

Linear Transformations

Worked Solutions



1. (ii) The matrix \mathbf{B} is defined by

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} p & 0 \\ 0 & q \end{pmatrix}$$

where p and q are integers.

State the value of p and the value of q when \mathbf{B} represents

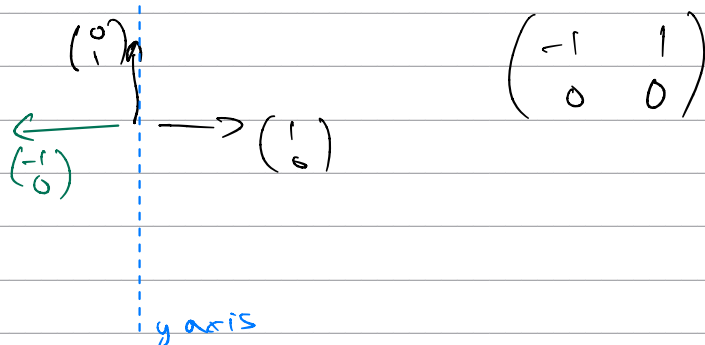
- (a) an enlargement about the origin with scale factor -2
- (b) a reflection in the y -axis.

(2)

a) $p = -2, q = -2$

b) $p = -1, q = 1$

b)



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2.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Describe the single geometrical transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{A} . (2)

The matrix \mathbf{B} represents a rotation of 210° anticlockwise about centre $(0, 0)$.

- (b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{B} , giving each element in exact form. (1)

The transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{A} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{B} is represented by the matrix \mathbf{C} .

- (c) Find \mathbf{C} . (2)

The hexagon H is transformed onto the hexagon H' by the matrix \mathbf{C} .

- (d) Given that the area of hexagon H is 5 square units, determine the area of hexagon H' (2)

a) stretch parallel to y-axis, x-axis invariant, with scale factor 3

$$b) \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(210) & -\sin(210) \\ \sin(210) & \cos(210) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c) \mathbf{C} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

d) $\det \mathbf{C} = 3$ (either by calculation or by recognising that determinant of a rotation matrix is always 1 and $\det(\mathbf{A}) = 3$).
 area of $H' = 5 \times 3 = 15$

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3.
$$P = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) (i) Describe fully the single geometrical transformation P represented by the matrix P .

(ii) Describe fully the single geometrical transformation Q represented by the matrix Q .
 (4)

The transformation P followed by the transformation Q is the transformation R , which is represented by the matrix R .

(b) Determine R .
 (1)

(c) (i) Evaluate the determinant of R .

(ii) Explain how the value obtained in (c)(i) relates to the transformation R .
 (2)

ai) $\cos \theta = 0 \Rightarrow \theta = 90^\circ \text{ or } 270^\circ$

$\sin \theta = 1 \Rightarrow \theta = 90^\circ$

So P is a rotation anticlockwise by 90° (about 0)

ii) stretch parallel to the y -axis with scale factor 3
 with x -axis invariant.

b) $R = QP = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

ci) $\det R = 3$

ii) it means that transformation R will increase the area of a shape by scale factor 3.

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4. (i)
$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Describe fully the single transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{A} . (2)

The matrix \mathbf{B} represents a rotation of 45° clockwise about the origin.

(b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{B} , giving each element of the matrix in exact form. (1)

The transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{A} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{B} is represented by the matrix \mathbf{C} .

(c) Determine \mathbf{C} . (2)

(ii) The trapezium T has vertices at the points $(-2, 0)$, $(-2, k)$, $(5, 8)$ and $(5, 0)$, where k is a positive constant. Trapezium T is transformed onto the trapezium T' by the matrix

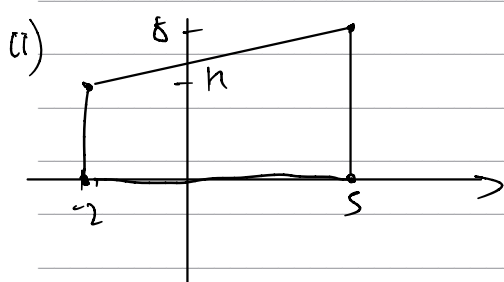
$$\begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

Given that the area of trapezium T' is 510 square units, calculate the exact value of k . (5)

i) a) stretch parallel to y axis, x axis invariant, scale factor 3.

b)
$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(315) & -\sin(315) \\ \sin(315) & \cos(315) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

c)
$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} & \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$



Area of trapezium $T =$

$$\frac{7(8+k)}{2}$$

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Question 4 continued

$$\det \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = 17$$

$$\text{So } \frac{7(8+h)}{2} \times 17 = 510$$

$$\frac{7(8+h)}{2} = 30$$

$$7(8+h) = 60$$

$$h+8 = \frac{60}{7}$$

$$h = \frac{4}{7}$$

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5.

