



2019 NSW ESA Mathematics Extension 1 Solutions

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Section I

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A	D	C	B	A	B	C	A	D	A

Q1 $4-x > 0, x < 4$

A

Q2 $(2x)^2 = x(9+x), 4x^2 = x(9+x)$

D

Q3 $\frac{d}{dx} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2}{2^2+x^2} = \frac{2}{4+x^2}$

C

Q4 $y = \frac{x^2}{x^2-1} = 1 + \frac{1}{x^2-1}$

B

Q5 Period = 2, at $t=0, x=2$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$

A

Q6 When $\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \pi, \cos x = -\sqrt{1-\sin^2 x} = -\frac{\sqrt{15}}{4}$

$\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x = -\frac{\sqrt{15}}{8}$

B

Q7 Let β be the third zero. $(-1)\alpha\beta = -\frac{q}{q}, \therefore \beta = \frac{1}{\alpha}$

C

Q8 Let X represents LLL

Number of permutations of $XAAEPR$ is $\frac{6!}{2!}$

A

Q9 $y = \cos^{-1}(-\sin x) = \cos^{-1}(\sin(-x)) = \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - (-x)\right)\right)$
 $= \cos^{-1}\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + x\right)\right) = x + \frac{\pi}{2}$

D

Q10 $f(x) = -\sqrt{1+\sqrt{1+x}}$ is defined for $1+x \geq 0, \therefore x \geq -1$ and $y \leq -1 \therefore$ for $f^{-1}(x), x \leq -1$ and $y \geq -1$
 \therefore one point in common which is $(-1, -1)$.

A

Section II

Q11a $m_1 = \frac{1}{2}, m_2 = 3, \tan \theta = \frac{3-\frac{1}{2}}{1+3(\frac{1}{2})} = 1 \therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$

Q11b Consider the graph of $y = \frac{x}{x+1} = 1 - \frac{1}{x+1}$.

Asymptotes are $y=1$ and $x=-1$.

$y = \frac{x}{x+1}$ and $y=2$ intersect at $x=-2$

$\therefore y = \frac{x}{x+1} < 2$ for $x < -2$ or $x > -1$.

Q11c $\angle BCA$ is a right angle (subtended by a diameter).

$\therefore \angle BAC + \angle ABC = \angle BCD + \angle CBD = 90^\circ$

Since $\angle BAC = \angle BCD$ (angles in alternate segments)

$\therefore \angle ABC = \angle CBD$

Q11d

$Q(x) = \frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 3x - 10}{x-2} = \frac{(x-2)(x^2 + 4x + 5)}{x-2} = x^2 + 4x + 5$

Q11e $\int 2 \sin^2 4x dx = \int 1 - \cos 8x dx = x - \frac{1}{8} \sin 8x + c$

Q11fi $\Pr(0) = \left(1 - \frac{5}{100}\right)^8 = \left(\frac{19}{20}\right)^8$ or ≈ 0.66

Q11fii $\Pr(\text{at least } 2) = 1 - \Pr(0) - \Pr(1) = 1 - \left(\frac{19}{20}\right)^8 - 8\left(\frac{1}{20}\right)\left(\frac{19}{20}\right)^7$
 ≈ 0.057

Q12a $A = \frac{9}{B}$ When $A=12, B = \frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{dA}{dt} = -\frac{9}{B^2} \times \frac{dB}{dt} = -\frac{9}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2} \times 0.2 = -3.2 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

Q12bi $x = R \cos(3t - \alpha) = R \cos 3t \cos \alpha + R \sin 3t \sin \alpha$ where

$R \cos \alpha = \sqrt{2}$ and $R \sin \alpha = \sqrt{6}, \therefore R = 2\sqrt{2}$ and $\alpha = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} = \frac{\pi}{3}$

$\therefore x = 2\sqrt{2} \cos\left(3t - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

Q12bii $x = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$

Q12biii $\dot{x} = -6\sqrt{2} \sin\left(3t - \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$, maximum speed = $6\sqrt{2}$

Let $\sin\left(3t - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \pm \frac{1}{2}, 3t - \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{\pi}{6}$ or $\frac{\pi}{6}, \therefore t = \frac{\pi}{18}$ or $\frac{\pi}{6}$

$t = \frac{\pi}{18}$ is the first time.

Q12c At $P(2ap, ap^2), \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{2a} = p$, tangent: $y = p(x - 2ap) + ap^2$

and y-intercept $R(0, y)$ where $y = -ap^2 \therefore SR = a + ap^2$

$SP = PM = ap^2 + a = SR$

$\therefore \triangle SRP$ is isosceles and $\angle SPR = \angle SRP$

Q12di $T = 3 + Ae^{kt}, \frac{dT}{dt} = kAe^{kt}, \frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - 3)$

Q12dii $t = 15, T = 28, 15k = \ln\left(\frac{28-3}{27}\right), k = \frac{1}{15} \ln\left(\frac{25}{27}\right)$

$t = 60, T = 3 + 27e^{60k}, \frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - 3) = \frac{1}{15} \ln\left(\frac{25}{27}\right) \times 27 \left(\frac{25}{27}\right)^4$

$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{5}{3} \left(\frac{25}{27}\right)^3 \ln\left(\frac{25}{27}\right)$



Q13a $u = \cos^2 x$, $\frac{du}{dx} = -2 \cos x \sin x = -\sin 2x$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{-1}{4+u} \frac{du}{dx} dx = \int_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{-1}{4+u} du = \int_1^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{1}{4+u} du = [\ln(4+u)]_{\frac{1}{2}}^1 = \ln \frac{10}{9}$$

