## SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

#### **YEAR 12**

### **ASSESSMENT TASK 2**

### **MARCH 2008**

### **MATHEMATICS**

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#### **Instructions:**

- Write your name and class at the bottom of this page
- Attempt all questions
- Show all necessary working
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work
- Approved calculators may be used
- At the end of the examination hand in both the question paper and your answers
- Marks indicated are a guide only and may be varied if necessary
- Standard integrals are attached and may be removed for your convenience.

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## **QUESTION 1** (11 Marks)

i) Find the number of terms in the arithmetic sequence

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ii) Differentiate  $y = \frac{3x^2}{x+5}$  and express your answer in simplest form

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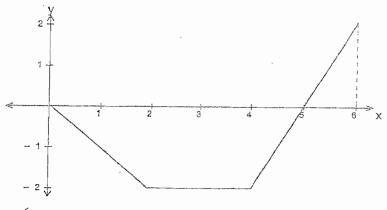
iii) Find the primitive function of

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$$2x^2 - \frac{1}{x^2}$$

iv) The diagram represents a function y = f(x).

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Evaluate

$$\int_0^6 f(x) \ dx.$$

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v) Find the equation of the curve y = f(x) given that f'(x) = 2x + 1 and that the curve passes through (1, 4)

# **QUESTION 2** (10 Marks) Start a new page

i) For a sequence it is given that

$$S_0 = n^2 + 4n$$

- a) Express  $S_{n-1}$  in terms of n
- b) Hence, or otherwise express  $T_n$  in terms of n

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- c) Find the 10<sup>th</sup> term of the sequence
- ii) A person saved \$1000 the first year and \$200 more each subsequent year.

  How many years will it take to save \$58000?
- iii) Evaluate 32 + 24 + 18 + . . . 2

## **QUESTION 3** (11 Marks) Start a new page

### A) Consider the function

$$f(x) = x^3 + 9x^2 + 24x + 3$$

- i) Find the co-ordinates of the stationary points of the curve y = f(x) and determine their nature.
- ii) Sketch the curve, clearly labelling any stationary points and the y intercept

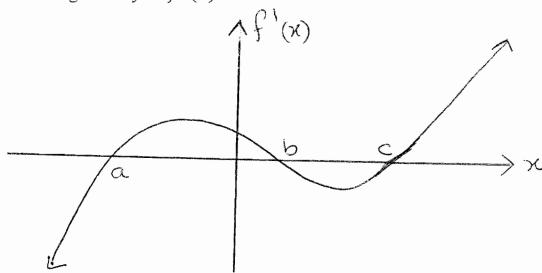
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- iii) For what vales of x is the curve decreasing?
- B) This is a diagram of y = f'(x)



- i) Write down the x values of any stationary points on y = f(x)
- ii) For what values of x is y = f(x) increasing?
- iii) Sketch a possible graph of y = f(x) given that y = f(x) passes through (0, 2)

# **QUESTION 4** - (11 Marks) Start a new page

- A) A couple borrow \$400,000 to purchase a house. They must repay the loan by equal quarterly instalments. Interest is charged at the rate of 8% p.a
  - i) Write down the quarterly interest rate

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ii) Write an expression for A, the amount owing after the first quarterly repayment. Let M be the amount repaid at the end of each quarter.

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iii) Show that the amount owing at the end of the first year is given by  $400\ 000\ (1.02)^4$  - M  $(1+1.02+1.02^2+1.02^3)$ 

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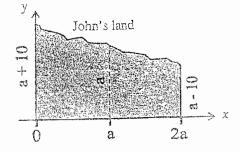
iv) Find the amount of each quarterly instalment if the loan is to be fully repaid in 12 years. (answer to the nearest dollar)

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B)

The shaded area shown in the diagram below represents John's land.

Its dimensions are given in terms of 'a'.



