

# SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



## YEAR 11 PRELIMINARY HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE ASSESSMENT TASK 3

SEPTEMBER 2015

# Mathematics Extension 1

### General Instructions

- Working time - 90 minutes
- Write using black or blue pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- In questions 6 to 11, show relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations
- Start each question in section 2 on a new page
- Full marks may not be awarded for careless or badly arranged work

Total marks - 66

Section 1 - 5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 – 5.  
Allow about 8 minutes for this section.

Section 2 - 61 marks

Attempt Questions 6 – 11.  
Allow about 82 minutes for this section.

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## Section 1

5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 – 5

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Use the multiple-choice answer sheet in your answer booklet for Questions 1 – 5.  
Do not remove the multiple-choice answer sheet from your answer booklet.

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1. What is the remainder when  $P(x) = 5x^3 - 17x^2 - x + 11$  is divided by  $x - 2$ ?

- A) -147
- B) -95
- C) -19
- D) 11

2. How many asymptotes does the graph of  $y = \frac{x^2}{3x(x+1)}$  have?

- A) 3
- B) 2
- C) 1
- D) 0

3. A function is represented by the parametric equations

$$x = 2t + 1 \text{ and } y = t - 2.$$

Which of the following is the Cartesian equation of this function?

- A)  $x - 2y + 3 = 0$
- B)  $x - 2y - 3 = 0$
- C)  $x + 2y + 5 = 0$
- D)  $x - 2y - 5 = 0$

4. What is the focus of the parabola  $(x - 3)^2 = -8y$  ?

A)  $(3, -2)$

B)  $(3, 2)$

C)  $(0, -2)$

D)  $(-2, 3)$

5.  $\sin 2x$  equals

A)  $\frac{1 - \tan^2 x}{1 + \tan^2 x}$

B)  $\frac{2 \tan x}{1 + \tan^2 x}$

C)  $\frac{2 \tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$

D)  $\frac{1 + \tan^2 x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$

SECTION 2 BEGINS ON THE NEXT PAGE

## Section 2

61 marks

Attempt Questions 6 – 11

Allow about 82 minutes for this section

Answer each question in your answer booklet. Start each question on a new page.

In Questions 6 – 11, your response should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

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### Question 6 (11 marks)

- a) Find the coordinates of the point that divides the interval from  $A(1, 6)$  to  $B(-8, 2)$  internally in the ratio 2:1 . 2
- b) Draw a neat sketch of the polynomial  $y = (2 - x)^2(6 - x)$  clearly labelling all intercepts. 2
- c) Express  $\cos A \sin 2A + \cos 2A \sin A$  in terms of  $3A$  1
- d) Differentiate  $(1 + 2\sqrt{x})^5$  2
- e) Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2x^3 - x^2 + x + 3}{x^3 - 1}$  1
- f) Find the exact value or values of  $m$  if the acute angle between the lines  $y = 2x$  and  $y = mx + 5$  is 60 degrees. 3

**Question 7** (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) Factorise  $x^3 + 125$  1
- b) Find the vertex and focus of the parabola  $y = x^2 + 4x + 3$ . 2
- c) Given  $P(x) = 2x^3 + 5x^2 - 11x + 4$
- i) Evaluate  $P(1)$  1
- ii) Hence, or otherwise, fully factorise  $P(x)$ . 2
- d) Solve  $4 \cos \theta = \sec \theta$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ , giving your answer in radians. 2
- e) Find the possible values of  $\sin \theta$  if  $\cos 2\theta = \frac{3}{25}$ . 2

**Question 8** (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) If  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  are the roots of the equation  $2x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x - 1 = 0$   
find the value of
- i)  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$  1
- ii)  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$  2
- b) Find the equation of an odd polynomial of degree 3 which passes  
through the points  $(2, 0)$  and  $(3, 30)$ . 2
- c) Simplify  $\cot \theta - 2 \cot 2\theta$  2
- d) For what values of  $x$  is the gradient of  $y = x - \frac{4}{x}$  greater than 5? 3

**Question 9** (10 marks) Start a new page.

a) The point  $P(x, y)$  moves so that its distance from the point  $A(1, 4)$  is always double its distance from the point  $B(1, 1)$ .

- i) Show that the locus of  $P(x, y)$  is a circle. 2
- ii) Find the centre and radius of this circle. 2

b)  $P(4p, 2p^2)$  and  $Q(4q, 2q^2)$  are two points on the parabola  $x^2 = 8y$ .

- i) Show that the equation of the chord  $PQ$  is given by 2

$$y - \frac{1}{2}(p + q)x + 2pq = 0.$$

- ii) The chord  $PQ$  passes through the point  $(0, -2)$ . 1

Show that  $pq = 1$

- iii) If  $S$  is the focus of the parabola, 3

and  $SP$  and  $SQ$  are the distances from  $S$  to  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively,

show that  $\frac{1}{SP} + \frac{1}{SQ} = \frac{1}{2}$

**Question 10** (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) For what value, or values of  $x$  is the function  $y = |x + 3|$  not differentiable? 1
- b) Find the gradient of the curve  $y = \frac{(2x-1)(x-3)}{x-5}$  at the point  $(6, 33)$ . 2
- c) Solve  $3 \sin 2x = 5 \sin x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ . (nearest degree) 4
- d) Solve the equation  $5x^3 - 63x^2 + 136x - 60 = 0$  3  
given that the product of two of its roots is 6.

