



Semester Two Examination, 2016

Question/Answer Booklet

**MATHEMATICS
SPECIALIST
UNITS 3 AND 4**
Section Two:
Calculator-assumed

SOLUTIONS

Student Number: In figures

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In words

Your name

Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: ten minutes
Working time for section: one hundred minutes

Materials required/recommended for this section

To be provided by the supervisor

This Question/Answer Booklet
Formula Sheet (retained from Section One)

To be provided by the candidate

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

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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	52	35
Section Two: Calculator-assumed	12	12	100	97	65
Total				149	100

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3. You must be careful to confine your response to the specific question asked and to follow any instructions that are specified to a particular question.
4. Spare pages are included at the end of this booklet. They can be used for planning your responses and/or as additional space if required to continue an answer.
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Section Two: Calculator-assumed

65% (97 Marks)

This section has **twelve (12)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time for this section is 100 minutes.

Question 9

(6 marks)

A system of equations is shown below.

$$x+2y+3z=1 \quad y+3z=-1-y+(a^2-4)z=a+2$$

- (a) Determine the unique solution to the system when $a=2$.

(2 marks)

Solution
$-y=4 \Rightarrow y=-4$ $3z=-1+4=3 \Rightarrow z=1$ $x-8+3=1 \Rightarrow x=6$ $x=6, y=-4, z=1$
Specific behaviours
✓ substitutes and solves for y ✓ solves for z and x

- (b) Determine the value(s) of a so that the system

- (i) has an infinite number of solutions.

(3 marks)

Solution
$(a^2-4+3)z=a+2-1$ $(a+1)(a-1)z=a+1$ Require $a=-1$ for an infinite number of solutions
Specific behaviours
✓ adds row2 and row 3 to eliminate y ✓ factorises a^2-1 ✓ states value of a

- (ii) has no solutions.

(1 mark)

Solution
Require $a=1$ for no solutions
Specific behaviours
✓ states value of a

Question 10

(8 marks)

The length of time, T months, that an athlete stays in an elite squad can be modelled by a normal distribution with population mean μ and population variance $\sigma^2 = 15$.

(a) An independent sample of five values of T is 7.7, 15.2, 3.9, 13.4 and 11.8 months.

- (i) Calculate the mean of this sample and state the distribution that a large number of such samples is expected to follow. (2 marks)

Solution
$\bar{x} = \frac{52}{5} = 10.4 \text{ months}$ <p>Sample means normally distributed with mean μ and variance $\sigma^2 = \frac{15}{5} = 3$ months</p>
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ calculates sample mean

- (ii) ✓ states distribution with mean and variance
 Use this sample to construct a 90% confidence interval for μ , giving the bounds of the interval to two decimal places. (3 marks)

Solution
$z = 1.645$ for 90% CI $10.4 \pm 1.645 \times \sqrt{3}$ Interval is $7.55 < \mu < 13.25$ months
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses correct z-score ✓ calculates lower bound, rounding ✓ calculates upper bound, rounding

- (b) Determine the smallest number of values of T that would be required in a sample for the total width of a 95% confidence interval for μ to be less than 3 months. (3 marks)

Solution
$z = 1.96, \sigma = \sqrt{15} n = \left(\frac{1.96 \times \sqrt{15}}{1.5} \right)^2 = 25.61$ <p>Smallest sample size is $n = 26$</p>
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ shows z-score, variance and interval half-width used ✓ calculates n ✓ rounds n up

Question 11

(7 marks)

Plane p_1 has equation $3x + y + z = 6$ and line l has equation $r = i + j + 2k + t(i - 2j - k)$.

(a) Show that the line l lies in the plane p_1 .

(3 marks)

Solution	
p_1 can be expressed as $r \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 6$ and l as $r = \begin{bmatrix} 1+t \\ 1-2t \\ 2-t \end{bmatrix}$	
Then $\begin{bmatrix} 1+t \\ 1-2t \\ 2-t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 6$	
Which simplifies to $3 + 3t + 1 - 2t + 2 - t = 6$ and then to $6 = 6$	
Hence line lies in plane.	
Specific behaviours	
✓ writes plane in vector form	
✓ substitutes line into plane equation	

(b) Another plane, p_2 , is perpendicular to plane p_1 , parallel to the line l and contains the point with position vector $i - 3j - k$. Determine the equation of plane p_2 , giving your answer in the form $ax + by + cz = d$.

