

## Pioneer Junior College

### H2 Mathematics

#### 2016 JC 2 Preliminary Examination Paper 1 Solution

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Let the passcode be  $xyz$ .

$$x + y + z = 14 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$100z + 10y + x = 100x + 10y + z + 495$$

$$99z - 99x = 495 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$$y - x = 3 \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

Using the GC,  $x = 2, y = 5, z = 7$

$\therefore$  the passcode is 257

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Let the radius and height of the cone be  $r$  and  $h$  respectively.

Let the radius of the circular card be  $x$  and angle  $ACB$  be  $\theta$ .

By Pythagoras Theorem,

$$x^2 = r^2 + h^2 \Rightarrow r^2 = x^2 - h^2$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3}\pi(x^2 - h^2)h = \frac{1}{3}\pi(x^2 h - h^3)$$

$$\frac{dV}{dh} = \frac{1}{3}\pi(x^2 - 3h^2) = 0$$

$$h^2 = \frac{x^2}{3} \Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{2}{3}x^2$$

Consider the circumference of the circle without sector:

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

$$2\pi\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}x = (2\pi - \theta)(x)$$

$$\theta = 2\left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}\right)\pi$$

Alternatively, consider the curve surface area of the cone,

$$\pi x^2 \left(\frac{2\pi - \theta}{2\pi}\right) = \pi r x$$

$$\pi x^2 - \pi x^2 \left(\frac{\theta}{2\pi}\right) = \pi\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}x^2 x$$

$$1 - \left( \frac{\theta}{2\pi} \right) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$\theta = 2 \left( 1 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \right) \pi$$

$$\frac{d^2V}{dh^2} = \frac{1}{3} \pi (-6h) = -2\pi h < 0 \text{ (Max)}$$

**3**

$$(i) \quad \frac{4}{4r^2 + 12r + 5} = \frac{4}{(2r+1)(2r+5)} = \frac{A}{2r+1} + \frac{B}{2r+5}$$

$$4 = A(2r+5) + B(2r+1)$$

$$\text{when } r = -\frac{5}{2}: \quad 4 = B \left[ 2 \left( -\frac{5}{2} \right) + 1 \right] \Rightarrow B = -1$$

$$\text{when } r = -\frac{1}{2}: \quad 4 = A \left[ 2 \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) + 5 \right] \Rightarrow A = 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{4}{4r^2 + 12r + 5} = \frac{1}{2r+1} - \frac{1}{2r+5}$$

$$(ii) \quad \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} \frac{2}{4r^2 + 12r + 5} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} \frac{4}{4r^2 + 12r + 5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{7} \right. \\ + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{9} \\ + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{11} \\ + \frac{1}{9} - \frac{1}{13} \\ + \dots \\ + \frac{1}{2n-5} - \frac{1}{2n-1} \\ + \frac{1}{2n-3} - \frac{1}{2n+1} \\ \left. + \frac{1}{2n-1} - \frac{1}{2n+3} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{2n+1} - \frac{1}{2n+3} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{8}{15} - \frac{4n+4}{4n^2 + 8n + 3} \right) = \frac{4}{15} - \frac{2(n+1)}{4n^2 + 8n + 3}$$

$$(iii) \quad S_{n-1} \geq 0.99S_{\infty}$$

$$\frac{2n+2}{4n^2+8n+3} \leq \left(\frac{1}{100}\right)\left(\frac{4}{15}\right)$$

$$\frac{1500(2n+2) - 4(4n^2+8n+3)}{(1500)(4n^2+8n+3)} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{-4n^2+742n+747}{(1500)(4n^2+8n+3)} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{(-n+186.501)(n+1.001)}{1500(2n+1)(2n+3)} \leq 0$$

$$-n+186.501 \leq 0 \text{ since } (2n+1) > 0, (2n+3) > 0, (n+1.001) > 0$$

$$n \geq 186.501$$

Alternatively

$$\frac{4}{15} - \frac{2n+2}{4n^2+8n+3} \geq 0.99\left(\frac{4}{15}\right)$$

$$\frac{2n+2}{4n^2+8n+3} \leq \left(\frac{1}{100}\right)\left(\frac{4}{15}\right)$$

$$4n^2+8n+3 \geq 750n+750 \text{ (Since } n \text{ is positive integer)}$$

$$4n^2-742n-747 \geq 0$$

$$n \geq 186.5$$

minimum  $n = 187$  (Alternative solution)

