



2022 MAV Specialist Maths Trial Exam 2

VCE Further Maths (Monash University)



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SPECIALIST MATHEMATICS
Written Examination 2

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Reading time: 15 minutes

Writing time: 2 hours

QUESTION & ANSWER BOOK

Structure of Book

<i>Section</i>	<i>Number of questions</i>	<i>Number of questions to be answered</i>	<i>Number of marks</i>
A	20	20	20
B	6	6	60
			Total 80

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Materials supplied

- Question and answer book of 29 pages.
- Formula sheet
- Answer sheet for multiple-choice questions.

Instructions

- Write your **name** in the space provided above on this page.
- Write your **name** on the multiple-choice answer sheet.
- Unless otherwise indicated, the diagrams are **not** drawn to scale.
- All written responses must be in English.

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SECTION A - Multiple-choice questions**Instructions for Section A**

Answer **all** questions in pencil on the answer sheet provided for multiple-choice questions.

Choose the response that is **correct** for the question.

A correct answer scores 1, an incorrect answer scores 0.

Marks will **not** be deducted for incorrect answers.

No marks will be given if more than one answer is completed for any question.

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Take the **acceleration due to gravity** to have magnitude $g \text{ ms}^{-2}$, where $g = 9.8$.

Question 1

The curve given by $x = 2 \operatorname{cosec}(t) + 1$ and $y = 3 \cot(t)$ can be expressed in cartesian form as

A. $\frac{(x+1)^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

B. $\frac{(x-1)^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

C. $\frac{(x-1)^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

D. $\frac{(x+1)^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

E. $\frac{(x+1)^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$

Question 2

The number of real solutions to $x^4 + \tan^2(x) - \sec^2(x) = 0$ is

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

D. 3

E. 4

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Question 3

Suppose $a, b > 0$. The domain and range of the function with rule $f(x) = \arcsin(|ax - b|) + \frac{\pi}{2}$ are respectively

- A. $\left[\frac{-1-b}{a}, \frac{1+b}{a} \right]$ and $\left[\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \right]$
- B. $\left[\frac{-1+b}{a}, \frac{1+b}{a} \right]$ and $[0, \pi]$
- C. $\left[\frac{-1+b}{a}, \frac{1+b}{a} \right]$ and $\left[\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \right]$
- D. $\left[\frac{-1-b}{a}, \frac{1-b}{a} \right]$ and $\left[\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi \right]$
- E. $\left[\frac{-1-b}{a}, \frac{1-b}{a} \right]$ and $[0, \pi]$

Question 4

The circle defined by $|z - a| = 2|z + 2i|$, where $a \in \mathbb{R}$, has the cartesian equation

- A. $\left(x + \frac{a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(y + \frac{8}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{16 + 4a^2}{9}$
- B. $\left(x - \frac{a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{8}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{16 + 4a^2}{9}$
- C. $\left(x - \frac{a}{3}\right)^2 + \left(y - \frac{8}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{9 + 2a^2}{16}$
- D. $(x - a)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 1$
- E. $(x + a)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 1$

Question 5

Let $z = \sqrt{3} + i$ and $w = 2 - 2i$.

The value of $\text{Arg}\left(\frac{z^3}{w^7}\right)$ is

- A. $\frac{\pi}{2}$
- B. $-\frac{3\pi}{4}$
- C. $\frac{2\pi}{3}$
- D. $-\frac{\pi}{3}$
- E. $\frac{\pi}{4}$

Question 6

The coordinates of the point of intersection of the rays $\text{Arg}(z-1) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\text{Arg}(z-i) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ are

- A. (1,1)
- B. $(2 + \sqrt{3}, 3 + \sqrt{3})$
- C. $(1 + \sqrt{3}, 2 + \sqrt{3})$
- D. $(-1 - \sqrt{3}, -2 - \sqrt{3})$
- E. $(-2 - \sqrt{3}, -3 - \sqrt{3})$

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Question 7

With a suitable substitution, $\int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{5}} x^3 \sqrt{x^2 + 1} dx$ can be expressed as

- A. $\frac{1}{2} \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{5}} (u+1)\sqrt{u} du$
- B. $2 \int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{5}} (u-1)\sqrt{u} du$
- C. $\int_3^6 (u+1)\sqrt{u} du$
- D. $\frac{1}{2} \int_3^6 (u-1)\sqrt{u} du$
- E. $2 \int_3^6 (u-1)\sqrt{u} du$

