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Paper
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Mathematical Formulae and Statistical Tables (Green), calculator

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Information

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- There are 10 questions in this question paper. The total mark for this paper is 80.
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- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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1.

$$\begin{pmatrix} x & 9 \\ y & z \end{pmatrix} - 3 \begin{pmatrix} z & y \\ z & y \end{pmatrix} = k\mathbf{I}$$

where x , y , z and k are constants.

Determine the value of x , the value of y and the value of z .

(4)

$$1. \quad \begin{bmatrix} x & 9 \\ y & z \end{bmatrix} - 3 \begin{bmatrix} z & y \\ z & y \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

2 x 2
Identity Matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} x-3z & 9-3y \\ y-3z & z-3y \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x - 3z = k$$

$$9 - 3y = 0$$

$$y = 3$$

$$y - 3z = 0$$

$$y = 3z$$

$$z - 3y = k$$

$$y = 3 = 3z$$

$$z = 1$$

$$z - 3y = k$$

$$1 - 3(3) = k = -8$$

$$x - 3z = x - 3(1) = -8$$

$$x = -5$$

$$x = -5 \quad y = 3 \quad z = 1$$



2. $f(z) = z^3 + az^2 + bz + 175$ where a and b are real constants

Given that $-3 + 4i$ is a root of the equation $f(z) = 0$

- (a) determine the value of a and the value of b . (4)
- (b) Show all the roots of the equation $f(z) = 0$ on a single Argand diagram. (2)
- (c) Write down the roots of the equation $f(z + 2) = 0$ (1)

2. a) Given that $-3 + 4i$ is a root, because $f(z)$ is a polynomial with real coefficients, the complex conjugate $-3 - 4i$ would also be a root.

METHOD 1 (expand brackets & compare coefficients):

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(z) &= (z - (-3 + 4i))(z - (-3 - 4i))(z + r) \\ \therefore f(z) &= (z^2 + 6z + 25)(z + r) && \uparrow \text{3rd root must be real, because there is already a complex conjugate pair} \\ &= (z^3 + rz^2 + 6z^2 + 6rz + 25z + 25r) \\ &= z^3 + (6+r)z^2 + (6r+25)z + 25r = z^3 + az^2 + bz + 175 \end{aligned}$$

$$25r = 175$$

$$r = 7$$

$$6+r = 6+7 = a$$

$$a = 13$$

$$6r+25 = 6(7)+25 = b$$

$$b = 67$$

METHOD 2 (using product/sum rules for polynomials):