**4 (i)**

$$x = 2a \cos^3 \theta \qquad y = a \sin^3 \theta$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2a(2 \cos^2 \theta)(-\sin \theta) \qquad \frac{dy}{dt} = a(3 \sin^2 \theta)(\cos \theta)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{d\theta} \div \frac{dx}{d\theta}$$

$$= \frac{3a \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta}{-6a \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \tan \theta$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$\text{Point P: } \left(2a \cos^3 \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right), a \sin^3 \left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) = \left(\frac{a\sqrt{2}}{2}, \frac{a\sqrt{2}}{4}\right)$$

(ii) The equation of tangent at  $Q$  is

$$y - a \sin^3 t = -\frac{1}{2} \tan t (x - 2a \cos^3 t)$$

$$y = -\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan t\right)x + a \sin t \cos^2 t + a \sin^3 t$$

$$y = -\left(\frac{1}{2} \tan t\right)x + a \sin t$$

$$R(2a \cos t, 0), S(0, a \sin t)$$

$$\text{Midpoint of } RS = \left(a \cos t, \frac{1}{2} a \sin t\right)$$

$$x = a \cos t \Rightarrow \cos t = \frac{x}{a}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} a \sin t \Rightarrow \sin t = \frac{2y}{a}$$

$$\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$$

$$\left(\frac{x}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2y}{a}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 + 4y^2 = a^2$$

$$\text{Since } 0 < t < \frac{\pi}{2}, 0 < x < a \text{ or } 0 < y < \frac{a}{2}$$

$$5 \text{ (i) } S_1 = \frac{1}{2!} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$S_2 = \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{2}{3!} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$S_3 = \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{2}{3!} + \frac{3}{4!} = \frac{23}{24}$$

$$S_4 = \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{2}{3!} + \frac{3}{4!} + \frac{4}{5!} = \frac{119}{120}$$

(ii)

$$S_1 = \frac{1}{2} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$S_2 = \frac{5}{6} = 1 - \frac{1}{6}$$

$$S_3 = \frac{23}{24} = 1 - \frac{1}{24}$$

$$S_4 = \frac{119}{120} = 1 - \frac{1}{120}$$

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

(iii)

Let  $P_n$  be the statement  $S_n = 1 - \frac{1}{(n+1)!}$  for  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

when  $n = 1$

$$\text{LHS} = S_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{RHS} = 1 - \frac{1}{(1+1)!} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$\therefore P_1$  is true

Assume  $P_k$  is true for some  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$S_k = 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)!}$$

We want to prove that  $P_{k+1}$  is also true

$$S_{k+1} = 1 - \frac{1}{(k+2)!}$$

$$\text{LHS} = S_{k+1}$$

$$= S_k + \frac{k+1}{(k+2)!}$$

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

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

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

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$\therefore P_{k+1}$  is true

Since  $P_1$  is true and  $P_k$  is true  $\Rightarrow P_{k+1}$  is true ,

by mathematical induction  $P_n$  is true for all  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad \frac{OA}{OC} &= \frac{2}{5} \\
 \frac{OC}{OA} &= \frac{5}{2} \\
 \overrightarrow{OC} &= \frac{5}{2} \overrightarrow{OA} = \frac{5}{2} \mathbf{a}
 \end{aligned}$$

By ratio theorem,

$$\overrightarrow{OD} = \frac{\mathbf{a} + 4\mathbf{b}}{5}$$

$$\overrightarrow{OD} = \frac{1}{5} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \overrightarrow{CD} = \frac{1}{5} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b} - \frac{5}{2} \mathbf{a} = -\frac{23}{10} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b}$$

$$l_{CD} : \mathbf{r} = \frac{5}{2} \mathbf{a} + \lambda \left( -\frac{23}{10} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b} \right) \quad \lambda \in \mathbf{R}$$

