

Suggested solutions to 2016 Paper 1 (H2 Math)

$$1) \frac{4x^2+4x-14}{x-4} - (x+3) = \frac{4x^2+4x-14 - (x-4)(x+3)}{x-4}$$

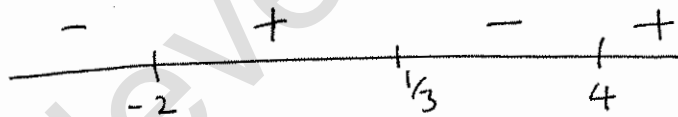
$$= \frac{(4x^2+4x-14) - (x^2-x-12)}{x-4}$$

$$= \frac{3x^2+5x-2}{x-4}$$

$$\frac{4x^2+4x-14}{x-4} < x+3 \Rightarrow \frac{4x^2+4x-14}{x-4} - (x+3) < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x^2+5x-2}{x-4} < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(3x-1)(x+2)}{x-4} < 0$$



$$\therefore x < -2 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{3} < x < 4.$$

$$2i) \quad y = 2^{\cos x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=0} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=\frac{\pi}{2}} \approx -0.693$$

ii) when  $x=0$ , tangent is a horizontal line  $\Rightarrow y=2$ .  
 $y = 2^{\cos 0}$   
 $= 2$

when  $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $y = 2^{\cos \frac{\pi}{2}} = 1$

$\therefore$  eqn of tangent:  $y - 1 = -0.693(x - \frac{\pi}{2})$   
 $y = -0.693x + 2.01$

3)

$y = x^4$	$y = f(x)$
$(0, 0)$	$(a, b)$
	$(0, c)$

$$f(x) = k(x-l)^4 + m$$

when  $x=0$ ,  $f(0) = c$

$$\Rightarrow c = kl^4 + m \quad (1)$$

Also turning point of  $f(x)$   
 $= (l, m) = (a, b)$

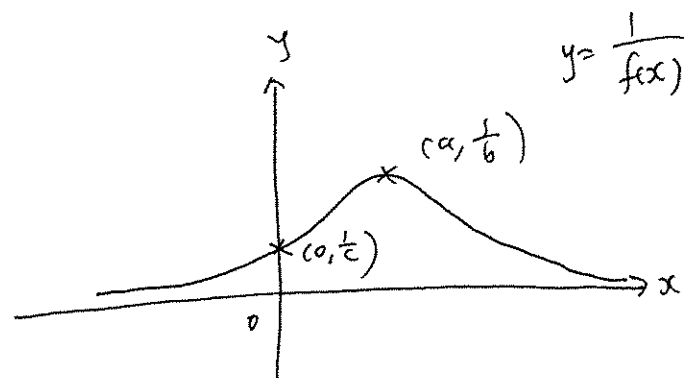
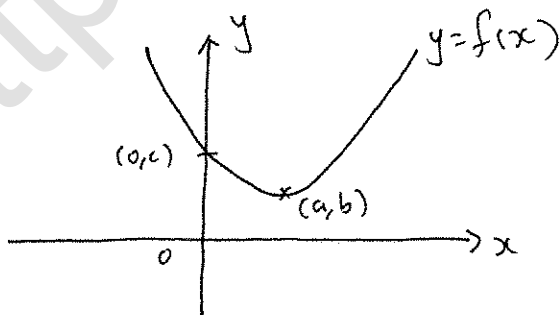
Comparing coefficient,

$$l = a, m = b \quad (2)$$

sub (2) into (1).

$$c = ka^4 + b \Rightarrow k = \frac{c-b}{a^4}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{c-b}{a^4}(x-a)^4 + b$$



$$Q4i) \quad \frac{a+8d}{a+3d} = r^3 \quad (1), \quad \frac{a+11d}{a+3d} = r^{10}. \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{5d}{a+3d} = r^3.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a+3d}{5d} = \frac{1}{r^3-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \frac{5d}{r^3-1} - 3d \quad (3).$$

Sub (3) into (2).

$$\frac{\frac{5d}{r^3-1} - 3d + 11d}{\frac{5d}{r^3-1} - 3d + 3d} = r^{10} \Rightarrow \frac{\frac{5d}{r^3-1} + 8d}{\frac{5d}{r^3-1}} = r^{10}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{5 + 8(r^3-1)}{5} = r^{10}.$$

$$\Rightarrow 8r^3 - 3 = 5r^{10} \Rightarrow 5r^{10} - 8r^3 + 3 = 0.$$

Using G.C,  $r = 0.74$  (2 d.p) or  $r = 1$  (rejected)

$$ii) \quad u_n = b(0.74)^{n-1}.$$

$$\text{Sum required} = S_{\infty} - S_n = \frac{b}{1-0.74} - \frac{b(1-0.74^n)}{1-0.74}$$