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{N} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}^4$$

The transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{M} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{N} is represented by the matrix \mathbf{B}

(b) (i) Determine \mathbf{N} in the form $\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$ where a, b, c and d are integers.

(ii) Determine \mathbf{B}

(3)

Hexagon S is transformed onto hexagon S' by matrix \mathbf{B}

(c) Given that the area of S' is 720 square units, determine the area of S

(2)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{bi)} \quad \mathbf{N} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}^4 = \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right)^2 \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix}^2 \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -8 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -6 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -30 \\ 0 & 16 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ii)} \quad \mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{N}\mathbf{M} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -30 \\ 0 & 16 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -150 \\ 0 & 80 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c)} \quad \det \mathbf{B} = 320$$

$$\text{so area of } S \times 320 = 720$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\text{area of } S = \frac{9}{4} = 2.25}$$

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6. The triangle T has vertices $A(2, 1)$, $B(2, 3)$ and $C(0, 1)$.

The triangle T' is the image of T under the transformation represented by the matrix

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Find the coordinates of the vertices of T' (2)

(b) Describe fully the transformation represented by \mathbf{P} (2)

The 2×2 matrix \mathbf{Q} represents a reflection in the x -axis and the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{R} represents a rotation through 90° anticlockwise about the origin.

(c) Write down the matrix \mathbf{Q} and the matrix \mathbf{R} (2)

(d) Find the matrix \mathbf{RQ} (2)

(e) Give a full geometrical description of the single transformation represented by the answer to part (d). (2)

$$a) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 1 \\ -2 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T': (1, -2), (3, -2), (1, 0)$$

$$b) \begin{aligned} \cos \theta &= 0 & \Rightarrow \theta &= 90^\circ \text{ or } 270^\circ \\ \sin \theta &= -1 & \Rightarrow \theta &= 270^\circ \end{aligned}$$

so a rotation by 270° anticlockwise about the origin.

$$c) \mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{R} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$d) \mathbf{RQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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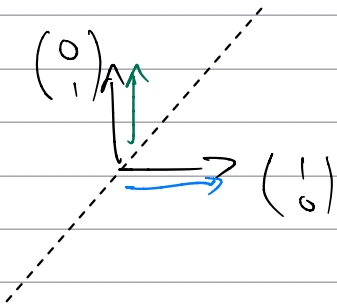
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e) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

is a reflection in the line $y = x$



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7.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Describe fully the single geometric transformation A represented by the matrix A . (2)

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The transformation B is represented by the matrix B .
 The transformation A followed by the transformation B is the transformation C , which is represented by the matrix C .

To determine matrix C , a student attempts the following matrix multiplication.

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (b) State the error made by the student. (1)

- (c) Determine the correct matrix C . (1)

a)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ 0 & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} \cos\theta &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 30^\circ \text{ or } 330^\circ \\ \sin\theta &= \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 30^\circ \text{ or } 150^\circ \end{aligned}$$

so it's a rotation 30° anticlockwise about the x -axis (with respect to the right hand rule)



Question 7 continued

b) The student did $A \times B$ but it should be $B \times A$

c) $C = B \times A$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 3 & 0 \\ \sqrt{3} & 0 & 5\sqrt{3} \\ 1 & 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \sqrt{3} & \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{5}{2} \\ 1 & \sqrt{3} & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

8. (ii)

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} p & 2p \\ -1 & 3p \end{pmatrix}$$

where p is a positive constant.

The matrix \mathbf{P} represents a linear transformation U .

The triangle T has vertices at the points with coordinates $(1, 2)$, $(3, 2)$ and $(2, 5)$.

The area of the image of T under the linear transformation U is 15

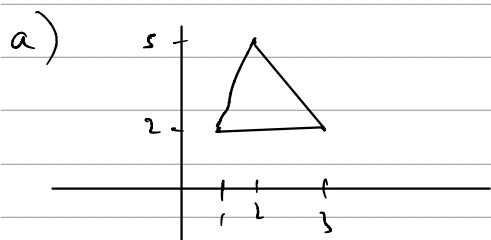
(a) Determine the value of p . (4)

The transformation V consists of a stretch scale factor 3 parallel to the x -axis with the y -axis invariant followed by a stretch scale factor -2 parallel to the y -axis with the x -axis invariant. The transformation V is represented by the matrix \mathbf{Q} .

