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# SPECIALIST MATHS TRIAL EXAMINATION 1 SOLUTIONS 2017

# Question 1 (3 marks)

$$\int_{2}^{3} (x+1)\sqrt{3-x} dx$$

$$= \int_{1}^{0} (4-u)\sqrt{u} \times -1 \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

$$= \int_{0}^{1} \left(4u^{\frac{1}{2}} - u^{\frac{3}{2}}\right) du$$

$$= \left[4u^{\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{2}{3} - u^{\frac{5}{2}} \times \frac{2}{5}\right]_{0}^{1}$$

$$= \left\{\left(4 \times \frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{5}\right) - (0-0)\right\}$$

$$= \frac{8}{3} - \frac{2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{40-6}{15}$$

$$= \frac{34}{15}$$
Let  $u = 3-x$ 

$$\frac{du}{dx} = -1$$
So  $x = 3-u$ 
and  $x + 1 = 4 - u$ 
Also,  $x = 3, u = 0$ 
and  $x = 2, u = 1$ 

**Question 2** (3 marks)

$$s = \sqrt{4} = 2$$
  
sample size = 100

sample mean 
$$\bar{x} = \frac{2150}{100} = 21.5 \text{ mL}$$
 (1 mark)

95% confidence interval 
$$\approx \left(\overline{x} - z \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}, \quad \overline{x} + z \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}\right)$$
 (formula sheet)  

$$= \left(21.5 - 2 \times \frac{2}{10}, \ 21.5 + 2 \times \frac{2}{10}\right)$$

$$= (21.5 - 0.4, \ 21.5 + 0.4)$$

$$= (21.1, \ 21.9)$$

(1 mark)

(1 mark)

**Question 3** (4 marks)

$$\overrightarrow{OA} = \overrightarrow{i} - 2 \overrightarrow{j} + 2 \cancel{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = 2 \overrightarrow{i} + \overrightarrow{j} - 3 \cancel{k}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \overrightarrow{AO} + \overrightarrow{OB}$$

$$= -\overrightarrow{i} + 2 \overrightarrow{j} - 2 \cancel{k} + 2 \overrightarrow{i} + \cancel{j} - 3 \cancel{k}$$

$$= \overrightarrow{i} + 3 \cancel{j} - 5 \cancel{k}$$

(1 mark)

**b.** 
$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{\overrightarrow{AO} \cdot \overrightarrow{AB}}{|\overrightarrow{AO}| |\overrightarrow{AB}|}$$
$$= \frac{15}{3\sqrt{35}}$$
$$= \frac{5}{\sqrt{35}}$$

(1 mark)

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Vectors  $\overrightarrow{OA}$ ,  $\overrightarrow{OB}$  and  $\overrightarrow{OC}$  are linearly dependent if  $\alpha \overrightarrow{OA} + \beta \overrightarrow{OB} = \overrightarrow{OC}$  where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are real numbers.

We require

$$\alpha(\hat{i} - 2\hat{j} + 2\hat{k}) + \beta(2\hat{i} + j - 3\hat{k}) = m\hat{j} + 7\hat{k}$$
 (1 mark)

So 
$$\alpha + 2\beta = 0$$

$$\alpha = -2\beta$$
  $-(1)$ 

and 
$$-2\alpha + \beta = m$$
  $-(2)$ 

and 
$$2\alpha - 3\beta = 7$$
 – (3)

$$-4\beta - 3\beta = 7$$

$$\beta = -1$$

m = -5

In (1) 
$$\alpha = 2$$

In (2) 
$$-4-1=m$$

#### **Question 4** (3 marks)

$$z^{3} = -27i$$
Let  $z = r\operatorname{cis}(\theta)$ 
So  $z^{3} = r^{3}\operatorname{cis}(3\theta)$ 
Also  $-27i = 27\operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  (1 mark)

So  $r^{3}\operatorname{cis}(3\theta) = 27\operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ 

$$r^{3} = 27, r = 3$$

$$r^{3} = 27, \quad r = 3$$

$$3\theta = -\frac{\pi}{2} + 2k\pi, \qquad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\theta = -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2k\pi}{3} \qquad (1 \text{ mark})$$

