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**Q1**  
**[4]**

**Method 1**

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = a + \frac{b}{x} - \frac{c}{x^2}$$

$$\text{At } x = \frac{3}{2}, \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow a + \frac{2}{3}b - \frac{4}{9}c = 0 \quad \text{-----(1)}$$

The gradient of  $D$  at  $x = 1$  is equal to the gradient of the line  $y = x - 5$ .

$$\text{At } x = 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \Rightarrow a + b - c = 1 \quad \text{-----(2)}$$

$y$ -coordinate of  $D$  at  $x = 1$  is  $1 - 5 = -4$ .

Substituting  $x = 1$  and  $y = -4$  into equation of  $D$ , we get

$$a + c = -4 \quad \text{-----(3)}$$

From GC,  $a = 2, b = -7, c = -6$ .

**Method 2**

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = a + \frac{b}{x} - \frac{c}{x^2}$$

$$\text{At } x = \frac{3}{2}, \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow a + \frac{2}{3}b - \frac{4}{9}c = 0 \quad \text{-----(1)}$$

$$\text{Gradient of } D \text{ at } x = 1 \text{ is } \left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{x=1} = a + b - c.$$

$y$ -coordinate of  $D$  at  $x = 1$  is  $a + c$ .

So, the equation of tangent to  $D$  at  $x = 1$  is

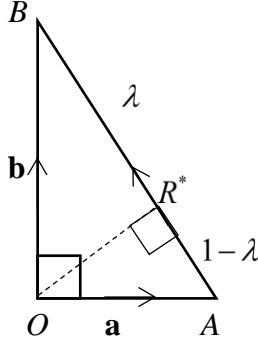
$$y - (a + c) = (a + b - c)(x - 1) \Rightarrow y = (a + b - c)x - b + 2c$$

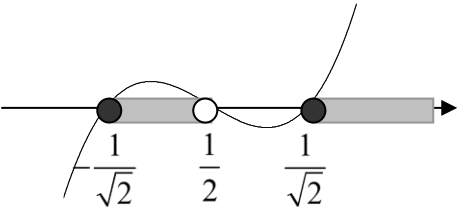
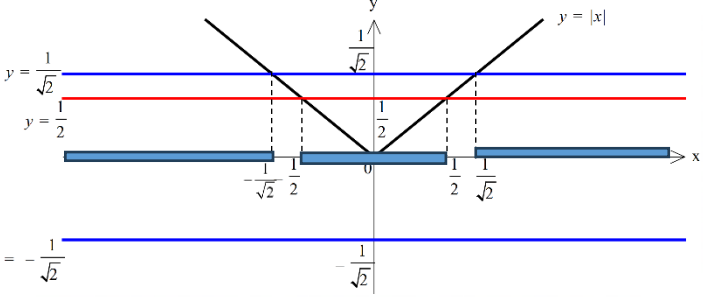
Comparing this line with  $y = x - 5$ , we get

$$a + b - c = 1 \quad \text{-----(2)}$$

$$-b + 2c = -5 \quad \text{-----(3)}$$

From GC,  $a = 2, b = -7, c = -6$ .

Q2	Solution
(a) [1]	<p>The set of all possible positions of <math>R</math> is the <b>line</b> that passes through points <math>A</math> and <math>B</math>, or</p> <p>The set of all possible positions of <math>R</math> is the <b>line</b> that passes through point <math>B</math> (or <math>A</math>) and parallel to the vector <math>\overrightarrow{AB}</math>.</p>
(b) [1]	<p><math>\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} =  \mathbf{a}  \mathbf{b} \cos 90^\circ = 0</math> since <math>\cos 90^\circ = 0</math></p> <p><b>Additional Note:</b></p> <p>That the scalar product is 0 because 2 vectors are perpendicular (or the angle between them is <math>90^\circ</math>) is a consequence of this definition.</p>
(c) [4]	<p><math>\overrightarrow{OR^*} = \lambda \mathbf{a} + (1 - \lambda) \mathbf{b}</math> for some <math>\lambda \in \mathbb{R}</math>.</p> $\overrightarrow{OR^*} \cdot (\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) = 0$ $[\lambda \mathbf{a} + (1 - \lambda) \mathbf{b}] \cdot (\mathbf{a} - \mathbf{b}) = 0$ $\lambda  \mathbf{a} ^2 - (1 - \lambda)  \mathbf{b} ^2 + (1 - 2\lambda) \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$ <p>Since <math>\mathbf{a}</math> and <math>\mathbf{b}</math> are perpendicular, <math>\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0</math></p> $\therefore \lambda = \frac{ \mathbf{b} ^2}{ \mathbf{a} ^2 +  \mathbf{b} ^2}$ $\overrightarrow{OR^*} = \frac{ \mathbf{b} ^2}{ \mathbf{a} ^2 +  \mathbf{b} ^2} \mathbf{a} + \frac{ \mathbf{a} ^2}{ \mathbf{a} ^2 +  \mathbf{b} ^2} \mathbf{b}$ <p><math>AR^* : BR^* = 1 - \lambda : \lambda</math></p> $= \frac{ \mathbf{a} ^2}{ \mathbf{a} ^2 +  \mathbf{b} ^2} : \frac{ \mathbf{b} ^2}{ \mathbf{a} ^2 +  \mathbf{b} ^2}$ $=  \mathbf{a} ^2 :  \mathbf{b} ^2$ 