**Question 11** (10 marks) Start a new page.

- a) Use the  $t$  results, where  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ , to solve 3  
 $8 \cos \theta - \sin \theta = 4$  for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$  correct to the nearest degree.
- b)  $P(2ap, ap^2)$  and  $Q(2aq, aq^2)$  are points on the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$ . 2
- i) Show that the equation of the tangent to the parabola at  $P$  2  
is given by  $y = px - ap^2$ .
- ii) Find the point of intersection of the tangent at  $P$  and the tangent at  $Q$ . 2
- iii) If  $O$  is the vertex of the parabola and  $OP$  is perpendicular to  $OQ$ , 1  
show that  $pq = -4$ .
- iv) If  $OPRQ$  is a rectangle then  $R$  has coordinates  $(2a(p + q), a(p^2 + q^2))$ . 2  
Do not prove this.  
Find the locus of  $R$ .

**End of Paper.**

1. C

$$(2\sqrt{3}-1)m = -2-\sqrt{3}$$

2. B

$$m = \frac{2+\sqrt{3}}{1-2\sqrt{3}}$$

3. D

4. A

$$\text{or } \sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}m = -(m-2)$$

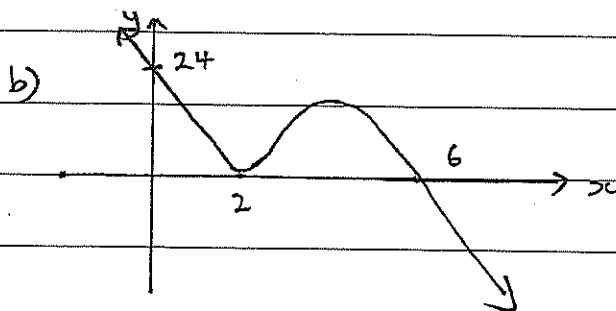
5. B

$$(2\sqrt{3}+1)m = 2-\sqrt{3}$$

$$m = \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}+1}$$

$$6 \text{ a) } \left( \frac{1 \times 1 + 2 \times -8}{3}, \frac{1 \times 6 + 2 \times 2}{3} \right) \\ = \left( -5, \frac{10}{3} \right)$$

$$\therefore m = \frac{2+\sqrt{3}}{1-2\sqrt{3}} \text{ or } \frac{2-\sqrt{3}}{2\sqrt{3}+1}$$



$$7 \text{ a) } (x+5)(x^2-5x+25)$$

$$b) y = x^2 + 4x + 3$$

$$y+1 = (x+2)^2$$

$$\therefore \text{Vertex } (-2, -1)$$

$$\text{focus } (-2, -\frac{3}{4})$$

$$c) \sin 3A$$

$$d) \frac{5}{\sqrt{x}} (1+2\sqrt{x})^4$$

$$c) \text{ i) } P(1) = 0$$

$$\text{ii) } \therefore x-1 \text{ is a factor}$$

$$\therefore P(x) = (x-1)(2x^2+7x-4)$$

$$= (x-1)(2x-1)(x+4)$$

$$e) 2$$

$$f) \tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{3} = \left| \frac{m-2}{1+2m} \right|$$

$$\sqrt{3} |1+2m| = |m-2|$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{3}m = m-2$$

$$d) 4 \cos \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$$



$$e) \cos 2\theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$1 - 2\sin^2\theta = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$\sin^2\theta = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\sin\theta = \pm \frac{\sqrt{11}}{5}$$

$$8 a) i) \alpha + \beta + \gamma = 3$$

$$ii) \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$$

$$= (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta + \alpha\gamma + \beta\gamma)$$

$$= 3^2 - 2(2)$$

$$= 5$$

$$b) P(x) = ax(x-2)(x+2)$$

$$\text{sub } (3, 30)$$

$$30 = 15a$$

$$a = 2$$

$$\therefore P(x) = 2x(x-2)(x+2)$$

$$c) \cot\theta = 2\cot 2\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{\tan\theta} = \frac{2(1 - \tan^2\theta)}{2\tan\theta}$$

$$= \frac{1 - (1 - \tan^2\theta)}{\tan\theta}$$

$$= \tan\theta$$

$$d) y = x - 4x^{-1}, x \neq 0$$

$$y' = 1 + 4x^{-2}$$

$$\therefore 1 + 4x^{-2} > 5$$

$$\frac{4}{x^2} > 4$$

$$x^2 < 1$$

$$-1 < x < 1, x \neq 0$$

$$9 a) i) PA = 2 \times PB$$

$$\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2} = 2\sqrt{(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2}$$

$$(x-1)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 4[(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2]$$

$$3x^2 - 6x + 3y^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x + y^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 + y^2 = 4$$

which is a circle

$$ii) \text{centre } (1, 0)$$

$$\text{radius } 2 \text{ units}$$

$$b) i) m = \frac{2p^2 - 2q^2}{4p - 4q}$$

$$= \frac{p+q}{2}$$

$$\text{using } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 2p^2 = \frac{p+q}{2}(x - 4p)$$

$$y - 2p^2 = \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x - 2p^2 - 2pq$$

