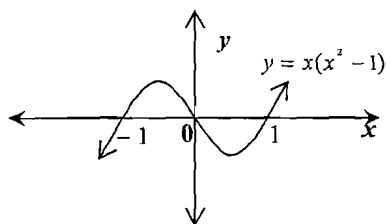


**Marking Guidelines: Mathematics Extension I – Solutions****Question 1 (a)(b)(c)(d)(i)**

Criteria	Marks
(a) One mark for the diagram and one for the solution.	2
(b)(i) One mark for the answer. (ii) One mark for the diagram (or explanation) and one mark for the answer.	3
(c) One mark for derivation.	1
(d) One mark for each step.	2
(e) One mark for finding the domain and range and one mark for the sketch.	2
(f) One mark for showing it's quarter of the area of circle and one for the answer.	2

**Answers:**

1(a)



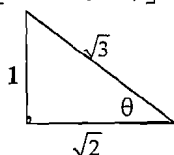
From the graph, the solutions to

$$x(x^2 - 1) > 0 \text{ are } -1 < x < 0 \text{ and } x > 1$$

1(b)(i)

$$\begin{aligned} \sin \frac{5\pi}{4} &= \sin \left( \pi + \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \\ &= -\sin \frac{\pi}{4} = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) \sin \left[ 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right] = \sin 2\theta \text{ from diagram}$$



$$\text{Now } \sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$= 2 \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$\therefore \sin \left[ 2 \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right] = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$$

$$(c) x = \sin \theta + \cos \theta; y = \sin \theta - \cos \theta$$

$$x^2 = (\sin \theta + \cos \theta)^2$$

$$= \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta + 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$= 1 + \sin 2\theta$$

$$y^2 = \sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta - 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$= 1 - \sin 2\theta$$

$$1(c) \text{ continued } \therefore x^2 + y^2 = 2$$

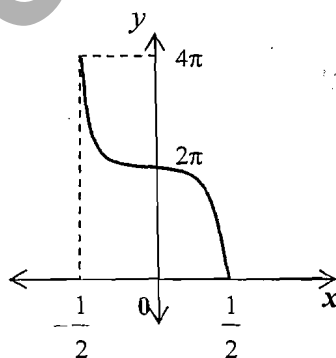
$$\begin{aligned} (d) \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x}{\sin 2x} &= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{3}{2} \times \frac{2x}{\sin 2x} \right) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{2x}{\sin 2x} \right) = \frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{as } \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left( \frac{\sin 2x}{2x} \right) = 1$$

$$(e) y = 4 \cos^{-1} 2x$$

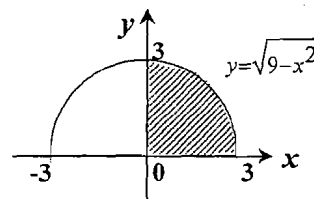
$$\text{Domain: } -1 \leq 2x \leq 1 \text{ i.e. } -\frac{1}{2} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Range: } 0 \leq y \leq 4\pi$$



$$(g) \int_0^3 \sqrt{9-x^2} dx = \text{shaded area}$$

= quarter of circle of radius 3 units



$$= \frac{9}{4} \pi \text{ unit}^2$$

## Question2

Criteria	Marks
(a) (i) One mark for $\tan(A+B)$ . (ii) One mark each for deriving the quadratic equation and the solution.	3
(b) One mark for writing expression for the perpendicular distance and one for the coordinates.	2
(c) One mark for $T_8$ and one for the coefficient of $a^5b^7$ .	2
(d) One mark each for x and y coordinate	2
(e) One mark for the table, one of writing Simpson's rule and one for application.	3

## Answers

(a) (i)  $\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$

$\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$

$\tan(A+B) = \frac{\sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B}{\cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B}$

Dividing by  $\cos A \cos B$  throughout we get,

$\tan(A+B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$

(ii) Given  $\tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} 2x = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\therefore \tan(\tan^{-1} x + \tan^{-1} 2x) = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\tan(\tan^{-1} x) + \tan(\tan^{-1} 2x)}{1 - \tan(\tan^{-1} x) \times \tan(\tan^{-1} 2x)} = \tan \frac{\pi}{4}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x+2x}{1-2x^2} = 1 \Rightarrow 2x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$

$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{9+8}}{4} = 0.28$  (2 dec.pl.) taking the positive value as required.

