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PART I : MATHEMATICS 1 (ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING)

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Answer EIGHT questions.

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1. Let $f : \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a function.

   (i) Give the formal definition of differentiability of f at the point x.

   (ii) Use this definition to calculate from first principles the derivative of the function

$$f(x) = e^x .$$

   (iii) Using any valid method, differentiate

$$f(x) = \frac{5x^2 e^{3x}}{3 - 2x^3} .$$

   and show that

$$f'(x) = \frac{5x\, e^{3x}}{(3 - 2x^3)^2}\, p(x) ,$$

   where $p(x)$ is a polynomial to be found.

2. Evaluate the following limits:

   (i) $$\lim_{x \to 0} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} ;$$

   (ii) $$\lim_{x \to 1} \frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + x - 2} ;$$

   (iii) $$\lim_{x \to \pi/2} (\sec^2 x)\,(1 - \sin x) ;$$

   (iv) $$\lim_{x \to \infty} x\,(\sqrt{x^2 + 4} - x) .$$

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3. Let

$$I_r = \int \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^r}\, dx \,.$$

(i) Show that

$$I_r - I_{r-1} = -\int \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^r}\, dx \,.$$

(ii) Using integration by parts, show that for $r > 1$

$$\int \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^r}\, dx = \frac{1}{2r-2}\left(I_{r-1} - \frac{x}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}} \right) .$$

(iii) Hence calculate

$$\int \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^3}\, dx \,.$$

4. Let $z = x + iy$ be a complex number.

(i) Define the following terms:

(a) the modulus $|z|$ of z;

(b) the argument $\arg(z)$ of z.

(ii) Write the following complex numbers in the form $r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$:

(a) $-3i$;

(b) $4 - 4i$;

(c) -1.

(iii) Use De Moivre's formula

$$(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)^n = \cos n\theta + i\sin n\theta$$

to calculate

$$(-3 + 3i)^4 \,.$$

Express your answer as a complex number of the form $x + iy$.

(iv) Find all complex numbers such that $|z - i| > |z + i|$.

Describe geometrically the set of points that satisfies this condition.

5. Consider the function

$$f(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 5x - 25}{x^2 + x - 2} ;$$

(i) Find the points where $f(x) = 0$.

(ii) Find any vertical and horizontal asymptotes.

(iii) Use (i) and (ii) to determine where $f(x)$ is positive.

(iv) Find the points where $f'(x) = 0$.

(v) Determine any local minima and maxima of f.

(vi) Sketch the graph of f.

6. (i) Consider the planes $3x + 6z = 1$ and $2x + 2y - z = 3$.

(a) Show that the planes are orthogonal.

(b) Find the equation of a plane through the origin which is perpendicular to the line of intersection of these two planes.

(ii) Find a vector parallel to the plane $2x - y - z = 4$ and orthogonal to the vector $\boldsymbol{i} + \boldsymbol{j} + \boldsymbol{k}$.

(iii) Show that $\boldsymbol{c} = |\boldsymbol{b}|\,\boldsymbol{a} + |\boldsymbol{a}|\,\boldsymbol{b}$ bisects the angle between $\boldsymbol{a}$ and $\boldsymbol{b}$.

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7. (i) Factorise the matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

into a product LU, where L and U are lower and upper triangular matrices, respectively, with ones down the main diagonal of L.

(ii) Find L^{-1} and U^{-1}, and hence A^{-1}.

(iii) Hence, or otherwise, solve

$$A\boldsymbol{x} = \boldsymbol{b}, \quad \text{where} \quad \boldsymbol{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

8. (i) Show that the differential equation

$$(6y - x^2 y)\,\frac{dy}{dx} + (x - x\,y^2) = 0$$

is exact.

Hence find an explicit solution satisfying $y(2) = -2$.

State the range of x for which this solution is valid.

(ii) Find the solution of

$$(x+1)\,\frac{dy}{dx} - 2y = (x+1)^3$$

satisfying $y(-3) = 1$.

9. For the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 3e^{2x} + k\sin 2x ,$$

where k is a constant, find the solution that satisfies

$$y(0) = 1 , \qquad \frac{dy}{dx}(0) = 2 ,$$

in the two cases:

(i) $k = 0$;

(ii) $k = 1$.

10. Show that

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\sin^{-1} x\right] = (1-x^2)^{-1/2} .$$

If $y(x) = \sin(\alpha \sin^{-1} x)$, where α is a constant, then show that

$$(1-x^2)^{1/2}\frac{d}{dx}\left[(1-x^2)^{1/2}\frac{dy}{dx}\right] = -\alpha^2 y ;$$

and hence that

$$(1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x\frac{dy}{dx} + \alpha^2 y = 0 .$$

Use the Leibnitz formula to differentiate this equation n times, and show that

$$\frac{d^{n+2}y}{dx^{n+2}}(0) = (n^2 - \alpha^2)\frac{d^n y}{dx^n}(0) \qquad \text{for} \qquad n \geq 0 .$$

Hence write down the Maclaurin expansion for $y(x)$ by stating formulae for the general even and odd terms.

