



Year 11 Ext 1 Mathematics 2012 Calculus and Trigonometry
 Time Allowed: 1 period Marks: 34.
 Show all working to gain maximum marks Marks will be deducted for poor or illegible work
 Name: _____ Teacher: HRK RDS JJA RABS

PART A (8 marks) START A NEW BOOKLET HRK

1. Find from first Principles the derivative of $y = 3x^2 - 2x + 4$ 3

2. Find $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x^3 \sqrt{x}} \right)$

SOLN'S

3. Evaluate $f'(8)$ if $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2}}$ 3

PART B (8 marks) START A NEW BOOKLET RABS

1. The curve $y = ax^2 + bx + 5$ passes through the point (1, 7). The tangent at that point is parallel to the x-axis. Find the values of a and b . 4

2. The curves $y = 2x^3$ and $y = 2x^2$ met at the origin and at point P .

a. Find the co-ordinates of point P . 1

b. Find the acute angle between the two curves at point P . 3

PART C (9 marks) START A NEW BOOKLET RDS

1. Find the exact value of $\tan 15^\circ$ 3
 (leave your answer with a rational denominator)

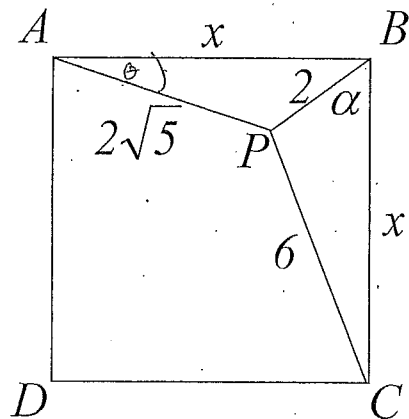
2. a. Using the compound angle formula for cosine, show that $\cos 2\theta = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$ 1

b. Hence or otherwise solve the following equation $7\cos x + \cos 2x - 3 = 0$ in the domain $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$. 3

3. Show that $\frac{\tan \theta - \cos \theta \sin \theta}{\cos \theta \sin \theta} = \tan^2 \theta$ 2

1.

- a. Find the exact value of $\tan 315^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ$, leaving answer with a common rational denominator. 2
- b. Solve $4 \cos^2 x = 3$ for $0 \leq x \leq 360$. 2



NOT TO SCALE

2. The diagram shows a square $ABCD$ of x cm, with a point P within the square, such that $PC = 6$ cm, $PB = 2$ cm and $AP = 2\sqrt{5}$ cm. Let $\angle PBC = \alpha$.

- a. Using the cosine rule in triangle PBC , show that: 1

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{x^2 - 32}{4x}$$

- b. By considering triangle PBA , show that: 1

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}$$

- c. Using the identity, $\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha = 1$ or otherwise, show that the value of x is a solution of $x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0$. 1
- d. Find x . Give reasons for your answer. 2

* FROM 1ST PRINCIPLES MEANS FROM 1ST PRINCIPLES //
No marks awarded for using the quick rule!

** SETTING OUT OF THIS NEEDS ATTENTION

b) INDICES NEEDS PRACTICE ☹️ WORK

$$\frac{1}{x^3 \times \sqrt{x}} = \frac{1}{x^3 \times x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{x^{\frac{7}{2}}}$$

$$= x^{-\frac{7}{2}} \text{ \& see Soln}$$

Now differentiate

c) The differentiation of a constant IS ZERO!

eg $\frac{d}{dx}(6) = 0$ $\sqrt{2}$ IS A CONSTANT!
 so $\frac{d}{dx}\sqrt{2} = 0$

Yes this is fiddly! BUT NOT difficult if set out clearly and methodically (see solution)

also if $f'(8)$ is the question we can substitute in the 8 when the derivative is only partially simplified

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③ $y = 3x^2 - 2x - 4$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3(x+h)^2 - 2(x+h) - 4 - (3x^2 - 2x - 4)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 + 6xh + 3h^2 - 2x - 2h - 4 - 3x^2 + 2x + 4}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{6xh + 3h^2 - 2h}{h}$$

$$= 6x - 2$$

Q2 $\frac{d}{dx} x^{-\frac{7}{2}} = -\frac{7}{2} x^{-\frac{9}{2}}$

OR $\frac{(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{2})^2}{x-2}$

Q3 $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2}}$

③ $f'(x) = \frac{v u' - u v'}{v^2}$

$$= \frac{(\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2})^{\frac{1}{2}} x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - (\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{2})^{\frac{1}{2}} x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{(\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2})^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{x}(\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{2})^2}$$

$$f'(8) = \frac{-2\sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{8}(\sqrt{8} - \sqrt{2})^2} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

PTO FOR COMMENTS

EXT1 CALC + TRIG TEST SOLNS

PART B

1. WHEN $x=1, y=7$

$$7 = a \cdot 1^2 + b \cdot 1 + 5$$

$$7 = a + b + 5$$

$$2 = a + b \quad \text{--- (1) } \checkmark$$

IF $y = ax^2 + bx + 5$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2ax + b \quad \dots \text{ MARK FOR WORKING IF YOU GOT THIS FAR}$$

PARALLEL TO x -AXIS, $m=0 \neq x=1$

$$0 = 2a + b \quad \text{--- (2) } \checkmark$$

$$2 = a + b \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{(2) - (1): } -2 = a \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{SUB INTO (1): } b = 4 \quad \checkmark$$

- MANY STUDENTS HAD DIFFICULTY WITH THIS.

