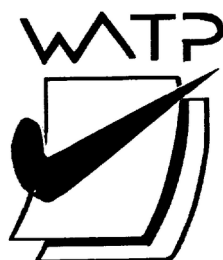


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# **MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST UNIT 1**

## **Semester One**

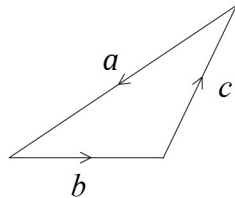
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## **SOLUTIONS**

**Calculator –free Solutions**

1. (a)  $\underline{c} = \underline{a} - \underline{b}$  ✓  
 $\underline{c} = \underline{b} - \underline{a}$  ✓  
 $\underline{c} = \underline{a} + \underline{b}$  ✓

- (b)  $\underline{a}$ ,  $\underline{b}$  and  $\underline{c}$  must form a closed loop, e.g.: ✓



- (c) III and IV ✓✓ [6]

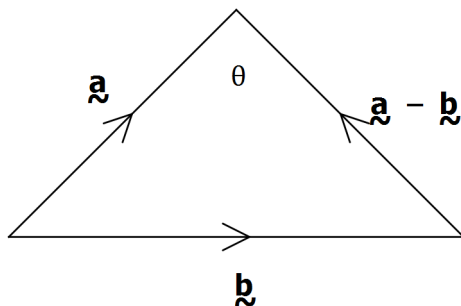
2. (a)  $n(C) = 20$ ,  $n(P) = 14$ ,  $n(C \cup P) = 30 - 6 = 24$  ✓  
 $n(C \cup P) = n(C) + n(P) - n(C \cap P)$   
 $\therefore n(C \cap P) = n(C) + n(P) - n(C \cup P) = 20 + 14 - 24 = 10$  ✓✓

- (b)  $n(M \cup C \cup P) = 50 - 5 = 45$  ✓  
 $n(M) = 30$ ,  $n(C) = 27$ ,  $n(P) = 27$ ,  $n(M \cap C) = 20$ ,  $n(M \cap P) = 14$ ,  
 $n(C \cap P) = x$ , and  $n(M \cap C \cap P) = 10$  from (a) ✓  
 $n(M \cup C \cup P) = n(M) + n(C) + n(P) - n(M \cap C) - n(M \cap P) - n(C \cap P) + n(M \cap C \cap P)$   
 $\therefore n(C \cap P) = 30 + 27 + 27 - 20 - 14 + 10 - 45 = 15$  ✓

- (c) 10 houses have married couples with children and pets,  
therefore, 41 houses must be selected to obtain at least one  
with both children and pets. ✓

The Pigeon Hole Principle. ✓ [8]

3. (a)



vector
location of

$$\begin{aligned}
 3. \quad (b) \quad (\underline{a} - \underline{b}) \cdot (2\underline{b} - \underline{a}) &= 2\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} - \underline{a} \cdot \underline{a} - 2\underline{b} \cdot \underline{b} + \underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} && \checkmark \\
 &= 3\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b} - |\underline{a}|^2 - 2|\underline{b}|^2 && \checkmark \\
 &= 3(5) - (2)^2 - 2(3)^2 = -7 && \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

[5]

$$\begin{aligned}
 4. \quad (a) \quad (i) \quad 20 &&& \checkmark \\
 (ii) \quad {}^7C_3 = {}^7C_4 = 35 &&& \checkmark \\
 (b) \quad (i) \quad x = 4; \text{ since 70 is in the 4}^{\text{th}} \text{ column of the 8}^{\text{th}} \text{ row} &&& \checkmark \\
 (ii) \quad x = 6; \text{ since 15 is in the 4}^{\text{th}} \text{ column of the 6}^{\text{th}} \text{ row} &&& \checkmark \\
 (iii) \quad x = 7; \text{ since in row 7, elements on columns 2 and 5 are equal} &&& \checkmark \\
 (iv) \quad x = 4; \text{ since in row 8, elements on columns 2 and 6 are equal} &&& \checkmark \\
 (c) \quad (i) \quad {}^8C_5 = 56 &&& \checkmark \\
 (ii) \quad {}^3C_2 \times {}^5C_3 + {}^3C_3 \times {}^5C_2 &&& \checkmark \checkmark \\
 = 3 \times 10 + 1 \times 10 = 40 &&& \checkmark \\
 (d) \quad (i) \quad 5! = 120 &&& \checkmark \\
 (ii) \quad 2! \times 4! = 2 \times 24 = 48 &&& \checkmark \\
 \therefore 120 - 48 = 72 &&& \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

