

2016 HSC Mathematics Extension 2 Marking Guidelines

Section I

Multiple-choice Answer Key

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Section II

Question 11 (a) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Provides exact argument in radians, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$z = \sqrt{3} - i$$

$$|z| = 2, \quad \text{Arg}(z) = -\frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\text{So } z = 2 \left(\cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{6}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{6}\right) \right)$$

Question 11 (a) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$\begin{aligned} z^6 &= 2^6 (\cos(-\pi) + i \sin(-\pi)) \\ &= -2^6 \quad \text{which is real} \end{aligned}$$

Question 11 (a) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

Take $n = 3$

$$z^3 = 2^3 \left(\cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{-\pi}{2}\right) \right)$$

$$= -2^3 i \quad \text{which is purely imaginary}$$

Question 11 (b)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Correctly applies integration by parts, or equivalent merit	2
• Attempts to use integration by parts, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$\int x e^{-2x} dx \quad u = x, \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = e^{-2x}$$

$$= \frac{x e^{-2x}}{-2} + \frac{1}{2} \int e^{-2x} dx$$

$$= -\frac{x e^{-2x}}{2} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-2x} + C$$

Question 11 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Correctly differentiates xy , or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$x^3 + y^3 = 2xy$$

Differentiating with respect to x ,

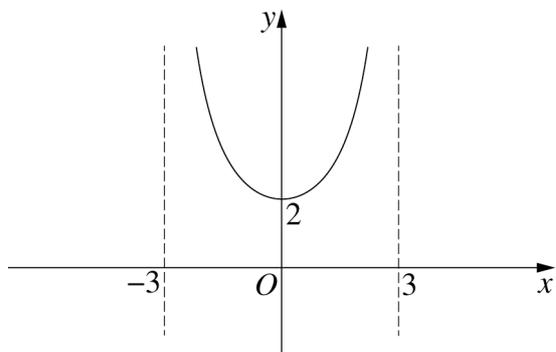
$$3x^2 + 3y^2 y' = 2xy' + 2y$$

$$y'(3y^2 - 2x) = 2y - 3x^2$$

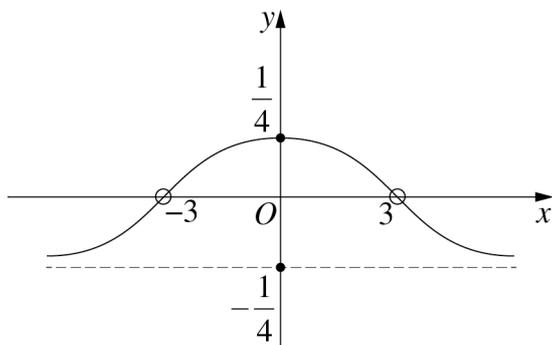
$$y' = \frac{2y - 3x^2}{3y^2 - 2x}$$

Question 11 (d) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct graph	2
• Recognises correct domain, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:**Question 11 (d) (ii)**

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct graph	2
• Correctly deals with the asymptotes, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

Question 11 (e)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Provides correct domain, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$f(x) = x \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

Domain: $-2 \leq x \leq 2$ Range: $0 \leq f(x) \leq \pi$ **Question 12 (a) (i)**

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct answer	1

Sample answer:

$$\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

Question 12 (a) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct answer	1

Sample answer:

$$e = \sqrt{1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4}{9}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{3}$$

Question 12 (a) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct answer	1

*Sample answer:*Foci at $(\pm ae, 0) = (\pm\sqrt{5}, 0)$

Question 12 (a) (iv)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct answer	1

Sample answer:

$$\text{Directrices are } x = \pm \frac{a}{e} = \pm \frac{9}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Question 12 (b) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$y = x f(x) - \int x f'(x) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= f(x) + x f'(x) - x f'(x) \\ &= f(x) \end{aligned}$$

Question 12 (b) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Attempts to apply result from part (i), or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$\begin{aligned} \int \tan^{-1} x dx &= x \tan^{-1} x - \int x \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx \quad (\text{From part (i)}) \\ &= x \tan^{-1} x - \int \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx \\ &= x \tan^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \log(1+x^2) + k \end{aligned}$$

