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MATH191 Solutions January 2010

Section A

1. To find the inverse function,

$$y = f(x) = \frac{3x+5}{x-1} \Leftrightarrow y(x-1) = 3x+5 \Leftrightarrow yx - y = 3x+5$$
$$\Leftrightarrow x(y-3) = y+5 \Leftrightarrow x = \frac{y+5}{y-3}.$$

So the inverse function is given by

$$f^{-1}(y) = \frac{y+5}{y-3} \text{ or } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+5}{x-3}.$$

[3 marks]

The domain of f is $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$, and the range of f is the domain of f^{-1} , that is, $(-\infty, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$.

[2 marks]

[3 + 2 = 5 marks]

2.

a) $x = 2 \cos(-\pi/6) = \sqrt{3}$. (1 mark) $y = 2 \sin(-\pi/6) = -1$. (1 mark)

b) $r = \sqrt{3+1} = 2$ (1 mark) $\theta = \tan^{-1}(1/\sqrt{3}) + \pi = 7\pi/6$ because $-1 < 0$. (2 marks)

Subtract one mark for each answer not given exactly.

[1 + 1 + 1 + 2 = 5 marks]

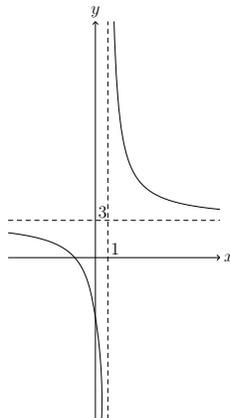
3. Since $3 \cdot 1 + 5 > 0$,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1^-} \frac{3x+5}{x-1} = -\infty$$

and

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x+5}{x-1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3 + \frac{5}{x}}{1 - \frac{1}{x}} = 3.$$

[3 marks]



The graph is as shown.

[2 marks]

[3 + 2 = 5 marks]

4. In both cases, both numerator and denominator vanish at the limit, and therefore l'Hopital's Rule can be applied. In the first case we can also compute the limit simply by factorising numerator and denominator.

a) Factorising,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 - 3x + 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2)(x+2)}{(x-2)(x-1)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x+2}{x-1} = 4. \quad [2 \text{ marks}]$$

b) By l'Hopital's Rule

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{\cos x}{2x - \pi} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \pi/2} \frac{-\sin x}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}. \quad [2 \text{ marks}]$$

[2 + 2 = 4 marks]

5.

a) By the product rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 e^x) = 2x e^x + x^2 e^x = x(x+2)e^x. \quad [2 \text{ marks}]$$

b) By the quotient rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{2x-1}{x^2+4} \right) = \frac{2(x^2+4) - 2x(2x-1)}{(x^2+4)^2} = \frac{8+2x-2x^2}{(x^2+4)^2}. \quad [2 \text{ marks}]$$

c) By the chain rule,

$$\frac{d}{dx} (1 + \sin x)^{10} = 10 \cos x (1 + \sin x)^9. \quad [2 \text{ marks}]$$

[2 + 2 + 2 = 6 marks]

6. The stationary points occur at the zeros of f' , that is, at $x = 0$ and $x = -2$. Then

$$f''(x) = \frac{d}{dx} ((2x+x^2)e^x) = (2+2x+2x+x^2)e^x = (2+4x+x^2)e^x.$$

[3 marks]

So $f''(0) = 2$ and $f''(-2) = -2e^{-2}$. It follows that -2 is a local maximum of f and 0 is a local minimum.

[2 marks]

[3 + 2 = 5 marks: partial credit will be given if an incorrect formula for the first derivative is carried forward from question 5.]

7.

