



## 2022 NSW ESA Mathematics Extension 2 Solutions

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### Section I

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A	D	B	C	C	A	D	B	D	C

Q1 **A**

Q2  $a + 2 = \pm 2$  **D**

Q3 **B**

Q4  $\frac{x-1}{x^3-x^2+x-1} = \frac{x-1}{(x-1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$  **C**

Q5  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2} [g(x)]^2 \right) = g(x) \frac{d}{dx} g(x) = g(x)f(x)$  **C**

Q6 Consider  $z = a - ai$  for  $a \neq 0$ ,  $\bar{z} = iz$  **A**

Q7  $P$  is false when  $n = 3$ , the converse of  $P$  is true when  $n = 2$ . **D**

Q8 Let  $\begin{pmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \end{pmatrix}$  makes  $\theta$  with the vertical, where  $\cos \theta = \frac{\dot{y}}{v}$

The vertical component:  $m\dot{y} = kv^2 \cos(v - \pi) - mg$

$\therefore m\dot{y} = -kv^2 \cos \theta - mg = -kv\dot{y} - mg$  **B**

Q9  $S_1$  is a spherical surface centred at midpoint  $M$ . Let its radius be  $r$ .  $S_2$  is a plane perpendicular to and bisects  $AM$ . Circle  $S$  has its centre  $O$  at the midpoint of  $AM$ , and it is on the plane and the spherical surface.

Radius of  $S = \sqrt{r^2 - \left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r = \frac{\sqrt{3}|AB|}{4}$  **D**

Q10 If the particle is initially moving downwards with non-zero speed, then its speed will eventually approach a terminal speed.

$\therefore$  A and B are not always true.

If the particle is initially moving upwards, then it comes to a stop and moves downwards.

Its speed will eventually approach a terminal speed.

$\therefore$  D is not true. **C**

### Section II

Q11a  $\frac{3-i}{2+i} \times \frac{2-i}{2-i} = 1-i$

Q11b Let  $u = \sin 2x$ .  $\int \sin^3 2x \cos 2x dx = \int \frac{1}{2} u^3 du = \frac{1}{8} \sin^4 2x + c$

Q11ci  $-\sqrt{3} + i = 2 \left( \cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \right) = 2e^{i\frac{5\pi}{6}}$

Q11cii  $(-\sqrt{3} + i)^{10} = 2^{10} \left( \cos \left( 10 \times \frac{5\pi}{6} \right) + i \sin \left( 10 \times \frac{5\pi}{6} \right) \right)$   
 $= 2^{10} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) = 2^{10} \left( \frac{1}{2} + i \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) = 512 + 512\sqrt{3}i$

Q11d  $\vec{BA} = \vec{i} - 3\vec{j} + 3\vec{k}$ ,  $\vec{BC} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + 2\vec{k}$

$\cos \angle ABC = \frac{\vec{BA} \cdot \vec{BC}}{|\vec{BA}| |\vec{BC}|} = \frac{11}{\sqrt{19} \sqrt{9}}$ ,  $\angle ABC \approx 33^\circ$

Q11e  $\ell_2: \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ ;  $x = -6 + 3\mu$  and  $y = 5 + 2\mu$

Eliminate  $\mu$  to obtain  $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 9$

Q11f  $t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$ ,  $\cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$ ,  $\sin x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$ ,

$\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \frac{x}{2} = \frac{1+t^2}{2}$ ,  $dx = \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$

$\int \frac{1}{1+\cos x - \sin x} dx = \int \frac{1}{1-t} dt = -\ln|1-t| + c = -\ln \left| 1 - \tan \frac{x}{2} \right| + c$

Q12a  $(a-b)^2 \geq 0$ ,  $(a-b)^2 + 4ab \geq 4ab$ ,  $(a+b)^2 \geq 4ab$

For  $a, b \geq 0$ ,  $a+b \geq 2\sqrt{ab}$ ,  $\frac{a+b}{2} \geq \sqrt{ab}$

Q12b  $t = 0$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $v = 0$ ,  $\frac{dv}{dt} = 12 - 6t$

$\frac{dx}{dt} = \int (12 - 6t) dt = 12t - 3t^2$ ,  $x = \int (12t - 3t^2) dt = 6t^2 - t^3$

Max velocity when  $a = 0$ ,  $t = 2$ ,  $x(2) = 16$

Q12ci  $t = 0$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $v = u$  to the right,  $v \neq 0$

$a = \frac{F}{1} = -(v + 3v^2)$ ,  $v \frac{dv}{dx} = -(v + 3v^2)$ ,  $\frac{dv}{dx} = -(1 + 3v)$

Q12cii  $\frac{dx}{dv} = -\frac{1}{1+3v}$ ,

$x = \int -\frac{1}{1+3v} dv = \left[ -\frac{1}{3} \ln(1+3v) \right]_u^v = \frac{1}{3} \ln \frac{1+3u}{1+3v}$  where  $u, v > 0$ .

