

Cork Institute of Technology

CIT Mathematics Exam 2012

Sample Paper X

Paper 2

Time: 2 hours, 30 minutes

Total Marks for Paper 2 — 100 marks

Instructions

Answer **any five** of Questions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

Each question is worth 20 marks.

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Q1

(a) Solve the following simultaneous equations for x , y and z :

$$\begin{aligned}x + y + z &= 5 \\2x - y + 3z &= 3 \\3x + 2y - 5z &= 21\end{aligned}$$

[5 marks]

(b) (i) Given that $x = 1$ and $x = -2$ are roots of the cubic equation $mx^3 + nx^2 + x - 6 = 0$, find the value of the constants m and n .
Also find the third root of this equation.

(ii) Find all values of $k \in \mathbb{R}$ such that the equation

$$4x^2 + kx + 9 = 0$$

has two equal roots.

[6 marks]

(c) Solve each of the following equations for x :

(i) $x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1} = 3$

(ii) $\log_{10}(x + 4) = 2, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x > -4$

[4 marks]

(d) Solve the inequality $|4x - 3| < 7$ for x .

[5 marks]

Q2

(a) An arithmetic sequence is such that the 4th term is 11 and the sum of the first 8 terms is 72.

- (i) Find the first term and the common difference.
- (ii) What term of the sequence is -13 ?

[4 marks]

(b) The 3rd term of a geometric sequence is 12. The 4th term of the sequence is -24 .

- (i) Find the first term and the common ratio of this sequence.
- (ii) Hence find the sum of the first seven terms of this sequence.

[5 marks]

(c) Express the recurring decimal $1.434343\dots$ in the form $\frac{p}{q}$ where $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$.

[5 marks]

(d) (i) Find the coefficient of $\frac{1}{x^2}$ in the binomial expansion of

$$\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^5$$

- (ii) The coefficient of x^3 in the binomial expansion of $(2 + ax)^7$ is 4480. Find the value of a .

[6 marks]

Q3

(a) (i) Given that $|8 + bi| = 10$, find two possible values of the real constant b .

(ii) Given that

$$\frac{6 + ki}{4 - 3i} = 2i$$

find the value of the real number k .

[4 marks]

(b) (i) Express $z = -1 + i$ in polar form.

(ii) Deduce, using De Moivre's Theorem, that $z^6 = 8i$.

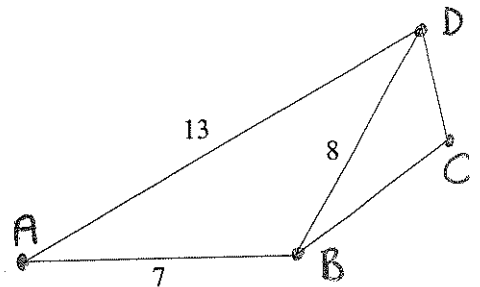
(iii) Hence find the value of z^{12} .

[7 marks]

(c) $ABCD$ is a quadrilateral in which
 $|AB| = 7$ cm, $|BD| = 8$ and $|AD| = 13$ cm.

(i) Show that $|\angle ABD| = 120^\circ$.

(ii) Given that the area of the triangle BCD is $\frac{7\sqrt{3}}{2}$ m²,
 find the area of the quadrilateral $ABCD$.
 Give your answer in surd form.



[5 marks]

(d) A is an acute angle such that

$$\sin\left(A + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \sin\left(A - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{5}$$

(i) Find $\sin A$.

(ii) Hence find $\cos A$.

[4 marks]

Q4

(a) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$, $B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$ and $C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$.

- (i) Find A^{-1} .
(ii) Hence find $A^{-1}(B + C)$.

[5 marks]

(b) A and B are points and O is the origin.
 $\vec{a} = 4\vec{i} - 3\vec{j}$ and $\vec{b} = \vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$.

- (i) Find a unit vector in the direction of \vec{a} .
(ii) C is a third point such that $\vec{AC} = \vec{OB}$.
Express \vec{c} in terms of \vec{i} and \vec{j} .

[5 marks]

(c) $P(5, -4)$, $Q(3, 1)$ and $R(-5, -8)$ are three points and O is the origin.

Show that the vectors \vec{PQ} and \vec{PR} are perpendicular to each other.

