

2007 Extension 2 Solution (by Terry Lee)

Q1

$$(a) \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{9-4x^2}} dx = \frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \frac{2x}{3} + C.$$

$$(b) \int \tan^2 x \sec^2 x dx = \frac{\tan^3 x}{3} + C.$$

$$(c) \int_0^\pi x \cos x dx = [x \sin x]_0^\pi - \int_0^\pi \sin x dx \\ = [\cos x]_0^\pi = -2$$

$$(d) \int_0^{\frac{3}{4}} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x}} dx.$$

Let $u^2 = 1-x, 2u du = -dx$.

When $x=0, u=1$; when $x=\frac{3}{4}, u=\frac{1}{2}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1-u^2}{u} (-2u du) &= -2 \int_1^{\frac{1}{2}} (1-u^2) du \\ &= 2 \left[u - \frac{u^3}{3} \right]_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 \left[\left(1 - \frac{1}{3}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{24}\right) \right] \\ &= \frac{5}{12}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (e) \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \frac{2}{x^3+x^2+x+1} dx &= \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \left(\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{x}{x^2+1} + \frac{1}{x^2+1} \right) dx \\ &= \left[\ln(x+1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) + \tan^{-1} x \right]_{\frac{1}{2}}^2 \\ &= \ln \frac{3}{1.5} - \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{5}{1.25} + \tan^{-1} 2 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 4 + \tan^{-1} 2 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \tan^{-1} 2 - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

For discussion: This answer can be simplified further as

$\tan^{-1} \frac{3}{4}$, but I wonder whether we must do it (since it has 4 marks)

Q2

$$(a) (i) w = 4-i$$

$$(ii) w-z = 4-i-(4+i) = -2i$$

$$(iii) \frac{z}{w} = \frac{4+i}{4-i} = \frac{(4+i)^2}{(4-i)(4+i)} = \frac{15+8i}{17}.$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} (ii) (1+i)^{17} &= \sqrt{2}^{17} \left(\cos \frac{17\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{17\pi}{4} \right) \\ &= 256\sqrt{2} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \\ &= 256\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + i \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \\ &= 256 + 256i. \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \text{Let } z = x+iy.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{\bar{z}} &= \frac{1}{x+iy} + \frac{1}{x-iy} \\ &= \frac{x-iy+x+iy}{x^2+y^2} \\ &= \frac{2x}{x^2+y^2} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

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

$$x^2 - 2x + y^2 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1.$$

The locus is the circle of centre (1,0), radius 1, but excluding the origin as $z \neq 0$.

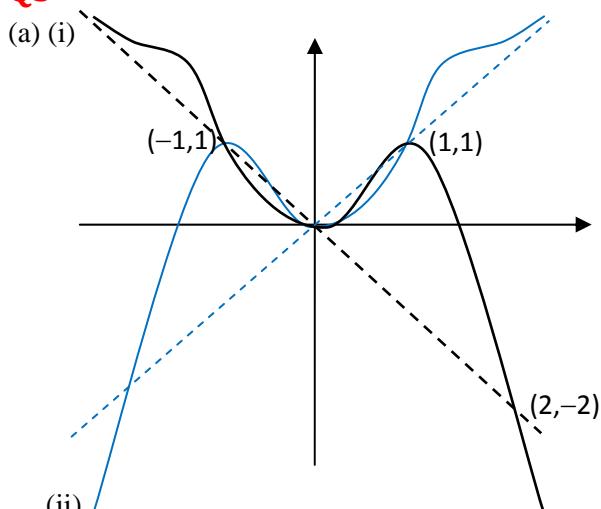
$$(d) (i) OQ = OR \text{ rotates } 60^\circ, \therefore z_2 = a \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = \omega a.$$

