

**Multiple Choice**

1 B)  $\sqrt{1^2 + 18^2 + 6^2} = 19$

2 B)  $3 - i$  is also a root, since all coefficients are real.

$$-p = (3 + i) + (3 - i) = 6, \therefore p = -6,$$

$$q = (3 + i)(3 - i) = 10.$$

3 C)  $\frac{x-1}{-2} = \frac{y-3}{4}.$

$$\therefore 4x - 4 = -2y + 6.$$

$$\therefore y + 2x = 5.$$

4 A) Let  $z = r \operatorname{cis} \theta,$ 

$$\therefore \frac{z^2}{|z|} = \frac{r^2 \operatorname{cis} 2\theta}{r} = r \operatorname{cis} 2\theta.$$

5 C) Let  $x = A \cos nt, \dot{x} = -nA \sin nt, \ddot{x} = -n^2 A \cos nt,$ 

$$\therefore \dot{x}_{\max} = nA = 6, \ddot{x}_{\max} = n^2 A = 4.$$

$$\therefore n = \frac{\ddot{x}_{\max}}{\dot{x}_{\max}} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}.$$

$$\therefore \text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{n} = 3\pi.$$

6 A)  $x^2 + 4x + 10 = (x + 2)^2 + 6.$

7 D) To disprove a proposition is to find a counter-example that the proposition is false.

Here,  $2^{11} - 1$  is not prime, but 11 is prime.

8 B) The negation of 'if A then B' is 'A and not B'

9 C) Let  $e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta.$ 

$$\therefore e^{i\theta} \pm 2 = \cos \theta \pm 2 + i \sin \theta.$$

$$\therefore |e^{i\theta} \pm 2| = \sqrt{(\cos \theta \pm 2)^2 + \sin^2 \theta} = \sqrt{5 \pm 4 \cos \theta}.$$

 $\therefore$  The maximum value of  $\sqrt{5 - 4 \cos \theta} + \sqrt{5 + 4 \cos \theta}$  is

$$2\sqrt{5}, \text{ which occurs when } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } \frac{3\pi}{2}.$$

10 B)  $\int_0^{2a} f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_a^{2a} f(x) dx.$

For  $\int_a^{2a} f(x) dx,$  let  $u = 2a - x, du = -dx.$

When  $x = 2a, u = 0,$  when  $x = a, u = a.$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^{2a} f(x) dx &= \int_a^0 f(2a - u)(-du) \\ &= \int_0^a f(2a - x) dx \end{aligned}$$

**Question 11**

(a) (i)  $|w| = \sqrt{1^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{17}.$

(ii)  $w\bar{z} = (-1 + 4i)(2 + i)$   
 $= -2 - 4 - i + 8i$   
 $= -6 + 7i$

(b) Let  $u = \ln x, du = \frac{1}{x} dx.$  Let  $dv = x, v = \frac{x^2}{2}.$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^e x \ln x dx &= \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x}{2} dx \\ &= \frac{e^2}{2} - \left[ \frac{x^2}{4} \right]_1^e \\ &= \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{e^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \\ &= \frac{e^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4}. \end{aligned}$$

(c)  $a = \frac{v dv}{dx} = v^2 + v.$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{dx} = v + 1.$$

$$\int dx = \int \frac{dv}{v+1}.$$

$$x = \ln(v+1) + C.$$

When  $x = 0, v = 1, \therefore C = -\ln 2.$ 

$$\therefore x = \ln \frac{v+1}{2}.$$

(d)  $\underline{u} - \underline{v} = -(2+p)\underline{i} - 2\underline{j} + k, \underline{u} + \underline{v} = (-2+p)\underline{i} + 5k.$

If they are perpendicular then  $(\underline{u} - \underline{v}) \cdot (\underline{u} + \underline{v}) = 0.$ 

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) \cdot (\underline{u} + \underline{v}) &= -(2+p)(-2+p) + 5 \\ &= -p^2 + 4 + 5 \\ &= -p^2 + 9 \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p = \pm 3.$$

