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**TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL
CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION**

Mathematics Extension 1

General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 Minutes
- Working time – 2 Hours
- Write using black or blue pen. Pencil may be used for diagrams.
- 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.
- Each Question is to be returned in a separate bundle.

Total Marks – 84

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

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Answer each question in a SEPARATE writing booklet. Extra writing booklets are available.

Marks

Question 1 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 4x}{5x}$. 1
- (b) Calculate the acute angle (to the nearest minute) between the lines $2x + y = 4$ and $x - 3y = 6$. 2
- (c) (i) Show that $x + 1$ is a factor of $x^3 - 4x^2 + x + 6$. 1
- (ii) Hence, or otherwise factorise $x^3 - 4x^2 + x + 6$ fully. 2
- (d) The point $P(5, 7)$ divides the interval joining the points $A(-1, 1)$ and $B(3, 5)$ externally in the ratio $k : 1$. Find the value of k . 2
- (e) Find the horizontal asymptote of the function $y = \frac{3x^2 - 4x + 1}{2x^2 - 1}$. 1
- (f) Find a primitive of $\frac{1}{\sqrt{4 - x^2}}$. 1
- (g) Solve the equation $|x + 1|^2 - 4|x + 1| - 5 = 0$. 2

Question 2 (12 marks)

- (a) Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)$.
- (i) State the domain and range of the function $f(x)$. 2
- (ii) Show that $y = f(x)$ is a decreasing function. 2
- (iii) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = f(x)$ at the point where $x = 0$. 2
- (b) Find the derivative of $y = \ln(\sin^3 x)$. 2
- (c) (i) Write $\cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x$ in the form $A \cos(x + \alpha)$, where $A > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$. 2
- (ii) Hence, or otherwise, solve $\cos x - \sqrt{3} \sin x + 1 = 0$ for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$. 2

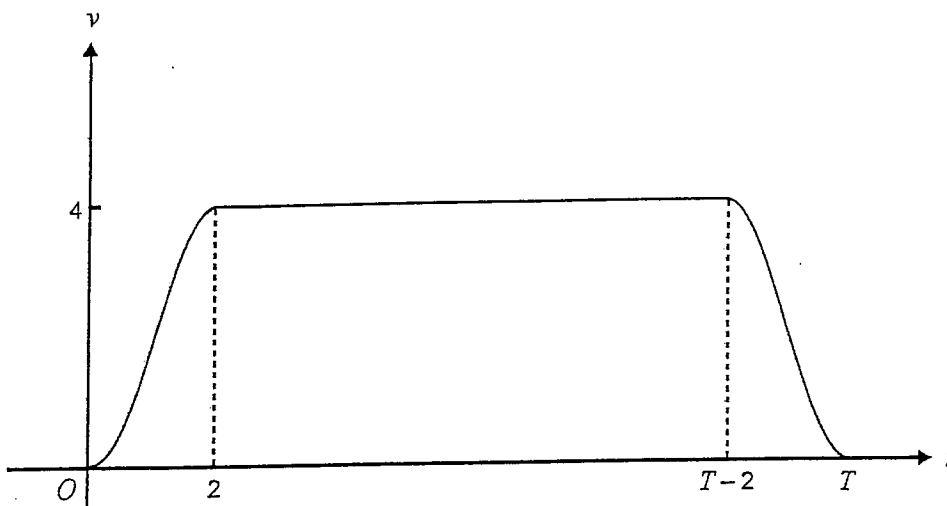
Marks**Question 3** (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

