

Suggested Solution for 2023 NYJC JC1 FM EOY

1	Suggested Solution
(a)	$\mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A}$ $ \mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A} $ $ \mathbf{A}^2 - \mathbf{A} = 0$ $ \mathbf{A} (\mathbf{A} - 1) = 0$ $ \mathbf{A} = 0 \text{ or } 1$
(b)	$\mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A}$ $\mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A}^{-1}\mathbf{A} \text{ since the matrix is invertible.}$ $\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{I}$
(c)	$\mathbf{A}$ is non-invertible: $\mathbf{A} = wz - xy = 0 \text{ -- (1)}$ $\mathbf{A}^2 = \mathbf{A}$ $\begin{pmatrix} w^2 + xy & wx + xz \\ wy + zy & xy + z^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} w & x \\ y & z \end{pmatrix}$ $w^2 + xy = w$ $w^2 + wz = w \text{ (using (1))}$ $w + z = 1$ Note that solving $wy + zy = y$ or $wx + xz = x$ is also possible. As qn did not mention y or x is non-zero, need to at least mention that if x or y is zero, then $\mathbf{A}$ will be the identity matrix whose determinant is not zero. Note: $x \neq 0$ and $y \neq 0$. This is because if $x = 0$ or $y = 0$, $\det(\mathbf{A}) = 0$, means $wz = 0$, which is a contradiction.

2 Suggested Solution

Let $P(n)$ be the proposition that $\frac{d^{2n}}{dx^{2n}}(f(x)) = (-4)^n \sin(2x)$, for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{When } n=1, \text{ LHS} &= \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(\sin(2x)) \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}(2\cos(2x)) \\ &= 2(-2\sin(2x)) = -4\sin(2x) = \text{RHS}\end{aligned}$$

$P(1)$ is true.

Assume $P(k)$ is true for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. i.e. $\frac{d^{2k}}{dx^{2k}}(f(x)) = (-4)^k \sin(2x)$.

To show $P(k+1)$ is true. i.e. $\frac{d^{2(k+1)}}{dx^{2(k+1)}}(f(x)) = (-4)^{k+1} \sin(2x)$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{LHS} &= \frac{d^{2k+2}}{dx^{2k+2}}(\sin(2x)) \\ &= \frac{d^2}{dx^2}((-4)^k \sin(2x)) \quad \text{By inductive hypothesis} \\ &= \frac{d}{dx}((-4)^k 2\cos(2x)) \\ &= (-4)^k 2(-2)\sin(2x) \\ &= (-4)^{k+1} \sin(2x) = \text{RHS}\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore P(k) \text{ true} \Rightarrow P(k+1) \text{ true}$ and since $P(1)$ is true, by mathematical induction

$$\frac{d^{2n}}{dx^{2n}}(f(x)) = (-4)^n \sin(2x), \text{ for } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$$

Since Maclaurin's expansion of $f(x)$ is given by

$$f(x) = f(0) + xf'(0) + \frac{x^2}{2!}f''(0) + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!}f^{(n)}(0) + \dots$$

and from the result of induction $\frac{d^{2n}}{dx^{2n}}(f(x)) = (-4)^n \sin(2x)$, for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and $\sin(0) = 0$

$f(0)=0$ and all even derivatives are zero $\Rightarrow$ **coefficient of even powers of x is equal to 0**

$$\frac{d^{2n+1}}{dx^{2n+1}}(f(x)) = 2(-4)^n \cos(2x)$$

$$\text{When } x=0, \quad \frac{d^{2n+1}}{dx^{2n+1}}(f(x)) = 2(-4)^n \cos(0) = 2(-4)^n \neq 0$$

Therefore, all the odd powers of x ($n \geq 3$) has non-zero coefficient.

Clearly the first derivative, .

$f'(0) = 2\cos(0) \neq 0$ Thus the Maclaurin expansion only contains odd powers of x .