Question 12 (c) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Applies de Moivre's theorem, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$z = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$$

$$z^4 = \cos 4\theta + i\sin 4\theta \quad (\text{de Moivre's theorem})$$

$$z^4 = (\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)^4$$

∴ equating real parts,

$$\cos 4\theta = \cos^4\theta - 6\cos^2\theta\sin^2\theta + \sin^4\theta$$

Question 12 (c) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$\cos 4\theta = \cos^4\theta - 6\cos^2\theta\sin^2\theta + \sin^4\theta$$

using $\sin^2\theta = 1 - \cos^2\theta$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cos 4\theta &= \cos^4\theta - 6\cos^2\theta(1 - \cos^2\theta) + (1 - \cos^2\theta)^2 \\ &= 8\cos^4\theta - 8\cos^2\theta + 1 \end{aligned}$$

Alternative solution

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2\theta &= \cos^2\theta - \sin^2\theta \\ &= 2\cos^2\theta - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \cos 4\theta &= 2\cos^2 2\theta - 1 \\ &= 2(2\cos^2\theta - 1)^2 - 1 \\ &= 8\cos^4\theta - 8\cos^2\theta + 1 \end{aligned}$$

Question 12 (d) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Finds the slope of the normal at P , or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$xy = c^2$$

$$\text{d.w.r.t. } x \quad y + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y}{x}$$

$$= \frac{-c}{cp^2} = \frac{-1}{p^2}$$

Slope of normal at P is p^2 .

So equation of normal is $y = p^2x + k$.

Since the normal passes through P

$$\frac{c}{p} = p^2 \times cp + k$$

$$k = \frac{c}{p} - cp^3$$

$$\therefore y = p^2x + \frac{c}{p} - cp^3$$

$$\frac{y}{p} = px + \frac{c}{p^2} - cp^2 \quad (\div p)$$

$$\therefore px - \frac{y}{p} = c \left(p^2 - \frac{1}{p^2} \right)$$

Question 12 (d) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Obtains a quadratic whose roots are cp and cq , or equivalent merit	2
• Attempts to solve the equations for the normal and hyperbola, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

Solving $xy = c^2$ and the equation of the normal,

$$px - \frac{c^2}{px} = c \left(p^2 - \frac{1}{p^2} \right)$$

$$\therefore p^2 x^2 - pcx \left(p^2 - \frac{1}{p^2} \right) - c^2 = 0$$

The roots are cp and cq so using their product,

$$c^2 pq = -\frac{c^2}{p^2}$$

$$\therefore q = -\frac{1}{p^3}$$

Question 13 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Finds the value of x at which there is a stationary point, or equivalent merit	2
• Obtains one of $\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$ or $1 + \ln x$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$\log f(x) = x \log x$$

$$\text{Differentiating w.r.t. } x \quad \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} = 1 + \log x$$

Now $f(x) > 0$, so stationary points occur when $1 + \log x = 0$.

$\therefore x = \frac{1}{e}$. Check gradients each side.

x	$\frac{1}{e}^-$	$\frac{1}{e}$	$\frac{1}{e}^+$
$f'(x)$	-	0	+

So there is a local minimum at $x = \frac{1}{e}$

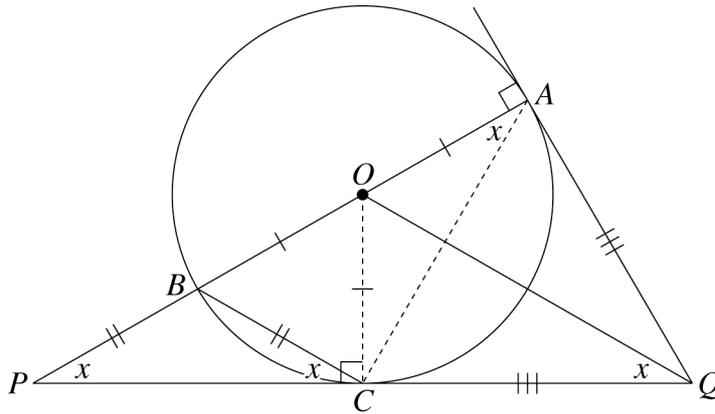
Alternatively, $f'(x) = (1 + \log x)f(x)$

$$\text{so } f''(x) = \frac{1}{x}f(x) + (1 + \log x)f'(x)$$

$$\text{and } f''\left(\frac{1}{e}\right) = e f\left(\frac{1}{e}\right) > 0 \text{ so } x = \frac{1}{e} \text{ gives a minimum.}$$

Question 13 (b) (continued)