(e)  $z = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4(3-i)}}{2}$   
 $= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{-3 + 4i}}{2}.$

but  $\sqrt{-3 + 4i} = \sqrt{1 - 4 + 2 \times 1 \times 2i} = 1 + 2i.$

$$\therefore z = \frac{-3 \pm (1 + 2i)}{2} = -1 + i \text{ or } -2 - i.$$

**Question 12**(a) (i)  $R + 200 \sin 30^\circ = 50g = 500$ , since  $g = 10$ .

$$R + 100 = 500$$

$$R = 400.$$

(ii)  $\sum f = 200 \cos 30^\circ - 0.3R$

$$= 100\sqrt{3} - 120$$

$$\approx 53.2 \text{ newtons.}$$

(iii)  $a = \frac{53.2}{50} = 1.064$ , since  $\sum f = ma = 50a$ .

$$a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 1.064$$

$$\int_0^V dv = \int_0^3 1.064 dt$$

$$V = 1.064t = 1.064 \times 3 = 3.192 \approx 3.2 \text{ km.}$$

(b) (i) Horizontally,  $\ddot{x} = 0$ .

$$\dot{x} = \int (0) dt = C.$$

$$\text{When } t = 0, \dot{x} = u \cos \theta, \therefore C = u \cos \theta.$$

$$\therefore \dot{x} = u \cos \theta.$$

$$x = \int (u \cos \theta) dt = ut \cos \theta + C.$$

$$\text{When } t = 0, x = 0, \therefore C = 0.$$

$$\therefore x = ut \cos \theta. \quad (1)$$

Vertically,  $\ddot{y} = -g$ .

$$\dot{y} = \int (-g) dt = -gt + C.$$

$$\text{When } t = 0, \dot{y} = u \sin \theta, \therefore C = u \sin \theta.$$

$$\therefore \dot{y} = -gt + u \sin \theta.$$

$$y = \int (-gt + u \sin \theta) dt = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + ut \sin \theta + C.$$

$$\text{When } t = 0, y = 0, \therefore C = 0.$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + ut \sin \theta. \quad (2)$$

(ii) From (1),  $t = \frac{x}{u \cos \theta}$

Substituting to (1),

$$y = -\frac{gx^2}{2u^2 \cos^2 \theta} + x \tan \theta$$

$$= -\frac{gx^2}{2u^2} \left( \sec^2 \theta - \frac{2u^2}{gx} \tan \theta \right)$$

$$= -\frac{gx^2}{2u^2} \left( \tan^2 \theta - \frac{2u^2}{gx} \tan \theta + 1 \right)$$

(iii) When  $y = 0, x = R, \therefore \tan^2 \theta - \frac{2u^2}{gR} \tan \theta + 1 = 0$ .

This equation has 2 real and distinct values of  $\tan \theta$ , hence,

$$2 \text{ distinct values of } \theta \text{ when } \Delta = \frac{4u^4}{g^2 R^2} - 4 > 0.$$

$$\therefore u^4 > g^2 R^2.$$

$$\therefore u^2 > gR.$$

**Question 13**

(a) Period =  $\frac{\pi}{3} = \frac{2\pi}{n}, \therefore n = 6$ .

$$\text{Let } x = \sqrt{3} + A \cos 6t.$$

$$\text{When } t = 0, x = 2\sqrt{3}, \therefore A = \sqrt{3}.$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{3}(1 + \cos 6t).$$

(b) The 2 lines intersect if there is a point that belongs to both lines.

$$3 + \lambda_1 = 3 - 2\lambda_2 \quad (1)$$

$$-1 + 2\lambda_1 = -6 + \lambda_2 \quad (2)$$

$$7 + \lambda_1 = 2 + 3\lambda_2 \quad (3)$$

$$(1) - (3) \text{ gives } -4 = 1 - 5\lambda_2, \therefore \lambda_2 = 1.$$

$$\text{Substituting } \lambda_2 = 1 \text{ to (1) gives } \lambda_1 = -2.$$

Test: Substituting  $\lambda_2 = 1$  to (2) gives  $\lambda_1 = -2$ , too.

