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# Mathematics Extension 1

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## General Instructions

- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 2 hours
- Write using black or blue pen
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- All necessary working should be shown in every question

## Total marks – 84

- Attempt Questions 1–7
- All questions are of equal value

Answer each question on a NEW page

## Question 1 (12 marks)

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(a) Solve for  $x$ :

$$\frac{3}{x-2} \leq 1$$

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(b) Find, to the nearest minute, the acute angle between the lines  $y = 4x + 5$  and  $3x + 2y - 1 = 0$ .

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(c) Find  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{8x}$ 

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(d) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 3x \, dx$ 

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(e) Evaluate  $\int_0^1 x(1-x)^7 \, dx$  using the substitution  $u = 1 - x$ .

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## Question 2 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE

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(a) Differentiate  $x^2 \sin^{-1} 3x$  with respect to  $x$ .

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(b) How many different arrangements of the letters of the word PARABOLA are possible?

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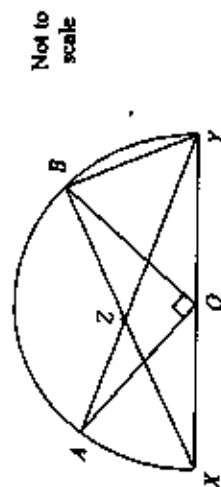
(c) Find all real values of  $a$  for which  $P(x) = ax^3 - 8x^2 - 9$  is divisible by  $x - a$ .

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(d) The two curves  $y = \cos^{-1} x$  and  $y = 2 \tan^{-1}(1 - x)$  both cut the  $y$ -axis at the point  $(0, \frac{\pi}{2})$ . Both curves also share a common tangent at  $(0, \frac{\pi}{2})$ . Find the equation of this tangent.

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(e)



O is the centre of a semicircle, diameter XY.  
OA and OB are perpendicular, AY and XB intersect at Z.

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(i) Explain why  $\angle AYB = 45^\circ$ .

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(ii) Prove that  $BZ = OZ$ .

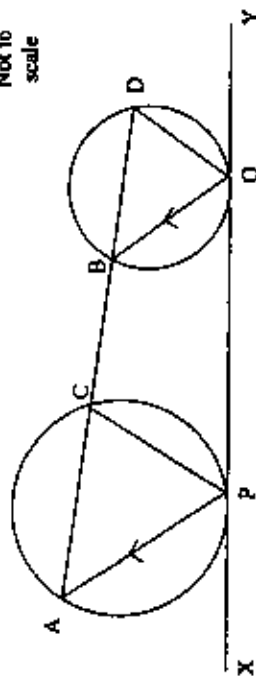
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Question 3 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE	Marks	Question 4 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE	Marks
(a) (i) Express $\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x$ in the form $R \cos(x + \alpha)$ where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .	2	(a) Consider the function $f(x) = \pi + 2 \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$ .	
(ii) Hence, sketch the graph of the equation $y = \sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x$ for $-\frac{\pi}{6} < x < 2\pi$ .	1	(i) State the domain and range of $y = f(x)$ .	2
(ii) Solve the equation $\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x = \sqrt{2}$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .	2	(ii) Sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$ , marking clearly any endpoints.	2
(b) On a particularly windy day, a sock pegged on a clothes line is oscillating in simple harmonic motion such that its displacement, $x$ centimetres, from the origin, $O$ , is given by the equation: $x = -16t$ where $t$ is the time in seconds.		(b) Two roots of the equation $x^3 + px^2 + q = 0$ ( $p, q$ real) are reciprocals of each other.	
(i) Show that $x = a \cos(4t + \alpha)$ , where $a$ and $\alpha$ are constants, is a solution of motion for the sock.	1	(i) Show that the third root is equal to $-q$ .	1
(ii) Initially, the sock is 5 cm to the right of the origin with a velocity of $-4 \text{ cm s}^{-1}$ . Show that the amplitude of the oscillation is $\sqrt{26}$ cm.	2	(ii) Show that $p = q - \frac{1}{q}$ .	2
(iii) Find the maximum speed of the sock.	1	(c) A forklift is driving down a warehouse aisle. The acceleration of the forklift is given by the equation: $x = -\frac{1}{2} \mu^2 e^{-\mu t}$	
(c) Prove that $5^n + 1$ is divisible by 4 for all integers $n \geq 0$ , by mathematical induction.	3	where $x$ is the displacement from the origin and $\mu$ is the initial velocity at the origin.	
		(i) Show that $v^2 = 4e^{-\mu t}$ if $\mu = 2 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .	1
		(ii) Explain why $v > 0$ .	1
		(iii) Find an equation for $x$ in terms of $t$ .	2
		(iv) Describe the motion of the particle as $t \rightarrow \infty$ .	1

Question 5 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE

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- (a) Not to scale



In the diagram,  $XY$  is a common tangent to two non-intersecting circles. This tangent touches one circle at  $P$  and the other circle at  $Q$ .  $AP$  is a chord in one circle and  $BQ$ , a chord in the other circle, is parallel to  $AP$ .  $AD$  is a straight line, cutting one circle at  $A$  and  $C$  and the other circle at  $B$  and  $D$ .

