

2010 VCAA Further Mathematics Exam 2 Solutions
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### Core

Q1a 11 out of 22, 
$$\frac{11}{22} = \frac{1}{2}$$
 or 0.5 or 50%

Q1b 
$$Median = \frac{32 + 24}{2} = 28$$
,  $range = 56 - 0 = 56$ ,  $IOR = 38 - 21 = 17$ 

Q1c 1|246

Q1d If we take the 'centre' to mean the middle value of a set of data arranged in order, then the median is the perfect measure of the centre of *any* distribution because the median divides the data set into 2 halves, 50% above and below the value. The mean indicates the average of the values in the data set. If the distribution of the data set is close to symmetric, like in this case, then the mean is close to and a good indicator of the centre.

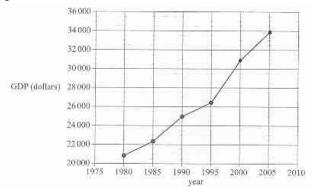
Q2a Male income

Q2b Increase in female income =  $0.35 \times 1000 = $350$ 

Q2ci Average annual female income  $= 13000 + 0.35 \times 15000 = $18250$ 

Q2cii The data set is for the 16 countries where the male income is \$40000 or over (except 1), .: it is not reliable to use the regression line to predict the average annual female income for a country with a much lower average annual male income of \$15000.





Q3b Increasing trend

Q3c Use CAS/calculator:  $GDP = 20000 + 524 \times time$ 

Q3d For year 2007, time = 27,  $predicted\ GDP = 20000 + 524 \times 27 = 34148$ . Error = 34900 - 34148 = 752 below the actual GDP.

# **Module 1: Number patterns**

Q1ai 
$$7.90 - 6.20 = 1.70$$
,  $6.20 - 4.50 = 1.70$ ,  $d = $1.70$ 

Q1aii 
$$A_5 = 4.50 + (5-1)1.70 = $11.30$$

Q1aiii 
$$A_n = 4.50 + (n-1)1.70 = 16.40$$
, .:  $n = 8$ 

Q1aiv 
$$S_{15} = \frac{15}{2} (2 \times 4.50 + (15 - 1)1.70) = $246$$

Q1av Compare  $A_{n+1} = mA_n + k$  with  $A_{n+1} = A_n + d$  for an arithmetic sequence, m = 1 and k = d = 1.70

Q1bi The charge is \$5.00 for travelling along one section of road in a single trip on the tollway.

Q1bii 
$$B_{n+1} = 0.9B_n + 3$$
,  $B_1 = 5$   
 $B_2 = 0.9B_1 + 3 = 0.9 \times 5 + 3 = 7.50$   
 $B_3 = 0.9B_2 + 3 = 0.9 \times 7.50 + 3 = 9.75$  dollars

Q1biii Use CAS to list the terms. The terms approach 30 as the limit.  $\therefore$  maximum charge = \$30

Q1c Use CAS to list the terms for both difference equations:

n	$A_n$	$B_n$
10	19.8	20.31
11	21.5	21.28

For 10 or less sections, it is cheaper to use pass A. For 11 or more sections, it is cheaper to use pass B.

Q2a 
$$S_n = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}$$
,  $r = 1.05$ ,  $n = 6$   
 $\therefore 100 = \frac{a(1.05^6 - 1)}{0.05}$ ,  $\therefore$  the first section  $a \approx 14.7$  km

Q2b 
$$L_{n+1} = 1.05L_n$$
 where  $L_1 = 14.7$  and  $1 \le n \le 5$ 

### **Module 2: Geometry and trigonometry**

O1a 
$$x^{\circ} = 180^{\circ} - 60^{\circ} = 120^{\circ}$$

Q1b Bearing of the entry gate from the canoeing activity:  $360^{\circ}-120^{\circ}=240^{\circ}$ 

Q1c  $40\cos 60^{\circ} = 20 \text{ m}$  north of the entry gate

Q1di 
$$Area = \frac{1}{2} \times 40 \times 90 \times \sin 120^{\circ} \approx 1558.8 \text{ m}^2$$

