

**MATHEMATICS  
SPECIALIST  
UNITS 1 AND 2**

**Section One:  
Calculator-free**

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SOLUTIONS

**Time allowed for this section**

Reading time before commencing work: five minutes

Working time for this section: fifty minutes

**Materials required/recommended for this section**

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Formula Sheet

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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 exam |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Section One: Calculator-free    | 8                             | 8                                  | 50                     | 53              | 35                 |
| Section Two: Calculator-assumed | 13                            | 13                                 | 100                    | 100             | 65                 |
| <b>Total</b>                    |                               |                                    |                        | 153             | 100                |

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Section One: Calculator-free

(53 Marks)

This section has **eight (8)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time for this section is 50 minutes.

Question 1

(5 marks)

(a) If  $\tan A = \frac{1}{2}$ , determine the exact value of  $\tan 2A$ .

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \tan 2A &= \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A} \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{1}{2}}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{\frac{4}{4}} \\ &= \underline{\underline{\frac{4}{3}}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

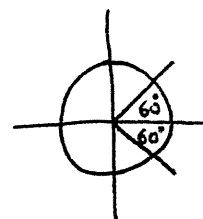
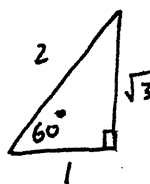
(b) Solve  $\cos(2(x - 10^\circ)) = 0.5$ ,  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$ .

(3 marks)

$$\Rightarrow 2(x - 10^\circ) = 60^\circ \text{ or } 300^\circ; \quad -20^\circ \leq 2(x - 10^\circ) \leq 340^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow x - 10^\circ = 30^\circ \text{ or } 150^\circ$$

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{x = 40^\circ \text{ or } 160^\circ}}$$



Question 2

(6 marks)

If  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ ,  $C = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 & -2 \\ 5 & 4 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $D = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 4 & 0 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ , state whether the following are true

or false. If false, clearly explain your reasoning.

(a)  $A + D = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 & 0 \\ 3 & 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$ .

False, can not add matrices of different dimension. (1 mark)

✓

(b)  $AB = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -2 & 4 \\ 4 & -1 & 2 \\ 12 & -3 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ .

True (1 mark)

✓

(c)  $a_{12} + b_{21} + c_{11} + d_{22} = 3$ .

False,  $a_{12}$  and  $b_{21}$  do not exist. (1 mark)

✓

(d)  $BA = 13$ .

False,  $BA = [13]$  (1 mark)

This is related to the concepts of: scalar multiplication vs 'scalar matrix' Mult.

i.e. the product of two matrices is a matrix.

i.e.  $[13] \neq 13$  ✓

(e)  $CD = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

True (1 mark)

✓

(f)  $C^{-1} = D$ .

False, matrix C must be square to have an inverse. (1 mark)

✓

Question 3

(7 marks)

Two vectors are given by  $\mathbf{a} = 9\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{b} = 3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}$ . Determine

(a) a vector parallel to  $\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}$  of magnitude 25.

(3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} &= \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Required vector is

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}| &= \sqrt{6^2 + 8^2} \\ &= \sqrt{100} \\ &= 10 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{25}{10} \times \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= 15\mathbf{i} + 20\mathbf{j} \quad \checkmark$$

or  $-15\mathbf{i} - 20\mathbf{j}$

(4 marks)

(b)  $\mathbf{a}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{d}$  and  $\mathbf{e}$ , where  $\mathbf{d} = 3\mathbf{i} - 5\mathbf{j}$  and  $\mathbf{e} = 5\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = x \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} + y \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x + 5y = 9 \quad \text{and} \quad -5x - 2y = 4 \quad \checkmark$$

By elimination:

$$\begin{array}{r} 15x + 25y = 45 \\ -15x - 6y = 12 \\ \hline 19y = 57 \end{array}$$

$$19y = 57$$

$$\therefore y = 3$$

$$; \quad x = -2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{a} = -2\mathbf{d} + 3\mathbf{e} \quad \checkmark$$

Question 4

(9 marks)

(a) Evaluate  $\frac{3!7!}{9!}$ . =  $\frac{6 \times \cancel{7!}}{9 \times 8 \times \cancel{7!}}$  ✓  
=  $\frac{1}{12}$  ✓

(2 marks)

(b) Determine the number of different permutations of the letters in the word NEEDED. (2 marks)

$$\frac{7!}{3! 2!}$$

$$= \frac{7 \times 6 \times 5 \times \cancel{4} \times \cancel{3!}}{\cancel{3!} 2!}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{420}}$$

(c) A password is formed using all seven of the characters \$, %, @, Y, Z, 8 and 9 just once. Determine the number of different passwords that are possible in which all the symbols are adjacent, all the letters are adjacent and all the digits are adjacent. (3 marks)

together

$$3! \cdot 2! \cdot 2! \cdot 3!$$

Symb. letters Digit order ✓ ✓

$$= 6 \times 2 \times 2 \times 6$$

$$= \underline{\underline{144}} \text{ passwords } \checkmark$$

(d) Determine the least number of randomly chosen integers between 10 and 99 required to be certain that the difference of the digits in at least two of the integers is the same. (For example, the difference of the digits in the integer 49 is  $9 - 4 = 5$ ). (2 marks)

there are 10 possible differences (pigeonholes)  
(i.e. a difference of 0 up to a difference of 9) ✓

∴ By pigeonhole principle we will need at least 11  
numbers to be chosen. ✓

Question 5

(5 marks)

A proposition states that for any integer  $n$ , if  $n^2 - 4n - 3$  is even, then  $n$  is odd.