(b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{Q} . (2)

Given that U followed by V is the transformation W , which is represented by the matrix \mathbf{R} ,

(c) find the matrix \mathbf{R} . (2)



Area of triangle $T = \frac{2 \times 3}{2} = 3$

\Rightarrow area scale factor = 5

i.e. $\det \mathbf{P} = \pm 5$

$\Rightarrow 3p^2 + 2p = \pm 5$

$3p^2 + 2p - 5 = 0$

$3p^2 + 2p - 5 = 0$ has no solutions since $b^2 - 4ac = 4 - 4(3)(-5) = 64 > 0$

$3p^2 + 2p - 5 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow p = 1$ or $p = -\frac{5}{3}$ but $p > 0$ so $\boxed{p = 1}$

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Question 8 continued

$$b) \quad Q = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c) \quad R = Q \times P \quad \text{not } P \times Q$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 \\ 2 & -6 \end{pmatrix}$$

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9. The transformation P is an enlargement, centre the origin, with scale factor k , where $k > 0$
 The transformation Q is a rotation through angle θ degrees anticlockwise about the origin.
 The transformation P followed by the transformation Q is represented by the matrix

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -4\sqrt{3} \\ 4\sqrt{3} & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Determine

- (i) the value of k ,
- (ii) the smallest value of θ

(4)

A square S has vertices at the points with coordinates $(0, 0)$, $(a, -a)$, $(2a, 0)$ and (a, a) where a is a constant.

The square S is transformed to the square S' by the transformation represented by M .

(b) Determine, in terms of a , the area of S'

(2)

$$a) \begin{matrix} Q & P & M \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & -4\sqrt{3} \\ 4\sqrt{3} & -4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(Q) \det(P) = \det(M)$$

$$1 \times k^2 = 16 + 16\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 64 \quad \text{so } \boxed{k=8} \quad \text{since } k > 0$$

$$\cos(\theta)k = -4 \quad \& \quad \sin(\theta)k = 4\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\theta = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \& \quad \sin\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 120^\circ, 240^\circ$$

$$\theta = 60^\circ, 120^\circ$$

$$\boxed{\theta = 120^\circ}$$

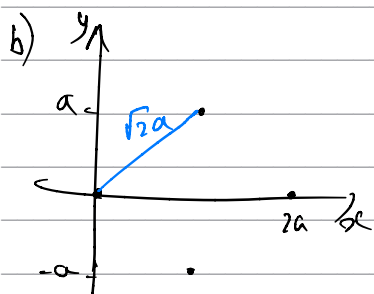
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Question 9 continued



$$\text{Area of } S = (\sqrt{2}a)^2 = 2a^2$$

$$\text{so Area of } S' = 64 \times 2a^2$$

$$= \boxed{128 a^2}$$

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10. The matrix A is defined by

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

The transformation represented by A maps triangle T onto triangle T'

Given that the area of triangle T is 23 cm^2

(a) determine the area of triangle T' (2)

The point P has coordinates $(3p + 2, 2p - 1)$ where p is a constant. The transformation represented by A maps P onto the point P' with coordinates $(17, -18)$

(b) Determine the value of p . (2)

Given that

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

(c) describe fully the single geometrical transformation represented by matrix B (2)

The transformation represented by matrix A followed by the transformation represented by matrix C is equivalent to the transformation represented by matrix B

(d) Determine C (3)

a) $\det A = 8 - 15 = -7$

So Area of $T' = 23 \times 7 = 161$

b) $\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -5 \\ -3 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3p+2 \\ 2p-1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ -18 \end{pmatrix}$

$4(3p+2) - 5(2p-1) = 17$

$\Rightarrow 2p + 13 = 17 \quad \Rightarrow p = 2$

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Question 10 continued

$$c) \quad \cos \theta = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \theta = 90^\circ, 270^\circ$$

$$\quad \sin \theta = -1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \theta = 270^\circ$$

so it's a rotation 270° anticlockwise (or 90° clockwise) about the origin.

$$d) \quad CA = B$$

$$CA A^{-1} = B A^{-1}$$

$$C = B A^{-1}$$

$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{-7} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$C = \frac{-1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{7} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -2 & -5 \end{pmatrix}$$

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11.

