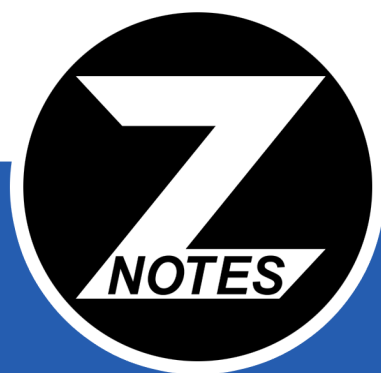


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FORMULAE AND SOLVED QUESTIONS FOR PURE 3 (P3)

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NOTES

1. ALGEBRA

1.1 The Modulus Function

- It gives the absolute value of a number.
- The modulus of a value gives the distance of the value from the origin.
- No line with a modulus ever goes under the x-axis.
- Any line that does go below the x-axis, when modulated is reflected above it.

$$|a \times b| = |a| |b|$$

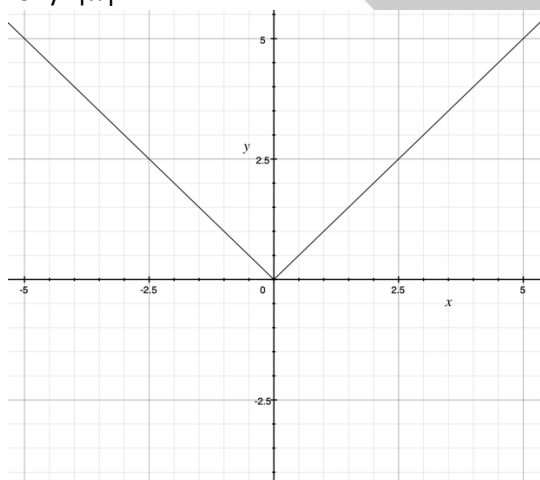
$$\left| \frac{a}{b} \right| = \frac{|a|}{|b|}$$

$$|x^2| = |x|^2 = x^2$$

$$|x| = |a| \Leftrightarrow x^2 = a^2$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$$

- Graph of $y = |x|$



1.2 Polynomials

- To find unknowns in a given identity
 - Substitute suitable values of x
- OR**
- Equalize given coefficients of like powers of x
- **Factor theorem:** If $(x - t)$ is a factor of the function $p(x)$ then $p(t) = 0$
- **Remainder theorem:** If the function $f(x)$ is divided by $(x - t)$ then the remainder: $R = f(t)$

$$\text{Dividend} = \text{Divisor} \times \text{Quotient} + \text{Remainder}$$

1.3 Binomial Series

Expanding $(1 + x)^n$ where $|x| < 1$

$$1 + \frac{n}{1}x + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \times 2}x^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{1 \times 2 \times 3}x^3 + \dots$$

- **Factor case:** if constant is not 1, pull out a factor from brackets to make it 1 & use general equation. Do not forget the indices.
- **Substitution case:** if bracket contains more than one x term (e.g. $(2 - x + x^2)$) then make the last part u , expand and then substitute back in.
- **Finding the limit of x in expansion:**
E.g. $(1 + ax)^n$, limit can be found by substituting ax between the modulus sign in $|x| < 1$ and altering it to have only x in the modulus

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Question 3:

Show that, for small values of x^2 ,

$$(1 - 2x^2)^{-2} - (1 + 6x^2)^{\frac{2}{3}} \approx kx^4,$$

where the value of the constant k is to be determined.

Solution:

Expand $(1 - 2x^2)^{-2}$ until the x^4 term

$$(1 + x)^{-2} = 1 + (-2)x + \frac{-2((-2)-1)}{1 \times 2}x^2$$

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

$$(1 + 2x^2)^{-2} = 1 - 2(2x^2) + 3(2x^2)^2$$

$$= 1 - 4x^2 + 12x^4$$

Expand $(1 + 6x^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ until the x^4 term

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

$$= 1 + \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{9}x^2$$

$$(1 + 6x^2)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 + \frac{2}{3}(6x^2) - \frac{1}{9}(6x^2)^2$$

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

Subtract the terms of the expansion of $(1 + 6x^2)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ from those of $(1 - 2x^2)^{-2}$

$$(1 - 4x^2 + 12x^4) - (1 + 4x^2 - 4x^4)$$

$$= -8x^2 + 16x^4$$

The value of k is:

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1.4 Partial Fractions

$$\frac{ax + b}{(px + q)(rx + s)} \equiv \frac{A}{px + q} + \frac{B}{rx + s}$$

- Multiply $(px + q)$, substitute $x = -\frac{q}{p}$ and find A
- Multiply $(rx + s)$, substitute $x = -\frac{s}{r}$ and find B

$$\frac{ax^2 + bx + c}{(px + q)(rx + s)^2} \equiv \frac{A}{px + q} + \frac{B}{rx + s} + \frac{C}{(rx + s)^2}$$

- Multiply $(px + q)$, substitute $x = -\frac{q}{p}$ and find A
- Multiply $(rx + s)^2$, substitute $x = -\frac{s}{r}$ and find C
- Substitute any constant e.g. $x = 0$ and find B

$$\frac{ax^2 + bx + c}{(px + q)(rx^2 + s)} \equiv \frac{A}{px + q} + \frac{Bx + C}{rx^2 + s}$$

- Multiply $(px + q)$, substitute $x = -\frac{q}{p}$ and find A
- Take $\frac{A}{px+q}$ to the other side, subtract and simplify.
- Linear eqn. left at top is equal to $Bx + C$
- **Improper fraction case:** if numerator has x to the degree of power equivalent or greater than the denominator then another constant is present. This can be found by dividing denominator by numerator and using remainder

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Question 8:

Express the following in partial fractions:

$$\frac{4x^2 - 7x - 1}{(x + 1)(2x - 3)}$$

Solution:

Expand the brackets

$$\frac{4x^2 - 7x - 1}{2x^2 - x - 3}$$

Greatest power of x same in numerator and denominator, thus is an improper fraction case

Making into proper fraction:

$$2x^2 - x - 3 \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ \hline 4x^2 - 7x - 1 \\ 4x^2 - 2x - 6 \\ \hline -5x + 5 \end{array}$$

This is written as:

$$2 + \frac{5 - 5x}{(x + 1)(2x - 3)}$$

Now proceed with normal case for the fraction:

$$\frac{A}{x + 1} + \frac{B}{2x - 3} = \frac{5 - 5x}{(x + 1)(2x - 3)}$$

$$A(2x - 3) + B(x + 1) = 5 - 5x$$

When $x = -1$

$$\begin{aligned} -5A &= 5 + 5 \\ A &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

When $x = \frac{3}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{5}{2}B &= 5 - \frac{15}{2} \\ B &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

Thus the partial fraction is:

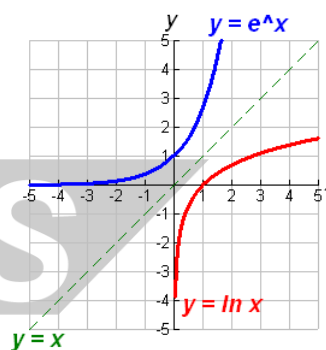
$$2 + \frac{-2}{x + 1} + \frac{-1}{2x - 3}$$