We know that $f(z)$ has roots $-3 + 4i$, $-3 - 4i$, r ↙ real root

$$az^3 + bz^2 + cz + d = 0$$

$$-\frac{d}{a} = \text{product of all 3 roots} = (-3+4i)(-3-4i)(r) = -175$$



Question 2 continued

$$(25)r = -175$$

$$r = -7$$

\therefore 3 roots are $-3+4i, -3-4i, -7$

$$z^3 + az^2 + bz + 175 = 0$$

$$-a = \alpha + \beta + \gamma$$

$$b = \alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \alpha\gamma$$

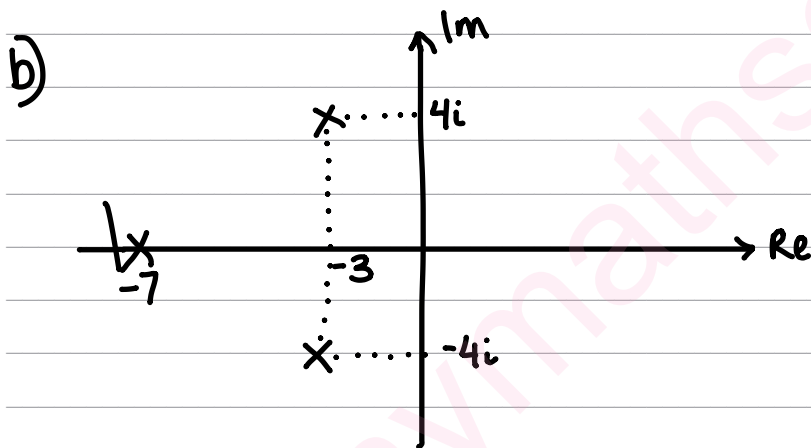
$$-a = -3+4i - 3-4i - 7 = -13$$

$$b = (-3+4i)(-3-4i) + (-3-4i)(-7) + (-3+4i)(-7)$$

$$a = 13$$

$$b = 25 + 21 + 28i + 21 - 28i$$

$$b = 67$$



$$c) f(z+2) = 0$$

$$f(z) = -2 \quad \leftarrow \text{subtract 2 from each root of } f(z)$$

\therefore the roots are

$$-5+4i, -5-4i, -9$$



3.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Describe fully the single geometric transformation A represented by the matrix A . (2)

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The transformation B is represented by the matrix B .

The transformation A followed by the transformation B is the transformation C , which is represented by the matrix C .

To determine matrix C , a student attempts the following matrix multiplication.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (b) State the error made by the student. (1)
- (c) Determine the correct matrix C . (1)

3.a) Rotation of 30° about the x -axis

b) because C is Matrix A followed by Matrix B

Transformation X followed by Y is represented by the matrix YX

$$C = BA \quad \text{not} \quad AB$$



Question 3 continued

$$c) \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt{3}/2 & -1/2 \\ 0 & 1/2 & \sqrt{3}/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1(1) + 3(0) + 0(0) & 1(0) + 3(\sqrt{3}/2) + 0(1/2) & 1(0) + 3(-1/2) + 0(\sqrt{3}/2) \\ \sqrt{3}(1) + 0(0) + 5\sqrt{3}(0) & \sqrt{3}(0) + 0(\sqrt{3}/2) + 5\sqrt{3}(1/2) & \sqrt{3}(0) + 0(-1/2) + 5\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}/2) \\ 1(1) + 2(0) + 0(0) & 1(0) + 2(\sqrt{3}/2) + 0(1/2) & 1(0) + 2(-1/2) + 0(\sqrt{3}/2) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3\sqrt{3}/2 & -3/2 \\ \sqrt{3} & 5\sqrt{3}/2 & 15/2 \\ 1 & \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(Total for Question 3 is 4 marks)



4. (i) (a) Show that

$$\frac{2+3i}{5+i} = k(1+i)$$

where k is a constant to be determined.

(Solutions relying on calculator technology are not acceptable.)

(3)

Given that

- n is a positive integer
- $\left(\frac{2+3i}{5+i}\right)^n$ is a real number

(b) use the answer to part (a) to write down the smallest possible value of n .

(1)

(ii) The complex number $z = a + bi$ where a and b are real constants.

Given that

- $|z^{10}| = 59049$
- $\arg(z^{10}) = -\frac{5\pi}{3}$

determine the value of a and the value of b .

(4)

$$4.(i)a) \quad \frac{2+3i \times (5-i)}{5+i \times (5-i)} = \frac{(2+3i)(5-i)}{(5+i)(5-i)}$$

$$= \frac{10 - 2i + 15i - 3i^2}{25 + 5i - 5i - i^2}$$

$$= \frac{13 + 13i}{26} = \frac{1+i}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(1+i)$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$b) \quad \left(\frac{2+3i}{5+i}\right)^n = \left(\frac{1+i}{2}\right)^n$$



Question 4 continued

$$\left(\frac{1+i}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{2i}{4} \quad \times \text{ not real}$$

$$\left(\frac{1+i}{2}\right)^3 = \frac{-2+2i}{8} \quad \times \text{ not real}$$

$$\left(\frac{1+i}{2}\right)^4 = \frac{-4}{16} = -\frac{1}{4} \quad \checkmark \text{ real}$$

$$\therefore n = 4$$

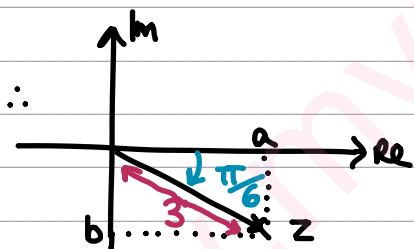
$$(ii) \quad |z^{10}| = 59049 \quad |z^n| = |z|^n$$

$$\sqrt[10]{59049} = 3 \quad \arg(z^n) = n \arg(z)$$

$$\therefore |z| = 3$$

$$\arg(z^{10}) = 10 \arg(z) = -\frac{5\pi}{3}$$

$$\arg(z) = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$



$$a = 3 \cos \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$b = -\left(3 \sin \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} - \frac{3}{2}i$$



5.

