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**Sydney Technical High School**

**2 Unit Mathematics**

**Year 11**

**Assessment Task 1 April 2002**

***Instructions:***

- Write your name and class at the top of this page.
- Attempt all questions. All questions are of equal value.
- Staple these questions to the front of your answers.
- Begin each question on a new page.
- All working must be shown.

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**Question 1**

- 1 (a) Write  $6\frac{1}{4}\%$ . as a fraction in simplest terms.
- 1 (b) Decrease \$2000 by  $8\frac{1}{2}\%$ .
- 1 (c) Write 0.000 004 173 in scientific notation.
- 1 (d) Calculate  $(8.3 \times 10^{15}) - (7.1 \times 10^{13})$  (leave your answer in scientific notation correct to 2 significant figures).
- 1 (e) Evaluate  $|-6| \times |3 - 5|$
- 2 (f) Solve  $\frac{2x}{3} = 2 + \frac{x-3}{2}$

**Question 2 (Begin a new page)**

- 1 (a) Simplify  $3x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x(2 - 3x + x^2)$
- 1 (b) If  $\frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{x}} = x^p$ , what is the value of  $p$ ?
- 1 (c) Simplify fully  $\frac{y^4}{(y^2)^{-2}}$
- 1 (d) Solve for integer  $x$ :  $\sqrt{26} < x < \sqrt{48}$
- 2 (e) Express with a rational denominator  $\frac{3 - \sqrt{2}}{1 + \sqrt{2}}$
- 1 (f) Solve  $1 - 2x < 5$

**Question 3 (Begin a new page)**

- 1 (a) Simplify fully  $\sqrt{72} \times \sqrt{20}$
- 2 (b) Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$  if  $a + \sqrt{b} = 4 + 2\sqrt{6}$ .
- 1 (c) Simplify  $\frac{a}{4} \div \frac{a}{2}$
- 1 (d) Evaluate  $\frac{3a}{a+1}$  if  $a = \frac{4}{5}$
- 2 (e) Solve  $(x - 3)^2 = 5$  leaving your answer as a surd.

**Question 4 (Begin a new page)**

- 3 (a) Express  $0.4\dot{5}$  as a simple fraction.
- 4 (b) Find the points of intersection of the curves  $x - y = 5$  and  $y = x^2 - 11$ .

**Question 5 (Begin a new page)**

3 (a) Solve  $x(2x - 1) = 1$

2 (b) Solve  $4^{x+3} = 32$

2 (c) Solve  $|3x - 4| < 8$

**Question 6 (Begin a new page)**

2 (a) The function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 + 1 & \text{if } x > 2 \\ 2x & \text{if } -1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ 5 & \text{if } x < -1 \end{cases}$

Find  $f(-2) + f(2)$

2 (b) (i) State why it is necessary to restrict the domain of the function  $y = \frac{1}{x-3}$

(ii) Hence state the domain of the function  $y = \frac{1}{x-3}$

3 (c) Solve  $|x - 4| = 5 - 2x$

**Question 7 (Begin a new page)**

1 (a) Factorise  $t^3 + 8$

3 (b) (i) Neatly sketch the graph of  $y = 2x(6 - x)$ . (Make your diagram at least 8cm x 8cm and use a ruler.)

(ii) Hence state the range for the function  $y = 2x(6 - x)$ 

3 (c) Simplify  $\frac{1}{x+y} + \frac{2y}{x^2 - y^2}$

**Question 8 (Begin a new page)**

1 (a) Simplify  $f(x) + f(-x)$  if  $f(x)$  is an even function.

2 (b) Determine if the following function is odd, even or neither:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^3 + x}{x^3 - x}$$

2 (c) Factorise  $x^2 + 2ax + a^2 - y^2$

2 (d) (i) Expand  $\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2$  =

(ii) If  $x + \frac{1}{x} = 4$ , find the value of  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$  without solving for  $x$ .

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QUESTION 1.

- i)  $6\frac{1}{4}\% = \frac{1}{16}$
  - ii) \$1830
  - iii)  $4.173 \times 10^{-6}$
  - iv)  $8.2 \times 10^{15}$
  - v) 12
  - vi)  $\frac{2x}{3} = 2 + \frac{x-3}{2}$
- $$4x = 12 + 3x - 9$$
- $$x = 3$$

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QUESTION 2.

$$\begin{aligned} i) & 3x^3 - 2x^2 - 8x + 12x^2 - 4x^3 \\ &= -8x + 10x^2 - x^3 \\ & p = -\frac{1}{4} \\ j) & y^8 \\ l) & x = 6 \\ l) & \frac{3-\sqrt{2}}{1+\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{1-\sqrt{2}}{1-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3-3\sqrt{2}-\sqrt{2}+2}{1-2} \\ &= 4\sqrt{2}-5 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} m) & 1-2x < 5 \\ & 2x > -4 \\ & x > -2 \end{aligned}$$

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QUESTION 3.

