



**Raffles Institution**  
**H2 Mathematics (9758)**  
**Solution for 2023 A-Level Paper 1**

**Question 1**

No.	Suggested Solution	Remarks for Student
	$\ln y = (11 - 5x)^2$ <p>Differentiate with respect to <math>x</math>,</p> $\frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = 2(11 - 5x)(-5) = -10(11 - 5x)$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = -10y(11 - 5x)$ <p>When <math>x = 2</math>, <math>\ln y = (11 - 5(2))^2 = 1 \Rightarrow y = e</math></p> $\frac{dy}{dx} = -10y(11 - 5x) = -10(e)(11 - 10) = -10e$ <p>The equation of tangent is <math>y - e = -10e(x - 2)</math></p> $y = -10ex + 21e$	

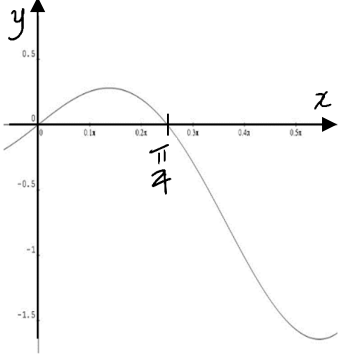
**Question 2**

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(a)	$u_n = an^3 + an^2 + cn + d$ $u_1 = a + b + c + d = 10$ $u_2 = 8a + 4b + 2c + d = 61$ $u_3 = 27a + 9b + 3c + d = 206$ $u_4 = 64a + 16b + 4c + d = 469$ <p>Solving, <math>a = 4, b = 23, c = -46, d = 29</math></p> <p>So, <math>u_n = 4n^3 + 23n^2 - 46n + 29</math></p>	
(b)	$u_n = 4n^3 + 23n^2 - 46n + 29 > 25000$ <p>When <math>n = 16</math>, <math>u_n = 21565 &lt; 25000</math></p> <p>When <math>n = 17</math>, <math>u_n = 25546 &gt; 25000</math></p> <p>Range of values of <math>n</math> is <math>\{n \in \mathbb{Z} : n \geq 17\}</math></p>	Those who gave the answer as $n > 16.9$ will not get the full marks for not recognizing that $n$ has to be an integer.

**Question 3**

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(a)	$(\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a}) \perp (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{b})$ $(\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a}) \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{b}) = 0$ $(\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) + (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{b} + \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) + \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = 0$ $ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} ^2 - 1 = 0, \text{ since } (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) = 0$ $\text{and } \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} = -1$ $ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b} ^2 = 1$ $ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}  = 1, \text{ since }  \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}  \geq 0$	$(\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) \cdot \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} \cdot (\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}) = 0$ because $\mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}$ is perpendicular to both $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$ . The reason needs to be given.
(b)	Let $\theta$ be the angle between the direction of $\mathbf{a}$ and the direction of $\mathbf{b}$ . Then, $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b} =  \mathbf{a}   \mathbf{b}  \cos \theta = -1$ ---- (1) $ \mathbf{a} \times \mathbf{b}  =  \mathbf{a}   \mathbf{b}  \sin \theta = 1$ ---- (2) (2) $\div$ (1), $\frac{ \mathbf{a}   \mathbf{b}  \sin \theta}{ \mathbf{a}   \mathbf{b}  \cos \theta} = -1$ $\tan \theta = -1$ So, $\theta = 135^\circ$	

