Advanced Higher

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Revision Notes

A resume of what you should know for the exam

Mathematics 1

Unit 1 Binomial Theorem / Partial Fractions

- A. Know how to find the numbers in Pascals Triangle.
- B. Know how to expand $(x + y)^n$ using Pascal's Triangle.

 1 3 3 (etc.)
- C. Know the meaning of factorial n (n factorial) = $n! = n(n-1)(n-2) \dots 3.2.1$
- D. Know the Binomial coefficient $\binom{n}{r}$ (= $\binom{n}{r}$) = $\frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$ e.g. $\binom{10}{7} = \frac{10 \times 9 \times 8}{3 \times 2 \times 1}$.
- E. Know the Binomial Theorem \Rightarrow $(x+y)^n = \sum_{r=0}^{r=n} \binom{n}{r} x^{n-r} y^r$.
- F. Know also $\binom{n}{r} + \binom{n}{r+1} = \binom{n+1}{r}$ and $\sum_{r=0}^{r=n} \binom{n}{r} = 2^n$.
- G. Understand how to expand $(x+y+z)^n = (x+(y+z))^n = \sum_{r=0}^{r=n} \binom{n}{r} x^{n-r} (y+z)^r$.
- H. Know the <u>General Term</u> in $(x+y)^n$ is $T_{r+1} = \binom{n}{r} x^{n-r} y^r$ (useful to find single terms).
- I. Partial Fractions (a) $\frac{x+1}{(x+3)(x-2)} = \frac{A}{(x+3)} + \frac{B}{(x-2)}$ etc.

(b)
$$\frac{x+1}{(x+3)(x^2-2x+3)} = \frac{A}{(x+3)} + \frac{Bx+C}{(x^2-2x+3)}$$
 etc.

(c)
$$\frac{x+1}{(x+3)(x-2)^2} = \frac{A}{(x+3)} + \frac{B}{(x-2)} + \frac{C}{(x-2)^2}$$
 etc.

*Note - Remember to divide if the degree of numerator is greater than or equal to the degree of the denominator.

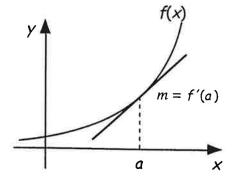
Unit 2

Differentiation 1

A. Know how to differentiate simple functions from First Principles.

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

Know that f'(a) is simply the gradient of the tangent to curve f(x) at x = a.



B. New Trig Functions :-

(i)
$$\sec x = \frac{1}{\cos x}$$
 (ii) $\csc x = \frac{1}{\sin x}$ (iii) $\cot x = \frac{1}{\tan x}$.

C. Standard Derivatives

f(x)	f'(x)		
x"	nx ⁿ⁻¹		
sin(ax + b)	acos(ax + b)		
cos(ax + b)	-asin(ax + b)		
tan(ax + b)	asec ² (ax + b)		
sec <i>x</i>	secx tanx		
cosecx	-cosec <i>x</i> cotan <i>x</i>		
cotx	-cosec ² x		
$e^{(ax+b)}$	ae ^(ax+b)		
ln(ax + b)	$\frac{a}{(ax+b)}$		

D. Three Main Rules for differentiation:-

Chain Rule
$$\frac{d}{dx}(g(f(x))) = g'(f(x)) \times f'(x)$$
Product Rule
$$\frac{d}{dx}(f(x)g(x)) = f(x)g'(x) + g(x)f'(x)$$
Quotient Rule
$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{f(x)}{g(x)}\right) = \frac{g(x)f'(x) - f(x)g'(x)}{(g(x))^2}$$

E. Know how to find 2nd and Higher derivatives

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) \qquad \frac{d^ny}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{d}{$$

or f''(x), f'''(x), f''(x) etc.

F. Know how to apply Second Derivative test to decide on nature of turning points. if x = a is a stationary value, then:-

if
$$f''(a) > 0$$
 => (a minimum T.P.) and if $f''(a) < 0$ => (a maximum T.P.)

G. Displacement, Velocity, Acceleration and derivatives.

If x(t) if a (distance) function of time, then

x'(t) gives the speed (velocity) and

x''(t) gives the acceleration of the object.

