

# Advanced Higher Mathematics

## 2002

1.  $x = 2, y = -3, z = 1$

2.  $i^2 + 4i^3 + 3i^2 + 4i + 2 = 1 - 4i - 3 + 4i + 2 = 0$

Roots are  $i, -i, -2 + \sqrt{2}, -2 - \sqrt{2}$

3. At  $A$ ,  $x = -1$ . So  $t^2 + t - 1 = -1$ .

Hence  $t = 0$  or  $t = -1$ .

When  $t = 0, y = 2$ .

When  $t = -1, y = 5$ , so  $A$  is on the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4t-1}{2t+1} \text{ hence when } t = -1, \frac{dy}{dx} = 5$$

Tangent is  $y = 5x + 10$

4. (a)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} e^{-x}(1-2x)$

(b)  $y = (x+1)^2(x+2)^{-4}$

$$\log y = 2\log(x+1) - 4\log(x+2)$$

$$\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{x+1} - \frac{4}{x+2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \left( \frac{2}{x+1} - \frac{4}{x+2} \right) y$$

$$a = 2, b = -4$$

5.  $\int_0^1 \ln(1+x) dx = 2 \ln 2 - 1$

6.  $\int \frac{dx}{x^2 + 4x + 8} = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x+2}{2}\right) + c$

7. When  $n = 1, 4^n - 1 = 4 - 1 = 3$ , so true when  $n = 1$ .

Assume  $4^k - 1$  is divisible by 3.

Consider  $4^{k+1} - 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 4^{k+1} - 1 &= 4 \times 4^k - 1 \\ &= (3+1)4^k - 1 \\ &= 3 \times 4^k + (4^k - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Since both terms are divisible by 3, the result is true for  $k+1$ .

Thus, since true for  $n = 1, 4^n - 1$  is divisible by 3 for all  $n \geq 1$ .

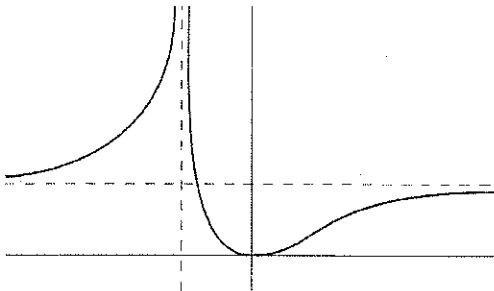
8.  $A = 1, B = -2, C = 1$

(i) vertical asymptote:  $x = -1$   
horizontal asymptote:  $y = 1$

(ii)  $(0,0)$  is a minimum because at  $(0, 0)$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \text{ and } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$$

8. (iii)



9. (a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$  Hence  $y = 2x$

(b)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = -x^2(2x) = -2x^3$

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{4t+1}}$$

10.  $S_n(1) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}n(n+1)$

$$\begin{aligned} (1-x)S_n(x) &= S_n(x) - xS_n(x) \\ &= 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots + nx^{n-1} \\ &\quad -(x + 2x^2 + 3x^3 + \dots + nx^n) \\ &= 1 + x + x^2 + \dots + nx^{n-1} - nx^n \\ &= \frac{1-x^n}{1-x} - nx^n \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $S_n(x) = \frac{1-x^n}{(1-x)^2} - \frac{nx^n}{(1-x)}$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ \frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{3^2} + \frac{4}{3^3} + \dots + \frac{n}{3^{n-1}} + \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{n}{3^n} \right\} = \frac{5}{4}$$

11. (a) An equation is  $-x + 5y - 2z = 4$

(b)  $\cos^{-1} \frac{7}{6\sqrt{5}} \approx 58.6^\circ$

12.  $A^n = \begin{pmatrix} n+1 & n \\ -n & 1-n \end{pmatrix}$  When  $n = 1$ .

$$\text{RHS} = \begin{pmatrix} 1+1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1-1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = A$$

So true for  $n = 1$ .

$$A^k = \begin{pmatrix} k+1 & k \\ -k & 1-k \end{pmatrix}$$

Consider  $A^{k+1}$

$$\begin{aligned} A^{k+1} &= A \times A^k \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} k+1 & k \\ -k & 1-k \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} k+2 & k+1 \\ -(k+1) & -k \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} (k+1)+1 & (k+1) \\ -(k+1) & 1-(k+1) \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

So if true for  $k$ , true for  $k+1$ .

Since true for  $n = 1$ , by induction, true for all  $n \geq 1$ .

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13.  $\ln(\cos x) = -\frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^4}{12} + \dots$

14.  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$   $B = \begin{pmatrix} \cos 30^\circ & -\sin 30^\circ \\ \sin 30^\circ & \cos 30^\circ \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3} & -1 \\ 1 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$

$$BA \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3}x + y \\ x - \sqrt{3}y \end{pmatrix}$$

i.e.  $(x,y) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(\sqrt{3}x + y, x - \sqrt{3}y)$

so  $k = \sqrt{3}$

15. General solution:

$$y(x) = e^{-x}(-A\cos 2x + B\sin 2x) + \frac{2}{3}(2\cos x + \sin x)$$

Particular solution:

$$y(x) = \frac{e^{-x}}{10}(-8\cos 2x - \sin 2x) + \frac{2}{3}(2\cos x + \sin 2x)$$