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A Level Further Mathematics B (MEI)

Y420/01 Core Pure

Worked Solutions

Printed Answer Booklet

Time allowed: 2 hours 40 minutes

You must have:

- Question Paper Y420/01 (inside this document)
- the Formulae Booklet for Further Mathematics B (MEI)
- a scientific or graphical calculator

R red level

- longer questions (6+ marks)
- higher level problem solving
- harder A Level content

A amber level

- shorter questions (3-6 marks)
- low level problem solving
- harder AS/easier A Level content

G green level

- short questions (1-3 marks)
- minimal problem solving
- AS/easier A Level content

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Section A (37 marks)

- Q1: Series (as) ●
- Q2: Calculus (a level) ●
- Q3: Hyperbolic Functions (a level) ●
- Q4: Matrices (a level) ●
- Q5: Polar Coordinates (a level) ●
- Q6: Proof (as) ●

Section B (107 marks)

- Q7: Calculus (a level) ●
- Q8: Complex Numbers (as) ●
- Q9: Series (a level) ●
- Q10: Algebra (as) ●
- Q11: Complex Numbers (a level) ●
- Q12: Differential Equations (a level) ●
- Q13: Vectors (a level) ●
- Q14: Complex Numbers (a level) ●
- Q15: Differential Equations (a level) ●

Grade Boundaries

| Grade | A* | A | B | C | D | E | U |
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| Mark / 144 | 109 | 85 | 67 | 49 | 31 | 13 | 0 |
| Scaled / 180 | 136 | 106 | 84 | 61 | 39 | 16 | 0 |

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note: the scaled score is added to the scores in the other modules to find an overall grade, not the raw mark

Section A (37 marks)

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1 (a) By considering $(r+1)^3 - r^3$, find $\sum_{r=1}^n (3r^2 + 3r + 1)$. [3]

First let's expand out $(r+1)^3 - r^3$

$$(r+1)^3 - r^3$$

$$= r^3 + 3r^2 + 3r + 1 - r^3$$

$$= 3r^2 + 3r + 1 \leftarrow \text{this what we are summing.}$$

Now we use this to find the sum.

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

$$= (\cancel{2^3} - 1^3) + (\cancel{3^3} - \cancel{2^3}) + (\cancel{4^3} - \cancel{3^3})$$

+ ...

$$+ (\cancel{n^3} - \cancel{(n-1)^3}) + ((n+1)^3 - \cancel{n^3})$$

Method of Differences

$$= (n+1)^3 - 1 = n^3 + 3n^2 + 3n + 1 - 1$$

$$= n^3 + 3n^2 + 3n = n(n^2 + 3n + 3)$$

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(b) Use this result to find $\sum_{r=1}^n r(r+1)$, expressing your answer in fully factorised form. [4]

We should first need to find $\sum r(r+1)$ in our sum above.

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (3r^2 + 3r + 1) = 3 \sum_{r=1}^n (r(r+1)) + \sum_{r=1}^n 1$$

$$\text{so } \sum_{r=1}^n r(r+1) = \frac{1}{3} \left[\sum_{r=1}^n (3r^2 + 3r + 1) - \sum_{r=1}^n 1 \right]$$

Now we can sub in our sum from a).

using

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

$$\sum_{r=1}^n 1 = n$$

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

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

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

always check of quadratics will factorise

$$\text{hence } \sum_{r=1}^n r(r+1) = \frac{1}{3} n(n+1)(n+2)$$

A 2 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Find the exact value of $\int_3^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 5} dx$.

[5]

This is an improper integral as one of the limits is ∞ . So firstly we need to modify the limits of our integral.

$$\int_3^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 5} dx = \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^a \frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 5} dx.$$

The quadratic in the denominator does not factorise. So we must complete the square and use a trig/hyperbolic trig substitution.

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 4x + 5 &= (x - 2)^2 - (2)^2 + 5 \\ &= (x - 2)^2 + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So } \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^a \frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 5} dx = \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^a \frac{1}{(x-2)^2 + 1} dx$$

From the formula book, $\int \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} dx = \arctan x + c$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So } \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \int_3^a \frac{1}{(x-2)^2 + 1} dx &= \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left[\arctan(x-2) \right]_3^a \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left(\arctan(a-2) - \arctan 1 \right) \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow \infty} \left(\arctan(a-2) - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \end{aligned}$$

As $a \rightarrow \infty$, $\arctan(a-2) \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}$ as $-\frac{\pi}{2} < \arctan x < \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\text{So } \int_3^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^2 - 4x + 5} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

6 3 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Solve the equation $3 \cosh x = 2 \sinh^2 x$, giving your solutions in exact logarithmic form. [6]

First we need to write our equation in terms of $\cosh x$.

