



Sydney Girls High School 2014

TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
EXAMINATION

Mathematics Extension 2

General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 3 hours
- Write using black or blue pen
Black pen is preferred
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- In Questions 11 – 16, show relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations

Total marks – 100

Section I

10 Marks

- Attempt Questions 1 – 10
- Answer on the Multiple Choice answer sheet provided
- Allow about 15 minutes for this section

Section II

90 Marks

- Attempt Questions 11 – 16
- Answer on the blank paper provided
- Begin a new page for each question
- Allow about 2 hours and 45 minutes for this section

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Section I

10 marks

Attempt Questions 1 – 10

Allow about 15 minutes for this section

Use the multiple-choice answer sheet for Questions 1 – 10

1. The substitution $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ is used to find $\int \sec \theta d\theta$. Which of the following gives the correct expression for the required integral?

(A) $\int \frac{dt}{2(1-t^2)}$

(B) $\int \frac{2tdt}{1-t^2}$

(C) $\int \frac{2dt}{1-t^2}$

(D) $\int \frac{4tdt}{(1+t^2)^2}$

2. The distance between the foci for the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{100} + \frac{y^2}{36} = 1$ is :

(A) 8

(B) 16

(C) 20

(D) 25

3. Which of the following is an expression for $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{7-6x-x^2}}$?

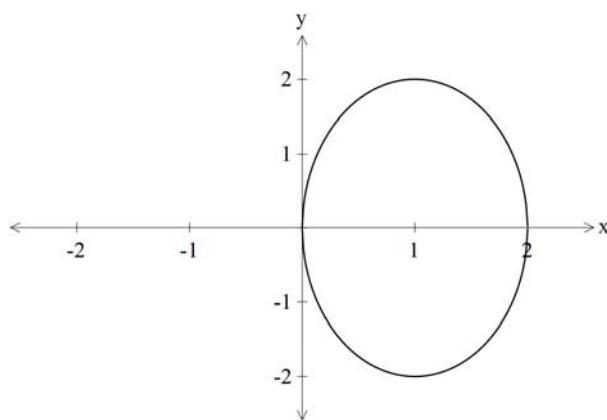
(A) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x+3}{2}\right) + C$

(B) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x+3}{4}\right) + C$

(C) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x-3}{4}\right) + C$

(D) $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x-3}{2}\right) + C$

4. The region enclosed by the ellipse $(x-1)^2 + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ is rotated about the y -axis to form a solid.



Which integral represents the volume of the solid when applying the method of slicing?

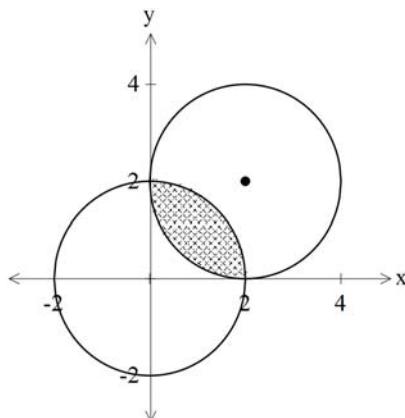
(A) $V = \int_{-2}^2 \pi \sqrt{4-y^2} dy$

(B) $V = \int_{-2}^2 2\pi \sqrt{1-y^2} dy$

(C) $V = \int_{-2}^2 \pi \sqrt{1-y^2} dy$

(D) $V = \int_{-2}^2 2\pi \sqrt{4-y^2} dy$

5. The shaded area in the Argand diagram below can be represented by the inequalities :



(A) $|z| \leq 4$ and $|z - 2 + 2i| \leq 4$

(B) $|z| \leq 2$ and $|z - 2 - 2i| \leq 2$

(C) $|z| \leq 4$ and $|z - 2 - 2i| \leq 4$

(D) $|z| \leq 2$ and $|z - 2 + 2i| \leq 2$

6. What is the solution to the inequation $\frac{x(5-x)}{x-4} \geq -3$?

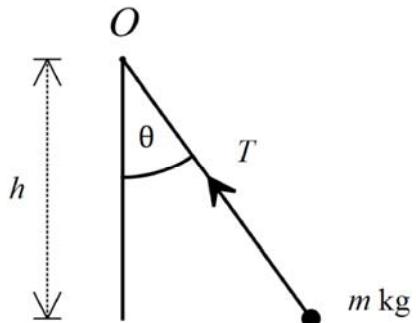
- (A) $2 \leq x < 4$ or $x \geq 6$
(B) $4 < x \leq 6$ or $x \leq 2$
(C) $4 > x \leq 5$ or $x \leq 1$
(D) $1 \leq x < 4$ or $x \geq 5$

7. The gradient of the tangent at $(2,1)$ on the curve $2x^2 + 3xy + y^2 = 15$ is :

- (A) -1
(B) $-\frac{8}{5}$
(C) $-\frac{11}{2}$
(D) $-\frac{11}{8}$

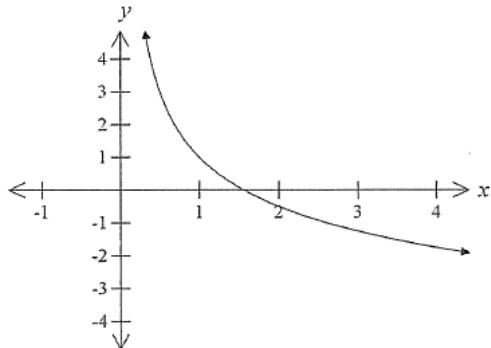
8. A particle of mass m moves in a horizontal circle with angular speed ω at a distance h below the point O . Which of the following reflects the relationship between ω and h ?