In this question you must show all stages of your working.

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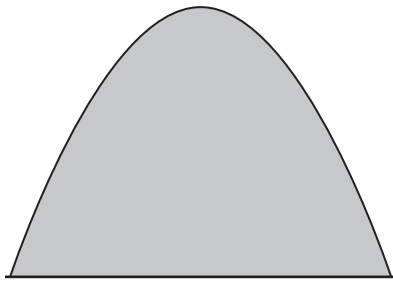


Figure 1

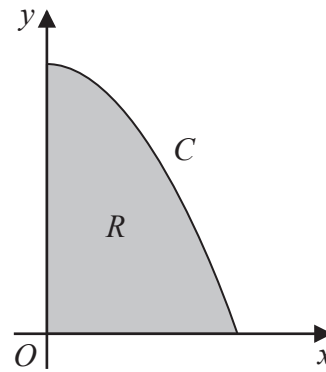


Figure 2

A large pile of concrete waste is created on a building site.

Figure 1 shows a central vertical cross-section of the concrete waste.

The curve C , shown in Figure 2, has equation

$$y + x^2 = 2 \quad 0 \leq x \leq \sqrt{2}$$

The region R , shown shaded in Figure 2, is bounded by the y -axis, the x -axis and the curve C .

The volume of concrete waste is modelled by the volume of revolution formed when R is rotated through 360° about the y -axis. The units are metres.

The density of the concrete waste is 900 kg m^{-3}

(a) Use the model to estimate the mass of the concrete waste. Give your answer to 2 significant figures.

(6)

(b) Give a limitation of the model.

(1)

The mass of the concrete waste is approximately 5500 kg.

(c) Use this information and your answer to part (a) to evaluate the model, giving a reason for your answer.

(1)

$$5. a) \text{ Mass} = \text{Density} \times \text{Volume}$$

$$\uparrow \\ 900 \text{ kg m}^{-3}$$

$$V = \pi \int_a^b x^2 dy$$

about y-axis



Question 5 continued

$$y + x^2 = 2$$

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

$$V = \pi \int_0^2 \left((2 - y)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right)^2 dy$$

$$= \pi \int_0^2 2 - y \, dy$$

$$= \pi \left[2y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_0^2$$

$$= \pi \left(2(2) - \frac{(2)^2}{2} \right) = 2\pi$$

$$\text{Mass} = 900 \times 2\pi$$

$$= 5654.9 \text{ kg}$$

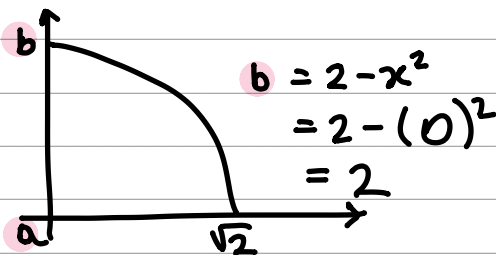
$$\therefore = 5700 \text{ kg (2 s.f.)}$$

b) The surface won't be smooth (may have bumps)

- The pile may not exactly follow the shape of the curve

c) The difference between the model (5700 kg) & the actual mass (5500 kg) is very big (200 kg),

so not a good model.