Copy the diagram onto your answer sheet.

Prove that:

- $PC \parallel QD$ . 3
- $PQBC$  is a cyclic quadrilateral. 2

- (b) The equation of the tangent to the parabola  $y = x^2$  at the point  $P(t, t^2)$  is  $y = 2tx - t^2$ .

- Show that the line passing through the focus of the parabola, perpendicular to this tangent, has equation  $y = \frac{t - 2x}{4t}$ . 2
- Show that the foot of the perpendicular from the focus to the tangent is the point  $F\left(\frac{t}{2}, 0\right)$ . 2
- Find the locus of  $M$ , the midpoint of  $PF$ . 3

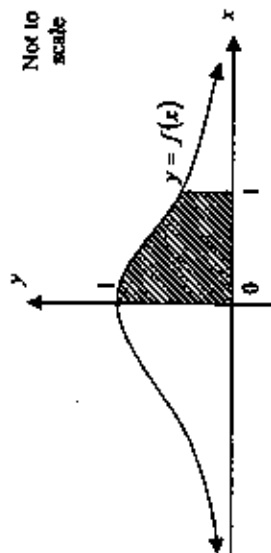
Question 6 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE

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- (a) A crew of four rowers is to be chosen from five boys and six girls. How many different crews are possible if:

- there are no restrictions? 1
- the shortest girl and the tallest boy must be included? 1

- (b) Consider the graph of the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ .

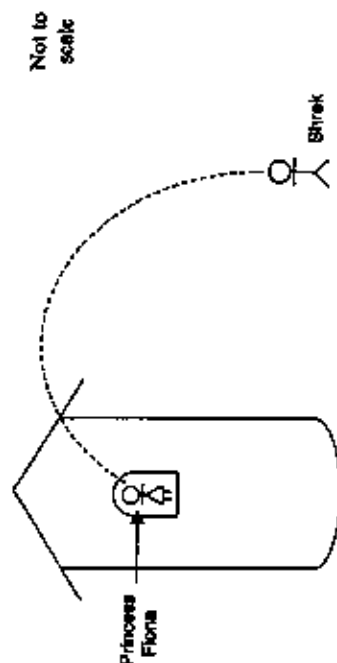


- Find the area bounded by this curve, the  $x$ -axis and the two ordinates  $x=0$  and  $x=1$  using Simpson's Rule with three function values. Answer correct to 4 decimal places. 2
- Find the exact value of the area bounded by  $y = f(x)$ , the  $x$ -axis and the two ordinates  $x=0$  and  $x=1$ . 2
- Hence find an approximation for  $\pi$  correct to 2 decimal places. 1
- Surveyors have marked out two points,  $A$  and  $B$ , in St Peter's St. The points are 52m apart and  $B$  is due east of  $A$ .  
The bearings of  $A$  and  $B$  from the tallest point of the Great Hall are  $230^\circ T$  and  $110^\circ T$  respectively. The angles of elevation of the tallest point of the Great Hall from  $A$  and  $B$  are  $30^\circ$  and  $60^\circ$  respectively.  
Show that the tallest point of the Great Hall is  $4\sqrt{39}$  m high. 3

Question 7 (12 marks) START A NEW PAGE

- (a) Find all the values of  $\theta$  for which  $\cos^2 \theta + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \sin 2\theta = 0$ . 4

(b)



Princess Fiona is locked up in a tower, 80m above the ground. To gain the attention of Shrek, Princess Fiona throws a lentiil at an angle of elevation of  $\theta$  and an initial velocity of  $50\text{ms}^{-1}$ .

- (i) Derive the equations for the horizontal and vertical displacements of the lentiil  $t$  seconds after it is thrown. (Use  $g = 10\text{ms}^{-2}$ .) 4
- (ii) Shrek is 300m from the base of the tower when he is hit by the lentiil. Find the values of the initial angle of projection,  $\theta$ , correct to the nearest degree, if Shrek is 2m tall. 4

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