

SYDNEY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL



YEAR 11 MATHEMATICS

HALF YEARLY

May, 2004

Time allowed: 75 minutes

Topics: Chapters 1-4(J&C)

Instructions:

- There are Four (4) questions. Questions are of equal value.
- Attempt all questions.
- Show all necessary working. Marks may be deducted for badly arranged work.
- Start each question on a new page. Write on one side of the paper only.

Name:

QUESTION ONE (20 marks)

a) Find the value of $\frac{4.7 + \sqrt{3.2}}{1 + 4.15^2}$, correct to 2 significant figures.

b) Simplify the following

i)
$$\frac{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{2}{7}}{1 - \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{7}}$$

ii)
$$\frac{ac - ab}{b^2 - c^2}$$

iii)
$$1 - \frac{p - q}{p + q}$$

c) Find the value of $| -8 | - | -7 \times 2 | \times | -4 - 2 |$

d) Simplify

i)
$$\frac{2^{-5}}{(4y)^{-1}}$$

ii)
$$\frac{8a^3b^5}{12(ab)^6}$$

e) Factorise $ab - 3a - 7b + 21$

f) Express $0.\overline{54}$ as fraction in its lowest term.

g) Simplify $\frac{a}{2} + \frac{3a}{4} - \frac{2a}{5}$

QUESTION TWO (20 marks)

- a) Graph $-3 \leq x \leq 2$ on a number line.
- b) Simplify the following (Leave the answer in surd form)

i) $\sqrt{18} \times \sqrt{6}$

ii) $\frac{5\sqrt{2} \times 6\sqrt{10}}{3\sqrt{5}}$

iii) $(3\sqrt{6} - 5\sqrt{2})^2$

iv) $\frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$

c) If $\sqrt{y} = \sqrt{63} - \sqrt{7} - \sqrt{28}$, find the value of y .

d) If $x = \sqrt{2} + 1$, find the simplest form for $x - \frac{1}{x}$

e) Solve $\frac{3x}{2} \leq x + 1$

f) Last year my rate increased by $6\frac{1}{4}\%$. I now pay \$1240. What did I pay before the rise?

g) Simplify $\frac{4}{x^2 - 7x + 10} - \frac{1}{x^2 - 25}$

QUESTION THREE (20 marks)

a) Solve the equation $|x - 3| = 2$

b) Factorise fully

i) $2x^2 - 128$

ii) $x^4 - 16$

c) Solve the following

i) $6x^2 + 5x - 11 = 0$

ii) $1 + \frac{2x+3}{5} = x$

d) Solve $\sqrt{2 - 3x} = 5$

e) Solve simultaneously

$$2x + y = 8$$

$$x + y = 6$$

f) Factorise $x^2 - 4xy + 4y^2 - 9$

g) Solve $8^x + 8^{-x} = 1$

QUESTION FOUR (20 marks)

a) Solve the following simultaneous equations

$$y = x^2$$

$$y = 6x - 9$$

b) Solve $|2 - 5x| < 3$

c) The sum of a number and its reciprocal is 6. Write an equation and find the number. (Let the number be x)

d) Solve $|2x - 1| = x + 7$

e) Factorise and simplify $\frac{a^2 - 1}{a^3 - 1} \times \frac{a^2 - a}{a^2 - a - 2} \div \frac{a}{a^2 + a + 1}$

f) If $3\sqrt{5} + 4 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5} - 2} = a + b\sqrt{5}$, find the value of a and b.

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Yr 11 2U Solutions 2004 (May) Halfyearly

i) a) $0.36 \quad (2)$

b) i) $\frac{13}{19} \quad (2)$

ii) $\frac{-a(b-c)}{(b-c)(b+c)} = \frac{-a}{b+c} \quad (1)$

iii) $\frac{P+9-P+2}{P+9} = \frac{29}{P+2} \quad (2)$

c) $8 - 14 \times 6$
 $= 8 - 84$
 $= -76 \quad (2)$

d) i) $\frac{4y}{2^5} = \frac{4y}{32} \quad (2)$

ii) $\frac{8a^3b^5}{12a^6b^6} = \frac{2}{3a^3b} \quad (2)$

e) $a(b-3) - 7(b-3)$
 $(b-3)(a-7) \quad (2)$

f) Let $\frac{x}{100x} = 0.5444\ldots$
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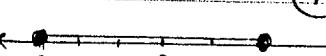
$90x = 49$

$x = \frac{49}{90} \quad (2)$

g) $\frac{10a+15a-8a}{20}$

$= \frac{17a}{20} \quad (2)$

2) a)



b) i) $3\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{6}$

$= 3\sqrt{12}$

$= 3 \times 2\sqrt{3}$

$= 6\sqrt{3} \quad (2)$

ii) $\frac{30\sqrt{20}}{3\sqrt{5}}$

$= 10\sqrt{4}$

$= 20 \quad (2)$

iii) $54 - 30\sqrt{2} + 50$

$= 104 - 30\sqrt{2}$

$= 104 - 60\sqrt{2} \quad (2)$

iv) $\frac{3\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{6}} \times \frac{\sqrt{4}}{\sqrt{6}}$