3	Suggested Solution
(a)	$\frac{dx}{dt} = -a \sin t + a \frac{\sec^2 \frac{t}{2}}{2 \tan \frac{t}{2}}$ $= -a \sin t + \frac{a}{2 \sin \frac{t}{2} \cos \frac{t}{2}} = -a \sin t + \frac{a}{\sin t}$ $\frac{dy}{dt} = a \cos t$ $\text{Arc length} = \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2} dt$ $= \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sqrt{a^2 \sin^2 t - 2a^2 + \frac{a^2}{\sin^2 t} + a^2 \cos^2 t} dt$ $= a \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sqrt{-1 + \frac{1}{\sin^2 t}} dt = a \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{\cos t}{\sin t} dt$ $= a \left[\ln \sin t \right]_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} = a \left(\ln \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - \ln \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right) = \frac{a}{2} \ln \frac{3}{2}$
(b)	$I_n = \int_0^1 \frac{x^n}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$ $= \int_0^1 x^{n-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$ $= \left[x^{n-1} (-\sqrt{4-x^2}) \right]_0^1 - \int_0^1 (n-1) x^{n-2} (-\sqrt{4-x^2}) dx$ $= -\sqrt{3} + (n-1) \int_0^1 x^{n-2} (\sqrt{4-x^2}) dx$ $= -\sqrt{3} + (n-1) \int_0^1 x^{n-2} \left(\frac{4-x^2}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} \right) dx$

	$= -\sqrt{3} + 4(n-1) \int_0^1 \frac{x^{n-2}}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx - (n-1) \int_0^1 \frac{x^n}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$ $I_n + (n-1)I_n = -\sqrt{3} + 4(n-1)I_{n-2}$ $nI_n = 4(n-1)I_{n-2} - \sqrt{3}$
(i)	$\text{Area} = 1 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) - \int_0^1 \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} - I_3$ Using $nI_n = 4(n-1)I_{n-2} - \sqrt{3}$ $3I_3 = 4(2)I_1 - \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow I_3 = \frac{8}{3}I_1 - \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3}$ $\text{Area} = \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} - \left(\frac{8}{3}I_1 - \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} \right) = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{3} - \frac{8}{3}I_1$ $I_1 = \int_0^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx = - \left[\sqrt{4-x^2} \right]_0^1 = -(\sqrt{3} - 2) = 2 - \sqrt{3}$ $\text{Area} = \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{3} - \frac{8}{3}(2 - \sqrt{3}) = \frac{10}{3}\sqrt{3} - \frac{16}{3}$
(ii)	$\text{Volume} = \pi(1)^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \right) - 2\pi \int_0^1 x \frac{x^3}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$ $= \frac{\pi}{\sqrt{3}} - 2\pi I_4$ $nI_n = 4(n-1)I_{n-2} - \sqrt{3}$ $4I_4 = 4(3)I_2 - \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow I_4 = 3I_2 - \frac{1}{4}\sqrt{3}$ $2I_2 = 4I_0 - \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow I_2 = 2I_0 - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$ $I_0 = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx = \left[\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{2} \right) \right]_0^1 = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$I_2 = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3} = \frac{1}{3}\pi - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$$

$$I_4 = 3\left(\frac{1}{3}\pi - \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}\right) - \frac{1}{4}\sqrt{3} = \pi - \frac{7}{4}\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{Volume} = \frac{\pi}{3}\sqrt{3} - 2\pi I_4$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3}\sqrt{3} - 2\pi\left(\pi - \frac{7}{4}\sqrt{3}\right) = \frac{23}{6}\pi\sqrt{3} - 2\pi^2$$

4(a)	Suggested Solution
(i)	As $n \rightarrow \infty$, $u_n \rightarrow l$ and $u_{n+1} \rightarrow l$ $l = \frac{kl + a}{l + k}$ $l^2 + kl = kl + a$ $l = \sqrt{a} \text{ (since the sequence is positive)}$
(i)	$u_{n+1} - u_n = \frac{ku_n + a}{u_n + k} - u_n$ $= \frac{ku_n + a - (u_n)^2 - ku_n}{u_n + k}$ $= \frac{a - (u_n)^2}{u_n + k}$ $= \frac{(\sqrt{a} - u_n)(\sqrt{a} + u_n)}{u_n + k} < 0$ Since $u_n > \sqrt{a}$ and $k > 0$ We have $u_{n+1} - u_n < 0$. Hence $u_{n+1} < u_n$.

