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**TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL
CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION**

Mathematics Extension 2

General Instructions

- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 180 minutes
- Write using black pen.
- Board approved calculators may be used
- Show all necessary working in Questions 11–16
- A table of standard integrals is on the back of the multiple choice answer sheet

Total Marks - 100 Marks

Section I **10 Marks**

- Attempt Questions 1–10
- Allow about 15 minutes for this section.

Section II **90 Marks**

- Attempt Questions 11–16
- Allow about 2 hour 45 minutes for this section.

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Section I

Objective-response Questions

Total marks – 10

Attempt Questions 1 – 10

Answer each question on the multiple choice answer sheet provided.

1 Let $u = 7 \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + 7i \sin \frac{\pi}{4}$ and $v = a \cos b + ai \sin b$, where a and b are real constants.

If $uv = 42 \cos \frac{\pi}{20} + 42i \sin \frac{\pi}{20}$, then

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| (A) $a = 35$ and $b = \frac{\pi}{5}$ | (B) $a = 6$ and $b = \frac{\pi}{5}$ |
| (C) $a = 35$ and $b = -\frac{\pi}{5}$ | (D) $a = 6$ and $b = -\frac{\pi}{5}$ |

2 If $z^2 = 4 \operatorname{cis} \left(\frac{4\pi}{3} \right)$, then z is equal to

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|---------------------------------------|---|
| (A) $\sqrt{3} + i$ or $-\sqrt{3} - i$ | (B) $1 - \sqrt{3}i$ or $-1 + \sqrt{3}i$ |
| (C) $\sqrt{3} - i$ or $\sqrt{3} + i$ | (D) $1 - \sqrt{3}i$ or $1 + \sqrt{3}i$ |

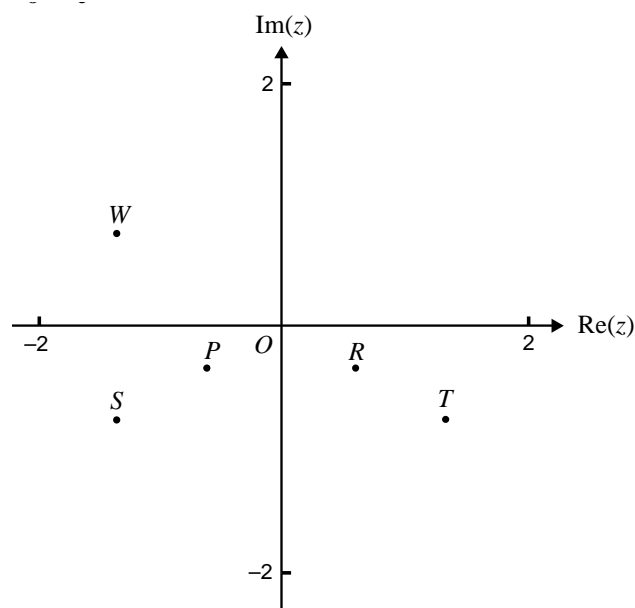
3 Let $z = \cos \frac{5\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{5\pi}{6}$.

The imaginary part of $z - i$ is

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| (A) $-\frac{i}{2}$ | (B) $-\frac{3i}{2}$ | (C) $-\frac{1}{2}$ | (D) $-\frac{3}{2}$ |
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4 The point W on the Argand diagram below represents a number w where $|w| = 1.5$. The number w^{-1} is best represented by the point

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| (A) P | (B) R | (C) S | (D) T |
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5 $P(z)$ is a polynomial in z of degree 4 with real coefficients

Which one of the following statements must be false?

- (A) $P(z)$ has four real roots.
- (B) $P(z)$ has two real roots and two non-real roots.
- (C) $P(z)$ has one real root and three non-real roots.
- (D) $P(z)$ has no real roots.

