

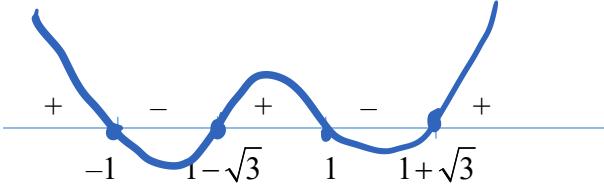
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1	$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2 + \frac{1}{t^2}, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 1 - \frac{1}{t^2}$ $\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}}$ $= \frac{1 - \frac{1}{t^2}}{2 + \frac{1}{t^2}}$ $= \frac{t^2 - 1}{2t^2 + 1}$ $= \frac{\frac{1}{2}(2t^2 + 1) - \frac{3}{2}}{2t^2 + 1}$ $= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2(2t^2 + 1)}$ $= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2(2t^2 + 1)} \quad \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 2t^2 + 1 \end{matrix} \overline{t^2 - 1} \quad \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ t^2 + \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix}$ $= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2(2t^2 + 1)} \quad \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{3}{2} \end{matrix}$
(ii)	<p>since $t \neq 0$</p> $2t^2 + 1 > 1$ $0 < \frac{1}{2(2t^2 + 1)} < \frac{1}{2}$ $-\frac{3}{2} < -\frac{3}{2(2t^2 + 1)} < 0$ $-1 < \frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2(2t^2 + 1)} < \frac{1}{2}$ $\therefore -1 < \frac{dy}{dx} < \frac{1}{2}$

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2	$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{(2+ax)^5} \\ &= (2+ax)^{-5} \\ &= 2^{-5} \left[1 + \frac{ax}{2} \right]^{-5} \\ &= \frac{1}{32} \left[1 - \frac{5ax}{2} + \frac{(-5)(-6)}{2!} \left(\frac{ax}{2} \right)^2 + \frac{(-5)(-6)(-7)}{3!} \left(\frac{ax}{2} \right)^3 + \dots \right] \end{aligned}$ <p>Coefficient of $x^3 = \frac{1}{32} \times \frac{(-5)(-6)(-7)}{3!} \left(\frac{a}{2} \right)^3 = -\frac{35}{256} a^3$</p> $\sqrt{4-ax}$ $= 2 \left(1 - \frac{ax}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $= 2 \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{ax}{4} \right) + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)}{2!} \left(-\frac{ax}{4} \right)^2 + \dots \right]$ <p>Coefficient of $x^2 = -\frac{1}{64} a^2$</p> $-\frac{35}{256} a^3 = 5 \left(-\frac{1}{64} a^2 \right)$ $35a^3 = 20a^2$ $7a = 4, \text{ since } a \neq 0$ $a = \frac{4}{7}$

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3(i)	<p>The graph shows a rational function $y = f(x)$ plotted against x. A vertical dashed line at $x = 3$ represents a vertical asymptote. A solid line represents the slant asymptote $y = 2x + 2$. The curve $y = f(x)$ passes through the point $(1, 0)$, which is marked as a hole. It also passes through the points $(0, -\frac{2}{3})$ and $(5, 16)$.</p>
	$\begin{array}{l} x-3 \overline{) 2x^2 - 4x + 2} \\ \quad 2x^2 - 6x \\ \quad \quad 2x + 2 \\ \quad \quad 2x - 6 \\ \quad \quad \quad 8 \end{array}$ $f(x) = \frac{2(x-1)^2}{x-3} = 2x+2 + \frac{8}{x-3}$ <p>The asymptotes are $y = 2x + 2$ and $x = 3$.</p>
3(ii)	<p>The graph shows a rational function $y = f(x)$ plotted against x. A point $(0, k)$ is marked on the y-axis. A horizontal dashed line at $y = k$ represents a vertical asymptote. The graph consists of two branches, one in the first quadrant and one in the second quadrant, both symmetric about the y-axis. The upper branch passes through the point $(5, 16)$. The lower branch passes through the point $(0, -\frac{2}{3})$.</p>