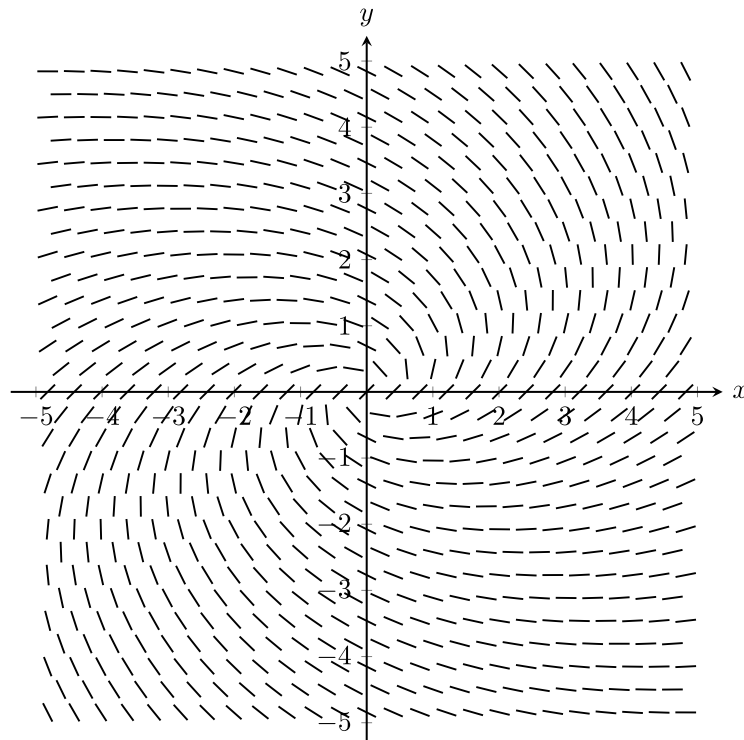
Question 8

If $y = e^{-2x} \sin(x)$ satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 4 \frac{dy}{dx} + ky = 0$$

then k must equal

- A. 4
- B. 5
- C. 9
- D. -13
- E. 13

Question 9

The differential equation that has the diagram above as its direction field is

- A. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+y}{y-2x}$
- B. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+y}{2x-y}$
- C. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+y}{x-2y}$
- D. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x-y}{x-2y}$
- E. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$

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Question 10

Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}(x + y)$, where $y(x_0) = y_0$.

Using Euler's method with a step-size of h , which one of the following is equal to y_2 ?

- A. $y_0 + h(1 + x_0 + y_0) + \frac{1}{4}h^2(2 + x_0 + y_0)$
- B. $y_0 + h(1 + x_0 + y_0) + \frac{1}{4}h^2(x_0 + y_0)$
- C. $y_0 + h(x_0 + y_0) + \frac{1}{4}h^2(x_0 + y_0)$
- D. $y_0 + h(x_0 + y_0) + \frac{1}{4}h^2(1 + x_0 + y_0)$
- E. $y_0 + h(x_0 + y_0) + \frac{1}{4}h^2(2 + x_0 + y_0)$

Question 11

Let $\underline{a} = 4\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 2\underline{k}$ and $\underline{b} = 2\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 4\underline{k}$. If θ is the acute angle between \underline{a} and \underline{b} then $\tan(\theta)$ is equal to

- A. $\frac{2\sqrt{6}}{5}$
- B. $\frac{2\sqrt{6}}{7}$
- C. $\frac{5\sqrt{6}}{12}$
- D. $\frac{7}{5}$
- E. $\frac{5}{7}$

Question 12

The vectors $\underline{a} = 3\underline{i} - \underline{j} + 2\underline{k}$, $\underline{b} = 2\underline{i} + \underline{j} + 6\underline{k}$ and $\underline{c} = 5\underline{i} + m\underline{j} - 6\underline{k}$ are linearly independent if

- A. $m \in R$
- B. $m \in R \setminus \{-5\}$
- C. $m = -5$
- D. $m = 5$
- E. $m \in R \setminus \{5\}$

Question 13

The scalar resolute of $\underline{a} = 4\underline{i} - 3\underline{j} + 5\underline{k}$ in the direction of the vector \underline{b} is 6.

