

Sydney Girls High School



2008 Assessment Task 3

MATHEMATICS

Extension Two

Year 12

Time allowed - 90 minutes (plus 5 minutes reading time)

Topics: Polynomials and Integration

Instructions

- Attempt all three questions.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.
- Write on one side of the paper only.
- A table of standard integrals is supplied.

Question One (30 marks)

Marks

- a) Find $\int \frac{3}{\sqrt{9-x^2}} dx$ 2
- b) Find $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x(x+1)}}$ using the substitution $u = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ 3
- c) Find $\int xe^{3x} dx$ 5
- d) i) Show that $\int_0^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(a-x) dx$ 3
ii) Hence or otherwise find $\int_0^2 x(2-x)^6 dx$ 3
- e) i) Find A , B and C if $\frac{1}{x(x^2+1)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$ 3
ii) Hence find $\int \frac{dx}{x(x^2+1)}$ 2
- f) Find $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2-x-1}}$ 4
- g) Use the substitution $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ to find $\int \frac{d\theta}{1+\sin \theta + \cos \theta}$ 5

Question Two (30 marks)

Marks

- a) Solve the equation $x^3 - 20x^2 + 125x - 250 = 0$ given that it has a double root and the single root is twice the double root. 2
- b) Factorise $x^2 + 6x + 18$ over the complex field. 3
- c) The polynomial equation $P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x - 3$ has roots α, β and γ . Find the value of:
- i) $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$ 3
 - ii) $\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3$ 3
 - iii) $\sum \alpha^2 \beta$ 3
- d) Solve the equation $8x^4 + 44x^3 + 54x^2 + 25x + 4 = 0$ given that it has a root of multiplicity three 4
- e) The polynomial equation $2x^3 - x^2 + 2x + 6 = 0$ has roots α, β and γ . Find the equation with roots:
- i) $(\alpha - 1), (\beta - 1), (\gamma - 1)$ 3
 - ii) $\alpha^2, \beta^2, \gamma^2$ 3
- f) Given that $(x + i)$ is a factor of the polynomial equation $x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0$ find all the roots of the equation 4
- g) Find a relationship between p, q, r and s if $x^2 + px + q = 0$ and $x^2 + rx + s = 0$ have a common root 2

Question Three (30 marks)

Marks

- (a) Evaluate $\int_{-3}^3 (\cos^5 x \sin^5 x) dx$ 2
- b) Evaluate $\int_{-3}^3 \sqrt{9 - x^2} dx$ 2
- (c) Find $\int \frac{\sin^3 x}{\cos^5 x} dx$ 3
- d) i) Use a substitution to find $\int (\sin^n ax \cos ax) dx$ where a is a constant and n an integer. 2
 ii) Hence or otherwise show that $\int \cot(ax) dx = \frac{1}{a} \log_e |\sin ax| + C$ 2
- e) A polynomial $P(x)$ is even. It has a single root at $x = 1$, a double root at $x = 2$ and passes through the point with co ordinates $(3, 150)$. Find the equation of $P(x)$ 3
- f) Find $\int \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 2} d\theta$ 6
- (g) Given the polynomial $P(x) = x^3 - 9x^2 + 24x + k$, find the values of k for which the polynomial has exactly one real root. 5
- (h) Given $I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^x \cos^n x dx$, find a reduction formula for I_n in terms of I_{n-2} 5

1a) $3 \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{3} + c$ ✓

(e) i) $1 = A(x^2+1) + (Bx+C)x$

when $x=0$ $1 = A$ ✓

" $x=1$ $1 = 2 + B + C$
 $-1 = B + C$

" $x=2$ $1 = 5 + 4B + 2C$
 $-4 = 4B + 2C$

$-2 = 2B$ ✓
 $B = -1$ $C = 0$ ✓

ii) $\int \frac{dx}{x} + \int \frac{-x}{x^2+1} dx$
 $= \log x - \frac{1}{2} \log(x^2+1) + c$

b) $\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$2 du x^{\frac{1}{2}} = dx$ ✓

