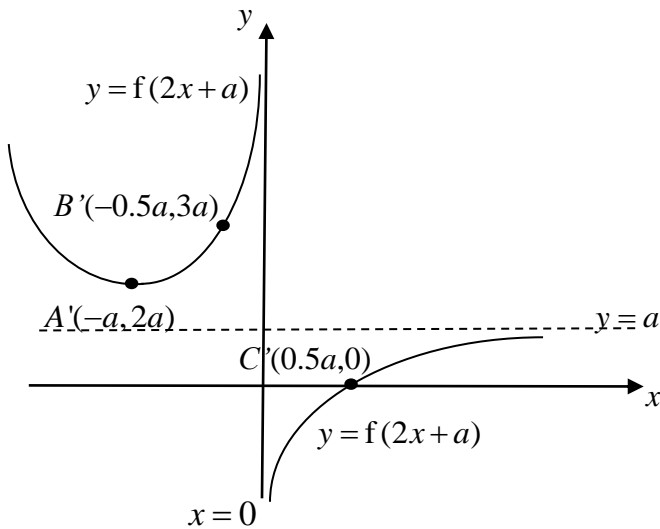
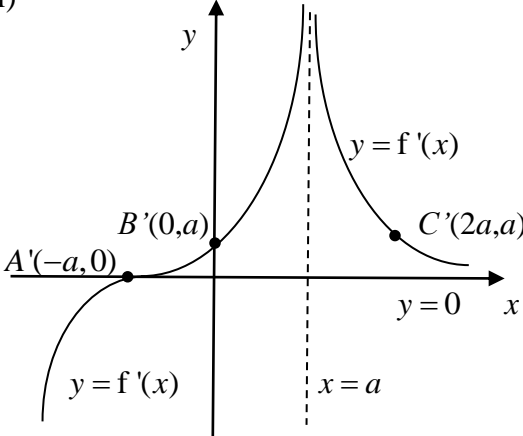
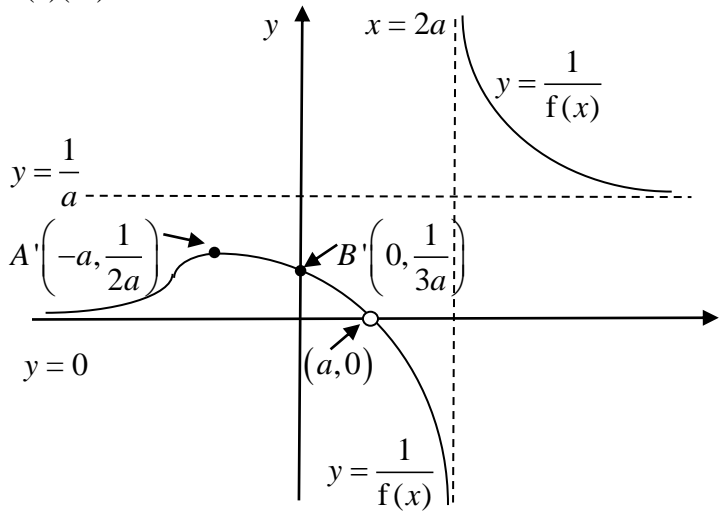


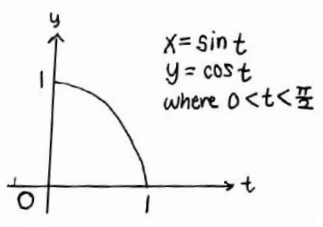
## 2019 RVHS H2 Maths Prelim P2 Solutions

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| 1 | Solution [6] System of linear Eqns  |  |
|   | <p>(i)</p> $u_{n+1} = -3u_n + An + B$ <p>When <math>n = 0</math>,</p> $u_1 = -3u_0 + B \text{ ---- } (*)$ $2 = -3(4) + B$ $B = 14$ <p>When <math>n = 1</math>,</p> $u_2 = -3u_1 + A + B \text{ ---- } (**)$ $16 = -3(2) + A + 14$ $A = 8$                   |  |
|   | <p>(ii)</p> $u_0 = 4 \Rightarrow a + c = 4 \text{ ---- } (1)$ $u_1 = 2 \Rightarrow -3a + b + c = 2 \text{ ---- } (2)$ $u_2 = 16 \Rightarrow 9a + 2b + c = 16 \text{ ---- } (3)$ <p>Using GC, <math>a = 1</math>, <math>b = 2</math>, <math>c = 3</math></p> |  |

