

Subject – Math(Higher Level)  
 Topic - Algebra  
 Year - Nov 2011 – Nov 2019

Question -1

$$i = \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \quad (A1)$$

$$z_1 = i^{\frac{1}{3}} = \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \left( = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i \right) \quad MIA1$$

$$z_2 = \cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \quad \left( = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{1}{2}i \right) \quad (M1)A1$$

$$z_3 = \cos \left( -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) + i \sin \left( -\frac{\pi}{2} \right) = -i \quad A1$$

Question-2

proposition is true for  $n = 1$  since  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$  M1

$$= \frac{1!}{(1-x)^2} \quad A1$$

**te:** Must see the 1! for the A1.

assume true for  $n = k$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ , i.e.  $\frac{d^k y}{dx^k} = \frac{k!}{(1-x)^{k+1}}$  M1

consider  $\frac{d^{k+1} y}{dx^{k+1}} = \frac{d \left( \frac{d^k y}{dx^k} \right)}{dx}$  (M1)

$$= (k+1)k!(1-x)^{-(k+1)-1} \quad A1$$

$$= \frac{(k+1)!}{(1-x)^{k+2}} \quad A1$$

hence,  $P_{k+1}$  is true whenever  $P_k$  is true, and  $P_1$  is true, and therefore the proposition is true for all positive integers R1

Question 3

$$u_1 = \frac{1}{3}k, r = \frac{1}{3} \quad (A1)(A1)$$

$$7 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}k}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} \quad M1$$

$$k = 14 \quad A1$$

[4 marks]

Question -4

$$z_1 = 2a \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right), z_2 = \sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

*MIAIAI*

**EITHER**

$$\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)^6 = \frac{2^6 a^6 \operatorname{cis}(0)}{\sqrt{2}^6 \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = 8a^6 \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

*MIAIAI*

**OR**

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)^6 &= \left(\frac{2a}{\sqrt{2}} \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{7\pi}{12}\right)\right)^6 \\ &= 8a^6 \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

*MIAI*

*AI*

**THEN**

$$= -8a^6 i$$

*AI*

Question -5

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + x + yi = 6 - 2i$$

*(AI)*

equating real and imaginary parts

*MI*

$$y = -2$$

*AI*

$$\sqrt{x^2 + 4} + x = 6$$

*AI*

$$x^2 + 4 = (6 - x)^2$$

*MI*

$$-32 = -12x \Rightarrow x = \frac{8}{3}$$

*AI*

*[6 marks]*

Question - 6

$$\log_3\left(\frac{9}{x+7}\right) = \log_3 \frac{1}{2x}$$

*MIMIAI*

**te:** Award *MI* for changing to single base, *MI* for incorporating the 2 into a log and *AI* for a correct equation with maximum one log expression each side.

$$x + 7 = 18x$$

*MI*

$$x = \frac{7}{17}$$

*AI*

*[5 marks]*

Question -7

(a)  $\left(x - \frac{2}{x}\right)^4 = x^4 + 4x^3\left(-\frac{2}{x}\right) + 6x^2\left(-\frac{2}{x}\right)^2 + 4x\left(-\frac{2}{x}\right)^3 + \left(-\frac{2}{x}\right)^4$  (A2)

**Note:** Award (A1) for 3 or 4 correct terms.

**Note:** Accept combinatorial expressions, e.g.  $\binom{4}{2}$  for 6.

$= x^4 - 8x^2 + 24 - \frac{32}{x^2} + \frac{16}{x^4}$  A1

[3 marks]

(b) constant term from expansion of  $(2x^2 + 1)\left(x - \frac{2}{x}\right)^4 = -64 + 24 = -40$  A2

**Note:** Award A1 for -64 or 24 seen.

[2 marks]

Question -8

(a) attempt to equate real and imaginary parts M1  
 equate real parts:  $4m + 4n = 16$ ; equate imaginary parts:  $-5m = 15$  A1  
 $\Rightarrow m = -3, n = 7$  A1

[3 marks]

(b) let  $m = x + iy, n = x - iy$  M1  
 $\Rightarrow (4 - 5i)(x + iy) + 4(x - iy) = 16 + 15i$   
 $\Rightarrow 4x - 5ix + 4iy + 5y + 4x - 4iy = 16 + 15i$   
 attempt to equate real and imaginary parts M1  
 $8x + 5y = 16, -5x = 15$  A1  
 $\Rightarrow x = -3, y = 8$  A1  
 $(\Rightarrow m = -3 + 8i, n = -3 - 8i)$

[4 marks]

Total [7 marks]

Question -9

**Part A**

(a) (i)  $(x + iy)^2 = -5 + 12i$   
 $x^2 + 2ixy + i^2y^2 = -5 + 12i$  *AI*

(ii) equating real and imaginary parts *MI*  
 $x^2 - y^2 = -5$  *AG*  
 $xy = 6$  *AG*

[2 marks]

(b) substituting *MI*

**EITHER**

$x^2 - \frac{36}{x^2} = -5$   
 $x^4 + 5x^2 - 36 = 0$  *AI*  
 $x^2 = 4, -9$  *AI*  
 $x = \pm 2$  and  $y = \pm 3$  *(AI)*

**OR**

$\frac{36}{y^2} - y^2 = -5$   
 $y^4 - 5y^2 - 36 = 0$  *AI*  
 $y^2 = 9, -4$  *AI*  
 $y = \pm 3$  and  $x = \pm 2$  *(AI)*

**Note:** Accept solution by inspection if completely correct.

**THEN**

the square roots are  $(2 + 3i)$  and  $(-2 - 3i)$  *AI*

[5 marks]

(c) **EITHER**

consider  $z = x + iy$   
 $z^* = x - iy$   
 $(z^*)^2 = x^2 - y^2 - 2ixy$  *AI*  
 $(z^2) = x^2 - y^2 + 2ixy$  *AI*  
 $(z^2)^* = x^2 - y^2 - 2ixy$  *AI*  
 $(z^*)^2 = (z^2)^*$  *AG*

**OR**

$z^* = re^{-i\theta}$   
 $(z^*)^2 = r^2 e^{-2i\theta}$  *AI*  
 $z^2 = r^2 e^{2i\theta}$  *AI*

$$(z^2)^* = r^2 e^{-2i\theta}$$

*A1*

$$(z^*)^2 = (z^2)^*$$

*AG*

[3 marks]

(d)  $(2 - 3i)$  and  $(-2 + 3i)$

*A1A1*

[2 marks]

**Part B**

- (a) the graph crosses the  $x$ -axis twice, indicating two real roots  
since the quartic equation has four roots and only two are real, the other two roots must be complex

*R1*

*R1*

[2 marks]

(b)  $f(x) = (x + 4)(x - 2)(x^2 + cx + d)$

*A1A1*

$$f(0) = -32 \Rightarrow d = 4$$

*A1*

Since the curve passes through  $(-1, -18)$ ,

$$-18 = 3 \times (-3)(5 - c)$$

*M1*

$$c = 3$$

*A1*

Hence  $f(x) = (x + 4)(x - 2)(x^2 + 3x + 4)$

[5 marks]

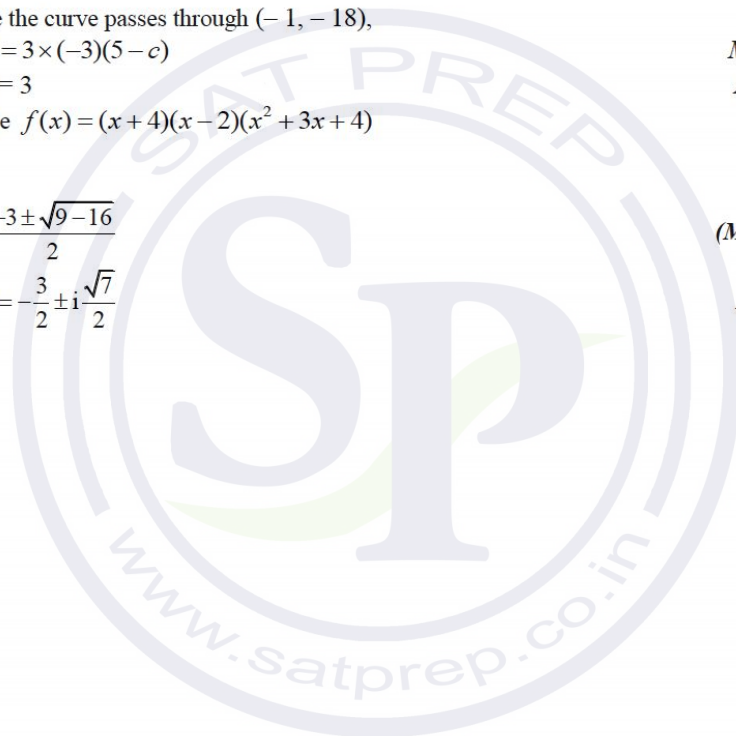
(c)  $x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 16}}{2}$

*(M1)*

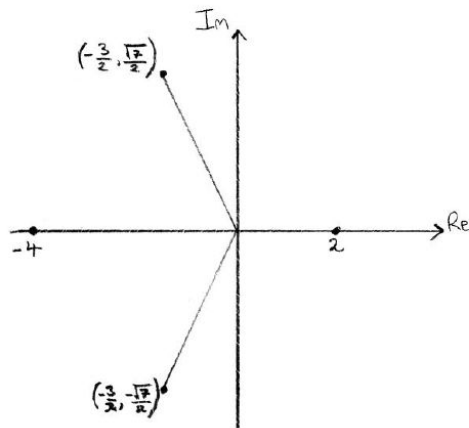
$$\Rightarrow x = -\frac{3}{2} \pm i \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$$

*A1*

[2 marks]



(d)



*A1A1*

**Note:** Accept points or vectors on complex plane.  
Award *A1* for two real roots and *A1* for two complex roots.

[2 marks]

(e) real roots are  $4e^{i\pi}$  and  $2e^{i0}$  *A1A1*

considering  $-\frac{3}{2} \pm i\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{9}{4} + \frac{7}{4}} = 2$$

*A1*

finding  $\theta$  using  $\arctan\left(\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\right)$

*M1*

$$\theta = \arctan\left(\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\right) + \pi \text{ or } \theta = \arctan\left(-\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\right) + \pi$$

*A1*

$$\Rightarrow z = 2e^{i\left(\arctan\left(\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\right) + \pi\right)} \text{ or } \Rightarrow z = 2e^{i\left(\arctan\left(-\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}\right) + \pi\right)}$$

*A1*

**Note:** Accept arguments in the range  $-\pi$  to  $\pi$  or  $0$  to  $2\pi$ .  
Accept answers in degrees.

[6 marks]

Total [29 marks]

Question 10

$$\left(\frac{x}{y} - \frac{y}{x}\right)^4 = \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^4 + 4\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^3\left(-\frac{y}{x}\right) + 6\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^2\left(-\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)\left(-\frac{y}{x}\right)^3 + \left(-\frac{y}{x}\right)^4 \quad (M1)(A1)$$

: Award **M1** for attempt to expand and **A1** for correct unsimplified expansion.

$$= \frac{x^4}{y^4} - 4\frac{x^2}{y^2} + 6 - 4\frac{y^2}{x^2} + \frac{y^4}{x^4} \quad \left( = \frac{x^8 - 4x^6y^2 + 6x^4y^4 - 4x^2y^6 + y^8}{x^4y^4} \right) \quad A1A1$$

: Award **A1** for powers, **A1** for coefficients and signs.

: Final two **A** marks are independent of first **A** mark.