H. Optimisation:

If you are asked to find the largest, smallest, greatest, least, best, cheapest etc. => find the derivative, set it equal to zero and solve for the variable.

This should enable you to optimise the solution.

Unit 3

Integration 1

A. Standard Integrals

f(x)	$\int f(x)dx$
$(ax+b)^n$	$\frac{1}{a}\frac{(ax+b)^{n+1}}{(n+1)}+c$
sin(ax + b)	$-\frac{1}{a}\cos(ax+b)+c$
cos(<i>ax</i> + <i>b</i>)	$\frac{1}{a}\sin(ax+b)+c$
sec ² (ax + b)	$\frac{1}{a}\tan(ax+b)+c$
cosec ² (ax + b)	$-\frac{1}{a}\cot(ax+b)+c$
tan <i>x</i>	ln(cosx) + c
$\frac{1}{ax+b}$	$\frac{1}{a}\ln(ax+b)+c$

В. Integration by Substitution:-

Type 1

$$\int \cos x \sin^3 x dx$$

$$\int \cos x \sin^3 x dx \qquad \text{let } u = \sin x \implies du = \cos x^2 dx \text{ etc}$$

Type 2

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx$$

$$\int \frac{x}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx \qquad \text{let } x = 3\sin\theta \implies dx = 3\cos\theta \ d\theta \quad \text{etc.}$$

Special Type

$$\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \ln|f(x)| + c$$

C. Area under curve

$$\int_{a}^{b} f(x)dx = \text{area under } f(x) \text{ from } a \text{ to } b.$$

Area between curves

$$\int_a^b (f(x) - g(x))dx = \text{area between } f(x) \text{ and } g(x) \text{ from } a \text{ to } b.$$

Area between curve and y-axis $\int_{y=a}^{y=b} f(y)dy = \int_{y=a}^{y=b} xdy = \text{area between } f(x) \text{ and } y\text{-axis.}$

Volume of Solid of Revolution about x-axis $V = \pi \int_{a}^{b} (f(x))^{2} dx$.

Unit 4

Functions and Related Graphs

- A. A Rational Function is one of the form $f(x) = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$ where P(x) & Q(x) are polynomials.
- B. Asymptotes (a) vertical if Q(x) = 0 has a solution x = a, then x = a is a V.A.

 Check what happens as $x \longrightarrow a^+$ and $x \longrightarrow a^-$
 - (b) horizontal if degree of P(x) < degree of Q(x), then the y-axis is a horizontal asymptote. (H.A.)

 Check what happens as $x \longrightarrow +\infty$ and $x \longrightarrow -\infty$.

 if degree of P(x) = degree of Q(x), then there is a horizontal asymptote (y = k)Divide each term by the highest power of x and
 - (c) oblique if degree of P(x) is exactly 1 more than the degree Q(x), then there is an oblique (sloping) asymptote

and it is found by dividing P(x) by Q(x).

Then check what happens as $x \rightarrow +\infty$ and $x \rightarrow -\infty$.

check what happens as $x \rightarrow +\infty$ and $x \rightarrow -\infty$.

C. To sketch $f(x) = \frac{x^3 - 1}{(x+1)(x-2)}$

find where it cuts y-axis (set x = 0) => $(0, \frac{1}{2})$ find where it cuts x-axis (set y = 0 & solve) => (1,0)

find the stationary points (set f'(x) = 0 and solve) \Rightarrow (?,...) and (?,...)

find the vertical asymptotes (x = -1 and x = 2) (check x -> -1[±] and 2[±])

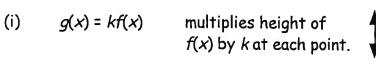
find any horizontal asymptote (as deg $(P(x)) > \deg Q(x) \rightarrow no H.A.$)

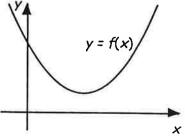
find any sloping asymptote y = x + 1 and study what happens as $x \longrightarrow \pm \infty$

then sketch f(x) using all the above information

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D. Be able to sketch graphs "related" to f(x) if you know what f(x) looks like.





(ii) g(x) = f(kx)

reduces distance from y-axis to graph by 1/k for each point on f(x).