(iii) Since E is a point on CD produced,

$$\overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{5}{2} \mathbf{a} + \lambda \left( -\frac{23}{10} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b} \right) \quad \lambda \in \mathbf{R}$$

Since E is a point on OB,

$$\overrightarrow{OE} = \alpha \mathbf{b} \quad \alpha \in \mathbf{R}$$

$$\frac{5}{2} \mathbf{a} + \lambda \left( -\frac{23}{10} \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \mathbf{b} \right) = \alpha \mathbf{b}$$

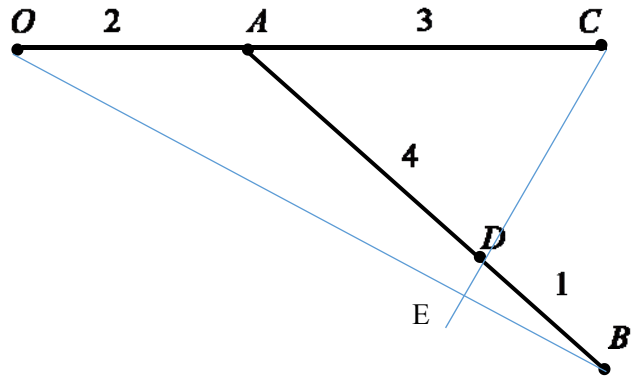
$$\left( \frac{5}{2} - \frac{23}{10} \lambda \right) \mathbf{a} + \frac{4}{5} \lambda \mathbf{b} = \alpha \mathbf{b}$$

$$\frac{5}{2} - \frac{23}{10} \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{25}{23}$$

$$\frac{4}{5} \lambda = \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{20}{23}$$

$$\therefore \overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{20}{23} \mathbf{b}$$

$$OE : EB = 20 : 3$$



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$$\frac{dT}{dt} = -k(T - T_0), \quad k > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{T - T_0} dT = \int -k dt$$

$$\ln(T - T_0) = -kt + C, \quad \text{where } C \text{ is an arbitrary constant}$$

$$T - T_0 = e^{-kt+C}$$

$$T - T_0 = e^{-kt} e^C$$

$$T - T_0 = Ae^{-kt}, \quad \text{where } A = e^C$$

$$\therefore T = T_0 + Ae^{-kt} \quad (\text{shown})$$

$$T_0 = 30^\circ\text{C}$$

$$\text{At } t = 0: \quad 100 = 30 + Ae^{-k(0)}$$

$$A = 70$$

$$\text{At } t = 15: \quad 70 = 30 + 70e^{-15k}$$

$$40 = 70e^{-15k}$$

$$e^{-15k} = \frac{4}{7}$$

$$k = -\frac{1}{15} \ln \frac{4}{7} \approx 0.0373077$$

To find time taken for pot of dessert to cool to at most  $35^\circ\text{C}$ :

$$30 + 70e^{-kt} \leq 35$$

$$70e^{-kt} \leq 5$$

$$e^{-kt} \leq \frac{5}{70}$$

$$-kt \leq \ln \frac{5}{70}$$

$$t \geq \frac{\ln(5/70)}{-\frac{1}{15} \ln(4/7)}$$

$$t \geq 70.74$$

$$t = 71 \text{ minutes}$$

It takes at least 71 minutes for the pot of dessert to cool to  $35^\circ\text{C}$  and 30 minutes to cook.  
Hence Nurul must start preparing the pot of dessert at 7.19pm the latest.

