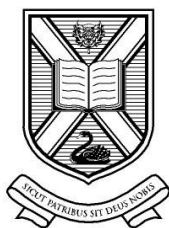


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Scotch College  
Semester Two Examination, 2010

Question/Answer Booklet

## MATHEMATICS 3C/3D Specialist

Section One:  
Calculator free

Teachers Name: HILL / ROBB  
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Name:

### Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: 5 minutes  
Working time for this section: 50 minutes

### Material required/recommended for this section

#### *To be provided by the supervisor*

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Formula Sheet

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Standard items: pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, eraser, correction fluid, ruler, highlighters

Special items: nil

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Section	Number of questions available	Number of questions to be answered	Working time (minutes)	Marks available
Section One: Calculator-free	5	5	50	40
Section Two Calculator-assumed	11	11	100	80
				120

Question	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Marks	7	9	10	9	5	40
Awarded						

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**Section One: Calculator-free (40 Marks)**

This section has **five (5)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the space provided.

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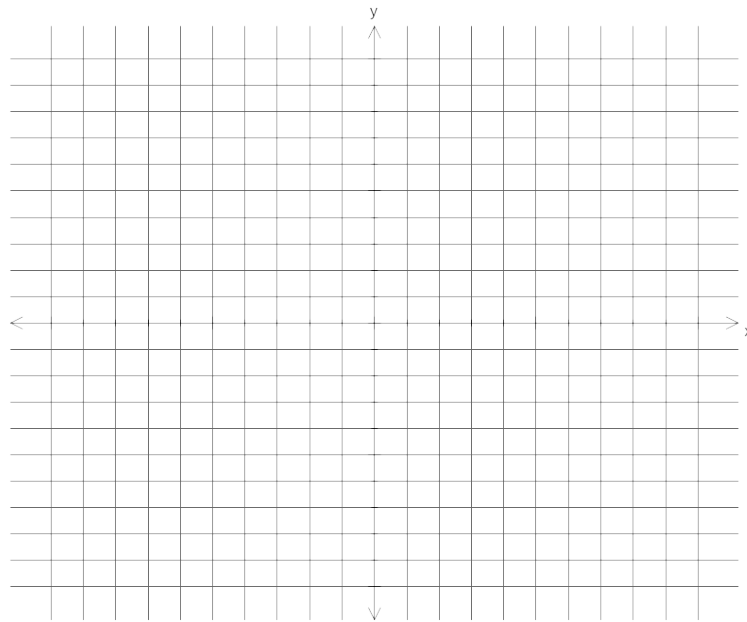
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**1.****[7 marks]**

Consider the functions  $f(x) = |2x + 3|$  and  $g(x) = 6 - |3x|$

- (a) Sketch both functions on the one set of axes below.

**[4]**

- (b) Use algebra to find the x-coordinates of the point(s) of intersection.

**[3]****2.****[9 marks]**

(a) Consider the conjecture:  $(a + 2)^2 \geq 0$

(i) Provide an example that supports this conjecture. [1]

(ii) Provide a counter-example that disproves this conjecture. [1]

(iii) Amend the original conjecture so that is always true. [1]

- (b) Use the principal of mathematical induction to prove that:

$$\frac{1}{2 \times 5} + \frac{1}{5 \times 8} + \dots + \frac{1}{(3n-1)(3n+2)} = \frac{n}{6n+4} \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ .$$

[6]

(a) Find:

(i)  $\frac{d}{dt} \int_2^{t^2} \frac{1-u}{1+u^3} du$  [2]

(ii)  $\int (\sin x + \cos x)^2 dx$  [3]

(b) Use an appropriate substitution to evaluate the integral: [5]

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx .$$

If  $z = \text{cis}\theta = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$  and  $w = \text{cis}\phi = \cos\phi + i\sin\phi$ , where  $\theta, \phi$  are acute:

- (a) Express  $z^{-1}$  in terms of real and imaginary components. [2]

- (b) Show that  $z.w = \text{cis}(\theta + \phi)$ . [3]

- (c) Find the modulus and argument of  $z + 1$  in terms of  $\theta$ . [4]  
[Hint: Draw a diagram]

