

**Question 1 (Integration by Parts, Volume of Revolution)**

(i) 
$$I_n = \int_1^e x(\ln x)^n dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} (\ln x)^n \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x^2}{2} \cdot n(\ln x)^{n-1} \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{n}{2} \int_1^e x(\ln x)^{n-1} dx$$

$$= \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{n}{2} I_{n-1} \text{ (shown)}$$

(ii) Volume

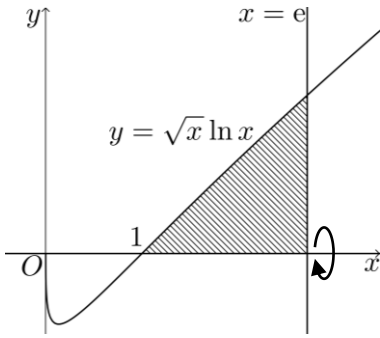
$$= \pi \int_1^e x(\ln x)^2 dx$$

$$= \pi I_2$$

$$= \pi \left( \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{2}{2} I_1 \right)$$

$$= \pi \left[ \frac{e^2}{2} - \left( \frac{e^2}{2} - \frac{1}{2} I_0 \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} I_0 = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_1^e$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{4} (e^2 - 1) \text{ units}^3$$


**Question 2 (Inequalities)**

<p><b>(i)</b></p> $\frac{px^2 - 1}{x^2 + (1-p)x - p} \geq 1$ $\Rightarrow \frac{px^2 - 1}{x^2 + (1-p)x - p} - 1 \geq 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{px^2 - 1 - [x^2 + (1-p)x - p]}{x^2 + (1-p)x - p} \geq 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{px^2 - 1 - x^2 + (p-1)x + p}{x^2 - px + x - p} \geq 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{(p-1)x^2 + (p-1)x + (p-1)}{(x+1)(x-p)} \geq 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{(p-1)(x^2 + x + 1)}{(x+1)(x-p)} \geq 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{x^2 + x + 1}{(x+1)(x-p)} \geq 0 \quad \text{since } p > 1 \Rightarrow p-1 > 0$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(x+1)(x-p)} \geq 0 \quad \text{since } x^2 + x + 1 = \left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4} > 0$ $\Rightarrow (x+1)(x-p) > 0 \quad \text{since denominator cannot be zero}$ $\Rightarrow x < -1 \quad \text{or} \quad x > p$	
<p><b>(ii)</b> We observe that</p> $\frac{px^2 - 1}{x^2 + (p-1) x  - p} = \frac{p(- x )^2 - 1}{(- x )^2 + (1-p)(- x ) - p}.$ <p>Hence we replace <math>x</math> by <math>- x </math> in the answer obtained in <b>(i)</b>, i.e.</p> $- x  < -1 \quad \text{or} \quad - x  > p \quad \Rightarrow \quad  x  > 1 \quad \text{or} \quad  x  < -p \quad (\text{N.A.})$ $\Rightarrow \quad x > 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x < -1$	

**Question 3 (Vectors I – Abstract Vectors)**

(i) Given that  $OAB$  is an equilateral triangle,

$$|\mathbf{a}| = |\mathbf{b}| \text{ and } \angle AOB = \frac{\pi}{3}.$$

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = |\mathbf{a}| |\mathbf{b}| \cos \angle AOB$$

$$= |\mathbf{a}|^2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} |\mathbf{a}|^2$$

(ii)  $\overrightarrow{AC}$

$$= \overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA}$$

$$= 3\mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}$$

$$= 2\mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{b}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC}$$

$$= \mathbf{a} \cdot (2\mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{b})$$

$$= 2\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$$

$$= 2|\mathbf{a}|^2 - 4 \left( \frac{1}{2} |\mathbf{a}|^2 \right)$$

$$= 2|\mathbf{a}|^2 - 2|\mathbf{a}|^2$$

$$= 0$$

Since  $\overrightarrow{OA} \cdot \overrightarrow{AC} = 0$ ,

$\therefore OA$  and  $AC$  are perpendicular.

(iii)  $\mathbf{r} \times (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$

$$\mathbf{r} \times (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) - \mathbf{a} \times (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{0}$$

$$(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{a}) \times (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{a} = \lambda (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a})$$

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{a} + \lambda (\mathbf{b} - \mathbf{a}) = \overrightarrow{OA} + \lambda \overrightarrow{AB}$$

The equation represents the line  $AB$  and  $\mathbf{r}$  represents the position vector of a variable point on this line.