- (iii) g(x) = f(x + k) moves graph horizontally by k units (left if k > 0).
- (iv) g(x) = f(x) + k moves graph up (if k > 0) or down (if k < 0).
- (v) g(x) = -f(x) reflects f(x) over x-axis.
- (vi) $g(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ reflects f(x) over the line y = x.
- (vii) g(x) = |f(x)| reflects the bits of f(x) lying below the x-axis over the x-axis.
- (viii) g(x) = f'(x) see 5th year method. Stationary points of f(x) become zeros of f'(x) and slope of f(x) determines positive or negative nature of f'(x).
- E. Even and Odd Functions
 - (a) A function f(x) is EVEN if f(a) = f(-a) for every value a where f(x) is defined. (symmetric when reflected over the y axis)
 - (b) A function f(x) is ODD if f(a) = -f(-a) for every value a where f(x) is defined. (symmetric when rotated 180° around the origin)

Mathematics 1

Unit 5

Matrices 1

- A. Know the terms "order" (e.g. 3 by 4) of a matrix and "element" of a matrix.
- B. Know what the transpose of matrix A is A^{T} or A'. if $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow A' = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 4 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$
- C. Solve 3×3 systems of equations by Gaussian elimination.
- D. Know what is meant by a system of equations being ill-conditioned.
 i.e. a small change in one of the coefficients => a large change in the solutions.

Mathematics 2

Unit 1 Further Differentiation

A. More Standard Derivatives

f'(x)
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$
$\frac{1}{1+x^2}$

B. Be able to use Implicit Differentiation.

derivative of $x^2 - 3xy + y^2 = 1$ is

$$2x - 3x \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \quad *$$

$$\Rightarrow \quad (2y - 3x) \frac{dy}{dx} = 3y - 2x \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y - 2x}{(2y - 3x)} \quad **$$

- C. Be able to find second derivative, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ from * or ** above.
- D. By change of variable, be able to solve differential equation problems.
 - e.g. Volume of a balloon is increasing by 160 cm³ per second. $(\frac{dV}{dt} = 160)$ Find rate of change of radius when r = 5 cm.

$$\Rightarrow \quad \text{Find } \frac{dr}{dt} = \left(\frac{dr}{dV} \times \frac{dV}{dt}\right), \text{ but since } V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dr} = 4\pi r^2$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 Hence, $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{1}{4\pi r^2} \times 160 = \frac{40}{\pi r^2} = \frac{40}{\pi \times 5 \times 5} = 0.51 \text{ cm/sec}$

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E. Be able to apply Logarithmic Differentiation.

Very useful, particularly when x or a function of x appears as a power.

- e.g. Differentiate $y = (\sin x)^x$
- \Rightarrow $\ln y = \ln(\sin x)^x = x \ln(\sin x)$
- $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y}\frac{dy}{dx} = x\frac{\cos x}{\sin x} + \ln(\sin x)$
- $\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = y(x \cot x + \ln(\sin x)) = (\sin x)^{x}(x \cot x + \ln(\sin x)).$
- F. Be able to apply Parametric Differentiation.

Used when x and y are defined independently in terms of a 3rd variable (e.g. t).

e.g. If $x = 2t^2 + 3$ and $y = t^3$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$.

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = 4t, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 3t^2, \quad \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \div \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{3t^2}{4t} = \frac{3}{4}t.$$

G. Be able to find the second derivative of a set of parametric equations.

Note that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)$, but since $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is a function of t (not x), we proceed:

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right) \times \left(\frac{dt}{dx} \right) = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{3}{4}t \right) \div \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{3}{4} \div 4t = \frac{3}{16t}$$

H. Know that the speed of a function, given in terms of a parameter t is:-

=> If
$$x = x(t)$$
 and $y = y(t)$, => speed = $|v| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right)^2}$

Unit 2

Further Integration

A. More Standard Integrals.

$\int f(x)dx$		
$\sin^{-1}x + c$		
tan ⁻¹ x+c		
$\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{a}\right) + c$		
$\frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{a} \right) + c$		