Q3	Solution
[4]	$\frac{6x^2 + 2x - 3 - 2(x+1)(2x-1)}{2x-1} \geq 0, \quad x \neq \frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{2x^2 - 1}{2x-1} \geq 0$ $2\left(x - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\left(x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)(2x-1) \geq 0$  $-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq x < \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } x \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ <p><b>Additional Notes:</b>          You are strongly advised to use ( ) if you are making algebraic errors in arriving at <math>\frac{2x^2 - 1}{2x-1} \geq 0</math>.</p> <p>For students who multiply by <math>(2x-1)^2</math> in the first step, you should always factorize first before any expansion, as shown below:</p> $(6x^2 + 2x - 3)(2x-1) - 2(x+1)(2x-1)^2 \geq 0$ $\Leftrightarrow (2x-1)[(6x^2 + 2x - 3) - 2(x+1)(2x-1)] \geq 0$ <p>This will avoid unnecessary algebraic manipulation.</p>
[3]	 <p>By replacing <math>x</math> with <math> x </math>,</p>

$$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \leq |x| < \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } |x| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

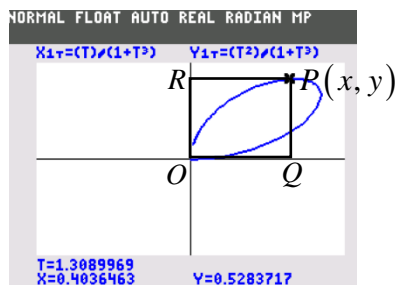
$$x \leq -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ or } -\frac{1}{2} < x < \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } x \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

**Additional Note:**

Perhaps the simplest way to think of solving modulus inequalities like  $|x| < \frac{1}{2}$  would be to tell yourself if the **magnitude\*** of  $x$  is smaller than  $\frac{1}{2}$ , then  $x$  itself should not be too far from the origin, that is  $-\frac{1}{2} < x < \frac{1}{2}$ .

Similarly, if  $|x| \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ , then  $x$  has to be at least  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  from the origin, and thus  $x \leq -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  or  $x \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ .

Q4	Solution												
(a) [5]	<div><p>Area of rectangle <math>OQPR</math>, <math>A = xy = \frac{\lambda^3}{(1 + \lambda^3)^2}</math></p><math display="block">\frac{dA}{d\lambda} = \frac{(1 + \lambda^3)^2 (3\lambda^2) - \lambda^3 (2)(1 + \lambda^3)(3\lambda^2)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^4}</math><math display="block">= \frac{(1 + \lambda^3)^2 (3\lambda^2) - \lambda^3 (2)(1 + \lambda^3)(3\lambda^2)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^4}</math><math display="block">= \frac{3\lambda^2 (1 - \lambda^3)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^3}</math><p>or stationary <math>A</math>, <math>\frac{dA}{d\lambda} = 0</math> , giving <math>\lambda = 1</math> (since <math>\lambda &gt; 0</math>)</p><p><b>MTD 1 : First Derivative Test</b></p><math display="block">\frac{dA}{d\lambda} = \frac{3\lambda^2 (1 - \lambda^3)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^3}</math><p>Since <math>\frac{3\lambda^2}{(1 + \lambda^3)^3} &gt; 0</math> for all <math>\lambda &gt; 0</math>,</p><table><tr><th><math>\lambda</math></th><th><math>1^-</math></th><th><math>1</math></th><th><math>1^+</math></th></tr><tr><td><math>(1 - \lambda^3)</math></td><td>+ve</td><td>0</td><td>- ve</td></tr><tr><td><math>\frac{dA}{d\lambda}</math></td><td>+ve</td><td>0</td><td>- ve</td></tr></table><p>Maximum <math>A</math> when <math>\lambda = 1</math>.</p><p><b>MTD 2 : Second Derivative Test</b></p></div> <div></div>	$\lambda$	$1^-$	$1$	$1^+$	$(1 - \lambda^3)$	+ve	0	- ve	$\frac{dA}{d\lambda}$	+ve	0	- ve
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$\frac{dA}{d\lambda}$	+ve	0	- ve										