From the formula book, $\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$. So

$$\cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sinh^2 x = \cosh^2 x - 1$$

$$3 \cosh x = 2 (\cosh^2 x - 1)$$

$$3 \cosh x = 2 \cosh^2 x - 2$$

$$2 \cosh^2 x - 3 \cosh x - 2 = 0$$

Substituting into our equation

This is a quadratic in $\cosh x$. So

$$(\cosh x - 2)(2 \cosh x + 1) = 0$$

$$\cosh x = 2, \quad \cosh x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

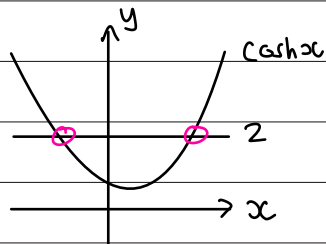
$$\cosh x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

no $x \in \mathbb{R}$ as $\cosh x \geq 0$

$$\cosh x = 2$$

$$x = \operatorname{arcosh} 2 = \ln(2 + \sqrt{2^2 - 1}) \\ = \ln(2 + \sqrt{3})$$

By considering the graph, we also need the negated value of the root above.



So $x = -\ln(2 + \sqrt{3})$ as well.

hence $x = \ln(2 + \sqrt{3})$, $x = -\ln(2 + \sqrt{3})$

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4 (a) A transformation with associated matrix $\begin{pmatrix} m & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$, where m is a constant, maps the vertices of a cube to points that all lie in a plane.

Find m . [3]

If the transformation maps all points to a plane, the determinant of the matrix is 0.

$$\begin{vmatrix} m & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} = m \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 3 \end{vmatrix} - 2 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -2 \\ 2 & 3 \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= m(3) - 2(4) + 1(-2)$$

$$= 3m - 10$$

So $3m - 10 = 0 \Rightarrow m = \frac{10}{3}$

A

(b) The transformations S and T of the plane have associated matrices M and N respectively, where $M = \begin{pmatrix} k & 1 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and the determinant of N is $3k + 1$. The transformation U is equivalent to the combined transformation consisting of S followed by T.

Given that U preserves orientation and has an area scale factor 2, find the possible values of k . [4]

The determinant of the matrix representing U is 2.

So $\det NM = 2$

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NM represents the combined transformation M then N.

Also $\det NM = \det N \times \det M$

$$\det N = 3k + 1$$

$$\det M = 4k - (-3) = 4k + 3$$

So $(3k + 1)(4k + 3) = 2$

$$12k^2 + 9k + 4k + 3 = 2$$

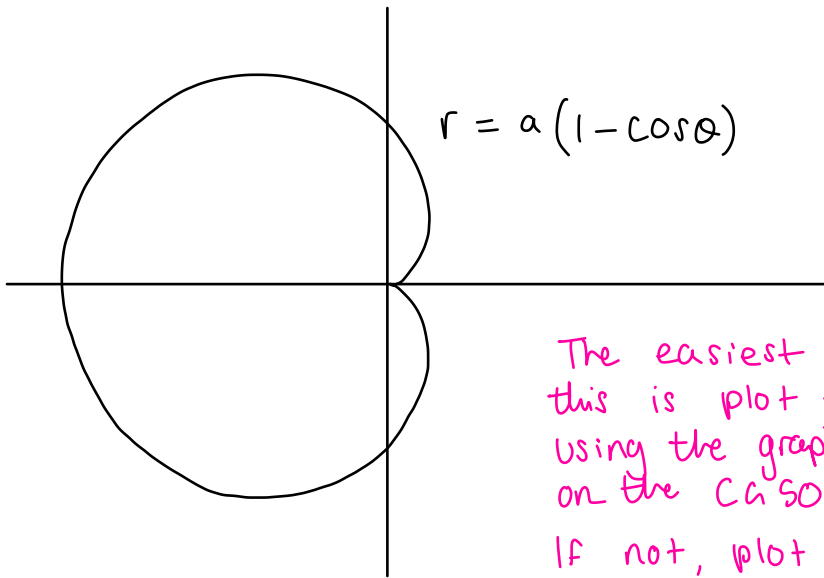
$$12k^2 + 13k + 1 = 0$$

$$(12k + 1)(k + 1) = 0$$

So $k = -\frac{1}{12}$ or $k = -1$

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- 5 (a) Sketch the polar curve $r = a(1 - \cos\theta)$, $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$, where a is a positive constant. [2]



The easiest way to do this is plot the graphs using the graph function on the CASIO.

If not, plot a few points and use this to draw the curve.

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- (b) Determine the exact area of the region enclosed by the curve. [5]

From looking at the graph above, the bounds for the area are 0 and 2π .

also in formula book the area = $\frac{1}{2} \int r^2 d\theta$

$$\text{so area} = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} (a(1 - \cos\theta))^2 d\theta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} a^2 (1 - \cos\theta)^2 d\theta$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} 1 - 2\cos\theta + \cos^2\theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} 1 - 2\cos\theta + \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

using $\cos^2\theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{3}{2} - 2\cos\theta + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \left[\frac{3}{2}\theta - 2\sin\theta + \frac{1}{4}\sin 2\theta \right]_0^{2\pi}$$

