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<p>1. (a)</p> $\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 1 & \lambda & -1 \\ \lambda & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \lambda^3 - 3\lambda + 2$ <p>\therefore (*) has non-trivial solutions</p> <p>$\therefore \lambda^3 - 3\lambda + 2 = 0$</p> <p>$(\lambda + 2)(\lambda - 1)^2 = 0$</p> <p>$\lambda = -2$ or 1</p>		<p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A</p>
	<p>Alternatively,</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 1 & \lambda & -1 \\ \lambda & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 0 & \lambda - 1 & \lambda - 1 \\ 0 & 1 - \lambda & -1 + \lambda^2 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & -\lambda \\ 0 & \lambda - 1 & \lambda - 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda^2 + \lambda - 2 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>\therefore (*) has non-trivial solutions if $\lambda - 1 = 0$ or $\lambda^2 + \lambda - 2 = 0$</p> <p>$\lambda = -2$ or 1</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>(b) When $\lambda = -2$, (*) becomes $\begin{cases} x + y + 2z = 0 \\ y + z = 0 \end{cases}$</p> <p>S.S. = $\{(t, t, -t) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$</p> <p>When $\lambda = 1$, (*) becomes $x + y - z = 0$.</p> <p>S.S. = $\{(s, t, s+t) : s, t \in \mathbb{R}\}$</p>		<p>1M for substitution</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>(6)</p>
<p>2 (a)</p> $\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{n!}{(n-k)!k!} + \frac{n!}{(n-k-1)!(k+1)!} &= \frac{n!}{(n-k-1)!k!} \left[\frac{1}{n-k} + \frac{1}{k+1} \right] \\ &= \frac{n!}{(n-k-1)!k!} \frac{n+1}{(n-k)(k+1)} \\ &= \frac{(n+1)!}{(n-k)!(k+1)!} \end{aligned}$ <p>$\therefore C_k^n + C_{k+1}^n = C_{k+1}^{n+1}$</p>		<p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
	<p>Alternatively,</p> $\begin{aligned} (1+x)(1+x)^n &= (1+x) \sum_{k=0}^n C_k^n x^k \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^n C_k^n x^k + \sum_{k=0}^n C_k^n x^{k+1} \\ (1+x)^{n+1} &= \sum_{k=0}^{n+1} C_k^{n+1} x^k \end{aligned}$ <p>Comparing the coefficients of x^{k+1}, we have $C_k^n + C_{k+1}^n = C_{k+1}^{n+1}$</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) When $m = 0$, LHS = $C_n^n = 1$</p> <p>RHS = $C_{n+1}^{n+1} = 1$</p> <p>\therefore The statement holds for $m = 0$.</p> <p>Assume $C_n^n + C_n^{n+1} + C_n^{n+2} + \dots + C_n^{n+k} = C_{n+1}^{n+k+1}$ for some non-negative integer k.</p> <p>Then $C_n^n + C_n^{n+1} + C_n^{n+2} + \dots + C_n^{n+k+1} = C_{n+1}^{n+k+1} + C_{n+1}^{n+k+1}$</p> <p>$= C_{n+1}^{n+k+2}$ (by (a))</p> <p>By the principle of mathematical induction, the statement is true for any integer $m \geq 0$.</p>		<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>(5)</p>

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<p>3. If $\alpha(a+b) + \beta(b+c) + \gamma(c+a) = 0$, then $(\alpha + \gamma)a + (\alpha + \beta)b + (\beta + \gamma)c = 0$ $\therefore a, b$ and c are linearly independent $\therefore \begin{cases} \alpha + \gamma = 0 \\ \alpha + \beta = 0 \\ \beta + \gamma = 0 \end{cases}$ $\Rightarrow \alpha = \beta = \gamma = 0$ Hence $a+b, b+c$ and $c+a$ are linearly independent.</p>	<p>1A 1M+1A 1 <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> (4)</p>
<p>Alternatively, Let $a = a_1i + a_2j + a_3k, b = b_1i + b_2j + b_3k$ and $c = c_1i + c_2j + c_3k$, then $\Delta = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$. Consider $\Delta' = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 + b_1 & a_2 + b_2 & a_3 + b_3 \\ b_1 + c_1 & b_2 + c_2 & b_3 + c_3 \\ c_1 + a_1 & c_2 + a_2 & c_3 + a_3 \end{vmatrix}$. Using row operation, $\Delta' \neq 0$.</p>	<p>1A 1A 1M+1A follow through</p>
<p>4. (a) $\therefore x^2 - 4x - 21 = (x+3)(x-7)$ $x^2 - 6x - 7 = (x+1)(x-7)$ $\therefore x-7$ is a common factor. $\therefore P(x) = (x+3)(x-7) Q_1(x) + 11x - 10$ for some polynomial $Q_1(x)$ $P(x) = (x+1)(x-7) Q_2(x) + 9x + c$ for some polynomial $Q_2(x)$ Putting $x = 7$, we have $77 - 10 = 63 + c$ $c = 4$</p> <p>(b) $x^2 + 4x + 3 = (x+3)(x+1)$ Let (1): $P(x) = (x+3)(x+1) Q_3(x) + Ax + B$ for some polynomial $Q_3(x)$ and $A, B \in \mathbb{R}$ \therefore (2): $P(x) = (x+3)(x-7) Q_1(x) + 11x - 10$ (3): $P(x) = (x+1)(x-7) Q_2(x) + 9x + 4$ Putting $x = -3$ in (1) and (2), $-3A + B = -43$ Putting $x = -1$ in (1) and (3), $-A + B = -5$ $\Rightarrow A = 19, B = 14$ The remainder is $19x + 14$.</p>	<p>1A 1M 1A 1A 1A 1M 1A <hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> (6)</p>

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<p>5. $\therefore \triangle ABC$ is equilateral and $z_1 = 0$</p> $\therefore z_3 = z_2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} \pm i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$ $= (1+i) \left(\frac{1}{2} \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} i \right)$ $= \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} i \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} i$	<p>1A+1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A+1A</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u></p> <p>Let ABC be an equilateral triangle in the xy-plane where $A = (0, 0)$ and $B = (1, 1)$. C lies on the perpendicular bisector of AB: $x + y = 1$.</p> <p>Putting $C = (a, 1 - a)$ and using the fact that $AB = AC$, we have</p> $a^2 + (1-a)^2 = 1^2 + 1^2$ $2a^2 - 2a - 1 = 0$ $a = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}$ $C = \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \quad \text{or} \quad \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$ <p>Hence $z_3 = \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} i$ or $\frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} i$</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u></p> <p>Let $z_3 = a + bi$.</p> $\therefore z_3 - z_1 ^2 = z_3 - z_2 ^2 = z_2 - z_1 ^2$ $\therefore a^2 + b^2 = (a-1)^2 + (b-1)^2 = 2$ $\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a^2 + b^2 = 2 \\ a + b = 1 \end{cases}$ $\Rightarrow 2a^2 - 2a - 1 = 0$ $a = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}$ <p>Hence $z_3 = \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} i$ or $\frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2} i$</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1A+1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
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<p>6. (a) $\because \tan \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$</p> $\therefore \cos 2\alpha = \frac{1 - \tan^2 \alpha}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{4}}{1 + \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{3}{5}$ $\sin 2\alpha = \frac{2 \tan \alpha}{1 + \tan^2 \alpha} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{4}{5}$	<p>1M or looking for α</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> $\because \tan \alpha = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \cos \alpha = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \sin \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{cases} \text{ or } \begin{cases} \cos \alpha = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \\ \sin \alpha = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \end{cases}$ $\therefore \cos 2\alpha = \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ $\sin 2\alpha = 2 \cos \alpha \sin \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$	<p>1M</p>
<p>The matrix representation of $T = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{4}{5} & -\frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}$ (or $\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 4 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$)</p>	<p>1A+1A 1A for any two</p>
<p>(b) $\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 4 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$</p> <p>$\therefore x_1 = 8, y_1 = -1$</p>	<p>1M+1A</p>
<p>(c) $\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 4 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \left[\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right] + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$</p> $= \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>$\therefore x_2 = 8, y_2 = 2$</p>	<p>1M 1A</p>
	<p>(7)</p>