(a) Write the contrapositive of this proposition.

(1 mark)

If  $n$  is not odd, then  $n^2 - 4n - 3$  is not even.  
(even) (odd)



(b) Use the contrapositive statement to prove the proposition is true.

(4 marks)

If  $n$  is not odd it is even

$$\therefore n = 2k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$



$$\text{now } n^2 - 4n - 3 = (2k)^2 - 4(2k) - 3$$

$$= 4k^2 - 8k - 3$$

$$= 4k^2 - 8k - 2 - 1$$

$$= 2(2k^2 - 4k - 1) - 1$$

$$= 2l - 1, \quad l \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

which is odd and

$\therefore$  not even Q.E.D.

i.e. Given the contrapositive  
is true the original  
proposition must be true

Q.E.D.

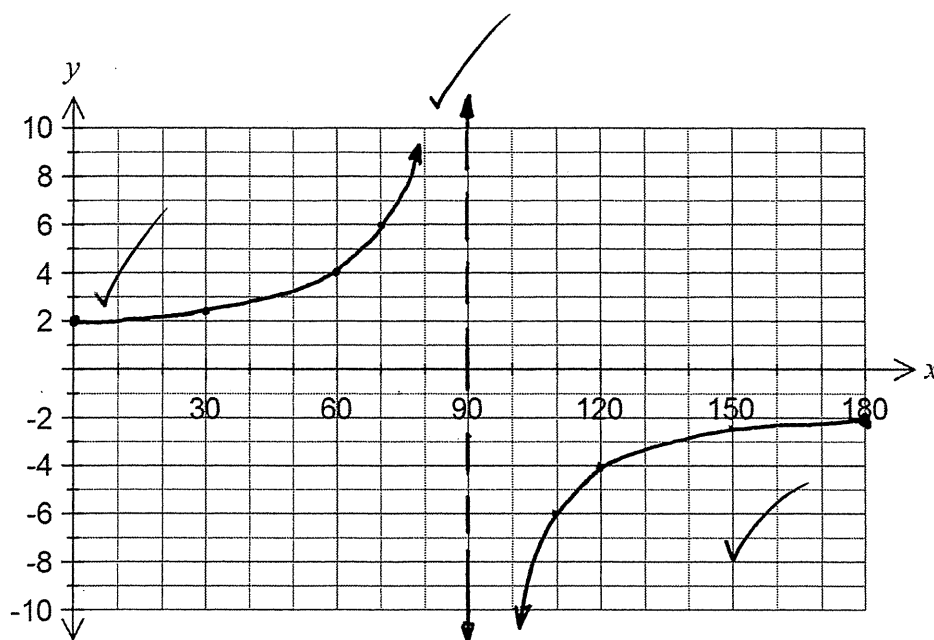


Question 6

(7 marks)

(a) Sketch the graph of  $y = 2 \operatorname{cosec}(x + 90^\circ)$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$ .

(3 marks)



(b) Prove the identity  $\cot A + \tan A = \sec A \operatorname{cosec} A$ .

(4 marks)

Proof: Take L.H.S. =  $\cot A + \tan A$

$$= \frac{\cos A}{\sin A} + \frac{\sin A}{\cos A} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{\cos^2 A + \sin^2 A}{\sin A \cos A} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos A \sin A}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos A} \cdot \frac{1}{\sin A} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \sec A \cdot \operatorname{cosec} A$$

$$= \text{RHS} \quad \checkmark$$

Q.E.D.



Question 7

(7 marks)

(a) Matrix  $A$  represents a rotation of  $180^\circ$  about the origin. Determine

(i) matrix  $A$ .

(1 mark)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

(ii) the exact coordinates of the point  $(-2, 3)$  after transformation by matrix  $A$ . (1 mark)

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

ie.  $A' (2, -3)$   $\checkmark$

(iii) the determinant of matrix  $A$ .

(1 mark)

$$\begin{aligned} |A| &= (-1)(-1) - (0)(0) \\ &= \underline{\underline{1}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

(b) Matrix  $B = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ . Describe the transformation represented by  $B$  and calculate its determinant. (2 marks)

$B$  is a reflection in the  $y$ -axis  $\checkmark$

$$|B| = \underline{\underline{-1}} \quad \checkmark$$

(c) Use an example to show that two non-singular square matrices  $C$  and  $D$  exist such that the determinant of their sum is equal to the sum of their determinants. (2 marks)

Let  $C = A$  and  $D = B$  from above for example

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } C + D &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } |C + D| &= 0 = |C| + |D| \\ &= 1 + (-1) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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QED.

Question 8

(7 marks)

The complex number  $z = \frac{1+i}{1-i} - \frac{4+3i}{a-i}$ , where  $a$  is a real constant.

