



2005
HALF YEARLY
EXAMINATION

Mathematics Extension 1

General Instructions

- Reading Time- 5 minutes
- Working Time – 90 minutes
- Write using a blue or black pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- All necessary working should be shown for every question.
- **Write your Name and Teacher's Name on each piece of paper**
- Begin each question on a fresh sheet of paper.

Total marks (75)

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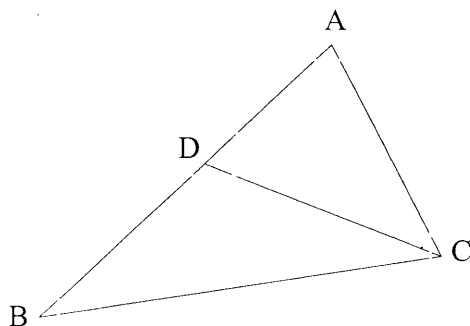
Answer each question on a separate piece of paper. Extra paper is available if needed.

Question 1 (16 marks)

- a. (i) Write 0.0081 as a simple fraction. 1
- (ii) Simplify $(0.0081)^{-\frac{3}{4}}$ leaving your answer in simplest rational form. 2
- b. Find integers a and b such that $\frac{1}{1-\sqrt{2}} = a - \sqrt{b}$. 3
- c. Factorise fully: $80x^4 - 5y^4$ 3
- d. Solve for x if:
- (a) $64^x = \sqrt{32}$. 2
- (b) $(x-1)(x+3) \geq 0$ 2
- (c) $\frac{3}{x+5} \geq 2$. 3

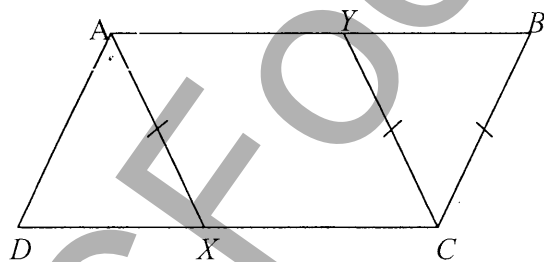
Question 2 (9 marks)

a.



- (i) Given $\angle ABC = \angle ACD$, show that $\triangle ABC \sim \triangle ACD$. 2
- (ii) Hence show that $AC^2 = AB \times AD$. 2
- (iii) Find the length of AB if $AC=6\text{cm}$, $AD=4\text{cm}$. 1

b.



$ABCD$ is a parallelogram.

The point X lies on CD and Y lies on AB so that $AX = CY = BC$.

Copy the diagram into your answer booklet.

- (i) Explain why $\angle ADX = \angle CBY$. 1
- (ii) Show that $AD = AX$. 1
- (iii) Show that $\angle DAX = \angle BCY$. 2

Question 3 (28 marks)

a. Write down the equation of the circle with centre at the origin and passing through the point (5,7). 2

b. On separate number planes, draw neat sketches, showing important features, of the following:

(i) $x^2 + y^2 = 5$ 2

(ii) $y = \frac{1}{x+2}$ 2

c. State the largest possible domain for the function $f(x) = \frac{3}{x^2 - 4}$ 2

d. What is the minimum value of $f(x) = x^2 - 10x + 21$? 2

e. Find the domain and range of:

$$g(x) = \sqrt{x+5} \quad \text{2}$$

f. Determine (with reasons) whether the following function is odd, even or neither:

$$z(x) = \frac{7x}{x^4 - 2} \quad \text{2}$$

g. Draw neat sketches of the following showing the important features:

(i) $y = 5^x - 1$ 2

(ii) $y = 10x - 4x^2$ 2

(iii) $y = |2x - 1|$ 2

h. Shade the region where:

$$x \leq 2, y > -1, y \leq x^2$$

2

i. Consider $f(x) = \frac{3x^2}{x^2 - 4}$

(i) Show $f(x)$ is an even function.

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(ii) Show $f(x)$ has only one intercept with the axes at the origin.

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(iii) Determine the equation of the horizontal asymptote.

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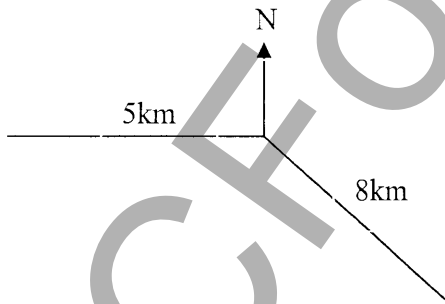
(iv) Sketch $f(x) = \frac{3x^2}{x^2 - 4}$ showing the important features.

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Question 4 (22 marks)

- a. Give the exact value of $\sin 300^\circ$ 1
- b. Given that $\sin \theta = \frac{3}{\sqrt{15}}$ and $\cos \theta < 0$, find the exact value of $\tan \theta$. 2
- c. Simplify $\frac{\sin(90^\circ - \theta)}{\sin(180^\circ - \theta)}$. 2
- d. Solve for θ : (i) $\sin 2\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ 3
(ii) $4\sin^2 \theta = 1$ for $-180^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ 3
- e. I walk 5km due east, then 8km on a bearing of 130° . Use the Cosine Rule to find the straight line distance between my starting point and finishing point. 2



- f. A ship sails from port A , 30km due East to port B . It then sails a further 18km in the direction $155^\circ T$ to port C .
- (i) Draw a neat sketch of the above information. 1
- (ii) Show that $\angle ABC = 155^\circ$. 1
- (iii) Find the distance from port A to port C . 2

g. Prove the following identities.

(i) $\frac{1 + \tan^2 x}{1 + \cot^2 x} = \tan^2 x$ 2

(ii) $\tan A \sin A + \cos A = \sec A$ 3

END OF EXAMINATION

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