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**YEAR 11 MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 1**

**PRELIMINARY TASK 1**

**24<sup>th</sup> March 2015**

**General Instructions**

- Reading Time – 3 minutes
- Working Time – 55 minutes
- Write using black or blue pen
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work
- Task Weighting – 25%
- Total Marks – 51

**SECTION I 18 marks**

- Attempt Questions 1 – 4 in one booklet
- Show all necessary working

**SECTION II 33 marks**

- Attempt Questions 5 – 6
- Answer each question in a separate booklet
- Show all necessary working

Question 1 – 3	/3
Question 4	/15
Question 5	/16
Question 6	/17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>/51</b>

**SECTION I**  
**Total Marks 18**  
**Attempt Questions 1 – 4**

**START A NEW BOOKLET**

Questions 1 to 3, answer either A, B, C or D.

**3 Marks**

**Question 1**

What is the exact value of  $\tan 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ$  ?

- (A)  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$     (B)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$
- (C)  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$     (D)  $\frac{1}{2}$

**Question 2**

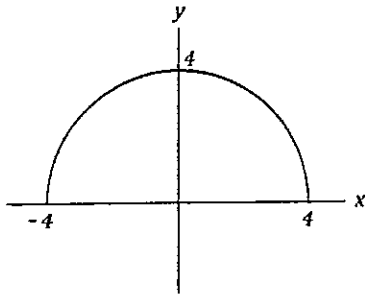
Determine the centre and radius of  $x^2 + y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0$ .

- (A) centre (0, 2) and radius =  $\sqrt{3}$  units
- (B) centre (0, 1) and radius =  $\sqrt{3}$  units
- (C) centre (1, 0) and radius = 2 units
- (D) centre (0, 1) and radius = 2 units

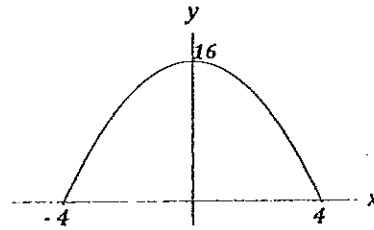
Question 3

Which one of the following graphs best represents the curve  $f(x) = \sqrt{16 - x^2}$ ?

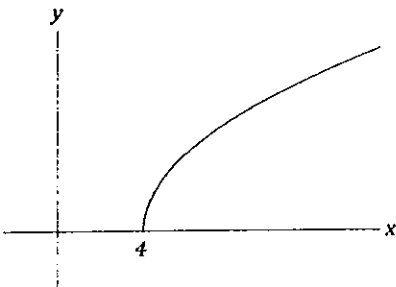
(A) Diagram not to scale



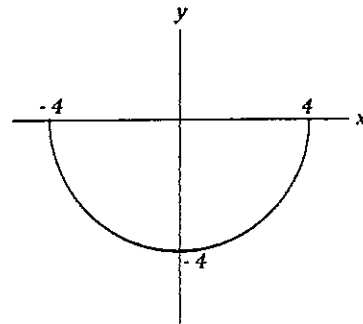
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(C) Diagram not to scale



(D) Diagram not to scale



Question 4 (15 marks)

Marks

- (a) Solve  $\frac{2}{x} \geq 5$  2
- (b) Solve  $\frac{2x+1}{3x-2} < 2$  3
- (c) Determine whether  $f(x) = \frac{3x}{x^4-2}$  is even, odd or neither. 2
- (d) Evaluate  $\frac{\cos 60^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ} + \cot 30^\circ$ . Leave your answer as an exact value. 2
- (e) For the parabola  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 8$ ,
- (i) Sketch  $y = f(x)$  for  $-5 \leq x \leq 4$ , clearly labelling the  $x$ -intercept(s),  $y$ -intercept(s) and the endpoints. 3
  - (ii) What is the minimum value of  $f(x)$ . 1
  - (iii) Find the range of  $f(x)$  for  $-5 \leq x \leq 4$ . 1
  - (iv) For what values of  $x$  is the curve decreasing? 1