Alternative solution

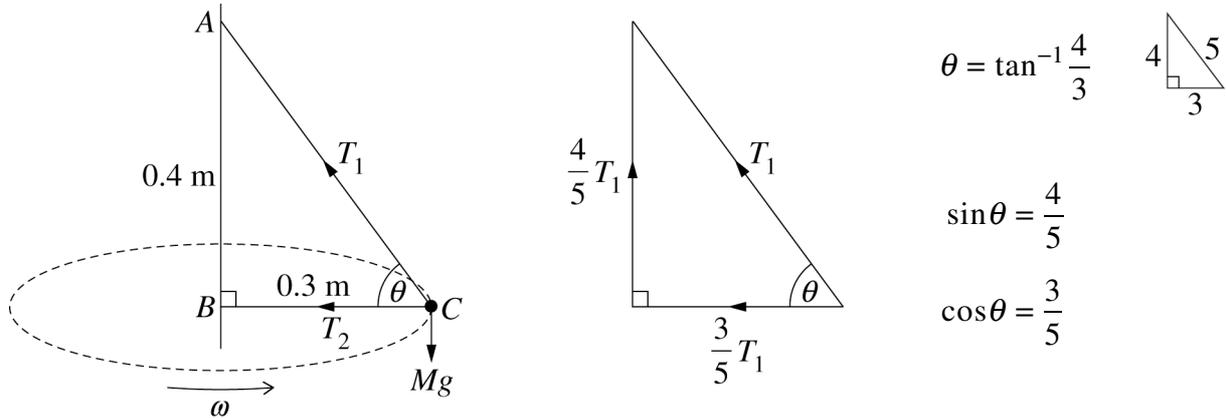


$OP = OQ$ Let $\angle BPC = x$
 $\therefore \angle BCP = x$ (Base \angle s of isosceles \triangle)
 Construct AC
 $\angle BAC = x$ (Alt. seg. thm.)
 Hence, $AQ \perp OA$ and $OC \perp PQ$ (Tangents to circle)
 $OAQC$ is cyclic quad. (Opp. \angle s supplementary)
 $\therefore \angle OAC = x$ (Angles standing on same arc)
 Hence, $OP = OQ$ (Base \angle s of isosceles \triangle are equal)

Question 13 (c) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Attempts to eliminate T_1 , or equivalent merit	2
• Resolves T_1 into components, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:



Resolving vertically: $\frac{4}{5}T_1 = Mg$ ($g = 10$)

$$T_1 = \frac{5}{4}M(10)$$

$$\boxed{T_1 = \frac{25M}{2}}$$

Resolving horizontally: $T_2 + \frac{3}{5}T_1 = M(0.3)\omega^2$

$$\therefore T_2 + \frac{3}{5} + \frac{25M}{2} = \frac{3}{10}M\omega^2$$

$$T_2 = \frac{3}{10}M\omega^2 - \frac{3}{10}(25M)$$

$$\boxed{T_2 = \frac{3}{10}M(\omega^2 - 25)}$$

Question 13 (c) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$T_2 > T_1 \Rightarrow \frac{3}{10}M(\omega^2 - 25) > \frac{25}{2}M$$

$$3\omega^2 - 75 > 125$$

$$3\omega^2 > 200$$

$$\omega^2 > \frac{200}{3}$$

$$|\omega| > \sqrt{\frac{200}{3}} \quad \omega > 0$$

$$\omega > 10\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

Question 13 (d) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Differentiates $p(x)$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$p(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$$

$$p'(x) = 3ax^2 + 2bx + c$$

$$\Delta = (2x)^2 - 4(3a)(c)$$

$$= 4b^2 - 12ac$$

$$= 4(b^2 - 3ac)$$

$$< 0 \text{ if } b^2 - 3ac < 0 \text{ as given.}$$

$\therefore p'(x)$ has no real solutions.

$\therefore p(x)$ has no stationary points.

Hence $p(x)$ is either an increasing or decreasing function for all x .

$\therefore p(x)$ cuts the x -axis only once.

Question 13 (d) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Shows $p'\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) = 0$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$p\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} p'\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) &= 3a\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right)^2 + 2b\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) + c \\ &= \frac{b^2}{3a} - \frac{2b^2}{3a} + c \\ &= -\frac{1}{3a}(b^2 - 3ac) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

So at least a double root

$$p''(x) = 6ax + 2b$$

$$\begin{aligned} p''\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) &= 6a\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) + 2b \\ &= -2b + 2b \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

So $x = -\frac{b}{3a}$ is a triple root.

