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AS Level Further Mathematics A

Y531 Pure Core

Sample Question Paper

Date – Morning/Afternoon

Time allowed: 1 hour 15 minutes

MODEL
ANSWERS

OCR supplied materials:

- Printed Answer Booklet
- Formulae AS Level Further Mathematics A

You must have:

- Printed Answer Booklet
- Formulae AS Level Further Mathematics A
- Scientific or graphical calculator



INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Complete the boxes provided on the Printed Answer Booklet with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- **Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the Printed Answer Booklet.**
- Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.
- You are permitted to use a scientific or graphical calculator in this paper.
- Final answers should be given to a degree of accuracy appropriate to the context.
- The acceleration due to gravity is denoted by $g \text{ ms}^{-2}$. Unless otherwise instructed, when a numerical value is needed, use $g = 9.8$.

INFORMATION

- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- **You are reminded of the need for clear presentation in your answers.**
- The Printed Answer Booklet consists of **12** pages. The Question Paper consists of **4** pages.

1 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

The equation $x^2 + 2x + 5 = 0$ has roots α and β . The equation $x^2 + px + q = 0$ has roots α^2 and β^2 .

Find the values of p and q .

[3]

$$x^2 + 2x + 5 = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \alpha + \beta = -2 \quad \alpha\beta = 5$$

for $x^2 + px + q = 0$:

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 = -p$$

$$(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta = -p$$

$$-p = (-2)^2 - 2(5)$$

$$= 4 - 10$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{p = 6}$$

$$\alpha^2 \beta^2 = q$$

$$(\alpha\beta)^2 = q$$

$$q = 5^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{q = 25}$$

2 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Given that $z_1 = 3 + 2i$ and $z_2 = -1 - i$, find the following, giving each in the form $a + bi$.

(i) $z_1^* z_2$

[2]

(ii) $\frac{z_1 + 2z_2}{z_2}$

[2]

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i. } z_1^* z_2 &= (3 - 2i)(-1 - i) \\ &= -3 + 2i - 3i + 2i^2 \\ &= \underline{-5 - i} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii. } \frac{z_1 + 2z_2}{z_2} &= \frac{3 + 2i - 2 - 2i}{-1 - i} \\ &= \frac{1}{-1 - i} \\ &= \frac{1}{-1 - i} \times \frac{-1 + i}{-1 + i} \\ &= \frac{-1 + i}{1 - i^2} \\ &= \underline{\underline{\frac{-1 + i}{2}}} \end{aligned}$$

multiply top & bottom by
conjugate of denominator



- 3 (i) You are given two matrices, **A** and **B**, where

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that $\mathbf{AB} = m\mathbf{I}$, where m is a constant to be determined.

[2]

- (ii) You are given two matrices, **C** and **D**, where

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 8 & -2 \\ -5 & 9 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Show that $\mathbf{C}^{-1} = k\mathbf{D}$ where k is a constant to be determined.

[2]

i.
$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1+4 & 2-2 \\ -2+2 & 4-1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= 3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow m=3$$

ii.
$$\mathbf{CD} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 3 \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 8 & -2 \\ -5 & 9 & -1 \\ 3 & -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 2\mathbf{I} \Rightarrow \mathbf{CD} = 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathbf{C}^{-1}\mathbf{CD} = \mathbf{C}^{-1}2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\mathbf{D} = 2\mathbf{C}^{-1}$$

$$\mathbf{C}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{D} \therefore k = \frac{1}{2}$$

(iii) The matrices E and F are given by $E = \begin{pmatrix} k & k^2 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ and $F = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ k \end{pmatrix}$ where k is a constant.

Determine any matrix F for which $EF = \begin{pmatrix} -2k \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$.

[5]

$$\text{iii. } EF = \begin{pmatrix} -2k \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} k & k^2 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2k \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2k + k^3 = -2k$$

$$k^3 + 4k = 0$$

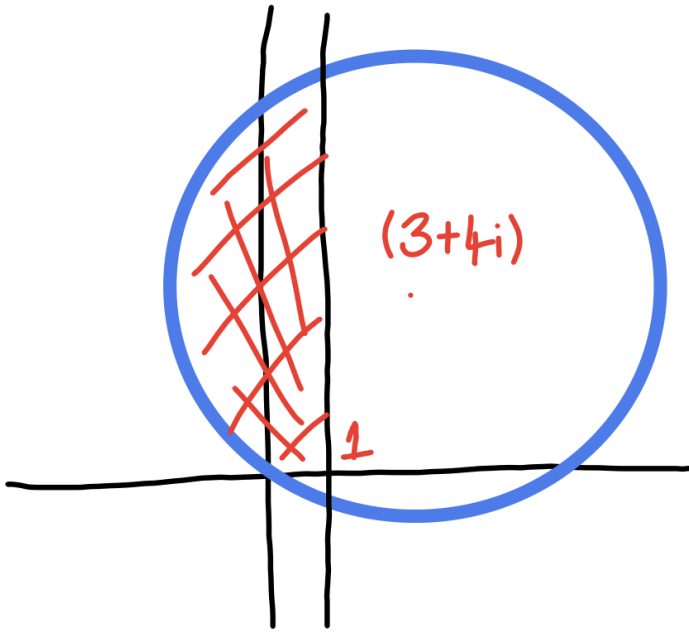
$$k(k^2 + 4) = 0$$

$$\therefore k = 0 \text{ or } k = \pm 2i$$

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2i \end{pmatrix} \text{ or } \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2i \end{pmatrix}$$