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	<p>To have an odd number of roots, there are 7 points of intersection between the two curves, hence $a = k + \frac{2}{3}$</p>
4(a)	<p>Algebraic Method:</p> $\frac{2x+1-(x^2-1)}{x^2-1} \leq 0$ $\frac{-x^2+2x+2}{x^2-1} \leq 0$ $\frac{x^2-2x-2}{x^2-1} \geq 0$ $\frac{(x-1)^2-3}{(x-1)(x+1)} \geq 0$ $\frac{[(x-1)-\sqrt{3}][(x-1)+\sqrt{3}]}{(x-1)(x+1)} \geq 0$ $[(x-1)-\sqrt{3}][(x-1)+\sqrt{3}](x-1)(x+1) \geq 0$  $x < -1 \text{ or } 1-\sqrt{3} \leq x < 1 \text{ or } x \geq 1+\sqrt{3}$
4(b)	$ay^2 + bx^3 + cx = 2$ <p>Differentiate wrt x,</p> $2ay \frac{dy}{dx} + 3bx^2 + c = 0 \dots (*)$ <p>Sub $(1, \sqrt{3})$ into eq C and obtain</p> $3a + b + c = 2 \dots (1)$ <p>Sub $(-1, 1)$ into eq C and obtain</p> $a - b - c = 2 \dots (2)$ <p>Sub $(-1, 1)$ into eq * and obtain</p> $-3a + 3b + c = 0 \dots (3)$

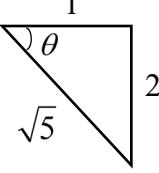
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	<p>Using GC, $a = 1, b = 2, c = -3$ Eq of C is $y^2 + 2x^3 - 3x = 2$</p>								
5	<p>Note that $l^2 = h^2 + r^2$.</p> <p>Total surface area of cone,</p> $\pi r \sqrt{h^2 + r^2} + \pi r^2 = k\pi$ $\Rightarrow r \sqrt{h^2 + r^2} = k - r^2$ $\Rightarrow r^2 (h^2 + r^2) = k^2 - 2kr^2 + r^4$ $\Rightarrow r^2 h^2 + r^4 = k^2 - 2kr^2 + r^4$ $\Rightarrow r^2 = \frac{k^2}{(h^2 + 2k)} \quad (\text{Shown})$ <p>From above equation, $r^2 = \frac{k^2}{h^2 + 2k}$</p> $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{k^2}{h^2 + 2k} \right) h = \frac{k^2 \pi h}{3(h^2 + 2k)}$ $\frac{dV}{dh} = \frac{k^2 \pi}{3} \frac{(h^2 + 2k) - h(2h)}{(h^2 + 2k)^2}$ $= \frac{k^2 \pi (2k - h^2)}{3(h^2 + 2k)^2}$ <p>At stationary point, $\frac{dV}{dh} = 0$</p> $2k - h^2 = 0 \Rightarrow h = \sqrt{2k} \quad (\because h > 0)$ <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">h</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">$(\sqrt{2k})^-$</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">$(\sqrt{2k})$</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">$(\sqrt{2k})^+$</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">$\frac{dV}{dh}$</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">+ve</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">0</td> <td style="padding: 5px;">-ve</td> </tr> </table> <p>Alternatively,</p> $\frac{d^2V}{dh^2} = \frac{k^2 \pi}{3} \frac{(h^2 + 2k)^2 (-2h) - (2k - h^2) 2(h^2 + 2k) 2h}{(h^2 + 2k)^4}$ $= \frac{2k^2 \pi h}{3} \frac{-(h^2 + 2k) - 2(2k - h^2)}{(h^2 + 2k)^3}$ $= \frac{2k^2 \pi h}{3} \frac{h^2 - 6k}{(h^2 + 2k)^3} < 0 \text{ when } h = \sqrt{2k}$ <p>Volume is maximum when $h = \sqrt{2k}$</p>	h	$(\sqrt{2k})^-$	$(\sqrt{2k})$	$(\sqrt{2k})^+$	$\frac{dV}{dh}$	+ve	0	-ve
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	$V = \frac{k^2 \pi \sqrt{2k}}{3(2k+2k)} = \frac{k\pi \sqrt{2k}}{12} = \frac{\sqrt{2}k^{\frac{3}{2}}\pi}{12} \text{ units}^3$
6(a)	$\int \frac{3e^x}{5 - 0.3e^x} dx$ $= -10 \int \frac{-0.3e^x}{5 - 0.3e^x} dx$ $= -10 \ln 5 - 0.3e^x + C$ <p>where C is an arbitrary constant.</p>
6(b)	<p>Let $I = \int \cos(\ln x) dx$</p> $u = \cos(\ln x) \quad v' = 1$ $u' = -\frac{1}{x} \sin(\ln x) \quad , \quad v = x$ $I = x \cos(\ln x) - \int -\frac{1}{x} [x \sin(\ln x)] dx$ $= x \cos(\ln x) + \int \sin(\ln x) dx$ $u = \sin(\ln x) \quad v' = 1$ $u' = \frac{1}{x} \cos(\ln x) \quad , \quad v = x$ $I = x \cos(\ln x) + x \sin(\ln x) - \int \frac{1}{x} [x \cos(\ln x)] dx$ $= x \cos(\ln x) + x \sin(\ln x) - \int \cos(\ln x) dx$ $2I = x \cos(\ln x) + x \sin(\ln x)$ $I = \frac{x}{2} [\cos(\ln x) + \sin(\ln x)] + C$ <p>where C is an arbitrary constant.</p>
6(c)	<p>When $2e^x - 5 = 0$, $x = \ln 2.5$</p> $ 2e^x - 5 \quad \begin{cases} 2e^x - 5 & , x \geq \ln 2.5 \\ -(2e^x - 5) & , x < \ln 2.5 \end{cases}$ $\int_0^3 2e^x - 5 dx$

