



2011  
TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE  
EXAMINATION

# Mathematics Extension 1

## General Instructions

- Reading Time- 5 minutes
- Working Time – 2 hours
- Write using a black or blue pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper.
- All necessary working should be shown for every question.
- Begin each question in a new booklet.

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<b>QUESTION 1</b>	<b>(12 MARKS)</b>	<b>Begin a NEW booklet.</b>	<b>Marks</b>
a)	Calculate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 3x}{2x}$ .		<b>1</b>
b)	Solve $\frac{x}{2x-1} \geq 3$ .		<b>3</b>
c)	If $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ are the roots of the equation $4x^3 - 6x^2 - 3x + 8 = 0$ , find the value of		
	(i) $\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma$		<b>1</b>
	(ii) $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{1}{\gamma}$ .		<b>2</b>
d)	If $\log_5 10 = 2.48$ find the exact value of $\log_5 4$ .		<b>2</b>
e)	Use the substitution $u = x^2 - 3$ to evaluate $\int_2^6 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 3}} dx$ .		<b>3</b>

**QUESTION 2** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

a) (i) Prove that  $\frac{1 + \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \cot \theta$ . 2

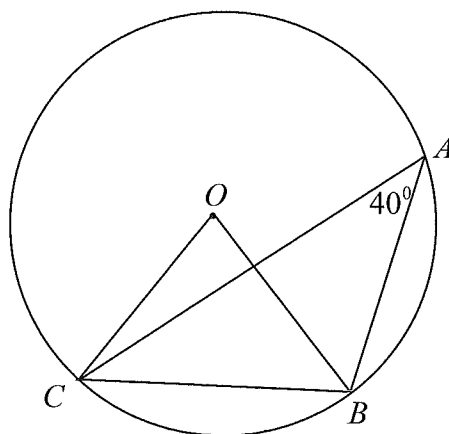
(ii) Hence calculate the exact value of  $\cot \frac{\pi}{12}$ . 2

b) A polynomial is given by  $P(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 8$ . 3

Determine the values of  $a$  and  $b$  if  $(x + 4)$  is a factor of  $P(x)$  and 18 is the remainder when  $P(x)$  is divided by  $(x + 1)$ .

c) Find the exact value of  $\int_{\sqrt{2}}^{\sqrt{6}} \frac{dx}{6 + 3x^2}$ . 3

d) In the diagram below  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are points on the circumference of a circle centre  $O$ . If  $\angle CAB = 40^\circ$ , find the size of  $\angle OBC$  giving reasons for your answer. 2



**QUESTION 3** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

**Marks**

- a) Use one application of Newton's method to find a second approximation to the root of the equation  $3 \sin x - 2x = 0$ , by taking  $1.56$  as your first approximation.

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Write your answer correct to 2 decimal places.

- b) Find the term independent of  $x$  in the expansion of

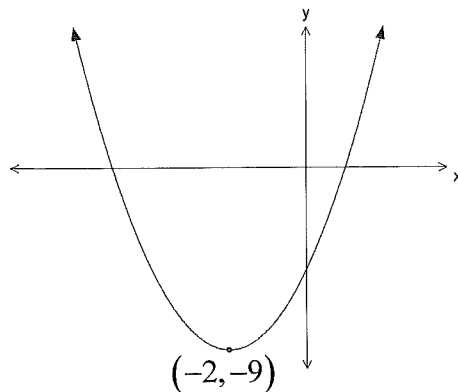
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$$\left(x^2 - \frac{1}{x^3}\right)^{10}.$$

- c) Show that the function  $f(x) = \frac{e^x}{4 - e^x}$  is monotonically increasing over the domain of  $x$ .

**2**

- d) The graph of  $g(x) = x^2 + 4x - 5$  is shown in the diagram.



- (i) Sketch the graph of the inverse function of  $g(x) = x^2 + 4x - 5$ , for  $x \geq -2$ .

**1**

- (ii) State the domain of the inverse function  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

**1**

- (iii) Find an expression for  $y = g^{-1}(x)$  in terms of  $x$ .

**2**

**QUESTION 4** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

**Marks**

a) Find  $\int \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta \, d\theta$  by using the substitution  $u = \cos \theta$ .

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b) Evaluate  $\sin \left[ \tan^{-1}(-\sqrt{3}) \right]$ .