(4 marks)

Solution	
p_2 must contain vectors $\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$	
$n = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix}$	
$r \cdot n = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = -4$	
Hence equation of p_2 is $r \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ -7 \end{bmatrix} = -4 \Rightarrow x + 4y - 7z = -4$	
Specific behaviours	
✓ uses two vectors in the plane	

Question 12

(13 marks)

- (a) Show that the gradient of the curve $2x^2 + y^2 = 3xy$ at the point $(1, 2)$ is 2. (3 marks)

Solution
$2(2)x + 2yy' = 3y + 3xy'$ $x=1, y=2 \Rightarrow 4 + 4y' = 6 + 3y' \Rightarrow y' = 2$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ correctly differentiates LHS ✓ correctly differentiates RHS ✓ substitutes x and y values and simplifies to show gradient

- (b) Another curve passing through the point $(-2, 10)$ has gradient given by $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2xy}{1+x^2}$.

Use a method involving separation of variables and integration to determine the equation of the curve. (4 marks)

Solution
$\int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int \frac{2x}{1+x^2} dx \ln y = \ln(1+x^2) + c$ $y = k(1+x^2) y=10, x=-2 \Rightarrow k=2$ $y = 2(1+x^2)$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ separates variables ✓ integrates both sides ✓ eliminates natural logs ✓ determines constant and writes solution

- (c) A particle is moving along the curve given by $y = \sqrt[3]{x}$, with one unit on both axes equal to one centimetre. When $x=1$, the y -coordinate of the position of the particle is increasing at the rate of 2 centimetres per second.

- (i) Show that the x -coordinate is increasing at 6 centimetres per second at this instant. (2 marks)

Solution
$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3} x^{-\frac{2}{3}} \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{dx}{dy} \times \frac{dy}{dt} = 3(1)^{\frac{2}{3}} \times 2 = 6 \text{ cm/s}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses chain rule ✓ shows substitution of x-coordinate and given rate

- (ii) Determine the exact rate at which the distance of the particle from the origin is changing at this instant. (4 marks)

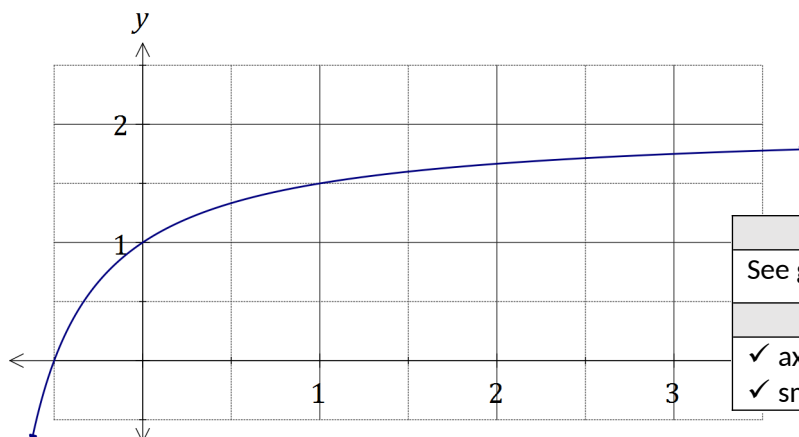
Solution
$D = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + x^{\frac{2}{3}}} \frac{dD}{dx} = \frac{3x^{\frac{4}{3}} + 1}{3\sqrt{x} \sqrt{x^2 + x^{\frac{2}{3}}}} x = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{dD}{dx} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$ $\frac{dD}{dt} = \frac{dD}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3} \times 6 = 4\sqrt{2} \text{ cm/s}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ determines expression for distance in terms of one variable ✓ differentiates expression wrt to variable ✓ substitutes, using chain rule ✓ simplifies in exact form

Question 13

(8 marks)

- (a) Sketch the graph of $y = \frac{2x+1}{x+1}$ on the axes below.

