



YEAR 12 HSC
ASSESSMENT TASK # 1
EXTENSION I MATHEMATICS
2007

Weighting: 30% of H.S.C. Assessment Mark.

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Time Allowed: 1 1/2 hours

Directions:

- Answer all questions on separate lined paper.
- Show all necessary working.
- Marks may not be awarded for careless or badly arranged work.

Outcomes examined:

- E2 – Uses multi-step deductive reasoning in a variety of contexts.
- E3 – Solves problems involving polynomials and parametric representations.
- E4 – Uses the parametric representation together with differentiation to identify geometric properties of parabolas.
- E6 – Makes comprehensive use of Mathematical language, diagrams and notation for communicating in a wide variety of situations.
- IE1 – Appreciates interrelationships between ideas drawn from different areas of Mathematics.
- IE2 – Uses inductive reasoning in the construction of proofs.
- IE3 – Uses a variety of strategies to investigate Mathematical models of situations involving projectile motion, simple harmonic motion, or exponential growth and decay.
- IE5 – Applies the chain rule to problems including those involving velocity and acceleration as functions of displacement.

QUESTION ONE (2 MARKS)

Marks

Consider the polynomial $P(x) = 2x^3 + 3x^2 - kx + 12$

- Determine the value of k if $x + 4$ is a factor of $P(x)$ 1
- Hence express $P(x)$ as a product of its linear factors 1

QUESTION TWO (3 MARKS)

A plane flying horizontally at 500 km/h releases a projectile designed to hit a target on the ground. The plane is flying at a constant height of 2 km. 3

You may assume the displacement-time equations of motion:

$$x = Vt \cos \theta \quad \text{and} \quad y = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + Vt \sin \theta + 2000$$

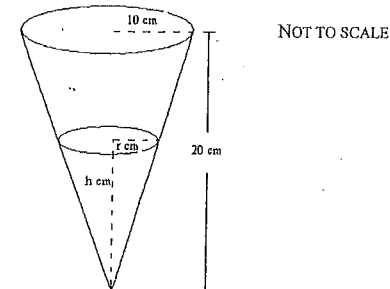
and that $g = 10 \text{ms}^{-2}$

Calculate the horizontal distance from the target that the plane must release the projectile to successfully hit the target.

QUESTION THREE (4 MARKS)

Water is running out of a conical funnel at the rate of $5 \text{cm}^3/\text{s}$. The base radius of the funnel is 10cm and the height is 20cm.

Let h cm be the height and r cm be the base radius of the remaining water.



- Show that $r = \frac{1}{2}h$, giving reason(s). 1
- Show that the volume (V) of water in the cone can be expressed as: 1

$$V = \frac{1}{12} \pi h^3$$

- How fast is the water level dropping when the water is 10cm deep? 2

QUESTION FOUR (4 MARKS)

The velocity of a particle in terms of its displacement is given by $v = \sqrt{3x+1}$ where x is the displacement in metres and v is the velocity in metres per second. The particle is initially at the origin.

(a) Show that the acceleration of the particle is a constant.

Marks

1

(b) Find its displacement after 5 seconds

3

QUESTION FIVE (4 MARKS)

(a) Show that $\sqrt{3} \cos 2t - \sin 2t = 2 \cos(2t + \frac{\pi}{6})$

1

(b) A particle moves in a straight line and its displacement x metres at any time t seconds is given by:

$$x = 5 + \sqrt{3} \cos 2t - \sin 2t$$

i) Prove that the particle's motion is Simple Harmonic

2

ii) Between what two points is the particle oscillating?

1

QUESTION SIX (3 MARKS)

The temperature of a particular body satisfies an equation of the form $T = B + Ae^{-kt}$ where T is the temperature of the drink in degrees Celsius, t is the time in minutes, A and k are constants and B is the temperature of the surroundings in degrees Celsius.

The body cools from 90°C to 80°C in 2 minutes in a surrounding of temperature 30°C .

