 ACE Examinations

Student Name: _____

2014
YEAR 11
HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION

Mathematics

General Instructions

- Reading time - 5 minutes
- Working time - 90 minutes
- Write using black or blue pen
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- Show all necessary working in Questions 6-8

Total marks - 50**Section I**

5 marks

- Attempt Questions 1-5
- Allow about 8 minutes for this section

Section II

45 marks

- Attempt Questions 6-8
- Allow about 1 hour 22 minutes for this section

STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, a \neq 0$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section I

5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 - 5

Allow about 8 minutes for this section

Use the multiple-choice answer sheet for Questions 1-5

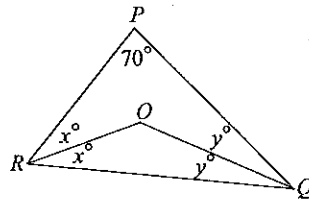
1 What is the solution to the inequality $|x-3| \leq 1$?

- (A) $x \leq 2$ or $x \geq 4$
- (B) $x \leq 2$ or $x \leq 4$
- (C) $x \geq 2$ or $x \geq 4$
- (D) $x \geq 2$ or $x \leq 4$

2 Evaluate $\sqrt{\frac{46.12 \times 188.63}{(78.45)^2 - (35.50)^2}}$ correct to three significant figures.

- (A) 1.21
- (B) 1.211
- (C) 1.33
- (D) 1.333

3 In the diagram below, OR and OQ bisect $\angle PRQ$ and $\angle PQR$ respectively. $\angle RPQ = 70^\circ$



Not to scale

What is the size of $\angle ROQ$?

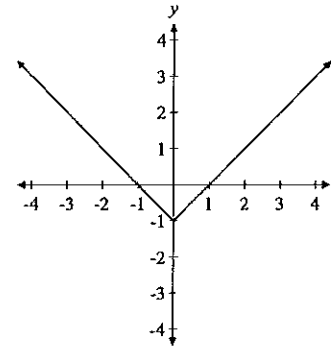
- (A) 70°
- (B) 100°
- (C) 125°
- (D) 140°

4 Simplify $\frac{(2ab^3)^3}{2a^2b^2}$

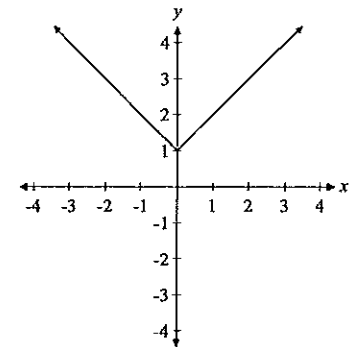
- (A) ab^7
- (B) $2ab^7$
- (C) $4ab^4$
- (D) $4ab^7$

5 Which graph best represents $y = |x| - 1$?

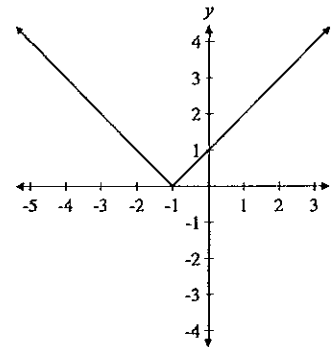
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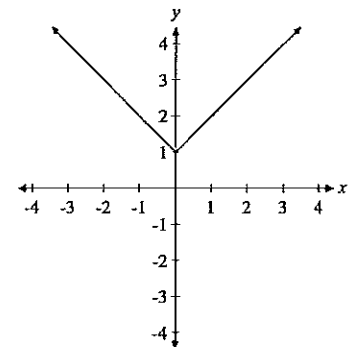
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(C)



(D)



Section II

45 marks

Attempt Questions 6–8

Allow about 1 hours and 22 minutes for this section

Answer each question in the appropriate writing booklet.

All necessary working should be shown in every question.