- (A) $h = \omega^2 g$
(B) $h = \omega g$
(C) $g = \omega^2 h$
(D) $g = \omega h$

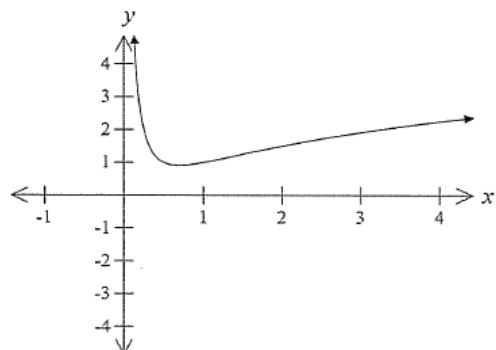


9. Which of the following is the graph of $y = \log_2 x + \frac{1}{x}$?

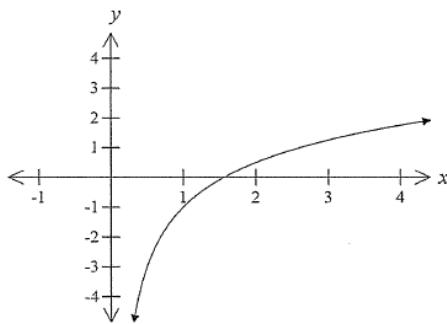
(A)



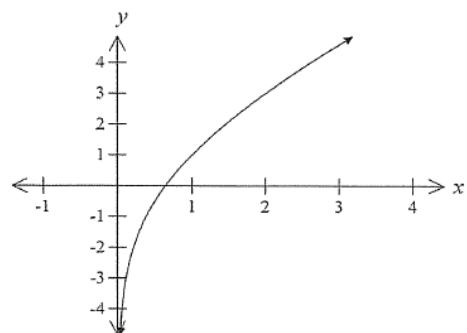
(B)



(C)



(D)



10. The polynomial $P(x) = x^4 + cx^2 + dx + 28$ has a double root at $x = 2$. What are the values of c and d ?

- (A) $c = -5$ and $d = -12$
- (B) $c = -5$ and $d = 12$
- (C) $c = -11$ and $d = 12$
- (D) $c = -11$ and $d = -12$

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Section II

90 marks

Attempt Questions 11 – 16

Allow about 2 hours and 45 minutes for this section

Answer on the blank paper provided. Begin a new page for each question.

Your responses should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

Question 11 (15 marks)

- (a) (i) Find numbers A , B and C such that

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$$\frac{13}{(x+2)(x^2+9)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+9}.$$

- (ii) Hence find $\int \frac{13dx}{(x+2)(x^2+9)}$.

2

- (b) (i) Express $z = \frac{1+2i}{1-3i}$ in modulus-argument form.

2

- (ii) Hence, find the value of z^7 , expressing your answer in the form $a+ib$, where a and b are real.

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- (c) (i) Expand and simplify $(4+3i)^2$.

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- (ii) Hence, solve the equation $2z^2 - iz - 1 - 3i = 0$, expressing the solutions in the form $x+iy$.

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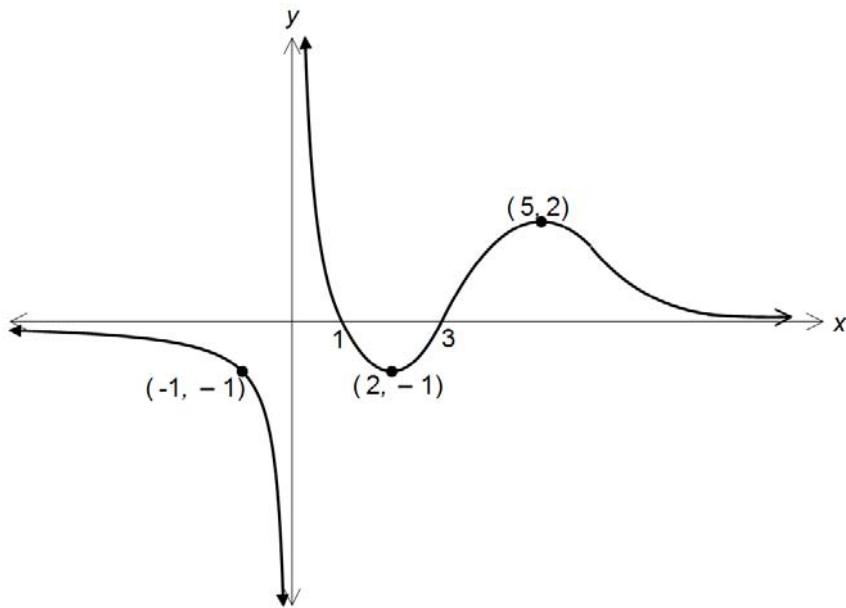
- (d) $(1+3i)$ is a root of the polynomial $P(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 + 11x^2 + 22x + 90$.

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Find all the other roots.

Question 12 (15 marks)

- (a) The diagram shows the graph of $y = f(x)$.



Sketch the following curves on separate half-page diagrams :

(i) $y = f(-x)$ 1

(ii) $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$ 2

(iii) $y = f(x) - |f(x)|$ 2

(iv) $y = e^{f(x)}$ 2

(b) Find $\int \frac{2x+1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 10}} dx$. 3

(c) $P\left(2p, -\frac{2}{p}\right)$ and $Q\left(2q, -\frac{2}{q}\right)$ are points on the rectangular hyperbola $xy = -4$.

(i) Show that the equation of the chord PQ is $x - pqy = 2p + 2q$. 2

(ii) Find the locus of the mid-point of the chord given that the chord passes through the point $(0, -6)$. 3

Question 13 (15 marks)

(a) (i) If $I_n = \int_0^1 (1-x^2)^{\frac{n}{2}} dx$, where n is a positive integer, show that

$$I_n = \frac{n}{n+1} I_{n-2}.$$

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(ii) Hence, evaluate I_5 .

2

(b) (i) By considering the expansion of $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^5$, show that

$$\cos 5\theta = 16 \cos^5 \theta - 20 \cos^3 \theta + 5 \cos \theta.$$

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(ii) Hence, solve the equation $16x^4 - 20x^2 + 5 = 0$. Express the solutions in the form $x = \cos \alpha$.

