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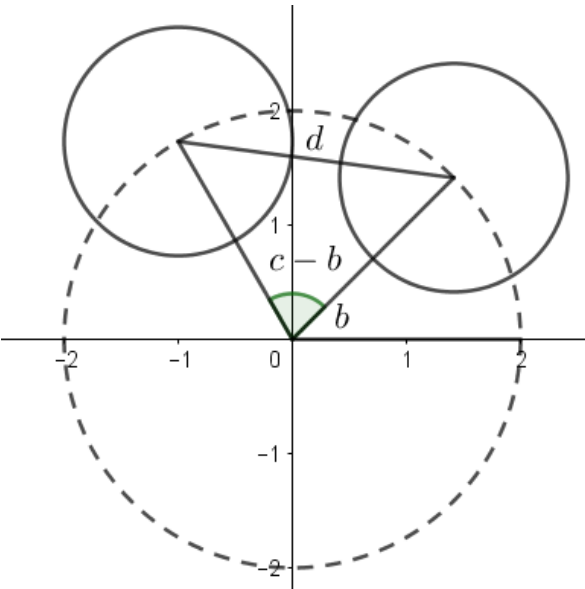
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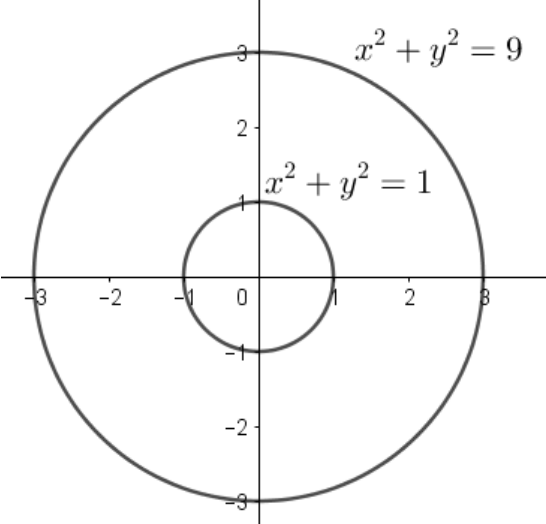
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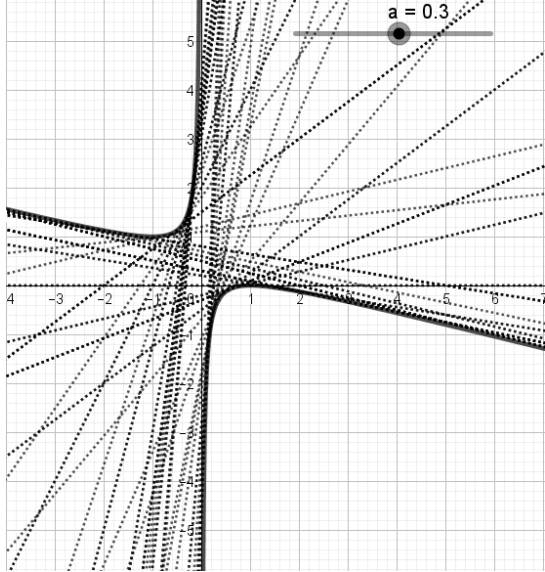
Annotations and abbreviations

Annotation in scoris	Meaning
✓ and ✖	
BOD	Benefit of doubt
FT	Follow through
ISW	Ignore subsequent working
M0, M1	Method mark awarded 0, 1
A0, A1	Accuracy mark awarded 0, 1
B0, B1	Independent mark awarded 0, 1
E	Explanation mark 1
SC	Special case
^	Omission sign
MR	Misread
BP	Blank page
Highlighting	
Other abbreviations in mark scheme	Meaning
E1	Mark for explaining a result or establishing a given result
dep*	Mark dependent on a previous mark, indicated by *. The * may be omitted if only previous M mark.
cao	Correct answer only
oe	Or equivalent
rot	Rounded or truncated
soi	Seen or implied
www	Without wrong working
AG	Answer given
awrt	Anything which rounds to
BC	By Calculator
DR	This indicates that the instruction In this question you must show detailed reasoning appears in the question.