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\pi/8} (\sqrt{1+2x} - \sin 2x \cos 2x) dx &= \int_0^{\pi/8} \left((1+2x)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{2} \sin 4x \right) dx \\ &= \left[\frac{1}{2 \cdot \frac{3}{2}} (1+2x)^{5/2} + \frac{1}{8} \cos(4x) \right]_0^{\pi/8} \quad (3 \text{ marks}) \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{3} + 0 - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{3} \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{4} \right)^{3/2} - \frac{11}{24}. \quad (2 \text{ marks}) \end{aligned}$$

[3 + 2 = 5 marks]

8. Differentiating the equation with respect to x gives

$$\frac{d}{dx}(2x^2y^2 - 3xy) = 4xy^2 + 4x^2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y - 3x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{d}{dx}(2) = 0. \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

Hence

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y - 4xy^2}{4x^2y - 3x}. \quad (2 \text{ marks}).$$

Thus $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is equal to $-\frac{5}{10} = -\frac{1}{2}$ when $(x, y) = (2, 1)$. (2 marks).

The equation of the tangent at this point is therefore

$$y - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 2) \quad \text{or} \quad 2y + x = 4. \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

[2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 8 marks]

9.

$$z_1 + z_2 = 3 - j + 2 + 5j = 5 + 4j, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$z_1 - z_2 = 1 - 6j, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$z_1 z_2 = (3 - j)(2 + 5j) = 6 + 13j - 5j^2 = 11 + 13j, \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

$$z_1/z_2 = \frac{(3 - j)(2 - 5j)}{2^2 + 5^2} = \frac{6 - 17j - 5}{29} = \frac{1 - 17j}{29} = \frac{1}{29} - \frac{17}{29}j. \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

[1 + 1 + 2 + 2 = 6 marks]

10.

$$\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{i} + \mathbf{k} + \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k} = 2\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} + 3\mathbf{k}, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b} = 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$|\mathbf{a}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$|\mathbf{b}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 2^2 + 1^2} = 3, \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 1 + 2 = 3. \quad (1 \text{ mark}).$$

Hence the angle between \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} is θ where $\cos \theta = 3/(3\sqrt{2})$ and the angle is $\pi/4$ (1 mark).

[1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 6 marks]

Section B

11.

a) The Maclaurin series expansion of $\cos x$ is

$$= 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \cdots + (-1)^n \frac{x^{2n}}{(2n)!} + \cdots \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

b) Hence the other Maclaurin series are

(i) for $\cos(2x)$,

$$1 - 2x^2 + \frac{2x^4}{3} + \cdots + (-1)^n \frac{2^n x^{2n}}{(2n)!} + \cdots \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(ii) for $\cos(2x^2)$,

$$1 - 2x^4 + \frac{2x^8}{3} \cdots + (-1)^n \frac{2^n x^{4n}}{(2n)!} \cdots \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(iii) for $\cos \sqrt{x}$,

$$1 - \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{24} \cdots + (-1)^n \frac{x^n}{(2n)!} \cdots \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

c) Hence

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 \cos x - \cos 2x - 3 \cos(2x^2)}{x^4} \\ = & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{4 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} - \frac{x^6}{720} \cdots \right) - \left(1 - 2x^2 + \frac{2x^4}{3} - \frac{4x^6}{45} \cdots \right) - 3 \left(1 - 2x^4 + \frac{3x^8}{2} \cdots \right)}{x^4} \\ = & \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^4 \left(\frac{1}{6} - \frac{2}{3} + 6 \right) + x^6 \left(-\frac{1}{180} + \frac{4}{45} \right) \cdots}{x^4} \\ = & \frac{11}{2}. \quad (3 \text{ marks}) \end{aligned}$$

d) The radius of convergence R of the Maclaurin series of $\cos \sqrt{x}$ is given by $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |a_n|/|a_{n+1}|$ (if this exists, and $+\infty$ is allowed), where $a_n = (-1)^n/(2n)!$. So

$$R = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{(2(n+1))!}{(2n)!} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (2n+1)(2n+2) = +\infty. \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

[3 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 3 + 3 = 15 marks]

12a)

