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Question 1

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad f(x) &= x^3 \tan 2x \Rightarrow f'(x) = 3x^2 \tan 2x + x^3 \cdot 2 \sec^2 2x \\ &= 3x^2 \tan 2x + 2x^3 \sec^2 2x \\ &= x^2(3 \tan 2x + 2x \sec^2 2x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad y &= \frac{1+x^2}{1+x} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x \cdot (1+x) - (1+x^2) \cdot 1}{(1+x)^2} \\ &= \frac{2x + 2x^2 - 1 - x^2}{(1+x)^2} \\ &= \frac{x^2 + 2x - 1}{(1+x)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Question 2

$$2x^2 - 2x^2 - 4x + x^2 = 0.$$

$$\therefore x^2 - 4x = 0$$

$$x(x-4) = 0$$

$$x=0 \text{ or } x=4$$

Question 3

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \dots$$

$$\therefore e^{x^2} = 1 + x^2 + \frac{(x^2)^2}{2} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots$$

$$\text{So } e^{x^2+x} = e^{x^2} \cdot e^x$$

$$= \left(1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots\right) \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + \dots\right)$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + x^2 + x^3 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{3x^2}{2} + \frac{7x^3}{6} + \frac{25x^4}{24} + \dots$$

Question 4

$$S_n = 8n - n^2$$

$$\therefore u_1 = S_1 = 8 - 1 = 7$$

$$u_2 = S_2 - S_1 = S_2 - u_1 = 16 - 4 - 7 = 5$$

$$u_3 = S_3 - S_2 = 24 - 9 - 12 = 3.$$

$$u_2 - u_1 = u_3 - u_2 = 2 \Rightarrow \text{Arithmetic Sequence}$$

Method 1 From standard grade 7 5 3

$$\therefore u_n = -2n + 9 \text{ or } 9 - 2n$$

Method 2 $u_n = a + (n-1)d$ where $a = 7$ $d = -2$

$$= 7 + (n-1) \times -2$$

$$= 7 - 2n + 2$$

$$= 9 - 2n.$$

Method 3 From lead-in $S_n - S_{n-1} = u_n$

$$\therefore u_n = 8n - n^2 - [8(n-1) - (n-1)^2]$$

$$= 8n - n^2 - (8n - 8 - n^2 + 2n - 1)$$

$$= \cancel{8n} - \cancel{n^2} - 8n + 8 + \cancel{n^2} - 2n + 1$$

$$= 9 - 2n.$$

Question 5

$$\int_0^3 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x}} dx$$

$$\text{Let } u = 1+x \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = 1 \Rightarrow du = dx$$

$$x = u - 1$$

$$= \int_1^4 \frac{u-1}{\sqrt{u}} du$$

$$\text{When } x=0 \quad u = 1+0 = 1$$

$$x=3 \quad u = 1+3 = 4$$

$$= \int_1^4 u^{1/2} - u^{-1/2} du = \left[\frac{2}{3} u^{3/2} - 2u^{1/2} \right]_1^4$$

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

$$= \left(\frac{2}{3} \times 8 - 4 \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3} - 2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{16}{3} - \frac{2}{3} - 4 + 2$$

$$= \frac{14}{3} - 2$$

$$= \frac{8}{3}$$

Question 6

Using Gaussian elimination...

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & \lambda & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 3 & 9 & 5 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ r_2' = r_2 - 2r_1 & 0 & \lambda - 2 & -3 \\ r_3' = r_3 - 3r_1 & 0 & 0 & 2 \end{array}$$

Using back substitution

$$3z = 2 \Rightarrow z = \frac{2}{3}$$

and $(\lambda - 2)y - 3z = -2$

$$(\lambda - 2)y - 2 = -2$$

$$(\lambda - 2)y = 0$$

$$y = 0$$

and $x + y + 2z = 1$

$$x + 0 + \frac{4}{3} = 1 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{3}$$

When $\lambda = 2$ rows 2 and 3 are equivalent...

$$\begin{array}{ccc|c} r_2' & 0 & 0 & -3 & -2 \\ r_3' & 0 & 0 & 3 & 2 \end{array}$$

∴ There are an infinite number of solutions

Question 7

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow A^2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore A^2 + A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -4 & -2 \\ -1 & 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 2 & 5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & -2 & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\text{so } k=2$$

Consequently ...

$$A^2 + A = A(A + \mathbf{I}) = 2\mathbf{I}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2}A(A + \mathbf{I}) = \mathbf{I}$$

$$A \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}A + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{I}\right) = \mathbf{I}$$

$$\therefore A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2}A + \frac{1}{2}\mathbf{I}$$

$$\text{so } p = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } q = \frac{1}{2}$$