	$\frac{dA}{d\lambda} = \frac{3(\lambda^2 - \lambda^5)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^3} \quad \frac{d^2A}{d\lambda^2} = 3 \left[ \frac{(1 + \lambda^3)^3 (2\lambda - 5\lambda^4) - (\lambda^2 - \lambda^5)(3)(1 + \lambda^3)^2 (3\lambda^2)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^6} \right]$ $= 3 \left[ \frac{4\lambda^7 - 12\lambda^4 + 2\lambda}{(1 + \lambda^3)^4} \right]$ <p>When <math>\lambda = 1</math>, <math>\frac{d^2A}{d\lambda^2} = -\frac{9}{8} &lt; 0</math></p> <p>Maximum <math>A</math> when <math>\lambda = 1</math>.</p>
(b) [4]	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{d\lambda} \cdot \frac{d\lambda}{dx} = \frac{(1 + \lambda^3)(2\lambda) - \lambda^2(3\lambda^2)}{(1 + \lambda^3)^2} \cdot \frac{(1 + \lambda^3)^2}{1 - 2\lambda^3} = \frac{2\lambda - \lambda^4}{1 - 2\lambda^3}$ $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{2\lambda - \lambda^4}{1 - 2\lambda^3} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$ <p>When <math>\lambda = 1</math>, <math>\frac{dy}{dt} = (-1)(1) = -1</math> unit per sec.</p> <p>Rate of change of the y-coordinate of the point <math>P</math> at this instant is <math>-1</math> unit per second or Rate of decrease of the y-coordinate of the point <math>P</math> at this instant is 1 unit per second.</p>

Q5	Solution
(a) [3]	$\sum_{r=0}^n [(n+2)r + n]$ $= \frac{n+1}{2} [n + n(n+2) + n]$ $= \frac{n+1}{2} (n^2 + 4n)$ $= \frac{n}{2} (n+1)(n+4)$ <p><b>Alternative</b></p> $\sum_{r=0}^n [(n+2)r + n] = \sum_{r=0}^n (n+2)r + \sum_{r=0}^n n$ $= (n+2) \sum_{r=1}^n r + (n+1)n$ $= (n+2) \cdot \frac{n}{2} (n+1) + (n+1)n$ $= \frac{n}{2} (n+1)(n+4)$
(b) [3]	$\sum_{r=1}^n (r+2)^3 = 3^3 + 4^3 + \dots + (n+1)^3 + (n+2)^3$ $\sum_{r=1}^n (r+2)^3 = \sum_{r=3}^{n+2} r^3$ $= \sum_{r=1}^{n+2} r^3 - 1^3 - 2^3$ $= \frac{1}{4} (n+2)^2 (n+3)^2 - 9$
(c) [3]	$1^3 - 2^3 + 3^3 - 4^3 + 5^3 - 6^3 + \dots + (2n-1)^3 - (2n)^3$ $= \sum_{r=1}^{2n} r^3 - 2 \sum_{r=1}^n (2r)^3$ $= \sum_{r=1}^{2n} r^3 - 16 \sum_{r=1}^n r^3$ $= \frac{1}{4} (2n)^2 (2n+1)^2 - 16 \left[ \frac{1}{4} n^2 (n+1)^2 \right]$

	$= n^2 (2n+1)^2 - 4n^2 (n+1)^2$ $= n^2 [(2n+1)^2 - (2n+2)^2]$ $= -n^2 (4n+3)$
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Q6	Solution
<b>(a)</b> <b>[5]</b>	$e^y = 1 + \sin 3x \quad \text{----- (1)}$ <p>Differentiating w.r.t. <math>x</math>,</p> $e^y \frac{dy}{dx} = 3 \cos 3x$ <p>Differentiating w.r.t. <math>x</math>,</p> $e^y \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + e^y \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{dy}{dx} = -9 \sin 3x = -9(e^y - 1) \quad (\text{from (1)})$ $e^y \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + e^y \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 9e^y = 9$ <p>Dividing throughout by <math>e^y</math>, <math>\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 9 = 9e^{-y}</math> (shown)</p> <p>Differentiating w.r.t. <math>x</math>,</p> $\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = 9e^{-y} \left( -\frac{dy}{dx} \right)$ <p>When <math>x = 0</math>,</p> $y = 0; \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = 3; \quad \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = -9; \quad \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} = 27$ $\Rightarrow y = 0 + 3x + \frac{-9}{2!} x^2 + \frac{27}{3!} x^3 + \dots$ $\therefore y = 3x - \frac{9}{2} x^2 + \frac{9}{2} x^3 + \dots$