2. LOGARITHMIC & EXPONENTIAL FUNCTIONS

$$y = a^x \Leftrightarrow \log_a y = x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \log_a 1 &= 0 & \log_a a &= 1 \\ \log_a b^n &\equiv n \log_a b \\ \log_a b + \log_a c &\equiv \log_a bc \\ \log_a b - \log_a c &\equiv \log_a \frac{b}{c} \\ \log_a b &\equiv \frac{\log b}{\log a} \\ \log_a b &\equiv \frac{1}{\log_b a} \end{aligned}$$

2.1 Graphs of $\ln(x)$ and e^x



3. TRIGONOMETRY

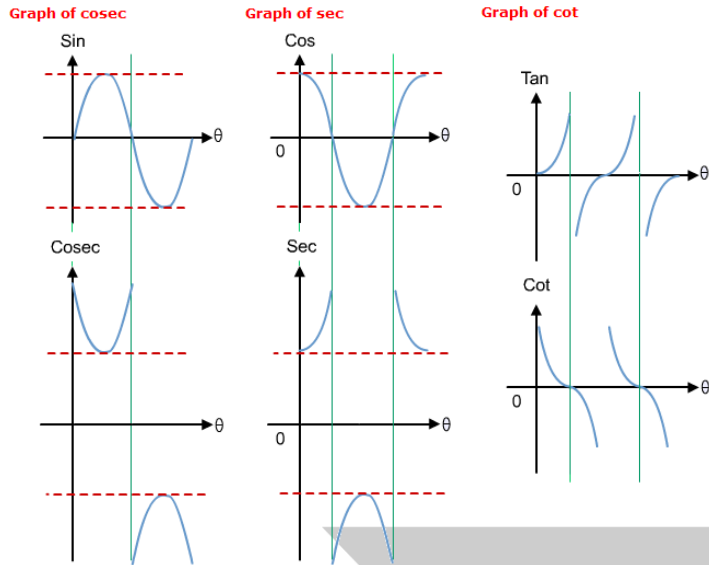
3.1 Ratios

$$\begin{aligned} \tan \theta &= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} & \sec \theta &= \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \\ \operatorname{cosec} \theta &= \frac{1}{\sin \theta} & \cot \theta &= \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \end{aligned}$$

3.2 Identities

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos \theta)^2 + (\sin \theta)^2 &\equiv 1 \\ 1 + (\tan \theta)^2 &\equiv (\sec \theta)^2 \\ (\cot \theta)^2 + 1 &\equiv (\operatorname{cosec} \theta)^2 \end{aligned}$$

3.3 Graphs



3.4 Double Angle Identities

$$\begin{aligned} \sin 2A &\equiv 2 \sin A \cos A \\ \cos 2A &\equiv (\cos A)^2 - (\sin A)^2 \equiv 2(\cos A)^2 - 1 \\ &\equiv 1 - 2(\sin A)^2 \\ \tan 2A &\equiv \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - (\tan A)^2} \end{aligned}$$

3.5 Addition Identities

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(A \pm B) &\equiv \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B \\ \cos(A \pm B) &\equiv \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B \\ \tan(A \pm B) &\equiv \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B} \end{aligned}$$

3.6 Changing Forms

$$\begin{aligned} a \sin x \pm b \cos x &\Leftrightarrow R \sin(x \pm \alpha) \\ a \cos x \pm b \sin x &\Leftrightarrow R \cos(x \mp \alpha) \end{aligned}$$

Where $R = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ and $R \cos \alpha = a, R \sin \alpha = b$ with $0 < \alpha < \frac{1}{2}\pi$

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Question 9:

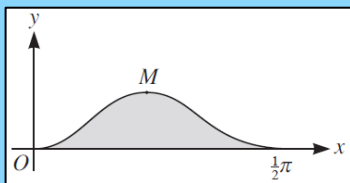


Diagram shows curve, $y = \sin^2 2x \cos x$, for $0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, and M is maximum point. Find the x coordinate of M .

Solution:

Use product rule to differentiate:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= \sin^2 2x & v &= \cos x \\ u' &= 4 \sin 2x \cos 2x & v' &= -\sin x \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= u'v + uv' \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= (4 \sin 2x \cos 2x)(\cos x) + (\sin^2 2x)(-\sin x) \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= 4 \sin 2x \cos 2x \cos x - \sin^2 2x \sin x \end{aligned}$$

Use following identities:

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

Equating to 0:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 0 \\ \therefore 4 \sin 2x \cos 2x \cos x - \sin^2 2x \sin x &= 0 \\ 4 \sin 2x \cos 2x \cos x &= \sin^2 2x \sin x \end{aligned}$$

Cancel $\sin 2x$ on both sides

$$4 \cos 2x \cos x = \sin 2x \sin x$$

Substitute identities

$$4(2 \cos^2 x - 1) \cos x = (2 \sin x \cos x) \sin x$$

Cancel $\cos x$ and constant 2 from both sides

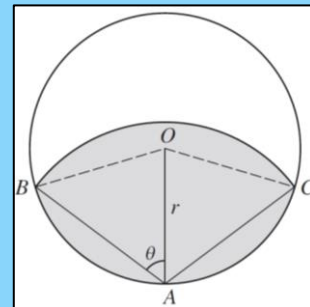
$$4 \cos^2 x - 2 = \sin^2 x$$

Use identity

$$\begin{aligned} 4 \cos^2 x - 2 &= 1 - \cos^2 x \\ 5 \cos^2 x &= 3 \\ \cos^2 x &= \frac{3}{5} \\ \cos x &= 0.7746 \\ x &= \cos^{-1}(0.7746) \\ x &= 0.6847 \approx 0.685 \end{aligned}$$

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Question 6:



A is a point on circumference of a circle center O , radius r . A circular arc, center A meets circumference at B & C . Angle OAB is θ radians. The area of the shaded region is equal to half the area of the circle.

Show that:

$$\cos 2\theta = \frac{2 \sin 2\theta - r}{4\theta}$$

Solution:

First express area of sector *OBAC*

$$\text{Sector Area} = \frac{1}{2} \theta r^2$$

$$OBAC = \frac{1}{2} (2\pi - 4\theta)r^2 = (\pi - 2\theta)r^2$$

Now express area of sector *ABC*

$$ABC = \frac{1}{2} (2\theta)(\text{Length of } BA)^2$$

Express *BA* using sine rule

$$BA = \frac{r \sin(\pi - 2\theta)}{\sin \theta}$$

Use double angle rules to simplify this expression

$$\begin{aligned} BA &= \frac{r \sin 2\theta}{\sin \theta} \\ &= \frac{2r \sin \theta \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \\ &= 2r \cos \theta \end{aligned}$$

Substitute back into initial equation

$$\begin{aligned} ABC &= \frac{1}{2} (2\theta)(2r \cos \theta)^2 \\ ABC &= 4\theta r^2 \cos^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

Now express area of kite *ABOC*

$$\begin{aligned} ABOC &= 2 \times \text{Area of Triangle} \\ ABOC &= 2 \times \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin(\pi - 2\theta) \\ &= r^2 \sin(\pi - 2\theta) \end{aligned}$$

Finally, the expression of shaded region equated to half of circle

$$4r^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta + r^2(\pi - 2\theta) - r^2 \sin(\pi - 2\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \pi r^2$$

Cancel our r^2 on both sides for all terms

$$4\theta \cos^2 \theta + \pi - 2\theta - (\sin \pi \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta \cos \pi) = \frac{1}{2} \pi$$