Question 8

Method 1. Let $z = t$

$$\therefore x - 4y + 2z = 1 \Rightarrow x - 4y = 1 - 2t \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$x - y - z = -5 \Rightarrow x - y = t - 5 \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\text{②} - \text{①} \quad 3y = 3t - 6$$

$$y = t - 2$$

$$\text{and } x - 4(t - 2) = 1 - 2t$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 1 - 2t + 4t - 8 \\ &= 2t - 7 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore Parametric equations of line are

$$x = 2t - 7$$

$$y = t - 2$$

$$z = t$$

Method 2. $\pi_1 : x - 4y + 2z = 1 \Rightarrow \underline{n}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$\pi_2 : x - y - z = -5 \Rightarrow \underline{n}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\therefore \underline{n}_1 \times \underline{n}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ 1 & -4 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i} \begin{vmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - \underline{j} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} 1 & -4 \\ 1 & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 6\underline{i} + 3\underline{j} + 3\underline{k}$$

\therefore Direction of line is $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Let $\underline{z} = 0$ $\left. \begin{array}{l} x - 4y = 1 \\ x - y = -5 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 3y = -6 \Rightarrow y = -2 \\ x = -7 \end{array}$

Point on line is $(-7, -2, 0)$ with direction $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

\therefore Parametric equations are

$$x = 2t - 7$$

$$y = t - 2$$

$$z = t$$

Substituting these expressions into

$$x + 2y - 4z$$

$$= 2t - 7 + 2(t - 2) - 4t$$

$$= 2t - 7 + 2t - 4 - 4t$$

$$= -11$$

\therefore line lies in the plane with equation

$$x + 2y - 4z = -11$$

Question 9

$$\text{Let } z = a + ib \Rightarrow \bar{z} = a - ib$$

$$\therefore z + 2i\bar{z} = (a + ib) + 2i(a - ib)$$

$$= a + ib + 2ai - 2bi^2$$

$$i^2 = -1$$

$$= a + 2b + (2a + b)i$$

$$= 8 + 7i$$

\therefore Equating coefficients

$$a + 2b = 8 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$2a + b = 7 \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$\text{②} \times 2 \quad 4a + 2b = 14 \quad \text{--- ③}$$

$$\text{③} - \text{①} \quad 3a = 6$$

$$a = 2$$

Substitute $a = 2$ into eqⁿ ①

$$2 + 2b = 8$$

$$2b = 6$$

$$b = 3$$

$$\therefore z = 2 + 3i$$

Question 10

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

When $n=1$ L.H.S. = $\frac{1}{1 \times 2 \times 3} = \frac{1}{6}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S.} &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2 \times 2 \times 3} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{12} \\ &= \frac{3-1}{12} = \frac{2}{12} = \frac{1}{6} \end{aligned}$$

LHS = RHS \therefore True for $n=1$

Assume true for $n=k$

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

For $n=k+1$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=1}^{k+1} \frac{1}{r(r+1)(r+2)} &= \sum_{r=1}^k \frac{1}{r(r+1)(r+2)} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+1)(k+2)} + \frac{1}{(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \left[\frac{k+3-2}{2(k+1)(k+2)(k+3)} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{\cancel{k+1}}{2(\cancel{k+1})(k+2)(k+3)} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+2)(k+3)} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+1+1)(k+1+2)} \end{aligned}$$

\therefore True for $n=k+1$

Since true for $n=1$ and $n=k+1$ then by Mathematical Induction true for all $n > 1$.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{r(r+1)(r+2)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2(n+1)(n+2)}$$

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

Question 11

(a) $y = \frac{x^3}{x-2}$ Vertical Asymptote $x=2$

(b) $y = \frac{x^3}{x-2} = x^2 + 2x + 4 + \frac{8}{x-2}$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x + 2 - 8(x-2)^{-2}$$

$$= 2x + 2 - \frac{8}{(x-2)^2} = 0 = \frac{(2x+2)(x-2)^2 - 8}{(x-2)^2}$$

or $y = \frac{x^3}{x-2} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2(x-2) - x^3 \cdot 1}{(x-2)^2}$

$$= \frac{3x^3 - 6x^2 - x^3}{(x-2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x^3 - 6x^2}{(x-2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x^2(x-3)}{(x-2)^2} = 0 \text{ at st. pts.}$$

$$\therefore x=0 \text{ or } x=3$$

When $x=0$ $y=0$ When $x=3$ $y = \frac{27}{1} = +27$

Stationary pts at $(0, 0)$ and $(3, 27)$

(c) $y = \left| \frac{x^3}{x-2} \right| + 1$ has stationary points $(0, 1)$ and $(3, 28)$

Question 12

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \quad z^4 &= (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^4 \\
 &= \cos^4 \theta + 4 \cos^3 \theta (i \sin \theta) + 6 \cos^2 \theta (i \sin \theta)^2 \\
 &\quad + 4 \cos \theta (i \sin \theta)^3 + (i \sin \theta)^4 \\
 &= \cos^4 \theta + 4i \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta \\
 &\quad - 4i \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta + \sin^4 \theta \\
 &= \cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta + i (4 \cos^3 \theta \sin \theta \\
 &\quad - 4 \cos \theta \sin^3 \theta)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad z^4 = (\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)^4 = \cos 4\theta + i \sin 4\theta$$

