

GIRRAWEEN HIGH SCHOOL

MATHEMATICS

YEAR 11

MARCH 2003

TIME: 80 minutes

TEST 1

Instructions:

- Attempt all questions.
- Start each question on a separate page.
- All necessary working must be shown.
- Marks will be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.

Question 1 (12 marks)

(a) Calculate $\frac{\sqrt{6.1+18.7}}{12.4}$ correct to 1 decimal place. 2

(b) Find $\sqrt[3]{102}$ correct to 1 decimal place. 2

(c) Write in scientific notation:

(i) 2 100 000 000 2

(ii) 0.00104 2

(d) Find $[4.3 \times 10^{19}] \times [7.1 \times 10^{28}]$. Write your answer in scientific notation. 2

(e) Express each of these recurring decimals as a fraction in its simplest form:

(i) 0. $\dot{5}\dot{8}$ 2

(ii) 0.7 $\dot{2}\dot{6}$ 2

Question 2 (16 marks)

(a) Simplify $4(a - 2) - 3(a - 5)$.

2

(b) Expand and simplify:

(i) $x^2 + 2x + x(x - 5)$

2

(ii) $2m^2(3m^3 + 2m + 6) - 5m(3m^2 - 4m)$

2

(c) Expand and simplify:

(i) $(p^2 - q^2)(p + q)$

2

(ii) $(3x - 4)(x^2 - 2x + 5)$

2

(d) Expand and simplify $(3x - 4)(x - 2)(x - 2)$.

2

(e) If $V = 3x^2y$, find V if $x = 0.2$ and $y = 75$.

2

(f) If $K = (a + b)^3$, find K if $a = \frac{1}{5}$ and $b = 4\frac{1}{2}$.

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Question 3 (23 marks)

(a) Write these surds in their simplest form:

(i) $\sqrt{250}$ 2

(ii) $\sqrt{\frac{9}{4}}$ 2

(b) Simplify:

(i) $\sqrt{8} + \sqrt{32}$ 2

(ii) $\sqrt{180} + \sqrt{128} - 2\sqrt{5}$ 2

(c) Find the value of a if $\sqrt{90} - \sqrt{40} = a\sqrt{10}$. 2

(d) Expand and simplify:

(i) $(\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{5})(\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{5})$ 2

(ii) $(\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2})^2$ 2

(e) Rationalise the denominator and simplify:

(i) $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}}$. 2

(ii) $\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}+1}$ 2

(iii) $\frac{\sqrt{2}+1}{\sqrt{2}-1}$ 2

(f) Show $\frac{1}{5-\sqrt{7}} + \frac{1}{5+\sqrt{7}}$ is a rational number. 3

Question 4 (23 marks)

(a) Factorise:

(i) $3x + 3y + x^2 + xy$ 2

(ii) $(a+b)^2 + x(a+b)$ 2

(b) Factorise:

(i) $p^2 - 100$ 2

(ii) $12 - 3x^2$ 2

(c) Factorise:

(i) $x^2 - x - 12$ 2

(ii) $3x^2 - 10x + 8$ 2

(iii) $2 + x - 10x^2$ 2

(d) Simplify:

(i) $\frac{3x^2y}{6xy^2}$ 2

(ii) $\frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3}$ 2

(e) Expand and simplify $(3a^2 + a)(a^3 - 3a^2 + 6a - 3)$. 3

(f) If $7.2x^3 = 50$, find x to 1 decimal place. 2

Question 5 (10 marks)

(a) Simplify:

(i) $\frac{x+1}{2} + \frac{x}{3}$ 2

(ii) $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+y}$ 2

(iii) $\frac{2}{(x+1)(x+3)} + \frac{1}{x+3}$ 2

(b) Factorise $8x^3 - 125$. 2

(c) If $T = a(n-1)d$, find n if $T = 45$, $a = 5$ and $d = 2$. 2

Question 6 (12 marks)

(a) Simplify:

