MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST UNIT 3

Section One:
Calculator-free

Student Number: In figures

In words _____

Your name _____

Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: five minutes
Working time for section: fifty minutes

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 exam
Section One: Calculator-free	7	7	50	53	35
Section Two: Calculator-assumed	12	12	100	98	65
			Total	151	100

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Section One: Calculator-free 35% (53 Marks)

This section has **seven (7)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time for this section is 50 minutes.

Question 1 (6 marks)

Consider $f(z) = z^4 + 3z^3 + 7z^2 - 21z - 26$, where $z \in \mathbb{C}$, the set of complex numbers.

Solve $f(z) = 0$ over $\mathbb{C}$.

Question 2   **(7 marks)**

A sphere has equation $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 2x + 4y + 3z + 1 = 0$.

(a)   Determine the coordinates of the centre and the radius of the sphere.   (4 marks)

(b)   Determine the vector equation of the straight line that passes through the points on the sphere where $y = -2$ and $z = 0$.   (3 marks)

Question 3 (8 marks)

(a) Let $z = 2\cos\left(\dfrac{2\pi}{3}\right) + 2i\sin\left(\dfrac{2\pi}{3}\right)$.
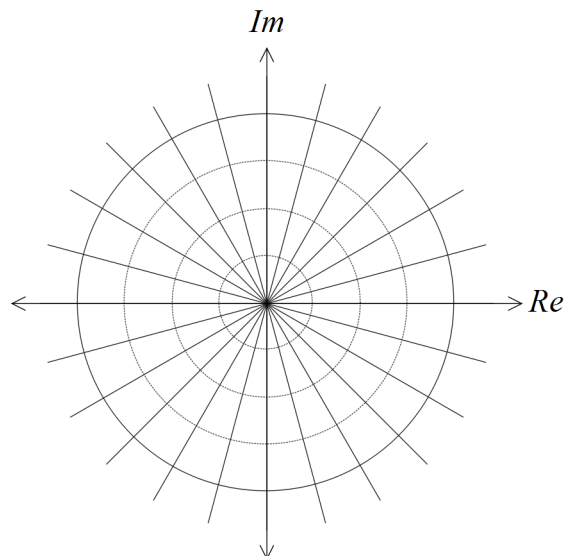
   (i) Express z in Cartesian form. (2 marks)

   (ii) Determine z^5 in Cartesian form. (3 marks)

(b) If $w^3 + 1 = 0$, sketch the location of all roots of this equation on the axes below. (3 marks)

Question 4 (7 marks)

Consider the following system of equations, where k is a real constant.

$$x + 2y + z = 3$$
$$2x - y - 3z = k$$
$$x + 3y + kz = 6$$

(a) Solve the system of equations when $k = 1$. (3 marks)

(b) Show that no value of k exists for the system of equations to represent three planes intersecting in a single straight line. (4 marks)

Question 5 (8 marks)

(a) Determine the vector equation of the plane that contains the points A(1, -1, 2), B(2, 1, 0) and C(3, -1, 1). (4 marks)
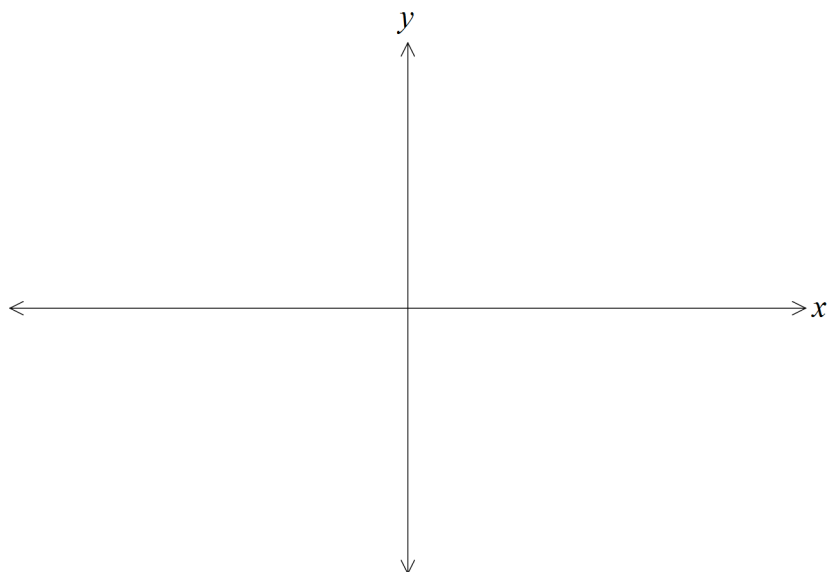
(b) Plane Π has equation $x + 2y - z = 3$. Line L is perpendicular to Π and passes through the point (1, -6, 4). Determine where line L intersects plane Π. (4 marks)