End of Section I

**SECTION II**  
Total Marks 33

**Question 5 (16 marks) START A NEW BOOKLET** **Marks**

- (a) For  $f(x) = |2x + 1|$
- (i) Sketch the curve, clearly labelling all essential features, including any intercepts. 2
- (ii) State the natural domain and range. 1
- (b) For  $f(x) = 3^x + 1$
- (i) Sketch the curve, clearly labelling all essential features, including any intercepts and asymptotes. 2
- (ii) State the natural domain and range. 1
- (c) For  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+2} - 1$
- (i) Sketch the curve, clearly labelling all essential features, including any intercepts and asymptotes. 3
- (ii) State the natural domain and range. 1
- (d) A function is defined as below:
- $$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2 & \text{for } x \geq 0 \\ x + 1 & \text{for } x < 0 \end{cases}$$
- (i) Sketch  $f(x)$ , clearly labelling  $x$ -intercept(s) and  $y$ -intercept(s). 2
- (ii) Evaluate  $f(2) - 3f(-1) + f(0)$ . 2
- (e) Shade the region defined by  $(x - 1)^2 + (y - 1)^2 \leq 9$ ,  $x \leq 2$  and  $y \geq 1$ . 2

**Question 6 (17 marks) START A NEW BOOKLET** **Marks**

- (a) Ray drives from town P to his home on a bearing of  $300^\circ T$  for 30 km. Tina drives from town P to her home on a bearing of  $230^\circ T$  for 80 km.

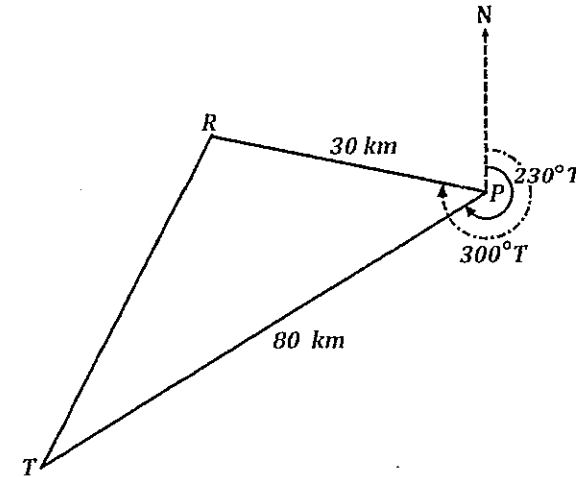


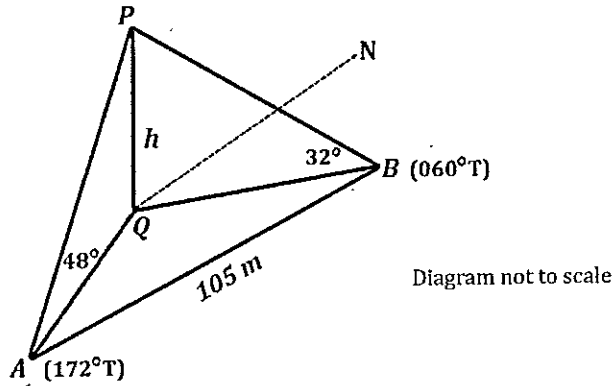
Diagram not to scale

- (i) What is the distance between Ray and Tina? 3  
Leave your answer to the nearest kilometre.
- (ii) Find the bearing of Tina from Ray. 3  
Leave your answer to the nearest degree.
- (b) State the largest possible domain for the function  $y = \sqrt{x^2 - 4x}$ . 2

**Question 6 continues**

Question 6 continued

- (c) From an observation tower  $PQ$  of height  $h$  metres, two points  $A$  and  $B$  at ground level have bearings of  $172^\circ T$  and  $060^\circ T$  respectively. The angles of elevation to the top of this tower from  $A$  is  $48^\circ$  and from  $B$  is  $32^\circ$ . The distance between the points  $A$  and  $B$  is  $105$  m.