(2 marks)



Solution
See graph
Specific behaviours
✓ axes intercepts and (1, 1)
✓ smooth curve

Simpson's rule is a formula used for numerical integration, the numerical approximation of definite integrals. When an interval $[a_0, a_n]$ is divided into an even number, n , of smaller intervals of equal width w , the bounds of these smaller intervals are denoted $a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}, a_n$. Simpson's rule can be expressed as follows:

$$\int_{a_0}^{a_n} f(x) dx = \frac{w}{3} (B + 2E + 4O)$$

where $B = f(a_0) + f(a_n)$, E is the sum of the values of $f(a_k)$ where k is even and O is the sum of the values of $f(a_k)$ where k is odd.

- (b) Use Simpson's rule with $n=6$ to evaluate an approximation for $\int_0^3 \frac{2x+1}{x+1} dx$, correct to four decimal places.

(4 marks)

Solution
$a_0 = 1, a_1 = \frac{4}{3}, a_2 = \frac{3}{2}, a_3 = \frac{8}{5}, a_4 = \frac{5}{3}, a_5 = \frac{12}{7}, a_6 = \frac{7}{4}$
$B = \frac{11}{4}, E = \frac{19}{6}, O = \frac{488}{105}$
$\frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{11}{4} + 2 \times \frac{19}{6} + 4 \times \frac{488}{105} \right) = \frac{11623}{2520} \approx 4.6123$
Specific behaviours
✓ calculates ordinates
✓ calculates B, E and O

- (c) Determine the exact value of $\int_0^3 \frac{2x+1}{x+1} dx$ and hence calculate the percentage error of the approximation from (b). (2 marks)

Solution	
$\int_0^3 \frac{2x+1}{x+1} dx = 6 - 2 \ln 2$. Hence	$\frac{\left((6 - 2 \ln 2) - \frac{11623}{2520} \right)}{6 - 2 \ln 2} \times 100 \approx 0.03\% \text{ error.}$
Specific behaviours	
✓ calculates exact value	

Question 14

(7 marks)

- (a) The equation of a sphere with centre at $(2, -3, 1)$ is $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = ax + by + cz - 2$.

Determine the values of a, b, c and the radius of the circle.

(3 marks)

Solution
Expanding $(x-2)^2 + (y+3)^2 + (z-1)^2 = r^2$
Gives $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - 4x + 6y - 2z + 14 = r^2$
Hence $a=4, b=-6, c=2$ and $r^2 - 14 = -2 \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{3}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses standard circle form and expands ✓ states values of a, b and c ✓ determines radius

- (b) Two particles, P and Q, leave their initial positions at the same time and travel with constant velocities shown in the table below.

Particle	Initial position	Velocity
P	$10i - 5j + 5k$	$6i + 2j - 4k$
Q	$28i + 22j - 31k$	$2i - 4j + 4k$

Show that the two particles collide, stating the position vector of the point of collision.

(4 marks)

Solution
$r_P = \begin{bmatrix} 10+6t \\ -5+2t \\ 5-4t \end{bmatrix}, r_Q = \begin{bmatrix} 28+2t \\ 22-4t \\ -31+4t \end{bmatrix}$
Solving $10+6t = 28+2t \Rightarrow t = 4.5$.
$r_P(4.5) = \begin{bmatrix} 37 \\ 4 \\ -13 \end{bmatrix}, r_Q(4.5) = \begin{bmatrix} 37 \\ 4 \\ -13 \end{bmatrix}$
Hence collide at $37i + 4j - 13k$ when $t = 4.5$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ states vector equations of both paths ✓ solves for t using one pair of coefficients ✓ substitutes to show both have same position

Question 15

(8 marks)

- (a) Briefly describe a reason that a sample rather than a complete population may be used when carrying out a statistical investigation. (1 mark)

Solution
Cheaper, Quicker, Easier, etc.
Specific behaviours
✓ any legitimate reason

- (b) A researcher used government records to select a random sample of the ages of 114 men who had died recently in a town close to an industrial complex. The mean and standard deviation of the ages in the sample were 73.3 and 8.27 years respectively.