$= \frac{3\sqrt{12} + 2\sqrt{18}}{6}$

$= \frac{6\sqrt{3} + 6\sqrt{2}}{6}$

$= \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{2} \quad (2)$

c) $3\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{7} - 2\sqrt{7} = \sqrt{y}$

$\sqrt{0} = \sqrt{y}$

$y = 0 \quad (2)$

d) $x - \frac{1}{x}$

$\frac{1}{x} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+1}$

$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}+1} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{\sqrt{2}-1}$

$= \frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{2-1}$

$= \sqrt{2}-1$

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

$= \sqrt{2}+1 - \sqrt{2}+1$

$= 2 \quad (2)$

e) $3x \leq 2x+2$

$x \leq 2 \quad (2)$

f) $\frac{106.25x}{160} = 1240$

$x = \frac{1167.06}{106.25} \quad (2)$

g)

$(x-2)(x-5) \quad (x-5)(x+5)$

$= 4(x+5) - 1(x-2)$

$(x-2)(x-5)(x+5)$

$= \frac{4x+20-x+2}{(x-2)(x-5)(x+5)}$

$= \frac{3x+18}{(x-2)(x-5)(x+5)}$

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a) $x-3=2 \text{ or } x-3=-2$

$x=5 \text{ or } x=1 \quad (2)$

b) i) $2(x^2 - 64)$

$= 2(x-8)(x+8) \quad (2)$

ii) $(x^2 - 4)(x^2 + 4)$

$(x-2)(x+2)(x^2 + 4) \quad (2)$

c) i) $6x^2 + 5x - 11 = 0$

$6x^2 + 11x - 6x - 11 = 0$

$x(6x+11) - (6x+11) = 0$

$(x-1)(6x+11) = 0$

$x=1 \text{ or } -\frac{11}{6} \quad (3)$

ii) $5 + 2x + 3 = 5x$

$8 = 3x$

$x = \frac{8}{3} \quad (2)$

d) $2 - 3x = 25$

$-23 = 3x$

$x = -\frac{23}{3} \quad (2)$

e) $2x+y = 8 \quad (1)$

$x+y = 6 \quad (2)$

$(2) - (1)$

$-x = -2$

$\boxed{x = 2} \text{ sub into (2)}$

$2+y=6$

$\boxed{y=4} \quad (3)$

$$f) (x - 2y)^2 - 9$$

$$(x - 2y - 3)(x - 2y + 3) \quad (2)$$

$$g) 2(8^x) = 1$$

$$8^x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{3x}{2} \leq -1$$

$$3x \leq -2$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad (2)$$

4) a)

$$y = x^2 \quad (1)$$

$$y = 6x - 9 \quad (2)$$

sub ① into ②

$$x^2 = 6x - 9$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$$

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

$x = 3$ sub into ②

$$y = 18 - 9$$

$$y = 9 \quad (3)$$

$$b) 2 - 5x < 3 \text{ or}$$

$$2 - 5x > -3$$

$$-5x < 1$$

$$x > -\frac{1}{5}$$

or

$$-5x > -5$$

$$x < 1 \quad -\frac{1}{5} < x < 1$$

$$c) x + \frac{1}{x} = 6$$

$$x^2 + 1 = 6x$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = -1 + 9$$

$$(x - 3)^2 = 8$$

$$x - 3 = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$x = \pm 2\sqrt{2} + 3$$

$$x = 2\sqrt{2} + 3 \text{ or } -2\sqrt{2} + 3$$

$$d) 2x - 1 \div x + 7$$

$$\text{or } 2x - 1 = -x - 7$$

$$x = 8 \text{ or } 3x = -6$$

$$x = -2$$

Test $x = 8$

$$\text{LHS} = 12 \times 8 - 1$$

$$= 15$$

$$\text{RHS} = 8 + 7$$

$$= 15$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS} \therefore x = 8$$

is a solution

Test $x = -2$

$$\text{LHS} = 12 \times -2 - 1 \quad (4)$$

$$= 5$$

$$\text{RHS} = 2 + 7$$

$$= 5$$

$$\text{LHS} = \text{RHS} \therefore x = -2$$

is a solution

∴ solution $x = 8 \text{ or } -2$

f)

$$\frac{(a-1)(a+1)}{(a-1)(a^2+a+1)} \times \frac{a(a+1)}{(a-2)(5a)} \times \frac{a^2+a+1}{a}$$

$$= \frac{a-1}{a-2} \quad (4)$$

$$g) 3\sqrt{5} + 4 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}-2} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}+2}{\sqrt{5}+2}$$

$$3\sqrt{5} + 4 + \frac{\sqrt{5}+2}{5-4}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{5} + 4 + \sqrt{5} + 2$$

$$= 4\sqrt{5} + 6$$

$$\therefore a = 6$$

(3)

$$b = 4$$