Some things in the double angle cancel out

$$4\theta \cos^2 \theta + \pi - 2\theta - \sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \pi$$

Use identity here

$$\begin{aligned} 4\theta \left(\frac{\cos 2\theta + 1}{2} \right) + \pi - \sin 2\theta - 2\theta &= \frac{1}{2} \pi \\ 4\theta \cos 2\theta + 4\theta + 2\pi - 2 \sin 2\theta - 4\theta &= \pi \end{aligned}$$

Clean up

$$\begin{aligned} 4\theta \cos 2\theta + 2\pi - 2 \sin 2\theta &= \pi \\ 4\theta \cos 2\theta &= 2 \sin 2\theta - \pi \\ \cos 2\theta &= \frac{2 \sin 2\theta - \pi}{4\theta} \end{aligned}$$

4. DIFFERENTIATION

4.1 Basic Derivatives

x^n	nx^{n-1}
e^u	$\frac{du}{dx} e^u$
$\ln u$	$\frac{du}{dx} / u$
$\sin(ax)$	$a \cos(ax)$
$\cos(ax)$	$-a \sin(ax)$
$\tan(ax)$	$a \sec^2(ax)$
$\tan^{-1}(ax)$	$\frac{a}{1+(ax)^2}$

4.2 Chain, Product and Quotient Rule

• Chain Rule:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx}$$

• Product Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$$

• Quotient Rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$$

4.3 Parametric Equations

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \div \frac{dx}{dt}$$

• In a parametric equation x and y are given in terms of t and you must use the above rule to find the derivative

4.4 Implicit Functions

- These represent circles or lines with circular curves, on a Cartesian plane
- Difficult to rearrange in form $y = \therefore$ differentiate as is
- Differentiate x terms as usual
- For y terms, differentiate the same as you would x but multiply with $\frac{dy}{dx}$
- Then make $\frac{dy}{dx}$ the subject of formula for derivative

5. INTEGRATION

5.1 Basic Integrals

ax^n	$a \frac{x^{n+1}}{(n+1)} + c$
e^{ax+b}	$\frac{1}{a} e^{ax+b}$
$\frac{1}{ax+b}$	$\frac{1}{a} \ln ax+b $
$\sin(ax+b)$	$-\frac{1}{a} \cos(ax+b)$
$\cos(ax+b)$	$\frac{1}{a} \sin(ax+b)$
$\sec^2(ax+b)$	$\frac{1}{a} \tan(ax+b)$
$(ax+b)^n$	$\frac{(ax+b)^{n+1}}{a(n+1)}$
$\frac{1}{x^2+a^2}$	$\frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)$

- Integration reverses a differentiation. It is the reverse of differentiation.
- Use trigonometrical relationships to facilitate complex trigonometric integrals.
- Integrate by decomposing into partial fraction.

5.2 Integration by u-Substitution

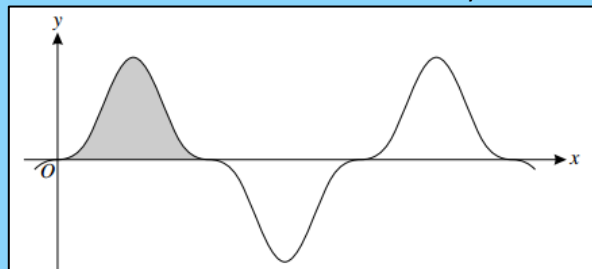
$$\int f(x) dx = \int f(x) \frac{dx}{du} du$$

- **Make x equal to something:** when differentiated, multiply the substituted form directly
- **Make u equal to something:** when differentiated, multiply the substituted form with its reciprocal
- With definite integrals, change limits in terms of u

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Question 7:

The diagram shows part of curve $y = \sin^3 2x \cos^3 2x$. The shaded region shown is bounded by the curve and the x-axis and its exact area is denoted by A.



Use the substitution $u = \sin 2x$ in a suitable integral to find the value of A

Solution:

To find the limit, you are trying to find the points at which $y = 0$

$$\sin x = 0 \text{ at } x = 0, \pi, 2\pi \quad \cos x = 0 \text{ at } x = \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

Choose the two closest to 0 because the shaded area has gone through $y = 0$ only twice

$$\therefore 0 \text{ and } \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Since it is $\sin 2x$ and $\cos 2x$, divide both by 2

$$\therefore \text{Limits are } 0 \text{ and } \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Integrate by u substitution, let:

$$\begin{aligned} u = \sin 2x \quad \frac{du}{dx} &= 2 \cos 2x \quad \frac{dx}{du} = \frac{1}{2 \cos 2x} \\ \sin^3 2x \cos^3 2x &\equiv (\sin 2x)^3 (\cos^2 2x) \cos 2x \\ &\equiv (\sin^3 2x \times (1 - \sin^2 2x)) \cos 2x \\ &\equiv (\sin^3 2x - \sin^5 2x) \cos 2x \times \frac{1}{2 \cos 2x} \\ &\equiv \frac{1}{2} (u^3 - u^5) \end{aligned}$$

Now integrate:

$$\frac{1}{2} \int (u^3 - u^5) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{u^4}{4} - \frac{u^6}{6} \right)$$

The limits are $x = 0$ and $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$. In terms of u,

$$u = \sin 2(0) = 0 \text{ and } u = \sin 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 1$$

Substitute limits

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1^4}{4} - \frac{0^4}{4} \right) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1^6}{6} - \frac{0^6}{6} \right) = \frac{1}{24}$$

5.3 Integrating $\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$

$$\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \ln|f(x)| + k$$

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Question 10:

By splitting into partial fractions, show that:

$$\int_1^2 \frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2(2x - 1)} dx = \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{16}{27}\right)$$

Solution:

Write as partial fractions

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^2 \frac{2x^3 - 1}{x^2(2x - 1)} dx &\equiv \int_1^2 \left(1 + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{3}{2x - 1}\right) dx \\ &\equiv x + 2 \ln x - x^{-1} - \frac{3}{2} \ln|2x - 1| \end{aligned}$$

Substitute the limits

$$\begin{aligned} 2 + 2 \ln 2 - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2} \ln 3 - 1 - 2 \ln 1 + 1 + \frac{3}{2} \ln 1 \\ \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln 16 + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1}{3^3} &\equiv \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{16}{27} \end{aligned}$$

5.4 Integrating By Parts

$$\int u \frac{dv}{dx} dx = uv - \int v \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

For a definite integral:

$$\int_a^b u \frac{dv}{dx} dx = [uv]_a^b - \int_a^b v \frac{du}{dx} dx$$

What to make u :

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Question 3:

Find the exact value of

$$\int_1^4 \frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}} dx$$

Solution:

Convert to index form:

$$\frac{\ln x}{\sqrt{x}} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \ln x$$

Integrate by parts, let:

$$u = \ln x \quad \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \quad v = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \ln x \cdot 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \int 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} \times x^{-1} &\equiv 2\sqrt{x} \ln x - \int 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \\ &\equiv 2\sqrt{x} \ln x - 4\sqrt{x} \end{aligned}$$

Substitute limits

$$= 4 \ln 4 - 4$$

5.5 Integrating Powers of Sine or Cosine

To integrate $\sin x$ or $\cos x$ with a power:

- If power is odd, pull out a $\sin x$ or $\cos x$ and use Pythagorean identities and double angle identities
- If power is even, use the following identities

$$\sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(2x)$$

$$\cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2x)$$

5.6 Integrating $\cos^m x \sin^n x$

If m or n are **odd** and **even**, then:

- Factor out one power from **odd trig function**
- Use Pythagorean identities to transform remaining **even trig function** into the **odd trig function**
- Let u equal to **odd trig function** and integrate

If m and n are **both even**, then:

- Replace all even powers using the double angle identities and integrate

If m and n are **both odd**, then:

- Choose one of the trig. functions & factor out one power
- Use Pythagorean identity to transform remaining even power of chosen trig function into other trig. function

If **either m or n or both = 1**, then:

- Let u equal to the trig function whose power doesn't equal 1 then integrate
- If both are 1, then let u equal either

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Question 5:

(i) Prove the identity

$$\cos 4\theta - 4 \cos 2\theta + 3 \equiv 8 \sin^4 \theta$$

(ii) Using this result find, in simplified form, the exact value of

$$\int_{\frac{1}{6}\pi}^{\frac{1}{3}\pi} \sin^4 \theta d\theta$$

Solution:

Part (i)

Use double angle identities

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 4\theta - 4 \cos 2\theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 1 - 2 \sin^2 2\theta - 4(1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta) \\ &\quad + 3 \end{aligned}$$

Open everything and clean

$$\equiv 1 - 2 \sin^2 2\theta - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3$$

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} &\equiv 1 - 2(\sin 2\theta)^2 - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 1 - 2(2 \sin \theta \cos \theta)^2 - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 1 - 2(4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta) - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 1 - 2(4 \sin^2 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta)) - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 1 - 8 \sin^2 \theta + 8 \sin^4 \theta - 4 + 8 \sin^2 \theta + 3 \\ &\equiv 8 \sin^4 \theta \end{aligned}$$

Part (ii)

Use identity from (part i):

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{1}{8} \int_{\frac{1}{6}\pi}^{\frac{1}{3}\pi} \cos 4\theta - 4 \cos 2\theta + 3 \\ &\equiv \frac{1}{8} \left[\frac{1}{4} \sin 4\theta - 2 \sin 2\theta + 3\theta \right]_{\frac{1}{6}\pi}^{\frac{1}{3}\pi} \end{aligned}$$

Substitute limits

$$\equiv \frac{1}{32} (2\pi - \sqrt{3})$$

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Question 5:

(i) By differentiating $\frac{1}{\cos x}$, show that if $y =$

$$\sec x \text{ then } \frac{dy}{dx} = \sec x \tan x$$

(ii) Show that $\frac{1}{\sec x - \tan x} \equiv \sec x + \tan x$

(iii) Deduce that:

$$\frac{1}{(\sec x - \tan x)^2} \equiv 2 \sec^2 x - 1 + 2 \sec x \tan x$$

(iv) Hence show that:

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{4}\pi} \frac{1}{(\sec x - \tan x)^2} dx = \frac{1}{4} (8\sqrt{2} - \pi)$$

Part (i)

Change to index form:

$$\frac{1}{\cos x} = \cos^{-1} x$$

Differentiate by chain rule:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= -1(\cos x)^{-2} \times (-\sin x) \\ -1(\cos x)^{-2} \times (-\sin x) &\equiv \frac{\sin x}{\cos^2 x} \equiv \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \times \frac{1}{\cos x} \\ \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \times \frac{1}{\cos x} &\equiv \sec x \tan x \end{aligned}$$

Part (ii)

Multiply numerator and denominator by $\sec x + \tan x$

$$\frac{\sec x + \tan x}{(\sec x - \tan x)(\sec x + \tan x)} \equiv \frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec^2 x - \tan^2 x}$$

$$\frac{\sec x + \tan x}{\sec^2 x - \tan^2 x} \equiv \frac{\sec x + \tan x}{1} \equiv \sec x + \tan x$$

Part (iii)

Substitute identity from (part ii)

$$\frac{1}{(\sec x - \tan x)^2} \equiv (\sec x + \tan x)^2$$

Open out brackets

$$\begin{aligned} &(\sec x + \tan x)^2 \\ &\equiv \sec^2 x + 2 \sec x \tan x + \tan^2 x \\ &\equiv \sec^2 x + 2 \sec x \tan x + \sec^2 x - 1 \\ &\equiv 2\sec^2 x + 2 \sec x \tan x - 1 \\ &\equiv 2 \sec^2 x - 1 + 2 \sec x \tan x \end{aligned}$$

Part (iv)

$$\begin{aligned} &\int \frac{1}{(\sec x - \tan x)^2} dx \\ &\equiv \int (2 \sec^2 x - 1 + 2 \sec x \tan x) dx \\ &\equiv 2 \int \sec^2 x - \int 1 + 2 \int \sec x \tan x \end{aligned}$$

Using differential from part i:

$$\equiv 2 \tan x - x + 2 \sec x$$

Substitute boundaries:

$$= \frac{1}{4} (8\sqrt{2} - \pi)$$

6. NUMERICAL SOLUTIONS OF EQUATIONS

6.1 Approximation

- To find root of a graph, find point where graph passes through x -axis \therefore look for a sign change
- Carry out decimal search
 - Substitute values between where a sign change has occurred
 - Closer to zero, greater accuracy

6.2 Iteration

- To solve equation $f(x) = 0$, you can rearrange $f(x)$ into a form $x = \dots$
- This function represents a sequence that starts at x_0 , moving to x_r
- Substitute a value for x_0 and put back into function getting x_1 and so on.
- As you increase r , value becomes more accurate
- Sometimes iteration don't work, these functions are called divergent, and you must rearrange the formula for x in another way.
- For a successful iterative function, you need a convergent sequence.
- Ensure to use the full value and not the rounded off value when carrying out the iteration.

{M16-P32}

Question 3:

The equation $x^5 - 3x^3 + x^2 - 4 = 0$ has one positive root.

- Verify by calculation that this root lies between 1 and 2.
- Show that the equation can be rearranged in the form

$$x = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x + \frac{4}{x^2} - 1\right)}$$

- Use an iterative formula based on this rearrangement to determine the positive root correct to 2 decimal places. Give the result of each iteration to 4 decimal places.

Solution:

Part (i)

Show a sign change and state it:

$$\begin{aligned} (1)^5 - 3(1)^3 + (1)^2 - 4 &= -5 \\ (2)^5 - 3(2)^3 + (2)^2 - 4 &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

There is a sign change between the results obtained when the values 1 and 2 are substituted into the equation, therefore the root lies between the values 1 and 2.