- (i) Explain why the sample standard deviation is a reasonable estimate for the population standard deviation in this case. (1 mark)

Solution
The sample size is large and well above 30.
Specific behaviours
✓ states large sample size

- (ii) Calculate a 98% confidence interval for the population mean and explain what the interval shows. (4 marks)

Solution
z-score for 98% interval is 2.326 $73.3 \pm 2.326 \times \frac{8.27}{\sqrt{114}} = (71.5, 75.1)$ We are 98% confident that the true mean lies between 71.5 and 75.1 years.
Specific behaviours
✓ uses correct z-score ✓ demonstrates calculation used to calculate interval ✓ calculates correct interval ✓ explains interval

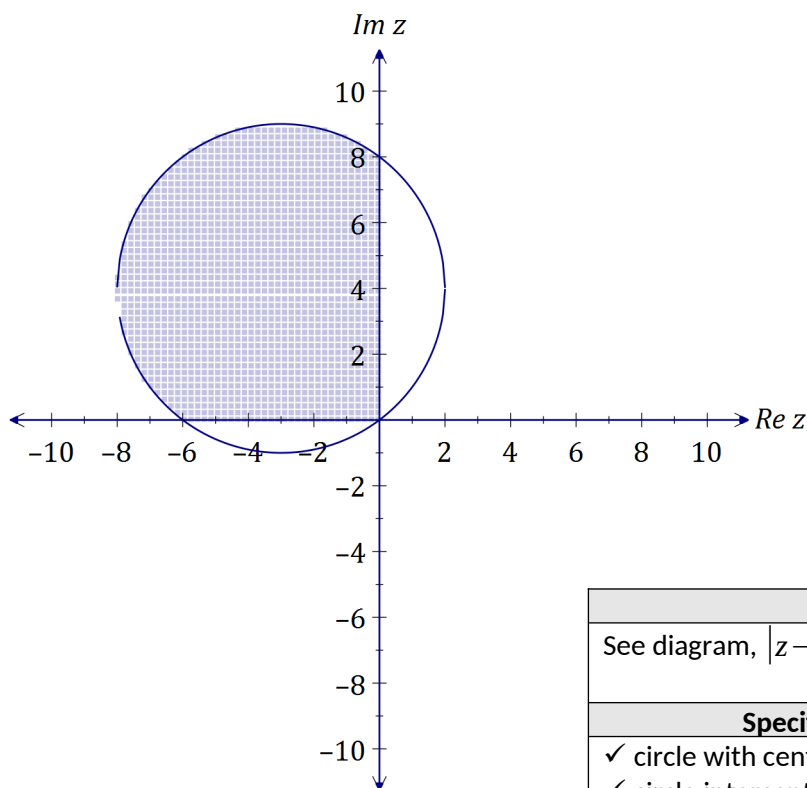
- (iii) The national average life-span of men was known to be 75.3 years. State with a reason what conclusion the researcher could draw from the confidence interval calculated in (ii) about the life-span of men in the town. (2 marks)

Solution
There is a significant difference in life-span of men in the town from those nationally, as the interval does not contain 75.3.
Specific behaviours
✓ notes interval does not contain 75.3 ✓ uses 'difference' and 'lifespan' in explanation

Question 16

(8 marks)

- (a) On the Argand diagram below, clearly show the region that satisfies the complex inequalities given by $|z+3-4i|\leq 5$ and $\frac{\pi}{2}\leq \arg z\leq \pi$. (4 marks)



Solution
See diagram, $ z - (-3 + 4i) \leq 5$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ circle with centre (-3,4) and radius 5 ✓ circle intercepts at (0,0), (0,8), (-6,0) ✓ shades inside circle ✓ only shades in second quadrant

