



Casimir Catholic College

# YEAR 11

## 2012 PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT TASK 1

# Mathematics Extension 1

### General Instructions

- Working Time – 50 minutes
- Write using blue or black pen
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- Start each question on a new page
- All necessary working should be shown in every question
- All diagrams are not to scale unless otherwise stated

Section One  
Multiple Choice  
Total marks (4)

Section Two  
Total marks (44)  
Answer questions 5-8

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### Section One Multiple Choice.

Question One.

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$\sqrt[3]{\frac{(7 \cdot 96)^8}{(5 \cdot 78 - 2 \cdot 44)^2}}$  expressed in scientific notation correct to 3 significant figures is:

- A. 113  
B. 113.050  
C.  $1.130 \times 10^2$   
D.  $1.13 \times 10^2$

Question Two.

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Express  $8^{\frac{2}{3}}$  in simplest form, with a positive integer index.

- A.  $\frac{1}{4}$   
B. 4  
C.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{8}}$   
D. -2

Question Three.

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Expand and simplify:  $\left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$

- A.  $1 + \frac{1}{x^2}$   
B.  $1 + \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}$   
C.  $2 + \frac{4}{x} + \frac{2}{x^2}$   
D.  $1 + \frac{1}{x^2} + x^2$

Question Four.

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The solution(s) to  $|3x - 1| = x - 5$  is:

- A. -2 and 2  
B. -2 only  
C. -2 and  $1\frac{1}{2}$   
D. There are no solutions

## Section Two Extended Response Questions.

## Question Five. (Start a new booklet)

11 marks

- (a) Convert  $1.034$  to a:
- (i) percentage. 1
- (ii) fraction. 1
- (b) Find the value of  $\frac{A^3 C^2}{B^5}$  where  $A = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^3$ ,  $B = \left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^2$  and  $C = \frac{3}{2}$ ; expressing your answer in simplest index form. 2
- (c) Write  $1.034$  as a fraction in its lowest form. 2
- (d) Simplify  $2\sqrt{54} + \sqrt{150}$ . 2
- (e) (i) Rationalise the denominator of  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2}-1}$ . 1
- (ii) Hence find values  $a$  and  $b$  if  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2}-1} = a + b\sqrt{2}$ . 2

## Question Six. (Start a new booklet)

11 marks

- (a) Expand and simplify:
- (i)  $5 + 3(2y - 5) - (y - 6)$ . 1
- (ii)  $(\sqrt{x} - x)(\sqrt{x} + x)$ . 1
- (iii)  $(12 - w^2)^2$ . 1
- (b) Factorise fully:
- (i)  $15x^2y - 3xy + 21xy^2$ . 1
- (ii)  $3x^2 - 16x + 5$ . 2
- (iii)  $27m^3 + 8n^3$ . 2
- (c) Simplify:  $\frac{3}{y^2 - 4} - \frac{2}{y^2 + 5y - 14}$ . 3

**Question Seven.** (Start a new booklet)

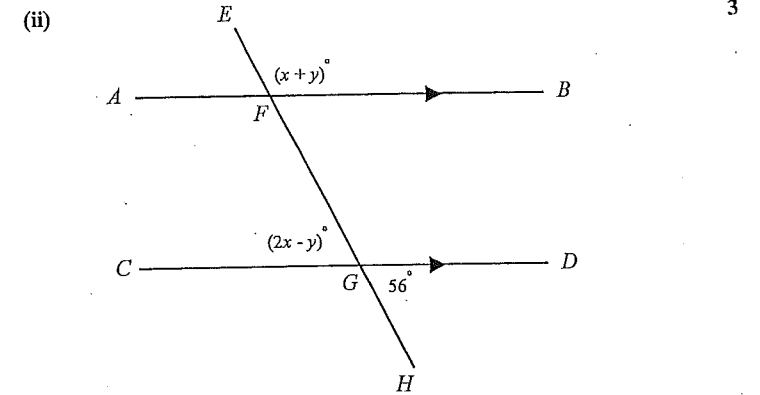
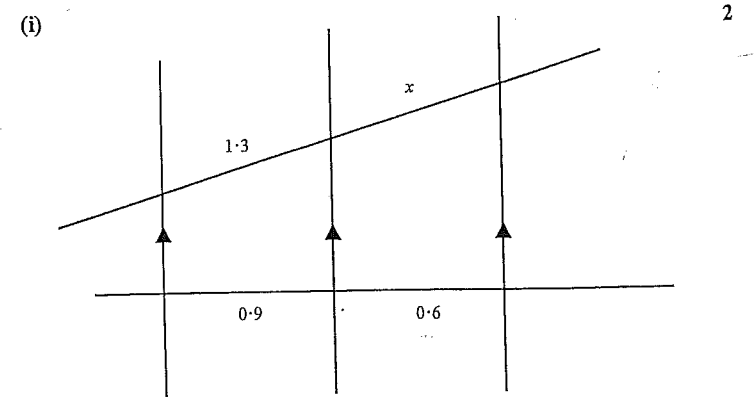
11 marks

