

# BAULKHAM HILLS HIGH SCHOOL

YEAR 12

YEAR 12 HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION

2004

## MATHEMATICS

*Time allowed - Three hours  
(Plus five minutes reading time)*

### DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Attempt ALL questions.
- Start each of the 10 questions on a new page.
- All necessary working should be shown.
- Write your teacher's name and your name on the cover sheet provided.
- At the end of the exam, staple your answers in order behind the cover sheet provided.

### QUESTION 1

- (a) Evaluate correct to 3 significant figures

$$\frac{\sqrt{632.16}}{18.29 + 4.3}$$

- (b) Factorize

$$3x^2 - 81$$

- (c) Solve and graph the solution to

$$|3x - 4| < 8$$

- (d) Solve

$$2^{2x} - 15(2^x) - 16 = 0$$

- (e) Solve

$$\sin \theta = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ for } 0 \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$$

- (f) Solve

$$x - \frac{x-5}{2} = 4$$

### QUESTION 2 - (Start a new page)

- (a) If  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3-2\sqrt{2}} = a+b\sqrt{2}$  calculate the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

- (b) A function is defined such that

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{for } x < 0 \\ x^2 + 2 & \text{for } 0 \leq x < 3 \\ 17 - 2x & \text{for } x \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

- (i) Calculate  $f(1) + f(-3) - f(5)$

- (ii) Sketch this function for  $-2 \leq x \leq 4$

- (c) Differentiate

(i)  $3x(x+6)^3$

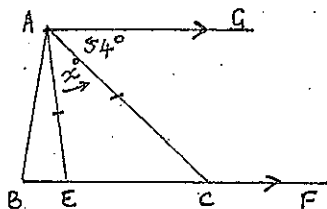
(ii)  $\sqrt{2x+1}$

(iii)  $\frac{4x+2}{x-1}$

## QUESTION 3 - (Start a new page)

- (a) In the diagram  $AE = AC$ ,  $AG$  is parallel to  $BF$ .  $\angle GAC = 54^\circ$ .

Find the value of  $x$ , giving reasons:



- (b) On a number plane, plot the points  $A(-3, -1)$ ,  $B(1, 4)$  and  $C(4, 2)$ . Join  $A$  to  $B$  and  $B$  to  $C$ .
- Find the midpoint of  $AC$ .
  - State the co-ordinates of  $D$ , the fourth vertex of parallelogram  $ABCD$ .
  - Find the equation of the line  $AB$ .
  - Calculate the perpendicular distance from the point  $D$  to the line  $AB$ .
  - Find the area of the parallelogram  $ABCD$ .

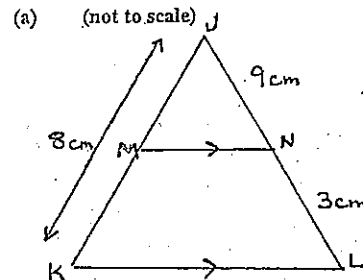
## QUESTION 4 - (Start a new page)

- (a) The focus of a parabola is  $S(0, 2)$  and its directrix is the line  $y=4$ .
- Sketch the parabola and indicate the co-ordinates of the vertex  $V$ .
  - Write down the focal length of the parabola.
  - Find the equation of this parabola.
- (b) Find
- $\int x^3 - 3x^{-2} dx$
  - $\int_4^{16} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{x}}$
- (c) Find the equation of the normal to  $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3x-5}}$  at the point where  $x = 2$ .
- (d) Solve
- $$2 \cos \theta = \sqrt{3} \text{ for } 0 \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ.$$

## QUESTION 5 - (Start a new page)

- (a) Consider the equation
- $$x^2 + (k+2)x + 4 = 0$$
- For what values of  $k$  does the equation have
- equal roots
  - distinct real roots?
- (b) The tenth term of an arithmetic sequence is 29 and the fifteenth term is 44.
- Find the value of the common difference and the value of the first term.
  - Find the sum of the first 45 terms.
- (c) Consider the curve  $y = 3x^2 - x^3$ .
- Find the stationary points and determine their nature.
  - Sketch the curve over the domain  $-3 \leq x \leq 5$  showing all relevant features.
  - For which values of  $x$  is this function increasing.

## QUESTION 6 - (Start a new page)

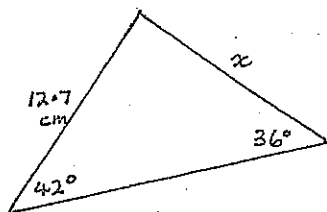


The diagram shows a triangle  $JKL$ .  $MN \parallel KL$ ,  $JK = 8\text{cm}$ ,  $JN = 9\text{cm}$  and  $NL = 3\text{cm}$ .

- Prove that  $\triangle JMN$  is similar to  $\triangle JKL$ .
- Find the length of  $MK$ .

- (b) Find the value of  $x$ , correct to 2 decimal places.

(not to scale)



- (c) The length of the line joining the points  $A(a, -2)$  and  $B(3, -7)$  is  $5\sqrt{2}$  units. Find all possible values of  $a$ .

