

1999 NSW INDEPENDENT TRIAL EXAMS

MATHEMATICS

3 UNIT TRIAL 1999

SUGGESTED ANSWERS

1a. Possibilities are

1,5

2,5

3,5

4,5

5,1 5,2 (5,3) 5,4 5,5 5,6

6,5

Probability of total of 8 =  $\frac{2}{11}$

Let  $p$  = prob of supporting A =  $\frac{3}{10}$

$q$  = prob of supporting other =  $\frac{7}{10}$

$n$  = no. of A supporters

Then  $P(X=r) = {}^nC_r \left(\frac{3}{10}\right)^r \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^{7-r}$

$$+ P(X=4) = {}^7C_4 \left(\frac{3}{10}\right)^4 \left(\frac{7}{10}\right)^3$$

$$= 0.0972405$$

$$\approx 0.1$$

$$x = \frac{kx_2 + lx_1}{k+l}$$

$$y = \frac{ky_2 + ly_1}{k+l}$$

$$-1 = \frac{-3x_2 + 1 \times 3}{-3+1}$$

$$-4 = \frac{-3y_2 + 1 \times 2}{-3+1}$$

$$2 = -3x_2 + 3$$

$$8 = -3y_2 + 2$$

$$x_2 = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$y_2 = -2$$

$$\therefore B\left(\frac{1}{3}, -2\right)$$

$$d. \quad u = \cos x$$

$$du = -\sin x \cdot dx$$

$$\text{if } x = \pi_2, \quad u = 0$$

$$\text{if } x = \pi_3, \quad u = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore I = \int_{0.5}^0 -u^3 du$$

$$= \left[ \frac{u^4}{4} \right]_0^{0.5}$$

$$= \frac{0.5^4}{4} - 0 = \frac{1}{64}$$

$$e. \quad \int_0^{\pi/4} \cos^2 \frac{1}{2} x \cdot dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/4} 1 + \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ x + \sin x \right]_0^{\pi/4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$

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# MATHS 3U ANSWERS - 1999

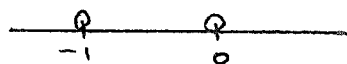
a.  $\frac{1}{x+1} \geq 1-x$

Critical points at  $x=-1$  and

$$\frac{1}{x+1} = 1-x$$

$$1 = 1-x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x=0$$



Test  $x=-2$  False

Test  $x=-\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow 2 \geq 1\frac{1}{2} \therefore$  True

$x=1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \geq 0 \therefore$  True

Solution:  $x > -1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } & \int_0^{2/5} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{16-25x^2}} \\ &= \int_0^{2/5} \frac{dx}{5\sqrt{\frac{16}{25}-x^2}} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left[ \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{4/5} \right]_0^{2/5} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left[ \sin^{-1} \frac{5x}{4} \right]_0^{2/5} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \left( \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} - \sin^{-1} 0 \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{30} \end{aligned}$$

c. (i)  $M(a(p+q), \frac{a(p^2+q^2)}{2})$

(ii)  $m_{pq} = \frac{p+q}{2} = k, \text{ a constant}$

Then, for the point M,

$$x = a(p+q)$$

$$= a \cdot 2k$$

$$x = 2ak$$

Since  $a$  and  $k$  are constant,  
the locus of M is a line parallel  
to the y-axis

d.  $\angle U = \angle V$  (given)

$$\angle UZX = \angle VZY \text{ (vertically opposite)}$$

Now  $\angle ZXW = \angle UZX + \angle U$  (exterior angle of triangle)

and  $\angle ZYW = \angle VZY + \angle V$  (ditto)

$\therefore \angle ZXW = \angle ZYW$  (equal to sum of equal angles)