[4 marks]

(d) (i) Find, in surd form, the value of $\cos A$, where A is the angle between vectors $\vec{u} = \vec{i} + 3\vec{j}$ and $\vec{v} = -2\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$.

- (ii) Find the value of A , correct to the nearest degree.

[6 marks]

Q5

(a) Find:

- (i) the derivative of the function $y = x^2e^{-x}$ with respect to x ;
- (ii) the value of the derivative of the function $y = \sin^2 x$ at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$.

[5 marks]

(b) The parametric equations of a curve are:

$$x = t - \sin t \quad \text{and} \quad y = 1 - \cos t$$

- (i) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of t .
- (ii) Find the slope of the tangent to the curve at the point when $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

[5 marks]

(c) Given that $y = x^2 + \frac{16}{x^2}$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

Hence verify that $y = x^2 + \frac{16}{x^2}$ has a minimum value at $x = 2$.

[6 marks]

(d) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve

$$x^2 - y^2 - x = 1$$

at the point $(2, 1)$.

[4 marks]

Q6

(a) Find

(i) $\int 6x^2 + 4e^{-2x} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} dx$

(ii) $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin 4\theta \cos 2\theta d\theta$

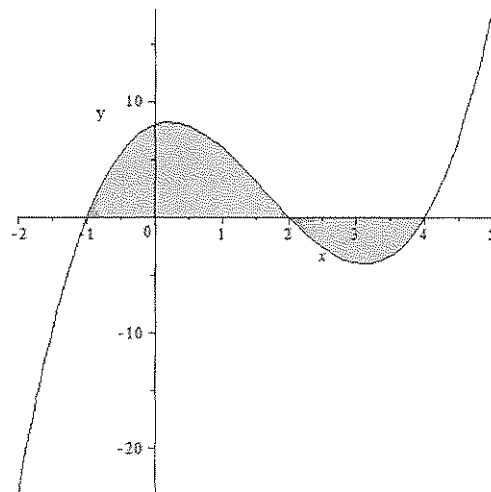
(iii) $\int_0^1 \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx$

[13 marks]

(b) The curve $y = x^3 - 5x^2 + 2x + 8$ crosses the x -axis at $x = -1$, $x = 2$ and $x = 4$, as shown.

Calculate the total area of the shaded regions enclosed by the curve and the x -axis.

[7 marks]



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Q1

- (a) Solve the following simultaneous equations for x , y and z :

$$\begin{aligned}3x - y + 3z &= 1 \\x + 2y - 2z &= -1 \\4x - y + 5z &= 4\end{aligned}$$

[5 marks]

- (b) Given that $x = -2$ is a root of the cubic equation $x^3 + tx^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$, find the value of t .

Also find all other roots of this equation.

[4 marks]

- (c) Solve each of the following equations for x :

(i) $\log_2(3x + 2) = 5$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $x > -\frac{2}{3}$

(ii) $\log_{10} 25 + 2 \log_{10} 2 = x$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, $x > 0$

[5 marks]

- (d) Solve the inequality $\frac{x+1}{x-1} < 2$, where $x \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x \neq 1$.

Graph the solution set on a number line.

[6 marks]

Q2

(a) The first three terms of an arithmetic sequence are $2x + 7$, $1 - x$, $-3x - 1$.

- (i) Find the value of x .
- (ii) Find the sum of the first twenty terms of the sequence.

[5 marks]

(b) The n th term of a sequence is given by $u_n = 3(2^n)$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

- (i) Prove that this sequence is geometric.
- (ii) Write down the first three terms of this sequence.
- (iii) Find the sum of the first 10 terms.

[4 marks]

(c) Express the recurring decimal $0.366666\dots$ in the form $\frac{p}{q}$
where $p, q \in \mathbb{N}$.

[4 marks]

(d) (i) Find the value of the term which is independent of x in the binomial expansion of $\left(x^2 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^6$.

(ii) The coefficient of x^4 in the binomial expansion of $(k + 2x)^7$ is 15120. Find the value of k .