**Question 4**

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(a)	$\int \cos px \cos qx \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int \cos(p+q)x + \cos(p-q)x \, dx$ $= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{p+q} \sin(p+q)x + \frac{1}{p-q} \sin(p-q)x \right] + C$	Refer to the list of factor formulae in MF26 for assistance.
(b)	$\int x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{1}{n} x \sin nx - \frac{1}{n} \int \sin nx \, dx$ $= \frac{1}{n} x \sin nx + \frac{1}{n^2} \cos nx + D$	Integration by parts. $u = x, \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = \cos nx$ $\frac{du}{dx} = 1, \quad v = \frac{\sin nx}{n}$
(c)	Using the results in part (b), $\int_0^\pi x \cos nx \, dx$ $= \left[ \frac{1}{n} x \sin nx + \frac{1}{n^2} \cos nx \right]_0^\pi$ $= \frac{1}{n} \pi \sin n\pi + \frac{1}{n^2} \cos n\pi - \frac{1}{n} (0) \sin n(0) + \frac{1}{n^2} \cos n(0)$ $= \frac{1}{n^2} \cos n\pi - \frac{1}{n^2}, \quad \text{since } \sin n\pi = 0 \text{ for } n \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } \cos 0 = 1$ <p>When <math>n</math> is even, <math>\cos n\pi = 1</math> and <math>\int_0^\pi x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{1-1}{n^2} = \frac{0}{n^2} = 0</math></p> <p>When <math>n</math> is odd, <math>\cos n\pi = -1</math> and <math>\int_0^\pi x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{-1-1}{n^2} = \frac{-2}{n^2}</math></p> <p>Therefore, <math>\int_0^\pi x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{k}{n^2}</math>, where</p> $k = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{when } n \text{ is even} \\ -2 & \text{when } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$	
(d)	<p>Since <math>x \cos 2x \geq 0</math> when <math>0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}</math> and</p> $x \cos 2x \leq 0 \text{ when } \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2},$ <p>so in the interval <math>0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}</math>,</p> $ x \cos 2x  = \begin{cases} x \cos 2x, & \text{when } 0 \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{4}; \\ -x \cos 2x, & \text{when } \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{2}. \end{cases}$	<p>Again, using your GC, sketch <math>y = x \cos 2x</math>.</p> 

$ \begin{aligned} & \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}  x \cos 2x  \, dx \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} x \cos 2x \, dx + \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} -x \cos 2x \, dx \\ &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} x \cos 2x \, dx - \int_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} x \cos 2x \, dx \\ &= \left[ \frac{x \sin 2x}{2} + \frac{\cos 2x}{4} \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} - \left[ \frac{x \sin 2x}{2} + \frac{\cos 2x}{4} \right]_{\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \\ &= \left[ \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{2} + \frac{\cos \frac{\pi}{2}}{4} - \frac{0}{2} - \frac{\cos 0}{4} \right] \\ &\quad - \left[ \frac{\frac{\pi}{2} \sin \pi}{2} + \frac{\cos \pi}{4} - \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{2} - \frac{\cos \frac{\pi}{2}}{4} \right] \\ &= \frac{\pi}{8} + 0 - 0 - \frac{1}{4} - 0 + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{\pi}{8} + 0 \\ &= \frac{\pi}{4} \end{aligned} $	
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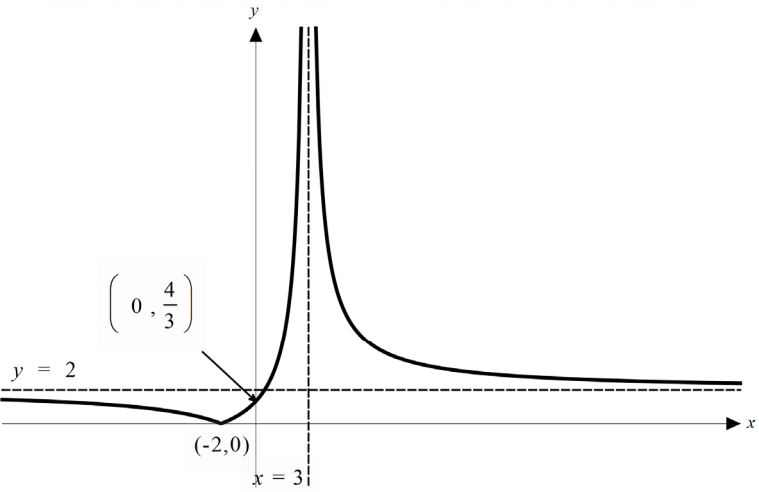
**Question 5**