- (i) Show that  $BQ = h \tan 58^\circ$ . 1
- (ii) Similarly, find an expression for  $AQ$ . 1
- (iii) Hence, find the height of the observation tower  $PQ$ , to the nearest metre. 3

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- (d)

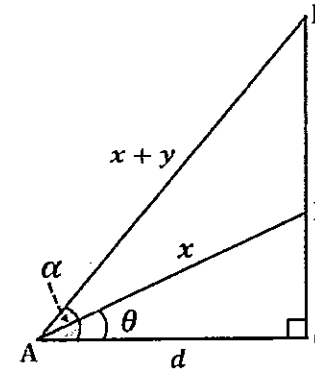


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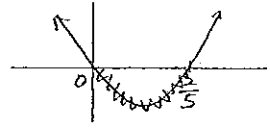
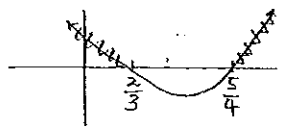
In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $AB = x + y$ ,  $AD = x$ ,  $AC = d$ ,  $\angle BAC = \alpha$  and  $\angle DAC = \theta$ .

- (i) Find an expression for  $\cos \theta$ . 1
- (ii) Prove that  $d = \frac{y \cos \theta \cos \alpha}{\cos \theta - \cos \alpha}$ . 3

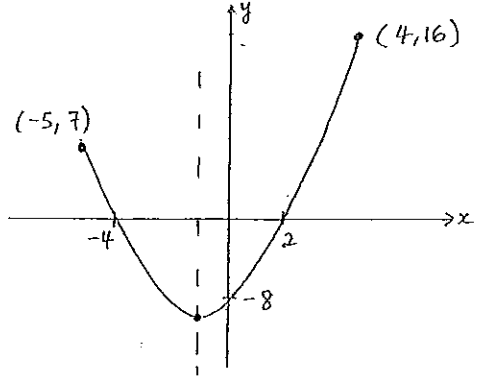
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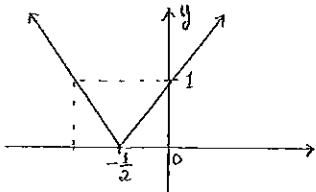
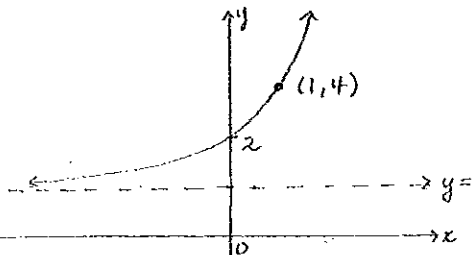
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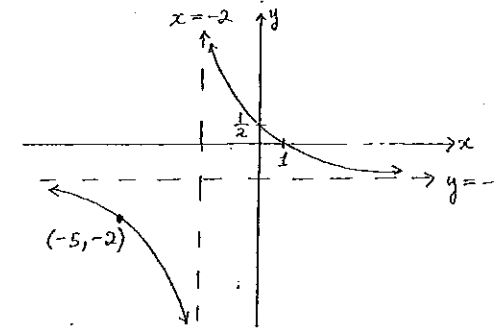
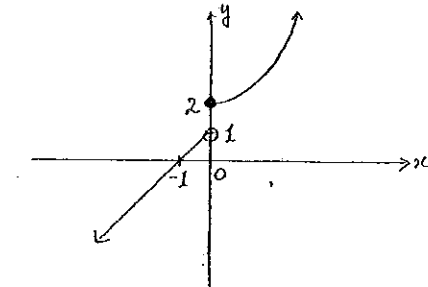
Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
	Year 11 Mathematics Extension 1 Preliminary Task 1 SOLUTIONS  Section 1		
①	$\tan 60^\circ \sin 30^\circ = \sqrt{3} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$		③
②	$x^2 + y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0$ $x^2 + y^2 - 2y = 3$ $x^2 + y^2 - 2y + \left(\frac{-2}{2}\right)^2 = 3 + \left(\frac{-2}{2}\right)^2$ $x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 1 = 4$ $x^2 + (y-1)^2 = 2^2$  $\therefore$ centre $(0, 1)$ and radius = 2 units		④
③	$f(x) = \sqrt{16 - x^2}$ is a positive semicircle with centre $(0, 0)$ and radius 4.		①