Alternatively, $b^2 = 3ac \Rightarrow c = \frac{b^2}{3a}$

$$p(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + \frac{b^2x}{3a} + d$$

$$p\left(-\frac{b}{3a}\right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{ab^3}{27a^3} + \frac{b^3}{9a^2} - \frac{b^3}{9a^2} + d = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow d = \frac{b^3}{27a^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore 27a^2 p(x) &= 27a^3 x^3 + 27a^2 b^2 x^2 + 9ab^2 x + b^3 \\ &= (3ax + b)^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p(x) \text{ has a triple root at } x = -\frac{b}{3a}.$$

Question 14 (a) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

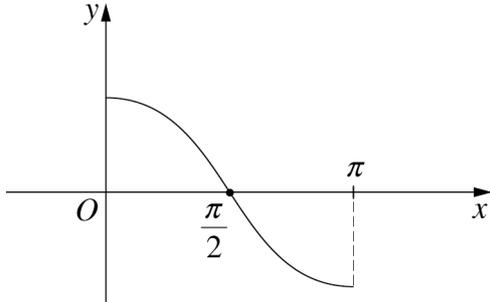
$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int \sin^3 x \, dx \\
 &= \int \sin x (1 - \cos^2 x) \, dx \\
 &= \int \sin x - \sin x \cos^2 x \, dx \\
 &= -\cos x + \frac{\cos^3 x}{3} + C \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x - \cos x + C
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{OR } & \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x - \cos x + C \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \cdot 3 \cos^2 x (-\sin x) - (-\sin x) + 0 \\
 &= -\cos^2 x \sin x + \sin x \\
 &= \sin x (-\cos^2 x + 1) \\
 &= \sin(\sin^2 x) \\
 &= \sin^3 x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \int \sin^3 x \, dx = \frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x - \cos x + C$$

Question 14 (a) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct explanation	1

Sample answer:

$$\int_0^{\pi} \cos x \, dx = 0 \text{ by symmetry}$$

Since $2n - 1$ is odd,

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^{2n-1} x \, dx = -\int_{\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\pi} \cos^{2n-1} x \, dx$$

$$\therefore \int_0^{\pi} \cos^{2n-1} x \, dx = 0$$

Question 14 (a) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Attempts to evaluate correct integral using integration by parts, or equivalent merit	2
• Obtains correct expression for the volume, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

By method of shells,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= 2\pi \int x f(x) dx \\ &= 2\pi \int_0^{\pi} x \sin^3 x dx \end{aligned}$$

Using integration by parts and part (i)

$$\text{Volume} = 2\pi \left(\left[x \left(\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x - \cos x \right) \right]_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{3} \cos^3 x - \cos x \right) dx \right)$$

The integral above is 0 by part (ii), so

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume} &= 2\pi \left(\pi \left(-\frac{1}{3} + 1 - 0 \right) - 0 \right) \\ &= \frac{4}{3} \pi^2 \end{aligned}$$

Question 14 (b) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Obtains an integral that can be easily evaluated, or equivalent merit	2
• Chooses suitable substitution, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$I_0 = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{(x^2 + 1)^2} dx$$

Let $x = \tan \theta$, then $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \sec^2 \theta$, so

$$\begin{aligned} I_0 &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sec^2 \theta}{\sec^4 \theta} d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^2 \theta d\theta \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \theta + \frac{\sin 2\theta}{4} \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \end{aligned}$$

Question 14 (b) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$\begin{aligned}I_0 + I_2 &= \int_0^1 \frac{1+x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} dx \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx \\ &= \tan^{-1}x \Big|_0^1 = \frac{\pi}{4}\end{aligned}$$

Question 14 (b) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Obtains the value of $I_2 + I_4$, or equivalent merit	2
• Attempts to evaluate $I_2 + I_4$, or equivalent merit	1

*Sample answer:*Consider $I_2 + I_4$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{x^2 + x^4}{(x^2 + 1)^2} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{x^2}{x^2 + 1} dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 1 - \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} dx$$

$$= x - \tan^{-1}x \Big|_0^1$$

$$= 1 - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore I_4 = 1 - \frac{\pi}{4} - I_2$$

$$= 1 - \frac{\pi}{4} - \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - I_0 \right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{\pi}{2} + \left(\frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{5}{4} - \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