$\int \cos\theta d\theta = \frac{1}{4}\sin\theta + c$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \left(\frac{3}{2}(2\pi) - 2\sin 2\pi + \frac{1}{4}\sin 4\pi - \left(\frac{3}{2}(0) - 2\sin 0 + \frac{1}{4}\sin 0 \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \left(3\pi - 0 + \frac{1}{4}(0) - (0 - 2(0) + \frac{1}{4}(0)) \right)$$

$$= \frac{a^2}{2} \times 3\pi = \frac{3}{2}a^2\pi \text{ units}^2$$

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6 Prove by mathematical induction that $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^n = \begin{pmatrix} 2^n & 0 \\ 1-2^n & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ for all positive integers n . [5]

Step one: base case

$$\text{When } n=1, \text{ LHS} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{RHS} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^1 & 0 \\ 1-2^1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore \text{true for } n=1.$$

Step two: assumption

$$\text{Assume true for } n=k, \text{ so } \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^k = \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 0 \\ 1-2^k & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Step three: inductive step

Using the assumed result for $n=k$,

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{k+1} &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}^k \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 0 \\ 1-2^k & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \times 2^k & 0 \\ 2(1-2^k)-1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 2^{k+1} & 0 \\ 1-2^{k+1} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \therefore \text{true for } n=k+1. \end{aligned}$$

Step four: conclusion

If the result is true for $n=k$, it is true for $n=k+1$. Since it is true for $n=1$, it is true for all positive integer values of n .

Section B (107 marks)

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7 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Show that $\int_2^3 \frac{x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)} dx = \frac{1}{2} \ln 2$.

[9]

We can find the integral using partial fractions.

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

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

hence $A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)(x-1) = x+1$

$$Ax^2 + A + Bx^2 - Bx + Cx - C = x + 1$$

Find A, B and C

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x^2: A + B = 0 \\ x: -B + C = 1 \\ \text{constants: } A - C = 1 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \text{solving simultaneously gives } A = 1, B = -1, C = 0$$

So $\int_2^3 \frac{x+1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)} dx = \int_2^3 \frac{1}{x-1} - \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx$

$$= \left[\ln|x-1| - \frac{1}{2} \ln|x^2+1| \right]_2^3$$

using $\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \ln|f(x)|$

$$= \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 10 - \left(\ln 1 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 5 \right)$$

$$= \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 10 + \ln 1 + \frac{1}{2} \ln 5$$

$$= \ln 2 + \frac{1}{2} (\ln 5 - \ln 10)$$

$$= \ln 2 + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{5}{10}$$

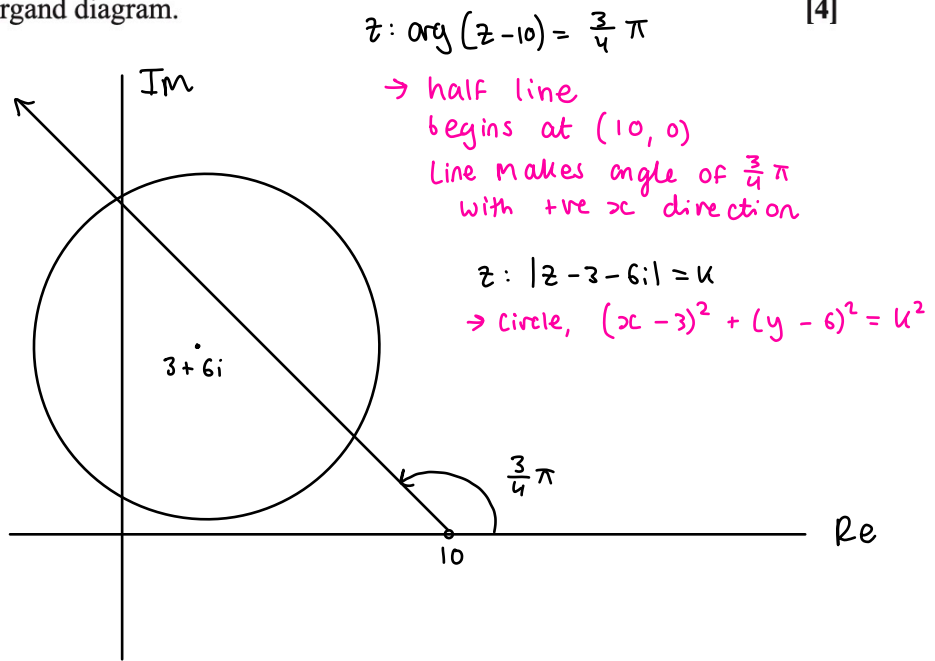
$$= \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 = \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \quad \text{as required}$$

Simplify into required result

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8 Two sets of complex numbers are given by $\{z : \arg(z-10) = \frac{3}{4}\pi\}$ and $\{z : |z-3-6i| = k\}$, where k is a positive constant. In an Argand diagram, one of the points of intersection of the two loci representing these sets lies on the imaginary axis.

A (a) Sketch the loci on an Argand diagram. [4]



R (b) In this question you must show detailed reasoning. [7]

Find the complex numbers represented by the points of intersection.

This is essentially a coordinate geometry question. So first we re-write our loci in terms of x and y .