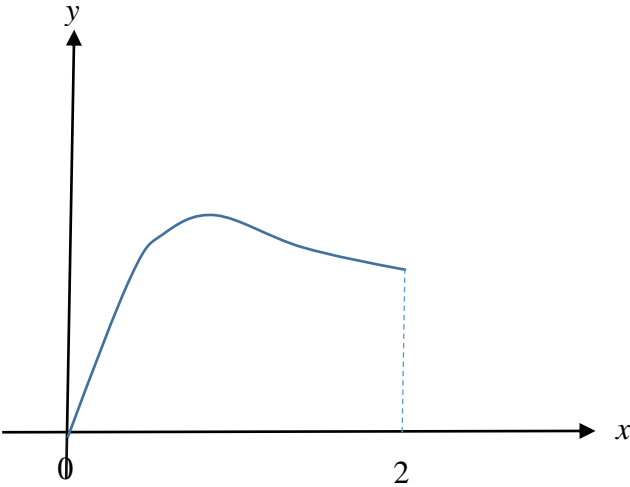
| Question 2 [5] vectors |   |  |
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| (a)                    | <p>Distance between <math>p_1</math> and <math>p_2</math></p> $= \frac{ \overrightarrow{AB} \cdot (\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n}) }{ \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n} }$ $= \frac{ \mathbf{b} \cdot (\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n}) - \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n}) }{ \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n} }$ $= \frac{ \mathbf{b}   (\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n})  \cos 60^\circ -  \mathbf{a}   (\mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n})  \cos 45^\circ}{ \mathbf{m} \times \mathbf{n} }$ $= \left  \frac{ \mathbf{b} }{2} - \frac{ \mathbf{a} }{\sqrt{2}} \right $ |  |
| (b)                    | <p>By ratio theorem, <math>\overrightarrow{OQ} = \frac{\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}}{3}</math>.</p> <p>The locus of Q is a plane containing fixed point with position vector <math>\frac{\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}}{3}</math> and parallel to <math>\mathbf{m}</math> and <math>\mathbf{n}</math>.</p> <p>Equation of locus of Q: <math>\mathbf{r} = \frac{\mathbf{a} + 2\mathbf{b}}{3} + \lambda \mathbf{m} + \mu \mathbf{n}, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}</math></p>  |  |

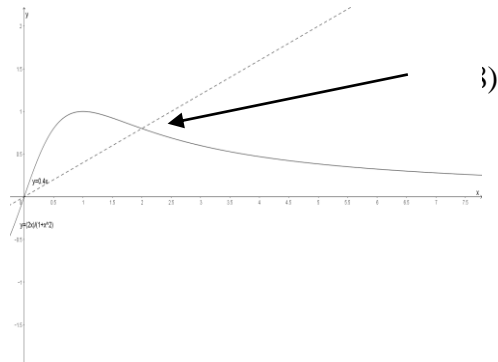
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| 3 | <p><b>Solution [9] Transformation</b></p> <p>(a)(i)</p> <p><math>f(x) \rightarrow f(x+a) \rightarrow f(2x+a)</math></p>  |  |
|   | <p>(a)(ii)</p>    |  |
|   | <p>(a)(iii)</p>   |  |