6. The line l_1 has equation $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ where λ is a scalar parameter.

The line l_2 is parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

(a) Show that l_1 and l_2 are perpendicular. (2)

The plane Π contains the line l_1 and is perpendicular to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) Determine a Cartesian equation of Π (2)

(c) Verify that the point $A(3, 1, 1)$ lies on Π (1)

Given that

- the point of intersection of Π and l_2 has coordinates $(2, 3, 2)$
- the point $B(p, q, r)$ lies on l_2
- the distance AB is $2\sqrt{5}$
- p, q and r are positive integers

(d) determine the coordinates of B . (6)

6. a) if vectors $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$, they're perpendicular

To show l_1 & l_2 are perpendicular, calculate dot product of the direction vectors of l_1 & l_2

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = 3(1) + 0(2) + 1(-3) = 0$$

b) Equation of a plane : $\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{n} = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{n}$

point on the plane
↓
↑
↑
normal to the plane



Question 6 continued

The normal to the plane is $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

↓ because L_1 is on the plane, we can use the position vector from L_1

$$r \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$r \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = (-2)(1) + (2)(2) + (0)(-3) = 2$$

$$x + 2y - 3z = 2$$

c) To check if A is on Π , plug into equation

$$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = (3)(1) + (1)(2) + (1)(-3) = 2$$

\therefore A lies on Π

d) Equation of L_2 : $r = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$

↓ B

$$\begin{pmatrix} p \\ q \\ r \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

↑ this is the point we're given lies on B \therefore we can use it as a position vector

We are given that AB is $2\sqrt{5}$

$$|AB| = |\vec{OB} - \vec{OA}|$$

$$= \left| \begin{pmatrix} p \\ q \\ r \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right|$$

← replace B by equation for L_2 , using μ as a scalar parameter

Question 6 continued

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2+\mu \\ 3+2\mu \\ 2-3\mu \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} -1+\mu \\ 2+2\mu \\ 1-3\mu \end{pmatrix} \right| = 2\sqrt{5}$$

← Modulus (i.e. distance) of a vector $\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}$

$$\sqrt{(-1+\mu)^2 + (2+2\mu)^2 + (1-3\mu)^2} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

$$1 - 2\mu + \mu^2 + 4 + 8\mu + 4\mu^2 + 1 - 6\mu + 9\mu^2 = 20$$

$$14\mu^2 - 14 = 0$$

$$\mu^2 = 1$$

$$\mu = \pm 1$$

$$\therefore B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + (1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{OR} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + (-1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

because we're given that p, q, r are positive integers

when $\mu = 1$, r is negative $\therefore \mu = -1$

$$\therefore B = (1, 1, 5)$$



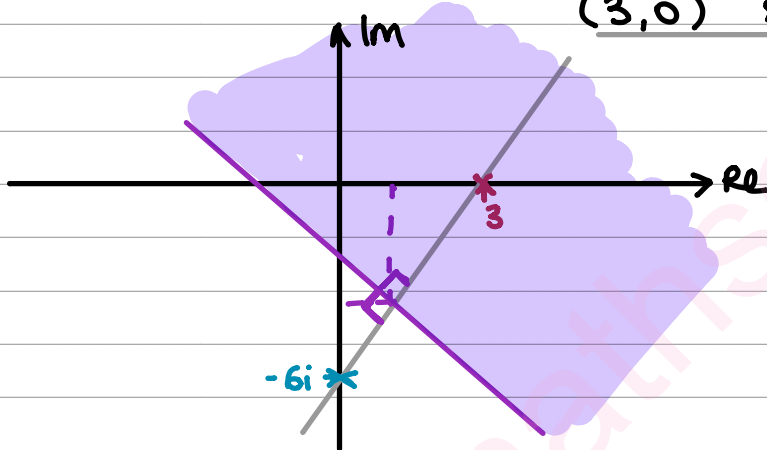
7. (i) Shade, on an Argand diagram, the set of points for which

$$|z - 3| \leq |z + 6i| \tag{3}$$

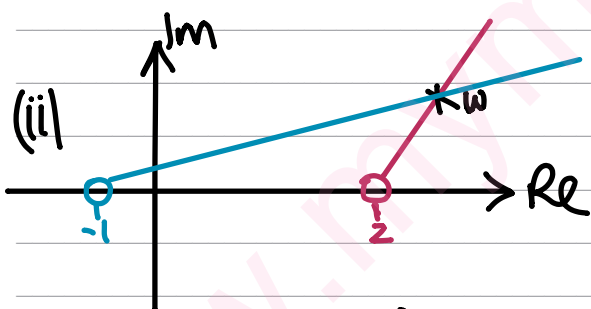
(ii) Determine the exact complex number w which satisfies both

$$\arg(w - 2) = \frac{\pi}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad \arg(w + 1) = \frac{\pi}{6} \tag{6}$$