Question 6 (15 marks) **Marks**

(a) Solve

(i) $y - 3 = \frac{3y}{2} + 2$ 1

(ii) $6(x + 2) = 5(x - 6)$ 1

(b) Express $\frac{1}{3 - \sqrt{5}}$ in the form $a + b\sqrt{5}$, where a and b are rational numbers. 2

(c) Factorise completely

(i) $x^2 - 25$ 1

(ii) $27 - 8m^3$ 1

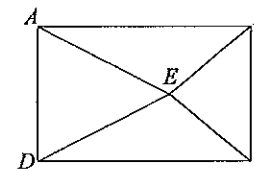
(iii) $xa + xb - 3a - 3b$ 1

(d) Is the function $f(x) = x^3 - 6x$ even, odd or neither? 1

(e) Express $(418.6)^2 \div 0.0179$ in scientific notation correct to four significant figures. 2

(f) Solve the quadratic equation $x^2 - 6x + 7 = 0$. 2

(g) E is a point inside rectangle $ABCD$. $EC = EB$



(i) Prove that $\triangle DEC \cong \triangle ABE$. 2

(ii) Prove that $\triangle AED$ is isosceles. 1

Question 7 (15 marks)

Marks

(a) Simplify $\frac{x^2 - 3x}{y^2 - 6y + 9} \div \frac{x}{y - 3}$

2

(b) The function $y = f(x)$ is defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -2 & \text{for } x \leq -1 \\ x+1 & \text{for } -1 < x < 2 \\ x^2 + 1 & \text{for } x \geq 2 \end{cases}$$

(i) Find the value of $f(-1)$.

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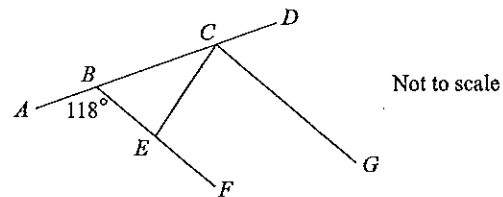
(ii) Write an expression for $f(a^2 + 3)$?

1

(iii) Sketch the function $y = f(x)$.

2

(c) BF is parallel to CG , $BC = EC$ and $\angle ABE = 118^\circ$.



(i) Show that $\angle BEC = 62^\circ$.

2

(ii) Hence or otherwise, show that CG bisects $\angle DCE$.

2

(d) Given that $f(x) = 4x^2 - 7$, determine the values of x for which $f(x) = 137$

2

(e) Make neat sketches of the following equations on separate sets of axes. Mark clearly the essential features of each graph.

(i) $y = x^2 + 1$

1

(ii) $x^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 36$

1

(iii) $y = 2^{-x}$

1

Question 8 (15 marks)

Marks

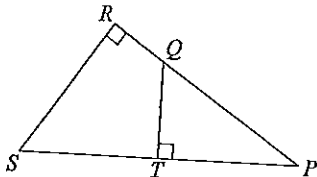
- (a) Draw a sketch showing the region on the number plane where the inequalities $x^2 + y^2 \leq 4$ and $x \leq 1$ hold simultaneously. 3

- (b) Solve the simultaneous equations. 2
 $x - 2y = 4$
 $2x + y = 3$

- (c) Expand then simplify each of the following.
- (i) $10 - (y - 4)^2$ 1
- (ii) $8p(2p + 3q) - 6p(3p - 4q)$ 1
- (iii) $3(4a - 7)(4a + 7) - 2(2a - 5)^2$ 1

- (d) Solve $9^x - 10(3^x) + 9 = 0$ 2

- (e) In diagram, $QT \perp SP$, $\angle PRS = 90^\circ$, $PT = 4$, $RS = 7$ and $PQ = 5$.



- (i) Prove that $\triangle PQT$ is similar to $\triangle PRS$. 3
- (ii) Find the length of QR . Give reasons for your answer. 2

End of paper

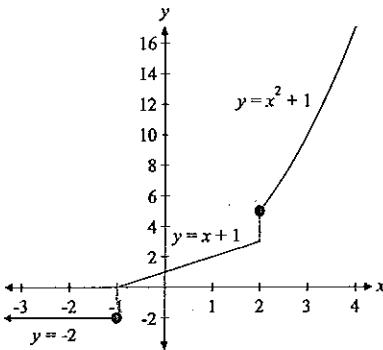
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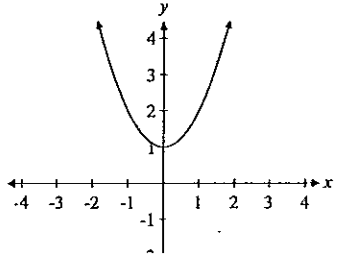
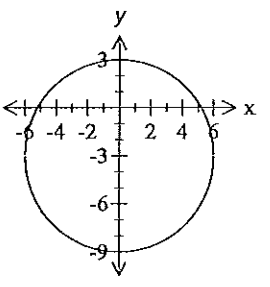
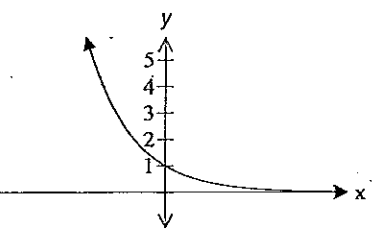
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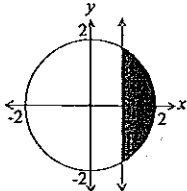
Worked solutions and marking guidelines