(i) $\frac{m^2 + 2m - 8}{m^2 - 4}$ 2

(ii) $\frac{1-t^2}{t-1}$ 2

(iii) $\frac{x^3 + 8}{x^2 - 2x + 4}$ 2

(b) Simplify:

(i) $\frac{3b-3c}{bc} \times \frac{b^2}{b^2 - bc}$ 3

(ii) $\frac{x+1}{x+3} \div \frac{x^2 - 16}{x^2 - x - 12}$ 3

Year 11 2003 Task 1 Solutions

Question 1

a) 0.4 (to 1 d.p.) (2)

b) $\sqrt{102} = 2.5$ (2)

c) i) 2.1×10^9 (1)

ii) 1.04×10^{-3} (1)

d) 3.053×10^{48} (2)

e) i) 0.58

Let $x = 0.5858$

$100x = 58.5858$

$99x = 58$

$\therefore 0.58 = \frac{58}{99}$ (2)

ii) 0.726

Let $x = 0.72666$

$10x = 7.26666$

$9x = 6.54$

$x = \frac{6.54}{9} = \frac{654}{900}$

$\therefore 0.726 = \frac{109}{150}$ (2)

Question 2

a) $4(a-2) - 3(a-5)$

$= 4a - 8 - 3a + 15$

$= a + 7$ (2)

b) i) $x^2 + 2x + x(x-5)$
 $= x^2 + 2x + x^2 - 5x$
 $= 2x^2 - 3x$ (2)

ii) $2m^2(3m^3 + 2m + 6) - 5m(3m^2 - 4m)$
 $= 6m^5 + 4m^3 + 12m^2 - 15m^3 + 20m^2$
 $= 6m^5 - 11m^3 + 32m^2$ (2)

c) i) $(p^2 - q^2)(p+q)$
 $= p^3 + p^2q - pq^2 - q^3$ (2)
 ii) $(3x-4)(x^2 - 2x + 5)$
 $= 3x^3 - 6x^2 + 15x - 4x^2 + 8x - 20$
 $= 3x^3 - 10x^2 + 23x - 20$ (2)

d) $(3x-4)(x-2)(x-2)$
 $= (3x-4)(x^2 - 4x + 4)$
 $= 3x^3 - 12x^2 + 12x - 4x^2 + 16x - 16$
 $= 3x^3 - 16x^2 + 28x - 16$ (2)

e) $V = 3x^2 y$
 $V = 3 \times (0.2)^2 \times 75$
 $V = 9$ (2)

f) $K = (a+b)^3$
 $= \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{9}{2}\right)^3$
 $= 103.823$ (2)

Question 3

$$\text{a) i) } \sqrt{250} = \sqrt{25 \times 10} \\ = 5\sqrt{10} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ii) } \sqrt{\frac{9}{4}} = \frac{3}{2} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{b) i) } \sqrt{8} + \sqrt{32} \\ = 2\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2} \\ = 6\sqrt{2} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ii) } \sqrt{180} + \sqrt{128} - 2\sqrt{5} \\ \sqrt{36 \times 5} + \sqrt{64 \times 2} - 2\sqrt{5} \\ = 6\sqrt{5} + 8\sqrt{2} - 2\sqrt{5} \\ = 4\sqrt{5} + 8\sqrt{2} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{c) } \sqrt{90} - \sqrt{40} = a\sqrt{10} \\ 3\sqrt{10} - 2\sqrt{10} = 1\sqrt{10} \\ \therefore a = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{d) } (\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{5})(\sqrt{3} - 2\sqrt{5}) \\ = 3 - 20 \\ = -17 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ii) } (\sqrt{3} + 2\sqrt{2})^2 \\ = 3 + 4\sqrt{6} + 8 \\ = 11 + 4\sqrt{6} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{e) i) } \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \\ = \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{6} \\ = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{3} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ii) } \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}+1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{3}-4}{3-1} \\ = 2\sqrt{3}-2 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{iii) } \frac{(\sqrt{2}+1)}{(\sqrt{2}-1)} \times \frac{(\sqrt{2}+1)}{(\sqrt{2}+1)} \\ = \frac{2+2\sqrt{2}+1}{2-1} \\ = 3+2\sqrt{2} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{f) } \frac{1}{5-\sqrt{7}} + \frac{1}{5+\sqrt{7}}$$

$$= \frac{5+\sqrt{7}+5-\sqrt{7}}{25-7}$$

$$= \frac{10}{18}$$

$= \frac{5}{9}$ a rational number (3)