Q12d  $\frac{4+x}{(1-x)(4+x^2)} = \frac{A}{1-x} + \frac{Bx+C}{4+x^2}$ ,  $A = 1$ ,  $B = 1$  and  $C = 0$

$\int_2^n \frac{4+x}{(1-x)(4+x^2)} dx = \int_2^n \left( \frac{1}{1-x} + \frac{x}{4+x^2} \right) dx$

$= \left[ -\ln|1-x| + \frac{1}{2} \ln(4+x^2) \right]_2^n = \left[ -\ln \sqrt{(1-x)^2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln(4+x^2) \right]_2^n$

$= \left[ \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{4+x^2}{(1-x)^2} \right]_2^n = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{4+n^2}{8(1-n)^2}$  or  $\frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{4+n^2}{8(n-1)^2}$

Q12e  $\frac{(z^2-1)z^{-1}}{(z^2+1)z^{-1}} = \frac{z-z^{-1}}{z+z^{-1}} = \frac{e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta}}{e^{i\theta} + e^{-i\theta}} = \frac{i2 \sin \theta}{2 \cos \theta} = i \tan \theta$  is purely imaginary.

Q13a Contrapositive: If  $n$  can be even, then there is an integer  $n \geq 3$  such that  $2^n - 1$  is not prime.

Proof: Let  $n = 4$ ,  $2^4 - 1 = 15$  which is not prime.

Q13b  $a_n = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{n+1}}$

For  $n = 1$ ,  $a_1 = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} = \sqrt{2}$  is true

For  $n = k$ , assume  $a_k = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{k+1}}$  to prove that  $a_{k+1} = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{k+2}}$ .



Proof: Given  $a_{n+1}^2 = 2 + a_n \therefore a_{n+1} = \sqrt{2 + a_n}$

$$\text{For } n = k + 1, a_{k+1} = \sqrt{2 + a_k} = \sqrt{2 + 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{k+1}}} = \sqrt{2 \left( 1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{k+1}} \right)}$$

$$= \sqrt{2 \left( 2 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{2 \times 2^{k+1}} \right)} = \sqrt{2 \left( 2 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{2^{k+2}} \right)} = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{k+2}}$$

$\therefore a_n = 2 \cos \frac{\pi}{2^{n+1}}$  is true for all integers  $n \geq 1$ .

Q13ci  $z^5 = -1 = \text{cis}(2k+1)\pi$ ,  $z = \text{cis}\left(\frac{2k+1}{5}\pi\right)$  where

$k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2 \therefore z = -1, \text{cis}\left(\pm \frac{\pi}{5}\right), \text{cis}\left(\pm \frac{3\pi}{5}\right)$  are the 5<sup>th</sup> roots of  $-1$ .

Q13cii

$$z^5 + 1 = (z+1)(z^4 - z^3 + z^2 - z + 1) = (z+1)z^2 \left( z^2 - z + 1 - \frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{z^2} \right)$$

$$= (z+1)z^2 \left( \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^2 - \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right) - 1 \right) = 0$$

Since  $z \neq 0$  and  $z \neq -1$ ,

$$\therefore \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right)^2 - \left( z + \frac{1}{z} \right) - 1 = 0 \therefore u^2 - u - 1 = 0$$

Q13ciii Let  $z = \text{cis} \frac{3\pi}{5}$ ,  $u = z + \frac{1}{z} = 2 \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} < 0$

$$u^2 - u - 1 = 0 \therefore u = \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \therefore \cos \frac{3\pi}{5} = \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{4}$$

Q14ai Prove the contrapositive:

If  $\lambda \neq 0$  and  $\mu \neq 0$ ,  $\lambda \vec{u} + \mu \vec{v} = \vec{0}$ ,  $\vec{v} = -\frac{\lambda}{\mu} \vec{u}$ , i.e.  $\vec{u} \parallel \vec{v}$

Q14aii Non-parallel  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$ , and  $(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)\vec{u} + (\mu_1 - \mu_2)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$

From part ai,  $\lambda_1 - \lambda_2 = 0$  and  $\mu_1 - \mu_2 = 0 \therefore \lambda_1 = \lambda_2$  and  $\mu_1 = \mu_2$

Q14aiii Let  $L$  divides  $BC$  such that  $BL : LC = m : n$

$$\therefore \vec{SL} = \frac{n\vec{SB} + m\vec{SC}}{m+n}, \vec{SL} = k\vec{SK} = \frac{k}{4}\vec{SB} + \frac{k}{3}\vec{SC}$$

$$\therefore \frac{n}{m+n} = \frac{k}{4} \text{ and } \frac{m}{m+n} = \frac{k}{3} \therefore m : n = 4 : 3$$

$$\therefore \vec{BL} = \frac{4}{4+3} \vec{BC} = \frac{4}{7} \vec{BC}$$

$$\text{Q14aiv } \vec{AP} = -\left( 6\vec{AB} + 8\vec{AC} \right) = -14 \left( \frac{3}{7}\vec{AB} + \frac{4}{7}\vec{AC} \right) = -14\vec{AL}$$

