



Semester One Examination, 2020

Question/Answer booklet

**MATHEMATICS
SPECIALIST
UNIT 1**

**Section One:
Calculator-free**

SOLUTIONS

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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

To be provided by the supervisor

This Question/Answer booklet

Formula sheet

To be provided by the candidate

Standard items: pens (blue/black preferred), pencils (including coloured), sharpener, correction fluid/tape, eraser, ruler, highlighters

Special items: nil

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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	8	8	50	51	35
Section Two: Calculator-assumed	13	13	100	96	65
Total					100

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3. You must be careful to confine your answers to the specific question asked and to follow any instructions that are specific to a particular question.
4. Show all your working clearly. Your working should be in sufficient detail to allow your answers to be checked readily and for marks to be awarded for reasoning. Incorrect answers given without supporting reasoning cannot be allocated any marks. For any question or part question worth more than two marks, valid working or justification is required to receive full marks. If you repeat any question, ensure that you cancel the answer you do not wish to have marked.
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Section One: Calculator-free

35% (51 Marks)

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

Working time: 50 minutes.

Question 1

(7 marks)

Two forces are given by $\mathbf{F}_1 = -3\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}$ N and $\mathbf{F}_2 = 2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j}$ N.

(a) Determine

(i) $\mathbf{F}_1 - \mathbf{F}_2$.

(1 mark)

Solution
$\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$ N
Specific behaviours
✓ correct vector

(ii) $5\mathbf{F}_1 + 10\mathbf{F}_2$.

(2 marks)

Solution
$5 \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + 10 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -15 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 20 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix}$ N
Specific behaviours
✓ one correct multiple ✓ correct vector

(iii) $|\mathbf{F}_1|$.

(1 mark)

Solution
$\left \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} \right = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + 5^2} = \sqrt{34}$ N
Specific behaviours
✓ correct value

(b) The resultant of $3\mathbf{F}_1$, $6\mathbf{F}_2$ and a third force is $5\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$ N. Determine the magnitude of the third force.

(3 marks)

Solution
$\mathbf{F}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$
$ \mathbf{F}_3 = \sqrt{4 + 25} = \sqrt{29}$
Specific behaviours
✓ correct vector equation ✓ correct third force ✓ correct magnitude

Question 2

(6 marks)

(a) Consider the statement: $n = 2 \Rightarrow n^2 = 4$.

(i) Write the inverse statement.

(1 mark)

Solution
$n \neq 2 \Rightarrow n^2 \neq 4$
Specific behaviours
✓ correct statement

(ii) Write the converse statement.

(1 mark)

Solution
$n^2 = 4 \Rightarrow n = 2$
Specific behaviours
✓ correct statement

(b) State whether each of the following statements are true or false, supporting each answer with an example or counterexample.

(i) \forall positive integers $x, \sqrt{x} \leq x$.

(2 marks)

Solution
True. If $x = 1, \sqrt{x} = 1$ and $1 \leq 1$.
Specific behaviours
✓ states true, with counterexample ✓ counterexample using positive integer

(ii) $\forall a \in \mathbb{R}, \exists b \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $ab = 24$.

(2 marks)

Solution
False. If $a = 0$ then no value for b exists so that $ab = 24$.
Specific behaviours
✓ states false, with counterexample ✓ counterexample with $a = 0$

Question 3

(4 marks)

Prove:

$$\frac{\tan^2 x - 1}{\sin x + \cos x} = \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\cos^2 x}$$

Solution

$$\begin{aligned} LHS &= \frac{\tan^2 x - 1}{\sin x + \cos x} \\ &= \left(\frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} - \frac{\cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x} \right) \div (\sin x + \cos x) \\ &= \frac{\sin^2 x - \cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x} \times \frac{1}{\sin x + \cos x} \\ &= \frac{(\sin x - \cos x)(\sin x + \cos x)}{\cos^2 x} \times \frac{1}{\sin x + \cos x} \\ &= \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{\cos^2 x} \\ &= RHS \\ QED \end{aligned}$$

Specific behaviours

- ✓✓✓ per correct step in proof
- ✓ prove LHS = RHS

Question 4

(6 marks)

The position vectors of points A and B are $\mathbf{r}_A = \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{r}_B = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$.

- (a) Determine the position vector of point P such that $\mathbf{AP} = \frac{2}{5}\mathbf{AB}$.

(3 marks)

Solution
$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$
$P = A + \frac{2}{5}\overrightarrow{AB}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{2}{5}\begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ vector \overrightarrow{AB} ✓ indicates appropriate method ✓ correct position vector

- (b) A small body leaves A and moves with a constant velocity in a direction parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$. Determine, with reasons, whether the body will pass through point C with position vector $\mathbf{r}_C = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$.

(3 marks)

Solution
$\overrightarrow{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -8 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 14 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$
<p>But $\begin{pmatrix} 14 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \neq k \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and so body will not pass through C as \overrightarrow{AC} is not parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$.</p>
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ vector \overrightarrow{AC} ✓ indicates \overrightarrow{AC} not parallel to velocity ✓ states will not pass through C

Question 5

(7 marks)

(a) 4 different letters are chosen from the 7 in the word PAYMENT and then arranged to form a password. Determine how many different passwords are possible that

(i) end in T.