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

The matrix \mathbf{P} represents the transformation U

- (a) Give a full description of U as a single geometrical transformation. (2)

The transformation V , represented by the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{Q} , is a reflection in the line $y = -x$

- (b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{Q} (1)

The transformation U followed by the transformation V is represented by the matrix \mathbf{R}

- (c) Determine the matrix \mathbf{R} (2)

The transformation W is represented by the matrix $3\mathbf{R}$

The transformation W maps a triangle T to a triangle T'

The transformation W' maps the triangle T' back to the original triangle T

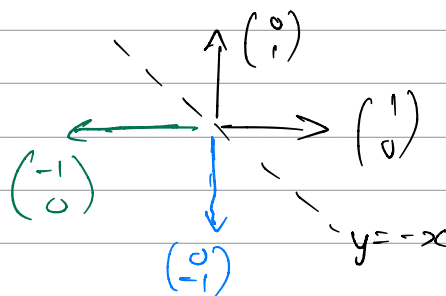
- (d) Determine the matrix that represents W' (3)

a) $\cos\theta = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ, 300^\circ$

$\sin\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 60^\circ, 120^\circ$

so it's a rotation 60° anticlockwise about the origin.

b) $\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$



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Question 11 continued

$$c) R = QP = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$d) W: 3R = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$W^{-1}: (3R)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(3R)} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(3R) = -9 \quad \text{so} \quad (3R)^{-1} = \frac{1}{-9} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{3}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} & -\frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{6} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} \end{pmatrix}$$

12. (i)

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The matrix \mathbf{P} represents a geometrical transformation U

- (a) Describe U fully as a single geometrical transformation. (2)

The transformation V , represented by the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{Q} , is a rotation through 240° anticlockwise about the origin followed by an enlargement about $(0, 0)$ with scale factor 6

- (b) Determine the matrix \mathbf{Q} , giving each entry in exact numerical form. (2)

Given that U followed by V is the transformation T , which is represented by the matrix \mathbf{R}

- (c) determine the matrix \mathbf{R} (2)

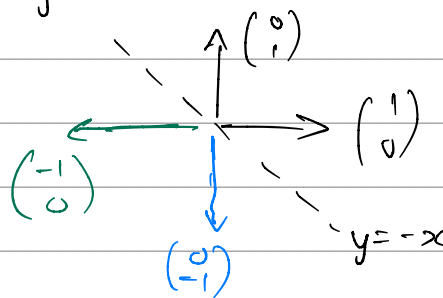
(ii) The transformation W is represented by the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2\sqrt{3} \\ 2\sqrt{3} & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Show that there is a real number λ for which W maps the point $(\lambda, 1)$ onto the point $(4\lambda, 4)$, giving the exact value of λ

(5)

i) a) reflection in the line $y = -x$



$$b) \quad \mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(240) & -\sin(240) \\ \sin(240) & \cos(240) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 6 \cos(240) & -6 \sin(240) \\ 6 \sin(240) & 6 \cos(240) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 3\sqrt{3} \\ -3\sqrt{3} & -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Question 12 continued

$$c) R = QP$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 3\sqrt{3} \\ -3\sqrt{3} & -3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -3\sqrt{3} & 3 \\ 3 & 3\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$ii) \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 2\sqrt{3} \\ 2\sqrt{3} & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4\lambda \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$-2\lambda + 2\sqrt{3} = 4\lambda \quad \Rightarrow \quad 6\lambda = 2\sqrt{3} \quad \text{so } \lambda = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$2\sqrt{3}\lambda + 2 = 4 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2\sqrt{3}\lambda = 2 \quad \text{so } \lambda = \frac{2}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

↑
 here you must solve both equations because solving one only shows that either the x or y coordinate gets mapped to the desired point, but not both.

13. (i) $A = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 8 \\ -3 & k \end{pmatrix}$ where k is a constant

The transformation represented by A transforms triangle T to triangle T'

The area of triangle T' is three times the area of triangle T

Determine the possible values of k

(4)

(ii) $B = \begin{pmatrix} a & -4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$ and $BC = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ where a is a constant

Determine, in terms of a , the matrix C

(4)

i) $\det A = -3k + 24$

so $|-3k + 24| = 3$ since $|\det A|$ is the area.

