



**GIRRAWEEN HIGH SCHOOL  
YEAR 11 YEARLY EXAMINATION**

**2007**

**MATHEMATICS**

**2 UNIT**

*Time allowed- Two Hours  
(plus 5 minutes reading time)*

**DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- Attempt ALL questions.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.
- Board-approved calculators may be used.
- Start each question on a new page.
- Write your name on each piece of paper.

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<b>Question 1 (18 marks)</b>	<b>Marks</b>
(a) Find, correct to 3 significant figures: $\frac{6.4^2 - 3.4^3}{2 \times 6.4 \times 3.4}$	2
(b) Factorise fully:	4
(i) $2x^2 - 7x - 15$	
(ii) $12x^2 - 3y^2$	
(c) Find the exact value:	2
(i) $\frac{3^{-2}}{5^{-3}}$	
(ii) $9^{\frac{1}{2}} \times 100^{\frac{-3}{2}}$	
(d) Solve: $3 - (4 - x) = 5x$	2
(e) Rationalise the denominator: $\frac{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5}}$	4
(f) Solve and graph on a number line: $ 2x - 1  \geq 3$	4

**Question 2 (15 marks)**

- (a) The points A(-4, 2), B(1, 3) and C(5, -4) are the vertices of a triangle. 9
- (i) Plot the points on a number plane showing the above information.
  - (ii) Find the gradient of AC.
  - (iii) Find the equation of AC.
  - (iv) Find the equation of the line perpendicular to AC and passing through B.
- (b) Find the perpendicular distance between the parallel lines  $3x - y + 1 = 0$  and  $3x - y + 5 = 0$ . 3
- (c) The points (4, -1), (5, 2) and (7,  $k$ ) are collinear. Find the value of  $k$ . 3

**Question 3** (14 marks)

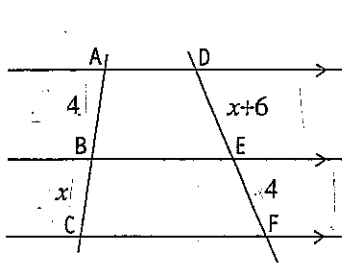
(a) Each interior angle of a regular polygon is  $162^\circ$ . Find

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- (i) the number of sides.  
 (ii) the sum of its interior angles.

(b) Find the value of  $x$ . Give reasons.

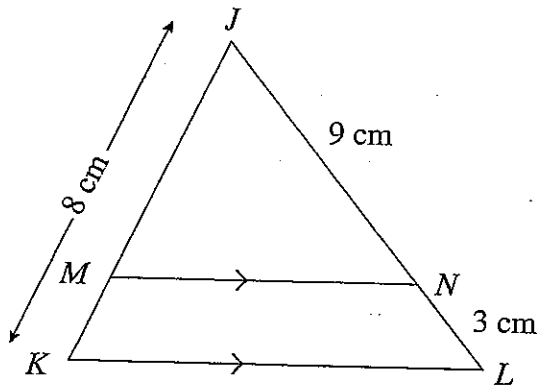
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(c) In the diagram given below,  $\triangle JMN$  is similar to  $\triangle JKL$ .

Find the length of  $MK$ .

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(d) Sketch the region:

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(i)  $y < \sqrt{16 - x^2}$

(ii)  $y \leq 2 - x^2$  and  $y \geq |x|$

**Question 4 (28 marks)**(a) For each of the following curves 16

$$(\alpha) y = (x+1)^2 \qquad (\beta) y = |x| - 3$$

$$(\gamma) y = \frac{1}{x-4} \qquad (\delta) y = \sqrt{2-x}$$

- (i) Draw a neat sketch showing important features.  
 (ii) State the domain and range.