[4 marks]



Question 11

- (a) (i)  $z_1 = 2\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{2} \Rightarrow z_1 = -2\sqrt{3}i$  A1  
 (ii)  $z_1 + z_2 = -2\sqrt{3}i - 1 + \sqrt{3}i = -1 - \sqrt{3}i$  A1  
 $(z_1 + z_2)^* = -1 + \sqrt{3}i$  A1

[3 marks]

- (b) (i)  $|z_2| = 2$   
 $\tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$  (M1)  
 $z_2$  lies on the second quadrant  
 $\theta = \arg z_2 = \frac{2\pi}{3}$   
 $z_2 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}$  A1A1

- (ii) attempt to use De Moivre's theorem M1

$$z = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2k\pi}{3}, k = 0, 1 \text{ and } 2$$

$$z = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{9}, \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{8\pi}{9}, \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{14\pi}{9} \left( = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \left( \frac{-4\pi}{9} \right) \right)$$
 A1A1

**Note:** Award A1 for modulus, A1 for arguments.

**Note:** Allow equivalent forms for  $z$ .

[6 marks]

- (c) (i) **METHOD 1**  
 $z^2 = (1 - 1 + \sqrt{3}i)^2 = -3 \Rightarrow z = \pm\sqrt{3}i$  M1  
 $z = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $z_1 = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{2} \left( = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \left( \frac{-\pi}{2} \right) \right)$  A1A1  
 so  $r = \sqrt{3}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2} \left( = \frac{-\pi}{2} \right)$

**Note:** Accept  $r \operatorname{cis}(\theta)$  form.

**METHOD 2**

$$z^2 = (1 - 1 + \sqrt{3}i)^2 = -3 \Rightarrow z^2 = 3 \operatorname{cis}((2n+1)\pi)$$
 M1  
 $r^2 = 3 \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{3}$  A1  
 $2\theta = (2n+1)\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2}$  (as  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ ) A1



(ii) **METHOD 1**

$$z = -\frac{1}{2\text{cis}\frac{2\pi}{3}} \Rightarrow z = \frac{\text{cis}\pi}{2\text{cis}\frac{2\pi}{3}} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \text{cis}\frac{\pi}{3}$$

so  $r = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  A1A1

**METHOD 2**

$$z_1 = -\frac{1}{-1+\sqrt{3}i} \Rightarrow z_1 = -\frac{-1-\sqrt{3}i}{(-1+\sqrt{3}i)(-1-\sqrt{3}i)} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$z = \frac{1+\sqrt{3}i}{4} \Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \text{cis}\frac{\pi}{3}$$

so  $r = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  A1A1

[6 marks]

(d)  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \sqrt{3} \text{cis}\frac{5\pi}{6}$  (A1)

$$\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)^n = \sqrt{3}^n \text{cis}\frac{5n\pi}{6} \quad \text{A1}$$

equating imaginary part to zero and attempting to solve  
obtain  $n = 12$  M1  
A1

**Note:** Working which only includes the argument is valid.

[4 marks]

Total [19 marks]

- (a) (i)  $z_1 = 2\sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{2} \Rightarrow z_1 = -2\sqrt{3}i$  A1  
(ii)  $z_1 + z_2 = -2\sqrt{3}i - 1 + \sqrt{3}i = -1 - \sqrt{3}i$  A1  
 $(z_1 + z_2)^* = -1 + \sqrt{3}i$  A1

[3 marks]

- (b) (i)  $|z_2| = 2$   
 $\tan \theta = -\sqrt{3}$  (M1)  
 $z_2$  lies on the second quadrant  
 $\theta = \arg z_2 = \frac{2\pi}{3}$   
 $z_2 = 2 \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}$  A1A1

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$$z = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2k\pi}{3}, k = 0, 1 \text{ and } 2$$

$$z = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{2\pi}{9}, \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{8\pi}{9}, \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{14\pi}{9} \left( = \sqrt[3]{2} \operatorname{cis} \left( \frac{-4\pi}{9} \right) \right)$$
 A1A1

**Note:** Award A1 for modulus, A1 for arguments.

**Note:** Allow equivalent forms for  $z$ .

[6 marks]

- (c) (i) **METHOD 1**  
 $z^2 = (1 - 1 + \sqrt{3}i)^2 = -3 \left( \Rightarrow z = \pm\sqrt{3}i \right)$  M1  
 $z = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $z_1 = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \frac{3\pi}{2} \left( = \sqrt{3} \operatorname{cis} \left( \frac{-\pi}{2} \right) \right)$  A1A1  
so  $r = \sqrt{3}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{2} \left( = \frac{-\pi}{2} \right)$

**Note:** Accept  $r \operatorname{cis}(\theta)$  form.

**METHOD 2**

$$z^2 = (1 - 1 + \sqrt{3}i)^2 = -3 \Rightarrow z^2 = 3 \operatorname{cis}((2n+1)\pi)$$
 M1

$$r^2 = 3 \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{3}$$
 A1

$$2\theta = (2n+1)\pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \text{ or } \theta = \frac{3\pi}{2} \text{ (as } 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi)$$
 A1

(ii) **METHOD 1**

$$z = -\frac{1}{2\text{cis}\frac{2\pi}{3}} \Rightarrow z = \frac{\text{cis}\pi}{2\text{cis}\frac{2\pi}{3}} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \text{cis}\frac{\pi}{3}$$

so  $r = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  A1A1

**METHOD 2**

$$z_1 = -\frac{1}{-1+\sqrt{3}i} \Rightarrow z_1 = -\frac{-1-\sqrt{3}i}{(-1+\sqrt{3}i)(-1-\sqrt{3}i)} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$z = \frac{1+\sqrt{3}i}{4} \Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \text{cis}\frac{\pi}{3}$$

so  $r = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$  A1A1

[6 marks]

(d)  $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \sqrt{3} \text{cis}\frac{5\pi}{6}$  (A1)

$$\left(\frac{z_1}{z_2}\right)^n = \sqrt{3}^n \text{cis}\frac{5n\pi}{6} \quad \text{A1}$$

equating imaginary part to zero and attempting to solve  
obtain  $n = 12$  M1  
A1

**Note:** Working which only includes the argument is valid.

[4 marks]

Total [19 marks]

Question 12

- (a) modulus =  $\sqrt{8}$  *AI*  
argument =  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  (accept  $45^\circ$ ) *AI*

**Note:** *A0* if extra values given.

*[2 marks]*

(b) **METHOD 1**

$$w^4 z^6 = 64e^{\pi i} \times e^{5\pi i} \quad (AI)(AI)$$

**Note:** Allow alternative notation.

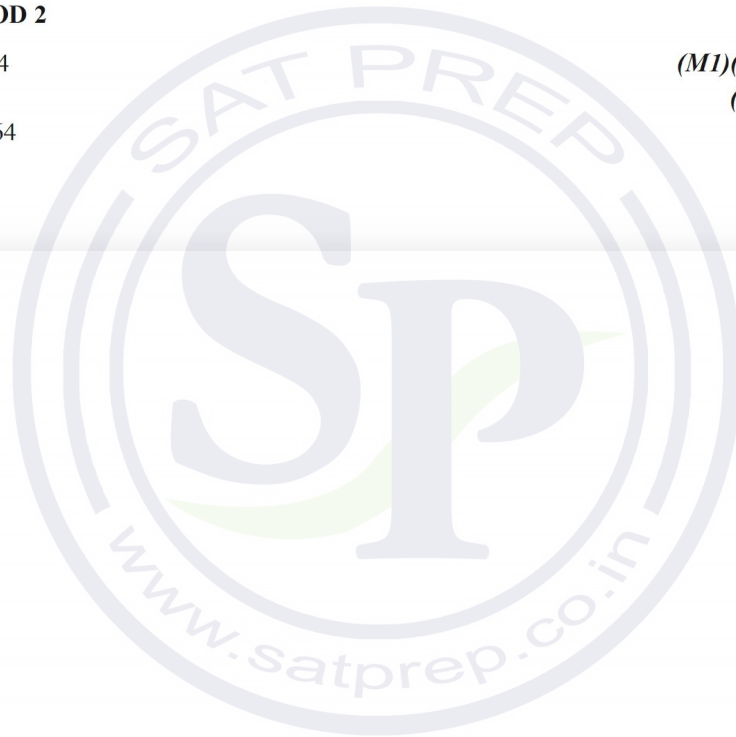
$$\begin{aligned} &= 64e^{6\pi i} && (M1) \\ &= 64 && AI \end{aligned}$$

**METHOD 2**

$$\begin{aligned} w^4 &= -64 && (M1)(AI) \\ z^6 &= -1 && (AI) \\ w^4 z^6 &= 64 && AI \end{aligned}$$

*[4 marks]*

*Total [6 marks]*



Question 13

**METHOD 1**

$$d = \frac{1}{\log_8 x} - \frac{1}{\log_2 x} \quad (M1)$$
$$= \frac{\log_2 8}{\log_2 x} - \frac{1}{\log_2 x} \quad (M1)$$

**te:** Award this *MI* for a correct change of base anywhere in the question.

$$= \frac{2}{\log_2 x} \quad (A1)$$
$$\frac{20}{2} \left( 2 \times \frac{1}{\log_2 x} + 19 \times \frac{2}{\log_2 x} \right) \quad MI$$
$$= \frac{400}{\log_2 x} \quad (A1)$$
$$100 = \frac{400}{\log_2 x}$$
$$\log_2 x = 4 \Rightarrow x = 2^4 = 16 \quad A1$$

**METHOD 2**

$$20^{\text{th}} \text{ term} = \frac{1}{\log_{2^{39}} x} \quad A1$$
$$100 = \frac{20}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\log_2 x} + \frac{1}{\log_{2^{39}} x} \right) \quad MI$$
$$100 = \frac{20}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\log_2 x} + \frac{\log_2 2^{39}}{\log_2 x} \right) \quad MI(A1)$$

**te:** Award this *MI* for a correct change of base anywhere in the question.

$$100 = \frac{400}{\log_2 x} \quad (A1)$$
$$\log_2 x = 4 \Rightarrow x = 2^4 = 16 \quad A1$$

**METHOD 3**

$$\frac{1}{\log_2 x} + \frac{1}{\log_8 x} + \frac{1}{\log_{32} x} + \frac{1}{\log_{128} x} + \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{\log_2 x} + \frac{\log_2 8}{\log_2 x} + \frac{\log_2 32}{\log_2 x} + \frac{\log_2 128}{\log_2 x} + \dots$$

*(M1)(A1)*

**Note:** Award this *M1* for a correct change of base anywhere in the question.

$$= \frac{1}{\log_2 x} (1 + 3 + 5 + \dots)$$

*A1*

$$= \frac{1}{\log_2 x} \left( \frac{20}{2} (2 + 38) \right)$$

*(M1)(A1)*

$$100 = \frac{400}{\log_2 x}$$

$$\log_2 x = 4 \Rightarrow x = 2^4 = 16$$

*A1**[6 marks]***Question 14**

clear attempt at binomial expansion for exponent 5

*M1*

$$2^5 + 5 \times 2^4 \times (-3x) + \frac{5 \times 4}{2} \times 2^3 \times (-3x)^2 + \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3}{6} \times 2^2 \times (-3x)^3$$

$$+ \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2}{24} \times 2 \times (-3x)^4 + (-3x)^5$$

*(A1)*

**Note:** Only award *M1* if binomial coefficients are seen.

$$= 32 - 240x + 720x^2 - 1080x^3 + 810x^4 - 243x^5$$

*A2*

**Note:** Award *A1* for correct moduli of coefficients and powers. *A1* for correct signs.

*Total [4 marks]***Question 15**

for the first series  $\frac{a}{1-r} = 76$

*A1*

for the second series  $\frac{a}{1-r^3} = 36$

*A1*

attempt to eliminate  $a$  e.g.  $\frac{76(1-r)}{1-r^3} = 36$

*M1*

simplify and obtain  $9r^2 + 9r - 10 = 0$

*(M1)A1*

**Note:** Only award the *M1* if a quadratic is seen.

obtain  $r = \frac{12}{18}$  and  $-\frac{30}{18}$

*(A1)*

$$r = \frac{12}{18} \left( = \frac{2}{3} = 0.666\dots \right)$$

*A1*

**Note:** Award *A0* if the extra value of  $r$  is given in the final answer.

*Total [7 marks]*

### Question 16

(a)  $|z_1| = \sqrt{10}$ ;  $\arg(z_2) = -\frac{3\pi}{4}$  (accept  $\frac{5\pi}{4}$ ) A1A1

[2 marks]

(b)  $|z_1 + \alpha z_2| = \sqrt{(1-\alpha)^2 + (3-\alpha)^2}$  or the squared modulus (M1)(A1)  
 attempt to minimise  $2\alpha^2 - 8\alpha + 10$  or their quadratic or its half or its square root M1  
 obtain  $\alpha = 2$  at minimum (A1)  
 state  $\sqrt{2}$  as final answer A1

[5 marks]

Total [7 marks]

### Question 17

(a) (i)  $z_1 = 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$ ,  $z_2 = 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right)$ ,  $z_3 = 2\text{cis}\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$  or  $2\text{cis}\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right)$  A1A1A1

**Note:** Accept modulus and argument given separately, or the use of exponential (Euler) form.

**Note:** Accept arguments given in rational degrees, except where exponential form is used.

(ii) the points lie on a circle of radius 2 centre the origin A1  
 differences are all  $\frac{2\pi}{3} \pmod{2\pi}$  A1  
 $\Rightarrow$  points equally spaced  $\Rightarrow$  triangle is equilateral RIAG

**Note:** Accept an approach based on a clearly marked diagram.

(iii)  $z_1^{3n} + z_2^{3n} = 2^{3n} \text{cis}\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) + 2^{3n} \text{cis}\left(\frac{5n\pi}{2}\right)$  M1  
 $= 2 \times 2^{3n} \text{cis}\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right)$  A1  
 $2z_3^{3n} = 2 \times 2^{3n} \text{cis}\left(\frac{9n\pi}{2}\right) = 2 \times 2^{3n} \text{cis}\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right)$  A1AG

[9 marks]

(b) (i) attempt to obtain **seven** solutions in modulus argument form M1  
 $z = \text{cis}\left(\frac{2k\pi}{7}\right)$ ,  $k = 0, 1, \dots, 6$  A1

(ii)  $w$  has argument  $\frac{2\pi}{7}$  and  $1+w$  has argument  $\phi$ ,  
 then  $\tan(\phi) = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)}{1 + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)}$  M1  
 $= \frac{2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{7}\right)\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{7}\right)}{2\cos^2\left(\frac{\pi}{7}\right)}$  A1  
 $= \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{7}\right) \Rightarrow \phi = \frac{\pi}{7}$  A1