- (a) Show that  $\text{Re}(z) = \frac{3-4a}{a^2+1}$  and that  $\text{Im}(z) = \frac{a^2-3a-3}{a^2+1}$ . (4 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} z &= \frac{1+i}{1-i} \times \frac{1+i}{1+i} - \frac{4+3i}{a-i} \times \frac{a+i}{a+i} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{1+2i+i^2}{2} - \frac{4a+4i+3ai+3i^2}{a^2-i^2} \\ &= \frac{1+2i-1}{2} - \frac{4a-3+(3a+4)i}{a^2+1} \\ &= i \quad \checkmark - \frac{4a-3}{a^2+1} - \frac{3a+4}{a^2+1} i \\ &= \frac{3-4a}{a^2+1} + \frac{a^2+1-(3a+4)}{a^2+1} i \quad \checkmark \\ &= \frac{3-4a}{a^2+1} + \frac{a^2-3a-3}{a^2+1} i \\ &= \text{Re}(z) + \text{Im}(z) i \quad \checkmark \text{ QED.} \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Determine the value(s) of  $a$  when  $\text{Im}(z) + \text{Re}(z) = 0$ . (3 marks)

$$\frac{3-4a}{a^2+1} + \frac{a^2-3a-3}{a^2+1} = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow 3-4a + a^2-3a-3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a^2-7a = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow a(a-7) = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{a=0} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{a=7} \quad \checkmark$$

Section Two: Calculator-assumed

(100 Marks)

This section has **thirteen (13)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time for this section is 100 minutes.

Question 9

(6 marks)

The work done, in joules, by a force  $F$  Newtons in changing the displacement of an object  $s$  metres is given by the scalar product of  $F$  and  $s$ .

- (a) Determine the work done by a force of 200 N that moves an object 2.7 m, given that the force acts at an angle of  $17^\circ$  to the direction of movement. (1 mark)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{F} \cdot \underline{s} &= |\underline{F}| |\underline{s}| \cos \theta \\ &= 200 \times 2.7 \times \cos 17^\circ \\ &= \underline{\underline{516.4 \text{ J}}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

- (b) When an object is moved  $0.8\mathbf{i} - 0.6\mathbf{j}$  m by a force of 130 N, the work done is 126 J.

- (i) Show that one possible force is  $120\mathbf{i} - 50\mathbf{j}$  N. (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{F} \cdot \underline{s} &= F_1 s_1 + F_2 s_2 \\ \begin{bmatrix} 120 \\ -50 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 \\ -0.6 \end{bmatrix} &= 96 + 30 \\ &= \underline{\underline{126 \text{ J}}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

where  $|\underline{F}| = \sqrt{(120)^2 + (-50)^2}$   
 $= \underline{\underline{130 \text{ N}}} \quad \checkmark$

- (ii) Another possible force is  $x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j}$  N. Determine the values of  $x$  and  $y$ . (3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 \\ -0.6 \end{bmatrix} &= 126 \\ \Rightarrow 0.8x - 0.6y &= 126 \quad \checkmark \quad \text{and} \quad x^2 + y^2 = 130^2 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

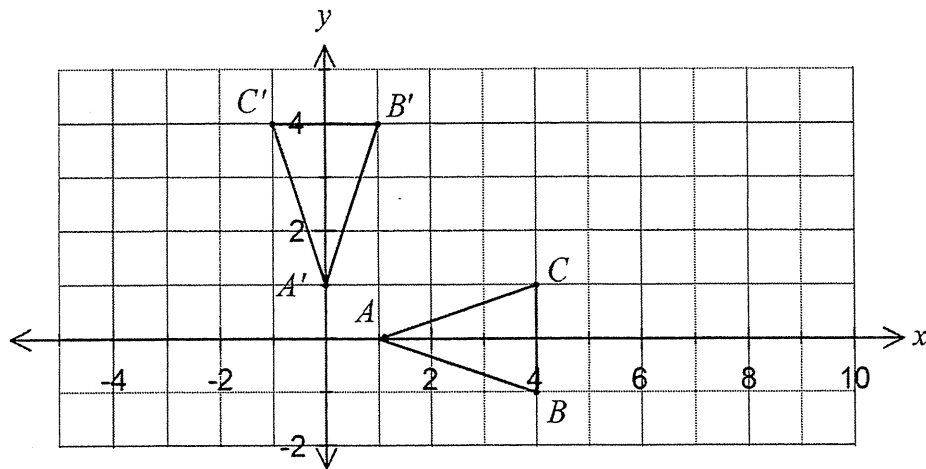
Solving simultaneously gives

$$\begin{aligned} x = 120, y = -50 & \quad \text{or} \quad x = \underline{\underline{81.6}}, y = \underline{\underline{-101.2}} \\ & \text{given in part (i)} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Question 10

(7 marks)

On the axes below, triangle  $ABC$  is transformed to  $A'B'C'$  by a linear transformation.



- (a) State the appropriate transformation matrix.

(1 mark)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

- (b) Following a second transformation,  $A'(0, 1)$  and  $B'(1, 4)$  are transformed to  $A''(0, 2)$  and  $B''(3, 8)$ .

- (i) Determine the matrix for this second transformation.

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} T \begin{bmatrix} A' & B' \\ 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} A'' & B'' \\ 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \\ \Rightarrow T &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 2 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

- (ii) Calculate the area of triangle  $A''B''C''$ .

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} A(\Delta A''B''C'') &= |\det(T)| \times A(\Delta A'B'C') \quad \checkmark \\ &= 6 \times \frac{1}{2}(2)(3) \\ &= \underline{\underline{18}} \text{ units}^2 \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

- (c) Determine the transformation matrix that will transform triangle  $A''B''C''$  back to  $ABC$ .