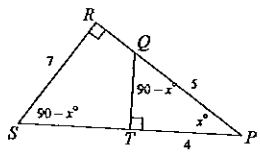
Section I		
	Solution	Criteria
1	$ x-3 \leq 1$ $x-3 \leq 1$ and $x-3 \geq -1$ $x \leq 4$ $x \geq 2$	1 Mark: D
2	$\sqrt[3]{\frac{46.12 \times 188.63}{(78.45)^2 - (35.50)^2}} = 1.211362677... \approx 1.21$	1 Mark: A
3	$x+x+y+y+70=180$ (angle sum of a ΔPQR is 180) $2x+2y=110$ $x+y=55$ $x+y+\angle ROQ=180$ (angle sum of a ΔROQ is 180) $\angle ROQ=180-(x+y)$ $\angle ROQ=180-55=125^\circ$	1 Mark: C
4	$\frac{(2ab^3)^3}{2a^2b^2} = \frac{8a^3b^9}{2a^2b^2}$ $= 4ab^7$	1 Mark: D
5		1 Mark: A

Section II		
	Solution	Criteria
6(a) (i)	$2 \times (y-3) = \left(\frac{3y}{2} + 2\right) \times 2$ $2y-6 = 3y+4$ $y = -10$	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(a) (ii)	$6(x+2) = 5(x-6)$ $6x+12 = 5x-30$ $x = -42$	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(b)	$\frac{1}{3-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{3-\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{3+\sqrt{5}}$ $= \frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{4}$ $= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}\sqrt{5}$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Recognises the significance of the conjugate.
6(c) (i)	$x^2 - 25 = (x+5)(x-5)$	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(c) (ii)	$27-8m^3 = 3^3 - (2m)^3$ $= (3-2m)(9+6m+4m^2)$	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(c) (ii)	$xa + xb - 3a - 3b = x(a+b) - 3(a+b)$ $= (a+b)(x-3)$	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(d)	$f(x) = x^3 - 6x$ $f(-x) = (-x)^3 - 6(-x)$ $= -(x^3 - 6x)$ $= -f(x)$ Function is odd	1 Mark: Correct answer
6(e)	$(418.6)^2 \div 0.0179 = 9789159.777...$ $\approx 9.789 \times 10^6$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Finds 9789159.77
6(f)	$x^2 - 6x + 7 = 0$ $x = \frac{-(-6) \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 7}}{2 \times 1}$ $= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2}$ $= 3 \pm \sqrt{2} \approx 4.41$ or 1.59	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Uses quadratic formula with one correct value.

6(g) (i)	$\triangle BCE$ is isosceles (two sides are equal, $EC = EB$) $\angle ECB = \angle EBC$ (base angles of an isosceles triangle are equal) $\angle DCB = \angle ABC = 90^\circ$ (all angles in a rectangle are equal) $\therefore \angle DCE = \angle ABE$ (adjacent angles) Consider $\triangle DEC$ and $\triangle ABE$ $EC = EB$ (given) $DC = AB$ (opposite sides of a rectangle are equal) $\angle DCE = \angle ABE$ (shown above) $\triangle DEC \cong \triangle ABE$ (SAS)	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: One correct statement
6(g) (ii)	$DE = AE$ (matching sides in congruent triangles) $\therefore \triangle AED$ is isosceles (two sides are equal)	1 Mark: Correct answer
7(a)	$\frac{x^2 - 3x}{y^2 - 6y + 9} \div \frac{x}{y-3} = \frac{x(x-3)}{(y-3)^2} \times \frac{(y-3)}{x}$ $= \frac{(x-3)}{(y-3)}$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Factorises one term
7(b) (i)	$f(-1) = -2$	1 Mark: Correct answer
7(b) (ii)	$f(a^2 + 3) = (a^2 + 3)^2 + 1$ ($a^2 + 3 \geq 3$ for all values of a) $= a^4 + 6a^2 + 10$	1 Mark: Correct answer
7(b) (iii)		2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Sketches one correct graph.
7(c) (i)	$\angle ABE + \angle CBE = 180^\circ$ (Straight line measures 180°) $118^\circ + \angle CBE = 180^\circ$ $\angle CBE = 62^\circ$ $\triangle BCE$ is an isosceles triangle (two sides equal, $BC = EC$). $\therefore \angle CBE = \angle BEC$ (base angles in isosceles triangle are equal) Hence $\angle BEC = 62^\circ$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Makes some progress towards the solution.

