

NEWINGTON COLLEGE



2015 Assessment 2 (HSC mini) Year 12 Mathematics

General Instructions:

- Date of task - Thursday 19th March (Wk 8B)
- Reading time - 5 mins
- Working time - 120 mins
- Weighting - 30%
- BOSTES-approved calculators may be used.
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of the paper.
- Attempt all questions.
- Show all relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

Total marks - 71

Section I (10 marks)

- Answer questions 1 to 10 on the multiple choice answer sheet provided at the end of this paper.
- Allow about 15 minutes for this section.

Section II (61 marks)

- Answer questions 11 to 14 on the writing paper provided.
- **Start each question in a new writing booklet.**
- Each page must show the candidate's computer number.

Outcomes to be assessed:

H8 Uses techniques of integration to calculate areas and volumes.

H3 Manipulates algebraic expressions involving logarithmic and exponential functions.

H6&H7 Uses the derivative to determine the features of the graph of a function; and uses the features of a graph to deduce information about the derivative.

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Section I

10 Marks

Attempt Questions 1-10 on the multiple choice answer sheet.

Allow about 15 minutes for this section.

1 If $f'(a) = 0$ and $f''(a) < 0$ then the function $y = f(x)$ has

- (A) A local minimum at $x = a$
- (B) A local maximum at $x = a$
- (C) A point of inflexion at $x = a$
- (D) an x -intercept at $x = a$

2 If $\log_a b = 2.5$ and $\log_a c = 4$ then $\log_a (\sqrt{bc})$ is closest to

- (A) 3.16
- (B) 6.5
- (C) 0.5
- (D) 3.25

3 $\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{e^x}{x} \right) =$

- (A) e^x
- (B) e^{x-1}
- (C) $xe^x - e^x$
- (D) $\frac{xe^x - e^x}{x^2}$

4 What is the solution to the log equation $\log_2(x+1) = 5$?

- (A) 4
- (B) 11
- (C) 24
- (D) 31

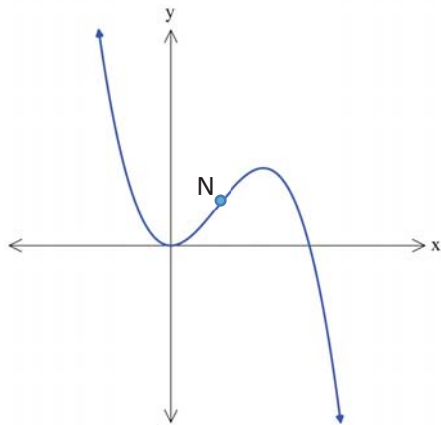
5 What is the value of $\int_1^3 \frac{4}{x} dx$?

- (A) $\ln 12$
- (B) $\ln 6$
- (C) $4 \ln 3$
- (D) $\frac{1}{4} \ln 3$

6 If $f'(x) = 6x^2 - 2x$ and $f(-1) = 5$, then

- (A) $f(x) = 2x^3 - x^2 + 8$
- (B) $f(x) = 2x^3 - x^2 + 6$
- (C) $f(x) = 12x + 17$
- (D) $f(x) = 12x - 2$

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The function $f(x) = 3x^2 - x^3$ is sketched above. The coordinates of the point N are:

- (A) (1,1)
- (B) (1,2)
- (C) (2,4)
- (D) (5,4)