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	$= - \int_0^{\ln 2.5} 2e^x - 5 \, dx + \int_{\ln 2.5}^3 2e^x - 5 \, dx$ $= \left[5x - 2e^x \right]_0^{\ln 2.5} + \left[2e^x - 5x \right]_{\ln 2.5}^3 = \left[(5 \ln 2.5 - 2e^{\ln 2.5}) + 2e^0 \right] + \left[(2e^3 - 15) - (2e^{\ln 2.5} - 5 \ln 2.5) \right]$ $= 10 \ln 2.5 - 4e^{\ln 2.5} + 2e^3 - 13$ $= 10 \ln 2.5 - 4(2.5) + 2e^3 - 13$ $= 10 \ln 2.5 + 2e^3 - 23$
7(i)	$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2 \sin x \cos x$ $= -\sin 2x = 0$ $2x = -\pi$ $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$ $y = -1$ $\text{Minimum point} = \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, -1 \right)$
7(ii)	<p>The graph shows the function $y = \sin 2x$ plotted on a Cartesian coordinate system. The x-axis is labeled with $-\pi$, 0, and π. The y-axis is labeled with -3 and -2. The curve starts at $(-\pi, 0)$, crosses the x-axis at $x = -\frac{\pi}{2}$, reaches a local maximum of 1 at $x = -\frac{\pi}{4}$, crosses the x-axis again at $x = 0$, reaches a local minimum of -1 at $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$, and returns to the x-axis at $x = \frac{\pi}{2}$. For $x > \frac{\pi}{2}$, the curve continues above the x-axis. A vertical line is drawn at $x = -\pi/2$, and a horizontal line is drawn at $y = -2$. The region between the curve and the line $y = -2$ for $x > -\pi/2$ is shaded with diagonal lines and labeled R.</p> $\text{Area} = 2 \times \frac{\pi}{2} + \int_{-\pi/2}^0 -\sin^2 x \, dx$ $= \pi - \int_{-\pi/2}^0 \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \, dx$ $= \pi - \left[\frac{x}{2} - \frac{\sin 2x}{4} \right]_{-\pi/2}^0$ $= \pi - \left[0 - \left(-\frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right]$ $= \frac{3\pi}{4} \text{ units}^2$
7(iii)	<p>Volume</p> $= \pi \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right)^2 (2 - 1) + \pi \int_{-1}^0 \left(\sin^{-1}(-\sqrt{-y}) \right)^2 \, dy$ $= 7.75156917 + 2.304987524$ $= 10.05655669$ $= 10.1 \text{ units}^3 \text{ (to 3 s.f.)}$