6 The graph of $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + mx - n}$, where m and n are real constants, has no vertical asymptotes if

- (A) $m^2 < -4n$ (B) $m^2 > -4n$ (C) $m^2 < 4n$ (D) $m^2 > 4n$

7 Consider the graph of $f(x) = \sin^3 x$ for $-\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$.

The area bounded by the graph of $f(x)$ and the x -axis could be found by evaluating

- (A) $\int_{-1}^1 (1-u^2) du$ (B) $3 \int_{-1}^1 (1-u^2) du$
(C) $-\int_{-1}^1 (1-u^2) du$ (D) $-3 \int_{-1}^1 (1-u^2) du$

8 Given that $\frac{dy}{dx} = y^2 + 1$, and that $y = 1$ at $x = 0$, then

- (A) $y = y^2x + x + 1$ (B) $y = \tan\left(x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$
(C) $y = \tan\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$ (D) $x = \log_e\left(\frac{y^2 + 1}{2}\right)$

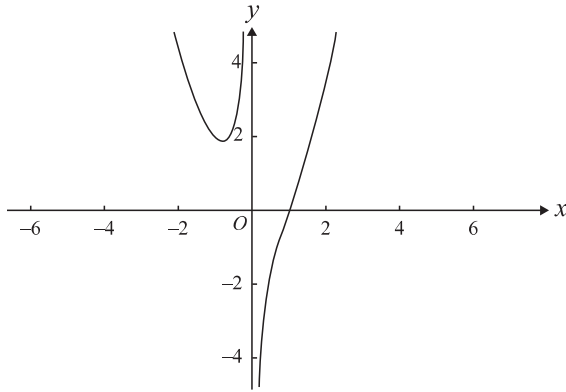
9 The velocity v m/s of a body which is moving in a straight line, when it is x m from the origin, is given by $v = \sin^{-1} x$.

The acceleration of the body in m/s^2 is given by

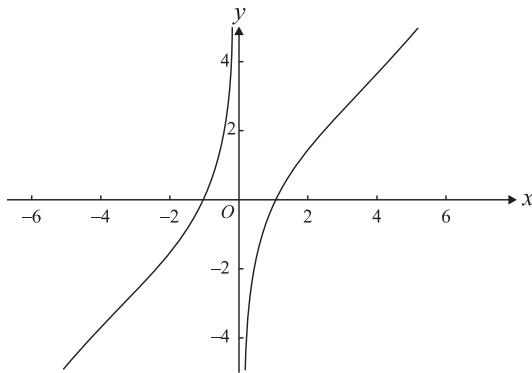
- (A) $-\cos^{-1} x$ (B) $\cos^{-1} x$ (C) $-\frac{\sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$ (D) $\frac{\sin^{-1} x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$

10 Let $f(x) = \frac{x^k + a}{x}$, where k and a are real constants.

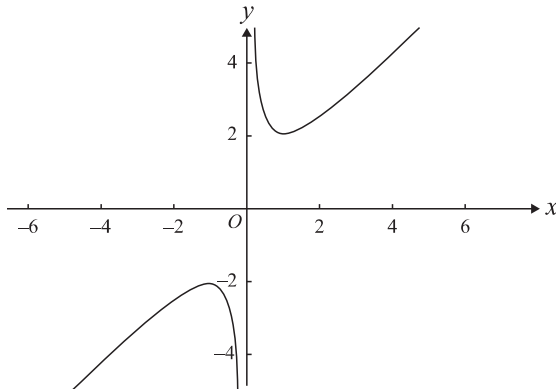
If k is an odd integer which is greater than 1 and $a < 0$, a possible graph of f could be
 (A)



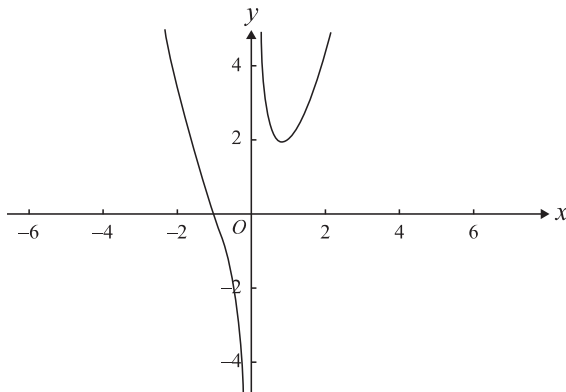
(B)



(C)



(D)



End of Section I

Section II**Free response Questions****Total marks – 90****Attempt Questions 11 – 16**Answer each question in a SEPARATE writing booklet. Extra writing booklets are available.