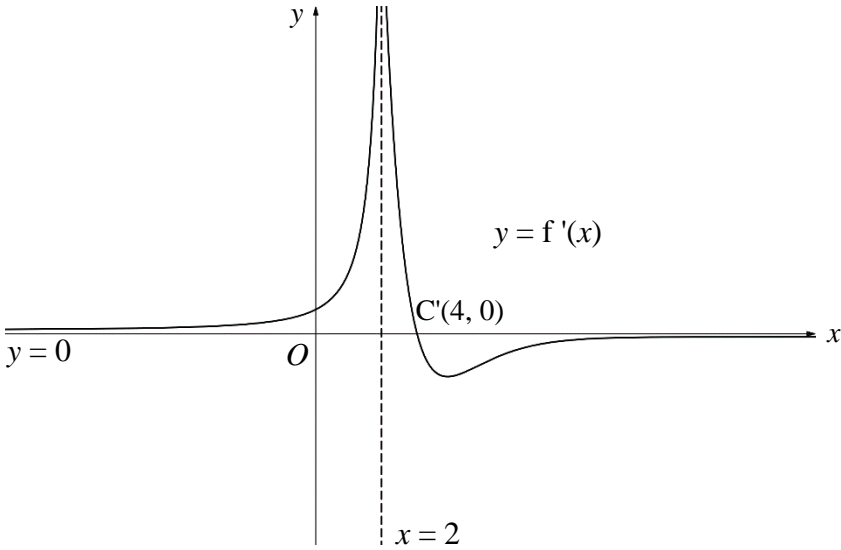


<b>(b)</b> <b>[3]</b>	$e^y = 1 + \sin 3x$ $\Rightarrow y = \ln(1 + \sin 3x)$ $= \ln\left(1 + \left(3x - \frac{(3x)^3}{3!}\right) + \dots\right)$ $= \left(3x - \frac{(3x)^3}{3!}\right) - \frac{\left(3x - \frac{(3x)^3}{3!}\right)^2}{2} + \frac{\left(3x - \frac{(3x)^3}{3!}\right)^3}{3} + \dots$ $= 3x - \frac{27x^3}{6} - \frac{9x^2}{2} + \frac{27x^3}{3} + \dots$ $= 3x - \frac{9}{2}x^2 + \frac{9}{2}x^3 + \dots$ <p>which is same as the expansion for <math>y</math> found in part (a), up to and including the term in <math>x^3</math>.</p>
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Q7	Solution
(a) [5]	<p>Since <math>a, b \in \mathbf{R}</math>, then all the coefficients of the polynomial are real, complex roots will occur in conjugate pairs. Given <math>1+3i</math> is a root, then <math>1-3i</math> is also a root.</p> $\begin{aligned} & [x-(1+3i)][x-(1-3i)] \\ &= [(x-1)-3i][(x-1)+3i] \\ &= (x-1)^2 - (3i)^2 \\ &= x^2 - 2x + 10 \end{aligned}$ $x^3 + ax^2 + 18x + b = (x^2 - 2x + 10)(x + p)$ <p>Compare coefficients of</p> $x : 18 = -2p + 10 \Rightarrow p = -4$ $x^2 : a = p - 2 \Rightarrow a = -6$ $x^0 : b = -40$ <p>The other roots are 4 and <math>1-3i</math>.</p> <p><b>Alternative:</b></p> <p>Since <math>x = 1+3i</math> is a root of the given equation,</p> $(1+3i)^3 + a(1+3i)^2 + 18x + b = 0$ $(1+3i)(-8+6i) + a(-8+6i) + 18(1+3i) + b = 0$ $-8 - 24i + 6i - 18 - 8a + 6ai + 18 + 24i + b = 0$ $(-8 - 8a + b) + (6a + 36)i = 0$ <p>Equating real and imaginary parts:</p> $6a + 36 = 0 \Rightarrow a = -6$ $\therefore b = 8a + 8 = -40$ <p>Since the coefficients of the equation <math>x^3 + ax^2 + 18x + b = 0</math> are all real numbers, the complex roots occur in conjugate pairs and so <math>1-3i</math> is also a root. Let the third root be a real number <math>k</math>.</p> <p>Note that</p>

	$\begin{aligned} & [x - (1 + 3i)][x - (1 - 3i)] \\ &= [(x - 1) - 3i][(x - 1) + 3i] \\ &= (x - 1)^2 - (3i)^2 \\ &= x^2 - 2x + 10 \end{aligned}$ <p>Therefore, we have  <math>x^3 - 6x^2 + 18x - 40 = (x^2 - 2x + 10)(x - k)</math>.  Comparing constants, we have <math>k = 4</math>.</p> <p>So <math>a = -6</math>, <math>b = -40</math> and the other roots are <math>1 - 3i</math> and <math>4</math>.</p>
<b>(b)</b> <b>[5]</b>	$w^* + z = 4 - 6i \quad \text{----- (1)}$ $w - 2z = 1 + 10i \quad \text{----- (2)}$ <p><math>2(1) + (2): \quad 2w^* + w = 9 - 2i</math>  Sub <math>w = c + di: \quad 3c - di = 9 - 2i</math></p> <p>Comparing real part: <math>3c = 9 \Rightarrow c = 3</math>  Comparing imaginary part: <math>d = 2</math>  <math>\therefore w = 3 + 2i</math></p> <p>From (1): <math>z = 4 - 6i - (3 - 2i) = 1 - 4i</math></p> <p><math>\therefore w = 3 + 2i, z = 1 - 4i</math></p> <p><b>Alternative 1</b>  Substitute <math>z = 4 - 6i - w^*</math> into (2):  <math>w - 2(4 - 6i - w^*) = 1 + 10i</math>  <math>\Rightarrow 2w^* + w = 9 - 2i</math></p> <p>Sub <math>w = c + di: \quad 3c - di = 9 - 2i</math>  Comparing real part: <math>3c = 9 \Rightarrow c = 3</math>  Comparing imaginary part: <math>d = 2</math>  <math>\therefore w = 3 + 2i</math></p> <p>From (1): <math>z = 4 - 6i - (3 - 2i) = 1 - 4i</math></p> <p><math>\therefore w = 3 + 2i, z = 1 - 4i</math></p> <p><b>Alternative 2</b>  Let <math>w = a + bi</math> and <math>z = g + hi</math>. Then we have</p>