$$(ii) OP = OR \text{ rotates } (-60^\circ),$$

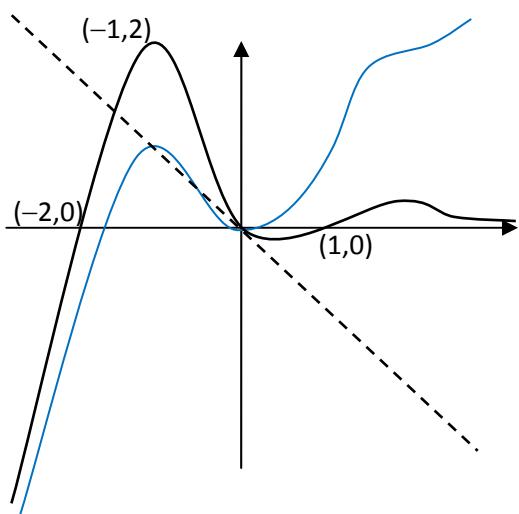
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore z_1 &= a \left(\cos \frac{-\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{-\pi}{3} \right) = a \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ \therefore z_1 z_2 &= a^2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ &= a^2 \left(\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{3} + \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ &= a^2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (iii) z_1 + z_2 &= a \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) + a \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ &= 2a \cos \frac{\pi}{3} = a. \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore z_1$ and z_2 are the roots of $z^2 - az + a^2$, since $\sum \alpha = a$, and $\prod \alpha = a^2$.

Q3

(iii) It's the same as adding $f(x)$ with $-x$.



(b) Let $y = 2x, \therefore x = \frac{y}{2}$

Substituting to the equation,

$$\frac{y^3}{8} - \frac{5y}{2} + 3 = 0$$

$$y^3 - 20y + 24 = 0.$$

\therefore The required cubic is $y^3 - 20y + 24$ or $x^3 - 20x + 24$.

(c) $\delta V = 2\pi xy\delta x$.

$$\begin{aligned} V &= 2\pi \int_1^e xy \, dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_1^e x \frac{\ln x}{x} \, dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_1^e \ln x \, dx \\ &= 2\pi \left[x \ln x - x \right]_1^e \\ &= 2\pi ((e - e) - (0 - 1)) \\ &= 2\pi u^3. \end{aligned}$$

(d) (i) Horizontally, $F \cos \theta - N \sin \theta = mr\omega^2$

$$\therefore N \sin \theta = F \cos \theta - mr\omega^2 \quad (1)$$

Vertically, $F \sin \theta + N \cos \theta = mg$

$$\therefore N \cos \theta = mg - F \sin \theta \quad (2)$$

(1) $\times \sin \theta + (2) \times \cos \theta$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} N &= F \cos \theta \sin \theta - mr\omega^2 \sin \theta + mg \cos \theta - F \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= mg \cos \theta - mr\omega^2 \sin \theta \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $N > 0$ then $mg \cos \theta > mr\omega^2 \sin \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \omega^2 &< \frac{g \cos \theta}{r \sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{g}{r} \cot \theta. \end{aligned}$$

Q4

(a) $\angle LAM = \angle LAP + \angle PAB + \angle BAM$

But $\angle LAP = \angle LBP$ (angles subtending the same arc are equal)

$\angle LBP = \angle MBQ$ (vertically opposite angles)

$\angle MBQ = \angle MAQ$ (angles subtending the same arc are equal)

$$\therefore \angle LAM = \angle PAB + \angle BAM + \angle MAQ$$

$$= \angle PAQ.$$

(b) (i) $\sin 3\theta = \sin(2\theta + \theta)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin 2\theta \cos \theta + \cos 2\theta \sin \theta \\ &= 2 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta + (\cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) \sin \theta \\ &= 3 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^3 \theta. \end{aligned}$$

(ii) $3 \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta - \sin^3 \theta$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sin \theta (3 \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta) \\ &= \sin \theta (\sqrt{3} \cos \theta + \sin \theta)(\sqrt{3} \cos \theta - \sin \theta) \\ &= 4 \sin \theta \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta \right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin \theta \right) \\ &= 4 \sin \theta \left(\frac{1}{2} \sin \theta + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos \theta \right) \left(-\frac{1}{2} \sin \theta + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \cos \theta \right) \\ &= 4 \sin \theta \left(\sin \theta \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \cos \theta \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \\ &\quad \times \left(\sin \theta \cos \frac{2\pi}{3} + \cos \theta \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) \\ &= 4 \sin \theta \sin \left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \sin \left(\theta + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right). \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\sin \theta \sin \left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \sin \left(\theta + \frac{2\pi}{3} \right) = \frac{1}{4} \sin 3\theta.$

\therefore Its maximum value is $\frac{1}{4}$.