$\arg(z-10) = \frac{3}{4}\pi$ is a line, gradient $\tan(\frac{3}{4}\pi) = -1$, passing through $(10, 0)$. So
 $y - 0 = -1(x - 10)$
 $y = -x + 10$

$|z-3-6i| = k$ is a circle, centre $(3, 6)$, radius k .
 so $(x-3)^2 + (y-6)^2 = k^2$

We know they intersect on the imaginary axis, so intersect at $x = 0$. When $x = 0$, $y = -0 + 10 = 10$

So $(0-3)^2 + (10-6)^2 = k^2$
 $k^2 = 25 \Rightarrow k = 5$

8 b)
Continued

So now we solve for the other point of intersection.

Subbing $y = -x + 10$ into $(x-3)^2 + (y-6)^2 = 25$,

$$(x-3)^2 + (-x+10-6)^2 = 25$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 + x^2 - 8x + 16 = 25$$

$$2x^2 - 14x = 0$$

$$2x(x-7) = 0$$

$$x = 0, x = 7$$

$$y = 10, y = 3$$

So the points of intersection are represented

10i and $7 + 3i$.

A 9 The function $f(x)$ is defined by $f(x) = \ln(1 + \sinh x)$.

E (a) Given that k lies in the domain of this function, explain why k must be greater than $\ln(\sqrt{2} - 1)$. [2]

$\ln(x)$ is only valid for $x > 0$.

$$\text{so } 1 + \sinh x > 0$$

$$\sinh x > -1$$

$$x > \operatorname{arsinh}(-1)$$

$$x > \ln(-1 + \sqrt{(-1)^2 + 1}) \quad \text{using } \operatorname{arsinh} x = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$$

$$x > \ln(\sqrt{2} - 1)$$

hence k must be greater than $\ln(\sqrt{2} - 1)$.

A (b) (i) Find $f'(x)$. [2]

$$f(x) = \ln(1 + \sinh x)$$

by chain rule,

$$f(x) = \ln u \quad f'(x) = \frac{1}{u}$$

$$u = 1 + \sinh x \quad u' = \cosh x$$

$$\text{so } f'(x) = \frac{1}{1 + \sinh x} \times \cosh x$$

$$= \frac{\cosh x}{1 + \sinh x}$$

A (ii) Show that $f''(x) = \frac{a \sinh x + b}{(1 + \sinh x)^2}$, where a and b are integers to be determined. [3]

by quotient rule,

$$u = \cosh x \quad u' = \sinh x$$

$$v = 1 + \sinh x \quad v' = \cosh x$$

$$\text{so } f''(x) = \frac{\sinh x (1 + \sinh x) - \cosh^2 x}{(1 + \sinh x)^2} \quad \text{using } \cosh^2 x - \sinh^2 x = 1$$

$$= \frac{\sinh x + \sinh^2 x - \cosh^2 x}{(1 + \sinh x)^2} = \frac{\sinh x - 1}{(1 + \sinh x)^2}$$

$$(a = 1, b = -1)$$

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(c) Hence find a quadratic approximation to $f(x)$ for small values of x .

[3]

As given in the formula book, the general Maclaurin series is $f(x) = f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \dots$

$$f(0) = \ln(1 + \sinh 0) = \ln 1 = 0$$

$$f'(0) = \frac{\cosh 0}{1 + \sinh 0} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

$$f''(0) = \frac{\sinh(0) - 1}{(1 + \sinh(0))^2} = \frac{-1}{1} = -1$$

So $f(x) = 0 + 1(x) + \frac{-1}{2}(x^2) + \dots$

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

hence a quadratic approximation for $f(x)$ is $x - \frac{1}{2}x^2$.

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(d) Find the percentage error in this approximation when $x = 0.1$.

[2]

$$f(0.1) = \ln(1 + \sinh 0.1) = 0.0954\dots$$

$$f(0.1) \approx 0.1 - \frac{1}{2}(0.1)^2 = 0.095$$

$$\therefore \text{error} = \frac{\text{true value} - \text{approximation}}{\text{true value}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{0.0954\dots - 0.095}{0.0954\dots} \times 100$$

$$= 0.4837\dots = 0.484\% \quad (3\text{sf})$$

10 The equation

$$4x^4 + 16x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 6 = 0,$$

where a and b are real, has roots α , $\frac{2}{\alpha}$, β and 3β .

A

(a) Given that $\beta < 0$, determine all 4 roots.

[6]

Using $\sum \alpha\beta\gamma\delta = \frac{e}{a}$ (product of roots)

$$\alpha \times \frac{2}{\alpha} \times \beta \times 3\beta = \frac{6}{4}$$

$$6\beta^2 = \frac{6}{4}$$

$$\beta^2 = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\beta = \pm \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \beta < 0, \text{ so } \beta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Using $\sum \alpha = -\frac{b}{a}$ (sum of roots)

$$\alpha + \frac{2}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{16}{4}$$

$$\alpha + \frac{2}{\alpha} + 2 = 0$$

$$\alpha^2 + 2\alpha + 1 = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{(2)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 1}}{2(1)} = -1 \pm i \quad \frac{2}{-1 \pm i} = -1 \mp i$$

so roots are $-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}, -1 + i, -1 - i$

G

(b) Determine the values of a and b .