4 Draw the region of the Argand diagram for which $|z-3-4i| \leq 5$ and $|z| \leq |z-2|$.

[4]

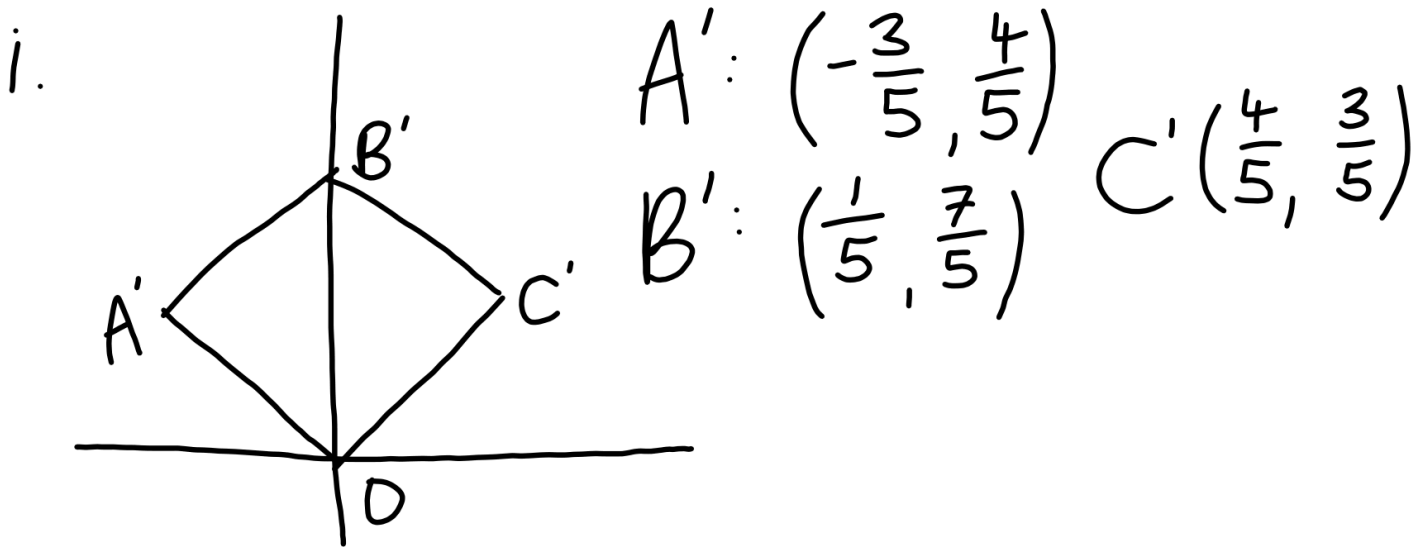


$$\sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{5^2}$$

\Rightarrow circle through origin

5 The matrix M is given by $M = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix}$.

- (i) The diagram in the Printed Answer Booklet shows the unit square $OABC$. The image of the unit square under the transformation represented by M is $OA'B'C'$. Draw and clearly label $OA'B'C'$. [3]
- (ii) Find the equation of the line of invariant points of this transformation. [3]
- (iii) (a) Find the determinant of M . [1]
- (b) Describe briefly how this value relates to the transformation represented by M . [2]



ii. invariant points remain the same under transformation

$$\Rightarrow M \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \frac{4}{5} & \frac{3}{5} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$\frac{4}{5}y = \frac{8}{5}x$$

$$\underline{y = 2x}$$

$$\frac{4}{5}x + \frac{3}{5}y = y$$

$$\frac{4}{5}x = \frac{2}{5}y$$

$$\underline{2x = y}$$

hence all points on $y=2x$ are invariant

$$\text{iii. a) } \det M = \left(-\frac{3}{5} \times \frac{3}{5}\right) - \left(\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{4}{5}\right) = \frac{-9}{25} - \frac{16}{25}$$

b) the area remains the same ^{= -1} but the orientation of the image has changed

6 At the beginning of the year John had a total of £2000 in three different accounts. He has twice as much money in the current account as in the savings account.

- The current account has an interest rate of 2.5% per annum.
- The savings account has an interest rate of 3.7% per annum.
- The supersaver account has an interest rate of 4.9% per annum.

