



NORTH SYDNEY BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

STAGE 5.3 MATHEMATICS

2016 YEAR 10 YEARLY EXAMINATION

Wednesday, 9 November 2016

General instructions

- Working time – **100 minutes**.
 - Write using **blue or black pen**. Where diagrams are to be sketched, these may be done in pencil.
 - **Board approved** calculators may be used.
 - Attempt all questions.
- Commence each new question on a **new booklet. Write on both sides of the paper.**
 - All necessary working should be shown in every question. Marks may be deducted for illegible or incomplete working.

STUDENT NAME: **# BOOKLETS USED:**

Class: (please ✓)

- Mr. Berry
- Dr. Jomaa
- Ms. Lee

- Mr. Hwang
- Ms. Gibbs

Marker's use only

SECTION	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	Total	Total
MARKS	$\overline{12}$	$\overline{16}$	$\overline{18}$	$\overline{19}$	$\overline{15}$	$\overline{13}$	$\overline{11}$	$\overline{104}$	$\overline{100}$

Section A (12 marks)

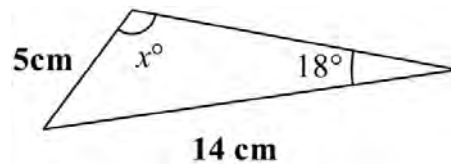
Question	Marks
1. Evaluate correct to 4 significant figures	2
$\sqrt{\frac{657}{8\pi}}$	
2. Rationalise and simplify	2
$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{5}}$	
3. Fully simplify	1
$\frac{n^2 - 36}{n + 6}$	
4. Solve	2
$x^2 = 6x$	
5. Write down the equation of the circle with centre (-2, 4) and radius 3. (Do NOT write in expanded form)	1
6. Fully simplify into a single fraction	3
$\frac{3}{x^2 - 6x + 9} - \frac{x}{x^2 - x - 6}$	
7. The cost of Virtual Reality gear is \$979. This includes a 10% tax on the original price. Calculate the original price of the Virtual Reality gear.	1

Section B (16 marks)

Question	Marks
1. Write the exact value of the following:	
a) cosec 60°	1
b) sin 240°	1
2. If $\sin A = \frac{2}{5}$ and $\tan A < 0$, find the exact value of $\cos A$.	2

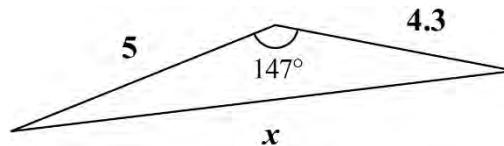
3. Find the value of x . (Diagrams not to scale)

a)



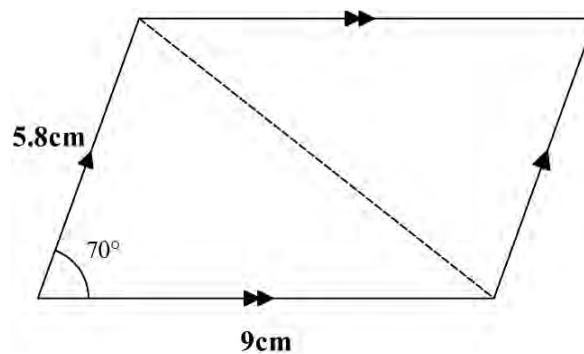
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b)



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4. Calculate the area of the parallelogram, correct to the nearest cm .



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5. Sketch $y = 3 - 3 \cos 2x$, for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$

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6. A point $P(x, y)$ moves so that the sum of the squares of its distance from each of the points $A(-1, 0)$ and $B(3, 0)$ is equal to 40. Show that the locus of $P(x, y)$ is a circle, and state its radius and centre.