[4]

Using $\sum \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a}$ (sum of product of 2 roots)

$$\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(-1+i) + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(-1-i)$$

$$+ \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)(-1+i) + \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)(-1-i)$$

$$+ (-1+i)(-1-i) = \frac{a}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{4} = \frac{27}{4} \Rightarrow a = 27$$

Using $\sum \alpha\beta\gamma = -\frac{d}{a}$ (sum of product of 3 roots)

$$\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)(-1+i) + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)(-1-i)$$

$$+ \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(-1+i)(-1-i) + \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)(-1+i)(-1-i)$$

$$= -\frac{b}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{b}{4} = -\frac{11}{2}$$

$$b = 22$$

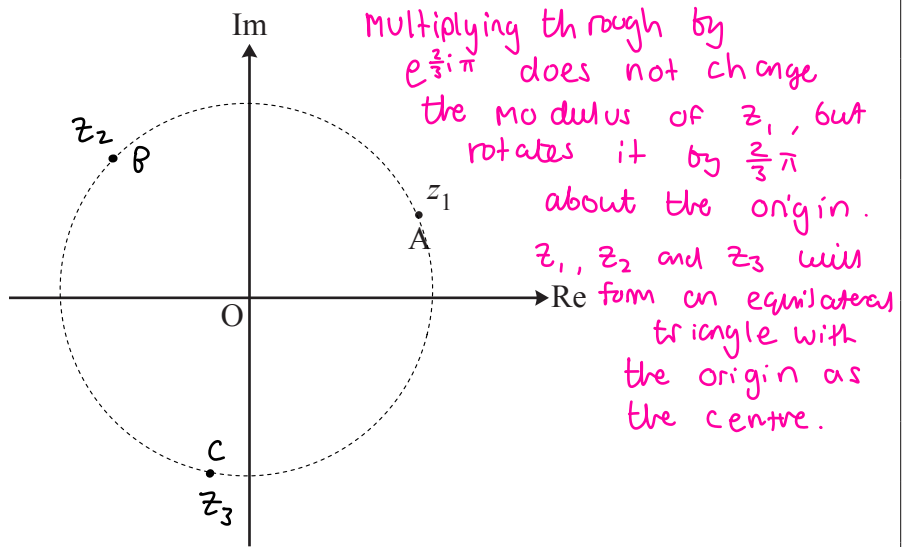
$$a = 27$$

$$b = 22$$

The complex numbers z_2 and z_3 are $z_1 e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi}$ and $z_1 e^{\frac{4}{3}i\pi}$ respectively.

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- (a) (i) On the copy of the Argand diagram in the Printed Answer Booklet, mark the points B and C representing the complex numbers z_2 and z_3 . [2]



A

- (ii) Show that $z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$. [2]

$$z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = z_1 + z_1 e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi} + z_1 e^{\frac{4}{3}i\pi}$$

This forms a geometric series, $a = z_1$, $r = e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi}$

$$\text{So } z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = \frac{z_1 (1 - (e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi})^3)}{1 - e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi}} = \frac{z_1 (1 - e^{2i\pi})}{1 - e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi}}$$

$$e^{2\pi i} = \cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi = 1 + i(0) = 1$$

$$\text{So } z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = \frac{z_1 (1-1)}{1 - e^{\frac{2}{3}i\pi}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 0$$

A

- (b) Given now that z_1, z_2 and z_3 are roots of the equation $z^3 = 8i$, find these three roots, giving your answers in the form $a+ib$, where a and b are real and exact. [4]

First we write $8i$ in mod-arg form.

$$|8i| = 8, \text{ Arg } 8i = \frac{\pi}{2}, \text{ so } z^3 = 8 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Hence by de Moivre's, } z_1 = 2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \sqrt{3} + i$$

$$\text{Arguments have } \frac{2}{3}\pi \text{ added each time } \downarrow z_2 = 2 \left(\cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \right) = -\sqrt{3} + i$$

$$z_3 = 2 \left(\cos \frac{3\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} \right) = -2i$$

So roots are $\sqrt{3} + i, -\sqrt{3} + i, -2i$

R

- 12 Solve the differential equation $(4-x^2)\frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 1$, given that $y = 1$ when $x = 0$, giving your answer in the form $y = f(x)$. [9]

First we need to re-write our DE into a linear 1st order general form DE.

$$(4-x^2)\frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 1$$

$$\div (4-x^2): \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{x}{4-x^2}y = \frac{1}{4-x^2}$$

We can solve this by using an integrating factor.

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

$\int \frac{F'(x)}{F(x)} dx = \ln|F(x)| + C$ $e^{\ln(F(x))} = F(x)$

Now we multiply through by $I(x)$.

$$\times (4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}: (4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{dy}{dx} - x(4-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}y = (4-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

The LHS is implicit product rule. $u = y$ $u' = \frac{dy}{dx}$
 $v = (4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $v' = -x(4-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(y(4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}) = (4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{dy}{dx} - x(4-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}y$

$$\text{So } \frac{d}{dx}(y(4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}) = (4-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$y(4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$$

$$y(4-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \arcsin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + C$$

Using $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2-x^2}} dx = \arcsin\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + C$

When $y = 1$, $x = 0$: $1(4)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \arcsin 0 + C \Rightarrow C = 2$

$$\text{so } y = \frac{\arcsin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + 2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$$

- 13 The points A and B have coordinates (4, 0, -1) and (10, 4, -3) respectively. The planes Π_1 and Π_2 have equations $x - 2y = 5$ and $2x + 3y - z = -4$ respectively.

