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S475/1 SUBSIDIARY MATHEMATICS

SCORING GUIDE FOR THE SAMPLE PAPER

In response to the tasks, the candidate is expected to: correctly identify the relevant concepts to manipulate in response to the task(s) in the scenario, select and apply (a)correct method(s) to correctly manipulate the concepts identified, and correctly interpret accurate outputs from correctly identified and manipulated concepts to justify/inform decision.

SECTION A

ITEM 1

Task

Points: $B(-70, 30)$, $A(90, 30)$, $S(0, 0)$

Let β be the angle between $\overrightarrow{SB}$ and $\overrightarrow{SA}$.

$$\overrightarrow{SA} = \begin{pmatrix} 90 \\ 30 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overrightarrow{SB} = \begin{pmatrix} -70 \\ 60 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\overrightarrow{SA} \cdot \overrightarrow{SB} = \begin{pmatrix} 90 \\ 30 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} -70 \\ 60 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= -6300 + 1800$$

$$= -4500$$

$$-4500 = (\sqrt{\{90^2 + 30^2\}} \cdot \sqrt{\{(-70)^2 + 60^2\}}) \cos \beta$$

$$-4500 = (\sqrt{\{90000\}} \cdot \sqrt{\{8500\}}) \cos \beta$$

$$-4500 = 8746.4278 \cos \beta$$

$$\cos \beta = -0.5145$$

$$\beta = 120.96^\circ$$

$$\approx 121.0^\circ$$

Therefore a third speaker is needed since the angle between the sound projections $\overrightarrow{SA}$ and $\overrightarrow{SB}$ is 121.0°

which is more than 90°

$$2\sin^2\theta + \cos\theta = 1$$

$$\text{Using } \{\sin^2\theta = 1 - \cos^2\theta\} \text{ gives } 2(1 - \cos^2\theta) + \cos\theta = 1$$

$$2 - 2\cos^2\theta + \cos\theta = 1$$

$$2\cos^2\theta - \cos\theta - 1 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } a = 2, \quad b = -1, \quad c = -1.$$

Using the quadratic formula:

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}\}}{2a}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\{-(-1) \pm \sqrt{(-1)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times (-1)}\}}{2 \times 2}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\{1 \pm \sqrt{9}\}}{4}$$

$$= \frac{\{1 \pm 3\}}{4}$$

$$\text{Either } \cos \theta = 1 \text{ or } \cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = 0^\circ \quad \text{or} \quad \theta = 120^\circ$$

For quality sound, the microphone should be projected at 0° to the horizontal.

ITEM 2:

TASK (a)

$$T(x) = 200000 - 1500x^2$$

When $T = 0$:

$$0 = 200000 - 1500x^2$$

$$1500x^2 = 200000$$

$$x^2 = \frac{200000}{1500} = 133.33$$

$$x = \pm 11.547$$

Taking the positive value $\therefore x = 11.5$

x intercepts: $(-11.5, 0), (11.5, 0)$.

At $x = 0$:

$$T(0) = 200000 - 1500(0)^2 = 200000$$

y intercept : $(0, 200000)$.

{Determining the nature of the Turning Point}

$$T(x) = 200000 - 1500x^2$$

$$\frac{dT}{dx} = -3000x$$

$$\text{At the turning point, } \frac{dT}{dx} = 0$$

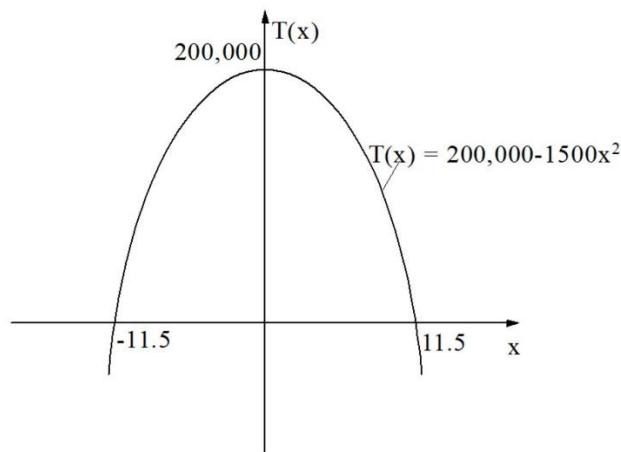
$$-3000x = 0$$

$$\text{implies } x = 0$$

$$T(0) = 200000 - 1500(0)^2 = 200000$$

Turning point: (0, 200000).

$$\frac{d^2T}{dx^2} = -3000 < 0, \text{ it implies a maximum turning point.}$$



Sketch of parabola with vertex at (0, 200000), x - intercepts at $x = \pm 11.5$.