Question 6   **(7 marks)**

(a)   Sketch the graph of $y = \dfrac{|x-2|}{2}$ on the axes below.   (2 marks)

(b)   Solve the equation $4|x-8| = 38 - x$.   (3 marks)

(c)   Solve the inequality $\dfrac{1}{|x+2|} \le 1$.   (2 marks)

Question 7   **(10 marks)**

Particle A has position vector given by $\mathbf{r} = 3\cos(t)\mathbf{i} + 3\sin(t)\mathbf{j}$, where t is the time in seconds.

(a)   Show that the path of the particle is circular.   (2 marks)

Particle B is stationary, with position vector $3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$.

(b)   Determine an expression for the distance between particles A and B in terms of t.
                                                                                  (2 marks)

(c)   Determine the position vector of particle A when it is (i) nearest and (ii) furthest from B.
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Section Two:
Calculator-assumed

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Your name   _____

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Working time for section: one hundred minutes

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Working time for this section is 100 minutes.

Question 8 (5 marks)

Consider the function $f(x) = x^2 - 4x$.

(a) Explain why it is necessary to restrict the natural domain of f in order that its inverse is also a function. (1 mark)

(b) State a minimal restriction to the domain of f that includes $x = 3$, and then use this restriction to show that $f^{-1}(x) = 2 + \sqrt{x+4}$. (4 marks)

Question 9 (5 marks)

(a) Let z be a non-zero complex number located in the complex plane. Describe the linear transformation(s) required to transform z to each of the following locations:

(i) $2z$. (1 mark)

(ii) $i^3 z$. (1 mark)