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Section C (18 marks)

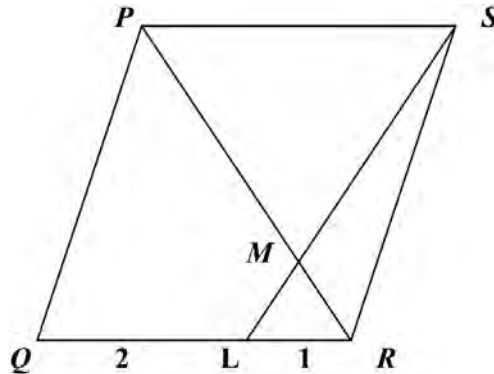
Question	Marks
1. Solve $3x^2 - 2x - 7 = 0$	2
2. For $2x^2 - 3x - 10$, express in the form of $a(x - h)^2 + k$ by completing the square	
a) Find the value of a , h and k .	3
b) Hence or otherwise, find the minimum value of $2x^2 - 3x - 10$	1
3. a) Sketch the function $y = -2x^3 + 2$.	2
b) Find the equation of its inverse and sketch it on the same axis showing all important features.	3

4. Sketch these graphs on the separate number planes, showing all important features.

a) $y = -\sqrt{9 - x^2}$ 2

b) $y = 4 - \frac{1}{x + 2}$ 3

5. $PQRS$ is parallelogram and L is a point on the side QR such that $LR = 1$ unit and $LQ = 2$. M is the point of intersection of PR and LS . Find the ratio of the areas of $\triangle LMR : \triangle SMP$.



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Section D (19 marks)

Question

Marks

1. Jason is the goalkeeper for the soccer team. The probability that Jason can stop a penalty shot at goal is 0.6. During a particular match the opposing team had three penalty shots at goal. Using a tree diagram or otherwise, find the probability that:

a) The goalkeeper will stop all shots at goal 2

b) The goalkeeper will stop at least 1 shot at goal 2

2. a) Marks for a Mathematics test had a mean of 70% and Standard Deviation of 12. The top student was away on the day and sat the same test the day after and scored 93%. What effect would this have on the mean and standard deviation? 2

b) In the Yearly Examination, Michael's marks are as follows

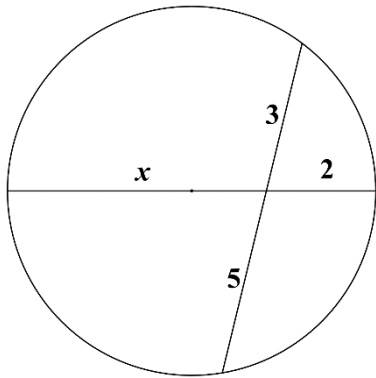
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English	82	85	6
Mathematics	70	74	10

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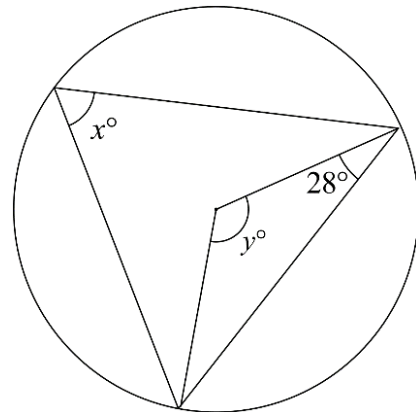
Determine which is the better result (Show all necessary working)

3. Find the value of the pronumerals. No reasons required.

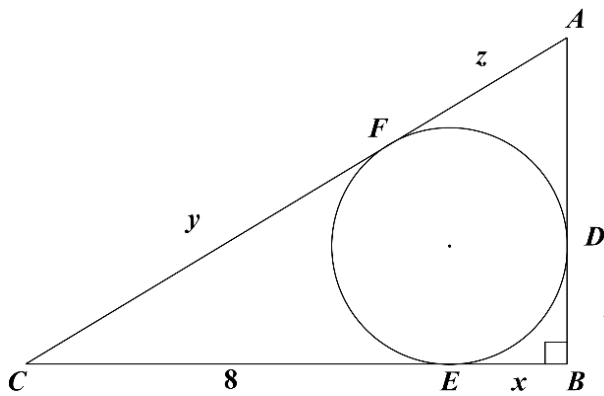
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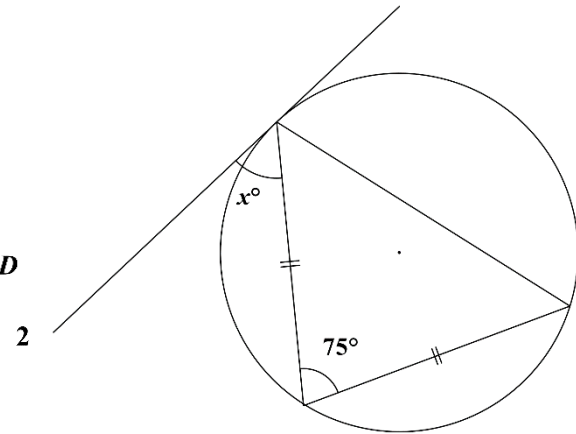
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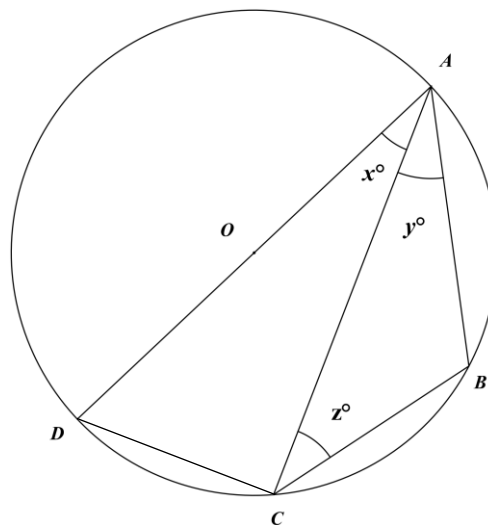