A

- (a) Find the acute angle between the line AB and the plane Π_1 .

[4]

We start by finding the direction vector \vec{AB} .

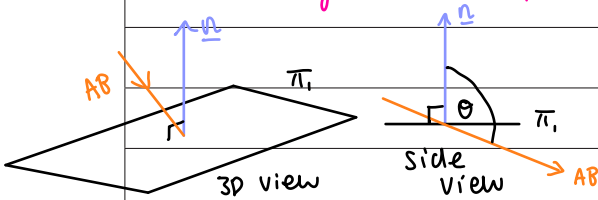
$$\vec{AB} = \underline{b} - \underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

So we can start by find the angle between this direction vector and the normal to Π_1 , using

$$\cos \theta = \frac{6(1) + 4(-2) + 0(-2)}{\sqrt{6^2 + 4^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{70}}{70} \quad \cos \theta = \frac{\underline{a} \cdot \underline{b}}{|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|}$$

$$\text{so } \theta = \arccos\left(-\frac{\sqrt{70}}{70}\right) = 96.864\dots$$

Diagrams help us visualise the angle we have found.



so the angle between the plane and line is $96.864\dots - 90 = 6.864\dots = 6.86^\circ$

A

- (b) Show that the line AB meets Π_1 and Π_2 at the same point, whose coordinates should be specified.

[5]

So the line has equation $\underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{So } x = 4 + 6\lambda, \quad y = 4\lambda, \quad z = -1 - 2\lambda$$

First let's use Π_1 : $4 + 6\lambda - 2(4\lambda) = 5$

$$-2\lambda = 1$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Now Π_2 : $2(4 + 6\lambda) + 3(4\lambda) - (-1 - 2\lambda) = -4$

$$8 + 12\lambda + 12\lambda + 1 + 2\lambda = -4$$

$$26\lambda = -13$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$$

As they intersect when $\lambda = -\frac{1}{2}$ each time AB meets Π_1 and Π_2 at the same point.

$$\text{Coordinates} = (4 + 6(-\frac{1}{2}), 4(-\frac{1}{2}), -1 - 2(-\frac{1}{2})) = (1, -2, 0)$$

G

(c) (i) Find $(\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) \times (2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k})$.

[1]

We can find this using a determinant.

$$\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & 1 & 2 \\ \mathbf{j} & -2 & 3 \\ \mathbf{k} & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \mathbf{i} \begin{vmatrix} -2 & 3 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - \mathbf{j} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + \mathbf{k} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -2 & 3 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \mathbf{i}(2) - \mathbf{j}(-1) + \mathbf{k}(3 + 2(2))$$

$$= 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 7\mathbf{k}$$

A

(ii) Hence find the acute angle between the planes Π_1 and Π_2 .

[3]

Above we found the vector product between the normals to each plane. We can use this to find the angle between them. In the FB,

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta \hat{n} \quad \hat{n} \text{ is a unit vector}$$

$$|\underline{a} \times \underline{b}| = |\underline{a}| |\underline{b}| \sin \theta |\hat{n}| \quad \leftarrow \text{so } |\hat{n}| = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{|\underline{a} \times \underline{b}|}{|\underline{a}| |\underline{b}|}$$

$$\text{so } \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 7^2}}{\sqrt{2^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{3\sqrt{105}}{35} \quad (\text{this is acute})$$

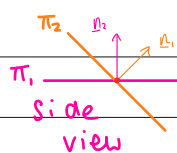
$$\text{so } \theta = \arcsin\left(\frac{3\sqrt{105}}{35}\right) = 61.43\dots = 61.4^\circ \quad (3 \text{ sf})$$

A

(iii) Find the shortest distance between the point A and the line of intersection of the planes Π_1 and Π_2 .

[4]

The vector product of two vectors gives a vector perpendicular to the two vectors.



So the vector product in c) i. is the direction vector of the line of intersection. So this line is

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$$

Recall that the shortest distance between a line ($\mathbf{r} = \underline{a} + \lambda \underline{d}$) and a point P is given by $\frac{|\underline{a}\underline{P} \times \underline{d}|}{|\underline{d}|}$

iii)
Continued

$$\vec{aP} = \underline{p} - \underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \vec{aP} \times \underline{d} &= \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & 3 & 2 \\ \underline{j} & 2 & 1 \\ \underline{k} & -1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i} \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} - \underline{j} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} + \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \underline{i} (14 + 1) - \underline{j} (21 + 2) + \underline{k} (3 - 4) \\ &= 15\underline{i} - 23\underline{j} - \underline{k} \end{aligned}$$

$$|\vec{aP} \times \underline{d}| = \sqrt{15^2 + 23^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{755}$$

$$|\underline{d}| = \sqrt{2^2 + 1^2 + 7^2} = 3\sqrt{6}$$

$$\text{so distance} = \frac{\sqrt{755}}{3\sqrt{6}} = 3.7391\dots = 3.74 \text{ units (3 sf)}$$