(b) Let  $(x, 2x)$  be the point on  $y = 2x$

The distance of this point from  $x + y - 4 = 0$  is given by

$\frac{x+2x-4}{\sqrt{2}}$  and this is given equal to  $\pm\sqrt{2}$

$\therefore x+2x-4 = \pm 2 \Rightarrow 3x = 4 \pm 2$

or  $x = 6/3$  or  $2/3 \therefore x = 2$  and  $\frac{2}{3}$

$\therefore$  the points are  $(2, 4)$  and  $(\frac{2}{3}, \frac{4}{3})$

*Note: A point and its image on a line will be of equal length from the line but opposite in sign and hence the sign  $\pm$ .*

(c) For the expansion  $(2a-b)^{12}$ ,

$T_{r+1} = {}^{12}C_r (2a)^{12-r} (-b)^r$

The term  $a^5b^7$  occurs when  $r=7$

Hence  $T_8 = {}^{12}C_7 (2a)^5 (-b)^7$   
 $= \frac{12!}{5!7!} (2a)^5 (-b)^7 = 792 \times 32a^5 \times -b^7$   
 $= -25344a^5b^7$

Coeff. of  $a^5b^7$  is  $-25344$

(d)

$x = \frac{-2(-4)+3(3)}{-2+3}, y = \frac{-2(2)+3(5)}{-2+3}$   
 $= \frac{8+9}{1} = \frac{-4+15}{1}$   
 $= 17 = 11$  ie (17, 11)

(e)

x	$-\pi/2$	$-\pi/4$	0	$\pi/4$	$\pi/2$
cos x	0	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	1	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	0
	(y <sub>0</sub> )	(y <sub>1</sub> )	(y <sub>2</sub> )	(y <sub>3</sub> )	(y <sub>4</sub> )

Simpson's Rule:

$\int_a^b f(x) dx \approx \frac{h}{3} \{ (y_0 + y_4) + 4(y_1 + y_3) + 2(y_2) \}$

where  $h =$  width of interval  $= \pi/4$

$\therefore \int_a^b \cos x dx \approx \frac{\pi}{12} \left\{ 0 + 4 \times \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}} + 2 \right\}$   
 $\approx \frac{\pi}{12} \left\{ \frac{8}{\sqrt{2}} + 2 \right\} \approx 2.00$  (2dec.pl.)

### Question 3 & 4(a)

Criteria	Marks
(a) One mark for the explanation and one for the answer.	2
(b)(i) One mark for showing it's SMH (ii) one mark each for $\alpha$ and $a$ (iii) one mark for the position	4
(c)(i) & (ii) One mark for each answer (iii) One mark for showing blue marbles as a group = $4!$ and one for $4!4!$	4
(d) One mark for writing the equation and one for finding the value of $a$	2
4(a) One mark for the solution.	1

### Answers

**3(a)** Out of the 11 letters of MATHEMATICS, three letters – A, T and M are repeated.  
Hence total no. of words with 11 letter

$$= \frac{11!}{2!2!2!} = 4989600$$

(b) (i)  $x = a \cos(4t + \alpha) \Rightarrow \dot{x} = -4a \sin(4t + \alpha)$   
 $\Rightarrow \ddot{x} = -16a \cos(4t + \alpha)$   
 $= -16 \times a \cos(4t + \alpha)$   
 $= -16x$

As the particle's motion can be described in the form  $\ddot{x} = -n^2 x$ , where  $n = 4$ , it is undergoing simple harmonic motion

(ii)  $x = a \cos(4t + \alpha)$   
 when  $t = 0$ ,  $x = 0$ ,  $\therefore 0 = a \cos(\alpha)$   
 i.e.  $\cos \alpha = 0 \therefore \alpha = \pi/2$

$$\therefore x = a \cos\left(4t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

and  $v = \dot{x} = -4a \sin\left(4t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

when  $t = 0$ ,  $v = -6$ ,  $\therefore -6 = -4a \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

i.e.  $4a = 6$  or  $a = 3/2$  m

(iii)  $x = \frac{3}{2} \cos\left(4t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

when  $t = 4$ ;  $x = \frac{3}{2} \cos\left(16 + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0.43$  m (2dec.pl)

the particle is about 0.43m to the right of origin.

