

Centre Number

SCEGGS Darlinghurst

2009

HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
Assessment Task
Monday, 23rd March

Extension 1 Mathematics

Task Weighting: 30%

General Instructions

- Time allowed - 65 minutes
- Answer on the pad paper provided
- Write your student number at the top of each page
- Start each question on a new page
- Attempt all questions
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work
- Mathematical templates and geometrical equipment may be used
- Approved scientific calculators should be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided

| | Com | Calc | Reas | Marks |
|--------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Question 1 | /3 | /2 | /9 | /14 |
| Question 2 | /3 | /6 | /4 | /13 |
| Question 3 | /5 | | /8 | /13 |
| TOTAL | /11 | /8 | /21 | /40 |

STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

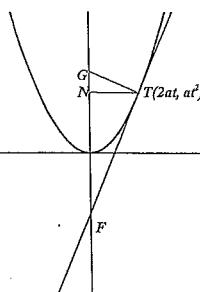
$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2-a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

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

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

Question 1 (14 Marks)

a)



In the diagram a tangent is drawn at the point $T(2at, at^2)$ on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$ to cut the y -axis at F , and a normal is drawn at T to cut the y -axis at G .

- i) Find the equation of the tangent at T and hence find the coordinates of F . 3
 - ii) If the equation of the normal at T is given by $x + ty = at^3 + 2at$, find the coordinates of G . 1
 - iii) Show the focus of the parabola bisects the interval FG . 1
 - iv) A line TN is drawn perpendicular to the y -axis and meeting it at N . Show that the interval NG has constant length for all positions of T . 1
- b) Put the following lines in the correct order so the solution reads correctly. 2

$$\text{Find } \int x\sqrt{1+x^2} dx \quad \text{let } u = 1+x^2 \quad du = 2x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{u} du$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{1+x^2} 2x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2} u^{\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{2}{3} + C$$

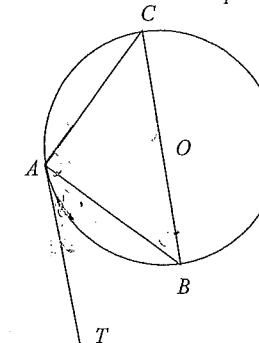
$$\frac{1}{3} \sqrt{(1+x^2)^3} + C$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int u^{\frac{1}{2}} du$$

Marks

Question 1 (continued)

- c) In the diagram A , B and C are points on the circle with centre O . The line AT is a tangent to the circle at A and is parallel to the diameter CB . $\angle TAB = \alpha^\circ$.



Find the value of α° giving reasons.

- d) Use mathematical induction to prove that for all integers $n \geq 0$: 3
- $$13 \times 6^n + 2 \text{ is divisible by 5.}$$

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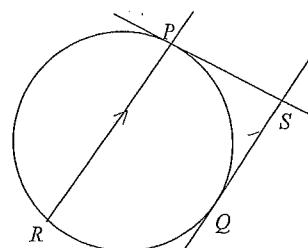
Question 2 (13 Marks)

- a) Find $\int \frac{3-x}{(3+x)^3} dx$ using the substitution $x = u - 3$.

Marks

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- b) P and Q are points on a circle and the tangents to the circle at P and Q meet at S . R is a point on the circle so that the chord PR is parallel to QS .



- i) Copy the diagram on to your answer sheet.
ii) Prove $QP = QR$.

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- c) $P(2t, t^2)$ where $t > 0$ is a point on the parabola $x^2 = 4y$. The tangent to the parabola at P cuts the x -axis at T . $\angle OPT = \theta$ where O is the origin.

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- i) Find the gradient of OP and TP .

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- ii) Show that $\tan \theta = \frac{t}{t^2 + 2}$.

- d) Use the substitution $u = 1 - x$ show that for $n > 0$:

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$$\int_0^1 x(1-x)^n dx = \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

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Question 3 (13 Marks)

- a) Prove by mathematical induction that:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1} \text{ for all integers } n \geq 1$$

- b) $P(2at, at^2)$ is a variable point on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$, where the focus is S . $Q(x, y)$ divides the interval from P to S in the ratio $t^2 : 1$.