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|  | <p>(b)</p> <p>We first note the following transformation steps:</p> $2y^2 - x^2 = 1$ $\downarrow \quad \text{Step 1: Replace 'x' by 'x-1'}$ $2y^2 - (x-1)^2 = 1$ $\downarrow \quad \text{Step 2: Replace 'y' by '}\frac{y}{\sqrt{2}}\text{'}$ $2\left(\frac{y}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2 - (x-1)^2 = 1$ $y^2 - (x-1)^2 = 1$ <p>Thus, the sequence of transformations needed are as follow</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A translation of 1 unit in the positive <math>x</math> axis direction;</li> <li>2. A scaling parallel to the <math>y</math> axis of factor <math>\sqrt{2}</math>.</li> </ol> |  |
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| 4 | Solution [10] Parametric Eqn + Integration Application (Area)   |  |
|   | (i)   |  |
|   |  <p> <math>x = \sin t</math><br/> <math>y = \cos t</math><br/>         where <math>0 &lt; t &lt; \frac{\pi}{2}</math> </p>   |  |
|   | (ii)  |  |
|   | <p>Given <math>x = \sin t</math>, <math>y = \cos t</math> where <math>0 &lt; t &lt; \frac{\pi}{2}</math>,</p> <p>we have <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy/dt}{dx/dt} = \frac{-\sin t}{\cos t} = -\tan t</math></p> <p>Thus, at the point where <math>t = p</math>, ie <math>(\sin p, \cos p)</math>, the equation of the tangent is</p> $y - \cos p = -\tan p (x - \sin p) \text{ ---- (*)}$ <p>So,</p> $y = -(\tan p)x + \frac{\sin^2 p}{\cos p} + \cos p$ $= -(\tan p)x + \frac{\sin^2 p + \cos^2 p}{\cos p}$ $= -(\tan p)x + \frac{1}{\cos p}$ $= -(\tan p)x + \sec p \text{ (shown)}$   |  |
|   | (iii)   |  |
|   | <p>The equation of the tangent is <math>y = -(\tan p)x + \sec p</math>,</p> <p>Let <math>x = 0</math>, <math>y = \sec p</math>. So, <math>Q = \left(0, \frac{1}{\cos p}\right)</math>.</p> <p>Let <math>y = 0</math>, <math>x = \frac{\sec p}{\tan p} = \frac{1}{\cos p} \times \frac{\cos p}{\sin p} = \frac{1}{\sin p}</math>.</p> <p>So, <math>P = \left(\frac{1}{\sin p}, 0\right)</math></p> <p>Hence mid point of <math>PQ =</math></p> $M = \left(\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\sin p} + 0\right), \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\cos p} + 0\right)\right) = \left(\frac{1}{2 \sin p}, \frac{1}{2 \cos p}\right)$ <p>To find the Cartesian equation of the locus of the point <math>M</math>,</p> |  |

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|  | <p>We let <math>x = \frac{1}{2 \sin p}</math> and <math>y = \frac{1}{2 \cos p}</math></p> <p>Then <math>\sin p = \frac{1}{2x}</math> and <math>\cos p = \frac{1}{2y}</math></p> <p>And thus, <math>\left(\frac{1}{2x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2y}\right)^2 = 1</math></p> <p>Hence the Cartesian equation of the locus of <math>M</math> is</p> $\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{1}{y^2} = 4 \text{ or } x^2 + y^2 = 4x^2y^2$  |  |
|  | <p>(iv)</p> <p>Exact area = <math>\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} y \, dx</math></p> $= \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} y \frac{dx}{dt} dt$ $= \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (\cos t)(\cos t) dt$ $= \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^2 t \, dt$ $= \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1 + \cos 2t}{2} dt$ $= \left[ \frac{1}{2}t + \frac{\sin 2t}{4} \right]_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}}$ $= \left( \frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \right) - \left( \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} \right)$ $= \frac{\pi}{24} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} \text{ units}^2$ |  |

| Question 5 [10] |   |  |
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| (i)             |   |  |
| (ii)            | $x = \tan \theta \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = \sec^2 \theta$ <p>Volume</p> $= \pi \int_0^2 \left( \frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right)^2 dx$ $= 4\pi \int_0^2 \frac{x^2}{(1+x^2)^2} dx$ $= 4\pi \int_0^{\tan^{-1} 2} \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\sec^4 \theta} \sec^2 \theta d\theta$ $= 4\pi \int_0^{\tan^{-1} 2} \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\sec^2 \theta} d\theta$ $= 4\pi \int_0^{\tan^{-1} 2} \sin^2 \theta d\theta$ $= 4\pi \int_0^{\tan^{-1} 2} \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$ $= 2\pi \left[ \theta - \frac{\sin 2\theta}{2} \right]_0^{\tan^{-1} 2}$ $= 2\pi \left[ \theta - \sin \theta \cos \theta \right]_0^{\tan^{-1} 2}$ $= 2\pi \left[ \tan^{-1} 2 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \right]$ $= 2\pi \left[ \tan^{-1} 2 - \frac{2}{5} \right] \text{ units}^3$ |  |