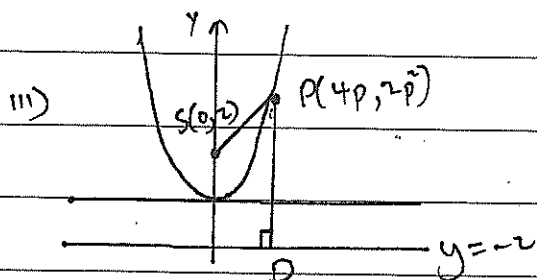
$$y - \frac{1}{2}(p+q)x + 2pq = 0$$

11) sub  $(0, -2)$

$$-2 - \frac{1}{2}(p+q) \cdot 0 + 2pq = 0$$

$$2pq = 2$$

$$pq = 1$$



$$SP = PD \text{ (by definition)}$$

$$= 2p^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore SQ = 2q^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{SQ} + \frac{1}{SP}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2p^2+2} + \frac{1}{2q^2+2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{q^2+1+p^2+1}{(p^2+1)(q^2+1)} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{p^2+q^2+2}{p^2q^2+p^2+q^2+1} \right]$$

$$\text{but } pq = 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{p^2+q^2+2}{p^2+q^2+2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

10 a)  $x = -3$

$$b) y' = \frac{(x-5)(4x-7) - (2x^2-7x+3)}{(x-5)^2}$$

$$\text{sub } x = 6$$

$$m = \frac{(1)(17) - (33)}{1}$$

$$= -16$$

c)  $3 \sin 2x = 5 \sin x$

$$6 \sin x \cos x - 5 \sin x = 0$$

$$\sin x (6 \cos x - 5) = 0$$

$$\sin x = 0, \quad \cos x = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$x = 0^\circ, 180^\circ, 360^\circ, 34^\circ, 326^\circ$$

d) let  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  be roots where  $\beta\gamma = 6$

$$\therefore \alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{60}{5} \quad \text{but } \beta\gamma = 6$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 2$$

$$\therefore x-2 \text{ is a factor.}$$

$$5x^3 - 63x^2 + 136x - 60$$

$$= (x-2)(5x^2 - 53x + 30)$$

$$= (x-2)(5x-3)(x-10)$$

$$\therefore x = 2, 10, \frac{3}{5}$$

alternatively may use the sum of the roots 1 and 2 at a time.

$$11) a) 8 \cos \theta - \sin \theta = 4$$

$$8 \left( \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \right) - \frac{2t}{1+t^2} = 4$$

$$8 - 8t^2 - 2t = 4 + 4t^2$$

$$12t^2 + 2t - 4 = 0$$

$$6t^2 + t - 2 = 0$$

$$(3t+2)(2t-1) = 0$$

$$t = -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = -\frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{\theta}{2} = 146^\circ 18', 26^\circ 34'$$

$$\theta = 53^\circ, 292^\circ$$

$$b) i) y = \frac{x^2}{4a}$$

$$y' = \frac{x}{2a}$$

$$\text{sub } x = 2ap$$

$$m_T = \frac{2ap}{2a}$$

$$= p$$

$$\text{using } y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - ap^2 = p(x - 2ap)$$

$$y - ap^2 = px - 2ap^2$$

$$y = px - ap^2$$

$$ii) \text{ tangent at } Q: y = qx - aq^2$$

$$\text{tangent at } P: y = px - ap^2$$

Solve simultaneously

$$px - ap^2 = qx - aq^2$$

$$(p-q)x = a(p-q)(p+q)$$

$$x = a(p+q)$$

$$\therefore y = pa(p+q) - ap^2$$

$$= apq$$

$$\therefore \text{pt. of intersection } (a(p+q), apq)$$

$$iii) m_{OP} + m_{OQ} = -1$$

$$\frac{ap^2}{2ap} \times \frac{aq^2}{2aq} = -1$$

$$\frac{pq}{4} = -1$$

$$pq = -4$$

$$iv) \text{ locus: } x = 2a(p+q)$$

$$y = a(p^2 + q^2)$$

$$\therefore \frac{y}{a} = p^2 + q^2$$

$$\frac{y}{a} = (p+q)^2 - 2pq$$

$$\therefore \frac{y}{a} = \left( \frac{x}{2a} \right)^2 + 8 \quad (pq = -4)$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{4a} x^2 + 8a$$