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| (a) | (i) | Show that the equation $e^x - x - 2 = 0$ has a solution in the interval $1 < x < 2$. | 1 |
| | (ii) | Taking an initial approximation of $x = 1.5$ use one application of Newton's method to approximate the solution, correct to three decimal places. | 2 |
| (b) | | The normal at $P(2ap, ap^2)$ on the parabola $x^2 = 4ay$ cuts the y -axis at Q and is produced to a point R such that $PQ = QR$. | |
| | (i) | Show that the equation of the normal at P is $x + py = 2ap + ap^3$. | 2 |
| | (ii) | Find the coordinates of Q . | 1 |
| | (iii) | Show that R has coordinates $(-2ap, ap^2 + 4a)$. | 1 |
| | (iv) | Show that the locus of R is a parabola, and find its vertex. | 3 |
| (c) | | If $\int_1^5 f(x)dx = 3$, find $\int_1^5 (2f(x) + 1)dx$. | 2 |

Question 4 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) Using the substitution $u = e^x$, or otherwise, find $\int e^{(e^x+x)} dx$ 3

- (b) The velocity-time graph below shows the velocity of a lift as it travels from the first floor to the twentieth floor of a tall building during the T seconds of its motion.



The velocity v m/s at time t s for $0 \leq t \leq 2$ is given by $v = t^2(3-t)$. After the first two seconds, the lift moves with a constant velocity of 4 m/s for a time, and then decelerates to rest in the final two seconds.

The velocity-time graph is symmetrical about $t = \frac{1}{2}T$.

- (i) Express the acceleration in terms of t for the first two seconds of the motion of the lift. 1
- (ii) Hence, find the maximum acceleration of the lift during the first two seconds of its motion. 2
- (iii) Given that the total distance travelled by the lift during its journey is 41 metres, find the exact value of T . 2

- (c) A solid is formed by rotating about the y -axis the region bounded by the curve $y = \cos^{-1} x$, the x -axis and the y -axis.

(i) Show that the volume of the solid is given by $V = \pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 y dy$. 1

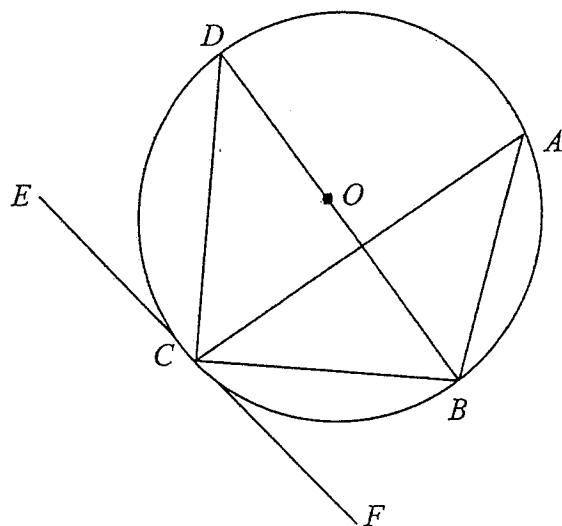
(ii) Calculate the volume of this solid. 3

Question 5 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) Use mathematical induction to prove that $\sum_{r=1}^n r \times r! = (n+1)! - 1$. 3
- (b) In the expansion of $\left(2x + \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^{15}$, determine the coefficient of the term that is independent of x . 3
- (c) The acceleration of a particle P is given by the equation $a = 8x(x^2 + 1)$, where x is the displacement of P from the origin in metres after t seconds, with movement being in a straight line. Initially, the particle is projected from the origin with a velocity of 2 metres per second in the negative direction.
- (i) Show that the velocity of the particle can be expressed as $v = 2(x^2 + 1)$. 2
- (ii) Hence, show that the equation describing the displacement of the particle at time t is given by $x = \tan 2t$. 2
- (iii) Determine the velocity of the particle after $\frac{\pi}{8}$ seconds. 2

Question 6 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a)



A, B, C and D are points on the circumference of a circle with centre O .
 EF is a tangent to the circle at C and the angle ECD is 60° .

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Find the value of $\angle BAC$ giving reasons.

- (b) (i) By considering the expansion of $(1+x)^n$ in ascending powers of x ,
 where n is a positive integer, and differentiating, show that

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$$\binom{n}{1} + 2\binom{n}{2} + 3\binom{n}{3} + \dots + n\binom{n}{n} = n(2^{n-1}).$$

- (ii) Hence, find an expression for $2\binom{n}{1} + 3\binom{n}{2} + 4\binom{n}{3} + \dots + (n+1)\binom{n}{n}$.