Use the ratio test to find the radius of convergence of this expansion.

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MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

MATHEMATICAL FORMULAE

1. VECTOR ALGEBRA

$$\mathbf{a} = a_1\mathbf{i} + a_2\mathbf{j} + a_3\mathbf{k} = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$$

Scalar (dot) product: $\mathbf{a}\,.\,\mathbf{b} = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3$

Vector (cross) product:

$$\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

Scalar triple product:

$$[\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}] = \mathbf{a}\,.\,\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c} = \mathbf{b}\,.\,\mathbf{c} \times \mathbf{a} = \mathbf{c}\,.\,\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} = \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

Vector triple product: $\mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{c}) = (\mathbf{c}\,.\,\mathbf{a})\mathbf{b} - (\mathbf{b}\,.\,\mathbf{a})\mathbf{c}$

2. SERIES

$$(1+x)^\alpha = 1 + \alpha x + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{\alpha(\alpha-1)(\alpha-2)}{3!}x^3 + \ldots \quad (\alpha \text{ arbitrary, } |x| < 1)$$

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \ldots + \frac{x^n}{n!} + \ldots,$$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \ldots + (-1)^n\frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!} + \ldots,$$

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \ldots + (-1)^n\frac{x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} + \ldots,$$

$$\ln(1+x) = x - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{3} - \ldots + (-1)^n\frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)} + \ldots (-1 < x \le 1)$$

3. TRIGONOMETRIC IDENTITIES AND HYPERBOLIC FUNCTIONS

$$\sin(a+b) = \sin a \cos b + \cos a \sin b\,;$$

$$\cos(a+b) = \cos a \cos b - \sin a \sin b\,.$$

$$\cos iz = \cosh z\,; \quad \cosh iz = \cos z\,; \quad \sin iz = i\sinh z\,; \quad \sinh iz = i\sin z\,.$$

4. DIFFERENTIAL CALCULUS

(a) Leibniz's formula:

$$D^n(fg) = f\,D^n g + \binom{n}{1} Df\,D^{n-1}g + \ldots + \binom{n}{r} D^r f\,D^{n-r}g + \ldots + D^n f\,g\,.$$

(b) Taylor's expansion of $f(x)$ about $x = a$:

$$f(a+h) = f(a) + hf'(a) + h^2 f''(a)/2! + \ldots + h^n f^{(n)}(a)/n! + \epsilon_n(h)\,,$$

where $\epsilon_n(h) = h^{n+1} f^{(n+1)}(a + \theta h)/(n+1)!, \quad 0 < \theta < 1\,.$

(c) Taylor's expansion of $f(x, y)$ about (a, b):

$$f(a+h, b+k) = f(a, b) + [hf_x + kf_y]_{a,b} + 1/2!\left[h^2 f_{xx} + 2hkf_{xy} + k^2 f_{yy}\right]_{a,b} + \ldots$$

(d) Partial differentiation of $f(x, y)$:

i. If $y = y(x)$, then $f = F(x)$, and $\dfrac{dF}{dx} = \dfrac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \dfrac{\partial f}{\partial y}\dfrac{dy}{dx}$.

ii. If $x = x(t)$, $y = y(t)$, then $f = F(t)$, and $\dfrac{dF}{dt} = \dfrac{\partial f}{\partial x}\dfrac{dx}{dt} + \dfrac{\partial f}{\partial y}\dfrac{dy}{dt}$.

iii. If $x = x(u, v)$, $y = y(u, v)$, then $f = F(u, v)$, and

$$\frac{\partial F}{\partial u} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\frac{\partial x}{\partial u} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}\frac{\partial y}{\partial u}, \quad \frac{\partial F}{\partial v} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}\frac{\partial x}{\partial v} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}\frac{\partial y}{\partial v}.$$

(e) Stationary points of $f(x, y)$ occur where $f_x = 0$, $f_y = 0$ simultaneously.
Let (a, b) be a stationary point: examine $D = [f_{xx}f_{yy} - (f_{xy})^2]_{a,b}$.
If $D > 0$ and $f_{xx}(a, b) < 0$, then (a, b) is a maximum;
If $D > 0$ and $f_{xx}(a, b) > 0$, then (a, b) is a minimum;
If $D < 0$ then (a, b) is a saddle-point.

(f) Differential equations:

i. The first order linear equation $dy/dx + P(x)y = Q(x)$ has an integrating factor $I(x) = \exp[\int P(x)(dx]$, so that $\dfrac{d}{dx}(Iy) = IQ$.

ii. $P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy = 0$ is exact if $\partial Q/\partial x = \partial P/\partial y$.