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<p>7. (a) When $n = 1$, $\frac{1}{n^2 + 4n} = \frac{1}{1^2 + 4} = \frac{1}{5} = a_1$.</p> <p>Assume $a_k = \frac{1}{k^2 + 4k}$ for some positive integer k.</p> $\therefore \frac{1}{a_{k+1}} - \frac{1}{a_k} = 2k + 5$ $\therefore \frac{1}{a_{k+1}} = k^2 + 4k + 2k + 5$ $= (k+1)^2 + 4(k+1)$ $a_{k+1} = \frac{1}{(k+1)^2 + 4(k+1)}$ <p>By the principle of mathematical induction, the result follows.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> $\therefore \frac{1}{a_n} - \frac{1}{a_{n-1}} = 2(n-1) + 5$ $\frac{1}{a_{n-1}} - \frac{1}{a_{n-2}} = 2(n-2) + 5$ \vdots $\frac{1}{a_2} - \frac{1}{a_1} = 2 + 5$ $\therefore \frac{1}{a_n} - \frac{1}{a_1} = 2[(n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 1] + 5(n-1)$ $\frac{1}{a_n} - 5 = n(n-1) + 5(n-1)$ $a_n = \frac{1}{n^2 + 4n}$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) Let $\frac{x+2}{(x^2+4x)^2} = \frac{x+2}{x^2(x+4)^2} = \frac{A}{x^2} + \frac{B}{x} + \frac{C}{(x+4)^2} + \frac{D}{x+4}$</p> $x+2 = Cx^2 + D(x+4)x^2 + A(x+4)^2 + B(x+4)^2x$ $x+2 = (B+D)x^3 + (A+8B+C+4D)x^2 + (8A+16B)x + 16A$ $A = \frac{1}{8}, C = -\frac{1}{8}, B = D = 0$ $\therefore \frac{x+2}{(x^2+4x)^2} = \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{(x+4)^2} \right)$ <p>Hence $\frac{k+2}{(k^2+4k)^2} = \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{1}{k^2} - \frac{1}{(k+4)^2} \right)$</p> $\sum_{k=1}^n (k+2)a_k^2 = \frac{1}{8} \sum_{k=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{k^2} - \frac{1}{(k+4)^2} \right)$ $= \frac{1}{8} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} - \frac{1}{(n+2)^2} - \frac{1}{(n+3)^2} - \frac{1}{(n+4)^2} \right)$ $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n (k+2)a_k^2 = \frac{1}{8} \left(1 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{16} \right) = \frac{205}{1152}$	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>(7)</p>

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<p>8. (a) The augmented matrix of (E) is</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & 1 & & \lambda \\ 3 & -1 & \lambda+2 & & 7 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & & 3 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & \lambda-1 & & -2 \\ 0 & \lambda+1 & 0 & & \lambda-3 \end{pmatrix}$ $\sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 & & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & \lambda-1 & & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & (\lambda-1)(\lambda+1) & & -4(\lambda-1) \end{pmatrix}$ <p>(E) has a unique solution $\Leftrightarrow (\lambda-1)(\lambda+1) \neq 0$ $\Leftrightarrow \lambda \neq \pm 1$</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> $\Delta \text{ of } (E) = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \lambda & 1 \\ 3 & -1 & \lambda+2 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ $= -1 + \lambda(\lambda+2) - 3 + 1 + (\lambda+2) - 3\lambda$ $= \lambda^2 - 1$ <p>\therefore (E) has unique solution iff $\Delta \neq 0$ iff $\lambda \neq \pm 1$</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) (i) If $\lambda \neq \pm 1$, the augmented matrix of (E) may further be reduced to</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & & 3 + \frac{\lambda-3}{\lambda+1} - \frac{-4}{\lambda+1} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & & \frac{\lambda-3}{\lambda+1} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & & \frac{-4}{\lambda+1} \end{pmatrix}$ <p>$\therefore x = 4, y = \frac{\lambda-3}{\lambda+1}, z = -\frac{4}{\lambda+1}$</p>	<p>2M</p> <p>1A+1A 1A for any one</p>
<p>Alternatively, Solve (E) for $\lambda \neq \pm 1$ using Cramer's rule:</p> $\Delta_x = \begin{vmatrix} \lambda & \lambda & 1 \\ 7 & -1 & \lambda+2 \\ 3 & -1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda + 3\lambda(\lambda+2) - 7 + 3 + \lambda(\lambda+2) - 7\lambda = 4(\lambda^2 - 1)$ $\Delta_y = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \lambda & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & \lambda+2 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 7 + \lambda(\lambda+2) + 9 - 7 - 3(\lambda+2) - 3\lambda = \lambda^2 - 4\lambda + 3$ $\Delta_z = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda \\ 3 & -1 & 7 \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = -3 + 7\lambda - 3\lambda + \lambda + 7 - 9\lambda = -4(\lambda-1)$ <p>$\therefore x = \frac{\Delta_x}{\Delta} = 4, y = \frac{\Delta_y}{\Delta} = \frac{\lambda-3}{\lambda+1}, z = \frac{\Delta_z}{\Delta} = -\frac{4}{\lambda+1}$</p>	<p>2M</p> <p>1A+1A 1A for any one</p>

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<p>(b) (ii) When $\lambda = -1$, the augmented matrix of (E) becomes</p> $\left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & -2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 \end{array} \right)$ <p>\therefore (E) is inconsistent.</p>	<p>1A } 1 mark for conclusion only 1</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u> When $\lambda = -1$, (E) becomes</p> $\begin{cases} x - y + z = -1 & \dots(1) \\ 3x - y + z = 7 & \dots(2) \\ x - y + z = 3 & \dots(3) \end{cases}$ <p>\therefore (1) and (3) are contradictory \therefore (E) has no solution</p>	<p>1A 1</p>
<p>(iii) When $\lambda = 1$, the augmented matrix of (E) becomes</p> $\left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & -1 & 1 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right) \sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right)$ <p>S.S. = $\{(t, -1, 2-t) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$ or $\{(2-t, -1, t) : t \in \mathbb{R}\}$</p>	<p>1M 1A</p>
<p>(c) The first three equations form (E) when $\lambda = 1$. Sub. $(t, -1, 2-t)$ into the fourth equation, then</p> $at - b + c(2-t) = d$ $(a-c)t = b - 2c + d$ <p>\therefore The system of equations is consistent when $a = c$ or $b - 2c + d = 0$.</p>	<p>1M 1A 1A+1A</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u> The first three equations form (E) when $\lambda = 1$. Thus the system of equations is equivalent to</p> $\left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ a & b & c & d \end{array} \right) \sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & b & c-a & d-2a \end{array} \right)$ $\sim \left(\begin{array}{ccc c} 1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & c-a & d-2a+b \end{array} \right)$ <p>\therefore The system is consistent when $a = c$ or $d = 2a - b$.</p>	<p>1M 1A 1A+1A</p>