Question 14 (c)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Observes $(x-1)(\sqrt{x}-1) \geq 0$ for $x \geq 1$, or equivalent merit	2
• Investigates $x\sqrt{x}+1-x-\sqrt{x}$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

For $x \geq 0$, Required to show that $x\sqrt{x}+1 \geq x+\sqrt{x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } x\sqrt{x}+1-(x+\sqrt{x}) &= x\sqrt{x}-\sqrt{x}-x+1 \\ &= \sqrt{x}(x-1)-(x-1) \\ &= (x-1)(\sqrt{x}-1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } 0 \leq x < 1, \quad (x-1) < 0, \quad (\sqrt{x}-1) < 0 & \quad (-)(-) \\ \therefore x\sqrt{x}+1-(x+\sqrt{x}) > 0 & \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } x \geq 1, \quad (x-1) \geq 0, \quad (\sqrt{x}-1) \geq 0 & \quad (+)(+) \\ \therefore x\sqrt{x}+1-(x+\sqrt{x}) \geq 0 & \end{aligned}$$

Hence for $x \geq 0$, $x\sqrt{x}+1 \geq x+\sqrt{x}$

Alternative solution

For $x \geq 0$, Required to show that $x\sqrt{x}+1 \geq x+\sqrt{x}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } x\sqrt{x}+1-(x+\sqrt{x}) &= x\sqrt{x}-\sqrt{x}-x+1 \\ &= \sqrt{x}(x-1)-(x-1) \\ &= (x-1)(\sqrt{x}-1) \\ &= (\sqrt{x}+1)(\sqrt{x}-1)(\sqrt{x}-1) \\ &= (\sqrt{x}+1)(\sqrt{x}-1)^2 \\ &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Since $\sqrt{x}+1 \geq 0$ for $x \geq 0$

and $(\sqrt{x}-1)^2 \geq 0$ for real $x \geq 0$

$$\therefore x\sqrt{x}+1 \geq x+\sqrt{x}$$

Question 15 (a)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Obtains the value of $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$x^3 - 3x + 1 = 0$ has roots α, β, γ , then

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 0$$

$$\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma = -3$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma = -1$$

Let $A = \alpha^2, B = \beta^2, C = \gamma^2$

$$A + B + C = (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma) = 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} AB + AC + BC &= \alpha^2\beta^2 + \alpha^2\gamma^2 + \beta^2\gamma^2 \\ &= (\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma)^2 - 2\alpha\beta\gamma(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

$$ABC = \alpha^2\beta^2\gamma^2 = 1$$

$\therefore A, B, C$ satisfy $x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x - 1$

Alternative solution

Let $y = x^2$ then, $x = \sqrt{y}$

$$\text{So } (\sqrt{y})^3 - 3\sqrt{y} + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y\sqrt{y} - 3\sqrt{y} = -1$$

$$\sqrt{y}(y - 3) = -1$$

$$y(y - 3)^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow y^3 - 6y^2 + 9y - 1 = 0$$

Question 15 (b) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Correctly applies $a = \frac{d\left(\frac{1}{2}v^2\right)}{dx}$, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$\ddot{x} = -\frac{\mu^2}{x^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{dx}(v^2) = -\frac{\mu^2}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v^2 = \frac{2\mu^2}{x} + C$$

$$x = b, v = 0 \Rightarrow C = -\frac{2\mu^2}{b}$$

$$\therefore v^2 = 2\mu^2 \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{b} \right)$$

$$= 2\mu^2 \left(\frac{b-x}{bx} \right)$$

$$\therefore v = -\mu\sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{b-x}{bx}}, \text{ negative root since the particle moves to the left.}$$

Question 15 (b) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Correctly applies given substitution to integrand, or equivalent merit	2
• Obtains integral for t in terms of x , or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