(c) (i)  $7! = 5040$  arrangements

(ii)  $7!$  – number of arrangements in which blue and white marbles alternate =  $7! - 3!4!$   
 $= 5040 - 144$   
 $= 4896$

(iii) blue marbles arranged as a group =  $4!$

blue marbles as a group and white marbles =  $4!$

$$\therefore 4!4! = 576$$

(d) Since it is a cubic with  $-1$  as a repeated root and  $2$  as a root it can be written as

$$y = a(x+1)^2(x-2)$$

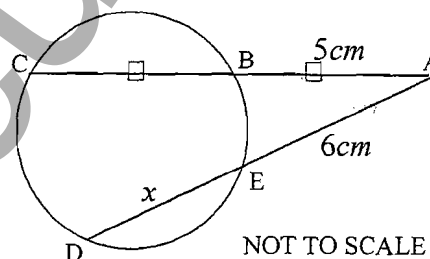
It passes through  $(0, -4)$ ,

$$-4 = a(0+1)^2(0-2) \Rightarrow -4 = -2a$$

$\therefore a = 2$  and the equation of the curve is

$$y = 2(x+1)^2(x-2)$$

**4(a)**



Since the chords of the circle, DE and CB intersect at A,  
 $DA \times EA = CA \times BA$

$$\Rightarrow (6+x) \times 6 = 10 \times 5$$

$$(6+x) = 8\frac{1}{3} \text{ or } x = 2\frac{1}{3}$$

### Question 4(b) –

Criteria	Marks
(b)(i) One mark for showing that the root lies between the two values indicated. (ii) One mark for the value of $f'(x)$ and one for applying Newton's method.	3
(c) One mark for finding the product of roots and one mark for finding the value of $k$ .	2
(d) One mark for the tangent, one mark for $\angle APX$ , one for $\angle QPX$ and one for showing that AP bisects $\angle BPQ$ .	4
(e) One mark for subtracting 1 and one for the solution	2

### Answers

4(b) Let  $f(x) = x + \sin x - \frac{\pi}{3}$

then  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{\pi}{3} \approx -0.0236$

and  $f\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{\pi}{3} \approx 0.445$

Thus over the interval  $\frac{\pi}{6} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $f(x)$  changes from -ive to +ive. Hence it has at least one root between  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Let  $x_1 = \frac{\pi}{6}$  then  $f'(x) = 1 + \cos x$

and  $f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{6} = 1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

By Newton's law,  $x_2 = \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{f\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}{f'\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)}$

$$= \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{-0.0236}{1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} \approx 0.54 \text{ (2 dp)}$$

(c) Let  $\alpha$ ,  $1/\alpha$  and  $\beta$  be the roots.

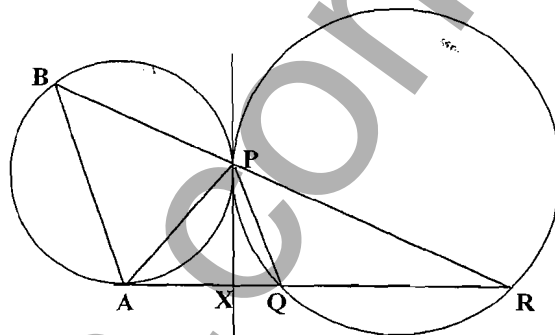
$$\text{Product of roots} = \alpha \cdot 1/\alpha \cdot \beta = \frac{-4}{2} = -2$$

i.e.  $\beta = -2$

Since  $-2$  is a root,  $2(-2)^3 - (-2)^2 + k(-2) + 4 = 0$

$\Rightarrow -2k = 16$  or  $k = -8$

(d) Construction : Draw through P a common tangent to the two circles to meet AR in X.



Proof:  $\angle XPA = \angle ABP$  (alt. seg)  $= x^\circ$  say

$\angle XPQ = \angle PRQ$  (alt. seg)  $= y^\circ$  say

$\angle APQ = \angle XPA + \angle XPQ = x^\circ + y^\circ$

Also  $\angle XAP = \angle ABP$  (alt. seg)

$\therefore \angle XAP = \angle XPA = x^\circ$

Now in  $\triangle APR$ , Ext.  $\angle APB = \angle PAR + \angle PRA$   
 $= x^\circ + y^\circ$

$\therefore \angle APQ = \angle APB$

(e)  $\frac{2x-3}{x} - 1 \leq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2x-3-x}{x} \leq 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x-3}{x} \leq 0$

The critical points are 0 and 3.