**Question 4 (Complex Numbers – Algebra)**

(i) **Method 1 (recommended in this case as use of GC is allowed)**

Let  $w = a + ib$  and  $u = c + id$ , where  $a, b, c$  and  $d$  are real.  $\therefore w^* = a - ib$  and  $u^* = c - id$

Since  $w^* - 2iu = 8$ ,

$$a - ib - 2i(c + id) = 8$$

$$a + 2d - i(b + 2c) = 8$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts,

$$a + 2d = 8 \text{ ----- (1)}$$

$$b + 2c = 0 \text{ ----- (2)}$$

Since  $(2i - 1)w + 2u^* = 4$ ,

$$(2i - 1)(a + ib) + 2(c - id) = 4$$

$$2ia - 2b - a - ib + 2c - 2id = 4$$

$$-a - 2b + 2c + i(2a - b - 2d) = 4$$

Comparing real and imaginary parts,

$$-a - 2b + 2c = 4 \text{ ----- (3)}$$

$$2a - b - 2d = 0 \text{ ----- (4)}$$

Using GC to solve the 4 linear equations,

$$a = 2, b = -2, c = 1, d = 3.$$

$$\therefore w = 2 - 2i \text{ and } u = 1 + 3i$$

**Method 2**

Since  $w^* - 2iu = 8$ ,

$$w^* = 8 + 2iu \Rightarrow w = 8^* + (2iu)^* = 8 - 2iu^* \quad (1)$$

Substituting (1) into  $(2i - 1)w + 2u^* = 4$ ,

$$(2i - 1)(8 - 2iu^*) + 2u^* = 4$$

$$16i - 8 + 4u^* + 2iu^* + 2u^* = 4$$

$$(6 + 2i)u^* = 12 - 16i$$

$$u^* = \frac{12 - 16i}{6 + 2i} = 1 - 3i$$

$$u = 1 + 3i$$

Thus, from equation (1),

$$w = 8 - 2i(1 + 3i) = 8 - 2i - 6 = 2 - 2i$$

(ii) **Method 1 (Conjugate Root Theorem)**

Since the coefficients of the equation are all real,  
 $\therefore w^*$  and  $u^*$  are also roots of the equation.

$$(z - w)(z - w^*)(z - u)(z - u^*) = 0$$

$$\left[ z^2 - (w + w^*)z + ww^* \right] \left[ z^2 - (u + u^*)z + uu^* \right] = 0$$

$$\left[ z^2 - (2\operatorname{Re}(w))z + |w|^2 \right] \left[ z^2 - (2\operatorname{Re}(u))z + |u|^2 \right] = 0$$

$$\left[ z^2 - 2(2)z + 2^2 + 2^2 \right] \left[ z^2 - 2(1)z + 1^2 + 3^2 \right] = 0$$

$$(z^2 - 4z + 8)(z^2 - 2z + 10) = 0$$

$$\therefore c = 8, d = 2$$

**Method 2**

$$(z^2 - 4z + c)(z^2 - dz + 10) = 0$$

$$z^2 - 4z + c = 0 \text{ or } z^2 - dz + 10 = 0$$

$$z = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4c}}{2} \text{ or } z = \frac{d \pm \sqrt{d^2 - 40}}{2}$$

$$z = 2 \pm \sqrt{4 - c} \text{ or } z = \frac{d \pm \sqrt{d^2 - 40}}{2}$$

$$\text{Comparing, } 2 - \sqrt{4 - c} = w = 2 - 2i$$

$$\Rightarrow 4 - c = 2^2 \Rightarrow c = 4 + 2^2 = 8$$

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{d}{2} = \operatorname{Re}(u) = 1 \Rightarrow d = 2$$

**Question 5 (Maxima & Minima Problems)**

(i)  $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 + \pi r^2 x = 600$

$$\pi r^2 \left( \frac{4}{3}r + x \right) = 600$$

$$\frac{4}{3}r + x = \frac{600}{\pi r^2}$$

$$x = \frac{600}{\pi r^2} - \frac{4}{3}r$$

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^3 + \pi \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 x - 600$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}\pi \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^3 + \pi \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 \left( \frac{600}{\pi r^2} - \frac{4}{3}r \right) - 600$$

$$= \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 \left[ \frac{4\pi}{3} \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right) + \frac{600}{r^2} - \frac{4\pi}{3}r \right] - 600$$

$$= \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{600}{r^2} \right) - 600$$

