


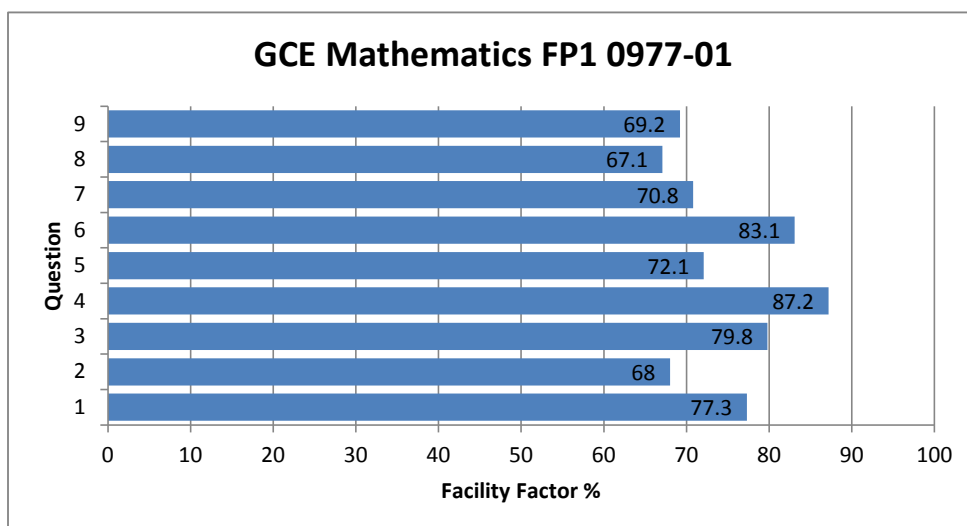


GCE Mathematics FP1 0977-01

All Candidates' performance across questions

						
Question Title	N	Mean	S D	Max Mark	FF	Attempt %
1	326	7.7	2.6	10	77.3	99.7
2	323	4.8	1.9	7	68	98.8
3	324	6.4	2.1	8	79.8	99.1
4	327	5.2	1.2	6	87.2	100
5	320	7.2	2.8	10	72.1	97.9
6	324	7.5	2.2	9	83.1	99.1
7	317	6.4	2.9	9	70.8	96.9
8	319	4.7	2.2	7	67.1	97.5
9	317	6.2	2.7	9	69.2	96.9



4. The complex number z is given by

$$z = \frac{1 + 2i}{1 - i}.$$

Find the modulus and the argument of z .

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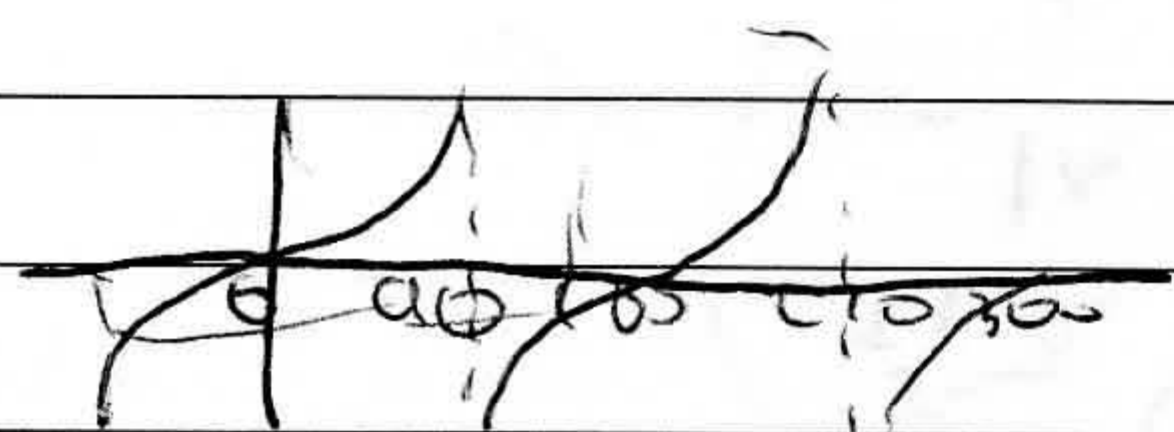
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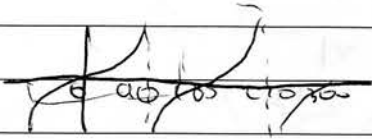
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5. The roots of the cubic equation

$$x^3 + 2x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$$

are denoted by α, β, γ .

(a) Find the cubic equation whose roots are $\beta\gamma, \gamma\alpha, \alpha\beta$.

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(b) Show that

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 = 0.$$

Deduce the number of real roots of the cubic equation

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justifying your answer.

[4]

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7. The transformation T in the plane consists of a clockwise rotation through 90° about the origin, followed by a translation in which the point (x, y) is transformed to the point $(x + 1, y + 2)$, followed by a reflection in the y -axis.

(a) Show that the matrix representing T is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}. \quad [5]$$

(b) Find the equation of the image under T of the line $y = 2x + 1$. [4]

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8. Using mathematical induction, prove that

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (r \times 2^{r-1}) = 1 + 2^n(n-1),$$

for all positive integers n .

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$$8. \sum_{r=1}^n (r \cdot 2^{r-1}) = 1 + 2^n(n-1).$$

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