

STUDENT NUMBER/NAME:

GOSFORD HIGH SCHOOL

2014

PRELIMINARY COURSE

FINAL EXAMINATION

Mathematics Extension 1

- General Instructions
- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 1½ hours
- Write using black or blue pen
Black pen is preferred
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- In Questions 6-9, show relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations

Total Marks – 53

Section I

5 marks

- Attempt Questions 1 – 5
- Allow about 10 minutes for this section

Section II

48 marks

- Attempt Questions 6 – 9
- Allow about 1 hour and 20 minutes for this section

Section I

5 marks

Attempt Questions 1 – 5.

Allow about 10 minutes for this section.

Use the separate multiple-choice answer sheet for Questions 1 – 5.

1. Which of the following is an expression for $\frac{9^n - 6^n}{9^n - 4^n}$?

- (A) $\frac{6^n}{4^n}$
(B) $\frac{3^n}{5^n}$
(C) $\frac{3^n}{3^n - 2^n}$
(D) $\frac{3^n}{3^n + 2^n}$

2. If $R\cos(x+\alpha) \equiv \sin x - \cos x$, what are the values of $R\cos\alpha$ and $R\sin\alpha$?

- (A) $R\cos\alpha = -1, R\sin\alpha = -1$
(B) $R\cos\alpha = -1, R\sin\alpha = 1$
(C) $R\cos\alpha = 1, R\sin\alpha = -1$
(D) $R\cos\alpha = 1, R\sin\alpha = 1$

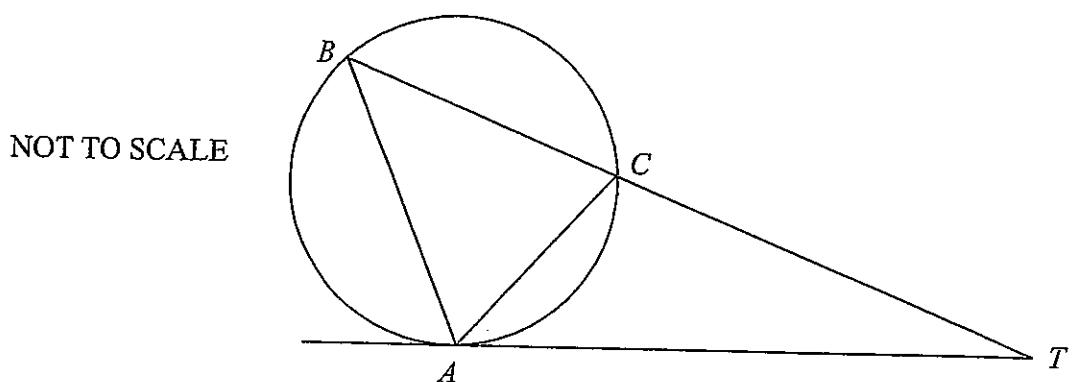
3. What is the value of $\frac{{}^nC_3}{{}^nP_3}$?

- (A) 6
- (B) 3
- (C) $\frac{1}{3}$
- (D) $\frac{1}{6}$

4. If $7\sqrt{x^5} - \sqrt{4x} + 3\sqrt{x^6} = a + b\sqrt{x}$, find a and b .

- (A) $a = 3x^3, b = 7x^2 - 4$
- (B) $a = 3x^3, b = 7x^2 - 2$
- (C) $a = 3x^2, b = 7x^2 - 2$
- (D) $a = 3x^6, b = 7x^4 - 4$

5.



In the diagram, ABC is a triangle inscribed in a circle. The tangent to the circle at A meets BC produced at T . $TA = 10$ cm and $TC = 8$ cm. What is the length of BC ?

- (A) 3.5 cm
- (B) 4 cm
- (C) 4.5 cm
- (D) 5 cm

END OF SECTION I

SECTION II

48 marks

Attempt Questions 6 – 9

Allow about 1 hour and 20 minutes for this section.

