

SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

YEAR 12

ASSESSMENT TASK 2

MARCH 2008

MATHEMATICS

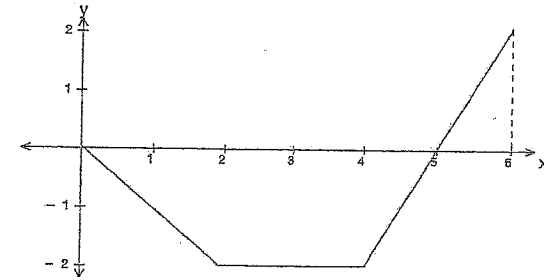
QUESTION 1 (11 Marks)

i) Find the number of terms in the arithmetic sequence
10, 6, 2 . . . -102 2

ii) Differentiate $y = \frac{3x^2}{x+5}$ and express your answer in simplest form 3

iii) Find the primitive function of
 $2x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$ 2

iv) The diagram represents a function $y = f(x)$. 2



Evaluate $\int_0^6 f(x) dx$.

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v) Find the equation of the curve $y = f(x)$ given that $f'(x) = 2x + 1$ and that the curve passes through $(1, 4)$ 2

Time Allowed: 70 minutes

Instructions:

- Write your name and class at the bottom of this page
- Attempt all questions
- Show all necessary working
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work
- Approved calculators may be used
- At the end of the examination hand in both the question paper and your answers
- Marks indicated are a guide only and may be varied if necessary
- Standard integrals are attached and may be removed for your convenience.

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QUESTION 2 (10 Marks) Start a new page

i) For a sequence it is given that

$$S_n = n^2 + 4n$$

a) Express S_{n-1} in terms of n 1

b) Hence, or otherwise express T_n in terms of n 2

c) Find the 10th term of the sequence 1

ii) A person saved \$1000 the first year and \$200 more each subsequent year.
How many years will it take to save \$58000? 4

iii) Evaluate $32 + 24 + 18 + \dots$ 2

QUESTION 3 (11 Marks) Start a new page

A) Consider the function

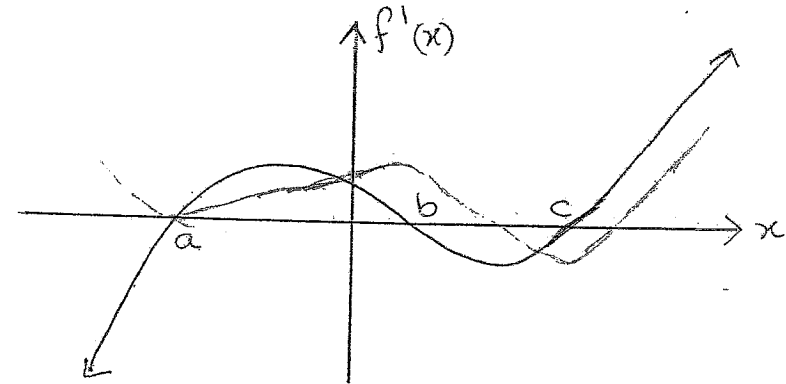
$$f(x) = x^3 + 9x^2 + 24x + 3$$

i) Find the co-ordinates of the stationary points of the curve $y = f(x)$ and determine their nature. 3

ii) Sketch the curve, clearly labelling any stationary points and the y - intercept 2

iii) For what vales of x is the curve decreasing? 1

B) This is a diagram of $y = f'(x)$



i) Write down the x values of any stationary points on $y = f(x)$ 1

ii) For what values of x is $y = f(x)$ increasing? 2

iii) Sketch a possible graph of $y = f(x)$ given that $y = f(x)$ passes through $(0, 2)$ 2

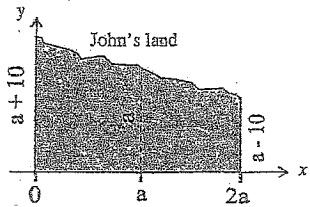
QUESTION 4 - (11 Marks) Start a new page

A) A couple borrow \$400,000 to purchase a house. They must repay the loan by equal quarterly instalments. Interest is charged at the rate of 8% p.a

- i) Write down the quarterly interest rate 1
- ii) Write an expression for A_1 , the amount owing after the first quarterly repayment. Let M be the amount repaid at the end of each quarter. 1
- iii) Show that the amount owing at the end of the first year is given by $400\,000(1.02)^4 - M(1 + 1.02 + 1.02^2 + 1.02^3)$ 2
- iv) Find the amount of each quarterly instalment if the loan is to be fully repaid in 12 years. (answer to the nearest dollar) 3

B)

The shaded area shown in the diagram below represents John's land. Its dimensions are given in terms of 'a'.



