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MARKING SCHEME (FOR SPECIAL / SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM)

1 a. i) Let A, B be sets. If all elements of A are found in B then A is a subset of B. ①
 $A \subseteq B$.

ii. Let X be a set and ξ its universal set such that $X \subseteq \xi$. Compliments of X denoted by X^c is

$$X^c = \{ a : a \in \xi \text{ and } a \notin X \} \quad \text{①}$$

iii. The universal set is the set containing all elements in a topic under discussion. ①

iv. Venn diagram is a pictorial representation of a set. ①

b. $u = \mathbb{N} = \{1,2,3,\dots\}$, $A = \{1,2,3,4\}$, $B = \{3,4,5,6,7\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{i) } \{A \cup B\} &= \{1,2,3,4\} \cup \{3,4,5,6,7\} \\ &= \{1,2,3,4,5,6,7\} \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } A \cap B &= \{1,2,3,4\} \cap \{3,4,5,6,7\} \\ &= \{3,4\} \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

iii. $A^c = \{ x : x \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } x \notin A \}$

$$A^c = \{ 5,6,7, \dots \}. \quad \text{①}$$

Similarly

iv. $B^c = \{ 1,2,8,9,10, \dots \}$ ①

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } f(x) &= \frac{x^4 + x^2 - x^2 + 1}{x^2 - 1} \\ &= \frac{x^2(x^2 + 1) - 1(x^2 + 1)}{x^2 - 1} \quad \text{①} \\ &= (x^2 + 1) \quad \text{①} \\ &= x + 1 = l(x) \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow +1} f(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow +1} \frac{x^4 - x^2 - x^2 + 1}{x^2 - 1} = \lim_{x \rightarrow +1} x^2 + 1 \quad \text{①} \\ &= (1)^2 + 1 \quad \text{①} \\ &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } x - 1 & \overline{) \begin{array}{r} x^2 + 5x + 6 \\ x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6 \\ \hline x^3 - x^2 \\ \hline 5x^2 + x - 6 \\ 5x^2 - 5x \\ \hline 6x - 6 \\ \hline 6x - 6 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}} \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Also } x^2 + 5x + 6 &= x^2 + 2x + 3x + 6 \\ &= x(x + 2) + 3(x + 2) \\ &= (x + 2)(x + 3) \quad \text{①} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6 = (x-1)(x+2)(x+3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{If } x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6 &= 0 \\ \Leftrightarrow (x-1)(x+2)(x+3) &= 0 \\ x &= 1, x = -2, x = -3 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

e) Initial Investment, $\alpha = f100$
 After 1 year $100 \times \frac{108}{100} = f108$

After 2 years $\frac{108}{100} \times 108 = f116.64$

Common ratio, r of $100 + 108 + 116.64 + \dots$
 $r = 1.08$

i. after 10 years $U_n = \alpha r^{n-1}$
 $u_{10} = 100(1.08)^9 \quad \textcircled{1}$

$$u_{10} = f199.900 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\approx f199.9$$

$$\approx f200 \text{ to 3 s.f.} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

ii. $U_n = 300$
 $300 = 100(1.08)^{n-1} \quad \textcircled{1}$

$$n - 1 = \frac{\log 3}{\log 1.08} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$n - 1 = 14.27$$

$$n = 15.27 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

f) $y = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x + 5$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 18x + 12 \quad \textcircled{1}$
 $= 6x^2 - 18x + 12.$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=6} &= 6(6)^2 - 18(6) + 12 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= 12 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

Nature of turning point

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= 12x - 18 \\ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \Big|_{x=6} &= 12(6) - 18 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= +126 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore A minimum Turning point

$$S = 3t^3 - 20t^2 + 40t$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2a) \text{ i) } S(t) &= 3(3)^3 - 20(3)^2 + 40(3) \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= 81 - 180 + 120 \\ &= 21 \text{ metres} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii. } v(t) &= \frac{ds}{dt} \\ &= \frac{d}{dt}(3t^3 - 20t^2 + 40t) \\ v(t) &= 9t^2 - 40t + 40 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{iii. } 9t^2 - 40t + 40 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}, \quad \alpha = 9, b = -40, c = 40$$

$$t = \frac{-(-40) \pm \sqrt{(-40)^2 - (4)(9)(40)}}{2(9)}$$

$$= \frac{40 \pm \sqrt{1600 - 1440}}{18}$$

$$= \frac{40 \pm \sqrt{160}}{18}$$

$$t = \frac{40 + 12.6491}{18}$$

$$t = \frac{40 + 12.6491}{18} = \underline{\underline{2.92495S}} \text{ or } t = \frac{40 - 12.6491}{18} = \underline{\underline{1.51949S}}$$

iv) When $t = 0$, initial velocity is

$$\begin{aligned} v(0) &= 9(0) - 40(0) + 40 \\ &= 40 \text{ m/s} \end{aligned}$$

v) Acceleration = $\frac{dv}{dt}$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{d}{dt}(9t^2 - 40t + 40) \\ \alpha &= 18t - 40 \end{aligned}$$

vi) $\alpha = 18t - 40$ α , $t = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \text{Initial acceleration} = 18(0) - 40 \\ &= -40 \text{ m/s}^2. \end{aligned}$$

b) i. $\int_0^1 (3x + 1)^5 dx$.