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(a)	$\sum_{r=2}^n \ln \left[ \frac{(r-1)(r+1)}{r^2} \right] = \sum_{r=2}^n [\ln(r-1) - 2 \ln r + \ln(r+1)]$ $= \ln(1) - 2 \ln 2 + \ln 3$ $+ \ln(2) - 2 \ln 3 + \ln 4$ $+ \ln(3) - 2 \ln 4 + \ln 5$ $+ \ln(4) - 2 \ln 5 + \ln 6$ $\vdots$ $+ \ln(n-3) - 2 \ln(n-2) + \ln(n-1)$ $+ \ln(n-2) - 2 \ln(n-1) + \ln(n)$ $+ \ln(n-1) - 2 \ln(n) + \ln(n+1)$ $= \ln(1) - 2 \ln 2 + \ln(2) + \ln(n) - 2 \ln(n) + \ln(n+1)$ $= -\ln 2 - \ln(n) + \ln(n+1)$ $= \ln\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right) - \ln 2 \quad (\text{Shown})$	
(b)	<p>As <math>n \rightarrow \infty</math>, <math>\frac{n+1}{n} = 1 + \frac{1}{n} \rightarrow 1</math>, therefore</p> $\sum_{r=2}^n \ln \left[ \frac{(r-1)(r+1)}{r^2} \right] = \ln\left(\frac{n+1}{n}\right) - \ln 2 \rightarrow \ln 1 - \ln 2 = -\ln 2$ <p style="text-align: right;">(a finite number)</p> <p>So, the corresponding infinite series is convergent and the sum to infinity is <math>-\ln 2</math>.</p>	
(c)	$\sum_{r=10}^{20} \ln \left[ \frac{(r-1)(r+1)}{r^2} \right] = \sum_{r=2}^{20} \ln \left[ \frac{(r-1)(r+1)}{r^2} \right] - \sum_{r=2}^9 \ln \left[ \frac{(r-1)(r+1)}{r^2} \right]$ $= \ln\left(\frac{21}{20}\right) - \ln 2 - \ln\left(\frac{10}{9}\right) + \ln 2$ $= \ln\left(\frac{21 \times 9}{20 \times 10}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{189}{200}\right)$ <p>Therefore, <math>a = 189</math> and <math>b = 200</math>.</p>	

**Question 6**

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(a)	<p>Use double angle formula <math>\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(\cos 2\theta + 1)</math>, we have</p> $\cos^4 \theta = [\cos^2 \theta]^2$ $= \left[ \frac{1}{2}(\cos 2\theta + 1) \right]^2$ $= \frac{1}{4}[\cos^2 2\theta + 2\cos 2\theta + 1]$ $= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{2}(\cos 4\theta + 1) + 2\cos 2\theta + 1 \right] \quad \text{since } \cos^2 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}(\cos 4\theta + 1)$ $= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{2}\cos 4\theta + 2\cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{2} \right]$ $= \frac{1}{8}(\cos 4\theta + 4\cos 2\theta + 3) \quad (\text{Shown})$	
(b)	<p>Volume generated <math>= \pi \int_{1.5}^3 y^2 \, dx = \pi \int_{1.5}^3 (9 - x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} \, dx</math></p> $x = 3 \sin \theta \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{d\theta} = 3 \cos \theta$ <p>When <math>x = 1.5</math>, <math>3 \sin \theta = 1.5 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = 0.5 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}</math></p> <p>When <math>x = 3</math>, <math>3 \sin \theta = 3 \Rightarrow \sin \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}</math></p> <p>Therefore, volume generated</p> $= \pi \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (9 - 9 \sin^2 \theta)^{\frac{3}{2}} 3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$ $= \pi \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 9^{\frac{3}{2}} (1 - \sin^2 \theta)^{\frac{3}{2}} 3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$ $= \pi \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 27 (\cos^3 \theta) 3 \cos \theta \, d\theta$ $= 81\pi \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 \theta \, d\theta$ $= 81\pi \int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{1}{8} (\cos 4\theta + 4 \cos 2\theta + 3) \, d\theta$ $= \frac{81\pi}{8} \left[ \frac{\sin 4\theta}{4} + 2 \sin 2\theta + 3\theta \right]_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$ $= \frac{81\pi}{8} \left[ \frac{3\pi}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} - \sqrt{3} - \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$ $= \frac{81\pi}{8} \left[ \pi - \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{8} \right] = \frac{81\pi}{64} [8\pi - 9\sqrt{3}]$	

