10(0) + 16 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 10y + 16 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16 = 0$$

$$y = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad 8$$

$$x = -4$$

$$\text{Required area} = \frac{(8-2)(4)}{2}$$

$$= 12$$

30. A

Solve the system  $\begin{cases} 3x + 4y + k = 0 \\ x^2 + y^2 - 12x - 14y + 60 = 0 \end{cases}$  using the calculator program.

Value of $k$	Number of intersections	Sign of $\Delta$
-71	1	0
0	0	-

Required range has -71 as a boundary value and excludes 0.

The answer is A.

31. (a)  $(x+2)(x-4) + (y+8)(y-2) = 0$   
 $x^2 + y^2 - 2x + 6y - 24 = 0$  1M  
Coordinates of centre are  $(1, -3)$  and radius  $= \sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 24} = \sqrt{34}$  1A+1A
- (b)  $\sqrt{(-2-1)^2 + (k+3)^2} < \sqrt{34}$  1M  
 $k^2 + 6k - 16 < 0$   
 $-8 < k < 2$  1A
- (c) The equation of  $L$  is  
 $y - k = 1(x + 2)$  1M  
 $y = x + 2 + k$   
 $x^2 + (x + 2 + k)^2 - 2x + 6(x + 2 + k) - 24 = 0$  1M  
 $(1+1)x^2 + [2(2+k) - 2 + 6]x + [(2+k)^2 + 12 + 6k - 24] = 0$   
 $2x^2 + (2k+8)x + (k^2 + 10k - 8) = 0$   
 $x\text{-coordinate of midpoint} = \frac{1}{2} \left( -\frac{2k+8}{2} \right) = -\frac{k+4}{2}$  1M  
When  $x = -\frac{k+4}{2}$ ,  $y = -\frac{k+4}{2} + 2 + k = \frac{k}{2}$ .  
The coordinates of the midpoint are  $\left( -\frac{k+4}{2}, \frac{k}{2} \right)$ . 1A
32. (a)  $Q(8, 6)$  1A  
Coordinates of  $C = \left( \frac{0+8}{2}, \frac{0+6}{2} \right)$  1M  
 $= (4, 3)$  1A
- (b) Slope of  $RC = \frac{6-3}{0-4} = -\frac{3}{4}$   
Slope of tangent to the circle at  $R = \frac{4}{3}$  1M  
The equation of tangent to the circle at  $P$  is  
 $\frac{y-0}{x-8} = \frac{4}{3}$  1M  
 $3y = 4x - 32$  1A  
The equation of tangent to the circle at  $R$  is  $y = \frac{4}{3}x + 6$  1A
- (c) Slope of  $OC = \frac{3-0}{4-0} = \frac{3}{4}$   
Slope of tangent to the circle at  $O = -\frac{4}{3}$  1M  
Product of slopes of two tangents  $= -\frac{4}{3} \times \frac{4}{3} = -\frac{16}{9} \neq -1$  1M  
So, the tangents to the circle at  $R$  and at  $O$  are not perpendicular.  
Thus, the quadrilateral formed is not a rectangle. The claim is not correct. 1A

33. (a)  $\angle ABC = \angle AOC$

$$\angle ADC = 2\angle ABC = 2\angle AOC \quad 1M$$

$$\angle OCD = \angle OAD = 90^\circ \quad 1M$$

In quadrilateral  $OACD$ ,

$$\angle AOC + 2 \times 90^\circ + \angle ADC = 360^\circ \quad 1M$$

$$3\angle AOC = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle AOC = 60^\circ \quad 1A$$

(b) (i)  $\angle AOD = \frac{1}{2}\angle AOC = 30^\circ \quad 1M$

In  $\triangle AOD$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 30^\circ &= \frac{AD}{OD} \\ &= \frac{BD}{OD} \end{aligned}$$

$$OD = 2BD \quad 1M$$

Therefore, the coordinates of  $D$  are  $\left(\frac{0+2 \times 9}{3}, \frac{0+2 \times 9}{3}\right) = (6, 6).$  1A

