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| 1 | <p>Let P_n be the statement</p> $a + ar^1 + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-1} = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$ <p>Step 1: Prove that P_1 is true. When $n = 1$, LHS = a RHS = $a(1-r)/(1-r) = a = \text{LHS}$ Hence, P_1 is true.</p> <p>Step 2: Assume that P_n is true for an arbitrary $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.</p> $P_n : a + ar^1 + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-1} = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$ <p>Step 3: Prove that P_{n+1} is true</p> $P_{n+1}: a + ar^1 + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-1} + ar^n = \frac{a(1-r^{n+1})}{1-r}$ $\begin{aligned} LHS &= a + ar^1 + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-1} + ar^n \\ &= \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r} + ar^n \\ &= \frac{a(1-r^n) + ar^n(1-r)}{1-r} \\ &= \frac{a - ar^n + ar^n - ar^{n+1}}{1-r} \\ &= \frac{a(1-r^{n+1})}{1-r} = RHS \end{aligned}$ <p>Hence P_n is true implies P_{n+1} is true. Since P_1 is true, it follows by the principle of mathematical induction that P_n is true for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.</p> |

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| 2(a) (i) | $u = x^3 + 1$ $\frac{du}{3} = x^2 dx$ $x^3 = u - 1$ $u = x^3 + 1$ $x = 0, u = 1$ $x = 1, u = 2$ |

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| (ii) | $A = \int_1^2 (u-1) \ln(u) \frac{du}{3}$ $= \frac{1}{3} \int_1^2 (u-1) \ln(u) du$ |
| 2(b) | $A = \frac{1}{3} \int_1^2 (u-1) \ln u \, du$ $= \frac{1}{3} \left[\left(\left(\frac{u^2}{2} - u \right) \ln u \right)_1^2 - \int_1^2 \left(\frac{u}{2} - 1 \right) du \right]$ $= \frac{1}{3} \left(\left(\frac{u^2}{2} - u \right) \ln u - \frac{u^2}{4} + u \right)_1^2$ $= \frac{1}{3} \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} \right) = \frac{1}{12}$ $u = 2^x + 1 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{\ln 2} = 2^x dx$ $\int \frac{2^x}{(2^x + 1)^2} dx = \frac{1}{\ln 2} \int \frac{1}{u^2} du$ $= \frac{1}{\ln 2} \frac{u^{-1}}{-1} + C$ $= -\frac{1}{\ln 2 (2^x + 1)} + C$ |

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| 3a(i) | $2 - e^{-x} = x$ |
| (ii) | $\int_0^a (2 - e^{-x} - x) dx$ |
| (iii) | $\int_0^a (2 - e^{-x} - x) dx$ $= \left[2x + e^{-x} - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^a$ $= 2a + \frac{1}{e^a} - \frac{a^2}{2} - 1$ |

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| 3(b) | $\int_0^6 \pi \left(\frac{x}{12} \sqrt{36 - x^2} \right)^2 dx$ $= \int_0^6 \pi \frac{x^2}{144} (36 - x^2) dx$ $= \pi \left[\frac{36}{144 \times 3} x^3 - \frac{x^5}{144 \times 5} \right]_0^6$ $= \pi \left(\frac{36}{144 \times 3} 6^3 - \frac{6^5}{144 \times 5} \right)$ $= \pi \left(18 - \frac{54}{5} \right)$ $= 7.2\pi = 22.6 \text{ unit}^3$ |

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| 4a | |
| (i) | $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 2\underline{k}$ $ \overrightarrow{PQ} = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$ |
| (ii) | $\widehat{\overrightarrow{PQ}} = \frac{1}{ \overrightarrow{PQ} } \overrightarrow{PQ} = \frac{1}{3}(\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 2\underline{k})$ |
| (iii) | $\overrightarrow{F_1} = 9\widehat{\overrightarrow{PQ}} = 9\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)(\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 2\underline{k})$ $= 3(\underline{i} + 2\underline{j} + 2\underline{k}) = (3\underline{i} + 6\underline{j} + 6\underline{k}) \text{ N}$ <p>Total Work Done</p> $= (\overrightarrow{F_1} + \overrightarrow{F_2}) \cdot \overrightarrow{PQ}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 3+a \\ 15+6 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 51$ $3 + a + 42 + 12 = 51$ <p>Hence, $a = -6$</p> |