d)



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4. The diagram shows points B and C on a circle with centre O and diameter AD .



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Given that $\angle DAC = x$, $\angle BAC = y$ and $\angle ACB = z$,
Find the value of $x + y + z$, giving geometric reasons

Section E (15 marks)

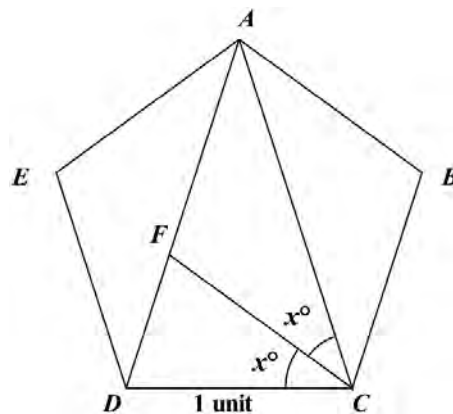
Question	Marks
1. Evaluate the following logarithms	
a) $\log_5 625$	1
b) $\log_{11} \frac{1}{11}$	1
c) $\log_3 \sqrt{27}$	1
2. Express $\log_5 24$, in terms of a and b , when $a = \log_5 2$ and $b = \log_5 3$	3
3. Solve for x , correct to three significant figures.	
a) $x = \log_4 17$	1
b) $(0.01)^x = 6$	2
c) $3^{3x-2} = 8^{x+2}$	3
4. Sketch the following logarithmic graph; showing all important features:	
$y = \log_2(x - 1)$	3

Section F (13 marks)

Question	Marks
1. If $P(x) = x^3 - 3x + 1$ and $Q(x) = -x^2 + x + 1$, find the leading coefficient and the constant term of the following without evaluating	
a) $P(x) - 3Q(x)$	2
b) $2P(x) \times Q(x)$	2
2. Perform the division. Express the result in the form	
$dividend = divisor \times quotient + remainder$ $(x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 6) \div (x + 2)$	2
3. Use the remainder theorem to find the remainder of	
$(2x^4 - x^3 + 11x - 2) \div (x + 3)$	2
4. a) Fully factorise $y = x^3 + x^2 - 8x - 12$.	2
b) Sketch the given polynomial, showing all important features	3

Section G (11 marks)

Question	Marks
1. a) Factorise $a^3 - 1$	1
b) Hence or otherwise, when $a = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3} - 1}$, find the value of $\log_3(a^3 - 1) - \log_3(a^2 + a + 1)$.	3
2. In a regular pentagon $ABCDE$, diagonal AD and AC are drawn to form a triangle ACD when point F on AD bisects the angle ACD .	



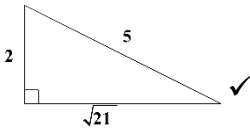
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| a) Show that the value of $\angle AED = 108^\circ$ | 1 |
| b) Show that $x^\circ = 36^\circ$ | 2 |
| c) Show that triangle CDF is an isosceles triangle | 1 |
| d) Show that $\triangle CDF$ is similar to $\triangle ACD$ | 1 |
| e) Hence, find the exact length of AD in the form of $a + b\sqrt{c}$. (hint: let $AC = p$) (where a , b , and c are integers) | 2 |

