

(Western Region)

**2003**

**TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE  
EXAMINATION**

# Mathematics

## Extension 1

### General Instructions

- Reading Time- 5 minutes
- Working Time – 2 hours
- Write using a blue or black pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper.
- All necessary working should be shown for every question.
- Begin each question on a fresh sheet of paper.

### Total marks (84)

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

**Question 1**    12 Marks    Start a fresh sheet of paper. **Marks**

a) Find the horizontal asymptote for  $y = \frac{3x^2 + 4x + 5}{x^2}$  2

b) Solve the inequality  $\frac{x}{2-x} \leq 4$  3

c) Find  $\sum_{n=2}^{20} 3n - 4$  2

d) Use the substitution  $u = x^2 - 3$  to evaluate 3

$$\int_2^6 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 3}} dx$$

e) A parabola is defined by the parametric equations

$$x = 3t$$

$$y = 6t^2$$

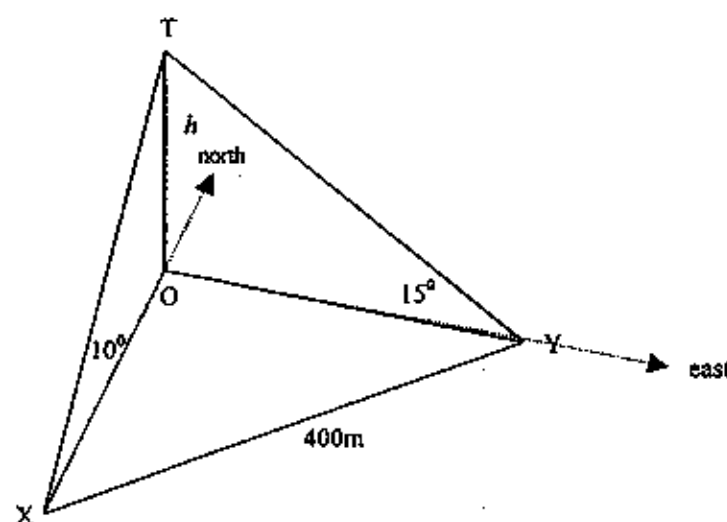
i) What point is defined when  $t = 5$ ? 1

ii) What is the Cartesian equation of the parabola? 1

**Question 2** 12 Marks Start a fresh sheet of paper.

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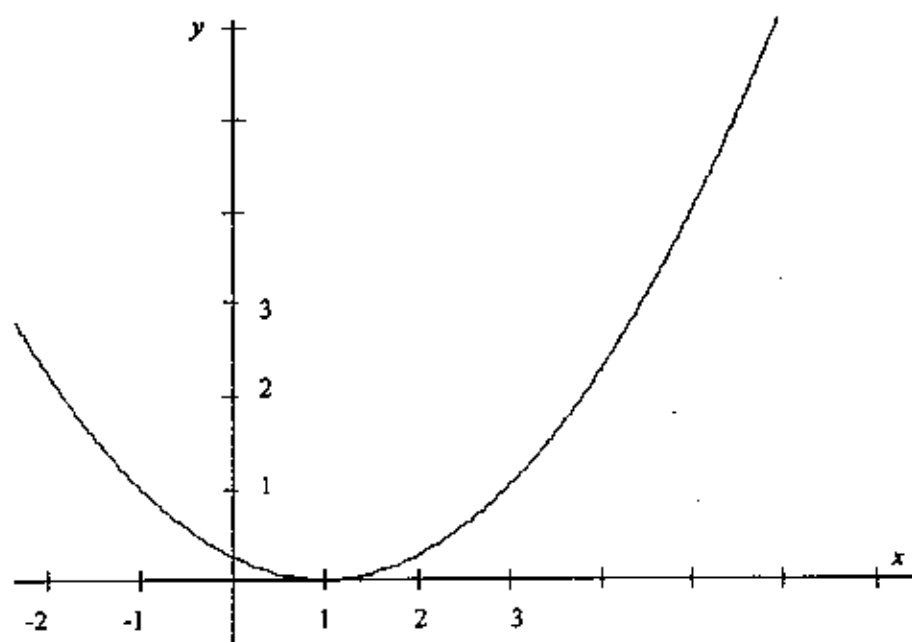
- a) Consider the points A (-1, -1) B (2, 4) C (8, 14)
- Find the ratio AB:BC 1
  - Complete the statement "C divides AB externally in the ratio ..." 1
- b) i) If  $\log_3 12 = 2.26186$ , find  $\log_3 4$  1
- ii) Find  $\log_e e^{1.09}$  1
- c) Find the quotient and the remainder when  $x^3 + 4x^2 - 2x + 3$  is divided by  $x^2 - 1$ . 2
- d) A surveyor at X observes a tower due north.  
The angle of elevation to the top of the tower is  $10^\circ$ .  
He then walks 400m to a position Y which is due east of the tower.  
The angle of elevation from Y to the top of the tower is  $15^\circ$ .