Question 11 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Use the substitution $x = \sin^2 \theta$ to evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\sqrt{x}}{(1-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}} dx$ **3**

(b) Find $\int x\sqrt{3-x} dx$. **2**

(c) (i) By completing the square, find the exact value of $\int_{\frac{1}{8}}^{\frac{1}{4}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2x(1-2x)}} dx$ **2**

(ii) Hence, evaluate $\int_{\frac{1}{8}}^{\frac{1}{4}} \frac{1-x}{\sqrt{2x(1-2x)}} dx$ **2**

(d) Find the value of the discriminant for the quadratic equation $(1+i)z^2 + 4iz - 2(1-i) = 0$ **2**

(e) (i) Find the value of $\left(\cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6}\right)^6$. **1**

(ii) Show that $(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)(1 + \cos \theta - i \sin \theta) = 1 + \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$. **1**

(iii) Hence show that $\left(1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{6} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{6}\right)^6 + \left(1 + \cos \frac{\pi}{6} - i \sin \frac{\pi}{6}\right)^6 = 0$. **2**

Question 12 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) The line $x = 8$ is a directrix of the ellipse with equation **2**

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1, \quad a > b > 0$$

and $(2, 0)$ is the corresponding focus.
Find the value of a and b .

- (b) (i) Show that $2 - i$ is a solution of the equation $z^3 - (2 - i)z^2 + z - 2 + i = 0$. **2**

- (ii) Hence find all the solutions of the equation $z^3 - (2 - i)z^2 + z - 2 + i = 0$. **2**

- (c) Consider the function $f(x) = \log_e(4 - x^2)$.

- (i) By first sketching $y = 4 - x^2$, sketch $y = f(x)$. **2**

Let A be the magnitude of the area enclosed by the graph of $y = f(x)$, the coordinate axes and the line $x = 1$.

- (ii) Without evaluating A , use (i) to show that $\log_e 3 < A < \log_e 4$. **1**

- (iii) Find $\int \frac{x^2}{4 - x^2} dx$. **3**

- (iv) Hence find the exact value of A in the form $a + b \log_e c$, where a , b and c are integers. **3**

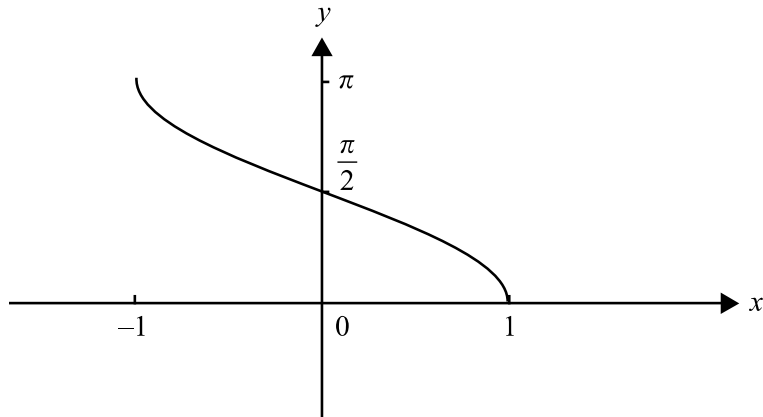
Question 13 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Prove using induction for integers $n \geq 2$.

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$$n^{n+1} > n(n+1)^{n-1}$$

(b) The diagram below shows the graph of $y = \cos^{-1} x$.



Using the method of cylindrical shells, find the exact volume formed if the graph above is rotated about the y -axis.

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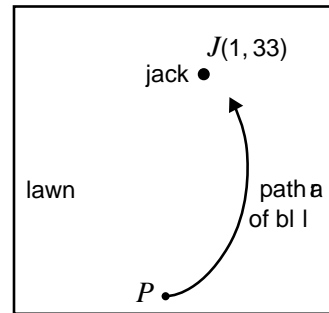
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- (c) The game of lawn bowls is played on a horizontal lawn. The aim is to roll a ball (usually called a ‘bowl’) to come to rest as close as possible to a target ball called the ‘jack’.



Bowler



View from above

All displacements are in metres.

At one stage during the game, the jack is at the point $J(1, 33)$.