(a) Find the values of A and k

2

(b) Find the temperature of the body after a further 5 minutes have passed (Answer correct to the nearest degree)

1

QUESTION SEVEN (6 MARKS)

Marks

A particle is undergoing Simple Harmonic Motion, oscillating between the points P at $x = 3$ and Q at $x = -5$ on the x axis. It takes $\frac{\pi}{2}$ seconds for the particle to travel from P to Q.

(a) Write down its acceleration in terms of x

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(b) Find its maximum acceleration

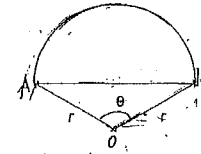
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(c) Find its maximum speed

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QUESTION EIGHT (4 MARKS)

Consider a sector of a circle of radius r , the angle at the centre being θ



(a) Show that when $\sin \theta = \frac{\theta}{2}$ the chord AB bisects the sector

1

(b) Investigate whether 1.8 or 2.0 would be a more satisfactory first approximation for the solution of the equation $\sin \theta - \frac{\theta}{2} = 0$.

1

(c) Use Newton's method once to obtain a better approximation of the root. (Use your answer from (b) as an initial approximation). Answer correct to 2 decimal places

2

QUESTION NINE (4 MARKS)

$P(2ap, ap^2)$ is any point on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$. The line k is parallel to the tangent at P and passes through the focus, S, of the parabola.

(a) Find the equation of the line k

1

(b) The line k intersects the x -axis at the point Q. Find the coordinates of the midpoint, M, of the interval QS.

2

(c) What is the equation of the locus of M?

1

QUESTION TEN (5 MARKS)

(a) Prove that:

i) $-2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x$

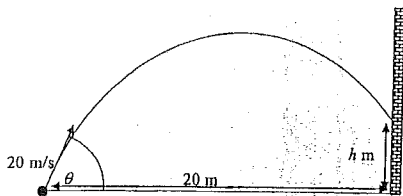
ii) $\tan^2 x - 3 = \frac{\sin^2 x - 3 \cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$

(b) Hence evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{\tan^3 x - 3 \tan x}{\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)}$$

QUESTION ELEVEN (7 MARKS)

A ball is fired from level ground at 20m/s, aiming to hit as high as it can up a wall 20m away (In this problem, take $g = 10\text{m/s}^2$)



(a) Prove that, for any point $P(x,y)$ on the ball's path

$$x = 20t \cos \theta \text{ and } y = 20t \sin \theta - 5t^2$$

(b) Prove that the height h on the wall obtained by firing the ball at an angle θ is given by

$$h = 20 \tan \theta - 5 \sec^2 \theta$$

(c) Prove that

$$\frac{dh}{d\theta} = 10 \sec^2 \theta (2 - \tan \theta)$$

(d) Find the maximum height the ball can reach up the wall

Marks

1

1

3

2

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1

3

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ASSESSMENT TASK 1

EXTENSION 1 MATHS

Question One

a) If $x+4$ is a factor of $P(x)$ then $P(-4) = 0$

$$\therefore -128 + 48 + 4k + 12 = 0$$

$$\therefore k = 17$$

← 1 mark

b)

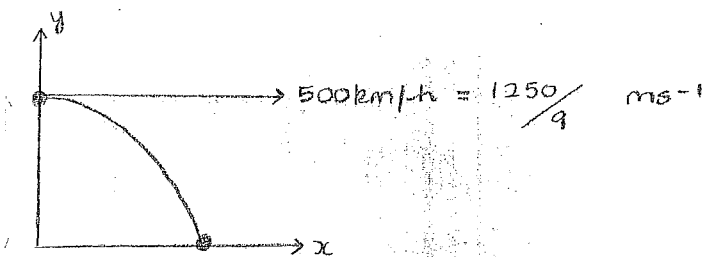
$$\begin{array}{r} 2x^2 - 5x + 3 \\ x + 4 \overline{) 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 17x + 12} \\ \underline{2x^3 + 8x^2} \\ -5x^2 - 17x + 12 \\ \underline{-5x^2 - 20x} \\ 3x + 12 \\ \underline{3x + 12} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore P(x) = (x+4)(2x^2 - 5x + 3)$$