$\int \frac{2x^{\frac{1}{2}} du}{\sqrt{x}(u^2+1)}$

$= 2 \int \frac{du}{u^2+1}$ ✓

$= 2 \tan^{-1} u + c$

$= 2 \tan^{-1} \sqrt{x} + c$ ✓

c) let $u = x$ $v = e^{3x}$ ✓
 $u' = 1$ $v = \frac{1}{3} e^{3x}$ ✓

$\frac{x e^{3x}}{3} - \int \frac{e^{3x}}{3} dx$ ✓

$= \frac{x e^{3x}}{3} - \frac{e^{3x}}{9} + c$ ✓

f) $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{(x-\frac{1}{2})^2 - \frac{5}{4}}}$ ✓
let $u = x - \frac{1}{2}$ ✓
 $\frac{du}{dx} = 1$ ✓
 $= \int \frac{du}{u^2 - (\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2})^2}$ ✓
 $= \log(u + \sqrt{u^2 - (\frac{\sqrt{5}}{2})^2}) + c$ ✓
 $= \log(x - \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{x^2 - x + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{5}{4}}) + c$ ✓
 $= \log(x - \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{x^2 - x - 1}) + c$ ✓

d) i) let $u = a - x$

$\frac{du}{dx} = -1$ when $x=a, u=a-a=0$ ✓
 $-du = dx$ ✓
when $x=0, u=a-0=a$ ✓

$\int_0^a f(x) dx$

$= - \int_a^0 f(a-u) du$ ✓

$= \int_0^a f(a-u) du$

$= \int_0^a f(a-x) dx$ ✓

ii) $\int_0^2 (2-x)x^6 dx$ ✓

$= \int_0^2 (2x^6 - x^7) dx$

$= \left[\frac{2x^7}{7} - \frac{x^8}{8} \right]_0^2$ ✓

$= \left(\frac{2 \cdot 2^7}{7} - \frac{2^8}{8} \right) - 0$

$= 4 \frac{4}{7}$ ✓

g) $\frac{dt}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$
 $= \frac{1+t^2}{2}$ ✓

$\frac{2dt}{1+t^2} = d\theta$

$\int \frac{2dt}{1 + \frac{2t}{1+t^2} + \frac{1-t}{1+t^2}} \times \frac{1}{1+t^2}$ ✓

$= \int \frac{2dt}{1+t^2 + 2t + 1 - t^2}$ ✓

$= \int \frac{2dt}{2+2t}$

$= \log(2+2t) + c$ ✓

$= \log(1+t) + \log 2 + c$

$= \log(1 + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}) + c_2$ ✓

Question Two:

$$a) x^3 - 20x^2 + 125x - 250 = 0$$

Let the roots be $\alpha, \alpha, 2\alpha$

$$\text{Sum of roots 1 at a time: } 4\alpha = 20$$

$$\alpha = 5$$

\therefore Roots are 5, 5, 10 ②

$$b) x^2 + 6ix + 18 = x^2 + 6ix + 9 + 9$$

$$= (x+3)^2 - 9i^2$$

$$= (x+3+3i)(x+3-3i) \quad \text{③}$$

$$c) P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x - 3$$

$$\text{When } P(x) = 0: \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 6$$

$$\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma = 5$$

$$\alpha\beta\gamma = 3$$

$$i) \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 = (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma)$$

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

$$= 26 \quad \text{③}$$

$$ii) \alpha^3 - 6\alpha^2 + 5\alpha - 3 = 0 \quad \text{①}$$

$$\beta^3 - 6\beta^2 + 5\beta - 3 = 0 \quad \text{②}$$

$$\gamma^3 - 6\gamma^2 + 5\gamma - 3 = 0 \quad \text{③}$$

$$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3 = 6(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2) - 5(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) + 9$$

$$= 6(26) - 5(6) + 9$$

$$= 135 \quad \text{③}$$

$$iii) \sum \alpha^2 \beta = \alpha^2 \beta + \alpha^2 \gamma + \beta^2 \alpha + \beta^2 \gamma + \gamma^2 \alpha + \gamma^2 \beta$$