5. INTEGRAL CALCULUS

(a) An important substitution: $\tan(\theta/2) = t$:
$\sin\theta = 2t/(1+t^2)$, $\cos\theta = (1-t^2)/(1+t^2)$, $d\theta = 2\,dt/(1+t^2)$.

(b) Some indefinite integrals:

$$\int (a^2 - x^2)^{-1/2} dx = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right), \quad |x| < a.$$

$$\int (a^2 + x^2)^{-1/2} dx = \sinh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) = \ln\left\{\frac{x}{a} + \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{a^2}\right)^{1/2}\right\}.$$

$$\int (x^2 - a^2)^{-1/2} dx = \cosh^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) = \ln\left|\frac{x}{a} + \left(\frac{x^2}{a^2} - 1\right)^{1/2}\right|.$$

$$\int (a^2 + x^2)^{-1} dx = \left(\frac{1}{a}\right)\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right).$$

6. NUMERICAL METHODS

(a) Approximate solution of an algebraic equation:

If a root of $f(x) = 0$ occurs near $x = a$, take $x_0 = a$ and
$x_{n+1} = x_n - [f(x_n)/f'(x_n)]$, $n = 0, 1, 2 \ldots$

(Newton Raphson method).

(b) Formulae for numerical integration: Write $x_n = x_0 + nh$, $y_n = y(x_n)$.

i. Trapezium rule (1-strip): $\int_{x_0}^{x_1} y(x)dx \approx (h/2)[y_0 + y_1]$.

ii. Simpson's rule (2-strip): $\int_{x_0}^{x_2} y(x)dx \approx (h/3)[y_0 + 4y_1 + y_2]$.

(c) Richardson's extrapolation method: Let $I = \int_a^b f(x)dx$ and let I_1, I_2 be two estimates of I obtained by using Simpson's rule with intervals h and $h/2$. Then, provided h is small enough,

$$I_2 + (I_2 - I_1)/15,$$

is a better estimate of I.

7. LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

Function	Transform	Function	Transform
$f(t)$	$F(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t)dt$	$af(t) + bg(t)$	$aF(s) + bG(s)$
df/dt	$sF(s) - f(0)$	d^2f/dt^2	$s^2F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$
$e^{at}f(t)$	$F(s-a)$	$tf(t)$	$-dF(s)/ds$
$(\partial/\partial\alpha)f(t,\alpha)$	$(\partial/\partial\alpha)F(s,\alpha)$	$\int_0^t f(t)dt$	$F(s)/s$
$\int_0^t f(u)g(t-u)du$	$F(s)G(s)$		
1	$1/s$	$t^n (n = 1, 2 \ldots)$	$n!/s^{n+1}$, $(s > 0)$
e^{at}	$1/(s-a)$, $(s > a)$	$\sin\omega t$	$\omega/(s^2+\omega^2)$, $(s > 0)$
$\cos\omega t$	$s/(s^2+\omega^2)$, $(s > 0)$	$H(t-T) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < T \\ 1, & t > T \end{cases}$	e^{-sT}/s, $(s, T > 0)$

8. FOURIER SERIES

If $f(x)$ is periodic of period $2L$, then $f(x + 2L) = f(x)$, and

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\frac{n\pi x}{L} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\frac{n\pi x}{L}, \text{ where}$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{L}\int_{-L}^{L} f(x)\cos\frac{n\pi x}{L}dx, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \ldots, \text{ and}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{L}\int_{-L}^{L} f(x)\sin\frac{n\pi x}{L}dx, \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \ldots$$

Parseval's theorem

$$\frac{1}{L}\int_{-L}^{L} [f(x)]^2\,dx = \frac{a_0^2}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty}\left(a_n^2 + b_n^2\right).$$

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	(b) For $f(x)=e^x$ we have $\frac{e^{x+\delta}-e^x}{\delta} = \frac{e^x(e^\delta-1)}{\delta} = e^x\frac{(1+\delta+\frac{\delta^2}{2!}\cdots-1)}{\delta}$ $= e^x(1+\delta/2!+\frac{\delta^2}{3!}\cdots)$	4
	and so $\lim_{\delta\to 0}\frac{e^{x+\delta}-e^x}{\delta} = \lim_{\delta\to 0} e^x(1+\delta/2!+\frac{\delta^2}{3!}\cdots) = e^x$.	4
	(c) Quotient rule $f'(x) = \frac{(5x^2e^{3x})'(3-2x^3)-(3-2x^3)'(5x^2e^{3x})}{(3-2x^3)^2}$	3
	Product rule $(5x^2e^{3x})' = (5x^2)'e^{3x}+5x^2(e^{3x})'$ $= 10xe^{3x}+15x^2\cdot e^{3x}$ $(3-2x^3)' = -6x^2$	3
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$$f'(x) = \frac{(10xe^{3x} + 15x^2e^{3x})(3-2x^3)}{(3-2x^3)^2}$$

