

SYDNEY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL



Year 11

HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION

MAY 2008 MATHEMATICS

TIME ALLOWED 75 MINUTES

Instructions

There are 4 questions:

Q1 – 20 Marks

Q2 – 20 Marks

Q3 – 17 Marks

Q4 – 18 Marks

Attempt all questions

Show all necessary working, marks may be deducted for badly arranged work.

Start each question on a new page. Write on only one side of the paper.

Question 1 (20 MARKS)

- a) Evaluate $\sqrt[3]{\frac{5.67 \times 10^{15}}{3.5 \times 10^3}}$ expressing your answer in scientific notation correct to 3 significant figures. 2
- b) What number is halfway between $\frac{1}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{5}$? 1
- c) Evaluate $|7| - |-3| \times -4$ 1
- d) Write $0.0\dot{3}\dot{6}$ as a simple fraction. 2
- e) 110% of a number is 84.7. What is the number? 1
- f) Express with a rational denominator $\frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}}$ 1
- g) Express with a rational denominator $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{\sqrt{5}+1}$ 2
- h) Simplify fully $10\sqrt{20} + 5\sqrt{45} - 3\sqrt{125}$ 2
- i) Simplify $\frac{8x^2 \times 2x}{4x^{-3}}$ 2
- j) Express with a rational index $\sqrt[3]{xy^7}$ 1
- k) If $a = \sqrt{\frac{b^2c}{2}}$ find b when $a = 3\sqrt{2}$ and $c = 4$ 2
- l) If $\frac{x+3y}{x-y} = 6$ then $\frac{x}{y} = ?$ 2

Question 2 (20 MARKS)

a) Expand and simplify

i. $(2x+3)(x+7)$ 2

ii. $-(x^2+2x)(x+3)$ 2

iii. $(3x+4)^2$ 2

b) Fully factorise the following

i. $6x^2+9x$ 2

ii. $3x^2+11x+10$ 2

iii. $ab+2ac+3bd+6cd$ 2

iv. x^3+27 2

v. $x^2-(y-2)^2$ 2

c) Simplify

i. $\frac{2}{x+3} + \frac{2}{x}$

ii. $\frac{x+7}{(x+4)(x-1)} \div \frac{x^2+11x+28}{x-1}$ 2

Question 3 (17 MARKS)

a) Solve the following

i. $\frac{2x}{3} = 11 - \frac{x}{4}$ 2

ii. $2x^2+3x-7=0$ (Leave your answers in exact form) 2

iii. $\left| \frac{3x+2}{4} \right| = 5$ 2

iv. $|x-3| = 2x$ 3

b) Solve the following equations simultaneously

$$2x + y = 8$$

$$x^2 + y = 23$$

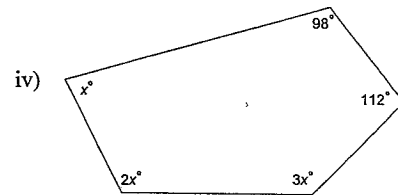
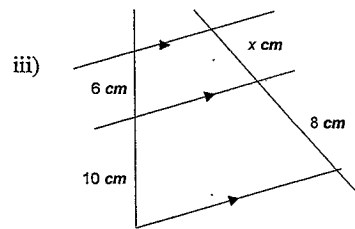
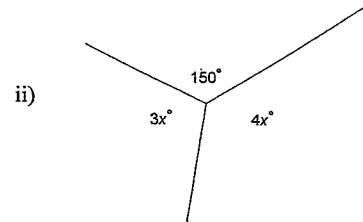
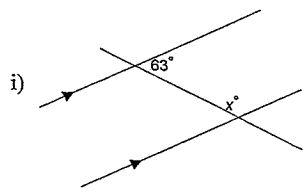
c) Solve the following inequalities. Graph each solution on a number line.

