



Semester One Examination, 2022

Question/Answer booklet

MATHEMATICS APPLICATIONS UNIT 3

SOLUTIONS

Section One: Calculator-free

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In words

Your name

Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: five minutes

Working time: fifty minutes

Number of additional
answer booklets used
(if applicable):

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Materials required/recommended for this section

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This Question/Answer booklet

Formula sheet

To be provided by the candidate

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Structure of this paper

Section	Number of questions available	Number of questions to be answered	Working time (minutes)	Marks available	Percentage of examination
Section One: Calculator-free	7	7	50	51	35
Section Two: Calculator-assumed	12	12	100	98	65
Total					100

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Section One: Calculator-free

35% (51 Marks)

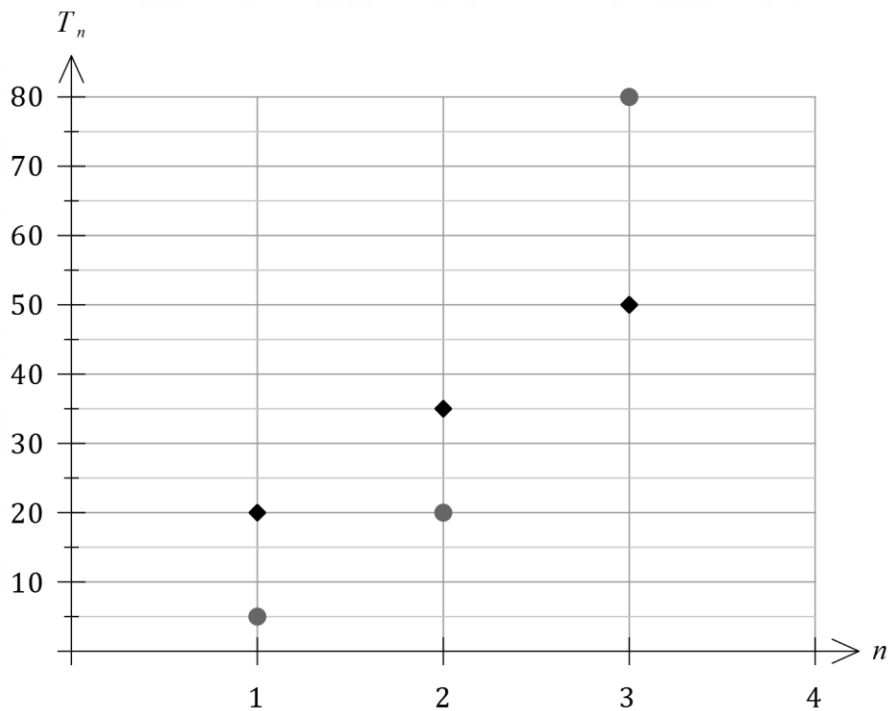
This section has **seven** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time: 50 minutes.

Question 1

(5 marks)

The graph below shows the first few terms of an arithmetic sequence and a geometric sequence.



(a) Deduce a rule for the n^{th} term of the geometric sequence.

(2 marks)

Solution
$T_n = 5(4)^{n-1}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ indicates correct common ratio r ✓ correct rule

(b) Determine the 40th term of the arithmetic sequence.

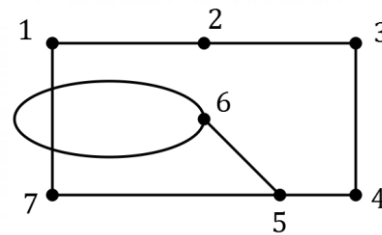
(3 marks)

Solution
$T_n = 20 + (n - 1)(15)$ $= 5 + 15n$
$T_{40} = 5 + 15 \times 40$ $= 5 + 600$ $= 605$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ indicates correct common difference d ✓ formulates rule or expression for T_{40} ✓ correct value

Question 2

(5 marks)

The statements in parts (a) to (e) of this question relate to graph G shown at right.



(a) Graph G has a bridge.