- (a) Solve:  $-2x = 4(3 - 2x)$ . 1
- (b) Solve:  $\frac{x}{5} > x + 4$ . 2
- (c) Solve:  $|2x + 5| = |3x + 9|$ . 3
- (d) Solve:  $\frac{3}{y} < -2$ . 2
- (e) Solve:  $\frac{x + 3}{x - 1} \leq 2$ . 3

**Question Eight.** (Start a new booklet)

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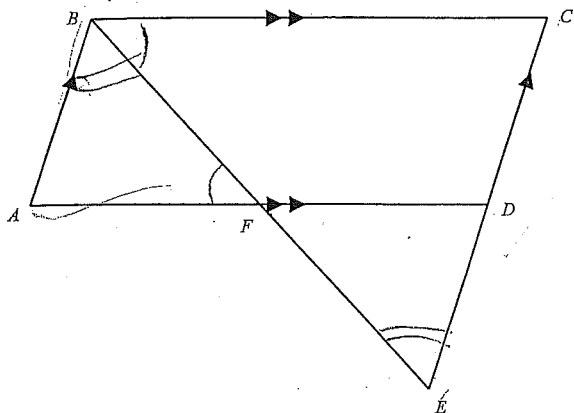
- (a) Find the values of the pronumerals, giving complete reasons:



- (b)  $ABCD$  is a parallelogram with  $CD$  produced to  $E$ , as shown in the diagram.

Prove that  $\triangle ABF \parallel \triangle CEB$ .

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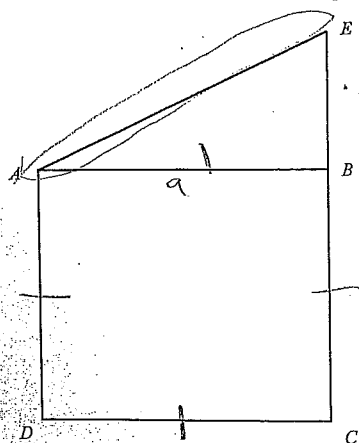


- (c) In the diagram below,  $ABCD$  is a square and  $CB$  is produced to  $E$  such that

$$BE = \frac{1}{2}BC.$$

If  $CD = a$ , show that the length of  $AE$  is given by  $\frac{a\sqrt{5}}{2}$  units.

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- (d) For a 15-sided regular polygon, find the size of each:

(i) interior angle.

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(ii) exterior angle.

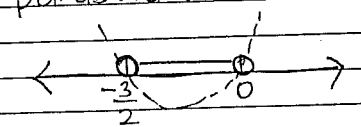
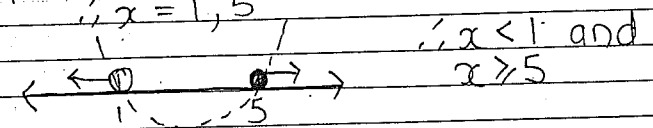
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Qn	Solution	Marks
5.	(a) 1.034	
	(i) 103.4%	1
	(ii) $\frac{517}{500} = 1\frac{17}{500}$	1
	(b) $\frac{A^3 C^2}{B^5} = \frac{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^3 \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^5}$	1
	in calc: = 3072	1
	in index: = $\left[\frac{3^9}{4^9} \times \frac{3^2}{2^2}\right] \div \left[\frac{3^{10}}{8^{10}}\right]$	
	= $\left[\frac{3^9}{2^{18}} \times \frac{3^2}{2^2}\right] \times \frac{2^{30}}{3^{10}}$	
	= $\frac{3^{11}}{2^{20}} \times \frac{2^{30}}{3^{10}}$	
	= $3 \times 2^{10}$	2
	(c) $1.034 = x$	
	$10x = 10.34$	
	$1000x = 1034.34$	
	$990x = 1024$	
	$x = \frac{512}{495}$	2
	(d) $2\sqrt{54} + \sqrt{150} = 6\sqrt{6} + 5\sqrt{6}$	1
	= $11\sqrt{6}$	2
	(e) (i) $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2}-1} \times \frac{3\sqrt{2}+1}{3\sqrt{2}+1} = \frac{6+\sqrt{2}}{17}$	1
	(ii) $\frac{6+\sqrt{2}}{17} = a+b\sqrt{2}$	
	$\therefore a = 6/17$ and $b = 1/17$	2