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<p>9. (a) The statement clearly holds for $n = 1$. Assume $(A + B)^k = A^k + B^k$ for some positive integer k, then $\begin{aligned} (A + B)^{k+1} &= (A + B)^k (A + B) \\ &= (A^k + B^k)(A + B) \\ &= A^{k+1} + A^k B + B^k A + B^{k+1} \\ &= A^{k+1} + B^{k+1} \end{aligned}$ ∴ By the principle of mathematical induction, $(A + B)^n = A^n + B^n$ for $n=1,2,3,\dots$ (2 marks for using binomial expansion without mentioning $AB = BA$. 2 marks for proving the particular case on 2×2 matrices only.)</p>	<p>1A 1A 1A -1 for AB^k 1</p>
<p>(b) ∴ $AB = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ap+br & aq+bs \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $BA = \begin{pmatrix} p & q \\ r & s \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ap & bp \\ ar & br \end{pmatrix}$ ∴ $AB = BA = 0$ iff $ap + br = aq + bs = ap = ar = bp = br = 0$. iff $p = r = 0$ ($\because a \neq 0$ or $b \neq 0$) and $aq + bs = 0$.</p>	<p>1A 1A 1M } 1 mark for sufficiency or necessity only 1</p>
<p>(c) Let $D = \begin{pmatrix} x & k \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $E = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & y-k \\ 0 & z \end{pmatrix}$ for some constant k. D and E are non-zero matrices since x, z are non-zero. For $x(y-k) + kz = 0$, we need $k = \frac{xy}{x-z}$. Since $x \neq z$, we can take $D = \begin{pmatrix} x & \frac{xy}{x-z} \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $E = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{-yz}{x-z} \\ 0 & z \end{pmatrix}$, then $D + E = C$ and $DE = ED = 0$.</p>	<p>1M for $D = \begin{pmatrix} * & * \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $E = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & * \\ 0 & * \end{pmatrix}$ 1A+1A</p>

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<p>(d) Using (c), $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>where $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0.$ <p>$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{99} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^{99} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{99} \quad (\text{by (a)})$ <p>$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^2 = 2^2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^2 = 2^2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>\vdots <p>$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^{99} = 2^{99} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>and $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>\vdots <p>$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{99} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>$\therefore \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{99} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^{99} & 2^{99} \cdot 5 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>$= \begin{pmatrix} 2^{99} & 5(2^{99} - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$</p> </p></p></p></p></p></p></p></p></p></p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> <p>$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2^2 & 5 \cdot 3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2^3 & 5 \cdot 7 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Assume $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^k = \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 5(2^k - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ for some positive integer k.</p> <p>Then $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{k+1} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 5(2^k - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^{k+1} & 5(2^{k+1} - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>By the principle of mathematical induction,</p> <p>$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} 2^n & 5(2^n - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ for all positive integers n.</p> <p>Hence $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{99} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^{99} & 5(2^{99} - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$</p> </p></p></p>	<p>2A</p> <p>1</p> <p>1A</p>

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<p>10. (a) $\therefore \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = (1)(-1) + (-1)(1) + (2)(1) = 0$ $\therefore \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}$ are orthogonal to each other.</p> <p>(b) $\therefore \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = -3\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}$</p> <p>$\therefore$ The volume of the parallelepiped formed by \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b} and \mathbf{c} $= (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{c}$ $= (-3\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j}) \cdot (\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$ $= 3$</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1M 1A -1 for missing absolute sign</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u> The volume required $= (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{c}$</p> $= \left \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \cdot (\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) \right $ $= \left \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \right $ $= 3$	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>(c) $\mathbf{n} = \frac{\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}}{ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} }$ is a unit vector normal to π. (or $\mathbf{n} = -\frac{\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}}{ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} }$)</p> <p>$\therefore \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = 3\sqrt{2}$</p> <p>$\therefore \mathbf{n} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{j}$ (or $\mathbf{n} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{i} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{j}$)</p> <p>(d) The angle between \mathbf{c} and $\mathbf{n} = \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{n}}{ \mathbf{c} \mathbf{n} } \right)$</p> $= \cos^{-1} \frac{(\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}) \cdot \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{i} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\mathbf{j} \right)}{\sqrt{5}}$ $= \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right)$ $= \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10} \right)$ <p>The angle between \mathbf{c} and $P = \cos^{-1} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{10}}{10} \right) - \frac{\pi}{2}$ (or $\frac{\pi}{2} - \cos^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{10}}{10}$)</p> <p>$\approx 18.4^\circ$ or 0.322</p>	<p>1M</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;"> <p>Alternatively, 1 mark for $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$, 1 mark for $\frac{\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}}{ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} }$</p> </div> <p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1M+1A</p>

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(e) Choose u to be the projection of c onto n , then u is perpendicular to P and

$$\begin{aligned} u &= (c \cdot n)n \\ &= -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \left(-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}j \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}i + \frac{1}{2}j \end{aligned}$$

Let $v = c - u$.

Then $u + v = c$ and v lies on P for $v \cdot n = (c - u) \cdot n = (c \cdot n) - (c \cdot n)(n \cdot n) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} v &= (j + 2k) - \left(\frac{1}{2}i + \frac{1}{2}j \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}i + \frac{1}{2}j + 2k \end{aligned}$$

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(f) $c = \left(\frac{c \cdot a}{|a|^2} \right)a + \left(\frac{c \cdot b}{|b|^2} \right)b + (c \cdot n) \cdot n$

$$= \frac{1}{6}[(j + 2k)(i - j + 2k)]a + \frac{1}{3}[(j + 2k)(-i + j + k)]b - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}n$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}a + b - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}n \quad \text{if } n = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}j$$

$$\left(\text{or } \frac{1}{2}a + b + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}n \quad \text{if } n = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}j \right)$$

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Alternatively,

$$c = u + v$$

$$= (c \cdot n)n + \left(\frac{v \cdot a}{|a|^2} \right)a + \left(\frac{v \cdot b}{|b|^2} \right)b$$

$$= -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}n + \frac{1}{6} \left[\left(-\frac{1}{2}i + \frac{1}{2}j + 2k \right) (i - j + 2k) \right] a + \frac{1}{3} \left[\left(-\frac{1}{2}i + \frac{1}{2}j + 2k \right) (-i + j + k) \right] b$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}a + b - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}n \quad \text{if } n = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}j$$

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<p>11. (a) (i) $(a+b\omega+c\omega^2)(a+b\omega^2+c\omega)$ $= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + \omega(ab+bc+ca) + \omega^2(ab+bc+ca)$ ($\because \omega^3=1$) $= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + (\omega + \omega^2)(ab+bc+ca)$ $= a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca$ ($\because \omega^2 + \omega + 1 = 0$)</p> <p>(ii) $(a+b+c)(a+b\omega+c\omega^2)(a+b\omega^2+c\omega)$ $= (a+b+c)(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - ab - bc - ca)$ $= a^3 + ab^2 + ac^2 - a^2b - a^2c - abc + a^2b + b^3 + bc^2 - ab^2 - abc - b^2c$ $\quad + a^2c + b^2c + c^3 - abc - ac^2 - bc^2$ $= a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$</p>	<p>1M+1 1M for $\omega^3=1$</p> <p>1M for $\omega^2 + \omega + 1 = 0$</p> <p>1</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> $(a+b+c)(a+b\omega+c\omega^2)(a+b\omega^2+c\omega)$ $= a^3 + a^2b\omega^2 + a^2c\omega + a^2b\omega + ab^2\omega^3 + abc\omega^2 + a^2c\omega^2 + abc\omega^4 + ac^2\omega^3$ $+ a^2b + ab^2\omega^2 + abc\omega + ab^2\omega + b^3\omega^3 + b^2c\omega^2 + abc\omega^2 + b^2c\omega^4 + bc^2\omega^3$ $+ a^2c + abc\omega^2 + ac^2\omega + abc\omega + b^2c\omega^3 + bc^2\omega^2 + ac^2\omega^2 + bc^2\omega^4 + c^3\omega^3$ $= a^3 + a^2b\omega^2 + a^2c\omega + a^2b\omega + ab^2 + abc\omega^2 + a^2c\omega^2 + abc\omega + ac^2$ $+ a^2b + ab^2\omega^2 + abc\omega + ab^2\omega + b^3 + b^2c\omega^2 + abc\omega^2 + b^2c\omega + bc^2$ $+ a^2c + abc\omega^2 + ac^2\omega + abc\omega + b^2c + bc^2\omega^2 + ac^2\omega^2 + bc^2\omega + c^3$ $= a^3 + b^3 + c^3 + 3abc(\omega^2 + \omega)$ $+ (a^2b + ab^2 + a^2c + ac^2 + b^2c + bc^2)(\omega^2 + \omega + 1)$ $= a^3 + b^3 + c^3 - 3abc$	<p>1</p>
<p>(b) (i) $p^3 + \left(\frac{3}{p}\right)^3 = 12$ $(p^3)^2 - 12p^3 + 27 = 0$ $p^3 = 3$ or 9 $\begin{cases} p = \sqrt[3]{3} \\ q = \sqrt[3]{9} \end{cases}$ or $\begin{cases} p = \sqrt[3]{9} \\ q = \sqrt[3]{3} \end{cases}$</p> <p>(ii) $\because z^3 - 9z + 12$ $= z^3 + p^3 + q^3 - 3zpq$ $= (z+p+q)(z+p\omega+q\omega^2)(z+p\omega^2+q\omega)$ \therefore Roots of (*) are $-p-q = -\sqrt[3]{3} - \sqrt[3]{9}$, $-p\omega - q\omega^2 = -\sqrt[3]{3}\omega - \sqrt[3]{9}\omega^2$, $-p\omega^2 - q\omega = -\sqrt[3]{3}\omega^2 - \sqrt[3]{9}\omega$.</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>

