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## Key to mark scheme abbreviations

M	mark is for method
m or dM	mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method
A	mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy
B	mark is independent of M or m marks and is for method and accuracy
E	mark is for explanation
✓ or ft or F	follow through from previous incorrect result
CAO	correct answer only
CSO	correct solution only
AWFW	anything which falls within
AWRT	anything which rounds to
ACF	any correct form
AG	answer given
SC	special case
OE	or equivalent
A2,1	2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks
-x EE	deduct x marks for each error
NMS	no method shown
PI	possibly implied
SCA	substantially correct approach
c	candidate
sf	significant figure(s)
dp	decimal place(s)

## No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award **full marks**. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn **no marks**.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns **full marks**, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains **no marks**.

**Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.**

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)	$\overline{AB} \times \overline{AC} = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & 2 & -2 \\ \mathbf{j} & 2 & -2 \\ \mathbf{k} & 3 & 5 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ -16 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	B1	3	$\overline{AB}$ or $\overline{AC}$ correct
		M1		Attempt at cross product – at least one component correct
		A1		All correct components – no further working seen or attempted
(b)	<p>16 : -16 : 0 = 1 : -1 : 0</p> <p>Cartesian equation is <math>x - y = \text{constant}</math></p>	M1	2	Correct structure using their perpendicular from a) : $ax + by + cz = d$
	<p>Use <math>\mathbf{c} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{constant} = -1</math></p> <p><math>\therefore x - y = -1</math></p> <p><b>Alternative:</b></p> $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ -2 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ <p><math>x = 1 + 2\mu - 2\lambda</math> ①</p> <p><math>y = 2 + 2\mu - 2\lambda</math> ②</p> <p><math>z = -1 + 3\mu + 5\lambda</math> ③</p> <p>① - ② <math>\Rightarrow x - y = -1</math></p>	A1		Finding correct value of $d$ - CAO
	(M1)	Correct parametric structure with an attempt to eliminate variables		
(c)	$\overline{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $\overline{AB} \times \overline{AC} \cdot \overline{AD} = \begin{pmatrix} 16 \\ -16 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= 64 \text{ (cubic units)}$	B1	3	Obtaining $\overline{AD}$ or $\overline{DA}$
		M1		Scalar product with their $\overline{AD}$ and answer from part (a) or determinant seen
		A1		CAO
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	



Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
2(b)	Either $5b - 25 \neq 0$ or $5b - 25 = 0$ Inconsistent $b \neq 5$	M1 A1	2	Sets their constant $\neq 0$ (or 0) CSO (accept $b > 5, b < 5$ )
(c)	Linearly dependent since determinant/triple scalar product = 0 or $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	E1	1	Correct deduction with appropriate reason given
<b>Total</b>			<b>6</b>	
3(a)	First factor (quadratic) = $x^2 + y^2 + z^2$ $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \begin{vmatrix} x^2 - x & y^2 - y & z^2 - z \\ x & y & z \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$ $C_2 \rightarrow C_2 - C_1$ $C_3 \rightarrow C_3 - C_1$ $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \begin{vmatrix} x^2 - x & y^2 - x^2 - (y - x) & z^2 - x^2 - (z - x) \\ x & y - x & z - x \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$ Two linear factors $(y - x)$ and $(z - x)$ $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(y - x)(z - x) \begin{vmatrix} x^2 - x & y + x - 1 & z + x - 1 \\ x & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$ Expand to get $(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)(y - x)(z - x)(y - z)$	B1  M1  A1, A1  M1 A1	6	Quadratic factor identified anywhere  Correct use of a column/row operation to obtain first linear factor – no more than one slip  Two correct linear factors found $(y - x)(z - x)$ or equivalent  Finding the final linear factor $(y - z)$ or equivalent All correct - CSO
(b)	$x, y, z$ distinct $\Rightarrow x \neq y \neq z$ $\Rightarrow (y - x)(z - x)(y - z) \neq 0$ $x, y, z$ distinct, real $\Rightarrow x^2 + y^2 + z^2 \neq 0$ $\Rightarrow \Delta \neq 0$	E1  E1	2	Explaining why linear factors are $\neq 0$  Explaining why the quadratic factor is $\neq 0$
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
4(a)	direction vector = $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & 2 & 1 \\ \mathbf{j} & -2 & 3 \\ \mathbf{k} & 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -11 \\ -7 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$	M1A1		Finding direction of line M1 for attempt at vector product – one component correct
	common point, let $z = 0$			
	$\left. \begin{array}{l} x - y = 12 \\ x + 3y = 8 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} y = -1 \\ x = 11 \end{array}$	M1A1		Finding common point - M1 for letting $z = 0$ and attempt to solve or equivalent ( $x = 0$ gives $y = -8, z = 8$ and $y = 0$ gives $x = \frac{88}{7}$ and $z = -\frac{8}{7}$ )
	So line is $\frac{x-11}{-11} = \frac{y+1}{-7} = \frac{z}{8}$	A1	5	CAO – any correct equivalent form
	<b>Alternative 1 :</b>			
	Let $z = \lambda$	(M1)		Let $z = \lambda$ and attempt to solve for $x, y$
	Then $y = -1 - \frac{7\lambda}{8}$	(A1)		For $y$ correct
	and $x = 11 - \frac{11\lambda}{8}$	(A1)		For $x$ correct
	Gives point $(11, -1, 0)$ and direction $\begin{pmatrix} -11 \\ -7 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$	(M1)		Elimination of parameter
	$\Rightarrow \frac{x-11}{-11} = \frac{y+1}{-7} = \frac{z}{8}$	(A1)	(5)	CAO – any correct equivalent form
<b>Alternative 2 :</b>				
Let $z = \lambda$	(M1)		Let $z = \lambda$ and attempt to express $\lambda$ in terms of $x, y$	
Then $\lambda = \frac{8y+8}{-7}$	(A1)		Correct expression in terms of $y$ only	
and $\lambda = \frac{8x-88}{-11}$	(A1)		Correct expression in terms of $x$ only	
Hence				
$\frac{8x-88}{-11} = \frac{8y+8}{-7} = z$	(M1) (A1)	(5)	Elimination of parameter CAO – any equivalent form	
(b)(i)	$\sqrt{11^2 + 7^2 + 8^2} = \sqrt{234}$	M1		Modulus of their direction vector seen and correct structure used for direction cosines
	$\cos \alpha = \frac{-11}{\sqrt{234}}, \cos \beta = \frac{-7}{\sqrt{234}}, \cos \gamma = \frac{8}{\sqrt{234}}$	A1F	2	ft error in their direction vector