(b) Consider the complex number z shown in the Argand diagram below. Add to the diagram the location of u, v and w where $u = (1+i)z$, $v = z \cdot \overline{z}$ and $w = \sqrt{z}$. (3 marks)
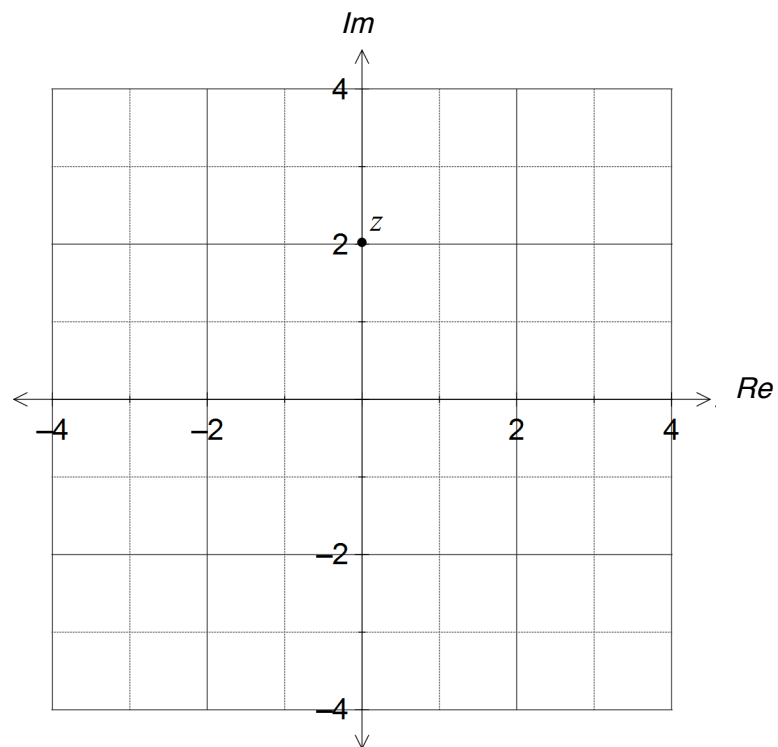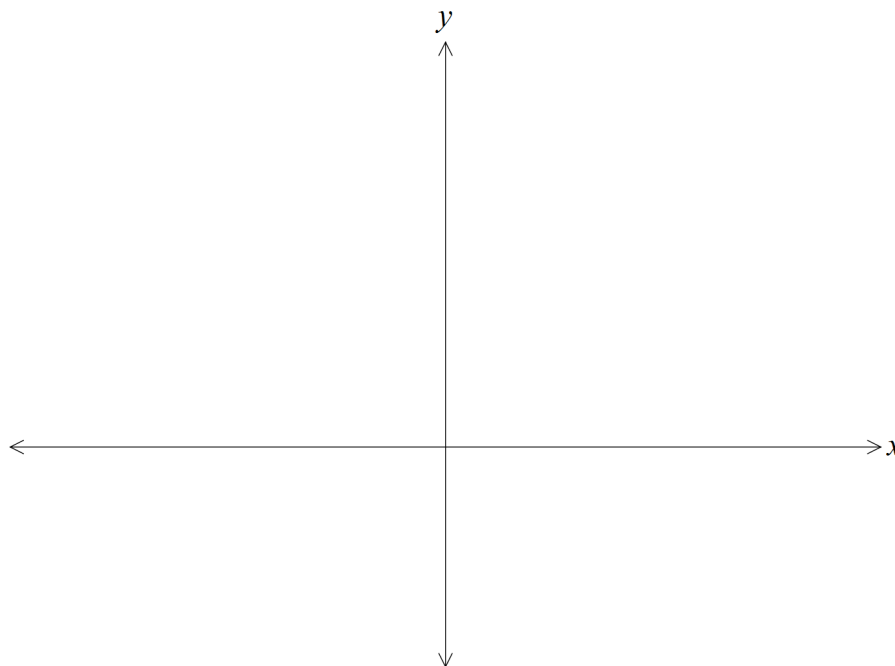
Question 10 (8 marks)

Two functions are given by $f(x) = 2\sqrt{x+1}$ and $g(x) = x^2 - 2x$.

(a) Determine $g \circ f(x)$ and state the domain and range of this composite function. (3 marks)

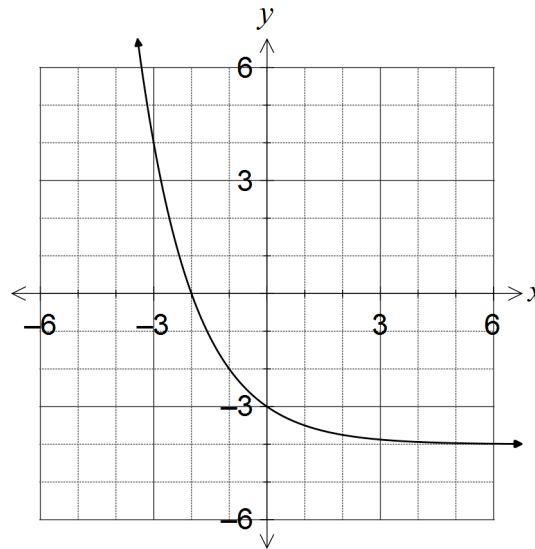(b) Show that the composite function $f \circ g(x)$ is defined for $x \in \mathbb{R}$. (3 marks)

(c) Sketch the graph of $y = f \circ g(x)$ on the axes below. (2 marks)