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(c) A string of length 40 cm can just sustain a weight of mass 12 kg without breaking. One end of the string is fixed to a point P on a smooth horizontal table and the other end has a mass of 5 kg attached to it. The 5 kg mass revolves uniformly on the table about the point P . Determine the maximum number of complete revolutions the mass can make in a minute without breaking the string. (Use $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$.)

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Question 14 (15 marks)

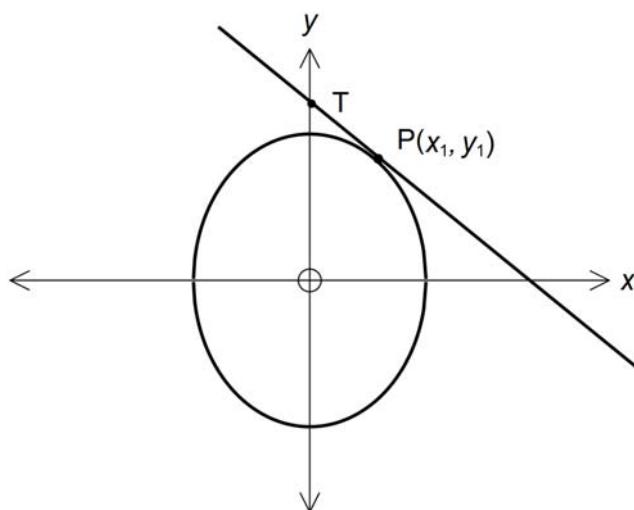
- (a) The region bounded by $y = x^4 + 1$, the x -axis, the y -axis and the line $x=1$ is rotated about the line $x=3$. Use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume of the solid generated.

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- (b) z is a point in the first quadrant of the Argand diagram which lies on the circle $|z-3|=3$. Given $\arg(z)=\theta$, find $\arg(z^2-9z+18)$ in terms of θ .

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- (c) The point $P(x_1, y_1)$ lies on the ellipse $\frac{x^2}{10} + \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ where $x_1 \neq 0$ and $y_1 \neq 0$.



- (i) Show that the equation of the tangent at P is $\frac{xx_1}{10} + \frac{yy_1}{16} = 1$.

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- (ii) The tangent at P cuts the y -axis at T . Determine the coordinates of the point T .

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- (iii) Find the coordinates of the foci, S and S' .

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- (iv) Find the equations of the directrices.

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- (v) Show that $\frac{PS}{PS'} = \frac{TS}{TS'}$.

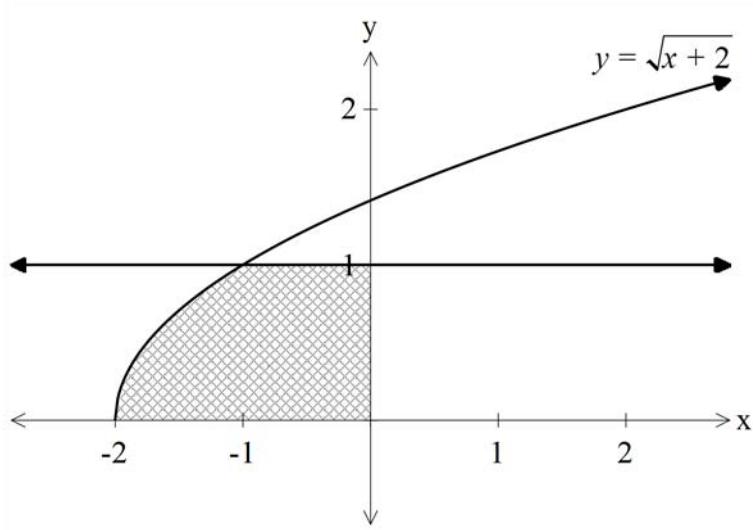
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Question 15 (15 marks)

(a) Evaluate $\int_1^9 e^{\sqrt{x}} dx$.

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- (b) The base of a solid is the area (as shaded below) enclosed by the curve $y = \sqrt{x+2}$, the x -axis, the y -axis and the line $y=1$.



Each cross-section of the solid perpendicular to the x -axis is a regular hexagon with one side in the base of the solid. Find the volume of the solid.

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- (c) The polynomial $P(x) = 2x^3 - 4x^2 + 7x + 5$ has roots α , β and γ . Find the value of :

(i) $\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3$

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(ii) $\alpha^2\beta + \alpha^2\gamma + \beta^2\alpha + \beta^2\gamma + \gamma^2\alpha + \gamma^2\beta$

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- (d) a and b are real non-zero numbers and $\omega = \frac{az+b}{bz+a}$. Given $|z|=1$, show that $|\omega|=1$.

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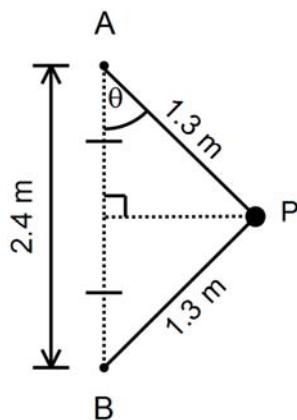
Question 16 (15 marks)

- (a) The equation $px^3 + qx + r = 0$ has roots α , β and γ . Find the polynomial equation with roots $\frac{1}{-\alpha\beta-\alpha\gamma}$, $\frac{1}{-\alpha\beta-\beta\gamma}$ and $\frac{1}{-\alpha\gamma-\beta\gamma}$. 4

Express your answer in simplest form.

- (b) A particle of mass m kg, is attached at P by two strings, each of length 1.3 m, to two fixed points, A and B , which are 2.4 m apart and lie on a vertical line, as shown in the diagram below.

The particle moves with constant speed v ms⁻¹ in a horizontal circle about the midpoint of AB so that both pieces of string experience tension. Let T_1 and T_2 represent the tension in AP and BP respectively. The acceleration due to gravity is g ms⁻².