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<p>(c) Sub. $y = z - h$ into $y^3 + 3y^2 - 12y + 10\sqrt{5} - 14 = 0$,</p> $(z - h)^3 + 3(z - h)^2 - 12(z - h) + 10\sqrt{5} - 14 = 0$ <p>The term in z^2 will vanish if $-3h + 3 = 0$.</p> <p>Choosing $h = 1$, (**) becomes</p> $z^3 - 3z^2 + 3z - 1 + 3(z^2 - 2z + 1) - 12(z - 1) + 10\sqrt{5} - 14 = 0$ $z^3 - 15z + 10\sqrt{5} = 0$ <p>Let $\begin{cases} p^3 + q^3 = 10\sqrt{5} \\ pq = 5 \end{cases}$</p> <p>then $p^3 + \left(\frac{5}{p}\right)^3 = 10\sqrt{5}$</p> $(p^3)^2 - 10\sqrt{5}p^3 + 125 = 0$ $p^3 = 5\sqrt{5}$ $p = q = \sqrt{5}$ <p>Using (b),</p> $z = -p - q, -p\omega - q\omega^2 \text{ or } -p\omega - q\omega^2$ $= -\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{5}, -\sqrt{5}\omega - \sqrt{5}\omega^2 \text{ or } -\sqrt{5}\omega - \sqrt{5}\omega^2$ $= -2\sqrt{5} \text{ or } \sqrt{5} \text{ (repeated)}$	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> $z^3 - 15z + 10\sqrt{5} = 0$ $(z - \sqrt{5})(z^2 + \sqrt{5}z - 10) = 0$ $z = -2\sqrt{5} \text{ or } \sqrt{5} \text{ (repeated)}$	<p>2A</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>$\therefore y = z - 1$</p> <p>$\therefore y = -2\sqrt{5} - 1 \text{ or } \sqrt{5} - 1 \text{ (repeated)}$</p>	<p>1A</p>

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12. (a) $\because \sum_{i=1}^n (a_i t - b_i)^2 \geq 0$ for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$ 1M

$\therefore \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2\right)t^2 - 2\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i\right)t + \sum_{i=1}^n b_i^2 \geq 0$ for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$ 1A

The required inequality is trivial when $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2 = 0$.

Suppose $\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2 > 0$.

For the quadratic expression to be non-negative for values of t , it is necessary that

$$4\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i\right)^2 - 4\left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2\right)\left(\sum_{i=1}^n b_i^2\right) \leq 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i\right)^2 \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n a_i^2\right)\left(\sum_{i=1}^n b_i^2\right)$$

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(b) Let $a_i = x_i^{\frac{k+2}{2}}$ and $b_i = x_i^{\frac{k}{2}}$ for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. ($\because x_i > 0$) 1M+1A

$$\begin{aligned} \text{By (a), } \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+1}\right)^2 &= \left[\sum_{i=1}^n \left(x_i^{\frac{k+2}{2}}\right)\left(x_i^{\frac{k}{2}}\right)\right]^2 \\ &\leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+2}\right)\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k\right) \end{aligned}$$

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(c) For $p = 0$,

$$\text{LHS} = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^p = n$$

$$\text{RHS} = n \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{p+1} = n \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = n \quad (\because \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 1)$$

\therefore the inequality holds for $p = 0$.

Assume $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k \leq n \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+1}$ for some positive integer k .

For $p = k + 1$,

$$\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+1}\right)^2 \leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+2}\right)\left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^k\right) \quad (\text{by (b)})$$

$$\leq \left(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+2}\right)\left(n \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+1}\right) \quad (\text{by induction hypothesis})$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+1} \leq n \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^{k+2} \quad (\because x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n > 0)$$

By the principle of mathematical induction, the inequality holds for any non-negative integer p .

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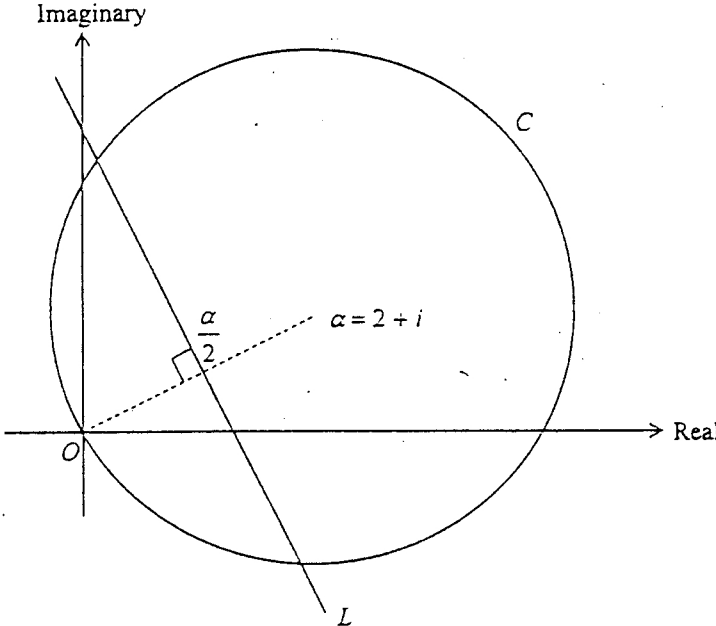
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(d) Let $x_i = \frac{y_i}{\sum_{k=1}^n y_k}$, ($\because y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n > 0$)	
then $\sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 1$.	1
From (c), $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i^p}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n y_k\right)^p} \leq n \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i^{p+1}}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n y_k\right)^{p+1}}$	
$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^p}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n y_k\right)^p} \leq \frac{n \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^{p+1}}{\left(\sum_{k=1}^n y_k\right)^{p+1}}$	1A
$\left(\sum_{k=1}^n y_k\right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^p\right) \leq n \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^{p+1}$ ($\because y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n > 0$)	
$\left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i\right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^p\right) \leq n \sum_{i=1}^n y_i^{p+1}$	1

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<p>13. (a) (i) $\bar{\alpha}u + \alpha\bar{u} = \alpha\bar{\alpha} \Leftrightarrow u\bar{u} - \bar{\alpha}u - \alpha\bar{u} + \alpha\bar{\alpha} = u\bar{u}$ $\Leftrightarrow (u - \alpha)(\bar{u} - \bar{\alpha}) = u\bar{u}$ $\Leftrightarrow u - \alpha = u$</p> <p>(ii) $\bar{\alpha}v + \alpha\bar{v} = v\bar{v} \Leftrightarrow v\bar{v} - \bar{\alpha}v - \alpha\bar{v} + \alpha\bar{\alpha} = \alpha\bar{\alpha}$ $\Leftrightarrow (v - \alpha)(\bar{v} - \bar{\alpha}) = \alpha\bar{\alpha}$ $\Leftrightarrow v - \alpha = \alpha$</p>	<p>1M for either 1</p> <p>1M for either 1</p>
<p>(b)</p> 	<p>1A+1A for L (shape / position) 1A+1A for C (shape / position)</p>