Let $(3x + 1) = t$ ①

$\frac{dt}{dx} = 3$

$dx = \frac{1}{3} dt$

$\frac{1}{3} dt = dx$

$\therefore \int_0^1 (3x + 1)^5 dx = \int_0^1 (t)^5 \frac{1}{3} dt$. ①

$= \left[\frac{t^6}{6} \right]_0^1$ replacing $t = 3x + 1$

$= \left[\frac{(3x + 1)^6}{6} \right]_0^1$ ①

$= \frac{3(1) + 1}{6} - \frac{3(0) + 1}{6}$ ①

$= \frac{4}{6} - \frac{1}{6}$

$= \frac{3}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$ ①

4. a) Let α be the first term and r be the rate of interest.

$\alpha = \text{£} 250$.

$r = 6\%$.

End of 1st year $\frac{106}{100} \times 250 = \text{£} 265$ ①

End of 2nd year $\frac{106}{100} \times 265 = \text{£} 280.9$ ①

End of 3rd year $\frac{106}{100} \times 280.9 = \text{£} 297.754$ ①

Series required is $265 + 280.9 + 297.754 + \dots$ ①
with $\alpha = 265$ and $r = 1.06$.

i. $T_n = \alpha r^{n-1}$

$T_{15} = 265 (1.06)^{14}$ ①

$= \text{£} 599.1395483$

$\approx \text{£} 599.14$ ①

ii. nth value = £ 750

$$\Rightarrow 750 = ar^{n-1}$$

$$750 = 265 (1.06)^{n-1}$$

$$(1.06)^{n-1} = \frac{750}{265} = 2.830188679$$

$$(n-1) \log 1.06 = \log 2.8302.$$

$$n-1 = \frac{\log 2.8302}{\log 1.06} = \frac{0.4518}{0.0253} = 17.86$$

$$n = 17.86 + 1 = 18.86$$

$$n \approx 19 \text{ years}$$

b) 10th term of A series = $\alpha + 9d$

5th term of A series = $\alpha + 5d$

Since 10th term = twice 5th term.

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + 9d = 2(\alpha + 5d)$$

$$\alpha + 9d = 0 \text{ ——— (i)}$$

Also 30th term = 60

$$\Rightarrow \alpha + 29d = 60 \text{ ——— (ii)}$$

from (i) $a = -9d$.

∴ in (ii)

$$-9d + 29d = 60$$

$$20d = 60$$

$$d = 3$$

Since $\alpha = 9d$.

$$\alpha = -9(3)$$

$$\alpha = -27$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a + (n-1)d)$$

$$S_9 = \frac{9}{2}(2(-27) + (9-1)3) = \frac{9}{2}(-54 + 24) = -135$$

$$S_{20} = \frac{20}{2}(2(-27) + (20-1)3) = 10(-54 + 57) = 30$$

The sum from 9th term to 20th term is

$$S_{20} - S_9 = 30 - (-135) \\ = \underline{\underline{165}}$$

C i.) $f(x) = 2x - 1$ $g(x) = x^2 + 5x - 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} g(f(x)) &= g(2x - 1) \\ &= (2x - 1)^2 - 5(2x - 1) - 2 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= 4x^2 - 4x + 1 + 10x - 5 - 2 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= 4x^2 + 6x - 6 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii) } g \text{ of } (2) &= 4(2)^2 + 6(2) + 6 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= 16 + 12 + 6 \\ &= 34 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