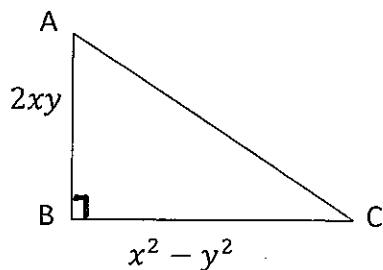
Answer each question in a SEPARATE writing booklet. Extra writing booklets are available.

In questions 6 – 9, your responses should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

Question 6: (12 marks) (Use a SEPARATE writing booklet)

- a. Solve the inequality $x - \frac{4}{x} \geq 0$ 2

- b. Given the right angled triangle ABC 2



find an expression, in its simplest form, for AC.

- c. The point A(4, 2) divides the interval XY internally in the ratio K : 1. If X is the point (10, -4) and Y is the point (0, 6), find the value of K, in its simplest form. 2

- d. The angle between the lines

$$y = mx + 3 \text{ and } x - 3y + 9 = 0 \text{ is } 45^\circ. \quad 2$$

Find the exact value(s) of m.

- e. Simplify completely the expression

$$\frac{(n+1)! - n!}{(n-1)!} \quad 2$$

- f. There are 8 people in a dinner group, 4 men and 4 women. In how many ways can they be seated around a circular table if a particular man Carl refuses to sit next to a certain woman Amanda. 2

END OF QUESTION 6

Question 7: (12 marks) (Use a SEPARATE writing booklet)

- a. If each distinct arrangement of the letters of

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is called a word, then how many words are possible?

- b. Find the number of ways in which the 7 letters of the word PYRAMID can be arranged in a row.

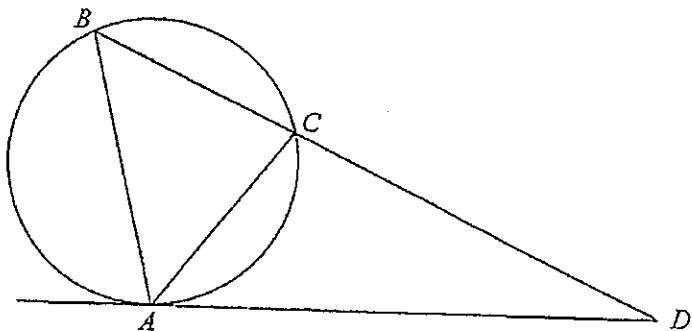
- i. without restriction

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- ii. so that the 5 consonants are in alphabetical order from left to right.

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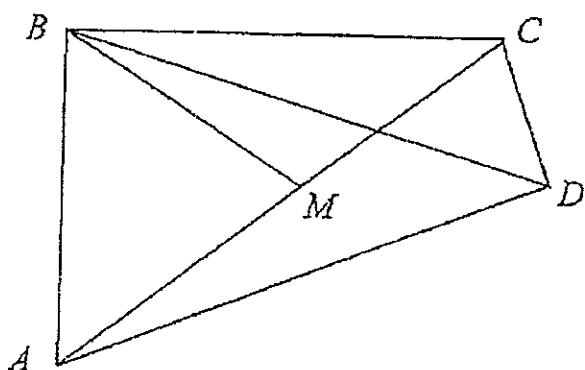
c.



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In the diagram, ABC is a triangle inscribed in a circle with $BC = AC$. The tangent to the circle at A meets BC produced at D . Show that AC bisects $\angle DAB$.

d.



In the diagram, $ABCD$ is a quadrilateral in which $\angle ABC = \angle ADC = 90^\circ$. M is the midpoint of AC .

- i. Copy the diagram and explain why $ABCD$ is a cyclic quadrilateral.

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- ii. Show that $\angle BMC = 2\angle BDC$

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Question 7 continued:

- e. i. Use the substitution $t = \tan \frac{x}{2}$ to show that $\sec x + \tan x = \frac{1+t}{1-t}$ 2
- ii. Hence, solve the equation 2
 $\sec x + \tan x = -1$ for $0^\circ \leq x^\circ \leq 360^\circ$