(b) Find the domain of  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{25-x^2}}$ . 2(c) Is the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2-1}$  odd, even or neither? Justify your answer. 3

(d) A function is defined by the rule

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1 & x \geq -1 \\ x + 1 & x < -1 \end{cases}$$

- (i) Sketch the curve. 3  
 (ii) State the domain and range. 2  
 (iii) Find the value of  $f(2) + f(-2)$ . 2

**Question 5 (23 marks)**(a) Differentiate: 11

$$(i) y = 3\sqrt[3]{x} + 5x - 4 \qquad (ii) y = (7x^3 - 1)(5x^2 - x)$$

$$(iii) y = \frac{4x^2 - 2}{x^2 + 5} \qquad (iv) y = \sqrt{x^2 - 2x}$$

(b) Find the derivative of  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  from first principles. 3(c) Find the equation of the normal to the parabola  $y = 2x^2 - 5x + 1$  at the point on the parabola where the gradient is 3. 4(d) Evaluate the following limits: 5

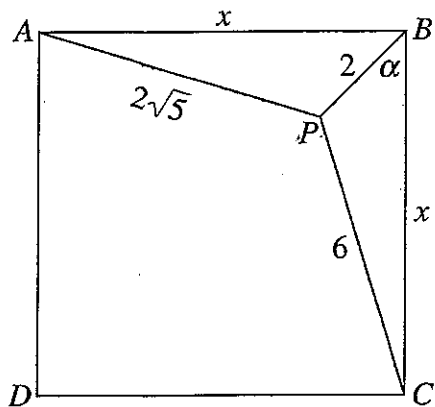
$$(i) \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^3 - 125}{x^2 - 7x + 10} \qquad (ii) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + 5}$$

**Question 6** (19 marks)

- (a) The quadratic equation  $4x^2 - 9x + 1 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . Find: 10
- (i)  $\alpha + \beta$       (ii)  $\alpha\beta$       (iii)  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$       (iv)  $(\alpha + 2)(\beta + 2)$
- (b) Find the values of  $k$  for which  $y = kx^2 + 3kx + 6$  is positive definite. 3
- (c) The line  $y = 3x - p + 1$  is a tangent to the parabola  $y = x^2$ . Find 3  
the value of  $p$ .
- (d) Find the values of  $A, B, C$  if
- $$4x^2 - 9x - 2 \equiv Ax(x+1) + B(x-1) + C \text{ for all } x. \quad 3$$

**Question 7** (21 marks)

- (a) Solve for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ . Write answer correct to the nearest minute. 6
- (i)  $2\sin\theta = \sqrt{3}$       (ii)  $\cos 2\theta = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- (b) Prove:  $(\cot\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta)^2 = \frac{1 + \cos\theta}{1 - \cos\theta}$  3
- (c) The diagram shows a square  $ABCD$  of side  $x$  cm.  $PC = 6$  cm,  
 $PB = 2$  cm and  $AP = 2\sqrt{5}$  cm.



- (i) Using the cosine rule in  $\triangle PBC$ , show that  $\cos\alpha = \frac{x^2 - 32}{4x}$ . 2
- (ii) By considering  $\triangle PBA$ , show that  $\sin\alpha = \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}$ . 2
- (iii) Show that the value of  $x$  is a solution of  
 $x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0$  (Hint:  $\sin^2\alpha + \cos^2\alpha = 1$ ). 3
- (iv) Solve  $x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0$  and determine the length  $AB$   
of the square. Give reason. 5

# Year 11 Mathematics Yearly 2007 - Solutions

## Question 1

(a) 0.0381 (2)

(b) (i)  $2x^2 - 7x - 15$   
 $= (x-5)(2x+3)$  (2)

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

(c) (i)  $\frac{3^{-2}}{5^{-3}} = \frac{1}{9} \times \frac{125}{1}$   
 $= \frac{125}{9}$  (1)  
 $= 13\frac{8}{9}$

