SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL



YEAR 11 END OF COURSE EXAMINATION MATHEMATICS

2005

Time allowed: 120 minutes

Directions to Candidates

- Attempt all questions
- Start each question on a new page
- All necessary working should be shown
- Unless otherwise specified, answers must be given in their simplest form
- Approved calculators may be used in all sections.
- Use a ruler when drawing straight lines
- Marks may be deducted for careless or poorly arranged work.
- Marks shown are approximate and may be varied.

Name:

• These questions must be attached to the top of your solutions.

TOTAL	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
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Class:

QUESTION 1: (12 Marks)

1 (a) Express $2\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{27}$ as an integer

1 (b) (i) If $v^2 = u^2 + 2as$, find the value of a if v = 5, u = -2 and s = 10.

1 (ii) Write 23.8249 correct to 2 decimal places

2 (c) (i) Fully factorise $16x^2-4$

1 (ii) Fully factorize $6m^2 - 5m - 4$

Simplify $\frac{2x-y}{4} - \frac{x+y}{6}$

2 (e) Find $\lim_{x \to 3} \left(\frac{x^2 - 9}{x - 3} \right)$

2 (f) Express $\frac{2}{\sqrt{5}-\sqrt{3}}$ with a rational denominator

QUESTION 2: (13 Marks)

Solve x(x-2) = 2 leaving your answer as a surd in simplest form.

3 (b) Solve the following inequality and plot your answer on a number line:

$$|x-2| \ge 4$$

2 (c) Solve $x^2 < 3x$

3 (d) In the diagram at right, you are given that

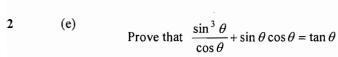
$$AD \parallel BC$$

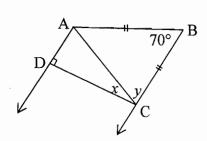
$$AB = BC$$

$$\angle ABC = 70^{\circ}$$

$$AD \perp DC$$

SHOWING ALL WORKING, and giving all reasons, calculate the size of ∠ACD





QUESTION 3: (13 Marks)

- 1 (a) (i) Find the midpoint, \mathbf{R} , of the line joining the points A(3, 5) to B(7, -3)
- Find the equation of the line through **R** in part (i) and parallel to the line 3y + 2x = 7. Give your answer in general form.
 - (b) For the parabola $y = 2x^2$
- 3 (i) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point P where x = -1
- 3 (ii) Find the equation of the normal to the curve at the point P where x = -1
- 3 (iii) The tangent and the normal above cut the *y*-axis at T and N respectively. Find the length of TN.

QUESTION 4: (13 Marks)

(a) Differentiate with respect to x:

3 (i)
$$y = 3x^2 + 2x - \frac{5}{x}$$

1 (ii)
$$y = 3\sqrt{x}$$

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

2 (iv)
$$y = \frac{5}{x-2}$$

1 (b) If
$$f(x) = 5x^2 + 2$$
, find $f'(2)$

3 (c) If
$$y = (x^2 - x + 1)^3$$
, show that $x = \frac{1}{2}$ is the ONLY solution to $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

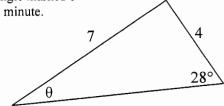
QUESTION 5: (12 Marks)

- 3 (a) State the largest possible domain for the function $f(x) = \sqrt{25 x^2}$
- 2 (b) Determine if the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 4}$ is odd, even or neither, showing clearly all reasoning
- 3 (c) What is the equation of the circle which touches the x-axis at (2, 0) and the y-axis at (0, 2)
- 4 (d) Sketch the function y = f(x) which is defined by:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 2, & x \le 2 \\ (x - 2)^2, & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

QUESTION 6: (12 Marks)

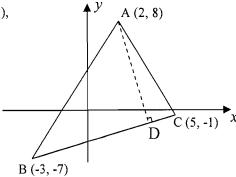
- 2 (a) Find the equation of the line which passes through the point (3, -1) and makes equal intercepts on the two <u>positive</u> co-ordinate axes.
- 3 (b) Find the size of the angle marked θ correct to the nearest minute.



- (c) Two adjacent sides of a parallelogram have sides of 8 cm and 10cm, while the longer diagonal is 14 cm
 - (i) Draw the diagram neatly onto your answer sheet (NO MARKS)
- 2 (ii) Calculate the size of the larger angle of the parallelogram, correct to the nearest minute.
- 3 (iii) Calculate the length of the shorter diagonal correct to 2 decimal places.
- 2 (d) Give the exact value of $2\sin 45^{\circ}\cos 60^{\circ}$ giving your answer with a rational denominator.

QUESTION 7: (13 Marks)

(a) The triangle ABC shown at right, has vertices of A(2, 8), B(-3, -7) and C(5, -1). AD is an altitude.



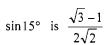
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- (i) Find the length of BC
- 2
- (ii) Find the equation of BC
- 2
- (iii) Find the distance of A to BC
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- (iv) Find the area of \triangle ABC

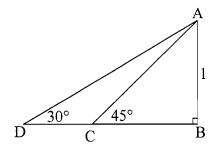
(b)

- (i) In the diagram at right, find the exact length of DC
- 1

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- (ii) Find the size of ∠DAC
- 3
- (iii) Hence prove, using the figure given, that the exact value of





QUESTION 8: (12 Marks)

- 3 (a) Find $\frac{d}{dx} \left[x^2 (1-2x)^3 \right]$ (Give answer in simplest factored form)
- 5 (b) Find the equation of the normal to the semi-circle $y = \sqrt{100 x^2}$ at the point (6, 8) on it. Give the equation in general form.
- 4 (c) Solve the equation $4^x 3.2^x 4 = 0$