(1 mark)

Solution
$n(- - - T) = 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1 = 120$
Specific behaviours
✓ correct number

(ii) end in T or start with P.

(3 marks)

Solution
$n(P - - -) = 120$
$n(P - - T) = 1 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1 = 20$
$n = 120 + 120 - 20 = 220$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ number for P and T ✓ uses inclusion-exclusion principal ✓ correct number

(b) Determine the number of two letter permutations that can be made using letters from the word REPAYMENT.

(3 marks)

Solution
8 letters - 7 singles and 1 double (E).
Both different: $8 \times 7 = 56$
Both the same: $1 \times 1 = 1$
Total permutations: $56 + 1 = 57$.
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ breaks into exclusive cases ✓ correct calculation for each case ✓ correct number

Question 6

(7 marks)

Trapezium $OABC$ is such that $\overrightarrow{AB} = 3\overrightarrow{OC}$.

The midpoints of sides OA, AB, BC and OC are P, Q, R and S .

Let $\overrightarrow{OA} = \mathbf{a}$ and $\overrightarrow{OC} = \mathbf{c}$. Use a vector method to prove that $PQRS$ is a parallelogram.

Solution
<p>Then $\overrightarrow{OP} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a}$, $\overrightarrow{OQ} = \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{c}$.</p> <p>Hence $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \overrightarrow{OQ} - \overrightarrow{OP} = \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{c} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{c}$.</p> <p>Note that $\overrightarrow{CB} = -\mathbf{c} + \mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{c}$.</p> <p>Also $\overrightarrow{OS} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{c}$, $\overrightarrow{OR} = \mathbf{c} + \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{c}) = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{c}$.</p> <p>Hence $\overrightarrow{SR} = \overrightarrow{OR} - \overrightarrow{OS} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{c} - \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{c} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2}\mathbf{c}$.</p> <p>Hence $PQRS$ is a parallelogram as $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \overrightarrow{SR}$ (has a pair of equal length, parallel sides).</p>
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ diagram of trapezium, roughly to scale ✓ uses correct vector notation throughout ✓ vectors \overrightarrow{OP}, \overrightarrow{OQ} ✓ vector \overrightarrow{PQ} ✓ vectors \overrightarrow{OS}, \overrightarrow{OR} ✓ vector \overrightarrow{SR} ✓ conclusion

Question 7

(7 marks)

Consider the vectors $\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) Determine the vector projection of \mathbf{r} onto \mathbf{q} .

(3 marks)

Solution
$\hat{\mathbf{q}} = \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$
$\frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{11}{5}$
<p>Hence required vector is</p>
$\frac{11}{5} \times \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 33/25 \\ -44/25 \end{pmatrix}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ unit vector for \mathbf{q} ✓ scalar product ✓ correct vector

(b) Given that $\mathbf{p} = \lambda\mathbf{q} + \mu\mathbf{r}$, determine the value of λ and the value of μ .

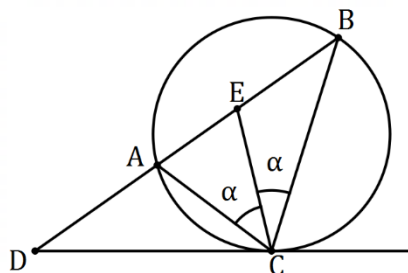
(4 marks)

Solution
$\lambda \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$
<p>Equating i and j coefficients:</p>
$3\lambda + \mu = -7$
$-4\lambda - 2\mu = 8$
<p>Hence</p>
$6\lambda + 2\mu = -14$
$-4\lambda - 2\mu = 8$
$2\lambda = -6 \Rightarrow \lambda = -3$
$\mu = -7 - 3(-3) = 2$
$\lambda = -3, \quad \mu = 2$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ equation using i-coefficients ✓ equation using j-coefficients ✓ value of λ ✓ value of μ

Question 8

(7 marks)

In the diagram shown, A, B and C lie on a circle.
The tangent at C and secant BA intersect at D .
Point E lies on AB so that CE bisects $\angle ACB$.



(a) Show that $\angle DEC = \angle DCE$.

(3 marks)

Solution
Given $\angle ACE = \angle BCE = \alpha$.
Let $\angle ACD = \beta$, so that $\angle DCE = \alpha + \beta$.
$\angle CBE = \angle ACD = \beta$ (alternate segment)
$\angle DEC = \alpha + \beta$ (sum of opposite interior angles)
Hence $\angle DEC = \angle DCE$ as required.
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses alternate segment theorem ✓ uses triangle properties ✓ logical explanation

(b) Given that $AE = 4$ cm and $BE = 9$ cm, determine the length of DC .

(4 marks)

Solution
$DC^2 = DA \times DB$ (intersecting secants)
Let $DC = DE = x$ (isosceles triangle) so that $DA = x - 4$ and $DB = x + 9$. Then
$x^2 = (x - 4)(x + 9)$ $x^2 = x^2 + 5x - 36$ $5x = 36$ $x = \frac{36}{5} \text{ cm } (= 7.2)$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses intersecting secants theorem ✓ uses isosceles triangles to express required lengths ✓ forms equation ✓ correct length

Supplementary page

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