Qn	Solution	Marks
6.	(a) (i) $5+3(2y-5)-(y-6) = 5+6y-15-y+6$	
	= $-4+5y$	
	= $5y-4$	1
	(ii) $(\sqrt{x}-x)(\sqrt{x}+x) = x-x^2$	1
	(iii) $(12-w^2)^2 = 144-24w^2+w^4$	1
	(b) (i) $15x^2y-3xy+21xy^2 = 3xy(5x-1+7y)$	1
	(ii) $3x^2-16x+5 = (3x-1)(3x-5)$	1
	= $(x-5)(3x-1)$	2
	(iii) $27m^3+8n^3 = (3m+2n)(9m^2-6mn+4n^2)$	2
	(c) $\frac{3}{y^2-4} - \frac{2}{y^2+5y-14}$	
	= $\frac{y^2-4}{3} - \frac{y^2+5y-14}{2}$	1
	= $\frac{(y-2)(y+2)}{3(y+7)} - \frac{(y+7)(y-2)}{2(y+7)}$	2
	= $\frac{(y-2)(y+2)(y+7)}{3(y+7) \cdot 2(y+7)}$	
	= $\frac{3y+21-2y-14}{(y-2)(y+2)(y+7)}$	
	= $\frac{y+7}{(y-2)(y+2)(y+7)}$	3

Qn	Solution	Marks
7.	(a) $-2x = 4(3-2x)$ $-2x = 12 - 8x$ $6x = 12$ $\therefore x = 2$	1
	(b) $x > x+4$ $5$ $x > 5x+20$ $-20 > 4x$ $-5 > x$ $\therefore x < -5$	2
	(c) $ 2x+5  =  3x+9 $ • case 1 (both positive): $2x+5 = 3x+9$ $-4 = x$ $\therefore x = -4$ test $x = -4$ : $ 2(-4)+5  =  3(-4)+9 $ $ -3  =  -3 $ $3 = 3$ (T)	1
	• case 2 (1st positive, 2nd negative): $2x+5 = -3x-9$ $5x = -14$ $x = -2\frac{4}{5}$ test $x = -2\frac{4}{5}$ : $ 2(-2\frac{4}{5})+5  =  -\frac{3}{5} $ $ 3(-2\frac{4}{5})+9  =  \frac{3}{5} $ $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{3}{5}$ (T)	
	• case 3 (1st negative, 2nd positive): $-2x-5 = 3x+9$ $-14 = 5x$ $x = -2\frac{4}{5}$	2
	• case 4 (both negative): $-2x-5 = -3x-9$ $x = -4$	
	$\therefore$ solutions are $x = -4, -2\frac{4}{5}$	3

Qn	Solution	Marks
7	(d) $3 < -2$ ; $y \neq 0$ $3y^2 < -2y^2$ $3y < -2y^2$ $2y^2 + 3y < 0$ "parabola below axis" $y(2y+3) = 0$ $\therefore y = 0, -\frac{3}{2}$ 	1
	$\therefore -\frac{3}{2} < y < 0$	2
	(e) $\frac{x+3}{x-1} \leq 2$ ; $x \neq 1$ $(x+3)(x-1) \leq 2(x-1)^2$ $0 \leq 2(x-1)^2 - (x+3)(x-1)$ $0 \leq (x-1)(2(x-1) - (x+3))$ $0 \leq (x-1)(x-5)$ "parabola above axis" $\therefore x = 1, 5$ 	1
	$\therefore x < 1$ and $x > 5$	2
		3

