

# Matrices 1 MS

Q1.

<b>11</b>	<p><b>EITHER</b></p> <p><b>(i)</b> Writes <b>P</b> and <b>D</b>. (Note: Columns can be in any order, but must match.) Finds Det <b>P</b>.</p> <p>Finds inverse of <b>P</b>. (Adj ÷ Det)</p> <p>Finds expression for <b>A</b>.</p> <p>Evaluates <b>A</b>.</p>	$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Det <b>P</b> = 2</p> $\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (No working 1/3)}$ <p>Row operations M1A1A1 ( 3 errors).</p> <p><b>A</b> = <b>PDP</b><sup>-1</sup></p> $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & 0 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 1.5 & 0.5 & 0.5 \\ 1.5 & 0.5 & 1.5 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$	B1B1 B1 M1A1  M1 M1A1  A1  M1 A1  M1A1 A1	9          5	
	<p><b>(ii)</b> Finds expression for <b>A</b><sup>2n</sup></p> <p>Evaluates.</p>	<p><b>A</b><sup>2n</sup> = <b>PD</b><sup>2n</sup><b>P</b><sup>-1</sup></p> $= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2^{2n} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2^{2n} \\ 1 & 0 & 2^{2n} \\ -1 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2^{2n} + 1 & 2^{2n} - 1 & 2^{2n} - 1 \\ 2^{2n} - 1 & 2^{2n} + 1 & 2^{2n} - 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$			
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Q2.

<b>5</b>	<p>Identifies matrices <b>P</b> and <b>D</b>.</p> <p>Finds inverse of <b>P</b>.</p> <p>Uses appropriate result to obtain <b>A</b>. (First mark can be implied by correct working.)</p>	$\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ 1 & -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ <p>Det <b>P</b> = 1</p> $\mathbf{P}^{-1} = \text{Adj } \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 11 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $\mathbf{P}^{-1}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{D} \Rightarrow \mathbf{A} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{P}^{-1}$ $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 2 \\ -1 & -1 & -3 \\ -2 & 3 & 5 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 11 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 & 4 \\ -1 & -1 & -6 \\ 2 & 3 & 10 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 11 & 5 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ $= \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4 & 2 \\ -11 & -27 & -13 \\ 21 & 54 & 26 \end{pmatrix}$	<p>B1B1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>M1A1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1A1√</p> <p>A1</p>	9	<b>[9]</b>
<b>5</b>	<p><b>Alternative Approach:</b></p> $\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$	<p>Use of <b>Ae = λe</b></p> <p>Obtains 3 sets of 3 linear equations: One set Other two sets</p> <p>Solves one set Solves other sets</p>	<p>(M1)</p> <p>(M1A1) (A1A1)</p> <p>(M1A1) (A1A1)</p>	(9)	<b>[9]</b>

Q3.

<b>6</b>	<p>Shows <b>e</b> is an eigenvector of <b>A</b> and gives eigenvalue.</p> <p>Finds characteristic equation.</p> <p>Factorises.</p> <p>States other eigenvalues.</p> <p>Repeats for <b>B</b>.</p> <p>States result for <b>AB</b>.</p>	<p><b>Ae = 2e</b> ⇒ <b>e</b> is an eigenvector with eigenvalue 2.</p> $\lambda^3 - 2\lambda^2 - \lambda + 2 = 0$ $\Rightarrow (\lambda - 2)(\lambda^2 - 1) = 0$ <p>Other eigenvalues are -1 and 1.</p> <p><b>Be = 3e</b> ⇒ <b>e</b> is an eigenvector with eigenvalue 3</p> <p><b>ABe = A.3e = 3Ae = 3.2e = 6e</b> <b>AB</b> has eigenvector <b>e</b> with eigenvalue 6</p>	<p>M1A1</p> <p>M1A1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>M1A1</p>	2	4	<b>[9]</b>
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Q4.

<b>6</b>	$\lambda = 1: \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 10 & -8 & 10 \\ 7 & -5 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ 0 \\ 6 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ oe}$ $\lambda = 3: \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 10 & -10 & 10 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 20 \\ 20 \end{pmatrix} \sim \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ oe}$ $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 10 & -7 & 10 \\ 7 & -5 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -4 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} = -2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \lambda = -2$ $\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 3 \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (or other multiples or permutations).}$ <p>Det <math>\mathbf{P} = -1</math> (or 1 depending on permutation).</p> $\text{Adj } \mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -2 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{P}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \text{ (or other permutations).}$	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>M1A1</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>A1</b> [3]</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>M1A1</b> [2]</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>B1<sup>✓</sup> B1<sup>✓</sup></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>B1</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>M1A1</b> [5] <b>Total</b> <b>10</b></p>
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Q5.

11E(i)	$\mathbf{Ae} = \lambda \mathbf{e}$ and $\mathbf{Be} = \mu \mathbf{e}$	<b>M1A1</b>	
	$\mathbf{ABe} = \mathbf{A}\mu \mathbf{e} = \mu \mathbf{Ae} = \mu \lambda \mathbf{e} = \lambda \mu \mathbf{e}$	<b>M1</b>	AG
		<b>3</b>	
11E(ii)	$(\lambda + 1)(\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6) = 0$	<b>A1</b>	
	$(\lambda + 1)(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 3) = 0$	<b>A1</b>	
	$\lambda = -1, 2, 3.$	<b>M1</b>	
	Eigenvectors are $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ respectively.	<b>A1A1</b>	Uses either vector product or equations to find eigenvectors
		<b>6</b>	
11E(iii)	$\begin{pmatrix} 3 & 6 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 & -1 \\ 6 & 6 & -2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mu_1 = -3$	<b>M1</b>	
	Similarly, other two eigenvalues of $\mathbf{B}$ are $-2$ and $4$ .	<b>A1</b>	
	Eigenvalues of $\mathbf{AB}$ are $3, -4$ and $12$	<b>A1</b>	
	Corresponding eigenvectors are $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ .	<b>A1</b>	
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Q6.