$$= 3.85b(0.74^n)$$

$$5) \quad \underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$i) \quad \underline{u} + \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 2+a \\ -1 \\ 2+b \end{pmatrix}, \quad \underline{u} - \underline{v} = \begin{pmatrix} 2-a \\ -1 \\ 2-b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\underline{u} + \underline{v}) \times (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) &= \begin{pmatrix} 2+a \\ -1 \\ 2+b \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2-a \\ -1 \\ 2-b \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} (b-2) - (-2-b) \\ -(2+a)(2-b) + (2+b)(2-a) \\ (-2-a) - (-2+a) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 2b \\ 4b-4a \\ -2a \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$ii) \quad 2b = -2a \Rightarrow b = -a.$$

$$\therefore (\underline{u} + \underline{v}) \times (\underline{u} - \underline{v}) = \begin{pmatrix} -2a \\ -8a \\ -2a \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $(\underline{u} + \underline{v}) \times (\underline{u} - \underline{v})$  is a unit vector,

$$\left| \begin{pmatrix} -2a \\ -8a \\ -2a \end{pmatrix} \right| = 1 \Rightarrow \sqrt{(-2a)^2 + (-8a)^2 + (-2a)^2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 72a^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{72}} = \pm \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}.$$

$$\text{iii) } (x+y) \cdot (x-y) = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2+a \\ -1 \\ 2+b \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2-a \\ -1 \\ 2-b \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(2^2 - a^2) + (-1)^2 + (2^2 - b^2) = 0.$$

$$9 - a^2 - b^2 = 0.$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = 9$$

$$\text{since } |x| = \left| \begin{pmatrix} a \\ 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \right| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$|x| = \sqrt{9} = 3.$$

Q6.) Let  $P(n)$  be the statement

$$\sum_{r=1}^n r(r^2+1) = \frac{1}{4} n(n+1)(n^2+n+2), \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$

when  $n=1$

$$\text{LHS: } 1(1^2+1) = 2$$

$$\text{RHS: } \frac{1}{4}(1)(2)(4) = 2 = \text{LHS}$$

$\therefore P(1)$  is true.

Assume  $P(k)$  is true for some  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , i.e.

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

We want to prove

$$\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} r(r^2+1) = \frac{1}{4} (k+1)(k+2) [k^2+k+2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (k+1)(k+2) (k^2+3k+4)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{LHS: } \sum_{r=1}^{k+1} r(r^2+1) &= \sum_{r=1}^k r(r^2+1) + (k+1)[(k+1)^2+1] \\
 &= \frac{1}{4}k(k+1)[k^2+k+2] + (k+1)[(k+1)^2+1] \\
 &= \frac{1}{4}(k+1)[k^3+k^2+2k+4(k+1)^2+4] \\
 &= \frac{1}{4}(k+1)[k^3+5k^2+10k+8] \\
 &= \frac{1}{4}(k+1)(k+2)(k^2+3k+4) = \text{RHS.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore P(k)$  is true  $\Rightarrow P(k+1)$  is true.

Since  $P(1)$  is true,  $P(k)$  is true  $\Rightarrow P(k+1)$  is true,  
by Mathematical Induction,  $P(n)$  is true for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i)} \quad u_1 &= u_0 + 1^3 + 1 = 4 \\
 u_2 &= u_1 + 2^3 + 2 = 14 \\
 u_3 &= u_2 + 3^3 + 3 = 44.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ii)} \quad \sum_{r=1}^n (u_r - u_{r-1}) = \sum_{r=1}^n (r^3 + r) = \sum_{r=1}^n r(r^2 + 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{LHS: } \sum_{r=1}^n (u_r - u_{r-1}) \\
 &= \cancel{u_1} - u_0 \\
 &\quad + \cancel{u_2} - \cancel{u_1} \\
 &\quad + \cancel{u_3} - \cancel{u_2} \\
 &\quad + \dots \\
 &\quad + \cancel{u_{n-1}} - \cancel{u_{n-2}} \\
 &\quad + u_n - \cancel{u_{n-1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= u_n - u_0 \\
 &= u_n - 2.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore u_n - 2 = \frac{1}{4}n(n+1)(n^2+n+2)$$

$$u_n = \frac{1}{4}n(n+1)(n^2+n+2) + 2 //$$

Q7a) let  $w = -1+5i$

$$(-1+5i)^2 + (-1-8i)(-1+5i) + (-17+7i)$$

$$= (1-10i-25) + (1+3i+40) + (-17+7i)$$

$$= 0$$

$\therefore w = -1+5i$  is a root.

let  $a+bi$  be 2nd root.