$$\therefore \text{The point of intersection is } \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(c) (i)  $(a+b)^2 = (a-b)^2 + x^2$ , by Pythagoras' theorem,

$$\therefore a^2 + b^2 + 2ab = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab + x^2.$$

$$\therefore x^2 = 4ab.$$

$$\therefore x = 2\sqrt{ab}.$$

$$a+b \text{ is the hypotenuse, } \therefore a+b \geq 2\sqrt{ab}, \therefore \frac{a+b}{2} \geq \sqrt{ab}.$$

(ii) Let  $a = p^2, b = 4q^2$ ,

From the result of part (i),

$$p^2 + 4q^2 \geq 2\sqrt{4p^2q^2} = 4pq.$$

(d) (i) Let  $e^{in\theta} = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta$ ,

$$\therefore e^{-in\theta} = \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta)$$

$$= \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta, \text{ since } \cos x \text{ is even, and}$$

 $\sin x$  is odd.

$$\therefore e^{in\theta} + e^{-in\theta} = 2 \cos n\theta.$$

(ii)  $(e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta})^4 = e^{i4\theta} + 4e^{i3\theta}e^{-i\theta} + 6e^{i2\theta}e^{-i2\theta} + 4e^{i\theta}e^{-i3\theta} + e^{-i4\theta}$

$$= e^{i4\theta} + e^{-i4\theta} + 4(e^{i2\theta} + e^{-i2\theta}) + 6$$

$$\therefore (2 \cos \theta)^4 = 2 \cos 4\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta + 6.$$

$$\therefore \cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8}(\cos 4\theta + 4 \cos 2\theta + 3).$$

(iii)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 \theta d\theta = \frac{1}{8} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos 4\theta + 4 \cos 2\theta + 3) d\theta$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \left[ \frac{1}{4} \sin 4\theta + \frac{4}{2} \sin 2\theta + 3\theta \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} \times \frac{3\pi}{2} = \frac{3\pi}{16}.$$

**Question 14**

(a) (i) Let  $z_1 = re^{i\theta}$ ,  $\therefore z_2 = re^{i\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)}$ .

Point  $B$  has the same magnitude as point  $A$  and

is inclined an angle of  $\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ ,  $\therefore OAB$  is an

equilateral triangle.

(ii)  $z_2 = e^{\frac{i\pi}{3}} z_1$ .

$$z_2^3 = e^{i\pi} z_1^3$$

$$= -z_1^3.$$

$$\therefore z_1^3 + z_2^3 = 0.$$

$$\therefore (z_1 + z_2)(z_1^2 + z_2^2 - z_1 z_2) = 0.$$

$$\therefore z_1^2 + z_2^2 = z_1 z_2, \text{ since } z_1 + z_2 \neq 0.$$

(b)  $a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 10(1 - (0.01v)^2)$

$$= 10(1 - 0.01v)(1 + 0.01v)$$

$$\int_0^v \frac{dv}{(1 - 0.01v)(1 + 0.01v)} = 10 \int_0^5 dt$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_0^v \left( \frac{1}{1 - 0.01v} + \frac{1}{1 + 0.01v} \right) dv = 50.$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{0.01} \left[ \ln \frac{1 + 0.01v}{1 - 0.01v} \right]_0^v = 50$$

$$\ln \frac{1 + 0.01v}{1 - 0.01v} = 1.$$

$$\frac{1 + 0.01v}{1 - 0.01v} = e$$

$$(1 + e)0.01v = e - 1.$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{100(e - 1)}{e + 1}.$$

(c) Let  $n = 2$ , LHS =  $\frac{1}{4}$ , RHS =  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

$$\frac{1}{4} < \frac{1}{2}, \therefore \text{It's true for } n = 2.$$

$$\text{Assume } \exists n \in \mathbb{N} : \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n^2} < \frac{n-1}{n}.$$

$$\text{RTP } \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots + \frac{1}{n^2} + \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} < \frac{n}{n+1}.$$

$$\text{LHS} < \frac{n-1}{n} + \frac{1}{(n+1)^2}$$

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

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

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

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

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

$$< \frac{n}{n+1} = \text{RHS}.$$

$\therefore$  By the principle of Induction, it is true for  $\forall n \geq 2$ .