Question 11   (12 marks)
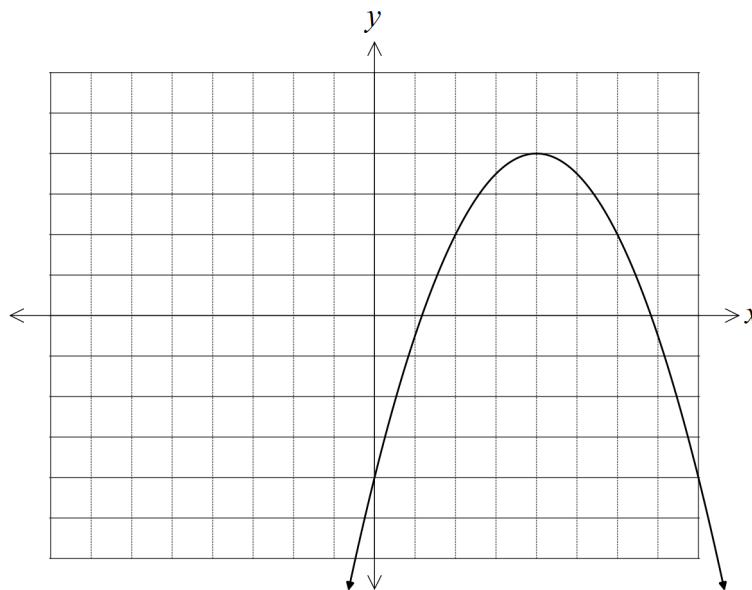
(a)   The graph of $y = f(x)$ is shown below.

(i)   What feature of the graph suggests that the inverse of f is a function?   (1 mark)

(ii)   On the same axes, sketch the graph of the inverse of f, $y = f^{-1}(x)$.   (3 marks)
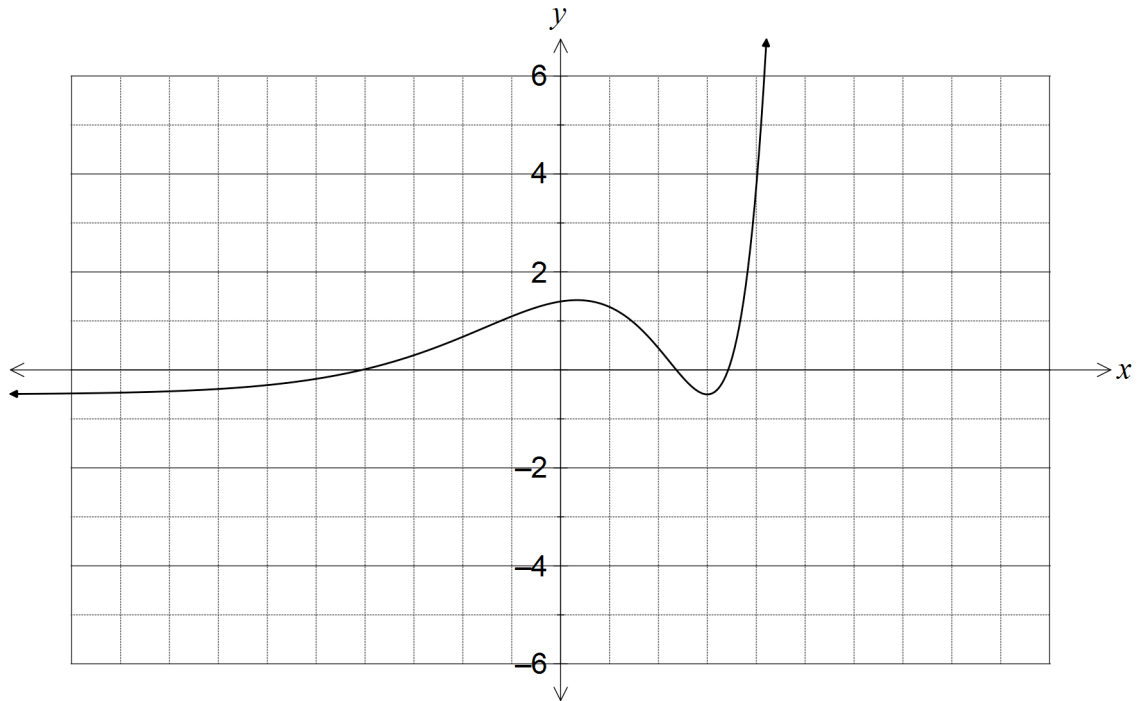
(b)   The graph of $y = g(x)$ is shown below.
         On the same axes, sketch the graph of $y = |g(|x|)|$.   (3 marks)