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
④	$\frac{2}{x} \geq 5$ where $x \neq 0$ $x^2 \times \frac{2}{x} \geq 5x^2$ $2x \geq 5x^2$ $0 \geq 5x^2 - 2x$ $0 \geq x(5x - 2)$		
(a)	 $\therefore 0 < x \leq \frac{2}{5}$	2	
(b)	$\frac{2x+1}{3x-2} < 2$ $(3x-2)^2 \times \frac{2x+1}{3x-2} < 2(3x-2)^2$ $(3x-2)(2x+1) < 2(3x-2)^2$ $0 < 2(3x-2)^2 - (3x-2)(2x+1)$ $0 < (3x-2)(6x-4-2x-1)$ $0 < (3x-2)(4x-5)$		
	 $\therefore x < \frac{2}{3}$ or $x > \frac{5}{4}$	3	

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
(c)	$f(x) = \frac{3x}{x^4 - 2}$ $f(-x) = \frac{3(-x)}{(-x)^4 - 2}$ $= -\frac{3x}{x^4 - 2}$ $= -f(x)$ <p><math>\therefore</math> it's an odd function</p>	2	
(d)	$\frac{\cos 60^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ} + \cot 30^\circ = \frac{\cos 60^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ} + \frac{1}{\tan 30^\circ}$ $= \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}}$ $= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \sqrt{3}$ <p>OR</p> $= \frac{\sqrt{2} + 2\sqrt{3}}{2}$	2	
(e)	$f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 8$ <p>(i) x-intercept when <math>y = 0</math>:</p> $0 = x^2 + 2x - 8$ $0 = (x+4)(x-2)$ <p><math>\therefore x = -4</math> or <math>x = 2</math></p> <p>y-intercept when <math>x = 0</math>:</p> $y = 0^2 + 2(0) - 8$ <p><math>\therefore y = -8</math></p>	2	

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
	<p>when <math>x = -5</math>, <math>y = (-5)^2 + 2(-5) - 8</math>  <math>= 7</math></p> <p>when <math>x = 4</math>, <math>y = 4^2 + 2(4) - 8</math>  <math>= 16</math></p> 		
(ii)	<p>axis of symmetry = <math>\frac{-4 + 2}{2}</math>  <math>= -1</math></p> <p>then <math>f(-1) = (-1)^2 + 2(-1) - 8</math>  <math>= -9</math></p> <p><math>\therefore</math> minimum value of <math>f(x)</math> is <math>-9</math>.</p>	1	
(iii)	<p>range of <math>f(x)</math> is <math>-9 \leq y \leq 16</math></p>	1	
(iv)	<p><math>x &lt; -1</math></p> <p>OR</p> <p><math>-5 \leq x &lt; -1</math> (for restricted domain)</p>		

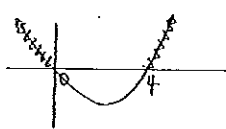
Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
	Section 2		
(5)			
(a)	$f(x) =  2x+1 $ (i) $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x+1 & \text{for } x \geq -\frac{1}{2} \\ -(2x+1) & \text{for } x < -\frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$ for $f(x) = 2x+1$ : $y$ -intercept = 1 $x$ -intercept = $-\frac{1}{2}$ 	2	
(ii)	Domain: $x \in \mathbb{R}$ Range: $y \geq 0$	1	
(b)	$f(x) = 3^x + 1$ (i) 	2	
(ii)	Domain: $x \in \mathbb{R}$ Range: $y > 1$	1	

