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(i)

$$w^5 = 243$$

$$= 243e^{i0}$$

$$= 243e^{i(0+2k\pi)}$$

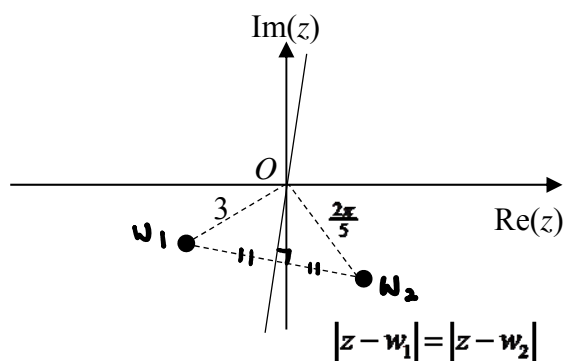
$$= 243e^{i(2k\pi)}$$

$$w = 3e^{i\left(\frac{2k\pi}{5}\right)}, \text{ where } k = -2, -1, 0, 1, 2$$

$$= 3e^{-i\frac{4\pi}{5}}, 3e^{-i\frac{2\pi}{5}}, 3, 3e^{i\frac{2\pi}{5}}, 3e^{i\frac{4\pi}{5}}$$

(ii)

$$w_1 = 3e^{-i\frac{4\pi}{5}} \text{ and } w_2 = 3e^{-i\frac{2\pi}{5}}$$



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(i)

$$f: x \mapsto 3 + \frac{1}{x-2}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x > 2$$

Let  $y = f(x)$ .

$$y = 3 + \frac{1}{x-2}$$

$$x - 2 = \frac{1}{y - 3}$$

$$x = 2 + \frac{1}{y - 3}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = 2 + \frac{1}{x - 3}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x > 3$$

(ii)

$$D_f = (2, \infty)$$

$$R_f = (3, \infty)$$

Since  $R_f \subseteq D_f$ , the composite function  $f^2$  exists.

(iii)

$$f^2(x) = x$$

$$f\left(3 + \frac{1}{x-2}\right) = x$$

$$3 + \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{x-2} - 2} = x$$

$$3 + \frac{1}{\left(\frac{x-1}{x-2}\right)} = x$$

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

$$4x - 5 = x(x-1)$$

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

Using GC,  $x = 1.38$  (rej  $\because 1.38 \notin D_f$ ) or  $x = 3.62$

$$ff(x) = x$$

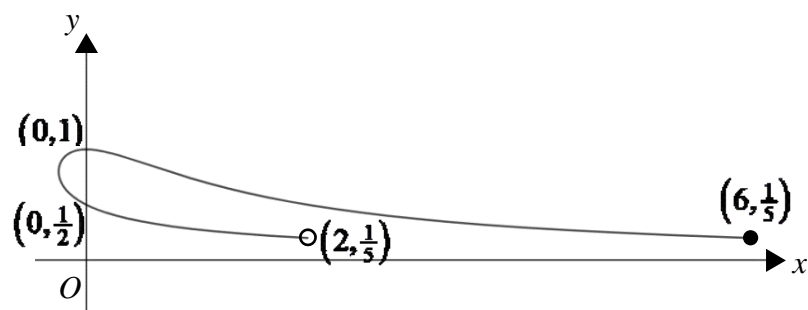
$$f^{-1}ff(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

$$f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$$

Therefore  $x = 3.62$  satisfies  $f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ .

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(i)



$$\begin{aligned} \text{When } x = 0, t(t-1) = 0 &\Rightarrow t = 0 \text{ or } t = 1 \\ &\Rightarrow y = 1 \text{ or } y = \frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Coordinates are  $(0, 1)$  and  $\left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$ .

(ii)

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t - 1, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{-2t}{(t^2 + 1)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{-2t}{(t^2 + 1)^2} \times \frac{1}{2t - 1} \\ &= \frac{-2t}{(t^2 + 1)^2 (2t - 1)}\end{aligned}$$

When tangent is parallel to y-axis,

$$(t^2 + 1)^2 (2t - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow t = \frac{1}{2} \quad \left( \because (t^2 + 1)^2 > 0 \right)$$

Equation of tangent:  $x = -\frac{1}{4}$

(iii)

Area of the required region

$$= \int_{-1/4}^0 y \, dx$$

$$= \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{1}{t^2 + 1} (2t - 1) \, dt$$

$$= \int_{1/2}^1 \frac{2t}{t^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{t^2 + 1} \, dt$$

$$= \left[ \ln(t^2 + 1) - \tan^{-1} t \right]_{1/2}^1$$

$$= \left[ \left( \ln 2 - \frac{\pi}{4} \right) - \left( \ln \frac{5}{4} - \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \right) \right]$$

$$= \ln \frac{8}{5} - \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{When } x = -\frac{1}{4}, \quad t = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{When } x = 0, \quad t = 1$$