[13]

$$\begin{aligned}
 5. \quad (a) \quad (2\underline{a} + \underline{b}) + (\underline{a} - \underline{b}) &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} \\
 3\underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ hence } \underline{a} &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} &&& \checkmark \checkmark \\
 \therefore \underline{b} = \underline{a} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} &&& \checkmark \\
 \text{Hence, } \underline{a} + \underline{b} &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} &&& \checkmark \\
 \text{OR} \\
 (2\underline{a} + \underline{b}) - \underline{a} &= \underline{a} + \underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} &&& \checkmark \checkmark \\
 (b) \quad \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = 0, \text{ hence } \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} &= k \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, k \in R &&& \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Unit vector} = \pm \frac{k}{\sqrt{13}} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓

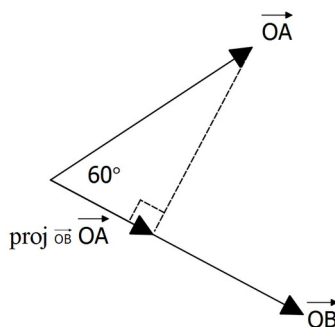
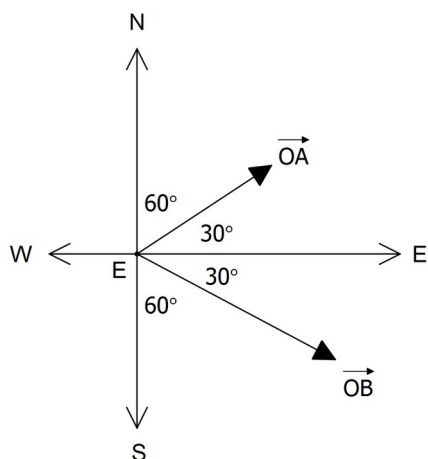
[6]

6. (a)  $\triangle OAB$  isosceles,  $\therefore \angle OAB = \frac{1}{2}(180^\circ - 70^\circ) = 55^\circ$  ✓  
 $2 \times \angle ACD = \angle AOD = 55^\circ$ ,  $\therefore \angle ACD = 27.5^\circ$  ✓  
 $\angle ABD = \angle ACD = 27.5^\circ$  ✓
- (b)  $\angle QPR = \frac{1}{2} \times \angle QOR$  (angle at circumference is half angle at the centre) ✓  
 $= \frac{1}{2}(360^\circ - 100^\circ - 140^\circ) = \frac{1}{2}(120^\circ) = 60^\circ$  ✓
- (c)  $\angle SPQ = \angle PRQ$  from the alternate-segment theorem ✓  
 $\therefore \angle SPQ = \frac{1}{2} \times \angle POQ = \frac{1}{2} \times 100^\circ = 50^\circ$  ✓ [7]
7. (a)  $\overrightarrow{OF} = \overrightarrow{OA} + \frac{1}{2}\overrightarrow{AB} = \underline{\mathbf{a}} + \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} - \underline{\mathbf{a}}) = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{a}})$  ✓  
 $\overrightarrow{OG} = \overrightarrow{OC} + \frac{1}{2}\overrightarrow{CB} = \underline{\mathbf{c}} + \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} - \underline{\mathbf{c}}) = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{c}})$  ✓
- (b) Show that opposite sides are congruent and parallel:  
 $\overrightarrow{EH} = \overrightarrow{OH} - \overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{c}} - \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{a}} = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{c}} - \underline{\mathbf{a}})$  ✓  
 $\overrightarrow{FG} = \overrightarrow{OG} - \overrightarrow{OF} = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{c}}) - \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{a}}) = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{c}} - \underline{\mathbf{a}})$   
 $\therefore \overrightarrow{EH} = \overrightarrow{FG}$  as required. ✓  
 $\overrightarrow{EF} = \overrightarrow{OF} - \overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{a}}) - \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{a}} = \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{b}}$   
 $\overrightarrow{HG} = \overrightarrow{OG} - \overrightarrow{OH} = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{\mathbf{b}} + \underline{\mathbf{c}}) - \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{c}} = \frac{1}{2}\underline{\mathbf{b}}$   
 $\therefore \overrightarrow{EF} = \overrightarrow{HG}$ , and EFGH is a parallelogram ✓ [5]



**Calculator – Assumed Solutions**

8.