The path of a particular ball in this game is modelled by:

$$x = 2 \sin\left(\frac{2t}{15}\right) \text{ and } y = 2 + \frac{5}{3}t - \frac{5}{3} \sin\left(\frac{t}{3}\right), \quad 0 \leq t \leq \frac{15\pi}{2}$$

where t is the time in seconds after the ball is released from the point P .

- (i) Write down the coordinates of P . 1
- (ii) Find expressions for the components of velocity, in metres per second, of the ball at time t seconds after the ball is released. 2
- (iii) At the instant the ball is released, what angle does its path make with the forward direction? 2
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.
- (iv) At what time, correct to the nearest tenth of a second, does the ball begin to swing left towards the jack? 2
- (v) Determine whether the path of the ball passes through J . 2

End of Question 13

Question 14 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

A ‘parasailing’ water-skier i.e. a water-skier with a parachute attached of mass 90 kg is towed by a boat in a straight line from rest.

The boat exerts a constant force of 410 N acting horizontally on the skier.

At this stage the resistance acting on the skier is a constant 50 N, which acts horizontally.

(a) By use of a force diagram, show that the acceleration of the skier is 4 m/s^2 . 2

(b) By starting with $a = 4$, show that the speed of the skier, is given by $v^2 = 8x$, where x is the horizontal distance travelled by the skier. 2
Hence show that having been towed a distance of 32 m, his speed is 16 m/s.

After the skier has been towed 32 m across the water the drag of the parachute becomes significant. The drag of the parachute produces an *additional* resistance of $6v \text{ N}$ to the horizontal motion of the skier, where $v \text{ m/s}$ is the velocity of the skier. Let $a \text{ m/s}^2$ is the acceleration of the skier.

(c) Show that $a = \frac{1}{15}(60 - v)$ 1

(d) Find the time required to reach a speed of 20 m/s from a speed of 16 m/s. 3
Give your answer in seconds, correct to one decimal place.

After some time, the parasailing skier is being towed horizontally at a *constant speed* and at a fixed distance above the water.

The tow rope from the boat makes an angle of 30° to the horizontal, and the parachute cord makes an angle of θ to the horizontal.

The diagram below shows all the forces that are now acting on the parasailing water skier:

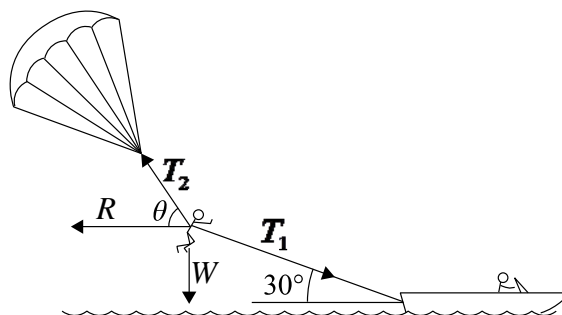
The tow rope now exerts a force, T_1 , of 500 N on the skier.

The skier is experiencing a horizontal resistance, R , of 100 N.

Let the tension exerted by the parachute cord on the skier be T_2 ,

and the force due to gravity on the skier be W .

Take $g = 10$, where g is the magnitude of the acceleration due to gravity.



(e) By resolving in the horizontal and vertical directions, show that 3

$$\begin{cases} 500 \cos 30^\circ - T_2 \cos \theta - 100 = 0 \\ T_2 \sin \theta - 500 \sin 30^\circ - 90g = 0 \end{cases}$$

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(f) Show that $\tan \theta = \frac{115}{25\sqrt{3} - 10}$. **2**

(g) Hence, find the value of T_2 correct to the nearest integer. **2**

End of Question 14

Question 15 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

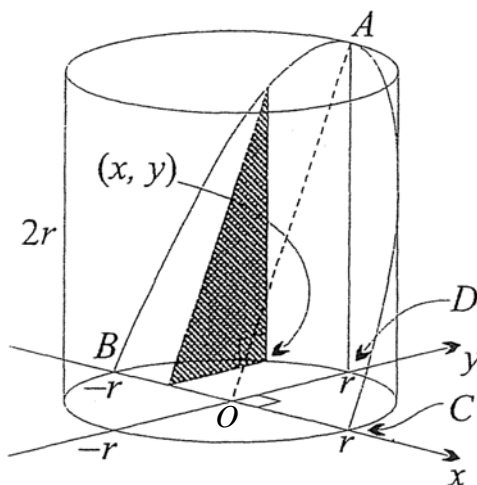
- (a) The diagram below shows a cylindrical wedge $ABCD$, the cross sections of which are all right triangles.