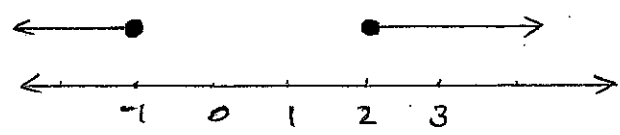
(ii)  $9^{\frac{1}{2}} \times 100^{-\frac{3}{2}}$   
 $= 3 \times \frac{1}{100^{\frac{3}{2}}}$  (1)

(iii)  $= \frac{3}{1000}$

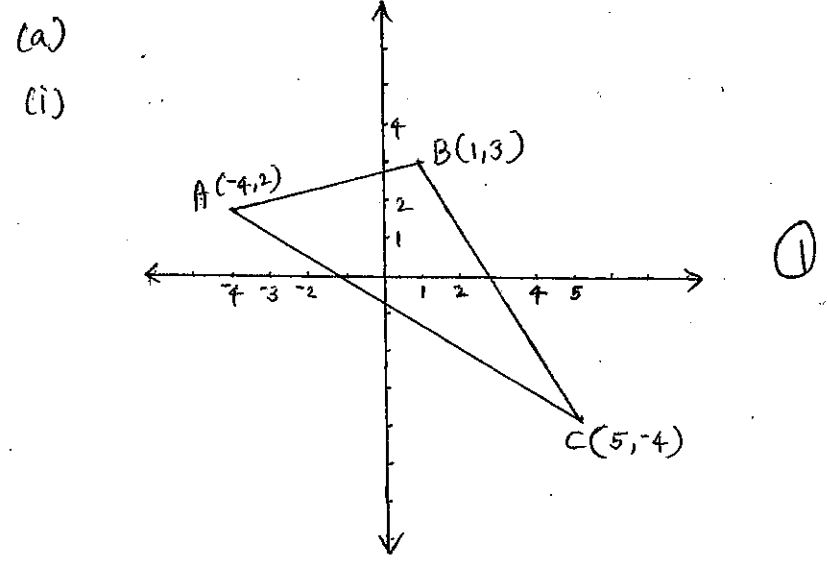
(d)  $3 - (4 - x) = 5x$   
 $3 - 4 + x = 5x$   
 $4x = -1$  (2)  
 $x = \frac{-1}{4}$

(e)  $\frac{\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2}}{3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5}} = \frac{(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2})(3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5})}{(3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{5})(3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5})}$   
 $= \frac{3\sqrt{10} + 5 - 6 - \sqrt{10}}{(3\sqrt{2})^2 - (\sqrt{5})^2}$

$= \frac{2\sqrt{10} - 1}{18 - 5} = \frac{2\sqrt{10} - 1}{13}$  (4)

(f)  $|2x - 1| \geq 3$   
 $2x - 1 \geq 3$  OR  $-(2x - 1) \geq 3$   
 $2x - 1 \geq 3$  OR  $2x - 1 \leq -3$   
 $2x \geq 4$  OR  $2x \leq -2$  (4)  
 $\underline{x \geq 2}$  OR  $\underline{x \leq -1}$   


## Question 2



(ii)  $m_{AC} = \frac{2+4}{-4-5} = \frac{6}{-9} = \underline{\underline{-\frac{2}{3}}}$  (2)

(iii)  $y - 2 = -\frac{2}{3}(x + 4)$   
 $3y - 6 = -2(x + 4)$  (3)  
 $3y - 6 = -2x - 8$   
 $\underline{\underline{2x + 3y + 2 = 0}}$  OR  $\underline{\underline{y = \frac{-2x - 2}{3}}}$

(IV) Gradient of the perpendiculars =  $\frac{3}{2}$

Equation of the perpendicular line is

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

$$2y - 6 = 3(x - 1)$$

$$2y - 6 = 3x - 3 \quad (3)$$

$$\underline{3x - 2y + 3 = 0}$$

OR

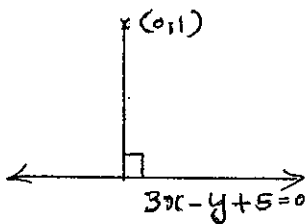
$$\underline{y = \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}}$$