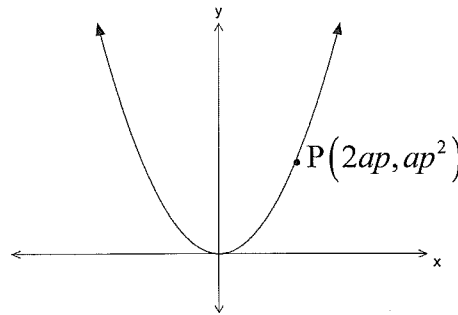
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c) A spherical balloon is inflated at a constant rate of  $12 \cdot 6 \text{ cm}^3 / \text{s}$ .  
At what rate is the surface area increasing when the radius of the  
balloon is 12 cm?

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$$SA = 4\pi r^2 \text{ and } V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3.$$

d)  $P(2ap, ap^2)$  is a point on the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$  as shown in the  
diagram drawn below.



The equation of the normal to the curve at P is  $x + py = 2ap + ap^3$ .  
DO NOT prove this.

(i) Find the co-ordinates of the point Q where the normal at P  
meets the y-axis.

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(ii) Show that the co-ordinates of the point R, which divides the  
interval PQ externally in the ratio 1 : 2 are given by  $(4ap, ap^2 - 2a)$

2

(iii) Find the Cartesian equation of the locus of R.

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**QUESTION 5** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

**Marks**

- a) Consider the function  $y = 4 \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$
- (i) State the domain and range of the function. 2
- (ii) Sketch the graph of the function showing all essential features. 1
- (iii) Calculate the gradient of the tangent to the curve at the point where  $x = \sqrt{5}$ . 2
- b) The area bounded by the curve  $y = \sin 2x$ , the  $x$ -axis and the line  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}$  is rotated about the  $x$ -axis. 3
- Calculate the exact volume of the solid of revolution.
- c) The rate of growth of bacteria in a culture is given by  $\frac{dN}{dt} = k(N - 800)$ , where  $N$  is the number of bacteria and  $t$  is time, in seconds.
- (i) Show that  $N = 800 + Ae^{kt}$  is a solution of this equation. 1
- (ii) Initially there are 1 000 bacteria and five seconds later there are 1 700 bacteria present in the culture. Calculate the number of bacteria present after ten seconds. 3

**QUESTION 6** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

**Marks**

a) (i) Express  $\sqrt{3} \sin \theta - \cos \theta$  in the form  $R \sin(\theta - \alpha)$  2  
where  $R$  is positive and  $\alpha$  is acute.

(ii) Hence solve  $\sqrt{3} \sin \theta - \cos \theta = -1$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ . 2

b) Write the binomial expansion of  $(3a - 2b)^4$  in simplified form. 2

c) Use the table of standard integrals to show that  $\int_6^{10} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x^2 - 36}} = \log_e 3$ . 2

d) Use the principle of Mathematical Induction to prove that for all positive integers

$$\frac{1}{1 \times 3} + \frac{1}{3 \times 5} + \frac{1}{5 \times 7} + \dots + \frac{1}{(2n-1)(2n+1)} = \frac{n}{2n+1} \quad 4$$

**QUESTION 7** (12 MARKS) Begin a NEW booklet.

**Marks**

- a) The acceleration of a particle P is given by  $\ddot{x} = 4x(x^2 - 1)$ , **3**

where  $x$  is the displacement of the particle from the origin, in metres, after  $t$  seconds. Initially the particle is at the origin, moving to the right with a velocity of  $\sqrt{2}$  m/s.

Prove that the velocity of the particle is  $v = -\sqrt{2}(x^2 - 1)$ .

- b) Consider the expansion of  $\left(x + \frac{3}{x^2}\right)^8$  with the general term  $T_{k+1}$ .

(i) Show that  $\frac{T_{k+1}}{T_k} = \frac{9-k}{k} \times \frac{3}{x^3}$  **3**

- (ii) Hence calculate the greatest co-efficient in the expansion. **2**

- c) A particle is moving in simple harmonic motion about a fixed point, with a velocity measured in metres/second, given by  $v^2 = 21 + 4x - x^2$ .

- (i) Between what two points is the particle oscillating? **1**

- (ii) What is the centre of the motion? **1**

- (iii) Write the amplitude of the motion. **1**

- (iv) Calculate the particle's maximum speed. **1**