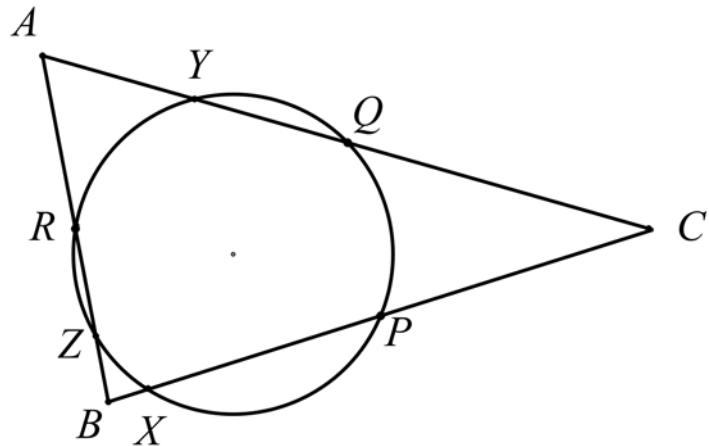


- (i) Draw a diagram showing all the forces acting on P . 1
- (ii) Resolve the forces on P in both the horizontal and vertical directions. 2
- (iii) Find the tension in each part of the string in terms of m , v and g . 2
- (iv) Show that $v > \frac{\sqrt{30g}}{12}$. 2

Question 16 continues on the next page

Question 16 (continued)

- (c) P , Q and R are the midpoints of BC , AC and AB respectively. The circle drawn through P , Q and R intersects BC , AC and AB a second time at X , Y and Z respectively as shown below.



- (i) Explain why $RPCQ$ is a parallelogram. 1
- (ii) Show ΔXQC is isosceles. 2
- (iii) Show $AX \perp BC$. 1

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STANDARD INTEGRALS

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE : $\ln x = \log_e x, \quad x > 0$



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Multiple Choice Answer Sheet

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Completely fill the response oval representing the most correct answer.

1. A B C D
2. A B C D
3. A B C D
4. A B C D
5. A B C D
6. A B C D
7. A B C D
8. A B C D
9. A B C D
10. A B C D

QUESTION 11

Comments

$$(a) (i) \frac{13}{(x+2)(x^2+9)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+9}$$

$$13 = A(x^2+9) + (Bx+C)(x+2)$$

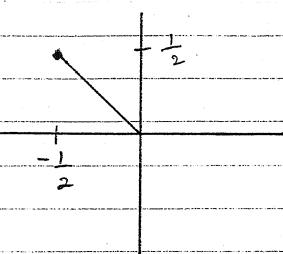
$$\text{let } x = -2 \quad 13 = 13A \quad A = 1$$

$$\text{coeff. of } x^2 \quad 0 = A + B \quad B = -A = -1$$

$$\text{constant} \quad 13 = 9A + 2C \quad C = \frac{13-9}{2} = 2$$

$$(ii) \int \frac{13}{(x+2)(x^2+9)} dx = \int \left(\frac{1}{x+2} + \frac{-x+2}{x^2+9} \right) dx \\ = \ln(x+2) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+9) + \frac{2}{3} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right) + C$$

$$(b) (i) z = \frac{1+2i}{1-3i} \times \frac{1+3i}{1+3i} \\ = \frac{1+2i+3i-6}{1+9} \\ = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}$$



$$|z| = \sqrt{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}. \quad \arg(z) = \pi - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$(ii) z^7 = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{4} \right)^7$$

$$= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{2}} \operatorname{cis} \frac{21\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{2}} \operatorname{cis} \left(-\frac{3\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{2}} \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}i \right)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{16} - \frac{1}{16}i$$

$$(c) (i) (4+3i)^2 = 16 + 24i + 9i^2 = 7 + 24i$$

$$(ii) z = i \pm \sqrt{i^2 - 4 \times 2(-1-3i)}$$

$$= i \pm \sqrt{-1 + 8 + 24i}$$

$$= i \pm \sqrt{\frac{4}{7+24i}}$$

$$= i \pm \frac{(4+3i)}{4} \quad \text{using (i)}$$

$$= \frac{i+4+3i}{4} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{i-4-3i}{4}$$

$$\text{i.e. } z = 1+i \quad \text{or} \quad -1-\frac{1}{2}i$$

(a) (ii)

Common mistake was a minus sign in front of $\frac{2}{3} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$

(b) (i)

A number of students calculate $\arg(z)$ incorrectly as $-\frac{\pi}{4}$. A diagram would have eliminated this mistake.

(c) (ii)

Some students did not think to use the quadratic formula and some did not make the link to the result in (i).

Question 11 (continued)

Comments

(d) Since coeff. of $P(x)$ are real and $1+3i$ is a root, then $1-3i$ is also a root.
Let roots be $\alpha, \beta, 1 \pm 3i$

$$\text{Sum of roots: } \alpha + \beta + 1+3i + 1-3i = -2 \therefore \alpha + \beta = -4$$

$$\text{Product of roots: } \alpha \beta (1+3i)(1-3i) = 90$$

$$\alpha \beta (1+9) = 90 \therefore \alpha \beta = 9$$

\therefore Eqn. with roots α and β is

$$z^2 + 4z + 9 = 0$$

$$(z+2)^2 = -5$$

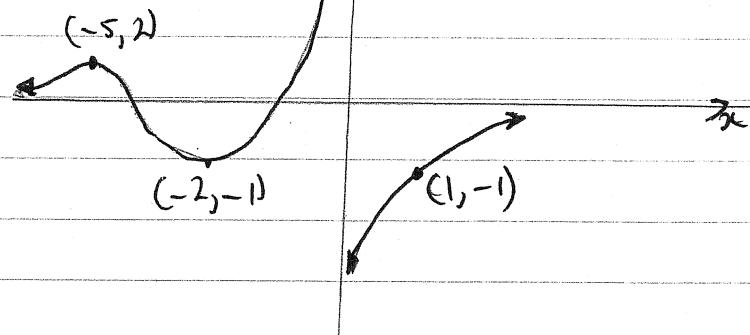
$$z = -2 \pm \sqrt{-5}$$

\therefore The roots of $P(x)$ are $1+3i, 1-3i, -2+\sqrt{5}i, -2-\sqrt{5}i$

(d) Some solutions were too long-winded.