$$\text{Now } (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)(\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma) = \alpha^2 \beta + \alpha^2 \gamma + \alpha\beta\gamma + \beta^2 \alpha + \alpha\beta\gamma + \beta^2 \gamma + \alpha\beta\gamma + \alpha\gamma^2 + \beta\gamma^2$$

$$6 \times 5 = \sum \alpha^2 \beta + 3\alpha\beta\gamma$$

$$30 = \sum \alpha^2 \beta + 3(3)$$

$$\sum \alpha^2 \beta = 21 \quad \text{③}$$

$$d) 8x^4 + 44x^3 + 54x^2 + 25x + 4 = 0$$

$$32x^3 + 132x^2 + 108x + 25 = 0$$

$$96x^2 + 264x + 108 = 0$$

$$8x^2 + 22x + 9 = 0$$

$$(2x+1)(4x+9) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = -\frac{9}{4}$$

no solution for multiple root

$$\therefore 8x^4 + 44x^3 + 54x^2 + 25x + 4 = 0$$

$$(2x+1)^3(ax+b) = 0$$

$$\text{Equating coefficients } a=1 \quad b=4$$

$$(2x+1)^3(x+4) = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{roots are } -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, -4 \quad \text{④}$$

c)

$$i) P(x) = 2x^3 - x^2 + 2x + 6$$

$$\text{Let } y = x - 1, \text{ since } x = \alpha, \beta, \gamma$$

$$\therefore x = y + 1$$

$$2(y+1)^3 - (y+1)^2 + 2(y+1) + 6 = 0$$

$$2(y^3 + 3y^2 + 3y + 1) - (y^2 + 2y + 1) + 2y + 2 + 6 = 0$$

$$2y^3 + 6y^2 + 6y + 2 - y^2 - 2y - 1 + 2y + 8 = 0$$

$$2y^3 + 5y^2 + 6y + 9 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } 2x^3 + 5x^2 + 6x + 9 = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$ii) \text{ Let } y = x^2, \text{ since } x = \alpha, \beta, \gamma$$

$$\therefore y^{\frac{1}{2}} = x$$

$$2(y^{\frac{1}{2}})^3 - (y^{\frac{1}{2}})^2 + 2y^{\frac{1}{2}} + 6 = 0$$

$$2y^{\frac{3}{2}} - y + 2y^{\frac{1}{2}} + 6 = 0$$

$$\therefore 2y^{\frac{1}{2}}(y+1) = y-6$$

$$4y(y+1)^2 = (y-6)^2$$

$$4y(y^2 + 2y + 1) = y^2 - 12y + 36$$

$$4y^3 + 8y^2 + 4y = y^2 - 12y + 36$$

$$4y^3 + 7y^2 + 16y - 36 = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } 4x^3 + 7x^2 + 16x - 36 = 0 \quad (3)$$

f) Roots are $\alpha, \beta, \alpha+i, \alpha-i$

$$(x+i)(x-i) = x^2 - i^2 \\ = x^2 + 1$$

$$x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 + 2x - 3 = (x^2 + 1)(ax^2 + bx + c)$$

$$\text{Equating coefficients: } a = 1$$

$$b = 2$$

$$c = -3$$

$$\therefore (x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 2x - 3) = 0$$

$$(x+i)(x-i)(x+3)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\text{Roots are } \pm i, -3, 1 \quad (4)$$

$$g) x^2 + px + q = 0 \text{ and } x^2 + rx + s = 0$$

Let the common root be α

$$\alpha^2 + p\alpha + q = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\alpha^2 + r\alpha + s = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$(1) - (2) \quad (p-r)\alpha + q - s = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{s-q}{p-r}$$