G

14 (a) Find $(3 - e^{2i\theta})(3 - e^{-2i\theta})$ in terms of $\cos 2\theta$. [2]

Here we just expand and simplify.

$$(3 - e^{2i\theta})(3 - e^{-2i\theta})$$

$$= 9 - 3e^{-2i\theta} - 3e^{2i\theta} + 1$$

$$= 10 - 3(e^{2i\theta} + e^{-2i\theta}) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{using } 2\cos n\theta = e^{in\theta} + e^{-in\theta} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= 10 - 3(2\cos 2\theta)$$

$$= 10 - 6\cos 2\theta$$

R

(b) Hence show that the sum of the infinite series

$$\sin \theta + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3\theta + \frac{1}{9} \sin 5\theta + \frac{1}{27} \sin 7\theta + \dots$$

can be expressed as $\frac{6 \sin \theta}{5 - 3 \cos 2\theta}$.

[6]

This is a $C + iS$ question. So we should define C and S , before considering $C + iS$.

$$\text{So let } C = \cos \theta + \frac{1}{3} \cos 3\theta + \frac{1}{9} \cos 5\theta + \dots$$

$$S = \sin \theta + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3\theta + \frac{1}{9} \sin 5\theta + \dots$$

So considering $C + iS$,

$$C + iS = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3} \cos 3\theta + \frac{1}{3} i \sin 3\theta$$

$$+ \frac{1}{9} \cos 5\theta + \frac{1}{9} i \sin 5\theta$$

$$+ \dots$$

$$= z + \frac{1}{3} z^3 + \frac{1}{9} z^5$$

This forms a geometric series, $a = z$, $r = \frac{1}{3} z^2$,
summed to infinity.

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14(b) (continued)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{so } C + iS &= \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{z}{1-\frac{1}{3}z^2} && \text{infinite geometric sum formula.} \\
 &= \frac{3z}{3-z^2} \\
 &= \frac{3e^{i\theta}}{3-e^{2i\theta}} \times \frac{3-e^{-2i\theta}}{3-e^{-2i\theta}} && \text{multiplying by complex conjugate} \\
 &= \frac{3e^{i\theta}(3-e^{-2i\theta})}{(3-e^{2i\theta})(3-e^{-2i\theta})} \\
 &= \frac{9e^{i\theta} - 3e^{-i\theta}}{10 - 6\cos 2\theta} && \text{using result from a)} \\
 &= \frac{9(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta) - 3(\cos(-\theta) + i\sin(-\theta))}{10 - 6\cos 2\theta} && \text{using } \cos(-\theta) = \cos\theta, \sin(-\theta) = -\sin\theta \\
 &= \frac{9\cos\theta + 9i\sin\theta - 3\cos\theta + 3i\sin\theta}{10 - 6\cos 2\theta} \\
 &= \frac{6\cos\theta}{10 - 6\cos 2\theta} + i \frac{12\sin\theta}{10 - 6\cos 2\theta} \\
 &= \frac{3\cos\theta}{5 - 3\cos 2\theta} + i \frac{6\sin\theta}{5 - 3\cos 2\theta}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{hence } C = \frac{3\cos\theta}{5 - 3\cos 2\theta} \quad \text{and} \quad S = \frac{6\sin\theta}{5 - 3\cos 2\theta}$$

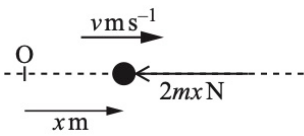
$$\text{so } \sin\theta + \frac{1}{3}\sin 3\theta + \frac{1}{9}\sin 5\theta + \dots = \frac{6\sin\theta}{5 - 3\cos 2\theta}$$

as required

15 In an oscillating system, a particle of mass m kg moves in a horizontal line. Its displacement from its equilibrium position O at time t seconds is x metres, its velocity is v ms^{-1} , and it is acted on by a force $2mx$ newtons acting towards O as shown in the diagram.

G Initially, the particle is projected away from O with speed 1 ms^{-1} from a point 2 m from O in the positive direction.

(a) (i) Show that the motion is modelled by the differential equation $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2x = 0$. [1]



The resultant force on the particle, F , is
 $F = -2mx$

By Newton's 2nd Law, $F = ma$
 using $a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -2mx = ma \\ \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = -2x \Rightarrow \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2x = 0 \end{array} \right.$ as required

G (ii) State the type of motion. [1]

Since $a \propto -x$, the particle is performing simple harmonic motion.

G (iii) Write down the period of the motion. [1]

For SHM, $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + \omega^2x = 0$. So $\omega^2 = 2 \Rightarrow \omega = \sqrt{2}$.
 Also recall time period, T , is given by $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$.
 So $T = \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{2}\pi = 4.4428\dots$
 $= 4.44 \text{ seconds}$

A (iv) Find x in terms of t . [4]

Recall that the general solution for a SHM DE is
 $x = A \cos \omega t + B \sin \omega t$.