Solution

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(c) (i) $z = \frac{1}{u} \Rightarrow u = \frac{1}{z} \quad (z \neq 0)$

$\therefore u$ satisfies $\bar{a}u + a\bar{u} = a\bar{a}$

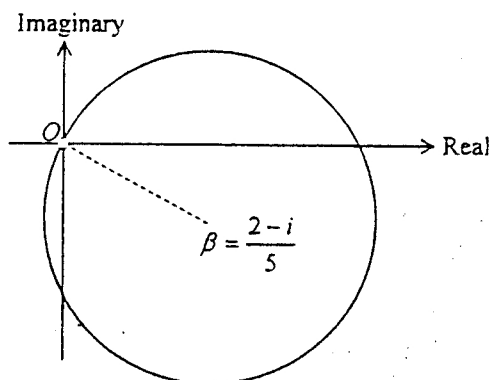
$\therefore \bar{a} \cdot \frac{1}{z} + a \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{z}} = a\bar{a}$

$\bar{a}z + az = a\bar{a}z\bar{z}$

$\left(\frac{1}{\bar{a}}\right)z + \left(\frac{1}{a}\right)\bar{z} = z\bar{z}$

Hence z satisfies $\bar{\beta}z + \beta\bar{z} = z\bar{z}$ where $\beta = \frac{1}{a}$.

When $\alpha = 2+i$, $\beta = \frac{2-i}{5}$.



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(ii) $z = \frac{1}{v} \Rightarrow v = \frac{1}{z} \quad (v \neq 0)$

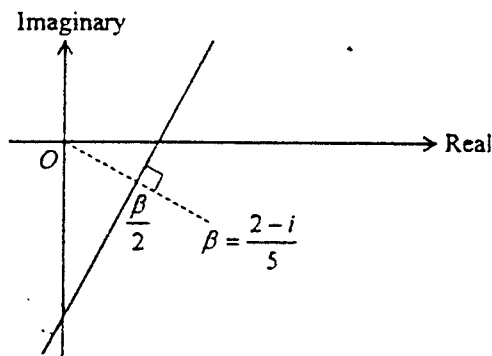
$\therefore v$ satisfies $\bar{a}v + a\bar{v} = v\bar{v}$

$\therefore \bar{a} \cdot \frac{1}{z} + a \cdot \frac{1}{\bar{z}} = \frac{1}{z\bar{z}}$

$\bar{a}z + az = 1$

$\left(\frac{1}{\bar{a}}\right)z + \left(\frac{1}{a}\right)\bar{z} = \left(\frac{1}{\bar{a}}\right)\left(\frac{1}{a}\right)$

Hence z satisfies $\bar{\beta}z + \beta\bar{z} = \beta\bar{\beta}$ where $\beta = \frac{1}{a}$.



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Solution

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1. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \sin x}{1 - \cos x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cos x + \sin x}{\sin x}$ (by L'Hospital Rule)

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{x}{\tan x} + 1 \right)$$

$$= 2$$

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(b) Let $y = (1 - \cos x)^{\frac{1}{\ln x}}$

$$\ln y = \frac{\ln(1 - \cos x)}{\ln x}$$

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \ln y = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{\frac{\sin x}{1 - \cos x}}{\frac{1}{x}}$$

(by L'Hospital Rule)

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$$= 2$$

(by (a))

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} y = e^2$$

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Alternatively,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} (1 - \cos x)^{\frac{1}{\ln x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{\frac{\ln(1 - \cos x)}{\ln x}}$$

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$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{\frac{\frac{\sin x}{1 - \cos x}}{\frac{1}{x}}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{\frac{x \sin x}{1 - \cos x}}$$

(by L'Hospital Rule)

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$$= e^2$$

(by (a))

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2. (a) Let $t = \pi - x$, then

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$$\int_0^\pi f(\pi - x) dx = - \int_\pi^0 f(t) dt = \int_0^\pi f(x) dx$$

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(b) $\therefore \int_0^\pi \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx = \int_0^\pi \frac{(\pi - x) \sin(\pi - x)}{1 + \cos^2(\pi - x)} dx$

$$= \int_0^\pi \frac{(\pi - x) \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx$$

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$$\therefore \int_0^\pi \frac{x \sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin x}{1 + \cos^2 x} dx$$

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$$= -\frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^\pi \frac{1}{1 + \cos^2 x} \cdot \frac{d \cos x}{dx} dx$$

$$= -\frac{\pi}{2} [\tan^{-1}(\cos x)]_0^\pi$$

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$$= -\frac{\pi}{2} \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{4}$$

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<p>3. Area = $2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta$ (or $\int_{-\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta$)</p> $= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \cos 2\theta \right)^2 d\theta$ $= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \left(\frac{1}{4} + \cos 2\theta + \frac{1 + \cos 4\theta}{2} \right) d\theta$ $= \left[\frac{3\theta}{4} + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} + \frac{\sin 4\theta}{8} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}}$ $= \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{16}$	<p>1A for limits</p> <p>1A for integrand</p> <p>1A for handling $\int \cos^2 2\theta d\theta$</p> <hr/> <p>1A</p> <p>(4)</p>
<p>4. (a) $f(x) = \frac{2x}{x^2 - 1}$</p> $= \frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x+1}$ <p>(b) $f'(x) = \frac{-1}{(x-1)^2} + \frac{-1}{(x+1)^2}$</p> $f''(x) = \frac{(-1)(-2)}{(x-1)^3} + \frac{(-1)(-2)}{(x+1)^3}$ <p>...</p> $f^{(n)}(x) = \frac{(-1)(-2)\dots(-n)}{(x-1)^{n+1}} + \frac{(-1)(-2)\dots(-n)}{(x+1)^{n+1}} \quad \text{for } n \geq 1$ $\therefore f^{(n)}(0) = \begin{cases} -2n! & \text{when } n \text{ is odd,} \\ 0 & \text{when } n \text{ is even.} \end{cases} \quad (\text{or } n![-1 + (-1)^n])$	<p>1A</p> <p>3A 1A for working out $f'(x)$</p> <p>1A</p>
<p>Alternatively,</p> <p>Let $y = \frac{2x}{x^2 - 1}$, then $(x^2 - 1)y = 2x$.</p> <p>Using Leibniz's Theorem, $\sum_{r=0}^n C_r^n (x^2 - 1)^{(r)} y^{(n-r)} = (2x)^{(n)}$.</p> <p>When $n = 1$, $(x^2 - 1)y' + 2xy = 2$</p> $y'(0) = -2$ <p>When $n \geq 2$, $(x^2 - 1)y^{(n)} + n(2x)y^{(n-1)} + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}(2)y^{(n-2)} = 0$</p> $y^{(n)}(0) = n(n-1)y^{(n-2)}(0)$ <p>Hence $y^{(n)}(0) = \begin{cases} -2n! & \text{when } n \text{ is odd,} \\ 0 & \text{when } n \text{ is even.} \end{cases}$ </p>	<p>1M for using the Leibniz formula</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>
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<p>5. $f(x)$ is differentiable at $x=0 \Rightarrow f(x)$ is continuous at $x=0$ $\therefore f(0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$ $b = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} x^2 \cos \frac{1}{x}$ $= 0 \quad (\because \left \cos \frac{1}{x} \right \leq 1)$</p> <p>$\therefore f(x)$ is differentiable at $x=0$ $\therefore \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h}$</p> <p>As $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{h^2 \cos \frac{1}{h}}{h} = 0$ (reason not required for $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} h \cos \frac{1}{h} = 0$) $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{f(h) - f(0)}{h} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{ah}{h} = a$ $\therefore a = 0$</p>	<p>1 for mentioning continuity at 0, or the equivalent</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A with reason</p> <p>1M</p> <p>1A for either</p> <p><u>1A</u> (6)</p>
<p>6. (a) $f(x+w) = f(x+2a-2b)$ $= f(a+(x+a-2b))$ $= f(a-(x+a-2b))$ $= f(2b-x)$ $= f(b+(b-x))$ $= f(b-(b-x))$ $= f(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$.</p> <p>$\therefore w$ is a period of f.</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) Let $c = \frac{T}{2}$, then for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$,</p> <p>$g(c+x) = g\left(\frac{T}{2} + x\right)$ $= g\left(-\frac{T}{2} - x\right)$ ($\because g(x) = g(-x)$) $= g\left(T - \frac{T}{2} - x\right)$ ($\because g(x) = g(T+x)$) $= g\left(\frac{T}{2} - x\right)$ $= g(c-x)$</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1M for either</p> <p><u>1</u> (6)</p>