Part (ii)

Rearrange the equation:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \sqrt[3]{\left(3x + \frac{4}{x^2} - 1\right)} \\ x^3 &= 3x + \frac{4}{x^2} - 1 \\ x^5 &= 3x^3 + 4 - x^2 \\ x^5 - 3x^3 + x^2 - 4 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Part (iii)

Carry out the iteration using either one of the values that the root lies in between as the starting point:

$$x_{n+1} = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x_n + \frac{4}{x_n^2} - 1\right)}$$

$$x_0 = 1$$

$$x_1 = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x_0 + \frac{4}{x_0^2} - 1\right)} = 1.8171$$

$$x_2 = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x_1 + \frac{4}{x_1^2} - 1\right)} = 1.7824$$

$$x_3 = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x_2 + \frac{4}{x_2^2} - 1\right)} = 1.7765$$

$$x_4 = \sqrt[3]{\left(3x_3 + \frac{4}{x_3^2} - 1\right)} = 1.7755$$

The positive root = **1.78**

7. VECTORS

7.1 Vector Notation

- A vector can be represented as \overrightarrow{AB} or \mathbf{a}
- The column vector form:

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

- The linear vector form:

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}$$

7.2 Calculations with vectors

- Addition and Subtraction: Add or subtract each value of the vector with its corresponding value (i value with i value & j value with j value etc.)

$$\begin{aligned} (x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}) + (a\mathbf{i} + b\mathbf{j} + c\mathbf{k}) \\ = (x + a)\mathbf{i} + (y + b)\mathbf{j} + (z + c)\mathbf{k} \end{aligned}$$

- Multiplication by a scalar: Multiply each value of the vector by the given value.

$$2(x\mathbf{i} + y\mathbf{j} + z\mathbf{k}) = 2x\mathbf{i} + 2y\mathbf{j} + 2z\mathbf{k}$$

- Magnitude of a vector: Length of the vector

$$\text{Magnitude of } \overrightarrow{AB} = |\overrightarrow{AB}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$$

- Unit vector: a vector that has a magnitude of 1

Unit Vector of $\vec{AB} = \frac{1}{|\vec{AB}|} \vec{AB}$

- Displacement vector: Vector whose magnitude is the shortest distance between the two points. It is a straight line from one point to the other.
- Position vector: Position of a point relative to the origin. It is a straight line from the origin to a point. The position vector of point A is represented as \vec{OA} .
- Dot product: Dot product of vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} is written as $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$, and it can be calculated in two ways.
 - Method 1: $\mathbf{a} = xi + yj + zk$ & $\mathbf{b} = ci + dj + ek$
 $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = xc + yd + ze$

◦ Method 2:

Use the equation

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}| \cos \theta$$

where $\cos \theta$ = the angle between the two vectors

$|\mathbf{a}|$ = magnitude of vector \mathbf{a}

$|\mathbf{b}|$ = magnitude of vector \mathbf{b}

7.3 Equation of a Line

- The equation of a straight line is expressed in the form:

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$$

- For example:

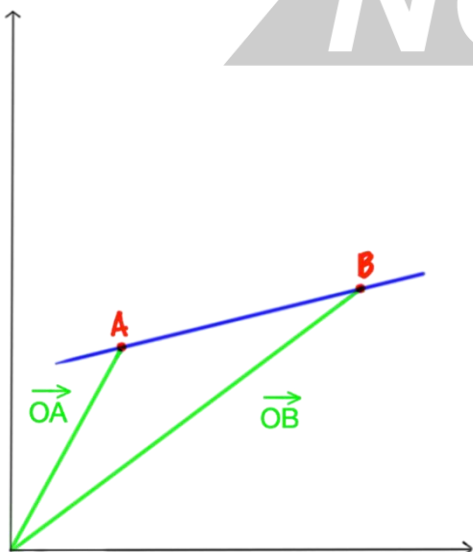
The column vector form:

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

The linear vector form:

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k} + t(\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k})$$

7.4 Finding the Equation of a Line



- To find the equation of the line, given 2 points A and B:

- Find the direction vector using

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{OB} - \vec{OA}$$

- Substitute the values into the equation:

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + t\mathbf{b}$$

where \mathbf{a} = point A

\mathbf{b} = direction vector (vector AB)

t = some scalar

7.5 Parallel, Skew or Intersects

For the two lines:

$$\vec{OA} = \vec{a} + s\vec{c}$$

$$\vec{OB} = \vec{b} + t\vec{d}$$

- **Parallel:**

- For the lines to be parallel \vec{c} must equal \vec{d} or be in some ratio to it e.g. 1:2

- **Intersects:**

- Make $\vec{OA} = \vec{OB}$
- If simultaneous works then intersects
- If unknowns cancel then no intersection

- **Skew:**

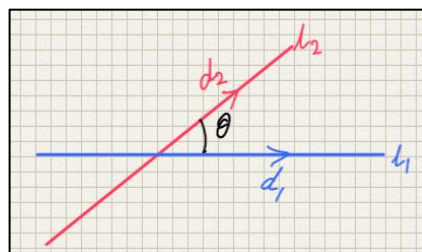
- First check whether line parallel or not
- If not, then make $\vec{OA} = \vec{OB}$
- Carry out simultaneous
- When a pair does not produce same answers as another, then lines are skew

7.6 Angle between Two Lines

- Use dot product rule on the two direction vectors:

$$\frac{\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}}{|\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}|} = \cos \theta$$

- Note: \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} must be moving away from the point at which they intersect



7.7 ⊥ Distance from a Line to a Point

- **AKA:** shortest distance from a point to the line
- Find vector for the point, B, on the line

Vector equation of the line: $\vec{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\therefore \vec{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+t \\ 3+t \\ 3t-2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- A is the point given

$$\vec{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \vec{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+t-2 \\ 3+t-3 \\ 3t-2-4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} t-1 \\ t \\ 3t-6 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Use Dot product of AB and the direction vector

$$\vec{AB} \cdot \mathbf{d} = \cos 90$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} t-1 \\ t \\ 3t-6 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$1(t-1) + 1(t) + 3(3t-6) = 0$$

$$11t - 19 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{19}{11}$$

- Substitute t into equation to get foot
- Use Pythagoras' Theorem to find distance

{S08-P3}

Question:

The points A and B have position vectors, relative to the origin O , given by

$$OA = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k} \quad \text{and} \quad OB = 2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}$$

The line l has vector equation

$$\mathbf{r} = (1 - 2t)\mathbf{i} + (5 + t)\mathbf{j} + (2 - t)\mathbf{k}$$

- Show that l does not intersect the line passing through A and B .
- The point P lies on l and is such that angle PAB is equal to 60° . Given that the position vector of P is $(1 - 2t)\mathbf{i} + (5 + t)\mathbf{j} + (2 - t)\mathbf{k}$, show that $3t^2 + 7t + 2 = 0$. Hence find the only possible position vector of P

Solution:

Part (i)

Firstly, we must find the equation of line AB

$$AB = OB - OA$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{L} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Equating the two lines

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1+s \\ 2-s \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1-2t \\ 5+t \\ 2-t \end{pmatrix}$$

Equation 1: $1 + s = 1 - 2t$ so $s = -2t$

Equation 2: $2 - s = 5 + t$

Substitute 1 into 2:

$$2 + 2t = 5 + t$$

$$\therefore t = 3 \text{ and then } s = -6$$

Equation 3:

$$3 = 2 - t$$

Substitute the value of t

$$3 = 2 - 3 \text{ so } 3 = -1$$

This is incorrect therefore lines don't intersect

Part (ii)

Angle PAB is formed by the intersection of the lines AP and AB

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 1-2t \\ 5+t \\ 2-t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$AP = OP - OA$$

$$AP = \begin{pmatrix} 1-2t \\ 5+t \\ 2-t \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2t \\ 3+t \\ -1-t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$AB = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Now use the dot product rule to form an eqn.

$$\frac{AP \cdot AB}{|AP||AB|} = \frac{-3t-3}{\sqrt{6t^2+8t+10} \times \sqrt{2}} = \cos 60$$

$$-3t-3 = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{6t^2+8t+10} \times \sqrt{2}$$

$$36t^2 + 72t + 36 = 12t^2 + 16t + 20$$

$$24t^2 + 56t + 16 = 0$$

$$t = -\frac{1}{3} \text{ or } t = -2$$

{W11-P31}

Question:

With respect to the origin O , the position vectors of two points A and B are given by $\vec{OA} = \mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ and $\vec{OB} = 3\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j}$. The point P lies on the line through A and B , and $\vec{AP} = \lambda \vec{AB}$

- $\vec{OP} = (1 + 2\lambda)\mathbf{i} + (2 + 2\lambda)\mathbf{j} + (2 - 2\lambda)\mathbf{k}$
- By equating expressions for $\cos AOP$ and $\cos BOP$ in terms of λ , find the value of λ for which OP bisects the angle AOB .