$$+ \frac{6x^2(5x^2e^{3x})}{(3-2x^3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^{3x}\left[(10x+15x^2)(3-2x^3)+30x^4\right]}{(3-2x^3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{e^{3x}\left[-30x^5+10x^4+45x^2+30x\right]}{(3-2x^3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{5xe^{3x}}{(3-2x^3)^2}\underbrace{\left\{-6x^4+2x^3+9x+6\right\}}_{p(x)}$$

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(i) $\lim_{x\to 0} \dfrac{x^2-1}{x^2+x-2} = \dfrac{0^2-1}{0^2+0-2} = \dfrac{1}{2}$ // 5

(ii) $\lim_{x\to 1} \dfrac{x^2-1}{x^2+x-2} = \lim_{x\to 1} \dfrac{(x+1)\cancel{(x-1)}}{\cancel{(x-1)}(x+2)} = \dfrac{2}{3}$ // 5

[Alternatively, "$\frac{0}{0}$" limit, so use l'Hôpital's rule

$\lim_{x\to 1} \dfrac{x^2-1}{x^2+x-2} = \lim_{x\to 1} \dfrac{2x}{2x+1} = \dfrac{2}{3}$.]

(iii) $\lim_{x\to \pi/2} \sec^2 x(1-\sin x) = \lim_{y\to 0} \operatorname{cosec}^2 y\,(1-\cos y)$ (where $y = \pi/2 - x$)

$= \lim_{y\to 0} \dfrac{1-\{1-y^2/2+O(y^4)\}}{\{y+O(y^3)\}^2}$

$= \lim_{y\to 0} \dfrac{y^2/2+O(y^4)}{y^2+O(y^4)}$

$= \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}}}$ (accept any valid method) 5

[Alternatively, by L'Hôpital:

$\lim_{x\to\frac{\pi}{2}} \dfrac{(1-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x}$

$= \lim_{x\to\frac{\pi}{2}} \dfrac{-\cancel{\cos x}}{-2\cancel{\cos x}\sin x}$

$= \frac{1}{2}$ //]

(iv) $\lim_{x\to\infty} x\left(\sqrt{x^2+4}-x\right) = \lim_{x\to\infty} \dfrac{x\,(x^2+4-x^2)}{\sqrt{x^2+4}+x}$

$= \lim_{x\to\infty} \dfrac{4x}{\sqrt{x^2+4}+x}$

$= \lim_{x\to\infty} \dfrac{4}{\sqrt{1+4/x^2}+1}$

$= \underline{\underline{2}}$ (accept any valid method) 5

[One possible alternative

Write as $x^2\left(\left(1+\frac{4}{x^2}\right)^{1/2}-1\right) \simeq x^2\left(1+\frac{2}{x^2}+\cdots-1\right)$

$\to 2$ as $x\to\infty$]

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(i) Use recursive formula.

$$I_r = \int \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^r}\,dx.$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}} - \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^r}\,dx \qquad 5$$

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

(ii) Letting $u(x) = x$, $v(x) = \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}}$

$v'(x) = \frac{(1-r)2x}{(1+x^2)^r}$ gives

$$\int \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^r}\,dx = \frac{1}{2(1-r)}\int u(x)\,v'(x)\,dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(1-r)}\left[u(x)v(x) - \int v(x)\,u'(x)\,dx\right] \qquad 4$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(1-r)}\left[\frac{x}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}} - \int \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}}\,dx\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(1-r)}\left[\frac{x}{(1+x^2)^{r-1}} - I_{r-1}\right] \qquad 4$$

8 for part (ii)

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(iii)	$I_r = I_{r-1} + \frac{1}{2(1-r)} I_{r-1} - \frac{x}{2(1-r)(1+x^2)}$	r-1
	$= \frac{2r-3}{2r-2} I_{r-1} - \frac{x}{2(1-r)(1+x^2)}$	r-1 } 2
	$r=1 \rightarrow \int \frac{1}{1+x^2}\,dx = \tan^{-1}x + c$	1
	$r=2 \rightarrow I_2 = \frac{1}{2}\tan^{-1}x + \frac{x}{2(1+x^2)}$	2
	$r=3 \rightarrow I_3 = \frac{3}{4} I_2 + \frac{x}{4(1+x^2)^2}$	
	$= \boxed{\frac{3}{8}\tan^{-1}x + \frac{3x}{8(1+x^2)} + \frac{x}{4(1+x^2)^2} + c}$	2 } 7 for part (iii)
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(i) a) $|z| = \sqrt{x^2+y^2}$ — 2

b) $Arg(z)$ = direction of the vector from the origin to z, measured in radians, anticlockwise from the positive horizontal axis. — 2