[7 marks]

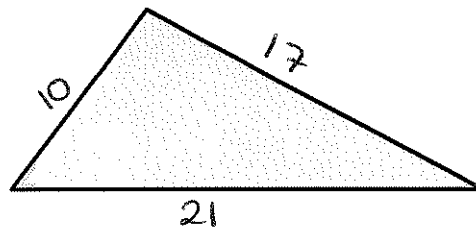
Q3

- (a) (i) Simplify $\frac{-2 + 3i}{3 + 2i}$.
Hence find the value of $\left(\frac{-2 + 3i}{3 + 2i}\right)^9$ where $i^2 = -1$.
- (ii) Express $z = \sqrt{3} + i$ in polar form. Hence evaluate z^{12} .
- (iii) Find two complex numbers $a + ib$ such that

$$(a + ib)^2 = -3 - 4i$$

[9 marks]

- (b) The lengths of the sides of a triangle are 21, 17 and 10. The smallest angle in the triangle is A .



- (i) Show that $\cos A = \frac{15}{17}$.
- (ii) Without evaluating A , find $\cos 2A$.

[4 marks]

- (c) Find the two solutions for θ of the equation

$$2 \sin^2 \theta + 5 \cos \theta + 1 = 0, \text{ where } 0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$$

Give your answers correct to the nearest degree.

[4 marks]

- (d) The circumference of a circle is 30π cm. The area of a sector of this circle is 75π cm². Find, in radians, the measure of the angle in this sector.

[3 marks]

Q4

(a) $P = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 2 \\ -7 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$.

- (i) Find P^{-1} .
- (ii) Hence find $P^{-1}M$.

[5 marks]

- (b) (i) Find the unit vector in the direction of $\vec{v} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j}$.
- (ii) If $\vec{w} = x\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$ and $|\vec{2v} + \vec{w}| = \sqrt{13}$, find two values for x .

[6 marks]

(c) P , Q and R are points and O is the origin.

$$\vec{p} = 3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}, \vec{q} = -8\vec{i} + 6\vec{j} \text{ and } \vec{PR} = 4\vec{i} + \vec{j}.$$

- (i) Express the vector \vec{PQ} in terms of \vec{i} and \vec{j} .
- (ii) Express \vec{r} in terms of \vec{i} and \vec{j} .
- (iii) Verify that the vectors \vec{p} and \vec{q} are perpendicular to each other.
- (iv) Find θ , the angle between vectors \vec{p} and \vec{r} . Give your answer correct to the nearest degree.

[9 marks]

Q5

(a) Find:

- (i) the derivative of the function $y = \ln(\sin 4x)$ with respect to x ;
- (ii) the value of the derivative of the function $y = \sqrt{4x + 1}$ at $x = 2$.

[5 marks]

(b) The parametric equations of a curve are:

$$x = 2t + t^2 \quad \text{and} \quad y = t + \frac{1}{t}, \quad \text{where } t \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$$

- (i) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of t .
- (ii) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point given by $t = 2$.

[6 marks]

(c) Given that $y = x^2e^{-2x}$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

Hence verify that $y = x^2e^{-2x}$ has a maximum value at $x = 1$.

[5 marks]

(d) Find the slope of the tangent to the circle

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 3y - 13 = 0$$

at the point $(1, -2)$.

[4 marks]

Q6

(a) Find

(i) $\int 2x^3 + 4 \sin x \, dx$

(ii) $\int_1^4 \frac{1}{x^2} \, dx$

[5 marks]

(b) Evaluate

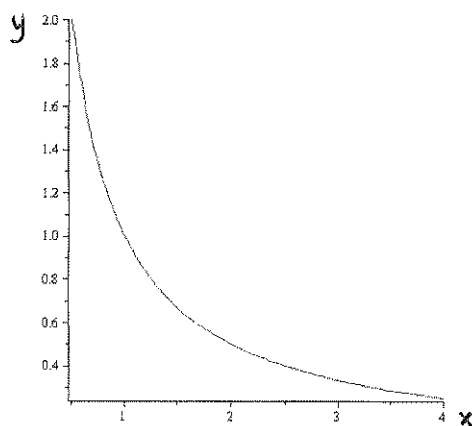
(i) $\int_0^1 x\sqrt{1-x^2} \, dx$

(ii) $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \sin 4x \sin 2x \, dx$

(iii) $\int_0^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{4x^2 + 9} \, dx$

[11 marks]

(c) Calculate, correct to 2 places of decimals, the area of the bounded region enclosed by the line $x = 1$, the line $x = 4$ and the curve $y = \frac{1}{x}$



[4 marks]