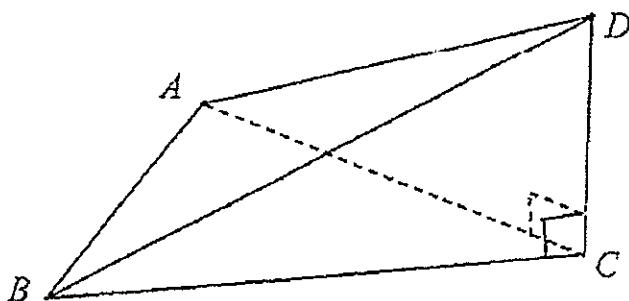
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Question 8: (12 marks) (Use a SEPARATE writing booklet)

- a. Find the number of ways a committee can be chosen from 6 students, 5 parents and 4 teachers.
- i. without restriction. 1
 - ii. so that the committee contains a majority of students. 2
- b. Solve the equation: 2

$$2\cos^2x = -3\sin x \text{ for } 0^\circ \leq x^\circ \leq 360^\circ$$

c.



In the diagram a vertical tower CD of height h metres stands with its bottom C on horizontal ground. A and B are two points on the ground such that $AB = 28$ metres.

From B the bearing of the tower is 050° and the angle of elevation of the top D of the tower is 30° . From A the bearing of the tower is 110° and the angle of elevation of the top D of the tower is 60° . Find the exact height of the tower.

- i. By first drawing a "bird's eye view" diagram indicating $\triangle ABC$ show that $\angle ACB = 60^\circ$. 1
 - ii. Hence, find the exact height of the tower. 3
- d. i. Express $\tan(A + B)$ in terms of $\tan A$ and $\tan B$. 1
- ii. Hence, show that, if A , B and C are the vertex angles of a triangle then, 2
- $$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C$$

END OF QUESTION 8

Question 9: (12 marks) (Use a SEPARATE writing booklet)

a. Factorise fully $54x^3 + 16$

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b. i. Show that

$$\frac{1 + \tan x}{1 - \tan x} - \frac{1 - \tan x}{1 + \tan x} = 2\tan 2x$$

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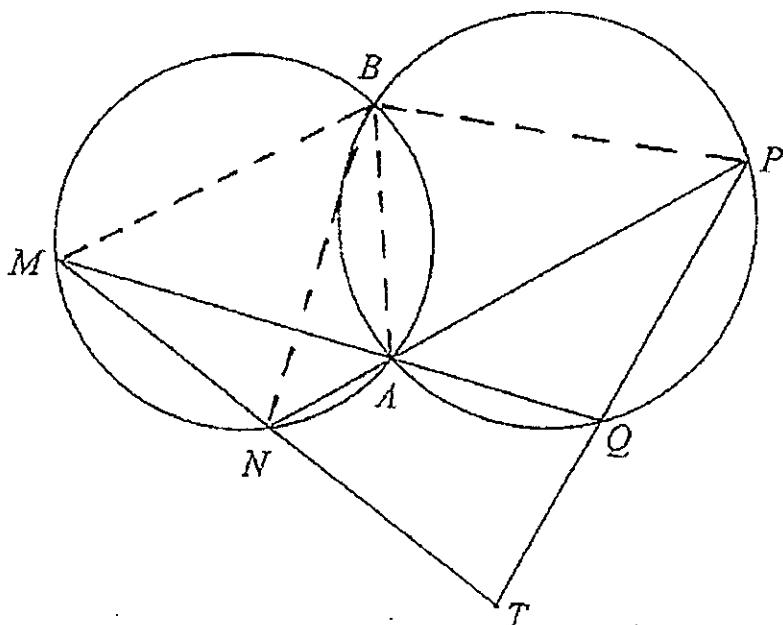
ii. Hence, find the value of:

$$\frac{1 + \tan 75^\circ}{1 - \tan 75^\circ} - \frac{1 - \tan 75^\circ}{1 + \tan 75^\circ}$$

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in simplest exact form.

c.



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In the diagram, two circles intersect at A and B . Points M and N lie on one circle and points P and Q lie on the other circle such that MAQ and NAP are straight lines. MN produced and PQ produced meet at T .

(Also, lines MB , NB , BA and BP are constructed for you.)

Show that $TNPB$ is a cyclic quadrilateral.