$$= (x+4)(2x+1)(x-3)$$

← 1 mark

Question Two



2000m

$$y = -\frac{10t^2}{2} + \frac{1250t \sin 0}{9} + 2000$$

$$y = -5t^2 + 2000 \quad \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

low, projectile hits the ground when $y=0$

$$\therefore 5t^2 = 2000$$

$$\therefore t = \pm 20$$

$$\therefore t = 20 \text{ secs (since } t \geq 0) \quad \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

when $t=20$ $x = \frac{1250}{9} (20) \cos 0^\circ$

$$\therefore x = \frac{25000}{9} \text{ m} \quad \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

Question Three

a) Using similar Δ 's:

$$\frac{r}{10} = \frac{h}{20}$$

$$\therefore r = \frac{h}{2}$$

1 mark

b) $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$

$$\therefore V = \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{h}{2}\right)^2 h$$

$$\therefore V = \frac{\pi h^3}{12}$$

1 mark

c) $\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{dh}{dv} \cdot \frac{dv}{dt}$

$$\frac{dv}{dh} = \frac{\pi h^2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{4}{\pi h^2} \cdot (-5)$$

1 mark

$$= -\frac{20}{\pi h^2}$$

when $h=10$, $\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{1}{5\pi}$

\leftarrow 1 mark

\therefore The water level is dropping at $\frac{1}{5\pi} \text{ cms}^{-1}$

Question Four

$$v = \sqrt{3x+1}$$

$$\text{Now } v^2 = 3x+1$$

$$\therefore \frac{v^2}{2} = \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{v^2}{2}\right) = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore \ddot{x} = \frac{3}{2}$$

1 mark

\(\therefore\) Acc. is constant

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \sqrt{3x+1}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3x+1}}$$

$$\therefore t = \int (3x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} dx \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{2(3x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{3} + C$$

$$\text{when } t=0, x=0 \quad \therefore C = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{2(3x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{3} - \frac{2}{3} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$\text{when } t=5 \quad 5 = \frac{2\sqrt{3x+1}}{3} - \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore 15 = 2\sqrt{3x+1} - 2$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{3x+1} = \frac{17}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{95}{4} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

Question Five

$$a) 2 \cos\left(2t + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$= 2 \cos 2t \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - 2 \sin 2t \sin \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= 2(\cos 2t)\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) - 2(\sin 2t)\frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \sqrt{3} \cos 2t - \sin 2t$$

1 mark

$$b) i) v = -2\sqrt{3} \sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t$$

$$\therefore \ddot{x} = -4\sqrt{3} \cos 2t + 4 \sin 2t \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$= -4(\sqrt{3} \cos 2t - \sin 2t)$$

$$\text{But } \sqrt{3} \cos 2t - \sin 2t = x - 5$$

$$\therefore \ddot{x} = -4(x - 5) \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$ii) \text{C.O.M} = 5 \quad \text{and Amp} = 2$$

\(\therefore\) Particle is oscillating between

$$x = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad x = 9$$

$$\begin{matrix} 3 & & 7 \end{matrix}$$

1 mark

Question Six

$$T = B + Ae^{-kt}$$

When $t=0$, $T=90$ and $B=30$

$$\therefore A = 60 \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

When $t=2$, $T=80$

$$\therefore 80 = 30 + 60e^{-2k}$$

$$\therefore e^{-2k} = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$\therefore -2k = \ln\left(\frac{5}{6}\right)$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{5}{6}\right)}{-2} \text{ or } \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{6}{5}\right) \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

When $t=7$

$$T = 30 + 60e^{-7k}$$

$$\therefore T = 62^\circ \text{ (nearest degree)} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