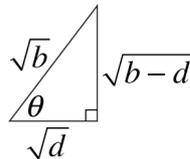
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\mu\sqrt{2}\sqrt{\frac{b-x}{bx}}$$

$$t = -\frac{1}{\mu\sqrt{2}} \int_b^d \sqrt{\frac{bx}{b-x}} dx$$

Put $x = b\cos^2\theta$, $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -2b\cos\theta\sin\theta$

$$x = b \Rightarrow \theta = 0$$

$$x = d \Rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1}\sqrt{\frac{d}{b}}$$



$$\text{Then } t = \frac{2b\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{2}\mu} \int_0^{\cos^{-1}\sqrt{\frac{d}{b}}} \frac{\cos\theta}{\sin\theta} \cdot \cos\theta\sin\theta d\theta$$

$$= \frac{b\sqrt{2b}}{\mu} \int_0^{\cos^{-1}\sqrt{\frac{d}{b}}} \cos^2\theta d\theta$$

Question 15 (b) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

$$\begin{aligned}\lim_{d \rightarrow 0^+} t &= \frac{1}{\mu} \sqrt{\frac{b}{2}} \cdot \frac{b\pi}{2} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{2}\mu} b\sqrt{b}\end{aligned}$$

Question 15 (c) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Uses method of partial fractions to compare numerators, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

Write $\frac{3!}{x(x+1)(x+2)(x+3)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x+1} + \frac{C}{x+2} + \frac{D}{x+3}$

$$\therefore 3! = A(x+1)(x+2)(x+3) + Bx(x+2)(x+3) + Cx(x+1)(x+3) + Dx(x+1)(x+2)$$

$$x = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad A = 1$$

$$x = -1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -2B = 6 \quad \Rightarrow \quad B = -3$$

$$x = -2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2C = 6 \quad \Rightarrow \quad C = 3$$

$$x = -3 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -6D = 6 \quad \Rightarrow \quad D = -1$$

Question 15 (c) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Uses $x = -k$ to obtain an expression for a_k , or equivalent merit	2
• Uses method of partial fractions to compare numerators, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$\frac{n!}{x(x+1)\dots(x+n)} = \frac{a_0}{x} + \frac{a_1}{x+1} + \dots + \frac{a_k}{x+k} + \dots + \frac{a_n}{x+n}$$

Put RHS over common denominator, then general term is

$$a_k x(x+1)\dots(x+k-1)(x+k+1)\dots(x+n)$$

At $x = -k$, all terms are zero except,

$$-k(-k+1)\dots(-1)(1)2\dots(-k+n)a_k \equiv n!$$

$$(-1)^k [1 \cdot 2 \dots k][1 \cdot 2 \dots (n-k)]a_k = n!$$

$$\therefore a_k = (-1)^k \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

$$= (-1)^k \binom{n}{k}$$

Question 15 (c) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Identifies $x = 1$ using part (ii), or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:Put $x = 1$ in part (ii) then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{2} \binom{n}{1} + \frac{1}{3} \binom{n}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \binom{n}{3} + \dots + \frac{(-1)^n}{n+1} &= \frac{n!}{1 \cdot 2 \dots (n+1)} \\ &= \frac{n!}{(n+1)!} = \frac{1}{n+1} \end{aligned}$$

Hence the limiting sum $= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n+1} = 0$.

Question 16 (a) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	3
• Finds θ or α , or equivalent merit	2
• Uses real and imaginary parts or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

$$z = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$$

$$w = \cos\alpha + i\sin\alpha$$

$$1 + z + w = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + \cos\theta + \cos\alpha) + i(\sin\theta + \sin\alpha) = 0$$

Equating real and imaginary parts,

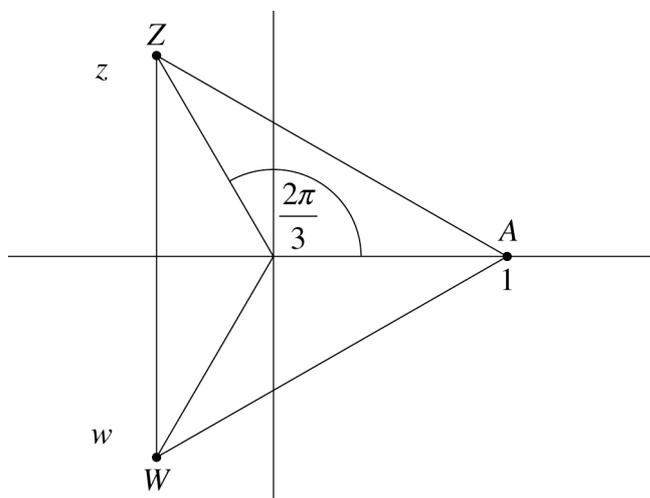
$$1 + \cos\theta + \cos\alpha = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\sin\theta = -\sin\alpha \quad (2)$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow \theta = -\alpha$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow \cos\theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \quad \alpha = -\frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Since $|z| = |w| = 1$

$$\angle ZAW = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

So the triangle is equilateral.