Q13b The 2 consecutive terms: ${}^{20}C_k (5x)^k 2^{20-k}$, ${}^{20}C_{k+1} (5x)^{k+1} 2^{19-k}$

Equate the coefficients: ${}^{20}C_k (5)^k 2^{20-k} = {}^{20}C_{k+1} (5)^{k+1} 2^{19-k}$

$$2 \times {}^{20}C_k = 5 \times {}^{20}C_{k+1}, \therefore \frac{2 \times 20!}{k!(20-k)!} = \frac{5 \times 20!}{(k+1)!(19-k)!}$$

$$\frac{2}{(20-k)} = \frac{5}{(k+1)}, 2k+2=100-5k, 7k=98, k=14$$

Q13ci $a = -2e^{-x}$, $\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{2} v^2 = -2e^{-x}$, $\frac{1}{2} v^2 = -2 \int e^{-x} dx = 2e^{-x} + c$

$$t=0, x=0, v=2, \frac{1}{2} v^2 = 2e^{-x}, v = \sqrt{4e^{-x}} = 2e^{-\frac{x}{2}}$$

Q13cii $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2e^{-\frac{x}{2}}$, $\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{x}{2}}$, $t = \frac{1}{2} \int e^{\frac{x}{2}} dx = e^{\frac{x}{2}} + c$

$$t=0, x=0, v=2, t = e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 1, x = 2 \ln(t+1)$$

Q13di $y = -x$, $18\sqrt{3}t - 5t^2 = -18t$, $18(\sqrt{3}+1)t - 5t^2 = 0$

$$(18(\sqrt{3}+1) - 5t)t = 0, t = \frac{18(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5}, x = 18t = \frac{18^2(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5}$$

$$OA \cos 45^\circ = \frac{324(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5}, OA = \frac{324\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5}$$

$$A \left(\frac{324(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5}, -\frac{324(\sqrt{3}+1)}{5} \right)$$

Q13dii

At A, $v_x = 18$, $v_y = 18\sqrt{3} - 10t = 18\sqrt{3} - 36\sqrt{3} - 36 = -18(2 + \sqrt{3})$

Let θ be the angle with the horizontal.

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-18(2 + \sqrt{3})}{18} \right) = -75^\circ, \text{ i.e. } 75^\circ \text{ below the horizontal or}$$

30° with $y = -x$ at point A.

Q14a For $n=1$, $LS = 1(1!) = 1$, $RS = 2! - 1 = 1$, \therefore true

Assume it is true for $n=k$,

$$\therefore 1(1!) + 2(2!) + 3(3!) + \dots + k(k!) = (k+1)! - 1$$

Consider $n=k+1$,

$$LS = 1(1!) + 2(2!) + 3(3!) + \dots + k(k!) + (k+1)(k+1)!$$

$$= (k+1)! - 1 + (k+1)(k+1)!$$

$$= (k+1)!(1 + (k+1)) - 1$$

$$= (k+2)(k+1)! - 1$$

$$= (k+2)! - 1$$

\therefore it is true for $n=k+1$.

Hence true for all $n \geq 1$.

Q14bi $y = x^2 \geq 0$ and strictly increasing for $x > 0$

$$y = \frac{1}{x-k} > 0 \text{ for } x > k \text{ and strictly decreasing from } \infty$$

\therefore the two graphs meet at only one point at $x > k$.

$$\therefore x^2 = \frac{1}{x-k}, x^3 - kx^2 - 1 = 0 \text{ has exactly one real zero.}$$

Q14bii $x_2 \approx x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = k - \frac{-1}{3k^2 - 2k^2} = k + \frac{1}{k^2}$

Q14biii $f(\alpha) = 0$, $f(x_1) = f(k) = -1 < 0$

$$f(x_2) = f\left(k + \frac{1}{k^2}\right) = \left(k + \frac{1}{k^2}\right)^3 - k\left(k + \frac{1}{k^2}\right)^2 - 1$$

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

$$= \left(\frac{k^3+1}{k^3}\right)^2 - 1 > 0 \quad \therefore x_1 < \alpha < x_2$$

Q14ci $\sin x = \sin(x - \alpha) + k$, $\frac{d}{dx} \sin x = \frac{d}{dx} (\sin(x - \alpha) + k)$

$$\cos x = \cos(x - \alpha), \therefore \cos x_0 = \cos(x_0 - \alpha)$$

Q14cii $\sin(x_0 - \alpha) + k = \sin x_0$, $\cos(x_0 - \alpha) = \cos x_0$

Square both sides and add: $2k \sin(x_0 - \alpha) + k^2 = 0$

$$\therefore k(2 \sin(x_0 - \alpha) + k) = 0 \text{ and } k > 0$$

$$\therefore k = -2 \sin(x_0 - \alpha), \therefore \sin x_0 = -\sin(x_0 - \alpha)$$

Q14ciii $\therefore \sin x_0 = \sin(\alpha - x_0)$, $\therefore x_0 = \alpha - x_0$ since $0 < x_0 < \frac{\pi}{2}$ and

$$0 < \alpha < \pi \quad \therefore x_0 = \frac{\alpha}{2} \text{ and } k = -2 \sin(x_0 - \alpha) = 2 \sin x_0 = 2 \sin \frac{\alpha}{2}$$

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