



MLC SCHOOL

YEAR 12

HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION

APRIL 2001

MATHEMATICS

Time allowed - 2 Hours

DIRECTIONS

- ALL questions may be attempted.
- Questions are NOT of equal value.
- All necessary working should be shown.
- Marks may be deducted for careless or badly arranged work.
- Approved calculators may be used.
- Start each question in a new booklet.
- Each booklet is to be handed in separately.
- Write your student number on each booklet.
- For any question not attempted hand in a blank booklet with the question number and your student number written on it.
- A table of standard integrals is provided on the last page.

QUESTION 1. (Start a separate booklet) (16 marks)

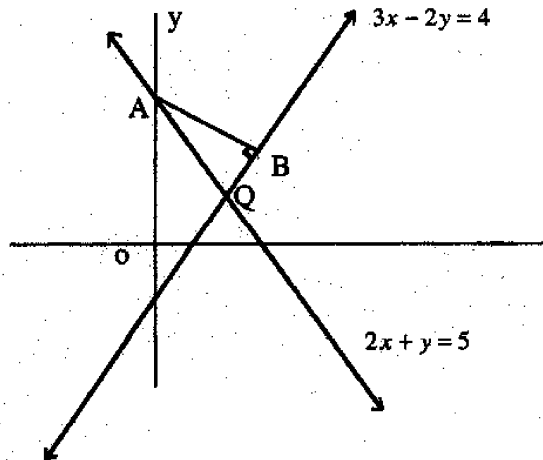
Marks

- a) Find the value of $\frac{13 \cdot 81^2}{8 \cdot 09 + \sqrt{4.62}}$
correct to (i) 2 decimal places
(ii) 1 significant figure (2)
- b) Simplify $\frac{4y}{3} - \frac{y-7}{2}$ (2)
- c) Fully factorise $8n^3 - 64$ (2)
- d) Solve for m :
i) $m^2 - 4m + 1 = 0$ (leave answer in simplified surd form) (3)
ii) $|3m - 1| = m$ (2)
iii) $2m^2 - 9m - 5 < 0$ (2)
- e) If $\frac{6 - \sqrt{3}}{2 - \sqrt{3}} = a + \sqrt{b}$, find the values of a and b (2)
- f) After a discount of 13% was given, I paid \$27840 for my new car.
What was the original marked price? (1)

QUESTION 2 (Start a separate booklet) (9 marks)

Marks

Diagram is not to scale



The diagram shows the graphs of the two lines $3x - 2y = 4$ and $2x + y = 5$.
 The point Q is the point of intersection of the two lines. A is the y intercept of $2x + y = 5$.
 The line AB is perpendicular to the line $3x - 2y = 4$.

- (a) Find the co-ordinates of a Q. (2)
- (b) State the co-ordinates of A. (1)
- (c) Find the gradient of AB and hence the equation of AB. (2)
- (d) Write down the three inequations which would define the region enclosed by $\triangle ABQ$ (1)
- (e) Calculate the perpendicular distance of A to the line $3x - 2y = 4$. (2)
 (Leave your answer in exact form).
- (f) If the length of QB = a units, write down an expression for the area of $\triangle ABQ$ (1)

QUESTION 3. (Start a separate booklet) (15 marks)

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a) Differentiate the following with respect to x

(i) $6x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$ (2)

(ii) $\frac{1}{(2x+7)^6}$ (2)

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

b) Integrate $(t^2 + \sqrt{t})$ with respect to t . (1)

c) (i) Show that the derivative of $y = x(4-x)^5$ is $2(4-x)^4(2-3x)$ (2)

(ii) Hence find $\int (4-x)^4(2-3x)dx$ (1)

d) Evaluate $\int_{-1}^4 \frac{x+1}{3} dx$ (3)

e) Consider the following solution to find the $\int (4x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}} dx$ (2)

$$\begin{aligned} \int (4x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}} dx &= \frac{[4x+1]^{\frac{4}{3}}}{\frac{4}{3}} + c \\ &= \frac{3(4x+1)^{\frac{4}{3}}}{4} + c \end{aligned}$$

This solution is incorrect. Correctly find $\int (4x+1)^{\frac{1}{3}} dx$.

QUESTION 4.

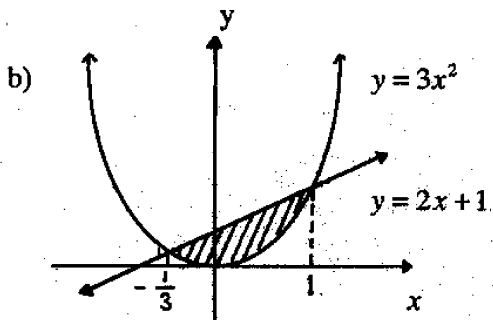
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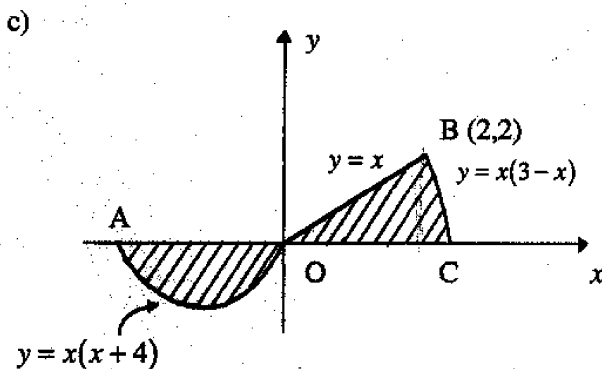
- a) Find the volume of the solid formed when the curve $y = \sqrt[3]{x}$ is rotated about the x -axis from $x = 1$ to $x = 8$.