7. (i) $|z - 3| \leq |z + 6i|$ indicates a region on one side of the perpendicular bisector to the line between $(3, 0)$ & $(0, -6)$



The inequality shows that the shaded area must be closer to $(3, 0)$ than $(0, -6)$ \therefore shade above the line.



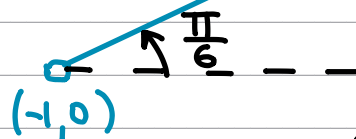
To find w , we can find the 2 equations of the lines & then calculate the point of intersection

To find equation of line: $(y - y_1 = m(x - x_1))$

$$\rightarrow \text{gradient} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{\text{opp.}}{\text{adj.}} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\rightarrow \text{gradient} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$y - 0 = \sqrt{3}(x - 2)$$



$$y - 0 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}(x - (-1))$$

$$y = \sqrt{3}x - 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}x + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$



Question 7 continued

$$w \rightarrow \sqrt{3}x - 2\sqrt{3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}x}{3} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

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

$$\frac{2x}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$y = \sqrt{3}\left(\frac{7}{2}\right) - 2\sqrt{3} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\therefore w = \frac{7}{2} + \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}i$$

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8. (a) Use the standard results for $\sum_{r=1}^n r^2$ and $\sum_{r=1}^n r$ to show that, for all positive integers n ,

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^2 = \frac{n}{3}(an^2 - 1)$$

where a is a constant to be determined.

(5)

- (b) Hence determine the sum of the squares of all positive odd three-digit integers.

(3)

$$8. a) \sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^2 = \sum_{r=1}^n (4r^2 - 4r + 1)$$

$$= 4 \sum_{r=1}^n r^2 - 4 \sum_{r=1}^n r + \sum_{r=1}^n 1$$

$$\sum_{r=1}^n r^2 = \frac{1}{6}n(n+1)(2n+1) \quad \sum_{r=1}^n r = \frac{1}{2}n(n+1) \quad \sum_{r=1}^n 1 = n$$

$$= \frac{4}{6}n(n+1)(2n+1) - \frac{4}{2}n(n+1) + n$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} (2(n+1)(2n+1) - 6(n+1) + 3)$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} (2(2n^2 + 3n + 1) - 6n - 6 + 3)$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} (4n^2 + 6n + 2 - 6n - 3)$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} (4n^2 - 1)$$

b) sum of positive odd 3-digit integers

$$= 101^2 + 103^2 + \dots + 997^2 + 999^2$$

Using previous result for sum of (odd digits)² = $(2r-1)^2$



Question 8 continued

$$101 = 2(51) - 1 \quad \therefore r = 51$$

$$999 = 2(500) - 1 \quad \therefore r = 500$$

$$\therefore \text{sum of (3 digit odd)}^2$$

$$= \sum_{r=51}^{500} (2r-1)^2$$

split summation

e.g. $\sum_{r=1}^{500} r = \underbrace{1+2+\dots+50}_{\sum_{r=1}^{50} r} + \overbrace{51+52+\dots+499+500}^{\sum_{r=51}^{500} r}$

$$\sum_{r=51}^{500} (2r-1)^2 = \sum_{r=1}^{500} (2r-1)^2 - \sum_{r=1}^{50} (2r-1)^2$$

(USING FORMULA from (a))

$$= \frac{500}{3} (4(500)^2 - 1) - \frac{50}{3} (4(50)^2 - 1)$$

$$= 16666500 - 166650$$

$$= 166499850$$

(Total for Question 8 is 8 marks)



9. (i)
$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} k & -2 & 7 \\ -3 & -5 & 2 \\ k & k & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$
 where k is a constant

Show that \mathbf{P} is non-singular for all real values of k .