Volume of plastic

$$= \frac{1}{3} \pi \left( \frac{4}{5} \right)^2 (2) = \frac{32}{75} \pi \text{ units}^3$$

Cost of one paperweight

$$= \left( 2\pi \left[ \tan^{-1} 2 - \frac{2}{5} \right] - \frac{32}{75} \pi \right) (3) + \left( \frac{32}{75} \pi \right) (1.2)$$

$$= \$11 \text{ (to the nearest dollar)}$$



| Question 6 [6] |  |  |
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| (i)            | <p>RRR BB W Y G</p> <p>Step 1 : Arrange BB W Y G in <math>\frac{5!}{2!}</math> ways</p> <p>Step 2: Slot the RRR into the 6 appropriate slots _ to the left/right of the arranged letters in Step:1 generally denoted by X</p> <p>_X_X_X_X_X_</p> <p>No. of ways = <math>\frac{5!}{2!} \times \binom{6}{3} = 1200</math></p> <p>Note:<br/>Number of ways in which RRR are separated<br/>≠ Total number of ways – All R separated ----(*)</p> <p>Why is this so?</p>   |  |
| (ii)           | <p>No. of ways for the letters to form a circle = <math>\frac{5!}{5}</math></p> <p>Since clockwise and anti-clockwise are indistinguishable in a ring,</p> <p>No. of ways = <math>\frac{5!}{5} \div 2 = 12</math></p> <p>Note:<br/>For a physical 3-dimensional ring made up of beads, what happen when you flip it the other side?</p>  |  |
| (iii)          | <p><u>Method 1</u></p> <p>III N TT A E</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. There is only 1 way to arrange A, E and N in alphabetical order.</li> <li>2. Without restriction there are (3!) ways to arrange A, E and N.</li> </ol> <p>Without restriction, total number of ways to arrange all the letters = <math>\frac{8!}{3!2!}</math> ---- (**)</p> <p>To get number of ways to arrange all letters and A, E and N in alphabetical order, REMOVE all the UNWANTED arrangements in (**), using the ideas in (1) and (2).</p> |  |

