



SYDNEY BOYS HIGH SCHOOL
MOORE PARK, SURRY HILLS

2008
TRIAL
HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

Mathematics Extension 1

General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 Minutes
- Working time – 2 Hours
- Write using black or blue pen. Pencil may be used for diagrams.
- Board approved calculators may be used.
- Start each question in a new booklet
- The questions are of equal value
- Marks may NOT be awarded for messy or badly arranged work.
- All necessary work should be shown in every question.
- Full marks will NOT be given unless the method of the solution is shown.

Total Marks – 84

- Attempt all questions

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STANDARD INTEGRALS

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax,$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE: $\ln x = \log_e x, \quad x > 0$

Start each question in a new answer booklet.

Question 1 (12 marks).

Marks

- a) Find the acute angle between the intersection of the curves $y = x^2 + 4$ and $y = x^2 - 2x$, correct to the nearest minute. 2
- b) A is the point $(-4, 2)$ and B is the point $(3, -1)$. Find the coordinates of the point P which divides the interval AB externally in the ratio $2:1$ 2
- c) Differentiate $y = \log_e (\sin^{-1} x)$ 2
- d) Solve the inequality $\frac{x-1}{x+3} \geq -2$ 2
- e) If $\cos A = \frac{7}{9}$ and $\sin B = \frac{1}{3}$ where A and B are acute angles, Prove that $A = 2B$. 2
- f) Use the substitution $u = t + 1$ to evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{t}{\sqrt{t+1}} dt$ 2

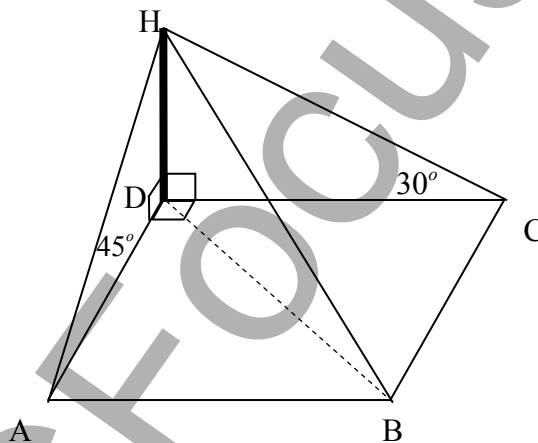
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Question 2 (12 Marks).

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- a) The polynomial $P(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 - 8x + 3$ has a factor of $(x-1)$ and leaves a remainder of 15 when divided by $(x+2)$. Find the values of a and b and hence fully factorise $P(x)$. 3
- b) (i) Express $3\sin\theta + 2\cos\theta$ in the form $R\sin(\theta + \alpha)$ where α is an acute angle.
(ii) Hence, or otherwise solve the equation $3\sin\theta + 2\cos\theta = 2.5$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$. Answer correct to the nearest minute. 4
- c) A post HD stands vertically at one corner of a rectangular field $ABCD$. The angle of elevation of the top of the post H from the nearest corners A and C are 45° and 30° respectively.



- (i) If $AD = a$ units, find the length of BD in terms of a 2
- (ii) Hence, find the angle of elevation of H from the corner B to the nearest minute. 1
- d) Taking $x = \frac{-\pi}{6}$ as a first approximation to the root of the equation $2x + \cos x = 0$, use Newton's method once to show that a second approximation to the root of the equation is $\frac{-\pi - 6\sqrt{3}}{30}$. 2

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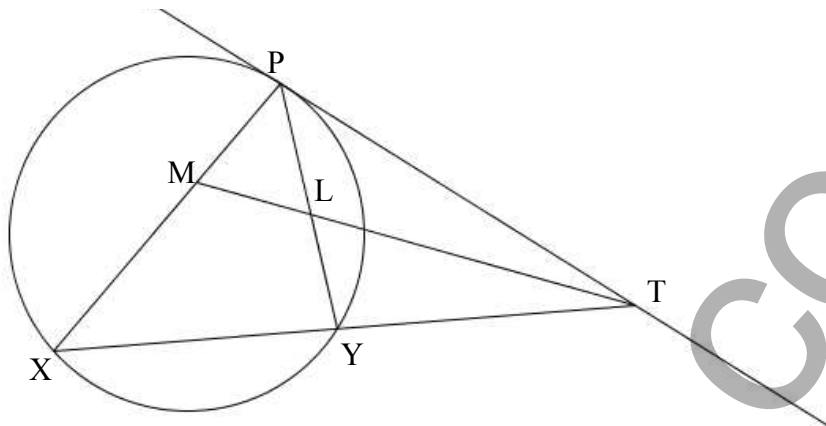
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Question 3 (12 marks).

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a)

Diagram not to scale.



XY is any chord of a circle. XY is produced to T and TP is a tangent to the circle. The bisector of $\angle PTX$ meets XP in M and cuts PY at L . Prove that $\triangle MPL$ is isosceles.

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b)

(i) Find the domain and range of $f^{-1}(x) = \sin^{-1}(3x - 1)$.

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(ii) Sketch the graph of $y = f^{-1}(x)$.