B. Be able to use Partial Fractions to help integrate functions.

e.g. Since
$$\frac{x^2 - x + 2}{(x - 1)(x^2 + 1)} = \frac{1}{x - 1} - \frac{1}{x^2 + 1}$$
, (Partial fractions)

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{x^2 - x + 2}{(x - 1)(x^2 + 1)} dx = \int \frac{1}{x - 1} dx - \int \frac{1}{x^2 + 1} dx = \ln(x - 1) - \tan^{-1}x + c$$

C. Be able to use Integration by Parts

- (a) For example use it to find $\int 2xe^x dx$
- (b) It sometimes has to be applied more than once. e.g. $\int (x^2 1)e^x dx$
- (c) It sometimes has to be used with a "dummy" variable

e.g.
$$\int \ln x dx = \int \ln x dx$$
 (let $u = \ln x$ and let $\frac{dv}{dx} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$ and $v = x$)

(d) Sometimes Integration by Parts "loops" back to the original function

e.g. $\int e^x \sin x dx$ loops round after two cycles to give :-

$$\int e^x \sin x dx = e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x - \int e^x \sin x dx$$

=>
$$2 \int e^x \sin x dx = e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x => \int e^x \sin x dx = \frac{1}{2} (e^x \sin x - e^x \cos x)$$

- D. Be able to solve First Order Differential Equations which are Variable Separable.
 - If $\frac{dy}{dx}$ can be expressed as a product of a function of x and a function of y, :-

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = f(x)g(y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dy}{g(y)} = \int f(x)dx \text{ and simply integrate both sides.}$$

Also you should be able to find a <u>Particular Solution</u> given a set of values for x and y.

- E. Be able to solve more complicated Problems by introducing Differential Equations which are Variable Separable.
 - e.g. The rate at which the number of people in a town (population N) catch a virus is proportional to the number who presently have the virus and the number who have not yet caught it. This is modelled by:-

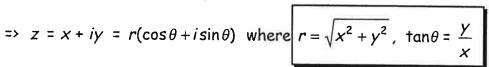
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = kx(N-x)$$

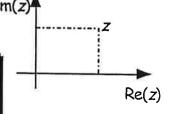
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x(N-x)} = kdt \Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x(N-x)} dx = \int ktdt \text{ (use partial fractions)}$$

Unit 3

Complex Numbers

- A.
 - Know that $\sqrt{-1} = i$. $\Rightarrow i^2 = -1$, $i^3 = -i$, $i^4 = 1$, etc.
- A Complex Number is of the form z = x + iy (and its conjugate $\overline{z} = x iy$). В.
- Given $z_1 = a + ib$ and $z_2 = c + id$ be able to find (i) $z_1 + z_2$ and (ii) $z_1 z_2$. C.
- Be able to find $z_1 \times z_2 = (a+ib)(c+id) = (ac-bd) + i(ad+bc)$. D.
- Be able to divide using the "complex conjugate" $\Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{(a+ib)}{(c+id)} \times \frac{(c-id)}{(c-id)}$ etc. E.
- Be able to represent z = a + ib in an Argand Diagram. F.
- Be able to change z = x + iy to Polar Form as follows:-G.





- H. Know the terms
- $\operatorname{Mod} z = |z| = r$
- argument $z = \arg z = \theta$.
- I. Be able to use De Moivre's Theorem as in $z = r(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)$
 - $z^n = r^n(\cos n\theta + i\sin n\theta)$ for all n (whole numbers)

(know that De Moivre's Theorem also works for negative and fractional values of n).

Fundamental Theorem of Algebra: Every Polynomial equation of degree n has exactly J. n roots, some of them may be real, some repeated or some complex.

(know also if z is a root of a Polynomial equation, then \overline{z} is also a root).

- Be able to check if z = 2 + 3i is a root of a polynomial equation by checking the factors K. $(z-(2+3i))(z-(2-3i)) = ((z-2)-3i)((z-2)+3i) = z^2-4z+13$ and dividing the polynomial by $z^2 - 4z + 13$ to see if you get a zero remainder.
- Be able to find (simple) roots of complex numbers e.g. given $z = 4\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2}i$. L

 $z = 8(\cos\frac{\pi}{4} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{4}) \implies z^{\frac{1}{3}} = 8^{\frac{1}{3}}(\cos(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{\pi}{4}) + i\sin(\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{\pi}{4})) = 2(\cos\frac{\pi}{12} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{12})$ etc.

