

SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



YEAR 11 PRELIMINARY HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE ASSESSMENT TASK 3

SEPTEMBER 2015

Mathematics Extension 1

General Instructions

- Working time - 90 minutes
- Write using black or blue pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- In questions 6 to 11, show relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations
- Start each question in section 2 on a new page
- Full marks may not be awarded for careless or badly arranged work

Total marks - 66

Section 1 - 5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 - 5.
Allow about 8 minutes for this section.

Section 2 - 61 marks

Attempt Questions 6 - 11.
Allow about 82 minutes for this section.

Section 1

5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 - 5

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Use the multiple-choice answer sheet in your answer booklet for Questions 1 - 5.
Do not remove the multiple-choice answer sheet from your answer booklet.

1. What is the remainder when $P(x) = 5x^3 - 17x^2 - x + 11$ is divided by $x - 2$?

- A) -147
- B) -95
- C) -19
- D) 11

2. How many asymptotes does the graph of $y = \frac{x^2}{3x(x+1)}$ have?

- A) 3
- B) 2
- C) 1
- D) 0

3. A function is represented by the parametric equations

$$x = 2t + 1 \text{ and } y = t - 2.$$

Which of the following is the Cartesian equation of this function?

- A) $x - 2y + 3 = 0$
- B) $x - 2y - 3 = 0$
- C) $x + 2y + 5 = 0$
- D) $x - 2y - 5 = 0$

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4. What is the focus of the parabola $(x - 3)^2 = -8y$?

- A) $(3, -2)$
- B) $(3, 2)$
- C) $(0, -2)$
- D) $(-2, 3)$

5. $\sin 2x$ equals

- A) $\frac{1-\tan^2 x}{1+\tan^2 x}$
- B) $\frac{2 \tan x}{1+\tan^2 x}$
- C) $\frac{2 \tan x}{1-\tan^2 x}$
- D) $\frac{1+\tan^2 x}{1-\tan^2 x}$

SECTION 2 BEGINS ON THE NEXT PAGE

Section 2

61 marks

Attempt Questions 6 – 11

Allow about 82 minutes for this section

Answer each question in your answer booklet. Start each question on a new page.

In Questions 6 – 11, your response should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

Question 6 (11 marks)

a) Find the coordinates of the point that divides the interval from

$A(1, 6)$ to $B(-8, 2)$ internally in the ratio 2:1.

b) Draw a neat sketch of the polynomial $y = (2-x)^2(6-x)$

clearly labelling all intercepts.

c) Express $\cos A \sin 2A + \cos 2A \sin A$ in terms of $3A$

d) Differentiate $(1 + 2\sqrt{x})^5$

e) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^3 - x^2 + x + 3}{x^3 - 1}$

f) Find the exact value or values of m if the acute angle between the lines $y = 2x$ and $y = mx + 5$ is 60 degrees.

Question 7 (10 marks) Start a new page.

a) Factorise $x^3 + 125$

1

b) Find the vertex and focus of the parabola $y = x^2 + 4x + 3$.

2

c) Given $P(x) = 2x^3 + 5x^2 - 11x + 4$

i) Evaluate $P(1)$

1

ii) Hence, or otherwise, fully factorise $P(x)$.

2

d) Solve $4 \cos \theta = \sec \theta$ for $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$, giving your answer in radians.

2

e) Find the possible values of $\sin \theta$ if $\cos 2\theta = \frac{3}{25}$.

2

Question 8 (10 marks) Start a new page.

a) If α, β and γ are the roots of the equation $2x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0$

find the value of i) $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$

1

ii) $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$

2

b) Find the equation of an odd polynomial of degree 3 which passes

2

through the points $(2, 0)$ and $(3, 30)$.

c) Simplify $\cot \theta - 2 \cot 2\theta$

2

d) For what values of x is the gradient of $y = x - \frac{4}{x}$ greater than 5?

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Question 9 (10 marks) Start a new page.

a) The point $P(x, y)$ moves so that its distance from the point $A(1, 4)$ is always double its distance from the point $B(1, 1)$.

2

i) Show that the locus of $P(x, y)$ is a circle.

2

ii) Find the centre and radius of this circle.

b) $P(4p, 2p^2)$ and $Q(4q, 2q^2)$ are two points on the parabola $x^2 = 8y$.

2

i) Show that the equation of the chord PQ is given by

$$y - \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x + 2pq = 0.$$

ii) The chord PQ passes through the point $(0, -2)$.