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(iii) Find the equation representing the inverse function $f(x)$ and state the domain and range.

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c) Newton's Law of Cooling states that the rate of cooling of a body is proportional to the excess of the temperature of a body above the surrounding temperature. This rate can be represented by the differential equation

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = -k(T - T_0),$$

where T is the temperature of the body, T_0 is the

temperature of the surroundings, t is the time in minutes and k is a constant.

(i) Show that $T = T_0 + Ae^{-kt}$, where A is a constant, is a solution to the differential equation $\frac{dT}{dt} = -k(T - T_0)$.

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(ii) A cup of coffee cools from 85°C to 80°C in one minute in a room temperature of 25°C . Find the temperature of the cup of coffee after a further 4 minutes have elapsed. Answer to the nearest degree.

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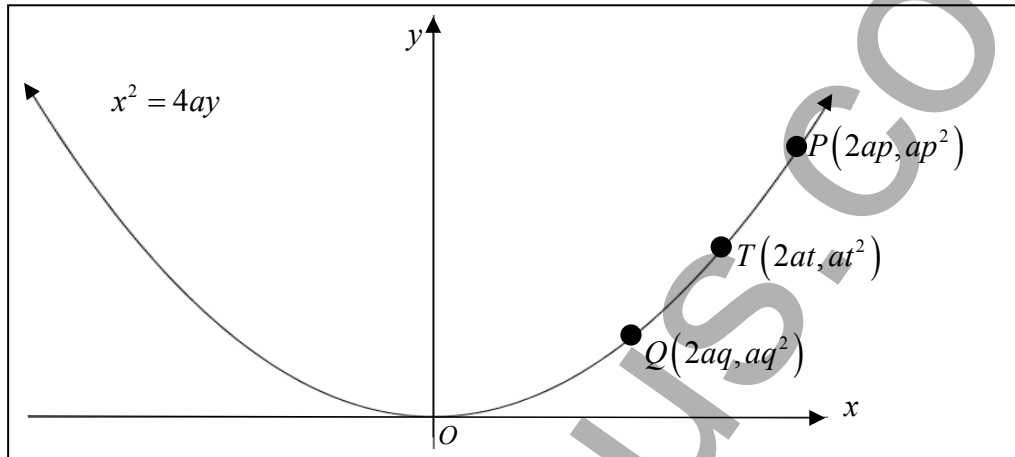
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Question 4 (12 marks).

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a) Find the number of ways of seating 5 boys and 5 girls at a round table if:

- (i) A particular girl wishes to sit between two particular boys.
- (ii) Two particular persons do not wish to sit together.

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1b) $P(2ap, ap^2)$ and $Q(2aq, aq^2)$ are the points on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$ It is given that the chord PQ has the equation $y - \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x + apq = 0$

- (i) Derive the equation of the tangent to the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$ at the point $T(2at, at^2)$.
 - (ii) The tangent at T cuts the y -axis at the point R . Find the coordinates of the point R .
 - (iii) If the chord PQ passes through the point R show that p , t and q are terms of a geometric series.
- c) A particle moves so that its distance x cm from a fixed point O at time t seconds is $x = 2 \cos 3t$.
- (i) Show that the particle satisfies the equation of motion $\ddot{x} = -n^2x$ where n is a constant.
 - (ii) What is the period of the motion?
 - (iii) What is the velocity when the particle is first 1 cm from O .

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End of Question 4.

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Question 5 (12 marks).**Marks**

- a) Find the general solution of the equation $\tan \theta = \sin 2\theta$

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- b) The cubic equation $2x^3 - x^2 + x - 1 = 0$ has roots α, β and γ . Evaluate

(i) $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \alpha\gamma$

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(ii) $\alpha\beta\gamma$

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The equation $2\cos^3 \theta - \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 1 = 0$ has roots $\cos a, \cos b$ and $\cos c$.

Using appropriate information from parts (i) and (ii), prove that

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$\sec a + \sec b + \sec c = 1$.

- c) (i) Sketch the curve $y = 2\cos x - 1$ for $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$. Mark clearly where the graph crosses each axis.

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- (ii) Find the volume generated by the rotation through a complete revolution about the x axis of the region between the x -axis and that part of the curve $y = 2\cos x - 1$ for which $|x| \leq \pi$ and $y \geq 0$

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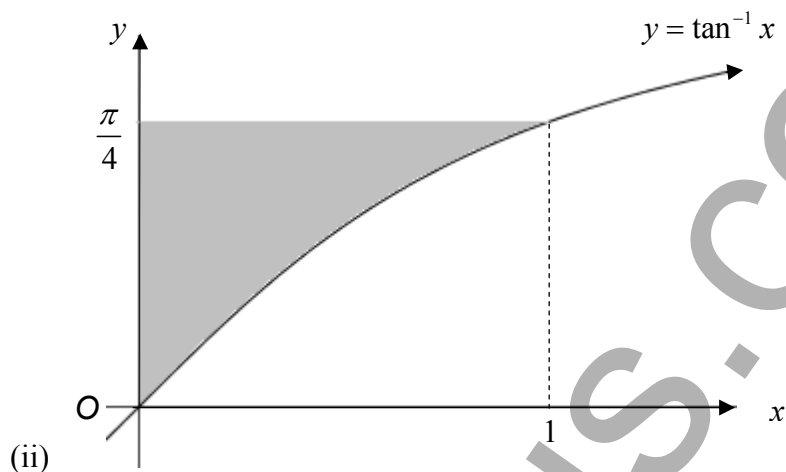
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Question 6 (12 marks).