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| 4(b) | <p>$P(1, -2, 4)$ and $Q(3, 2, 10)$</p> $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \overrightarrow{OQ} - \overrightarrow{OP}$ $= (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}) - (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k})$ $= 2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k}$ $L: \mathbf{r} = (\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}) + \lambda(2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k})$ $x = 1 + 2\lambda \dots (1)$ $y = -2 + 4\lambda \dots (2)$ $z = 4 + 6\lambda \dots (3)$ <p>Or</p> $L: \mathbf{r} = (3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 10\mathbf{k}) + \lambda(2\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} + 6\mathbf{k})$ $x = 3 + 2\lambda$ $y = 2 + 4\lambda$ $z = 10 + 6\lambda$ $4 = 1 + 2\lambda \dots (1)$ $4 = -2 + 4\lambda \dots (2)$ $13 = 4 + 6\lambda \dots (3)$ <p>Subst $Q(4, 4, 13)$ into (1), (2) and (3) give the same $\lambda = \frac{3}{2}$</p> <p>Hence Q lies on the given line.</p> |

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| 5(a) | $L_1: \mathbf{r} = (\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}) + \lambda(\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k})$ $\overrightarrow{OP} = 4\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$ <p>From the equation of line L1, the point Q(1, 2, 3) also lies on the plane. Hence, \overrightarrow{PQ} is a vector which is // to the plane:</p> $\overrightarrow{PQ} = \overrightarrow{OQ} - \overrightarrow{OP}$ $= \langle 1, 2, 3 \rangle - \langle 4, -4, 3 \rangle$ $= -3\mathbf{i} + 6\mathbf{j}$ |

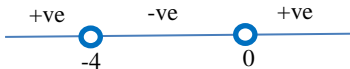
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| | <p>To find a normal to the plane:</p> $\begin{aligned} &\overrightarrow{PQ} \times (\underline{i} + 4\underline{j} - 2\underline{k}) \\ &= (-3\underline{i} + 6\underline{j}) \times (\underline{i} + 4\underline{j} - 2\underline{k}) \\ &= (-12 - 0)\underline{i} - (6 - 0)\underline{j} + (-12 - 6)\underline{k} \\ &= -12\underline{i} - 6\underline{j} - 18\underline{k} \\ &= -6(2\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 3\underline{k}) \end{aligned}$ <p>Hence, a normal vector to the plane</p> $\underline{n} = 2\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 3\underline{k}$ <p>(b) Hence, equation of the plane</p> $2(x-4) + 1(y+4) + 3(z-3) = 0$ $2x + y + 3z = 13$ <p>(c) $L_2: \underline{r} = (\underline{i} + 4\underline{j} + 3\underline{k}) + \mu(\underline{i} + 3\underline{j} - 2\underline{k})$</p> $\begin{aligned} x &= 1 + \mu \\ y &= 4 + 3\mu \\ z &= 3 - 2\mu \end{aligned}$ $2x + y + 3z = 13$ $\begin{aligned} 2(1 + \mu) + (4 + 3\mu) + 3(3 - 2\mu) &= 13 \\ 2 + 2\mu + 4 + 3\mu + 9 - 6\mu &= 13 \\ \mu &= 2 \end{aligned}$ $\begin{aligned} x &= 1 + 2 = 3 \\ y &= 4 + 3(2) = 10 \\ z &= 3 - 2(2) = -1 \end{aligned}$ <p>Hence, plane π intersects L_2 at $(3, 10, -1)$</p> |
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| 6(a) | $x^2 + 4x = 0 \Rightarrow x(x + 4) = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } -4$  <p>$\therefore x < -4 \text{ or } x > 0$</p> $\begin{aligned} x^2 + 4x &= 6x + 3 \Rightarrow x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow (x + 1)(x - 3) &= 0 \Rightarrow x = -1 \text{ or } 3 \end{aligned}$ <p>$\therefore x < -1 \text{ or } x > 3$ when $x = 0, (x + 1)(x - 3) < 0$</p> |

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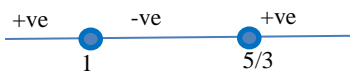
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| (b) | <div data-bbox="287 398 638 448"> </div> <p>$\therefore -1 \leq x \leq 3$</p> <p>Hence, for $0 < x^2 + 4x$ and $x^2 + 4x \leq 6x + 3$ $0 < x \leq 3$</p> <div data-bbox="255 672 829 1209"> </div> <p>Find coordinate of intersection point:</p> $2x - 3 = -(x - 2)$ $3x = 5$ $x = \frac{5}{3}$ $-(2x - 3) = -(x - 2)$ $-2x + 3 = -x + 2$ $x = 1$ <p>From the graph, for the y values of the red line to be \geq than the blue line (i.e. $x - 2 \geq 2x - 3$) then</p> $1 \leq x \leq \frac{5}{3}$ |

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| | <p>OR (solve the inequality)</p> $ x - 2 \geq 2x - 3 \Rightarrow (x - 2)^2 \geq (2x - 3)^2$ $x^2 - 4x + 4 - 4x^2 + 12x - 9 \geq 0 \Rightarrow 3x^2 - 8x + 5 \leq 0$ $\Rightarrow (x - 1)(3x - 5) \leq 0$ <p> when $x = 0, (x - 1)(3x - 5) > 0$</p> $\therefore 1 \leq x \leq \frac{5}{3}$ |