(ii) For  $V$  to be minimum,  $\frac{dV}{dr} = 0$ .

$$\frac{dV}{dr} = 2 \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right) \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{600}{r^2} \right) + \left( r + \frac{1}{4} \right)^2 \left[ \frac{600(-2)}{r^3} \right]$$

$$= \left( 2r + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left( \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{600}{r^2} \right) - \frac{1200}{r^3} \left( r^2 + \frac{1}{2}r + \frac{1}{16} \right)$$

$$= \frac{2\pi r}{3} + \frac{1200}{r} + \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{300}{r^2} - \frac{1200}{r} - \frac{600}{r^2} - \frac{75}{r^3}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi r}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{300}{r^2} - \frac{75}{r^3}$$

$$\therefore \frac{2\pi r}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{300}{r^2} - \frac{75}{r^3} = 0$$

Using GC,  $r = 5.2322$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dr^2} = \frac{2\pi}{3} - \frac{300(-2)}{r^3} - \frac{75(-3)}{r^4}$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} + \frac{600}{r^3} + \frac{225}{r^4}$$

Since  $r > 0$ ,  $\frac{600}{r^3} > 0$  and  $\frac{225}{r^4} > 0$ ,

so  $\frac{d^2V}{dr^2} > 0$  for all real  $r > 0$ .

$\therefore V$  is minimum when  $r = 5.23$  (3sf)

**Question 6 (Sequences and Series)**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad u_k - u_{k+1} &= \frac{1}{k!} - \frac{1}{(k+1)!} = \frac{k+1-1}{(k+1)!} = \frac{k}{(k+1)!} \\
 \frac{3}{4!} + \frac{4}{5!} + \frac{5}{6!} + \dots + \frac{3n+2}{(3n+3)!} \\
 &= \sum_{r=3}^{3n+2} \frac{r}{(r+1)!} \\
 &= \sum_{r=3}^{3n+2} \left[ \frac{1}{r!} - \frac{1}{(r+1)!} \right] \\
 &= \sum_{r=3}^{3n+2} \left[ \frac{1}{r!} - \frac{1}{(r+1)!} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{3!} - \frac{1}{4!} \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{4!} - \frac{1}{5!} \\
 &\quad \vdots \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{(3n+1)!} - \frac{1}{(3n+2)!} \\
 &\quad + \frac{1}{(3n+2)!} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!} \\
 &= \frac{1}{3!} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!} \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!}
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Replace  $r$  with  $h + 1$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{r=5}^{3n+3} \frac{r-1}{r!} &= \sum_{h=4}^{3n+2} \frac{h}{(h+1)!} \\ &= \sum_{h=3}^{3n+2} \frac{h}{(h+1)!} - \frac{3}{4!} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!} - \frac{1}{8} \\ &= \frac{1}{24} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{r=5}^{3n+3} \frac{3}{r!} &< \sum_{r=5}^{3n+3} \frac{r-1}{r!} \\ &= \frac{1}{24} - \frac{1}{(3n+3)!} \\ &< \frac{1}{24}\end{aligned}$$



**Question 7 (Arithmetic and Geometric Series)**

<p>(a) <math>160 + (n-1)(-8) &gt; 0</math> <math>168 - 8n &gt; 0</math> <math>n &lt; 21</math></p> <p>Thus, Amy can cut off at most 20 pieces.</p>	
<p>(b) <math>S_{\infty} \leq 1000 \Rightarrow \frac{160}{1-p} \leq 1000</math> <math>\Rightarrow 160 \leq 1000(1-p)</math> <math>\Rightarrow 0 &lt; p \leq 0.84</math></p> <p>Largest value of <math>p</math> is 0.84 .</p> <p>For the total length of ribbon that Bala cuts off to <b>not</b> exceed 9.5 m,</p> $S_n \leq 950 \Rightarrow \frac{160(1-0.84^n)}{1-0.84} \leq 950$ $\Rightarrow 160(1-0.84^n) \leq 152$ $\Rightarrow 0.84^n \geq 0.05$ $\Rightarrow n \leq \frac{\ln 0.05}{\ln 0.84}$ $\Rightarrow 0 < n \leq 17.18$ <p>So, Bala can cut off at most 17 pieces of string (since <math>n</math> is an integer).</p>	
<p>(c) Total length of the original long roll of ribbon</p> $= \frac{20}{2} [2(160) + 19(-8)] + \frac{160(1-0.84^{17})}{1-0.84} + 4.5$ $= 1680 + 948.388 + 4.5$ $= 2632.888$ $\approx 2633 \text{ cm (nearest cm)}$	