$\therefore AP \parallel AL$  with common point  $A \therefore$  points  $P, A$  and  $L$  are collinear

$\therefore P$  lies on  $AL$ .

$$\text{Q14bi } J_0 = \int_0^1 x^0 e^{-x} dx = \left[ -e^{-x} \right]_0^1 = 1 - \frac{1}{e}$$

Q14bii  $0 < e^{-x} \leq 1$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 1$

$$\therefore J_n = \int_0^1 x^n e^{-x} dx \leq \int_0^1 x^n dx = \left[ \frac{x^{n+1}}{n+1} \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{n+1}, J_n \leq \frac{1}{n+1}$$

Q14biii Integration by parts for  $n \geq 1$ :

$$J_n = \int_0^1 x^n e^{-x} dx = \left[ -x^n e^{-x} \right]_0^1 + n \int_0^1 x^{n-1} e^{-x} dx = -\frac{1}{e} + nJ_{n-1}$$

Q14biv For  $n = 0$ ,  $J_0 = 0! - \frac{0!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^0 \frac{1}{r!} = 1 - \frac{1}{e}$  is true.

For  $n = k$ , assume  $J_k = k! - \frac{k!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{1}{r!}$

For  $n = k + 1$ ,

$$J_{k+1} = (k+1) \left( k! - \frac{k!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{1}{r!} \right) - \frac{1}{e} = (k+1)! - \frac{(k+1)!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{1}{r!} - \frac{1}{e}$$

$$= (k+1)! - \frac{(k+1)!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^{k+1} \frac{1}{r!} + \frac{(k+1)!}{e} \times \frac{1}{(k+1)!} - \frac{1}{e}$$

$$\therefore J_{k+1} = (k+1)! - \frac{(k+1)!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^{k+1} \frac{1}{r!} \text{ is true}$$

Hence  $J_n = n! - \frac{n!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!}$  is true for all  $n \geq 0$ .

Q14bv Since  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ ,  $x^n e^{-x} \geq 0 \therefore J_n \geq 0$

$$0 \leq J_n \leq \frac{1}{n+1}, 0 \leq n! - \frac{n!}{e} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!} \leq \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$0 \leq 1 - \frac{1}{e} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!} \leq \frac{1}{(n+1)n!}, 0 \leq 1 - \frac{1}{e} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!} \leq \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{(n+1)n!}$$

$$0 \leq 1 - \frac{1}{e} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!} \leq 0, \therefore e = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{r!}$$

Q15ai Horizontal:  $T_2 \cos \phi - T_1 \cos \theta = 0$

Vertical:  $T_1 \sin \theta - T_2 \sin \phi - Mg = 0$

$$\text{Eliminate } T_1: \frac{T_2 \cos \phi}{\cos \theta} \sin \theta = T_2 \sin \phi + Mg$$

$$\text{Hence } \tan \theta = \tan \phi + \frac{Mg}{T_2 \cos \phi}$$

Q15aai Let point  $P$  be  $y$  metres above the ground  $\therefore P$  is  $h - y$  metres below the ceiling.

$$\text{Since } \frac{Mg}{T_2 \cos \phi} > 0 \therefore \tan \phi < \tan \theta \therefore \frac{y}{2d} < \frac{h-y}{d} \therefore y < \frac{2h}{3}$$

With the machine attached,  $y < \frac{2h}{3}$ .

Note: This seems to contradict the assumption in the first paragraph of part a, 'at all times the machine moves vertically upwards at a

**constant velocity**' which  $\tan \theta = \tan \phi + \frac{Mg}{T_2 \cos \phi}$  is based.

$$\text{Q15b SHM: } \ddot{x} = -n^2(x - c), \frac{1}{40} = \frac{2\pi}{n}, n = 80\pi,$$

$$c = \frac{0.17 + 0.05}{2} = 0.11, \ddot{x} = -n^2(x - 0.11)$$

Max acceleration at either extreme positions  $x = 0.05$  or  $0.17$

$$\text{Resultant force} = m\ddot{x} = -0.8(80\pi)^2(0.05 - 0.11) \approx 3032 \text{ N}$$