i. $2x+3 < 7+5x$ 3

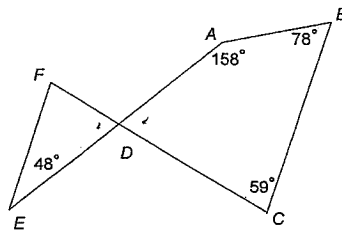
ii. $|2x+4| < 7$ 3

Question 4 (18 Marks)

a) Find the value of the pronumerals, giving reasons for your answer **8**



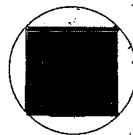
b) Find the size of $\angle DFE$



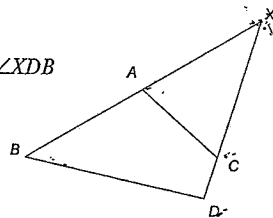
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c) If the exterior angles of a regular polygon are each 8° , how many sides are in the polygon **2**

d) If the circle has a radius of 1 cm, find the shaded area of the following figure correct to one decimal place. **2**



e) If $AX \cdot XB = CX \cdot XD$, prove that $\angle XAC = \angle XDB$ **4**





Q1

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1/9 ①

a) 11744.60292

$= 11700 \text{ (to 3 sig figs.)}$ ✓

$(= 1.17 \times 10^4) \times \frac{1}{2}$

b) $\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5}}{2}$

$= \frac{5+3}{15} \times \frac{1}{2}$

$= \frac{8}{15} \div 2$
 $= \frac{8^4}{15} \times \frac{1}{2}$
 $= \frac{4}{15}$ ✓

c) $|7| - |-3| \times -4$
 $= |7| - (3 \times -4)$
 $= 7 - (-12)$
 $= 19$ ✓

d) Let $x = 0.0363636$

$10x = 0.363636$

$100x = 3.6363636$

$\therefore 90x = 36$

$x = 36/900$

$= 2/55$ ✓

e) $110\% x = 84.7$

$x = 84.7 \div \frac{110}{100}$

$= 84.7 \times \frac{100}{110}$

$= 77$ ✓

1	17	19
2	18	20
3	15	17
4	10	18
5		
6		
7		
8		
Tot	66	



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②

f) $\frac{3}{5\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{10}$ ✓

g) $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{\sqrt{5}+1} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{\sqrt{5}-1}$
 $= \frac{5-\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{5}+1}{4}$

$= \frac{5-2\sqrt{5}+1}{4}$

$= \frac{6-2\sqrt{5}}{4} = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ ✓

h) $10\sqrt{20} + 5\sqrt{45} - 3\sqrt{125}$
 $= 10\sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{5} + 5\sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{5}$
 $= 20\sqrt{5} + 15\sqrt{5} - 15\sqrt{5}$
 $= 20\sqrt{5}$ ✓

~~$\frac{8x^2 \times 2x}{k^3}$
 $= \frac{16x^3}{k^3}$
 $= \frac{16x^3}{k^3}$
 $= \frac{16x^3}{k^3}$~~

i) $\frac{8x^2 \times 2x}{4x-3}$

$= \frac{16x^3}{4x-3}$

$= 4x \times \frac{1}{x-3/4}$

$= \frac{16x^3}{4}$

$= 4x^3$

$= \frac{16x^3}{4} \times \frac{x^3}{x^3}$

$= 4x^6$ ✓



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Q1

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{j) } & \sqrt[5]{xy^7} \\
 &= \sqrt[5]{x} \times \sqrt[5]{y^7} \\
 &= x^{1/5} \times y^{7/5} \checkmark \\
 &= x^{1/5} \times y^{1\frac{2}{5}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{k) } & 3\sqrt{2} = \sqrt{\frac{b^2 \times 4}{2}} \\
 & (3\sqrt{2})^2 = \left(\sqrt{\frac{4b^2}{2}}\right)^2 \\
 & 18 = \frac{4b^2}{2} \\
 & 4b^2 = 36 \\
 & b^2 = 9 \\
 & \therefore b = \pm\sqrt{9} \\
 & b = \pm 3 //
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{l) } & \frac{x+3y}{x-y} = 6 \\
 & x+3y = 6x-6y \checkmark \\
 & 9y = 5x \\
 & \therefore x=9, y=5 \\
 & \frac{x}{y} = ? \quad X \quad \left(17\frac{1}{2}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$



