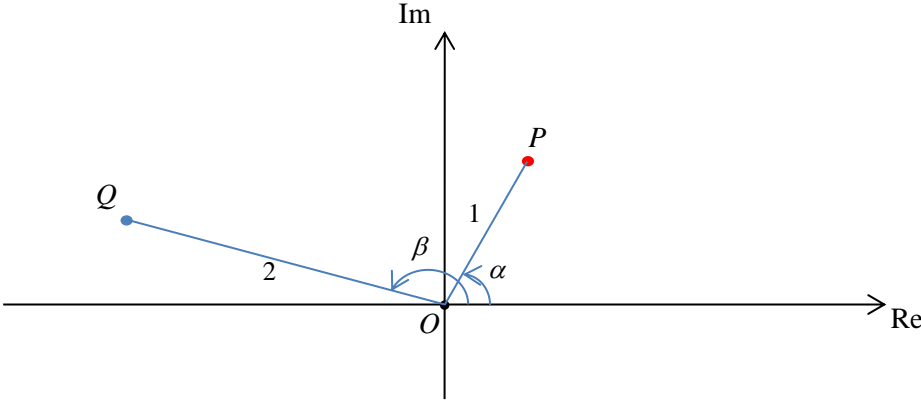


H2 Mathematics 2017 Prelim Exam Paper 1 Question

Answer all questions [100 marks].

1	<p>The complex numbers z and w satisfy the simultaneous equations $iz + w = 2 + i$ and $2w - (1 + i)z = 8 + 4i$.</p> <p>Find z and w in the form of $a + ib$, where a and b are real.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[5]</p>
2	<p>Solve the inequality $\frac{2x^2 + 2x - 1}{x^2 + 2x} \leq 1$.</p> <p>Hence, solve the inequality $\frac{2x^2 + 2 x - 1}{x^2 + 2 x } \leq 1$.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">[6]</p>
3	<p>For $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $2\alpha < \beta$, the complex numbers $z_1 = e^{i\alpha}$ and $z_2 = 2e^{i\beta}$ are represented by the points P and Q respectively in the Argand diagram below.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>Find the modulus and argument of the complex numbers given by $\frac{i}{2}z_2$ and $\frac{z_1^2}{z_2}$. [4]</p> <p>Copy the given Argand diagram onto your answer script and indicate clearly the following points representing the corresponding complex numbers on your diagram.</p> <p>(i) A: $\frac{i}{2}z_2$ [1]</p> <p>(ii) B: $\frac{z_1^2}{z_2}$ [1]</p> <p>You are expected to indicate clearly the relevant moduli and arguments for parts (i) and (ii) on your Argand diagram.</p> <p>If $\beta = \frac{11}{12}\pi$, find the smallest positive integer n such that the point representing the complex number $(z_2)^n$ lies on the negative real axis. [3]</p>

4	<p>The curve C has equation $4y^2 - 8y - x^2 - 4x - 4 = 0$.</p> <p>(i) Using an algebraic method, find the set of values that y cannot take. [3]</p> <p>(ii) Showing any necessary working, sketch C and indicate the equations of the asymptotes. [4]</p>
5	<p>The function f is defined by</p> $f : x \mapsto \frac{\pi}{2} \tan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, -2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi.$ <p>(i) Explain why f^{-1} does not exist. [2]</p> <p>(ii) The domain of f is restricted to $(-\pi, a)$ such that a is the largest value for which the inverse function f^{-1} exists. State the exact value of a and define f^{-1} in a similar form. [3]</p> <p>In the rest of the question, the domain of f is $(-\pi, a)$, where a takes the value found in part (ii).</p> <p>(iii) Sketch, in a single diagram, the graphs of $y = f(x)$ and $y = f^{-1}(x)$, labelling each graph clearly. Write down the equation of the line in which the graph of $y = f(x)$ must be reflected in order to obtain the graph of $y = f^{-1}(x)$ and draw this line on your diagram. [3]</p> <p>(iv) Verify that $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ is a root of the equation $x = f(x)$. Hence, explain why $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$ is also a solution to the equation $f(x) = f^{-1}(x)$. [2]</p>
6	<p>Referred to the origin O, the two points A and B have position vectors given by \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b}, where \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b} are non-zero vectors. The line l has equation $\mathbf{r} = 2\mathbf{a} + \lambda(\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b})$, where $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$. The point E is a general point on l and the point D has position vector $2\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}$.</p> <p>Given that vector \mathbf{a} is a unit vector, vector \mathbf{b} has a magnitude of $\sqrt{2}$ units and that $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 1$,</p> <p>(i) find the angle between vectors \mathbf{a} and \mathbf{b}, and, [2]</p> <p>(ii) by considering $\overrightarrow{DE} \cdot \overrightarrow{DE}$, find an expression for the square of the distance DE, leaving your answer in terms of λ. [3]</p> <p>Hence or otherwise, find the exact shortest distance of D to l, and write down the position vector of the foot of the perpendicular from D to l, in the form $p\mathbf{a} + q\mathbf{b}$. [3]</p>
7	<p>(a) By considering the Maclaurin expansion for $\cos x$, show that the expansion of $\sec x$ up to and including the term in x^4 is given by $1 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{5}{24}x^4$. Hence show that the expansion for $\ln(\sec x)$ up to and including the term in x^4 is given by $\left[\frac{1}{2}x^2 + Ax^4\right]$ where A is an unknown constant to be determined. [4]</p> <p>(b) The variables x and y satisfy the conditions (A) and (B) as follows:</p> $(1 + x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + y \quad \text{---(A)}$ $y = 0 \text{ when } x = 0 \quad \text{---(B)}$