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(c)   The graph of $y = h(x)$ is shown below. As $x \to -\infty$, $h(x) \to -0.5$. On the same axes,

sketch the graph of $y = \dfrac{1}{h(x)}$, clearly indicating all vertical and horizontal asymptotes.
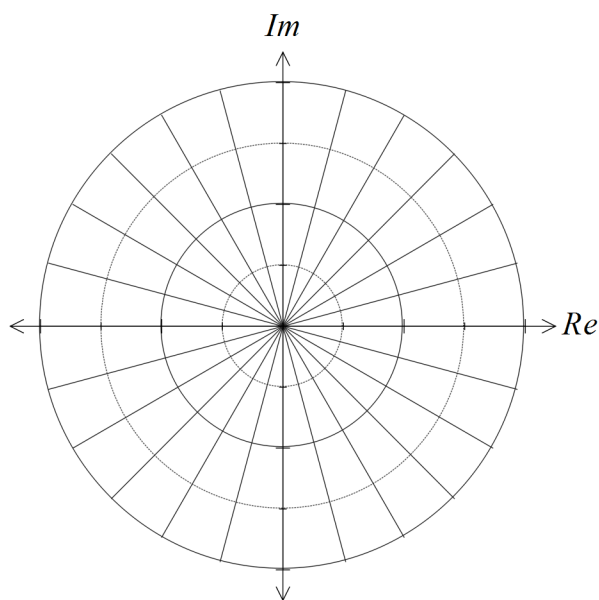
(5 marks)

Question 12   **(8 marks)**

(a)   Determine all roots of the equation $z^6 + 8i = 0$, expressing them in exact polar form $rcis\theta$ where $r > 0$ and $-\pi < \theta \le \pi$.   **(5 marks)**

(b)   Show all solutions of the equation on the Argand diagram below.   **(3 marks)**

Question 13 (7 marks)

Two small bodies, A and B, simultaneously leave their initial positions of $\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 25\mathbf{k}$ and $16\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$, and move with constant velocities of $4\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$ and $-\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{k}$ respectively.

(a) Determine whether the paths of the bodies cross or if the bodies meet. (4 marks)

(b) At the same time, a third small body, C, leaves its initial position, passes through the origin and crosses the path of body A. If C moves with a steady velocity of $5a\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} + a\mathbf{k}$, determine the value of the constant a. (3 marks)
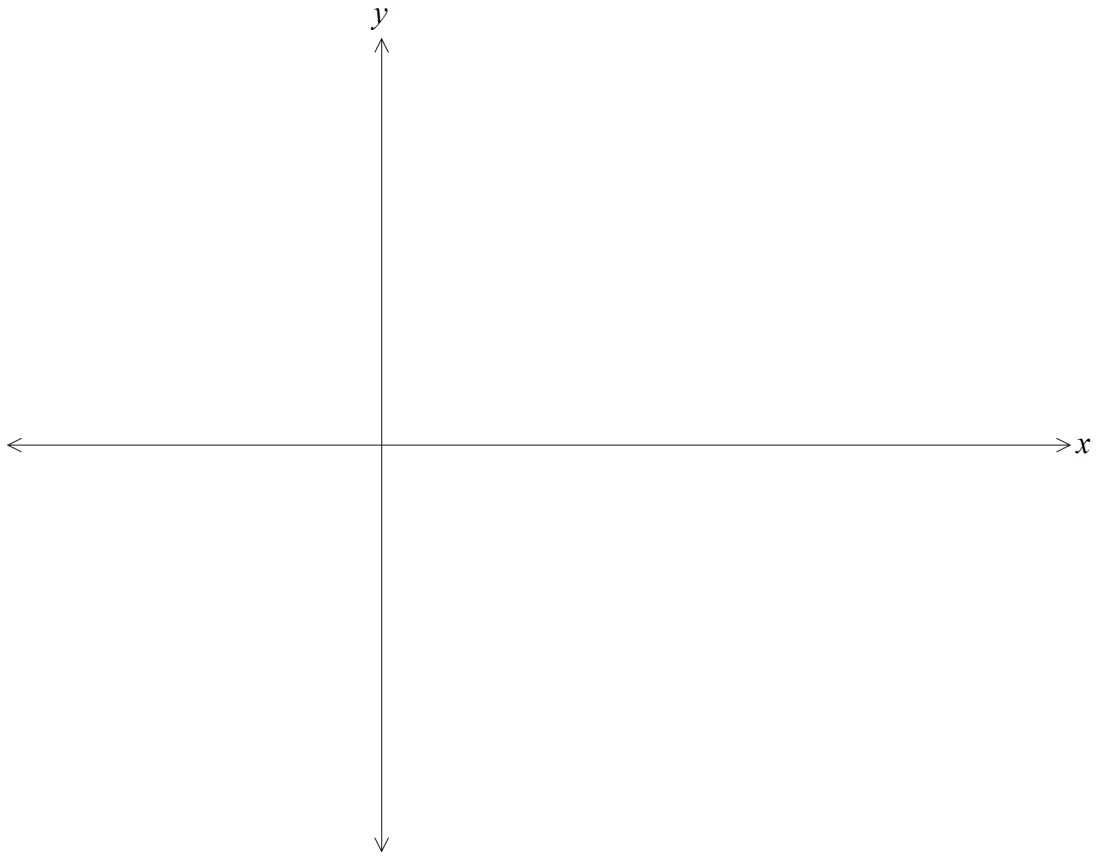
Question 14 (9 marks)