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Q2

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a) i) } & (2x+3)(x+7) \\
 &= 2x^2 + 14x + 3x + 21 \\
 &= 2x^2 + 17x + 21 \quad \checkmark 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii) } & -(x^2+2x)(x+3) \\
 &= (-x^2-2x)(x+3) \\
 &= -x^3-3x^2-2x^2-6x \quad \checkmark 2 \\
 &= -x^3-5x^2-6x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii) } & (3x+4)^2 \\
 &= 9x^2 + 24x + 16 \quad \checkmark 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{b) i) } & 6x^2 + 9x \\
 &= 3x(2x+3) \quad \checkmark 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii) } & 3x^2 + 11x + 10 \\
 &= 3x^2 + 6x + 5x + 10 \\
 &= 3x(x+2) + 5(x+2) \quad \checkmark 2 \\
 &= (3x+5)(x+2)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii) } & ab + 2ac + 3bd + 6cd \\
 &= a(b+2c) + 3d(b+2c) \\
 &= (a+3d)(b+2c) \quad \checkmark 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv) } & x^3 + 27 \\
 &= x^3 + 3^3 \quad \checkmark 2 \\
 &= (x+3)(x^2-3x+9)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{v) } & x^2 - (y-2)^2 \\
 &= x^2 - (y^2 - 4y + 4) \\
 &= x^2 - y^2 + 4y - 4 \quad X \\
 &= (x+y)(x-y) + 4(y-1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{18}{20}$



Q2

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$$c) i) \frac{2}{x+3} + \frac{2}{x}$$

$$= \frac{2x + 2x + 6}{x(x+3)}$$

$$= \frac{4x + 6}{x(x+3)}$$

$$= \frac{2(2x+3)}{x(x+3)} \quad \checkmark \quad 2$$

$$ii) \frac{x+7}{(x+4)(x-1)} \times \frac{x-1}{(x^2+11x+28)}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{x+7}}{(x+4)\cancel{(x-1)}} \times \frac{\cancel{x-1}}{\cancel{(x+7)}(x+4)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(x+4)^2} \quad \checkmark \quad 2$$



Q3

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$$a) i) \frac{2x}{3} = \frac{11 - x}{4}$$

$$\frac{2x}{3} = \frac{44 - x}{4}$$

$$132 - 3x = 8x$$

$$132 = 11x$$

$$\therefore x = 12 \quad \checkmark \quad 2$$

$$ii) 2x^2 + 3x - 7 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 - (4 \times 2 \times -7)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{65}}{4} \quad \checkmark \quad 2$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{65}}{4} \quad \text{and} \quad x = \frac{-3 - \sqrt{65}}{4}$$

$$ii) \left| \frac{3x+2}{4} \right| = 5$$

$$\frac{3x+2}{4} = 5$$

$$3x+2 = 20$$

$$3x = 18$$

$$x = 6$$

$$\text{OR} \quad \frac{-3x-2}{4} = 5$$

$$-3x-2 = 20$$

$$-3x = 22$$

$$x = -\frac{22}{3}$$

$$(\therefore x = 6, x = -\frac{22}{3}) \quad \checkmark \quad 2$$

Check: $x = 6$

$$\left| \frac{18+2}{4} \right| = 5$$

$$|5| = 5$$

\therefore true

check: $x = -\frac{22}{3}$

$$\left| \frac{-22+2}{4} \right| = 5$$

$$|-5| = 5$$

\therefore true

(\therefore both $x = 6$,
 $x = -\frac{22}{3}$ are
solutions)



Q3

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a) iv) $|x-3| = 2x$
 $x-3 = 2x$ or $-x+3 = 2x$
 $-3 = x$ $3 = 3x$
 $x = 1$