(1 mark)

Solution
True - between vertices 5 and 6.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct answer with justification

(b) Graph G is planar.

(1 mark)

Solution
True - it could be drawn in the plane so that no two edges cross.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct answer with justification

(c) Graph G has 7 even vertices.

(1 mark)

Solution
False - only 5 vertices (1, 2, 3, 4, 7) are even.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct answer with justification

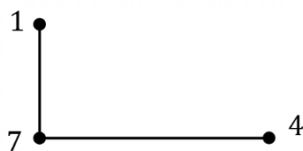
(d) Graph G has a trail of length 9.

(1 mark)

Solution
False - e.g., only 8 edges so maximum possible length of any trail is 8.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct answer with justification

(e) Graph F , shown below, is a subgraph of graph G .

(1 mark)



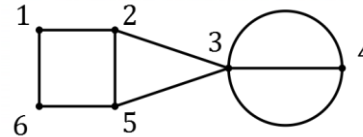
Solution
False - vertices 4 and 7 are adjacent in F but not in G .
Specific behaviours
✓ correct answer with justification

Question 3

(7 marks)

(a) Graph G_1 is shown at right.

Show that graph G_1 satisfies Euler's formula.



Solution
$v = 6, \quad f = 5, \quad e = 9$
Hence $v + f - e = 6 + 5 - 9 = 2$, as required.
Specific behaviours
✓ clearly indicates correct values for v, f and e ✓ shows that $v + f - e = 2$

(2 marks)

(b) A haulage company has three trucks and four drivers. The drivers that are licensed to drive each of the trucks are shown with a tick in the following table.

		Driver			
		A	B	C	D
Truck	1	✓			✓
	2	✓	✓	✓	✓
	3	✓	✓	✓	

(i) Represent the information in the table as bipartite graph G_2 .

(3 marks)

Solution
Specific behaviours
✓ any graph that is clearly bipartite ✓ all vertices marked with dot labelled ✓ all edges correct

(ii) Graph G_2 can be drawn in the plane. Determine, with justification, the number of faces G_2 has.

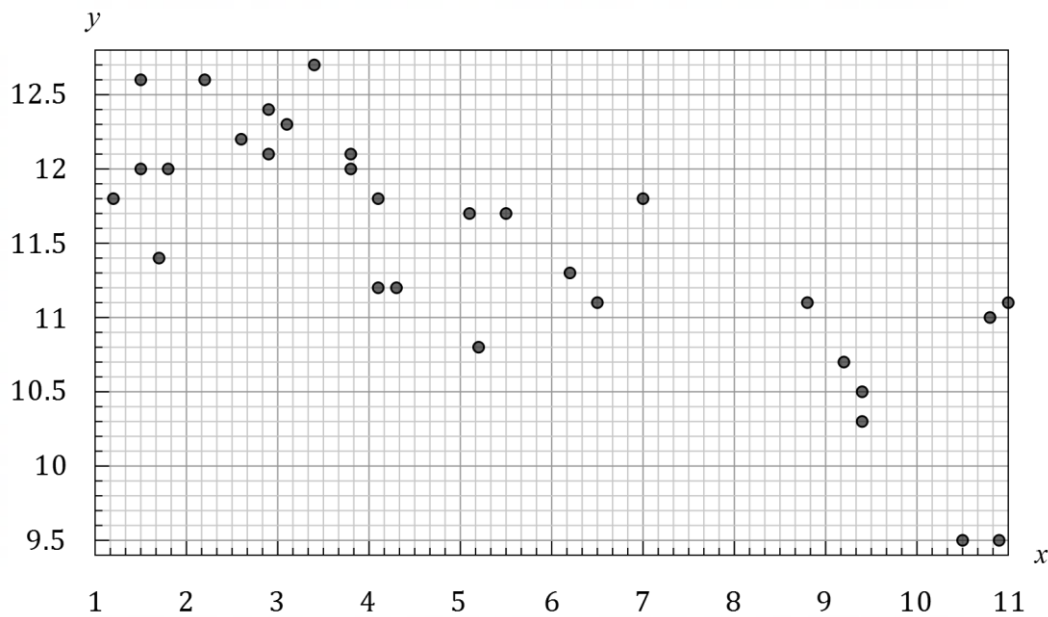
(2 marks)

