



TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION 2002

MATHEMATICS

EXTENSION I

*Time Allowed – 2 Hours
(Plus 5 minutes reading time)*

All questions may be attempted

All questions are of equal value

In every question, show all necessary working

Marks may not be awarded for careless or badly arranged work

**Standard integral tables are included with the examination paper.
Approved silent calculators may be used.**

**The answers to all questions are to be returned in separate bundles
clearly labelled Question 1, Question 2, etc. Each bundle must show your
candidate number.**

Question 1:

- (a) Find the acute angle between the lines

$$2x + y = 17 \text{ and } 3x - y = 3$$

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- (b) Differentiate $y = \tan^{-1} \sqrt{2x^2 - 1}$

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- (c) Evaluate $\int_0^3 \frac{y}{\sqrt{y+1}} dy$, using the substitution $y = u^2 - 1$

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- (d) Eight identical coins show 3 heads and 5 tails.

- (i) In how many ways can they be arranged in a straight line?

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- (ii) What is the probability that all the tails will be together?

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- (e) Solve for x : $\frac{2x-3}{x-2} \geq 1$

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Question 2: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a)

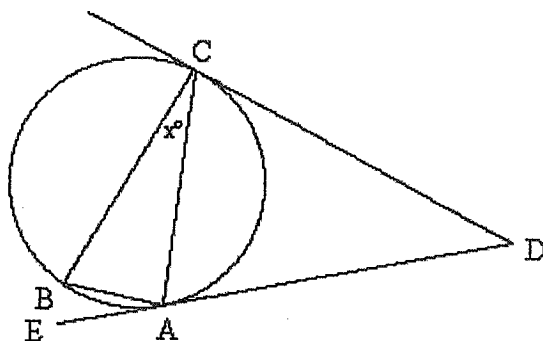


Diagram not to scale

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AD and CD are tangents to a circle.

B is a point on the circle such that

$\angle CBA$ and $\angle CDA$ are equal and are

each both double $\angle BCA$. Prove that BC

is a diameter of the circle.

- (b) The roots of the equation $9x^2 + 6x + 1 = 4kx$ where k is a real constant,

are α and β . Show that the equation with roots $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ and $\frac{1}{\beta}$ is

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$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 4kx$$

- (c) Prove by Mathematical Induction that

$$1 \times 2^0 + 2 \times 2^1 + 3 \times 2^2 + \dots + n \times 2^{n-1} = 1 + (n-1)2^n$$

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for all integers $n \geq 1$.

Question 3: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a) The angle of elevation of a tower PQ of height h metres ^{from} at a point A due east of it is 15° . From another point B , the bearing of the tower is 032°T and the angle of elevation is 13° . The points A and B are 500 metres apart and on the same level as the base Q of the tower.
- (i) Draw a neat sketch showing all the information on your diagram 1
 - (ii) Show that $\angle AQB = 122^\circ$. 1
 - (iii) Calculate the height of the tower PQ to the nearest metre. 2
- (b) The speed v m/s of a particle moving in a straight line is given by
- $$v^2 = 64 - 16x - 8x^2$$
- where the displacement from a fixed point O is x metres.
- (i) Find an expression for the acceleration and show the motion is simple harmonic. 2
 - (ii) Find the period of the motion 1
 - (iii) Find the amplitude of the motion 1
- (c) (i) Find the largest possible domain for which
- $$f(x) = \sin^{-1}(2x+1) \text{ defines a function} \quad 1$$
- (ii) Hence find and sketch $f^{-1}(x)$, stating its domain and range. 3

Question 4: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a) N is the number of kangaroos in a certain population at time t years.
The population size N satisfies the equation

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = -k(N - 500), \text{ for some constant } k.$$

- (i) Verify that $N = 500 + Ae^{-kt}$ with A constant, is a solution of the equation 1
- (ii) Initially, there are 3500 kangaroos but after 3 years there are only 3300 left. Find the values of A and k . 2
- (iii) Find when the number of kangaroos begins to fall below 2300 2
- (iv) Sketch the graph of the population size against time 2
- (b) An urn contains 6 cards numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6. One card is drawn at random and a second card is drawn without the first card being replaced. Find the probability that: -
- (i) the second number is 3 1
- (ii) the larger number is 5 2
- (iii) the larger number is even 2

Question 5: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a) At an air show, a Harrier Jump Jet leaves the ground 200 metres from an observer and rises vertically at the rate of 25 m/sec. At what rate is the observer's angle of elevation of the aircraft changing when the jet is 500 metres above the ground? 3

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- (b) A chord joining the points $P(2p, p^2)$ and $Q(2q, q^2)$ on the parabola $x^2 = 4y$ passes through the point $(0, -1)$
- (i) Find the coordinates of M , the midpoint of PQ , as a function of m , the gradient of the chord 3
- (ii) Show that the cartesian equation of the locus of M is $x^2 = 2(y+1)$ for $|x| \geq 2$. 2
- (c) (i) Express $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x$ in the form $A \cos(x + \alpha)$. 2
- (iii) Hence solve $\sin x + \sqrt{3} \cos x = 1$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$. 2

Question 6: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a) The deck of a ship was 1.4 m below the level of a wharf at low tide and 0.6 m above wharf level at high tide. Low tide was at 8:24 am and high tide at 2:40pm. If tide's motion is simple harmonic, find the first time after low tide that the deck was level with the wharf. 4
- (b) Steven borrows \$50 000 to pay for a new car. He plans to repay the loan by making 60 equal monthly instalments. Interest is charged at the rate of 0.6% per month on the balance owing.
- (i) Show that immediately after making two monthly instalments of $\$P$, the balance owing is given by $\$(50\,601.80 - 2 \cdot 006P)$ 2
- (ii) Calculate the value of each monthly instalment 2
- (c) A particle is projected with an initial velocity of 60 m/s at an angle of 45° to the horizontal. (use $g = 10\text{ ms}^{-2}$)
- (i) Calculate the greatest height reached by the particle. 3
- (ii) What is the speed of the particle at the greatest height? 1

Question 7: (START A NEW PAGE)

- (a) In a box, there are 10 black counters (each marked with the digit “2”) and 5 white counters (each marked with digits “3”). 4 counters are withdrawn one at a time, the first being replaced before the second is drawn. Find the probability that
- (i) 2 blacks and 2 white counters are drawn in any order 2
 - (ii) The sum of digits on the counters drawn is greater than 9 3
- (b) (i) Show that $(1+x)^m(1-\frac{1}{x})^m = (x-\frac{1}{x})^m$ 1
- (ii) By considering the term(s) independent of x in the expansion of the result from part (b) (i), justify the result: 3

$$\binom{2002}{0} - \binom{2002}{1} + \binom{2002}{2} - \dots + \binom{2002}{2002} = -1 \binom{2002}{1001}$$

- (iii) Hence, or otherwise, show that: 3

$$\sum_{k=0}^{1001} (-1)^k \binom{2002}{k} = -\frac{1}{2} \binom{2002}{1001} \left[1 + \binom{2002}{1001} \right]$$

END OF PAPER

STANDARD INTEGRALS

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE: $\ln x = \log_e x$, $x > 0$