Required equation is

$$(x-6)^2 + (y-6)^2 = (9-6)^2 + (9-6)^2$$

$$(x-6)^2 + (y-6)^2 = 18 \quad 1A$$

(ii) Let  $y = mx$  be the equation of tangent from  $O$ .

$$(x-6)^2 + (mx-6)^2 = 18 \quad 1M$$

$$(m^2 + 1)x^2 - 12(m+1)x + 54 = 0$$

Since  $y = mx$  is a tangent,

$$\Delta = [-12(m+1)]^2 - 4(m^2+1)(54) = 0 \quad 1M$$

$$-72m^2 + 288m - 72 = 0 \quad 1A$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4}}{2} \\ &= 2 \pm \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

The equation of  $OA$  and  $OC$  are  $y = (2 - \sqrt{3})x$  and  $y = (2 + \sqrt{3})x$  respectively. 1A+1A

34. (a)  $CE \perp AB$  (property of orthocentre)

$BD \perp AC$  (property of orthocentre)

$$\angle BEC = \angle BDC = 90^\circ$$

Thus,  $BCDE$  is a cyclic quadrilateral. (converse of  $\angle$ s in the same segment)

Marking Scheme		
<b>Case 1</b>	Any correct proof with correct reasons.	2
<b>Case 2</b>	Any correct proof without reasons.	1

(b) (i) Coordinates of centre =  $\left(\frac{-6+14}{2}, \frac{-6-6}{2}\right) = (4, -6)$  1A

The equation of the circle is

$$(x-4)^2 + (y+6)^2 = (0-4)^2 + (8+6)^2 \quad 1M$$

$$(x-4)^2 + (y+6)^2 = 100 \quad 1A$$

(ii) Distance between A and centre =  $\sqrt{4^2 + (-6-8)^2} = \sqrt{212}$

Radius of circle = 10

$$\text{Angle between two tangents} = 2 \times \tan^{-1} \frac{10}{\sqrt{212}} \approx 86.8^\circ \neq 90^\circ \quad 1M+1A$$

The claim is not agreed. 1A

35. (a)  $AB^2 = 9^2 + 18^2 = 405$   
 $AC^2 = 13^2 + 16^2 = 425$   
 $BC^2 = 4^2 + 2^2 = 20$   
 Therefore,  $AB^2 + BC^2 = AC^2$ . 1M  
 Thus,  $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$ .  
 $\triangle ABC$  is a right-angled triangle. 1A
- (b) The coordinates of the centre =  $\left(\frac{-9+4}{2}, \frac{-8+8}{2}\right) = \left(-\frac{5}{2}, 0\right)$  1A  
 The equation of  $\Omega$  is  

$$\left(x + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + y^2 = \left(0 + \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + 10^2$$
 1M  

$$x^2 + y^2 + 5x - 100 = 0$$
 1A
- (c) (i) The coordinates of  $D$  are  $(10, 0)$ . 1A  

$$(10)^2 + 0^2 + 5(10) - 100 = 50 \neq 0$$
  
 Therefore,  $D$  does not lie on the circle passing through  $A, B$  and  $C$ . 1M  
 Thus,  $ABCD$  is not a cyclic quadrilateral. 1A
- (ii) Let the slope of  $L$  be  $m$ .  
 The equation of  $L$  is  $y = m(x - 10)$ . 1M  
 Substitute  $L$  into  $\Omega$ ,  

$$x^2 + (mx - 10m)^2 + 5x - 100 = 0$$
 1M  

$$(1 + m^2)x^2 + (-20m^2 + 5)x + (100m^2 - 100) = 0$$
  
 Since  $L$  is tangent,  $\Delta = 0$ .  

$$(20m^2 - 5)^2 - 4(1 + m^2)(100m^2 - 100) = 0$$
 1M  

$$-200m^2 + 425 = 0$$
  

$$m = \pm \frac{\sqrt{34}}{4}$$
 1A  
 The equations of  $L$  are  $y = \frac{\sqrt{34}}{4}(x - 10)$  and  $y = -\frac{\sqrt{34}}{4}(x - 10)$ .