Question 12

a) i)

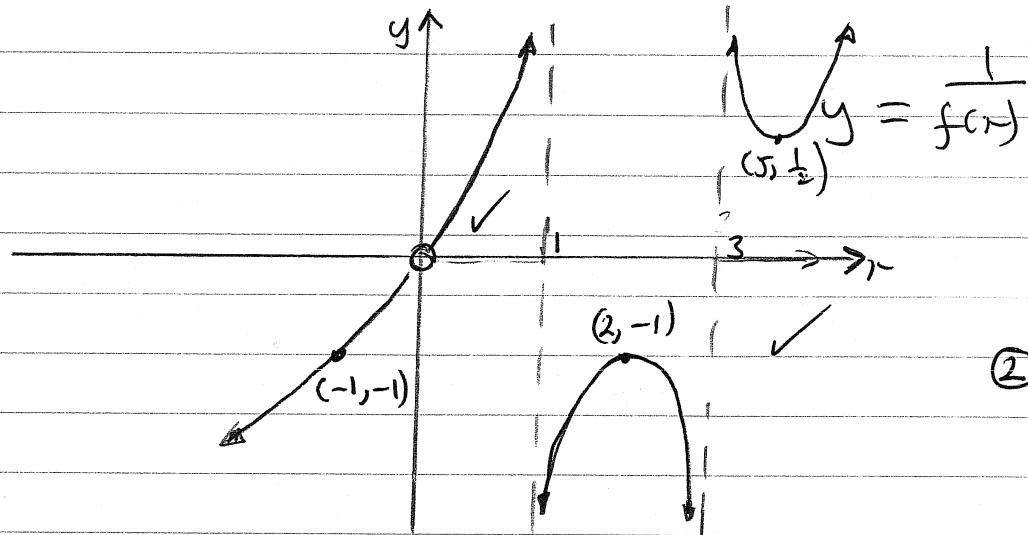


$$y = f(-x)$$

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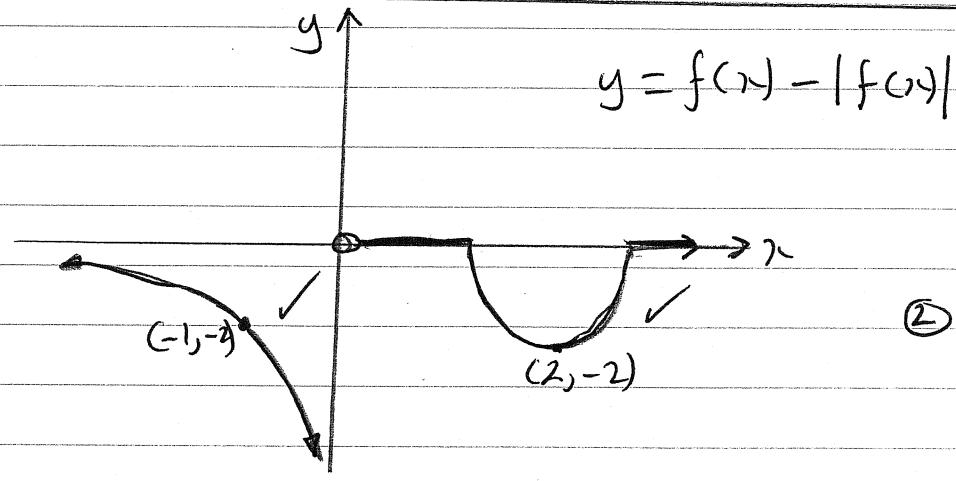
Correct answer.

ii)



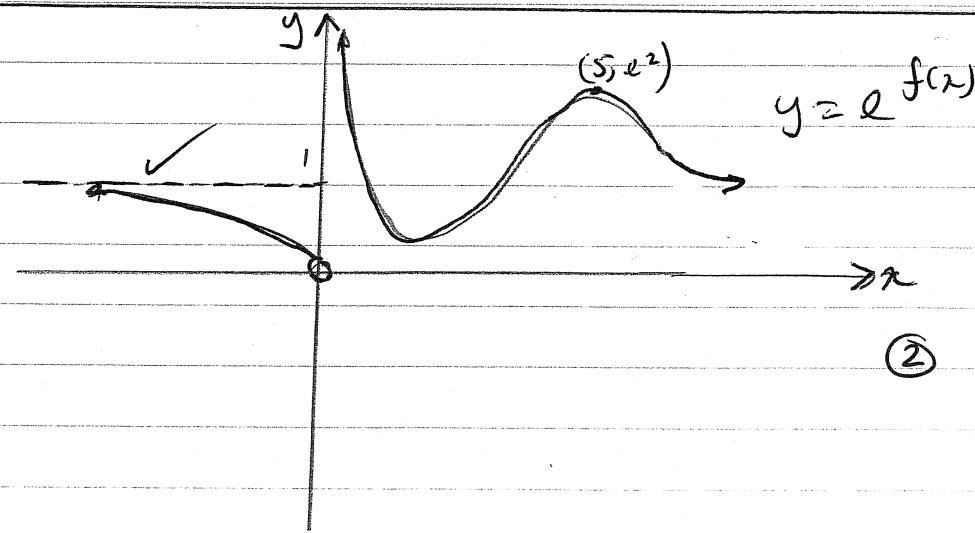
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iii)



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iv)



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b) $x^2 - 2x + 10 = (x-1)^2 + 3^2$

