

**SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL**

**MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 1**

**COMMON TEST  
MAY 2003**

**Time Allowed:** 70 minutes

**Instructions:**

- Show all necessary working
- Start each question on a new page
- All questions are of equal value
- Approximate marks are shown alongside each question

<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>	<b>Q5</b>	<b>Q6</b>	<b>Total</b>

**Question 1**

(a) If  $\sqrt[3]{p} = 32$  and  $\sqrt{q} = 243$  find  $\sqrt[5]{pq}$  (2)

(b) Factorise  $x^4 + 8x^2 - 9$  (2)

© Solve  $\cos 2x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 360$  (2)

(d) Simplify  $\frac{\cos(360 - \theta)^\circ}{\sin(-\theta)^\circ}$  (2)

(e) If  $x - \frac{1}{x} = 2\sqrt{2}$  find the value of  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$  (2)

**Question 2**

(a) (i) Factorise  $2^{n+1} + 2^n$  (3)

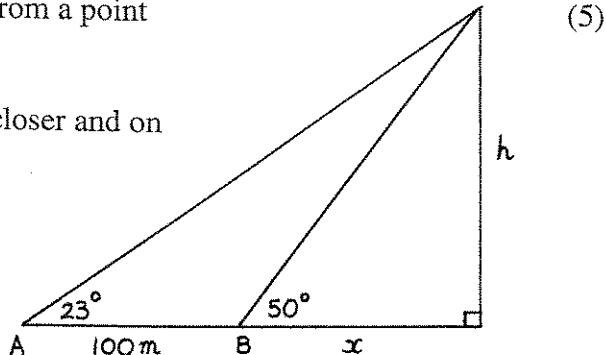
(ii) Hence, write  $\frac{2^{1001} + 2^{1000}}{3}$  as a power of 2

(b) Given that  $\tan A = p$  and  $180^\circ < A < 270^\circ$  (2)

find an expression for  $\cos A$  in terms of  $p$ .

- © The angle of elevation of a tower top from a point A is  $23^\circ$

The angle of elevation from B, 100m closer and on the same horizontal plane as A is  $50^\circ$ .



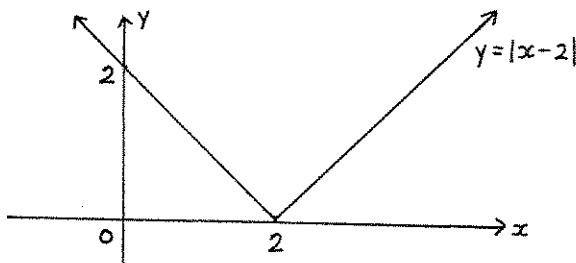
- Find an expression for  $\tan 67^\circ$  and  $\tan 40^\circ$  in terms of  $x$  and  $h$ .
- Hence show that  $h = \frac{100}{\tan 67^\circ - \tan 40^\circ}$
- Hence find the height of the tower (correct to 2 decimal places.).

### Question 3

(a) Solve  $\frac{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x-1}}{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x-1}} = 3$  (2)

(b) Solve  $2\sin^2 x + \cos x - 1 = 0$  for  $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$  (4)

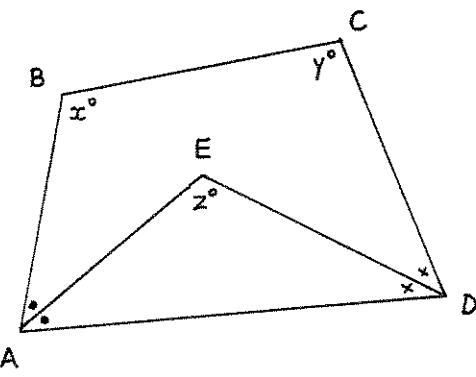
- © The graph of  $y = |x - 2|$  is given below (4)



- Sketch  $y = |x - 2| - 1$
- Hence, sketch  $y = ||x - 2| - 1|$  on a separate number plane
- If  $||x - 2| - 1| = a$ , where  $a$  is an integer, has 3 solutions, find the value of  $a$ .

**Question 4**

(a) Simplify  $\frac{15^n \times 3^{n+1}}{5^{n-1}}$  (2)

(b)   $\angle BAE = \angle EAD$  and (5)  
 $\angle CDE = \angle EDA$ .

i) Copy and complete:  $\angle EAD + \angle EDA =$  \_\_\_\_\_ ( )

ii) Hence find an expression for  $x + y$ .