For 
$$k = 0$$
,  $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{6}$  | For  $k = 1$ ,  $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi}{3}$  | For  $k = 2$ ,  $\theta = -\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{4\pi}{3}$  | So  $z = 3\operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$  | So  $z = 3\operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  |  $z = 3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{i}{2}\right)$  |  $z = 3i$  |  $z = -3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2}\right)$  |  $z = -3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2}\right)$  |  $z = -3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2}\right)$ 

The three solutions are  $z = 3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{i}{2}\right)$ , z = 3i and  $z = -3\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2}\right)$ . (1 mark)

#### **Question 5** (3 marks)

**a.** 
$$|\underline{b}| = \sqrt{4+4+1} = 3$$

$$\hat{b} = \frac{1}{3}(2i + 2j - k)$$
 (1 mark)

**b.** scalar resolute of a in the direction of b

$$= \underbrace{a \cdot \hat{b}}_{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} (5 \times 2 + 6 \times 2 + 4 \times -1) \qquad \text{(using part a.)}$$

$$= 6 \qquad \text{(Note, the answer should be a scalar!)} \qquad (1 \text{ mark})$$

**c.** vector resolute of a perpendicular to b

$$= \underbrace{a} - (\underbrace{a} \cdot \widehat{b}) \widehat{b}$$

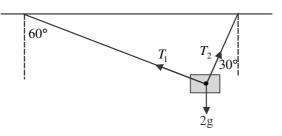
$$= 5 \underbrace{i} + 6 \underbrace{j} + 4 \underbrace{k} - 6 \times \frac{1}{3} (2 \underbrace{i} + 2 \underbrace{j} - \underbrace{k}) \qquad \text{(from parts } \mathbf{a.} \text{ and } \mathbf{b.}\text{)}$$

$$= 5 \underbrace{i} + 6 \underbrace{j} + 4 \underbrace{k} - 4 \underbrace{i} - 4 \underbrace{j} + 2 \underbrace{k}$$

$$= \underbrace{i} + 2 \underbrace{j} + 6 \underbrace{k} \qquad \text{(Note, the answer should be a vector!)} \qquad \textbf{(1 mark)}$$

#### **Question 6** (4 marks)

a.



(1 mark)

**b.** Resolving horizontally:

$$T_1\sin(60^\circ) = T_2\sin(30^\circ)$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}T_1 = \frac{1}{2}T_2$$
 $T_2 = \sqrt{3}T_1$  – (A) (1 mark)

Resolving vertically:

$$T_1 \cos(60^\circ) + T_2 \cos(30^\circ) = 2g$$
 (1 mark)  

$$\frac{1}{2}T_1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}T_2 = 2g$$

$$\frac{1}{2}T_1 + \frac{3}{2}T_1 = 2g$$

$$T_1 = g$$
In (A)  $T_2 = \sqrt{3}g$ 

(1 mark)

## **Question 7** (4 marks)

$$\arccos(x) + y\arcsin(x) = \frac{y}{2}$$

$$\frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} + \frac{dy}{dx}\arcsin(x) + \frac{y}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = \frac{1}{2}\frac{dy}{dx}$$
(1 mark)

At the point  $(0, \pi)$ , we have

$$-1 + \frac{dy}{dx} \times 0 + \pi = \frac{1}{2} \frac{dy}{dx}$$
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2(\pi - 1)$$
 (1 mark)

Gradient of perpendicular line is therefore  $\frac{-1}{2(\pi-1)}$  or  $\frac{1}{2(1-\pi)}$ . (1 mark)

Required equation is

$$y - \pi = \frac{1}{2(1-\pi)} x$$
  
 $y = \frac{x}{2(1-\pi)} + \pi$  (1 mark)

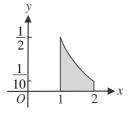
# Question 8 (4 marks)

Do a quick sketch of 
$$y = \frac{1}{x(x^2+1)}$$

in the vicinity of x = 1 and x = 2.