(c) The slice $PQRS$ has side length $e - x$.

Its area $= (e - x)^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} \delta V &= (e - x)^2 \delta y \\ &= (e - e^y)^2 \delta y \\ &= (e^2 - 2e^{y+1} + e^{2y}) \delta y \\ \therefore V &= \int_0^1 (e^2 - 2e^{y+1} + e^{2y}) dy \\ &= \left[e^2 y - 2e^{y+1} + \frac{1}{2} e^{2y} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \left(e^2 - 2e^2 + \frac{1}{2} e^2 \right) - \left(-2e + \frac{1}{2} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} e^2 + 2e - \frac{1}{2} \\ &= \frac{-e^2 + 4e - 1}{2} \text{ units}^3. \end{aligned}$$

(d) (i) $\sum \alpha = \alpha - \alpha + \beta = \beta = -q$.

Substituting x by $-q$ gives $-q^3 + q^3 - qr + s = 0$.

$\therefore qr = s$.

(ii) By inspection, $x^3 + qx^2 + rx + s = (x + q) \left(x^2 + \frac{s}{q} \right)$

$\therefore x = -q$ or $x^2 = -\frac{s}{q}$, i.e. $x = \pm i \sqrt{\frac{s}{q}}$, \therefore There are two imaginary roots.

Q5

(a) (i) $\frac{^{12}C_3 \times ^{12}C_3}{^{24}C_6} = 0.36$

(ii) $\frac{^{12}C_4 \times ^{12}C_2 + ^{12}C_5 \times ^{12}C_1 + ^{12}C_6}{^{24}C_6} = 0.32.$

Alternatively, $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \times 0.36 = 0.32.$

(b) (i) Differentiating both sides of $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$,

$$\frac{2x}{a^2} - \frac{2y}{b^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{b^2 x}{a^2 y}.$$

\therefore The gradient to the curve at $P(x_1, y_1)$ is $\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1}$.

The equation of the tangent:

$$y - y_1 = \frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1} (x - x_1).$$

$$a^2 y_1 y - a^2 y_1^2 = b^2 x_1 x - b^2 x_1^2.$$

$$b^2 x_1 x - a^2 y_1 y = b^2 x_1^2 - a^2 y_1^2.$$

$$\frac{x_1 x}{a^2} - \frac{y_1 y}{b^2} = \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} - \frac{y_1^2}{b^2}, \text{ on dividing both sides by } a^2 b^2.$$

$$\therefore \frac{x_1 x}{a^2} - \frac{y_1 y}{b^2} = 1, \text{ since } (x_1, y_1) \text{ belongs to the ellipse.}$$

(ii) $T(x_0, y_0)$ belongs to both TP and TQ , \therefore its coordinates must satisfy both the tangents at P and Q , i.e.

$$\frac{x_1 x_0}{a^2} - \frac{y_1 y_0}{b^2} = 1 \text{ and } \frac{x_2 x_0}{a^2} - \frac{y_2 y_0}{b^2} = 1.$$

\therefore The equation of PQ must be $\frac{xx_0}{a^2} - \frac{yy_0}{b^2} = 1$, as (x, y) can be replaced by (x_1, y_1) or (x_2, y_2) .

(iii) Substituting (x, y) by $(ae, 0)$

$$\frac{aex_0}{a^2} - 0 = 1$$

$$\therefore x_0 = \frac{a}{e}.$$

$\therefore T$ lies in the directrix.