**Question 8 (Complex Numbers – Geometrical Forms)**

(i)  $w^* = \left( (-i\sqrt{3})z \right)^* = i\sqrt{3}z^*$   
 $= \sqrt{3}e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)} 2e^{i\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = 2\sqrt{3}e^{i\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)}$

$z + w^* = 2e^{i\left(\frac{-\pi}{4}\right)} + 2\sqrt{3}e^{i\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)}$   
 $= 2e^{i\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)} \left( -e^{i\pi} + \sqrt{3} \right)$   
 $= 2(\sqrt{3} - 1)e^{i\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}\right)}$

(ii) Since  $(z + w^*)^n$  is purely imaginary, then

$\arg\left((z + w^*)^n\right) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{3\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{5\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{7\pi}{2}, \dots$

$n \arg(z + w^*) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{3\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{5\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{7\pi}{2}, \dots$

$\frac{3n\pi}{4} = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{3\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{5\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{7\pi}{2}, \dots$

$\frac{3n}{4} = \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{3}{2}, \pm \frac{5}{2}, \pm \frac{7}{2}, \dots$

$= \frac{1}{2}(2k + 1), \text{ where } k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$n = \frac{2}{3}(2k + 1), \text{ where } k \in \mathbb{Z}$

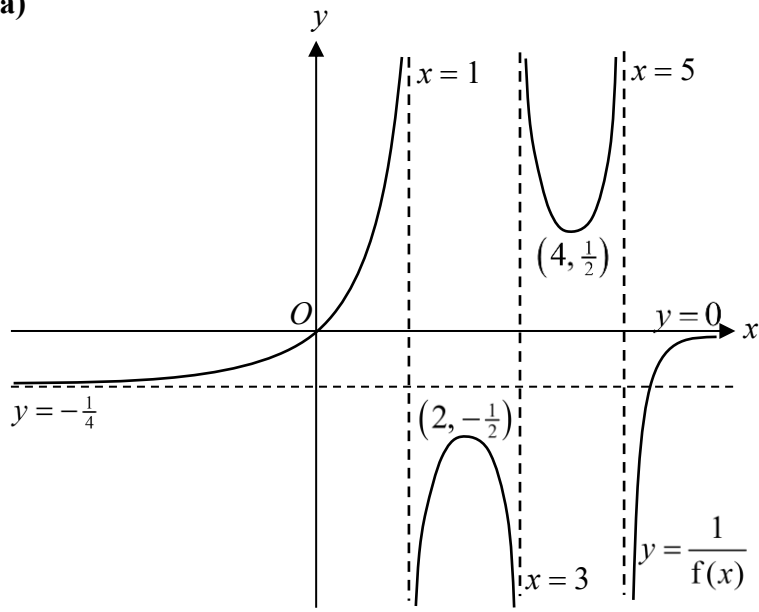
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad \arg\left(\frac{z+w^*}{z^*w}\right) &= \arg(z+w^*) - \arg(z^*w) \\
 &= \arg(z+w^*) - \arg(z^*) - \arg(w) \\
 &= \frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{3\pi}{4} \\
 &= \frac{5}{4}\pi \equiv -\frac{3}{4}\pi
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,  $\text{Im}(v) = \text{Re}(v)$