(b)  $3x - y + 1 = 0$

when  $x = 0$ ,  $1 - y = 0$

$$1 = y$$

$(0, 1)$  is a point on  $3x - y + 1 = 0$



$$d = \frac{|3 \times 0 - 1 + 5|}{\sqrt{3^2 + (-1)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{4}{\sqrt{10}} \text{ OR } \frac{2\sqrt{10}}{5}$$

(c)  $A(4, -1)$   $B(5, 2)$   $C(7, k)$

$$m_{AB} = m_{BC}$$

$$3 = \frac{k - 2}{2} \quad (3)$$

$$k - 2 = 6$$

$$\underline{k = 8}$$

### Question 3

(a) (i) Let  $n$  be the number of sides

$$\frac{(n-2) \times 180}{n} = 162$$

$$180(n-2) = 162n$$

$$180n - 360 = 162n \quad (2)$$

$$18n = 360$$

$$n = 20$$

(ii) Sum of interior angles =  $(n-2) \times 180$

$$= 18 \times 180 \quad (1)$$

$$= 3240$$

(b)  $\frac{4}{x} = \frac{x+6}{4}$  (A family of parallel lines cutting transversals, preserves the ratio of sides on each transversal)

$$x(x+6) = 16$$

$$x^2 + 6x - 16 = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$(x+8)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -8 \text{ OR } 2$$

$x = 2$  (negative values can't be the length)

(c)  $\frac{JM}{JK} = \frac{JN}{JL}$

$$\frac{JM}{8} = \frac{9}{12} \quad (2)$$

$$JM = \frac{9 \times 8}{12} = 6$$

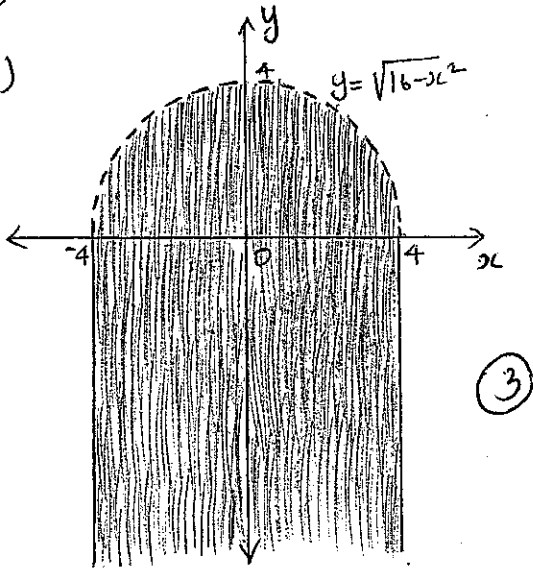
$$MK = 8 - 6$$

$$\underline{= 2 \text{ cm}}$$



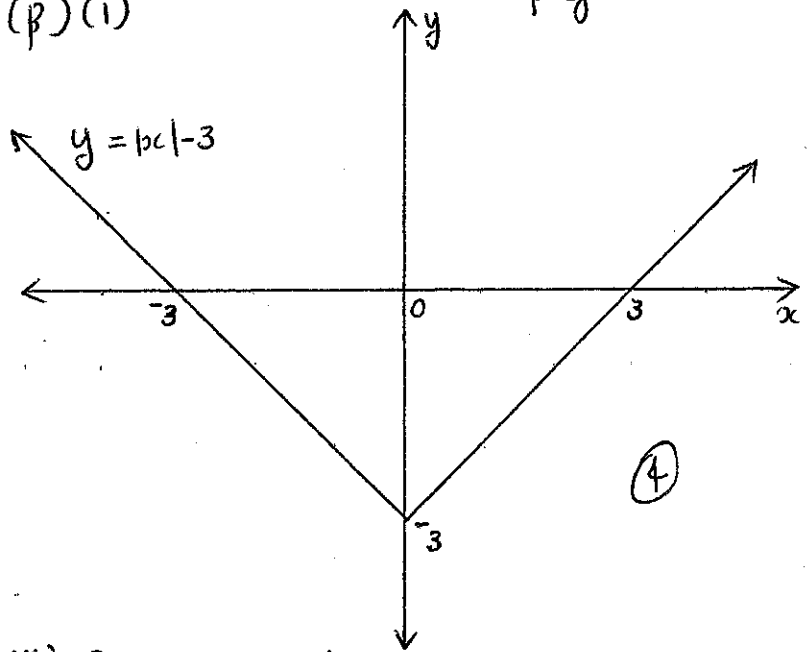
(d)