When  $x < 0$ ,  $\frac{x-3}{x} > 0$

When  $0 < x \leq 3$ ,  $\frac{x-3}{x} \leq 0$

When  $x > 3$ ,  $\frac{x-3}{x} > 0$

$\therefore$  The solution is  $0 < x \leq 3$

### Question 5

Criteria	Marks
(a) One mark for conversion into $\cos 6x$ and one mark for integration.	2
(b) (i) One mark writing it's not a one to one function. (ii) One mark for the sketch. (iii) One mark for stating domain (iv) One mark for interchange of variables for finding $y$ .	4
(c) (i) One mark for showing that $0 < y < 1$ . (ii) one mark for the differentiation and one for simplifying.	3
(iii) One mark for substitution for $P, q$ one for $y$ and one mark for $t$ .	3

### Answers

5 (a)  $\cos 2(3x) = 1 - 2\sin^2(3x)$

$$\therefore \sin^2(3x) = \frac{1 - \cos 2(3x)}{2}$$

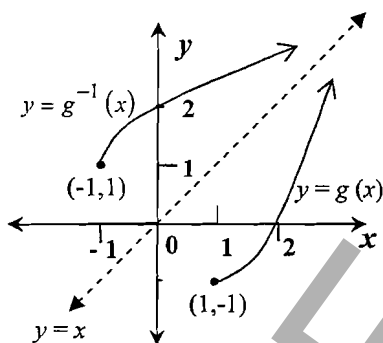
$$\int \sin^2 3x dx = \int \frac{1 - \cos 2(3x)}{2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int [1 - \cos 6x] dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( x - \frac{\sin 6x}{6} \right) + c$$

- (b) (i)  $f(x)$  does not have an inverse because it is not a one to one function. That is, for at least one  $y$ -value there is more than one  $x$ -value.

(ii)



- (iii) Domain of  $y = g^{-1}(x)$  is  $x \geq -1$

- (iv) Interchanging  $x$  and  $y$ , we get

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

$$\text{or } y = \sqrt{x+1} + 1 \text{ i.e. } g^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x+1} + 1$$

(c) (i)  $y = \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}}, P > 0, q > 0$

Since  $Pe^{qt} > 0$  for all  $t$

$$\text{then } 1 + Pe^{qt} > Pe^{qt} \therefore \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}} < 1$$

or  $y > 0$  also since  $Pe^{qt} > 0$  &  $1 + Pe^{qt} > 0$

$$y = \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}} > 0 \quad \text{Hence } 0 < y < 1$$

(ii)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{Pe^{qt} \cdot q(1 + Pe^{qt}) - Pe^{qt}(Pe^{qt} \cdot q)}{(1 + Pe^{qt})^2}$

$$= q \left[ \frac{Pe^{qt}(1 + Pe^{qt})}{(1 + Pe^{qt})^2} - \frac{(Pe^{qt})^2}{(1 + Pe^{qt})^2} \right]$$

$$= q \left[ \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}} - \left( \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$= q(y - y^2) = qy(1 - y)$$

(iii)

Given  $P=0.01$  and  $q=0.7$ , to find  $t$  when  $y=0.5$

Substituting these values in  $y = \frac{Pe^{qt}}{1 + Pe^{qt}} > 0$  we get

$$0.5 = \frac{0.01e^{0.7t}}{1 + 0.01e^{0.7t}} \Rightarrow 0.5 \times (1 + 0.01e^{0.7t}) = 0.01e^{0.7t}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.5 = 0.005e^{0.7t} \Rightarrow e^{0.7t} = 100$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{\ln 100}{0.7} \approx 6.58 \text{ or } t = 7 \text{ hours to nearest hour}$$

### Question 6

Criteria	Marks
(a)(i) One mark for integrating to get $v^2$ , one for finding $v$ and one for expressing $x$ in terms of $t$ . (ii) One mark for finding the displacement of $P$ .	4
(b)(i) One mark for the expression showing the volume and one for simplifying it (ii) One mark for finding an expression for $h$ , one for finding $d\theta/dV$ , one for finding the value of $\theta$ when $x=0.3$ and one mark for the carrying out the calculations.	6
(c) One mark for finding the derivative and one for the value of $x$ for which $f(x)$ decreases.	2

### Answers

6(a)(i)  $\ddot{x} = 8x(x^2 + 1)$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{2}v^2\right) = 8x(x^2 + 1) \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}v^2 = \frac{8x^4}{4} + \frac{8x^2}{2} + c_1$$

When  $x = 0$ ;  $v = -2 \therefore \frac{4}{2} = 0 + 0 + c_1$  or  $c_1 = 2$

$$\frac{1}{2}v^2 = 2x^4 + 4x^2 + 2 = 2(x^2 + 1)^2$$

$$\therefore v = \pm 2(x^2 + 1) \text{ or speed} = v = 2(x^2 + 1) \text{ cm/s}$$

$$v = \frac{dx}{dt} = \pm 2(x^2 + 1) \Rightarrow \pm dt = \frac{dx}{2(1+x^2)}$$

$$\therefore \pm t = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dx}{1+x^2} = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x + c_2$$

when  $t = 0$ ,  $x = 0 \therefore c_2 = 0$

$$\therefore \pm t = \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1} x \Rightarrow x = \tan(\pm 2t) = \pm \tan 2t$$

(ii) When  $t = \pi/8$ ,  $x = \pm \tan \pi/4 = \pm 1$   
The particle is 1 cm from O.