The function f is defined by $f(x) = \dfrac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 - 3x + 2}$.

(a) Determine the natural domain and range of $f(x)$. (4 marks)

(b) Show that the function has no stationary points. (2 marks)

(c) Sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$ on the axes below. (3 marks)

Question 15 (8 marks)

Given the two complex numbers $w = r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$ and $z = s(\cos\phi + i\sin\phi)$, determine the following in terms of the non-zero constants r, s, θ and ϕ:

(a) $\arg(\bar{z})$. (1 mark)

(b) $\left|\dfrac{i}{w^2}\right|$. (2 marks)

(c) $\left|(1-i)wz\right|$. (2 marks)

(d) $\arg\left(-\dfrac{z}{iw}\right)$. (3 marks)

Question 16 (7 marks)

Consider the three vectors $\mathbf{a} = \langle 2, 1, -3 \rangle$, $\mathbf{b} = \langle -3, 5, -2 \rangle$ and $\mathbf{c} = \langle 2, -4, 1 \rangle$.

(a) Prove that the three vectors do not lie in the same plane. (4 marks)

(b) Determine the value(s) of the constant a if the vector $\langle a^2, a, a-3 \rangle$ lies in the same plane as vectors $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$. (3 marks)

Question 17   **(9 marks)**

Let the complex number $z = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$.

(a)   Show that $\dfrac{1}{z} = \cos\theta - i\sin\theta$.   **(2 marks)**

(b)   Show that $z^3 - \dfrac{1}{z^3} = 2i\sin 3\theta$.   **(2 marks)**

(c)   Determine $\mathrm{Im}\left(z^3 - \dfrac{1}{z^3} \right)$ in terms of $\sin\theta$ and $\cos\theta$.

                                                                              (3 marks)

(d)   Express $\sin^3 \theta$ in terms of $\sin \theta$ and $\sin 3\theta$.   (2 marks)

Question 18 (13 marks)

The velocity vector of a particle at time t seconds is $\mathbf{v}(t) = 3\mathbf{i} - \dfrac{3}{t^2}\mathbf{j}$, for $t \geq 1$. When $t = 1$, the particle has position vector $2\mathbf{j}$.

(a) Calculate the exact speed of the particle when $t = 2$. (2 marks)

(b) Determine the acceleration vector of the particle and comment on its direction. (2 marks)

(c) Determine the position vector of the particle for $t \geq 1$. (2 marks)

(d) Derive the Cartesian equation of the path of the particle in the form $y = f(x)$. (2 marks)