(iii) since roots occur in conjugate pairs, **(R1)**

$$z^7 - 1 \text{ has a quadratic factor } \left(z - \operatorname{cis}\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)\right) \times \left(z - \operatorname{cis}\left(-\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)\right) \quad \text{AI}$$

$$= z^2 - 2z \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right) + 1 \quad \text{AG}$$

$$\text{other quadratic factors are } z^2 - 2z \cos\left(\frac{4\pi}{7}\right) + 1 \quad \text{AI}$$

$$\text{and } z^2 - 2z \cos\left(\frac{6\pi}{7}\right) + 1 \quad \text{AI}$$

**[9 marks]**

**Total [18 marks]**

### Question 18

$$n = 1: 1^3 + 11 = 12$$

$$= 3 \times 4 \text{ or a multiple of } 3 \quad \text{AI}$$

assume the proposition is true for  $n = k$  (ie  $k^3 + 11k = 3m$ ) **MI**

**e:** Do not award **MI** for statements with "Let  $n = k$ ".

$$\text{consider } n = k + 1: (k + 1)^3 + 11(k + 1) \quad \text{MI}$$

$$= k^3 + 3k^2 + 3k + 1 + 11k + 11 \quad \text{AI}$$

$$= k^3 + 11k + (3k^2 + 3k + 12) \quad \text{MI}$$

$$= 3(m + k^2 + k + 4) \quad \text{AI}$$

**e:** Accept  $k^3 + 11k + 3(k^2 + k + 4)$  or statement that  $k^3 + 11k + (3k^2 + 3k + 12)$  is a multiple of 3.

true for  $n = 1$ , and  $n = k$  true  $\Rightarrow n = k + 1$  true

hence true for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  **R1**

**e:** Only award the final **R1** if at least 4 of the previous marks have been achieved.

**Total [7 marks]**



Question 19

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$\begin{aligned}
 a + ar &= 10 && A1 \\
 a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 &= 30 && A1 \\
 a + ar &= 10 \Rightarrow ar^2 + ar^3 = 10r^2 \text{ or } ar^2 + ar^3 = 20 && M1 \\
 10 + 10r^2 &= 30 && \text{or } r^2(a + ar) = 20 && A1 \\
 \Rightarrow r^2 &= 2 && AG
 \end{aligned}$$

**METHOD 2**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{a(1-r^2)}{1-r} &= 10 \text{ and } \frac{a(1-r^4)}{1-r} = 30 && M1A1 \\
 \Rightarrow \frac{1-r^4}{1-r^2} &= 3 && M1 \\
 \text{leading to either } 1+r^2 &= 3 \text{ (or } r^4 - 3r^2 + 2 = 0) && A1 \\
 \Rightarrow r^2 &= 2 && AG
 \end{aligned}$$

[4 marks]

(b) (i)  $a + a\sqrt{2} = 10$   
 $\Rightarrow a = \frac{10}{1+\sqrt{2}}$  or  $a = 10(\sqrt{2}-1)$  A1

(ii)  $S_{10} = \frac{10}{1+\sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}^{10}-1}{\sqrt{2}-1} \right) (=10 \times 31)$  M1  
 $= 310$  A1

[3 marks]

Total [7 marks]

Question 20

(a)  $\log_2(x-2) = \log_4(x^2 - 6x + 12)$

**EITHER**

$$\log_2(x-2) = \frac{\log_2(x^2 - 6x + 12)}{\log_2 4} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$2\log_2(x-2) = \log_2(x^2 - 6x + 12)$$

**OR**

$$\frac{\log_4(x-2)}{\log_4 2} = \log_4(x^2 - 6x + 12) \quad \text{M1}$$

$$2\log_4(x-2) = \log_4(x^2 - 6x + 12)$$

**THEN**

$$(x-2)^2 = x^2 - 6x + 12 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 = x^2 - 6x + 12 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$x = 4 \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{N1} \quad \text{[3 marks]}$$

(b)  $x^{\ln x} = e^{(\ln x)^3}$   
 taking ln of both sides or writing  $x = e^{\ln x}$  M1

$$(\ln x)^2 = (\ln x)^3 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$(\ln x)^2 (\ln x - 1) = 0 \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$x = 1, x = e \quad \text{A1A1} \quad \text{N2}$$

**Note:** Award second (A1) only if factorisation seen or if two correct solutions are seen.

[5 marks]

Total [8 marks]

Question 21

(a)  $z^n + z^{-n} = \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos(-n\theta) + i \sin(-n\theta)$  *MI*  
 $= \cos n\theta + \cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta - i \sin n\theta$  *AI*  
 $= 2 \cos n\theta$  *AG*

[2 marks]

(b)  $(z + z^{-1})^4 = z^4 + 4z^3\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) + 6z^2\left(\frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 4z\left(\frac{1}{z^3}\right) + \frac{1}{z^4}$  *AI*

**Note:** Accept  $(z + z^{-1})^4 = 16 \cos^4 \theta$ .

[1 mark]

(c) **METHOD 1**

$(z + z^{-1})^4 = \left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 4\left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 6$  *MI*  
 $(2 \cos \theta)^4 = 2 \cos 4\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta + 6$  *AIAI*

**Note:** Award *AI* for RHS, *AI* for LHS independent of the *MI*.

$\cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}$  *AI*  
 (or  $p = \frac{1}{8}, q = \frac{1}{2}, r = \frac{3}{8}$ )

**METHOD 2**

$\cos^4 \theta = \left(\frac{\cos 2\theta + 1}{2}\right)^2$  *MI*  
 $= \frac{1}{4}(\cos^2 2\theta + 2 \cos 2\theta + 1)$  *AI*  
 $= \frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{\cos 4\theta + 1}{2} + 2 \cos 2\theta + 1\right)$  *AI*  
 $\cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8} \cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}$  *AI*  
 (or  $p = \frac{1}{8}, q = \frac{1}{2}, r = \frac{3}{8}$ )

[4 marks]

$$(d) \quad (z + z^{-1})^6 = z^6 + 6z^5\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) + 15z^4\left(\frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 20z^3\left(\frac{1}{z^3}\right) + 15z^2\left(\frac{1}{z^4}\right) + 6z\left(\frac{1}{z^5}\right) + \frac{1}{z^6} \quad \mathbf{MI}$$

$$(z + z^{-1})^6 = \left(z^6 + \frac{1}{z^6}\right) + 6\left(z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4}\right) + 15\left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 20$$

$$(2 \cos \theta)^6 = 2 \cos 6\theta + 12 \cos 4\theta + 30 \cos 2\theta + 20 \quad \mathbf{AIAI}$$

**Note:** Award **AI** for RHS, **AI** for LHS, independent of the **MI**.

$$\cos^6 \theta = \frac{1}{32} \cos 6\theta + \frac{3}{16} \cos 4\theta + \frac{15}{32} \cos 2\theta + \frac{5}{16} \quad \mathbf{AG}$$

**Note:** Accept a purely trigonometric solution as for (c).

[3 marks]

$$(e) \quad \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^6 \theta \, d\theta = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left( \frac{1}{32} \cos 6\theta + \frac{3}{16} \cos 4\theta + \frac{15}{32} \cos 2\theta + \frac{5}{16} \right) d\theta$$

$$= \left[ \frac{1}{192} \sin 6\theta + \frac{3}{64} \sin 4\theta + \frac{15}{64} \sin 2\theta + \frac{5}{16} \theta \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \mathbf{MIAI}$$

$$= \frac{5\pi}{32} \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

[3 marks]

$$(f) \quad V = \pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x \cos^4 x \, dx \quad \mathbf{MI}$$

$$= \pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 x \, dx - \pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^6 x \, dx \quad \mathbf{MI}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 x \, dx = \frac{3\pi}{16} \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

$$V = \frac{3\pi^2}{16} - \frac{5\pi^2}{32} = \frac{\pi^2}{32} \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

**Note:** Follow through from an incorrect  $r$  in (c) provided the final answer is positive.

[4 marks]

$$(g) \quad (i) \quad \text{constant term} = \binom{2k}{k} = \frac{(2k)!}{k!k!} = \frac{(2k)!}{(k!)^2} \quad (\text{accept } C_k^{2k}) \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

$$(ii) \quad 2^{2k} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^{2k} \theta \, d\theta = \frac{(2k)! \pi}{(k!)^2 2} \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^{2k} \theta \, d\theta = \frac{(2k)! \pi}{2^{2k+1} (k!)^2} \quad \text{or} \quad \left( \frac{\binom{2k}{k} \pi}{2^{2k+1}} \right) \quad \mathbf{AI}$$

[3 marks]

Total [20 marks]

Question 22

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\log 3}{\log 2} \times \frac{\log 4}{\log 3} \times \dots \times \frac{\log 32}{\log 31} \\ &= \frac{\log 32}{\log 2} \\ &= \frac{5 \log 2}{\log 2} \\ &= 5 \\ &\text{hence } a = 5 \end{aligned}$$

*M1A1*

*A1*

*(M1)*

*A1*

*[5 marks]*

**Note:** Accept the above if done in a specific base *eg*  $\log_2 x$ .



Question 23

(a)  $r = 1 + i$  (A1)  
 $u_4 = 3(1 + i)^3$  (M1)  
 $= -6 + 6i$  (A1) [3 marks]

(b)  $S_{20} = \frac{3((1+i)^{20} - 1)}{i}$  (M1)  
 $= \frac{3((2i)^{10} - 1)}{i}$  (M1)

**Note:** Only one of the two *M1*s can be implied. Other algebraic methods may be seen.

$= \frac{3(-2^{10} - 1)}{i}$  (A1)  
 $= 3i(2^{10} + 1)$  (A1) [4 marks]

(c) (i) **METHOD 1**  
 $v_n = (3(1+i)^{n-1})(3(1+i)^{n-1+k})$  (M1)  
 $9(1+i)^k (1+i)^{2n-2}$  (A1)  
 $= 9(1+i)^k ((1+i)^2)^{n-1} (= 9(1+i)^k (2i)^{n-1})$   
 this is the general term of a geometrical sequence (R1AG)

**Notes:** Do not accept the statement that the product of terms in a geometric sequence is also geometric unless justified further.  
 If the final expression for  $v_n$  is  $9(1+i)^k (1+i)^{2n-2}$  award *M1A1R0*.

**METHOD 2**

$\frac{v_{n+1}}{v_n} = \frac{u_{n+1}u_{n+k+1}}{u_n u_{n+k}}$  (M1)  
 $= (1+i)(1+i)$  (A1)  
 this is a constant, hence sequence is geometric (R1AG)

**Note:** Do not allow methods that do not consider the general term.

(ii)  $9(1+i)^k$  (A1)  
 (iii) common ratio is  $(1+i)^2 (= 2i)$  (which is independent of  $k$ ) (A1)

(d) (i) **METHOD 1**

$$w_n = |3(1+i)^{n-1} - 3(1+i)^n| \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 3|1+i|^{n-1}|1-(1+i)| \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= 3|1+i|^{n-1} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\left( = 3(\sqrt{2})^{n-1} \right)$$

this is the general term for a geometric sequence RIAG

**METHOD 2**

$$w_n = |u_n - (1+i)u_n| \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= |u_n| |-i|$$

$$= |u_n| \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= |3(1+i)^{n-1}|$$

$$= 3|(1+i)^{n-1}| \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\left( = 3(\sqrt{2})^{n-1} \right)$$

this is the general term for a geometric sequence RIAG

**Note:** Do not allow methods that do not consider the general term.

(ii) distance between successive points representing  $u_n$  in the complex plane forms a geometric sequence R1

**Note:** Various possibilities but must mention distance between successive points.

*[5 marks]*

*Total [17 marks]*

Question 24

**METHOD 1**

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

*MI*

**ote:** Award *MI* for writing in terms of 2 and 3.

$$2^{3x} \times 2^{-3} = 2^{3x} \times 3^{3x}$$

$$2^{-3} = 3^{3x}$$

*AI*

$$\ln(2^{-3}) = \ln(3^{3x})$$

*(MI)*

$$-3 \ln 2 = 3x \ln 3$$

*AI*

$$x = -\frac{\ln 2}{\ln 3}$$

*AI*

**METHOD 2**

$$\ln 8^{x-1} = \ln 6^{3x}$$

*(MI)*

$$(x-1) \ln 2^3 = 3x \ln(2 \times 3)$$

*MI AI*

$$3x \ln 2 - 3 \ln 2 = 3x \ln 2 + 3x \ln 3$$

*AI*

$$x = -\frac{\ln 2}{\ln 3}$$

*AI*

**METHOD 3**

$$\ln 8^{x-1} = \ln 6^{3x}$$

*(MI)*

$$(x-1) \ln 8 = 3x \ln 6$$

*AI*

$$x = \frac{\ln 8}{\ln 8 - 3 \ln 6}$$

*AI*

$$x = \frac{3 \ln 2}{\ln \left( \frac{2^3}{6^3} \right)}$$

*MI*

$$x = -\frac{\ln 2}{\ln 3}$$

*AI*

**Total [5 marks]**



Question 25

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$\frac{1}{2+3i} + \frac{1}{3+2i} = \frac{2-3i}{4+9} + \frac{3-2i}{9+4} \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$\frac{10}{w} = \frac{5-5i}{13} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$w = \frac{130}{5-5i}$$

$$= \frac{130 \times 5 \times (1+i)}{50}$$

$$w = 13+13i \quad \text{A1}$$

[4 marks]

**METHOD 2**

$$\frac{1}{2+3i} + \frac{1}{3+2i} = \frac{3+2i+2+3i}{(2+3i)(3+2i)} \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$\frac{10}{w} = \frac{5+5i}{13i} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\frac{w}{10} = \frac{13i}{5+5i}$$

$$w = \frac{130i}{(5+5i)} \times \frac{(5-5i)}{(5-5i)}$$

$$= \frac{650+650i}{50}$$

$$= 13+13i \quad \text{A1}$$

[4 marks]