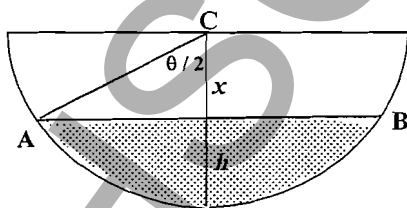
(b) (i) Volume of water (V)

$$= (\text{area of sector ACB} - \text{Area of } \triangle ACB) \times \text{length}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}r^2\theta - \frac{1}{2}r^2\sin\theta\right) \times 2$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{8}\theta - \frac{1}{8}\sin\theta\right) \times 2 = \frac{1}{4}(\theta - \sin\theta)$$

(ii)



(b)(ii) continued.

From the diagram,  $x = \frac{1}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$

$$h = \frac{1}{2} - x = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dh}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{4} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4}(\theta - \sin\theta) \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{4}(1 - \cos\theta)$$

$$\text{and } \frac{d\theta}{dV} = \frac{4}{1 - \cos\theta}$$

To find  $dh/dt$  when  $h = 0.2$  m and  $dV/dt = 0.1$

$$\text{Now } \frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{dh}{d\theta} \times \frac{d\theta}{dV} \times \frac{dV}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \times \frac{4}{1 - \cos\theta} \times 0.1$$

When  $h = 0.2$ ,  $x = 0.5 - 0.2 = 0.3$

substituting  $x = 0.3$  in  $x = \frac{1}{2} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}$  we get

$$\cos \frac{\theta}{2} = 0.6 \Rightarrow \frac{\theta}{2} = \cos^{-1} 0.6 \therefore \theta = 1.855$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{1}{4} \sin \frac{1.855}{2} \times \frac{4}{1 - \cos 1.855} \times 0.1$$

$$= 0.0625 \text{ m/min (3 sig. fig.)}$$

(c)  $f(x) = xe^{-2x}$  Hence  $f'(x) = e^{-2x} - 2xe^{-2x}$

$$\text{i.e. } f'(x) = e^{-2x}(1 - 2x)$$

$$f(x) \text{ decreases when } f'(x) < 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } e^{-2x}(1 - 2x) < 0$$

Now  $e^{-2x} > 0$  for all values of  $x$  and

$$1 - 2x < 0 \text{ when } x > \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore f(x) \text{ decreases for } x > \frac{1}{2}$$

### Question 7

Criteria	Marks
(a)(i) One mark for showing no. of ways of selecting 3f and 1m (ii) One mark for showing no. ways with 3f. (iii) One mark for the explanation and answer.(b) One mark for substitution, one for integration.	5
(c)(i) One mark for deriving an expression for time for max. height and one mark for showing $V \sin \alpha$ in terms of $g$ and $h$ (ii) One mark for the quadratic equation, one mark for its solution ( $t$ ) and one for finding the horizontal distance	5
(d)(i) One mark for showing that it is the binomial expansion of $[x+(1-x)]^n$ that equals to 1 (ii) One mark for the substitution for $x$ and simplification.	2

### Answers

7(i) The number of ways of selecting the 2 females from  $n$  females is  ${}^n C_2$  and the number of selecting 1 male for  $n$  males is  ${}^n C_1$ .

$\therefore$  No. of ways of selecting 1 male and 2 females =  ${}^n C_1 \times {}^n C_2 = n({}^n C_2)$  since  ${}^n C_1 = n$

(ii) No. of ways of selecting 3 females from  $n$  females is  ${}^n C_3$

(iii) Total no. of ways of selecting a committee of 3 people from  $2n$  people is  ${}^{2n} C_3$ .