- Recognise the Geometrical Interpretation of equations and inequalities. M.
 - |z| = 4 is represented by the circum of a circle as shown. e.g.

Unit 4 Sequences and Series

- A. Recognise Arithmetic Sequences a, (a+d), (a+2d), (a+3d), (a+(n-1)d). \Rightarrow General term $(n + t + t + t) \Rightarrow u_n = (a+(n-1)d)$.
- B. Be able to find the sum of n terms of an Arithmetic Series:-

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $S_n = a$, $(a+d) + (a+2d) + (a+3d) + + $(a+(n-1)d) = \frac{n}{2}(2a+(n-1)d)$.$

- C. Recognise Geometric Sequence a, ar, ar^2 , ar^3 , $ar^{(n-1)}$.
 - \Rightarrow General term (nth term) \Rightarrow $u_n = ar^{(n-1)}$.
- D. Be able to find the sum of n terms of an Geometric Series:-

$$S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + + ar^{(n-1)} = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{(1-r)}$$
 or $\frac{a(r^n-1)}{(r-1)}$

E. Recognise when a G.S. has a limit as the number of terms increases. (as $n \rightarrow \infty$)

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r} \text{ as long as } -1 < r < 1$$

- F. Be able to use Simultaneous Equation Solving techniques to solve problems like:-For an Arithmetic Sequence, the 3rd term is 8 and the 7th term is 32.
 - => 3rd term = $u_3 = a + 2d = 8$
 - = 7th term = u_7 = a + 6d = 32 etc.
- G. Be able to expand: $\frac{1}{1-r} = 1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots$ $\frac{1}{1+r} = 1 r + r^2 r^3 + \dots$ $\frac{1}{x-y} = \frac{1}{x} \left(\frac{1}{1-\frac{y}{x}} \right) = \frac{1}{x} \left(1 + \left(\frac{y}{x} \right) + \left(\frac{y}{x} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{x} \right)^3 + \dots \right)$ $\frac{1}{2+3x} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{1+\frac{3x}{2}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 \left(\frac{3x}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{3x}{2} \right)^2 \left(\frac{3x}{2} \right)^3 + \dots \right)$
- H. Be able to use the $\sum (\text{sigma}) \text{ notation} \implies \sum_{k=1}^{k=n} k(k+1) = (1 \times 2) + (2 \times 3) + + (n(n+1)).$
- I. Know (i) $\sum_{k=1}^{k=n} k = \frac{1}{2} n(n+1)$ (ii) $\sum_{k=1}^{k=n} k^2 = \frac{1}{6} n(n+1)(2n+1)$ (iii) $\sum_{k=1}^{k=n} k^3 = \frac{1}{4} n^2 (n+1)^2$

Unit 5

Mathematical Proof

- A. Know the implication signs "=>" "<= " and " <=> "
- B. Know about the Converse "If $p \Rightarrow q$ is a statement, $q \Rightarrow p$ is the converse".
- C. Know that the Statement and / or the Converse may or may not be true.
- D. If $p \Rightarrow q$ and $q \Rightarrow p$ then $p \iff q$. (they are equivalent.)
- E. Know how to prove some statements directly. e.g. Proof of Pythagoras' Theorem.
- F. Know how to use Proof by Contradiction, by
 - step 1 assume the opposite to the statement (the negative) is true.
 - step 2 show that using this assumption, something goes "wrong".
 - step 3 hence this means the original statement must have been true.
- G. Know the principle of Mathematical Induction as a means of proof.

e.g. Prove that
$$\sum_{r=1}^{r=n} r = \frac{1}{2}n(n+1) \quad \forall n \in \text{Natural Numbers}$$

step 1 Prove it's true for n = 1 (show L.H.S. = R.H.S.)

step 2 Assume it's true for a particular value n = k

i.e.
$$\sum_{r=1}^{r=k} r = \frac{1}{2}k(k+1)$$

and use this to prove it's also true for the next number, n = k + 1.

i.e
$$\sum_{r=1}^{r=k+1} r = \frac{1}{2}(k+1)(k+2)$$
 (somehow!)

this shows it is true $\forall n$ by Induction.