- i) Find x and y in terms of a and t .

- ii) Verify that $\frac{y}{x} = t$.

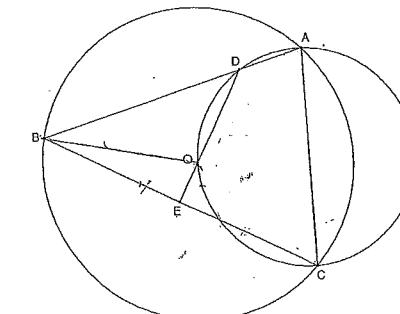
- iii) Prove that, as P moves on the parabola, the locus of Q is a circle and state its centre and radius.

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- c) ABC is a triangle inscribed in a circle with centre O . A second circle through the points A , C , O cuts AB at D . DO is produced meets BC at E .



- i) Copy the diagram.

- ii) Prove that $\angle BOE = \angle BAC$.

- iii) Show that $BE = CE$.

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End of Paper

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Q1(a) i) $x^2 = 4ay$

$$y = \frac{x^2}{4a}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{2a}$$

$$\therefore \text{when } x = 2at$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{2at}{2a} = t$$

$$\therefore m_{\text{tang}} = t \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{using } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - at^2 = t(x - 2at)$$

$$y - at^2 = tx - 2at^2$$

$$y = tx - at^2 \dots \textcircled{1} \quad \checkmark$$

to find F let $x=0$ and sub into $\textcircled{1}$

$$y = tx - at^2 = -at^2$$

$$F(0, -at^2) \quad \checkmark$$

ii) to find G sub $x=0$ into $x+ty = at^3 + 2at$

$$\therefore 0 + ty = at^3 + 2at$$

$$y = at^2 + 2a$$

$$\therefore G(0, at^2 + 2a) \quad \checkmark$$

iii) midpoint of FG $\left(\frac{0+0}{2}, \frac{-at^2 + at^2 + 2a}{2} \right)$

$$= (0, a) \quad \checkmark \text{ which is the focus of } x^2 = 4ay$$

\therefore focus bisects FA.

iv) $N(0, at^2)$

$$NA = \sqrt{(0-0)^2 + (at^2 + 2a - at^2)^2} = \sqrt{0^2 + (2a)^2}$$

$$= 2a \quad \therefore \text{the length of NA is independent}$$

(Reason - c) of t and hence constant for all

This was done well by most candidates. The presentation of solutions were clear and well explained.

b) $\int x \sqrt{1+x^2} dx$ let $u = 1+x^2 \quad du = 2x dx$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \sqrt{1+x^2} \cdot 2x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int u^{1/2} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} u^{3/2} \times \frac{2}{3} + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{(1+x^2)^3} + C \quad \checkmark \quad \text{Calc-2}$$

c) $\angle TAB = \angle ACB = \alpha$ (angle between tangent and chord equals the angle in the alt. segment)

$\angle TAB = \angle CBA = \alpha$ (alt. angles are eq. in parallel lines)

$\angle CAB = 90^\circ$ (angle in a semi-circle) \checkmark

\therefore In $\triangle ABC$

$$\alpha + \alpha + 90 = 180 \quad (\text{angle sum of a triangle})$$

$$2\alpha + 90 = 180$$

$$2\alpha = 90$$

$$\alpha = 45$$

\checkmark

Conn-3

d) i. Show true for $n=0$

$$13 \times 6^\circ + 2 = 15$$

$$= 5 \times 3$$

\checkmark

\therefore divisible by 5.

\therefore result is true for $n=0$

Done very well by all students

This was done well by most students. It was pleasing to see the clear reasons given.