(b)  $w^* = 13-13i$  A1

$$z = \sqrt{338} e^{-\frac{\pi i}{4}} \left( = 13\sqrt{2} e^{-\frac{\pi i}{4}} \right) \quad \text{A1A1}$$

**Note:** Accept  $\theta = \frac{7\pi}{4}$ .  
Do not accept answers for  $\theta$  given in degrees.

Question 26

- (a)  $\sin x$ ,  $\sin 2x$  and  $4\sin x \cos^2 x$

$$r = \frac{2\sin x \cos x}{\sin x} = 2\cos x$$

*A1*

**Note:** Accept  $\frac{\sin 2x}{\sin x}$ .

*[1 mark]*

- (b) **EITHER**

$$|r| < 1 \Rightarrow |2\cos x| < 1$$

*M1*

**OR**

$$-1 < r < 1 \Rightarrow -1 < 2\cos x < 1$$

*M1*

**THEN**

$$0 < \cos x < \frac{1}{2} \text{ for } -\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$-\frac{\pi}{2} < x < -\frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{\pi}{3} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

*A1A1*

*[3 marks]*

- (c)  $S_{\infty} = \frac{\sin x}{1 - 2\cos x}$

*M1*

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{\sin\left(\arccos\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\right)}{1 - 2\cos\left(\arccos\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\right)}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{15}}{\frac{1}{2}}$$

*A1A1*

**Note:** Award *A1* for correct numerator and *A1* for correct denominator.

$$= \frac{\sqrt{15}}{2}$$

*AG*

*[3 marks]*

*Total [7marks]*

### Question 27

let  $P(n)$  be the proposition that  $(2n)! \geq 2^n (n!)^2$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

consider  $P(1)$ :

$2! = 2$  and  $2^1 (1!)^2 = 2$  so  $P(1)$  is true

**RI**

assume  $P(k)$  is true ie  $(2k)! \geq 2^k (k!)^2$ ,  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

**MI**

**Note:** Do not award **MI** for statements such as “let  $n = k$ ”.

consider  $P(k+1)$ :

$(2(k+1))! = (2k+2)(2k+1)(2k)!$

**MI**

$(2(k+1))! \geq (2k+2)(2k+1)(k!)^2 2^k$

**AI**

$= 2(k+1)(2k+1)(k!)^2 2^k$

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

**RI**

$= 2^{k+1} ((k+1)!)^2$

**AI**

$P(k+1)$  is true whenever  $P(k)$  is true and  $P(1)$  is true, so  $P(n)$  is true for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

**RI**

**Note:** To obtain the final **RI**, four of the previous marks must have been awarded.

**Total [7 marks]**

Question 28



(a) (i) **METHOD 1**

$$\frac{v_{n+1}}{v_n} = \frac{2^{u_{n+1}}}{2^{u_n}}$$
$$= 2^{u_{n+1} - u_n} = 2^d$$

**M1**

**A1**

**METHOD 2**

$$\frac{v_{n+1}}{v_n} = \frac{2^{a+nd}}{2^{a+(n-1)d}}$$
$$= 2^d$$

**M1**

**A1**

(ii)  $2^a$

**A1**

**Note:** Accept  $2^{u_1}$ .

(iii) **EITHER**

$v_n$  is a GP with first term  $2^a$  and common ratio  $2^d$

$$v_n = 2^a (2^d)^{(n-1)}$$

**OR**

$u_n = a + (n-1)d$  as it is an AP

**THEN**

$$v_n = 2^{a+(n-1)d}$$

**A1**

**[4 marks]**

(b) (i)  $S_n = \frac{2^a((2^d)^n - 1)}{2^d - 1} = \frac{2^a(2^{dn} - 1)}{2^d - 1}$

**M1A1**

**Note:** Accept either expression.

(ii) for sum to infinity to exist need  $-1 < 2^d < 1$

**R1**

$$\Rightarrow \log 2^d < 0 \Rightarrow d \log 2 < 0 \Rightarrow d < 0$$

**(M1)A1**

**Note:** Also allow graph of  $2^d$ .

(iii)  $S_\infty = \frac{2^a}{1 - 2^d}$

**A1**

$$(iv) \frac{2^a}{1-2^d} = 2^{a+1} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{1-2^d} = 2$$

M1

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 2 - 2^{d+1} \Rightarrow 2^{d+1} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow d = -1$$

A1

[8 marks]

(c) **METHOD 1**

$$w_n = pq^{n-1}, z_n = \ln pq^{n-1}$$

(A1)

$$z_n = \ln p + (n-1) \ln q$$

M1A1

$$z_{n+1} - z_n = (\ln p + n \ln q) - (\ln p + (n-1) \ln q) = \ln q$$

which is a constant so this is an AP

(with first term  $\ln p$  and common difference  $\ln q$ )

$$\sum_{i=1}^n z_i = \frac{n}{2} (2 \ln p + (n-1) \ln q)$$

M1

$$= n \left( \ln p + \ln q \left( \frac{n-1}{2} \right) \right) = n \ln \left( pq^{\left( \frac{n-1}{2} \right)} \right)$$

(M1)

$$= \ln \left( p^n q^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \right)$$

A1

**METHOD 2**

$$\sum_{i=1}^n z_i = \ln p + \ln pq + \ln pq^2 + \dots + \ln pq^{n-1}$$

(M1)A1

$$= \ln \left( p^n q^{(1+2+3+\dots+(n-1))} \right)$$

(M1)A1

$$= \ln \left( p^n q^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \right)$$

(M1)A1

[6 marks]

Total [18 marks]

Question 29

$$(3-x)^4 = 1 \cdot 3^4 + 4 \cdot 3^3 (-x) + 6 \cdot 3^2 (-x)^2 + 4 \cdot 3 (-x)^3 + 1(-x)^4 \text{ or equivalent}$$

(M1)(A1)

$$= 81 - 108x + 54x^2 - 12x^3 + x^4$$

A1A1

**Note:** A1 for ascending powers, A1 for correct coefficients including signs.

[4 marks]

Question 30

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$z^3 = -\frac{27}{8} = \frac{27}{8}(\cos \pi + i \sin \pi) \quad \mathbf{M1(A1)}$$

$$= \frac{27}{8}(\cos(\pi + 2n\pi) + i \sin(\pi + 2n\pi)) \quad \mathbf{(A1)}$$

$$z = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi + 2n\pi}{3} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi + 2n\pi}{3} \right) \right) \quad \mathbf{M1}$$

$$z_1 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right),$$

$$z_2 = \frac{3}{2} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi),$$

$$z_3 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{5\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{3} \right). \quad \mathbf{A2}$$

**Note:** Accept  $-\frac{\pi}{3}$  as the argument for  $z_3$ .

**Note:** Award **A1** for 2 correct roots.

**Note:** Allow solutions expressed in Eulerian ( $re^{i\theta}$ ) form.

**Note:** Allow use of degrees in mod-arg (r-cis) form only.

**[6 marks]**

**METHOD 2**

$$8z^3 + 27 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -\frac{3}{2} \text{ so } (2z+3) \text{ is a factor}$$

Attempt to use long division or factor theorem:

**M1**

$$\Rightarrow 8z^3 + 27 \equiv (2z+3)(4z^2 - 6z + 9)$$

$$\Rightarrow 4z^2 - 6z + 9 = 0$$

**A1**

Attempt to solve quadratic:

**M1**

$$z = \frac{3 \pm 3\sqrt{3}i}{4}$$

**A1**

$$z_1 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right),$$

$$z_2 = \frac{3}{2} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi),$$

$$z_3 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{5\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{3} \right).$$

**A2**

**Note:** Accept  $-\frac{\pi}{3}$  as the argument for  $z_3$ .

**Note:** Award **A1** for 2 correct roots.

**Note:** Allow solutions expressed in Eulerian ( $re^{i\theta}$ ) form.

**Note:** Allow use of degrees in mod-arg (r-cis) form only.

**[6 marks]**



**METHOD 3**

$$8z^3 + 27 = 0$$

Substitute  $z = x + iy$ **M1**

$$8(x^3 + 3ix^2y - 3xy^2 - iy^3) + 27 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 8x^3 - 24xy^2 + 27 = 0 \text{ and } 24x^2y - 8y^3 = 0$$

**A1**

Attempt to solve simultaneously:

**M1**

$$8y(3x^2 - y^2) = 0$$

$$y = 0, y = x\sqrt{3}, y = -x\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x = -\frac{3}{2}, y = 0\right), x = \frac{3}{4}, y = \pm \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

**A1**

$$z_1 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right),$$

$$z_2 = \frac{3}{2} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi),$$

$$z_3 = \frac{3}{2} \left( \cos \frac{5\pi}{3} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{3} \right).$$

**A2**

**Note:** Accept  $-\frac{\pi}{3}$  as the argument for  $z_3$ .

**Note:** Award **A1** for 2 correct roots.

**Note:** Allow solutions expressed in Eulerian ( $re^{i\theta}$ ) form.

**Note:** Allow use of degrees in mod-arg (r-cis) form only.

**[6 marks]**

(b) **EITHER**

$$\text{Valid attempt to use area} = 3 \left( \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C \right)$$

**M1**

$$= 3 \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1** for correct sides, **A1** for correct  $\sin C$ .

**OR**

$$\text{Valid attempt to use area} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ base} \times \text{height}$$

**M1**

$$\text{area} = \frac{1}{2} \times \left( \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{2} \right) \times \frac{6\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** **A1** for correct height, **A1** for correct base.

**THEN**

$$= \frac{27\sqrt{3}}{16}$$

**AG**

**[3 marks]**

**Total [9 marks]**



Question 31

(a)  $a > 0$

A1

$a \neq 1$

A1

[2 marks]

(b) **METHOD 1**

$$\log_x y = \frac{\ln y}{\ln x} \text{ and } \log_y x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln y}$$

M1A1

**Note:** Use of any base is permissible here, not just “e”.

$$\left(\frac{\ln y}{\ln x}\right)^2 = 4$$

A1

$$\ln y = \pm 2 \ln x$$

A1

$$y = x^2 \text{ or } \frac{1}{x^2}$$

A1A1

**METHOD 2**

$$\log_y x = \frac{\log_x x}{\log_x y} = \frac{1}{\log_x y}$$

M1A1

$$(\log_x y)^2 = 4$$

A1

$$\log_x y = \pm 2$$

A1

$$y = x^2 \text{ or } y = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

A1A1

**Note:** The final two A marks are independent of the one coming before.

[6 marks]

Total [8 marks]

Question 32

(a)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{n+1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n} + \sqrt{n+1}} \times \frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}$

**M1**

$$= \frac{\sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}}{(n+1) - n}$$

**A1**

$$= \sqrt{n+1} - \sqrt{n}$$

**AG**

**[2 marks]**

(b)  $\sqrt{2} - 1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{1}}$

**A2**

$$< \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

**AG**

**[2 marks]**

(c) consider the case  $n = 2$ : required to prove that  $1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} > \sqrt{2}$

**M1**

from part (b)  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} > \sqrt{2} - 1$

hence  $1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} > \sqrt{2}$  is true for  $n = 2$

**A1**

now assume true for  $n = k$ :  $\sum_{r=1}^{r=k} \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}} > \sqrt{k}$

**M1**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} > \sqrt{k}$$

attempt to prove true for  $n = k + 1$ :  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \sqrt{k+1}$

**(M1)**

from assumption, we have that  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \sqrt{k} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}}$

**M1**

so attempt to show that  $\sqrt{k} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \sqrt{k+1}$

**(M1)**

**EITHER**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \sqrt{k+1} - \sqrt{k}$$

**A1**

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \frac{1}{\sqrt{k} + \sqrt{k+1}}, \text{ (from part a), which is true}$$

**A1**

**OR**

$$\sqrt{k} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} = \frac{\sqrt{k+1}\sqrt{k+1}}{\sqrt{k+1}}$$

**A1**

$$> \frac{\sqrt{k}\sqrt{k+1}}{\sqrt{k+1}} = \sqrt{k}$$

**A1**

**THEN**

so true for  $n = 2$  and  $n = k$  true  $\Rightarrow n = k + 1$  true. Hence true for all  $n \geq 2$  **R1**

**Note:** Award **R1** only if all previous **M** marks have been awarded.

**[9 marks]**

**Total [13 marks]**

### Question 33

use of either  $u_n = u_1 + (n-1)d$  or  $S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2u_1 + (n-1)d)$

**M1**

$$u_1 + 4d = 6$$

**(A1)**

$$\frac{12}{2}(2u_1 + 11d) = 45$$

**(A1)**

$$\Rightarrow 4u_1 + 22d = 15$$

attempt to solve simultaneous equations

**M1**

$$4(6 - 4d) + 22d = 15$$

$$6d = -9 \Rightarrow d = -1.5$$

**A1**

$$u_1 = 12$$

**A1**

**[6 marks]**

Question 34

**METHOD 1**

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 10 \log_3 6$$

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 5 \log_3 6$$

**M1**

$$m = \log_3 (6^5 2^n)$$

**(M1)**

$$3^m 2^{-n} = 6^5 = 3^5 \times 2^5$$

**(M1)**

$$m = 5, n = -5$$

**A1**

**Note:** First **M1** is for any correct change of base, second **M1** for writing as a single logarithm, third **M1** is for writing 6 as  $2 \times 3$ .