Question Seven

$$a) \ddot{x} = -4(x+1)$$

$$P = \pi \text{ secs}$$

$$\therefore \frac{2\pi}{n} = \pi$$

$$\therefore n = 2$$

↑ 1 mark ↑ 1 mark

b) Max. acc. at the extremities: ie. when $x = -5$ (or 3)

$$\therefore \ddot{x} = -4(-4)$$

$$\therefore \ddot{x} = 16$$

$$\therefore \text{Max. acc. is } 16 \text{ ms}^{-2} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

$$c) \ddot{x} = -4x - 4$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) = -4x - 4$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v^2 = -2x^2 - 4x + C \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

When $x=3$, $v=0$ $\therefore C=30$

$$\therefore v^2 = -4x^2 - 8x + 60 \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

Max. speed at C.O.M. ie. when $x = -1$

$$\therefore v^2 = -4 + 8 + 60$$

$$\therefore v^2 = 64$$

$$\therefore v = \pm 8 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore \text{Max. speed is } 8 \text{ ms}^{-1} \quad \leftarrow \text{1 mark}$$

Question Eight

Area of sector = $\frac{1}{2} r^2 \theta$ $\therefore \frac{1}{2}$ Area of sector = $\frac{r^2 \theta}{4}$
 Area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin \theta$ $= \frac{1}{2} r^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$

\therefore Area of Δ = $\frac{1}{2}$ Area of sector if $\sin \theta = \frac{\theta}{2}$
 ie. AB bisects the sector if $\sin \theta = \frac{\theta}{2}$ 1 mark

let $P(\theta) = \sin \theta - \frac{\theta}{2}$

Now $P(1.8) = 0.07384763$

and $P(2) = -0.090702573$

$\therefore \theta = 1.8$ is the better approx. 1 mark

$a_1 = a_0 - \frac{P(a_0)}{P'(a_0)}$

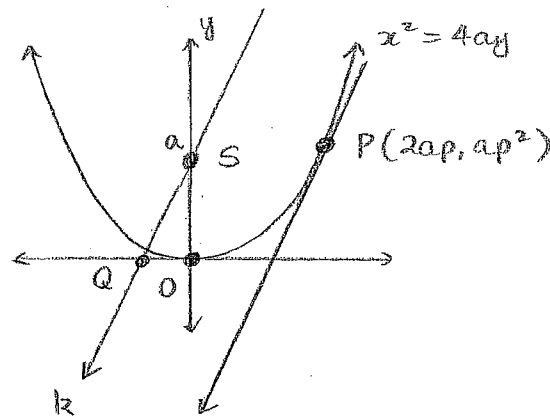
$P'(\theta) = \cos \theta - \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore P'(1.8) = \cos 1.8 - \frac{1}{2}$
 $= -0.727202094$

$a_1 = 1.8 + \frac{0.07384763}{0.727202094}$

$\therefore a_1 = 1.90$ (2dp) 1 mark

Question Nine



a) $y = \frac{x^2}{4a}$

$\therefore y' = \frac{x}{2a}$

$\therefore y'(2ap) = p$

\therefore m of T at P = p

\therefore m of k = p

Eqn of T at P: $y - a = p(x - 0)$

$\therefore px - y + a = 0$ 1 mark

b) let $y = 0$ $\therefore x = -\frac{a}{p}$

\therefore Coords of Q are $(-\frac{a}{p}, 0)$ 1 mark

Mpt of QS = $(-\frac{a}{2p}, \frac{a}{2})$ 1 mark

c) $x = -\frac{a}{2p}$ and $y = \frac{a}{2}$

\therefore LOCUS OF M is $y = \frac{a}{2}$ 1 mark

QUESTION 10

i) LHS = $-2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$
 $= -2 \left[\cos x \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - \sin x \sin \frac{\pi}{6} \right]$
 $= -2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{3} \cos x}{2} - \frac{\sin x}{2} \right]$
 $= -\sqrt{3} \cos x + \sin x$
 $= \sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x$
 $= \text{RHS}$