Solution:

Part (i)

$$\vec{AP} = \lambda \vec{AB} = \lambda(OB - OA)$$

$$= \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda \\ 2\lambda \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore AP = \begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda \\ 2\lambda \\ -2\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$OP = OA + \begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda \\ 2\lambda \\ -2\lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 2\lambda \\ 2\lambda \\ -2\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

Part (ii)

Interpreting the question gives the information that AOP is equal to $BOP \therefore \cos AOP$ is equal to $\cos BOP$. Now you can equate the two dot product equations

$$\cos AOP = \frac{OA \cdot OP}{|OA||OP|} = \frac{9 + 2\lambda}{3\sqrt{9 + 4\lambda + 12\lambda^2}}$$

$$\cos BOP = \frac{OB \cdot OP}{|OB||OP|} = \frac{11 + 14\lambda}{5\sqrt{9 + 4\lambda + 12\lambda^2}}$$

$$\frac{9 + 2\lambda}{3\sqrt{9 + 4\lambda + 12\lambda^2}} = \frac{11 + 14\lambda}{5\sqrt{9 + 4\lambda + 12\lambda^2}}$$

Cancel out the denominator to give you

$$\frac{9 + 2\lambda}{3} = \frac{11 + 14\lambda}{5}$$

$$45 + 10\lambda = 33 + 42\lambda$$

$$12 = 32\lambda \text{ and } \therefore \lambda = \frac{3}{8}$$

Example:

Solve: $z^2 + 4z + 13 = 0$

Solution:

Convert to completed square form:

$$(z + 2)^2 + 9 = 0$$

Utilize i^2 as -1 to make it difference of 2 squares:

$$(z + 2)^2 - 9i^2 = 0$$

Proceed with general difference of 2 squares method:

$$(z + 2 + 3i)(z + 2 - 3i) = 0$$

$$z = -2 + 3i \text{ and } z = -2 - 3i$$

8. COMPLEX NUMBERS

8.1 The Basics

$$i^2 = -1$$

- General form for all complex numbers:

$$a + bi$$

- From this we say:

$$Re(a + bi) = a \quad \& \quad Im(a + bi) = b$$

- **Conjugates:**

- The complex number z and its conjugate z^*

$$z = a + bi \quad \& \quad z^* = a - bi$$

- **Arithmetic:**

- **Addition and Subtraction:** add and subtract real and imaginary parts with each other

- **Multiplication:** carry out algebraic expansion, if i^2 present convert to -1

- **Division:** rationalize denominator by multiplying conjugate pair

- **Equivalence:** equate coefficients

8.2 Quadratic

- Use the quadratic formula:

- $b^2 - 4ac$ is a negative value
- Pull out a negative and replace with i^2
- Simplify to general form

- Use sum of 2 squares: consider the example

8.3 Square Roots

Example:

Find square roots of: $4 + 3i$

Solution:

We can say that:

$$\sqrt{4 + 3i} = a + bi$$

Square both sides

$$a^2 - b^2 + 2abi = 4 + 3i$$

Equate real and imaginary parts

$$a^2 - b^2 = 4 \quad 2ab = 3$$

Solve simultaneous equation:

$$a = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \quad b = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{4 + 3i} = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i \quad \text{or} \quad -\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i$$

8.4 Argand Diagram

For the complex number $z = a + bi$

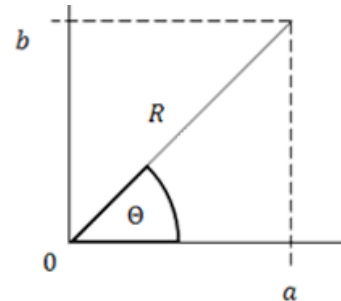
- Its magnitude is defined as the following:

$$|z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

- Its argument is defined as the following:

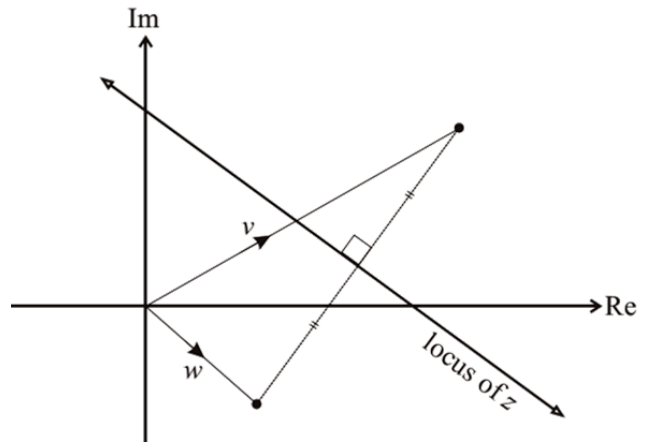
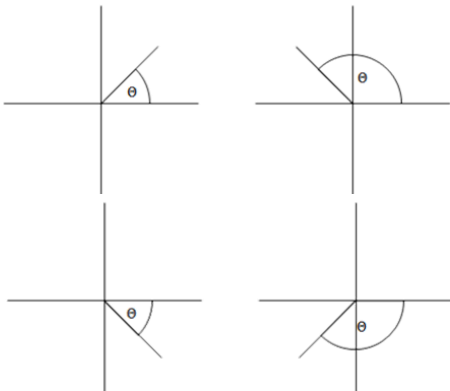
$$\arg z = \tan^{-1} \frac{b}{a}$$

- Simply plot imaginary (y -axis) against real (x -axis):



Argument:

Always: $-\pi < \theta < \pi$

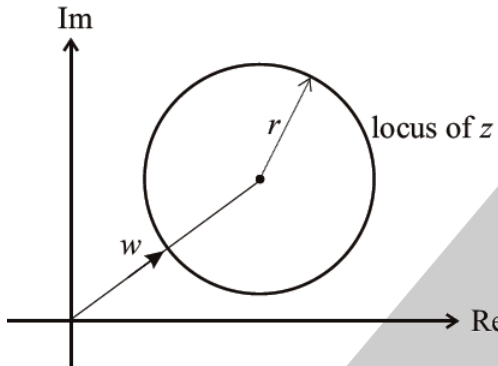


- The position of z^* is a reflection in the x -axis of z

8.5 Locus

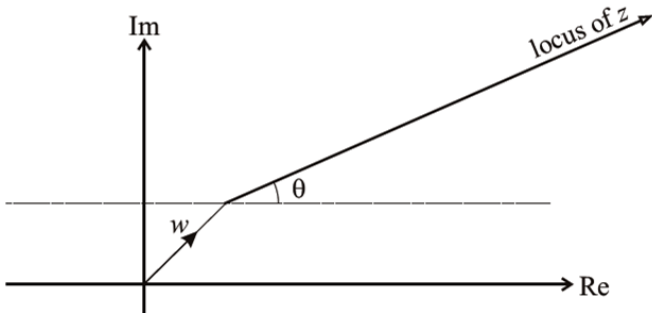
$$|z - w| = r$$

The locus of a point z such that $|z - w| = r$, is a circle with its centre at w and with radius r .