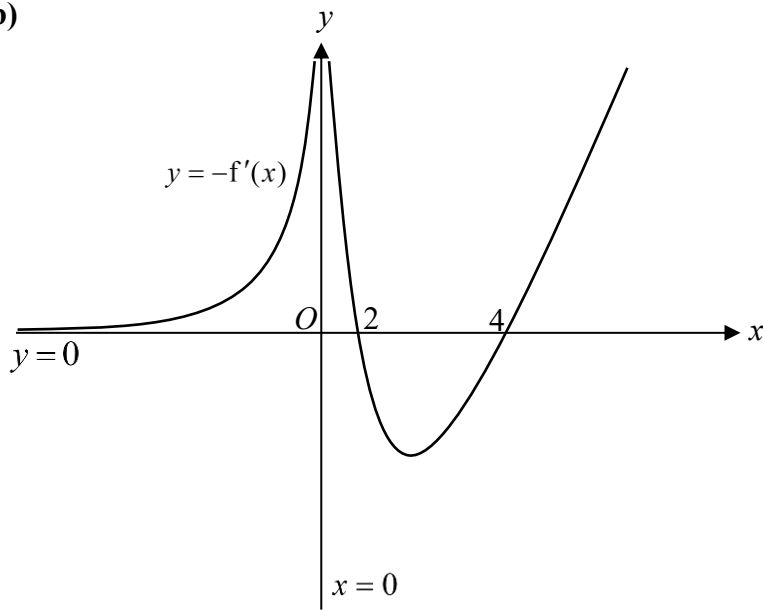
$$\begin{aligned}
 \left|\frac{z+w^*}{z^*w}\right| &= \frac{|z+w^*|}{|z||w|} \\
 &= \frac{|z+w^*|}{|z| |(-i\sqrt{3})z|} \\
 &= \frac{|z+w^*|}{\sqrt{3}|z|^2} \\
 &= \frac{2(\sqrt{3}-1)}{4\sqrt{3}} \\
 &= \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 9 (Transformations of Graphs)**

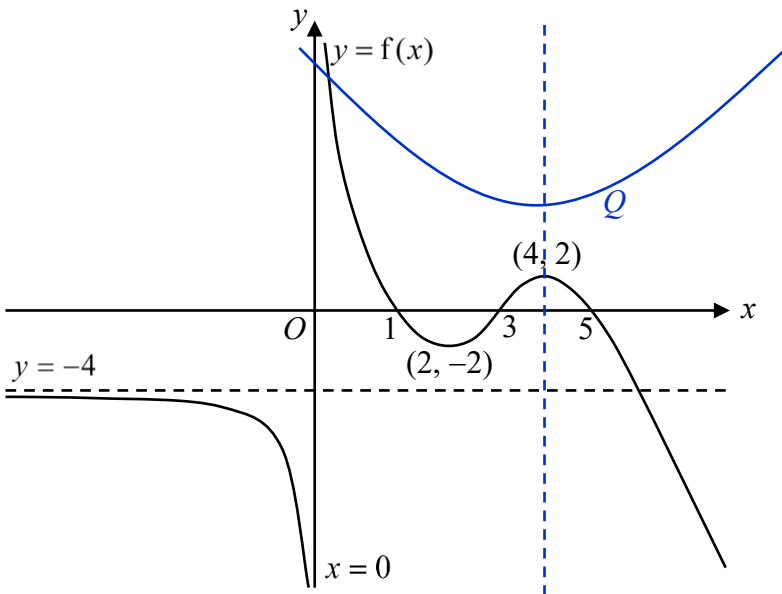
(a)



(b)



**1.p.**  $y = p(x-4)^2 + q$



For the two curves to intersect exactly once,  $q > 2$ .