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \Leftrightarrow \theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{3} + 2n\pi, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

b)

$$\cos(\theta + \pi/2) = \cos \theta \cos(\pi/2) - \sin \theta \sin(\pi/2) = -\sin \theta$$

because $\cos(\pi/2) = 0$ and $\sin(\pi/2) = 1$ (3 marks).

c)

$$2 \cos \theta + 4 \sin \theta = 3 \Leftrightarrow \cos(\theta - \alpha) = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

where $\alpha = \tan^{-1}(2) = 1.1071\dots$ So

$$\theta = \alpha \pm \cos^{-1}(3/2\sqrt{5}) + 2n\pi = \alpha \pm 0.83548\dots + 2n\pi, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z},$$

is the general solution. (6 marks)

d) There is no solution to

$$2 \cos \theta + 4 \sin \theta = 5$$

because this equation is equivalent to

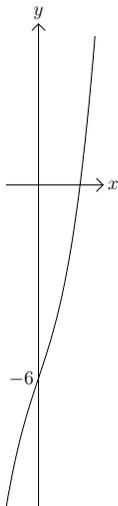
$$\cos(\theta - \alpha) = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{5}}$$

and $2\sqrt{5} < 5$. (3 marks)

[3 + 3 + 6 + 3 = 15 marks]

13a). For $f(x) = x^3 + 3x - 6$, $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 3 > 0$ for all x . (1 mark) So f is strictly increasing and f has exactly one zero in $(1, 2)$, because $f(1) = -2 < 0$ and $f(2) = 8 > 0$. [2 marks].

The graph is as shown. [2 marks].



(i) f is neither even nor odd, because $f(-1) = -10$ and $f(1) = 2 \neq \pm 10$. (2 marks)

(ii) f is strictly increasing because the derivative is positive everywhere (2 marks)

The Newton-Raphson formula becomes

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 + 3x_n - 6}{3x_n^2 + 3}.$$

Hence

$$x_1 = 1.33.., \quad f(x_1) = 0.370370.. \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

$$x_2 = 1.2888.., \quad f(x_2) = 0.0078131443... \quad (2 \text{ mark})$$

$$x_3 = 1.287910215.., \quad f(x_3) = 0.000003.. \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

with the last answer being $f(x_3)$ to one significant figure.

A suggested method for computing the x_i and $f(x_i)$ is as follows, starting with x_0 and using the university calculator keys :

(1) 1 sto A

This stores $x_0 = 1$ in A.

(2) alpha A $x^3 + 3$ alpha A -6 sto B

This displays $f(x_0)$ and stores it in B.

(3) 3 alpha A $x^2 + 3$ sto C

This displays $f'(x_0)$ and stores it in C.

(4) A - B \div C sto D

This displays $x_1 = x_0 - (f(x_0)/f'(x_0))$ and stores it in D.

(5) sto A

This then stores x_1 in A, replacing x_0 . The only reason for storing in D first is that if an obvious error is spotted, it is possible to return to the stored A and redo the calculation.

[1 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 2 + 1 + 2 + 3 = 15 marks]

14. For horizontal asymptotes:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{x+1} = 0,$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{x^2+1}{2} = +\infty.$$

So $y = 0$ is a horizontal asymptote (although only at $-\infty$). (2 marks)

For vertical asymptotes: the only possible asymptote is where $x+1 = 0$, that is, where $x = -1$. We have

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 1-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)-} \frac{1}{x+1} = -\infty, \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow (-1)+} |x| = 1.$$

So $x = -1$ is a vertical asymptote. (1 mark)

For points of continuity: the only possible discontinuities are at 0 and ± 1 . -1 is certainly a discontinuity, because it is a vertical asymptote. 0 is not a discontinuity because $|0| = 0 = f(0+) = f(0-)$. 1 is not a discontinuity either because $f(1-) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1-} |x| = 1 = |1| = f(1)$ and $f(1+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1+} \frac{1+x^2}{2} = 1$. (3 marks)