(i)



(p) (i)

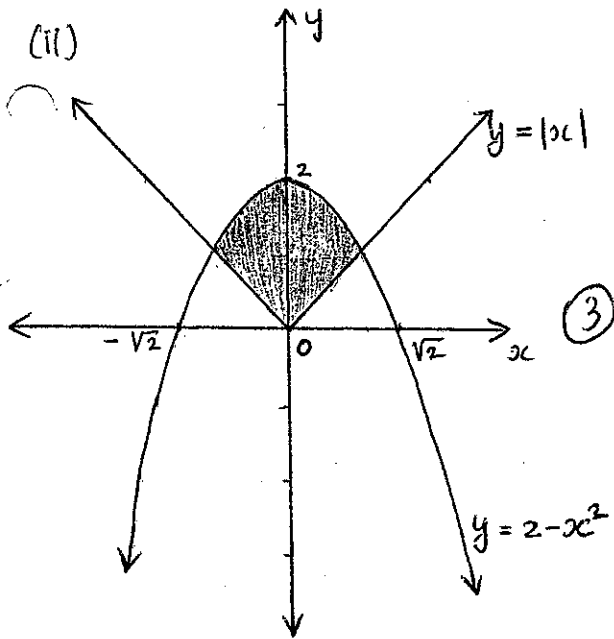
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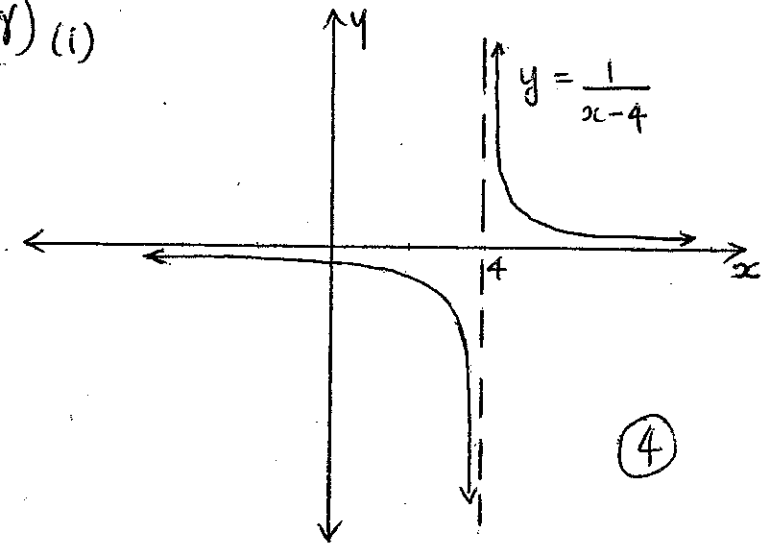
(ii) D : all real  $x$

R :  $y \geq -3, y \in \mathbb{R}$

(ii)



(y) (i)

