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SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



Year 11 Mathematics

Preliminary HSC Course

Assessment 2

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Time allowed: 90 minutes

General Instructions:

- Marks for each question are indicated on the question.
- Approved calculators may be used
- All necessary working should be shown
- Full marks may not be awarded for careless work or illegible writing
- Begin each question on a new page
- Write using black or blue pen
- All answers are to be in the writing booklet provided
- BOSTES reference sheet attached and may be removed if required.

Section 1 Multiple Choice

Questions 1-6

6 Marks

Section II Questions 7-14

64 Marks

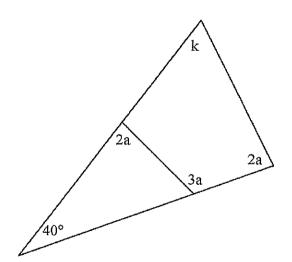
SECTION I

6 marks Attempt Questions 1-6 Allow about 8 minutes for this section

Use the multiple choice answer sheet for Questions 1-6.

- 1. What is the exact value of tan 30°?
 - A. √3
 - B. $-\sqrt{3}$
 - C. $\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$
 - $-\frac{1}{5}$
- 2. What is the gradient of the line perpendicular to the line 2x y + 3 = 0?
 - A. -2
 - B. $-\frac{1}{2}$
 - C. $\frac{1}{2}$
 - D. 2
- 3. If $x = \frac{3}{5}$ and $y = \frac{1}{4}$, then $\frac{x+y}{3x-5y}$ equals:
 - A. $\frac{17}{61}$
 - B. $\frac{17}{11}$
 - C. $\frac{61}{17}$
 - D. $\frac{11}{17}$

- 4. $8p^3 + 1$ factorises to:
 - A. $(8p+1)(p^2-2p+1)$
 - B. $(2p-1)(p^2-4p+1)$
 - C. $(2p+1)(p^2+4p+1)$
 - D. $(2p+1)(p^2-2p+1)$
- 5. What is the value of f(-1) if $f(x) = x^3 4x$
 - A. -3
 - В. -5
 - C. 3
 - D. 5
- 6. What is the value of k?



- A. 40°
- B. 35°
- C. 60°
- D. 105°

SECTION II

64 marks

Attempt Questions 7-14

Allow about 82 minutes for this section

Answer each question on a new page in the answer booklet.

In Questions 7-14, your responses should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

Question 7 (8 marks) Start a NEW page.	
a) Solve $(x-2)(x+3) > 0$ and show the solution on a number line.	2
b) If $\frac{3}{5+\sqrt{2}} = a + b\sqrt{2}$, find the values of a and b.	2
c) Rewrite the following as a single fraction	2
$\frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{x^2+1}{x+1}$	
d) Evaluate $\frac{a^2}{ab-4b}$ if $a=-\frac{1}{2}$ and $b=\pi$. Give your answer to 2 significant	2
figures.	

END OF QUESTION 7

Q	uestion 8 (8 marks) Start a NEW page.	Marks	
a)	Factorise fully $\frac{3x^2}{4} - 12$		2
b)	Find the exact value of $\cos x$ if $\tan x =$	$= -\frac{2}{3}$ and $\sin x$ is negative.	2
c)	Solve $ 2x - 3 = 12$.		2
d)	Given that:		2
	$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2, \\ 2x, \\ -2x, \end{cases}$	for $x > 1$ for $-1 \le x \le 1$ for $x < -1$	

find the value of f(2) - f(-2) + f(1)

Question 9 (8 marks) Start a NEW page.

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a) Show that $\sec^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta = 1$.

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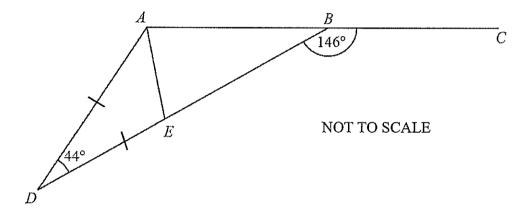
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b) Simplify:

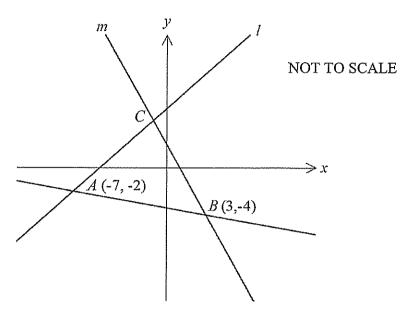
 $\tan(-A)\sin(90-A)$

c) In the diagram below, ABC is a straight line and E lies on BD. AD = DE, $\angle ADE = 44^{\circ}$, $\angle CBE = 146^{\circ}$.