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Q1dii 
$$\overline{GW} = \sqrt{40^2 + 90^2 - 2(40)(90)\cos 120^\circ} \approx 115.3 \text{ m}$$

Q1ei 
$$\angle CKW = 180^{\circ} - 2 \times 10^{\circ} = 160^{\circ}$$

Q1eii 
$$\frac{\overline{CK}}{\sin 10^{\circ}} = \frac{90}{\sin 160^{\circ}}, \ \overline{CK} \approx 45.7 \text{ m}$$

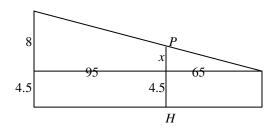
Q2a Horizontal distance  $\overline{DF} = 4.5 \times 2 = 9.0 \,\mathrm{m}$ 

Q2b 
$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{10}{9} \right) \approx 48^{\circ} > 45^{\circ}$$
, unsafe

Q2c Let x m be the horizontal distance from E to F.  $\frac{4}{x} = 0.8$ , x = 5..: on the map  $\overline{EF} = 2.5$  cm

Q3 
$$V = \frac{1}{3}x^2h$$
,  $1.8 = \frac{1}{3}x^2 \times 2.5$ ,  $x \approx 1.47$ 

Q4



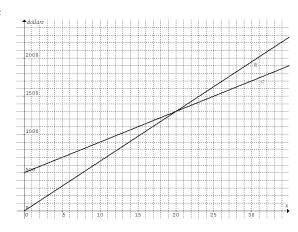
$$\frac{x}{65} = \frac{8}{95 + 65}$$
,  $x = 3.25$ , .:  $\overline{PH} = 3.25 + 4.5 = 7.75$  m

# **Module 3: Graphs and relations**

Q1a R = 65x

Q1b  $C = 500 + 40x = 500 + 40 \times 30 = 1700$  dollars

Q1c



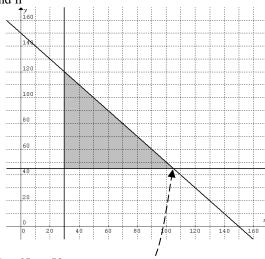
Q1d Read from graph, 20.

Q2 
$$R = 65 \times 35 + 50m = 4275$$
,  $m = 40$ 

Q3a The total number of pillows that can be sold each week does not exceed 150.

Q3b Read from graph, k = 45.

Q3ci and ii



Q3d R = 65x + 50y

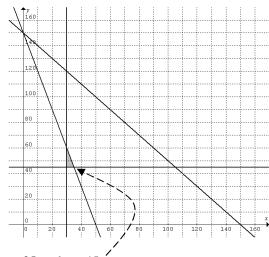
When x = 105 and y = 45, –

*Maximum R* =  $65 \times 105 + 50 \times 45 = 9075$  dollars

Q3e 
$$2x + x + y \le 150$$
, .:  $3x + y \le 150$ 

Q3f 
$$R = 65x + 50y + 55(2x)$$
, ::  $R = 175x + 50y$ 

Q3g



When x = 35 and y = 45,

*Maximum R* =  $175 \times 35 + 50 \times 45 = 8375$  dollars

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## **Module 4: Business-related mathematics**

Q1ai  $Total\ amount = 55 \times 48 = $2640$ 

O1aii Total interest = 2640 - 2000 = \$640

Q1aiii 
$$I = \frac{\Pr T}{100}$$
,  $640 = \frac{2000 \times r \times 4}{100}$ ,  $r = 8$ , i.e. 8%

Q1b Cash price = 
$$2000 \times \left(1 + \frac{2.5}{100}\right) \left(1 + \frac{2}{100}\right) = $2091$$

Q2a Monthly payment = 
$$\frac{I}{12} = \frac{360000 \times 5.2}{100 \times 12} = \$1560$$

Q2b \$360000

Q3a The same calculation is used to find the interest in the first year for both investments. Simple Saver pays higher annual interest amount than Growth Plus does. .: the Simple Saver's rate is higher than that of Growth Plus.