Question	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
1 (a)	$x^2 + y^2 = 4$	B1 [1]	1.2	
1 (b)	<p>Let d be the distance concerned. Then d is as in the diagram below.</p>  <p>By reference to a diagram using the cosine rule</p> $d^2 = 2^2 + 2^2 - 2 \times 2 \times 2 \cos(c - b)$ $= 8(1 - \cos(c - b))$ <p>Therefore $d = 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c - b)}$.</p>	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>2.1</p> <p>1.1</p>	<p>Diagram not necessary.</p> <p>Alternatives here include $d^2 = (2 \cos(c) - 2 \cos(b))^2 + (2 \sin(c) - 2 \sin(b))^2$</p>

Question	Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
(c)	<p>For the circles to touch, need $d = 2$ in the above.</p> $2 = 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c-b)}$ $\Rightarrow 1 = \sqrt{2}\sqrt{1 - \cos(c-b)}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{1 - \cos(c-b)}$ <p>Then $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = 1 - \cos(c-b)$</p> $\Rightarrow \cos(c-b) = \frac{1}{2}$ $\Rightarrow c-b = \frac{\pi}{3}, \text{ since } 0 \leq b < c < \pi$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1 [2]</p>	<p>2.1</p> <p>1.1</p>	<p>Or just state that it's an equilateral triangle in this case.</p>
(d)		<p>B1</p> <p>B1 [2]</p>	<p>1.1</p> <p>1.1</p>	<p>Equations are not required in this part.</p>

Question		Answer	Marks	AOs	Guidance
	(e)	$x^2 + y^2 = 1$ $x^2 + y^2 = 9$	B1 B1 [2]	1.2 1.2	
2	(a)	Gradient of the line through $(0, a)$ and $(1, a^2)$ is $\frac{a^2 - a}{1 - 0} = a(1 - a) .$ The line crosses the y – axis at $(0, a)$ so the equation of the line is $y = a(a - 1)x + a$	 M1 A1 [2]	 1.1a 1.1b	
	(b)	The two straight lines are $y = b(b - 1)x + b$ and $y = c(c - 1)x + c$. These are parallel if $b(b - 1) = c(c - 1)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = c^2 - b^2 + b - c$ $\Rightarrow 0 = (c - b)(c + b) - (c - b)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = (c - b)(c + b - 1)$ $\Rightarrow 0 = c + b - 1$ (since $c \neq b$) $\Rightarrow c + b = 1$	 M1 M1 A1 [3]	 3.1a 2.4 2.1	 Note that equation can be solved using CAS which is an acceptable method.

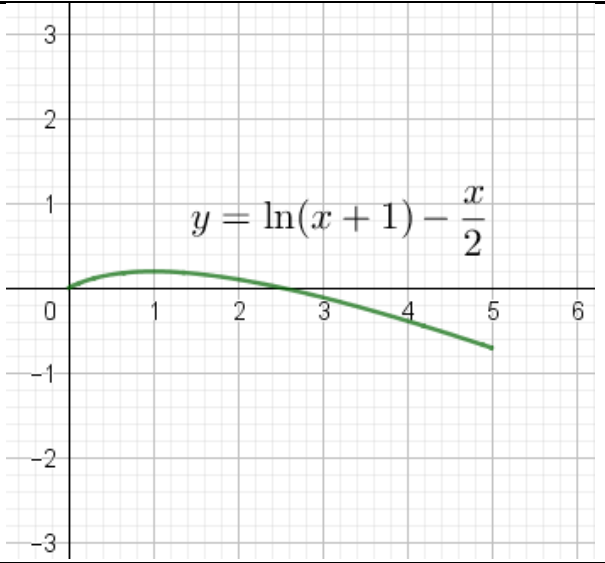
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(c)		<p>B1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>1.1b</p> <p>1.1b</p>	<p>One mark for each branch of the curve, check for shape, asymptotes, max/min and quadrants and points on the axes. Note that question requires ‘sketch’.</p>	

