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Find the distance between two points A(50°N, 20°E) and (50°N, 50°E) in;

i) Kilometers (2 Marks)

ii) Nautical miles (Take R = 6400km and π = 3.142) (2 Marks)

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The positions of two towns A and B are $(50^{\circ}N, 45^{\circ}W)$ and $(50^{\circ}N, K^{\circ}W)$ respectively. It takes a plane 5 hours to travel from A to B at an average speed of 800knots. The same plane takes $1\frac{1}{2}$ hours to travel from B to another town C at the same average speed. Given that C is to the north of B, calculate to the nearest degree.

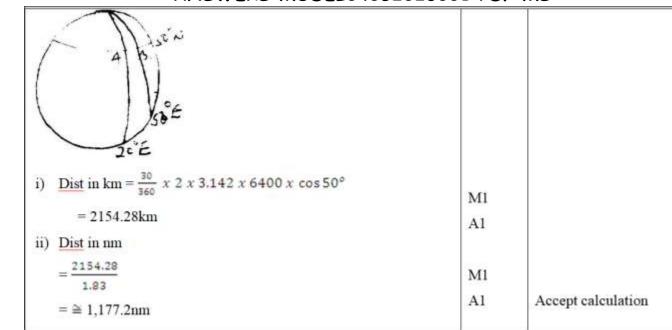
(a) The value of K

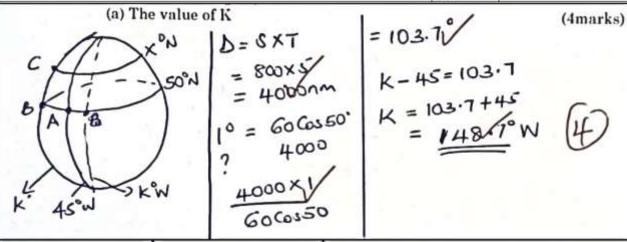
(4marks)

(b) The latitude of C

- (3marks)
- (c) If the plane started from A at 9.00am and flew to C through B, find the local time at C when the plane arrived there. (3marks)
- A ship left point P(10°S, 40°E) and sailed due East for 90 hours at an average speed of 24 knots to a point R.(Take 1 nautical mile (nm) to be 1.853 km and radius of the earth to be 6370 km)
 - (a) Calculate the distance between P and R in:
 - (i) nm;
 - (ii) km.
 - (b) Determine the position of point R.
 - (c) Find the local time, to the nearest minute, at point R when the time at P is 11:00a.m.

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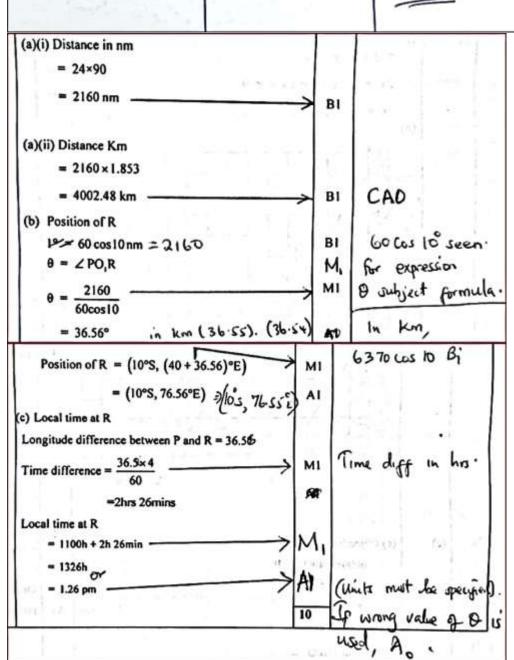


(b) The latitude of C
$$D = S \times T = 800 \times \frac{3}{2} = 1200 \text{ hm}$$

$$1^{\circ} = 600 \text{ m}$$

$$1 = 200 \times 1 = 200$$

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(3marks)



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