Conclusion: Initially, the forest had 200,000 trees.

If no intervention, the forest will take 11.5 years for complete destruction.

TASK (b)

Let A represent the part of the forest burnt, and t represent time taken for the fire to consume the forest.

$$\frac{dA}{dt} \propto A$$

$$\text{implies } \frac{dA}{dt} = kA$$

$$\text{but } k = 0.1, \quad \frac{dA}{dt} = 0.1A$$

Separating variables:

$$\int \frac{1}{A} dA = \int 0.1 dt$$

$$\ln(A) = 0.1t + C$$

$$\text{At } t = 0, \quad A = 100:$$

Thus:

$$\ln(100) = 0.1(0) + C$$

$$C = \ln(100)$$

$$\ln(A) = 0.1t + \ln(100)$$

After fire fighters intervention, $t = 5$,

$$\ln(A) = 0.1(5) + \ln(100)$$

$$\ln A - \ln(100) = 0.1(5)$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{A}{100}\right) = 0.5$$

$$\left(\frac{A}{100}\right) = e^{0.5}$$

$$A = 100e^{\{0.5\}}$$

$$= 100 \times 1.6487$$

$$= 164.87$$

∴ 164.87 hectares burnt after the fire fighters' intervention.

SECTION B

PART 1

ITEM 3

Task (a)(i)

Day 1 = 6 trays

Day 2 = 9 trays

Day 3 = 12 trays

Pattern: 6, 9, 12, ...

This is an Arithmetic Progression with $a = 6$, $d = 3$.

Sum of trays of bread produced in the first 10 days:

$$S_{\{10\}} = \frac{10}{2} [2(6) + (10 - 1)3]$$

$$S_{\{10\}} = 5[12 + 27]$$

$$= 5 \times 39$$

$$= 195$$

Following the pattern, the manager will produce only 195 trays in 10 days, which is less than 690 trays required.

Conclusion: Therefore the manager will not be able to fulfill the contract.

Task (a)(ii)

Given $a = 6$, $n = 10$, $S_{\{10\}} = 690$, find d :

$$690 = \frac{10}{2} [2(6) + (10 - 1)d]$$

$$690 = 5(12 + 9d)$$

$$138 = 12 + 9d$$

$$9d = 126$$

$$d = 14$$

The manager needs to increase production by 14 trays every subsequent day to fulfill the contract.

Task (b)

Finding different combinations of the 6 types taking 3 at a time:

$${}^6C_3 = \frac{\{6!\}}{\{3!(6-3)!\}}$$

$$= \frac{\{6 \times 5 \times 4\}}{\{3 \times 2 \times 1\}}$$

$$= 20$$

Therefore the shop keeper has 20 possible selections of the bread type.

Task

Given: $n = 10$, $r = 2$, $a = 1000$

Using sum of geometric series:

$$S_n = a \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1}$$

$$S_{\{10\}} = 1000 \frac{2^{\{10\}} - 1}{2 - 1}$$

$$= 1000(1024 - 1)$$

$$= 1,023,000$$

Using the well – wishers formula:

$$A_n = 5000 \times 3^n$$

$$\text{But } A_n = \frac{1}{2} S_{\{10\}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} S_{\{10\}} = 5000 \times 3^n$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (1,023,000) = [5000 \times 3^n]$$

$$511,500 = [5000 \times 3^n]$$

$$\frac{511,500}{5000} = 3^n$$

$$102.3 = 3^n$$

$$n = \frac{\log 102.3}{\log 3}$$

$$n = 4.212$$

Since $n = 4.212$, they need to save for 5 months if they are to follow the well-wisher's suggestion.

Therefore, they will have their charity in July since they would have started saving in February.

Number of Committees with at most 2 men

Given 5 women (W) and 3 men (M). At most 2 men means 0, 1, or 2 men.

$$\text{No. of committees} = {}^5C_5 \times {}^3C_1 + {}^5C_4 \times {}^3C_2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{No. of committees} &= 3 + 5 \times 3 \\
 &= 3 + 15 \\
 &= 18
 \end{aligned}$$

There are 18 ways of selecting the organizing committee.