So $x = A \cos (t\sqrt{2}) + B \sin (t\sqrt{2})$

At $t = 0$, $x = 2$ and $v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 1$

$A \cos (0) + B \sin (0) = 2$

$A(1) + B(0) = 2 \Rightarrow A = 2$

$x = 2 \cos (t\sqrt{2}) + B \sin (t\sqrt{2})$

differentiate

$\frac{dx}{dt} = -2\sqrt{2} \sin (t\sqrt{2}) + B\sqrt{2} \cos (t\sqrt{2})$

$1 = -2\sqrt{2} \sin (0) + B\sqrt{2} \cos (0) \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$

hence $x = 2 \cos (t\sqrt{2}) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \sin (t\sqrt{2})$

A

(v) Find the amplitude of the motion.

[2]

Recall that, if $x = A\cos\omega t + B\sin\omega t$, the amplitude of motion is given by $\sqrt{A^2+B^2}$.

$$\text{hence amplitude} = \sqrt{2^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} = 2.1213\dots$$

$$= 2.12 \text{ m (3sf)}$$

G

(b) The motion is now damped by a force $2mv$ newtons.(i) Show that $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2\frac{dx}{dt} + 2x = 0$.

[1]

The resultant force, R , on the particle is now

$$R = -2mx - 2mv$$

So by Newton's 2nd Law, $-2mx - 2mv = ma$

$$\left(a = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}, v = \frac{dx}{dt}\right) a + 2v + 2x = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2\frac{dx}{dt} + 2x = 0$$

as required

A

(ii) State, giving a reason, whether the system is under-damped, critically damped or over-damped.

[1]

We can consider the auxilliary equation for our DE,

$$\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 2 = 0.$$

$$\text{The discriminant} = (2)^2 - 4(1)(2) = -4$$

Recall that if discriminant is less than 0, the particle is underdamped. Hence as discriminant < 0 , it is under-damped.

A

(iii) Determine the general solution of this differential equation.

[3]

We can use our auxilliary equation here.

$$\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{(2)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 2}}{2 \times 1} = -1 \pm i.$$

If we obtain roots $\lambda = a \pm bi$ from our auxilliary equation, $x = e^{at}(A\cos bt + B\sin bt)$.

So our general solution is $x = e^{-t}(A\cos t + B\sin t)$

- (c) Finally, a variable force $2m \cos 2t$ newtons is added, so that the motion is now modelled by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 2\frac{dx}{dt} + 2x = 2 \cos 2t.$$

- (i) Find x in terms of t .

[7]

From b), we now have a general solution

$$x = e^{-t}(A \cos t + B \sin t)$$

So our solution is

$$x = e^{-t}(A \cos t + B \sin t) + p(t)$$

We can find $p(t)$.

$$p(t) = P \cos 2t + Q \sin 2t$$

$$p'(t) = -2P \sin 2t + 2Q \cos 2t$$

$$p''(t) = -4P \cos 2t - 4Q \sin 2t$$

Subbing into the DE,

$$-4P \cos 2t - 4Q \sin 2t + 2(-2P \sin 2t + 2Q \cos 2t)$$

$$+ 2(P \cos 2t + Q \sin 2t) = 2 \cos 2t$$

$$-4P \cos 2t - 4Q \sin 2t - 4P \sin 2t + 4Q \cos 2t$$

$$+ 2P \cos 2t + 2Q \sin 2t = 2 \cos 2t$$

$$\cos 2t: -4P \cos 2t + 4Q \cos 2t + 2P \cos 2t = 2 \cos 2t$$

$$-2P + 4Q = 2$$

$$-P + 2Q = 1 \quad \textcircled{A}$$

$$\sin 2t: -4Q \sin 2t - 4P \sin 2t + 2Q \sin 2t = 0$$

$$-4P - 2Q = 0$$

$$2P + Q = 0 \quad \textcircled{B}$$

Solving \textcircled{A} and \textcircled{B} simultaneously gives

$$P = -\frac{1}{5} \text{ and } Q = \frac{2}{5}$$

Hence
$$x = e^{-t} \left(P \cos t + Q \sin t \right) - \frac{1}{5} \cos 2t + \frac{2}{5} \sin 2t$$

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In the long term, the particle is seen to perform simple harmonic motion with a period of just over 3 seconds.

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(ii) Verify that this behaviour is consistent with the answer to part **(c)(i)**. **[2]**

$$\text{As } t \rightarrow \infty \quad e^{-t} \rightarrow 0.$$

$$\text{SO } x \rightarrow -\frac{1}{5} \cos 2t + \frac{2}{5} \sin 2t$$

We can rewrite x as $t \rightarrow \infty$ in harmonic form,

$$x \rightarrow A \sin(2t + \alpha)$$

$$\text{SO } \omega = 2.$$

$$\text{Hence time period } T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi = 3.141\dots$$

This time period is close to 3 seconds as expected.

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