A few students didn't read the question and started with $n=1$

2. Assume the result is true for $n=k$

$$\text{i.e. } 13 \times 6^k + 2 = 5M \text{ where } M \text{ is an integer.}$$

3. Show the result is true for $n=k+1$

$$\text{i.e. } 13 \times 6^{k+1} + 2 = 5Q \text{ where } Q \text{ is an integer.}$$

$$\text{LHS} = 13 \times 6^{k+1} + 2$$

$$= 13 \times 6 \times 6^k + 2$$

$$= 6(5M-2) + 2 \quad \text{from step 2 } \checkmark$$

$$= 30M - 12 + 2$$

$$= 30M - 10$$

$$= 5(6M-2)$$

$$= 5Q \quad \text{as } M \text{ is an integer.}$$

\therefore the result is true for $n=k+1$

4. Assuming the result is true for $n=k$ we have proven it true for $n=k+1$. Since the result is true for $n=0$ it is true for $n=1$ and so on for all integers $n \geq 0$ Reasons - 3

$$\text{Q2a)} \quad \int \frac{3-u}{(3+u)^3} du \quad u = u-3 \\ du = du$$

$$= \int \frac{3-(u-3)}{u^3} du \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \int \frac{6-u}{u^3} du$$

$$= \int 6u^{-3} + u^{-2} du \quad \checkmark$$

$$= -3u^{-2} + u^{-1} + C$$

$$= \frac{-3}{(u+3)^2} + \frac{1}{u+3} + C \quad \checkmark$$

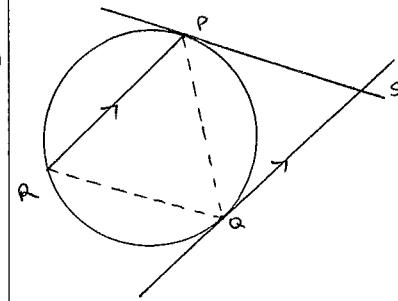
Calc - 3

Mostly very well done - even the converting back to x in the end.

The biggest issue in this question was BRACKETS!

If you subtract a bunch of terms you need to remember the brackets & expand that minus in.

b)



Proof: $PS = QS$ (tangents meeting at an external point are equal in length) \checkmark

$\angle SPQ = \angle SQP$ (angles opp. equal sides are equal)

$\angle SPQ = \angle PRQ$ (angle between chord and tangent equals angle in alt. segment) \checkmark

$\angle SQP = \angle RPQ$ (alt. angles in parallel lines are equal)

$\therefore \angle RPQ = \angle PRQ$

$\therefore QR = QP$ (sides opp. equal angles are equal) \checkmark
Reason - 3

$$\text{c) i) } m_{OP} = \frac{t^2 - 0}{2+t^2} \quad \checkmark \quad m_{TP} = t \quad (\text{gradient of the tangent})$$

$$= \frac{t}{2}$$

$$\text{ii) } \tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right| \quad (\text{note: as } t > 0, \angle OPT = \theta \text{ is acute})$$

$$= \left| \frac{t - \frac{t}{2}}{1 + t \cdot \frac{t}{2}} \right| \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \left| \frac{\frac{t}{2}}{1 + \frac{t^2}{2}} \right|$$

$$= \left| \frac{\frac{t}{2}}{\frac{2+t^2}{2}} \right| \quad \checkmark$$

$$= \left| \frac{\frac{t}{2} \times \frac{2}{2+t^2}}{\frac{2+t^2}{2}} \right| \\ = \frac{t}{t^2 + 2} \quad \text{as } t > 0$$

Reason - 4

The most efficient proof doesn't even use the fact that PS is a tangent; the property $QR = QP$ is only dependent on the fact RP is parallel to the tangent at Q .

There are no congruent triangles in this diagram!

There are similar Δ 's... but it's not an efficient method of proof.

* This was not always written correctly and lost people marks.

You use the formula with absolute value signs when θ is acute. You really need to justify that θ is acute and justify any disappearance of any absolute value signs.

(No marks were deducted for not doing this - but you should have done it!).