Solution
Since G_2 is a connected planar graph, it will satisfy Euler's formula:
$v + f - e = 2 \rightarrow 7 + f - 9 = 2 \rightarrow f = 4$
G_2 has 4 faces.
Specific behaviours
✓ suitable reasoning or diagram ✓ correct number of faces, with justification

Question 4

(10 marks)

Over a period of one week, a group of children were observed and the total time that they slept each day recorded. The scatterplot below shows the age in years and months of each child on the x -axis and their average daily sleep time in hours on the y -axis.



The equation of the least-squares line is $\hat{y} = 12.4 - 0.2x$ and $r_{xy} = -0.81$.

- (a) How many children aged 2 were in the group? (1 mark)

Solution
4 children
Specific behaviours
✓ correct number

- (b) Name the explanatory variable. (1 mark)

Solution
Age of child.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct variable

- (c) Describe the linear association between the variables in terms of direction and strength. (2 marks)

Solution
Association is negative and strong.
Specific behaviours
✓ direction
✓ strength

- (d) Interpret the slope of the least-squares line in the context of this question. (2 marks)

Solution
For every extra year of age, the average daily sleep of a child is observed to decrease by 0.2 hours.
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ identifies as age increases sleep decreases ✓ quantifies change using value of slope in context and units

- (e) Predict the average daily sleep time of a child who has just had their eighth birthday. (2 marks)

Solution
$\hat{y} = 12.4 - 0.2 \times 8$ $= 12.4 - 1.6$ $= 10.8 \text{ h}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ substitutes into least-squares line ✓ correct prediction

- (f) A paediatrician looked at the data and said, "as children age, it causes them to need less sleep". Comment on this statement. (2 marks)

Solution
The observed association between the two variables is not a sufficient condition to establish a causal relationship and so the statement is not true.
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ takes issue with claim of a causal relationship ✓ explains that observed association alone is not enough

Question 5

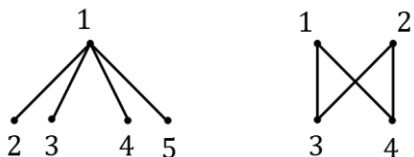
(7 marks)

A complete bipartite graph with n vertices in one group and m vertices in the other group will have nm edges.

- (a) Explain the meaning of the term **complete** for such a graph. (1 mark)

Solution
Complete: Every vertex of one group is connected to every vertex of the other group.
Specific behaviours
✓ reasonable explanation

- (b) Draw a complete bipartite graph with 4 edges. The graph should clearly be bipartite with its vertices labelled 1, 2, 3, ... and so on. (2 marks)

Solution

Specific behaviours
✓ either bipartite graph shown, with required number of edges ✓ labelled vertices

- (c) Construct the adjacency matrix for the graph you drew in part (b). (2 marks)

Solution
$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ or } \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$
Specific behaviours
✓ square matrix (or table) filled with 0's and 1's. ✓ correct matrix (or table)

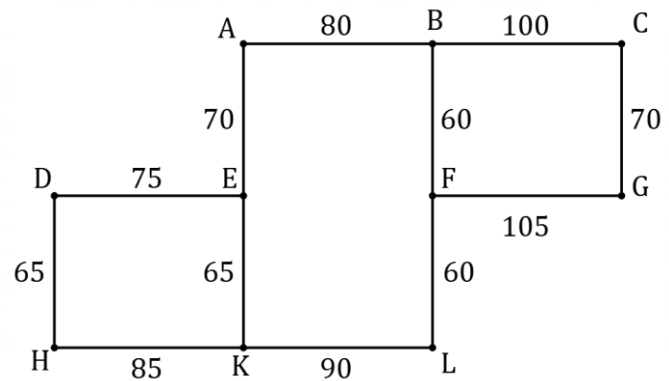
- (d) Determine, with justification, the minimum number of vertices that a complete bipartite graph with 36 edges can have. (2 marks)