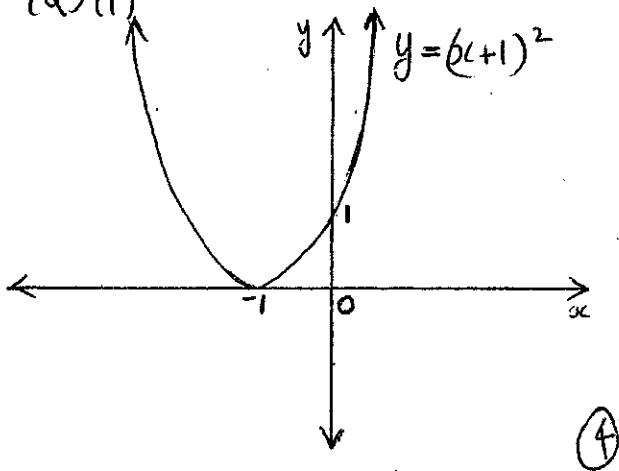


(ii) D : all real  $x, x \neq 4$

R : all real  $y, y \neq 0$

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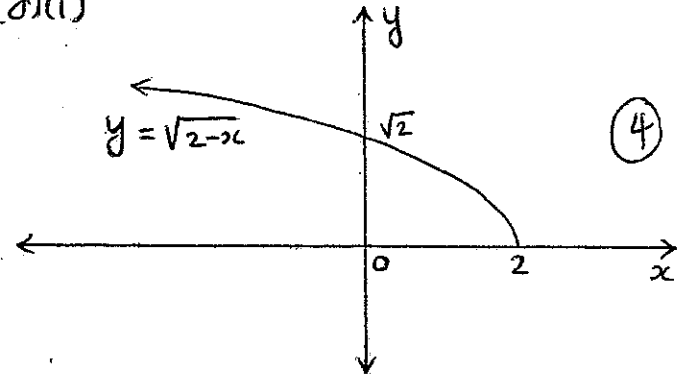
(a) (i)



(ii) D : all real  $x$

R :  $y \geq 0, y \text{ real}$

(b) (i)



(ii) D :  $x \leq 2$

R :  $y \geq 0$

$$(b) y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{25-x^2}}$$

$\sqrt{25-x^2}$  exists when

$$25-x^2 \geq 0$$

$$25 \geq x^2$$

$$x^2 \leq 25 \quad (2)$$

$$\text{ie } -5 \leq x \leq 5$$

$$D : \underline{\underline{-5 < x < 5}}$$

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

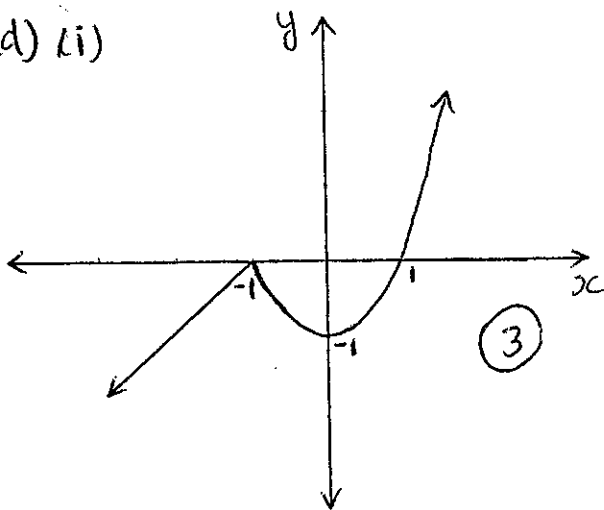
$$= \frac{-x}{x^2-1}$$

$$= -\left(\frac{x}{x^2-1}\right) \quad (3)$$

$$= -f(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$  is an odd function.