(c) (i) $(x-1)(5-x) = -5 + 6x - x^2$
 $= 4 - (x-3)^2.$

$$\therefore a = 3, b = 2.$$

$$(ii) \int_1^5 \sqrt{(x-1)(5-x)} dx = \int_1^5 \sqrt{4 - (x-3)^2} dx.$$

Let $x-3 = 2\sin\theta, dx = 2\cos\theta d\theta$.

When $x=1, \theta = -\frac{\pi}{2}$; When $x=5, \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

$$\int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sqrt{4 - 4\sin^2\theta} 2\cos\theta d\theta = \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 4\cos^2\theta d\theta$$

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

$$= 2 \left[\frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} + \theta \right]_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= 2\pi.$$

(d) (i) $AC = 2AF = 2\cos\frac{\pi}{5}$. Similarly, $AD = 2\cos\frac{\pi}{5}$.

The angle sum of a polygon $= (n-2)\pi$, \therefore the angle sum of the pentagon $= 3\pi$.

$$\therefore \angle BAE = \frac{3\pi}{5}.$$

$$\therefore \angle CAD = \frac{\pi}{5}.$$

By the Cosine rule,

$$CD^2 = AC^2 + AD^2 - 2AC \cdot AD \cdot \cos\frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$1 = 4\cos^2\frac{\pi}{5} + 4\cos^2\frac{\pi}{5} - 2 \times 4\cos^2\frac{\pi}{5} \cos\frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$1 = 8u^2 - 8u^3, \text{ given } u = \cos\frac{\pi}{5}.$$

$$\therefore 8u^3 - 8u^2 + 1 = 0.$$

$$(ii) 8u^3 - 8u^2 + 1 = (2u-1)(4u^2 - 2u - 1).$$

$$\text{Solving } 4u^2 - 2u - 1 = 0 \text{ gives } u = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{4}.$$

$$\therefore \cos\frac{\pi}{5} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{4}, \text{ since } \cos\frac{\pi}{5} > 0.$$

Q6

(a) (i) Let $a = b = 1$,

$$2^n = 1 + \binom{n}{1} + \binom{n}{2} + \dots + \binom{n}{n}$$

$$\therefore 2^n > \binom{n}{2}, \text{ for all } n \geq 2.$$

(ii) From (i) above, $2^n > \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

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

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

$$\frac{n+2}{2^{n-1}} < \frac{4(n+2)}{n(n-1)}.$$

(iii) Let $n = 1$, LHS = 1, RHS = $4 - 3 = 1$, \therefore true!

Assume the statement is true for $n = k$,

$$1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \dots + k\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} = 4 - \frac{k+2}{2^{k-1}}$$

$$\therefore \text{RTP } 1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \dots + (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = 4 - \frac{k+3}{2^k}$$

$$\text{LHS} = 1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \dots + k\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} + (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$$

$$= 4 - \frac{k+2}{2^{k-1}} + (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$$

$$= 4 - \frac{k+2}{2^{k-1}} - \frac{-k-1}{2^k}$$

$$= 4 - \frac{2(k+2)-k-1}{2^k}$$

$$= 4 - \frac{k+3}{2^k}$$

$$= \text{RHS}.$$

\therefore It's true for $n = k + 1$.

\therefore It's true for $n \geq 1$.

(iv) From (ii), $\frac{n+2}{2^{n-1}} < \frac{4(n+2)}{n(n-1)}$.