END OF EXAMINATION

Section A

Question	Marks
1. $\sqrt{\frac{657}{8\pi}} = 5.112846507 \checkmark \approx 5.113 \text{ (4.s.f.)} \checkmark$	2
2. $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}-\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{2\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}} \checkmark = \frac{2\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}}{4 \times 3 - 5} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}}{7} \checkmark$	2
3. $\frac{n^2-36}{n+6} = \frac{(n+6)(n-6)}{n+6} = n-6 \checkmark$	1
4. $x^2 = 6x$ $x^2 - 6x = 0 \checkmark$ $x(x-6) = 0$ $\therefore x = 0 \text{ or } x = 6 \checkmark$	2
5. $(x+2)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 9 \checkmark$	1
6. $\frac{3}{x^2-6x+9} - \frac{x}{x^2-x-6} = \frac{3}{(x-3)^2} - \frac{x}{(x-3)(x+2)} \checkmark = \frac{3(x+2) - x(x-3)}{(x-3)^2(x+2)} \checkmark$ $\frac{3x+6-x^2+3x}{(x-3)^2(x+2)} = \frac{-x^2+6x+6}{(x-3)^2(x+2)} \checkmark$	3
7. $979 \div 1.1 = \$890 \checkmark$	1

Section B

Question	Marks
1. i) $\operatorname{cosec} 60^\circ = \frac{1}{\sin 60} = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ or } \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3} \checkmark$	1
ii) $\sin 240^\circ = \sin(180 + 60) = -\sin 60 = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \checkmark$	1
2. $\sin A = \frac{2}{5}$ and $\tan A < 0$ 2 nd quadrant hence $\cos A$ is negative	2
	
$\cos A = -\frac{\sqrt{21}}{5} \checkmark$	
3. a) $\frac{\sin 18}{5} = \frac{\sin x}{14}, \sin x = \frac{14 \sin 18}{5} \checkmark$	2
$x = 60^\circ \text{ or } 120^\circ \text{ (to nearest degrees)} \checkmark$	

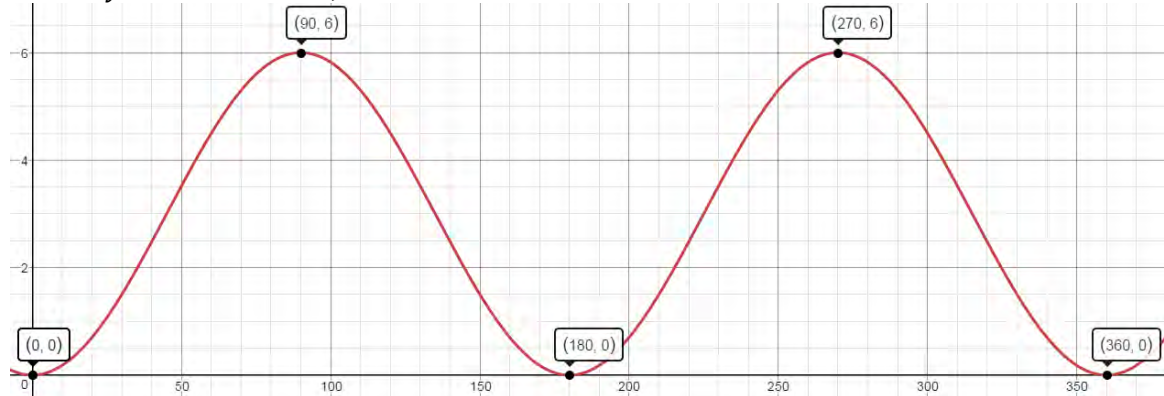
b) $x^2 = 4.3^2 + 5^2 - 2 \times 4.3 \times 5 \times \cos 147 \checkmark$ 2

$x = \sqrt{79.553 \dots} = 8.92 \text{ units (2 d.p.)} \checkmark$

4. $\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2} \times 5.8 \times 9 \times \sin 70 = 24.526 \dots \checkmark$ 2

the congruent triangle on the other side: $2 \times 24.526 = 49 \text{ cm}^2$ (nearest unit) \checkmark

5. Sketch $y = 3 - 3 \cos 2x$, for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ 3



Correct range & translation \checkmark , correct period \checkmark , correct shape \checkmark