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4(b)(ii)	$\cos^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \gamma = 1$ $\Rightarrow 1 - \sin^2 \alpha + 1 - \sin^2 \beta + 1 - \sin^2 \gamma = 1$ $\Rightarrow 3 - \sin^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \beta - \sin^2 \gamma = 1$ $\Rightarrow \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = 3 - 1 = 2$  <b>Alternative:</b> $\sin^2 \alpha = \frac{113}{234}, \sin^2 \beta = \frac{185}{234}, \sin^2 \gamma = \frac{170}{234}$  $\Rightarrow \sin^2 \alpha + \sin^2 \beta + \sin^2 \gamma = \frac{113+185+170}{234}$ $= \frac{468}{234} = 2$	B1 M1  A1  (M1) (A1F)  (B1)	3     (3)	Seen / stated Trig identity $\cos^2 \theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta$ used  All correct  Attempt to get all of $\sin^2 \alpha, \sin^2 \beta, \sin^2 \gamma$ All correct – ft their direction vector  Correct verification (CSO) – must see explicit calculation to arrive at 2
<b>Total</b>			<b>10</b>	
5(a)	$\begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0$  $(1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2-\lambda & 2 \end{vmatrix} = 0$  $(1-\lambda)(\lambda-4)(\lambda-1) - 2(\lambda-1) = 0$ $(1-\lambda)[(2-\lambda)(3-\lambda) - 2] - [2 - 2(2-\lambda)] = 0$ $[\lambda-1][-\lambda^2 + 5\lambda - 6] = 0$  $-(\lambda-1)(\lambda-2)(\lambda-3) = 0$ $\lambda = 1, 2 \text{ or } 3$	M1  m1 A1 M1 A1	5	Correct row/column expansion of $ \mathbf{M} - \lambda\mathbf{I}  = 0$  Correct expansion of 2 by 2 determinants – dependent on first M1  or $-\lambda^3 + 6\lambda^2 - 11\lambda + 6 = 0$  Attempt to show $\lambda = 2$ is an eigenvalue Fully correct eigenvalues - CAO
(b)	$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$  $\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 2z = 0 \\ -x + y + z = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} z = 0 \\ x = y \end{cases}$  $\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ is an eigenvector}$	M1  A1  A1	3	Attempt to solve $(\mathbf{M} - 2\mathbf{I}) \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  Both relationships obtained (can be unsimplified)  Stated clearly; accept multiples



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5(c)(i)	$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ -3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ 4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 4 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	M1		Attempt at N $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
	$\Rightarrow \lambda = 4 \text{ is an eigenvalue}$	A1	2	
(ii)	Eigenvector = $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ Eigenvalue = $2 \times 4 = 8$	B1 M1A1	3	Accept multiples – part b) must be correct M1 for product of relevant eigenvalues
	<b>Alternative for (c)(ii)</b>			
	Eigenvector = $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	(B1)		Accept multiples – part b) must be correct
	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 2 & -3 \\ 2 & 2 & 3 \\ -3 & 3 & 3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 10 & 6 \\ -2 & 10 & 12 \\ -9 & 9 & 15 \end{pmatrix}$			
	$\begin{pmatrix} -2 & 10 & 6 \\ -2 & 10 & 12 \\ -9 & 9 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 8 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = 8 \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	(M1)		Multiplies to get MN and attempts to find eigenvalue
	So eigenvalue is 8	(A1)	(3)	Correct eigenvalue
	<b>Total</b>		<b>13</b>	