5(b)	Suggested Solution
(i)	$x_n = 0.8x_{n-1} + 0.1y_{n-1} \text{ --- (1)}$ $y_n = 0.2x_{n-1} + 0.9y_{n-1} \text{ --- (2)}$ From (1), $0.1y_{n-1} = x_n - 0.8x_{n-1}$ $y_{n-1} = 10x_n - 8x_{n-1}$ Substitute into (2), $y_n = 0.2x_{n-1} + 0.9(10x_n - 8x_{n-1})$ $y_n = 9x_n - 7x_{n-1}$ $1 - x_n = 9x_n - 7x_{n-1}$ $10x_n = 7x_{n-1} + 1$ $x_n = 0.7x_{n-1} + 0.1$ Alternatively, From (1): $x_n = 0.8x_{n-1} + 0.1y_{n-1}$ $= 0.8x_{n-1} + 0.1(1 - x_{n-1}) \text{ using given info}$ $= 0.7x_{n-1} + 0.1$
(ii)	General solution: $x_n = A(0.7)^n + B$

$x_1 = 0.7A + B = 0.9$ $B = 0.7B + 0.1$ Solving, $B = \frac{1}{3}, A = \frac{17}{21}$ Thus $x_n = \frac{17}{21}(0.7)^n + \frac{1}{3}$ $y_n = 1 - x_n = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{17}{21}(0.7)^n$

5	Suggested Solution
(a)	Since $\dim(\mathbb{R}^4) = 4$ and there are 4 vectors in the set. It is sufficient to prove that if the vectors are linearly independent, the set is a basis for $\mathbb{R}^4$. Using GC, $\det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = 6 \neq 0$, the vectors are linearly independent. Hence the set forms a basis for $\mathbb{R}^4$.
(b)	$\mathbf{M} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 & 6 & 11 \\ 13 & 5 & 13 & 27 \\ 9 & 4 & 7 & 16 \\ 10 & 6 & 7 & 17 \end{pmatrix}$ $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 1 & 6 & 11 \\ 13 & 5 & 13 & 27 \\ 9 & 4 & 7 & 16 \\ 10 & 6 & 7 & 17 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 3 & 7 & 10 & 1 \\ 2 & 5 & 7 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 & 7 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$
(c)	$\text{rref}(\mathbf{M}) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ Hence basis for range space of $T = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$

Alternatively, $\text{rref}(\mathbf{M}^T) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

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$\text{Dim}(\text{Range space of } T) + \text{Dim}(\text{Kernel of } T) = 4$

$\text{Dim}(\text{Kernel of } T) = 4 - 3 = 1$

(d)

$$\lambda_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 7 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_3 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 7 & 1 & b \\ 2 & 5 & 0 & c \\ 3 & 4 & 0 & d \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & b \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & c \\ 0 & -2 & -3 & d \end{array} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c-b \\ 0 & 0 & -7 & d+2b \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \frac{d+2b}{-7} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c-b \end{array} \right)$$

Alternatively,

$$\lambda_1 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda_3 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & b \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & c \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \left(\begin{array}{ccc|c} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & c-b \end{array} \right)$$

Hence $c = b$, $d \in \mathbb{R}$ for $\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \\ c \\ d \end{pmatrix}$ to be in the range space of T .