Q3b Amount of annual interest = 
$$\frac{21800 - 8000}{15} = $920$$

Q3ci 
$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^n$$
, 24000 = 8000  $\left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^{15}$ 

Q3cii  $r \approx 7.6$ , i.e. 7.6%

Q4ai TVM Solver: Monthly repayment ≈ \$1827.32

Q4aii Total interest amount  $=1827.32 \times 240 - 250000 \approx $188557$ 

Q4b TVM Solver: *Outstanding principal* ≈ \$213118

Q4c TVM Solver: Number of months to repay the \$100000 loan  $\approx 104$ .

.: number of months to repay the \$250000 loan  $=12\times9+104=212$  months

#### **Module 5: Networks and decision mathematics**

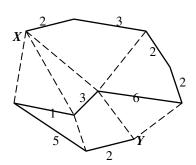
Q1a No direct communication

Q1b f = 1, g = 0

Q2a From X to Y, 4+3+4=11 minutes

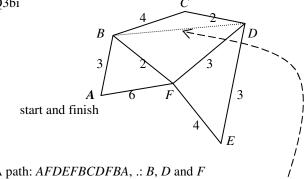
Q2bi Hamiltonian path

Q2bii



Q3a D

Q3bi

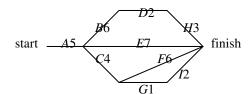


A path: AFDEFBCDFBA, .: B, D and F

Q3bii 
$$6+3+3+4+2+4+2+3+2+3=32 \text{ km}$$

Q3c Euler's circuit: all vertices are even. .: bush path connects B and D.

Q4 Use the immediate predecessors to construct the following diagram:



Q4a 2

Q4b Earliest start time for F = 5 + 4 = 9 minutes

Q4c A and C

Q4d Float time for G = 13 - 9 = 4 minutes

Q4e Shortest completion time = 5+6+2+3=16 minutes

Q4f The critical path is A-B-D-H.

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### **Module 6: Matrices**

Q1a 
$$N = [4 \ 8 \ 2]$$

Q1b 
$$P = N \times G = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 8 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 26 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q1c The total number of points scored by Oscar in the game was 26.

Q2a The percentage of players in  $\boldsymbol{H}$  training is changed to  $\boldsymbol{M}$  training from week to week.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.1 & 0.1 \\ 0.2 & 0.6 & 0.5 \\ 0.3 & 0.3 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 90 \\ 150 \\ 60 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 66 \\ 138 \\ 96 \end{bmatrix}$$

66 players

O2c

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0.1 & 0.1 \\ 0.2 & 0.6 & 0.5 \\ 0.3 & 0.3 & 0.4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 66 \\ 138 \\ 96 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dots \\ 144 \\ \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

150-144=6 fewer players

Q2d After repeated applications of transition matrix T,

$$S_6$$
,  $S_7$ ,  $S_8$ , ..... =  $\begin{bmatrix} 50 \\ 150 \\ 100 \end{bmatrix}$ , i.e. the number of players in each

type of training becomes stable after five weeks.

.: the number of players in each type of training becomes stable after seven weeks.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p \\ r \\ a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 40 \\ 43 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q3b

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 & -4 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ x & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 & -4 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -5 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

x = -5

$$\begin{bmatrix} p \\ r \\ a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -1 & -4 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ -5 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 33 \\ 40 \\ 43 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \dots \\ 10 \\ \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

r = 10

Q4ai

$$A_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2100 \\ 1100 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q4aii 2100+1100=3200 caps

O4h

$$A_{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}^9 \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 2613 \\ 1613 \end{bmatrix}$$

Q4c

$$A_{80} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}^{79} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3000 \\ 2000 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{81} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}^{80} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1000 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3000 \\ 2000 \end{bmatrix}$$

The number of people attending the Dinosaurs' game is expected to increase gradually from 2000 and become constant at 3000.

Q4

$$A_{2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1800 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1860 \\ 1660 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{10} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}^{9} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1800 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1142 \\ 942 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_{80} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.2 & -0.3 \\ 0.2 & 0.7 \end{bmatrix}^{79} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1800 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -3 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2000 \\ 1800 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 600 \\ 400 \end{bmatrix}$$

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