8 $\int \frac{1}{3x^2} dx =$

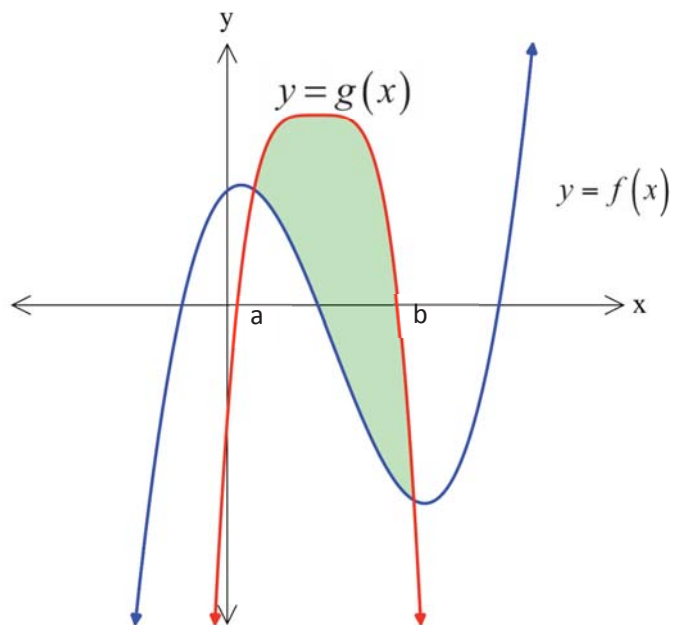
(A) $-\frac{6}{x} + C$

(B) $\frac{1}{x^3} + C$

(C) $-\frac{1}{3x} + C$

(D) $-\frac{1}{9x^3} + C$

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The shaded area is given by which of the following expressions?

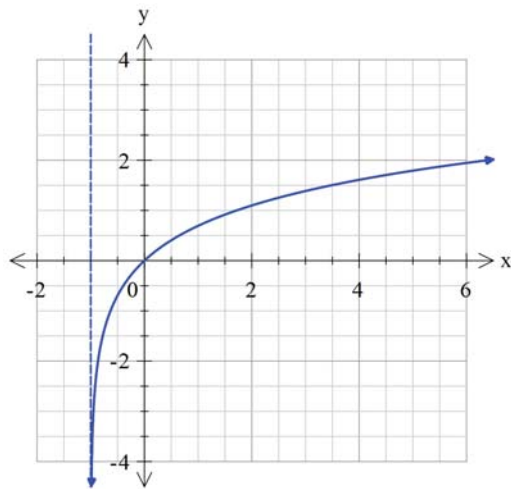
(A) $\int_a^b f(x) - g(x) dx$

(B) $\int_a^b g(x) - f(x) dx$

(C) $\int_a^b f(x) + g(x) dx$

(D) $\pi \int_a^b (f(x) - g(x))^2 dx$

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The graph above is best described by:

- (A) $y = e^{x-1}$
- (B) $y = e^{x+1}$
- (C) $y = \ln(x-1)$
- (D) $y = \ln(x+1)$

End of Section I

Section II**Attempt questions 11-14****Allow about 1 hour and 45 minutes for this section.****Question 11 (15 Marks)- Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.**

- (a) Evaluate $e^{-0.5}$ to 2 decimal places. 2
- (b) Differentiate:
- (i) $y = \ln(x + e^x)$ 2
- (ii) $y = \frac{\ln x}{x}$ 2
- (c) For what values of x is the curve $y = x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 2$ decreasing? 3
- (d) Find a if $\log_a(2) = -\frac{1}{4}$ 2
- (e) (i) State the domain and range of the function $y = e^{-x} + 2$ 2
- (ii) Sketch the curve of $y = e^{-x} + 2$, clearly indicating any intercepts or asymptotes. 2

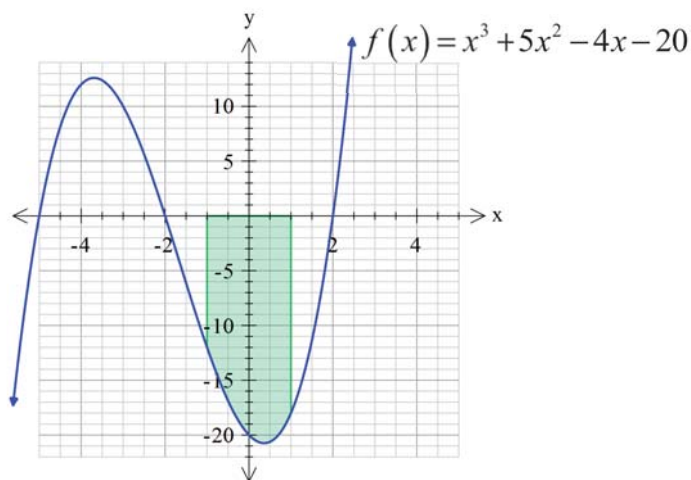
Question 12 (15 Marks)- Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) (i) Find $\int \sqrt{x} - \frac{x^3}{3} dx$ 2
- (ii) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{2x}{1+x^2} dx$ 2
- (iii) Find $\int 4e^{2x+1} dx$ 2