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| <p>No. of ways to arrange all letters and A, E and N in alphabetical order = <math>\left[ \frac{8!}{3!2!} \right] \div (3!) = \frac{8!}{3!3!2!}</math></p> <p>(Note: A, E and N need not be together.)</p> <p>Required prob = <math>\frac{8!}{3!3!2!} \div \frac{8!}{3!2!} = \frac{1}{3!} = \frac{1}{6}</math></p> <p>Method 2</p> <p>Step 1: Other than A, E, N, the other letters are III TT, number of ways to arrange III TT = <math>\frac{5!}{3!2!}</math></p> <p>Step 2: After arranging III TT, we create slots _ to the left / right of each letter.</p> <p>_X_X_X_X_X_</p> <p>Step3: We now slot in A, E, N into the slots so that A, E, N are in alphabetical order.</p> <p>We could group A, E, N as</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 1 item: [AEN]</li> <li>- 2 items: [AE], [N]</li> <li>- 2 items: [A], [NE]</li> <li>- 3 items: [A], [E], [N]</li> </ul> <p>For example to slot 2 items: [AE], [N] into _X_X_X_X_X_,</p> <p>Number of ways = <math>\frac{5!}{3!2!} \times \binom{6}{2}</math></p> <p>Number of ways to arrange all letters and A, E and N in alphabetical order</p> <p>= <math>\frac{5!}{3!2!} \times \left[ \binom{6}{1} + \binom{6}{2} + \binom{6}{2} + \binom{6}{3} \right]</math></p> |  |
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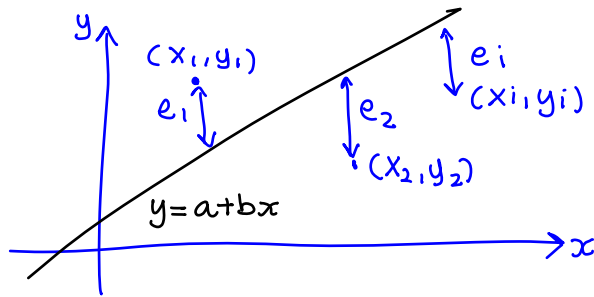
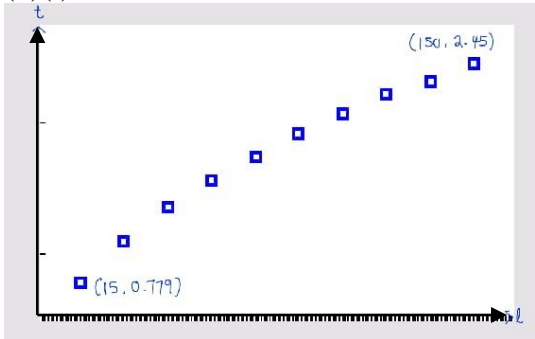
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| 7          | Solution [6] DRV   |      |   |   |            |      |      |  |
|            | <p>(i)</p> $P(X = 3)$ $= \frac{6-n}{6} \cdot \frac{5-n}{5} \cdot \frac{n}{4}$ $= \frac{(6-n)(5-n)n}{120}$  |      |   |   |            |      |      |  |
|            | <p>(ii)</p> <p>When <math>n = 3</math>,</p> $P(W = 1)$ $= P(X \geq 4)$ $= P(\text{keys from first 3 trials can't unlock box})$ $= \left(\frac{3}{6}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{1}{20} = 0.05$ <table border="1" data-bbox="332 882 998 961"> <tr> <td><math>w</math></td><td>2</td><td>1</td></tr> <tr> <td><math>P(W = w)</math></td><td>0.95</td><td>0.05</td></tr> </table> $E(W) = 2(0.95) + (0.05) = \$1.95$ <p>Alternatively</p> $P(W = 2)$ $= P(X = 1) + P(X = 2) + P(X = 3)$ $= \left(\frac{3}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{6}\right)\left(\frac{3}{5}\right) + \left(\frac{3}{6}\right)\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$ $= \frac{19}{20} = 0.95$ | $w$  | 2 | 1 | $P(W = w)$ | 0.95 | 0.05 |  |
| $w$        | 2  | 1    |   |   |            |      |      |  |
| $P(W = w)$ | 0.95   | 0.05 |   |   |            |      |      |  |
|            | <p>(iii)</p> <p>Let <math>T</math> denote the r.v the number of times that Alfred wins \$2 from a game, out of 5 games played.</p> $T \sim B(5, 0.95)$ <p><math>P(\text{Alfred wins more at least } \\$9 \text{ out of 5 games})</math></p> $= P(T \geq 4)$ $= 1 - P(T \leq 3)$ $= 0.977$  |      |   |   |            |      |      |  |