Solution

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7. (a)
$$\begin{cases} x+y+z=1 \\ x-y-z=5 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x=3 \\ y+z=-2 \end{cases}$$

$(3, t, -t-2)$ is a point on L_1 for all $t \in \mathbb{R}$.

\therefore Equation of L_1 is
$$\begin{cases} x=3 \\ y=t \\ z=-t-2 \end{cases}, t \in \mathbb{R}.$$

1A for solving the linear system or finding the direction ratio

1A or equivalent

(b) Let the point of intersection be $(3, t, -t-2)$.

$\therefore L_1 \perp L_2$

$\therefore (0, 1, -1) \cdot [(3, t, -t-2) - (1, 1, -1)] = 0$

$(0, 1, -1) \cdot (2, t-1, -t-1) = 0$

$t-1+t+1 = 0$

$t = 0$

1M+1M 1M for direction of L_2
1M for dot product

\therefore The point of intersection is $(3, 0, -2)$

Direction ratios of $L_2 = 2:-1:-1$

1A

\therefore Equation of L_2 is
$$\begin{cases} x=2s+1 \\ y=-s+1 \\ z=-s-1 \end{cases}, s \in \mathbb{R} \quad \left(\text{or} \begin{cases} x=2s+3 \\ y=-s \\ z=-s-2 \end{cases}, s \in \mathbb{R} \right)$$

1M+1A or equivalent,
1M for writing down the equation of a straight line with given direction ratios

Alternatively,

Let the equation of L_2 be
$$\begin{cases} x=as+1 \\ y=bs+1 \\ z=cs-1 \end{cases}, s \in \mathbb{R},$$
 where a, b and c are constants.

1M

$\therefore L_1 \perp L_2$

$\therefore (0, -1, 1) \cdot (a, b, c) = 0$

$b = c$

1M

L_1 intersects L_2

$\therefore \begin{cases} as+1=3 \\ bs+1=t \\ cs-1=-t-2 \end{cases}$ is solvable

1M

$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} as=2 \\ bs-t=-1 \\ cs+t=-1 \end{cases}$ is solvable

$\Rightarrow t = 0 \quad (\because b = c)$

Hence the point of intersection of L_1 and L_2 is $(3, 0, -2)$.

1A

Now, $a:b:c = 3-1:0-1:-2+1 = 2:-1:-1$

\therefore Equation of L_2 is
$$\begin{cases} x=2s+1 \\ y=-s+1 \\ z=-s-1 \end{cases}, s \in \mathbb{R}$$

1A

(7)

Solution

Marks

8. (a) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} xe^{\frac{1}{x}} = 0$

1A

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} xe^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^{\frac{1}{x}}}{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \frac{e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)'}{\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)'}$$

(by L'Hospital rule)

1M

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{\frac{1}{x}} \rightarrow \infty$$

1

(1 mark if candidate wrote $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} e^{\frac{1}{x}} = \infty$)

Alternatively,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} xe^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{y} e^y$$

$$= \lim_{y \rightarrow \infty} e^y$$

$$\rightarrow \infty$$

(by L'Hospital rule)

1M

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(b) For $x \neq 0$,

$$f'(x) = xe^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) + e^{\frac{1}{x}} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right)e^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

1A

$$f''(x) = \left(1 - \frac{1}{x}\right)e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right) + e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) = \frac{1}{x^3} e^{\frac{1}{x}}$$

1A

(c) (i) $f'(x) > 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{x-1}{x} > 0 \Leftrightarrow x < 0$ or $x > 1$.

2A

1A if only $(1, \infty)$ was given

i.e. $f'(x) > 0$ on $(-\infty, 0) \cup (1, \infty)$.

(ii) $f''(x) > 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{x^3} > 0 \Leftrightarrow x > 0$.

1A

i.e. $f''(x) > 0$ on $(0, \infty)$.

(d)

x	$(-\infty, 0)$	0	$(0, 1)$	1	$(1, \infty)$
$f(x)$	\uparrow	Undefined	\downarrow	e	\uparrow
$f'(x)$	+	Undefined	-	0	+
$f''(x)$	-	Undefined	+	+	+

$(1, e)$ is a relative minimum point.

2A

1A for correct answer
1A for justification

Solution

Marks

- (e) From (a)(i), $\therefore f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow 0^+$
 $\therefore x = 0$ is a vertical asymptote.

1A

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{\frac{1}{x}} = 1$$

1A

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (f(x) - x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (xe^{\frac{1}{x}} - x)$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{\frac{1}{x}} - 1}{\frac{1}{x}}$$

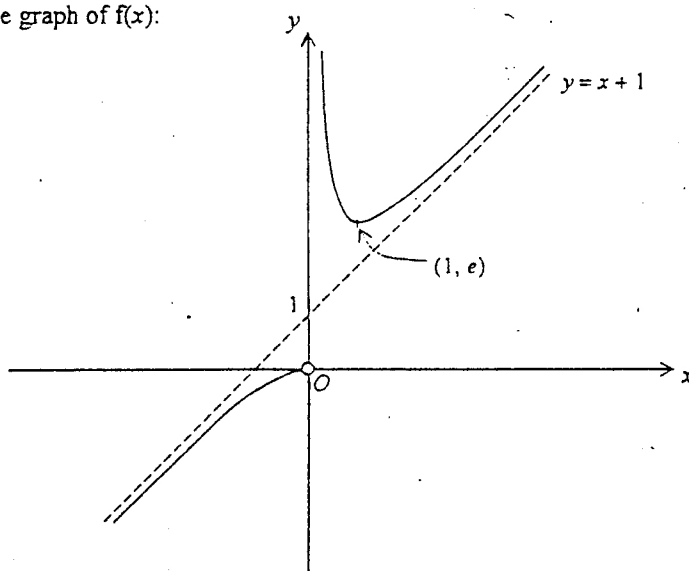
$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{\frac{1}{x}} \left(\frac{1}{x}\right)'}{\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)'}$$

$$= 1$$

1A

- $\therefore y = x + 1$ is an oblique asymptote.