- MANY DID NOT UTILISE THE PROPERTY THAT m OF x -AXIS $= 0$.

- SOME INCORRECTLY USED GRAD. FORMULA:

$$0 = \frac{y-7}{x-1} \quad \dots \text{ THIS WORKING IS NOT SOUND! THINK: } \frac{0}{0} \neq$$

THEN USED $x=1 \neq 4=7 \dots$

2.

$$\text{a. } y = 2x^3 \quad y = 2x^2$$

$$2x^3 = 2x^2 \quad (\text{EQUATE THE TWO})$$

$$2x^3 - 2x^2 = 0$$

$$2x^2(x-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = \cancel{0}, 1$$

ALREADY KNOW IT PASSES THRU $(0,0)$

SUB $x=1$ INTO EITHER:

$$\text{POINT } P = (1, 2) \quad \checkmark$$

- SOME STUDENTS SIMPLY GAVE THE ANSWER, NO WORKING. THIS IS NOT AN ADEQUATE DISPLAY OF UNDERSTANDING.

b. FIND THE 2 GRADIENTS:

$$y = 2x^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2$$

$$y = 2x^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x$$

$$\text{AT } x=1: m_1 = 6 \neq m_2 = 4. \quad \checkmark$$

$$\tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$$
$$= \left| \frac{6 - 4}{1 + 24} \right|$$

$$\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{2}{25} \checkmark$$

$$\therefore \theta = 4.573^\circ \dots$$

$$\text{OR}$$
$$= 4^\circ 34' 26'' \checkmark$$

- ANSWERED QUITE WELL. 😊

- SOME PROBS WERE REMEMBERING THE $\tan \theta$ FORMULA CORRECTLY!

PART C

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$$\begin{aligned} 1) \tan(15^\circ) &= \tan(45-30^\circ) \\ &= \frac{\tan 45 - \tan 30^\circ}{1 + \tan 45 \tan 30^\circ} \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= \frac{1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}} \quad \textcircled{1} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} + 1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3} - 1}{\sqrt{3} - 1} \\ &= \frac{(\sqrt{3} - 1)^2}{2} \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

- This is the most common way to test compound angles

Ext students should know this.

Many students forgot to rationalise.

$$\begin{aligned} 2a) \cos(2\theta) &= \cos(\theta + \theta) \\ &= \cos \theta \cos \theta - \sin \theta \sin \theta \\ &= \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{As } \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } \cos 2\theta &= \cos^2 \theta - (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \\ &= 2\cos^2 \theta - 1 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

This was well done.

Needed to show the $1 - \cos^2 \theta = \sin^2 \theta$ substitution

$$\begin{aligned} b) 7 \cos x + \cos 2x - 3 &= 0 \\ 7 \cos x + (2 \cos^2 x - 1) - 3 &= 0 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ 7 \cos x + 2 \cos^2 x - 4 &= 0 \\ \text{let } u &= \cos x \end{aligned}$$

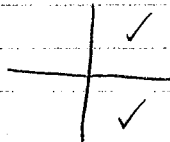
$$2u^2 + 7u - 4 = 0$$

MANY students ignored a) ...

$$(2u-1)(u+4) = 0$$

$$\therefore \cos x = \frac{1}{2} \quad \& \quad \cos x = -4$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad (\cos x \neq -4)$$

$$\therefore x = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$


$$x = 60^\circ, 300^\circ \rightarrow \text{Not in domain}$$

$$\therefore x = 60^\circ, -60^\circ$$

$$\textcircled{1}$$

$$3) \quad \frac{\tan \theta - \cos \theta \sin \theta}{\cos \theta \sin \theta} = \tan^2 \theta$$

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} - \frac{\cos \theta \sin \theta}{1} \div (\cos \theta \sin \theta)$$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta - \cos^2 \theta \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \times \frac{1}{\cos \theta \sin \theta}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{\sin \theta} (1 - \cos^2 \theta)}{\cos^2 \theta \cancel{\sin \theta}}$$

$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta}$$

$$= \tan^2 \theta = \text{RHS}$$

Remember, trig equations need

one trig function only. Always look to remove one so that only sin, cos or tan remain.

Important to split the fraction or do the top \div bottom.

Learn to handle fractions within fractions!

$$1. a) \quad \tan 315^\circ + \cos^2 30^\circ$$

$$= -\tan 45^\circ + \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^2$$

$$= -1 + \frac{3}{4}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$b) \quad \cos^2 x = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\cos x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$= 30^\circ, 150^\circ, 210^\circ, 330^\circ$$

$$2. a) \quad \cos x = \frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{2bc}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + z^2 - 6^2}{2 \cdot z \cdot x}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 3z}{4x}$$

$$b) \quad \cos(90-x) = \frac{x^2 + z^2 - (2\sqrt{5})^2}{2 \cdot z \cdot x}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}$$

$$c) \quad \left(\frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{x^2 - 3z}{4x}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$x^4 - 32x^2 + 256 + x^4 - 64x^2 + 1024 = 16x^2$$

$$2x^4 - 192x^2 + 1280 = 0$$

$$x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 40)(x^2 - 16) = 0$$

$$x = \sqrt{40}, 4$$

PART D

$x = 4$ not possible

as

$$\cos x = \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}$$

$$\cos x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{40}$$

the only