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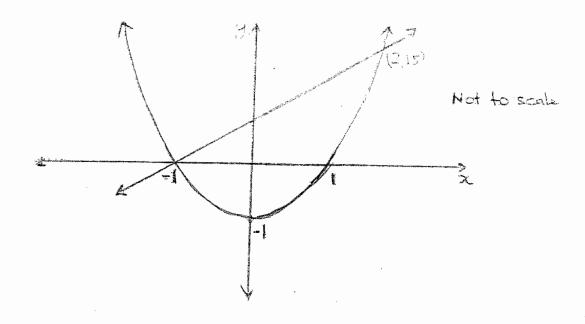
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Given that the area of this land in 3200m<sup>2</sup>, use Simpson's rule with 3 function values to find an estimate for the value of 'a'

# **QUESTION 5** (11 Marks) Start a new page

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The diagram shows the curve  $y = x^4 - 1$  and the line y = 5x + 5

- (i) Show that the line and curve intersect at the points (-1, 0) and (2, 15)
- (ii) Calculate the area between the curve and the line.

- B) A piece of wire 24 cm long is cut into two pieces. Each is bent to form a square.
  - i) If one piece is x cm long, write an expression for the length of the other piece
  - ii) Show that the sum of the areas of the two squares is given by

$$\left(\frac{x}{4}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{24-x}{4}\right)^2$$

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iii) Find the minimum area of the two squares 3

#### STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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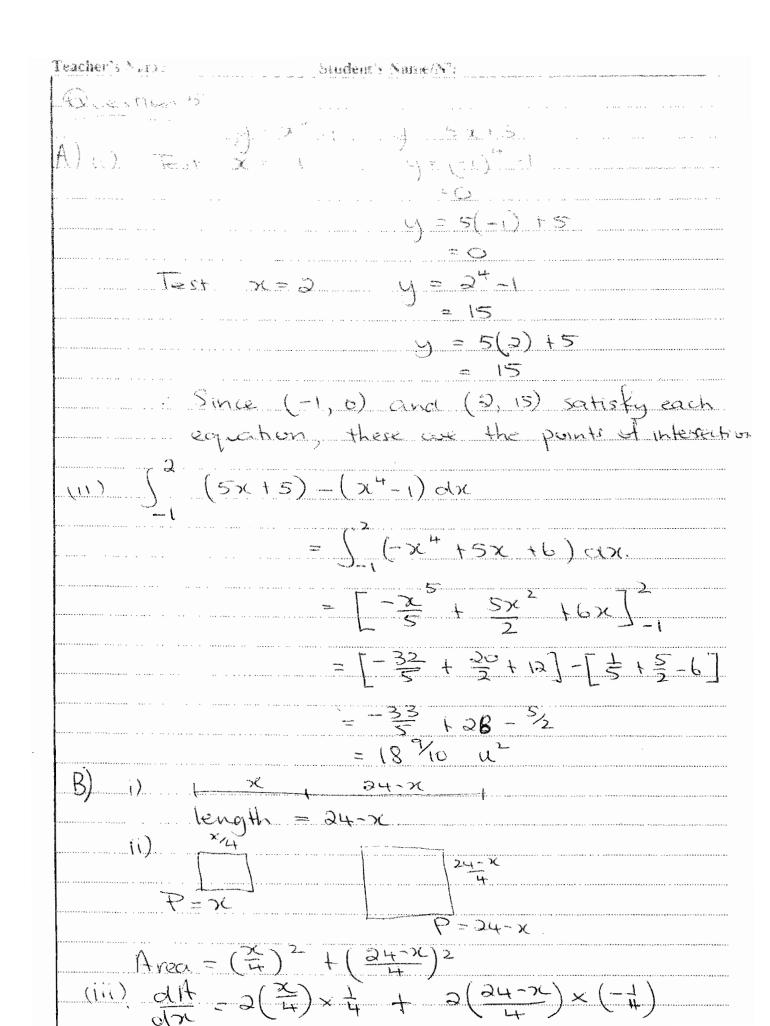
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