**METHOD 2**

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 10 \log_3 6$$

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 5 \log_3 6$$

**M1**

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 5 \log_3 3 + 5 \log_3 2$$

**(M1)**

$$m - n \log_3 2 = 5 + 5 \log_3 2$$

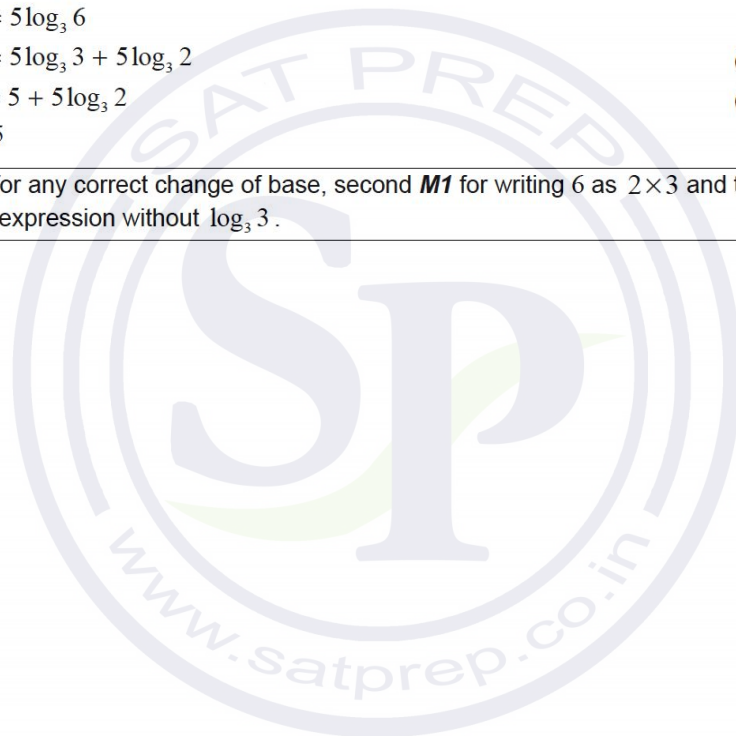
**(M1)**

$$m = 5, n = -5$$

**A1**

**Note:** First **M1** is for any correct change of base, second **M1** for writing 6 as  $2 \times 3$  and third **M1** is for forming an expression without  $\log_3 3$ .

**[4 marks]**



Question 35

(a)  $\left(\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)^3 = \cos \pi + i\sin \pi$  **M1**  
 $= -1$  **A1**  
**[2 marks]**

(b) show the expression is true for  $n = 1$  **R1**  
 assume true for  $n = k$ ,  $(\cos \theta - i\sin \theta)^k = \cos k\theta - i\sin k\theta$  **M1**

**Note:** Do not accept "let  $n = k$ " or "assume  $n = k$ ", assumption of truth must be present.

$$\begin{aligned} (\cos \theta - i\sin \theta)^{k+1} &= (\cos \theta - i\sin \theta)^k (\cos \theta - i\sin \theta) \\ &= (\cos k\theta - i\sin k\theta)(\cos \theta - i\sin \theta) && \mathbf{M1} \\ &= \cos k\theta \cos \theta - \sin k\theta \sin \theta - i(\cos k\theta \sin \theta + \sin k\theta \cos \theta) && \mathbf{A1} \end{aligned}$$

**Note:** Award **A1** for any correct expansion.

$$= \cos((k+1)\theta) - i\sin((k+1)\theta) \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

therefore if true for  $n = k$  true for  $n = k+1$ , true for  $n = 1$ , so true for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  **R1**

**Note:** To award the final **R** mark the first 4 marks must be awarded.

**[6 marks]**

(c)  $(z)^n + (z^*)^n = (\cos \theta + i\sin \theta)^n + (\cos \theta - i\sin \theta)^n$   
 $= \cos n\theta + i\sin n\theta + \cos n\theta - i\sin n\theta = 2\cos(n\theta)$  **(M1)A1**  
**[2 marks]**

(d) (i)  $zz^* = (\cos \theta + i\sin \theta)(\cos \theta - i\sin \theta)$   
 $= \cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta$  **A1**  
 $= 1$  **AG**

**e:** Allow justification starting with  $|z| = 1$ .

(ii)  $(z + z^*)^3 = z^3 + 3z^2z^* + 3z(z^*)^2 + (z^*)^3 = z^3 + 3z + 3z^* + (z^*)^3$  **A1**

(iii)  $(z + z^*)^3 = (2\cos \theta)^3$  **A1**

$$z^3 + 3z + 3z^* + (z^*)^3 = 2\cos 3\theta + 6\cos \theta \quad \mathbf{M1A1}$$

$$\cos 3\theta = 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta \quad \mathbf{AG}$$

**Note:** **M1** is for using  $zz^* = 1$ , this might be seen in d(ii).

**[5 marks]**

$$(e) \quad 4\cos^3 \theta - 2\cos^2 \theta - 3\cos \theta + 1 = 0$$

$$4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$$

$$\cos(3\theta) = \cos(2\theta)$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** **A1** for  $\cos(3\theta)$  and **A1** for  $\cos(2\theta)$ .

$$\theta = 0$$

**A1**

$$\text{or } 3\theta = 2\pi - 2\theta \text{ (or } 3\theta = 4\pi - 2\theta)$$

**M1**

$$\theta = \frac{2\pi}{5}, \frac{4\pi}{5}$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Do not accept solutions via factor theorem or other methods that do not follow "hence".

**[6 marks]**

**Total [21 marks]**

### Question 36

$$(a) \quad 1, nx, \frac{n(n-1)}{2}x^2, \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{6}x^3$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1** for the first two terms and **A1** for the next two terms.

**Note:** Accept  $\binom{n}{r}$  notation.

**Note:** Allow the terms seen in the context of an arithmetic sum.

**Note:** Allow unsimplified terms, eg, those including powers of 1 if seen.

**[2 marks]**

(b) (i) **EITHER**

$$\text{using } u_3 - u_2 = u_4 - u_3$$

**(M1)**

$$\frac{n(n-1)}{2} - n = \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{6} - \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$$

**A1**

attempting to remove denominators and expanding (or vice versa)

**M1**

$$3n^2 - 9n = n^3 - 6n^2 + 5n \text{ (or equivalent, eg, } 6n^2 - 12n = n^3 - 3n^2 + 2n)$$

**A1**

**OR**

$$\text{using } u_2 + u_4 = 2u_3$$

**(M1)**

$$n + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{6} = n(n-1)$$

**(A1)**

attempting to remove denominators and expanding (or vice versa)

**M1**

$$6n + n^3 - 3n^2 + 2n = 6n^2 - 6n \text{ (or equivalent)}$$

**(A1)**

**THEN**

$$n^3 - 9n^2 + 14n = 0$$

**AG**

$$(ii) \quad n(n-2)(n-7) = 0 \text{ or } (n-2)(n-7) = 0$$

**(A1)**

$$n = 7 \text{ only (as } n \geq 3)$$

**A1**

**[6 marks]**

**Total [8 marks]**



### Question 37

let  $P(n)$  be the proposition that  $n(n^2 + 5)$  is divisible by 6 for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

consider  $P(1)$ :

when  $n = 1$ ,  $n(n^2 + 5) = 1 \times (1^2 + 5) = 6$  and so  $P(1)$  is true

**R1**

assume  $P(k)$  is true i.e.,  $k(k^2 + 5) = 6m$  where  $k, m \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

**M1**

**Note:** Do not award **M1** for statements such as "let  $n = k$ ".

consider  $P(k + 1)$ :

$$(k + 1)((k + 1)^2 + 5)$$

**M1**

$$= (k + 1)(k^2 + 2k + 6)$$

$$= k^3 + 3k^2 + 8k + 6$$

**(A1)**

$$= (k^3 + 5k) + (3k^2 + 3k + 6)$$

**A1**

$$= k(k^2 + 5) + 3k(k + 1) + 6$$

**A1**

$k(k + 1)$  is even hence all three terms are divisible by 6

**R1**

$P(k + 1)$  is true whenever  $P(k)$  is true and  $P(1)$  is true, so  $P(n)$  is true for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

**R1**

**Note:** To obtain the final **R1**, four of the previous marks must have been awarded.

**[8 marks]**

### Question 38

(a) **EITHER**

$$w^7 = \left( \cos \frac{2\pi}{7} + i \sin \frac{2\pi}{7} \right)^7$$

**(M1)**

$$= \cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi$$

**A1**

$$= 1$$

**A1**

so  $w$  is a root

**AG**

**OR**

$$z^7 = 1 = \cos(2\pi k) + i \sin(2\pi k)$$

**(M1)**

$$z = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi k}{7}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi k}{7}\right)$$

**A1**

$$k = 1 \Rightarrow z = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{7}\right)$$

**A1**

so  $w$  is a root

**AG**

**[3 marks]**

(b) (i)  $(w - 1)(1 + w + w^2 + w^3 + w^4 + w^5 + w^6)$

$$= w + w^2 + w^3 + w^4 + w^5 + w^6 + w^7 - 1 - w - w^2 - w^3 - w^4 - w^5 - w^6$$

**M1**

$$= w^7 - 1 (= 0)$$

**A1**

(ii)  $w^7 - 1 = 0$  and  $w - 1 \neq 0$

**R1**

$$\text{so } 1 + w + w^2 + w^3 + w^4 + w^5 + w^6 = 0$$

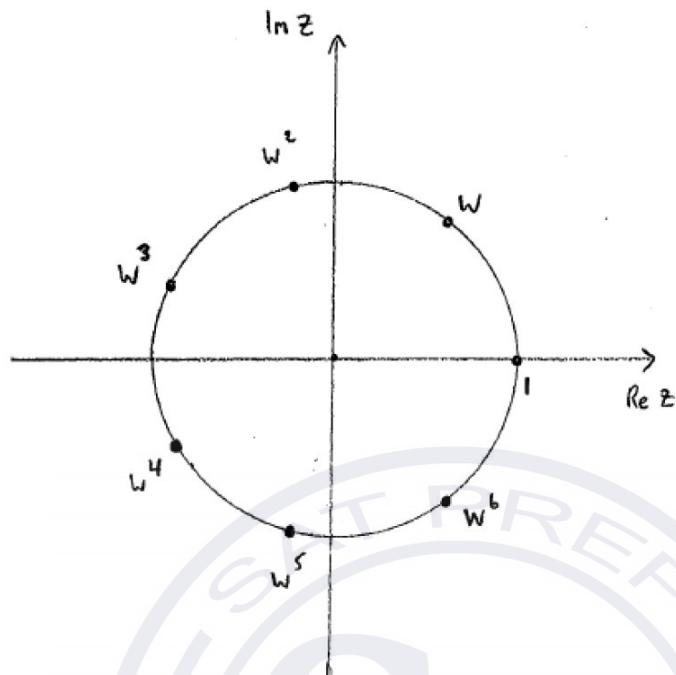
**AG**

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**[3 marks]**

(c) the roots are  $1, w, w^2, w^3, w^4, w^5$  and  $w^6$

A1



7 points equidistant from the origin

A1

approximately correct angular positions for  $1, w, w^2, w^3, w^4, w^5$  and  $w^6$

A1

**Note:** Condone use of *cis* notation for the final two A marks.

**Note:** For the final A mark there should be one root in the first quadrant, two in the second, two in the third, one in the fourth, and one on the real axis.

[3 marks]

(d) (i)  $\alpha^* = (w + w^2 + w^4)^*$

$$= w^* + (w^2)^* + (w^4)^*$$

A1

since  $w^* = w^6, (w^2)^* = w^5$  and  $(w^4)^* = w^3$

R1

$$\Rightarrow \alpha^* = w^6 + w^5 + w^3$$

AG

(ii)  $b = -(\alpha + \alpha^*)$  (using sum of roots (or otherwise)) **(M1)**

$$b = -(w + w^2 + w^3 + w^4 + w^5 + w^6)$$
**(A1)**

$$= -(-1)$$

$$= 1$$
**A1**

$c = \alpha\alpha^*$  (using product of roots (or otherwise)) **(M1)**

$$c = (w + w^2 + w^4)(w^6 + w^5 + w^3)$$

**EITHER**

$$= w^{10} + w^9 + w^8 + 3w^7 + w^6 + w^5 + w^4$$
**A1**

$$= (w^6 + w^5 + w^4 + w^3 + w^2 + w) + 3$$
**M1**

$$= 3 - 1$$
**(A1)**

**OR**

$$= w^{10} + w^9 + w^8 + 3w^7 + w^6 + w^5 + w^4 (= w^4(1 + w + w^3)(w^3 + w^2 + 1))$$
**A1**

$$= w^4(w^6 + w^5 + w^4 + w^2 + w + 1 + 3w^3)$$
**M1**

$$= w^4(w^6 + w^5 + w^4 + w^3 + w^2 + w + 1 + 2w^3)$$

$$= w^4(2w^3)$$
**(A1)**

**THEN**

$$= 2$$

**A1**

**[10 marks]**

(e)  $z^2 + z + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow z = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{7}}{2}$  **M1A1**

$\text{Im}(w + w^2 + w^4) > 0$  **R1**

$\text{Im}\alpha = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$  **A1**

**Note:** Final **A** mark is independent of previous **R** mark.

**[4 marks]**

**Total [23 marks]**

Question 39

- (a)  $u_1 = 1$  A1  
[1 mark]
- (b)  $u_6 = S_6 - S_5 = 31$  M1A1  
[2 marks]
- (c)  $u_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$  M1  
 $= (3n^2 - 2n) - (3(n-1)^2 - 2(n-1))$   
 $= (3n^2 - 2n) - (3n^2 - 6n + 3 - 2n + 2)$   
 $= 6n - 5$  A1  
 $d = u_{n+1} - u_n$  R1  
 $= 6n + 6 - 5 - 6n + 5$   
 $= (6(n+1) - 5) - (6n - 5)$   
 $= 6$  (constant) A1

**Notes:** Award **R1** only if candidate provides a clear argument that proves that the difference between **ANY** two consecutive terms of the sequence is constant. Do not accept examples involving particular terms of the sequence nor circular reasoning arguments (eg use of formulas of APs to prove that it is an AP). Last **A1** is independent of **R1**.

