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YEAR 12 HSC

ASSESSMENT TASK # 2

EXTENSION ONE

MATHEMATICS

2007

Weighting: 20% of H.S.C. Assessment Mark.

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STUDENT NAME:	MARK:	/28
	PERCENTAGE:	%
	RANK ON THIS TASK:	/23

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Time Allowed: 50 minutes.

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:

PE3 – Solves problems involving permutations and combinations.

HE3 – Uses a variety of strategies to investigate Mathematical models of situations involving binomial probability.

Question One ( 4 marks )

Write the coefficient of:

a)  $x^5$  in the expansion of  $(5x - 2)^{11}$  2

b)  $x$  in the expansion of  $(x + \frac{3}{x})^4 (x - 2)^5$  2

Question Two ( 7 marks )

(a) Show  $\frac{{}^7C_k}{{}^7C_{k-1}} = \frac{8-k}{k}$  2

b) Determine the greatest coefficient in the expansion of  $(3x - 7)^7$  5

Question Three ( 4 marks )

a) Write the expansion of  $(1 + x)^n$  1

b) Show that  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} [3^{n-1} - 1] = \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} {}^nC_{r+2} 2^{r+1} (r+2)$  3

Question Four ( 2 marks )

4 men and 4 women are to be seated randomly around a round table. What is the probability that the men and women will alternate?

Question Five ( 3 marks )

From a group of 7 men and 5 women a team of six is to be formed. Given each person is equally likely to be selected, what is the probability that the selected team contains at least 4 men?

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Question Six (3 marks)

Consider the letters of the word TEMPERATURE.

- a) In how many different ways can the letters be arranged? 1
- b) What is the probability that the word formed begins with a P and that the two R's are next to each other? 2

Question Seven (5 marks)

PIN numbers are 4 digit numbers using any of the digits from 0 to 9. However, they must start with a non-zero digit and digits can be repeated.

- a) What is the probability that a particular PIN number has at least one 9 among its digits? 3
- b) 5 people are randomly given PIN numbers. What is the probability that exactly 3 of them have at least one 9 as one of the digits of their PIN numbers? (Answer correct to 2 decimal places) 2

END OF ASSESSMENT TASK

Question One

a)  $T_{k+1} = {}^{11}C_k 5^{11-k} (-2)^k x^{11-k}$  ← 1 mark

Coeff. of  $x^5$  when  $k=6$

$\therefore C_5 = {}^{11}C_6 5^5 (-2)^5$   
 $= -46\ 200\ 000$  ← 1 mark

b)  $(x + \frac{3}{x})^4 (x-2)^5$

$= (\frac{x^2+3}{x})^4 (x-2)^5$

$= \frac{1}{x^4} (x^2+3)^4 (x-2)^5$

1 mark for correct general terms

$T_{k+1} = {}^4C_k x^{8-2k} 3^k$        $T_{k+1} = {}^5C_k x^{5-k} (-2)^k$

when  $k=4$   $T_5 = {}^4C_4 3^4$

when  $k=0$   $T_1 = {}^5C_0 x^5$

when  $k=3$   $T_4 = {}^4C_3 3^3 x^2$

when  $k=2$   $T_3 = {}^5C_2 (-2)^2 x^3$

when  $k=2$   $T_3 = {}^4C_2 3^2 x^4$

when  $k=4$   $T_5 = {}^5C_4 (-2)^4 x$

Now coeff. of  $x^5$  in exp. of  $(x^2+3)^4 (x-2)^5$  will be the same as coeff of  $x$  in exp. of  $\frac{1}{x^4} (x^2+3)^4 (x-2)^5$

ie. Coeff. of  $x = 3^4 + {}^4C_3 3^3 {}^5C_2 (-2)^2 + {}^4C_2 3^2 {}^5C_4 (-2)^4$

$= 8721$  ← 1 mark

QUESTION TWO

$$\begin{aligned}
 a) \frac{{}^7C_k}{{}^7C_{k-1}} &= \frac{7!}{k!(7-k)!} \times \frac{(k-1)!(8-k)!}{7!} \\
 &= \frac{7!}{k(k-1)!(7-k)!} \times \frac{(k-1)!(8-k)(7-k)!}{7!} \\
 &= \frac{8-k}{k} \quad \text{1 mark for correctly deriving result}
 \end{aligned}$$

b) Consider the exp. of  $(3x+7)^7$

Now  $T_{k+1} = {}^7C_k 3^{7-k} 7^k x^{7-k}$

and  $T_k = {}^7C_{k-1} 3^{8-k} 7^k x^{8-k}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \frac{C_{k+1}}{C_k} &= \frac{{}^7C_k 3^{7-k} 7^k}{{}^7C_{k-1} 3^{8-k} 7^k} \\
 &= \frac{8-k}{k} \cdot \frac{7}{3} \quad (\text{from part (a) above}) \\
 &= \frac{56-7k}{3k} \quad \text{1 mark for correct to this result}
 \end{aligned}$$