6. $(\sqrt{(x+1)^2 + (y)^2})^2 + (\sqrt{(x-3)^2 + (y)^2})^2 = 40 \checkmark$ 3

$(x+1)^2 + (y)^2 + (x-3)^2 + (y)^2 = 40$

$x^2 + 2x + 1 + y^2 + x^2 - 6x + 9 + y^2 = 40$

$2x^2 - 4x + 10 + 2y^2 = 40$

$x^2 - 2x + 5 + y^2 = 20$

$(x^2 - 2x + 1) + y^2 = 16 \checkmark$

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

\therefore Centre of circle = (1,0) and radius = 4 units \checkmark

Section C

Question

Marks

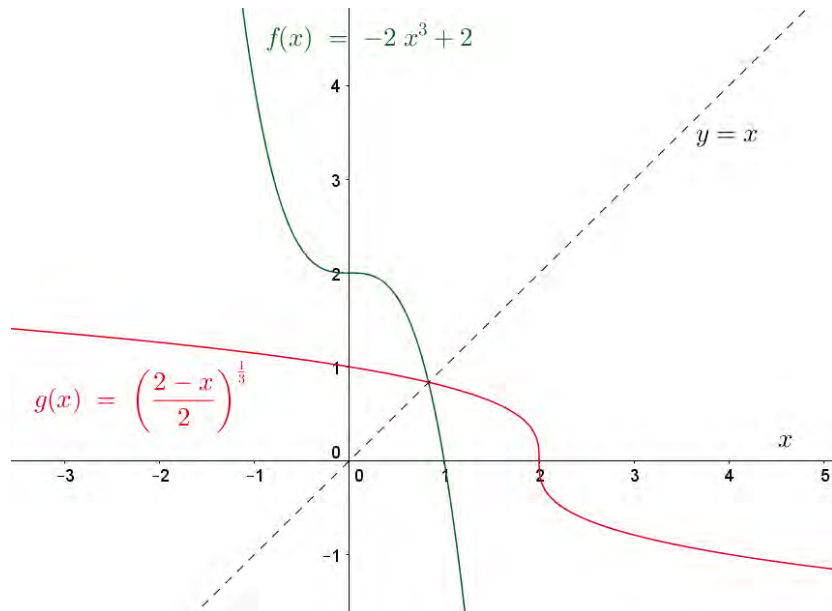
1. $x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4 \times 3 \times (-7)}}{2 \times 3} = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{88}}{6} \text{ or } \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{22}}{3} \checkmark \checkmark$ 2

2. $2x^2 - 3x - 10 = 2\left(x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x\right) - 10 = 2\left(x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{9}{16}\right) - \frac{9}{8} - 10 = 2\left(x - \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 - \frac{89}{8}$

a) $a = 2, h = \frac{3}{4}$ and $k = -\frac{89}{8} \checkmark \checkmark \checkmark$ 3

b) minimum value = $-\frac{89}{8} \checkmark$ 1

3.

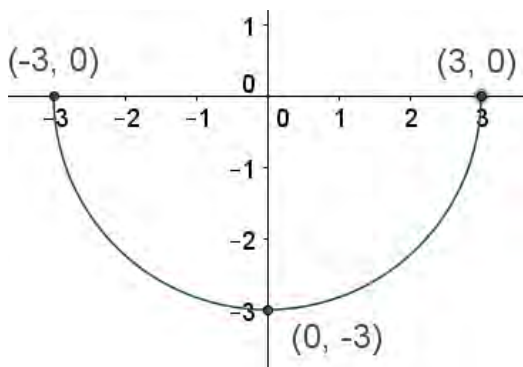


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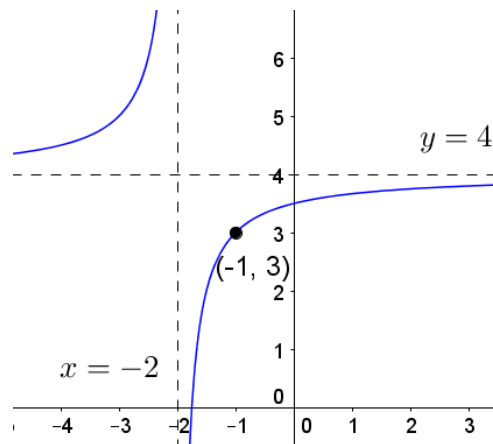
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correct shape, correct x – intercept and 1 extra point, correct inverse function

4. a)



b)



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Correct shape, correct intercepts

Correct shape, correct asymptotes, one extra point

5.