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8(i)	$ \begin{aligned} & (z-w)(z-w^*) \\ &= z^2 - (w+w^*)z + ww^* \\ &= z^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}(w)z + w ^2 \end{aligned} $ <p>Since $\operatorname{Re}(w), w ^2 \in \mathbb{R}$, therefore the product of the factors is a quadratic polynomial with real coefficients.</p>
8(ii)	$ \begin{aligned} w &= \sqrt{5} \left[\cos(-\tan^{-1}(2)) + i \sin(-\tan^{-1}(2)) \right] \\ &= \sqrt{5} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} - i \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \\ &= 1 - 2i \end{aligned} $ 
8(iii)	$ \begin{aligned} (z-w)(z-w^*) &= z^2 - 2\operatorname{Re}(w)z + w ^2 \\ &= z^2 - 2z + 5 \end{aligned} $ <p>Method 1</p> $z^4 + az^3 + 46z^2 + bz + 125 = (z^2 - 2z + 5)(z^2 + kz + 25) = 0$ <p>Compare coefficient of z^2: $46 = 25 + 5 - 2k \Rightarrow k = -8$</p> <p>Compare coefficient of z^3: $a = k - 2 \Rightarrow a = -10$</p> <p>Compare coefficient of z: $b = -50 + 5k \Rightarrow b = -90$</p> <p>Method 2</p> <p>Substitute $z = 1 - 2i$ into the equation,</p> $ \begin{aligned} (1-2i)^4 + a(1-2i)^3 + 46(1-2i)^2 + b(1-2i) + 125 &= 0 \\ -7 + 24i + a(-11+2i) + 46(-3-4i) + b(1-2i) + 125 &= 0 \\ -20 - 11a + b + (-160 + 2a - 2b)i &= 0 \end{aligned} $ <p>Comparing Real and Imaginary part respectively,</p> $ \begin{cases} 11a - b = -20 \\ 2a - 2b = 160 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a = -10 \\ b = -90 \end{cases} $

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	<p>The remaining roots are</p> $\therefore z^2 - 8z + 25 = 0$ $(z-4)^2 + 9 = 0$ $z = 4 \pm 3i$ <p>The roots to the equation are $4+3i$, $4-3i$, $1-2i$, $1+2i$.</p>
9(i)	$\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{a}{x^2} - bx$, where a & b are positive constants. When $x = 0.5$, $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$ $4a = \frac{b}{2}$ $b = 8a$ $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{a}{x^2} - 8ax = \frac{a(1-8x^3)}{x^2}$ $\therefore \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{k(1-8x^3)}{x^2}$
9(ii)	<p>Method 1:</p> $\frac{dx}{dt} = k\left(\frac{1-8x^3}{x^2}\right)$ $\frac{dt}{dx} = \left(\frac{x^2}{k(1-8x^3)}\right)$ $k \int 1 \frac{dt}{dx} dx = \int \frac{x^2}{(1-8x^3)} dx$ $kt = -\frac{1}{24} \int \frac{-24x^2}{(1-8x^3)} dx$ $kt = -\frac{1}{24} \ln 1-8x^3 + C$ $\ln 1-8x^3 = -24kt + 24C$ $ 1-8x^3 = e^{24C} e^{-24kt}$ $1-8x^3 = Ae^{-24kt} \quad \text{where } A = \pm e^{24C}$ <p>When $t = 0, x = 3$, $A = -215$</p> $\therefore 1-8x^3 = -215e^{-24kt}$ <p>When $t = 1, x = 2$, $e^{-24k} = \frac{63}{215}$</p>