$$\arg(z - w) = \theta$$

The locus of a point z such that $\arg(z - w) = \theta$ is a ray from w , making an angle θ with the positive real axis.



$$|z - w| = |z - v|$$

The locus of a point z such that $|z - w| = |z - v|$ is the perpendicular bisector of the line joining w and v

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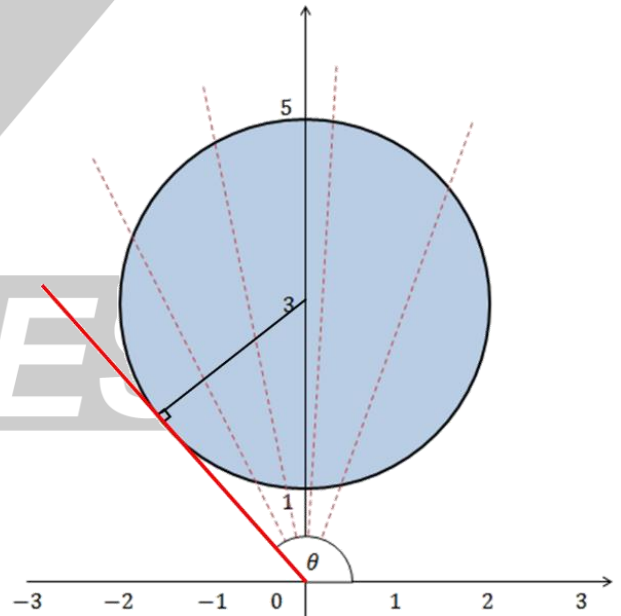
Question 10:

On a sketch of an Argand diagram, shade the region whose points represent the complex numbers z which satisfy the inequality $|z - 3i| \leq 2$. Find the greatest value of $\arg z$ for points in this region.

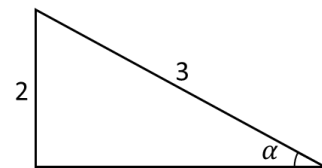
Solution:

The part shaded in blue is the answer.

To find the greatest value of $\arg z$ within this region we must use the tangent at point on the circle which has the greatest value of θ from the horizontal (red line)



The triangle magnified



$$\sin \alpha = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\alpha = 0.730$$

$$\theta = \alpha + \frac{\pi}{2} = 0.730 + \frac{\pi}{2} = 2.30$$

$$x = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{greatest value of } \operatorname{Re} z = 2 + \sqrt{2}$$

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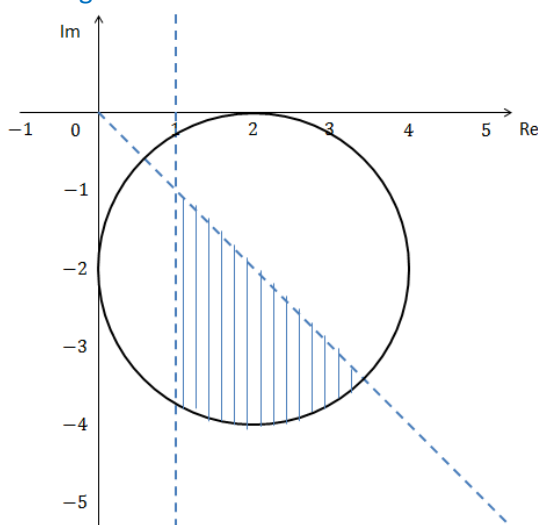
Question 10:

- i. On a sketch of an Argand diagram, shade the region whose points represent complex numbers satisfying the inequalities $|z - 2 + 2i| \leq 2$, $\arg z \leq -\frac{1}{4}\pi$ and $\operatorname{Re} z \geq 1$,
- ii. Calculate the greatest possible value of $\operatorname{Re} z$ for points lying in the shaded region.

Solution:

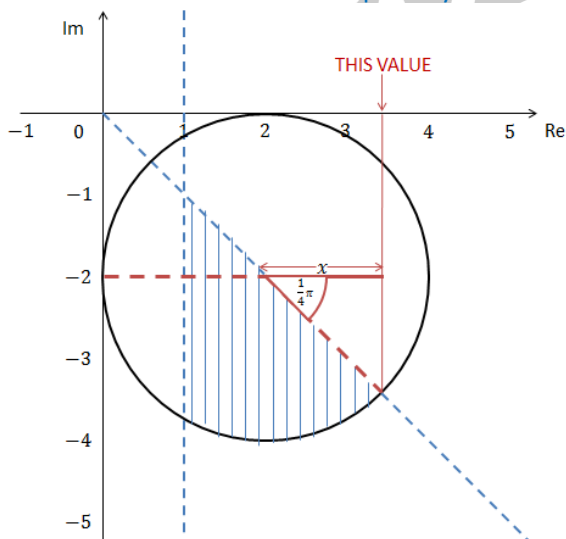
Part (i)

Argand diagram:



Part (ii)

The greatest value for the real part of z would be the one which is furthest right on the Re axis but within the limits of the shaded area. Graphically:



Now using circle and Pythagoras theorems we can find the value of x :

$$x = 2 \times \cos \frac{1}{4}\pi$$

8.6 Polar Form

- For a complex number z with magnitude R and argument θ :

$$z = R(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = R e^{i\theta}$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta + i \sin \theta = e^{i\theta}$$

Polar Form to General Form:

Example:

Convert from polar to general, $z = 4e^{\frac{\pi}{4}i}$

Solution:

$$R = 4 \quad \arg z = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore z = 4 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right)$$

$$z = 4 \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i \right)$$

$$z = 2\sqrt{2} + (2\sqrt{2})i$$

General Form to Polar Form:

Example:

Convert from general to polar, $z = 2\sqrt{2} + (2\sqrt{2})i$

Solution:

$$z = 2\sqrt{2} + (2\sqrt{2})i$$

$$R = \sqrt{(2\sqrt{2})^2 + (2\sqrt{2})^2} = 4$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\therefore 4 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = 4e^{\frac{\pi}{4}i}$$

8.7 Multiplication and Division in Polar Form

- To find **product** of two complex numbers in polar form:
 - Multiply their magnitudes
 - Add their arguments

$$z_1 z_2 = |z_1| |z_2| (\arg z_1 + \arg z_2)$$

Example:

Find $z_1 z_2$ in polar form given,

$$z_1 = 2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \quad z_2 = 4 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{8} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \right)$$

Solution:

$$z_1 z_2 = (2 \times 4) \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{8} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{\pi}{8} \right) \right)$$

$$z_1 z_2 = 8 \left(\cos \frac{3\pi}{8} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{8} \right)$$

- To find **quotient** of two complex numbers in polar form:
 - Divide their magnitudes

- Subtract their arguments

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{|z_1|}{|z_2|} (\arg z_1 - \arg z_2)$$

Example:

Find $\frac{z_1}{z_2}$ in polar form given,

$$z_1 = 2 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \quad z_2 = 4 \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{8} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \right)$$

Solution:

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \left(\frac{2}{4} \right) \left(\cos \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{8} \right) + i \sin \left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{8} \right) \right)$$

$$\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\cos \frac{\pi}{8} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{8} \right)$$

8.8 De Moivre's Theorem

$$z^n = R^n (\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta) = R^n e^{in\theta}$$

9. DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

- Form a differential equation using the information given
 - If something is proportional, add constant of proportionality k
 - If rate is decreasing, add a negative sign
- Separate variables, bring dx and dt on opposite sides
- Integrate both sides to form an equation
- Add arbitrary constant
- Use conditions given to find c and/or k

{W10-P33}

Question 9:

A biologist is investigating the spread of a weed in a particular region. At time t weeks, the area covered by the weed is $A m^2$. The biologist claims that rate of increase of A is proportional to $\sqrt{2A - 5}$.