Note that no modulus required  
since  $T > T_0$

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- (i) Let  $L$  be the distance covered by the lion.  
 $a = 2.5$  and  $d = -0.05$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d] \\ &= \frac{n}{2} [2(2.5) + (n-1)(-0.05)] \\ &= -\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n \end{aligned}$$

- (ii) Let  $P$  be the distance covered by the prey.  
 $a = 1.5$  and  $r = 0.95$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= \frac{1.5(1 - 0.95^n)}{1 - 0.95} \\ &= 30(1 - 0.95^n) \end{aligned}$$

When  $n \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $P \rightarrow 30$

So the distance covered by the prey can never exceed 30m

- (iii) In order for the lion to catch its prey,

$$L \geq P + 25$$

$$-\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n \geq 30(1 - 0.95^n) + 25$$

$$-\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n + 30(0.95^n) \geq 55$$

$$n = 24, -\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n + 30(0.95^n) = 54.96 < 55$$

$$n = 25, -\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n + 30(0.95^n) = 55.822 > 55$$

$$n = 26, -\frac{1}{40}n^2 + \frac{101}{40}n + 30(0.95^n) = 56.556 > 55$$

least  $n = 25$

Hence, the lion will need at least 25 leaps to catch its prey.

- (iv) Let the initial distance be  $k$

In order for the prey to escape the hunt,

$$P + k \geq L$$

$$30(1 - 0.95^{30}) + k \geq -\frac{1}{40}(30^2) + \frac{101}{40}(30)$$

$$23.561 + k \geq 53.25$$

$$k \geq 29.689$$

$\therefore$  the shortest distance is 30 m.

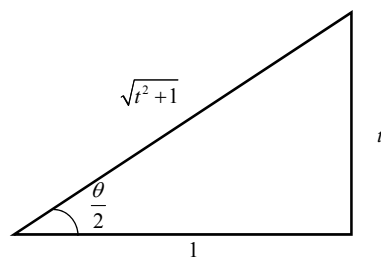


(a)(i)  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 - \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{2t}{1-t^2}$$

by triangle rule:

$$\sin \theta = \frac{2t}{1+t^2} \quad (\text{shown})$$



$$\text{Alternatively RHS} = \frac{2t}{1+t^2} = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{1 + \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \times \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \sin \theta = \text{LHS}$$

Alternatively

$$\text{Use double angle formula: } \sin \theta = 2 \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 2 \frac{\sin \frac{\theta}{2}}{\cos \frac{\theta}{2}} \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{2 \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}{\sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}} = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$$

(ii)

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\tan \frac{\theta}{2} + 1}{\sin \theta + 1} d\theta \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{t+1}{\frac{2t}{1+t^2} + 1} \left( \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt \right) \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{t+1}{2t+1+t^2} \left( \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt \right) \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{2(t+1)}{2t+1+t^2} dt \\ &= \int_0^1 \frac{2t+2}{t^2+2t+1} dt = \int_0^1 \frac{2}{t+1} dt \\ &= 2 [\ln(t+1)]_0^1 \\ &= 2 \ln 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\text{when } \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}: t = \tan \frac{\pi/2}{2} = 1$$

$$\text{when } \theta = 0: t = \tan \frac{0}{2} = 0$$

$$\tan^{-1} t = \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{1+t^2} \frac{dt}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{dt}{d\theta} = \frac{1+t^2}{2}$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{2}{1+t^2}$$

(b)

$$\int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{2v} \sin 3v - \int \frac{2}{3} e^{2v} \sin 3v dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{2v} \sin 3v - \frac{2}{3} \left[ -\frac{1}{3} e^{2v} \cos(3v) + \int \frac{2}{3} e^{2v} \cos(3v) dv \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^{2v} \sin 3v + \frac{2}{9} e^{2v} \cos(3v) - \int \frac{4}{9} e^{2v} \cos(3v) dv$$

$$\frac{13}{9} \int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv = \frac{1}{3} e^{2v} \sin 3v + \frac{2}{9} e^{2v} \cos(3v)$$

$$\int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv = \frac{3}{13} e^{2v} \sin 3v + \frac{2}{13} e^{2v} \cos(3v) + c$$