- (f) The graph of $f(x)$:



1 for the shape of the curve

1 for all being correct

Solution	Marks
<p>9. (a) For $t^2 \neq 1$,</p> $(1+t^2+\dots+t^{2n-2})+\frac{t^{2n}}{1-t^2} = \frac{1-(t^2)^n}{1-t^2} + \frac{t^{2n}}{1-t^2}$ $= \frac{1}{1-t^2}$	<p>1M for any reasonable method</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) (i) $\int_0^x \frac{t}{1-t^2} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{x^2} \frac{1}{1-u} du$ (putting $u=t^2$)</p> $= -\frac{1}{2} [\ln 1-u]_0^{x^2}$ $= \ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ <p>for $-1 < x < 1$</p>	<p>1A must get the limits of integration right</p> <p>1M ignore limits</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(ii) From (a),</p> $\frac{t}{1-t^2} = (t+t^3+\dots+t^{2n-1}) + \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2}$ <p>for $t^2 \neq 1$</p> $\int_0^x \frac{t}{1-t^2} dt = \int_0^x (t+t^3+\dots+t^{2n-1}) dt + \int_0^x \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt$ <p>for $-1 < x < 1$</p> $\ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \int_0^x (t+t^3+\dots+t^{2n-1}) dt + \int_0^x \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt$ <p>(by (b)(i))</p> $\ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \left[\frac{t^2}{2} + \frac{t^4}{4} + \dots + \frac{t^{2n}}{2n} \right]_0^x + \int_0^x \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt$ $\ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} - \left(\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{4} + \dots + \frac{x^{2n}}{2n} \right) = \int_0^x \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt$	<p>1M+1A</p> <p>2</p>

Solution	Marks
(c) Putting $x^2 = \frac{8}{9}$ in (b)(ii), we have	1M
$\ln 3 - \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2k} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^k = \int_0^{\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}} \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt$	1A
For $0 \leq t \leq \sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}$,	
$\therefore \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} \geq 0$	}
$\therefore \int_0^{\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}} \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt \geq 0$	
$\therefore \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} \leq \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-\frac{8}{9}} = 9t^{2n+1}$	1M
$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int_0^{\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}} \frac{t^{2n+1}}{1-t^2} dt &\leq 9 \int_0^{\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}} t^{2n+1} dt \\ &= \left[\frac{9}{2n+2} t^{2n+2} \right]_0^{\sqrt{\frac{8}{9}}} \\ &= \frac{9}{2n+2} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^{n+1} \end{aligned}$	1
Hence $0 \leq \ln 3 - \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2k} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^k \leq \frac{9}{2n+2} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^{n+1}$	
$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{9}{2n+2} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^{n+1} = 0$	
$\therefore \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2k} \left(\frac{8}{9}\right)^k = \ln 3$	1A

Solution	Marks
<p>10. (a) (i) Suppose on the contrary that f^{-1} is not strictly increasing. Then there exist y_1 and y_2 such that $y_1 < y_2$ and</p>	1M
$f^{-1}(y_1) \geq f^{-1}(y_2)$ $\Rightarrow f(f^{-1}(y_1)) \geq f(f^{-1}(y_2)) \quad (\because f \text{ is strictly increasing})$	
$\Rightarrow y_1 \geq y_2$ <p>which contradicts that $y_1 < y_2$.</p>	1
<p>(1 mark if candidate used $(f^{-1})'(y) = \frac{1}{f'(x)}$)</p>	
<p>(ii) $\because t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n \in [a, b]$ and f is strictly increasing</p>	1M
$\therefore f(a) \leq f(t_i) \leq f(b) \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, n$	
$\Rightarrow n f(a) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \leq n f(b)$	1M
$\Rightarrow f(a) \leq \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \leq f(b)$	
$\Rightarrow a \leq f^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i)\right) \leq b \quad (\because f^{-1} \text{ is strictly increasing})$	1
<p>$\because f$ is strictly increasing</p>	
<p>\therefore For $t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n \in [a, b]$,</p>	
$f(a) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) \text{ iff } t_1 = t_2 = \dots = t_n = a \text{ and}$	1A
$\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i) = f(b) \text{ iff } t_1 = t_2 = \dots = t_n = b.$	1A
<p>Again since f^{-1} is strictly increasing,</p>	
$a < f^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f(t_i)\right) < b$	
<p>iff t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n not all equal to a and not all equal to b.</p>	1A
<p>(or equivalently, there is a $t_i \neq a$ and there is a $t_j \neq b, 1 \leq i, j \leq n$.)</p>	

Solution	Marks
<p>(b) (i) For any $x_1, x_2 \in \mathbb{R}$,</p> $g(x_1) = g(x_2) \Rightarrow x_1^{\frac{1}{3}} = x_2^{\frac{1}{3}}$ $\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$ <p>\therefore g is injective.</p> <p>For any $y \in \mathbb{R}$, let $x = y^3$, then $g(x) = y$.</p> <p>\therefore g is surjective.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u> Let $f(x) = x^3$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$.</p> <p>Then $g \circ f(x) = g(x^3) = (x^3)^{\frac{1}{3}} = x$ and $f \circ g(x) = f(x^{\frac{1}{3}}) = \left(x^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^3 = x$</p> <p>$\therefore$ f is the inverse of g Hence g is bijective.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>$\therefore g'(x) = \frac{1}{3x^{\frac{2}{3}}} > 0$ for $x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$ and g is continuous on \mathbb{R}</p> <p>\therefore g is strictly increasing.</p>	<p>1</p>
<p><u>Alternatively,</u> Since $g = f^{-1}$ and f is strictly increasing, so is g.</p>	<p>1</p>
<p>Using (a) and putting $t_i = i$ where $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$,</p> <p>$\therefore t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n$ not all equal to 1 and not all equal to n</p> $\therefore 1 < g^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n g(t_i)\right) < n$ $\Rightarrow 1 < \left(\frac{1 + 2^{\frac{1}{3}} + \dots + n^{\frac{1}{3}}}{n}\right)^3 < n$	<p>1</p>
<p>(ii) Area enclosed by g and $g^{-1} = 2 \int_0^1 (g - g^{-1}) dx$</p> $= 2 \int_0^1 \left(x^{\frac{1}{3}} - x^3\right) dx$ $= 2 \left[\frac{3}{4} x^{\frac{4}{3}} - \frac{1}{4} x^4 \right]_0^1$ $= 1$	<p>1M for correct limits of integration</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1A</p>

Solution	Marks
<p>11. (a) $I_n(y) = \int_0^y t^n e^{-t} dt$</p> $= - \left\{ [t^n e^{-t}]_0^y - \int_0^y n t^{n-1} e^{-t} dt \right\}$ $= - \frac{y^n}{e^y} + n \int_0^y t^{n-1} e^{-t} dt$ $= - \frac{y^n}{e^y} + n I_{n-1}(y) \quad \text{for } n \geq 1 \text{ and } y \geq 0$	<p>1M for integration by</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
$I_0(y) = \int_0^y e^{-t} dt = [-e^{-t}]_0^y = 1 - \frac{1}{e^y} \leq 1$	<p>1A</p>
<p>Suppose $I_k(y) \leq k!$ for some non-negative integer k.</p>	
$I_{k+1}(y) = - \frac{y^{k+1}}{e^y} + (k+1) I_k(y)$ $\leq (k+1) I_k(y)$ $\leq (k+1)!$	<p>1</p>
<p>By the principle of mathematical induction, the result follows.</p>	
<p>(b) (i) $\therefore g'(x) = \frac{n}{n+x} + \frac{n}{n-x} - 2 = \frac{2x^2}{n^2 - x^2} \geq 0$ for $0 \leq x < n$.</p> <p>$\therefore g$ is increasing for $0 \leq x < n$</p> <p>i.e. $g(x) \geq g(0)$ for $0 \leq x < n$</p>	<p>1A</p> <p>1</p>
<p>Hence for $0 \leq x < n$,</p> $n \ln(n+x) - n \ln(n-x) - 2x \geq g(0) = 0$ $n \ln(n+x) \geq n \ln(n-x) + 2x$ $(n+x)^n \geq (n-x)^n e^{2x}$ $(n+x)^n e^{-(n+x)} \geq (n-x)^n e^{-(n-x)}$	<p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(ii) $\int_n^{2n} u^n e^{-u} du = \int_0^n (n+x)^n e^{-(n+x)} dx$ (putting $u = n+x$)</p> $\geq \int_0^n (n-x)^n e^{-(n-x)} dx$ (by (b)(i)) $= \int_n^0 y^n e^{-y} (-dy)$ (putting $y = n-x$) $= \int_0^n u^n e^{-u} du$	<p>1M</p> <p>1</p>
<p>Hence $\int_0^{2n} t^n e^{-t} dt = \int_0^n t^n e^{-t} dt + \int_n^{2n} t^n e^{-t} dt$</p> $\geq \int_0^n t^n e^{-t} dt + \int_0^n t^n e^{-t} dt$ $= 2 \int_0^n (n-x)^n e^{-n+x} (-dx)$ (putting $t = n-x$) $= 2e^{-n} \int_0^n (n-t)^n e^t dt$	<p>1M</p> <p>1</p>