### Question 7

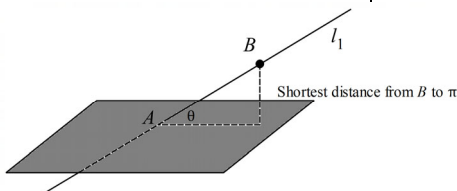
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<b>(a)</b>	$y = \left  \frac{2x+4}{3-x} \right $ 	
<b>(b)</b>	Range of $f = R_f = [0, \infty)$	
<b>(c)</b>	Since $3 \in R_f$ but $3 \notin D_f$ . So, $R_f \not\subset D_f$ , therefore the function $f^2$ does not exist.	Since answer is known ( $f^2$ does not exist), it is important to write down how come $R_f \not\subset D_f$ by giving a specific value that inside $R_f$ but not inside $D_f$ .
<b>(d)</b>	For the function $f^{-1}$ to exist, $f$ has to be one-one, so the greatest value of $a$ is $-2$ .	
<b>(e)</b>	<p>Let <math>y = \left  \frac{2x+4}{3-x} \right  = -\frac{2x+4}{3-x}</math>, since <math>\frac{2x+4}{3-x} \leq 0</math> for <math>x \leq -2</math></p> $y = -\frac{2x+4}{3-x}$ $3y - xy = -2x - 4$ $x = \frac{3y+4}{y-2}$ <p>Therefore <math>f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3x+4}{x-2}</math>.</p> <p>Its domain is <math>D_{f^{-1}} = R_f = [0, 2)</math></p>	

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(a)(i)	$ z  = \sqrt{1+3^2}$ and $\arg z = \pi - \tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ $(z \text{ is in the 2nd quadrant})$ Therefore $z = -1 + \sqrt{3}i = 2e^{i\frac{2\pi}{3}}$	
(ii)	$\frac{z^n}{iz^*} = \frac{2^n e^{i\frac{2n\pi}{3}}}{e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}} \times 2e^{-i\frac{2\pi}{3}}} = 2^{n-1} e^{i\left(\frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{2\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = 2^{n-1} e^{i\left(\frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)}$ <p>For <math>\frac{z^n}{iz^*}</math> to be purely imaginary,</p> $\cos\left(\frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6} = (2k+1)\frac{\pi}{2} \text{ where } k \in \mathbb{Z}$ $\Rightarrow n = \frac{3}{2}k + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(3k+1)$ <p>[Observe the graph of <math>y = \cos x</math> to get the expression <math>(2k+1)\frac{\pi}{2}</math> ]</p> <p>It is clear that the required smallest positive <math>n</math> occurs when <math>k = 1</math>.</p> <p>Therefore, the required smallest positive <math>n = 2</math>.</p>	<p>Recall that <math>i = e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}}</math></p> <p>Alternatively,</p> $\frac{2n\pi}{3} + \frac{\pi}{6} = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{3\pi}{2}, \pm \frac{5\pi}{2}, \dots$ $n = \frac{1}{2}, -1, 2, -\frac{5}{2}, \frac{7}{2}, -4, \dots$
(b)	$2v +  w  = 1 \quad \text{-----(1)}$ $3v - iw = -3 + 4i \quad \text{-----(2)}$ <p>Let <math>v = a + ib</math> and <math>w = x + iy</math>, where <math>a, b, x, y \in \mathbb{R}</math></p> <p>From (1), <math>2v +  w  = 1 \Rightarrow v = \frac{1}{2}(1 -  w ) \in \mathbb{R}</math></p> <p>Thus, we can say that <math>v = a \in \mathbb{R}</math> (with <math>b = 0</math>)</p> <p>From (2), <math>3a - i(x + iy) = -3 + 4i</math></p> $(3a + y) - ix = -3 + 4i$ <p>Comparing imaginary parts, <math>x = -4</math></p> <p>Comparing real parts, <math>3a + y = -3</math></p> <p>From (1),</p> $2a + \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = 1$ $2a + \sqrt{16 + (-3 - 3a)^2} = 1$ $16 + 9(1+a)^2 = (1-2a)^2$ $16 + 9(1+2a+a^2) = 1 - 4a + 4a^2$ $5a^2 + 22a + 24 = 0$ $a = -2, -\frac{12}{5}$ <p>then, <math>y = 3, \frac{21}{5}</math></p> <p>So, possible solutions are <math>v = -2, w = -4 + 3i</math> and</p> $v = -\frac{12}{5}, w = -4 + \frac{21}{5}i$	<p>Note that in this case <math> w </math> does <b>not</b> mean <math>w</math> or <math>-w</math>. You can only say this when <math>w</math> is a real number. Since <math>w</math> is a complex number, then <math> w </math> means the magnitude of the complex number <math>w</math> (i.e. <math>\sqrt{(\operatorname{Re}(w))^2 + (\operatorname{Im}(w))^2}</math>)</p>