~~$(x-3) = 2x$~~

b) $2x + y = 8$... ①
 $x^2 + y = 23$... ②

from ① $y = 8 - 2x$

from ② $y = 23 - x^2$

$\therefore 8 - 2x = 23 - x^2$

$x^2 - 2x - 15 = 0$

$(x-5)(x+3) = 0$

$\therefore x = 5$ or $x = -3$

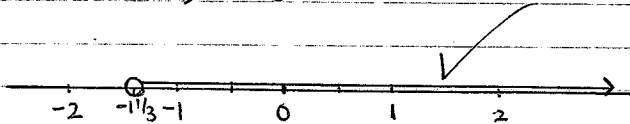
$y = ?$ $y = ?$

c) i) $2x + 3 < 7 + 5x$

$-4 < 3x$

$-4/3 < x$

$x > -4/3$



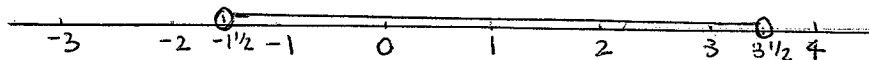
ii) $|2x+4| < 7$

$-7 < 2x+4 < 7$

$-7 - 4 < 2x < 7 - 4$

$-3 < 2x < 3$

$-1\frac{1}{2} < x < 1\frac{1}{2}$ X



Q4

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a) i) $x^\circ = 180^\circ - 63^\circ$ (cointerior \angle s ; \parallel lines)
 $= 117^\circ$

ii) $3x^\circ + 4x^\circ + 150^\circ = 360^\circ$ (\angle s at a point)

$7x^\circ + 150^\circ = 360^\circ$

$7x^\circ = 210^\circ$

$x^\circ = 30^\circ$

iii) $\frac{6}{10} = \frac{x}{8}$ (proportional intercept theorem)

$10x = 48$

$x = 4.8$

iv) $x^\circ + 2x^\circ + 3x^\circ + 112^\circ + 98^\circ = 360^\circ$ (\angle sum of quadrilateral)

$6x^\circ + 210^\circ = 360^\circ$

$6x^\circ = 150^\circ$

$x^\circ = 25^\circ$

b) $\angle ADC = 360^\circ - 158^\circ - 78^\circ - 59^\circ$ (\angle sum of quadrilateral)
 $= 65^\circ$

$\angle FDE = \angle ADC$ (vertically opp \angle s)

$\therefore \angle FDE = 65^\circ$

c) Exterior \angle sum of polygon = 360°

$\frac{360^\circ}{8^\circ} = \text{sides in polygon}$

\therefore there are 45 sides in the polygon

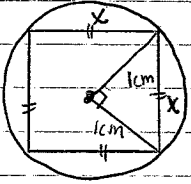


Q 4

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d)



$x^2 = 1^2 + 1^2$ (the angle is a right \angle , we know because the diagonals of a square bisect each other at 90°)

\therefore We can use Pythag. theorem

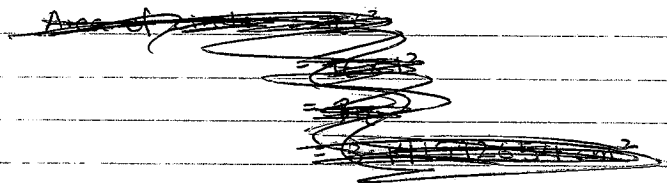
$$x^2 = 1^2 + 1^2$$

$$x = \sqrt{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Area of square} = x^2$$

$$= (\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$= 2 \text{ cm}^2 \quad \checkmark$$



~~\therefore Shaded area = Area circle~~

e) $AX \cdot XB = CX \cdot XD$

can also be written as:

$$\frac{AX}{XD} = \frac{CX}{XB}$$

In $\triangle XAC$ and $\triangle XDB$:

$$\angle AXC = \angle DXB \text{ (common } \angle)$$

$$\frac{AX}{XD} = \frac{CX}{XB} \text{ (given)}$$

$\therefore \triangle XAC \parallel \triangle XDB$ (two sides in equal ratio and included angle equal)

$\therefore \angle XAC = \angle XDB$ (corresponding \angle s in similar triangles)