When 
$$x = 1$$
,  $y = \frac{1}{2}$ 

When 
$$x = 2$$
,  $y = \frac{1}{10}$ 



We know that between x = 1 and x = 2, the graph is above the x-axis.

area = 
$$\int_{1}^{2} \frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} dx$$
 (1 mark)  
Let  $\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$ 

Let 
$$\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$$
$$= \frac{A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)x}{x(x^2+1)}$$

True iff 
$$1 \equiv A(x^2 + 1) + (Bx + C)x$$

Put 
$$x = 0$$
,  $1 = A$  so  $A = 1$ 

Put 
$$x = 1$$
,  $1 = 2 + B + C$ 

$$B+C=-1 \qquad -(1)$$

Put 
$$x = -1$$
,  $1 = 2 + B - C$ 

$$B-C=-1 \qquad -(2)$$

$$(1)+(2)$$
  $2B=-2$ 

$$B = -1$$

In (1) 
$$C = 0$$

So area = 
$$\int_{1}^{2} \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{x}{x^{2} + 1} \right) dx$$
 (1 mark)  
= 
$$\left[ \log_{e} |x| - \frac{1}{2} \log_{e} |x^{2} + 1| \right]_{1}^{2}$$
 (1 mark)  
= 
$$\left( \log_{e} (2) - \frac{1}{2} \log_{e} (5) \right) - \left( \log_{e} (1) - \frac{1}{2} \log_{e} (2) \right)$$
  
= 
$$\log_{e} (2) - \log_{e} \left( \sqrt{5} \right) + \log_{e} \left( \sqrt{2} \right)$$

$$=\log_e\left(\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

$$= \log_e \left( \frac{2\sqrt{10}}{5} \right)$$
 square units.

(1 mark)

#### **Question 9** (5 marks)

$$\frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{x}\frac{dy}{dx}=4+y^2$$

$$\int \frac{1}{4+y^2}dy=\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}dx \qquad \text{(separation of variables)} \qquad \text{(1 mark)}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\int \frac{2}{4+y^2}dy=\int u^{-\frac{1}{2}}\times \frac{1}{2}\frac{du}{dx}dx \qquad \text{where } u=x^2-1$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)+c_1=\frac{1}{2}\int u^{-\frac{1}{2}}du \qquad \frac{du}{dx}=2x$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)+c_1=\frac{1}{2}u^{\frac{1}{2}}\times 2+c_2$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)=\sqrt{x^2-1}+c \text{ where } c=c_2-c_1 \qquad \text{(1 mark)}-\text{ left side} \qquad \text{(1 mark)}-\text{ right side}$$
Given  $y(1)=2$ ,
$$\frac{1}{2}\arctan(1)=c$$

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

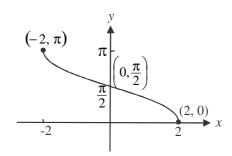
$$c=\frac{\pi}{8}$$
So 
$$\frac{1}{2}\arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)=\sqrt{x^2-1}+\frac{\pi}{8}.$$

$$\arctan\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)=2\sqrt{x^2-1}+\frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\tan\left(2\sqrt{x^2-1}+\frac{\pi}{4}\right)=\frac{y}{2}$$
The solution is  $y=2\tan\left(2\sqrt{x^2-1}+\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ . (1 mark)

### Question 10 (7 marks)

a. The graph of  $y = \arccos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$  is obtained when the graph of  $y = \arccos(x)$  is dilated by a factor of 2 from the y-axis.



(1 mark) – correct shape

(1 mark) - correctly labelled intercept and endpoints

**b.** i. 
$$f(x) = \arccos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$
  
Let  $y = \arccos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$ 

Swap x and y for inverse

$$x = \arccos\left(\frac{y}{2}\right)$$

$$\cos(x) = \frac{y}{2}$$
$$y = 2\cos(x)$$

So  $f^{-1}(x) = 2\cos(x)$  as required.

(1 mark)

ii. From the graph in part **a.**,  $r_f = [0,\pi]$ .

Since 
$$d_{f^{-1}} = r_f$$
  
then  $d_{f^{-1}} = [0, \pi]$ .

(1 mark)

**c.** Do a quick sketch.

The region to be rotated is shaded.

