

KAMBALA GIRLS' SCHOOL

# MATHEMATICS

3 UNIT

PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT TASK # 2

MAY , 2001

*Time Allowed :*        *50 minutes*  
*Reading Time :*        *5 minutes*

## INSTRUCTIONS :

- This task contains 5 questions of equal value. Marks for each question are shown.
- Answer all questions on the writing paper provided. Start each question on a new page.
- Approved calculators may be used.
- Show all necessary working.
- Marks will be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.

Question 1 : ( Start a new page )

Marks

(a) Find the domain of :

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(i)  $y = \frac{1}{(x-3)(2-x)}$  (ii)  $y = \sqrt{2-x} - \sqrt{x-1}$

(b) Solve for  $x$  ;  $\frac{2x+1}{x-4} \leq 1$

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(c) If  $f(x) = 6 - 2x$  ;

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(i) find  $f(-3)$  (ii) solve  $f(t) = 3t$  (iii) solve  $f(2-t) \geq 2-t$

(d) Simplify  $\frac{4^n - 1}{2^n - 1}$

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Question 2 : ( Start a new page )

Marks

(a) A function  $g(x)$  is defined by :

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$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x & , \text{ for } x < 0 \\ x^2 + 1 & , \text{ for } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

(i) Find the value of  $g(-2) + g(0) + g(3)$  .

(ii) Sketch the graph of  $y = g(x)$  .

(b) State the domain and range of  $y = 3^x + 1$  .

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(c) If  $2x + y + 3 + \sqrt{4x - 3y} = 5 + 2\sqrt{6}$  , find the values of  $x$  and  $y$  .

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(d) On a single number plane diagram, shade the region for which :

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$$y \leq x^2 \quad , \quad y \geq 0 \quad , \quad y < \sqrt{9 - x^2}$$

are simultaneously true.

Question 3 : ( Start a new page )

Marks

(a) On separate number plane diagrams, draw neat, fully labelled sketches of :

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

(iii)  $y = x^2 - 4x$

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

(iv)  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

(b) Solve the following equations for  $x$  :

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(i)  $x^3 - 7x^2 + 12x = 0$

(ii)  $3^{2x+1} - 26(3^x) - 9 = 0$

Question 4 : ( Start a new page )

Marks

(a) Determine whether the following functions are odd, even or neither. Justify your answer. 6

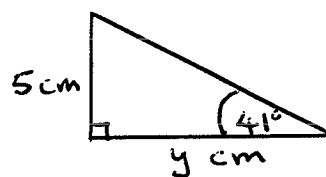
(i)  $f(x) = 1 - 2x^2$

(ii)  $g(x) = x - x^3$

(iii)  $h(x) = f(g(x))$

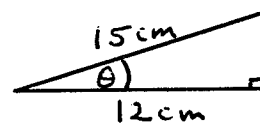
(b) Find, correct to one decimal place, the value of  $y$ .

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(c) Find, correct to the nearest minute, the size of the angle  $\theta$ .

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(d) If  $\theta$  is acute, and  $\sin \theta = \frac{12}{13}$ , find the exact values of :

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(i)  $\cos \theta$

(ii)  $\cot \theta$

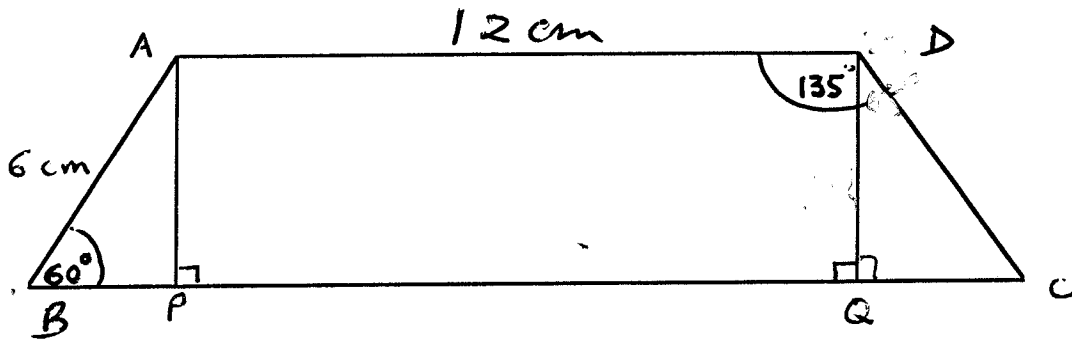
Question 5 : ( Start a new page )

Marks

- (a) The diagram below shows a trapezium ABCD in which AD is parallel to BC,  $AB = 6$  cm,  $AD = 12$  cm, and  $\angle ADC = 135^\circ$ . Perpendiculars are drawn to BC at P and Q.