Give a reason.

(c) Prove  $(1 + \tan A + \sec A)(1 + \tan A - \sec A) = 2 \tan A$  (3)

**Question 5**

(a) State the natural domain of  $y = \frac{\sqrt{x+4}}{x}$  (2)

(b) Factorise  $x^2 - y^2 + 6y - 9$  (2)

© Solve  $\frac{x^2 - 4}{x} \leq 0$  (3)

(d) Solve simultaneously  $2^x + 3^y = 5$   
 $2^{x+3} - 3^{y+2} = 23$  (3)

### Question 6

(a) Solve  $\frac{1}{|x-3|} > \frac{1}{2}$  (3)

(b) Consider the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 - 1}$  (7)

- i) For what values of  $x$  is  $f(x)$  undefined?
- ii) Show that  $y = f(x)$  is an odd function
- iii) What is the graphical significance of part ii.
- iv) Hence, sketch the function showing important features.  
Use a ruler to draw the axes.  
Use about  $\frac{1}{3}$  of a page.

Question 1

(a)  $p = 32^3 \quad q = 243^2$

$$\sqrt[5]{pq} = \sqrt[5]{32^3 \times 243^2}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{72}}$$

(b)  $x^4 + 8x^2 - 9$   
 $= (x^2 + 9)(x^2 - 1)$   
 $= (x^2 + 9)(x + 1)(x - 1)$

(c)  $\cos 2x = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$$2x = 150^\circ, 210^\circ, 510^\circ, 570^\circ$$

$$x = \underline{\underline{75^\circ, 105^\circ, 255^\circ, 285^\circ}}$$

(d)  $\frac{\cos(360^\circ - \theta)}{\sin(-\theta)} = \frac{\cos\theta}{-\sin\theta}$   
 $= -\frac{\cot\theta}{\underline{\underline{1}}}$

(e)  $x - \frac{1}{x} = 2\sqrt{2}$

$$(x - \frac{1}{x})^2 = x^2 - 2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2} = (2\sqrt{2})^2 + 2$$

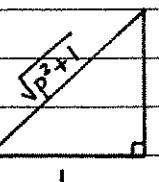
$$= 8 + 2$$

$$= \underline{\underline{10}}$$

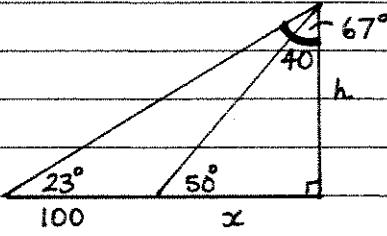
Question 2

(a) i.  $2^n(2+1) = \underline{\underline{3 \times 2^n}}$

ii.  $\frac{2^{1001} + 2^{1000}}{3} = \frac{3 \times 2^{1000}}{3}$   
 $= \underline{\underline{2^{1000}}}$

(b)   
 $\cos A = \frac{p}{\sqrt{p^2 + 1}}$

(c)



i.  $\tan 67^\circ = \frac{100+x}{h}$

$$\tan 40^\circ = \frac{x}{h}$$

ii.  $h \tan 67^\circ - 100 = x$   
 $h \tan 40^\circ = x$

$$h \tan 40^\circ = h \tan 67^\circ - 100$$

$$100 = h \tan 67^\circ - h \tan 40^\circ$$

$$100 = h(\tan 67^\circ - \tan 40^\circ)$$

$$\therefore h = \frac{100}{\tan 67^\circ - \tan 40^\circ}$$

iii.  $h = \underline{\underline{65.93}}$

Question 3

(a)  $\frac{\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x-1}}{\sqrt{x+1} - \sqrt{x-1}} = 3$

$$\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{x-1} = 3\sqrt{x+1} - 3\sqrt{x-1}$$