PART II

ITEM 5

Task (a)

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} K(2t - t^2), & 0 \leq t \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{To find } K, \quad \int_{\{0\}}^{\{2\}} f(t) dt = 1:$$

$$K \int_{\{0\}}^{\{2\}} (2t - t^2) dt = 1$$

$$K \left[t^2 - \frac{t^3}{3} \right]_0^2 = 1$$

$$K \left[\left(4 - \frac{8}{3} \right) - 0 \right] = 1$$

$$K \left(\frac{4}{3} \right) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow K = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\text{Thus, } f(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{4}(2t - t^2), & 0 \leq t \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$P(1 \leq T \leq 2) = \int_{\{1\}}^{\{2\}} \frac{3}{4}(2t - t^2) dt$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left[t^2 - \frac{t^3}{3} \right]_1^2$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} \left[\left(4 - \frac{8}{3} \right) - \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} \right) \right]$$

$$\frac{3}{4} \left[\left(\frac{4}{3} \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \right]$$

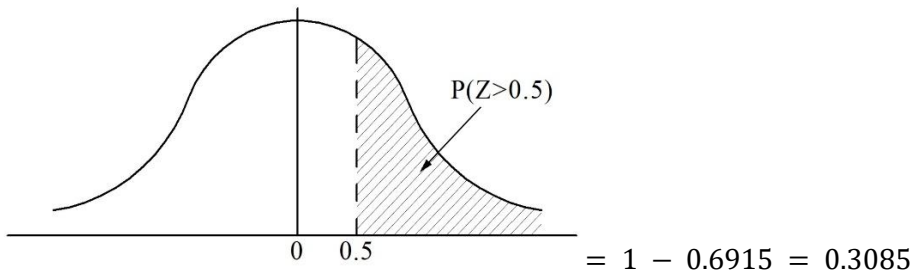
$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

There is a 50% likelihood that a randomly selected patient arrived between 9:00AM and 10:00 AM.

Task (b)

Let X represent No. of patients arriving, $X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$ with $\mu = 60$, $\sigma^2 = 100$.

$$\begin{aligned} P(X > 65) &= P\left(Z > \frac{\{65 - 60\}}{10}\right) \\ &= P(Z > 0.5) \\ &= 1 - \Phi(0.5) \end{aligned}$$



The probability that the number of patients arriving on a given day exceeds 65 available testing kits is 0.3085.

Task (c)

Let M represent No. of days with shortage of kits. $M \sim B(n, p)$ with $n = 5$, $p = 0.3085$.

$$\begin{aligned} P(M \geq 2) &= 1 - P(M < 2) \\ &= 1 - [P(M = 0) + P(M = 1)] \\ &= 1 - {}^5C_1(0.3085)^1(0.6915)^5 + {}^5C_0(0.3085)^0(0.6915)^5 \\ &= 1 - [0.1527 + 0.3627] \\ &= 1 - 0.5158 \\ &= 0.4842 \end{aligned}$$

Since $P(M \geq 2) = 0.4842$ is > 0.45 , then more kits have to be availed by the officer.

ITEM 6

(i)

Data for tests P and Q:

P	P ²	Q	Q ²
70	4900	68	4624
60	3600	58	3364
65	4225	65	4225
45	2025	50	2500
55	3025	50	2500
50	2500	48	2304
63	3969	62	3844
52	2704	54	2916
$\sum P = 460$	$\sum P^2 = 26948$	$\sum Q = 455$	$\sum Q^2 = 26277$

$$\bar{P} = \frac{460}{8} = 57.5, \quad \bar{Q} = \frac{455}{8} = 56.875$$

Standard deviation for P:

$$\sigma_P = \sqrt{\left\{ \frac{\sum P^2}{n} - (\bar{P})^2 \right\}} = \sqrt{\left\{ \frac{26948}{8} - (57.5)^2 \right\}} = \sqrt{\{3368.5 - 3306.25\}} = \sqrt{\{62.25\}} = 7.8899$$

Standard deviation for Q:

$$\sigma_Q = \sqrt{\left\{\frac{\sum Q^2}{n} - (\bar{Q})^2\right\}} = \sqrt{\left\{\frac{26277}{8} - (56.875)^2\right\}} = \sqrt{\{3284.625 - 3234.7656\}} = \sqrt{\{49.8594\}}$$

$$= 7.0611$$

Students' performance was more consistent in Test Q than test P because the standard deviation for Q is less than that of P.

(ii)

Spearman Rank Correlation

P	R _P	Q	R _Q	d = (R _P - R _Q)	d ²
70	1	68	1	0	0
60	4	58	4	0	0
65	2	65	2	0	0
45	8	50	6.5	1.5	2.25
55	5	50	6.5	-1.5	2.25
50	7	48	8	-1	1
63	3	62	3	0	0
52	6	54	5	1	1
					$\sum d^2 = 6.5$

$$\rho = 1 - \frac{6\sum d^2}{n(n^2 - 1)}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{6 \times 6.5}{8(64 - 1)}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{39}{504}$$

$$= 1 - 0.07738$$

$$= 0.9226$$

There is a high positive correlation between test P and test Q.

(iii)

$$P(\text{above 52 in test } Q) = \frac{5}{8} = 0.625$$

∴ 62.5% of the learners scored above 52.