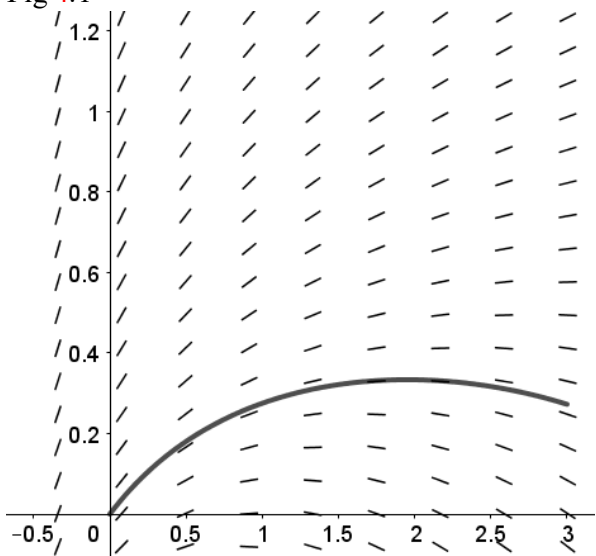
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(d)	<p>Let $f(x, y, a) = a(a-1)x - y + a$.</p> <p>The envelope is the set of points for which, simultaneously $f(x, y, a) = 0$ and</p> $\frac{\partial f}{\partial a}(x, y, a) = 0, \text{ for some value of } a.$ <p>$f(x, y, a) = a^2x - ax - y + a$</p> $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial a} = 2ax - x + 1$ <p>$\frac{\partial f}{\partial a}(x, y, a) = 0$ implies that $a = \frac{x-1}{2x}$ (note x not zero),</p> <p>If, in addition, $f(x, y, a) = 0$ then</p> $0 = \left(\frac{x-1}{2x}\right)\left(\frac{x-1}{2x} - 1\right)x - y + \frac{x-1}{2x}$ $\Rightarrow y = \frac{x-1}{2x}\left(\frac{-1-x}{2} + 1\right) \text{ oe isw}$	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[5]</p>	<p>3.1a</p> <p>1.1</p> <p>1.1</p> <p>2.2a</p> <p>2.1</p>	<p>This is awarded for any correct expression with y in terms of x explicitly.</p> <p>Might also see $y = -\frac{(x-1)^2}{4x}$ or $y = \left(\frac{x-1}{2x}\right)\left(\frac{1-x}{2}\right)$ for example.</p>	

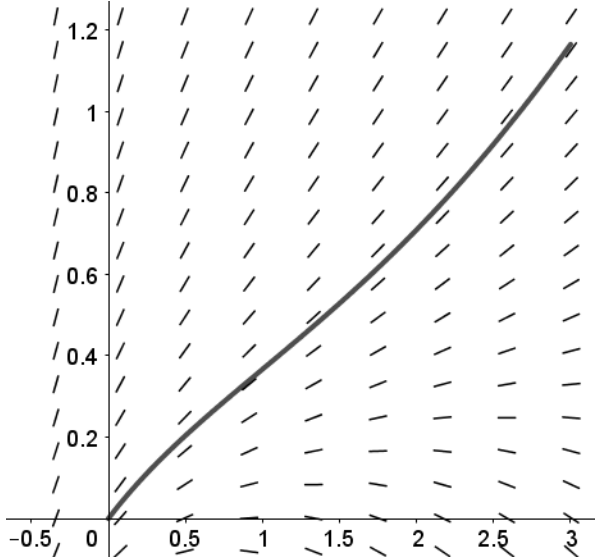
3	(a)	(i)	<p>Appropriate structure program</p> <p>Loop with correct range dependent on m, n. Check for common divisors with if statement and tracking greatest one found.</p> <p>Fully correct program.</p>	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 [3]</p>	<p>3.3</p> <p>2.1</p> <p>2.5</p>	<p>Pseudo code accepted, condone lack of syntax, give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors</p> <p>Example code for Python</p> <pre>def hcf(m,n): k = min(m,n) hcf=1 for i in range(1,k+1): if m%i==0 and n%i==0: hcf=i return hcf print(hcf(m,n))</pre>	
		(ii)	$(74333, 89817) = 49$	<p>B1 [1]</p>	1.1	Set $m = 74333$ and $n = 89817$ in the above.	