3. Matrix Eqn. $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 33 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ $\textcircled{1}$

$$X = \frac{D_x}{D} \quad y = \frac{D_y}{D} \quad z = \frac{D_z}{D}$$

$$D = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & -3 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (6+8) - (-4-2) + (-4+9) = 35 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_x &= \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 33 & -3 & 4 \\ 2 & -2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 4(6+8) - (-66-8) + (-66+8) = 70 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ & \quad \quad \quad x = \frac{70}{35} = 2 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_y &= \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 33 & 4 \\ 3 & 2 & -2 \end{vmatrix} = (-66-8) - 4(-4-12) + (4-99) = -105 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ & \quad \quad \quad y = \frac{-105}{35} = -3 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ & \quad \quad \quad = (-6+66) - (4-99) + 4(-4+9) \\ & \quad \quad \quad = 175 \quad \textcircled{1}, \quad z = \frac{175}{35} = 5 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Co-factors } A_{11} &= +(-1+2) = 1 & A_{12} &= -(2+3) = -5 \\ A_{21} &= -(2+6) = -8 & A_{22} &= +(1+9) = 10 \\ A_{31} &= +(-2-3) = -5 & A_{32} &= -(-1+6) = -5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A_{13} &= +(4+3) = 7 \\ A_{23} &= -(2-6) = 4 \\ A_{33} &= +(-1-4) = -5 \end{aligned}$$

.. matrix of cofactors is
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -5 & 7 \\ -8 & 10 & 4 \\ -5 & -5 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Adjoints A,
$$\text{Adj A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -8 & -5 \\ -5 & 10 & -5 \\ 7 & 4 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{141} \quad \text{Adj A where (A) = det A = } 1(-1+2) - 2(2+3) - (4+3)$$

$$= 1 - 10 - 21$$

$$= -30$$

..
$$A^{-1} = -\frac{1}{30} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -8 & -5 \\ -5 & 10 & -5 \\ 7 & 4 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

For the system
$$\begin{aligned} x_1 + 2x_2 - 3x_3 &= 3 \\ 2x_1 - x_2 - x_3 &= 11 \\ 3x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3 &= -5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & -1 & -1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = A^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{30} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -8 & -5 \\ -5 & 10 & -5 \\ 7 & 4 & -5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 11 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{1}{30} \begin{pmatrix} -60 \\ 120 \\ 90 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_1 = 2, x_2 = -4, x_3 = -2$$

5. a) i. factors of $f(x)$ are: $(x+3)$, $(x-2)$ and $(x-4)$ ①

$$f(x) = k(x+3)(x-2)(x-4) \quad \text{①}$$

$$f(0) = k(3)(-2)(-4) = -12$$

$$\Rightarrow 24k = -12$$

$$K = -1/2 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{Hence } f(x) = -1/2 (x+3)(x-2)(x-4) \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{ii. } x^2+2 \overline{) 3x^2 - 4x - 1} \\ \underline{3x^2 + 6x} \\ -4x^3 - x^2 + 7x + 4 \\ \underline{-4x^3 - 8x} \\ -x^2 + x + 4 \\ \underline{-x^2 - 2} \\ X + 6 \end{array} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Hence

$$3x^4 - 4x^3 + 5x^2 - 7x + 4 = (3x^2 - 4x - 1)(x^2 + 2) + x + 6 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b. } \frac{x^{-2/3} y^{1/2} z^{2/3}}{(x^{2/3} y^2 z^{2/3})^{1/3}} &= x^{-2/3} y^{1/2} z^{2/3} \\ &= x^{-2/3} y^{1/2} z^{2/3} \\ &= x^{-2/3} y^{1/2} z^{2/3} \\ &= x^{-8/9} y^{-1/6} z^{2/9} \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= Z^{2/9} \\ &= X^{8/9} Y^{-1/6} \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } \frac{a^2 b^{1/2} c^{1/4} a^{1/4} b^{1/4}}{\sqrt[3]{a^2 b^3 c^{1/2}}} &= \frac{a^{2+1/4} b^{1/2+1/4} c^{1/4}}{a^{2/3} b^{3/4} c^{1/12}} \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= a^{2\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{2}{3}} b^{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{4}} c^{\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{12}} \\ &= a^{\frac{24+3+8}{12}} b^{\frac{2+1-4}{4}} c^{\frac{6-4}{24}} \\ &= a^{-19/12} b^{-1/4} c^{-1/12} \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= \frac{1}{a^{19/12} b^{1/4} c^{1/12}} \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

c) i. $3x^2 - 7x - 8 = 0$

$$x = \frac{b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}, \quad a = 3, b = -7, c = -8$$

$$x = \frac{-(-7) \pm \sqrt{(-7)^2 - (4)(3)(-8)}}{(2)(3)} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$= \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{49 + 96}}{6}$$

$$= \frac{7 + \sqrt{145}}{6} = 3.1736 \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{7 - \sqrt{145}}{6} = 0.8403 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

ii. $x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$

$$x^2 - 7x = -12$$

$$x^2 - 7x + \left(\frac{7}{2}\right)^2 = -12 + \left(\frac{7}{2}\right)^2 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{7}{2}\right)^2 = -12 + 12.25$$

$$x - \frac{7}{2} = \pm \sqrt{0.25} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$x - \frac{7}{2} = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{7}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 4 \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{2} = 3$$