| Question 8 [7] Probability |   |  |  |  |  |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |
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| (i)                        | <p>P(Player draws 3 different numbers in the first round)</p> $= \frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{1}}{\binom{8}{3}} = \frac{5}{28}$   |  |  |  |  |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |
| (ii)                       | <p>Probability of sum of numbers from first round is 12 and sum of numbers from second round is 6)</p> $= \frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{2}}{\binom{8}{3}} \frac{\binom{5}{3}}{\binom{8}{3}}$ $= \frac{25}{1568}$ <p>P(Sum of the numbers drawn adds up to 18)</p> <p>= P(Sum of each of first and second round is 9)</p> <p>+ P(Sum of first round is 12 and second round is 6)</p> $= \frac{\binom{5}{2} \binom{2}{1}}{\binom{8}{3}} \frac{\binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{3}} + \frac{25}{1568}$ $= \frac{125}{1568}$  |  |  |  |  |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |
|                            | <p>Let <math>X</math> be the sum of the 2 numbers drawn.</p> <table><tr><th><math>x</math></th><th>4</th><th>7</th><th>12</th><th>15</th><th>20</th></tr><tr><td><math>P(X = x)</math></td><td><math>\frac{\binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}</math></td><td><math>\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}</math></td><td><math>\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{1}}{\binom{8}{2}}</math></td><td><math>\frac{\binom{2}{1} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}</math></td><td><math>\frac{\binom{2}{2} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}</math></td></tr><tr><td></td><td><math>= \frac{10}{28}</math></td><td><math>= \frac{5}{28}</math></td><td><math>= \frac{10}{28}</math></td><td><math>= \frac{2}{28}</math></td><td><math>= \frac{1}{28}</math></td></tr></table> <p><math>E(X)</math></p> $= 4\left(\frac{10}{28}\right) + 7\left(\frac{5}{28}\right) + 12\left(\frac{10}{28}\right) + 15\left(\frac{2}{28}\right) + 20\left(\frac{1}{28}\right)$ $= 8.75$ | $x$  | 4  | 7  | 12   | 15 | 20 | $P(X = x)$ | $\frac{\binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{1}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{2}{1} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{2}{2} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ |  | $= \frac{10}{28}$ | $= \frac{5}{28}$ | $= \frac{10}{28}$ | $= \frac{2}{28}$ | $= \frac{1}{28}$ |  |
| $x$                        | 4   | 7  | 12   | 15   | 20   |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |
| $P(X = x)$                 | $\frac{\binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$   | $\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{5}{1} \binom{2}{1}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{2}{1} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ | $\frac{\binom{2}{2} \binom{5}{2}}{\binom{8}{2}}$ |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |
|                            | $= \frac{10}{28}$   | $= \frac{5}{28}$                                 | $= \frac{10}{28}$                                | $= \frac{2}{28}$                                 | $= \frac{1}{28}$                                 |    |    |            |                                     |  |  |  |  |  |                   |                  |                   |                  |                  |  |

| Question 9 [8] Binomial Dist |   |  |
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| (i)                          | <p>Assumption:<br/>The candidature has no knowledge of which option is the correct answer and chooses one of the 5 options <b><u>randomly/by guessing</u></b>.<br/>This assumption is important to ensure that the probability of choosing a particular option is constant at 0.2.</p>  |  |
| (ii)                         | <p>Let <math>X</math> denotes the number of marks a candidate scores for the test, out of 12.<br/> <math>X \sim B(12, 0.2)</math></p> <p> <math>P(X=1) = 0.206</math><br/> <math>P(X=2) = 0.283</math><br/> <math>P(X=3) = 0.236</math> </p> <p>Mode of <math>X</math> is 2. Majority of the candidates will score 2 marks.</p>   |  |
| (iii)                        | <p> <math>P(X &gt; 4   X \leq 5)</math><br/> <math>= \frac{P(X = 5)}{P(X \leq 5)}</math><br/> <math>= 0.0542 \text{ (3 s.f)}</math> </p>  |  |
| (iv)                         | <p>Assuming <math>n</math> is large, by CLT,<br/> <math>\bar{X} \sim N\left(2.4, \frac{1.92}{n}\right)</math> approx.</p> <p> <math>P(\bar{X} \leq 2.7) \geq 0.95</math><br/> <math>n = 57, P(\bar{X} \leq 2.7) = 0.94893 &lt; 0.95</math><br/> <math>n = 58, P(\bar{X} \leq 2.7) = 0.95041 &gt; 0.95</math><br/>         Thus, least value of <math>n</math> is 58.       </p> |  |