$-3k + 24 = 3$

or $-3k + 24 = -3$

$\Rightarrow -3k = -21$

$-3k = -27$

so $k = 7$

$k = 9$

$k = 7 \text{ or } 9$

ii)

$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & -4 \\ 2 & 3 \end{pmatrix} C$

$B^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = C$

$C = \frac{1}{3a+8} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 \\ -2 & a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

$= \frac{1}{3a+8} \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 31 & 11 \\ a-4 & 4a-10 & 2a-2 \end{pmatrix}$

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14.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Determine the matrix \mathbf{A}^2 (1)

(b) Describe fully the single geometrical transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{A}^2 (2)

(c) Hence determine the smallest positive integer value of n for which $\mathbf{A}^n = \mathbf{I}$ (1)

The matrix \mathbf{B} represents a stretch scale factor 4 parallel to the x -axis.

(d) Write down the matrix \mathbf{B} (1)

The transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{A} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{B} is represented by the matrix \mathbf{C}

(e) Determine the matrix \mathbf{C} (2)

The parallelogram P is transformed onto the parallelogram P' by the matrix \mathbf{C}

(f) Given that the area of parallelogram P' is 20 square units, determine the area of parallelogram P (2)

$$a) \mathbf{A}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$b) \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \quad \theta = 60^\circ \text{ or } 300^\circ$$

$$\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \quad \theta = -60^\circ, 240^\circ \text{ or } 300^\circ$$

So a rotation by 300° anticlockwise (or 60° clockwise) about the origin.



Question 14 continued

c) A is a rotation 30° clockwise about O .

so A^{12} is a rotation 360° clockwise, i.e. the identity.

$$\text{so } \boxed{n=12}$$

$$d) B = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$e) C = BA = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2\sqrt{3} & -2 \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

f) $\det C = 4$ (because it's a rotation (det always will be 1) followed by a stretch).

$$\text{area of } P = \frac{20}{4} = \boxed{5} \text{ square units}$$

15. [With respect to the **right-hand rule**, a rotation through θ° anticlockwise about the y -axis is represented by the matrix]
- $$\begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & 0 & \sin\theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & 0 & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

The point P has coordinates $(8, 3, 2)$

The point Q is the image of P under the transformation reflection in the plane $y = 0$

- (a) Write down the coordinates of Q (1)

The point R is the image of P under the transformation rotation through 120° anticlockwise about the y -axis, with respect to the **right-hand rule**.

- (b) Determine the exact coordinates of R (2)

- (c) Hence find $|\vec{PR}|$ giving your answer as a simplified surd. (2)

- (d) Show that \vec{PR} and \vec{PQ} are perpendicular. (1)

- (e) Hence determine the exact area of triangle PQR , giving your answer as a surd in simplest form. (2)

$$a) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{(8, -3, 2)}$$

coordinates

$$b) \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3} - 4 \\ 3 \\ -4\sqrt{3} - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$(\sqrt{3}-4, 3, -4\sqrt{3}-1)$$

$$c) \vec{PR} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3}-4 \\ 3 \\ -4\sqrt{3}-1 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3}-12 \\ 0 \\ -4\sqrt{3}-3 \end{pmatrix}$$

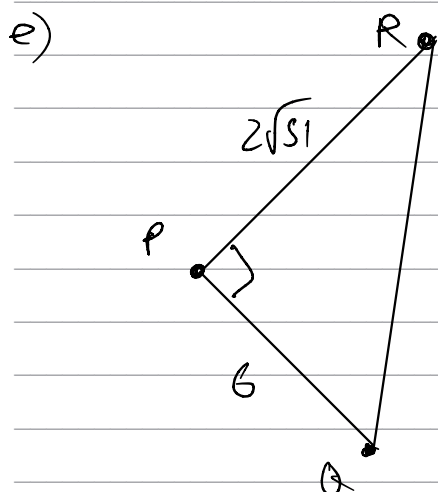
$$|\vec{PR}| = \sqrt{(\sqrt{3}-12)^2 + (-4\sqrt{3}-3)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{204} = 2\sqrt{51}$$

$$d) \vec{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\vec{PR} \cdot \vec{PQ} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3}-12 \\ 0 \\ -4\sqrt{3}-3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -6 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

so \vec{PR} and \vec{PQ} are perpendicular.



$$|\vec{PQ}| = 6$$

$$\text{Area of } \triangle PRQ = 6 \times 2\sqrt{51} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 6\sqrt{51}$$

16.
$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } a \text{ is a constant}$$

(a) Prove by mathematical induction that, for $n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\mathbf{M}^n = \begin{pmatrix} 3^n & \frac{a}{2}(3^n - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad (6)$$

Triangle T has vertices A, B and C .