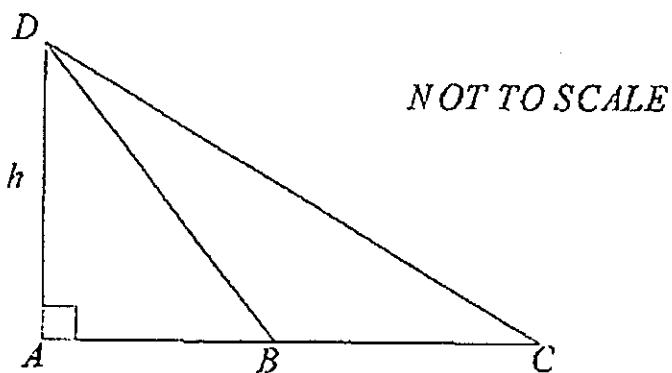
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Question 9 continued:

d.

(i) Prove that $\sin(45^\circ + \theta) \sin(45^\circ - \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta$ 2

- (ii) In the diagram, D is the top of a tower h metres high. The angles of depression of the points B and C are $(45^\circ + \theta)$ and $(45^\circ - \theta)$ respectively 3



Using the result in (i) show that $BC = 2h \tan 2\theta$

END OF EXAMINATION

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SECTION I

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{9^{\frac{3}{2}} - 6^{\frac{3}{2}}}{9^{\frac{1}{2}} - 4^{\frac{1}{2}}} &= \frac{3^{\frac{3}{2}}(3^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2^{\frac{1}{2}})}{(3^{\frac{1}{2}} + 2^{\frac{1}{2}})(3^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2^{\frac{1}{2}})} \\ &= \frac{3^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3^{\frac{1}{2}} + 2^{\frac{1}{2}}} \quad (\text{D}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \quad 7\sqrt{x^5} - \sqrt{4x+3}\sqrt{x^6} &= 7\sqrt{x^4x} - 2\sqrt{x} + 3x^3 \\ &= 7x^2\sqrt{x} - 2\sqrt{x} + 3x^3 \\ &= 3x^3 + (7x^2 - 2)\sqrt{x} \quad (\text{B}) \\ \therefore a = 3x^3, b = 7x^2 - 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$3. \quad R\cos(\alpha + \omega)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= R(\cos \alpha \cos \omega - \sin \alpha \sin \omega) \\ &= R\cos \alpha \cos \omega - R\sin \alpha \sin \omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 4. \quad R\cos \alpha &= -1 \quad (\text{A}) \\ R\sin \alpha &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 5. \quad {}^nC_3 &= \frac{n!}{(n-3)!3!} \\ {}^nP_3 &= \frac{n!}{(n-3)!} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{3!} \\ &= \frac{1}{6} \quad (\text{D}) \end{aligned}$$

Answers.

1. D

2. A

3. D

4. B

5. C

SECTION II

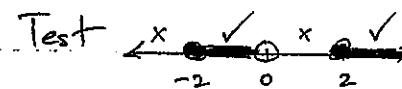
$$Q6. \quad a) \quad x - \frac{4}{x} \geq 0$$

$$\text{Consider } x - \frac{4}{x} = 0, \quad x \neq 0$$

$$x^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$



$$-2 \leq x < 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x \geq 2$$

b) Using Pythagoras

$$(2xy)^2 + (x^2 - y^2)^2 = AC^2$$

$$4x^2y^2 + x^4 - 2x^2y^2 + y^4 = AC^2$$

$$x^4 + 2x^2y^2 + y^4 = AC^2$$

$$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = AC^2$$

$$\therefore AC = x^2 + y^2$$

(positive since a length)

c) (10, -4) (0, 6)

$$k: 1$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$(4, 2)$$

Using the x co-ord:

$$\begin{aligned} 1(10) + k(0) &= 4 \\ k+1 & \end{aligned}$$

$$10 = 4k + 4$$

$$6 = 4k$$

$$\frac{6}{4} = k$$

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

$$(d) \quad \text{Using } \tan \theta = \left| \frac{m_1 - m_2}{1 + m_1 m_2} \right|$$

$$\tan 45^\circ = \left| \frac{m - \frac{1}{3}}{1 + \frac{1}{3}m} \right|$$

$$1 = \left| \frac{3m - 1}{3 + m} \right|$$

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$$\therefore \frac{3m - 1}{3 + m} = 1 \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{3m - 1}{3 + m} = -1$$

$$3m - 1 = 3 + m \quad \text{or} \quad 3m - 1 = -3 - m$$

$$2m = 4 \quad 4m = -2$$

$$m = 2 \quad m = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore m = 2 \quad \text{or} \quad -\frac{1}{2}$$