- Write down a differential equation given info
- At start of investigation, area covered by weed was $7 m^2$. 10 weeks later, area covered = $27 m^2$. Find the area covered 20 weeks after the start of the investigation.

Solution:

Part (i)

$$\frac{dA}{dt} \propto \sqrt{2A - 5} = k\sqrt{2A - 5}$$

Part (ii)

Proceed to form an equation in A and t :

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = k\sqrt{2A - 5}$$

Separate variables

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2A - 5}} dA = k dt$$

Integrate both side

$$kt + c = (2A - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

When $t = 0$:

$$A = 7 \quad \therefore \quad c = 3$$

$$kt + 3 = (2A - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

When $t = 10$:

$$10k + 3 = (2(27) - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$10k = \sqrt{49} - 3$$

$$k = 0.4$$

Now substitute 20 as t and then find A :

$$0.4(20) + 3 = (2A - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$11 = (2A - 5)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$121 = 2A - 5$$

$$A = 63 m^2$$

{S13-P31}

Question 10:

Liquid is flowing into a small tank which has a leak. Initially the tank is empty and, t minutes later, the volume of liquid in the tank is $V \text{ cm}^3$. The liquid is flowing into the tank at a constant rate of 80 cm^3 per minute. Because of the leak, liquid is being lost from the tank at a rate which, at any instant, is equal to $kV \text{ cm}^3$ per minute where k is a positive constant.

- Write down a differential equation describing this situation and solve it to show that:

$$V = \frac{1}{k} (80 - 80e^{-kt})$$

- $V = 500$ when $t = 15$, show:

$$k = \frac{4 - 4e^{-15k}}{25}$$

Find k using iterations, initially $k = 0.1$

- Work out volume of liquid at $t = 20$ and state what happens to volume after a long time.

Solution:

Part (i)

Represent the given information as a derivative:

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 80 - kV$$

Proceed to solve the differential equation:

$$\frac{dt}{dV} = \frac{1}{80 - kV}$$

$$dt = \frac{1}{80 - kV} dV$$

$$\int (1) dt = \int \frac{1}{80 - kV} dV$$

$$t + c = -\frac{1}{k} \ln|80 - kV|$$

Use the given information; when $t = 0, V = 0$:

$$\therefore c = -\frac{1}{k} \ln(80)$$

Substitute back into equation:

$$t - \frac{1}{k} \ln(80) = -\frac{1}{k} \ln|80 - kV|$$

$$t = \frac{1}{k} \ln(80) - \frac{1}{k} \ln|80 - kV|$$

$$t = \frac{1}{k} \ln\left(\frac{80}{80 - kV}\right)$$

$$kt = \ln\left(\frac{80}{80 - kV}\right)$$

$$e^{kt} = \frac{80}{80 - kV}$$

$$80 - kV = \frac{80}{e^{kt}}$$

$$kV = 80 - 80e^{-kt}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{k}(80 - 80e^{-kt})$$

Part (ii)

After carrying out the iterations, the following result will be obtained:

$$k = 0.14 \text{ (2d.p.)}$$

Part (iii)

Simply substitute into the equation's t :

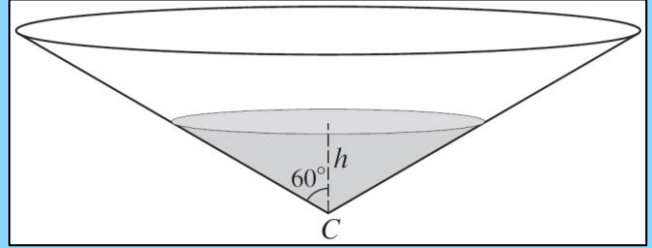
$$V = \frac{1}{0.14}(80 - 80e^{-0.14(20)}) = 537 \text{ cm}^3$$

The volume of liquid in the tank after a long time approaches the max volume:

$$V = \frac{1}{0.14}(80) = 571 \text{ cm}^3$$

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Question 10:



A tank containing water is in the form of a cone with vertex C . The axis is vertical and the semi-vertical angle is 60° , as shown in the diagram. At time $t = 0$, the tank is full and the depth of water is H . At this instant, a tap at C is opened and water begins to flow out. The volume of water in the tank decreases at a rate proportional to \sqrt{h} , where h is the depth of water at time t . The tank becomes empty when $t = 60$.

- i. Show that h and t satisfy a differential equation of the form:

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = -Ah^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

Where A is a positive constant.

- ii. Solve differential equation given in part i and obtain an expression for t in terms of h and H .

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Solution:**Part (i)**

First represent info they give us as an equation:

$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$$

$$r = \tan 60 \times h = h\sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore V = \frac{1}{3}\pi(h\sqrt{3})^2 h = \pi h^3$$

$$\frac{dV}{dh} = 3\pi h^2$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} \propto -\sqrt{h} = -kh^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Find the rate of change of h :

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{dV}{dt} \div \frac{dV}{dh}$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{-kh^{\frac{1}{2}}}{3\pi h^2} = -\frac{k}{3\pi}h^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

Part (ii)

$$dt = \frac{1}{-Ah^{-\frac{3}{2}}} dh$$

$$\int A dt = \int \frac{1}{-h^{-\frac{3}{2}}} dh$$

$$At + c = -\frac{2}{5}h^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

Use given information to find unknowns; when $t = 0$:

$$-A(0) + c = \frac{2}{5}(H)^{\frac{5}{2}} \quad \therefore c = \frac{2}{5}H^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

When $t = 60$:

$$-A(60) + c = 0$$

$$c = 60A$$

$$A = \frac{1}{150}H^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

Thus the initial equation becomes:

$$-\frac{1}{150}H^{\frac{5}{2}}t + \frac{2}{5}H^{\frac{5}{2}} = \frac{2}{5}h^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$H^{\frac{5}{2}}\left(-\frac{t}{150} + \frac{2}{5}\right) = \frac{2}{5}h^{\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$-\frac{t}{150} + \frac{2}{5} = \frac{2h^{\frac{5}{2}}}{5H^{\frac{5}{2}}}$$

$$\frac{t}{150} = \frac{2}{5} - \frac{2h^{\frac{5}{2}}}{5H^{\frac{5}{2}}}$$

$$t = 150\left(\frac{2}{5} - \frac{2h^{\frac{5}{2}}}{5H^{\frac{5}{2}}}\right) = 60 - 60h^{\frac{5}{2}}H^{-\frac{5}{2}}$$

$$t = 60\left(1 - \left(\frac{h}{H}\right)^{\frac{5}{2}}\right)$$

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