Now Greatest coeff. when  $\frac{C_{k+1}}{C_k} > 1$

ie  $\frac{56-7k}{3k} > 1$

$\therefore k < 5 \frac{3}{5}$  ← 1 mark

$\therefore$  Greatest coeff. when  $k=5$

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But in the exp. of  $(3x-7)^7$ , the coeff. when  $k=5$  is negative ← 1 mark for correctly  
 $\therefore$  G.C. when  $k=4$  or  $k=6$  disregarding  $k=5$  with reason.

Test  $k=4$

${}^7C_4 3^3 7^4 = 2\ 268\ 945$  ← 1 mark for checking both  $k=4$  and  $k=6$

Test  $k=6$

${}^7C_6 3^1 7^6 = 2\ 470\ 629$  ← 1 mark for correct greatest coeff.  
 $\therefore$  G.C. is 2 470 629 (ie. when  $k=6$ )

Question Three

a)  $(1+x)^n = {}^nC_0 + {}^nC_1 x + {}^nC_2 x^2 + \dots + {}^nC_n x^n$  ← 1 mark

b) Differentiate both sides:

ie.  $n(1+x)^{n-1} = {}^nC_1 + 2{}^nC_2 x + \dots + n{}^nC_n x^{n-1}$

let  $x=2$

$\therefore n(3^{n-1}) = {}^nC_1 + 2^2 {}^nC_2 + 2^3 {}^nC_3 + \dots + n 2^{n-1} {}^nC_n$  ← 1 mark

$\therefore n(3^{n-1}) = n + {}^nC_2 2^2 \cdot 3 + {}^nC_3 2^3 \cdot 4 + \dots + {}^nC_n n 2^{n-1}$

$\therefore n(3^{n-1}) - n = \sum_{r=0}^{n-2} {}^nC_{r+2} 2^{r+1} (r+2)$

$\therefore n[3^{n-1} - 1] = \sum_{r=0}^{n-2} {}^nC_{r+2} 2^{r+1} (r+2)$  ← 1 mark for correctly deriving

QUESTION FOUR

$3! 4!$  ← No. of ways of placing women among the already seated men

↑ no. of ways of seating 4 men around a circular table

1 mark

Total ways without restrictions =  $6!$

$$\therefore \text{Prob}(M \text{ \& } W \text{ alternate}) = \frac{3! 4!}{6!}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

Question Five

$$P(4 \text{ men } 2 \text{ women}) = \frac{{}^7C_4 {}^5C_2}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{350}{924}$$

$$P(5 \text{ men } 1 \text{ woman}) = \frac{{}^7C_5 {}^5C_1}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{105}{924}$$

2 marks  
(1 mark deducted for each error)

$$P(\text{all } 6 \text{ men}) = \frac{{}^7C_6}{{}^{12}C_6} = \frac{7}{924}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total prob(at least 4 men)} = \frac{462}{924}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

Question Six

$$a) \frac{11!}{2! 3! 2!} = \frac{39916800}{24}$$

$$= \frac{9979200}{6}$$

$$= 1663200 \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

Question Six continued

$$b) \text{ No. of ways beg. with P with 2 R's together} = \frac{9!}{2! 3!} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

$$= 30240$$

$$\therefore P(\text{ }) = \frac{30240}{1663200}$$

$$= \frac{1}{55} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

Question Seven

$$a) \text{ Total no. of possible PIN no.s} = 9 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10$$

$$= 9000 \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

$$\text{Prob. (at least 1 9)} = 1 - P(\text{no 9's}) \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

$$= 1 - \left( \frac{8}{9} \times \frac{9}{10} \times \frac{9}{10} \times \frac{9}{10} \right)$$

$$= 1 - \frac{5832}{9000}$$

$$= \frac{44}{125} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

$$b) P(\text{exactly } 3) = {}^5C_3 \left( \frac{4}{125} \right)^3 \left( \frac{81}{125} \right)^2 \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark}$$

$$= 0.183137804$$

$$= 0.18 \text{ (2dp)} \leftarrow 1 \text{ mark for correct prob. (2dp) only if binomial prob. used.}$$