1 mark

ii) LHS = $\tan^2 x - 3$
 $= \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} - 3$
 $= \frac{\sin^2 x - 3 \cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x}$
 $= \text{RHS}$

1 mark

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{\tan^3 x - 3 \tan x}{\cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{\tan x (\tan^2 x - 3)}{-\frac{1}{2} [-2 \cos\left(x + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)]}$

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$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{-2 \tan x (\tan^2 x - 3)}{\sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{-2 \sin x \frac{\sin^2 x - 3 \cos^2 x}{\cos^2 x}}{\sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x}$

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Q10 continued.

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{-2 \sin x (\sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x) (\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x)}{\cos^3 x (\sin x - \sqrt{3} \cos x)}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{3}} \frac{-2 \sin x (\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x)}{\cos^3 x}$
 $= \frac{-2 \sin \frac{\pi}{3}}{\cos^3 \frac{\pi}{3}} \left(\sin \frac{\pi}{3} + \sqrt{3} \cos \frac{\pi}{3} \right)$
 $= \frac{-2 \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)}{\frac{1}{8}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$
 $= -24$

1 mark
 for diff.
 of 2
 squares

1 mark for correct answer

Question Eleven

$\ddot{x} = 0$
 $\therefore \dot{x} = C$

when $t=0, \dot{x} = V \cos \theta$

$\therefore C = V \cos \theta$

$\therefore \dot{x} = V \cos \theta$

now $x = Vt \cos \theta + D$

when $t=0, x=0 \therefore D=0$

$\therefore x = Vt \cos \theta$

since $V=20, x=20t \cos \theta$

1 mark each for correctly deriving eqns of motion when $x=20$

$t = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$

subst $t = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$ into $y = -5t^2 + 20t \sin \theta$

$\therefore y = -\frac{5}{\cos^2 \theta} + \frac{20 \sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$ 1 mark

$\therefore y = 20 \tan \theta - 5 \sec^2 \theta$

but when $t = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}, y = h$

$\therefore h = 20 \tan \theta - 5 \sec^2 \theta$

P.T.O.

$\ddot{y} = -g$
 $\therefore \dot{y} = -gt + k$

when $t=0, \dot{y} = V \sin \theta$

$\therefore k = V \sin \theta$

$\therefore \dot{y} = -gt + V \sin \theta$

Now $y = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + Vt \sin \theta + M$

when $t=0, y=0 \therefore M=0$

$\therefore y = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + Vt \sin \theta$

since $g=10$ and $V=20$

$y = -5t^2 + 20t \sin \theta$

Q11 continued

c) $h = 20 \tan \theta - 5(\cos \theta)^{-2}$

$\therefore \frac{dh}{d\theta} = 20 \sec^2 \theta + 10(\cos \theta)^{-3} \cdot (-\sin \theta)$
 $= 20 \sec^2 \theta - \frac{10 \sin \theta}{\cos^3 \theta}$
 $= 20 \sec^2 \theta - 10 \tan \theta \sec^2 \theta$ 1 mark
 $= 10 \sec^2 \theta (2 - \tan \theta)$

d) let $\frac{dh}{d\theta} = 0$

$\therefore 10 \sec^2 \theta (2 - \tan \theta) = 0$

$\therefore 2 - \tan \theta = 0$

$\therefore \tan \theta = 2$

$\therefore \theta = \tan^{-1}(2)$

1 mark

θ	1	2	3
$\frac{dh}{d\theta}$	/	-	\

$\therefore \text{MAX!}$ ← 1 mark

Now $h = 20 \tan \theta - 5 \sec^2 \theta$

$\therefore h = 20(2) - 5(1+4)$ ← (since $\sec^2 \theta = 1 + \tan^2 \theta$)
 $= 40 - 25$

$\therefore h = 15 \text{ m}$ ← 1 mark

\therefore Max. height the ball can reach up the wall is 15 m