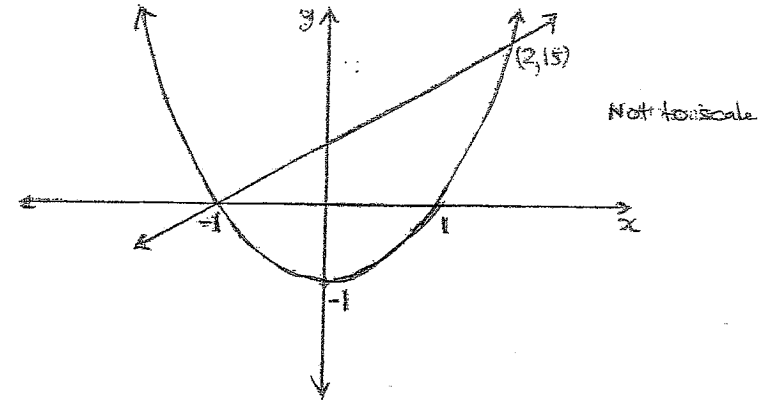
- i) Complete the table: 1
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|-----|---|-----|------|
| x | 0 | a | $2a$ |
| y | | | |

Given that the area of this land is 3200m^2 , use Simpson's rule with 3 function values to find an estimate for the value of 'a'

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QUESTION 5 (11 Marks) Start a new page

A)



The diagram shows the curve $y = x^2 - 1$ and the line $y = 5x + 5$

- (i) Show that the line and curve intersect at the points $(-1, 0)$ and $(2, 15)$ 2
- (ii) Calculate the area between the curve and the line. 3

B) A piece of wire 24 cm long is cut into two pieces. Each is bent to form a square.

- i) If one piece is x cm long, write an expression for the length of the other piece 1
- ii) Show that the sum of the areas of the two squares is given by $\left(\frac{x}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{24-x}{4}\right)^2$ 2
- iii) Find the minimum area of the two squares 3

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Question 1

(i) AP with $a=10$

$$d=-4$$

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$-102 = 10 + (-4)(n-1)$$

$$= 10 - 4n + 4$$

$$\therefore 4n = 116$$

$$n = 29$$

There are 29 terms.

(ii) $y = \frac{3x^2}{x+5}$

Quotient

$$\frac{u}{v}$$

where $u = 3x^2$

$$u' = 6x$$

$$v = x+5$$

$$v' = 1$$

$$y' = \frac{u'v - v'u}{v^2}$$

$$= \frac{6x(x+5) - 1(3x^2)}{(x+5)^2}$$

$$= \frac{6x^2 + 30x - 3x^2}{(x+5)^2}$$

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$$= \frac{3x(x+10)}{(x+5)^2}$$

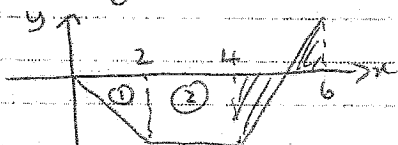
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(iii) Primitive of $2x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$

$$= \frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{1}{x} + c$$

(iv) $\int_0^6 f(x) dx$ is area of triangle ① + area rectangle ②



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

$$= -6 \text{ (since below axis)}$$

(v) $f'(x) = 2x+1$

(1, 4) satisfies

$$f(x) = x^2 + x + c$$

$$4 = 1^2 + 1 + c \Rightarrow c = 2$$

$$\therefore f(x) = x^2 + x + 2$$

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Question 2

(i) $S_n = n^2 + 4n$

a) $S_{n-1} = (n-1)^2 + 4(n-1)$
 $= n^2 - 2n + 1 + 4n - 4$
 $= n^2 + 2n - 3$

b) $T_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$
 $= n^2 + 4n - (n^2 + 2n - 3)$
 $= 2n + 3$

c) $T_{10} = 2 \times 10 + 3$
 $= 23$

(ii) 1st yr saves \$1000
 2nd yr \$1200 etc.