(3)

$$I = \int \frac{2x-2}{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + 3^2}} + \int \frac{3 dx}{\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + 3^2}}$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

$$\text{Let } u = x^2 - 2x + 10 \quad | \quad = 3 \log_e [(x-1) + \sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 10}] + C$$

$$du = (2x-2) dx$$

$$I_1 = \int \frac{du}{u^{\frac{1}{2}}} \\ = 2 u^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= 2 \sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 1}$$

$$\therefore I = 2\sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 10} + 3 \log_e [(x-1) + \sqrt{x^2 - 2x + 10}] + C$$

c) $i) m = \left(\frac{-2}{p} + \frac{2}{q} \right) \div (2p - 2q) \quad \checkmark$
 $= \frac{1}{pq}$

Eqn PQ

(2)

$$y + \frac{2}{p} = \frac{1}{pq} (x - 2p)$$

$$pqy + 2q = x - 2p \quad \checkmark$$

$$x - pqy = 2p + 2q \quad \checkmark$$

ii) sub $x = 0, y = -6$ in above

$$0 + 6pq = 2(p+q)$$

$$3pq = p+q \quad \checkmark \quad ①$$

Co-ords of mid-point

$$x = \frac{2p+2q}{2}, y = \left(\frac{-2}{p} - \frac{2}{q} \right) \div 2$$

$$x = p+q, y = -\frac{p+q}{pq} \quad \checkmark$$

(3)

sub ① in above

$$y = -\frac{3pq}{pq}$$

$$y = -3 \quad \checkmark$$

$$13 (a) (i) \text{ let } u = (1-x^2)^{\frac{n}{2}} \quad v' = 1$$

$$u' = \frac{n}{2} (1-x^2)^{\frac{n}{2}-1} \cdot -2x \quad v = x$$

$$I_n = \left[+x(1-x^2)^{\frac{n}{2}} \right]_0^1 + \frac{n}{2} \int x^2 (1-x^2)^{\frac{n-2}{2}} dx - n \int (1-x^2)^{\frac{n-2}{2}} dx + n I_{n-2}$$

$$= 0 + n \int (x^2-1)(1-x^2)^{\frac{n-2}{2}} dx + n I_{n-2}$$

$$= -n I_n + n I_{n-2} \quad \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$(1+n)I_n = n I_{n-2}$$

$$I_n = \frac{n}{n+1} I_{n-2} \quad \text{G.E.O.}$$

$$(ii) \quad I_5 = \frac{5}{2} I_3$$

$$= \frac{5}{2} \times \frac{3}{4} I_1$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= \frac{5\pi}{32} \quad \checkmark$$

$$I = \int_0^1 (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx$$

$$= \frac{\pi \times 1^2}{4}$$

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

This is easier than
using $u = \sin x$.

$$(iii) (i) (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^5 = \cos^5 \theta + 5i \cos^4 \theta \sin \theta - 10 \cos^3 \theta \sin^2 \theta - 10i \cos^2 \theta \sin^3 \theta + 5 \cos \theta \sin^4 \theta + i \sin^5 \theta$$

$$= \cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta$$

$$\cos 5\theta = \cos^5 \theta - 10 \cos^3 \theta (1-\cos^2 \theta) + 5 \cos \theta (1-\cos^2 \theta)^2$$

$$= \cos^5 \theta - 10 \cos^3 \theta + 10 \cos^5 \theta + 5 \cos \theta - 10 \cos^3 \theta + 5 \cos^5 \theta$$

$$= 16 \cos^5 \theta - 20 \cos^3 \theta + 5 \cos \theta \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{let } \cos 5\theta = 0$$

$$\cos \theta (16 \cos^4 \theta - 20 \cos^2 \theta + 5) = 0$$

$$5\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}, \frac{9\pi}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{10}, \frac{3\pi}{10}, \frac{5\pi}{10}, \frac{7\pi}{10}, \frac{9\pi}{10}$$

$$\therefore x = \cos \frac{\pi}{10}, \cos \frac{3\pi}{10}, \cos \frac{7\pi}{10}, \cos \frac{9\pi}{10} \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

$$(c) \quad T \leq 12 \times 9.8$$

$$\leq 117.6 \text{ N}$$

$$\text{max rev} = \frac{\sqrt{58.8}}{2\pi} \times 60$$

The answer

requires the no.

$$mrw^2 \leq 117.6$$

$$= 73.225 \text{ rev}$$

of rev in 1 min

$$\therefore 73$$

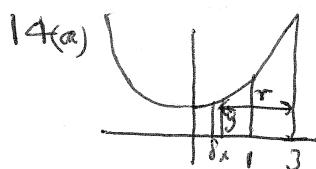
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$$5 \times 0.4 \times w^2 \leq 117.6$$

$$w^2 \leq 58.8$$

$$\checkmark \checkmark$$

$$w \leq \sqrt{58.8}$$



Students had more success using 1st principles rather than formulae.

$$V_{\text{shell}} = \pi \left\{ (3-x)^2 - (3-x-dx)^2 \right\} dx$$

$$= \pi \left\{ (6-2x)dx \right\} y$$

$$V_{\text{solid}} = 2\pi \int_0^1 (3-x)y \, dx$$

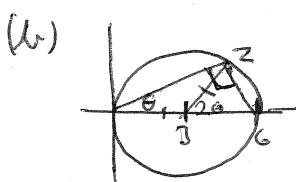
$$= 2\pi \int_0^1 (3-x)(x^4+1) \, dx$$

$$= 2\pi \int_0^1 (3x^4 + 3 - x^5 - x) \, dx$$

$$= 2\pi \left[\frac{3x^5}{5} + 3x - \frac{x^6}{6} - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 2\pi \times \left(\frac{3}{5} + 3 - \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{88\pi}{15}$$



The geometric approach was much easier than the algebraic.