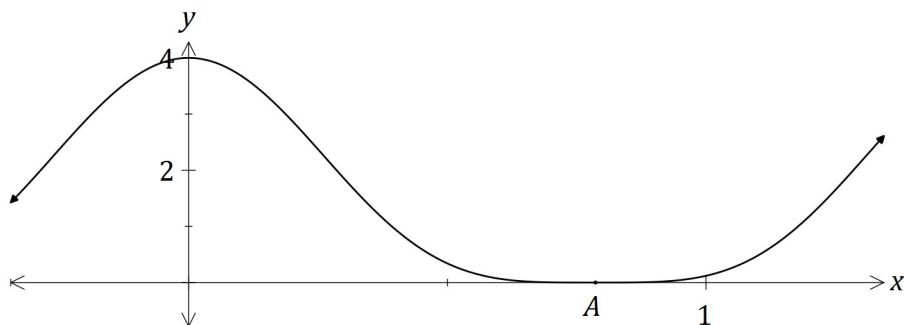
- (b) Determine all roots of the equation $z^5 = 16\sqrt{3} + 16i$, expressing them in the form $r \operatorname{cis} \theta$, where $r \geq 0$ and $-\pi \leq \theta \leq \pi$. (4 marks)

Solution
$z^5 = 32 \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{6}$ $z_1 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{\pi}{30} \right)$ $z_2 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{13\pi}{30} \right)$ $z_3 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{25\pi}{30} \right)$ $z_4 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{-11\pi}{30} \right)$ $z_5 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{-23\pi}{30} \right)$
Specific behaviours

Question 17

(7 marks)

The graph of $y=f(x)$ is shown below, where $f(x)=4\cos^4(2x)$ and A is the smallest root of $f(x)$, $x>0$.



- (a) Show that $4\cos^4(2x) = \frac{3+4\cos(4x)+\cos(8x)}{2}$. (3 marks)

Solution
$4\cos^4(2x) = 4 \left(\frac{1+\cos 4x}{2} \right)^2$ $= 4 \left(1 + 2\cos 4x + \cos^2 4x \right)$ $= 4 \left(1 + 2\cos 4x + \frac{1+\cos 8x}{2} \right)$ $= \frac{3+4\cos(4x)+\cos(8x)}{2}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses double angle identity ✓ expands and uses identity again ✓ simplifies as required

- (b) Hence determine $\int 4\cos^4(2x)dx$. (2 marks)

Solution
$\int \frac{3+4\cos(4x)+\cos(8x)}{2} dx = \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \sin 4x + \frac{1}{16} \sin 8x + c$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses result from (a) to integrate ✓ obtains correct result, including constant

- (c) Determine the exact volume of the solid generated when the region bounded by $y=f(x)$, $y=0$, $x=0$ and $x=A$ is rotated through 360° about the x -axis. (2 marks)

Solution
$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \pi (4\cos^4(2x))^2 dx = \frac{35\pi^2}{32} \text{ cubic units}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ writes integral

Question 18

(10 marks)

- (a) A small object has initial position vector $r(0) = i + 3j - k$ metres and moves with velocity vector given by $v(t) = 2ti - 4tj + 3k$ ms^{-1} , where t is the time in seconds.

- (i) Show that the acceleration of the object is constant and state the magnitude of the acceleration. (2 marks)

Solution
$a(t) = 2i - 4j$ - hence constant acceleration. $ a = \sqrt{2^2 + 4^2} = 2\sqrt{5} \text{ ms}^{-2}$
Specific behaviours
✓ differentiates velocity ✓ evaluates magnitude

- (ii) Determine the position vector of the object after 2 seconds. (3 marks)

Solution
$r(t) = t^2i - 2t^2j + 3tk + \text{const}$ $r(0) = i + 3j - k \Rightarrow r(t) = (t^2 + 1)i + (3 - 2t^2)j + (3t - 1)k$ $r(2) = (2^2 + 1)i + (3 - 2(2)^2)j + (3(2) - 1)k = 5i - 5j + 5k$
Specific behaviours
✓ integrates velocity ✓ uses initial condition ✓ determines position vector

- (b) Another small object has position vector given by $r(t) = (1 + 2 \sec t)i + (3 \tan t - 2)j$ m, where t is the time in seconds.

