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Maths Class: .....

**Year 11**  
**Mathematics**  
**Preliminary Course Final Exam**  
**September 2017**

*Time allowed: 120 minutes*

**General Instructions:**

- Marks for each question are indicated on the question.
- Approved calculators may be used
- All necessary working should be shown
- Full marks may not be awarded for careless work or illegible writing
- *Begin each question on a new page*
- Write using black or blue pen
- All answers are to be in the writing booklet provided
- A reference sheet is provided at the rear of this Question Booklet, and may be removed at any time.

Section I Multiple Choice  
Questions 1-8  
8 Marks

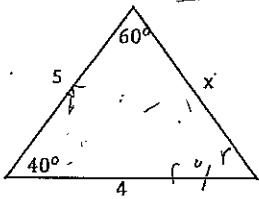
Section II Questions 9-16  
80 Marks

Total = 88 marks

**SECTION 1 (10 marks)**

Choose the letter corresponding to the correct answer and fill in the Answer sheet provided at the front of your answer booklet.

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1	Which of the following is NOT always a true statement? <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><del>A. The diagonals of a rhombus bisect at right angles</del></p> <p><del>B. The opposite angles of a rhombus are equal</del></p> <p><del>C. The diagonals of a parallelogram bisect at right angles</del></p> <p><del>D. The opposite angles of a parallelogram are equal</del></p> </div>
2	The quadratic equation $2x^2 - 4x + 5 = 0$ has: <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><del>A. No real roots</del></p> <p><del>B. 1 real root</del></p> <p><del>C. 2 equal roots</del></p> <p><del>D. 2 distinct Real roots</del></p> </div>
3	Which statement below is true for the diagram shown? <div style="text-align: center; margin: 10px 0;">  </div> <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p>A. <math>\cos 60^\circ = \frac{3^2 + 4^2 - x^2}{2 \times 5 \times 4}</math></p> <p>B. <math>\frac{4}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{x}{\sin 100^\circ}</math></p> <p>C. <math>x^2 = 25 + 16 - 2 \times 5 \times 4 \cos 60^\circ</math></p> <p>D. <math>\frac{5}{\sin 60^\circ} = \frac{x}{\sin 40^\circ}</math></p> </div>
4	Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2 - 2x + 3}{2x^2 - 5}$ <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p>A. <math>-\frac{3}{5}</math></p> <p>B. <math>\frac{2}{3}</math></p> <p>C. <math>\frac{3}{2}</math></p> <p>D. 1</p> </div>

**SECTION 2**

Complete all answers in your answer booklet provided

**QUESTION 9: (10 Marks)**

5	<p>If <math>f = \frac{2\sqrt{3}+3}{\sqrt{3}-2} = x + y\sqrt{3}</math>, then</p> <p>A. <math>x = 12</math> and <math>y = 7</math>          B. <math>x = -12</math> and <math>y = 7</math>          C. <math>x = 12</math> and <math>y = -7</math>          D. <math>x = -12</math> and <math>y = -7</math></p>
6	<p>If <math>y = \frac{1}{(5x-1)^2}</math> then <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = /</math></p> <p>A. <math>\frac{-10}{(5x-1)^3}</math>      B. <math>\frac{-10}{(5x-1)}</math>      C. <math>\frac{-2}{(5x-1)^3}</math>      D. <math>\frac{-2}{(5x-1)}</math></p>
7	<p>If <math>\cos \theta = \frac{k}{5}</math> for an acute angle <math>\theta</math>, then <math>\tan \theta =</math></p> <p>A. <math>\frac{\sqrt{25-k^2}}{k}</math>      B. <math>\frac{\sqrt{25-k^2}}{5}</math>      C. <math>\frac{5}{\sqrt{25-k^2}}</math>      D. <math>\frac{k}{\sqrt{25-k^2}}</math></p>
8	<p>If <math>5^{2x-1} = \frac{1}{125}</math> then <math>x =</math></p> <p>A. 13      B. -12      C. -2      D. -1</p>