Mathematics 3

Unit 1 Vectors

A. Know all S5 Vector work, including :-

(a) Position Vector
$$\underline{p} = \overrightarrow{OP} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$
 where $P(x,y,z)$.

(b) Basic Laws of Vectors add

addⁿ, subtⁿ know to add (subtract) components

multⁿ by scalar

 $k\underline{u}$ = same dirⁿ as \underline{u} (but $\times k$)

commutative

 $\underline{p} + \underline{q} = \underline{q} + \underline{p}$

associative

 $p + (q + r) = (p + q) + \underline{r}$

zero vector

 $\underline{\mathbf{O}} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}$

magnitude

 $\underline{u} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \implies |\underline{u}| = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}$

unit vector

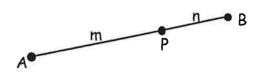
one whose magnitude $|\underline{u}| = 1$

 \underline{i} , \underline{j} , \underline{k} vectors

unit vectors parallel to axes.

(c) Section Formula

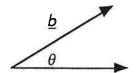
Given that point P divides AB in the ratio m:n, then position vector p is



$$\underline{p} = \frac{1}{m+n} \left(n\underline{a} + m\underline{b} \right)$$

(d) Scalar Product

 $\underline{a}.\underline{b} = a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3$ $= |\underline{a}||\underline{b}|\cos\theta$



use it to calculate angles between vectors.

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = \frac{\underline{a}\underline{b}}{|\underline{a}||\underline{b}|} = \frac{a_1b_1 + a_2b_2 + a_3b_3}{|\underline{a}||\underline{b}|}$$

=> know that $\underline{a}.\underline{b} = 0 \iff \underline{a}$ is perpendicular to \underline{b} page 14

B. Be able to calculate the vector product (or cross product).

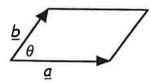
Given
$$\underline{a} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix}$$
 and $\underline{b} = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{pmatrix}$, then:-

$$\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = \begin{vmatrix} \underline{i} & \underline{j} & \underline{k} \\ a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} = \underline{i} \begin{vmatrix} a_2 & a_3 \\ b_2 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} - \underline{j} \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_3 \end{vmatrix} + \underline{k} \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix}$$

C. Know that $\underline{a} \times \underline{b}$ produces a vector <u>perpendicular</u> to the plane containing \underline{a} and \underline{b} .

Know also that $|\underline{a} \times \underline{b}| = |\underline{a}| \times |\underline{b}| \times \sin \theta$,

which is the area of the parallelogram formed from \underline{a} and \underline{b} .



D. Know that if $\underline{a} \times \underline{b} = \underline{0} \Rightarrow \underline{a}$ is parallel to $\underline{b} \Rightarrow \underline{b} = k\underline{a}$.

Know also that $a \times b = -(b \times a)$

Know also that $(\underline{a}, \underline{b}, (\underline{a} \times \underline{b}))$ forms a "right handed system"

Know that $\underline{a} \times (\underline{b} + \underline{c}) = (\underline{a} \times \underline{b}) + (\underline{a} \times \underline{c})$ (the distributive property)

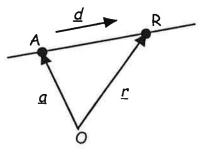
Know also that

- E. The Equations of a Line:-
 - (i) Vector Form :-

(ii) Parametric Form

$$x = a + tI$$

 $y = b + tm$
 $z = c + tn$



(iii) Symmetric Form (Cartesian)

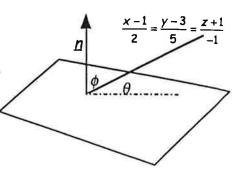
$$\frac{x-a}{l} = \frac{y-b}{m} = \frac{z-c}{n} \quad (= t)$$

(iv) Know that to find a line you need to know 2 + n = n the line's direction ratios. (the l, m and n)

I. Be able to find the angles between a line and a plane.

Step 1 Find the angle ϕ between the line and the normal.

Step 2 The angle we want, θ , is simply $(\frac{\pi}{2} - \phi)$.