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$$(e) \frac{(n+1)! - n!}{(n-1)!}$$

$$= n! \frac{(n+1-1)}{(n-1)!}$$

$$= \frac{n!(n)}{(n-1)!}$$

$$= n \times n$$

$$= n^2$$

$$(f) \text{ Total seatings} = 7!$$

$$\text{Ways together} = 6! \times 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Ways apart} = 7! - 6! \times 2 \\ = 3600$$

Q7 a) Arrangements = $\frac{7!}{3!2!} = 420$

$$\$) (i) 7! = 5040$$

(ii) Ways the consonants can be arranged = $5!$

(alphabetical order is only 1 of these!)

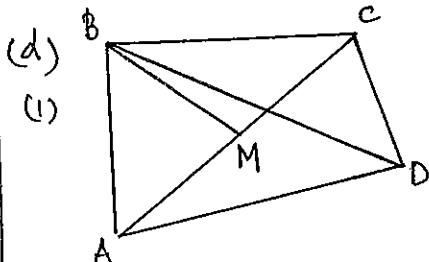
Ways within the 7 letter arrangement

$$= \frac{7!}{5!} \\ = 42$$

(c) let $\hat{CAD} = \theta$
 $\therefore \hat{ABC} = \theta$ (alternate segment theorem)

also $\hat{BAC} = \theta$ (equal base angles in isosceles triangle)

$$\therefore \hat{ABC} = \hat{BAC} = \theta \\ \therefore AC \text{ bisects } \hat{DAB}$$



ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral since $\hat{ABC} = \hat{ADC} = 90^\circ$ (given data)

and opposite angles in a cyclic quadrilateral are equal

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$$(ii) \text{ Since } \hat{ABC} = 90^\circ$$

AC must be a diameter

(angle in a semicircle = 90°)

$\therefore M$ is the centre of the circle (midpoint of diameter)

$$\therefore \hat{BMC} = 2 \times \hat{BDC}$$

(angle at the centre is twice the angle at the circumference standing on the same arc)

$$(e)(i) \cos x = \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \therefore \sec x = \frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2}$$

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

$$\therefore \sec x + \tan x = \frac{1+t^2}{1-t^2} + \frac{2t}{1-t^2}$$

$$= \frac{1+2t+t^2}{1-t^2}$$

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

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

as req.

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

$$1+t = -1+t$$

$$0 = -2$$

\therefore no solutions
but we must test $x = 180^\circ$

LHS =

$$\sec 180^\circ + \tan 180^\circ$$

$$= -1 + 0$$

$$= -1$$

$\therefore 180^\circ$ is a solution
(the only solution)

Q8

$$(a) (i) {}^{15}C_3 = 455$$

(ii) there can be 3 students or 2.

$$\therefore {}^6C_3 + {}^6C_2 \times {}^9C_1 \\ = 20 + 15 \times 9 \\ = 155$$

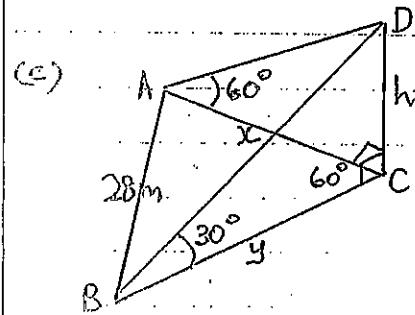
$$(b) 2\cos^2 x = -3 \sin x$$

$$2(1-\sin^2 x) = -3 \sin x$$

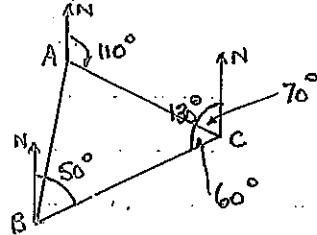
$$0 = 2\sin^2 x - 3\sin x - 2 \\ 0 = (2\sin x + 1)(\sin x - 2)$$

$$\therefore \sin x = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \sin x = 2 \text{ (no solns)}$$

$$\therefore x = 210^\circ, 330^\circ$$



This diagram would also help.