In  $\triangle XZW$  &  $\triangle YZW$ ,

$ZW$  is common

$$\angle ZXW = \angle ZYW \text{ (above)}$$

$$\angle XWZ = \angle YWZ \text{ (given } ZW \text{ bisects } \angle YWX)$$

$$\therefore \triangle XZW \equiv \triangle YZW \text{ (AAS)}$$

$$\text{and } XW = YW$$

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$$3. (a) 2 - \frac{3}{x+2} = \frac{2(x+2) - 3}{x+2}$$

$$= \frac{2x+1}{x+2}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^1 \frac{2x+1}{x+2} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 2 - \frac{3}{x+2} dx$$

$$= [2x - 3 \ln(x+2)]_0^1$$

$$= (2 - 3 \ln 3) - (0 - 3 \ln 2)$$

$$= 2 + 3 \ln\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$b) \text{ Let } \cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x = A \cos(x+\theta)$$

$$= A \cos x \cos \theta - A \sin x \sin \theta$$

$$\text{then } A \cos \theta = 1$$

$$A \sin \theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \sqrt{3} \text{ and } \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{and } A = 2$$

$$\therefore 2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 1 = 0$$

$$\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$x + \frac{\pi}{3} = \dots, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}, \dots$$

$$x = \pi, \frac{4\pi}{3} \text{ in given domain}$$

$$(i) \text{ Let } f(x) = x \ln x - 1$$

$$f(1) = 1 \cdot \ln 1 - 1 < 0$$

$$f(2) = 2 \ln 2 - 1 > 0$$

$\therefore$  a solution exists between  $x=1$  &  $x=2$  (assuming  $f(x)$  is continuous)

$$(a) f'(x) = x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \ln x = \ln x + 1$$

By Newton's method,

$$x_1 = x - \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)}$$

$$= x - \frac{x \ln x - 1}{\ln x + 1}$$

$$\text{if } x=2, x_1 = 2 - \frac{2 \ln 2 - 1}{\ln 2 + 1}$$

$$= +1.77184832$$

$$= 1.8$$

$$(d) (i) \text{ Total no. of possible teams}$$

$$= {}^7C_2 \times {}^5C_2 = 210$$

Teams with a particular woman

$$= {}^6C_1 \times {}^5C_2 = 60$$

$\therefore$  Probability of a particular woman

$$= \frac{60}{210} = \frac{2}{7}$$

(ii) Captain is specified, so the number of possible teams is  ${}^4C_1 \times {}^7C_2 = 84$

No. of teams with his brother is  ${}^7C_2 = 21$

$\therefore$  Probability of captain and brother

$$= \frac{21}{84} = \frac{1}{4}$$

OR with the captain as specified, the probability that his brother is chosen from the remaining four men is  $\frac{1}{4}$

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14(a)  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2ky + 3k = 0$

Completing the squares  $\therefore$

$$(x-3)^2 + (y+k)^2 = k^2 - 3k + 9$$

If the centre  $(3, -k)$  is on the line  $x - 3y = 0$ , then

$$3 - 3(-k) = 0 \Rightarrow k = -1$$

$$\therefore C_1: (x-3)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 13$$

If  $C_2$  touches the  $x$ -axis, the radius is  $k$

$$\therefore \sqrt{k^2 - 3k + 9} = k$$

$$k^2 - 3k + 9 = k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow k = 3$$

$$\therefore C_2: (x-3)^2 + (y+3)^2 = 9$$

b)(i)  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) = 2x^3 + 2x$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v^2 = \frac{1}{2} x^4 + x^2 + C$$

f  $v=2, x=1$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2^2 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 + 1 + C \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v^2 = \frac{1}{2} x^4 + x^2 + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$v^2 = x^4 + 2x^2 + 1$$

$$v^2 = (x^2 + 1)^2$$

$\therefore$  so  $v = \pm (x^2 + 1)$

but  $v=2 (>0)$  when  $x=1$

$$\therefore v = + (x^2 + 1)$$

$$\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{x^2 + 1}$$

$$\text{so } t = \tan^{-1} x + C$$

New  $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$  when  $t=0$

$$\therefore C = -\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{so } t = \tan^{-1} x - \frac{\pi}{6}$$

when  $x = \sqrt{3}, t = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

(c) Let  $S(n): 5^{2n} - 1 = 6I$ , where  $I$  is an integer.

$$S(1): \text{LHS} = 5^2 - 1 = 24 = 6 \times 4$$

$\therefore S(1)$  is true

Assume  $S(k): 5^{2k} - 1 = 6I$  ( $I$ , integer)

Consider  $S(k+1)$ :

$$\text{LHS} = 5^{2k+2} - 1$$

$$= 5^{2k} \cdot 5^2 - 1$$

$$= 25(5^{2k} - 1) - 1 + 25$$

$$= 25 \cdot 6I + 24 \text{ by } S(k)$$

$$= 6[25I + 4]$$

Now  $I$  is integer,  $\therefore 25I + 4$  is integer.

