

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE FOR BRIDGING COURSE IN MATHEMATICS

MATH 0010: GEOMETRY AND VECTORS

STREAM: CBM TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 12/4/2010 11.30A.M. – 1.30P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

• Answer all Questions in Section A and any three questions in Section B.

- All working must be clearly and neatly shown.
- Adhere to all the instructions on your answer booklet.

SECTION A (30 MARKS)

- 1. The length of a room is 4 metres longer than its width. Find the length of the room if its Area is $32m^2$. [3 marks]
- 2. Given that $Sin(x + 30^\circ) = Cos2x$ for $0^\circ \le x \le 90^\circ$, Find the value of x. Hence find the value of $Cos^2 3x^\circ$.
- 3. The Position Vectors of P and Q are 4j+3j+2k and 3i-6j+6k respectively. Express vector PQ in terms of unit vector i, j and k and find |PQ|. [3 marks]
- 4. A point R divides a line PQ internally in the ratio 3:4. Another point S divides the line PR externally in the ratio 5:2. Given that PQ = 8cm, Calculate the length of RS correct to 2 decimal places. [3 marks]
- 5. An open cylindrical object has radius 42cm and length 150cm. Calculate its total surface area and its volume. [3 marks]

- 6. Point T is the midpoint of a straight line AB. Given that the position vectors of A and T are i j + k and $2i + \frac{3}{2}k$ respectively, find the position vector of B in terms of i, j, and k. [3 marks]
- 7. Find the angle subtended at the centre of a circle by an arc of 11 cm if the diameter of the circle is 21cm (take $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$). [3 marks]
- 8. Determine the angle between the vectors $\tilde{a} = i + 2j + 2k$ and $\tilde{b} = 2i + 3j + 6k$. [3 marks]
- 9. Find the equation of a line segment joining the points A(2,3) and B(4,7) and its normal equation at (1,1). [3 marks]
- 10. Calculate the volume of a cone whose diameter is 14cm and height 24cm.

 [3 marks]

SECTION B (30 MARKS)

Answer any three Questions in this section.

11. (a) Solve for x° in the equation

6Sin
$$(2x - 10)^{\circ} + 3 = 0$$
. [3 marks]

- (b) Find the equation of a perpendicular bisector of the line segment joining the points A (3,5) and B(-3 7). [3 marks]
- (c) State the co-ordinates of the four major points on the circumference of a circle given by $x^2 + y^2 + x + 6y 12 = 0$. [4 marks]
- 12. (a) Solve the equation

$$4Sin^2\theta + 4Cos\theta = 5$$

for
$$O \le \theta \le 360^{\circ}$$
. [3 marks]

- (b) In a triangle ABC $\angle A = 120^{\circ}$ BC = 20cm and AC = 8cm, find the value of angle B and Area of triangle ABC. [3 marks]
- (c) XY and PZ are parallel chords of a circle 2cm apart. If PZ = 10cm and XY = 8cm, Find the radius of the circle. [4 marks]
- 13. (a) From the top of a cliff 30m high the angle of depression of a boat is 60°. How far away is the boat from the foot of the cliff? [3 marks]
 - (b) Given $\tan \theta = \frac{6}{8}$ state $\cos \theta$ and $\sin \theta$ without using tables. [3 marks]
 - (c) A has co-ordinates (3,4) B has co-ordinates (x,5). If $|AB| = 5\sqrt{2}$, Find the possible values of x. [4 marks]
- 14. (a) An Electric pylon is 30m high. A point S on top of the pylon is vertically above another point R on the ground. Points A and B are on the same horizontal ground as R. Point A is due south of the pylon and the angle of elevation of S from A is 26°. Point B is due west of the pylon and angle of elevation of S from B is 32°.

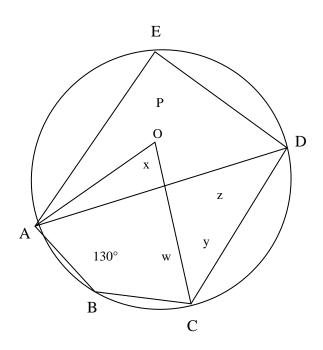
Calculate

- (i) distance from A to B
- (ii) Bearing of B from A [7 marks]
- (b) Given that vector a $\tilde{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -6 \end{pmatrix}$, $b = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\tilde{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ Find |a+2b-3c| [3 marks]

15. (a) Prove that the following points are collinear

[2 marks]

(b) State the value of angles indicated in the figure below; Given that $\angle ABC = 130^{\circ}$ and O is the centre of the circle and $\overline{AB} = \overline{BC}$.



[8 marks]