AP with $a=1000$
 $d=200$

Want $S_n = 58000$.

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n-1)d]$$

$$58000 = \frac{n}{2} [2000 + (n-1) \times 200]$$

$$58000 = \frac{n}{2} \times 100 [20 + 2n - 2]$$

$$580 = n[9 + n]$$

$$\therefore n^2 + 9n - 580 = 0$$

$$(n+29)(n-20) = 0$$

$$n = -29 \text{ or } n = 20 \text{ (need } n \text{ pos)}$$

Will take 20 years.

(iii) GP $a=32$

$$r = \frac{24}{32} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

$$= \frac{32}{1-\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$= 128$$

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Question 3

A) $f(x) = x^3 + 9x^2 + 24x + 3$

(i) $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 18x + 24$
 $= 3(x^2 + 6x + 8)$
 $= 3(x+2)(x+4)$

$f'(x) = 0$ when $x = -2$ or $x = -4$

$y = -17$ $y = -13$

$f''(x) = 6x + 18$

$f''(-2) = 6(-2) + 18$

$= 6 > 0 \Rightarrow \text{min}$

$f''(-4) = 6(-4) + 18$

$= -6 \Rightarrow \text{max}$

y intercept is 3

(ii) $f''(x) = 0$ when
 $6x + 18 = 0$

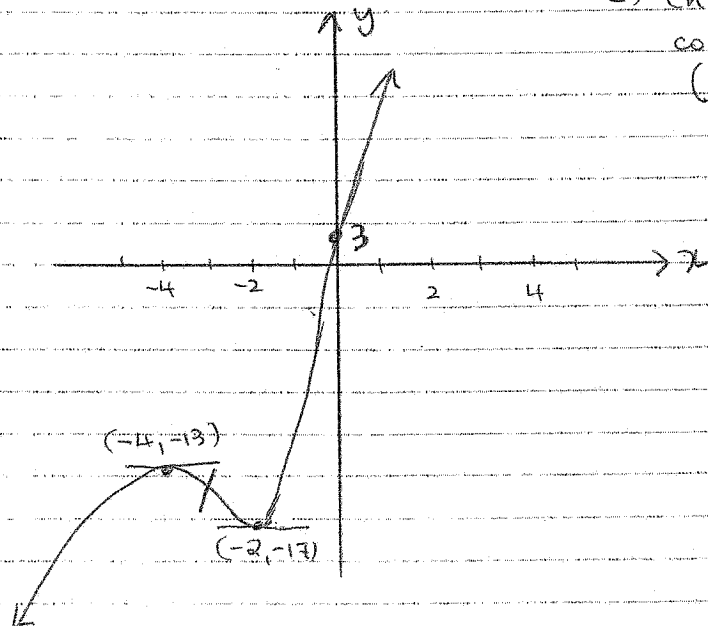
i.e. $x = -3$

and changes sign

\Rightarrow change of

concavity.

$(-3, -15)$



(iii) Decreasing for
 $-4 < x < -2$

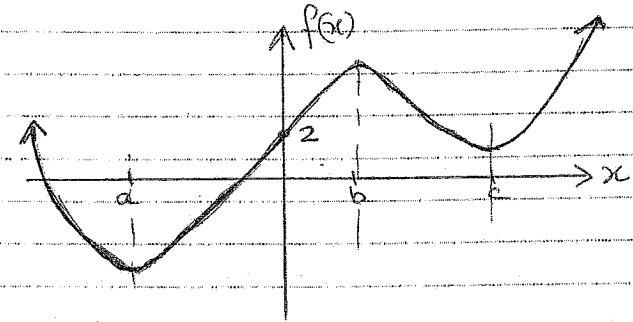
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B) (i) Stationary at $x = a, b$ or c

(ii) Increasing when $f'(x) > 0$
 i.e. $a < x < b$ and $x > c$

(iii)



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Question 4

A) (i) 2% per quarter.