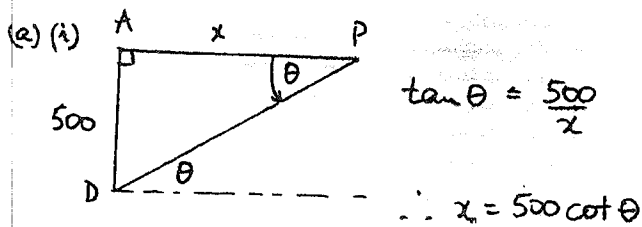
Hence, if  $S(k)$  is true,  $S(k+1)$  is true

But  $S(1)$  is true, so  $S(2)$  is true,

and then  $S(3)$  is true and so on

for all integer values of  $n$ .

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$$\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -500 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta$$

(ii)  $\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{d\theta}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt}$

$$= \frac{1}{-500 \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta} \times 20$$

$$= -\frac{1}{25} \sin^2 \theta$$

ii) At 9:01,  $t=60$ ,  $x=1200$

Then  $PD=1300$  (Pythagoras' Theorem)

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{500}{1300} = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{1}{25} \times \left(\frac{5}{13}\right)^2$$

$$= -\frac{1}{169} \text{ degrees/sec.}$$

(i)  $\ddot{x} = 0$        $\ddot{y} = -10$

$$\dot{x} = c_1$$

$$\dot{y} = -10t + c_2$$

Initially  $\dot{x} = 50 \cos \alpha$        $\therefore \dot{x} = 50 \cos \alpha$

and  $\dot{y} = 50 \sin \alpha$        $\therefore \dot{y} = -10t + 50 \sin \alpha$

$$x = 50t \cos \alpha + c_3$$

$$y = -5t^2 + 50t \sin \alpha + c_4$$

Since  $x=0$  when  $t=0$ , and  $y=0$  when  $t=0$

$$c_3 = 0$$

$$c_4 = 0$$

$$x = 50t \cos \alpha$$

$$\therefore y = -5t^2 + 50t \sin \alpha$$

When  $x=150$ ,  $150 = 50t \cos \alpha$

$$\therefore 3 = t \cos \alpha \quad \dots (1)$$

When  $y=0$ ,  $0 = -5t^2 + 50t \sin \alpha$

$$= -5t(t - 10 \sin \alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 10 \sin \alpha \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) + (2):

$$3 = 10 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$

$$= 5 \sin 2\alpha$$

$$\therefore \sin 2\alpha = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$2\alpha = 36^\circ 52', 143^\circ 08'$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 18^\circ 26' \text{ or } 71^\circ 29'$$

(ii)  $\ddot{x} = 0$        $\ddot{y} = -10$

$$\dot{x} = c_1$$

$$\dot{y} = -10t + c_2$$

Initially,  $\dot{x} = 55 \cos \alpha$ ,  $\dot{y} = 55 \sin \alpha$

$$\therefore \dot{x} = 55 \cos \alpha$$

$$\dot{y} = -10t + 55 \sin \alpha$$

$$\dot{x} = 55$$

$$\dot{y} = -10t \text{ since } \alpha = 0$$

Then  $x = 55t + c_3$        $y = -5t^2 + c_4$

When  $t=0$ ,  $x=0$  and  $y=30$

$$\Rightarrow c_3 = 0$$

$$c_4 = 30$$

$$\therefore x = 55t$$

$$y = -5t^2 + 30$$

Now when  $y=0$ ,  $-5t^2 + 30 = 0$

$$\therefore t^2 = 6$$

$$t = \sqrt{6}$$

At  $t = \sqrt{6}$ ,  $x = 55\sqrt{6}$

$$\approx 135 \text{ m}$$

$\therefore$  Group B cannot reach the target

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad x &= 2 \sin t - 3 \cos t \\ \dot{x} &= 2 \cos t + 3 \sin t \\ \ddot{x} &= -2 \sin t + 3 \cos t \\ &= -(2 \sin t + 3 \cos t) \\ &= -x \end{aligned}$$

∴ motion is simple harmonic.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Amplitude} &= \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2} \\ &= \sqrt{13} \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= 2 \cos t + 3 \sin t \\ \ddot{x} &= -2 \sin t + 3 \cos t \end{aligned}$$