	<p>(i) Obtain the Maclaurin expansion of y, up to and including the term in x^3. [4]</p> <p>(ii) Verify that both conditions (A) and (B) hold for the curve $\ln(1+y) = \tan^{-1} x$. [2]</p> <p>(iii) Hence, without using a graphing calculator, find an approximation for $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} (e^{\tan^{-1} x} - 1) dx$. [2]</p>
8	<p>(a) The fifth, ninth and eleventh terms of a geometric progression are also the seventh, twenty-fifth and forty-ninth terms of an arithmetic progression with a non-zero common difference respectively. Show that $3R^6 - 7R^4 + 4 = 0$, where R is the common ratio of the geometric progression and determine if the geometric progression is convergent. [4]</p> <p>(b) A semicircle with radius 12 cm is cut into 8 sectors whose areas follow a geometric progression. The first sector, which is the largest, has an area of $A \text{ cm}^2$. The second sector has an area of $Ar \text{ cm}^2$, the third sector has an area of $Ar^2 \text{ cm}^2$, and so on, where r is a positive constant. Given also that the total area of the odd-numbered sectors is $10\pi \text{ cm}^2$ more than that of the even-numbered sectors, find the values of A and r. [5]</p> <p>(c) The production levels of a particular coal mine in any year is 4% less than in the previous year. Show that the total production of the coal mine can never exceed 25 times the production in the first year. [2]</p>
9	<p>(a) Using the substitution $u = 2x + 3$, find $\int \frac{x}{(2x+3)^3} dx$ in the form $-\frac{Px+Q}{R(2x+3)^2} + c$ where P, Q and R are positive integers to be determined. [3] Hence find $\int \frac{x \ln(4x+3)}{(2x+3)^3} dx$. [3]</p> <p>(b) Find $\int \sin 4x \cos 6x dx$. [2] Hence or otherwise, find $\int e^x \sin 4e^x \cos 6e^x dx$. [1]</p>
10	<p>A particle is moving along a curve, C, such that its position at time t seconds after it is set into motion is given by the parametric equations $x = t + e^{-2t}, y = t - e^{-2t}.$</p> <p>(i) State the coordinates of the initial position of the particle. [1]</p> <p>(ii) Explain what would happen to the path of the particle after a long time. [1]</p> <p>At the time of 2 seconds after the particle was set into motion, an external force struck the particle resulting in the particle moving in a straight line along the normal to the path at the point of collision.</p> <p>(iii) Find an equation for the normal to the curve C at the point $t = 2$, leaving your answer correct to 3 decimal places. [3]</p>

	<p>After T seconds, where $T > 2$, the particle reaches point A, which lies on the x-axis, and stops moving.</p> <p>(iv) Find the coordinates of the point A. Hence, give a sketch of the path traced by the particle, indicating the coordinates of any axial intercepts. [4]</p> <p>(v) Find the total area bounded by the path of the particle in the first T seconds and the positive x-axis. [4]</p>
11	<div data-bbox="593 510 1082 981" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>A heavy wooden chest has a cross-sectional area made up of a rectangle and a semi-circle as shown in the diagram above. The wooden chest is constructed such that the perimeter of the cross-sectional area is 100 cm. It is given that the wooden chest is $2(a + b)$ cm long and the lengths of AB and BC are $2a$ cm and $2b$ cm respectively, where $a < 70$.</p> <p>(i) Express b in terms of a. [1]</p> <p>(ii) Show that the cross-sectional area of the wooden chest is given by $S = 100a - \frac{a^2}{2}(\pi + 4)$ and find the volume of the chest in terms of a and π. [4]</p> <p>(iii) As a varies, find the value of a such that the volume of this wooden chest is greatest and find this volume correct to 2 decimal places. [5]</p>