} 4 for (i)

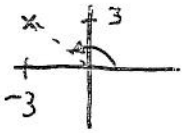
(ii) a) $z = -3i$, $|z| =$, $Arg(z) = -\pi/2$, z $(\cos(-\pi/2) + i\sin(-\pi/2))$ — 2

b) $z = 4-4i$ $|z| = \sqrt{32}$, $Arg(z) = -\pi/4$, $z = \sqrt{32}(\cos(\frac{-\pi}{4}) + i\sin(-\pi/4))$ — 2

c) $z = -1$, $|z| = 1$, $Arg(z) = \pi$, $z = \cos\pi + i\sin\pi$ — 2

} 6 for (ii)

(iii) $z = -3+3i$, $|z| = \sqrt{18}$, $Arg(z) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$



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$z = \sqrt{18}(\cos\frac{3\pi}{4} + i\sin\frac{3\pi}{4})$

$z^4 = \sqrt{18}^4(\cos 3\pi + i\sin 3\pi)$ — 3

$= 324(\cos\pi + i\sin\pi)$

$= -324$

[N.B. EE students will not have a calculator so allow them to leave it as $-(18)^2$ (!)]

} 5 for (iii)

(iv) Write $z = x+iy$. then

$z - i = x + (y-1)i$

$z + i = x + (y+1)i$

So

$|z-i| = \sqrt{x^2+(y-1)^2}$ — 2

$|z+i| = \sqrt{x^2+(y+1)^2}$

So

$|z-i| > |z+i| \iff (y-1)^2 > (y+1)^2 \iff y < 0$ — 3

Then $|z-i| > |z+i|$ for all points in lower half plane.

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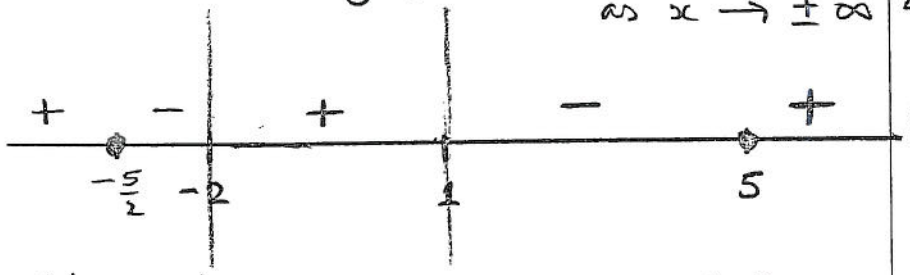
$$f(x) = \frac{(2x+5)(x-5)}{(x+2)(x-1)}$$ 2

(i) $x = -\frac{5}{2}$ and 5 2

(ii) vertical asymptotes $x = -2$ and 1 2

horizontal asymptote $f(x) \to 2$ as $x \to \pm\infty$ 2

(iii)



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(iv) $$f'(x) = \frac{(4x-5)(x^2+x-2) - (2x+1)(2x^2-5x-25)}{(x^2+x-2)^2}$$

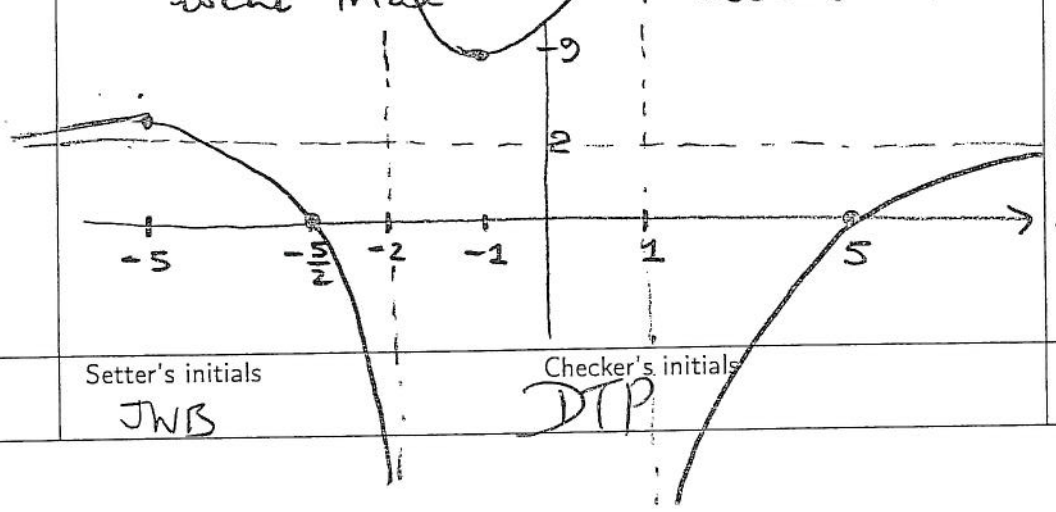
$f'(x) = 0 \iff (4x-5)(x^2+x-2) = (2x+1)(2x^2-5x-25)$