1

Show that $pq = 1$

iii) If S is the focus of the parabola,

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and SP and SQ are the distances from S to P and Q respectively,

$$\text{show that } \frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Question 10 (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) For what value, or values of x is the function $y = |x + 3|$ not differentiable ? 1
- b) Find the gradient of the curve $y = \frac{(2x-1)(x-3)}{x-5}$ at the point $(6, 33)$. 2
- c) Solve $3 \sin 2x = 5 \sin x$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$. (nearest degree) 4
- d) Solve the equation $5x^3 - 63x^2 + 136x - 60 = 0$ given that the product of two of its roots is 6. 3

Question 11 (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) Use the t results, where $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$, to solve
 $8 \cos \theta - \sin \theta = 4$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ correct to the nearest degree. 3
- b) $P(2ap, ap^2)$ and $Q(2aq, aq^2)$ are points on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$.
- i) Show that the equation of the tangent to the parabola at P 2
is given by $y = px - ap^2$.
- ii) Find the point of intersection of the tangent at P and the tangent at Q . 2
- iii) If O is the vertex of the parabola and OP is perpendicular to OQ , 1
show that $pq = -4$.
- iv) If $OPRQ$ is a rectangle then R has coordinates $(2a(p+q), a(p^2+q^2))$. 2

Do not prove this.

Find the locus of R .

End of Paper.

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1. C	$(2\sqrt{3}-1)m = -2-\sqrt{3}$
2. A	$m = \frac{2+\sqrt{3}}{1-2\sqrt{3}}$
3. D	
4. A	$\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}m = -(m+2)$
5. B	$(2\sqrt{3}+1)m = 2-\sqrt{3}$ $m = \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$
6 a) $\left(\frac{ x +2x-8}{3}, \frac{1x^2+2x+2}{3} \right)$	$\therefore m = \frac{2+\sqrt{3}}{1-2\sqrt{3}} \text{ or } \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}+1}$ $= (-5, \frac{10}{3})$
b)	
c) $\sin 3A$	7. a) $(x+5)(x^2-5x+25)$
d) $\frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} (1+2\sqrt{x})^4$	b) $y = x^2 + 4x + 3$ $y+1 = (x+2)^2$ $\therefore \text{Vertex } (-2, -1)$ focus $(-2, -\frac{3}{4})$
e) 2	c) i) $P(1) = 0$ ii) $\therefore x-1$ is a factor $\therefore P(x) = (x-1)(2x^2+7x-4)$ $= (x-1)(2x-1)(x+4)$
f) $\tan \theta = \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2}$	g) $4(\cos \theta) = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$ $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4}$ $\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{2}$ $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$
$\therefore \sqrt{3} = \left \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + 2m_1 m_2} \right $	
$\sqrt{3} 1+2m = m-2 $	
$\therefore \sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}m = m-2$	

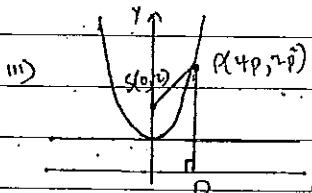
e) $\cos 2\theta = \frac{3}{25}$ $1-2\sin^2 \theta = \frac{3}{25}$ $\sin^2 \theta = \frac{11}{25}$ $\sin \theta = \pm \frac{\sqrt{11}}{5}$	d) $y = x - 4x^{-1}, x \neq 0$ $y' = 1 + 4x^{-2}$ $\therefore 1 + 4x^{-2} > 5$ $\frac{4}{x^2} > 4$ $x^2 < 1$ $-1 < x < 1, x \neq 0$
8 a) i) $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 3$ ii) $\lambda + \mu + \nu$ $= (\lambda + \mu + \nu)^2 - (\lambda\mu + \lambda\nu + \mu\nu)$ $= 3^2 - 2(2)$ $= 5$	9 a) i) $PA = 2 \times PB$ $\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2} = 2\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2}$ $(x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 4[(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2]$ $3x^2 - 6x + 3y^2 - 9 = 0$
b) $P(x) = ax(x-a)(x+a)$ Sub $(3, 3)$ $30 = 15a$ $a = 2$ $\therefore P(x) = 2x(x-a)(x+a)$	$x^2 - 2x + y^2 - 3 = 0$ $(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 4$ which is a circle
c) $\cot \theta = -2 \cot 2\theta$ $= \frac{1}{\tan \theta} - \frac{2(1-\tan^2 \theta)}{2 \tan \theta}$ $= \frac{1 - (1-\tan^2 \theta)}{\tan \theta}$ $= \frac{\tan^2 \theta}{\tan \theta} = \tan \theta$	ii) centre $(1, 0)$ radius 2 units
	b) i) $m = \frac{2p^2 - 2q^2}{4p - 4q}$ $= \frac{p+q}{2}$ using $y - y_1 = m(x-x_1)$ $y - 2p^2 = \frac{p+q}{2}(x-4p)$ $y - 2p^2 = \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x - 2p^2 - 2pq$ $y - \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x + 2pq = 0$