(d) Assume that  $\log_n(n+1)$  is rational, let

$$\log_n(n+1) = \frac{p}{q}, \text{ where } p \text{ and } q \text{ are positive integers.}$$

$$\therefore n+1 = n^{\frac{p}{q}}$$

$$\therefore (n+1)^q = n^p.$$

Assume that  $n$  is even, then LHS is odd while RHS is even, it's absurd. The argument is similar if  $n$  is odd.

$\therefore \log_n(n+1)$  is irrational.

### Question 15

(a) (i)  $k^3 + 1 = (k + 1)(k^2 - k + 1)$ .

$\therefore$  If  $k + 1$  is divisible by 3 then  $k^3 + 1$  is divisible by 3.

(ii) If  $k^3 + 1$  is not divisible by 3 then  $k + 1$  is not divisible by 3.

(iii) The converse is: If  $k^3 + 1$  is divisible by 3 then  $k + 1$  is divisible by 3.

Since  $k$  is an integer, let  $p \in \mathbb{Z}$ , consider these cases:

If  $k = 3p$ , then  $k^3 + 1 = (3p)^3 + 1$  is not divisible by 3.

If  $k = 3p - 1$ ,  $k^3 + 1 = (3p)(3p - 1)^2 - (3p - 1) + 1$ , which clearly is divisible by 3.

If  $k = 3p + 1$ ,  $k^3 + 1 = (3p + 2)(3p + 1)^2 - (3p + 1) + 1 = (3p + 2)(9p^2 + 3p + 1)$ , which is not divisible by 3.

$\therefore k^3 + 1$  is divisible by 3 only if  $k = 3p - 1$ , i.e.  $k + 1$  is divisible by 3.

(b) (i) Given  $\overline{CB} = \frac{m}{n}\overline{AC}$ ,  $\therefore \underline{b} - \underline{c} = \frac{m}{n}(\underline{c} - \underline{a})$  then

$$\underline{c} \left( 1 + \frac{m}{n} \right) = \underline{b} + \frac{m}{n}\underline{a}$$

$$\therefore \underline{c} = \frac{\underline{b} + \frac{m}{n}\underline{a}}{1 + \frac{m}{n}} = \frac{n\underline{b} + m\underline{a}}{m + n}$$

$$\therefore \overline{AC} = \underline{c} - \underline{a} = \frac{n\underline{b} + m\underline{a}}{m + n} - \underline{a} = \frac{n\underline{b} - n\underline{a}}{m + n} = \frac{n(\underline{b} - \underline{a})}{m + n}$$

(ii) Proven above.

(iii)  $\overline{OQ} = \overline{OP} + \overline{OR} = \underline{p} + \underline{r}$ .

From (i),  $\overline{OS} = \frac{1}{2}(\underline{p} + \underline{r}) + \frac{1}{2}\underline{r} = \frac{1}{2}\underline{p} + \underline{r}$ .

$$\overline{PR} = \underline{r} - \underline{p}$$

Let  $OT = mOS$  and  $PT = nPR$ ,

$$\overline{OT} = m \left( \frac{1}{2}\underline{p} + \underline{r} \right) \tag{1}$$

and  $\overline{PT} = n(\underline{r} - \underline{p})$ . (2)

In  $\triangle OPT$ ,  $\overline{OT} = \overline{OP} + \overline{PT} = \underline{p} + n(\underline{r} - \underline{p}) = (1 - n)\underline{p} + n\underline{r}$ . (3)

Equating the coefficients of  $\underline{p}$  and  $\underline{r}$  in (1) and (3) gives

$$\frac{m}{2} = 1 - n \text{ and } m = n.$$

$$\therefore m = n = \frac{2}{3}$$

(1) becomes  $\overline{OT} = \frac{1}{3}\underline{p} + \frac{2}{3}\underline{r}$ .