$\iff 4x^3 + 4x^2 - 8x - 5x^2 - 5x + 10 = 4x^3 - 10x^2 - 50x \quad 2x^2 - 5x - 25$

$\iff 7x^2 + 42x + 35 = 0 \iff x^2 + 6x + 5 = 0$

$x = -5$ or -1 3

$f(-5) = \frac{50}{18} = \frac{25}{9}$ local max $\quad f(-1) = \frac{-18}{-2} = 9$ local min 2



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(i) (a) Normals to the planes

$\underline{n}_1 = (3, 0, 6)$ 1

$\underline{n}_2 = (2, 2, -1)$ 1

$\underline{n}_1 \cdot \underline{n}_2 = (3,0,6)\cdot(2,2,-1) = 0$ 2

$\Rightarrow \underline{n}_1 \perp \underline{n}_2$ planes orthogonal.

(b) The vector $\underline{n}_1 \times \underline{n}_2$ is in the direction of the line of intersection

$$\underline{n}_1 \times \underline{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ 3 & 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = (-12, 15, 6)$$ 2

Normal to the required plane is in the direction of $\underline{n}_1 \times \underline{n}_2$.

Plane is

$$-12x + 15y + 6z = K \text{ , } k \text{ const.}$$

Plane passes through $(0,0,0) \Rightarrow K = 0$

$$-12x + 15y + 6z = 0$$ 2

is the required equation.

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(ii) Let the required vector be $\underline{a} = (a_1, a_2, a_3)$

$\underline{n} = (2, -1, -1)$ is normal to the plane, so $\underline{a}$ is parallel to the plane if $\underline{a} \cdot \underline{n} = 0$

$\Rightarrow \quad 2a_1 - a_2 - a_3 = 0 \quad -①$ 2

$\underline{a}$ is orthogonal to $\underline{i} + \underline{j} + \underline{k}$ if

$a_1 + a_2 + a_3 = 0 \quad -②$ 2

Solve ① & ② to find

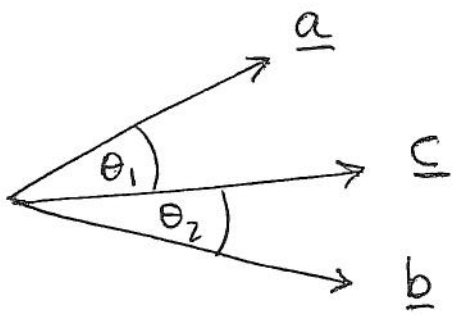
$a_1 = 0$

$a_2 = -a_3$

$\Rightarrow \underline{a} = t\,\underline{j} - t\,\underline{k}$ for any real t. 2

6 for (ii)

(iii)



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(iii) cont.

$$\underline{a} \cdot \underline{c} = |\underline{a}|\,|\underline{c}| \cos\theta_1 \qquad 1$$

$$\underline{b} \cdot \underline{c} = |\underline{b}|\,|\underline{c}| \cos\theta_2 \qquad 1$$

So $\theta_1 = \theta_2$ if $\dfrac{\underline{a}\cdot\underline{c}}{|\underline{a}|} = \dfrac{\underline{b}\cdot\underline{c}}{|\underline{b}|}$ 2

Verify this for $\underline{c} = |\underline{b}|\,\underline{a} + |\underline{a}|\,\underline{b}$

$$\frac{\underline{a}\cdot\underline{c}}{|\underline{a}|} = \frac{|\underline{b}|\,|\underline{a}|^2 + |\underline{a}|\,\underline{a}\cdot\underline{b}}{|\underline{a}|}$$

$$= |\underline{a}|\,|\underline{b}| + \underline{a}\cdot\underline{b} \qquad 1$$

$$\frac{\underline{b}\cdot\underline{c}}{|\underline{b}|} = \frac{|\underline{b}|^2|\underline{a}| + |\underline{b}|\,\underline{a}\cdot\underline{b}}{|\underline{b}|}$$

$$= |\underline{a}|\,|\underline{b}| + \underline{a}\cdot\underline{b} \qquad 1$$

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(i)

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 \\ 3 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ l_{21} & 1 & 0 \\ l_{31} & l_{32} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_{11} & u_{12} & u_{13} \\ 0 & u_{22} & u_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & u_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