As $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{4(n+2)}{n(n-1)} \rightarrow 0^+$, $\therefore \frac{n+2}{2^{n-1}} \rightarrow 0^+$

\therefore The limiting sum of $1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \dots$ is 4.

$$(b) (i) v = \frac{dx}{dt} = 5 \frac{1.4e^{1.4t} - 1.4e^{-1.4t}}{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}}$$

$$= 7 \frac{e^{1.4t} - e^{-1.4t}}{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}}.$$

$$(ii) v^2 = 49 \left(\frac{e^{1.4t} - e^{-1.4t}}{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}} \right)^2$$

$$= 49 \left(\frac{e^{2.8t} + e^{-2.8t} - 2}{e^{2.8t} + e^{-2.8t} + 2} \right)$$

$$= 49 \left(\frac{e^{2.8t} + e^{-2.8t} + 2 - 4}{e^{2.8t} + e^{-2.8t} + 2} \right)$$

$$= 49 \left(1 - \left(\frac{2}{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$\text{But } \frac{x}{5} = \ln \frac{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}}{2}, \therefore \frac{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}}{2} = e^{\frac{x}{5}},$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{2}{e^{1.4t} + e^{-1.4t}} \right)^2 = e^{-\frac{2x}{5}}.$$

$$\therefore v^2 = 49 \left(1 - e^{-\frac{2x}{5}} \right)$$

$$(iii) \ddot{x} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) = \frac{49}{2} \frac{d}{dx} \left(1 - e^{-\frac{2x}{5}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{49}{2} \times \frac{2}{5} e^{-\frac{2x}{5}}$$

$$= \frac{49}{5} e^{-\frac{2x}{5}}$$

$$= \frac{49}{5} \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{49} \right)$$

$$= 9.8 - 0.2v^2.$$

(iv) $-0.2v^2$ is the air resistance.

As its velocity increases from 0 to its terminal velocity u
its acceleration decreases from 9.8 to zero.

(v) Its terminal velocity is $v = \sqrt{\frac{9.8}{0.2}} = 7$ m/s.

Q7

(a) (i) Let $g(x) = \sin x - x$

$g'(x) = \cos x - 1 < 0$ for $x > 0$, $\therefore g(x)$ is decreasing for all $x > 0$.

When $x = 0$, $g(0) = 0$,

$$\therefore g(x) < 0$$

$$\therefore \sin x - x < 0$$

$$\therefore \sin x < x \text{ for } x > 0.$$

$$(ii) f(x) = \sin x - x + \frac{x^3}{6}.$$

$$f'(x) = \cos x - 1 + \frac{x^2}{2}.$$

$$f''(x) = -\sin x + x.$$

From (i), $f''(x) > 0$, $\therefore f(x)$ is concave up.

(iii) As $f''(x) > 0$, $f'(x)$ is increasing. When $x = 0$, $f'(0) = 0$, $\therefore f'(x) > 0$.

As $f(x)$ is concave up and its gradient is positive, $f(x) > 0$.

$$\therefore \sin x - x + \frac{x^3}{6} > 0.$$

$$\therefore \sin x > x - \frac{x^3}{6}.$$

(b) (i) In ΔPUR and ΔQVR ,

$\angle R$ is common,

$$\angle PUR = \angle QVR = 90^\circ,$$

$$\therefore \Delta PUR \sim \Delta QVR.$$

$$\therefore \frac{PR}{QR} = \frac{PU}{QV} \text{ (corresponding sides in similar triangles are proportional).}$$

(ii) But $PS = ePU$, and $QS = eQV$,

$$\frac{PU}{QV} = \frac{ePU}{eQV} = \frac{PS}{QS}.$$

$$(iii) \text{ In } \Delta PRS, \frac{\sin(\phi + \theta)}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{PR}{PS}. \quad (1)$$

$$\text{In } \Delta QRS, \frac{\sin \theta}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{QR}{QS}. \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(1)}{(2)} \text{ gives } \frac{\sin(\phi + \theta)}{\sin \theta} &= \frac{PR}{PS} \times \frac{QS}{QR} \\ &= \frac{PR}{QR} \times \frac{QS}{PS} \\ &= 1, \text{ from (i) and (ii).} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \sin(\phi + \theta) = \sin \theta$$

$$\therefore \phi + \theta = \theta \text{ or } \pi - \theta$$

$$\therefore \phi = \pi - 2\theta, \text{ since } \phi \neq 0.$$

$$(iv) \text{ As } \phi \rightarrow 0, \pi - 2\theta \rightarrow 0, \therefore \theta \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