John has predicted that he will earn a total interest of £92 by the end of the year.

- (i) Model this situation as a matrix equation. [2]
- (ii) Find the amount that John had in each account at the beginning of the year. [2]
- (iii) In fact, the interest John will receive is £92 to the nearest pound. Explain how this affects the calculations. [2]

i. let x be the amount invested in the current account

let y be the amount invested in the savings account

let z be the amount invested in the supersaver account

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0.025 & 0.037 & 0.049 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2000 \\ 92 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

ii. $x + y + z$ ① Solve the simultaneous equations

$$0.025x + 0.037y + 0.049z = 92 \quad \text{②}$$

$$x - 2y = 0$$

$$x = 2y \quad \text{③}$$

$$\text{③ in ①: } 2y + y + z = 2000$$

$$3y + z = 2000$$

$$z = 2000 - 3y \quad \text{④}$$

Sub ③ & ④ in ①

$$0.025(2y) + 0.037y + 0.049(2000 - 3y) = 92$$

$$0.5y + 0.037y + 98 - 0.147y = 92$$

$$b = 0.06y$$

$$y = \underline{100}$$

$$\rightarrow x = 2(100) = 200$$

$$z = 2000 - 3(100) = 1700$$

So invests £100 in Savings acc.

£200 in Current acc.

£1700 in supersaver acc.

iii. the 92 from (ii) should be 92 ± 0.5 , giving a range of answers for each account

7 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

It is given that $f(z) = z^3 - 13z^2 + 65z - 125$.

The points representing the three roots of the equation $f(z) = 0$ are plotted on an Argand diagram.

Show that these points lie on the circle $|z| = k$, where k is a real number to be determined.

[9]

$f(5) = 0$, hence $(z-5)$ is a factor of $f(z)$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 z^2 - 8z + 25 \\
 \hline
 (z-5) \left| \begin{array}{l} z^3 - 13z^2 + 65z - 125 \\ -(z^3 - 5z^2) \\ \hline -8z^2 + 65z - 125 \\ -(-8z^2 + 40z) \\ \hline 25z - 125 \\ -(25z - 125) \\ \hline 0 \end{array} \right.
 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore f(z) = (z-5)(z^2 - 8z + 25)$$

$$z = 5 \text{ or } z^2 - 8z + 25 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{8^2 - 4(25)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{-36}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{8 \pm 6i}{2}$$

$$= 4 \pm 3i$$

find the moduli of these three roots

$$|5| = 5$$

$$|4+3i| = \sqrt{4^2+3^2} = 5$$

$$|4-3i| = \sqrt{4^2+3^2} = 5$$

the points are all an equal distance of 5 from the origin, meaning they all lie on the circle of radius 5.

$$\underline{k=5}$$

8 Prove that $n! > 2^n$ for $n \geq 4$.

[5]

prove by induction

base case: let $n=4$, $4! = 24$

$$2^4 = 16$$

$$24 > 16 \text{ so } 4! > 2^4$$

\Rightarrow hence true for $n=4$

assume true for $n=k$, so $k! > 2^k$

for $n=k+1$: $(k+1)! = (k+1) \times k! > (k+1) \times 2^k \because k! > 2^k$

since $k+1 > 2$ for $k \geq 4$,

$$(k+1) \times 2^k > 2 \times 2^k = 2^{k+1}$$

$$\therefore (k+1)! > 2^{k+1}$$

Statement is true for base case & true for $k+1$ when assumed true for $n=k$

\therefore true for all $n \geq 4$ by induction

- 9 (i) Find the value of k such that $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ k \end{pmatrix}$ are perpendicular. [2]

Two lines have equations $l_1: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $l_2: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

- (ii) Find the point of intersection of l_1 and l_2 . [4]

- (iii) The vector $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$ is perpendicular to the lines l_1 and l_2 .

Find the values of a and b . [5]

END OF QUESTION PAPER

$$i. \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ k \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$-2 + 6 + k = 0$$

$$\underline{k = -4}$$

$$ii. \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$3 + \lambda = 6 + 2\mu$$

$$\lambda = 3 + 2\mu$$

$$7 + 3\lambda = 2 - \mu$$

$$\mu = -5 - 3\lambda$$

$$\lambda = 3 + 2(-5 - 3y)$$

$$= 3 - 10 - 6\lambda$$

$$7\lambda = -7$$

$$\lambda = -1 \Rightarrow \mu = -5 - 3(-1) = -2$$

Check with the z equation

$$7 + 3\lambda = 2 - \mu$$

$$7 - 3 = 2 - -2$$

$$4 = 4$$

hence coordinates are $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$

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

iii. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ 1 & -1 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i}(2-4) - \underline{j}(-1-6) + \underline{k}(1+2)$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -7 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -2$$

$$a = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$b = -\frac{3}{2}$$