Triangle T is transformed to triangle T' by the transformation represented by \mathbf{M}^n where $n \in \mathbb{N}$

Given that

- triangle T has an area of 5 cm^2
- triangle T' has an area of 1215 cm^2
- vertex $A(2, -2)$ is transformed to vertex $A'(123, -2)$

(b) determine

- (i) the value of n
- (ii) the value of a

(5)

a) Base case

$$\text{let } n=1: \quad \mathbf{M}^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 3^1 & \frac{a}{2}(3^1 - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M}$$

so the result is true for $n=1$.

Inductive Hypothesis

Assume the result is true for $n=h$, ($h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$)

$$\text{i.e. } \mathbf{M}^h = \begin{pmatrix} 3^h & \frac{a}{2}(3^h - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Inductive Step

$$M^{n+1} = M^n M$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3^n & \frac{a}{2}(3^n - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3^{n+1} & 3^n a + \frac{a}{2}(3^n - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 3^{n+1} & \frac{a}{2}(3^{n+1} - 1) \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{since } 3^n a + \frac{a}{2}(3^n - 1)$$

$$= \frac{a}{2}(2 \times 3^n + 3^n - 1)$$

$$= \frac{a}{2}(3 \times 3^n - 1)$$

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

we have shown the result is true for $n=1$ and we have also shown it is true for $n=k+1$, if we assume it's true for $n=k$, so by the principle of induction the result is true for all $n \in \mathbb{N}^+$.

$$b) i) \det M^n = 3^n$$

$$\text{so } 5 \times 3^n = 1215 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 3^n = 243 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{n=5}$$

$$ii) \begin{pmatrix} 243 & 121a \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 123 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

by subbing in $n=5$.

$$\Rightarrow 486 - 242a = 123$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{a = \frac{3}{2} = 1.5}$$

17. (i)

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

(a) Describe fully the single transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{A} . (2)

The matrix \mathbf{B} represents a stretch scale factor 2 parallel to the x -axis.

(b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{B} . (1)

The transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{B} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{A} is the transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{C} .

(c) Determine \mathbf{C} . (2)

(ii) $\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} k & -2 \\ -1 & 2k \end{pmatrix}$ where k is a constant

Given that the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{M} maps the point (k, k) onto the point $(35, 91)$

(a) determine the value of k . (4)

A quadrilateral Q is transformed to another quadrilateral Q' by the matrix \mathbf{M} .

Given that Q' has area 336

(b) use the value of k found in part (ii)(a) to determine the area of Q . (2)

i) a) $\cos \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 120^\circ, 240^\circ$

$\sin \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = -60^\circ, 240^\circ, 300^\circ$

rotation anticlockwise by 240° (or clockwise 120°)

about O .

b) $\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

c) $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{B}$



Question 17 continued

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -1 & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ -\sqrt{3} & -\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{ii) a) } \begin{pmatrix} k & -2 \\ -1 & 2k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} k \\ k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 35 \\ 91 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$k^2 - 2k = 35 \Rightarrow k^2 - 2k - 35 = 0$$

$$(k-7)(k+5) = 0$$

$$k = 7 \text{ or } k = -5$$

$$-k + 2k^2 = 91$$

$$2k^2 - k - 91 = 0 \quad k = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 4(2)(91)}}{4} = 7 \text{ or } -\frac{13}{2}$$

So $k = 7$ not $k = -5$

$$\text{b) } \det M = 7 \times 14 - 2 = 96$$

$$\text{area of } Q \times 96 = 336$$

$$\text{area of } Q = 3.5$$

18. [With respect to the **right-hand rule**, a rotation through θ° anticlockwise about the z -axis is represented by the matrix
- $$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Given that the matrix \mathbf{M} , where

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

represents a rotation through α° anticlockwise about the z -axis with respect to the **right-hand rule**,

- (a) determine the value of α . (1)

- (b) Hence determine the smallest possible positive integer value of k for which $\mathbf{M}^k = \mathbf{I}$ (2)

The 3×3 matrix \mathbf{N} represents a reflection in the plane with equation $y = 0$

- (c) Write down the matrix \mathbf{N} . (1)

The point A has coordinates $(-2, 4, 3)$

The point B is the image of the point A under the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{M} followed by the transformation represented by matrix \mathbf{N} .

