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The matrix **M** is given by $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ k & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, where k is a constant and $k \neq 0$ or 1. 3 (a) The matrix M represents a sequence of two geometrical transformations. State the type of each transformation, and make clear the order in which they are applied. [2] **(b)** Write M^{-1} as the product of two matrices, neither of which is **I**. [2] (c) Show that the invariant points of the transformation represented by **M** lie on the line $y = \frac{k^2}{1-k}x$.

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| | The triangle ABC in the x - y plane is tran | sformed by M onto triang | gle <i>DEF</i> . |
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The function f is such that f''(x) = f(x).

Prove by mathematical induction that, for every positive integer n,

| $\frac{d^{2n-1}}{dx^{2n-1}}(xf(x)) = xf'(x) + (2n-1)f(x).$ | [7] |
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- 5 The curve C has polar equation $r = a \sec^2 \theta$, where a is a positive constant and $0 \le \theta \le \frac{1}{4}\pi$.
 - (a) Sketch C, stating the polar coordinates of the point of intersection of C with the initial line and also with the half-line $\theta = \frac{1}{4}\pi$.

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| (b) | Find the maximum distance of a point of C from the initial line. | [2 |
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| (c) | Find the area of the region enclosed by C , the initial line and the half-line $\theta = \frac{1}{4}\pi$. | [4] |
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| 1110 | e point P on l_1 and the point Q on l_2 are such that PQ is perpendicular to both l_1 and l_2 . | | | | |
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The plane Π_1 contains PQ and l_1 . The plane Π_2 contains PQ and l_2 . (b) (i) Write down an equation of Π_1 , giving your answer in the form $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + s\mathbf{b} + t\mathbf{c}$. [1] Find an equation of Π_2 , giving your answer in the form ax + by + cz = d. [4] (c) Find the acute angle between $\boldsymbol{\varPi}_1$ and $\boldsymbol{\varPi}_2.$ [5]

| (a) | Find the equations of the asymptotes of <i>C</i> . | |
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| (b) | Find the exact coordinates of the stationary points on <i>C</i> . | |
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(c) Sketch C, stating the coordinates of any intersections with the axes.

(d) Sketch the curve with equation $y = \left| \frac{x^2 - x}{x+1} \right|$ and find in exact form the set of values of x for which $\left| \frac{x^2 - x}{x+1} \right| < 6$.



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