(4)

(ii)
$$\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The matrix \mathbf{Q} represents a linear transformation T

Under T , the point $A(a, 2)$ and the point $B(4, -a)$, where a is a constant, are transformed to the points A' and B' respectively.

Given that the distance $A'B'$ is $\sqrt{58}$, determine the possible values of a .

(5)

9.(i) **Singular matrices have a determinant of 0.**

To show \mathbf{P} is non-singular for all values of k , we must show the determinant of $\mathbf{P} \neq 0$

3×3
DETERMINANT

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix} = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{vmatrix} - b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= a(ei - fh) - b(di - gf) + c(dh - eg)$$

$$|\mathbf{P}| = k \begin{vmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ k & 4 \end{vmatrix} - (-2) \begin{vmatrix} -3 & 2 \\ k & 4 \end{vmatrix} + 7 \begin{vmatrix} -3 & -5 \\ k & k \end{vmatrix}$$

$$|\mathbf{P}| = k(-20 - 2k) + 2(-12 - 2k) + 7(2k)$$

$$= -20k - 2k^2 - 24 - 4k + 14k$$

$$= -2k^2 - 10k - 24$$

for $|\mathbf{P}|$ to be singular: $-2k^2 - 10k - 24 = 0$
 $k^2 + 5k + 12 = 0$



Question 9 continued

However looking at the discriminant $(b^2 - 4ac)$

$$(5)^2 - 4(1)(12) = -23 < 0$$

discriminant < 0

\therefore no real solutions of k for which $|P| = 0$

$\therefore P$ is non-singular

(ii) $QA = A'$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2(a) - 1(2) \\ -3(a) - 0(2) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2a - 2 \\ -3a \end{bmatrix}$$

$QB = B'$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -3 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ -a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2(4) - 1(-a) \\ -3(4) + 0(-a) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 + a \\ -12 \end{bmatrix}$$

$A'B'$ = distance between $(2a - 2, -3a)$ & $(8 + a, -12)$

$$\text{distance} = \sqrt{58} = \sqrt{(8 + a - (2a - 2))^2 + (-12 - (-3a))^2}$$

$$58 = (10 - a)^2 + (-12 + 3a)^2$$

$$58 = 100 - 20a + a^2 + 144 - 72a + 9a^2$$

$$10a^2 - 92a + 186 = 0$$

$$a = 3 \quad \vee \quad a = \frac{31}{5}$$



10. In this question you must show all stages of your working.
 Solutions relying on calculator technology are not acceptable.

- (i) The quartic equation

$$z^4 + 5z^2 - 30 = 0$$

has roots p, q, r and s .

Without solving the equation, determine the quartic equation whose roots are

$$(3p - 1), (3q - 1), (3r - 1) \text{ and } (3s - 1)$$

Give your answer in the form $w^4 + aw^3 + bw^2 + cw + d = 0$, where a, b, c and d are integers to be found.

(5)

- (ii) The roots of the cubic equation

$$4x^3 + nx + 81 = 0 \quad \text{where } n \text{ is a real constant}$$

are $\alpha, 2\alpha$ and $\alpha - \beta$

Determine

- (a) the values of the roots of the equation,

(5)

- (b) the value of n .

(2)

10. (i) METHOD 1 (substitution):

$$w = 3z - 1 \quad z^4 + 5z^2 - 30 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{w+1}{3}$$

$$\left(\frac{w+1}{3}\right)^4 + 5\left(\frac{w+1}{3}\right)^2 - 30 = 0$$

$$\frac{w^4 + 4w^3 + 6w^2 + 4w + 1}{81} + \frac{5}{9}(w^2 + 2w + 1) - 30 = 0$$

$$w^4 + 4w^3 + 6w^2 + 4w + 1 + 45w^2 + 90w + 45 - 2430 = 0$$

$$w^4 + 4w^3 + 51w^2 + 94w - 2384 = 0$$



Question 10 continued

METHOD 2 (using product/sum rules of polynomials):

$$ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e = 0$$

\leftarrow sum of roots $\quad \leftarrow$ sum of all possible products of 2 roots $\quad \leftarrow \alpha\beta\gamma\delta$

$$\sum \alpha_i = -\frac{b}{a} \quad \sum \alpha_i \alpha_j = \frac{c}{a} \quad \sum \alpha_i \alpha_j \alpha_k = -\frac{d}{a} \quad \sum \alpha_i \alpha_j \alpha_k \alpha_l = \frac{e}{a}$$