Sub for α in (1)

$$\left(\frac{s-q}{p-r}\right)^2 + p\left(\frac{s-q}{p-r}\right) + q = 0$$

$$(s-q)^2 + p(s-q)(p-r) + q(p-r)^2 = 0 \quad (2)$$

Question Three

$$a) \int_{-3}^3 (\cos^5 x \sin^7 x) dx$$

$$= 0$$

Now $\cos^5 x \sin^7 x$ odd
 since $(\cos(-x))^5 (\sin(-x))^7$
 $= \cos^5 x (-\sin^7 x)$
 $= -\cos^5 x \sin^7 x$

$$b) \int_{-3}^3 \sqrt{9-x^2} = \frac{\pi}{2} 3^2$$

$$= \frac{9\pi}{2}$$

$f(x)$ even

$$c) I = \int \frac{\sin^3 x}{\cos^5 x} dx$$

$$I = \int \tan^2 x \sec^2 x dx$$

let $u = \tan x$
 $du = \sec^2 x dx$

$$I = \int u^2 du$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{3} \tan^3 x + C$$

Other methods can be used

[Answer must be in terms of x]

$$\text{or } I = \int \frac{(1-\cos^2 x) \sin x}{\cos^5 x} dx$$

let $u = \cos x$
 $du = -\sin x dx$

$$I = -\int \frac{1-u^2}{u^5} du$$

$$= -\int (u^{-5} - u^{-3}) du$$

$$= -\left(\frac{u^{-4}}{-4} + \frac{u^{-2}}{-2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{u^{-4}}{4} - \frac{u^{-2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 \cos^4 x} - \frac{1}{2 \cos^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{1 - 2 \cos^2 x}{4 \cos^4 x} + C$$

d) i) let $u = \sin ax$ $du = a \cos ax dx$

$$I = \frac{1}{a} \int u^n du$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \frac{u^{n+1}}{n+1} \quad (n \neq -1) \quad [\text{if } n = -1 \text{ } u' = \ln|u|]$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \frac{\sin^{n+1}(ax)}{n+1}$$

ii) let $n = -1$
 $I = \int \frac{\cos ax}{\sin ax} dx$

$$= \int \cot ax \quad \text{but from } \textcircled{1} \text{ above}$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \int u^{-1} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \log_e |u|$$

or $\int \cot ax dx = \int \frac{\cos ax}{\sin ax} dx$
 $= \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{a \cos ax}{\sin ax} dx$

[in form $\int \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} dx = \log|f(x)| + C$]
 $= \frac{1}{a} \log_e |\sin ax| + C$

Q3 cont

e) $P(x)$ even

$$\therefore \text{of form } A(x+1)(x-1)(x+2)^2(x-2)^2$$

when $x = 3, y = 150$

$$12 A(3+1)(3-1)(3+2)^2(3-2)^2 = 150$$

$$A(4)(2)(25)(1) = 150$$

$$200A = 150$$

$$A = \frac{3}{4}$$

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

Note Answer is of degree 6

f) $I = \int \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 2} d\theta$

$$= \int \frac{\sin \theta d\theta}{(\cos \theta + 2)(\cos \theta - 1)}$$

let $u = \cos \theta, du = -\sin \theta d\theta$

$$I = -\int \frac{du}{(u+2)(u-1)}$$

$$\frac{1}{(u+2)(u-1)} = \frac{A}{u+2} + \frac{B}{u-1}$$

$$1 = A(u-1) + B(u+2)$$

put $u = 1$

$$1 = 3B \Rightarrow B = \frac{1}{3}$$

$u = -2$

$$1 = -3A \Rightarrow A = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$I = -\int \frac{-1}{3(u+2)} + \frac{1}{3(u-1)} du$$

$$= -\left[\frac{1}{3} \log_e |u+2| + \frac{1}{3} \log_e |u-1| \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \log_e |\cos \theta + 2| - \frac{1}{3} \log_e |\cos \theta - 1| + C$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \log_e \left| \frac{\cos \theta + 2}{\cos \theta - 1} \right| + C$$

Quickest method

$$I = -\int \frac{\cos \theta d\theta}{\cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 2}$$

$$= -\int \frac{d\theta}{(\cos \theta + 2)^2 - (\frac{3}{2})^2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} \ln \left| \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\cos \theta + 2} \right| + C$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} \ln \left| \frac{\cos \theta - 1}{\cos \theta + 2} \right| + C$$

Other methods and answers are possible