<u>1st row</u>

$2 = u_{11}$ $\quad$ $\underline{u_{11} = 2}$

$-1 = u_{12}$ $\quad$ $\underline{u_{12} = -1}$

$1 = u_{13}$ $\quad$ $\underline{u_{13} = 1}$

<u>1st column</u>

$3 = l_{21} u_{11} \Rightarrow \underline{l_{21} = 3/2}$

$3 = l_{31} u_{11} \Rightarrow \underline{l_{31} = 3/2}$

<u>Element a_{22}</u>: $l_{21} u_{12} + u_{22} = 3 \Rightarrow \underline{u_{22} = 9/2}$

<u>Element a_{23}</u>: $9 = l_{21} u_{13} + u_{23} \Rightarrow \underline{u_{23} = \frac{15}{2}}$

<u>Element a_{32}</u>: $3 = l_{31} u_{12} + l_{32} u_{22} \Rightarrow \underline{l_{32} = 1}$

<u>Element a_{33}</u>: $5 = l_{31} u_{13} + l_{32} u_{23} + u_{33} \Rightarrow$

$\underline{u_{33} = -4}$

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(i) cont.

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3/2 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad U = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 0 & 9/2 & 15/2 \\ 0 & 0 & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

(Any valid method to get L & U is acceptable)

8 for part (i)

(ii)

$$L^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ l_1 & 1 & 0 \\ l_2 & l_3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \qquad LL^{-1} = I$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad \frac{3}{2} + l_1 = 0 \Rightarrow l_1 = -3/2$$

$$\frac{3}{2} + l_1 + l_2 = 0 \Rightarrow l_2 = 0$$

$$1 + l_3 = 0 \Rightarrow l_3 = -1$$

$$L^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -3/2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$U^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & u_1 & u_2 \\ 0 & 2/9 & u_3 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Since $UU^{-1} = I$ we get

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(ii) cont

$$\left.\begin{aligned} 2u_1 - \tfrac{2}{9} &= 0 \\ 2u_2 - u_3 - \tfrac{1}{4} &= 0 \\ \tfrac{9}{2}u_3 - \tfrac{15}{8} &= 0 \end{aligned}\right\} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} u_1 &= 1/9 \\ u_2 &= 1/3 \\ u_3 &= 5/12 \end{aligned}$$

$$U^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/2 & 1/9 & 1/3 \\ 0 & 2/9 & 5/12 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$ 3

$$A = LU \Rightarrow A^{-1} = U^{-1}L^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 & -2/9 & 1/3 \\ -1/3 & -7/36 & 5/12 \\ 0 & 1/4 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix}$$ 2

[8 for part (ii)]

(iii)

$$\underline{x} = A^{-1}\underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 1/3 & -2/9 & 1/3 \\ -1/3 & -7/36 & 5/12 \\ 0 & 1/4 & -1/4 \end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4/9 \\ -1/9 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$ 4

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(i) $Q(x,y)\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x,y) = 0$ exact

if and only if $P_y = Q_x$

$P = x - xy^2$, $Q = 6y - x^2y \Rightarrow P_y = -2xy = Q_x$ 4

$\therefore$ exact, solution $u(x,y)=0$ s.t. $u_x = P$, $u_y = Q$

$u_x = x - xy^2 \Rightarrow u(x,y) = \frac{1}{2}x^2(1-y^2) + g(y)$

$u_y = -x^2y + g'(y) = 6y - x^2y \Rightarrow g'(y) = 6y$.

$\Rightarrow g(y) = 3y^2 + c \Rightarrow u(x,y) = \frac{1}{2}x^2(1-y^2) + 3y^2 + c$ 3

$y(2) = -2 \Rightarrow 2(-3) + 12 + c = 0 \Rightarrow c = -6$

$\therefore x^2(1-y^2) + 6y^2 = 12 \Rightarrow y(x) = -\left(\frac{12-x^2}{6-x^2}\right)^{1/2}$ 2

valid if $x^2 < 6$ i.e. $-\sqrt{6} < x < \sqrt{6}$. 2

11 for (i)

(ii) $y' - \frac{2}{x+1}y = (x+1)^2$

I.F. $e^{-\int \frac{2}{x+1}dx} = e^{-2\ln(x+1)} = (x+1)^{-2}$ 4

$\therefore (x+1)^{-2}y' - 2(x+1)^{-3} = 1$

$\Rightarrow ((x+1)^{-2}y)' = 1$ 2

$\Rightarrow (x+1)^{-2}y = x + c$

$\Rightarrow y(x) = (x+c)(x+1)^2$ 2

$y(-3) = 4(c-3) = 1 \Rightarrow c = \frac{13}{4}$

$y(x) = (x + \frac{13}{4})(x+1)^2$. 1

9 for (ii)

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(i) $\lambda^2 - 3\lambda + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow (\lambda-2)(\lambda-1) = 0$