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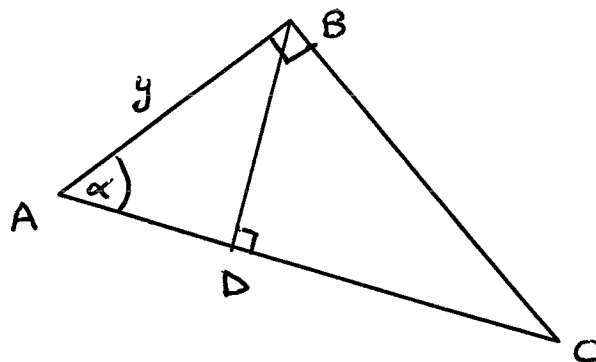
- (i) Show that  $BP = 3$  cm.  
 (ii) Show that  $AP = 3\sqrt{3}$  cm.  
 (iii) Find the exact length of BC.



- (b) The diagram below shows a right - angled triangle ABC, right - angled at B. The line BD is drawn perpendicular to AC.  $AB = y$  cm, and  $\angle BAC = \alpha^\circ$ . Find, in terms of  $y$  and  $\alpha$ , the lengths of :

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- (i) AD                      (ii) BD                      (iii) BC                      (iv) AC



END OF TASK

QUESTION 1.

a)

(i) D:  $x \neq 2$   
 $x \neq 3$

(ii) D:  $2-x > 0$   
 $x \leq 2$

$x-1 > 0$   
 $x > 1$

$\therefore D: 1 < x \leq 2$

b)  $0 \leq 1 - \frac{2x+1}{x-4}$

$0 \leq \frac{x-4-(2x+1)}{x-4}$

$0 \leq \frac{-x-5}{x-4}$

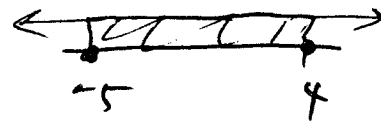
$\therefore -x-5 > 0$   
 $-x > 5$   
 $\therefore x < -5$

$x-4 > 0$   
 $x > 4$

CASE 1:  $x < -5 \cap x > 4$



CASE 2:  $x > -5 \cap x < 4$



$\therefore \boxed{-5 < x < 4}$

c)  $f(x) = 6 - 2x$

(i)  $f(-3) = 6 - 2(-3)$   
 $= 6 + 6$   
 $= \underline{\underline{12}}$

(ii)  $f(t) = 3t$   
 $6 - 2t = 3t$   
 $5t = 6$   
 $\therefore \boxed{t = \frac{6}{5}}$

(iii)  $f(2-t) \geq 2-t$   
 $6 - 2(2-t) \geq 2-t$   
 $6 - 4 + 2t \geq 2-t$   
 $-2 + 2t \geq 2-t$   
 $3t \geq 4$   
 $\therefore \boxed{t \geq \frac{4}{3}}$

$$d) \frac{4^n - 1}{2^n - 1}$$

$$= \frac{(2^n)^2 - 1}{2^n - 1}$$

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

$$= 2^n + 1$$

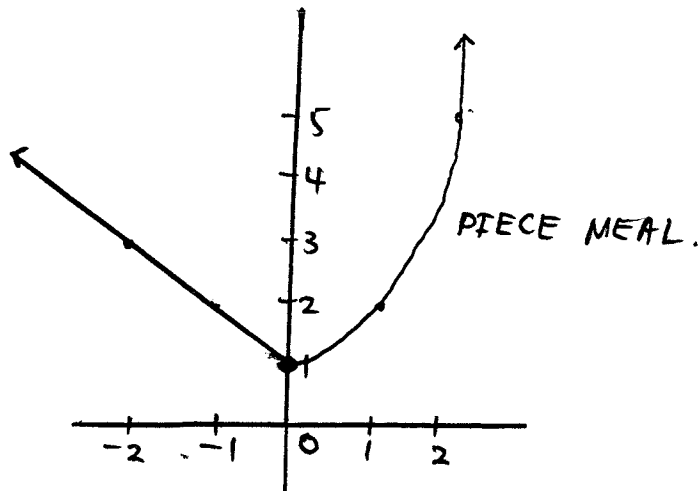
QUESTION 2:

$$a) (i) g(-2) + g(0) + g(3)$$

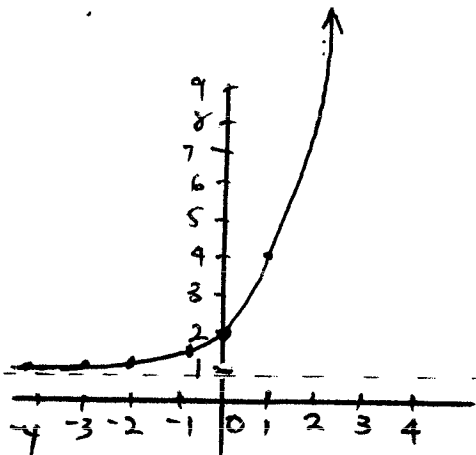
$$= 3 + 1 + 10$$

$$= 14$$

(ii)



$$b) y = 3^x + 1$$



D: All real  $x$

R:  $y > 1$

$$c) 2x + y + 3 + \sqrt{4x - 3y} = 5 + 2\sqrt{6}$$

$$= 5 + \sqrt{24}$$

$$\therefore 2x + y + 3 = 5 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$4x - 3y = 24 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

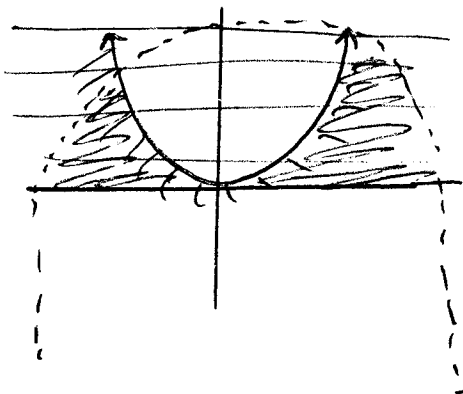
$$6x + 3y = 6 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\therefore -10x = 30$$

$$\therefore x = 3$$

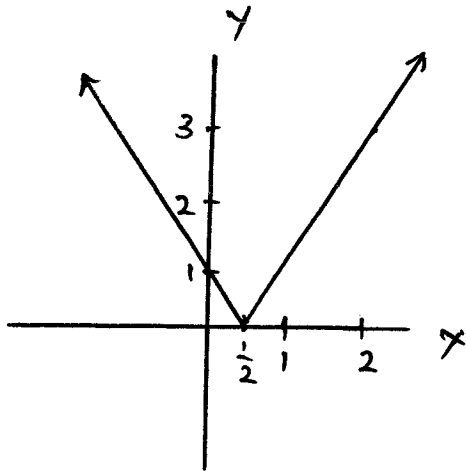
$$y = -4$$

$$d) y \leq x^2, y \geq 0, y < \sqrt{9 - x^2}$$

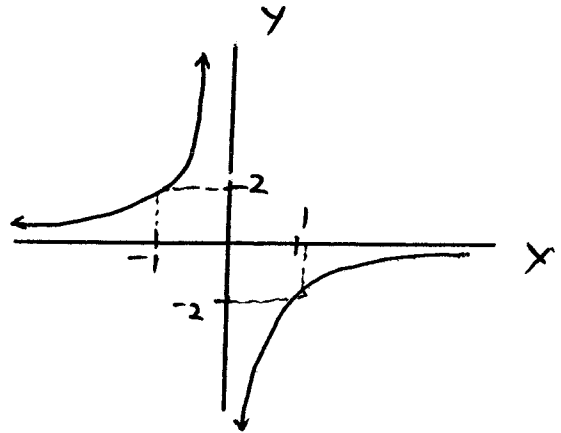


QUESTION 3:

a) (i)  $y = |2x - 1|$



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

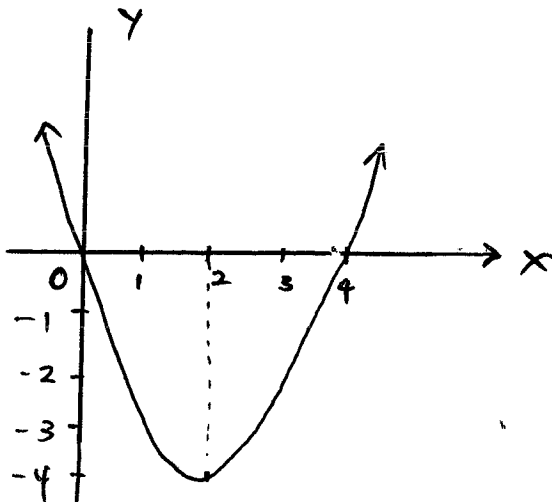


(iii)  $y = x^2 - 4x$

$$x^2 - 4x = 0$$

$$x(x - 4) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \text{ and } 4$$



b) (i)  $x^3 - 7x^2 + 12x = 0$

$$x(x^2 - 7x + 12) = 0$$

$$x(x - 4)(x - 3) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 0 \text{ or } 4 \text{ or } 3$$

(ii)  $3^{2x+1} - 26(3^x) - 9 = 0$

$$\uparrow$$

let  $u = 3^x$

$$\therefore 3^{2x} \cdot 3^1$$

$$= 3 \cdot (3^x)^2 \Rightarrow 3u^2$$

$$\therefore 3u^2 - 26u - 9 = 0$$

$$(3u + 1)(u - 9) = 0$$

$u = 9$	$\therefore 3u = -1$
$3^x = 3^2$	$3(3^x) = -1$
$\therefore x = 2$	$3^x \neq -\frac{1}{3}$

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QUESTION 4:

a) (i)  $f(x) = 1 - 2x^2$

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

$$= 1 - 2x^2$$

$$= f(x)$$

∴ EVEN

(ii)  $g(x) = x - x^3$

$$g(-x) = -x - (-x)^3$$

$$= -x + x^3$$

$$= -(x - x^3)$$

$$= -g(x)$$

∴ ODD

(iii)  $h(x) = f(g(x))$

$$h(-x) = f(g(-x))$$

$$= f(-g(x))$$

$$= f(g(x))$$

$$= h(x)$$

∴ EVEN.

b)  $\tan 41^\circ = \frac{5}{y}$

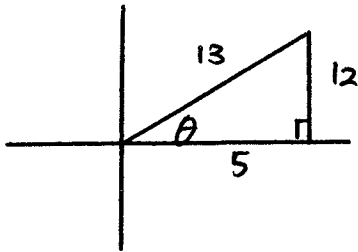
$$y = \frac{5}{\tan 41^\circ}$$

$$= 5.8 \text{ cm (1DP)}$$

c)  $\cos \theta = \frac{12}{15}$

$$\therefore \theta = 36^\circ 52'$$

d) (i)

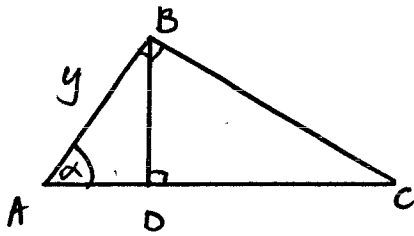


$$\cos \theta = \frac{5}{13}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{5}{12}$$

QUESTION 5: (a) (iii)  $15 + 3\sqrt{3} = 3(5 + \sqrt{3}) \text{ cm}$ .

b)



(i)  $\cos \alpha = \frac{AD}{y}$

$$\therefore AD = y \cos \alpha$$

(ii)  $\tan \alpha = \frac{BD}{AD}$

$$\therefore BD = y \tan \alpha$$

(iii)  $\sin \alpha = \frac{BD}{y}$

$$\therefore BD = y \sin \alpha$$

(iv)  $\cos \alpha = \frac{AD}{AC}$

$$AC = \frac{AD}{\cos \alpha}$$

$$\therefore AC = y \sec \alpha$$