	$a - bi + g + hi = 4 - 6i$ $\Rightarrow a + g = 4 \quad \text{-----} \quad (1)$ $h - b = -6 \quad \text{-----} \quad (2)$ <p>and <math>a + bi - 2(g + hi) = 1 + 10i</math></p> $\Rightarrow a - 2g = 1 \quad \text{-----} \quad (3)$ $b - 2h = 10 \quad \text{-----} \quad (4)$ <p>From (1) and (3), <math>3g = 3 \Rightarrow g = 1</math> and <math>a = 3</math>.</p> <p>From (2) and (4), <math>-h = 4 \Rightarrow h = -4</math> and <math>b = 2</math>.</p> <p><math>\therefore w = 3 + 2i</math> and <math>z = 1 - 4i</math></p>
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Q8	Solution
<b>(a)</b> <b>[3]</b>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><math>y = f'(x)</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>C'(4, 0)</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>x = 2</math></p>
<b>(b)(i)</b> <b>[3]</b>	$a = -2$ <p>By long division, <math>y = (b - 4) - 2x + \frac{2b - 16}{x - 2}</math>.</p> <p><math>b - 4 = 3 \Rightarrow b = 7</math> (shown)</p>

**Alternative**

$$y = \frac{ax^2 + bx - 8}{x - 2} = 3 - 2x + \frac{A}{x - 2}$$

$$= \frac{(3 - 2x)(x - 2) + A}{x - 2}$$

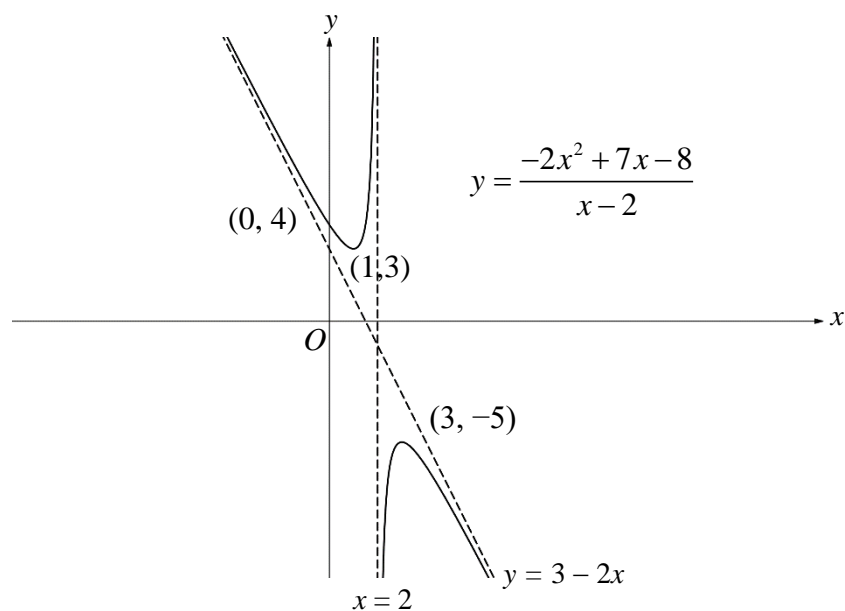
Comparing the numerators,

Coefficient of  $x^2$ :  $a = -2$

Coefficient of  $x$ :  $b = 3 + 4 = 7$

Note Coefficient of  $x^0$ :  $-8 = -6 + A \Rightarrow A = -2$

**(b)(ii)**  
**[3]**



<b>(b)(iii)</b> <b>[2]</b>	$y = 3 - 2x - \frac{2}{x-2}$ <p style="text-align: center;">↓ Replace <math>x</math> with <math>x+2</math></p> $y = 3 - 2(x+2) - \frac{2}{(x+2)-2}$ $\Rightarrow y = -1 - 2x - \frac{2}{x}$ <p style="text-align: center;">↓ Replace <math>y</math> with <math>2y</math></p> $2y = -1 - 2x - \frac{2}{x}$ $\Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{2} - x - \frac{1}{x}$
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<b>Q9</b>	<b>Solution</b>
<b>(a)</b> <b>[2]</b>	<p>Since <math>l</math> lies in plane <math>q</math>,</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ -1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} = 1 \Rightarrow 5a - 4 = 1 \quad \therefore a = 1$ $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ -1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow -2a + 1 + 2b = 0 \text{ ----- (2)}$ <p>Substitute <math>a = 1</math>, <math>-2 + 1 + 2b = 0 \Rightarrow b = \frac{1}{2}</math></p> <p><b>Alternative</b></p> <p>Equation of <math>l</math>: <math>\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \alpha \in \mathbb{R}</math>.</p> <p>Generate 2 points on <math>l</math>, say <math>(5, 4, 0)</math> and <math>(3, 3, 2)</math>.</p>

