

MST121 - 2000 Solutions

Qn.1 (a) 6.7, 6.4, 6.1, 5.8
 (b) Arithmetic Progression

$$x_n = 7 - 0.3n \quad n=0,1,2,\dots$$

(c) x_n becomes indefinitely large and negative.

Qn.2 (a) 0.02, -0.002
 (b) Geometric Progression

$$x_{n+1} = -0.1x_n \quad n=0,1,2,\dots$$

(c) x_n oscillates towards 0.

Qn.3 (a) $(x-3)^2 + (y-2)^2 = 16$

(b) $\sqrt{13}$

(c) Solve $(x-3)^2 = 16$, that is

$$x^2 - 6x - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3 \pm \sqrt{9+3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 6.464 \text{ or } x = -0.464 \text{ so}$$

points are $(6.464, 0)$ and $(-0.464, 0)$.

(d) C is the only one consistent with result (c).

Qn.4 (a) 1.2%

(b) (i) 11153.84 (ii) 15.384%

(c) $x \mapsto \frac{\ln(0.001x)}{\ln(1.012)}$

Qn.5 ***no longer in syllabus

(a) (i) 1, 2, 3

(ii) $(2,3), (2,4), (2,5), (3,3), (3,4), (3,5)$

(b) D because it shades all points whose absolute x values are less than or equal to 5.

Qn.6 (a) No limit; for large i sequence is approx $5i/2$.

(b) $u_i = 2/5i$ for large i since only first terms in num and denom matter and so limit is 0.

Qn.7 (a) about 1200, 4000

(b) (i) alternates between 4 values so r is about 2.5.

(ii) chaotic but bounded so r is between 2.6 and 3.

(iii) alternating between two specific values so r is between 2 and 2.3

Qn.8 (a) $\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 14 & 12 \\ -16 & -18 \end{pmatrix}$

(b) $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 7 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad b = \begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -1/17 & 7/17 \\ 3/17 & -4/17 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{soln} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Qn.9 (a) $v = 1.8 - 2.4t$

(b) 1.8 m/sec.

(c) s is max when $v = ds/dt = 0$ ie. $t = 0.75$ at which time $s = 0.675$ m.

(d) $a = dv/dt = -2.4 \text{ ms}^{-2}$

Qn.10 (a) $15e^{5x} - 24x^3$; const multiple and sum rules

(b) $4\sqrt{t} + \frac{1}{8}\cos(8t) + c$; const multiple and sum rules

Qn.11 (a) 4, 6; $(6-x)$ and $\ln(x/4)$ are both > 0 in $(4 < x < 6)$.

$$\left[\dots \right]_4^6 = \{72(\ln 1.5 - 1) - 36\}$$

$$- \{64(\ln 1 - 1) - 16\} = 1.193$$

Qn.12 (a) rising exponential curve starting at $(0, -10)$ and asymptotic to $\theta = 20$

(b) $A = 20, B = -30$

(c) $-10 = -30 \cdot \exp(-0.2t)$

$$\ln(1/3) = -0.2t$$

$$t = 5 \cdot \ln(3) = 5.493 \text{ (hrs.)}$$

Qn.13 (a) 1/8 (b) 3/4 (c) 3/4

(d) 2 (prob. dist is

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{8} & \frac{1}{16} & \dots \end{matrix}$$

(e) First child is of one sex.

The distribution of "first child of other sex" is then the same as that of "first girl" in

(d) so mean no. of children = $1 + 2 = 3$.

Qn.14 (a) Left skewed - tail of distribution is to left.

(b) Sketch a smoothed curve ignoring the "bump" on the left corresponding to the 0-2 years column.

(c) Integrate area under this curve to right of line $x = 15$, assuming that vertical scale is adjusted so total area under curve = 1.

Qn.15 (a) mean=81.6, sdev= 0.3
 (b) (81.0, 82.2)

Qn.16 (a) 169.6; 2.4cm. shorter
 (b) 0.55x6 = 3.3cm.

Qn.17 (a) (i) A(-2,1) B(1,4)
 (ii) x=t-2; t=x+2; so y=t+1=x+3
 y=x+3 is eqn of str line, grad=1

(b) (i) $(t-2)^2 + (t+1)^2 = t^2 - 4t + 4 + t^2 + 2t + 1 = 2t^2 - 2t + 5$
 $= 2(t - \frac{1}{2})^2 + (5 - \frac{1}{2})$

(ii) max $d^2 = 4.5$
 max $d = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} = 2.12$

(iii) C = (-1.5, 1.5)
 (c) grad of OC = -1 perp. to AB

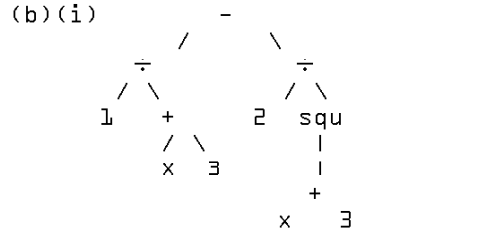
Qn.18 ***no longer in syllabus

(a) (i)

mem1	mem2	mem3	mem4
x			
x	x+1		
x	x+1	x+3	
x	x+1	(x+3) ²	
x	x+1	(x+3) ²	

 (x+1)/(x+3)²

(ii) x not equal to -3



(ii) $\frac{1}{x+3} - \frac{2}{(x+3)^2} = \frac{(x+3) - 2}{(x+3)^2}$
 $= \frac{(x+1)}{(x+3)^2} = \text{result of (i)}$

(iii) mem1:=-x
 mem2:=mem1-4
 mem2:=sin(mem2)
 mem3:=mem1 x mem1
 mem3:=mem3 + 3
 mem3:=mem2 ÷ mem3

Qn.19 (a) $\int_0^2 y dx = \left[6x - \frac{1}{2}x^3 \right]_0^2 = 8$

(b)(i) min = area of $\triangle OPQ = L$
 (ii) A(t) = $\triangle OTQ + \triangle PTP + \text{rect. } P'TQ'$
 where P' and Q' are projections of T on y and x axes respectively.

$= \frac{1}{2}t(b-y) + \frac{1}{2}(2-t)y + ty$
 $= 3t - \frac{1}{2}ty + y - \frac{1}{2}ty + ty$
 $= 3t + y = 3t + (6 - 1.5t^2)$
 $= 6 + 3t - \frac{3}{2}t^2$

(iii) $dA/dt = 3 - 3t = 0$ when $t=1$
 $d^2A/dt^2 = -3 < 0$
 so max A = $6 + 3 - 1.5 = 7.5$
 (c) $6 < 7.5 < 8$

Qn.20 (a) Anne's longer sentences were longer, and her overall variation was greater.

(b)(i) $H_0: \mu_A = \mu_B$
 $H_1: \mu_A \neq \mu_B$

where H_0 and H_1 are null and alternate hypotheses, and the \odot 's are the absolute sentence length propensities of Anne and Charlotte.

(ii) $z = \frac{(36.7 - 32.9)}{\sqrt{\frac{33.0^2}{55} + \frac{23.0^2}{50}}} = 0.689$

(iii) There is no reason to reject the null hypothesis, that is there is no evidence that Anne's inherent sentence length was different from Charlotte's.