$$(w - (-1+5i))(w - (a+bi)) = w^2 + (-1-8i)w + (-17+7i)$$

$$w^2 + w[-(a+bi) - (-1+5i)] + (-1+5i)(a+bi) = w^2 + (-1-8i)w + (-17+7i)$$

$$w^2 + w(1-a - (5+b)i) + (-1+5i)(a+bi) = w^2 + (-1-8i)w + (-17+7i)$$

Compare coeff of  $w$  term.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 1-a = -1 \\ -5-b = -8 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} a = 2 \\ b = 3. \end{array}$$

$\therefore$  2nd root is  $2+3i$ .

b) Since  $z = 1+ai$  is a root,

$$(1+ai)^3 - 5(1+ai)^2 + 16(1+ai) + k = 0.$$

$$(1+3ai-3a^2-a^3i) - 5(1+2ai-a^2) + (16+16ai) + k = 0.$$

Compare imaginary part

$$3a - a^3 - 10a + 16a = 0 \Rightarrow 9a - a^3 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 3.$$

Compare real part

$$1-3a^2-5+5a^2+16+k=0 \Rightarrow k = -30.$$

Q 8i)  $f(x) = \tan(ax+b)$   
 $y = \tan(ax+b)$

$$f'(x) = a \sec^2(ax+b)$$

$$= a [\tan^2(ax+b) + 1]$$

$$= a + ay^2$$

$$f''(x) = a \left( 2y \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = 2ay(atay^2) = 2a^2y + 2a^2y^3$$

$$f'''(x) = a \left[ 2 \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 2y \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \right]$$

$$= 2a(a+ay^2)^2 + 2ay(2a^2y + 2a^2y^3)$$

$$= 2a(a^2 + 2a^2y^2 + a^2y^4) + 2ay(2a^2y + 2a^2y^3)$$

$$= 2a^3 + 4a^3y^2 + 2a^3y^4 + 4a^3y^2 + 4a^3y^4$$

$$= 2a^3 + 8a^3y^2 + 6a^3y^4.$$

ii) when  $x=0$ ,  $b = \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $y = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$

$$f'(0) = 2a$$

$$f''(0) = 4a^2$$

$$f'''(0) = 16a^3$$

$$\therefore f(x) = 1 + 2ax + \frac{4a^2}{2!}x^2 + \frac{16a^3}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

$$= 1 + 2ax + 2a^2x^2 + \frac{8}{3}a^3x^3 + \dots$$



$$\text{iii) } y = \tan 2x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 \sec^2 2x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 8 \sec 2x (\sec 2x \tan 2x)$$

$$= 8 \sec^2 2x \tan 2x$$

$$= 8 (\tan^2 2x + 1) \tan 2x$$

$$= 8 \tan^3 2x + 8 \tan 2x$$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 48 \tan^2 2x (\sec^2 2x) + 16 \sec^2 2x$$

$$\text{when } x=0, \quad y=0, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = 2, \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0,$$

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 16.$$

$$\therefore \tan 2x = 2x + \frac{8}{3}x^3 + \dots$$

$$\text{Q9) a) } y = \frac{dx}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{d^2x}{dt^2}$$

$\therefore$  New D.E

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = 10$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 10 - 2y$$

$$\text{b) } \int \frac{1}{10-2y} dy = \int 1 dt$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} \ln |10-2y| = t + C$$

$$\ln |10-2y| = -2t - 2c$$

$$|10-2y| = e^{-2t-2c}$$

$$10-2y = \pm e^{-2t-2c} = Ae^{-2t}, \text{ where } A = \pm e^{-2c}$$

$$y = \frac{10 - Ae^{-2t}}{2}$$

when  $t=0$ ,  $y=0$ .

$$0 = \frac{10 - A}{2} \Rightarrow A = 10$$

$$\therefore y = 5 - 5e^{-2t} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = 5 - 5e^{-2t} \Rightarrow x = 5t + \frac{5}{2}e^{-2t} + f$$

when  $t=0$ ,  $x=0 \Rightarrow f = -\frac{5}{2}$   
 $x = 5t + \frac{5}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{5}{2}$

ii)  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = 10 - 5\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right)$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 10t + 10\cos\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right) + c$$

$$x = \frac{10t^2}{2} + 20\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right) + ct + d$$

when  $t=0$ ,  $x=0$ .

$$d = 0$$

$$\text{when } t=0 \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow c = -10$$

$$\therefore x = 5t^2 + 20\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right) - 10t$$

iii) when  $x=5$ ,

from 1st model

$$5 = 5t + \frac{5}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5t + \frac{5}{2}e^{-2t} - \frac{15}{2} = 0$$

using G.C (graphical).

$$t \approx 1.47 \text{ s.}$$

from 2nd model

$$5 = 5t^2 + 20\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t\right) - 10t$$