$$\arg(z^2 - 9z + 1)$$

$$= \arg \{(z-6)(z-3)\}$$

$$= \arg(z-6) + \arg(z-3)$$

$$= \theta + \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\theta$$

$$= 3\theta + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(c) (i) \frac{2x}{10} + \frac{2y}{10} \times \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{5} \times \frac{8}{5y}$$

$$= -\frac{8x}{5y}$$

$$m_t = \frac{8x_1}{5y_1}$$

$$y - y_1 = \frac{8x_1}{5y_1} (x - x_1)$$

$$5y_1y - 5y_1^2 = 8x_1x - 8x_1^2$$

$$8x_1x + 5y_1y = 8x_1^2 + 5y_1^2$$

$$\frac{x_1x}{10} + \frac{5y_1y}{10} = \frac{x_1^2}{10} + \frac{5y_1^2}{10} = 1 \quad \text{Q.E.D.}$$

$$(ii) \frac{yy_1}{10} = 1$$

$$x=0, y = \frac{10}{y_1}$$

$$(iii) 10 = 10(1-e^2)$$

$$\frac{5}{y_1} = 1-e^2$$

$$e^2 = \frac{3}{8}$$

$$e = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

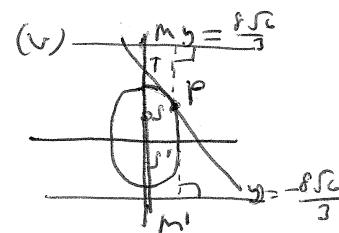
$$= \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4}$$

foci are $(0, \pm \frac{\sqrt{6}}{4} \times 4)$
 $(0, \pm \sqrt{6})$

$$(iv) y = \pm \frac{4}{\frac{\sqrt{6}}{4}}$$

$$= \pm \frac{16}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \pm \frac{8\sqrt{6}}{3}$$



$$\frac{PS}{PS'} = \frac{EPM}{EPM'} \quad \text{This is easier than trying to find } PS \text{ or } PS'.$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{\frac{8\sqrt{6}}{3} - y_1}}{\sqrt{y_1 - \frac{8\sqrt{6}}{3}}} \times \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{6}}$$

$$= \frac{10 - \sqrt{6}y_1}{10 + \sqrt{6}y_1}$$

$$\frac{TS}{TS'} = \frac{16 - \sqrt{6}y_1}{16 + \sqrt{6}y_1}$$

$$= \frac{10 - \sqrt{6}y_1}{10 + \sqrt{6}y_1}$$

Q.E.D.

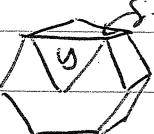
Question 15

a) $I = \int_{-1}^9 e^x dx$ when $x=0, u=3$
 let $u = \sqrt{x}$ $x=1, u=1$
 $u = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ ✓
 $du = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}dx$
 $I = 2 \int u e^u du$ ✓
 $= 2 [ue^u - \int e^u] du$ [IBP+] ✓
 $= 2 [ue^u - e^u]_3$
 $= 2 [(3e^3 - e^3) - (e^1 - e^1)]$ (4)
 $= 4e^3$ ✓

b) Volume for $x=0$ to $x=1$ is a hexagonal prism

 $V_1 = 6 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 1 \times 1 \times \sin 60^\circ \times 1$
 $= 3 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$ units³ ✓

Volume for $x=-1$ to $x=-2$


 $V_2 = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \int_{-2}^{-1} (x+2) dx$
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + 2x \right]_{-2}^{-1}$
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} [(-\frac{1}{2} - 2) - (2 - 4)]$
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}$ ✓ (4)

$\therefore \text{Total Volume} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}$
 $= \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{4}$ units³

(Q15)

$$\text{i) } 2x^3 = 4x^2 - 7x - 5$$

$$x^3 = 2x^2 - \frac{7x}{2} - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\alpha^3 = 2\alpha^2 - \frac{7\alpha}{2} - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\beta^3 = 2\beta^2 - \frac{7\beta}{2} - \frac{5}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\gamma^3 = 2\gamma^2 - \frac{7\gamma}{2} - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3 = 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2) - \frac{7}{2}(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) - 3\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$= 2(-3) - \frac{7}{2}(2) - \frac{5}{2}(3)$$

$$= -\frac{41}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

(3)

$$\text{ii) } \alpha^2\beta + \alpha^2\gamma + \beta^2\alpha + \beta^2\gamma + \gamma^2\alpha + \gamma^2\beta \quad \text{or using}$$

$$\alpha^2(\beta + \gamma) + \beta^2(\alpha + \gamma) + \gamma^2(\alpha + \beta) \quad (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma)$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 2 \quad -3(\alpha\beta\gamma)$$

$$\alpha^2(2-\alpha) + \beta^2(2-\beta) + \gamma^2(2-\gamma) \quad = 2\left(\frac{7}{2}\right) - 3\left(-\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$= 2\alpha^2 - \alpha^3 + 2\beta^2 - \beta^3 + 2\gamma^2 - \gamma^3 \quad = 7 + \frac{15}{2}$$

$$= 2(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2) - (\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3) \quad = \frac{29}{2}$$

$$= 2(-3) - \left(-\frac{41}{2}\right)$$

$$= \frac{29}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

(2)

Correct soln

$$\text{d) } w = \frac{az+b}{bz+a} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$|z| = 1 \Rightarrow z = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$w = \frac{a\cos\theta + ai\sin\theta + b}{b\cos\theta + bi\sin\theta + a}$$

$$|w| = \frac{|(a\cos\theta + b) + ai\sin\theta|}{|(b\cos\theta + a) + bi\sin\theta|}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{(a\cos\theta + b)^2 + (a\sin\theta)^2}}{\sqrt{(b\cos\theta + a)^2 + (b\sin\theta)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{a^2\cos^2\theta + ab\cos\theta + b^2 + a^2\sin^2\theta}}{\sqrt{b^2\cos^2\theta + 2abc\cos\theta + a^2 + b^2\sin^2\theta}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 2ab\cos\theta}}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 2ab\cos\theta}}$$

$$|w| = 1$$

$$\text{or } w = \frac{az+b}{bz+a}$$

$$w\bar{b}z + wa = az + b$$

$$wbz - az = b - wa$$

$$z(wb - a) = b - wa$$

$$|z| = \frac{|b - wa|}{|wb - a|} \text{ and } |z| = 1$$

$$\therefore b - wa = wb - a$$

$$b - a = w(b - a)$$

$$w = \frac{b-a}{b-a}$$

$$= 1$$

Correct soln (2)