Q15c  $x = \tan^2 \theta$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 1$ ,  $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $\tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta - 1$

$$dx = 2 \tan \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta, \sqrt{\frac{x}{1+x}} = \sqrt{\frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\sec^2 \theta}} = \sin \theta$$

$$\int_0^1 \sin^{-1} \sqrt{\frac{x}{1+x}} dx = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} 2\theta \tan \theta \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

$$= [\theta \tan^2 \theta]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \tan^2 \theta d\theta \quad \text{integration by parts}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} - [\tan \theta - \theta]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{\pi}{2} - 1$$

Q15d  $|z| = \left| z - \frac{4}{z} + \frac{4}{z} \right| \leq \left| z - \frac{4}{z} \right| + \left| \frac{4}{z} \right| \therefore |z| \leq 2 + \frac{4}{|z|}$

$$\therefore |z|^2 - 2|z| - 4 \leq 0, |z|^2 - 2|z| + 1 - 5 \leq 0, (|z| - 1)^2 \leq 5$$

$$\therefore -\sqrt{5} \leq |z| - 1 \leq \sqrt{5}, 1 - \sqrt{5} \leq |z| \leq 1 + \sqrt{5} \therefore |z| \leq \sqrt{5} + 1$$

Q16a  $z_A = 5 + i$ , let  $z_B = b + 5i$  and  $z_C = c - 5i$

Rotate  $z_B$  about  $z_A$  anticlockwise by  $\frac{\pi}{3}$  to reach  $z_C$ .

$$(z_B - z_A)e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}} = (z_C - z_A), ((b-5) + 4i)\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right) = (c-5) - 6i$$

Equate imaginary parts:  $b = 5 - \frac{16}{\sqrt{3}} \therefore z_B = 5 - \frac{16}{\sqrt{3}} + 5i$

Q16b  $\vec{R} = M\vec{g} + 0.1M\vec{v}$ ,  $\frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = \vec{g} + 0.1\vec{v} = -10 + 0.1\vec{v}$

Initially upward motion, scalar resolute  $\frac{dv}{dt} = -10 - 0.1v$

$$\frac{dv}{v} = -\frac{1}{0.1} \times \frac{1}{100+v}, -0.1t = \int \frac{1}{100+v} dv, -0.1t = \ln(100+v) + c$$

$$t = 0, v = v_0 \therefore -0.1t = \ln \frac{100+v}{100+v_0} \therefore v = \frac{dx}{dt} = (100+v_0)e^{-0.1t} - 100$$

Displacement is zero when the projectile returns to the same point at

$$t = 7 \therefore \int_0^7 ((100+v_0)e^{-0.1t} - 100) dt = 0, \left[ -\frac{100+v_0}{0.1} e^{-0.1t} - 100t \right]_0^7 = 0$$

$$-\frac{100+v_0}{0.1} e^{-0.7} - 700 + \frac{100+v_0}{0.1} = 0, (100+v_0)(1 - e^{-0.7}) = 70$$

$$v_0 \approx 39.1$$

Q16ci  $V = abc$ ,  $S = 2ab + 2bc + 2ca$

Given  $\frac{x_1 x_2 x_3}{\left(\frac{x_1+x_2+x_3}{3}\right)^3} \leq 1$ ,  $x_1 x_2 x_3 \leq \left(\frac{x_1+x_2+x_3}{3}\right)^3$

Let  $x_1 = 2ab$ ,  $x_2 = 2bc$  and  $x_3 = 2ca$

$$8(abc)^2 \leq \frac{S^3}{27} \therefore (abc)^2 \leq \frac{S^3}{6^3}, abc \leq \left(\frac{S}{6}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

Q16cii  $V \leq \left(\frac{S}{6}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$

When the rectangular prism is a cube,  $a = b = c$ ,

$$V = a^3 \text{ and } \left(\frac{S}{6}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = \left(\frac{6a^2}{6}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} = a^3$$

Since  $V = a^3 = \left(\frac{S}{6}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$ , the prism has maximum volume of  $a^3$ .

Q16d  $z = re^{i\theta}$ ,  $|z_1| = |z_2| = |z_3| = r$

$$z_1 z_2 z_3 = 1, |z_1||z_2||z_3| = 1 \therefore r^3 = 1, r = 1$$

Consider  $z_1, z_2$  and  $z_3$  as roots of  $P(z)$

$$P(z) = (z - z_1)(z - z_2)(z - z_3) = 0,$$

$$z^3 - (z_1 + z_2 + z_3)z^2 + (z_2 z_3 + z_3 z_1 + z_1 z_2)z - z_1 z_2 z_3 = 0$$

$$\therefore z^3 - 1z^2 + z_1 z_2 z_3 (\bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3)z - 1 = 0$$

$$z^3 - 1z^2 + 1(1)z - 1 = 0 \quad (\text{Note: } \bar{z}_1 + \bar{z}_2 + \bar{z}_3 = \overline{z_1 + z_2 + z_3} = 1)$$

$$(z-1)(z^2+1) = 0, z = 1, \pm i$$

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