(e) On the axes below, sketch the path taken by the particle for $1 \le t \le 10$, clearly indicating the position of the particle at the start and end of this interval. (3 marks)
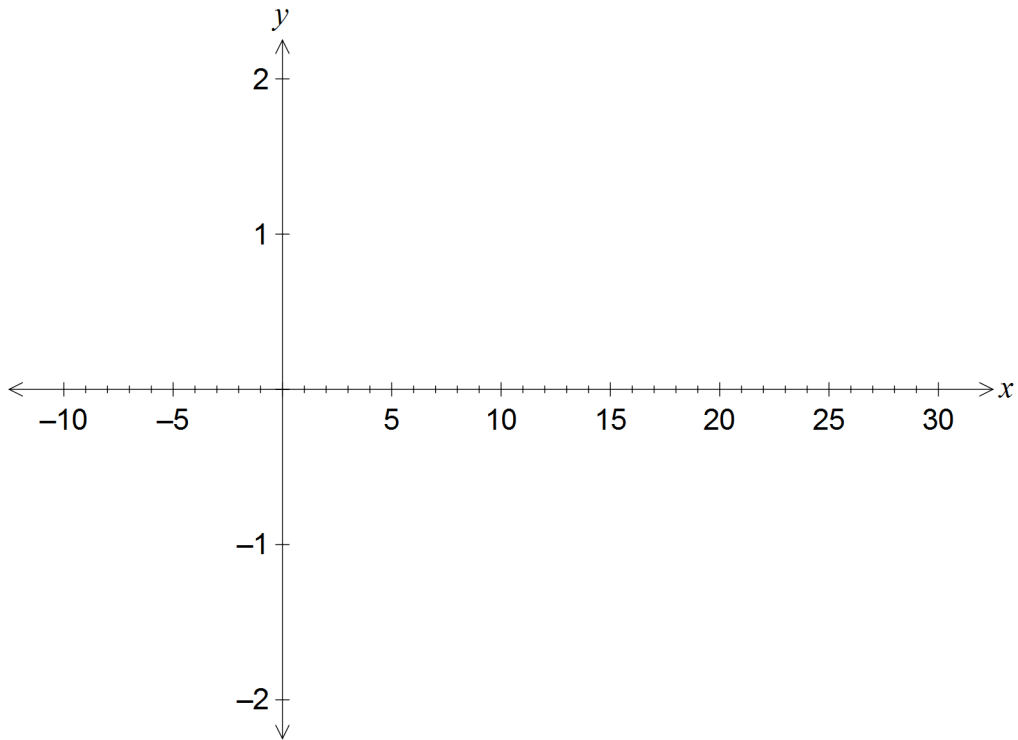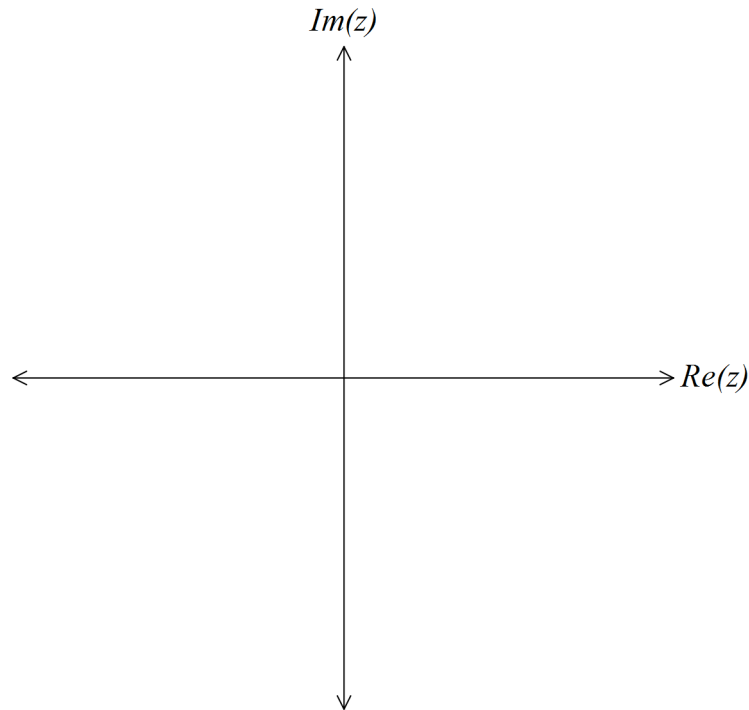