↑
sum of all possible products of 3 roots

$$z^4 + 5z^2 - 30 = 0$$

$$p+q+r+s = 0 \quad pq+pr+ps = 5 \quad pqr+pq\delta+prs+qrs = 0 \quad pqrs = -30$$

$+qr+qs+rs$

for new equation: $(3p-1)(3q-1)(3r-1)(3s-1)$

$$\sum \alpha_i = -\frac{b}{a} = 3p-1+3q-1+3r-1+3s-1 = 3(p+q+r+s) - 4$$

$$= 3(0) - 4 = -4 \quad \therefore b = 4$$

$$\sum \alpha_i \alpha_j = \frac{c}{a} = (3p-1)(3q-1) + (3p-1)(3r-1) + (3p-1)(3s-1) + (3q-1)(3r-1) + (3q-1)(3s-1) + (3r-1)(3s-1)$$

$$= 9(pq+pr+ps+qr+qs+rs) - 9(p+q+r+s) + 6$$

$$= 9(5) - 9(0) + 6 = 51 \quad \therefore c = 51$$

$$\sum \alpha_i \alpha_j \alpha_k = -\frac{d}{a} = (3p-1)(3q-1)(3r-1) + (3p-1)(3q-1)(3s-1) + (3p-1)(3r-1)(3s-1) + (3q-1)(3r-1)(3s-1)$$

$$= 27(pqr+pq\delta+prs+qrs) - 18(pq+pr+ps+qr+qs+rs) + 6(p+q+r+s) - 4$$

Question 10 continued

$$= 27(0) - 18(5) + 6(0) - 4$$

$$= -94 \quad \therefore d = 94$$

$$\sum d_i d_j d_k d_l = \frac{e}{a} = (3p-1)(3q-1)(3r-1)(3s-1)$$

$$= 81(pqrs) - 27(pqr + pq s + prs + qrs) +$$

$$9(pq + pr + ps + qr + qs + rs) - 3(p+q+r+s) + 1$$

$$= 81(-30) - 27(0) + 9(5) - 3(0) + 1$$

$$= -2384 \quad \therefore e = -2384$$

$$\therefore w^4 + 4w^3 + 51w^2 + 94w - 2384 = 0$$

$$(ii) a) \quad 4x^3 + nx + 81 = 0$$

$$\text{sum of roots} = -\frac{b}{a} = 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha + 2\alpha + \alpha - \beta = 0$$

$$4\alpha = \beta$$

$$\text{sum of pairs} = \frac{c}{a} = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$\therefore \alpha(2\alpha) + \alpha(\alpha - \beta) + 2\alpha(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$2\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 - \alpha\beta + 2\alpha^2 - 2\alpha\beta = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$5\alpha^2 - 3\alpha\beta = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$5\alpha^2 - 3\alpha(4\alpha) = \frac{n}{4}$$



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$$-7d^2 = \frac{n}{4}$$

$$d^2 = -\frac{n}{28}$$

$$\text{product} = -\frac{d}{a} = -\frac{81}{4}$$

$$d(2d)(d-\beta) = -\frac{81}{4}$$

$$2d^3 - 2d^2\beta = -\frac{81}{4}$$

← substituting from earlier

$$2d^3 - 2d^2(4d) = -\frac{81}{4}$$

$$-6d^3 = -\frac{81}{4}$$

$$d^3 = \frac{27}{8}$$

$$d = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\beta = 4d = 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{roots} &= d, 2d, d-\beta \\ &= 1.5, 3, -4.5 \end{aligned}$$

b) as found in part (a)

$$d^2 = -\frac{n}{28}$$

$$d = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{9}{4} = -\frac{n}{28}$$

$$n = -63$$

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