(2 marks)

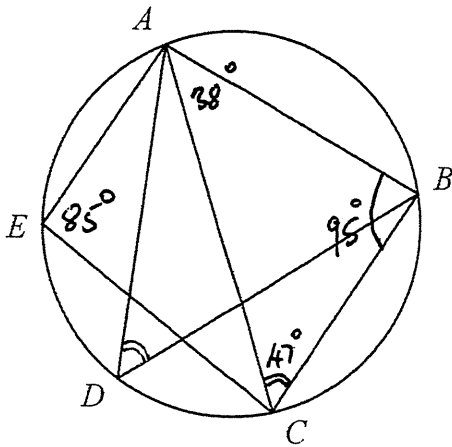
$$\left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \right)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{3} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

Question 11

(8 marks)

(a) In the diagram below  $\angle AEC = 85^\circ$  and  $\angle BAC = 38^\circ$ . Determine the size of  $\angle ADB$ .

(3 marks)



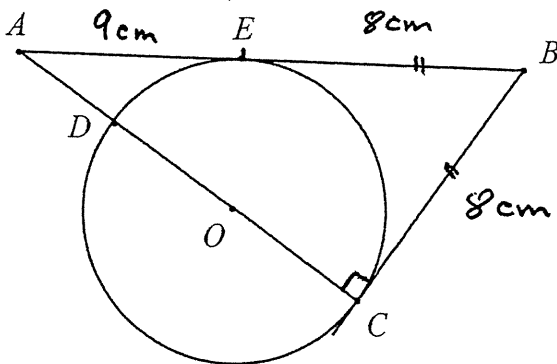
$$\begin{aligned} \angle ABC &= 180 - 85 \\ &= 95^\circ \quad \checkmark \text{ cyclic quad.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \angle ACB &= 180 - 95 - 38 \\ &= 47^\circ \quad \checkmark \text{ angle sum tri.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \angle ADB &= \angle ACB \quad \text{standing on same arc.} \\ &= \underline{\underline{47^\circ}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

(b) In the diagram shown below, not drawn to scale, a circle with centre  $O$  has tangents at  $E$  and  $C$  that meet at  $B$ . If the length of  $BC$  is 8 cm and the length of  $AE$  is 9 cm, determine the length of  $DC$ .

(5 marks)

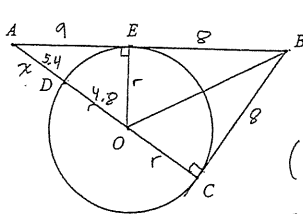


$$BE = BC = 8 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} AB &= AE + EB \\ &= 9 + 8 \\ &= 17 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} AC &= \sqrt{(AB)^2 - (BC)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{17^2 - 8^2} \\ &= 15 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Alternative Sol<sup>n</sup> (Samuel Carbone)



$$9^2 = x(x+2r)$$

$$9^2 + r^2 = (x+r)^2$$

$$(2r+x)^2 + 8^2 = 17^2$$

$$x = 5.4, \quad r = 4.8$$

$$\downarrow DC = 2 \times 4.8$$

$$DC = \underline{\underline{9.6 \text{ cm}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (AE)^2 &= AD \times AC \\ \Rightarrow AD &= \frac{9^2}{15} \text{ cm} \\ &= 5.4 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore DC &= AC - AD \\ &= 15 - 5.4 \\ &= \underline{\underline{9.6 \text{ cm}}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

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Question 12

(9 marks)

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} -6 & 4 \\ 5 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$ .

- (a) Given that  $A^{-1} = kB$ , determine the value of  $k$ .

(2 marks)

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1}B^{-1} = kI$$

$$\Rightarrow kI = (BA)^{-1}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{k = \frac{1}{2}}}$$

Alternative method:

$$A^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{2} & 2 \\ \frac{5}{2} & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}B$$

- (b) The equations  $4y = 6x + 4$  and  $5x = 3y$  can be expressed as a matrix equation in the form  $AX = C$ .

- (i) State the matrices  $X$  and  $C$ .

(2 marks)

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} \quad C = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- (ii) Write down a matrix equation to determine  $X$  in terms of  $B$  and  $C$ .

(2 marks)

$$AX = C$$

$$\Rightarrow X = A^{-1}C$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}BC}} \quad \text{from (a)}$$

- (c) Determine the matrix  $D$ , if  $(B - D)B = 2A$ .

(3 marks)

$$\Rightarrow (B - D)BB^{-1} = 2AB^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (B - D)I = 2A \frac{1}{2}A$$

$$\Rightarrow B - D = A^2$$

$$\Rightarrow D = B - A^2$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} -53 & 40 \\ 50 & -23 \end{bmatrix}$$

From (a)

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}B$$

$$\Rightarrow 2A^{-1} = B$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}A = B^{-1}$$

Question 13

(6 marks)

- (a) Determine the angle between the vectors  $(-12, 7)$  and  $(3, 8)$ .

(2 marks)

Could use:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{a \cdot b}{|a||b|}$$

or

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$$\text{angle}([-12, 7], [3, 8])$$

$$= \underline{\underline{80.3^\circ}} \quad (1d.p.) \quad \checkmark$$

- (b) Determine the value of  $a$  so that the vectors  $(7, a)$  and  $(10, 4)$  are perpendicular.

(2 marks)

$$(7, a) \cdot (10, 4) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow 70 + 4a = 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{a = -\frac{35}{2}}} \quad \checkmark$$

- (c) Determine the exact scalar projection of  $(3, -5)$  on  $(-8, 4)$ .