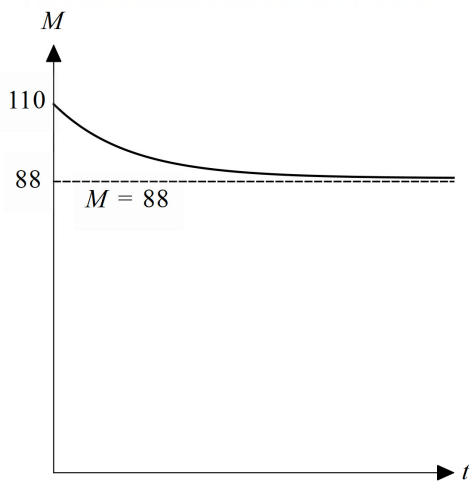
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(a)	$l_1 : \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \quad \text{and} \quad l_2 : \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ <p>Since <math>l_1</math> and <math>l_2</math> cross at the point <math>B</math>,</p> $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ a \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \text{ for some } \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{R}$ $\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2\lambda - 3\mu = 1 & \text{---(1)} \\ \lambda - 2\mu = 0 & \text{---(2)} \\ \lambda a - \mu = 3 & \text{---(3)} \end{cases}$ <p>Using (1) and (2), <math>\lambda = 2</math> and <math>\mu = 1</math>, hence using (3), <math>a = 2</math></p> <p>Using <math>\mu = 1</math>, <math>\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix}</math></p> <p>The coordinates of <math>B</math> is <math>(1, 3, 6)</math>.</p>	
(b)(i)	<p>Since <math>\pi_1</math> is perpendicular to <math>l_2</math>, then a normal vector of <math>\pi_1</math> is <math>\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}</math>.</p> $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>The shortest distance from <math>B</math> to <math>\pi_1</math> is <math>\frac{\left  \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right }{\sqrt{3^2 + 2^2 + 1^2}} = \frac{20}{\sqrt{14}}</math></p>	
(ii)	<p>Let the required angle be <math>\theta</math>.</p> $\text{Then, } \sin \theta = \frac{\frac{20}{\sqrt{14}}}{\frac{20}{\sqrt{14}}} = \frac{\sqrt{14}}{6} = \frac{10}{3\sqrt{14}}$ <p><math>\theta = 62.98^\circ = 63.0^\circ</math> (correct to 1 d.p.)</p> 	
(c)	<p>Direction vectors of <math>\pi_2</math> are <math>\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}</math> and <math>\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}</math></p>	

	<p>Normal vector to <math>\pi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}</math></p> <p>The equation of the plane <math>\pi_2</math> is <math>\mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 15</math></p> <p>So, cartesian equation of <math>\pi_2</math> is <math>-3x + 4y + z = 15</math></p>	
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**Question 10**