Marks

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|-----|---|---|
| (a) | Expand and simplify: $(x+3)(x^2-3x+9)$  | 1 |
| (b) | Solve the equation: $ 3x-4  = 5$  | 2 |
| (c) | What is the size of one of the exterior angles of a regular pentagon?                         | 1 |
| (d) | (i) What are the Domain and Range of the function $f(x) = \sqrt{16-x^2}$ ?                    | 2 |
|     | (ii) Sketch $y=f(x)$  | 2 |
| (e) | Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = \frac{1}{4}x^3 - 4$ at the point P (2, -3) | 2 |

**QUESTION 10: (10 Marks) Start a new page**

(a) Find the derivatives of:

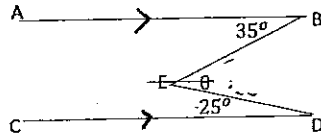
(i)  $y = x^3 + 3x - 1$

(ii)  $y = (3x - 5)^4$

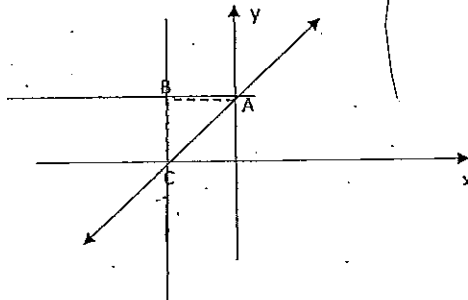
(iii)  $y = \frac{2}{x}$

(iv)  $2\sqrt{x}$

(b) Find the size of  $\theta$  in the following, given  $AB \parallel CD$ , (no reasons necessary)



(c) In the diagram below, the line AC is given as  $3x - 2y + 6 = 0$



B has the same x-coordinate as C and the same y-coordinate as A

(i) Find the point B.

(ii) Find the equation of the line through B perpendicular to line AC

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**QUESTION 11: (10 marks) Start a new page**

(a) For the function defined by:

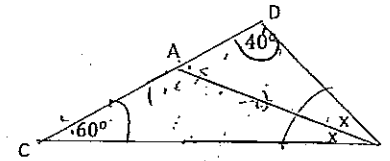
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x, & x \geq 1 \\ 2 - 2x, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

(i) Sketch  $y = f(x)$

(ii) Find the value of  $f(-1) + f(1) + f(3)$

(b) Solve simultaneously  $\begin{cases} 4x - y = 19 \\ x + 2y + 2 = 0 \end{cases}$

(c) In the diagram below, AB bisects  $\angle DBC$ ,  $\angle ACB = 60^\circ$  and  $\angle CDB = 40^\circ$



Copy the diagram into your answer booklet  
Setting out a formal proof, prove that  $\triangle CBA \parallel \triangle CDB$

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**QUESTION 12: (10 marks) Start a new page**

(a) Find the equation of the normal to the curve  $y = 2x^3 - 4x^2$  at the point (1, -2)

(b)  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the quadratic equation  $2x^2 - 3x + 5 = 0$   
(DO NOT ATTEMPT TO FIND THESE ROOTS)

Find the value of:

(i)  $\alpha + \beta$

(ii)  $\alpha\beta$

(iii)  $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta}$

(iv)  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$

(v)  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha}$

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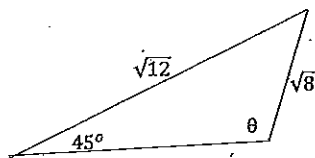
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**QUESTION 13: (10 Marks) Start a new page**

(a)



In the diagram above, find the value of  $\theta$ , if  $90^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$

(b) (i) On the same diagram shade the region corresponding to the simultaneous solution of:

$$(x-3)^2 + y^2 \leq 4 \quad \text{and} \quad x+y \geq 3$$

(ii) The point P lies somewhere in the shaded region described in part (i). At what point in the region above is P furthest from the origin? Give the co-ordinates of this point.

(c) If the roots of the quadratic equation  $kx^2 + (k-1)x + (2k+1) = 0$  are such that one root is the reciprocal of the other, find the value of k.