$\angle LMR = \angle PMS$ (vertically opposite angles),
 $\angle MLR = \angle MSR$ or $\angle MRL = \angle MPS$ (alternate angles on parallel lines)
 $\therefore \triangle MLR$ is similar to $\triangle MSP$ (Equiangular) ✓
 the ratio of sides between the triangles are 1:3
 Area ratio = $1^2:3^2 = 1:9$ ✓

2

Section D

Question

Marks

1.

a) $0.6 \times 0.6 \times 0.6 \checkmark = 0.216 = \frac{27}{125} \checkmark$

2

b) complementary event of stopping all shots ✓ = $1 - \frac{8}{125} = 0.936 = \frac{117}{125} \checkmark$

2

2.

a) Increased the mean and standard deviation ✓ ✓

2

b) English = $\frac{z-\bar{x}}{\sigma_n} = \frac{82-85}{6} = -\frac{1}{2} \checkmark$, Maths = $\frac{70-74}{10} = -\frac{2}{5} \checkmark$

3

he achieved better marks relative to the year group in maths ✓

3. a)

$$3 \times 5 = 2 \times x$$

$$x = \frac{15}{2} \checkmark$$

b)

$y =$ an isosceles triangle, angle at the center is $124^\circ \checkmark$.

$x = 62^\circ \checkmark$ (the angle at the circumference of a circle is half the angle at the centre standing on the same arc.)

c)

$$x = 2\checkmark, y = 8\checkmark$$

(Tangents to a circle from an external point are equal)

$(8 + z)^2 = 10^2 + (2 + z)^2$ (pythagoras' theorem),

$$z^2 + 16z + 64 = 100 + z^2 + 4z + 4$$

$$12z = 40, \therefore z = \frac{10}{3} \checkmark$$

d)

looking at the isosceles triangle the base angle equals to x (the angle between a tangent and a chord equals the angle at the circumference in the alternate segment)

the base angles of the triangles are $= \frac{180-75}{2} = 52.5^\circ \checkmark$

4.

$$\angle ACD = 90^\circ \checkmark$$

(the angle at the circumference in a semi-circle is 90°)

$$x + y + z + 90 = 180^\circ \checkmark$$

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(the opposite angles of a cyclic quadrilateral equals to 180°)

$$x + y + z = 90^\circ \checkmark$$

Section E

Question**Marks**

1. a) $5^x = 625 = 5^4$

$$\therefore x = 4 \checkmark$$

1

b) $11^x = 11^{-1} \checkmark$

$$x = -1 \checkmark$$

1

c) $3^x = (3^3)^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$$\therefore x = \frac{3}{2}$$

1

2.

$$\log_5 24 = \log_5 (8 \times 3) = \log_5 2^3 + \log_5 3 \checkmark$$

$$= 3 \log_5 2 + \log_5 3 \checkmark$$

$$= 3a + b \checkmark$$

3

3.

a) $\frac{\log 17}{\log 4} = 2.04$ (3 s. f) \checkmark

1

b) $\frac{\log 6}{\log 0.01} \checkmark = -0.389$ (3 s. f) $\checkmark \checkmark$

2

c) $(3x - 2) \log 3 = (x + 2) \log 8 \checkmark$

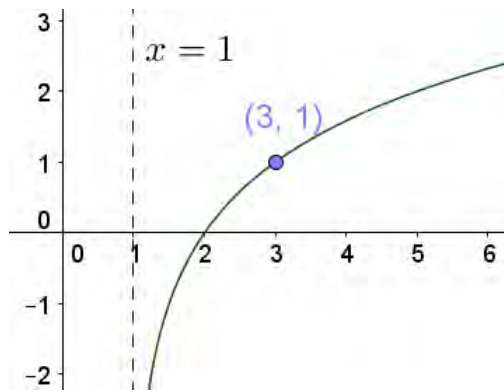
$$3 \log 3 \times x - 2 \log 3 = \log 8 \times x + 2 \log 8 \checkmark$$

$$(3 \log 3 - \log 8) x = 2 \log 8 + 2 \log 3$$

$$x = \frac{2 \log 8 + 2 \log 3}{3 \log 3 - \log 8} = 5.23$$
 (3 s. f) \checkmark

3

4.