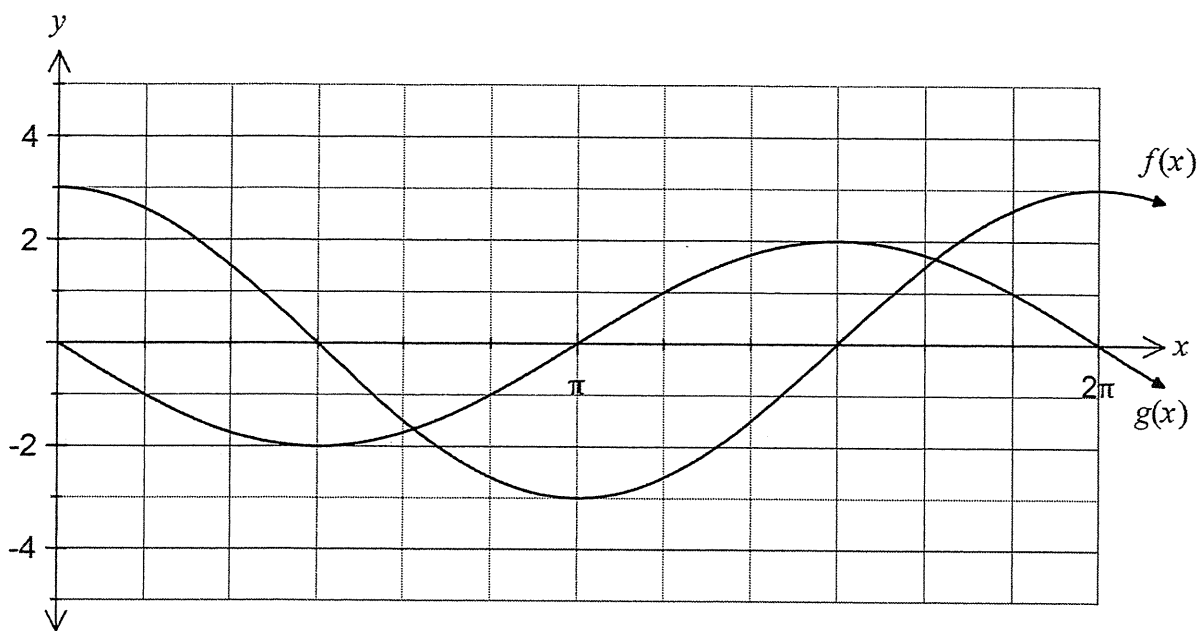
(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proj}_{\vec{a}} \vec{b} &= \frac{\vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}}{|\vec{b}|} = \frac{(3, -5) \cdot (-8, 4)}{|(-8, 4)|} \quad \checkmark \\ &= \underline{\underline{-\frac{11\sqrt{5}}{5}}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Question 14

(9 marks)

(a) The graphs of  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = g(x)$  are shown below for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .



(i) If  $f(x) = a \cos x$  and  $g(x) = b \sin x$ , state the values of  $a$  and  $b$ . (1 mark)

$$\underline{a = 3} \quad \underline{b = -2}$$



(ii) If  $h(x) = f(x) + g(x)$  express  $h(x)$  in the form  $R \cos(x + \alpha)$ . (3 marks)

$$R = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (-2)^2}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{\sqrt{13}}}$$



$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$= \underline{\underline{0.588}} \text{ (3d.p.)}$$



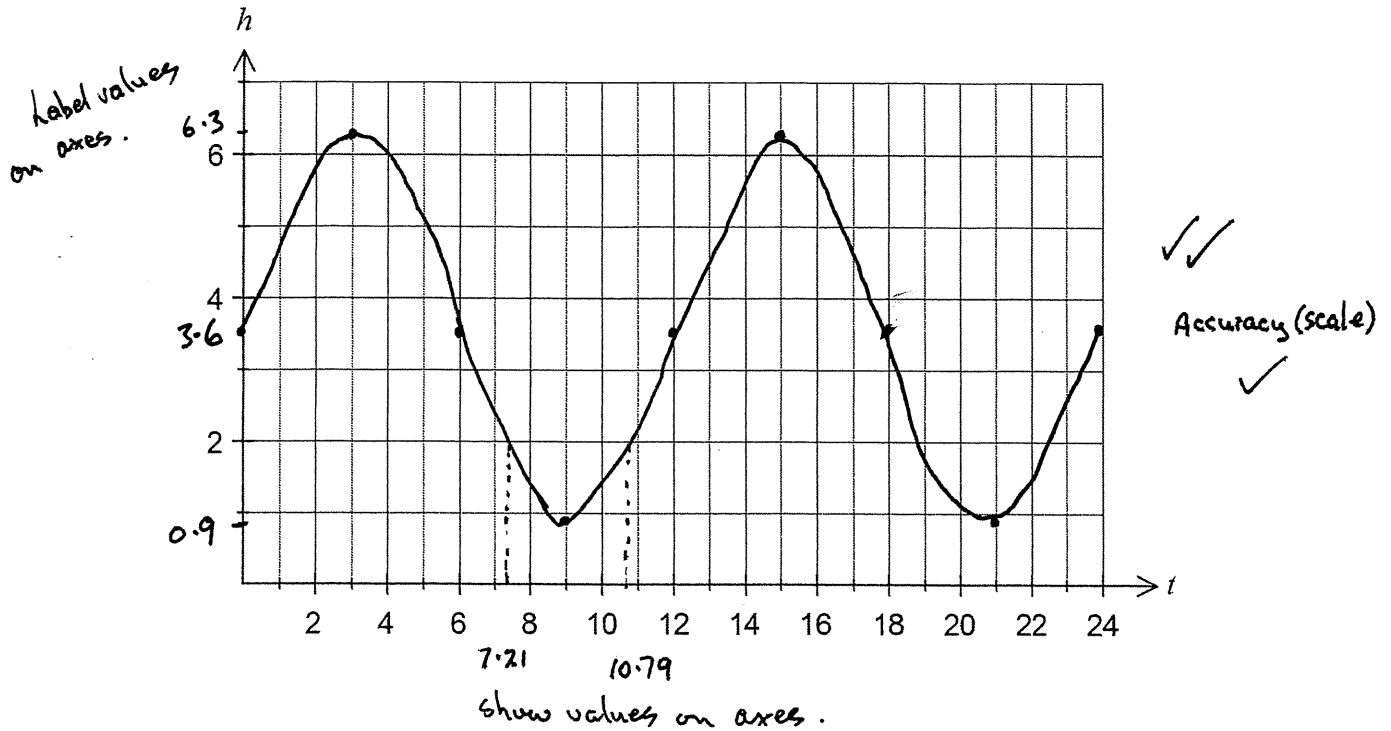
$$\therefore \underline{\underline{h(x) = \sqrt{13} \cos(x + 0.588)}}$$