diagram(s)

$$\vec{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \cos(30^\circ) \\ 6 \sin(30^\circ) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3\sqrt{3} \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓

$$\vec{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \cos(30^\circ) \\ -8 \sin(30^\circ) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4\sqrt{3} \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓

$$\text{proj}_{\vec{OB}} \vec{OA} = |\vec{OA}| \cos(60^\circ) \times \frac{1}{|\vec{OB}|} \vec{OB}$$

✓

$$= 6 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{8} \times \begin{pmatrix} 4\sqrt{3} \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{3}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3} \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{3}i - \frac{3}{2}j$$

✓

[5]

9. (a)  ${}^6C_2 \times {}^8C_2 = 420$

✓✓

(b) (i)  ${}^5C_2 \times {}^8C_2 = 280$

✓✓

(ii) only choices are AB, DE, DF and EF

✓

$$\therefore 4 \times {}^8C_2 = 112$$

✓✓

[7]

10. (a) LHS  $= \frac{(n+1)!}{(n+1-r-1)!}$

✓

$$= \frac{(n+1) \times n!}{(n-r)!}$$

✓

$$= (n+1) \times \left[ \frac{n!}{(n-r)!} \right] = (n+1) \times {}^nP_r = \text{RHS}$$

✓

(b) (i)  ${}^7P_4 = 840$

✓

(ii)  $4 \times {}^6P_3 = 480$

✓✓

(iii)  ${}^6\mathbf{P}_3 \times 3 = 360$

✓✓

[8]



11. (a)  $\vec{OA} + \vec{OC} = \vec{OB}, \therefore \vec{OA} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$  ✓

$\vec{AC} = \vec{OC} - \vec{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix}$  ✓

(b)  $\frac{1}{2}\vec{OB} = \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  ✓

$\vec{OA} + \frac{1}{2}\vec{AC} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -10 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  ✓✓

(4, 2) is the midpoint of both OB and AC ✓

Therefore, OB and AC bisect each other.

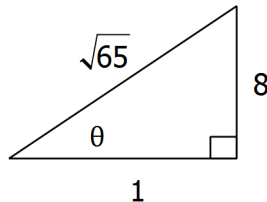
(c)  $\theta = \angle AOC$  since OABC is a parallelogram

$$\therefore \vec{OA} \cdot \vec{OC} = |\vec{OA}| |\vec{OC}| \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \left| \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right| \left| \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \right| \cos \theta$$
 ✓

$$\therefore \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{65}}$$
 ✓

(d) From (c):



$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{8}{\sqrt{65}}$$
 ✓

(e) Area OABC = 2 × Area ΔOAC

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times |\vec{OA}| \times |\vec{OC}| \times \sin \theta$$

$$= \left| \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \right| \times \left| \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \right| \times \frac{8}{\sqrt{65}}$$
 ✓

$$= \sqrt{65} \times 5 \times \frac{8}{\sqrt{65}} = 40 \text{ units}^2$$
 ✓

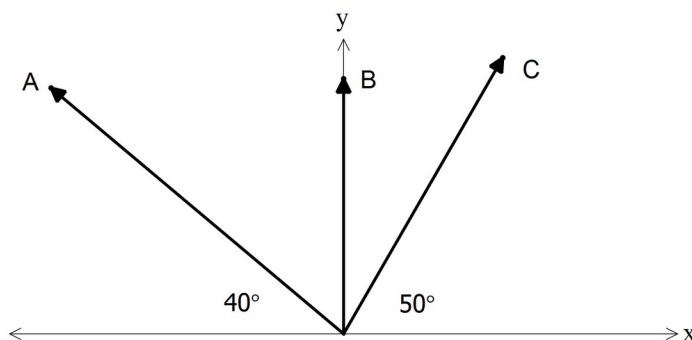
[11]

12. (a) (i) For all natural/counting numbers represented by n ✓
- there exists another natural number m ✓
- such that n is the square of m
- OR such that m is a whole number root of n. ✓



12. (a) (ii) 5 is natural and there is no natural number that when squared gives 5.  
(any acceptable answer) ✓
- (b) A rhombus has two pairs of parallel sides,  
therefore  $B \Rightarrow A$  is a valid statement. ✓
- Not all parallelograms are rhombi, e.g. rectangles,  
therefore  $A \Rightarrow B$  is not a valid statement. ✓
- Hence, A is not equivalent to B, i.e.  $A \Leftrightarrow B$  is invalid. ✓
- (c) (i) If a triangle inscribed in a circle is right angled, then  
the triangle has the diameter as one of its sides. ✓
- (ii) Yes, because ALL right-angled triangles inscribed  
in a circle will have the diameter as the hypotenuse. ✓
- (iii) If a triangle inscribed in a circle does not have the  
diameter as one of its sides, then the triangle is not  
right angled. ✓
- (iv) Yes, because if a statement is true then so is the  
contrapositive of that statement ✓ [11]