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(a)(i)

Area of **unsown** ploughed land

$$= 0.4 [0.4(300) + 100]$$

$$= 88 \, \text{m}^2$$

(a)(ii)

$n$	Beginning of week	End of week
1	300	$0.4(300)$
2	$0.4(300)+100$	$0.4[0.4(300)+100]$ $= 0.4^2(300)+0.4(100)$
3	$0.4^2(300)+0.4(100)+100$	$0.4[0.4^2(300)+0.4(100)+100]$ $= 0.4^3(300)+0.4^2(100)+0.4(100)$
..	...	...
$n$	...	$0.4^n(300)+0.4^{n-1}(100)+\dots$ $+0.4^2(100)+0.4^1(100)$

Area of land **unsown** ploughed land at the end of  $n$ th week

$$= 0.4^n(300) + 100 \left[ \frac{0.4(1-0.4^{n-1})}{1-0.4} \right]$$
$$= \left[ 0.4^n(300) + \frac{200}{3}(1-0.4^{n-1}) \right] \text{ m}^2$$

$\therefore$  the value of  $k$  is  $\frac{200}{3}$ .

(a)(iii)

**Method 1**

$$0.4^n(300) + \frac{200}{3}(1-0.4^{n-1}) < 70$$

$$0.4^n(300) + \frac{200}{3} - \frac{200}{3}(0.4)^{-1}0.4^n < 70$$

$$\frac{400}{3}(0.4^n) < \frac{10}{3}$$

$$0.4^n < \frac{1}{40}$$

$$n > \frac{\ln\left(\frac{1}{40}\right)}{\ln 0.4}$$

$$n > 4.02588$$

Hence the number of complete weeks required is 5.

**Method 2**

$$0.4^n(300) + \frac{200}{3}(1-0.4^{n-1}) < 70$$

Using GC,  
 when  $n = 4$ , unsown ploughed land = 70.08 ( $> 70$ )  
 when  $n = 5$ , unsown ploughed land = 68.032 ( $< 70$ )  
 when  $n = 6$ , unsown ploughed land = 67.213 ( $< 70$ )

Hence the number of complete weeks required is 5.

(b)(i)

$n$	Beginning of week	End of week
1	300	$300 - 80$
2	$300 + (100) - 80$	$300 + (100) - 80 - 100$
3	$300 + 2(100) - 80 - 100$	$300 + 2(100) - 80 - 100 - 120$
..	...	...
$n$	...	$300 + (n-1)(100) - 80 - 100$ $- \dots - [80 + 20(n-1)]$

Area of **unsown** ploughed land at the end of  $n$ th week

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 300 + 100(n-1) - \frac{n}{2}[2(80) + 20(n-1)] \\
 &= 300 + 100n - 100 - \frac{n}{2}(140 + 20n) \\
 &= 300 + 100n - 100 - 70n - 10n^2 \\
 &= -10n^2 + 30n + 200
 \end{aligned}$$

(b)(ii)

For the farmer to finish sowing all the ploughed farmland,

$$-10n^2 + 30n + 200 \leq 0$$

**Method 1:**

Solving the inequality,

$$n \geq 6.21699 \text{ or } n \leq -3.21699 \text{ (rejected)}$$

Hence the number of complete weeks is 7.

**Method 2:**

Using GC to set up a table,

When  $n = 6$ , area unsown = 20

When  $n = 7$ , area unsown = -80

When  $n = 8$ , area unsown = -200

Hence the number of complete weeks is 7.

In week 6, the area of **unsown** ploughed land

$$= -10(6)^2 + 30(6) + 200 = 20 \text{ m}^2$$

$\therefore$  area of ploughed land to be **sown** in week 7 (the final week)