- (a)  $z = \sqrt{3} + i$  is a point in the complex plane that forms one of the vertices of an equilateral triangle. The triangle is inscribed within a circle of radius 2 units whose centre is the origin. Find the other two vertices of this triangle. [3]

- (b) Hence or otherwise, evaluate  $(\sqrt{3} + i)^3$ . [2]

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Section Two:  
Calculator-assumed

Teachers Name: HILL / ROBB  
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Name:

### Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: 10 minutes  
Working time for this section: 100 minutes

### Material required/recommended for this section

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Standard items: pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, eraser, correction fluid, ruler, highlighters

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Marks	4	4	10	6	5	7	6	12	8	11	7	80
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**Section Two: Calculator-assumed****(80 Marks)**

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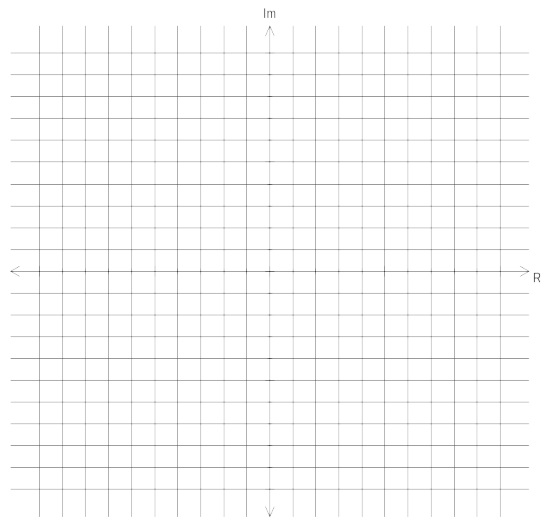
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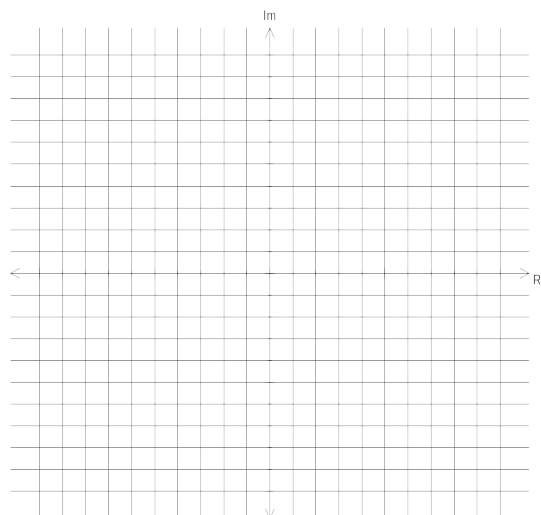
**6.****[4 marks]**

On the Argand diagrams below, plot the locus of  $z$  defined by:

(a)  $1 \leq \text{Arg}(z+1) \leq 2$

**[2]**

(b)  $|z - 1 + 3i| < 2$

**[2]**

7.

**[4 marks]**

The distance between the polar co-ordinates  $[2\sqrt{5}, \theta]$  and Cartesian co-ordinates  $(\sqrt{2}, 1)$  is 5. Find the value of  $\theta$  in radians, where  $0 \leq \theta < \pi$ .



**8.****[10 marks]**

- (a) Find  $m$  and  $n$  if  $mA + B = A$ , where  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 5 \\ -3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{pmatrix} -n & -10 \\ 6 & -2n \end{pmatrix}$  [3]

- (b) For what value(s) of  $k$  will the matrix  $A = \begin{pmatrix} k & 2 \\ 3 & k+1 \end{pmatrix}$  be singular? [3]

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- (c) If  $aX^2 + bX + cI = 0$  and  $Z = Y^{-1}XY$ , where  $X$ ,  $Y$  and  $Z$  are square, non-singular matrices, prove that  $aZ^2 + bZ + cI = 0$ . [4]

9.

**[6 marks]**

The table below shows the breeding rates, survival rates and the initial population profile of the population of quokkas on Bald Island.