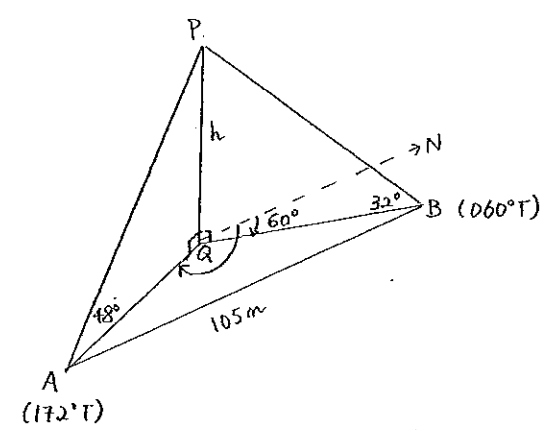
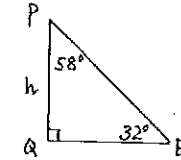
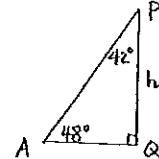
Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
(c)	$f(x) = \frac{3}{x+2} - 1$ (i) vertical asymptote: $x+2=0$ $x=-2$ horizontal asymptote: $y=-1$ 	3	
(ii)	Domain: $x \in \mathbb{R}$ but $x \neq -2$ Range: $y \in \mathbb{R}$ but $y \neq -1$	1	
(d)	$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 2 & \text{for } x \geq 0 \\ x + 1 & \text{for } x < 0 \end{cases}$ (i) 	2	

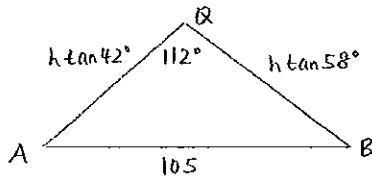
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	<p>(ii) <math>f(2) = 2^2 + 2 = 6</math></p> <p><math>f(-1) = -1 + 1 = 0</math></p> <p><math>f(0) = 0^2 + 2 = 2</math></p> <p><math>\therefore f(2) - 3f(-1) + f(0) = 6 - 3(0) + 2</math> <math>= 8</math></p>	2	
(e)	<p>test <math>(0, 0)</math> for <math>(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2 \leq 9</math></p> $(0-1)^2 + (0-1)^2 \leq 9$ $1 + 1 \leq 9$ $2 \leq 9$ <p><math>\therefore</math> True</p>	2	

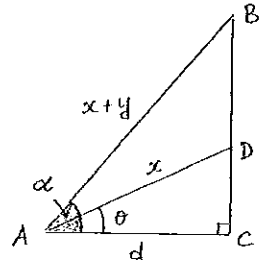
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⑥ (a)	<p>(i) <math>\angle RPT = 300^\circ - 230^\circ</math> <math>= 70^\circ</math></p> <p>using Cosine Rule:</p> $RT^2 = PT^2 + RP^2 - 2 \times PT \times RP \times \cos \angle RPT$ $= 80^2 + 30^2 - 2 \times 80 \times 30 \times \cos 70^\circ$ $RT = 75.2210\dots$ <p><math>\therefore RT = 75</math> km (nearest km)</p> <p><math>\therefore</math> the distance between Ray and Tida is 75 km.</p> <p>(ii) <math>\angle N_1PR = 360^\circ - 300^\circ</math> (L of revolution)</p> $= 60^\circ$ <p><math>\angle N_2RP = 180^\circ - \angle N_1PR</math> (interior ls of // lines are supplementary)</p> $= 180^\circ - 60^\circ$ $= 120^\circ$ <p>using Sine Rule:</p> $\frac{\sin \angle TRP}{TP} = \frac{\sin \angle RPT}{RT}$	3	



Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
	$\frac{\sin \angle TRP}{80} = \frac{\sin 70^\circ}{75.2216...} \quad \text{using part (i)}$ $\angle TRP = \sin^{-1} \left( \frac{80 \sin 70^\circ}{75.2216...} \right)$ $= 87.9899...$ $= 88^\circ \quad (\text{nearest degree})$ <p>then <math>\angle N_2RT = \angle TRP + \angle N_2RP</math></p> $= 88^\circ + 120^\circ$ $= 208^\circ$ <p><math>\therefore</math> the bearing of Tina from Ray is <math>208^\circ T</math>.</p>		
(b)	$y = \sqrt{x^2 - 4x}$ <p>Domain: <math>x^2 - 4x \geq 0</math></p> $x(x-4) \geq 0$  <p><math>\therefore x \leq 0</math> or <math>x \geq 4</math></p>	2	

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
(c)	 <p>(i) In <math>\triangle PQB</math>:</p>  $\angle QPB = 180^\circ - 90^\circ - 32^\circ \quad (\angle \text{sum of } \triangle)$ $= 58^\circ$ $\tan 58^\circ = \frac{BQ}{h}$ <p><math>\therefore BQ = h \tan 58^\circ</math> as required</p> <p>(ii) In <math>\triangle PQA</math>:</p>  $\angle APQ = 180^\circ - 90^\circ - 48^\circ \quad (\angle \text{sum of } \triangle)$ $= 42^\circ$ $\tan 42^\circ = \frac{AQ}{h}$ <p><math>\therefore AQ = h \tan 42^\circ</math></p>	1	1

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
(iii)	<p>In <math>\triangle AQB</math>:</p>  <p><math>\angle AQB = \angle NQA - \angle NQB</math>  <math>= 172^\circ - 60^\circ</math>  <math>= 112^\circ</math></p> <p>using Cosine Rule:</p> $AB^2 = AQ^2 + BQ^2 - 2 \times AQ \times BQ \times \cos \angle AQB$ $105^2 = (h \tan 42^\circ)^2 + (h \tan 58^\circ)^2 - 2(h \tan 42^\circ)(h \tan 58^\circ) \cos 112^\circ$ $= (\tan^2 42^\circ) h^2 + (\tan^2 58^\circ) h^2 - 2 \tan 42^\circ \tan 58^\circ \cos 112^\circ h^2$ $h^2 = \frac{105^2}{\tan^2 42^\circ + \tan^2 58^\circ - 2 \tan 42^\circ \tan 58^\circ \cos 112^\circ}$ $h = 49.767 \dots$ $h = 50 \text{ m (nearest metre)}$ <p><math>\therefore</math> The height of the observation tower PQ is 50m.</p>	3	

Qn	Solutions	Marks	Comment: Criteria
(d)	 <p>(i) In <math>\triangle ACD</math>: <math>\cos \theta = \frac{AC}{AD}</math>  <math>\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{d}{x}</math> ①</p> <p>(ii) In <math>\triangle ABC</math>: <math>\cos \alpha = \frac{AC}{AB}</math>  <math>\cos \alpha = \frac{d}{x+y}</math> ②</p> <p>rewriting ①: <math>x = \frac{d}{\cos \theta}</math> ③</p> <p>rewriting ②: <math>x+y = \frac{d}{\cos \alpha}</math>  <math>x = \frac{d}{\cos \alpha} - y</math> ④</p> <p>substitute ③ and ④:</p> $\frac{d}{\cos \alpha} - y = \frac{d}{\cos \theta}$ $\frac{d}{\cos \alpha} - \frac{d}{\cos \theta} = y$ $\frac{d \cos \theta - d \cos \alpha}{\cos \alpha \cos \theta} = y$ $d(\cos \theta - \cos \alpha) = y \cos \alpha \cos \theta$ $\therefore d = \frac{y \cos \alpha \cos \theta}{\cos \theta - \cos \alpha} \text{ as required}$	1 2 OR	<p>show:</p> $d = \frac{y \left(\frac{d}{x}\right) \left(\frac{d}{x+y}\right)}{\frac{d}{x} - \frac{d}{x+y}}$ $\text{RHS} = \frac{\frac{d^2 y}{x(x+y)}}{\frac{d(x+y) - dx}{x(x+y)}}$ $= \frac{d^2 y}{dx + dy - dx}$ $= d$ $= \text{LHS}$