6	Suggested Solution
	$\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \tan^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right) = \frac{1}{2}(1+t^2)$ $\Rightarrow dx = \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$ $t = \tan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$ $\tan x = \frac{2t}{1-t^2}; \cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}; \sin x = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$ $\int \frac{1}{3-2\sin x + \cos x} dx$ $= \int \frac{1}{3-2\frac{2t}{1+t^2} + \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}} \cdot \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$ $= \int \frac{2}{3+3t^2-4t+1-t^2} dt$ $= \int \frac{1}{t^2-2t+2} dt$ $= \int \frac{1}{(t-1)^2+1} dt$ $= \tan^{-1}(t-1) + c$ $= \tan^{-1}\left(\tan\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)-1\right) + c$
(i)	$\int \cos 3mx \sin 3nx \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \sin(3m+3n)x - \sin(3m-3n)x \, dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{\cos(3m+3n)x}{(3m+3n)} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\cos(3m-3n)x}{(3m-3n)} \right) + C$
(ii)	$\int_0^\pi \cos^2(3mx) + \sin^2(3nx) + 2\cos 3mx \sin 3nx \, dx$ $= \int_0^\pi \frac{1+\cos 6mx}{2} + \frac{1-\cos 6nx}{2} + \sin(3m+3n)x - \sin(3m-3n)x \, dx$ $= \left[x + \frac{\sin 6mx}{12m} - \frac{\sin 6nx}{12n} \right]_0^\pi + \left[-\frac{\cos(3m+3n)x}{3(m+n)} + \frac{\cos(3m-3n)x}{3(m-n)} \right]_0^\pi$ $= \pi + \left(-\frac{\cos(3m+3n)\pi}{3(m+n)} \right) + \frac{\cos(3m-3n)\pi}{3(m-n)} - \left(-\frac{1}{3(m+n)} + \frac{1}{3(m-n)} \right)$ Since $\sin k\pi = 0$ for all integer k. If m is even and n is odd, then $3(m+n)$ and $3(m-n)$ will be

	odd, hence $\cos(3m+3n)\pi = \cos(3m-3n)\pi = -1$ Answer: $= \pi + \frac{2}{3(m+n)} - \frac{2}{3(m-n)} = \pi + \frac{2(m-n-m-n)}{3(m^2-n^2)} = \pi - \frac{4n}{3(m^2-n^2)}$
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7	Suggested Solution
(a)	$x = \frac{k}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} + e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right)$ $\frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{k}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} \left(\frac{1}{k} \right) - e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \left(\frac{1}{k} \right) \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} - e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right)$ $\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dx}{dy} \right)^2} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{1}{4} \left(e^{\frac{2y}{k}} - 2 + e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} \right)}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(e^{\frac{2y}{k}} + 2 + e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} \right)}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} + e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right)^2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} + e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right)$ $S = \int_{-a}^a 2\pi x \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dx}{dy} \right)^2} dy$ $= \int_{-a}^a 2\pi \frac{k}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} + e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right) \frac{1}{2} \left(e^{\frac{y}{k}} + e^{-\frac{y}{k}} \right) dy$ $= \frac{\pi k}{2} \int_{-a}^a e^{\frac{2y}{k}} + 2 + e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} dy$ $= \frac{\pi k}{2} \left[\frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2y}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} + 2y \right]_{-a}^a$ $= \frac{\pi k}{2} \left[\frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + \frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2a}{k}} + 2a - (-2a) \right]$ $= \frac{\pi k}{2} \left[k e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - k e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right]$
(b)	$A = 2\pi \frac{k}{2} \left(e^{\frac{a}{k}} + e^{-\frac{a}{k}} \right) (2a) = 2\pi k a \left(e^{\frac{a}{k}} + e^{-\frac{a}{k}} \right)$ $S = 2A$ $\frac{\pi k}{2} \left[k e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - k e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right] = 4\pi k a \left(e^{\frac{a}{k}} + e^{-\frac{a}{k}} \right)$ $\left[k e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - k e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right] = 8a \left(e^{\frac{a}{k}} + e^{-\frac{a}{k}} \right)$