(b) The clearance,  $h$  metres, under a bridge spanning a river estuary varies with the time since midnight,  $t$  hours, and is given by  $h = 3.6 + 2.7 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6}\right)$ .

(i) Sketch the graph of the clearance against time on the axes below. (3 marks)



(ii) Determine the percentage of any 24-hour period during which the clearance under the bridge is no more than two metres. (2 marks)

$$h \leq 2$$

$$\Rightarrow 7.21 \leq t \leq 10.79 \quad (2 \text{ d.p.})$$

$$\therefore \frac{10.79 - 7.21}{12} = 0.298 \quad (3 \text{ d.p.})$$

$$= \underline{\underline{29.8\%}} \quad (1 \text{ d.p. of } \%)$$

Question 15

(8 marks)

(a) A committee of eight people is to be selected from 10 junior, 14 adult and 11 senior nominations from the members of a club. Determine the number of ways the committee can be selected if

(i) there are no restrictions. (1 mark)

$$\binom{35}{8} = 23\,535\,820 \text{ committees.}$$

(ii) there must be five adults and more seniors than juniors. (3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} & \binom{14}{5} \left( \binom{11}{3} \binom{10}{0} + \binom{11}{2} \binom{10}{1} \right) \\ &= 2002 (165 + 550) \\ &= 1\,431\,430 \text{ committees} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Six books are to be selected for promotion in a newsletter from a choice of nine crime, seven fantasy and six romance novels. Determine the number of selections that include three fantasy or three romance novels. (4 marks)

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Three} \\ \text{Fantasy} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} F \\ \binom{7}{3} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \text{others} \\ \binom{15}{3} \end{array} = 15925$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Three} \\ \text{Romance} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} R \\ \binom{6}{3} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \text{others} \\ \binom{16}{3} \end{array} = 11200$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Three of} \\ \text{each} \\ \text{(Fantasy and Rom.)} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} F \\ \binom{7}{3} \end{array} \begin{array}{l} R \\ \binom{6}{3} \end{array} = 700$$

$$\text{Three of fantasy or romance} = 15925 + 11200 - 700$$

$$= 26425$$

$$\text{ie. } n(F \cup R) = n(F) + n(R) - n(F \cap R)$$

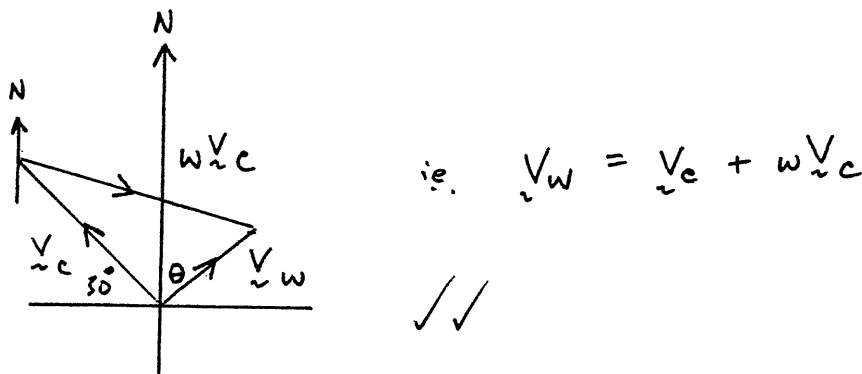
Inclusion/Exclusion Principle.

Question 16

(7 marks)

A cyclist pedals at a speed of 25 km/h along a road on a bearing of  $300^\circ$ . Relative to the cyclist, the wind appears to be blowing from  $280^\circ$  with a speed of 30 km/h.

- (a) Sketch a labelled diagram to show the relationship between the velocities of the cyclist, the wind and the wind relative to the cyclist. (2 marks)



- (b) Express the velocities of the cyclist and the wind relative to the cyclist in component form. (2 marks)

$$\underline{V}_c = 25 \begin{pmatrix} \cos 150^\circ \\ \sin 150^\circ \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -21.65 \\ 12.50 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{2d.p.} \quad \checkmark$$

$$w\underline{V}_c = 30 \begin{pmatrix} \cos(-10) \\ \sin(-10) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 29.54 \\ -5.21 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{2d.p.} \quad \checkmark$$

- (c) Determine the true speed of the wind and the bearing from which it is blowing. (3 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{V}_w &= \underline{V}_c + w\underline{V}_c \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} -21.65 \\ 12.50 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 29.54 \\ -5.21 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 7.89 \\ 7.29 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Speed} &= |\underline{V}_w| = \underline{\underline{10.7}} \text{ km/h} \quad \checkmark & \text{bearing} &= \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{7.89}{7.29} \right) \\ & & \theta &= \underline{\underline{047.3^\circ}} \text{ (T)} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Question 17

(6 marks)

(a) Show how to express  $5.\overline{25}$  as a rational number.