[4 marks]

Total [7 marks]

Question 40

- attempt to form a quadratic in  $2^x$  M1  
 $(2^x)^2 + 4 \cdot 2^x - 3 = 0$  A1  
 $2^x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 + 12}}{2} (= -2 \pm \sqrt{7})$  M1  
 $2^x = -2 + \sqrt{7}$  (as  $-2 - \sqrt{7} < 0$ ) R1  
 $x = \log_2(-2 + \sqrt{7})$  A1  
 $\left( x = \frac{\ln(-2 + \sqrt{7})}{\ln 2} \right)$

**Note:** Award **R0 A1** if final answer is  $x = \log_2(-2 \pm \sqrt{7})$ .

[5 marks]

Question 41

(a) (i) **METHOD 1**

$$1 + \omega + \omega^2 = \frac{1 - \omega^3}{1 - \omega} = 0 \quad \text{A1}$$

as  $\omega \neq 1$  R1

**METHOD 2**

solutions of  $1 - \omega^3 = 0$  are  $\omega = 1, \omega = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}i}{2}$  A1

verification that the sum of these roots is 0 R1

(ii)  $1 + \omega^* + (\omega^*)^2 = 0$  A2

[4 marks]

(b)  $(\omega - 3\omega^2)(\omega^2 - 3\omega) = -3\omega^4 + 10\omega^3 - 3\omega^2$  M1A1

**EITHER**

$$= -3\omega^2(\omega^2 + \omega + 1) + 13\omega^3 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= -3\omega^2 \times 0 + 13 \times 1 \quad \text{A1}$$

**OR**

$$= -3\omega + 10 - 3\omega^2 = -3(\omega^2 + \omega + 1) + 13 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= -3 \times 0 + 13 \quad \text{A1}$$

**OR**

substitution by  $\omega = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}i}{2}$  in any form M1

numerical values of each term seen A1

**THEN**

$$= 13 \quad \text{AG}$$

[4 marks]

(c)  $|p| = |q| \Rightarrow \sqrt{1^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{x^2 + (2x + 1)^2}$  (M1)(A1)

$$5x^2 + 4x - 9 = 0 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$(5x + 9)(x - 1) = 0 \quad \text{(M1)}$$

$$x = 1, x = -\frac{9}{5} \quad \text{A1}$$

[5 marks]

(d)  $pq = (1 - 3i)(x + (2x + 1)i) = (7x + 3) + (1 - x)i$   
 $\text{Re}(pq) + 8 < (\text{Im}(pq))^2 \Rightarrow (7x + 3) + 8 < (1 - x)^2$   
 $\Rightarrow x^2 - 9x - 10 > 0$   
 $\Rightarrow (x + 1)(x - 10) > 0$   
 $x < -1, x > 10$

**M1A1**

**M1**

**A1**

**M1**

**A1**

**[6 marks]**

**Total [19 marks]**

**Question 42**

$$\log_2 x - \log_2 5 = 2 + \log_2 3$$

collecting at least two log terms

**(M1)**

eg  $\log_2 \frac{x}{5} = 2 + \log_2 3$  or  $\log_2 \frac{x}{15} = 2$

obtaining a correct equation without logs

**(M1)**

eg  $\frac{x}{5} = 12$  OR  $\frac{x}{15} = 2^2$

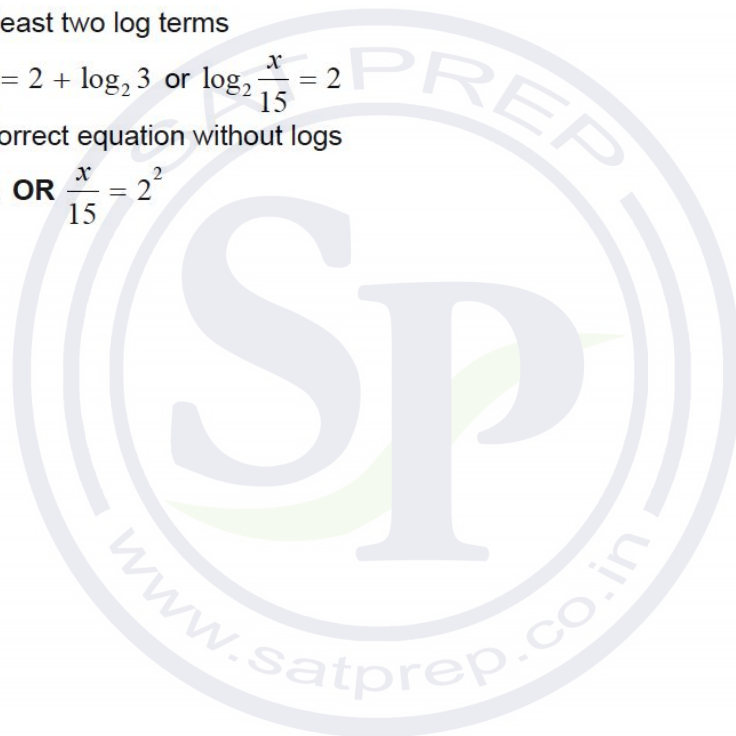
**(A1)**

$x = 60$

**A1**

**[4 marks]**

**Question 43**



(a)  $z_1 = 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$  and  $z_2 = \sqrt{2}\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1A0** for correct moduli and arguments found, but not written in mod-arg form.

(i)  $|w| = \sqrt{2}$

**A1**

(ii)  $\arg w = \frac{\pi}{12}$

**A1**

**Notes:** Allow **FT** from incorrect answers for  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  in modulus-argument form.

**[4 marks]**

(b) **EITHER**

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{12}\right) = 0$$

**(M1)**

**OR**

$$\arg(w^n) = \pi$$

**(M1)**

$$\frac{n\pi}{12} = \pi$$

**THEN**

$$\therefore n = 12$$

**A1**

**[2 marks]**

**Total [6 marks]**

Question 44

Question 51

- (a) use of  $u_n = u_1 + (n - 1)d$  **M1**  
 $(1 + 2d)^2 = (1 + d)(1 + 5d)$  (or equivalent) **M1A1**  
 $d = -2$  **A1**  
**[4 marks]**
- (b)  $1 + (N - 1) \times -2 = -15$   
 $N = 9$  **(A1)**  
 $\sum_{r=1}^9 u_r = \frac{9}{2} (2 + 8 \times -2)$  **(M1)**  
 $= -63$  **A1**  
**[3 marks]**  
**Total [7 marks]**

### Question 45

- let  $P(n)$  be the proposition that  $4^n + 15n - 1$  is divisible by 9  
showing true for  $n = 1$  **A1**  
ie for  $n = 1$ ,  $4^1 + 15 \times 1 - 1 = 18$   
which is divisible by 9, therefore  $P(1)$  is true  
assume  $P(k)$  is true so  $4^k + 15k - 1 = 9A$ , ( $A \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ ) **M1**

**Note:** Only award **M1** if "truth assumed" or equivalent.

- consider  $4^{k+1} + 15(k + 1) - 1$   
 $= 4 \times 4^k + 15k + 14$   
 $= 4(9A - 15k + 1) + 15k + 14$  **M1**  
 $= 4 \times 9A - 45k + 18$  **A1**  
 $= 9(4A - 5k + 2)$  which is divisible by 9 **R1**

**Note:** Award **R1** for either the expression or the statement above.

- since  $P(1)$  is true and  $P(k)$  true implies  $P(k + 1)$  is true, therefore (by the principle of mathematical induction)  $P(n)$  is true for  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  **R1**

**Note:** Only award the final **R1** if the 2 **M1**s have been awarded.

**[6 marks]**

### Question 46

- attempt at binomial expansion, relevant row of Pascal's triangle or use of general term with binomial coefficient must be seen **(M1)**  
term independent of  $x$  is  $\binom{10}{4} (2x^2)^6 \left(\frac{1}{2x^3}\right)^4$  (or equivalent) **(A1)(A1)(A1)**

**Notes:**  $x$ 's may be omitted.

Also accept  $\binom{10}{6}$  or 210.

$= 840$

**A1**

**[5 marks]**

### Question 47



(a) **EITHER**

the first three terms of the geometric sequence are 9,  $9r$  and  $9r^2$

(M1)

$$9 + 3d = 9r \quad (\Rightarrow 3 + d = 3r) \quad \text{and} \quad 9 + 7d = 9r^2$$

(A1)

attempt to solve simultaneously

(M1)

$$9 + 7d = 9\left(\frac{3+d}{3}\right)^2$$

**OR**

the 1<sup>st</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> terms of the arithmetic sequence are

$$9, 9 + 3d, 9 + 7d$$

(M1)

$$\frac{9 + 7d}{9 + 3d} = \frac{9 + 3d}{9}$$

(A1)

attempt to solve

(M1)

**THEN**

$$d = 1$$

A1

[4 marks]

(b)  $r = \frac{4}{3}$

A1

**Note:** Accept answers where a candidate obtains  $d$  by finding  $r$  first. The first two marks in either method for part (a) are awarded for the same ideas and the third mark is awarded for attempting to solve an equation in  $r$ .

[1 mark]

Total [5 marks]

Question 48

C represents the complex number  $1 - 2i$

A2

D represents the complex number  $3 + 2i$

A2

[4 marks]

Question 49

$$\binom{2}{2} + \binom{3}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \dots + \binom{n-1}{2} = \binom{n}{3}$$

show true for  $n = 3$

(M1)

$$\text{LHS} = \binom{2}{2} = 1 \quad \text{RHS} = \binom{3}{3} = 1$$

A1

hence true for  $n = 3$

$$\text{assume true for } n = k: \binom{2}{2} + \binom{3}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \dots + \binom{k-1}{2} = \binom{k}{3}$$

M1

$$\text{consider for } n = k + 1: \binom{2}{2} + \binom{3}{2} + \binom{4}{2} + \dots + \binom{k-1}{2} + \binom{k}{2}$$

(M1)

$$= \binom{k}{3} + \binom{k}{2}$$

A1

$$= \frac{k!}{(k-3)!3!} + \frac{k!}{(k-2)!2!} \left( = \frac{k!}{3!} \left[ \frac{1}{(k-3)!} + \frac{3}{(k-2)!} \right] \right) \text{ or any correct expression}$$

with a visible common factor

(A1)

$$= \frac{k!}{3!} \left[ \frac{k-2+3}{(k-2)!} \right] \text{ or any correct expression with a common denominator}$$

(A1)

$$= \frac{k!}{3!} \left[ \frac{k+1}{(k-2)!} \right]$$

**Note:** At least one of the above three lines or equivalent must be seen.

$$= \frac{(k+1)!}{3!(k-2)!} \text{ or equivalent}$$

A1

$$= \binom{k+1}{3}$$

Result is true for  $k = 3$ . If result is true for  $k$  it is true for  $k + 1$ . Hence result is true for all  $k \geq 3$ . Hence proved by induction.

R1

**Note:** In order to award the **R1** at least **[5 marks]** must have been awarded.

[9 marks]

(c) (i) **EITHER**

$$z = (1 - \cos 2\theta) - i \sin 2\theta$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(1 - \cos 2\theta)^2 + (\sin 2\theta)^2} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{1 - 2\cos 2\theta + \cos^2 2\theta + \sin^2 2\theta} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \sqrt{1 - \cos 2\theta} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= \sqrt{2} (2 \sin^2 \theta)$$

$$= 2 \sin \theta \quad \text{A1}$$

let  $\arg(z) = \alpha$

$$\tan \alpha = -\frac{\sin 2\theta}{1 - \cos 2\theta} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}{2 \sin^2 \theta} \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$= -\cot \theta \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\arg(z) = \alpha = -\arctan\left(\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)\right) \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= \theta - \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{A1}$$

**OR**

$$z = (1 - \cos 2\theta) - i \sin 2\theta$$

$$= 2 \sin^2 \theta - 2i \sin \theta \cos \theta \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$= 2 \sin \theta (\sin \theta - i \cos \theta) \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$= -2i \sin \theta (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$= 2 \sin \theta \left( \cos\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + i \sin\left(\theta - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right) \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$|z| = 2 \sin \theta \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\arg(z) = \theta - \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{A1}$$

(ii) attempt to apply De Moivre's theorem

$$(1 - \cos 2\theta - i \sin 2\theta)^{\frac{1}{3}} = 2^{\frac{1}{3}} (\sin \theta)^{\frac{1}{3}} \left[ \cos\left(\frac{\theta - \frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(\frac{\theta - \frac{\pi}{2} + 2n\pi}{3}\right) \right] \quad \text{M1}$$

**A1A1A1**

**Note:** **A1** for modulus, **A1** for dividing argument of  $z$  by 3 and **A1** for  $2n\pi$ .

Hence cube roots are the above expression when  $n = -1, 0, 1$ .