ii) sub (0, -2)

$$-2 - \frac{1}{2}(p+q)0 + 2pq = 0$$

$$2pq = 2$$

$$pq = 1$$



SP = PD (by definition)

$$= 2p^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore SQ = 2q^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2p^2 + 2} + \frac{1}{2q^2 + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{q^2 + 1 + p^2 + 1}{(p^2 + 1)(q^2 + 1)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{p^2 + q^2 + 2}{p^2q^2 + p^2 + q^2 + 1} \right]$$

$$\text{but } pq = 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{p^2 + q^2 + 2}{p^2 + q^2 + 2} \right]$$

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

10 a) $x = -3$

$$\text{b) } y^2 = \frac{(x-s)(4x-7) - (2x^2 - 7x + 3)}{(x-s)^2}$$

$$\text{sub } x = 6$$

$$m = \frac{(1)(17) - (33)}{-16}$$

$$= -16$$

$$\text{c) } 3\sin 2x = 5\sin x$$

$$6\sin x \cos x - 5\sin x = 0$$

$$\sin x(6\cos x - 5) = 0$$

$$\sin x = 0, \cos x = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$x = 0^\circ, 180^\circ, 360^\circ, 34^\circ, 326^\circ$$

d) let α, β, γ be roots where $\beta \neq 0$

$$\therefore \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{60}{5} \text{ but } \beta \neq 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 2$$

 $\therefore x=2$ is a factor.

$$5x^3 - 63x^2 + 136x - 60$$

$$= (x-2)(5x^2 - 53x + 30)$$

$$= (x-2)(5x-3)(x-10)$$

$$\therefore x = 2, 10, \frac{3}{5}$$

alternatively may use the sum of the roots 1 and 2 at a time.

11 a) $8\cos\theta - \sin\theta = 4$

$$8\left(\frac{1+t^2}{1+t^2}\right) - \frac{2t}{1+t^2} = 4$$

$$8 - 8t^2 - 2t = 4 + 4t^2$$

$$12t^2 + 2t - 4 = 0$$

$$6t^2 + t - 2 = 0$$

$$(3t+2)(2t-1) = 0$$

$$t = -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{\theta}{2} = 146^\circ 18', 26^\circ 34'$$

$$\theta = 53^\circ, 292^\circ$$

Solve simultaneously

$$pd - ap^2 = qx - aq^2$$

$$(p-q)x = a(p-q)(p+q)$$

$$x = a(p+q)$$

$$\therefore y = pa(p+q) - ap^2$$

$$= apq$$

∴ pt. of intersection $(a(p+q), apq)$

$$\text{iii) } m_{AP} + m_{OA} = -1$$

$$\frac{ap^2}{2ap} \times \frac{aq^2}{2eq} = -1$$

$$\frac{pq}{4} = -1$$

$$pq = -4$$

$$\text{b) i) } y = \frac{x}{4a}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{x^2}{16a^2}$$

$$\text{sub } x = 2ap$$

$$m_T = \frac{xp}{16a}$$

$$= p$$

$$\text{using } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - ap^2 = p(x - 2ap)$$

$$y - ap^2 = px - 2ap^2$$

$$y = px - ap^2$$

iv) locus: $x = 2a(p+q)$

$$y = a(p^2 + q^2)$$

$$\frac{y}{a} = p^2 + q^2$$

$$\frac{y}{a} = (p+q)^2 - 2pq$$

$$\therefore \frac{y}{a} = \left(\frac{x}{2a}\right)^2 + 8 \quad (pq = -4)$$

ii) tangent at Q: $y = g_1 x - ap^2$ tangent at P: $y = p_2 x - ap^2$

$$\therefore y = \frac{b}{4a} x^2 + 8a$$