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } x &= 5.\overline{25} \\ \Rightarrow 100x &= 525.\overline{25} \quad \checkmark \\ \Rightarrow 99x &= 520 \\ \therefore x &= \frac{520}{99} \quad \text{rational number.} \\ & \underline{\underline{\quad}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

(b) Prove by contradiction that  $\sqrt[3]{4}$  is an irrational number.

(4 marks)



Suppose  $\sqrt[3]{4} = \frac{p}{q}$ ;  $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $q \neq 0$   
i.e. rational.  
in lowest form (i.e. <sup>p+q</sup>no common factors)  $\checkmark$

$$\Rightarrow 4 = \left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^3$$

$$\Rightarrow p^3 = 4q^3$$

$$\Rightarrow p^3 = 2(2q^3) \quad \text{even.} \quad \text{i.e. If } p^3 \text{ is ev then } p \text{ must be even.}$$

$$\Rightarrow p = 2n, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \text{even.} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } 4q^3 &= (2n)^3 \\ &= 8n^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow q^3 = 2n^3 \quad \text{even}$$

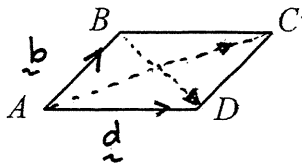
$$\Rightarrow q = 2m, \quad m \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \text{even} \quad \checkmark \quad \text{" "}$$

But if  $p$  and  $q$  are even, this contradicts they have no common factors.  
thus  $\sqrt[3]{4}$  is irrational Q.E.D.  $\checkmark$

Question 18

(9 marks)

- (a) Figure  $ABCD$  is a parallelogram. Let  $\vec{AB} = \mathbf{b}$  and  $\vec{AD} = \mathbf{d}$ . Prove that the diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  are perpendicular only when  $|\mathbf{b}| = |\mathbf{d}|$ . (4 marks)



$$\vec{AC} = \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{d}$$

$$\vec{BD} = \mathbf{d} - \mathbf{b}$$

$$AC \perp BD \Rightarrow \vec{AC} \cdot \vec{BD} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (\mathbf{b} + \mathbf{d}) \cdot (\mathbf{d} - \mathbf{b}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{\mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{d}} - \mathbf{b} \cdot \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{d} \cdot \mathbf{d} - \cancel{\mathbf{d} \cdot \mathbf{b}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -|\mathbf{b}|^2 + |\mathbf{d}|^2 = 0$$

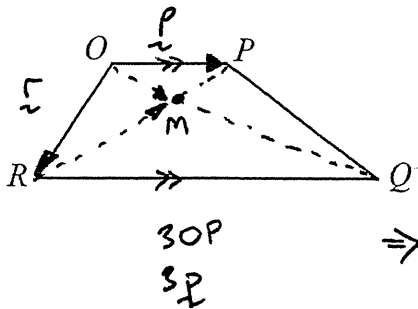
$$\Rightarrow |\mathbf{d}|^2 = |\mathbf{b}|^2$$

$$\therefore |\mathbf{d}| = |\mathbf{b}| \quad \text{Q.E.D.}$$

- (b) Figure  $OPQR$  is a trapezium, with  $OP$  parallel to  $RQ$  and  $RQ = 3OP$ . If  $M$  is the point of intersection of  $OQ$  and  $PR$ ,  $\vec{OP} = \mathbf{p}$ ,  $\vec{OR} = \mathbf{r}$ ,  $\vec{OM} = \lambda \vec{OQ}$  and  $\vec{RM} = \mu \vec{RP}$  show that

$$\vec{OM} = \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{r} + \frac{3}{4}\mathbf{p}$$

(5 marks)



$$\vec{OM} = \lambda \vec{OQ} \quad \text{given}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \vec{OQ} = \vec{OR} + \mu \vec{RP}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda(\mathbf{r} + 3\mathbf{p}) = \mathbf{r} + \mu(\mathbf{p} - \mathbf{r})$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda\mathbf{r} + 3\lambda\mathbf{p} = (1-\mu)\mathbf{r} + \mu\mathbf{p}$$

Equating coefficients

$$\lambda = 1 - \mu \quad \text{and} \quad 3\lambda = \mu$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = 1 - 3\lambda$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore \vec{OM} = \frac{1}{4}(\mathbf{r} + 3\mathbf{p})$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}\mathbf{r} + \frac{3}{4}\mathbf{p}$$

Q.E.D.

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Question 19

(10 marks)

(a) Solve  $2(z-3)^2 + 2 = 0$ .