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^1 x(1-x)^n dx \\
 &= - \int_0^1 x(1-x)^n du \\
 &= - \int_0^1 (1-u)u^n du \quad \checkmark \\
 &= \int_0^1 u^n - u^{n+1} du \\
 &= \left[\frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} - \frac{u^{n+2}}{n+2} \right]_0^1 \quad \checkmark \\
 &= \left(\frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2} \right) = 0 \\
 &= \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2} \\
 &= \frac{n+2-(n+1)}{(n+1)(n+2)} \quad \checkmark \\
 &= \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Calc-3

$$\begin{aligned}
 u &= 1-x \quad x=0 \quad u=1 \\
 du &= -dx \quad x=1 \quad u=0
 \end{aligned}$$

This idea is worth remembering. That is,
 $\int_a^b f(x) dx = \int_a^b f(u) du$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= x^n (x+1) \\
 \therefore \text{result is true for } n=k+1
 \end{aligned}$$

Assuming the result is true for $n=k$ we have proven it true for $n=k+1$. Since the result is true for $n=1$ it is true for $n=2$ and so on for all integers $n \geq 1$. Reas-3

$$\begin{aligned}
 b) i) \quad P(2at, at^2) &\rightarrow S(0, a) \\
 &\quad t^2 : 1 \\
 x &= \frac{2at + t^2 \times 0}{t^2 + 1} \quad y = \frac{at^2 + axt^2}{t^2 + 1} \\
 &\quad Q\left(\frac{2at}{t^2 + 1}, \frac{2at^2}{t^2 + 1}\right) \quad \checkmark \\
 ii) \quad \frac{y}{x} &= \frac{2at^2}{t^2 + 1} \times \frac{t^2 + 1}{2at} \quad \checkmark \\
 &= t \\
 iii) \quad x &= \frac{2at}{t^2 + 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

This question challenged students to remember work from the preliminary course those who used the ~~method~~ method were more successful than those who used the formula i.e. $x = \frac{mn_1 + nn_2}{m+n}$.

Q3a) 1. Show true for $n=1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 LHS &= \frac{d}{dx}(n) \quad RHS = 1 \times n^{1-1} \\
 &= 1 \quad = 1 \\
 \therefore \text{result is true for } n=1 & \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Assume true for $n=k$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} x^k = kx^{k-1}$$

3. Show result is true for $n=k+1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i.e. } \frac{d}{dx} x^{k+1} &= (k+1)x^k \\
 LHS &= \frac{d}{dx} x^{k+1} \\
 &= \frac{d}{dx} (x \times x^k) \\
 &= \frac{d}{dx} (x) \times x^k + x \times \frac{d}{dx} (x^k) \quad \checkmark \\
 &= 1 \times x^k + x \times kx^{k-1} \quad \text{from step 2} \\
 &= x^k + kx^k
 \end{aligned}$$

Most students were unaware of the requirements of this question (and therefore fudged the solution)

whenever you need to differentiate functions that are multiplied together think product rule!

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 2a\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \\
 &\quad \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + 1 \\
 x &= \frac{2ay}{\frac{y^2}{x^2} + 1} \\
 x &= \frac{2ay}{\frac{y^2 + x^2}{x^2}} \\
 x &= \frac{2ay}{\frac{x^2}{y^2 + x^2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x(x^2 + y^2) &= 2ay \\
 x^2 + y^2 &= 2ay \\
 x^2 + y^2 - 2ay &= 0 \\
 x^2 + y^2 - 2ay + a^2 &= a^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Most students didn't attempt this question which is fair enough as it was tough!

$$x^2 + (y-a)^2 = a^2$$

∴ the locus of Q is a circle centre (0, a)
radius a

✓ Raus - 5

- c) ii) $\angle COE = \angle BAC$ (exterior angle of a cyclic quad
 $\angle BOC$ is equal to opp. interior
angle)

$\angle BOC = 2\angle BAC$ (angle subtended by arc BC at
centre is twice that at circum.
of circle ABC) ✓

∴ $\angle BOE = \angle BAC$ ($\angle BOC$ is sum of adjacent angles
 $\angle BOE, \angle COE$)

iii) In $\triangle BOE, \triangle COE$

$\angle BOE = \angle COE$ (each proven equal to $\angle BAC$
above) ✓

$BO = CO$ (radii of circm ABC are equal)
OE is common

∴ $\triangle BOE \cong \triangle COE$ (SAS) ✓

∴ $BE = CE$ (corresponding sides of congruent triangles
are equal).

(ans - 5)

Some students did not
recognise that it was
ODAC that was cyclic

This question was easy
to do even if you could
not do ii). It is important
to remember with the later
questions to try and get
marks anyway you can.
Assuming something you
haven't shown is OK
to prove another result.