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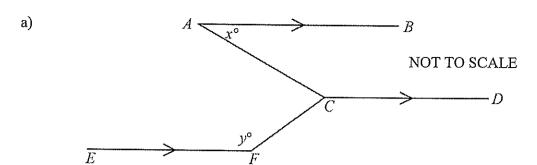


Copy the diagram below into your answer booklet and find $\angle BAE$, giving reasons.



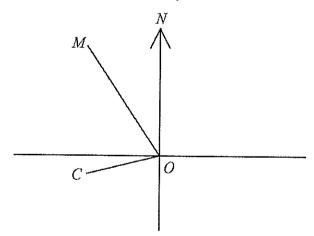
The point A (-7,-2) lies on the line l given by the equation y = x + 5 and the point B (3,-4) lies on the line m given by 2x + y - 2 = 0.

- a) Show that C, which is the point of intersection of the lines l and m, has the coordinates (-1,4).
- b) Find the midpoint of the interval AB.
- c) Show the equation of line AB is x + 5y + 17 = 0.
- d) Show the perpendicular distance of the point A from line m is $\frac{18}{\sqrt{5}}$ units.
- e) Find the length of BC.
- f) Hence, or otherwise, find the area of triangle ABC.



In the diagram, $AB \parallel CD \parallel EF$, $\angle BAC = x^{\circ}$ and $\angle CFE = y^{\circ}$.

- i) Copy the diagram into your answer booklet and place all the information onto the diagram.
- ii) Find the value of $\angle ACF$ in terms of x and y, giving complete reasons. 3
- b) What is the size of an exterior angle of a regular pentagon?
- c) Martin (M), a surveyor, walks 3.2km away from a wharf (O) at a bearing of 295° and his colleague (C) walks to their car parked S25°W from the wharf. The colleague is now due south of the surveyor.

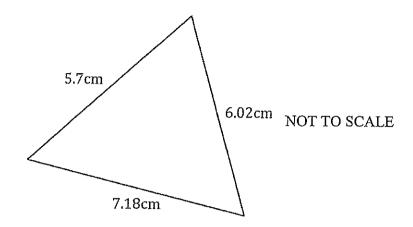


- i. Copy the diagram in your answer booklet, making sure it takes up half a page. Add all information given and find the size of $\angle MOC$, adding it to your diagram.
- ii. Find, correct to the nearest 100m, the distance that the colleague walked from the wharf to the car.

Question 12 (9 marks) Start a NEW page.

Marks

a) Consider the triangle below.



- i) Show the size of the smallest angle to the nearest degree is 50°.
- ii) Hence, or otherwise, find the area of the triangle giving your answer with 23 significant figures.
- b) Solve θ for the domain $0 \le \theta \le 360^{\circ}$:

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$$sin\theta - \sqrt{3}cos\theta = 0$$

c) Sketch and shade the region that represents the inequality

$$(x-2)^2 + (y+3)^2 < 16.$$

Question 13	3 (7 marks)	Start a NEW	page.
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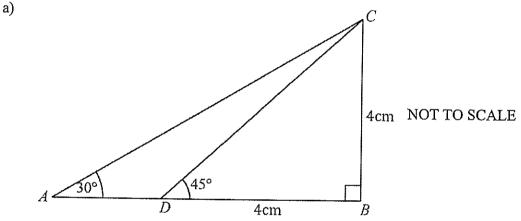
- a) A, B and C are the points (2,-1), (-2,11) and (8,1) respectively.
 - i. Find the distance of the interval joining BC.
 - Find the distance of the interval joining BC.
 Find the equation of the circle which has BC as the diameter.
 - iii. Does this circle pass through A? Justify your answer.
- b) Prove that $\frac{(1 + \tan^2 x)\cot x}{\csc^2 x} = \tan x$

END OF QUESTION 13

Question 14 (8 marks) Start a NEW page.

Marks

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In the above diagram DB = CB = 4cm, $\angle CDB = 45$ ° and $\angle CAD = 30$ °.

- i) Copy the diagram into your answer booklet and show that $AD = 4(\sqrt{3} 1)$ cm.
- ii) Explain why $\angle ACD$ is 15°.
- iii) Use the sine rule to show that $\sin 15^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{3} 1}{2\sqrt{2}}$
- b) Solve $2\sin^2 x 3\sin x = -1$ for $0 \le x \le 360^\circ$

END OF PAPER