(f) Determine the length of the path travelled by the particle between $t = 1$ and $t = 10$. (2 marks)
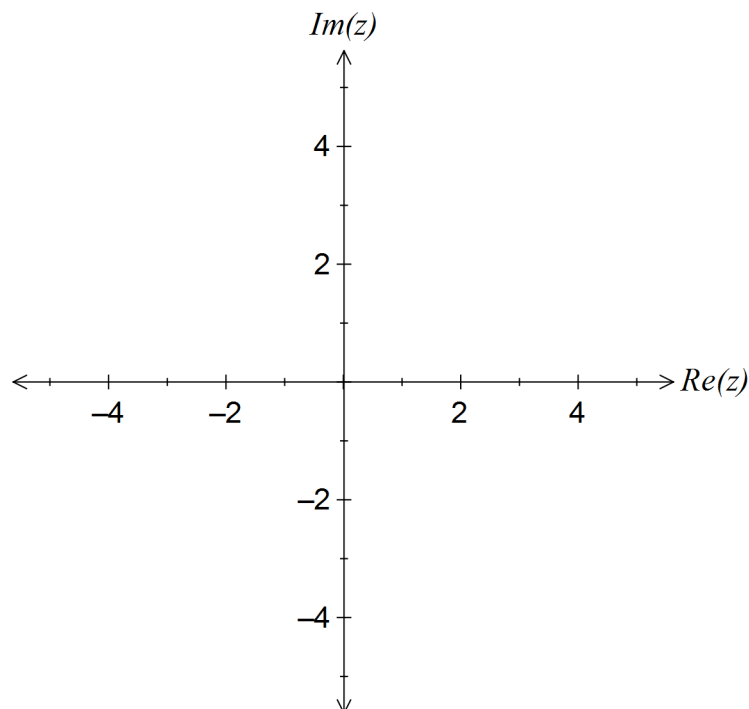
Question 19   (7 marks)

(a)   Shade the region satisfying the complex inequality $|z-i| > |z-4+3i|$ on the Argand
       diagram below.   (3 marks)
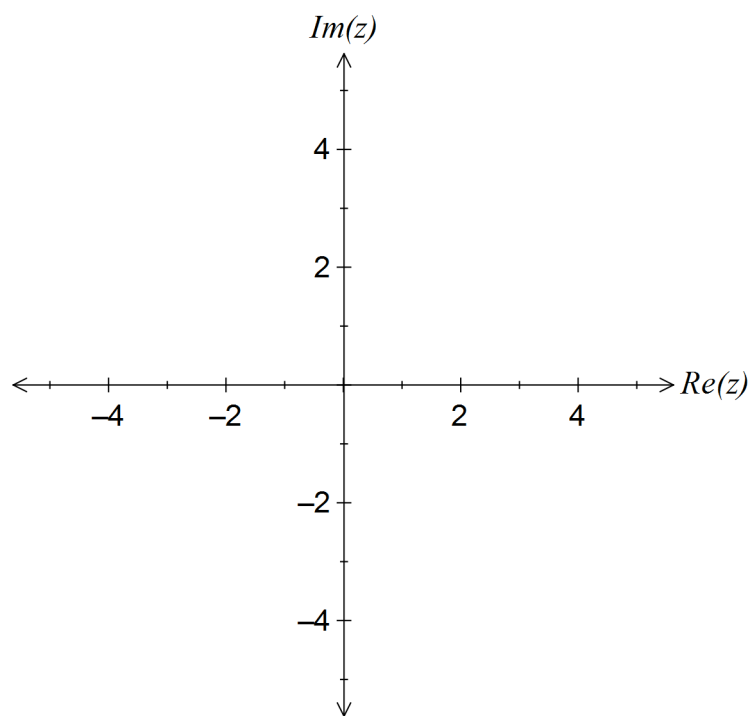
Im(z)

$\rightarrow$ *Re(z)*

(b)   Consider the two complex numbers given by $u = 3 - 3i$ and $v = -i$. Sketch each of the
       following sets of points in the complex plane.

(i) $|z-u| + |z-v| = |u-v|$.   (2 marks)

Im(z)

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$\rightarrow$ *Re(z)*

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(ii) $|z-v|+|u-v|=|z-u|.$ (2 marks)

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