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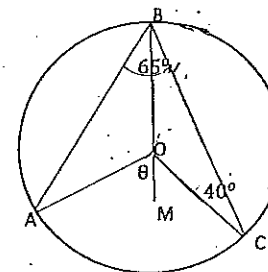
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**QUESTION 14: (10 Marks) Start a new page**

(a) For the figure below, O is the centre of the circle,  $\angle BCO = 40^\circ$   
 $\angle ABC = 65^\circ$   
 BO is produced to M.

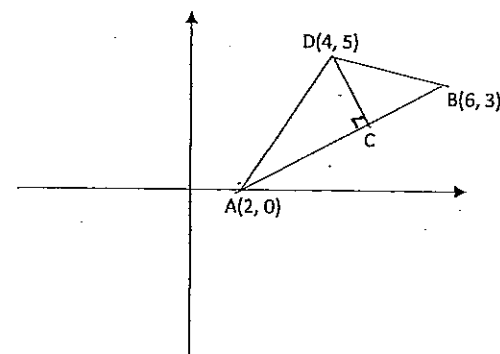


(i) Find the size of  $\angle ABM$

(ii) Find the size of  $\angle AOM$

You must provide reasons for each line of your proofs.

(b) The point A is (2,0) while B is (6, 3) and D (4, 5) as shown.



(i) Find the length of AB

(ii) Find the equation of the line AB in general form

(iii) Find the shortest distance of the point D from AB (ie CD)

(iv) Find the area of  $\triangle ABD$

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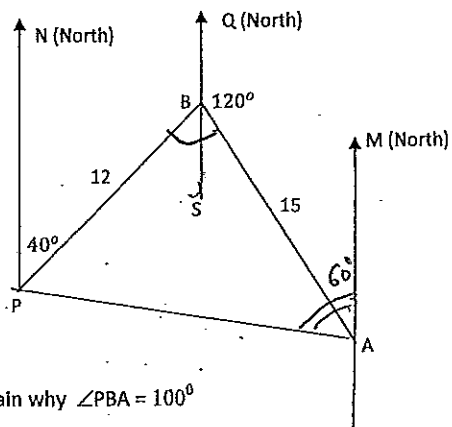
**QUESTION 15: (10 Marks) Start a new page**

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| (a) | If $f(x) = 3x^2$ , find $\frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h}$                         | Marks<br>3 |
| (b) | Prove that $\frac{\tan^2 x}{\sec x + 1} = \sec x - 1$                   | 2          |
| (c) | Solve $4\sin^2 \theta - 3 = 0$ for $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ | 3          |
| (d) | If $f(x) = x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ find the value of $f'(4)$                   | 2          |

**QUESTION 16: (10 Marks) Start a new page**

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| (a) | Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ if: |   |
|     | (i) $y = \sqrt{x^3 + 3}$ | 2 |
|     | (ii) $y = \frac{x}{x+1}$ | 2 |

- (b) The diagram below shows the course of a ship, which sails from a port P on a bearing of  $040^\circ$  for 12 km before changing course to a bearing of  $120^\circ$  and travelling a further 15 km to a destination A.



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|-------|---|---|
| (i)   | Explain why $\angle PBA = 100^\circ$                | 1 |
| (ii)  | Find the distance of A from P to the nearest km.    | 2 |
| (iii) | Find the bearing of P from A to the nearest degree. | 3 |

Mathematics Solutions

Multiple Choice

Q1. (C)