- Write an expression for OY in terms of  $h$ . 1
- Calculate  $h$  to the nearest metre. 3
- Find the bearing of Y from X. 2

**Question 3**    12 Marks    Start a fresh sheet of paper.    **Marks**

- a) Find  $\int_0^{\pi/6} \cos^2 4x dx$  3
- b) i) How many arrangements can be made from the letters of the word  
EXCESSIVE? 1
- ii) Find the probability that such an arrangement has the consonants  
and vowels in alternating positions. 2
- c) Calculate the solutions to  $4 \cos \theta + 3 \sin \theta = 2$  in the range  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$  4  
Express your answers to the nearest hundredth of a radian.
- d) The graph below shows a function  $y = f(x)$ .
- i) Specify a portion of the domain for which  $f(x)$  has an inverse 1
- ii) Copy the graph of the curve onto your answer sheet and neatly draw  
 $y = f^{-1}(x)$  for the domain you specified in i) 1

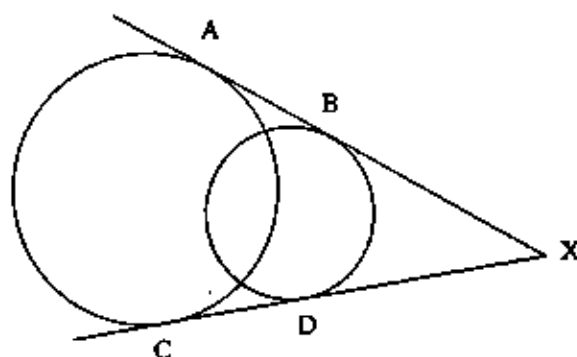


**Question 4** 12 Marks Start a fresh sheet of paper.

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In the diagram AB is common tangent to the two circles.

Likewise CD is also a common tangent.

The two tangents meet externally at X.

Explain why  $AC \parallel BD$ .

- b) Given that  $\cos 3\theta = \cos(\theta + 2\theta)$ , use the double angle formulae to express  $\cos 3\theta$  in terms of  $\cos \theta$ .

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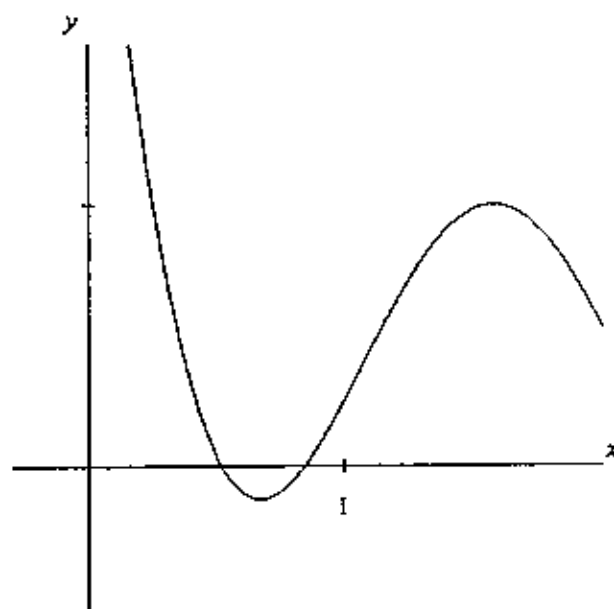
c)

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The graph represents a part of the curve

$$y = 8\sin^2 x - 10\sin x + 3$$

Calculate the two roots shown in the diagram and evaluate the minimum value shown in the graph.

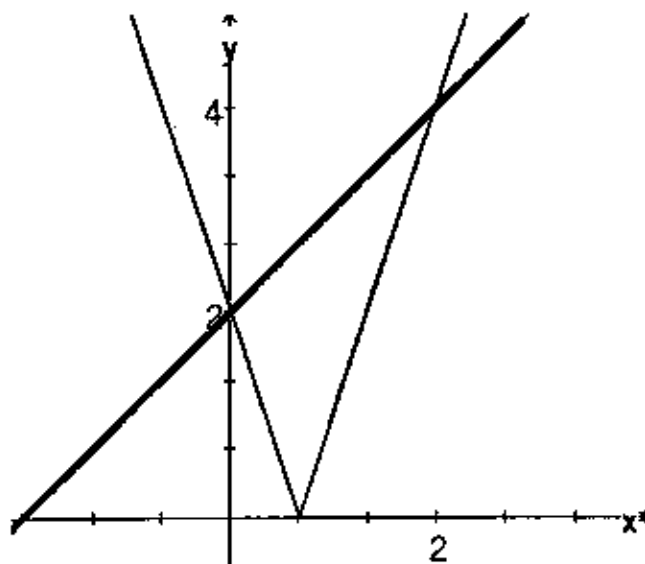


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- d) i) Specify the equation graphed by the thinner of the two lines. 1
- ii) What values of  $x$  are defined by  $x + 2 \geq |3x - 2|$ ? 1