From the top diagram.

$$\tan 60^\circ = \frac{h}{x}$$

$$x = \frac{h}{\tan 30^\circ}$$

$$x = \frac{h}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Similarly } y = \sqrt{3}h$$

Using the cosine rule

$$28^2 = x^2 + y^2 - 2xy \cos 60^\circ$$

$$784 = \frac{h^2}{3} + 3h^2 - 2h^2 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$784 = \frac{10h^2}{3} - h^2$$

$$784 = \frac{7h^2}{3}$$

$$2352 = 7h^2$$

$$336 = h^2$$

$$\sqrt{336} = h$$

$$\therefore h = 4\sqrt{21} \text{ m.}$$

$$(d) (i) \tan(A+B) = \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B}$$

$$(ii) \text{ if } A, B, C \text{ are the 3 angles of a } \triangle \text{ then } A+B+C = 180^\circ \\ \therefore A+B = 180^\circ - C$$

$$\therefore \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} = \tan(180^\circ - C)$$

$$\therefore \frac{\tan A + \tan B}{1 - \tan A \tan B} = -\tan C$$

$$\tan A + \tan B = -\tan C (1 - \tan A \tan B)$$

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$$\therefore \tan A + \tan B = -\tan C + \tan A \tan B \tan C$$

$\therefore \tan A + \tan B + \tan C = \tan A \tan B \tan C$ (c) $\hat{MAB} = \hat{MNB}$
(\angle 's at the circumference standing on the same arc are equal)

Q9

$$(a) 54x^3 + 16 \\ = 2(27x^3 + 8) \\ = 2(3x+2)(9x^2 - 6x + 4)$$

$$(b) \text{ LHS} = \frac{(1+\tan x)^2 - (1-\tan x)^2}{(1-\tan x)(1+\tan x)} \\ = \frac{1+2\tan x + \tan^2 x - 1+2\tan x - \tan^2 x}{(1-\tan x)(1+\tan x)}$$

$$= \frac{4\tan x}{1 - \tan^2 x}$$

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

$$= 2 \tan 2x$$

$$= 2 \tan 2x \text{ as req.}$$

$$(ii) \therefore x = 75^\circ$$

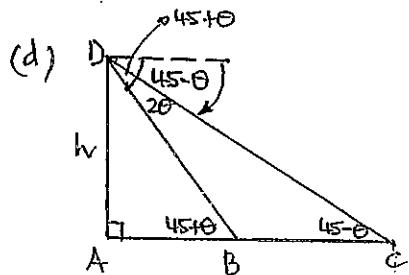
$$\text{LHS} = 2 \tan 150^\circ$$

$$= 2 \times -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$(i) \sin(45^\circ + \theta) \sin(45^\circ - \theta) \\ = (\sin 45^\circ \cos \theta + \sin \theta \cos 45^\circ) \\ \times (\sin 45^\circ \cos \theta - \sin \theta \cos 45^\circ) \\ = \sin^2 45^\circ \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 45^\circ \\ = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \cos^2 \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \theta.$$

You may ask for an extra Writing Booklet if you need more space.



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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta \text{ as req.}$$

(ii) In $\triangle ADB$

$$\sin(45 + \theta) = \frac{h}{DB} \quad (1)$$

In $\triangle BDC$, using sine rule

$$\frac{BC}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{DB}{\sin(45 - \theta)} \quad (2)$$

From (1)

$$DB = \frac{h}{\sin(45 + \theta)}$$

$$\text{In (2), } \frac{BC}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{h}{\sin(45 + \theta) \sin(45 - \theta)}$$

$$\frac{BC}{\sin 2\theta} = \frac{h}{\frac{1}{2} \cos 2\theta}$$

$$BC = 2h \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\cos 2\theta}$$

$$= 2h \tan 2\theta$$

as req.