Question 4

$$\text{a) i) } 3x + 3y + x^2 + xy \\ = 3(x+y) + x(x+y) \\ = (3+x)(x+y) \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ii) } (a+b)^2 + x(a+b) \\ = (a+b)(a+b+x) \quad (2)$$

$$H) i) p^2 - 100 = (p+10)(p-10) \quad (2)$$

$$ii) 12 - 3x^2 = 3(4 - x^2) \\ = 3(2-x)(2+x) \quad (2)$$

$$c) i) x^2 - x - 12 = (x-4)(x+3) \quad (2)$$

$$ii) 3x^2 - 10x + 8 = (3x-4)(x-2) \quad (2)$$

$$iii) 2 + x - 10x^2 = (2+5x)(1-2x) \quad (2)$$

$$d) i) \frac{3x^2y}{6xy^2} = \frac{x}{2y} \quad (2)$$

$$ii) \frac{x^2 - 9}{x-3} = \frac{(x+3)(x-3)}{(x-3)} \\ = x+3 \quad (2)$$

$$e) (3a^2 + a)(a^3 - 3a^2 + 6a - 3) \\ = 3a^5 - 9a^4 + 18a^3 - 9a^2 + a^4 - 3a^3 + 6a^2 - 3a \\ = 3a^5 - 8a^4 + 15a^3 - 3a^2 - 3a \quad (3)$$

$$f) 7.2x^3 = 50 \\ x^3 = \frac{50}{7.2}$$

$$x = 2.6 \quad (2)$$

Question 5

$$a) i) \frac{x+1}{2} + \frac{x}{3}$$

$$= \frac{3x+3+2x}{6} \\ = \frac{5x+3}{6} \quad (2)$$

$$ii) \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x+y}$$

$$= \frac{x+y+x}{x(x+y)}$$

$$= \frac{2x+y}{x(x+y)} \quad (2)$$

$$iii) \frac{2}{(x+1)(x+3)} + \frac{1}{x+3}$$

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

$$= \frac{3+x}{(x+1)(x+3)} \quad (2)$$

$$b) 8x^3 - 125 = (2x)^3 - 5^3$$

$$= (2x-5)(4x^2 + 10x + 25) \quad (2)$$

$$c) T = a + (n-1)d$$

$$45 = 5 + (n-1)2$$

$$40 = 2n - 2$$

$$42 = 2n$$

$$n = 21 \quad (2)$$

Question 6

a) i) $\frac{m^2 + 2m - 8}{m^2 - 4}$

$$= \frac{(m-2)(m+4)}{(m-2)(m+2)}$$

$$= \frac{m+4}{m+2}$$

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ii) $\frac{1-t^2}{t-1}$

$$= \frac{(1+t)(1-t)}{-(1-t)}$$

$$= -(1+t)$$

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iii) $\frac{x^3 + 8}{x^2 - 2x + 4}$

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

$$= x+2$$

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b) i) $\frac{3b-3c}{bc} \times \frac{b^2}{b^2 - bc}$

$$= \frac{3(b-c)}{bc} \times \frac{b^2}{b(b-c)}$$

$$= \frac{3}{c} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

ii) $\frac{x+1}{x+3} \div \frac{x^2 - 16}{x^2 - x - 12}$

$$= \frac{x+1}{x+3} \div \frac{(x+4)(x-4)}{(x+3)(x-4)}$$

$$= \frac{x+1}{(x+3)} \times \frac{(x+3)(x-4)}{(x+4)(x-4)}$$

$$= \frac{x+1}{x+4} \quad \textcircled{3}$$