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(a)	<p>Energy intake by Andrew per day = <math>C</math> Calories  Energy expenditure by Andrew per day = <math>30M</math> Calories  Difference between energy intake and energy expenditure  = <math>C - 30M</math>  Since <math>\frac{dM}{dt} \propto C - 30M</math>, then <math>\frac{dM}{dt} = k(C - 30M)</math>, where <math>k</math> is the constant of proportionality.</p>	
(b)	<p><math>\frac{dM}{dt} = 0</math> when <math>M = 110</math>.  So, <math>k(C - 30(110)) = 0</math>  <math>C = 3300</math> Calories per day</p>	<p>Note that mass is constant means  <math>\frac{dM}{dt} = 0</math></p>
(c)	<p>New <math>C = 0.8 \times 3300 = 2640</math> Calories per day  <math display="block">\frac{dM}{dt} = k(2640 - 30M)</math> <math display="block">\int \frac{1}{2640 - 30M} dM = \int k dt</math> <math display="block">-\frac{1}{30} \ln 2640 - 30M  = kt + D \quad \text{where } D \text{ is an arbitrary constant}</math> <math display="block"> 2640 - 30M  = e^{-30(kt+D)}</math> <math display="block">2640 - 30M = Ae^{-30kt} \quad \text{where } A = \pm e^{-30D}</math> <math display="block">30M = 2640 - Ae^{-30kt}</math> <math display="block">M = 88 + Be^{-30kt} \quad \text{where } B = -\frac{A}{30}</math> <p>When <math>t = 0</math>, <math>M = 110</math>, <math>110 = 88 + B \Rightarrow B = 22</math>  Therefore, <math>M = 88 + 22e^{-30kt}</math> (Shown)</p> </p>	<p>Remember to include the modulus  Recall how to remove the modulus</p>
(d)	<p>When <math>t = 75</math>, <math>M = 100</math>, <math>100 = 88 + 22e^{-30k(75)}</math>  <math display="block">k = -\frac{1}{2250} \ln\left(\frac{6}{11}\right)</math> <p>Note that <math>k = -\frac{1}{2250} \ln\left(\frac{6}{11}\right) &gt; 0</math>  For <math>M &lt; 96</math>,  <math display="block">88 + 22e^{-30kt} &lt; 96</math> <math display="block">e^{-30kt} &lt; \frac{4}{11}</math> <math display="block">-30kt &lt; \ln\left(\frac{4}{11}\right)</math> <math display="block">t &gt; \frac{\ln\left(\frac{4}{11}\right)}{-30k} = \frac{75 \ln\left(\frac{4}{11}\right)}{\ln\left(\frac{6}{11}\right)} = 125.17</math></p> </p>	<p>The variable <math>t</math> is measured from the time when Andrew's mass is initially 110 kg. But the question is asking for the number of</p>

	Number of additional days needed is $126 - 75 = 51$	<b>additional</b> days to fall from 100 kg to 96 kg. Thus, there is a need to subtract by 75 days.
(e) (i)	 <p>Andrew's mass is reducing and approaching 88 kg in the long run. Thus, Andrew cannot achieve a mass of 80 kg using this plan.</p>	<p>Note that <math>t</math> starts from 0, so do not draw with negative <math>t</math>-values.</p> <p>It is <b>important</b> to label the intercepts and the equation of asymptotes.</p>
(ii)	<p>From part (c), it can be observed that for Andrew could achieve a mass of 80 kg, <math>0 &lt; \frac{C}{30} &lt; 80 \Rightarrow 0 &lt; C &lt; 2400</math></p> <p>The range of possible values of energy intake for which Andrew could achieve a mass of 80 kg is <math>(0, 2400)</math></p>	