- (i) Determine the distance of the object from the origin when $t = \frac{\pi}{3}$. (2 marks)

Solution
$\left r\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right = \left \left(1 + 2 \sec \frac{\pi}{3}\right)i + \left(3 \tan \frac{\pi}{3} - 2\right)j \right = 5i + (3\sqrt{3} - 2)j $ <p>Distance is 5.93 m (2 decimal places)</p>
Specific behaviours
<p>✓ substitutes $\frac{\pi}{3}$ and simplifies</p>

- (ii) Derive the Cartesian equation of the path of this object. (3 marks)

Solution
$x = 1 + 2 \sec t, y = 3 \tan t - 2$ $\sec^2 t - \tan^2 t = 1 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{x-1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(\frac{y+2}{3}\right)^2 = 1$
Specific behaviours
<p>✓ equates x and y components ✓ uses trig identity ✓ rearranges and substitutes correctly</p>

Question 19

(7 marks)

- (a) A particle undergoing simple harmonic motion with a period of 5 seconds is observed to move in a straight line, oscillating 3.6 m either side of a central position. Determine the speed of the particle when it is 3 m from the central position. (3 marks)

Solution
$\omega = \frac{2\pi}{5} v^2 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{5}\right)^2 (3.6^2 - 3^2)$ $ v = 2.50 \text{ m/s}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ determines ω ✓ substitutes into velocity equation ✓ evaluates speed

- (b) Another particle moving in a straight line experiences an acceleration of $x + 2.5 \text{ ms}^{-2}$, where x is the position of the particle at time t seconds.

Given that when $x=1$, the particle had a velocity of 2 ms^{-1} , determine the velocity of the particle when $x=2$. (4 marks)

Solution
$\frac{1}{2} v^2 = \int x + 2.5 dx \Rightarrow v^2 = 2 \left(\frac{x^2}{2} + 2.5x \right) + c$ $x=1, v=2 \Rightarrow c = -2$ $x=2 \Rightarrow v^2 = 2 \left(\frac{2^2}{2} + 2.5(2) \right) - 2 \Rightarrow v = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ uses appropriate form of acceleration ✓ integrates ✓ evaluates constant ✓ states all possible values of v

Question 20

(8 marks)

The complex numbers w and z are given by $\frac{-1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i$ and $r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ respectively, where $r > 0$ and $\frac{-\pi}{3} < \theta < \frac{\pi}{3}$.

- (a) State, in terms of r and θ , the modulus and argument of wz and $\frac{z}{w}$. (3 marks)

Solution
$w = \text{cis } \frac{-2\pi}{3}$, $z = r \text{cis } \theta$
$wz = r \text{cis } \left(\theta - \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \Rightarrow$ modulus is r and argument is $\theta - \frac{2\pi}{3}$
$\frac{z}{w} = r \text{cis } \left(\theta - \frac{-2\pi}{3} \right) \Rightarrow$ modulus is r and argument is $\theta + \frac{2\pi}{3}$
Specific behaviours
✓ expresses w in cis form

- (b) Explain why the points represented by z , wz and $\frac{z}{w}$ in an Argand diagram are the vertices of an equilateral triangle. (2 marks)

Solution
The points are all at distance r from the origin and all subtend angles of $\frac{2\pi}{3}$ at the origin.
Specific behaviours
✓ states equidistant from origin (or shows with diagram)
✓ states subtend equal angles at origin (or shows with diagram)

- (c) In an Argand diagram, one of the vertices of an equilateral triangle is represented by the complex number $5 - \sqrt{3}i$. If the other two vertices lie on a circle with centre at the origin, determine the complex numbers they represent in exact Cartesian form. (3 marks)

Solution
Let $z = 5 - \sqrt{3}i$ then other two vertices will be $wz = -4 - 2\sqrt{3}i$ and $\frac{z}{w} = -1 + 3\sqrt{3}i$
Specific behaviours
✓ realises to use z
✓ determines first vertex
✓ determines second vertex

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