



(Knowledge for Development)

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2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR
FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER
SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION
FOR THE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION
MATHEMATICS

COURSE CODE: EDM 109

COURSE TITLE: GRAPHS OF BASIC CURVES AND POLAR
COORDINATES

DATE: 24/9/2021

TIME: 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One and Any other TWO Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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Question One (20 Marks)

- a) Draw the graph of the function $y=x^2+4x-5$ for $-7 \leq x \leq 3$. Use the graph to solve the equation $x^2+4x-5=0$. (6 marks)
- b) Find the center of the hyperbola $3y^2-4x^2-16-8x=0$. (5 marks)
- c) Convert P(4,9) to polar coordinates. (5 marks)
- d) Complete the table below on conic sections and eccentricity (e). (4 marks)

Eccentricity	Conic section
$e=0$	
$0 < e < 1$	
$e=1$	
	hyperbola

Question Two (20 Marks)

- a) Draw the graph of $y = 2x^3+x^2-5x+2$ for the interval $-3 \leq x \leq 3$. By drawing a suitable straight line using the same axes, solve $2x^3+x^2-5x+2=6x+12$ (10 marks)
- b) Draw the graph of $y = (3x+1)(2x-5)$ for the domain $-1 \leq x \leq 4$. Use your graph to solve $6x^2-19x-9=0$ (10 marks)

Question Three (20 Marks)

- a) Graph $r = \frac{2}{4-\cos\theta}$ (10 marks)
- b) Prove that the equation $4x^2+y^2-8x+2y+1=0$ represents an ellipse. Find its eccentricity and foci. (10 marks)

Question Four (20 Marks)

Graph the following standard polar curves

- a) $r = 3\cos\theta$ (5 marks)
- b) $r = 2+2\sin\theta$ (5 marks)
- c) $r = \cos 3\theta$ (5 marks)
- d) $r = \sin 2\theta$ (5 marks)

Question Five (20 Marks)

- a) Calculate the coordinates of foci of the hyperbola $(x+3)^2/16-(y-2)^2/9 = 1$ (10 marks)
- b) Express $4x^2-y^2-24x-4y+28=0$ in standard form hence compute the coordinates of foci of the parabola (10 marks)