Equivalent forms are acceptable.

**A1**  
**[14 marks]**

### Question 51

$$\log_2(x+3) + \log_2(x-3) = 4$$

$$\log_2(x^2 - 9) = 4$$

$$x^2 - 9 = 2^4 (=16)$$

$$x^2 = 25$$

$$x = \pm 5$$

$$x = 5$$

(M1)

M1A1

(A1)

A1

[5 marks]

### Question 52

each term is of the form  $\binom{7}{r}(x^2)^{7-r}\left(\frac{-2}{x}\right)^r$

(M1)

$$= \binom{7}{r}x^{14-2r}(-2)^r x^{-r}$$

so  $14 - 3r = 8$

(A1)

$$r = 2$$

so require  $\binom{7}{2}(x^2)^5\left(\frac{-2}{x}\right)^2$  (or simply  $\binom{7}{2}(-2)^2$ )

A1

$$= 21 \times 4$$

$$= 84$$

A1

∴ Candidates who attempt a full expansion, including the correct term, may only be awarded **M1A0A0A0**.

[4 marks]

### Question 53

#### METHOD 1

$$216i = 216 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{2} \right) \quad \text{A1}$$

$$z + 2i = \sqrt[3]{216} \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k \right) \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad \text{(M1)}$$

$$z + 2i = 6 \left( \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi k}{3} \right) + i \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{2\pi k}{3} \right) \right) \quad \text{A1}$$

$$z_1 + 2i = 6 \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = 6 \left( \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2} \right) = 3\sqrt{3} + 3i$$

$$z_2 + 2i = 6 \left( \cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6} \right) = 6 \left( \frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{i}{2} \right) = -3\sqrt{3} + 3i$$

$$z_3 + 2i = 6 \left( \cos \frac{3\pi}{2} + i \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} \right) = -6i \quad \text{A2}$$

∴ Award **A1A0** for one correct root.

so roots are  $z_1 = 3\sqrt{3} + i$ ,  $z_2 = -3\sqrt{3} + i$  and  $z_3 = -8i$  M1A1

∴ Award **M1** for subtracting  $2i$  from their three roots.

[7 marks]

#### METHOD 2

$$(a\sqrt{3} + (b+2)i)^3 = 216i$$

$$(a\sqrt{3})^3 + 3(a\sqrt{3})^2(b+2)i - 3(a\sqrt{3})(b+2)^2 - i(b+2)^3 = 216i \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$(a\sqrt{3})^3 - 3(a\sqrt{3})(b+2)^2 + i(3(a\sqrt{3})^2(b+2) - (b+2)^3) = 216i$$

$$(a\sqrt{3})^3 - 3(a\sqrt{3})(b+2)^2 = 0 \text{ and } 3(a\sqrt{3})^2(b+2) - (b+2)^3 = 216 \quad \text{M1A1}$$

$$a(a^2 - (b+2)^2) = 0 \text{ and } 9a^2(b+2) - (b+2)^3 = 216$$

$$a = 0 \text{ or } a^2 = (b+2)^2$$

$$\text{if } a = 0, -(b+2)^3 = 216 \Rightarrow b+2 = -6$$

$$\therefore b = -8$$

A1

$$(a, b) = (0, -8)$$

$$\text{if } a^2 = (b+2)^2, 9(b+2)^2(b+2) - (b+2)^3 = 216$$

$$8(b+2)^3 = 216$$

$$(b+2)^3 = 27$$

$$b+2 = 3$$

$$b = 1$$

$$\therefore a^2 = 9 \Rightarrow a = \pm 3$$

$$\therefore (a, b) = (\pm 3, 1)$$

A1A1

so roots are  $z_1 = 3\sqrt{3} + i$ ,  $z_2 = -3\sqrt{3} + i$  and  $z_3 = -8i$

**METHOD 3**

$$(z + 2i)^3 - (-6i)^3 = 0$$

attempt to factorise:

$$((z + 2i) - (-6i))((z + 2i)^2 + (z + 2i)(-6i) + (-6i)^2) = 0$$

$$(z + 8i)(z^2 - 2iz - 28) = 0$$

$$z + 8i = 0 \Rightarrow z = -8i$$

$$z^2 - 2iz - 28 = 0 \Rightarrow z = \frac{2i \pm \sqrt{-4 - (4 \times 1 \times -28)}}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{2i \pm \sqrt{108}}{2}$$

$$z = \frac{2i \pm 6\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

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

**M1****A1****A1****A1****M1****A1A1****Question 54****(a) METHOD 1**

$$\begin{aligned} \log_{r^2} x &= \frac{\log_r x}{\log_r r^2} \left( = \frac{\log_r x}{2 \log_r r} \right) \\ &= \frac{\log_r x}{2} \end{aligned}$$

**M1A1****AG****[2 marks]****METHOD 2**

$$\begin{aligned} \log_{r^2} x &= \frac{1}{\log_x r^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2 \log_x r} \\ &= \frac{\log_r x}{2} \end{aligned}$$

**M1****A1****AG****[2 marks]****(b) METHOD 1**

$$\log_2 y + \log_4 x + \log_4 2x = 0$$

$$\log_2 y + \log_4 2x^2 = 0$$

$$\log_2 y + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 2x^2 = 0$$

$$\log_2 y = -\frac{1}{2} \log_2 2x^2$$

$$\log_2 y = \log_2 \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2x}} \right)$$

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

**M1****M1****M1A1****A1**

**METHOD 2**

$$\log_2 y + \log_4 x + \log_4 2x = 0$$

$$\log_2 y + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 x + \frac{1}{2} \log_2 2x = 0$$

$$\log_2 y + \log_2 x^{\frac{1}{2}} + \log_2 (2x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0$$

$$\log_2 (\sqrt{2xy}) = 0$$

$$\sqrt{2xy} = 1$$

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

**M1****M1****M1****A1****A1**

**Note:** For the final **A** mark,  $y$  must be expressed in the form  $px^q$ .

**[5 marks]****Question 55**

$$(a) \quad \frac{z+w}{z-w} = \frac{(a+c) + i(b+d)}{(a-c) + i(b-d)}$$

$$= \frac{(a+c) + i(b+d)}{(a-c) + i(b-d)} \times \frac{(a-c) - i(b-d)}{(a-c) - i(b-d)}$$

**M1A1**

$$\text{real part} = \frac{(a+c)(a-c) + (b+d)(b-d)}{(a-c)^2 + (b-d)^2} \left( = \frac{a^2 - c^2 + b^2 - d^2}{(a-c)^2 + (b-d)^2} \right)$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1** for numerator, **A1** for denominator.

**[4 marks]**

$$(b) \quad |z| = |w| \Rightarrow a^2 + b^2 = c^2 + d^2$$

hence real part = 0

**R1****A1**

**Note:** Do not award **R0A1**.

**[2 marks]****Total [6 marks]****Question 56****(a) METHOD 1**

state that  $u_n = u_1 r^{n-1}$  (or equivalent)

**A1**

attempt to consider  $a_n$  and use of at least one log rule

**M1**

$$\log_2 |u_n| = \log_2 |u_1| + (n-1) \log_2 |r|$$

**A1**

(which is an AP) with  $d = \log_2 |r|$  (and 1<sup>st</sup> term  $\log_2 |u_1|$ )

**A1**

so A is an arithmetic sequence

**AG**

**Note:** Condone absence of modulus signs.

**Note:** The final **A** mark may be awarded independently.

**Note:** Consideration of the first two or three terms only will score **M0**.

**[4 marks]**

**METHOD 2**

consideration of  $(d =) a_{n+1} - a_n$

**M1**

$$(d) = \log_2 |u_{n+1}| - \log_2 |u_n|$$

$$(d) = \log_2 \left| \frac{u_{n+1}}{u_n} \right|$$

**M1**

$$(d) = \log_2 |r|$$

**A1**

which is constant

**R1**

**Note:** Condone absence of modulus signs.

**Note:** the final **A** mark may be awarded independently.

**Note:** Consideration of the first two or three terms only will score **M0**.

(b) attempting to solve  $\frac{3}{1-r} = 4$

**M1**

$$r = \frac{1}{4}$$

**A1**

$$d = -2$$

**A1**

[3 marks]

Total [7 marks]

**Question 57**

(a) (i)  $w^2 = 4cis\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right); w^3 = 8cis(\pi)$

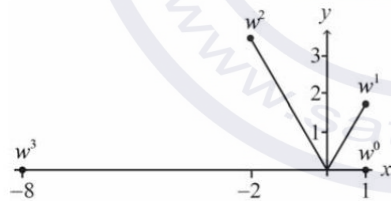
**(M1)A1A1**

**Note:** Accept Euler form.

**Note:** **M1** can be awarded for either both correct moduli or both correct arguments.

**Note:** Allow multiplication of correct Cartesian form for **M1**, final answers must be in modulus-argument form.

(ii)



**A1A1**

[5 marks]

(b) use of area  $= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$

**M1**

$$\frac{1}{2} \times 1 \times 2 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 4 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 8 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{3}$$

**A1A1**

**Note:** Award **A1** for  $C = \frac{\pi}{3}$ , **A1** for correct moduli.

$$= \frac{21\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

**AG**

**Note:** Other methods of splitting the area may receive full marks.

[3 marks]



$$(c) \frac{1}{2} \times 2^0 \times 2^1 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{n} + \frac{1}{2} \times 2^1 \times 2^2 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{n} + \frac{1}{2} \times 2^2 \times 2^3 \times \sin \frac{\pi}{n} + \dots + \frac{1}{2} \times 2^{n-1} \times 2^n \times \sin \frac{\pi}{n}$$

**M1A1**

**Note:** Award **M1** for powers of 2, **A1** for any correct expression including both the first and last term.

$$= \sin \frac{\pi}{n} \times (2^0 + 2^2 + 2^4 + \dots + 2^{2n-2})$$

identifying a geometric series with common ratio  $2^2 (=4)$

**(M1)A1**

$$= \frac{1-2^{2n}}{1-4} \times \sin \frac{\pi}{n}$$

**M1**

**Note:** Award **M1** for use of formula for sum of geometric series.

$$= \frac{1}{3}(4^n - 1) \sin \frac{\pi}{n}$$

**A1**

**[6 marks]**

**Total [14 marks]**

### Question 58

if  $n = 1$

$$\text{LHS} = 1; \text{RHS} = 4 - \frac{3}{2^0} = 4 - 3 = 1$$

**M1**

hence true for  $n = 1$

assume true for  $n = k$

**M1**

**te:** Assumption of truth must be present. Following marks are not dependent on the first two **M1** marks.

$$\text{so } 1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \dots + k\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} = 4 - \frac{k+2}{2^{k-1}}$$

if  $n = k+1$

$$1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 + \dots + k\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} + (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$$

$$= 4 - \frac{k+2}{2^{k-1}} + (k+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$$

**M1A1**

finding a common denominator for the two fractions

**M1**

$$= 4 - \frac{2(k+2)}{2^k} + \frac{k+1}{2^k}$$

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

**A1**

hence if true for  $n = k$  then also true for  $n = k+1$ , as true for  $n = 1$ , so true (for all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ )

**R1**

**te:** Award the final **R1** only if the first four marks have been awarded.

**[7 marks]**

Question 59

$$(\ln x)^2 - (\ln 2)(\ln x) - 2(\ln 2)^2 (= 0)$$

**EITHER**

$$\ln x = \frac{\ln 2 \pm \sqrt{(\ln 2)^2 + 8(\ln 2)^2}}{2} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= \frac{\ln 2 \pm 3\ln 2}{2} \quad \text{A1}$$

**OR**

$$(\ln x - 2\ln 2)(\ln x + \ln 2) (= 0) \quad \text{M1A1}$$

**THEN**

$$\ln x = 2\ln 2 \text{ or } -\ln 2 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4 \text{ or } x = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{(M1)A1}$$

**Note:** (M1) is for an appropriate use of a log law in either case, dependent on the previous M1 being awarded, A1 for both correct answers.

$$\text{solution is } \frac{1}{2} < x < 4 \quad \text{A1}$$

[6 marks]

Question 60

attempt to substitute  $x = -1$  or  $x = 2$  or to divide polynomials (M1)

$1 - p - q + 5 = 7$ ,  $16 + 8p + 2q + 5 = 1$  or equivalent A1A1

attempt to solve their two equations M1

$p = -3$ ,  $q = 2$  A1

[5 marks]

Question 61

(a)  $(r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta))^{24} = 1(\cos 0 + i \sin 0)$

use of De Moivre's theorem (M1)

$$r^{24} = 1 \Rightarrow r = 1 \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$24\theta = 2\pi n \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi n}{12}, (n \in \mathbb{Z}) \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$0 < \arg z < \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow n = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$$

$$z = e^{\frac{\pi i}{12}} \text{ or } e^{\frac{2\pi i}{12}} \text{ or } e^{\frac{3\pi i}{12}} \text{ or } e^{\frac{4\pi i}{12}} \text{ or } e^{\frac{5\pi i}{12}} \quad \text{A2}$$

**Note:** Award A1 if additional roots are given or if three correct roots are given with no incorrect (or additional) roots.