This total can be divided into 4 categories:-

3 males, 0 females; 2 males, 1 female;

1 male, 2 females; 0 males, 3 females

$\therefore$

$$\begin{aligned} {}^{2n} C_3 &= ({}^n C_3 \times {}^n C_0) + ({}^n C_2 \times {}^n C_1) + ({}^n C_1 \times {}^n C_2) + ({}^n C_0 \times {}^n C_3) \\ &= 2({}^n C_3) + ({}^n C_2 \times n) + (n \times {}^n C_2) \\ &= 2({}^n C_3 + n {}^n C_2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{or } n({}^n C_2) + {}^n C_3 = \frac{1}{2}({}^{2n} C_3)$$

(b)

$$\int x\sqrt{x^2+9}dx \text{ let } u = x^2+9$$

$$du = 2xdx$$

$$\frac{1}{2}du = xdx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int u^{\frac{1}{2}} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2u^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

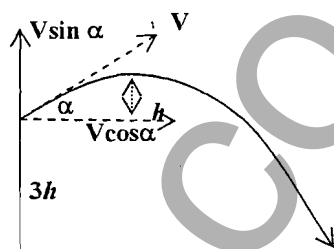
$$= \frac{(x^2+9)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3} + c$$

(c) (i) Horizontal motion:  $\ddot{x} = 0$ , Integrating we get

$$\dot{x} = c_1 \text{ when } t=0, \dot{x} = V \cos \alpha \therefore c_1 = V \cos \alpha$$

$$\dot{x} = V \cos \alpha$$

(c) (i) continued



Integrating again we get,

$$x = Vt \cos \alpha + c_2$$

$$\text{when } t=0, x=0 \therefore c_2=0$$

$$\text{or } x = Vt \cos \alpha$$

Vertical motion:

$$\ddot{y} = -g, \text{ Integrating we get,}$$

$$\dot{y} = -gt + c_3$$

$$\text{when } t=0, \dot{y} = V \sin \alpha \text{ and so } c_3 = V \sin \alpha$$

$$\therefore \dot{y} = -gt + V \sin \alpha, \text{ Integrating again we get}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + Vt \sin \alpha + c_3$$

$$\text{when } t=0, y=3h \therefore c_3=3h$$

$$\therefore y = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + Vt \sin \alpha + 3h$$

Greatest height is reached when  $\dot{y}=0$

$$-gt + V \sin \alpha = 0 \text{ or } t = \frac{V \sin \alpha}{g}$$

$$\text{When } t = \frac{V \sin \alpha}{g}, y = 4h$$

$$\therefore 4h = -\frac{g}{2} \left[ \frac{V \sin \alpha}{g} \right]^2 + V \left[ \frac{V \sin \alpha}{g} \right] \sin \alpha + 3h$$

$$h = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{V^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g} + \frac{V^2 \sin^2 \alpha}{g}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2g} V^2 \sin^2 \alpha \Rightarrow V \sin \alpha = \sqrt{2gh}$$

7(c)(ii).

We substitute  $y=0$ , in  $y = -\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + Vt \sin \alpha + 3h$   
to get the time taken for the journey.

$$-\frac{1}{2}gt^2 + Vt \sin \alpha + 3h = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow gt^2 - 2Vt \sin \alpha - 6h = 0$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{2\sqrt{2gh} \pm \sqrt{8gh + 24gh}}{2g}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{2gh} \pm 4\sqrt{2gh}}{2g}$$

$$\text{or } t = \frac{6\sqrt{2gh}}{2g} = 3\sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

Horizontal distance ( or the time  $t = 3\sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$  )

$$x = Vt \cos \alpha = V \sin \alpha \left( \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} \right) \times 3\sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$$

$$= \sqrt{2gh} \times \cot \alpha \times 3\sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}} = \underline{6h \cot \alpha}$$

(d)(i)

$$[x + (1-x)]^n = {}^nC_0 x^n + {}^nC_1 x^{n-1}(1-x)$$

$$+ {}^nC_2 x^{n-2}(1-x)^2 + \dots + {}^nC_n (1-x)^n$$

$$\text{Now } [x + (1-x)]^n = [x + 1 - x]^n = 1^n = 1$$

$$\therefore {}^nC_0 x^n + {}^nC_1 x^{n-1}(1-x) + {}^nC_2 x^{n-2}(1-x)^2$$

$$+ \dots + {}^nC_n (1-x)^n = 1$$

(ii) Substituting  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  in the above equation,

we get

$${}^nC_0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n + {}^nC_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + {}^nC_2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$$

$$+ \dots + {}^nC_n \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^nC_0 2^{-n} + {}^nC_1 2^{-n} + {}^nC_2 2^{-n} + \dots + {}^nC_n 2^{-n} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow {}^nC_0 + {}^nC_1 + {}^nC_2 + \dots + {}^nC_n = \underline{2^n}$$