Alternatively

$$\int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{2v} \cos 3v + \int \frac{3}{2} e^{2v} \sin 3v dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{2v} \cos 3v + \frac{3}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} e^{2v} \sin(3v) - \int \frac{3}{2} e^{2v} \cos(3v) dv \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{2v} \cos 3v + \frac{3}{4} e^{2v} \sin(3v) - \frac{9}{4} \int e^{2v} \cos(3v) dv$$

$$\frac{13}{4} \int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv = \frac{1}{2} e^{2v} \cos 3v + \frac{3}{4} e^{2v} \sin(3v)$$

$$\int e^{2v} \cos 3v dv = \frac{3}{13} e^{2v} \sin 3v + \frac{2}{13} e^{2v} \cos(3v) + c$$

$$u = e^{2v} \quad \frac{dy}{dv} = \cos(3v)$$

$$\frac{du}{dv} = 2e^{2v} \quad y = \frac{1}{3} \sin(3v)$$

$$u = e^{2v} \quad \frac{dy}{dv} = \sin(3v)$$

$$\frac{du}{dv} = 2e^{2v} \quad y = -\frac{1}{3} \cos(3v)$$

$$u = \cos(3v) \quad \frac{dy}{dv} = e^{2v}$$

$$\frac{du}{dv} = -3 \sin(3v) \quad y = \frac{1}{2} e^{2v}$$

$$u = \sin(3v) \quad \frac{dy}{dv} = e^{2v}$$

$$\frac{du}{dv} = 3 \cos(3v) \quad y = \frac{1}{2} e^{2v}$$

$$(i) \quad \ell_1: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \lambda \in \mathbf{R}$$

Since  $(1, 0, 1)$  is on  $\ell_1$  and  $p_1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = a$$

$$1 + 0 + 1 = a$$

$$a = 2 \text{ (shown)}$$

(ii) Let  $N$  be the foot of perpendicular from  $A$  to  $p_1$

$$\ell_{AN}: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 18 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha \in \mathbf{R}$$

$$\text{let } \overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} 18 + \alpha \\ 2 + 3\alpha \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some value of } \alpha$$

Since  $N$  is a point on  $p_1$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 18 + \alpha \\ 2 + 3\alpha \\ \alpha \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2$$

$$18 + \alpha + 6 + 9\alpha + \alpha = 2$$

$$24 + 11\alpha = 2$$

$$11\alpha = -22$$

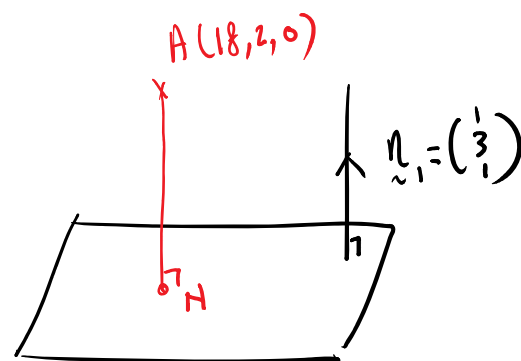
$$\alpha = -2$$

$$\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} 18 - 2 \\ 2 - 6 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \therefore N(16, -4, -2)$$

(iii) Since  $B$  is on  $\ell_1$

$$\overrightarrow{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2\lambda \\ \lambda \\ 1 - 5\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2\lambda \\ \lambda \\ 1 - 5\lambda \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 18 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -17 + 2\lambda \\ -2 + \lambda \\ 1 - 5\lambda \end{pmatrix}$$



$$|\overline{AB}| = \sqrt{(-17+2\lambda)^2 + (-2+\lambda)^2 + (1-5\lambda)^2}$$

$$|\overline{AB}| = \sqrt{(289-68\lambda+4\lambda^2) + (4-4\lambda+\lambda^2) + (1-10\lambda+25\lambda^2)}$$

$$|\overline{AB}| = \sqrt{294-72\lambda+30\lambda^2}$$

$$|\overline{AB}|^2 = 294-72\lambda+30\lambda^2$$

For shortest distance from A to  $\ell_1$

$$|\overline{AB}|^2 \text{ must be minimum}$$

$$\therefore |\overline{AB}|^2 = 30\lambda^2 - 72\lambda + 294$$

$$2|\overline{AB}| \frac{d|\overline{AB}|^2}{d\lambda} = 60\lambda - 72$$

$$\frac{d|\overline{AB}|^2}{d\lambda} = 0$$

$$60\lambda - 72 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\overline{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+2\lambda \\ \lambda \\ 1+5\lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 17/5 \\ 6/5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \text{ or } \frac{1}{5} \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 6 \\ 35 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{(iv) direction vector of } \ell_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ b \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -b \\ -(1-2) \\ b \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -b \\ 1 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