- (d) Sketch the region where

$$y \leq \sqrt{9-x^2} \text{ and } x-3y \leq 3 \text{ hold simultaneously}$$

- (e) Sketch the curve

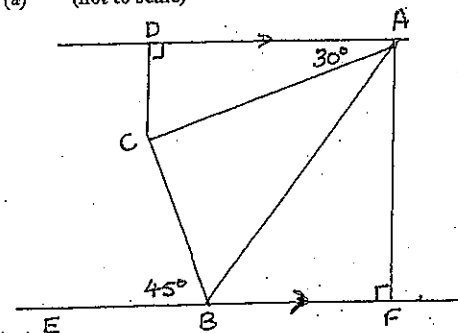
$$y = \cos 2x \text{ for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi$$

QUESTION 7 - (Start a new page)

- (a) Given that  $\cos \alpha = -\frac{5}{\sqrt{29}}$  and  $\tan \alpha < 0$  find the value of  $\sin \alpha$ .
- (b) The curve  $y = ax^3 + bx$  passes through the point  $(1, 7)$ . The tangent at this point is parallel to the line  $y = 2x - b$ . Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .
- (c) (i) On the same diagram graph the functions  $y = x^2$  and  $y = 5 - 4x$  showing all intercepts with the  $x$  and  $y$  axis.  
 (ii) Show that the graphs intersect at  $x = 1$  and  $x = -5$ .  
 (iii) Hence find the exact area bounded by the two functions.
- (d) Express  $0.2\bar{9}$  as a sum of an infinite series hence, find a simple equivalent fraction for  $0.2\bar{9}$ .

QUESTION 8 - (Start a new page)

- (a) (not to scale)

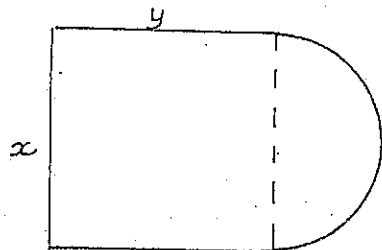


In the diagram  $AC = AB$  and  $DA$  is parallel to  $EF$ .  $\angle DAC = 30^\circ$  and  $\angle CBE = 45^\circ$ .  $CD$  is perpendicular to  $DA$  and  $AF$  is perpendicular to  $BF$ .

- (i) Copy or trace the diagram onto your working paper and show all information clearly.
- (ii) Find the size of  $\angle ACB$ , giving reasons.
- (iii) Hence find the size of  $\angle CAB$ .
- (iv) Prove that  $\triangle ACD \cong \triangle ABF$ .
- (b) A set of packing crates has been designed each in the shape of a rectangular prism. When empty, each crate packs inside the next sized crate. The largest crate is 2 metres long by 2 metres wide by 1 metre high. The crate inside this is 1 metre by 1 metre by 0.5 metres. Each succeeding crate has dimensions which are half those of the preceding one.
- (i) Write down the dimensions of the third largest crate.
- (ii) Show that the volumes of the first 3 crates form a G.P.
- (iii) Calculate the maximum possible total volume for the complete set.

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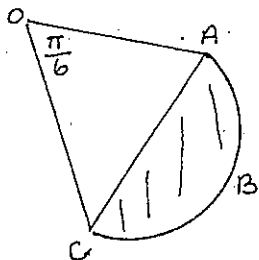
- (a) A garden bed is to be constructed in the shape of a semi-circle along one side of a rectangle.



The width of the rectangle is  $x$  and the length  $y$  metres as in the diagram.

Forty metres of edging material is available to be laid around the garden bed.

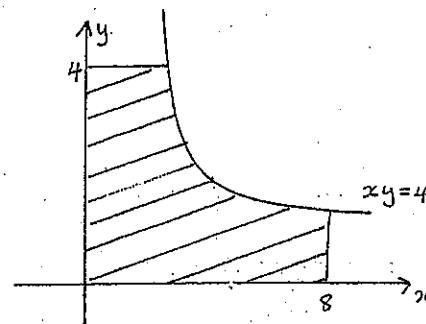
- (i) Show that  $y = 20 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{4}\pi x$ .
- (ii) Show that the area of the garden bed can be expressed as  $A = 20x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{8}\pi x^2$ .
- (iii) Find the dimensions of the rectangle such that the area contained in the garden bed is a maximum.
- (b) If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the roots of the equation  $x^2 + x - 4 = 0$  find the equation whose roots are  $\alpha^2$  and  $\beta^2$ .
- (c) The diagram shows a sector OABC with angle  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $OA = 5$  cm.



- (i) Find the length of arc ABC.
- (ii) Find the area of segment ABC

## QUESTION 10 - (Start a new page)

(a)



The area enclosed by the curve  $xy=4$ , the  $x$  axis and  $y$  axis, and the lines  $y=4$  and  $x=8$ , is rotated about the  $y$  axis.

- (i) Show that the volume of the solid of revolution obtained is given by

$$V_y = 32\pi + \pi \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^4 \frac{16}{y^2} dy$$

- (ii) Hence find the volume of the solid of revolution.

- (b) For the function  $y = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$  complete the table below.

$x$	4	4.5	5	5.5	6
$y$		0.047		0.032	0.027

Using Simpson's Rule with 5 functions values find the approximate area enclosed between the curve

$$y = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$$

the  $x$  axis and the lines  $x=4$  and  $x=6$ .

- (c) Prove that  $\sin^4 \theta - \cos^4 \theta = 2\sin^2 \theta - 1$ .

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE:  $\ln x = \log_e x, \quad x > 0$