Question 16 (a) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Divides by one of $2i$, z_1 , z_2 , or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

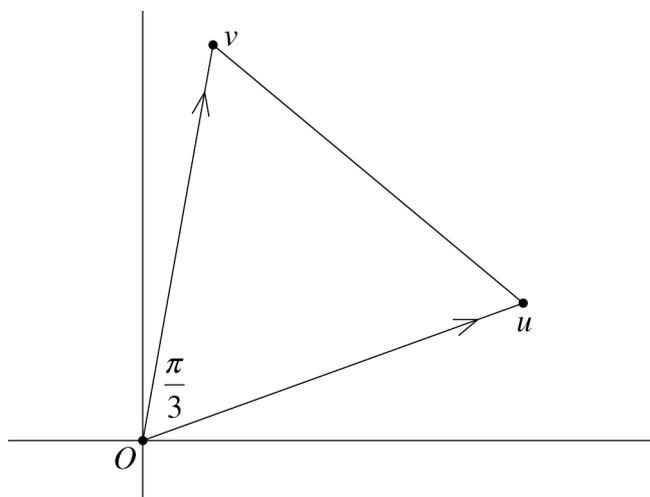
Dividing each complex number by $2i$, we have 1 , $\frac{z_1}{2i}$, $\frac{z_2}{2i}$, which have unit modulus and sum 0.

So by part (i) they form the vertices of an equilateral triangle.

Multiplying by $2i$ rotates the triangle by $\frac{\pi}{2}$ and dilates the sides by a factor of 2, giving a similar triangle. Hence $2i$, z_1 , z_2 form the vertices of an equilateral triangle.

Question 16 (b) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Observes that v is u rotated by $\pm\frac{\pi}{3}$	1

Sample answer:

The vector O_v is vector O_u rotated about O anticlockwise through $\frac{\pi}{3}$, so

$$v = \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) u$$

$$\therefore v^3 = -u^3$$

$$\Rightarrow (v+u)(u^2+v^2-uv) = 0$$

$$v \neq -u, \text{ so } u^2 + v^2 = uv$$

Question 16 (b) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides a correct example	1

Sample answer:

For example, take $u = 1$ then

$$1 + v^2 = v, \text{ so}$$

$$v^2 - v + 1 = 0$$

$$v = \frac{1 + \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3}i}{2}$$

Alternative Take $u = 1$

then can use

$$v = \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Question 16 (c) (i)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

There are $(n - 1)$ people who can swap hats with Tom. Removing Tom and this person then $(n - 2)$ people are left, giving $D(n - 2)$ derangements.

Hence there are $(n - 1)D(n - 2)$ such derangements.

Question 16 (c) (ii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Identifies remaining case, or equivalent merit	1

Sample answer:

There are $(n - 1)$ people who can take Tom's hat. Suppose Tom has not directly swapped a hat with exactly one person. One person takes Tom's hat and leaves. Tom takes their place and we have a derangement of $(n - 1)$ people. Hence in this case there are $(n - 1)D(n - 1)$ derangements.

Hence the total number of derangements is $D(n) = (n - 1)[D(n - 1) + D(n - 2)]$.

Alternative

Ignoring Tom, there are $D(n - 1)$ derangements of the remaining hats. If Tom swaps hats with any of the $(n - 1)$ others we have a suitable derangement. A total of $(n - 1)D(n - 1)$ derangements.

Tom either swaps hats with one _____ $(n - 1)D(n - 2)$

or he doesn't _____ $(n - 1)D(n - 1)$

Total $D(n) = (n - 1)[D(n - 1) + D(n - 2)]$

Question 16 (c) (iii)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

From part (ii),

$$D(n) = (n - 1)[D(n - 1) + D(n - 2)]$$

$$\therefore D(n) = nD(n - 1) - D(n - 1) + (n - 1)D(n - 2)$$

$$\therefore D(n) - nD(n - 1) = -[D(n - 1) - (n - 1)D(n - 2)]$$

Question 16 (c) (iv)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	1

Sample answer:

By part (iii),

$$\begin{aligned}
 D(n) - nD(n-1) &= -[D(n-1) - (n-1)D(n-2)] \\
 &= (-1)^2 [D(n-2) - (n-2)D(n-3)] \\
 &= (-1)^3 [D(n-3) - (n-3)D(n-4)] \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 &= (-1)^{n-2} [D(2) - D(1)] \\
 &= (-1)^{n-2} [1 - 0] \\
 &= (-1)^{n-2} \times (-1)^2 \\
 &= (-1)^n
 \end{aligned}$$

Question 16 (c) (v)

Criteria	Marks
• Provides correct solution	2
• Makes some progress	1

Sample answer:

When $n = 1$

$$1! \sum_{r=0}^1 \frac{(-1)^r}{r!} = 1!(1-1) = 0 = D(1)$$

So statement is true for $n = 1$.

Let k be an integer such that $D(k) = k! \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{(-1)^r}{r!}$

Then

$$D(k+1) = (k+1)D(k) + (-1)^{k+1} \quad (\text{By part (iv)})$$

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

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

\therefore Statement is true for $n = k+1$, so true for all $n \geq 1$ by induction.

Alternative solution

From part (iv),

$$\frac{1}{n!}D(n) - \frac{1}{(n-1)!}D(n-1) = \frac{(-1)^n}{n!}$$

Substituting $n = 2, 3, \dots$ and adding we have

$$\frac{1}{n!}D(n) - D(1) = \sum_{r=2}^n \frac{(-1)^r}{r!}$$

Now since $\frac{(-1)^0}{0!} + \frac{(-1)^1}{1!} = 0$ we have

$$D(n) = n! \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{(-1)^r}{r!}$$

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Section I

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
1	1	1.3	E6
2	1	7.2	E4
3	1	3.4	E3
4	1	2.1, 2.2, 2.3	E3
5	1	2.1, 2.2	E3
6	1	7.4, 8 (16.3E)	PE3, E4
7	1	3.3	E4
8	1	6.3	E5
9	1	5.1	E7
10	1	2.4	E3

Section II

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
11 (a) (i)	2	2.2	E3
11 (a) (ii)	1	2.4	E3
11 (a) (iii)	1	2.4	E3
11 (b)	3	4.1	E8
11 (c)	2	1.8	E6
11 (d) (i)	2	1.7	E6
11 (d) (ii)	2	1.5	E6
11 (e)	2	8 (15E)	HE4, E6
12 (a) (i)	1	3.1	E3
12 (a) (ii)	1	3.1	E3
12 (a) (iii)	1	3.1	E3
12 (a) (iv)	1	3.1	E3
12 (b) (i)	1	8 (8.8)	PE5, E2
12 (b) (ii)	2	4.1	E8
12 (c) (i)	2	2.1, 2.4, 8 (17.1E)	E3
12 (c) (ii)	1	8	E3
12 (d) (i)	2	3.3	E4
12 (d) (ii)	3	3.3	E4
13 (a)	3	1.8, 8 (12.4)	E6
13 (b)	4	8 (2.10E)	E2, PE3

Question	Marks	Content	Syllabus outcomes
13 (c) (i)	3	6.3.3	E5
13 (c) (ii)	1	6.3.3	E5
13 (d) (i)	2	7.5	E4
13 (d) (ii)	2	7.2, 7.5	E4
14 (a) (i)	1	4.1	E8
14 (a) (ii)	1	1.6, 1.9	E6
14 (a) (iii)	3	5.1	E7
14 (b) (i)	3	4.1	E8
14 (b) (ii)	1	4.1	E8
14 (b) (iii)	3	4.1	E8
14 (c)	3	8.3	E4
15 (a)	2	7.5	E4
15 (b) (i)	2	6.1	E5
15 (b) (ii)	3	4.1	E8
15 (b) (iii)	1	6.1	E2
15 (c) (i)	2	7.6	E8
15 (c) (ii)	3	7.6	E8
15 (c) (iii)	2	8 (17.3E)	E4
16 (a) (i)	3	2.1, 2.2	E3
16 (a) (ii)	2	2.1, 2.2	E3
16 (b) (i)	2	2.1, 2.2	E3
16 (b) (ii)	1	2.1, 2.2	E3
16 (c) (i)	1	8 (18E)	E2
16 (c) (ii)	2	8 (18E)	E2
16 (c) (iii)	1	8 (18E)	E2
16 (c) (iv)	1	8 (18E)	E2
16 (c) (v)	2	8 (18E)	E2