[5 marks]

$$(b) \quad (i) \quad \operatorname{Re} S = \cos \frac{\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$\operatorname{Im} S = \sin \frac{\pi}{12} + \sin \frac{2\pi}{12} + \sin \frac{3\pi}{12} + \sin \frac{4\pi}{12} + \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

**Note:** Award **A1** for both parts correct.

$$\text{but } \sin \frac{5\pi}{12} = \cos \frac{\pi}{12}, \sin \frac{4\pi}{12} = \cos \frac{2\pi}{12}, \sin \frac{3\pi}{12} = \cos \frac{3\pi}{12},$$

$$\sin \frac{2\pi}{12} = \cos \frac{4\pi}{12} \text{ and } \sin \frac{\pi}{12} = \cos \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re} S = \operatorname{Im} S \quad \mathbf{M1A1}$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \mathbf{AG}$$

**Note:** Accept a geometrical method.

$$(ii) \quad \cos \frac{\pi}{12} = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \quad \mathbf{M1A1}$$

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

$$= \frac{\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{2}}{4} \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

$$(iii) \quad \cos \frac{5\pi}{12} = \cos \left( \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) = \cos \frac{\pi}{6} \cos \frac{\pi}{4} - \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \quad \mathbf{(M1)}$$

**Note:** Allow alternative methods eg  $\cos \frac{5\pi}{12} = \sin \frac{\pi}{12} = \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{\pi}{6} \right)$ .

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4} \quad \mathbf{(A1)}$$

$$\operatorname{Re} S = \cos \frac{\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{2\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{3\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{12} + \cos \frac{5\pi}{12}$$

$$\operatorname{Re} S = \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4} \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{6} + 1 + \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3}) \quad \mathbf{A1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (1 + \sqrt{2})(1 + \sqrt{3})$$

$$S = \operatorname{Re}(S)(1+i) \text{ since } \operatorname{Re} S = \operatorname{Im} S, \quad \mathbf{R1}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \sqrt{2})(1 + \sqrt{3})(1+i) \quad \mathbf{AG}$$

**[11 marks]**

**Total [16 marks]**

Question 62

$-i\sqrt{3}$  is a root **(A1)**

$3 + \log_2 3 - \log_2 6 \left( = 3 + \log_2 \frac{1}{2} = 3 - 1 = 2 \right)$  is a root **(A1)**

sum of roots:  $-a = 3 + \log_2 3 \Rightarrow a = -3 - \log_2 3$  **M1**

: Award **M1** for use of  $-a$  is equal to the sum of the roots, do not award if minus is missing.

: If expanding the factored form of the equation, award **M1** for equating  $a$  to the coefficient of  $z^3$ .

product of roots:  $(-1)^4 d = 2(\log_2 6)(i\sqrt{3})(-i\sqrt{3})$  **M1**  
 $= 6\log_2 6$  **A1**

: Award **M1A0** for  $d = -6\log_2 6$ .

$$6a + d + 12 = -18 - 6\log_2 3 + 6\log_2 6 + 12$$

**EITHER**

$$= -6 + 6\log_2 2 = 0$$
 **M1A1AG**

: **M1** is for a correct use of one of the log laws.

**OR**

$$= -6 - 6\log_2 3 + 6\log_2 3 + 6\log_2 2 = 0$$
 **M1A1AG**

: **M1** is for a correct use of one of the log laws.

**[7 marks]**

Question 63

consider  $n = 1$ .  $1(1!) = 1$  and  $2! - 1 = 1$  therefore true for  $n = 1$  **R1**

: There must be evidence that  $n = 1$  has been substituted into both expressions, or an expression such  $LHS=RHS=1$  is used. "therefore true for  $n = 1$ " or an equivalent statement must be seen.

assume true for  $n = k$ , (so that  $\sum_{r=1}^k r(r!) = (k+1)! - 1$ ) **M1**

: Assumption of truth must be present.

consider  $n = k + 1$

$$\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} r(r!) = \sum_{r=1}^k r(r!) + (k+1)(k+1)! \quad \text{(M1)}$$

$$= (k+1)! - 1 + (k+1)(k+1)! \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= (k+2)(k+1)! - 1 \quad \text{M1}$$

: **M1** is for factorising  $(k+1)!$

$$= (k+2)! - 1$$

$$= ((k+1)+1)! - 1$$

so if true for  $n = k$ , then also true for  $n = k + 1$ , and as true for  $n = 1$  then true for

all  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  **R1**

: Only award final **R1** if all three method marks have been awarded.  
 Award **R0** if the proof is developed from both LHS and RHS.

**Total [6 marks]**

### Question 64

- (a) an attempt at a valid method eg by inspection or row reduction

$$2 \times R_2 = R_1 \Rightarrow 2a = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

(M1)

A1

[2 marks]

- (b) using elimination or row reduction to eliminate one variable  
correct pair of equations in 2 variables, such as

$$\left. \begin{aligned} 5x + 10y &= 25 \\ 5x + 12y &= 4 \end{aligned} \right\}$$

(M1)

A1

**Note:** Award **A1** for  $z = 0$  and one other equation in two variables.

attempting to solve for these two variables

$$x = 26, y = -10.5, z = 0$$

(M1)

A1A1

**Note:** Award **A1A0** for only two correct values, and **A0A0** for only one.

**Note:** Award marks in part (b) for equivalent steps seen in part (a).

[5 marks]

Total [7 marks]

### Question 65

- (a) **METHOD 1**

$$\binom{8}{4}$$

$$= \frac{8!}{4!4!} = \frac{8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5}{4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = 7 \times 2 \times 5$$

$$= 70$$

(A1)

(M1)

A1

**METHOD 2**

recognition that they need to count the teams with 0 boys, 1 boy... 4 boys

$$1 + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + \binom{4}{2} \times \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + 1$$

$$= 1 + (4 \times 4) + (6 \times 6) + (4 \times 4) + 1$$

$$= 70$$

M1

(A1)

A1

[3 marks]

- (b) **EITHER**

recognition that the answer is the total number of teams minus the number of teams with all girls or all boys

$$70 - 2$$

(M1)

**OR**

recognition that the answer is the total of the number of teams with 1 boy, 2 boys, 3 boys

$$\binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + \binom{4}{2} \times \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} = (4 \times 4) + (6 \times 6) + (4 \times 4)$$

(M1)

**THEN**

$$= 68$$

A1

[2 marks]

Question 65

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$\binom{8}{4}$$

(A1)

$$= \frac{8!}{4!4!} = \frac{8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5}{4 \times 3 \times 2 \times 1} = 7 \times 2 \times 5$$

(M1)

$$= 70$$

A1

**METHOD 2**

recognition that they need to count the teams with 0 boys, 1 boy... 4 boys

M1

$$1 + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + \binom{4}{2} \times \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + 1$$

$$= 1 + (4 \times 4) + (6 \times 6) + (4 \times 4) + 1$$

(A1)

$$= 70$$

A1

[3 marks]

(b) **EITHER**

recognition that the answer is the total number of teams minus the number of teams with all girls or all boys

(M1)

$$70 - 2$$

**OR**

recognition that the answer is the total of the number of teams with 1 boy, 2 boys, 3 boys

(M1)

$$\binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} + \binom{4}{2} \times \binom{4}{2} + \binom{4}{1} \times \binom{4}{3} = (4 \times 4) + (6 \times 6) + (4 \times 4)$$

**THEN**

$$= 68$$

A1

[2 marks]

Total [5 marks]

### Question 66

use of at least one “log rule” applied correctly for the first equation **M1**

$$\log_2 6x = \log_2 2 + 2\log_2 y$$

$$= \log_2 2 + \log_2 y^2$$

$$= \log_2 (2y^2)$$

$$\Rightarrow 6x = 2y^2$$

**A1**

use of at least one “log rule” applied correctly for the second equation **M1**

$$\log_6 (15y - 25) = 1 + \log_6 x$$

$$= \log_6 6 + \log_6 x$$

$$= \log_6 6x$$

$$\Rightarrow 15y - 25 = 6x$$

**A1**

attempt to eliminate  $x$  (or  $y$ ) from their two equations **M1**

$$2y^2 = 15y - 25$$

$$2y^2 - 15y + 25 = 0$$

$$(2y - 5)(y - 5) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{25}{12}, y = \frac{5}{2},$$

**A1**

$$\text{or } x = \frac{25}{3}, y = 5$$

**A1**

**te:**  $x, y$  values do not have to be “paired” to gain either of the final two **A** marks.

**[7 marks]**

### Question 67

$$g(x) = f(x+2) \left( = (x+2)^4 - 6(x+2)^2 - 2(x+2) + 4 \right)$$

**M1**

attempt to expand  $(x+2)^4$

**M1**

$$(x+2)^4 = x^4 + 4(2x^3) + 6(2^2x^2) + 4(2^3x) + 2^4$$

**(A1)**

$$= x^4 + 8x^3 + 24x^2 + 32x + 16$$

**A1**

$$g(x) = x^4 + 8x^3 + 24x^2 + 32x + 16 - 6(x^2 + 4x + 4) - 2x - 4 + 4$$

$$= x^4 + 8x^3 + 18x^2 + 6x - 8$$

**A1**

**a:** For correct expansion of  $f(x-2) = x^4 - 8x^3 + 18x^2 - 10x$  award max **M0M1(A1)A0A1**.

**[5 marks]**

### Question 68

attempting to form two equations involving  $u_1$  and  $d$

**M1**

$$(u_1 + 2d) + (u_1 + 7d) = 1 \text{ and } \frac{7}{2}[2u_1 + 6d] = 35$$

$$2u_1 + 9d = 1$$

$$14u_1 + 42d = 70 \text{ (} 2u_1 + 6d = 10 \text{)}$$

**A1**

**e:** Award **A1** for any two correct equations

attempting to solve their equations:

**M1**

$$u_1 = 14, d = -3$$

**A1**

**[4 marks]**

Question 69

(a) (i)  $p(2) = 8 - 12 + 16 - 24$  **(M1)**

**Note:** Award **M1** for a valid attempt at remainder theorem or polynomial division.

$= -12$  **A1**  
 remainder = -12

(ii)  $p(3) = 27 - 27 + 24 - 24 = 0$  **A1**  
 remainder = 0

**[3 marks]**

(b)  $x = 3$  (is a zero) **A1**

**Note:** Can be seen anywhere.

**EITHER**

factorise to get  $(x-3)(x^2+8)$  **(M1)A1**

$x^2+8 \neq 0$  (for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ) (or equivalent statement) **R1**

**Note:** Award **R1** if correct two complex roots are given.

**OR**

$p'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x + 8$  **A1**

attempting to show  $p'(x) \neq 0$  **M1**

eg discriminant =  $36 - 96 < 0$ , completing the square  
 no turning points **R1**

**THEN**

only one real zero (as the curve is continuous) **AG**

**[4 marks]**

(c) new graph is  $y = p(2x)$  **(M1)**

stretch parallel to the  $x$ -axis (with  $x = 0$  invariant), scale factor 0.5 **A1**

**[2 marks]**

**[Total 9 marks]**

Question 70

attempt at binomial expansion **M1**

$1 + \binom{11}{1}(-2x) + \binom{11}{2}(-2x)^2 + \dots$  **(A1)**

$\binom{11}{2} = 55$

$1 - 22x + 220x^2$  **A1A1**

**te:** **A1** for first two terms, **A1** for final term.

**te:** Award **M1(A1)A0A0** for  $(-2x)^{11} + \binom{11}{10}(-2x)^{10} + \binom{11}{9}(-2x)^9 + \dots$ ,

**Total [4 marks]**



Question 71

(a) **METHOD 1**

$$|z| = \sqrt[4]{4} (= \sqrt{2})$$

(A1)

$$\arg(z_1) = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

(A1)

first solution is  $1+i$

A1

valid attempt to find all roots (De Moivre or +/- their components)

(M1)

other solutions are  $-1+i, -1-i, 1-i$

A1

[5 marks]

**METHOD 2**

$$z^4 = -4$$

$$(a+ib)^4 = -4$$

attempt to expand and equate **both** reals and imaginaries.

(M1)

$$a^4 + 4a^3bi - 6a^2b^2 - 4ab^3i + b^4 = -4$$

$$(a^4 - 6a^2b^2 + b^4 = -4 \Rightarrow) a = \pm 1 \text{ and } (4a^3b - 4ab^3 = 0 \Rightarrow) a = \pm b$$

(A1)

first solution is  $1+i$

A1

valid attempt to find all roots (De Moivre or +/- their components)

(M1)

other solutions are  $-1+i, -1-i, 1-i$

A1

[5 marks]

(b) complete method to find area of 'rectangle'

(M1)

$$= 4$$

A1

[2 marks]

Total [7 marks]

Question 72

attempt to eliminate a variable (or attempt to find  $\det A$ )

M1

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & | & 5 \\ 1 & 3 & -1 & | & 4 \\ 3 & -5 & a & | & b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 7 & -3 & | & 3 \\ 0 & -14 & a+3 & | & b-12 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (or } \det A = 14(a-3) \text{)}$$

(or two correct equations in two variables)

A1

$$\rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & | & 5 \\ 0 & 7 & -3 & | & 3 \\ 0 & 0 & a-3 & | & b-6 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (or solving } \det A = 0 \text{)}$$

(or attempting to reduce to one variable, e.g.  $(a-3)z = b-6$ )

M1

$$a=3, b \neq 6$$

A1A1

[5 marks]