$$4\sqrt{x-1} = 2\sqrt{x+1}$$

$$2\sqrt{x-1} = \sqrt{x+1}$$

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

$$4x-4 = x+1$$

$$3x = 5$$

$$\therefore x = \underline{\underline{\frac{5}{3}}}$$

(b)  $2 \sin^2 x + \cos x - 1 = 0$

$$2(1 - \cos^2 x) + \cos x - 1 = 0$$

$$2 - 2\cos^2 x + \cos x - 1 = 0$$

$$2\cos^2 x - \cos x - 1 = 0$$

$$(2\cos x + 1)(\cos x - 1) = 0$$

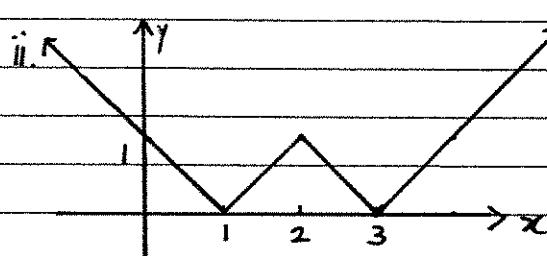
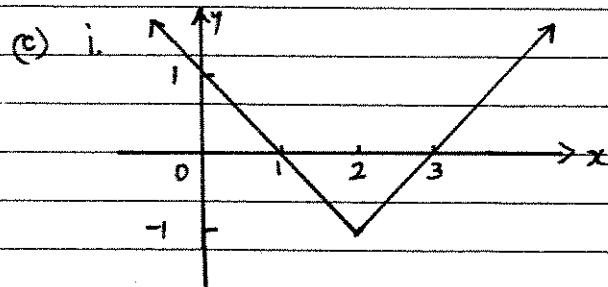
$$\cos x = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \cos x = 1$$

for  $0 \leq x \leq 360$

$$x = 120, 240 \text{ and } 0, 360$$

$\therefore$  for  $-180 \leq x \leq 180$

$$\underline{x = 120, -120, 0}$$



iii.  $\underline{a = 1}$

#### Question 4

$$(a) \frac{15^n \times 3^{n+1}}{5^{n-1}} = \frac{3^n \times 5^n \times 3^{n+1}}{5^{n-1}}$$
$$= \underline{3^{2n+1} \times 5}$$

(b) i.  $\underline{180-z}$  (angle sum of  $\Delta$ )

ii.  $2(\angle EAD + \angle LEDA) +$

$$x+y = 360^\circ$$

(angle sum of  
quad)

$$2(180-z) + x+y = 360$$

$$360 - 2z + x+y = 360$$

$$\underline{x+y = 2z}$$

(c) LHS =  $(1+\tan A + \sec A)(1+\tan A - \sec A)$   $(x-5)(x-1) < 0$

$$= (1+\tan A)^2 - \sec^2 A$$
$$= 1 + 2\tan A + \tan^2 A - \sec^2 A$$
$$= 2\tan A + \sec^2 A - \sec^2 A$$
$$= 2\tan A$$
$$= \underline{\text{RHS}}$$

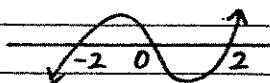
#### Question 5

(a)  $\underline{x \geq -4, x \neq 0}$

$$(b) x^2 - (y^2 - 6y + 9)$$
$$= x^2 - (y-3)^2$$
$$= [x + (y-3)][x - (y-3)]$$
$$= \underline{(x+y-3)(x-y+3)}$$

$$(c) x^2 \times \frac{x^2 - 4}{x} \leq 0 \times x^2$$

$$x(x+2)(x-2) \leq 0$$



$$\therefore \underline{x \leq -2, 0 < x \leq 2}$$

(d)  $2^x + 3^y = 5$

$$2^x = 5 - 3^y$$

$$2^x \cdot 2^3 - 3^y \cdot 3^2 = 23$$

$$8(5 - 3^y) - 9 \cdot 3^y = 23$$

$$40 - 8 \cdot 3^y - 9 \cdot 3^y = 23$$

$$17 = 17 \cdot 3^y$$

$$1 = 3^y$$

$$2^x + 3^0 = 5$$

$$2^x = 4$$

$$x = 2$$

$$\therefore \underline{x = 2 \text{ and } y = 0}$$

#### Question 6

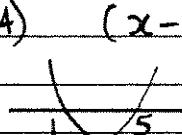
(a)  $\frac{1}{|x-3|} > \frac{1}{2}$

$$(x-3)^2 \times \frac{1}{(x-3)^2} > \frac{1}{4} \times (x-3)^2$$

$$4 > (x-3)^2$$

$$(x-3)^2 - 4 < 0$$

$$(x-3-2)(x-3+2) < 0$$



$$\therefore \underline{1 < x < 5, x \neq 3}$$

(b)  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 - 1}$

i.  $x = \pm 1$

ii.  $f(a) = \frac{a}{a^2 - 1}$

$$\begin{aligned}f(-a) &= \frac{-a}{(-a)^2 - 1} \\&= \frac{-a}{a^2 - 1}\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  function is odd since

$f(-a) = -f(a)$

iii. point symmetry about the origin

iv.