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	$\therefore 1 - 8x^3 = -215 \left(\frac{63}{215} \right)^t$ <p>When $t = 3$, $x = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + 215 \left(\frac{63}{215} \right)^3 \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = 0.92877$</p> <p>$\therefore$ Number of fish is 929 (nearest integer)</p>
9(iii)	<p>As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $\left(\frac{63}{215} \right)^t \rightarrow 0$, $x \rightarrow 0.5$</p> <p>In the long run, the number of fish decreases and tends to 500.</p>
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10(ii)	<p>When $x \leq \frac{a}{2}$, every horizontal line $y = k$ cuts the graph of $y = f(x)$ at most once. Hence f is one-one and therefore f^{-1} exists.</p> <p>The greatest value of k is $\frac{a}{2}$.</p>
10(iii)	<p>Let $y = a^2x - ax^2 = -a \left(x - \frac{a}{2} \right)^2 + \frac{a^3}{4}$</p> $\left(x - \frac{a}{2} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{a} \left(\frac{a^3}{4} - y \right)$ $x - \frac{a}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{a} \left(\frac{a^3}{4} - y \right)}$ $x = \frac{a}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{a} \left(\frac{a^3}{4} - y \right)}$

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	$\therefore x = \frac{a}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{a} \left(\frac{a^3}{4} - y \right)} \quad (\because x \leq \frac{a}{2})$ <p>Hence, $f^{-1} : x \rightarrow \frac{a}{2} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{a} \left(\frac{a^3}{4} - x \right)}$, $x \in \mathbb{R}, x \leq \frac{a^3}{4}$</p> <p>The graph of $y = f^{-1}(x)$ is a reflection of the graph of $y = f(x)$ in the line $y = x$.</p>												
10(iv)	<p>Since $R_f = \left(-\infty, \frac{a^3}{4}\right] \subseteq (-\infty, a^3] = D_g$, the composite function gf exists.</p>												
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11(iii)	<p>As $n \rightarrow \infty$, $\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)^n \rightarrow 0$. Hence $U_n \rightarrow \frac{8}{7}D$.</p> <p>The amount of drug that is present in the bloodstream if the patient continues to take it over a long period of time is $\frac{8}{7}D$ milligrams.</p> <p>Thus, $\frac{8}{7}D \leq 60$</p> $D \leq 52.5$								
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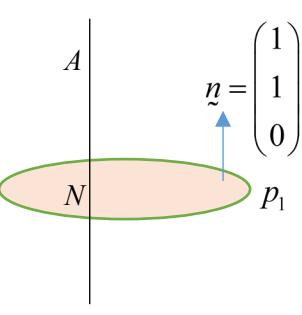
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	$\left \frac{8}{7}(40) \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^n \right) - 50 \right \leq 4.3$ $\left \frac{320}{7} \left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^n \right) - 50 \right \leq 4.3$ $\left \frac{30}{7} - \frac{320}{7} \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^n \right \leq 4.3$ $\frac{30}{7} + \frac{320}{7} \left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^n \leq 4.3$ $\left(\frac{1}{8} \right)^n \leq 3.125 \times 10^{-4}$ $n \geq \frac{\ln(3.125 \times 10^{-4})}{\ln\left(\frac{1}{8}\right)}$ $n \geq 3.88$ <p>Least n is 4. Therefore, the least number of dose is 4.</p>
11(v)	<p>Let t_n mg be the amount of drug taken by the patient on the n^{th} day</p> $t_n = 4 + (n-1)(2) \leq 20$ $n \leq 9$ <p>The 9th day after the patient has started to take the medication is the first day in which his medication not exceeding the maximum dose.</p> <p>Total amount of drug taken</p> $= \frac{9}{2} [2(4) + 8(2)] + 20 \times 5 = 208 \text{ mg}$
12 (i)	<p>Equation of p_1: $x + y = -3$</p> <p>Hence scalar product form of p_1: $\vec{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -3$</p> $\overrightarrow{OB} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Since $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -1 - 2 = -3$</p>