Question 5	12 Marks	Start a fresh sheet of paper.	Marks
a)	i)	Use the method of proof by induction to show that $1 + 7 + 19 + \dots + (3n^2 - 3n + 1) = n^3$	3
	ii)	Show that the rule $T_n = S_n - S_{n-1}$ holds true in part (i).	1
b)	i)	Use the Chain Rule to show that $\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2} v^2 \right)$	1
	ii)	The acceleration due to gravity is inversely proportional to the square of the distance $x$ from the centre of the earth.  This can be written as $a = \frac{-k}{x^2}$ .  Find $k$ if $a = -g$ when $x = R$ .	1
	iii)	If the initial velocity of a rocket is $u \text{ ms}^{-1}$ , show that $v^2 = \frac{2R^2g}{x} + u^2 - 2gR$ where $g$ is the acceleration due to gravity and $R$ is the radius of the earth.	2
	iv)	Find the maximum distance that the rocket will travel from the centre of the earth.  (Answer in terms of $g$ , $R$ and $u$ )	1
	v)	Taking $g = 9.8$ , $R = 6400 \text{ km}$ find the value of $u$ in $\text{ms}^{-1}$ for which the rocket will escape the gravity of the earth.	1
c)		Given that $f(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ is a function with a double root at $x = -1$ and with a minimum value of $-4$ when $x = 1$ , find the values of $a$ , $b$ , $c$ and $d$ .	2

**Question 6** 12 Marks Start a fresh sheet of paper.

**Marks**

- a) A body is moving in a straight line and its position  $x$  is given by  
 $x = 2 \sin^2 t$ .

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| i)   | What are the extremities of its position?                  | 1 |
| ii)  | Express the acceleration of the particle in terms of $x$ . | 2 |
| iii) | Show the particle is undergoing SHM.                       | 1 |
| iv)  | Find its maximum speed.                                    | 1 |

- b) The binomial theorem states that  $(1+x)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n {}^nC_k x^k$  2

Show that  ${}^nC_1 + 2{}^nC_2 + 3{}^nC_3 + \dots + n{}^nC_n = n \times 2^{n-1}$

- c)  $\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right)^7$  represents the outcomes in terms of gender of children 1

for a family with 7 children.

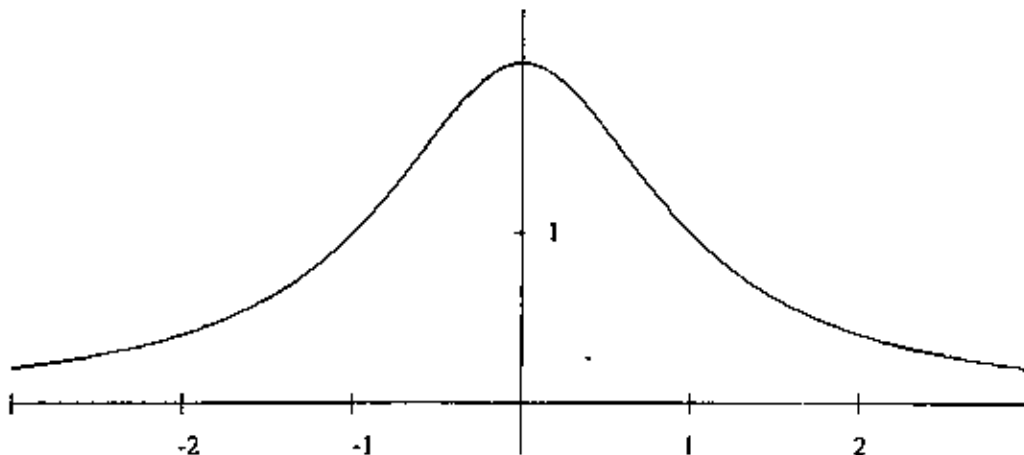
Calculate the probability of 5 boys and 2 girls.

- d) The graph below shows the derivative of  $y = 2 \tan^{-1} x$ .
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| i) | Where does $y = 2 \tan^{-1} x$ have its greatest slope and what is this slope? | 1 |
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| ii) | What $x$ values correspond with $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}$ | 1 |
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| iii) | What is the total area bounded by this curve and the $x$ axis? | 2 |
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(Note: Domain of the function is  $-\infty \leq x \leq \infty$ )





**Question 7**    12 Marks    Start a fresh sheet of paper.    **Marks**

a)    A projectile has an initial velocity  $V$  and an angle of projection  $\theta$ .

i)    Assuming  $\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = -10$ ,  $\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = 0$  and the initial point of projection is 10m above the origin, find expressions for  $x$  and  $y$  in terms of  $t$ .    3

ii)    If  $V = 13\text{ms}^{-1}$  and  $\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{5}{12}$  find the range of the projectile.    2

b)     $P(2ap, ap^2)$  and  $Q(2aq, aq^2)$  are extremities of a focal chord for the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$ .

i)    Form the equation of the chord  $PQ$  and deduce the constraint on  $p$  and  $q$ .    2

ii)    Find where the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  meet.    2

iii)    Show that the chord  $PQ$  has length  $a\left(p + \frac{1}{p}\right)^2$ .    3

**End of Paper**