8(i)	Eigenvalues of (upper diagonal matrix) $\mathbf{A}$ are $2, m$ and $1$ . (Or from characteristic equation: $(\lambda - 2)(\lambda - m)(\lambda - 1) = 0$ )	<b>B1</b>	
	$\lambda = 2: \mathbf{e}_1 = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 0 & m-2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2-m \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1</b>	Uses vector product (or equations) to find corresponding eigenvectors.
	$\lambda = m: \mathbf{e}_2 = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 2-m & m & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7m \\ 7(m-2) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} m \\ m-2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>A1</b>	
	$\lambda = 1: \mathbf{e}_3 = \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 1 & m & 1 \\ 0 & m-1 & 7 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 6m+1 \\ -7 \\ m-1 \end{pmatrix} = t \begin{pmatrix} 6m+1 \\ -7 \\ m-1 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>A1</b>	
	Thus $\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & m & 6m+1 \\ 0 & m-2 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & m-1 \end{pmatrix}$ and $\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1 FT</b>	Or correctly matched permutations of columns. No follow through on two or more zero eigenvectors.
		<b>7</b>	
8(ii)	$\mathbf{M}^7 \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D}^7 \mathbf{P}^{-1} \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D}^7 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & m & 6m+1 \\ 0 & m-2 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & m-1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2^7 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m^7 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1 FT</b>	Applies $\mathbf{M}^7 = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{D}^7 \mathbf{P}^{-1}$ .
	$= \begin{pmatrix} 2^7 & m^8 & 6m+1 \\ 0 & m^8 - 2m^7 & -7 \\ 0 & 0 & m-1 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>A1</b>	Order of columns might be swapped depending on $\mathbf{P}$ .
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Q7.

8(a)	$\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 & 1 \\ a & 6 & -1 \\ 0 & a & -2 \end{vmatrix} = 0 \Rightarrow 3(-12+a) - (-2a) + a^2 = 0$	<b>M1</b>	
	$a^2 + 5a - 36 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 4, -9$	<b>M1 A1</b>	
		<b>3</b>	
8(b)	$(\lambda - 3)(\lambda - 6)(\lambda + 2) = \lambda^3 - 7\lambda^2 + 36 = 0$	<b>B1</b>	
	$36\mathbf{I} = 7\mathbf{A}^2 - \mathbf{A}^3 \Rightarrow 36(\mathbf{A}^{-1})^2 = 7\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}$	<b>M1</b>	
	$(\mathbf{A}^{-1})^2 = \frac{1}{36} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 9 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1</b>	
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8(c)	Eigenvalues of <b>A</b> are 3, 6 and -2.	<b>B1</b>
	$\lambda = 3: \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 3 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1</b>
	$\lambda = 6: \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ -3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \lambda = -2: \begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{i} & \mathbf{j} & \mathbf{k} \\ 5 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 8 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -9 \\ 5 \\ 40 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>A1 A1</b>
	<p>Thus <math>\mathbf{P} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 &amp; 1 &amp; -9 \\ 0 &amp; 3 &amp; 5 \\ 0 &amp; 0 &amp; 40 \end{pmatrix}</math> and</p> $\mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 243 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 7776 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -32 \end{pmatrix} \text{ or } \mathbf{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 3^5 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6^5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2^5 \end{pmatrix}$	<b>M1 A1</b>
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Q8.

3(a)	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & -2 & -4 \\ 1 & -2 & k \\ -1 & 2 & 2 \end{vmatrix} = -4 - 2k + 2(2+k) - 4(0) = 0$	<b>M1 A1</b>	Shows that determinant is zero.
		<b>2</b>	
3(b)	$\begin{aligned} x - 2y - 4z &= 1, \\ x - 2y - 4z &= 1, \Rightarrow z = -1, x - 2y = -3 \\ -x + 2y + 2z &= 1, \\ \text{(or } -x + 2y + 2z &= 1 \text{ is not parallel to } x - 2y - 4z = 1) \end{aligned}$	<b>B1</b>	Derives one equation with two unknowns or states that third plane is not parallel to the repeated one.
	Two of the planes are identical (or coincident).	<b>B1</b>	
	There is a line of intersection with the other plane.	<b>B1</b>	
		<b>3</b>	
3(c)	$\begin{aligned} x - 2y - 4z &= 1, \\ x - 2y - 2z &= 1, \Rightarrow -1 = 1 \\ -x + 2y + 2z &= 1, \end{aligned}$	<b>B1</b>	Derives contradiction.
	Two parallel planes, not identical.	<b>B1</b>	
		<b>2</b>	
3(d)	$\begin{aligned} x - 2y - 4z &= 1, \\ x - 2y + kz &= 1, \Rightarrow (-4 - k)z = 0, -2z = 2 \Rightarrow 0 = 2 \\ -x + 2y + 2z &= 1, \end{aligned}$	<b>B1</b>	Derives contradiction.
	The three planes form a triangular prism.	<b>B1</b>	
		<b>2</b>	