The magnitude of \underline{d} , where \underline{d} is the component of \underline{a} perpendicular to \underline{b} is

- A. $2\sqrt{3}$
- B. $2\sqrt{11}$
- C. $2\sqrt{14}$
- D. $\sqrt{14}$
- E. $5\sqrt{2}$

Question 14

The velocity of a particle of mass 2 kg is given by $\underline{v}(t) = 4\cos(2t)\underline{i} + 3\sin(2t)\underline{j} + 4t\underline{k}$.

The least magnitude of the force, in newtons, applied to the particle is

- A. $2\sqrt{10}$
- B. $2\sqrt{26}$
- C. $4\sqrt{13}$
- D. 40
- E. 80

Question 15

A person is standing in an elevator that is accelerating upwards at 0.7ms^{-2} . The reaction force of the elevator floor on the person is 714 newtons.

The mass in kg of the person is

- A. 78
- B. 76
- C. 72
- D. 68
- E. 64

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Question 16

A particle travelling in a straight line has velocity $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ when its position relative to a fixed origin is $x \text{ m}$. Its acceleration is given by $a = \sqrt{v^2 + 1}$.

The distance that the particle travels as its velocity increases from 1 ms^{-1} to 3 ms^{-1} is

A. $\int_1^3 \frac{1}{\sqrt{v^2 + 1}} dv$

B. $\int_1^3 (v^2 + 1) dv$

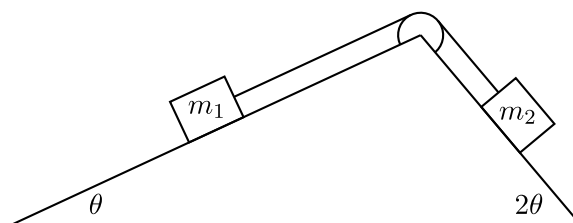
C. $\int_1^3 \frac{\sqrt{v^2 + 1}}{v} dv$

D. $\int_1^3 \frac{2v}{\sqrt{v^2 + 1}} dv$

E. $\int_1^3 \frac{v}{\sqrt{v^2 + 1}} dv$

Question 17

Two masses are placed on smooth inclined planes. The masses are connected by a light inextensible wire which passes over a smooth pulley and the planes are inclined at angles of θ and 2θ , $\theta > 0$, as shown below.



Given that $m_2 = 2m_1$ and that the masses are in equilibrium then it must be the case that $\cos(\theta)$ is equal to

A. $\frac{1}{4}$

B. $\frac{1}{2}$

C. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

D. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

E. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$

Question 18

Newborn kittens have a mean mass of 120 g with a standard deviation of 15 g.

An $a\%$ confidence interval for the mean μ of a sample of 50 newborn kittens is (114.90,125.10).

The value of a correct to the nearest integer is

- A. 99
- B. 98
- C. 97
- D. 96
- E. 95

Question 19

The scores of end of year physics and chemistry examinations at a particular school are normally distributed. Physics scores have a mean of 65 marks with a standard deviation of 6 marks. Chemistry scores have a mean of 72 marks and a standard deviation of 5 marks.

Assume that physics and chemistry scores are independent of each other.

The probability that the scores of a randomly selected physics test and a randomly selected chemistry test differ by more than 10 marks is closest to

- A. 0.851
- B. 0.796
- C. 0.365
- D. 0.271
- E. 0.165

Question 20

The mean mass of a packet of chips should be 100g with a standard deviation of 5g. It is believed that the packets are underweight and so a sample of 25 packets is taken and a one-sided statistical test is carried out at the 5% level of significance.

If in fact the mass of a packet of chips is 97.5g with a standard deviation of 5g, the probability that the null hypothesis would be incorrectly accepted is closest to

- A. 0.8038
- B. 0.8739
- C. 0.3712
- D. 0.1962
- E. 0.1261

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SECTION B**Instructions for Section B**

Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

Unless otherwise specified, an **exact** answer is required to a question.

In questions where more than one mark is available, appropriate working **must** be shown.

Unless otherwise indicated, the diagrams in this book are **not** drawn to scale.

Take the **acceleration due to gravity** to have magnitude $g \text{ ms}^{-2}$, where $g = 9.8$.

Question 1 (8 marks)

Let $f : [0, 1] \rightarrow R$, $f(x) = \arcsin(\sqrt{x})$.