	Dividing by k throughout $e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4\frac{a}{k} = 8\frac{a}{k} \left(e^{\frac{a}{k}} + e^{-\frac{a}{k}} \right)$ Let $x = \frac{a}{k}$ $e^{2x} - e^{-2x} + 4x = 8x(e^x + e^{-x})$ Using G.C. $x = 3.23526 \approx 3.235$ (3 d.p.)
(c)	$V = \pi \int_{-a}^a x^2 dy$ $= \pi \int_{-a}^a \frac{k^2}{4} \left(e^{\frac{2y}{k}} + 2 + e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} \right) dy$ $= \frac{k^2}{4} \pi \left[\frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2y}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2y}{k}} + 2y \right]_{-a}^a$ $= \frac{\pi k^2}{4} \left[\frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} - \frac{k}{2} e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + \frac{k}{2} e^{\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right]$ $= \frac{\pi k^2}{4} \left[k e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - k e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right]$ $= \frac{1}{2} k \frac{\pi k}{2} \left[k e^{\frac{2a}{k}} - k e^{-\frac{2a}{k}} + 4a \right] = \frac{1}{2} k S$

8	Suggested Solution
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a $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{0}$ has non trivial solution if $|\mathbf{AB}| = 0 \Rightarrow |\mathbf{A}| = 0$ or $|\mathbf{B}| = 0$

$$\text{i.e. } \begin{vmatrix} k & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & k \\ 1 & 2 & k \end{vmatrix} = 0 \text{ or } \begin{vmatrix} 0 & k & 1 \\ 2 & k & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & k \end{vmatrix} = 0$$

$$-2k^2 + 4 = 0 \text{ or } -2k^2 - k + 4 = 0$$

$$k = \pm\sqrt{2} \text{ or } k = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{33}}{4}$$

$$\text{b(i)} \quad \mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} k & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & k \\ 1 & 2 & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow k = 2$$

b(ii) Characteristic equation $|\mathbf{A} - \lambda \mathbf{I}| = 0$

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 2-\lambda & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -\lambda & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 2-\lambda \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Using GC, $\lambda = -1, 1$ and 4

When $\lambda = 1$, $\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{x}$, we have from **(b)(i)** that $\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\text{When } \lambda = -1, (\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{I})\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0} \text{ and } \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{When } \lambda = 4, (\mathbf{A} - 4\mathbf{I})\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{0} \text{ and } \mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 4 & 3 \\ -1 & -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{5}{6} & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{6} \\ -\frac{1}{10} & \frac{1}{5} & -\frac{1}{10} \\ \frac{2}{15} & \frac{1}{15} & \frac{2}{15} \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

9	Suggested Solution
(a)	$W = \{\mathbf{w} \in \mathbb{R}^3 : \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0 \text{ for every } \mathbf{v} \in V\}$ $\mathbf{0} \in W$ since $\mathbf{0} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$ for every $\mathbf{v} \in V$ Therefore W is non-empty. Let $\mathbf{w}_1, \mathbf{w}_2 \in W$ and $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$. For every $\mathbf{v} \in V$, $(\alpha \mathbf{w}_1 + \beta \mathbf{w}_2) \cdot \mathbf{v} = \alpha \mathbf{w}_1 \cdot \mathbf{v} + \beta \mathbf{w}_2 \cdot \mathbf{v}$ $= \alpha 0 + \beta 0$ $= 0$ Hence $\alpha \mathbf{w}_1 + \beta \mathbf{w}_2 \in W$ and W is closed under vector addition and scalar multiplication. Hence W is a subspace.
(b) (i)	Clearly, $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 5 & 10 & 20 \\ -2 & -4 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $x + 2y + 4z = 0$ Let $y = \lambda, z = \mu$. Then $x = -2\lambda - 4\mu$. Hence basis for nullspace is $\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$.
(b) (ii)	The blind spots of the detection system lie on a plane passing through the origin (i.e. enemy command centre) and perpendicular to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$.
(b) (iii)	The orthogonal complement of the blind spots of the detection system is a line parallel to $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and passing through the origin (i.e. enemy command centre).