Max velocity when  $\ddot{x} = 0$

$$-2 \sin t + 3 \cos t = 0$$

$$3 \cos t = 2 \sin t$$

$$\frac{3}{2} = \tan t$$

$$t = 0.983, 4.1243 \dots \text{etc}$$

∴ reaches maximum velocity when  $t = 0.983$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad T &= T_0 + Ae^{kt} \\ \frac{dT}{dt} &= k \cdot Ae^{kt} \\ &= k(T - T_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \text{When } t=0, T=95, T_0=-10$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 105$$

$$\text{When } t=5, T=65$$

$$\therefore 65 = -10 + 105e^{5k}$$

$$e^{5k} = \frac{75}{105} = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\ln e^{5k} = \ln \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{1}{5} \ln \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad \text{When } t=0, T_0=26 + T=65$$

$$\therefore 65 = 26 + Be^{k \cdot 0}$$

$$\therefore B = 39$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore, at } t=5, \\ T &= 26 + 39e^{5k} \text{ with } k = \frac{1}{5} \ln \frac{5}{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{so } T = 53.86^\circ$$

$$= 54^\circ \text{ (to the nearest degree)}$$

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$$7(a) \left(3x - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^6 = \sum_{r=0}^6 {}^6C_r (3x)^{6-r} \left(-\frac{1}{x^2}\right)^r$$

Typical term,  $T_r$ , is

$$\begin{aligned} T_r &= {}^6C_r 3^{6-r} x^{6-r} (-1)^r (x^{-2})^r \\ &= {}^6C_r 3^{6-r} (-1)^r x^{6-3r} \end{aligned}$$

Constant term when  $6-3r=0$

$$r=2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } T_2 &= {}^6C_2 3^4 (-1)^2 \\ &= 1215 \end{aligned}$$

$$8(i) x^4 + x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4 \times 1 \times -1}}{2}$$

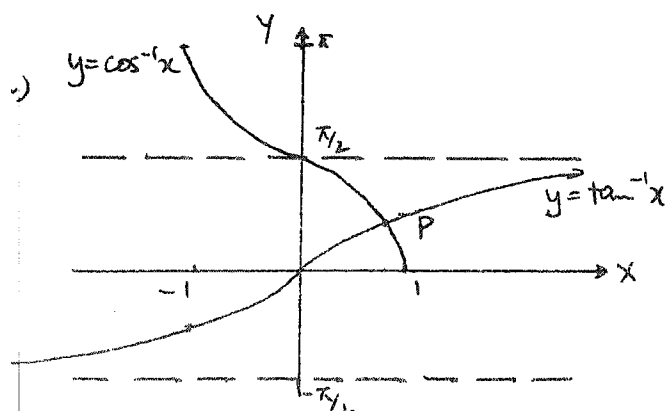
$$= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\therefore x^2 = \frac{-1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \text{ or } \frac{-1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$x^2 = 0.618033988$$

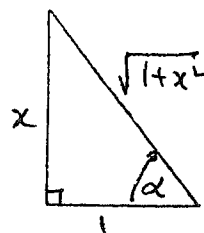
$$x = \pm 0.786151377$$

$$= \pm 0.79$$



$$8(iii) \text{ let } \tan^{-1}x = \alpha$$

$$\therefore x = \tan \alpha$$



$$\text{At P, } \cos^{-1}x = \tan^{-1}x = \alpha$$

$$\therefore \text{at P } \cos^{-1}x = \alpha \text{ and } x = \cos \alpha$$

$$\text{But } \cos \alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} \quad (\text{from diagram})$$

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

$$\text{Squaring, } x^2 = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

$$+ x^4 + x^2 = 1$$

$$x^4 + x^2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0.79 \quad (\text{from (i)})$$

$$\text{and } y = \tan^{-1} 0.79 = 0.6686$$

$$\text{So } P(0.79, 0.67)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 8(w) A &= \int_0^{0.67} \tan y \, dy + \int_{0.67}^{\pi/2} \cos y \, dy \\ &= [-\ln |\cos y|]_0^{0.67} + [\sin y]_{0.67}^{\pi/2} \\ &= -\ln |\cos 0.67| + \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin 0.67 \\ &= 0.62258 \\ &= 0.62 \quad (\text{to 2-decimal places}) \end{aligned}$$