- a. i. Find an expression for $f''(x)$ in the form $\frac{ax+b}{2ax^{\frac{3}{2}}(1-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}}$ and state the values of a and b . 1 mark

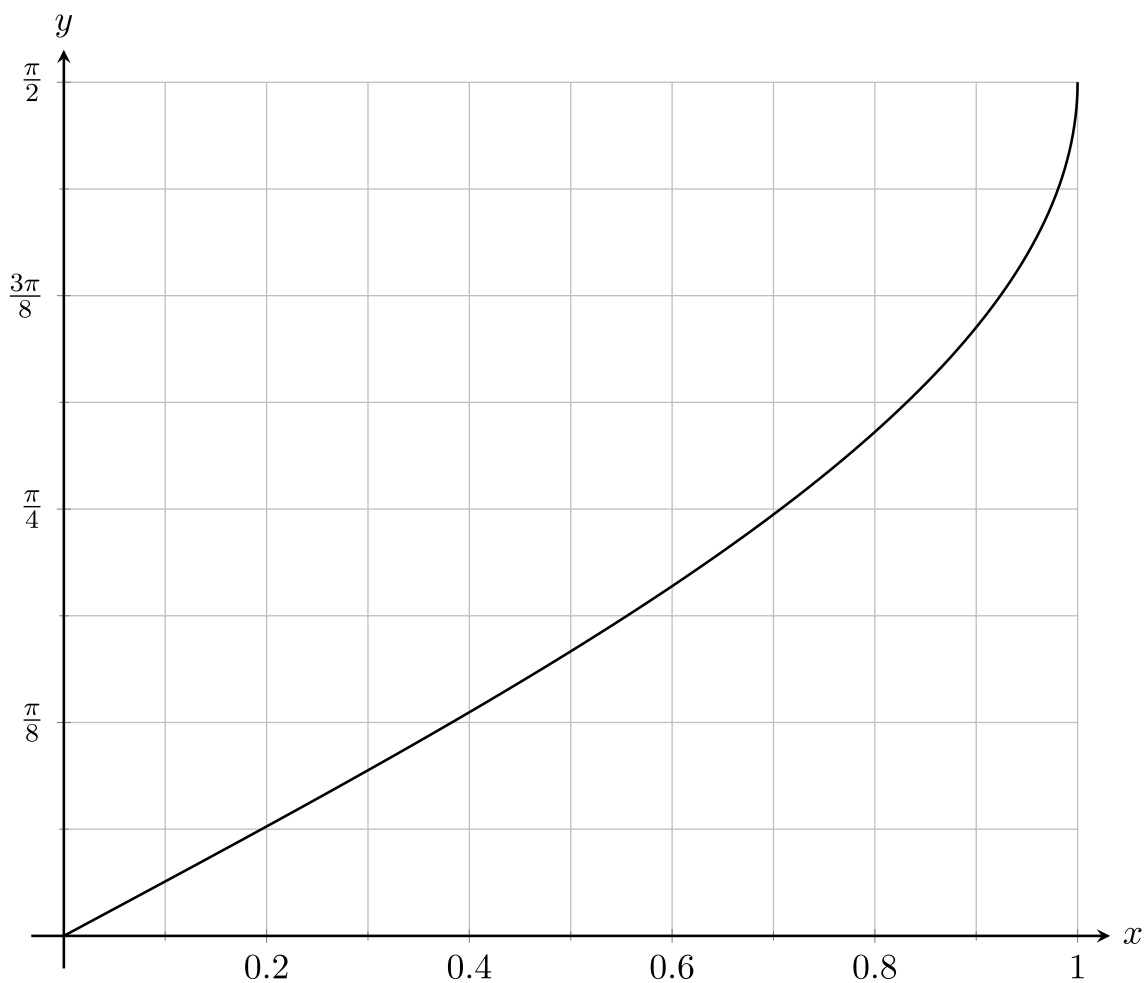
- ii. Write down the coordinates of the point of inflection on the graph of $f(x) = \arcsin(\sqrt{x})$. 1 mark

SECTION B - Question 1 - continued

b. The graph of $y = \arcsin(x)$ is shown below.

On the same set of axes, sketch the graph of $f(x) = \arcsin(\sqrt{x})$. Label the point of inflection with its coordinates.

2 marks



c. The region bounded by the graphs of $f(x) = \arcsin(\sqrt{x})$ and $y = \arcsin(x)$ is rotated about the y -axis to form a solid of revolution. Write down an integral that gives the volume of the solid formed.