$$\text{(c)} \quad \cos 4\theta = \operatorname{Re}(z^4)$$

$$= \cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta$$

$$\therefore \frac{\cos 4\theta}{\cos^2 \theta} = \frac{\cos^4 \theta - 6 \cos^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta + \sin^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= \cos^2 \theta - 6 \sin^2 \theta + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= \cos^2 \theta - 6(1 - \cos^2 \theta) + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= \cos^2 \theta - 6 + 6 \cos^2 \theta + \frac{\sin^4 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{but } \sin^4\theta &= (\sin^2\theta)^2 = (1 - \cos^2\theta)^2 \\ &= 1 - 2\cos^2\theta + \cos^4\theta\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{\sin^4\theta}{\cos^2\theta} &= \frac{1 - 2\cos^2\theta + \cos^4\theta}{\cos^2\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2\theta} - 2 + \cos^2\theta \\ &= \sec^2\theta - 2 + \cos^2\theta\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \frac{\cos 4\theta}{\cos^2\theta} &= 7\cos^2\theta - 6 + \sec^2\theta - 2 + \cos^2\theta \\ &= 8\cos^2\theta + \sec^2\theta - 8\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore p = 8 \quad q = 1 \quad r = -8$$

Question 13

$$\frac{1}{x^3+x} = \frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$$

$$\therefore A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)x = 1$$

$$\text{Let } x=0 \quad A=1$$

$$\text{Let } x=1 \quad 2 + B + C = 1 \Rightarrow B + C = -1$$

$$\text{Let } x=-1 \quad 2 + B - C = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{B - C = -1}{2B = -2}$$

$$B = -1$$

$$\therefore C = 0$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} I(k) &= \int_1^k \frac{1}{x^3+x} dx = \int_1^k \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{x}{x^2+1} \right) dx \\ &= \left[\ln x - \frac{1}{2} \ln |x^2+1| \right]_1^k \\ &= \left[\ln k - \frac{1}{2} \ln(k^2+1) \right] - \left[\ln 1 - \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \right] \\ &= \ln k - \frac{1}{2} \ln(k^2+1) + \frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \\ &= \ln k - \frac{1}{2} \ln(k^2+1) + \ln \sqrt{2} \\ &= \ln k\sqrt{2} - \ln \sqrt{k^2+1} \\ &= \ln \left(\frac{k\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{k^2+1}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$I(k) = \ln \left(\frac{k\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{k^2+1}} \right)$$

$$\therefore e^{I(k)} = \frac{k\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{k^2+1}}$$

$$\lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} e^{I(k)} = \lim_{k \rightarrow \infty} \frac{k\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{k^2+1}} \rightarrow \frac{k}{k} \sqrt{2} \rightarrow \sqrt{2}$$

Question 14

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 20\sin x$$

A.E. $m^2 - 3m + 2 = 0$
 $(m-2)(m-1) = 0$
 $m = 2 \text{ or } m = 1$

\therefore C.F. $y = Ae^{2x} + Be^x$

P.I Try $y = a\sin x + b\cos x$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = a\cos x - b\sin x$$

and $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -a\sin x - b\cos x$

$$\therefore -a\sin x - b\cos x - 3a\cos x + 3b\sin x + 2a\sin x + 2b\cos x = 20\sin x$$

so $(a+3b)\sin x + (-3a+b)\cos x = 20\sin x$

equating coefficients

$$a + 3b = 20$$

$$-3a + b = 0$$

1 (x3) $3a + 9b = 60$

$$10b = 60 \Rightarrow b = 6$$

$$\therefore a + 18 = 20 \Rightarrow a = 2$$

G.S. $y = Ae^{2x} + Be^x + 2\sin x + 6\cos x$

Given $y = Ae^{2x} + Be^x + 2\sin x + 6\cos x.$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y=0 \\ x=0 \end{array} \right\} A + B + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow A + B = -6, \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2Ae^{2x} + Be^x + 2\cos x - 6\sin x.$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \\ x=0 \end{array} \right\} 2A + B + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow 2A + B = -2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{(2)} - \text{(1)} \quad A = 4.$$

$$4 + B = -6 \Rightarrow B = -10$$

\therefore Particular solution is

$$y = 4e^{2x} - 10e^x + 2\sin x + 6\cos x$$

Question 15

(a) $f(x) = \sqrt{\sin x} = (\sin x)^{1/2}$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} (\sin x)^{-1/2} \times \cos x = \frac{\cos x}{2\sqrt{\sin x}}$$

$$(b) \quad f(x) = \sqrt{g(x)} = [g(x)]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} [g(x)]^{-\frac{1}{2}} \times g'(x)$$

$$= \frac{g'(x)}{2\sqrt{g(x)}} \quad \therefore k=2$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= 1-x^2 \\ g'(x) &= -2x. \end{aligned}$$

$$= -\sqrt{1-x^2} + C$$

$$(c) \quad \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin^{-1} x \, dx = \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} 1 \cdot \sin^{-1} x \, dx$$

Use above result

$$= x \sin^{-1} x \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}} - \int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx$$

$$= x \sin^{-1} x \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}} + \sqrt{1-x^2} \Big|_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2} \sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} - 0 \right) + \left(\sqrt{1-\frac{1}{4}} - \sqrt{1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{6} + \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} - 1$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - 1 \quad (\approx 0.128)$$