	(b)	(i)	<p>Appropriate structure program</p> <p>Loop with correct range and counts number of values coprime to k.</p> <p>Fully correct programme</p>	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[3]</p>	<p>3.3</p> <p>2.1</p> <p>2.5</p>	<p>Pseudo code accepted, condone lack of syntax, give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors</p> <p>Example code for Python with hcf function as in 2(i) above.</p> <pre>def phi(k): count = 0 for i in range(1,k): if hcf(i,k)==1: count = count + 1 return count print(phi(k))</pre>	
		(ii)	$\varphi(128) = 64$ and $\varphi(1000) = 400$	<p>B1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>1.1</p> <p>1.1</p>		
		(iii)	$\varphi(2^n) = 2^{n-1}$. This is because all the odd numbers less than 2^n are coprime to 2^n and all the even numbers less than 2^n are not. There are 2^{n-1} such odd numbers.	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>2.1</p> <p>3.2a</p>	<p>Spotting odd/even property.</p> <p>Correct value in terms of n.</p>	
		(iv)	$\varphi(10^n) = 4 \times 10^{n-1}$. All numbers less than 10^n with final digit 1, 3, 7 and 9 are coprime to 10^n , any other number is not. There are four such numbers in 1, 2, ..., 10, four in 11, 12, ..., 20, four in 21, 22, ..., 30, and so on. There are 10^{n-1} such groups before reaching 10^n . So there are $4 \times 10^{n-1}$ number less than 10^n which are coprime to 10^n .	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>[3]</p>	<p>2.1</p> <p>2.2a</p> <p>3.2a</p>	<p>Spotting end digit property.</p> <p>Applying it across all numbers less than 10^n.</p> <p>Correct value in terms of n.</p>	

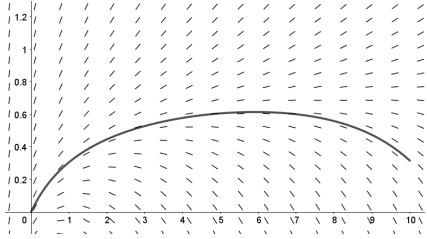
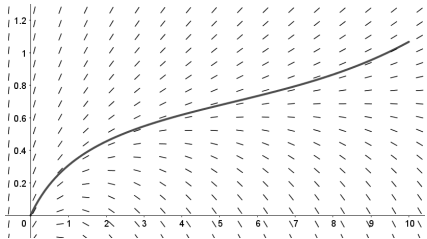
	(c)	(i)	<p>F(5) = 9, the corresponding fractions are $\frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{4}{5}$.</p> <p>F(6) = 11, the corresponding fractions are $\frac{1}{6}, \frac{1}{5}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{5}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{3}{4}, \frac{4}{5}, \frac{5}{6}$</p>	B1	1.1			
		(ii)	<p>Adding to the distinct fractions between 0 and 1 with denominator k, the only 'new' fractions with denominator $k + 1$ have numerators which are coprime to $k + 1$. Therefore there are $\varphi(k + 1)$ of these.</p>	B1	3.1a			
		(iii)	<p>By (c)(ii) required value is $\sum_{k=1}^{100} \varphi(k)$. By adapting previous program this is 3043.</p>	M1	3.1a	<pre>By adding code such as def fracs(k): count = 0 for i in range(1,k+1): count = count + phi(i) return count print(fracs(100))</pre>	A1 [2]	1.1

4	(a)	(i)	Solution is $y = \ln(x+1) - \frac{x}{2}$	B1 [1]	1.1a		
		(ii)		B1 [1]	1.1		
		(iii)	<p>With $y = \ln(x+1) - \frac{x}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{2}$.</p> <p>Solving $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ gives $x = 1$. When $x = 1$,</p> $y = \ln(2) - \frac{1}{2}$	M1 A1 [2]	1.1a 1.1		
	(b)	(i)	Fig 4.1, a is around 0.5	B1 [1]	1.1		