**Question 10 (Binomial Series, Geometric Series)**

<p>(i) <math>f(x) = (a+x)^n = a^n \left(1 + \frac{x}{a}\right)^n</math></p> $\approx a^n \left[ 1 + n\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{3!}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^3 + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)}{4!}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^4 \right]$ $= a^n + na^{n-1}x + \frac{1}{2}n(n-1)a^{n-2}x^2 + \frac{1}{6}n(n-1)(n-2)a^{n-3}x^3 + \frac{1}{24}n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)a^{n-4}x^4$ <p>Since the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> terms in the series expansion of <math>f(x)</math> are consecutive terms of a geometric series,</p> $\frac{\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)a^{n-2}x^2}{a^n} = \frac{\frac{1}{24}n(n-1)(n-2)(n-3)a^{n-4}x^4}{\frac{1}{2}n(n-1)a^{n-2}x^2}$ $\frac{n(n-1)x^2}{2a^2} = \frac{(n-2)(n-3)x^2}{12a^2}$ $6n(n-1) = n^2 - 5n + 6 \quad (\because a, x \neq 0)$ $5n^2 - n - 6 = 0$ $(5n-6)(n+1) = 0$ $n = \frac{6}{5} \text{ or } n = -1$	
<p>(ii) For the Maclaurin series of <math>f(x)</math> to converge, <math>\left \frac{x}{a}\right  &lt; 1 \Rightarrow  x  &lt; a</math>.</p> <p>The common ratio of <math>G</math> is <math>\frac{-1(-1-1)x^2}{2a^2} = \frac{x^2}{a^2}</math>.</p> <p>Thus, for <math>G</math> to be convergent, <math>\left \frac{x^2}{a^2}\right  &lt; 1 \Rightarrow  x  &lt; a</math>.</p> <p>Thus, the range of values of <math>x</math> for the Maclaurin series of <math>f(x)</math> to converge is equal to the range of values of <math>x</math> for <math>G</math> to converge.</p>	
<p>(iii) Sum to infinity of <math>G = \frac{a^{-1}}{1 - \frac{x^2}{a^2}}</math></p> $= \frac{a}{a^2 - x^2}$	
<p>(iv) <math>0 &lt;  x  &lt; a \Rightarrow 0 &lt; x^2 &lt; a^2</math></p> $\Rightarrow -a^2 < -x^2 < 0$ $\Rightarrow 0 < a^2 - x^2 < a^2$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2 - x^2} > \frac{1}{a^2}$ $\Rightarrow S = \frac{a}{a^2 - x^2} > \frac{1}{a}$	

**Question 11 (Vectors II – Lines and Planes)**

(i) Since  $\begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ c \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix}$  is a unit vector,  $\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2/3 \\ c \\ 2/3 \end{pmatrix} \right| = 1$ . Therefore,

$$\sqrt{\frac{4}{9} + c^2 + \frac{4}{9}} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{8}{9} + c^2 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 = \frac{1}{9} \Rightarrow c = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\left( \text{reject } c = \frac{1}{3} \text{ since } c < 0 \right)$$

Thus,  $l$  has direction vector  $2\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ .

$$\cos 45^\circ = \frac{\left| \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right|}{\sqrt{2^2 + (-1)^2 + 2^2} \sqrt{b^2 + 1}}$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{|-b-2|}{3\sqrt{b^2+1}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{b^2+1}{2}} = \left| \frac{b+2}{3} \right|$$

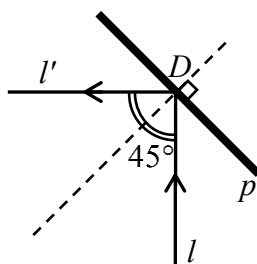
$$\frac{b^2+1}{2} = \left| \frac{b+2}{3} \right|^2 = \frac{b^2+4b+4}{9}$$

$$9b^2+9 = 2b^2+8b+8$$

$$7b^2-8b+1=0$$

$$(b-1)(7b-1)=0$$

$$b=1 \text{ or } b=\frac{1}{7} \text{ (rej } \because b \in \mathbb{Z})$$



(ii) Since  $D$  lies on  $l$ ,  $\overrightarrow{OD} = \begin{pmatrix} 5+2\lambda \\ 1-\lambda \\ 3+2\lambda \end{pmatrix}$  for some  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$p \text{ has equation } y - z = 4 \Rightarrow \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 4$$

$$\text{Since } D \text{ lies on } p, \begin{pmatrix} 5+2\lambda \\ 1-\lambda \\ 3+2\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 4.$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5+2\lambda \\ 1-\lambda \\ 3+2\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 4. \Rightarrow 1 - \lambda - 3 - 2\lambda = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow 3\lambda = -6$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -2$$

$$\text{So } \overrightarrow{OD} = \begin{pmatrix} 5+2(-2) \\ 1-(-2) \\ 3+2(-2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Coordinates of  $D$  are  $(1, 3, -1)$ .