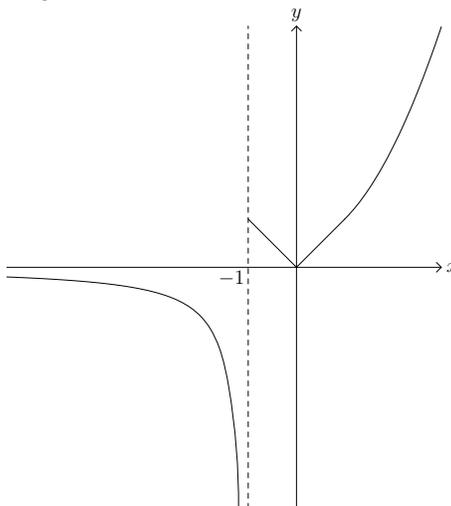
We have

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} -(x+1)^{-2} & \text{if } x \in (-\infty, -1), \\ -1 & \text{if } x \in (-1, 0), \\ 1 & \text{if } x \in (0, 1), \\ x & \text{if } x \in (1, \infty). \end{cases}$$

[2 marks]

The function is not differentiable at -1 because it is not continuous there. It is not differentiable at 0 because $f'(0-) \neq f'(0+)$. However it is differentiable at 1 because $f'(1-) = 1$ and $f'(1+) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 1+} x = 1$. (3 marks)

By inspection we see that $f' \neq 0$ anywhere where the derivative is defined. So there are no stationary points. However the point 0 is a local minimum because $f(x) > 0$ if $x \in [-1, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$ and $f(0) = 0$. [2marks]



The graph of f is as shown.

[2 marks]

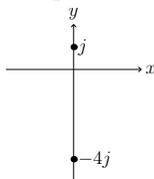
[2 + 1 + 3 + 2 + 3 + 2 + 2 = 15 marks]

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a) By the quadratic formula, the solutions are

$$z = \frac{-3j \pm \sqrt{-9 - 16}}{2} = \frac{-3j \pm 5j}{2} = j \text{ or } -4j.$$

In the plane, the solutions are as shown.



[5 marks]

b) Write $z = re^{j\theta}$. The polar form of $27j$ is $27e^{j\pi/2}$. De Moivre's Theorem gives

$$r^3 e^{3j\theta} = 27e^{j\pi/2}.$$

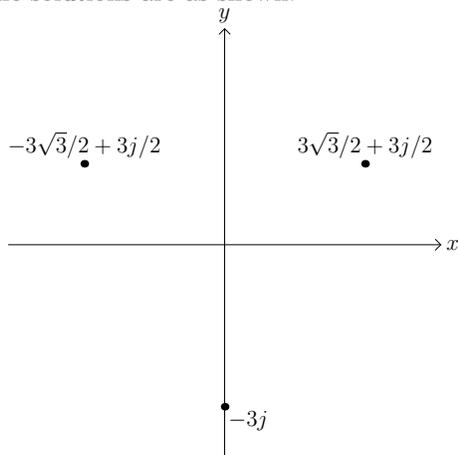
So $r^3 = 27$, $e^{3j\theta} = e^{j\pi/2}$. So $r = 3$ and $3\theta = \pi/2 + 2n\pi$, any integer n . [4 marks]Distinct values of z are given by taking $n = 0, 1$ and 2 that is, $\theta = \pi/6, \pi/6 + 2\pi/3 = 5\pi/6$, and $\pi/6 + 4\pi/3 = 3\pi/2$. So the solutions to $z^3 = 27j$ are

$$z = 3 \cos(\pi/6) + 3j \sin(\pi/6) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3}{2}j,$$

$$z = 3 \cos(5\pi/6) + 3j \sin(5\pi/6) = -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{3}{2}j,$$

$$z = 3 \cos(3\pi/2) + 3j \sin(3\pi/2) = -3j.$$

The solutions are as shown.



[6 marks]

[5 + 4 + 6 = 15 marks]