2 marks

SECTION B – Question 1 – continued
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- d.** Find the value of x for which the vertical distance between the graphs of $f(x) = \arcsin(\sqrt{x})$ and $y = \arcsin(x)$ is maximised and find this vertical distance correct to three decimal places.

2 marks

SECTION B – continued

Question 2 (9 marks)

The paths of two particles A and B are described by the vector functions

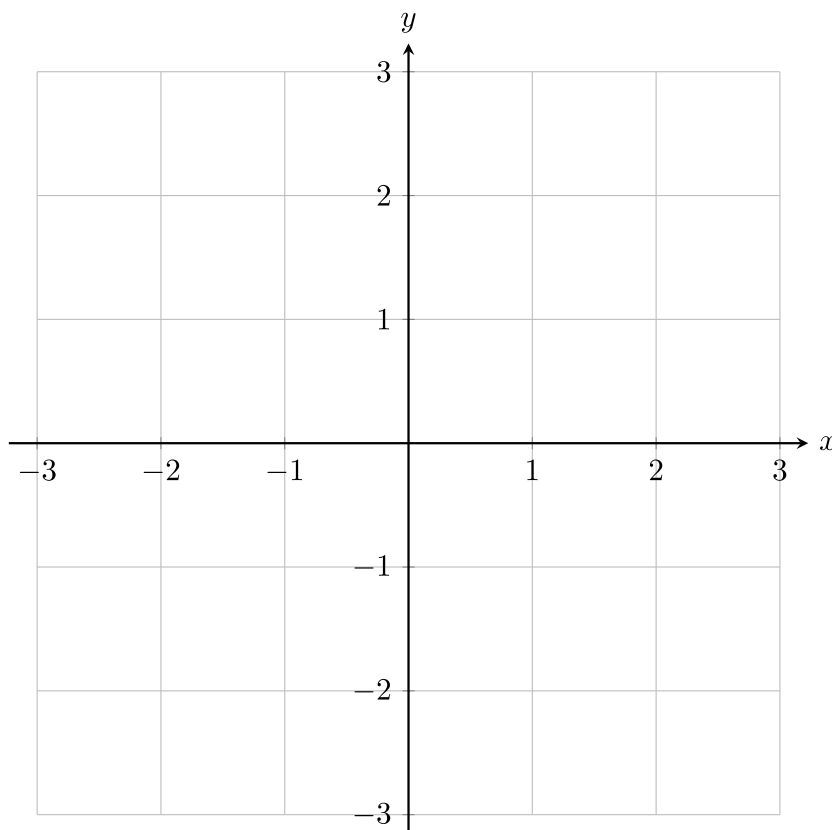
$$\mathbf{r}_A(t) = (1 + \sin(t))\mathbf{i} + \cos(t)\mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_B(t) = \frac{1}{2}t\mathbf{i} + (t-1)\mathbf{j}$$

respectively, where $t \geq 0$ is measured in seconds and distances are measured in metres.

- a.** Show that the cartesian equation of particle A is $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 1$. 1 mark

- b.** Sketch the paths of the particles A and B on the axes below. Label the starting point of each particle with its coordinates and indicate the direction of motion with an arrow. Label the coordinates of the points of intersection of the paths with their coordinates. 3 marks



SECTION B – Question 2 – continued

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c. Point C is the point on the path of particle A at which the velocity vector of particle A is first parallel to the path of particle B .

i. Determine the coordinates of point C .

2 marks

ii. Determine the time in seconds, correct to three decimal places that particle A is first at point C .

1 mark

d. i. Find the value of t , correct to three decimal places, when the particles A and B are closest.

1 mark

ii. Find the minimum distance between particles A and B in metres, correct to two decimal places.

1 mark

SECTION B – continued

Question 3 (9 marks)

A 6 kg mass is attached to a 4 kg mass by a light inextensible wire. The 6 kg mass is placed at the end of a horizontal surface and the 4 kg mass hangs freely with the wire passing over a smooth pulley.

The system is initially at rest. When released, the 6 kg mass experiences resistance of $2v^2$ newtons, where $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ is the speed of the mass.

- a. On the diagram below, show all forces acting on the 4 kg mass.

1 mark



- b. Show that the acceleration $a \text{ ms}^{-2}$ of the system is given by $a = \frac{2g - v^2}{5}$.