- (b) The table below gives three values for the function $f(x) = x^3 + 5x^2 - 4x - 20$

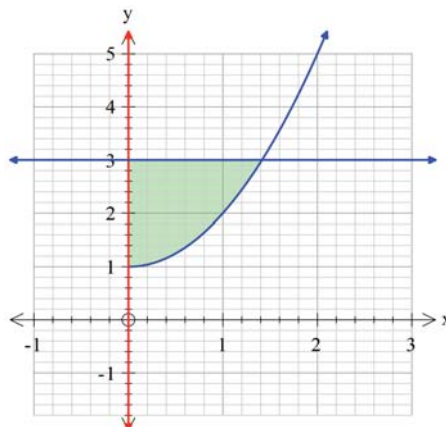
x	-1	0	1
$f(x)$	-12	-20	-18

- (i) Using the table above and **using Simpson's Rule** with 3 function values, estimate $I = \int_{-1}^1 x^3 + 5x^2 - 4x - 20 dx$. 2
- (ii) Using the table above and **using the Trapezoidal Rule** with 3 function values, estimate $I = \int_{-1}^1 x^3 + 5x^2 - 4x - 20 dx$. 2
- (iii)



- If parts (i) and (ii) above were to be used to estimate the shaded area, which would you use to give an answer closest to the actual area. Briefly explain why. 2

- (c)



The area shaded above is bounded by the curve $y = x^2 + 1$ and the line $y = 3$.

- Calculate the volume of the solid of revolution when this region is rotated about the **y-axis**. 3

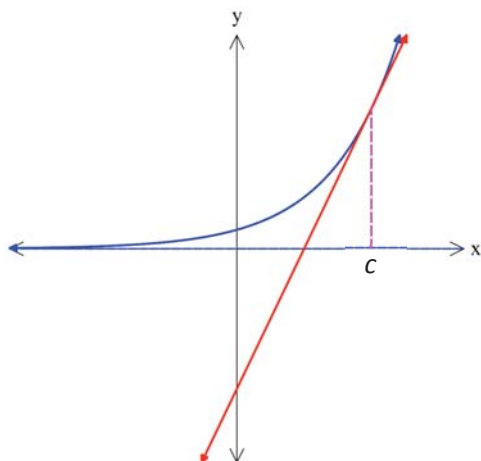
Question 13 (16 Marks)- Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) Consider the curve given by $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x$.
- (i) Find the stationary points and determine their nature 3
 - (ii) Find any points of inflexion. 2
 - (iii) Sketch the curve in the domain $0 \leq x \leq 5$. 2
 - (iv) Find the maximum value of y in this domain. 1
- (b)
- (i) Differentiate $y = 3^x$ 2
 - (ii) Find $\int \frac{e^{2x} - 1}{e^x} dx$ 2
- (c) Find the equation of the **normal** to the curve $y = 3 - 2x^2$ at the point where $x = 1$. 4

Question 14 (15 Marks)- Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

- (a) A closed cylindrical can of radius r centimetres and height h centimetres has a surface area of $120\pi \text{ cm}^2$.
- (i) Show that $h = \frac{60 - r^2}{r}$. 1
 - (ii) Show that the volume of the can V can be expressed as $V = 60\pi r - \pi r^3$. 1
 - (iii) Find the exact value of r that gives the maximum volume for the can. 3

(b)



The diagram above shows a graph of the curve $y = e^x$ and the tangent to this curve at the point where $x = c$.

- (i) Find the gradient of the tangent at $x = c$. 1
- (ii) Find the equation of the tangent at $x = c$. 1
- (iii) Find the value of c if the tangent intersects the x -axis at $x = 1$. 2
- (c) If the area under the curve $y = \frac{1}{2x}$ for $1 \leq x \leq a$ is 1, find the exact value of a . 3
- (d) Solve $2 \log x = \log(x+2)$ 3

END OF PAPER

STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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