(d) (ii)



(ii) Domain :  $\mathbb{R}$

Range :  $\mathbb{R}$  (2)

$$(iii) f(2) + f(-2)$$

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

$$= 3 - 1 = 2 \quad (2)$$

### Question 5

$$(a) (i) y = 3(x)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 5x - 4$$

$$y' = 3 \times \frac{1}{3} x^{\frac{1}{3}-1} + 5 \quad (2)$$

$$= x^{-\frac{2}{3}} + 5 = \underline{\underline{\sqrt[3]{x^{-2}} + 5}}$$

$$(ii) y = (7x^3-1)(5x^2-x)$$

$$y' = (7x^3-1)(10x-1) + (5x^2-x)21x^2$$

$$= \underline{\underline{175x^4 - 28x^3 - 10x + 1}} \quad (3)$$

$$(iii) y = \frac{4x^2-2}{x^2+5}$$

$$y' = \frac{(x^2+5)8x - (4x^2-2)2x}{(x^2+5)^2}$$

$$= \frac{8x^3 + 40x - 8x^3 + 4x}{(x^2+5)^2}$$

$$= \frac{44x}{(x^2+5)^2} \quad (3)$$

$$(iv) y = \sqrt{x^2-2x}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x^2-2x}} \times 2x-2 = \frac{2(x-1)}{2\sqrt{x^2-2x}}$$

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

$$(b) f(x) = \frac{1}{x} \quad f(x+h) = \frac{1}{x+h}$$

$$f(x+h) - f(x) = \frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{1}{x}$$

$$= \frac{x - x-h}{x(x+h)} = \frac{-h}{x(x+h)}$$

$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{-1}{x(x+h)}$$

$$f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-1}{x(x+h)} \quad (3)$$

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

$$(c) y = 2x^2 - 5x + 1$$

$$y' = 4x - 5$$

$$4x - 5 = 3$$

$$x = 2$$

$$\text{When } x = 2, y = -1$$

Equation of normal

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

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

$$\underline{x + 3y + 1 = 0} \quad (4)$$

$$(d) (i) \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^3 - 125}{x^2 - 7x + 10}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{(x-5)(x^2 + 5x + 25)}{(x-5)(x-2)}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 5} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 25}{x-2} \quad (3)$$

$$= \underline{25}$$

$$(ii) \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^2 + 5}$$

$$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \frac{1}{x^2}}{2 + \frac{5}{x^2}} \quad (2)$$

$$= \underline{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \left( \because \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{x^2} = 0 \right)$$

## Question 6

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$$(a) 4x^2 - 9x + 1 = 0$$

$$(i) \alpha + \beta = \frac{-b}{a} \quad (2)$$

$$= \frac{-(-9)}{4} = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$(ii) \alpha\beta = \frac{c}{a}$$

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

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

$$= \left(\frac{9}{4}\right)^2 - 2 \times \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= \frac{73}{16} \quad (3)$$

$$(iv) (\alpha+2)(\beta+2) = \alpha\beta + 2(\alpha+\beta) + 4$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} + 2 \times \frac{9}{4} + 4$$

$$= \frac{35}{4} = \underline{8\frac{3}{4}} \quad (3)$$

(b)  $y = kx^2 + 3kx + 6$  is positive definite

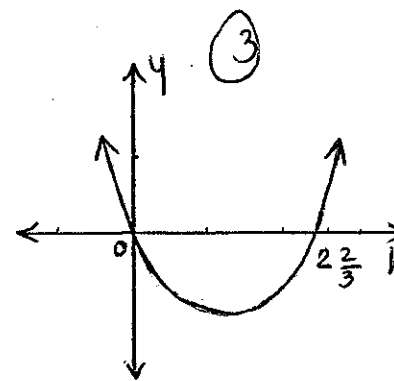
$$\Rightarrow a > 0 \text{ and } \Delta < 0$$

$$\therefore k > 0 \text{ and } \Delta = (3k)^2 - 4k \times 6 < 0$$

$$9k^2 - 24k < 0$$

$$k(9k - 24) < 0$$

$$\text{ie } \underline{0 < k < 2\frac{2}{3}} \quad (3)$$



$$(c) y = x^2 \quad (1)$$

$$y = 3x - p + 1 \quad (2)$$

Solving (1) and (2) simultaneously we

$$\text{get } x^2 - 3x + p - 1 = 0$$

Given that (2) is a tangent to (1)