Solution

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(c) For $n > 0$,

$$\frac{1}{n!} \int_0^n (n-t)^n e^t dt \leq \frac{1}{2e^{-n}(n!)} \int_0^{2n} t^n e^{-t} dt \quad (\text{by (b)(ii)})$$

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$$= \frac{1}{2e^{-n}(n!)} I_n(2n)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2e^{-n}(n!)} (n!) \quad (\text{by (a)})$$

$$= \frac{e^n}{2}$$

1

Solution

Marks

$$12. (a) (i) \frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \Rightarrow y^2 = b^2 \left(1 - \frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} \right)$$

$$\therefore \text{Area enclosed by } E = 2 \int_{h-a}^{h+a} b \sqrt{1 - \frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2}} dx$$

$$= 2 \int_{-a}^a b \sqrt{1 - \frac{y^2}{a^2}} dy \quad (\text{by putting } y = x - h)$$

$$= \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - y^2} dy$$

$$= \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} a^2 \cos^2 \theta d\theta \quad (\text{by putting } y = a \sin \theta)$$

$$= 4ab \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= 2ab \left[\theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= ab\pi$$

1A limits of integration must be correct

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Alternatively,

Transforming E to standard position by $x \mapsto x - h$, E becomes

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1.$$

$$\text{Area enclosed by } E = 4 \int_0^a b \sqrt{1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2}} dx$$

$$= \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx$$

$$= \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} dx$$

$$= \frac{4b}{a} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} a^2 \cos^2 \theta d\theta \quad (\text{by putting } x = a \sin \theta)$$

$$= 4ab \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= 2ab \left[\theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= ab\pi$$

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(ii) Sub. $y = mx$ into the equation of E , then

$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{m^2 x^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$(a^2 m^2 + b^2)x^2 - 2b^2 hx + b^2 h^2 - a^2 b^2 = 0$$

$\therefore y = mx$ is tangent to E

$$\therefore 4b^4 h^2 - 4(a^2 m^2 + b^2)b^2(h^2 - a^2) = 0$$

$$b^2 h^2 - (a^2 m^2 + b^2)(h^2 - a^2) = 0$$

$$b^2 - m^2(h^2 - a^2) = 0$$

$$m^2 = \frac{b^2}{h^2 - a^2}$$

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Solution	Marks
<p>(b) (i) $\because E_n$ and E_{n+1} touch each other externally $\therefore h_n - a_n = h_{n+1} + a_{n+1}$ $h_n - h_{n+1} = a_n + a_{n+1}$</p>	1A
<p>(ii) By (a)(ii), $m^2 = \frac{p^2 a_n^2}{h_n^2 - a_n^2}$ $\therefore \frac{p^2 a_n^2}{h_n^2 - a_n^2} = \frac{p^2 a_1^2}{h_1^2 - a_1^2}$ $a_n^2 h_1^2 = a_1^2 h_n^2$ $h_n = \frac{h_1}{a_1} a_n$</p>	1M 1M 1A
<p>Hence $\frac{h_1}{a_1} a_n - \frac{h_1}{a_1} a_{n+1} = a_n + a_{n+1}$ (by (b)(i)) $\left(\frac{h_1}{a_1} - 1\right) a_n = \left(\frac{h_1}{a_1} + 1\right) a_{n+1}$ $\frac{a_{n+1}}{a_n} = \frac{h_1 - a_1}{h_1 + a_1}$</p>	1
<p>(iii) $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} S_n = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n (p a_n) \pi$ (by (a)(i)) $= p \pi \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n^2$ $\therefore \frac{a_{n+1}^2}{a_n^2} = \left(\frac{h_1 - a_1}{h_1 + a_1}\right)^2 \in (0, 1)$</p>	1M for using the result of a(i)
<p>\therefore The summation is an infinite sum of a geometric sequence with common ratio $\left(\frac{h_1 - a_1}{h_1 + a_1}\right)^2$</p>	1M for realizing the series is a geometric series
<p>Hence $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} S_n = p \pi \cdot \frac{a_1^2}{1 - \left(\frac{h_1 - a_1}{h_1 + a_1}\right)^2}$ $= p \pi \cdot \frac{a_1^2 (h_1 + a_1)^2}{(h_1 + a_1)^2 - (h_1 - a_1)^2}$ $= \frac{p a_1 (h_1 + a_1)^2 \pi}{4 h_1}$</p>	1A 1A

Solution	Marks
<p>13. (a) (i) By Mean Value Theorem, there exists $\xi_1 \in (a, x)$ such that</p> $f(x) - f(a) = f'(\xi_1)(x - a) \quad \text{for } x \in (a, a+1)$ <p>$\therefore f(a) = 0$ and $x - a > 0$</p> $\therefore f(x) = f'(\xi_1) (x - a) \leq f'(\xi_1) (x - a)$	<p>1 for using mean value theorem properly</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(ii) Using (a)(i), the statement holds for $n = 1$. Assume that there exists $\xi_k \in (a, x)$ such that $f(x) \leq f'(\xi_k) (x - a)^k$. By Mean Value Theorem, there exists $\xi_{k+1} \in (a, \xi_k)$ such that</p> $f(\xi_k) - f(a) = f'(\xi_{k+1})(\xi_k - a)$ $ f(\xi_k) = f'(\xi_{k+1})(\xi_k - a) \leq f'(\xi_{k+1})(x - a) $ <p>$\therefore f(x) \leq f'(\xi_k) (x - a)^k \leq f'(\xi_{k+1})(x - a)^{k+1}$</p> <p>By the principle of mathematical induction, the result follows.</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(iii) \therefore there exists $M > 0$ such that</p> $ f(x) \leq M \quad \text{for all } x \in [a, a+1]$ <p>$\therefore 0 \leq f(x) \leq M(x - a)^n \quad \text{for all } n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \text{ and } x \in (a, a+1)$</p> $x \in (a, a+1) \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} M(x - a)^n = 0$ <p>Hence $f(x) = 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in (a, a+1)$</p> <p>$\therefore f$ is continuous on $[a, a+1]$</p> <p>$\therefore f(x) = 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in [a, a+1]$</p>	<p>1</p> <p>1A</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(b) (i) $f(0) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [0, 1]$ (by (a)(iii)) Assume $f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [k, k+1]$ where k is a non-negative integer. Hence $f(k+1) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [k+1, k+2]$. By the principle of mathematical induction, $f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [n, n+1]$ where $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ i.e. $f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [0, 1] \cup [1, 2] \cup [2, 3] \cup \dots$ $f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in [0, \infty)$</p>	<p>1</p> <p>induction not mandatory</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>
<p>(ii) Now define $g(x) = f(-x)$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$, then g is a differentiable function on \mathbb{R} with</p> $g(0) = f(0) = 0 \quad \text{and}$ $ g'(x) = -f'(-x) = f'(-x) \leq f'(-x) = g'(x) $ <p>Using (b)(i),</p> $g(x) = 0 \quad \text{for all } x \in [0, \infty)$ <p>$\Rightarrow f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in (-\infty, 0]$</p> <p>Hence $f(x) = 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$</p>	<p>1M</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p>