	$\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ -1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} = 1 \Rightarrow 5a - 4 = 1 \quad \therefore a = 1$ $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ -1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} = 1 \Rightarrow 3a - 3 + 2b = 1$ <p>Substitute <math>a = 1</math>, <math>2b = 1 \Rightarrow b = \frac{1}{2}</math></p>
(b) [3]	$p: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>A vector perpendicular to <math>p = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 0 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix} = -5 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}</math></p> <p>Let <math>\theta</math> be the acute angle between the planes <math>p</math> and <math>q</math>.</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \sqrt{2} \sqrt{\frac{9}{4}} \cos \theta$ $\frac{3}{2} = \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{2} \cos \theta$ $\cos \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ $\theta = 45^\circ$
(c) [4]	<p>Distance from <math>A</math> to <math>q = AF</math></p> $= \left  \overrightarrow{AQ} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{9}{4}}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \right $ $= \frac{2}{3} \left  \left[ \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \right] \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \right $ $= \frac{2}{3} \left  3 - 4 - \frac{3}{2} \right  = \frac{5}{3}$

**Alternative**

Solving simultaneously

$$l_{AF}: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \text{ and}$$

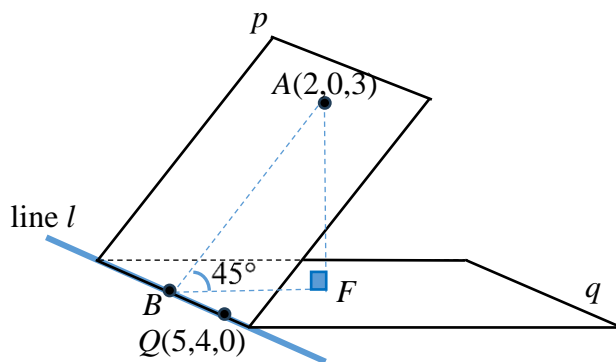
$$q: \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = 1,$$

$$\left[ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \right] \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = 1$$

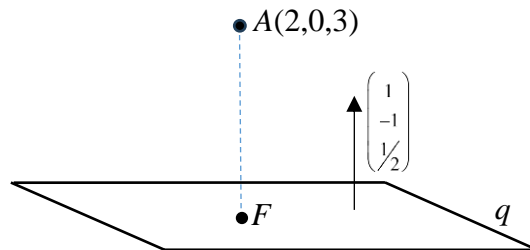
$$2 + \frac{3}{2} + \alpha \left( 1 + 1 + \frac{1}{4} \right) = 1$$

$$\alpha = -\frac{10}{9}$$

$$\text{Distance from } A \text{ to } q = AF = \left| -\frac{10}{9} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \right| = \left( \frac{10}{9} \right) \left( \frac{3}{2} \right) = \frac{5}{3}$$

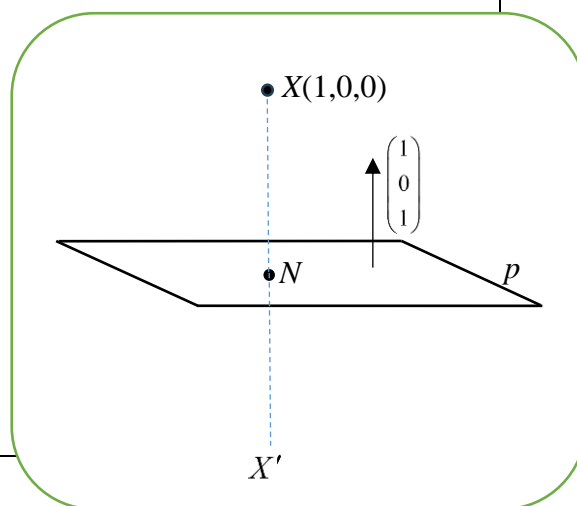
From **part (b)**, the angle between the 2 planes is  $45^\circ$ .

$$\text{Distance from } A \text{ to } l = AB = \frac{AF}{\sin 45^\circ} = \frac{\frac{5}{3}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} = \frac{5}{3} \sqrt{2}$$