(3)



Calculate the area of the region shown, bounded by the graph of $y = 3x^2$ and $y = 2x + 1$ given that the graphs intersect at $(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3})$ and $(1, 3)$

(3)



The shaded area shown is bounded by parts of the graphs of $y = x(x + 4)$, $y = x$ and $y = x(3 - x)$ and the x -axis. The co-ordinates of B are $(2, 2)$

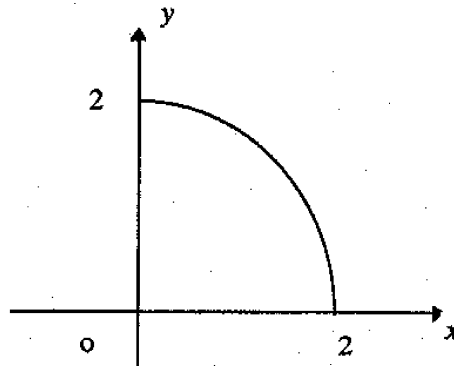
- i) Find the co-ordinates of the points A and C .

(1)

- ii) Calculate the area of the shaded region shown.

(4)

- d) Consider the quadrant of a circle of radius 2 units (as shown below).
By using 5 ordinates, the following table of ordinates resulted:



x	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
y	2	1.93	1.73	1.32	0

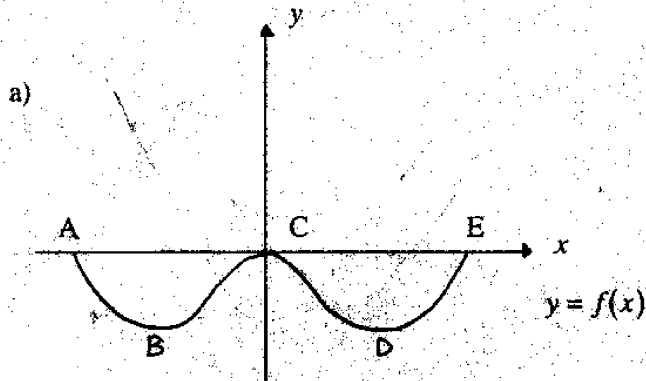
- i) Use these values and Simpsons rule to find the approximate area of the quadrant and hence the circle. (3)
- ii) Compare this answer with the area given by using the formula $A = \pi r^2$. (2)
What is the percentage error using Simpson's Rule?
(Answer to 1 decimal place)

QUESTION 5.

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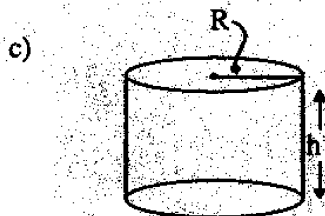
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The following questions refer to the graph of $y = f(x)$ above.
Answer using the letters A, B, C, D and E.

- (i) Which points show stationary points? (1)
- (ii) Between which pairs of adjacent points must there be points of inflexion? (1)
- (iii) Between which pairs of adjacent points is the curve increasing? (1)
- (iv) Where is $\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$? (Give the pairs of adjacent points). (1)
- b) (i) Show that the graph of $y = x^3 - 8$ has one stationary point. Verify that it is in fact a point of inflexion. (3)
- (ii) Sketch the graph of $y = x^3 - 8$, showing clearly the intercepts. (2)



The sum of the radius R and height h of a cylinder is 60cm.

- (i) Express h in terms of R . (1)
- (ii) Show that the volume of the cylinder is given by $V = \pi(60R^2 - R^3)$ (1)
- (iii) Hence find the maximum volume possible. (4)

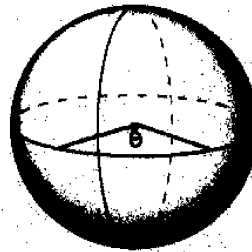
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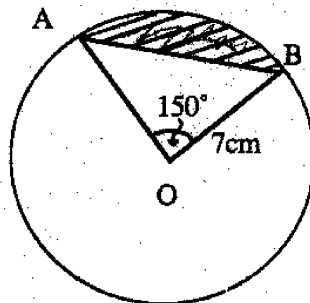
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- a) Taking the radius of the Earth as 6341 km, what is the size of angle θ that would be subtended at the Earth's centre by an arc on the equator of length 9000 km? (Answer to the nearest minute).



(2)

b)



The diagram shows the minor segment of a circle subtending an angle at the centre of 150° and a radius of 7 cm.

- (i) Show that the exact area of the minor segment is $\frac{49(5\pi - 3)}{12}$ units² (2)
- (ii) Find the area of the major segment. (Answer to 3 significant figures) (2)
- c) The length of an arc 11.2 cm and the area of a sector is 28.7 cm² when an angle of θ is subtended at the centre of circle, radius r . Find r and θ . (Answer θ to nearest radian) (3)

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