10 Suggested Solution

a) $A_1 = 5, A_2 = 8$ and $A_{n+1} = 3A_n + 2A_{n-1} - 8$ for $n \geq 2$.

Auxiliary equation: $m^2 - 3m - 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow m = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9+8}}{2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2}$$

Let particular solution be $A_n = \alpha$, then $\alpha = 3\alpha + 2\alpha - 8 \Rightarrow \alpha = 2$

General solution: $A_n = a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^n + b \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^n + 2$

When $n = 1$, $5 = a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + b \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + 2$

$$\Rightarrow a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + b \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) = 3 \quad \text{-----(1)}$$

When $n = 2$, $8 = a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^2 + b \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^2 + 2$

$$6 = a \left[3 \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + 2 \right] + b \left[3 \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + 2 \right] \quad \because \text{roots of aux eqn}$$

$$6 = 3 \left[a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) b \right] + 2a + 2b$$

$$6 = 9 + 2a + 2b \quad \text{using (1)}$$

$$b = -\frac{3}{2} - a \quad \text{-----(2)}$$

Sub into (1): $a \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) + \left(-\frac{3}{2} - a \right) \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right) = 3$

$$\sqrt{17}a - \frac{9}{4} + \frac{3\sqrt{17}}{4} = 3$$

$$a = \frac{21-3\sqrt{17}}{4\sqrt{17}} = \frac{-51+21\sqrt{17}}{68}$$

Using (2): $b = -\frac{3}{2} - \frac{-51+21\sqrt{17}}{68} = \frac{-51-21\sqrt{17}}{68}$

$$A_n = \frac{-51+21\sqrt{17}}{68} \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^n + \frac{-51-21\sqrt{17}}{68} \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{17}}{2} \right)^n + 2$$

b)i) Since $3B_n = 2A_n - 1, n \geq 1$ or alternatively using GC.

$$B_1 = \frac{1}{3}(2A_1 - 1) = 3 \quad B_2 = \frac{1}{3}(2A_2 - 1) = 5 \quad B_3 = \frac{1}{3}(2A_3 - 1) = 17$$

$$B_4 = \frac{1}{3}(2A_4 - 1) = 57 \quad B_5 = \frac{1}{3}(2A_5 - 1) = 201$$

b)ii) Let $B_n = aB_{n-1} + bB_{n-2} + c$, for $n \geq 3$

$$B_1 = 3$$

$$B_2 = 5$$

$$B_3 = aB_2 + bB_1 + c = 5a + 3b + c = 17$$

$$B_4 = aB_3 + bB_2 + c = 17a + 5b + c = 57$$

$$B_5 = aB_4 + bB_3 + c = 57a + 17b + c = 201$$

Using GC, $a = 3, b = 2, c = -4$

$$\therefore B_n = 3B_{n-1} + 2B_{n-2} - 4, \text{ for } n \geq 3$$

Alternatively,

$$A_n = \frac{3B_n + 1}{2}$$

Sub into $A_{n+1} = 3A_n + 2A_{n-1} - 8$

$$\frac{3B_{n+1} + 1}{2} = 3 \frac{3B_n + 1}{2} + 2 \frac{3B_{n-1} + 1}{2} - 8$$

$$3B_{n+1} + 1 = 9B_n + 3 + 6B_{n-1} + 2 - 16$$

$$3B_{n+1} = 9B_n + 6B_{n-1} - 12$$

$$B_{n+1} = 3B_n + 2B_{n-1} - 4, \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

c) To find year such that ≥ 2000 rabbit

i.e. find n such that $B_n \geq 20$

From GC,

$$n \quad B_n$$

$$3 \quad 17$$

$$4 \quad 57$$

$\therefore$ in 2026 there will be more than 2000 rabbits