QUESTION 16

Comments

(a)

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$$

$$\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma = \frac{q}{p}$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma = -\frac{r}{p}$$

$$x = \alpha, \beta, \gamma$$

New eqn. has roots $y = \frac{1}{-\alpha\beta - \alpha\gamma}, \frac{1}{-\alpha\beta - \beta\gamma}, \frac{1}{-\alpha\gamma - \beta\gamma}$

$$= \frac{1}{-\alpha(\beta + \gamma)}, \frac{1}{-\beta(\alpha + \gamma)}, \frac{1}{-\gamma(\alpha + \beta)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\alpha^2}, \frac{1}{\beta^2}, \frac{1}{\gamma^2}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{x^2} \Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}$$

$$p\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}\right)^3 + q\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}\right) + r = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{y}}\left(\frac{p}{y} + q\right) = -r$$

$$\frac{1}{y}\left(\frac{p^2}{y^2} + \frac{2pq}{y} + q^2\right) = r^2$$

$$p^2 + 2pqy + q^2y^2 = r^2y^3$$

$$\therefore r^2y^3 - q^2y^2 - 2pqy - p^2 = 0$$

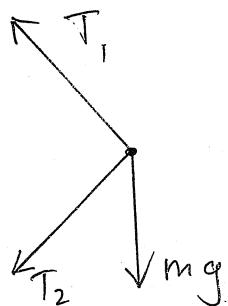
The solution is one of two common approaches to this question. The other approach used the relationship $-\alpha\beta - \alpha\gamma = \beta\gamma - \frac{q}{p}$

as well as

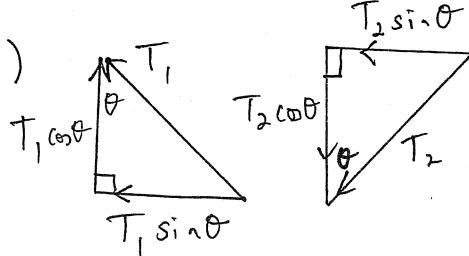
$$\beta\gamma = -\frac{r}{pq}.$$

Many students made small errors and many did not make a start - writing the sum, product etc would have guaranteed the 1st mark.

(b) (i)



(ii)



Horizontally:

$$T_1 \sin \theta + T_2 \sin \theta = \frac{mv^2}{r}$$

Vertically:

$$T_1 \cos \theta - T_2 \cos \theta - mg = 0$$

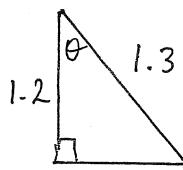
(b)(i) Marked generously - but the three vectors shown in the solution was expected (No more, no less!)

(ii) Take care with the position of angle θ .

Question 16 (continued)

(b) continued

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iii)} \quad & \sin \theta (T_1 + T_2) = \frac{mv^2}{r} \\ & \cos \theta (T_1 - T_2) = mg \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \sin \theta &= \frac{5}{13} \\ \cos \theta &= \frac{12}{13} \\ r &= 0.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$T_1 + T_2 = \frac{13}{5} \left(\frac{mv^2}{0.5} \right) = \frac{26mv^2}{5}$$

$$T_1 - T_2 = \frac{13mg}{12}$$

$$2T_1 = \frac{26mv^2}{5} + \frac{13mg}{12} \quad \text{i.e. } T_1 = \frac{13mv^2}{5} + \frac{13mg}{24}$$

$$2T_2 = \frac{26mv^2}{5} - \frac{13mg}{12} \quad T_2 = \frac{13mv^2}{5} - \frac{13mg}{24}$$

(iv) $T_2 > 0$ (since both strings experience tension)

$$\frac{13mv^2}{5} - \frac{13mg}{24} > 0 \quad \therefore \frac{v^2}{5} - \frac{g}{24} > 0 \quad v^2 > \frac{5g}{24}$$

$$v > \sqrt{\frac{5g}{24}} \quad v > \sqrt{\frac{30g}{144}} \quad \text{i.e. } v > \sqrt{\frac{30g}{12}}$$

Comments

(b)(iii)

You must eliminate θ from your answers.

You do not need to find θ - you should use the triangle to determine $\sin \theta$ and $\cos \theta$.

(ii) You had to show the given relationship. Some solutions were left incomplete.

(c) (i) $\frac{AQ}{QC} = \frac{AR}{RB} = 1$ (Q and R are midpts of AC and AB)

$\therefore RQ \parallel BC$ (ratio of intercepts is equal on parallel lines)

Similarly $\frac{BP}{PC} = \frac{BR}{RA} = 1$ and $PR \parallel AC$.

$\therefore R P C Q$ is a parallelogram (2 pairs of opp. sides parallel)

(ii) $\angle QCP = \angle QRP$ (opp. \angle s of parallelogram)

$\angle QRP = \angle QXP$ (\angle s in same segment)

$\therefore \angle QCP = \angle QXP \quad \therefore \triangle XQC$ is isosceles (2 equal \angle s)

(iii) $AQ = QC$ (given, Q is mid-point of AC)

$QX = QC$ (sides opp. equal \angle s in isos. \triangle)

\therefore Circle passes through A, X, C with centre Q . ($AQ = QC = QX$)

$\therefore \angle AXC = 90^\circ$ (\angle in semi-circle) $\therefore AX \perp BC$

(c) (i)

Poorly done in general - many "solutions" presented insufficient data.

(ii) This was not a difficult question if you use the result from (i).

(iii) More detail needed from most attempts.