Solution
With 36 edges, the numbers of vertices in each set will be $(1, 36) \rightarrow v = 37$ or $(2, 18) \rightarrow v = 20$ or $(3, 12) \rightarrow v = 15$ or $(4, 9) \rightarrow v = 13$ or $(6, 6) \rightarrow v = 12$ Hence minimum number of vertices is 12.
Specific behaviours
✓ correct minimum number ✓ justifies answer by comparing to at least one other possibility

Question 6

(8 marks)

The graph below represents a town centre, with street corners shown as vertices, streets as edges and the length, in metres, of each street as an edge weight.



The total length of all streets in the town centre is 925 m.

- (a) List, in order, the vertices that lie on the shortest path from H to C and state the length of this path in metres. (3 marks)

Solution
$H - D - E - A - B - C = 390 \text{ m}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ any path with correct length ✓ lists vertices on shortest path ✓ states length of shortest path

- (b) Does the graph contain an Eulerian trail? Justify your answer. (2 marks)

Solution
No - for an Eulerian trail to exist in a graph there must be no odd vertices, but this graph contains four.
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ states no ✓ states there must be no odd vertices for an Eulerian trail to exist

- (c) A cleaning team must make their way along every street in the town centre, starting and finishing at the same street corner. Determine the minimum distance they must walk and explain how they can achieve this minimum. (3 marks)

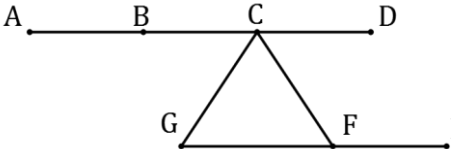
Solution
<p>To start and finish at the same vertex and travel along every edge once, graph must be Eulerian. To this end, add a duplicate edge BF and a duplicate edge EK (i.e., walk along these edges twice). Then the team can start and finish anywhere and walk an Eulerian trail.</p> <p>Hence the minimum distance is the sum of the weights plus the two extra edges: $d = 925 + 65 + 60 = 1050$ metres.</p>
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ identifies a possible walk that meets requirements ✓ calculates a distance, supported by a possible walk ✓ states correct minimum with reasons or lists a possible walk

Question 7

(9 marks)

A farm has seven buildings spread out over an area of land. There are paved roads between buildings A and B, B and C, C and D, C and F, C and G, E and F, and F and G.

- (a) Construct graph G to represent this network of buildings and paved roads. (2 marks)

Solution

Specific behaviours
✓ correct number of labelled vertices ✓ correct graph

- (b) Determine the length of

- (i) the longest trail in graph G . (1 mark)

Solution
Length is 6. (e.g., A-B-C-F-G-C-D)
Specific behaviours
✓ correct length

- (ii) the shortest, closed walk in graph G that visits all seven vertices. (1 mark)

Solution
Length is 11. (e.g., A-B-C-D-C-F-E-F-G-C-B-A)
Specific behaviours
✓ correct length

- (c) State, with justification, whether graph G is a Hamiltonian graph. (2 marks)

Solution
No. The graph does not contain a Hamiltonian cycle.
Specific behaviours
✓ states no ✓ correct justification

- (d) A new paved road is planned between two different buildings. With the addition of this road, graph G will be a semi-Hamiltonian graph. Determine the number of possible pairs of buildings that the road could be built between. Justify your answer. (3 marks)

Solution
For a Hamiltonian path to exist, add an edge between any of the following pairs of vertices: <p style="text-align: center;">A-D, A-E, A-G, D-B, D-E, D-G, E-B.</p> There are 7 possible pairs of buildings the road can run between.
Specific behaviours
✓ lists one pair of vertices so that G has a Hamiltonian path ✓ lists at least 5 possible distinct pairs ✓ states correct number of pairs

Supplementary page

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