(iv) (2) becomes  $\overline{PT} = \frac{2}{3}(\underline{r} - \underline{p}) = \frac{2}{3}\overline{PR}$ ,  $\therefore P$  divides  $PR$  in the ratio of 2:1.

### Question 16

(a) (i) Let  $T$  be the tension of the string.

Resolving the forces,

at the  $2m$  mass,  $2ma = -2mg - kv + T$ . (1)

at the  $4m$  mass,  $4ma = 4mg - kv - T$ . (2)

(1) + (2) becomes

$$6ma = 2mg - 2kv.$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{gm - kv}{3m}$$

(ii)  $\int \frac{dv}{gm - kv} = \frac{1}{3m} \int dt$ .

$$-\frac{1}{k} \ln(gm - kv) = \frac{t}{3m} + C.$$

When  $t = 0, v = 0, \therefore C = -\frac{1}{k} \ln(gm)$ .

$$\frac{1}{k} \ln \frac{gm}{gm - kv} = \frac{t}{3m}$$

When  $t = \frac{3m}{k} \ln 2, \ln \frac{gm}{gm - kv} = \ln 2$ .

$$\frac{gm}{gm - kv} = 2.$$

$$gm = 2gm - 2kv.$$

$$\therefore v = \frac{gm}{2k}$$

(b) (i) Using IBP, let  $u = \sin^2(2\theta), dv = \sin(2\theta)d\theta$ .

$$du = 4n \sin^{2n-1}(2\theta) \cos(2\theta) d\theta, v = -\frac{1}{2} \cos(2\theta).$$

$$I_n = \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \sin^{2n}(2\theta) \cos 2\theta \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} + 2n \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{2n-1}(2\theta) \cos^2 2\theta d\theta$$

$$= 2n \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{2n-1}(2\theta) (1 - \sin^2 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= 2nI_{n-1} - 2nI_n.$$

$$\therefore I_n = \frac{2n}{2n+1} I_{n-1}.$$

(ii)  $I_n = \frac{2n}{2n+1} I_{n-1}$ .

$$I_{n-1} = \frac{2(n-1)}{2n-1} I_{n-2}.$$

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$$I_2 = \frac{4}{5} I_1.$$

$$I_1 = \frac{2}{3} I_0.$$

$$I_0 = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin 2\theta d\theta = -\left[ \frac{\cos 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= -\left( -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right) = 1.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore I_n &= \frac{2n}{2n+1} \cdot \frac{2(n-1)}{2n-1} \cdots \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \\
 &= \frac{2n}{2n+1} \cdot \frac{2n}{2n} \cdot \frac{2(n-1)}{2n-1} \cdots \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{4} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{2} \\
 &= \frac{(2^n n!)^2}{(2n+1)!} \\
 &= \frac{2^{2n} (n!)^2}{(2n+1)!}.
 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Let  $x = \sin^2 \theta$ ,  $dx = 2 \cos \theta \sin \theta d\theta$ .

When  $x = 0$ ,  $\theta = 0$ . When  $x = 1$ ,  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_0^1 x^n (1-x)^n dx &= 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{2n} \theta \cos^{2n} \theta \cos \theta \sin \theta d\theta \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{2n}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{2n} 2\theta \sin 2\theta d\theta \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{2n}} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^{2n+1} 2\theta d\theta \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{2n}} I_n.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore J_n = \frac{(n!)^2}{(2n+1)!}, \text{ using the result above.}$$

(iv)  $I_0 = 1$ , from above.

$\therefore I_n \leq 1$  for all  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ , since for  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,

$0 < \sin(2\theta) < 1$ ,  $\therefore$  the higher the power, the smaller the value.

$$\therefore I_n \leq 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{2^{2n} (n!)^2}{(2n+1)!} \leq 1$$

$$\therefore (2^n (n!))^2 \leq (2n+1)!$$