$$\therefore \Delta = 0$$

$$\Delta = 9 - 4(p-1) \quad (3)$$

$$= 13 - 4p$$

$$13 - 4p = 0$$

$$p = \underline{\underline{3\frac{1}{4}}}$$

$$(d) 4x^2 - 9x - 2 \equiv Ax(x+1) + B(x-1) + C$$

$$4x^2 - 9x - 2 \equiv Ax^2 + Ax + Bx - B + C$$

Equating coefficients of  $x^2$ ,  $x$  and constant term we get

$$A = 4$$

$$A + B = -9$$

$$B = -13$$

$$-B + C = -2$$

$$C = -2 + B$$

$$= -2 + (-13)$$

$$= -15$$

$$\underline{A = 4, B = -13, C = -15}$$

### Question 7

$$(a) (i) 2\sin\theta = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\underline{\theta = 60^\circ, 120^\circ}$$

$$(ii) \cos 2\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\text{Let } u = 2\theta$$

$$\cos u = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, 0 \leq u \leq 720^\circ$$

$$u = 135^\circ, 225^\circ, 495^\circ, 585^\circ$$

$$\underline{\theta = 67^\circ 30', 112^\circ 30', 247^\circ 30', 292^\circ 30'}$$

$$(b) \text{LHS} = (\cot\theta + \operatorname{cosec}\theta)^2$$

$$= \left( \frac{\cos\theta}{\sin\theta} + \frac{1}{\sin\theta} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \cos\theta)^2}{\sin^2\theta} = \frac{(1 + \cos\theta)^2}{1 - \cos^2\theta}$$

$$= \frac{(1 + \cos\theta)(1 + \cos\theta)}{(1 + \cos\theta)(1 - \cos\theta)} = \frac{1 + \cos\theta}{1 - \cos\theta}$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

(c) (i) In  $\triangle PBC$  page 6

$$\cos\alpha = \frac{x^2 + 2^2 - 6^2}{2 \times x \times 2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 4 - 36}{4x} \quad (2)$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 32}{4x}$$

(ii) In  $\triangle PBA$

$$\cos(90 - \alpha) = \frac{x^2 + 2^2 - (2\sqrt{5})^2}{2 \times x \times 2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 + 2^2 - 20}{4x}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x} \quad (2)$$

$$\cos(90 - \alpha) = \sin\alpha$$

$$\sin\alpha = \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x}$$

$$(iii) \sin^2\alpha + \cos^2\alpha = 1$$

$$\left( \frac{x^2 - 32}{4x} \right)^2 + \left( \frac{x^2 - 16}{4x} \right)^2 = 1$$

$$\frac{x^4 - 64x^2 + 1024 + x^4 - 32x^2 + 256}{16x^2} = 1$$

$$2x^4 - 96x^2 + 1280 = 16x^2$$

$$2x^4 - 112x^2 + 1280 = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\underline{2x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0}$$

$$(IV) x^4 - 56x^2 + 640 = 0$$

$$\text{Let } u = x^2$$

$$u^2 - 56u + 640 = 0$$

$$u = \frac{56 \pm \sqrt{3136 - 4 \times 1 \times 640}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{56 \pm \sqrt{576}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{56 \pm 24}{2}$$

$$= 40 \text{ or } 16$$

(5)

$$x^2 = 40 \text{ or } x^2 = 16$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{40} \text{ or } x = \pm 4$$

$$x = \sqrt{40} \text{ or } x = 4 \text{ (} x \text{ can't be negative)}$$

When  $x = 4$ ,  $\triangle PBC$  does not exist (The sum of two sides of a  $\triangle$  must be greater than the third side)

$$\therefore x = \underline{\underline{\sqrt{40} \text{ cm}}}$$

or

$$= \underline{\underline{2\sqrt{10} \text{ cm}}}$$