	<p><b>Alternative</b></p> <p>Since the angle between the 2 planes is <math>45^\circ</math>, Distance from <math>A</math> to <math>q</math> = Distance from <math>F</math> to <math>l</math></p> <p>Hence distance from <math>A</math> to <math>l</math></p> $= AB = \sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^2} = \frac{5}{3}\sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \frac{5}{3}\sqrt{2}$
(d) [3]	<p>Since <math>\theta = 45^\circ</math>, <math>q</math> and <math>q'</math> are perpendicular.</p> <p>Since <math>l</math> lies on <math>q</math> and <math>q'</math>,</p> <p>A normal to <math>q' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3}{2} \\ 3 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{3}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}</math></p> <p>Equation of <math>q' : \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 13</math></p> <p>Cartesian equation of <math>q' : x + 2y + 2z = 13</math></p> <p><b>Alternative (If you can't see that <math>q \perp q'</math>)</b></p> <p><math>X(1,0,0)</math> is a point on plane <math>q</math>. Let <math>X'</math> be the point of reflection of <math>X</math> about plane <math>p</math>.</p> <p><b>To find <math>X'</math></b></p> <p>Solving simultaneously</p> $p : \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 5 \text{ and } L_{XX'} : \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix},$ $\left[ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right] \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 5 \Rightarrow 1 + 2\beta = 5 \Rightarrow \beta = 2$ $\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$



$$\overrightarrow{ON} = \frac{\overrightarrow{OX} + \overrightarrow{OX'}}{2} \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{OX'} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

**To find equation of  $q'$**

A vector parallel to  $q' = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 4 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$

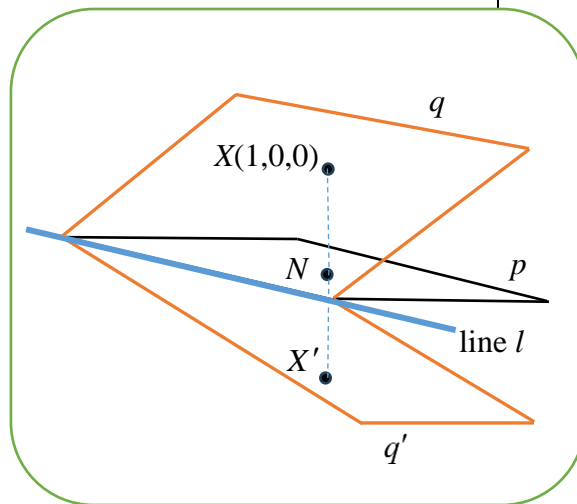
Since line  $l$  lies on  $q'$ ,

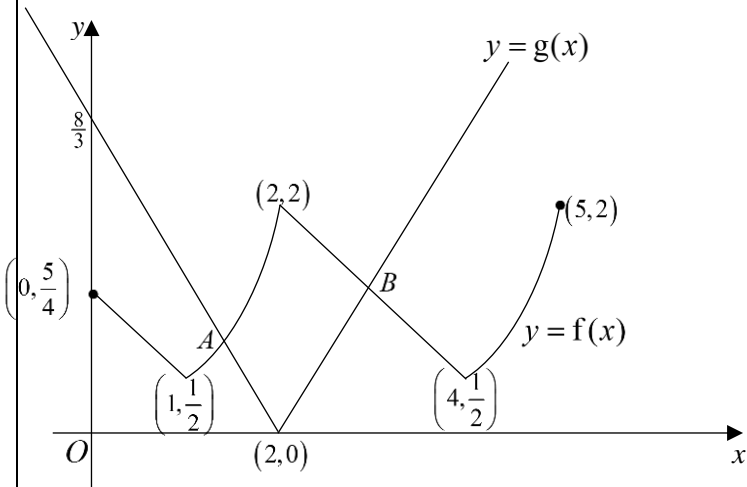
$$q': \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad s, t \in \mathbb{R}$$

A normal to  $q' = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

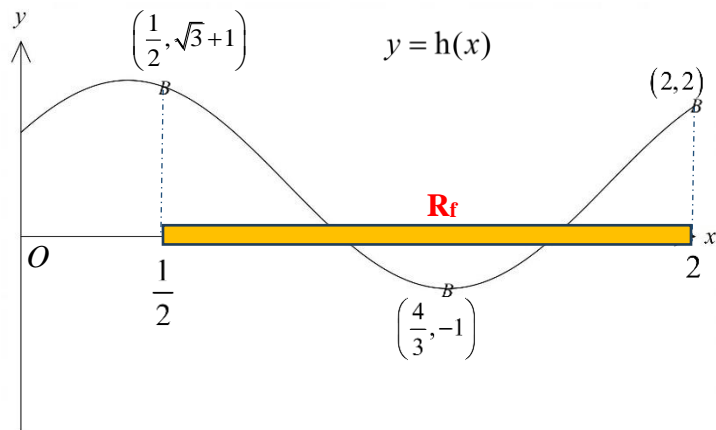
Equation of  $q'$ :  $\mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 13$