- J. Be able to find the point of intersection of 2 lines.
 - (i) Lines will not meet if parallel

e.g.
$$\frac{x}{3} = \frac{y+2}{-2} = \frac{z-5}{4}$$
 and $\frac{x+2}{3} = \frac{y}{-2} = \frac{z-3}{4}$ are parallel.

(ii) If not parallel they might (or might not) meet:

e.g. to check if $\frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{-2} = \frac{z-5}{4}$ and $\frac{x+2}{2} = \frac{y+5}{1} = \frac{z-3}{-2}$ meet

look at parametric form $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$

solve the 1st two simultaneous equations 3t-1=2s-2 and -2t-2=1s-5

and check if the solution satisfies the 3rd 4t + 5 = -2s + 3

If it does the lines meet (sub the value for t (or s) in). If not, they don't meet.

2x + 3y - z = 6

K. Be able to find the equation of the line of intersection of two planes

If the two planes are parallel $(n_1 = n_2)$ they won't meet.

If they are not parallel, find the line as follows:-

e.g.
$$2x + 3y - z = 6$$
 and $3x - y + z = 2$

Step 1 $\underline{n}_1 \times \underline{n}_2 = \underline{a}$ gives the direction of the line.

Step 2 set x (or y or z) = 0 (or any number) and line l solve the equations 3y - z = 6 and -y + z = 2. $\Rightarrow y = 4, z = 6, x = 0 \Rightarrow P(0, 4, 6)$ is a point on the line of intersection.

Step 3 use the direction g and the point P to find the line.

L. To find where three planes meet:-

They either meet at a line (see K, above)

They do NOT meet at all.

They meet at a single point (use Gaussian elimination techniques)

Unit 2

Matrices

- A. Be able to apply earlier work on Matrices, (see Maths 1, unit 5)
- B. Know the Identity matrix (for multiplication) $I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$
- C. Given a 2 x 2 matrix, $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$, be able to find its inverse $A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$
- D. Know that if det A = |A| = 0, no inverse exists. A is said to be singular.
- E. Be able to add, subtract and multiply matrices when appropriate.
- F. Find the determinant of a 3 x 3 matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow \det A = a \begin{vmatrix} e & f \\ h & i \end{vmatrix} b \begin{vmatrix} d & f \\ g & i \end{vmatrix} + c \begin{vmatrix} d & e \\ g & h \end{vmatrix}$
- G. Know that $(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ and $(AB)^{T} = B^{T}A^{T}$ (or (AB)' = B'A')
- H. Use matrix inverses to solve 2×2 systems of equations in 2 variables.
- I. Given a square matrix A, be able to find values p and q such that $A^2 = pA + qI$ etc.
- J. Be able to find the inverse of a 3×3 matrix (if invertible) using Gaussian elimination and elementary row operations.
- K. Know that certain 2×2 matrices represent geometric transformations such as reflections, rotations and dilatations (dilations). e.g.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 - reflection over x-axis
$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 - reflection over y-axis

$$\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 - reflection through origin $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ - reflection over line $y = x$.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
 - 90° rotation clockwise around $O \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ dilatation, centre O , scale factor A

Unit 3

Further Sequences and Series.

A. Know how to find the Maclaurin Power Series Expansion for a given function f(x).

$$f(x) = f(0) + \frac{f'(0)}{1!}x + \frac{f''(0)}{2!}x^2 + \frac{f'''(0)}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$

(Know that it might converge $\forall x$, diverge or converge for a limited range of x.)

B. Know, (to save time),

$$e^{x} = 1 + \frac{x}{1!} + \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \frac{x^{4}}{4!} + \dots$$

$$\sin x = \frac{x}{1!} - \frac{x^{3}}{3!} + \frac{x^{5}}{5!} - \frac{x^{7}}{7!} + \dots$$

$$\cos x = 1 - \frac{x^{2}}{2!} + \frac{x^{4}}{4!} - \frac{x^{6}}{6!} + \frac{x^{8}}{8!} + \dots$$

$$\tan^{-1} x = x - \frac{x^{3}}{3} + \frac{x^{5}}{5} - \frac{x^{7}}{7} + \dots$$

$$\ln(1 - x) = x - \frac{x^{2}}{2} + \frac{x^{3}}{3} - \frac{x^{4}}{4} + \frac{x^{5}}{5} + \dots$$

- C. Iteration be able to "home in" on the solution of an equation between two values x = a and x = a + 1, using technique learned in fifth year.
- D. Be able to solve y = f(x) = 0, by using a rearrangement x = g(x) and the recurrence relation $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$ to "home in" on the solution.