- (d) Show that the coordinates of B are $(2 + \sqrt{3}, 2\sqrt{3} - 1, 3)$ (2)

Given that O is the origin,

- (e) show that, to 3 significant figures, the size of angle AOB is 66.9° (2)

- (f) Hence determine the area of triangle AOB , giving your answer to 3 significant figures. (2)

a) $\cos \theta = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = 150^\circ \text{ or } 210^\circ$

$\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = -30^\circ, 210^\circ \text{ or } 330^\circ$

so $\alpha = 210^\circ$

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b) we want to find $k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that

$210k$ is a multiple of 360.

Either by trial and error or prime factorisation

$$210 = 2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7$$

$$360 = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 5$$

$$\text{so LCM} = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 5 \times 7$$

$$= 2520$$

$$\frac{2520}{210} = 12$$

so $k = 12$

c)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

d)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 + \sqrt{3} \\ 2\sqrt{3} - 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

so $B = (2 + \sqrt{3}, 2\sqrt{3} - 1, 3)$

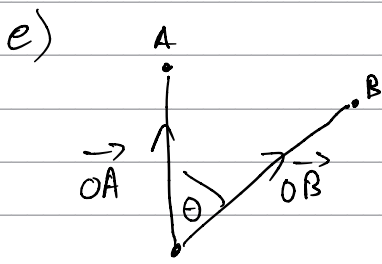
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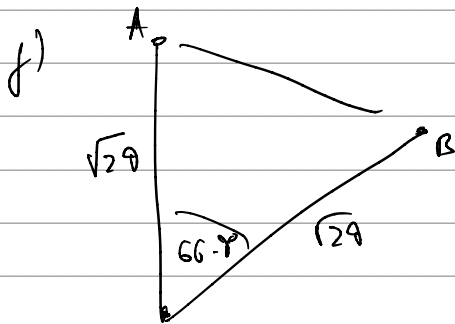
$$\cos \theta = \frac{\vec{OA} \cdot \vec{OB}}{|\vec{OA}| |\vec{OB}|}$$

$$= \frac{\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 4 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 + \sqrt{3} \\ 2\sqrt{3} - 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{2^2 + 4^2 + 3^2} \sqrt{(2 + \sqrt{3})^2 + (2\sqrt{3} - 1)^2 + 3^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1 + 6\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{29} \sqrt{29}}$$

$$\theta = \arccos\left(\frac{1 + 6\sqrt{3}}{29}\right) = 66.86\dots$$

$$= 66.9^\circ \text{ to 3sf}$$



$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{29} \times \sqrt{29} \times \sin(66.86\dots)$$

$$= 13.334\dots$$

$$= \boxed{13.3} \text{ to 3sf}$$

19. In part (i), the elements of each matrix should be expressed in exact numerical form.

(i) (a) Write down the 2×2 matrix that represents a rotation of 210° anticlockwise about the origin. (1)

(b) Write down the 2×2 matrix that represents a stretch parallel to the y -axis with scale factor 5 (1)

The transformation T is a rotation of 210° anticlockwise about the origin followed by a stretch parallel to the y -axis with scale factor 5

(c) Determine the 2×2 matrix that represents T (2)

(ii)

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} k & k + 3 \\ -5 & 1 - k \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{where } k \text{ is a constant}$$

(a) Find $\det \mathbf{M}$, giving your answer in simplest form in terms of k . (2)

A closed shape R is transformed to a closed shape R' by the transformation represented by the matrix \mathbf{M} .

Given that the area of R is 2 square units and that the area of R' is $16k$ square units,

(b) determine the possible values of k . (3)

a)
$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(210) & -\sin(210) \\ \sin(210) & \cos(210) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

b)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$$

c)
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{2} & -\frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$



Question 19 continued

$$\text{ii) } \det M = h(1-h) + 5(h+3)$$

$$= h - h^2 + 5h + 15$$

$$= -h^2 + 6h + 15$$

$$2 \times |-h^2 + 6h + 15| = 16h$$

$$-2h^2 + 12h + 30 = 16h \quad \text{or} \quad 2h^2 - 12h - 30 = 16h$$

$$-2h^2 - 4h + 30 = 0$$

$$2h^2 - 28h - 30 = 0$$

$$h^2 + 2h - 15 = 0$$

$$h^2 - 14h - 15 = 0$$

$$(h+5)(h-3) = 0$$

$$(h-15)(h+1) = 0$$

$$h = -5 \text{ or } h = 3$$

$$h = 15 \text{ or } h = -1$$

but $16h$ is the area of R' so $h > 0$

i.e. $h = 3 \text{ or } h = 15$

↓
because the area of R'
can't be negative.

Note that there is a mistake in the official

mark scheme for this question. The solution

above is correct. $h \neq -5 \text{ or } -1$

20.