(iii) Let  $L$  be the normal to  $p$  passing through  $D$  and  $N$  be the foot of perpendicular of  $S$  onto  $L$ .  $L$  has equation

$$\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \mu \in \mathbb{R}.$$

**Method 1**

$N$  lies on  $L$ :  $\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 + \mu \\ -1 - \mu \end{pmatrix}$  for some  $\mu \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$\therefore \overrightarrow{SN} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 + \mu \\ -1 - \mu \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 + \mu \\ -4 - \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $SN \perp$  normal to  $p$ ,  $\overrightarrow{SN} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$ . Thus,

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 + \mu \\ -4 - \mu \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 2 + \mu + 4 + \mu$$

$$\Rightarrow 2\mu = -6$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu = -3$$

$$\text{So } \overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 + (-3) \\ -1 - (-3) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

### Method 2

$\overrightarrow{DN}$  is the projection vector of  $\overrightarrow{DS}$  onto the normal to  $p$ . Thus,

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{DN} &= \left( \frac{\overrightarrow{DS} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}}{1^2 + (-1)^2 + 0^2} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-2-4}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \\ \therefore \overrightarrow{ON} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

By Ratio Theorem,  $\overrightarrow{ON} = \frac{\overrightarrow{OS} + \overrightarrow{OS'}}{2}$ . Thus,

$$\overrightarrow{OS'} = 2\overrightarrow{ON} - \overrightarrow{OS} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,  $S'$  has coordinates  $(-3, -1, 1)$ .

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$$\overrightarrow{DS'} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,  $l'$  has eqn  $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Method 3**

A vector that is perpendicular to both  $l$  and  $L$  is

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

Thus, a vector that is parallel to  $l'$  is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = -3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,  $l'$  has eqn  $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$S'$  lies on  $l'$ :  $\overrightarrow{OS'} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2\beta \\ 3+2\beta \\ -1-\beta \end{pmatrix}$  for some  $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$\overrightarrow{SS'} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2\beta \\ 3+2\beta \\ -1-\beta \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4+2\beta \\ 2+2\beta \\ -4-\beta \end{pmatrix}$$

Since  $\overrightarrow{SS'} \perp L$ ,  $\overrightarrow{SS'} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$ . Thus,

$$\begin{pmatrix} -4+2\beta \\ 2+2\beta \\ -4-\beta \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow 2+2\beta+4+\beta=0$$
$$\Rightarrow 3\beta+6=0$$
$$\Rightarrow \beta=-2$$

$$\text{So } \overrightarrow{OS'} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2(-2) \\ 3+2(-2) \\ -1-(-2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Thus,  $S'$  has coordinates  $(-3, -1, 1)$ .

**Question 12 (Differential Equations)**

<p>(i) By similar triangles, radius of the water surface at time <math>t</math> s is <math>\frac{0.5}{1}h = \frac{h}{2}</math> m</p> $W = \frac{1}{3}\pi\left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^2 h \text{ (by similar triangles)}$ $= \frac{1}{12}\pi h^3$	
<p>(ii) Since no water is added to the funnel,</p> $\frac{dW}{dt} = -\pi a^2 v$ $= -\pi a^2 \sqrt{2gh}$ $\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{1}{12}\pi h^3\right) = -\pi a^2 \sqrt{2gh}$ $\frac{1}{4}\pi h^2 \frac{dh}{dt} = -\pi a^2 \sqrt{2g} \cdot h^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $\frac{dh}{dt} = -(4a^2 \sqrt{2g})h^{-\frac{3}{2}} \text{ or } h^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{dh}{dt} = -4a^2 \sqrt{2g}$	
<p>(iii) <math>\int h^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{dh}{dt} dt = -\int 4a^2 \sqrt{2g} dt</math></p> $\frac{2}{5}h^{\frac{5}{2}} = -(4a^2 \sqrt{2g})t + c$ <p>Since <math>h = 1</math> when <math>t = 0</math>, <math>c = \frac{2}{5}</math>. Therefore,</p> $\frac{2}{5}h^{\frac{5}{2}} = -(4a^2 \sqrt{2g})t + \frac{2}{5}$ $h^{\frac{5}{2}} = 1 - (10a^2 \sqrt{2g})t$ $h = \left[1 - (10a^2 \sqrt{2g})t\right]^{\frac{2}{5}}, k = 10 \text{ and } p = \frac{2}{5} \text{ (shown)}$	
<p>(iv) For the funnel to become empty, <math>h = 0</math>.</p> $1 - (10a^2 \sqrt{2g})T = 0$ $T = \frac{1}{10a^2 \sqrt{2g}}$	

(v)  $h = [1 - (10a^2\sqrt{2g})t]^{2/5} = \left(1 - \frac{t}{T}\right)^{2/5}$