13. (a)



Combined force vector:  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c}$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -1200 \cos(40^\circ) \\ 1200 \sin(40^\circ) \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 800 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1000 \cos(50^\circ) \\ 1000 \sin(50^\circ) \end{pmatrix}$$

✓✓✓

$$\therefore \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -276.47 \\ 2337.39 \end{pmatrix}$$

✓

and  $|\mathbf{r}| = 2353.68 \text{ N}$

✓

bearing =  $270^\circ + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{2337.39}{276.47}\right) = 353.25^\circ \text{ T}$

✓



13. (b)  $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{c} = 3000\mathbf{j}$  ✓

$$\therefore \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 3000 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1200 \cos(40^\circ) \\ 1200 \sin(40^\circ) \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1000 \cos(50^\circ) \\ 1000 \sin(50^\circ) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 276.47 \\ 1462.61 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

maximum force =  $|\mathbf{b}| = 1488.51 \text{ N}$  ✓

$$\text{bearing} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{276.47}{1462.61}\right) = 10.70^\circ$$

$\therefore 79.30^\circ \text{T}$  ✓

[10]

14. (a) Assume that  $n$  is even and  $n^2$  is odd. ✓

Then  $\exists k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n = 2k$  ✓

Thus,  $n^2 = (2k)^2 = 4k^2 = 2(2k^2)$

which implies that  $n^2$  must be even. ✓

Since  $n^2$  cannot be both even and odd, this is a contradiction ✓  
and therefore  $n$  must be even.

(b)  $\angle DOB = 2\alpha$  and reflex  $\angle DOB = 2\beta$  ✓

$\therefore 2\alpha + 2\beta = 360^\circ$  ✓

and hence  $\alpha + \beta = 180^\circ$  as required ✓

$\alpha = \beta$  if O,B,D are collinear OR DB=diameter ✓

[8]

15. (a)  $\overrightarrow{AC} = \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} k \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} k-1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$  ✓

$$\overrightarrow{DB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

(b) In a rhombus the diagonals are perpendicular.

$\therefore \overrightarrow{AC} \cdot \overrightarrow{BD} = 0$  ✓

$$\begin{pmatrix} k-1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad \text{hence } k = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

(c)  $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \overrightarrow{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$

$$2|\overrightarrow{AB}|^2 + 2|\overrightarrow{AD}|^2 = 2(\sqrt{13})^2 + 2(\sqrt{13})^2 = 52 \quad \checkmark$$

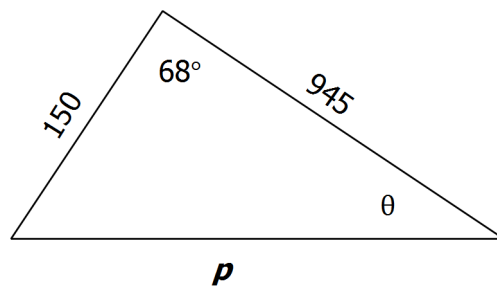
$$|\overrightarrow{AC}|^2 + |\overrightarrow{BD}|^2 = (\sqrt{26})^2 + (\sqrt{26})^2 = 52 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore 2|\overrightarrow{AB}|^2 + 2|\overrightarrow{AD}|^2 = |\overrightarrow{AC}|^2 + |\overrightarrow{BD}|^2 \text{ as required.} \quad [7]$$

16. (a)

wind vector  
plane vector  
flight direction  
and resultant  
vector using  
parallelogram  
method