- a)  $\sqrt{72} \times \sqrt{20} = 6\sqrt{2} \times 2\sqrt{5}$
- b)  $a = 4, b = 24$
- c)  $\frac{a}{4} \times \frac{2}{a} = \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$
- d)  $\frac{\frac{3 \times 4}{5}}{\frac{4}{5} + 1} = \frac{\frac{3 \times 4}{5}}{\frac{9}{5}} = \frac{12}{9} = \frac{4}{3}$
- e)  $x-3 = \pm\sqrt{5}$

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QUESTION 4.

a) Let  $x = 0.45$

$$100x = 45.5$$

$$10x = 4.5$$

$$\therefore 90x = 45$$

$$\therefore 0.45 = \frac{45}{90}$$

b)  $x-y = 5 \quad \text{--- (A)}$

$$y = x^2 - 11 \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

(B)  $\rightarrow$  (A):  $x - (x^2 - 11) = 5$

$$\text{ie } x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

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

$$\therefore x = 3, -2$$

$$\therefore y = -2, -7$$

Pts of intersection:  $(3, -2), (-2, -7)$

QUESTION 5.

a)  $x(2x-1) = 1$

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

$$(2x+1)(x-1) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = -\frac{1}{2}, 1$$

b)  $4^{x+3} = 2^5$

$$2^{2x+6} = 2^5$$

$$2x+6 = 5$$

$$2x = -1$$

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

c)  $3x-4 < 8 \quad \text{or} \quad -3x+4 < 8$

$$3x < 12$$

$$3x-4 > -8$$

$$x < 4$$

$$3x > -4$$

$$x > -\frac{4}{3}$$

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QUESTION 6

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad & f(-2) + f(2) \\ &= 5 + 4 \\ &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

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- b) (i) Denominator cannot be zero. 1  
(ii) Domain: All real  $x$  except 3. 1  
(All  $x, x \neq 3$ )

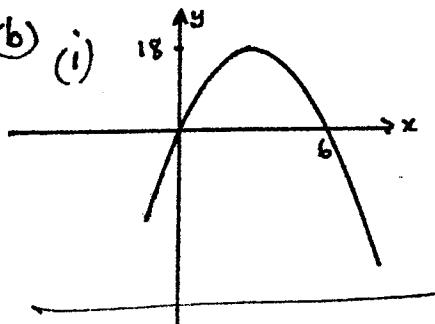
$$\therefore |x-4| = 5-2x$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-4 &= 5-2x \quad \text{or} \quad -(x-4) = 5-2x \\ 3x &= 9 \quad \quad \quad x = 1 \quad \textcircled{1} \\ x &= 3 \quad \textcircled{1} \end{aligned}$$

But  $x \neq 3$  since when  $x=3$ , RHS < 0.  
 $\therefore x = 1$  1

QUESTION 7

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad & t^3 + 8 \\ &= (t+2)(t^2 - 2t + 4) \quad 1 \end{aligned}$$



1 for shape

1 for x intercepts

$$\text{(ii) Range: } \{y \mid y \leq 18\} \quad 1$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{x+y} + \frac{2y}{x^2-y^2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x-y}{x^2-y^2} + \frac{2y}{x^2-y^2} \quad 1$$

$$\frac{x+y}{x^2-y^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{x-y}$$

QUESTION 8

$$\text{(a)} \quad f(x) + f(-x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= f(x) + f(x) \quad \text{since } f(x) \text{ even} \\ &= 2f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad f(x) = \frac{x^3+x}{x^3-x} \quad ; \quad \frac{x(x+1)}{x(x^2-1)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } f(-x) &= \frac{(-x)^3+(-x)}{(-x)^3-(-x)} = \frac{(-x)^2+1}{(-x)^2-1} \\ &= \frac{-x^3-x}{-x^3+x} = \frac{x^2+1}{x^2-1} \\ &= \frac{-(x^3+x)}{-(x^3-x)} = f(x) \\ &= \frac{x^3+x}{x^3-x} \\ &= f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is even.  $\therefore f(-x)$  even. 1

$$\text{(c)} \quad x^2 + 2ax + a^2 - y^2$$

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

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

$$\text{(d) (i)} \quad \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 = x^2 + 2x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$= x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} + 2 \quad 1$$

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

$$\therefore x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = 16 - 2 = 14. \quad 1$$