$$= 20 + 100 = 120 \text{ m}^2$$

5	<p>(i) Number of arrangements = <math>6! \times 2^6 = 46080</math></p> <p>(ii) Required probability  <math display="block">= \frac{{}^6C_5 \times (5-1)! \times 2}{{}^{12}C_{10} \times (10-1)!}</math> <math display="block">= \frac{288}{23950080}</math> <math display="block">= 0.0000120 \text{ (3 sig fig)}</math></p>
6	<p>(i) P(Clark wins in 3<sup>rd</sup> draw)  <math display="block">= \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{2}{9}</math> <math display="block">= 0.081322</math> <math display="block">= 0.0813</math></p> <p>(ii) P(Kara wins)  <math display="block">= \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{2}{9} + \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)^3 \times \frac{2}{9} + \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)^5 \times \frac{2}{9} + \dots</math> <math display="block">= \frac{2}{9} \left[ \frac{7}{9} + \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)^5 + \dots \right]</math> <math display="block">= \frac{2}{9} \left( \frac{\frac{7}{9}}{1 - \left(\frac{7}{9}\right)^2} \right)</math> <math display="block">= 0.4375 \text{ or } \frac{7}{16}</math></p>
7	<p>(i) Let <math>Y</math> be the number of calls received by the office in a <math>t</math>-minute period.  <math>Y \sim \text{Po}(0.4t)</math>  Given: <math>P(Y = 0) = 0.1</math>  Using GC, <math>t = 6</math> (nearest minute)</p> <p>(ii) Let <math>T</math> be the number of calls received by the office in a 2-hour period.  <math>T \sim \text{Po}(48)</math>  Since <math>E(T) = 48 &gt; 10</math>, therefore <math>T \sim N(48, 48)</math> approximately.  <math>P(T \leq 50) = P(T \leq 50.5)</math> (with continuity corrections)  <math display="block">= 0.641 \text{ (3 sig fig)}</math></p>

	<p>(iii)</p> <p>The average number of calls may not increase at a constant rate over longer periods of time interval.</p> <p>The calls that arrived may not be independent of one another, because the calls might be made by the people who witness the same accident at a particular location.</p>
8	<p>(i)</p> <p>Whether a randomly chosen patient turns up for an appointment is independent of any other patient.</p> <p>(ii)</p> <p>Let <math>X</math> be the number of patients who turn up for their appointments, out of 20 appointments.</p> $X \sim B(20, 0.845)$ $P(X > 15)$ $= 1 - P(X \leq 15)$ $= 0.812 \text{ (3 sig fig)}$ <p>(iii)</p> <p>Required probability</p> $= P(X \leq 17 \mid X \geq 12)$ $= \frac{P(12 \leq X \leq 17)}{P(X \geq 12)}$ $= \frac{P(X \leq 17) - P(X \leq 11)}{1 - P(X \leq 11)}$ $= 0.618 \text{ (3 sig fig)}$ <p>(iv)</p> <p>Let <math>A</math> be the number of appointments for which the patients fail to turn up, out of 300 appointments.</p> $A \sim B(300, 0.155)$ <p>Since <math>n = 300</math> is large, <math>np = 46.5 &gt; 5</math> and <math>nq = 253.5 &gt; 5</math>, therefore <math>A \sim N(46.5, 39.2925)</math> approximately.</p> $P(40 \leq A \leq 50)$ $= P(39.5 \leq A \leq 50.5) \text{ (by continuity corrections)}$ $= 0.606 \text{ (3 sig fig)}$
9	<p>(i)(a)</p> <p>Given: <math>L \sim N(35.2, 5.2^2)</math> <math>P \sim N(24.6, 3.8^2)</math> <math>C \sim N(29.3, 4.3^2)</math></p> <p>Let <math>T = 3L + 2P</math>.</p> $E(T) = 3 \times 35.2 + 2 \times 24.6 = 154.8$ $\text{Var}(T) = 3^2 \times 5.2^2 + 2^2 \times 3.8^2 = 301.12$ $\therefore T \sim N(154.8, 301.12)$

Let  $a$  be the required score exceed by 1% of the candidates.

$$P(T > a) = 0.01$$

$$\Rightarrow P(T \leq a) = 0.99$$

Using GC,  $a = 195.2$  (1 dec pl)

(i)(b)

Required probability

$$= [P(T > 150)]^3 [P(T < 140)]^2 \times \left( \frac{5!}{2!3!} \right)$$

$$= 0.0875 \quad (3 \text{ sig fig})$$

(ii)

$$\text{Consider } A = 3L + 2P - 5C$$

$$E(A) = 154.8 - 5(29.3) = 8.3$$

$$\text{Var}(A) = 301.12 + 5^2(4.3^2) = 763.37$$

$$\therefore A \sim N(8.3, 763.37)$$

Required probability

$$= P(|A| < 25)$$

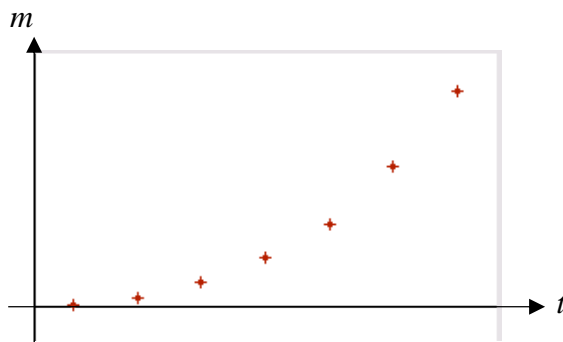
$$= P(-25 < A < 25)$$

$$= 0.613 \quad (3 \text{ sig fig})$$

$$\text{Required percentage} = 61.3\%$$

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(i)



(ii)

The product moment correlation coefficient between  $t$  and  $m$  is  $r = 0.94597$  (5 d.p.).