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- (c) If $f(x+2) = x^2 + 2$, find $f(x)$.

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- (d) At a particular dinner, each rectangular table has nine seats, five facing the stage and four with their backs to the stage.

In how many ways can 9 people be seated at the table if

- (i) John and Mary sit on the same side?

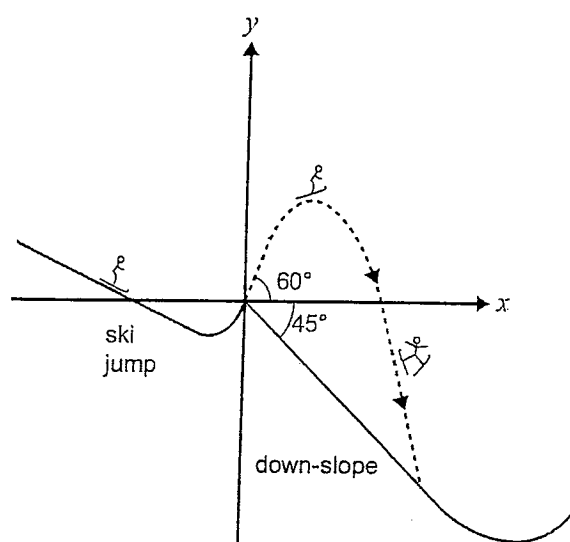
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- (ii) John and Mary sit on opposite sides?

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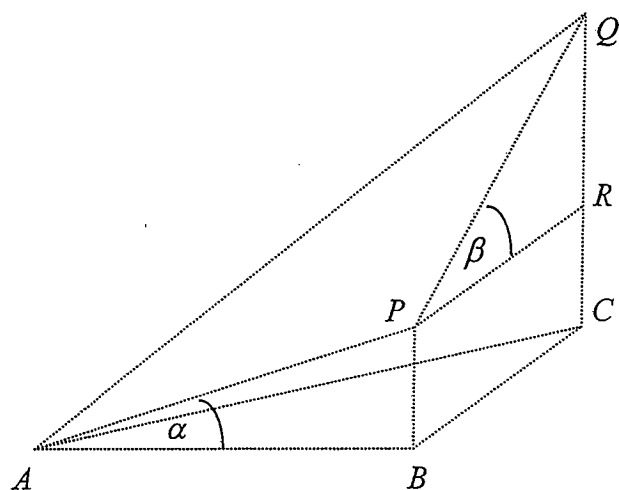
Question 7 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) A skier accelerates down a slope and then skis up a short jump (see diagram). The skier leaves the jump at a speed of 12 m/s and at an angle of 60° to the horizontal. The skier performs various gymnastic twists and lands on a straight line section of the 45° down-slope T seconds after leaving the jump. Let the origin O of a Cartesian coordinate system be at the point where the skier leaves the jump. Displacements are measured in metres and time in seconds. Let $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$ and neglect air resistance.



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| (i) | Derive the cartesian equation of the skiers flight as a function of y in terms of x . | 3 |
| (ii) | Show that $T = \frac{6}{5}(\sqrt{3} + 1)$. | 3 |
| (iii) | At what speed, in metres per second does the skier land on the down-slope? Give your answer correct to one decimal place. | 2 |

(b)



ABC is a horizontal, right-angled, isosceles triangle where $AB = BC$ and $\angle ABC = 90^\circ$. P is vertically above B ; Q is vertically above C .

The angle of elevation of P from A , and Q from P are α and β respectively.

- (i) If the angle of elevation of Q from A is θ , prove that 2

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\tan \alpha + \tan \beta}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

- (ii) If $\angle APQ = \phi$, prove that $\cos \phi = -\sin \alpha \sin \beta$. 2