Age (years)	0-2	2-4	4-6	6-8	8-10
Initial Population	100	150	200	80	40
Breeding Rate	0	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.2
Survival Rate	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.4	0

(a) State the Leslie matrix  $L$  for the population of quokkas. [2]

(b) Find the total number of quokkas within the 4<sup>th</sup> generation. [2]

(c) Determine the approximate long term intergenerational rate of decline. Explain your answer. [2]

**10.****[5 marks]**

A curve is defined implicitly by:  $\frac{\sin y}{x-1} = ay$ , where  $a$  is a constant.

Find the value of the constant  $a$  in the curve when  $y = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{\pi}{4}$ .

Leave your answer as an exact value.

**11.****[7 marks]**

The temperature  $T$  °C (Celsius) of a gold bar that is left to cool in cold storage is given by the equation  $\frac{dT}{dt} = -k(T - 10)$  where  $k$  is a positive constant and  $t$  is time measured in minutes. In the first 10 minutes the temperature falls from 1000 °C to 600 °C.

- (a) Find the value of  $k$  and hence a formula for  $T$  in terms of  $t$ . [5]

- (b) What will be the temperature of the bar after one hour? [1]

- (c) How long will it take for the bar to reach 30 °C? [1]

A cameraman is asked to film an aircraft flying overhead for a dramatic scene in a movie. The cameraman fixes his camera at ground level and rotates the camera in a vertical arc as the aircraft moves towards him. The aircraft approaches the cameraman flying at a speed of  $750 \text{ km/h}$  whilst maintaining a constant height of  $8000 \text{ m}$  above the ground. At what rate is the camera rotating (units in degrees/second) when the horizontal distance of the aircraft is  $5 \text{ km}$  from the cameraman.

An object exhibits simple harmonic motion such that its displacement,  $x$  metres, from a fixed point O on the line after  $t$  seconds is given by the equation:

$$x = A \cos(\lambda t + B)$$

where  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $\lambda$  are positive constants and  $0 \leq B < 2\pi$ .

If  $v$  and  $a$  are the velocity (m/s) and acceleration (m/s<sup>2</sup>) respectively, show that

(a)  $a = -\lambda^2 x$  [2]

(b)  $v^2 = \lambda^2 (A^2 - x^2)$  [3]

The object passes through point O for the first time after 1 second and for the second time after 5 seconds, and the maximum distance that the particle moves away from the point O is 8 metres.

(c) Find the values of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $\lambda$  [4]

(d) When is the first time that the object is furthest away from O? [2]

(e) What is the maximum speed of the object? [1]



**14.****[8 marks]**

Given the function  $f(x) = e^{ax}(x+1)$ ,  $a \in \mathbf{R}$ ,

(a) Show that:

(i)  $f'(x) = e^{ax}(a[x+1] + 1)$  [2]

(ii)  $f''(x) = ae^{ax}(a[x+1] + 2)$  [1]

(b) Show by mathematical induction that  $f^{(n)}(x) = a^{(n-1)}e^{ax}(a[x+1] + n)$ ,  $n \in \mathbf{R}$ . [5]

**15.****[11 marks]**

Two birds, Eddie and Tweetie, are flying with constant velocities of  $\langle 2, -1, 1 \rangle \text{ ms}^{-1}$  and  $\langle 4, 1, -3 \rangle \text{ ms}^{-1}$  respectively. At 10 am Eddie and Tweetie, relative to a birdbath on the ground, are at position vectors of  $\langle 0, 10, 10 \rangle \text{ m}$  and  $\langle -7, 3, 24 \rangle \text{ m}$  respectively.

- (a) Show that the two birds collide, and give the position at which this occurs. [3]

- (b) Give the vector equation of the plane shared by the path of the two birds. [2]

- (c) Rocky the cat lies on the ground 20 m from the birdbath and in the same plane shared by the birds. Calculate the position vector of Rocky relative to the birdbath. [6]

The line  $\ell_1$  is given by the following vector equation :

$$\ell_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- (a) Find the acute angle between the line  $\ell_1$  and the plane  $\ell \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} = 5$  . [3]

- (b) Find the shortest distance from a point  $P(2, -2, 3)$  to the line  $\ell_1$  . [4]

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