$\Rightarrow y_{CF}(x) = Ae^{2x} + Be^{x}$ — 3

$f_1(x) = 3e^{2x} \Rightarrow y_1(x) = Cxe^{2x}$ — 2

$y_1'(x) = C(1+2x)e^{2x}, \quad y_1''(x) = C(4+4x)e^{2x}$

$Ce^{2x}[(4+4x) - 3(1+2x) + 2x] = 3e^{2x} \Rightarrow C = 3$ — 2

$\therefore$ (i) $y(x) = Ae^{2x} + Be^{x} + 3xe^{2x}$

$y'(x) = 2Ae^{2x} + Be^{x} + 3(1+2x)e^{2x}$

$y(0) = A + B = 1, \quad y'(0) = 2A + B + 3 = 2 \Rightarrow A = -2, B = 3$ — 2

$\Rightarrow y(x) = 3e^{x} + (3x-2)e^{2x}$. ← Answer to (i)

9 for part (i)

(ii) $f_2(x) = \sin 2x \Rightarrow y_2(x) = D\sin 2x + E\cos 2x$ — 3

$y_2'(x) = 2D\cos 2x - 2E\sin 2x, \quad y_2''(x) = -4y_2(x) \Rightarrow$

$(-2D + 6E)\sin 2x + (-2E - 6D)\cos 2x = \sin 2x$

$\Rightarrow -2D + 6E = 1, \quad E = -3D \Rightarrow D = -\frac{1}{20}, \; E = \frac{3}{20}$ — 2

$\therefore$ (ii)

$y(x) = (A+3x)e^{2x} + Be^{x} + \frac{1}{20}[3\cos 2x - \sin 2x]$ — 2

$y'(x) = (2A+3+6x)e^{2x} + Be^{x} - \frac{1}{10}[3\sin 2x + \cos 2x]$

$y(0) = A + B + \frac{3}{20} = 1$

$y'(0) = (2A+3) + B - \frac{1}{10} = 2$

$\Rightarrow A + B = \frac{17}{20}, \quad 2A + B = -\frac{9}{10}$

$\Rightarrow A = -\frac{7}{4}, \quad B = \frac{13}{5}$

$\Rightarrow y(x) = \left(3x - \frac{7}{4}\right)e^{2x} + \frac{13}{5}e^{x} + \frac{1}{20}[3\cos 2x - \sin 2x]$ — 4

11 for part (ii)

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Parts	$z = \sin^{-1} x \Rightarrow \sin z = x \Rightarrow$	
	$\frac{d}{dz}(\sin z)\frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{dx}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{1}{\cos z} = (1-x^2)^{-1/2}.$	3
	$y(x) = \sin(\alpha \sin^{-1} x) \Rightarrow$	
	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \alpha \cos(\alpha \sin^{-1} x)(1-x^2)^{-1/2} \Rightarrow$	2
	$\frac{d}{dx}\left[(1-x^2)^{1/2}\frac{dy}{dx}\right] = -\alpha^2 \sin(\alpha \sin^{-1} x)(1-x^2)^{-1/2}$	
	$\therefore (1-x^2)^{1/2}\frac{d}{dx}\left[(1-x^2)^{1/2}\frac{dy}{dx}\right] = -\alpha^2 y$	3
	$\Rightarrow (1-x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x\frac{dy}{dx} + \alpha^2 y = 0.$	1
	$(1-x^2)\, y^{(n+2)}(x) + n\cdot(-2x)\, y^{(n+1)}(x) + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}(-2)\, y^{(n)}(x)$	
	$-x\, y^{n+1}(x) - n\, y^{(n)}(x) + \alpha^2 y^{(n)}(x) = 0$	
	$\Rightarrow \quad y^{(n+2)}(0) = (n^2 - \alpha^2)\, y^{(n)}(0)$ for $n \geq 0$	3
	$y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = \alpha \Rightarrow$	1
	$y^{(2r)}(0) = 0$ for all integers $r \geq 0$	1
	$y^{(2r+1)}(0) = ((2r-1)^2 - \alpha^2)\, y^{(2r-1)}(0)$	
	$= \alpha \prod_{k=1}^{r} ((2k-1)^2 - \alpha^2)$ for all integers $r \geq 1$	2
	[N.B. Not all depts may have seen this notation]	
	$y(x) = a_1 x + a_3 x^3 + \dots a_{2r+1} x^{2r+1} + \dots$	2
	$a_1 = \alpha, \quad a_{2r+1} = \alpha \prod_{k=1}^{r} ((2k-1)^2 - \alpha^2)/(2r+1)!$ $r \geq 1$	
	Radius of convergence $R^2 = \lim_{r\to\infty} \left\lvert \frac{a_{2r-1}}{a_{2r+1}} \right\rvert = 1$	2
	$\Rightarrow \lvert x \rvert < 1$	
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