1 mark

SECTION B – Question 3 - continued
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- c. i.** Find an expression for the distance travelled by the 6 kg mass as a function of v . Give your answer in the form $a \log_e \left(\frac{b}{b-v^2} \right)$ where a and b are constants. 2 marks

- ii.** Determine the speed of the 6 kg mass when it has travelled 4m. Give your answer in ms^{-1} , correct to three decimal places. 1 mark

SECTION B – Question 3 - continued

When the 6 kg mass has travelled 4 m, the wire breaks. The 6 kg mass begins to decelerate and reaches the end of the horizontal surface with a speed of 1 ms^{-1} . The mass continues to experience resistance of $2v^2$ newtons.

- d. How long does it take for the 6 kg mass to reach the end of the horizontal surface? Give your answer in seconds, correct to two decimal places. 2 marks

- e. How long is the horizontal platform? Give your answer in metres, correct to one decimal place. 2 marks

SECTION B – continued
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d. If the initial proportion of shower walls covered in mould is 0.64, use Euler's method with a step size of **1 day** to find an estimate of the proportion of shower walls covered in mould after:

i. 1 day. Give your answer in exact form.

2 marks

ii. 5 days. Give your answer correct to three decimal places.

1 mark

e. Find, correct to three decimal places, the proportion of shower walls covered in mould after **3 days** if the initial proportion of shower walls covered in mould is 0.64.

2 marks

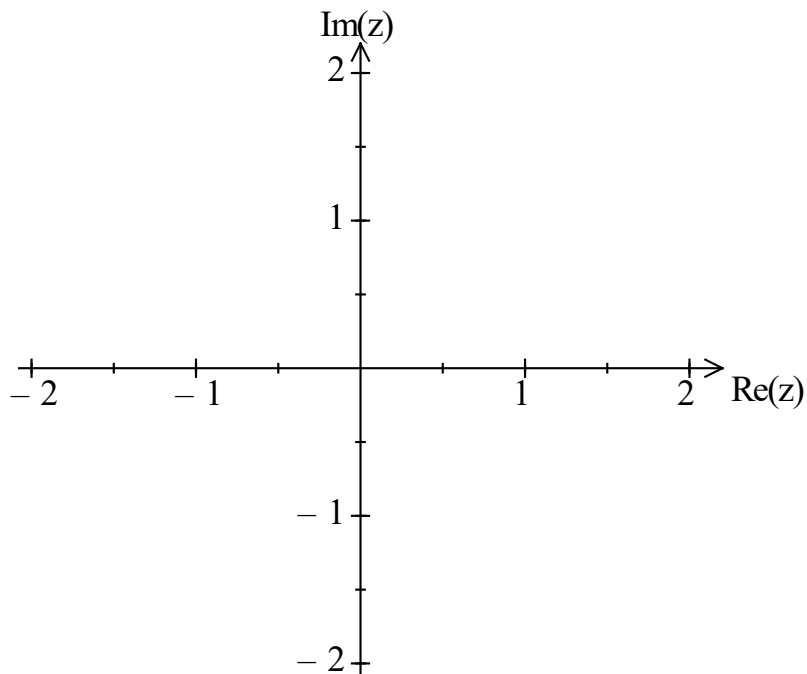
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Question 5 (12 marks)

- a. i. Write $4z\bar{z} + (2-i)z + (2+i)\bar{z} = 3$, $z \in \mathbb{C}$, in the form $|z + z_1| = \rho$ where $z_1, \rho \in \mathbb{C}$. 2 marks

- ii. Let T be the circle defined by $4z\bar{z} + (2-i)z + (2+i)\bar{z} = 3$.

Sketch a graph of T on the Argand diagram below, labelling the centre with its value of z . 1 mark



SECTION B – Question 5 - continued

- iii. Let z_1 be the value of z that satisfies $4z\bar{z} + (2-i)z + (2+i)\bar{z} = 3$ and has the minimum modulus. Find the principal argument of z_1 . 1 mark

- b. Sketch a graph of $\text{Arg}(2z + 1 - i) = -\frac{\pi}{4}$ on the Argand diagram above. 3 marks

- c. Find in Cartesian form the value(s) of z that lie on T and satisfy $\text{Arg}(2z + 1 - i) = -\frac{\pi}{4}$. 2 marks

SECTION B – Question 5 - continued

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