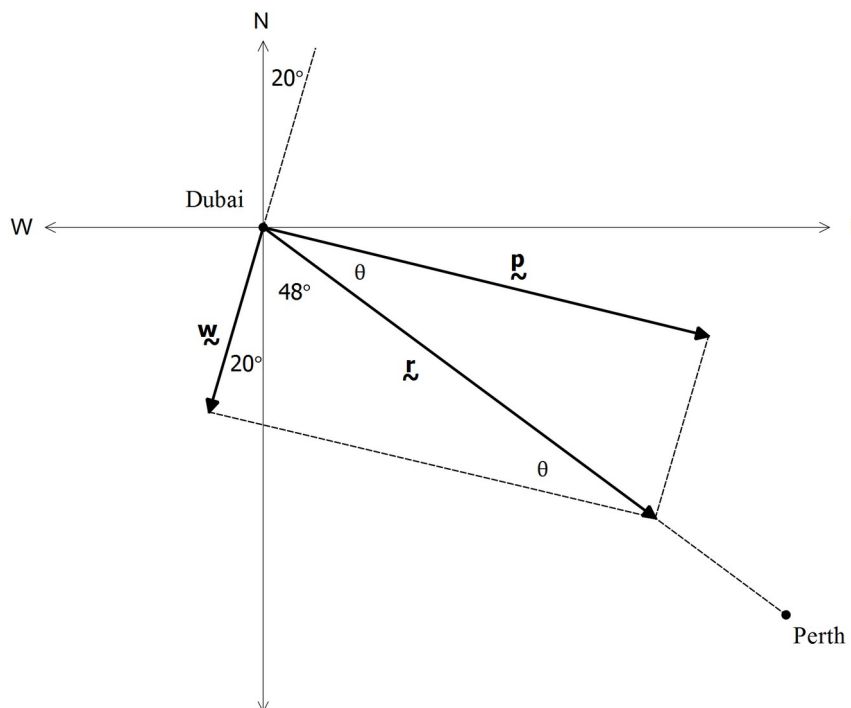
(b)



$68^\circ$  angle  
between wind  
and plane  
speeds

(c)  $|p|^2 = 150^2 + 945^2 - 2(150)(945) \cos 68^\circ$  ✓

$\therefore |p| = 899.62 \text{ km/h}$  ✓



[11]

$$17. \quad \overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ y \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ y+2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\overrightarrow{BC} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x-1 \\ 1-y \end{pmatrix} \quad \checkmark$$

since A,B,C collinear then  $\overrightarrow{AB} = \alpha \overrightarrow{BC}$   $\checkmark$

Given AB:BC = 1:2 then  $2 \overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{BC}$   $\checkmark$

$$\therefore 2 \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ y+2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x-1 \\ 1-y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore x = 7 \text{ and } y = -1 \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

[6]

$$18. \quad (a) \quad \frac{(x+2)!}{(x-2)!(x+2-x+2)!} = 210 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{(x+2)(x+1)(x)(x-1)(x-2)!}{(x-2)!} = 210 \times 4! \quad \checkmark$$

$$(x+2)(x+1)(x)(x-1) = 10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7$$

$$\therefore x = 8 \quad \checkmark$$

$$(b) \quad \text{LHS} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} \times \frac{(n-r)!}{2!(n-r-2)!} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{n!}{2!r!(n-r-2)!} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{n!}{2!} \times \frac{1}{r![(n-2)-r]!} \times \frac{(n-2)!}{(n-2)!} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{n!}{2!(n-2)!} \times \frac{(n-2)!}{r![(n-2)-r]!} \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \binom{n}{2} \times \binom{n-2}{r} = \text{RHS}$$

[7]



19. (a) Let  $PB = x$  and  $AP = 2x$

$$FE^2 = AF \times BF$$

$$\therefore (\sqrt{10})^2 = (2x + x + 1) \times 1$$

✓

$$\therefore x = 3 \text{ cm}$$

✓

$$\text{and hence } |AB| = 2(3) + 3 = 9 \text{ cm}$$

✓

- (b)  $AP \times PB = CP \times PD$

$$\therefore 6 \times 3 = CP \times 5$$

✓

$$\therefore y = \frac{18}{5} = 3.6 \text{ cm}$$

✓

$$\text{and hence } |CD| = 5 + 3.6 = 8.6 \text{ cm}$$

✓

- (c)  $\triangle PBD$  is right angled since  $\triangle ABD$  is right angled (triangle in semicircle)

$$\therefore PB^2 + BD^2 = PD^2$$

$$3^2 + BD^2 = 5^2$$

$$\therefore |BD| = 4 \text{ cm}$$

✓

- (d)  $\triangle ABD$  is right angled in semicircle

$$\therefore AB^2 + BD^2 = AD^2$$

✓

$$9^2 + 4^2 = AD^2$$

$$\therefore |AD| = \sqrt{97} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{hence, radius is } \frac{\sqrt{97}}{2} \text{ cm}$$

✓

[9]