		(ii)	Fig 4.2. a is around 1	B1 [1]	1.1		
		(iii)	<p>Fig 4.1</p> 	B1	1.1	Sufficient to see slight downturn as x increases and only stationary pt is the maximum	

		(iv)	<p>Fig 3.2</p> 	<p>B1</p> <p>[2]</p>	<p>1.1</p>	<p>Sufficient to be increasing.</p>	
		(v)	<p>One is increasing for the values of x shown. The other has a stationary point (local maximum).</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>[1]</p>	<p>1.2</p>	<p>Either comment will do. Allow 'one intersects the x-axis (eventually), the other doesn't.'</p>	

	(c)	(i)	<p>A1 contains 0 B1 contains 0 I1 contains 0.1 (the value of h) K1 contains a (the value of a) C1 = $\\$I\\$1*((1-A1)/(2*(A1+1))+\\$K\\$1*ATAN(B1))$ D1 = $\\$I\\$1*((1-(A1+\\$I\\$1))/(2*(A1+\\$I\\$1+1))+\\$K\\$1*ATAN(B1+C1))$ A2 = $A1+\\$I\\1 B2 = $=B1+0.5*(C1+D1)$ copy down</p>	B1	3.1a	Give reasonable BOD on possible transcription errors and consider correct answers to 4(c)(ii), 4(c)(iii), 4(c)(iv) as evidence of correct formulae in the spreadsheet.	
		(ii)	Approximation to y when $x = 5.0$ with $a = 0.5$, using $h = 0.1$ is -0.249889 (to 6 d.p.)	B1 [1]	1.1	Allows for a and h to be varied. Cols for x and y Cols for k_1 and k_2 Formulae for x_{n+1} and y_{n+1}	
		(iii)	Approximation to y when $x = 5.0$ with $a = 1$, using $h = 0.1$ is 3.160809 (to 6 d.p.)	B1 [1]	1.1	Correct answer to at least 3 s.f. Must for correct for the number of significant figures given.	

		<p>(iv) Using $a = 0.645$ (with $h = 0.1$) produces an approximate solution which increases initially but then peaks and decreases. Using $a = 0.655$ (with $h = 0.1$) produces an approximate solution which increases indefinitely.</p> <p>This is evidence that a^* is between 0.645 and 0.655.</p> <p>This suggests that $a^* = 0.65$ to 2 d.p.</p>	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 [4]</p>	<p>3.1a</p> <p>3.1a</p> <p>2.2a</p> <p>2.2b</p>	<p>Further investigation of other values of h and graphing software might be used to confirm this. This should be awarded credit appropriately.</p> <p>E.g here is solution with $a = 0.645$</p>  <p>And here is solution with $a = 0.655$</p> 	
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Question	A01	A02	A03	E	C	A	
1(i)(A)	1			1			C1, C4
1(i)(B)	1	1		2			C4
1(i)(C)	1	1		1	1		C4
1(i)(D)	2			2			C9
1(i)(E)	2			2			C4, C9
1(ii)(A)	2			2			C4
1(ii)(B)		2	1	1	2		C4
1(ii)(C)	2			1	1		C9
1(ii)(D)	2	2	1			5	C9
2(i)(A)		2	1	2	1		T1, T5
2(i)(B)	1			1			T5
2(ii)(A)		2	1	2	1		T6
2(ii)(B)	2			1	1		T5, T6
2(ii)(C)		1	1	1	1		T5, T6
2(ii)(D)		2	1	1	1	1	T5, T6
2(iii)(A)	2			2			T5
2(iii)(B)		1	1			2	T5, T6
2(iii)(C)	1		1			2	T5, T6
3(i)(A)	1			1			C1
3(i)(B)	1			1			C1
3(i)(C)	2			2			C5
3(ii)(A)	2			2			C2, C6
3(ii)(B)	2			2			C6
3(ii)(C)	1				1		C6
3(iii)(A)		1	3		3	1	C7
3(iii)(B)	1				1		C7
3(iii)(C)	1				1		C7
3(iii)(D)		2	2			4	C6, C7, C8
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