*(OR) Using Class Pad  
in Cplx Mode*

(2 marks)

$\Rightarrow (z-3)^2 + 1 = 0$

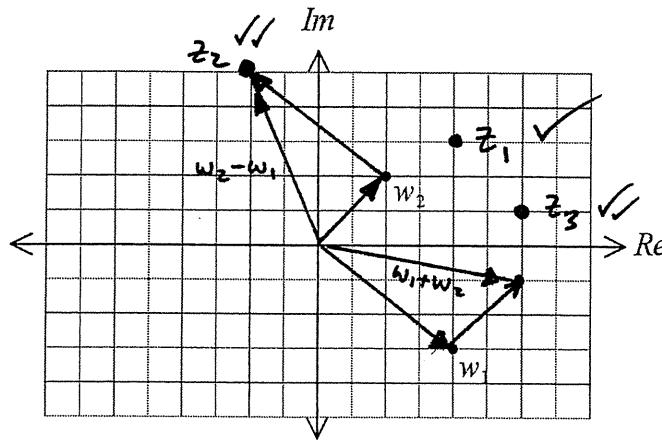
$\Rightarrow (z-3)^2 = -1$  ✓

$\Rightarrow (z-3)^2 = i^2$

$\therefore z = 3 \pm i$  ✓

*Solve  $2(z-3)^2 + 2 = 0, z$*

(b) The complex numbers  $w_1$  and  $w_2$  are shown in the Argand plane below.



Plot and label the complex numbers given by

(i)  $z_1 = \bar{w}_1$ . (1 mark)

(ii)  $z_2 = w_2 - w_1$ . (2 marks)

(iii)  $z_3 = \overline{w_1 + w_2}$ . (2 marks)

(c) One solution of the quadratic equation  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$  is  $x = 3 - 2i$ . Determine the values of the real coefficients  $b$  and  $c$ . (3 marks)

$(x - (3 - 2i))(x - (3 + 2i)) = x^2 + bx + c$  ✓

$\Rightarrow x^2 - x(3 + 2i) - x(3 - 2i) + 3^2 + 2^2 = x^2 + bx + c$

$\Rightarrow x^2 - 3x - 2xi - 3x + 2xi + 13 = x^2 + bx + c$

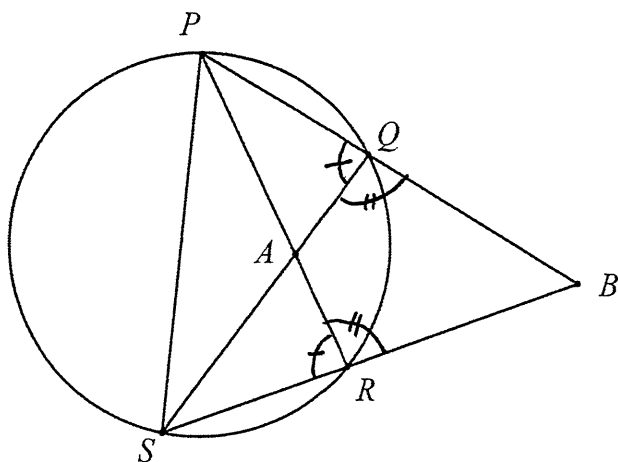
$\Rightarrow x^2 - 6x + 13 = x^2 + bx + c$

$\therefore \underline{\underline{b = -6, c = 13}}$  ✓

Question 20

(8 marks)

The points  $P, Q, R$  and  $S$  lie on a circle of radius  $r$ .  $PR$  and  $QS$  meet at  $A$ .  $PQ$  and  $SR$  are produced to meet at  $B$ , and  $AQBR$  is a cyclic quadrilateral.



(a) Prove that  $BS$  is perpendicular to  $PR$ .

(6 marks)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \angle PQS &= 180^\circ - \angle BQS \\ \angle PRS &= 180^\circ - \angle PRB \end{aligned} \right\} \text{straight angles supp. } \checkmark$$

also  $\angle PQS = \angle PRS$  on same arc  $\checkmark$

$$\Rightarrow 180^\circ - \angle BQS = 180^\circ - \angle PRB$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle BQS = \angle PRB \quad \checkmark$$

also  $\angle BQS + \angle PRB = 180^\circ$  (Opp. angles in cyclic quad)

$$\Rightarrow 2\angle PRB = 180^\circ \quad \text{additional given } \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \angle PRB = 90^\circ \quad \checkmark$$

ie.  $BS \perp PR$  QED.  $\checkmark$

(b) Prove that the length of  $PS$  is  $2r$ .

(2 marks)

From (a)  $\angle PRB = 90^\circ = \angle PRS$   $\checkmark$

$$\Rightarrow PS \text{ is a diameter } \checkmark \text{ (angle in semi circle)}$$

$$\therefore PS = 2r \quad \text{QED}$$

Question 21

(7 marks)

Let  $P(n) = 10^n + 18n - 1$ .

(a) If  $P(1) = 9a$  and  $P(2) = 9b$ , evaluate  $a$  and  $b$ .

(2 marks)

$$P(1) = 27 = 9a$$

$$\therefore \underline{a = 3}$$

✓

$$P(2) = 135 = 9b$$

$$\therefore \underline{b = 15}$$

✓

(b) Prove by induction that  $P(n)$  is always a multiple of nine when  $n$  is a positive integer.

(5 marks)

$$P(1) = 9(3) \quad \text{mult. of } 9. \quad \checkmark$$

$$P(k) = 10^k + 18k - 1 = 9m \quad m \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \text{assumed.} \quad \checkmark$$

$$P(k+1) = 10^{k+1} + 18(k+1) - 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 10 \cdot 10^k + 18k + 18 - 1$$

$$= 10^k + 18k - 1 + 18 + 9 \cdot 10^k \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 9m + 9(2 + 10^k) \quad \checkmark$$

$$= 9(m + 2 + 10^k) \quad \checkmark$$

mult. of 9. ✓

ie.  $P(1)$  true

$P(k)$  assumed

$P(k+1)$  true

$\therefore P(n)$  true  $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  QED.

End of questions.