To find a common point between  $p_2$  and  $p_3$  by letting  $y = 0$ :

$$x + z = 1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$2x + z = 4 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solve (1) and (2):

$$x = 3, \quad z = -2$$

$$\text{Hence } \ell_2: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -b \\ 1 \\ b \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mu \in \mathbf{R} \quad (\text{shown})$$

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(i)  $w = re^{i\theta}$

$$w^* = re^{-i\theta}$$

$$\frac{w^2}{w^*} = \frac{(re^{i\theta})^2}{re^{-i\theta}}$$

$$= \frac{r^2 e^{i2\theta}}{re^{-i\theta}}$$

$$= re^{i3\theta} = -3 = 3e^{i\pi}$$

$$3\theta = \pi \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{3} (0 < \theta \leq \frac{1}{2}\pi)$$

$$r = 3$$

$$w = 3e^{i\frac{\pi}{3}}, w^n = 3^n e^{i\frac{n\pi}{3}}$$

$$w^n \text{ is real } \Rightarrow \frac{n\pi}{3} = 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots, \text{ so } n = 3, 6, 9, \dots$$

(b) (i)  $z^5 = 1 + i$

$$= \sqrt{2} e^{i\left(\frac{2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}}{5}\right)}$$

$$z = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\left(\frac{2k\pi + \frac{\pi}{4}}{5}\right)}, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$$

$$z = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{\pi}{20}}, 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{9\pi}{20}}, 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{7\pi}{20}}, 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{17\pi}{20}}, 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{3\pi}{4}}$$

$$\text{So } |z| = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} \text{ for all } z$$

$$\arg(z) = \frac{\pi}{20}, \frac{9\pi}{20}, -\frac{7\pi}{20}, \frac{17\pi}{20}, -\frac{3\pi}{4}$$

(ii)  $z_1 = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{i\frac{17\pi}{20}}$

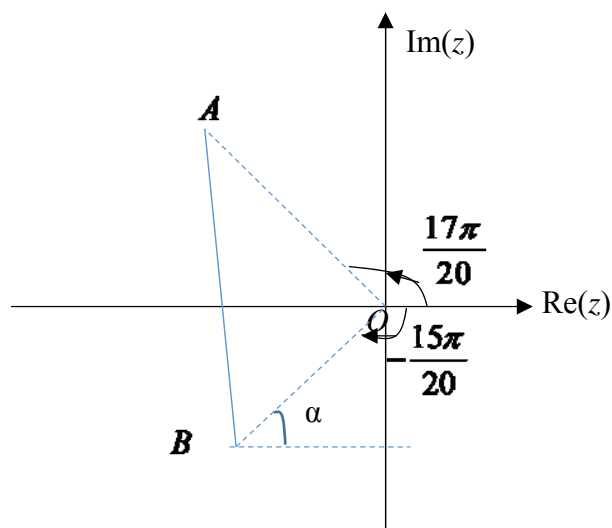
$$z_2 = 2^{\frac{1}{10}} e^{-i\frac{15\pi}{20}}$$

Let Point A and B represent  $z_1$  and  $z_2$  respectively.

$$|z_1| = |z_2| \Rightarrow OAB \text{ is an isosceles triangle.}$$

$$\angle AOB = \frac{2\pi}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \angle OAB = \angle OBA &= \frac{1}{2}[\pi - \angle AOB] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\left[\pi - \frac{2\pi}{5}\right] = \frac{3\pi}{10} \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \arg(z_1 - z_2) &= \alpha + \sphericalangle OBA \\
 &= \left( \pi - \frac{15\pi}{20} \right) + \frac{3\pi}{10} \\
 &= \frac{11\pi}{20}
 \end{aligned}$$