A value of 0.94597 for  $r$  suggests that there is a strong positive linear correlation between  $t$  and  $m$ . However, the points on the scatter diagram **show a curvilinear relationship**. Therefore this value of  $r$  does not necessarily mean that the linear model is best model for the relationship between  $t$  and  $m$ .



	<p>(iii)</p> $m = at^b$ $\ln m = \ln(at^b)$ $\ln m = b \ln t + \ln a$ <p>The product moment correlation coefficient between <math>\ln t</math> and <math>\ln m</math> is <math>r = 0.98967 = 0.990</math> (3 sig fig)</p> <p><b>Reason 1:</b> From the scatter diagram, as <math>t</math> increases, the <b>weight of the foetus increases at an increasing rate</b>.</p> <p><b>Reason 2:</b> The value of <math>r</math> between <math>\ln t</math> and <math>\ln m</math> is 0.98967, which is closer to 1 as compared to that between <math>t</math> and <math>m</math>, hence indicating a <b>stronger positive linear correlation</b> between <math>\ln t</math> and <math>\ln m</math>.</p> <p>Hence <math>m = at^b</math> is a better model.</p> <p>(iv)</p> <p>From GC,</p> $\ln m = -8.3764 + 4.5938 \ln t \quad (5 \text{ sig fig})$ $\ln a = -8.3764 \quad \text{and} \quad b = 4.59$ $a = 2.30 \times 10^{-4}$ <p>(v)</p> <p>When <math>t = 26</math>, <math>\ln m = -8.3764 + 4.5938 \ln 26</math></p> $m = 728 \text{ (nearest grams)}$ <p>Since the value of 26 is within the range of values of <math>t</math> and the value of <math>r</math> is close to 1, this estimate is reliable.</p>
11	<p>(i)</p> <p>Let <math>X</math> be the random variable denoting the mass of strawberry jam, in grams, in a randomly chosen jar.</p> <p>Unbiased estimate of population mean</p> $\bar{x} = \frac{-66}{30} + 200 = 197.8$ <p>Unbiased estimate of population variance</p> $s^2 = \frac{1}{29} \left[ 958 - \frac{(-66)^2}{30} \right] = 28.02759$ <p><math>H_0 : \mu = 200</math></p> <p><math>H_1 : \mu &lt; 200</math></p> <p>Test at 2% significance level</p> <p>Assume <math>H_0</math> is true. <math>\bar{X} \sim N\left(200, \frac{28.02759}{30}\right)</math></p>

Test statistic:  $Z = \frac{\bar{X} - 200}{\sqrt{28.02759/30}} \sim N(0,1)$

Using GC, p-value = 0.011420121 < 0.02

Reject  $H_0$  and conclude that there is sufficient evidence at 2% level of significance that the mean mass of strawberry jam in each jar is overstated. Therefore the retailer's suspicion is justifiable.

(ii)

At 2% significance level means that there is a probability of 0.02 that **the test will indicate** that the mean mass of the strawberry jam in the jar is less than 200 g when in fact it is 200 g.

(iii)

$$H_0 : \mu = 200$$

$$H_1 : \mu \neq 200$$

For a two tailed test, the p-value will be twice of 0.0114 which is 0.0228. This value is now more than the 0.02 where we do not reject  $H_0$  at 2% significance level. As such this will result in a different conclusion.

(iv)

$$H_0 : \mu = 200$$

$$H_1 : \mu \neq 200$$

Test at 2% significance level

Assume  $H_0$  is true.  $\bar{X} \sim N\left(200, \frac{3.5^2}{20}\right)$ .

Test statistic:  $Z = \frac{\bar{X} - 200}{\sqrt{3.5^2/20}} \sim N(0,1)$

For the retailer's suspicion that the mean mass differs from 200 g to be not justified, **do not reject  $H_0$** .

$\Rightarrow$  z-value falls outside the critical region

$$-2.32635 < z\text{-value} < 2.32635$$

$$-2.32635 < \frac{k - 200}{3.5/\sqrt{20}} < 2.32635$$

$$-1.82066 < k - 200 < 1.82066$$

$$198.17934 < k < 201.82066$$

$$\Rightarrow 198.2 < k < 201.8 \text{ (to 1 d.p)}$$