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	Thus B lies on p_1
12 (ii)	$\overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Method 1:</p> $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Shortest distance from A to p_1 = $\overrightarrow{AB} \cdot \hat{n} = \left \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{2}} \right = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} = 2\sqrt{2}$ metres</p> <p>Method 2:</p> <p>Let N be the foot of perpendicular of point A on plane p_1</p> $L_{AN} : \vec{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since N is a point on line L_{AN},</p> $\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 + \mu \\ 4 + \mu \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some } \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since N is also on plane p_1,</p>

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	$\begin{pmatrix} -3 + \mu \\ 4 + \mu \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -3$ $-3 + \mu + 4 + \mu + 0 = -3$ $\mu = -2$ $\overrightarrow{AN} = \left -2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right = 2\sqrt{2} \text{ units}$
12 (iii)	<p>Let θ be the acute angle the path AB makes with p_1</p> $\theta = 90^\circ - \cos^{-1} \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{40}\sqrt{2}}$ $= 90^\circ - \cos^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ $= 26.56505 = 26.6^\circ \quad (1 \text{ d.p})$ <p>OR</p> $\sin \theta = \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{40}\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4}{2\sqrt{20}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ $\theta = 26.56505 = 26.6^\circ \quad (1 \text{ d.p})$

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12 (iv)	<p>Let N be the foot of perpendicular of point A on plane p_1</p> $L_{AN} : \underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mu \in \mathbb{R}$  <p>Since N is a point on line L_{AN},</p> $\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 + \mu \\ 4 + \mu \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some } \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since N is also on plane p_1,</p> $\begin{pmatrix} -3 + \mu \\ 4 + \mu \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -3$ $-3 + \mu + 4 + \mu + 0 = -3$ $\mu = -2$ $\overrightarrow{ON} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - 2 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $\overrightarrow{AN} = \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $2\overrightarrow{AN} = \overrightarrow{AA'}$ $\overrightarrow{OA'} = 2\overrightarrow{AN} + \overrightarrow{OA} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $\overrightarrow{BA'} = \begin{pmatrix} -7 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Vector equation of BA':</p> $\underline{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \alpha \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \alpha \in \mathbb{R}$

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12 (v)	<p>Method 1:</p> <p>$p_1: \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = -3 \Rightarrow \mathbf{r} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}}$</p> <p>$p_2: \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = k \Rightarrow \mathbf{r} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$</p> <p>Since $\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}}$ is positive and $\frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}}$ is negative, the origin is in between p_1 and p_2, and the distance between the planes is $\frac{k}{\sqrt{2}} - \left(\frac{-3}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{k+3}{\sqrt{2}}$</p> <p>Therefore we have</p> $\frac{k+3}{\sqrt{2}} = 35\sqrt{2}$ $k+3 = 35\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2}$ $k+3 = 70$ $k = 67$ <p>Hence $p_2: \mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 67$</p> $L_{BC}: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since C is on the line L_{BC}, we have</p> $\overrightarrow{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} -1+3\lambda \\ -2+\lambda \\ -1+2\lambda \end{pmatrix} \text{ for some } \lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since C is also on the plane p_2, we have</p> $\begin{pmatrix} -1+3\lambda \\ -2+\lambda \\ -1+2\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 67$ $-1+3\lambda - 2 + \lambda = 67$ $\lambda = \frac{35}{2}$

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	<p>Therefore $\overrightarrow{OC} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 + 3\left(\frac{35}{2}\right) \\ -2 + \frac{35}{2} \\ -1 + 2\left(\frac{35}{2}\right) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{103}{2} \\ \frac{31}{2} \\ 34 \end{pmatrix}$, and hence the coordinates of C: $(51.5, 15.5, 34)$.</p> <p>Since C lies on p_2:</p> $\begin{pmatrix} 51.5 \\ 15.5 \\ 34 \end{pmatrix} \bullet \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 67$ $\underline{r} \bullet \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 67$ <p>Cartesian equation: $x + y = 67 \Rightarrow k = 67$</p>