(ii) $A_1 = 400,000(1.02)^1 - m$

(iii) $A_2 = [400,000(1.02) - m](1.02) - m$
 $= 400,000(1.02)^2 - m(1.02 + 1)$

End of first year will be 4 payments

∴ Want A_4 .

$$A_4 = 400,000(1.02)^4 - m(1.02^3 + 1.02^2 + 1.02 + 1)$$
$$= 400,000(1.02)^4 - m(1 + 1.02 + 1.02^2 + 1.02^3)$$

(iv) 12 yrs quarterly \Rightarrow 48 payments
and $A_{48} = 0$

$$\therefore 0 = 400,000(1.02)^{48} - m(1 + 1.02 + \dots + 1.02^{47})$$

$$m = \frac{400,000(1.02)^{48}}{1 + 1.02 + \dots + 1.02^{47}}$$

← GP with
 $a=1$
 $r=1.02$
 $n=48$

$$S_{48} = \frac{1(1.02^{48} - 1)}{1.02 - 1}$$

$$\therefore m = \frac{400,000(1.02)^{48}}{(1.02^{48} - 1)} \times 0.02$$

$$= \$13041 \text{ (nearest dollar)}$$

B) i)

x	a	a	$2a$
y	$a+10$	a	$a-10$

ii) $3200 \div \frac{2}{3} [(a+10) + (a-10) + 4a]$

$$9600 = a \times 6a$$

$$9600 = 6a^2 \Rightarrow a = 40$$

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Question 5

A) (i) Test $y = x^4 - 1$, $y = 5x + 5$
 $x = -1$ $y = (-1)^4 - 1$
 $= 0$

$$y = 5(-1) + 5$$
$$= 0$$

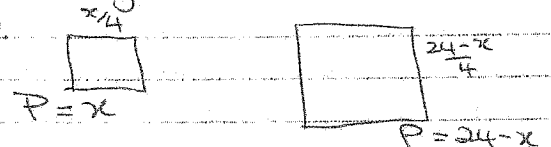
Test $x = 2$ $y = 2^4 - 1$
 $= 15$

$$y = 5(2) + 5$$
$$= 15$$

∴ Since $(-1, 0)$ and $(2, 15)$ satisfy each equation, these are the points of intersection.

(ii)
$$\int_{-1}^2 (5x + 5) - (x^4 - 1) dx$$
$$= \int_{-1}^2 (-x^4 + 5x + 6) dx$$
$$= \left[-\frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{5x^2}{2} + 6x \right]_{-1}^2$$
$$= \left[-\frac{32}{5} + \frac{20}{2} + 12 \right] - \left[\frac{1}{5} + \frac{5}{2} - 6 \right]$$
$$= -\frac{33}{5} + 28 - \frac{5}{2}$$
$$= 18\frac{9}{10} \text{ u}^2$$

B) i) $\overbrace{\quad x \quad}^{\text{length}} + \overbrace{\quad 24-x \quad}^{\text{length}} = 24-x$

ii) 

$P = x$ $P = 24 - x$

Area = $\left(\frac{x}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{24-x}{4}\right)^2$

(iii)
$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 2\left(\frac{x}{4}\right) \times \frac{1}{4} + 2\left(\frac{24-x}{4}\right) \times \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)$$
$$= \frac{x}{8} - \left(\frac{24-x}{8}\right)$$

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$$\frac{dA}{dx} = \frac{x - 24 + x}{8}$$

$$= \frac{2x - 24}{8}$$

$$= \frac{x - 12}{4}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 0 \text{ when } \frac{x - 12}{4} = 0 \text{ i.e. } x = 12.$$

$$\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{4} > 0 \Rightarrow \text{minimum}$$

∴ Minimum area when $x = 12$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \left(\frac{12}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{24 - 12}{4}\right)^2 \\ &= 9 + 9 \\ &= 18 \text{ u}^2 \end{aligned}$$

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