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Correct asymptote, correct extra point & correct shape

Section F

Question

Marks

1. a) $P(x) - 3Q(x)$ leading coefficient = $1\checkmark$, constant term = $-2\checkmark$ 2

b) $2P(x) \times Q(x)$ leading coefficient = $-2\checkmark$, constant term = $2\checkmark$ 2

2. $(x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 6) = (x^2 - 1)(x + 2) + 8\checkmark\checkmark$ 2

3. $P(-3\checkmark) = 154\checkmark$ 2

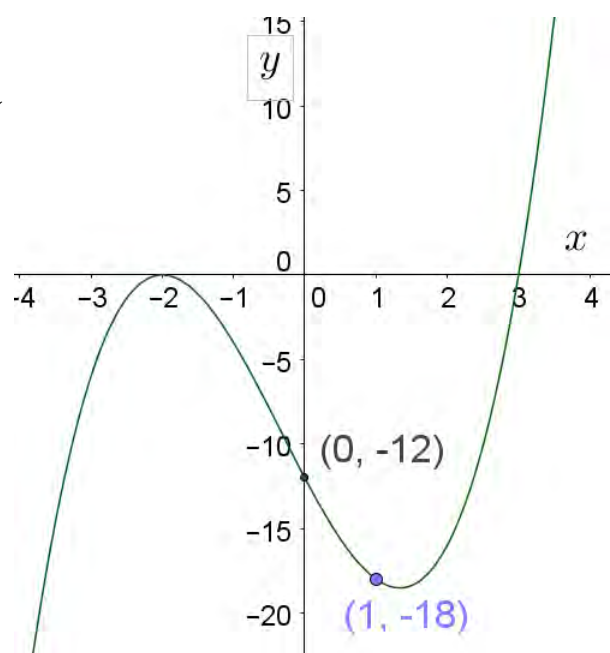
4. Use factor theorem to find roots 2

$P(x) = (x + 2)^2(x - 3)\checkmark\checkmark$

Correct shape of the polynomial \checkmark

all required points shown $\checkmark\checkmark$

*x and y axis on different scales



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Question	Marks
1. a) $a^3 - 1 = (a - 1)(a^2 + a + 1) \checkmark$	1
b) $a = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}-1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}+1}{\sqrt{3}+1} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}+2}{2} = \sqrt{3} + 1$	
$\log_3(a^3 - 1) - \log_3(a^2 + a + 1).$ $= \log_3(a - 1)(a^2 + a + 1) - \log_3(a^2 + a + 1)$ $= \log_3(a - 1) + \log_3(a^2 + a + 1) - \log_3(a^2 + a + 1) \checkmark$ $= \log_3(\sqrt{3} + 1) = \log_3 3^{\frac{1}{2}} + \log_3 1$ $= \frac{1}{2} \log_3 3 + \log_3 1 = \frac{1}{2} \times 1 + 0 \checkmark$ $\therefore \frac{1}{2} \checkmark$	3
2. a) Show that the value of $\angle AED = 108^\circ$	
<i>an internal angle of regular pentagon</i> $= \frac{180(n-2)}{n} = \frac{540}{5} = 108^\circ \checkmark$	1
b) Find the value of x°	
$\angle BCA = (180 - 108) \div 2 = 36^\circ \checkmark$ $\angle DCB = 108 = 36 + 2x$ $\therefore x = 36^\circ \checkmark$	2
c) Prove that triangle CDF is an isosceles triangle	
$\angle CAF = 108 - 2 \times 36^\circ = 36^\circ$ $\therefore \angle AFC = 108^\circ$ $\angle CFD = 72^\circ$ <i>For triangle CDF</i> $\angle CDF = 180 - 72 - 36 = 72^\circ$ $\therefore \triangle CDF$ is an isosceles triangle (two base angles are equal) \checkmark	1
d) $\angle ADC = \angle ACD = 72^\circ = \angle CFD = \angle CDF$	1
$\triangle ACD$ is similar to $\triangle CFD$ (equiangular) \checkmark	
e) let $AC = p$ then $FD = p - 1$	
$\frac{AC}{CF} = \frac{CD}{DF}$ $\frac{p}{1} = \frac{1}{p-1} \checkmark$ $p(p-1) = 1$ $p^2 - p - 1 = 0$ $p = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 + 4}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2}$ or $\frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$ (only positive for measurement) \checkmark	2