$$(c) (i) \text{ Since } PS = ePN, \frac{PS}{PR} = e \frac{PN}{PR} = e \cos \beta.$$

$$(ii) \text{ Similarly, } \frac{PS'}{PW} = e \frac{PM}{PW} = e \cos \beta.$$

$$\therefore \frac{PS}{PR} = \frac{PS'}{PW}.$$

$$\text{In } \Delta PRS, \frac{PS}{PR} = \cos(\angle RPS), \text{ in } \Delta PWS', \frac{PS'}{PW} = \cos(\angle WPS'),$$

$$\therefore \angle RPS = \angle WPS'.$$

Q8

(a) (i) Let $u = a - x, du = -dx$.

When $x = 0, u = a$; When $x = a, u = 0$.

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \int_0^a f(x) dx &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^a f(x) dx + \int_0^a f(a-x) dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^a (f(x) + f(a-x)) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^a f(a) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} f(a) \int_0^a dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} f(a) \times [x]_0^a \\ &= \frac{a}{2} f(a). \end{aligned}$$

(b) (i) This is a GP, with $a = 1, r = z^2$.

$$\begin{aligned} S_n &= \frac{z^{2n} - 1}{z^2 - 1} = z^{n-1} \frac{z^{n+1} - \frac{1}{z^{n-1}}}{z^2 - 1} \\ &= z^{n-1} \frac{\left(z^n - \frac{1}{z^n} \right) z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{z} \right) z} \\ &= \frac{z^n - z^{-n}}{z - z^{-1}} z^{n-1}. \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Let $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$, by De Moivre's theorem,

$$z^n = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta.$$

$$z^{-n} = \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta) = \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta, \text{ as}$$

$\cos x$ is even, and $\sin x$ is odd.

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = 1 + \cos 2\theta + \dots + \cos(2n-2)\theta$$

$$+ i(\sin 2\theta + \dots + \sin(2n-2)\theta).$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RHS} &= \frac{\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta - (\cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta)}{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta - (\cos \theta - i \sin \theta)} \\ &\quad \times [\cos(n-1)\theta + i \sin(n-1)\theta] \\ &= \frac{2i \sin n\theta}{2i \sin \theta} \times [\cos(n-1)\theta + i \sin(n-1)\theta] \\ &= \frac{\sin n\theta}{\sin \theta} \times [\cos(n-1)\theta + i \sin(n-1)\theta]. \end{aligned}$$

(iii) Let $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2n}$, by considering the imaginary parts in part (ii),

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \frac{\pi}{n} + \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} + \dots + \sin \frac{(n-1)\pi}{n} &= \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}} \sin \frac{(n-1)\pi}{2n} \\ &= \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}} \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{2n} \right) = \frac{1}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}} \cos \frac{\pi}{2n} = \cot \frac{\pi}{2n}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c) (i)} d_1 + d_2 + \dots + d_{n-1} &= \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{n} + \sin \frac{2\pi}{n} + \dots + \sin \frac{(n-1)\pi}{n}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{n}} \\ &= \frac{\cot \frac{\pi}{2n}}{\frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}}} = \frac{1}{\frac{2 \sin \frac{\pi}{2n} \cos \frac{\pi}{2n}}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n}}} = \frac{1}{\frac{\pi}{2n}}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \frac{P}{q} = \frac{n}{\frac{1}{n} \times \frac{1}{2 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n}}} = 2n^2 \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n}.$$

$$\text{(iii)} \frac{P}{q} = \frac{\pi^2}{2} \frac{\sin^2 \frac{\pi}{2n}}{\frac{\pi^2}{4n^2}}. \text{ As } n \rightarrow \infty, \frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2n}}{\frac{\pi}{2n}} \rightarrow 1, \frac{p}{q} \rightarrow \frac{\pi^2}{2}.$$