| Question 10 [9] Hypo Test |   |  |
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| (i)                       | $\bar{x} = -\frac{27}{70} + 46 = 45.61428 = 45.6 \text{ (to 3 s.f.)}$ $s^2 = \frac{1}{69} \left( 30939 - \frac{(-27)^2}{70} \right) = 448.2403727 = 448 \text{ (to 3 s.f.)}$  |  |
| (ii)                      | <p>Let <math>\mu_0</math> be the mean number of hours the engineer claimed.</p> <p>Test <math>H_0 : \mu = \mu_0</math><br/>         against <math>H_1 : \mu &gt; \mu_0</math> at 5% significance level</p> <p>Test statistic: Under <math>H_0</math>, <math>Z = \frac{\bar{X} - \mu_0}{s / \sqrt{70}} \sim N(0, 1)</math></p> <p>To reject <math>H_0</math>,<br/> <math>\frac{\bar{x} - \mu_0}{s / \sqrt{70}} &gt; 1.644853632</math></p> $\mu_0 < \bar{x} - 1.644853632 \frac{s}{\sqrt{70}}$ $\mu_0 < 41.45197671$ $\mu_0 < 41.5 \text{ (to 3 s.f.)}$ <p>Thus, the greatest mean number of hours the engineers should claim is 41.5.</p> |  |
| (iii)                     | <p>Based on <math>n = 70</math>, <math>\sum x = \left( -\frac{27}{70} + 46 \right) \times 70 = 3193</math></p> <p>Based on <math>n = 75</math>,<br/> <math display="block">\bar{x} = \frac{3193 + 56 + 34 + 63 + 50 + 54}{75} = 46</math></p> $\sum (x - 46)^2$ $= \sum (x - \bar{x})^2$ $= 30939 + (56 - 46)^2 + (34 - 46)^2 + (63 - 46)^2$ $+ (50 - 46)^2 + (54 - 46)^2$ $= 31552$ $\therefore s^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{74} = 426.3783783784 = 426.378 \text{ (3.s.f.)}$   |  |

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| <p>Test <math>H_0 : \mu = 41.5</math><br/>against <math>H_1 : \mu &gt; 41.5</math> at <math>\alpha\%</math> significance level</p> <p>Test statistic: Under <math>H_0</math>, <math>Z = \frac{\bar{X} - 41.5}{s / \sqrt{75}} \sim N(0, 1)</math></p> <p>By GC, <math>p\text{-value} = 0.029559</math></p> <p>Do not reject <math>H_0</math>,</p> $p\text{-value} \geq \frac{\alpha}{100}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{\alpha}{100} \leq 0.029559$ $\Rightarrow \alpha \leq 2.9559$ <p>The greatest integer value of <math>\alpha</math> is 2.</p> <p>[ If <math>\mu_0 = 41.4</math>, <math>p\text{-value} = 0.026649</math>, then the greatest integer value of <math>\alpha</math> is 2.</p> <p>If <math>\mu_0 = 41.45197671</math>, <math>p\text{-value} = 0.028230374</math>, then the greatest integer value of <math>\alpha</math> is 2. ]</p> |  |
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| 11 | Solution [12] Correlation & Regression   |  |
|    | <p>(a)</p> <p>Let the sample of bivariate data be <math>(x_i, y_i)</math> where <math>i = 1, 2, \dots, n</math>.</p> <p>Let <math>e_i = y_i - (a + bx_i)</math> be the vertical deviation between the point <math>(x_i, y_i)</math> and the line <math>y = a + bx</math>.</p>  <p>The line <math>y = a + bx</math> is the least square regression line for the sample of bivariate data if the sum of the squares of the vertical deviation <math>\sum_{i=1}^n (e_i)^2</math> is the minimum.</p> |  |
|    | <p>(b)(i)</p>   |  |
|    | <p>(b)(ii)</p> <p>Model (B). As <math>l</math> increases, <math>t</math> increases at a decreasing rate, therefore model (B) is most appropriate.</p> <p>Note that for Model (A), the graph of <math>t = a + bl^2</math> has a turning point located on the vertical axis, therefore Model A is not suitable.</p>  |  |
|    | <p>(b)(iii)</p> <p><math>t = a + b \ln l</math></p> <p>Using GC,</p> <p><math>a = -1.370621901 \approx -1.37</math> (3.s.f)</p> <p><math>b = 0.7394875471 \approx 0.740</math> (3 s.f)</p> <p><math>r = 0.9871042012 \approx 0.987</math> (3 s.f)</p>  |  |