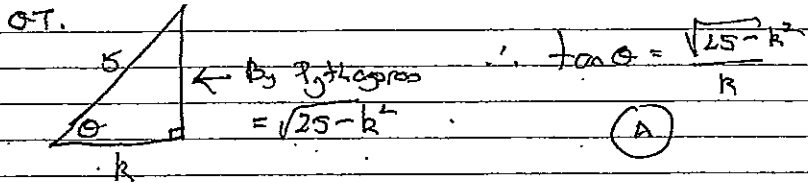
Q2.  $A = 16 - 4(2)(5)$

$< 0 \therefore (A)$

Q5.  $\frac{(2\sqrt{3}+3)(\sqrt{3}+2)}{3-4} = \frac{6+6+7\sqrt{3}}{-1}$

$= -12 - 7\sqrt{3} \therefore (D)$

Q6.  $\frac{d}{dx} (5x-1)^{-2} = -2(5)(5x-1)^{-3}$   
 $= \frac{-10}{(5x-1)^3} \therefore (A)$



Q8.  $5^{2x-1} = 5^{-2}$

$\therefore 2x-1 = -2$

$2x = -2$

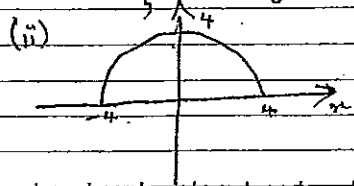
$x = -1 \therefore (D)$

QUESTION 9:

(a)  $x^3 + 27$  (b)  $3x = 9$  or  $3x = -1$   
 $\therefore x = 3$  or  $x = -\frac{1}{3}$

(c)  $\text{Sum} = 360^\circ \therefore \text{Each angle} = \frac{360}{5} = 72^\circ$

(d) (i)  $8 - k \leq x \leq 4$   
 $R: 0 \leq y \leq 4$



(e)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{4}x^2$   
 At  $(2, -2)$   $m_T = 3$   
 $\therefore$  Equation is  
 $y+2 = 3(x-2)$   
 $y = 3x - 8$

QUESTION 10:

(a) (i)  $3x^2 + 3$  (ii)  $12(3x-5)^2$

(iii)  $-\frac{2}{x^2}$  (iv)  $x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$  or  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$

(b)  $\theta = 60^\circ$

(c) (i) A is  $(0, 3)$  X is  $(-2, 0) \therefore B$  is  $(-2, 3)$

(ii)  $m_{AC} = \frac{3}{2}$   $m$  of perp =  $-\frac{2}{3}$

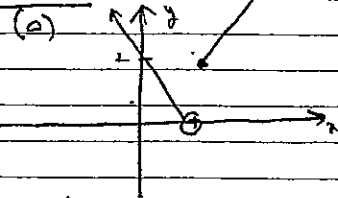
$\therefore$  Equation is

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

$3y-9 = -2x-4$

$2x+3y-5 = 0$

QUESTION 11:



(ii)  $f(-1) + f(1) + f(2)$

$= 4 + 2 + 6$

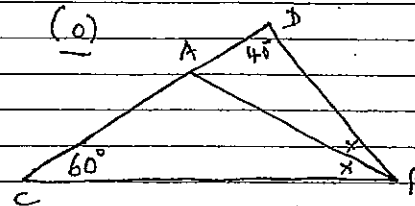
$= 12$

(b)  $8x - 2y = 38$  (1)

$x + 2y + 2 = 0$  (2)

(1)+(2)  $9x + 2 = 38$

$\therefore \begin{cases} x = 4 \\ y = -3 \end{cases}$



In  $\triangle CDB$ ,  $2x = 80^\circ$  (angle sum)

$\therefore x = 40^\circ$

$\therefore$  In  $\triangle CBA$  and  $\triangle CDB$

$\angle ACB = \angle BCD$  (same angle)

$\angle CBA = \angle CDB = 40^\circ$

$\therefore \triangle CBA \parallel \triangle CDB$  (equiangular)

QUESTION 12:

(a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x - 8$

at (1, -2)  $m_T = -2$   
 $m_{NL} = \frac{1}{2}$

Equation:

$y + 2 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)$   
 $2y + 4 = x - 1$   
 $2y = x - 5$

(b) (i)  $\alpha + \beta = \frac{3}{2}$  (ii)  $\alpha\beta = \frac{5}{2}$

(iii)  $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha\beta}$  (iv)  $\alpha + \beta = (\alpha + \beta)^2 - 2\alpha\beta$   
 $= \frac{3/2}{5/2} = \frac{3}{5}$   $= \frac{9}{4} - 5 = -\frac{11}{4}$