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- a) (i) Find $\frac{d}{dy}(\ln \cos y)$.

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Show that the shaded area is given by $A = \frac{1}{2} \ln 2$ units²

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- b) P, Q, R and S are four points taken in order on a circle. Prove that:

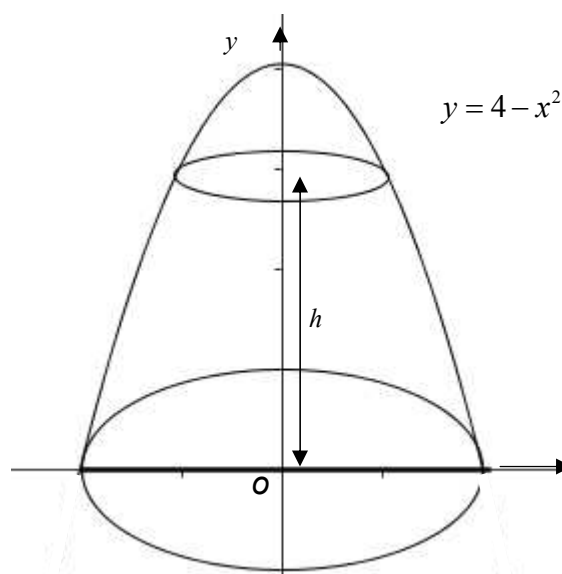
$$\frac{PR}{QS} = \frac{\sin \widehat{PQR}}{\sin \widehat{QPS}}$$

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c)



A mould for a container is made by rotating the part of the curve $y = 4 - x^2$ which lies in the first quadrant through one complete revolution about the y -axis. After sealing the base of the container, water is poured through a hole in the top. When the depth of water in the container is h cm, the depth is

changing at a rate of $\frac{10}{\pi(4-h)} \text{ cms}^{-1}$.

- (i) Show that when the depth is h cm, the surface area $S \text{ cm}^2$ of the top of the water is given by $S = \pi(4-h)$. 2
- (ii) Find the rate at which the surface area of the water is changing when the depth of the water is 2cm. 3

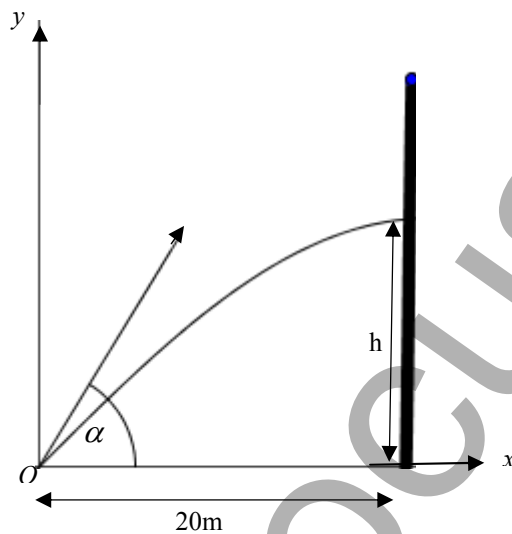
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Question 7 (12 marks).

Marks

- a) A softball player hits the ball from ground level with a speed of 20 m/s and an angle of elevation α . It flies toward a high wall 20m away on level ground. Taking the origin at the point where the ball is hit, the derived expressions for the horizontal and vertical components of x and y of displacement at the time t seconds, taking $g = 10 \text{ m/s}^2$, are $x = 20t \cos \alpha$ and $y = -5t^2 + 20t \sin \alpha$



- (i) Hence find the equation of the path of the ball in flight in terms of x, y and α . 1
- (ii) Show that the height h at which the ball hits the wall is given by $h = 20 \tan \alpha - 5(1 + \tan^2 \alpha)$ 1
- (iii) Using part (ii) above, show that the maximum value of h occurs when $\tan \alpha = 2$ and find this maximum height 2

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- b)** A particle of unit mass moves in a straight line. It is placed at the origin on the x -axis and is then released from rest. When at position x , its acceleration is given by:

$$-9x + \frac{5}{(2-x)^2}.$$

Prove that the particle ultimately moves between two points on the x -axis and find these points.

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- c)** (i) For any angles α and β show that

$$\tan \alpha + \tan \beta = \tan(\alpha + \beta)[1 - \tan \alpha \tan \beta]$$

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- (ii) Prove, by mathematical induction, that

$$\tan \theta \tan 2\theta + \tan 2\theta \tan 3\theta + \dots + \tan n\theta \tan(n+1)\theta = \tan(n+1)\theta \cot \theta - (n+1)$$

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End of Question 7.

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