(Know that the starting value, a, will converge to the solution iff |g'(a)| < 1) (If $|g'(a)| \ge 1$, there will be a divergence and the solution at a will not be found).

E. Recognise "staircase" and "cobweb" diagrams.

Unit 4

Further Differential Equations.

Be able to solve First Order Linear Differential Equations (F.O.L.D.E.) like A.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x) - - - 1$$
integrating factor
$$\mu(x) = e^{\int P(x)dx}$$
ecomes
$$y = \frac{1}{\mu(x)} \int \mu(x)Q(x)dx$$

by using the

$$\mu(x) = e^{\int P(x) dx}$$

The solution of 1 becomes

$$y = \frac{1}{\mu(x)} \int \mu(x) Q(x) dx$$

- Be able to solve Second Order Differential Equations В.
 - Homogeneous $a\frac{d^2y}{dy^2} + b\frac{dy}{dy} + cy = 0$ by using the "big D" method. (a)

The "Auxiliary Equation" is $aD^2 + bD + c = 0$ and depends on the type of solutions

- If 2 real answers, $D = \alpha$ and β , the solution is $y = Ae^{\alpha x} + Be^{\beta x}$ (i)
- If only 1 real answer, $D = \alpha$, the solution is $y = (Ax + B)e^{\alpha x}$ (ii)
- (iii) If 2 complex solutions $D = \alpha \pm i\beta$, solution is $y = e^{\alpha x} (A\cos\beta x + B\sin\beta x)$ This is called the "Complementary Function" (the C.F.)
- (b) Non Homogeneous $a \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + b \frac{dy}{dx} + cy = f(x)$ where f(x) is a polynomial, trigonometric or exponential function.
 - solve the corresponding homogeneous case to obtain the Step 1 Complementary Function (C.F.)
 - Try to find the Particular Integral (the P.I.) by attempting Step 2 a solution of the "same type" as f(x).
 - The General solution of the non-homogeneous differential equation is Step 3

General Solution = Complementary Function + Particular Integral.

Know that if the complementary function contains terms which appear in the (c) right side, f(x), (e.g. $y = Ae^{2x} + Be^{3x}$ and $f(x) = 3e^{2x}$), then try as a possible particular integral $y = axe^{2x}$, instead of $y = ae^{2x}$.

Unit 5

Elementary Number Theory.

- A. Be able to prove or disprove statements using earlier work. (See Maths 2. unit 5).
- B. Be able to apply Proof by Induction using the \sum notation.
- C. Know the Division Algorithm:-

Given 2 whole numbers, a and b, there exists unique integers q and r, such that

if
$$a > b \Rightarrow a = qb + r$$

q is called the "quotient" and r is called the "remainder".

- D. Be able to apply the Euclidian Algorithm to find the g.c.d. of any two integers.
 - e.g. to find the g.c.d. of 136 and 221, proceed as follows

$$221 = 1 \times 136 + 85$$

$$136 = 1 \times 85 + 51$$

$$85 = 1 \times 51 + 34$$

$$51 = 1 \times 34 + 17$$

* 34 =
$$2 \times 17 + 0$$
 => g.c.d.(136,221) = 17 .

- E. Be able to express the g.c.d. of (a, b) = d as a linear multiple of a and b. i.e. be able to find integers x and y, such that xa + yb = d. by working backwards from *.
- F. Be able to express any base 10 number in another base and vice-versa.
 - e.g. 218_{10} , expressed in base 6 becomes :-

6	218			
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6	6	r 0	=>	1002 ₆
6	1	r 0		
6	0	r 1		

e.g.
$$1002_6 = 1 \times 6^3 + 0 \times 6^2 + 0 \times 6^1 + 2 = 218_{10}$$
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