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|  | <p>(b)(iv)</p> $t = -1.370621901 + 0.7394875471 \ln l \quad \text{---- (1)}$ <p>To estimate <math>l</math> when <math>t = 1.00</math>, use the regression line of <math>t</math> on <math>\ln l</math>, since <math>t</math> is the dependent variable.</p> <p>Sub <math>t = 1.00</math> into (1), <math>l = 24.6743 \approx 24.7</math> mm.</p> <p>The appropriate regression line is used since <math>t</math> is the dependent variable.</p> <p>Since <math> r  \approx 0.987</math> is close to 1, the model based on <math>t = a + b \ln l</math>, is a good fit for the data.</p> <p><math>t = 1.00</math> is within the input data range <math>0.779 \leq t \leq 2.45</math>, the estimate is an interpolation.</p> <p>Therefore, the estimate is reliable.</p> |  |
|  | <p>(b)(v)</p> <p>1 millimeter = 0.03937 inch</p> $1 \text{ inch} = \frac{1}{0.03937} \text{ millimeters}$ $L \text{ inches} = \frac{L}{0.03937} \text{ millimeters}$ <p><math>(L = 0.03937l)</math></p> $t = a + b \ln \frac{L}{0.03937}$ $t = a + b(\ln L - \ln 0.03937)$ $t = (a - b \ln 0.03937) + b \ln L$ $t = 1.02143631 + 0.7394875471 \ln L$ $t = 1.02 + 0.739 \ln L \quad (3 \text{ s.f})$  |  |

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| 12    | Solution [12 marks] Normal Dist   |  |
| (i)   | <p>Let <math>A</math> be the mass of a randomly chosen apple.<br/>         Suppose <math>A \sim N(70, 40^2)</math></p> <p>Then <math>P(A &lt; 0) = 0.0401</math> (3 s.f.), but it's impossible for apples to have negative mass, so the probability should be much closer to 0.<br/>         Hence, the normal distribution is not a suitable distribution for the masses of apples.</p>  |  |
| (ii)  | <p>Let <math>Y</math> be the mass of a pear. Let <math>\mu</math> be the mean mass of the pears, and <math>\sigma^2</math> be the variance in the mass of the pears. <math>Y \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)</math></p> <p>Given,</p> $P(Y < 148) = P(Y > 230) = \frac{1}{3}$ <p>By symmetry, <math>\mu = \frac{148 + 230}{2} = 189</math></p> <p>Let <math>Z = \frac{Y - 189}{\sigma} \sim N(0, 1)</math></p> $P(Y < 148) = \frac{1}{3}$ $P\left(Z < \frac{-41}{\sigma}\right) = \frac{1}{3}$ <p>From GC,</p> $\frac{-41}{\sigma} = -0.430727$ $\sigma = 95.18783606$ $\sigma = 95.2 \text{ g (3 s.f.)}$ |  |
| (iii) | <p>Let <math>T_A</math> be the total mass of the 300 apples.<br/>         Then <math>T_A = A_1 + A_2 + \dots + A_{300}</math> and<br/> <math>T_A \sim N(300 \times 70, 300 \times 40^2)</math> approx. by the Central Limit Theorem (CLT) as <math>n = 300</math> is large.</p>   |  |
| (iv)  | <p>Similarly, by letting <math>T_p</math> be the total mass of the 400 pears, we have<br/> <math>T_p \sim N(400 \times 189, 400 \times 9060.724134)</math></p>  |  |

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|  | <p>So, we have <math>T_A \sim N(21000, 480000)</math><br/> and <math>T_p \sim N(75600, 3624289.654)</math><br/> Thus, we have <math>R = 0.005T_A + 0.008T_p</math> and<br/> <math>R \sim N(0.005 \times 21000 + 0.008 \times 75600,</math><br/> <math>0.005^2 \times 480000 + 0.008^2 \times 3624289.654)</math><br/> or <math>R \sim N(709.8, 243.9545379)</math></p> <p>Since <math>c</math> is the running cost of the orchard,<br/> <math>P(R &gt; c) = 0.9</math><br/> From GC, <math>c = 689.7833896</math></p> <p>Therefore, the cost of running the orchard is \$689.78<br/> (2 d.p)</p> <p>Note: In accounting terms, the amount of money<br/> collected from sales in a business, is referred to as<br/> the revenue.</p> |  |
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