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments	
6(a)	Determinant of matrix = $-8 + 9 = 1$	M1	2	Finding determinant and multiplying by area	
	Area = $3 \times 1 = 3$ (square units)	A1		CAO – must show multiplication or refer to scale factor/invariant area or equivalent	
(b)(i)	$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -3 & -2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ mx+c \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix}$ $\Rightarrow$ $(x') = 4x + 3(mx+c)$ $(y') = -3x - 2(mx+c)$	M1	5	$x', y'$ in terms of $x, y, m, c$	
	Invariant lines $\Rightarrow y' = mx' + c$				
	$\Rightarrow -3x - 2mx - 2c = 4mx + 3m^2x + 3mc + c$	A1			Use of $y' = mx' + c$
	$\Rightarrow 0 = (3m^2 + 6m + 3)x + 3mc + 3c$				
	$\Rightarrow 3m^2 + 6m + 3 = 0 \quad 3mc + 3c = 0$	M1			Attempt at solving equations where coefficients = 0 or compares coefficients
	$3(m+1)^2 = 0 \quad 3c(m+1) = 0$				
	$\Rightarrow m = -1 \quad c \text{ can be any value}$	A1		Finding the correct value of $m$	
	$\Rightarrow \text{lines are } y = -x + c$	A1		Fully correct line – no restriction on $c$	
(ii)	When $c = 0$ , $y = -x$ is a line of invariant points	B1	1	Any equivalent form	
	<b>SPECIAL CASES – (b)(i)</b>				
	$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ -3 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ -x+c \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x+3c \\ -x-2c \end{pmatrix}$ $x' = x + 3c$ $y' = -x - 2c$			SC1 – Correct multiplication as shown	
	Consider				
	$-x' + c$				
	$= -(x + 3c) + c$				
	$= -x - 3c + c$				
	$= -x - 2c$				
	$= y'$				
	Hence $y = -x + c$ is an invariant line			SC2 – correct multiplication as shown above and full algebraic solution using $y' = -x' + c$	
	<b>Total</b>		<b>8</b>		

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7(a)	$\text{Det}(AB) = (4)(1) - (1)(1) = 3 \neq 0$	B1	1	Must state non-zero or $\neq 0$
(b)	Matrix of cofactors $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 3 \\ 4 & -1 & 8-4k \\ -1 & 1 & k-8 \end{bmatrix}$	M1	5	Attempt at matrix of cofactors – at least five correct entries
		A1		Fully correct matrix of cofactors
(c)	$(AB)^{-1} = \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 8-4k & k-8 \end{bmatrix}$	M1	4	Their cofactor matrix transposed correctly
		A2,1		At least five correct = A1 (exclude effect of determinant)
				All entries fully correct = A2
(c)	$(AB)^{-1} = B^{-1}A^{-1}$ $\Rightarrow B^{-1} = (AB)^{-1}A$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 3 & 8-4k & k-8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} k & 6 & 8 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \\ -3 & 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$	M1	Use of $(AB)^{-1}$ and $A$ multiplied
			A1	Correct order of multiplication
(c)	$= \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ -3 & 3 & 6 \\ 24 & -6 & -24 \end{bmatrix}$	A2,1	4	All correct = A2
				5+ correct = A1 (exclude effect of determinant)
	$= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 \\ 8 & -2 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$			NB – if an attempt is made to find B by setting up a system of simultaneous equations then
				M1 – 9 correct equations used
				A1 for $B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 2 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} & -\frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix}$
				Final A2 as above
	<b>Total</b>		<b>10</b>	



Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
8(c)(ii)	$z = 2 \Rightarrow t = -1 \Rightarrow x = -1.5$ $p = 4.5 \quad y = q - 3$ $\Rightarrow -1.5 + q - 3 + 4 = 10$ $q = 10.5$ <p><b>Alternative for (c)(i)</b></p> $ \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{d}  = \sqrt{49 + (1 + 2p)^2 + (3 - p)^2}$ $\sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \Rightarrow \sin \alpha = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{6}}$ $\frac{\sqrt{49 + (1 + 2p)^2 + (3 - p)^2}}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{p^2 + 10}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{6}}$ <p>Leading to <math>p = 4.5</math></p>	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>(M1)</p> <p>(B1)</p> <p>(m1A1)</p> <p>(A1)</p>	<p>2</p>      <p>(5)</p>	<p>Attempt to form an equation for <math>q</math> using <math>t = -1</math> CAO</p> <p><math> \mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{d} </math> correct</p> <p>Correct <math>\sin \alpha</math> stated or implied</p> <p>Forming equation connecting all relevant parts <b>and</b> attempting to solve for <math>p</math>. Dependent on first M1 – fully correct for A1</p> <p>CAO</p>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>12</b>	
	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>75</b>	