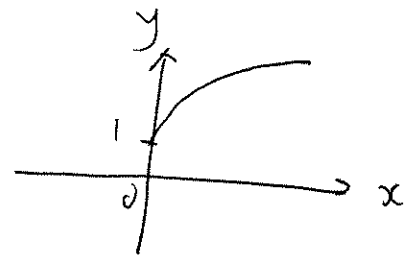
Using G.C (graphical)

$$t = 1.05 \text{ s.}$$

Q10a)  $f(x) = 1 + \sqrt{x}$ ,  $x \geq 0$ .

$$y = 1 + \sqrt{x}$$

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



$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = (x-1)^2, \quad x \in [1, \infty)$$

ii) If  $ff(x) = x \Rightarrow \sqrt{1 + \sqrt{x}} + 1 = x$

$$\sqrt{1 + \sqrt{x}} = x - 1 \Rightarrow 1 + \sqrt{x} = (x-1)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = [(x-1)^2 - 1]^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (x-1)^4 - 2(x-1)^2 + 1$$

$$x = x^4 - 4x^3 + 6x^2 - 4x + 1 - 2x^2 + 4x - 2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^4 - 4x^3 + 4x^2 - x = 0.$$

$$\cdot x(x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 1) = 0.$$

$$x=0 \quad \text{or} \quad x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0.$$

(rej. since  $ff(0) \neq 0$ ).

Using G.C

$$x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2.62$$

$$ff(x) = x \Rightarrow f^{-1}ff(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

$$\therefore x = 2.62 \text{ satisfies } f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) i) } g(4) &= 2 + g(2) = 2 + (2 + g(1)) \\ &= 4 + (1 + g(0)) \\ &= 6. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(7) &= 1 + g(6) = 1 + (2 + g(3)) = 3 + g(3) \\ &= 3 + (1 + g(2)) = 4 + g(2) = 4 + 2 + g(1) \\ &= 6 + g(1) = 6 + 1 + g(0) = 8. \end{aligned}$$

$$g(12) = 2 + g(6) = 2 + 7 = 9.$$

$$\text{ii) No. } g(7) = g(8) = 8.$$

Q11) a) normal vector of  $p = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$

since direction vector of  $l$ ,  $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

ie. parallel to normal of  $p$ ,

$l \perp p$ .

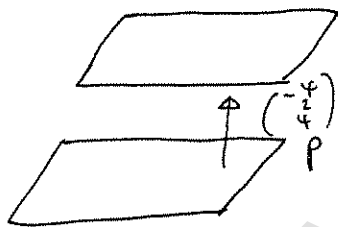
when  $a=0$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1-2t \\ t \\ 1+2t \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+\lambda \\ -3+2\lambda+4\mu \\ 2-2\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} -2t - \lambda = 2 \\ t - 2\lambda - 4\mu = -3 \\ 2t + 2\mu = 1 \end{cases} \left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} -2t - \lambda = 2 \\ t - 2\lambda - 4\mu = -3 \\ 2t + 2\mu = 1 \end{matrix}} \right\} \text{using G.C}$$

$$\lambda = -\frac{8}{9}, \mu = \frac{19}{18}, t = -\frac{5}{9}$$

b)



eqs of 2 planes are

$$\pi_1: \vec{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = k_1$$

$$\pi_2: \vec{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = k_2$$

Scalar product eqs of  $p$ :  $\vec{L} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = -2$

dist. between  $p$  &  $O = \frac{|-2|}{\left| \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \right|} = \frac{1}{3}$

dist. between  $\pi_1$  &  $O = \frac{1}{3} + 12 = \frac{37}{3}$

dist. between  $\pi_2$  &  $O = 12 - \frac{1}{3} = \frac{35}{3}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{|k_1|}{6} = \frac{37}{3} \Rightarrow |k_1| = 74 \quad \frac{|k_2|}{6} = \frac{35}{3} \Rightarrow |k_2| = 70$$

Since  $\pi_1$  &  $p$  are on same side with respect to  $O$ ,

$$k_1 = -74$$

$\pi_2$  &  $p$  are on opposite side with respect to  $O$ ,

$$k_2 = 70.$$

$$\therefore \pi_1: -4x + 2y + 4z = -74$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x + y + 2z = -37$$

$$\pi_2: -4x + 2y + 4z = 70$$

$$\Rightarrow -2x + y + 2z = 35$$

(ii)

For  $l$  to lie on  $p \Rightarrow l \parallel p$  &

$\begin{pmatrix} a-1 \\ a \\ a+1 \end{pmatrix}$  lies on  $p$ .

$$\text{Normal of } p = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} a \\ a \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4-2a \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \\ 4-2a \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 8 + 2 + 8 - 4a = 0$$

$$a = \frac{9}{2}.$$