**Question 11**

No.	Suggested Solution		Remarks for Student									
(a)	<p>Total amount saved</p> $= \$[a + (a + 50) + (a + 2(50)) + (a + 3(50)) + \dots + (a + 35(50))]$ $= \$\left[\frac{36}{2}(a + (a + 35(50)))\right] \quad \text{OR} \quad \$\left[\frac{36}{2}(2a + 35(50))\right]$ $= \$[18(2a + 1750)]$ <p>To save at least \$50000.</p> $18(2a + 1750) \geq 50000$ $\Rightarrow a \geq \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{50000}{18} - 1750\right) = 513.888889$ <p>The smallest value of <math>a</math> so that she saves at least \$50000 is \$513.89</p>		<p>From Jan 2021 to Dec 2023, there are a total of 36 months.</p> <p>It is mentioned in the question, answer is to be rounded to the nearest cent, and not 3 s.f. Also, \$513.90 is not correct as this to the nearest ten cents.</p>									
(b)	<table><tr><th>Month</th><th>Amount owed at the end of <math>n</math>th month (\$)</th></tr><tr><td>1</td><td><math>400000 \times 1.001 - x</math></td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td><math>(400000 \times 1.001 - x) \times 1.001 - x</math> <math>= 400000 \times 1.001^2 - 1.001x - x</math></td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td><math>(400000 \times 1.001^2 - 1.001x - x) \times 1.001 - x</math> <math>= 400000 \times 1.001^3 - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x</math></td></tr><tr><td>4</td><td><math>(400000 \times 1.001^3 - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x) \times 1.001 - x</math> <math>= 400000 \times 1.001^4 - 1.001^3x - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x</math></td></tr></table> <p>The amount, in dollars, that Wei owes at the end of <math>n</math>th months</p> $= (400000 \times 1.001^n) - 1.001^{n-1}x - 1.001^{n-2}x - \dots - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x$ $= 400000 \times 1.001^n - \frac{x(1.001^n - 1)}{1.001 - 1}$ $= 400000 \times 1.001^n - 1000x(1.001^n - 1) \quad (\text{Shown})$	Month	Amount owed at the end of $n$ th month (\$)	1	$400000 \times 1.001 - x$	2	$(400000 \times 1.001 - x) \times 1.001 - x$ $= 400000 \times 1.001^2 - 1.001x - x$	3	$(400000 \times 1.001^2 - 1.001x - x) \times 1.001 - x$ $= 400000 \times 1.001^3 - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x$	4	$(400000 \times 1.001^3 - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x) \times 1.001 - x$ $= 400000 \times 1.001^4 - 1.001^3x - 1.001^2x - 1.001x - x$	<p>Note that 0.1% is equivalent to <math>\frac{0.1}{100} = 0.001</math>.</p>
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(c)(i)	<p>Since the loan is repaid in 360 monthly repayments, then</p> $400\,000 \times 1.001^{360} - 1000x(1.001^{360} - 1) \leq 0$ $1000x(1.001^{360} - 1) \geq 400\,000 \times 1.001^{360}$ $x \geq \frac{400\,000 \times 1.001^{360}}{1000(1.001^{360} - 1)}$ $= 1323.634776$ <p>The value of the monthly repayment to the nearest cent is \$1323.64</p>	<p>As this is a contextual question and stated that the loan was repaid in 360 months, rounding \$1323.634776 down to \$1323.63 does not actually repay the loan.</p>										

<b>(c)(ii)</b>	<p>Total interest paid on the loan is  <math>\\$(1323.64 \times 360 - 400000) = \\$76510.40</math></p>	<p>Instead of using a more accurate answer in <b>(c)(i)</b>, should follow the instruction in the question to use the answer from <b>(c)(i)</b> which is more appropriate in the context of the question</p>
<b>(d)(i)</b>	<p>Let <math>L = 400000 \times 1.001^n - 1000(1600)(1.001^n - 1)</math>          If repayment of the loan is at the rate of \$1600 per month, then for <math>L \geq 0</math>, we get <math>n \leq 287.82589</math>          So, Wei repays the loan at the rate of \$1600 per month for 287 months.          When <math>n = 287</math>, <math>L = 1320.21799</math></p> <p>The final monthly repayment amount is  <math>\\$1320.21799 \times 1.001</math>  <math>= \\$1321.5382</math>  <math>\approx \\$1321.54</math> (to the nearest cent)          So, <math>k = 287</math> and <math>y = 1321.54</math></p>	
<b>(d)(ii)</b>	<p>Total interest paid on the loan in <b>(d)(i)</b> is  <math>\\$(1600 \times 287 + 1321.54 - 400000) = \\$60521.54</math>          Total saving to Wei  <math>= \\$76510.40 - \\$60521.54 = \\$15988.86 \approx \\$15990</math> (to 4 s.f.)</p>	<p>The question asked for the answer to 4 s.f.</p>