(v)  $\frac{\alpha}{\beta} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} = \frac{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}{\alpha\beta}$   
 $= \frac{-11/4}{5/2} = -\frac{11}{10}$

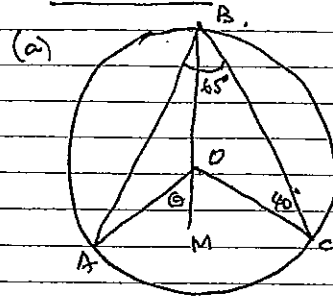
QUESTION 13:

(a) By sine rule,  $\frac{\sin \theta}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sin 45^\circ}{\sqrt{8}}$   
 $\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{8}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$   
 $\therefore \theta = 60^\circ$

(b) (i)  (ii)  $P = (5, 0)$

(c) Let the roots be  $\alpha$  and  $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ .  
 Product = 1 =  $\frac{2k+1}{k}$   
 $\therefore k = -1$

QUESTION 14:



(i) In  $\triangle BOC$ , OB and OC are radii.  
 $\therefore \angle OBC = 40^\circ$  (isosceles  $\triangle BOC$ )  
 $\therefore \angle ABM = 25^\circ$  (angle sum)

(ii)  $\triangle AOB$  is isosceles (equal radii)  
 $\therefore \angle BAO = 25^\circ$  (base angles are equal)  
 $\therefore \theta = 50^\circ$  (exterior angle of  $\triangle ABO$ )

(b)

(i)  $AB = \sqrt{(6-2)^2 + 3^2} = 5$

(ii)  $m_{AB} = \frac{3}{4}$  Equation AB:  $y = \frac{3}{4}(x-2)$   
 $4y = 3x - 6$   
 $3x - 4y - 6 = 0$

(iii)  $p = \left| \frac{3(4) - 4(5) - 6}{5} \right| = \frac{14}{5}$

(iv) Area (ABD) =  $\frac{1}{2}(AB)(CD)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{14}{5} \times 5 = 7$  units.

QUESTION 15:

(a)  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{3(x+h)^2 - 3x^2}{h}$   
 $= \frac{6xh + 3h^2}{h} = 6x + 3h$

(b)  $\frac{\tan^2 x (\sec x - 1)}{\sec^2 x - 1} = \frac{\tan^2 x (\sec x - 1)}{\tan^2 x} = \sec x - 1$

(c)  $\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$   
 $\therefore \theta = 60^\circ, 120^\circ, 240^\circ, 300^\circ$

(d)  $f'(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^{1/2} \Rightarrow f'(4) = \frac{3}{2}(2) = 3$

Question 16:

$$(a) (i) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} (x^2 + 3)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2x$$
$$= \frac{3x^2}{2\sqrt{x^2+3}}$$

$$(ii) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(x+1) \cdot 1 - x \cdot 1}{(x+1)^2}$$
$$= \frac{1}{(x+1)^2}$$

(b) (i)  $\angle POS = 40^\circ$  (alternate angles  $NP \parallel OS$ )  
and  $\angle OPA = 60^\circ$  (straight  $\angle OS$ )  
 $\therefore \angle PBA = 100^\circ$

(ii) In  $\triangle PBA$ ,  
 $PA^2 = 12^2 + 15^2 - 2 \times 12 \times 15 \cos 100^\circ$   
 $PA \approx 21 \text{ km}$

(iii)  $\angle BAP = 60^\circ$  (corresponding angles  
 $OS \parallel NP$ )  
Let  $\angle BAP = \theta$

$$\frac{\sin \theta}{12} = \frac{\sin 100^\circ}{21}$$

$$\therefore \theta = 34.24^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle PAM = 94.24^\circ$$

$$\therefore \text{Bearing is } (360 - 94.24)^\circ$$
$$= 265.76$$
$$= 266^\circ$$