Each cross section is similar to triangle AOD .

The base of each cross section is parallel to OD .

The height of the cylinder is equal to the diameter of its base.

Let the radius of the base be r units.



- (i) Show that the typical triangular cross-section shaded has area $(r^2 - x^2)$ square units. 2

- (ii) Hence find the volume of the wedge. 2

- (b) For positive real numbers x and y

- (i) Prove that $\frac{x+y}{2} \geq \sqrt{xy}$ 2

When is there equality?

- (ii) Hence by considering $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}$, or otherwise, prove that $\frac{2ab}{a+b} \leq \sqrt{ab}$ 1
for positive real numbers a, b .

- (iii) Hence, or otherwise prove that $\frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+1} > \frac{3}{x}$ for any $x > 1$ 2

- (iv) If $H = 1 + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{7} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}$, where n is an integer $n > 1$, 2

use (iii) to show that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} H = \infty$.

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(c) (i) Given that ω is one of the non-real roots of $z^3 = 1$, **1**
show that $1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$.

(ii) Using (i), or otherwise, show that **3**

$$\left(\frac{\omega}{1+\omega}\right)^k + \left(\frac{\omega^2}{1+\omega^2}\right)^k = (-1)^k 2 \cos \frac{2}{3} k \pi, \text{ where } k \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

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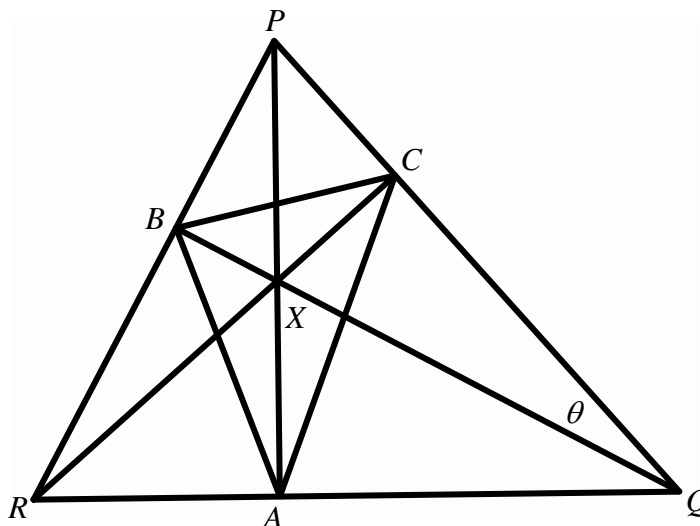
Question 16 (15 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) $I_n = \int_0^a (a-x)^n \cos x \, dx$, $a > 0$ and n is an integer with $n \geq 0$.

(i) Show that, for $n \geq 2$, $I_n = na^{n-1} - n(n-1)I_{n-2}$. 3

(ii) Hence evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)^3 \cos x \, dx$ 3

- (b) In the figure below, $\triangle PQR$ is acute angled and AP , BQ and CR are altitudes concurrent at X . Also $\angle XQC = \theta$. $\triangle ABC$ is called the *pedal triangle* of $\triangle PQR$.



(i) Prove that $\angle XRB = \theta$. 2

(ii) Prove that X, A, Q and C are concyclic. 1

(iii) Deduce that $\angle XAC = \theta$. 1

(iv) Hence deduce that in an acute angled triangle the altitudes bisect the angles of the pedal triangle through which they pass. 2

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- (c) (i) A binary string is a sequence of **1**s and **0**s,
e.g. **1 1 0 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 0 1** is a binary string of length 12.

In a binary string of length 50, how many ways are there to
have a string with exactly 9 **1**s and that no two **1**s are adjacent?
Justify your answer.

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- (ii) Given 50 cards with the integers 1, 2, 3, ... 50 printed on them,
how many ways are there to select 9 distinct cards, such that no
two cards have consecutive numbers printed on them?
(An answer with no reasoning will get no credit.)

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