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{5}{13} & -\frac{12}{13} \\ \frac{12}{13} & \frac{5}{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Describe fully the single geometrical transformation U represented by the matrix \mathbf{P} . (3)

The transformation V , represented by the 2×2 matrix \mathbf{Q} , is a reflection in the line with equation $y = x$

- (b) Write down the matrix \mathbf{Q} . (1)

Given that the transformation V followed by the transformation U is the transformation T , which is represented by the matrix \mathbf{R} ,

- (c) find the matrix \mathbf{R} . (2)

- (d) Show that there is a value of k for which the transformation T maps each point on the straight line $y = kx$ onto itself, and state the value of k . (4)

a) $\cos \theta = \frac{5}{13} \quad \theta = 67.4^\circ, 292.6^\circ$

$\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13} \quad \theta = 67.4^\circ, 112.6^\circ$

So U is a rotation 67.4° anticlockwise about O .

b) $\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

c) $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{Q} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{5}{13} & -\frac{12}{13} \\ \frac{12}{13} & \frac{5}{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{12}{13} & \frac{5}{13} \\ \frac{5}{13} & \frac{12}{13} \end{pmatrix}$

d) $P-7.0$

Question 20 continued

$$d) \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{12}{13} & \frac{5}{13} \\ \frac{5}{13} & \frac{12}{13} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ kx \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ kx \end{pmatrix}$$

This is essentially an invariant point question. See that pack for more questions like this.

$$-\frac{12}{13}x + \frac{5}{13}kx = x$$

$$\frac{5}{13}kx = \frac{25}{13}x$$

$$5kx = 25x \quad \text{but this is true for all } x$$

$$\text{so } 5k = 25 \\ \Rightarrow k = 5$$

$$\text{Check: } \frac{5}{13}x + \frac{12}{13}(5)x = \frac{5}{13}x + \frac{60}{13}x \\ = \frac{65}{13}x = 5x = kx$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{k=5}$$

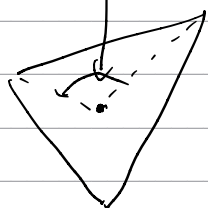
the difficulty rating of 5 here, entirely depends on if you've seen invariant points questions before.

If you have, you should find it easier than 5*.

21. In an Argand diagram, the points A , B and C are the vertices of an equilateral triangle with its centre at the origin. The point A represents the complex number $6 + 2i$.
- (a) Find the complex numbers represented by the points B and C , giving your answers in the form $x + iy$, where x and y are real and exact. (6)
- The points D , E and F are the midpoints of the sides of triangle ABC .
- (b) Find the exact area of triangle DEF . (3)

a) This is difficult because there's no nice geometric method to solve it and you have to use linear transformations.

The centre is at the origin, and I know this angle is 120° because we're given that the triangle is equilateral. so I just rotate the point $(6, 2)$ by 120° anticlockwise:



$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(120) & -\sin(120) \\ \sin(120) & \cos(120) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 - \sqrt{3} \\ 3\sqrt{3} - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

to find the other point.

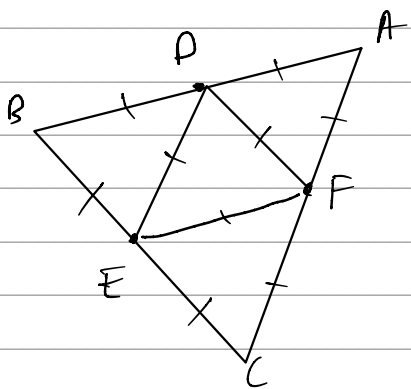
$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(240) & -\sin(240) \\ \sin(240) & \cos(240) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 + \sqrt{3} \\ -1 - 3\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$$

so $(-3 - \sqrt{3}) + (3\sqrt{3} - 1)i$ and $(-3 + \sqrt{3}) + (-1 - 3\sqrt{3})i$ are the other vertices.



Question 21 continued

b)



$$\text{Area of DEF} = \frac{1}{4} \text{ Area of ABC}$$

$$|AB| = \sqrt{(6+3+\sqrt{2})^2 + (2+1-3\sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(9+\sqrt{3})^2 + (3-3\sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{72} = \sqrt{36 \cdot 2} = 6\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{so Area of ABC} = \frac{1}{2} \times 6\sqrt{2} \times 6\sqrt{2} \times \sin(60)$$

$$= 18\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{so Area of DEF} = \frac{9\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Since ABC is equilateral so all lengths are same and angles are all 60° .