Cartesian equation of  $q'$ :  $x + 2y + 2z = 13$



Q10	Solution
(a) [1]	By taking $x=0$ in $f(x) = f(x+3)$ , $f(0) = f(3) = \frac{1}{4}[-3(3)+14] = \frac{5}{4}$ .
(b) [3]	
(c) [4]	<p>Finding the <math>x</math>-coordinates of the points of intersection <math>A</math> and <math>B</math>,</p> <p>Point <math>A</math>:</p> $\frac{4}{3}(2-x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2$ $3x^2 + 8x - 16 = 0$ $(3x-4)(x+4) = 0$ $x = \frac{4}{3} \text{ or } x = -4 \text{ (reject since } 1 < x < 2 \text{ at } A)$ <p>Point <math>B</math>:</p> $\frac{4}{3}(x-2) = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{7}{2}$ $16(x-2) = -9x + 42$ $x = \frac{74}{25} \text{ or } 2.96$ <p>Hence the solution to the inequality is <math>\left(\frac{4}{3}, \frac{74}{25}\right)</math>.</p>
(d) [4]	From the graph above, $R_f = \left[\frac{1}{2}, 2\right]$ and $D_h = [0, 2]$ .

Since  $R_f \subseteq D_h$ , hf exists.



$$R_f = \left[\frac{1}{2}, 2\right] \xrightarrow{h} [-1, \sqrt{3}+1]$$

$$\therefore R_{hf} = [-1, \sqrt{3}+1]$$

Q11	Solution												
(a)(i) [1]	Amount in John's account, including the interest, at the end of the first year is \$1.05x.												
(ii) [3]	<table><tr><th>Year</th><th>Amt at Beginning</th><th>Amt at the End</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td>x</td><td>1.05x</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>1.05x + x</td><td>(1.05x + x)(1.05) = 1.05x + 1.05<sup>2</sup>x</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>1.05<sup>2</sup>x + 1.05x + x</td><td>(1.05<sup>2</sup>x + 1.05x + x)1.05 = 1.05x + 1.05<sup>2</sup>x + 1.05<sup>3</sup>x</td></tr></table> <p>Total amount in the account at the end of n years = 1.05x + 1.05<sup>2</sup>x + 1.05<sup>3</sup>x + ... + 1.05<sup>n</sup>x ... (*) = <math>\frac{1.05x(1.05^n - 1)}{1.05 - 1}</math> = 21x(1.05<sup>n</sup> - 1)</p>	Year	Amt at Beginning	Amt at the End	1	x	1.05x	2	1.05x + x	(1.05x + x)(1.05) = 1.05x + 1.05 <sup>2</sup> x	3	1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05x + x	(1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05x + x)1.05 = 1.05x + 1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05 <sup>3</sup> x
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1	x	1.05x											
2	1.05x + x	(1.05x + x)(1.05) = 1.05x + 1.05 <sup>2</sup> x											
3	1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05x + x	(1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05x + x)1.05 = 1.05x + 1.05 <sup>2</sup> x + 1.05 <sup>3</sup> x											
(iii) [4]	<p>21(10000)(1.05<sup>n</sup> - 1) &gt; 500000 ⇒ 1.05<sup>n</sup> ≥ <math>\frac{50}{21} + 1</math> ⇒ <math>n \geq \frac{\ln\left(\frac{71}{21}\right)}{\ln(1.05)} \approx 24.967</math></p> <p><b>Alternative : Use GC table</b></p> <table><tr><td>n</td><td>21(10000)(1.05<sup>n</sup> - 1)</td></tr><tr><td>24</td><td>467271 <math>\not&gt;</math> 500000</td></tr><tr><td>25</td><td>501135 &gt; 500000</td></tr></table> <p>At the start of 25th year, total = \$467271 + \$10000 &lt; \$500000. Or total = <math>\frac{501135}{1.05} \approx 477271 &lt; \\$500\,000</math></p> <p>The total in his account first exceeds \$500 000 at the <u>end</u> of the <u>25th</u> year.</p>	n	21(10000)(1.05 <sup>n</sup> - 1)	24	467271 $\not>$ 500000	25	501135 > 500000						
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**Calculator Screen 1:**

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Plot1 Plot2 Plot3

$Y_1 = \sum_{A=1}^X ((6000 + 400(A-1)) \cdot 1.05^{X-(A-1)})$

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**Table:**

X	Y <sub>1</sub>
19	289323
20	318070
21	348673
22	381227
23	415828
24	452579
25	491588
26	532967.7702557
27	576836
28	623318
29	672544

$Y_1 = 532967.7702557$

**GC Method 2: Guess and Check (**

**Calculator Screen 2:**

\* Capture 3

HISTORY

$\sum_{X=1}^{20} ((6000 + (X-1)400) \cdot 1.05^{20-X}) = 318069.5253$

$\sum_{X=1}^{26} ((6000 + (X-1)400) \cdot 1.05^{26-X}) = 532967.7703$

$\sum_{X=1}^{25} ((6000 + (X-1)400) \cdot 1.05^{25-X}) = 491588.3526$