7(c) (ii)	$\angle BEC = \angle ECG = 62^\circ$ (alternate angles, equal $BF \parallel CG$) $\angle CBE = \angle DCG = 62^\circ$ (corresponding angles, equal $BF \parallel CG$) $\therefore \angle ECG = \angle DCG = 62^\circ$ Hence CG bisects $\angle DCE$.	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Makes some progress towards the solution.
7(d)	$f(x) = 4x^2 - 7 = 137$ $4x^2 = 144$ $x^2 = 36$ $x = \pm 6$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Finds one solution or shows some understanding.
7(e) (i)		1 Mark: Correct answer
7(e) (ii)	 <p>Circle centre $(0, -3)$ and radius 6</p>	1 Mark: Correct answer
7(e) (iii)		1 Mark: Correct answer

8(a)	$x^2 + y^2 = 4$ is a circle centre (0,0) and radius 2 $x = 1$ is a vertical line passing through (1,0) 	3 Marks: Correct answer. 2 Marks: Graphs one region correctly 1 Mark: Shows some understanding
8(b)	$x - 2y = 4$ (1) $2x + y = 3$ (2) Multiply equation (2) by 2 $4x + 2y = 6$ (3) Equation (1) + (3) $5x = 10$ $x = 2$ Substitute $x = 2$ into equation (1) $2 - 2y = 4$ $-2y = 2$ $y = -1$ Solution is $x = 2$ and $y = -1$.	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Finds one of the solutions.
8(c) (i)	$10 - (y - 4)^2 = 10 - (y^2 - 8y + 16)$ $= -y^2 + 8y - 6$	1 Mark: Correct answer
8(c) (ii)	$8p(2p + 3q) - 6p(3p - 4q) = 16p^2 + 24pq - 18p^2 + 24pq$ $= -2p^2 + 48pq$	1 Mark: Correct answer
8(c) (iii)	$3(4a - 7)(4a + 7) - 4(2a - 5)^2 = 3(16a^2 - 49) - 4(4a^2 - 20a + 25)$ $= 48a^2 - 147 - 16a^2 + 80a - 100$ $= 32a^2 + 80a - 247$	1 Mark: Correct answer
8(d)	$(3^x)^2 - 10(3^x) + 9 = 0$ Let $m = 3^x$ $m^2 - 10m + 9 = 0$ $(m - 9)(m - 1) = 0$ $m = 9$ or $m = 1$ $3^x = 3^2$ $3^x = 3^0$ $x = 2$ $x = 0$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Identifies a reduction to a quadratic.

8(e) (i)	In $\triangle PQT$ Let $x = \angle QPT$ $\angle QTP = 90$ (given $QT \perp SP$) $\angle PQT + \angle QPS + \angle QTP = 180^\circ$ (angle sum of a triangle is 180) $\angle PQT + x + 90 = 180^\circ$ $\angle PQT = 90 - x$ In $\triangle PRS$ $\angle RSP + 90 + x = 180$ (angle sum of a triangle is 180°) $\angle RSP = 90 - x$ $\therefore \triangle PQT$ is similar to $\triangle PRS$ (equiangular)		3 Marks: Correct answer. 2 Marks: Makes significant progress towards the solution.
8(e) (ii)	Use Pythagoras theorem to find QT in $\triangle PQT$ $QR^2 = QT^2 + PT^2$ $5^2 = QT^2 + 4^2$ $QT = 3$ Corresponding sides are in proportion with similar triangles. $\frac{RP}{RS} = \frac{PT}{QT}$ or $\frac{RP}{7} = \frac{4}{3}$ $RP = \frac{28}{3} = 9\frac{1}{3}$ Therefore $QR = 9\frac{1}{3} - 5$ $= 4\frac{1}{3}$	2 Marks: Correct answer. 1 Mark: Uses corresponding sides in similar triangles with some correct values.	