

**2010**  
**SEMESTER 1**  
**HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE**  
**EXAMINATION**

Student Number

# Mathematics Extension 2



## General Instructions

- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 2 hours
- Write using blue or black pen
- Answer questions in writing booklets provided
- Start a new page for each question
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- All necessary working should be shown in every question

## Total Marks – 75

- Attempt questions 1-5
- All questions are of equal value

**Question 1 (15 marks)**      Start a new sheet of writing paper.

**Marks**

- (a) Given the complex numbers  $z = 3 + 4i$  and  $\omega = 2 - 3i$ , write the following in the form  $x + iy$
- (i)  $z + \omega$  1
  - (ii)  $\frac{z}{\omega}$  1
  - (iii)  $\sqrt{z}$  3
- (b) If the complex number  $z = 1 + \sqrt{3}i$
- (i) Find  $|z|$  and  $\arg z$  2
  - (ii) Hence write  $z$  in modulus argument form 1
  - (iii) By using your answer for part (ii) or otherwise, write the complex number  $z^4$  in the form  $x + iy$ . 1
- (c) The triangle POQ is right angled at O. The length of OQ is twice that of OP. (O is the origin and Q is in the second quadrant). Given that OP represents the complex number  $3 + 4i$
- (i) Determine the complex number represented by OQ 1
  - (ii) Determine the complex number represented by QP 1
- (d) Given that  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$
- (i) Show that  $z^n + z^{-n} = 2 \cos n\theta$  1
  - (ii) hence by using (i) and binomial expansion, write  $\cos^4 \theta$  in terms of  $\cos 2\theta$  and  $\cos 4\theta$  3

**End of Question 1**

**Question 2 (15 marks)**

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**Marks**

- (a) Sketch the graph of the parabola  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 2$  1

Use this to draw sketches of the following functions indicating particularly any asymptotes and intercepts with the axes.

(i)  $y = |f(x)|$  2

(ii)  $y = [f(x)]^2$  2

(iii)  $y^2 = f(x)$  2

(iv)  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  2

(v)  $y = \log[f(x)]$  2

- (b) Find the minimum value of  $x^2 \log x$  and sketch the graph of  $y = x^2 \log x$  4  
[note :  $x > 0$ ]

## End of Question 2

**Question 3 (15 marks)**

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**Marks**

- a) Find the value of  $k$  for which  $(x-1)$  is a factor of the polynomial  
 $p(x) = x^{11} - 3x^6 + kx^4 + x^2$  1

- (b) The equation  $x^3 + x^2 + 2 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ . 5

Evaluate

- (i)  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$   
(ii)  $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \alpha\gamma$   
(iii)  $\alpha\beta\gamma$   
(iv)  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$   
(v)  $\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3$

- Also write down the polynomial equation which has roots  $\frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}$ . 2

- (c) Find the values of the real numbers  $p$  and  $q$  if  $x^2 + 1$  is a factor of the polynomial  $p(x) = x^4 + px^3 + 2x + q$ . Hence factorise  $p(x)$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  (real field) and over  $\mathbb{C}$  (complex field). 3

- (d) Find all the roots of  $p(x) = 18x^3 + 3x^2 - 28x + 12 = 0$  given that two of the roots are equal. 4

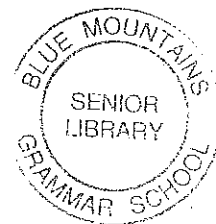
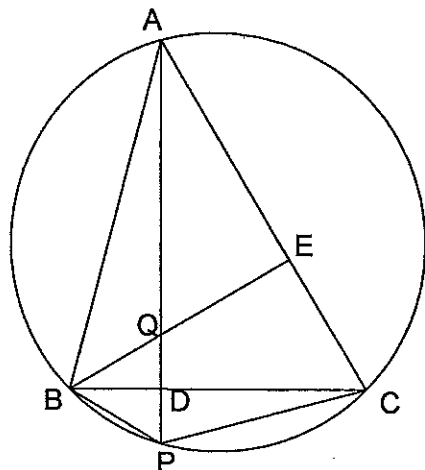
**End of Question 3**

**Question 4 (15 marks)**

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Marks

(a)



ABC is an acute angled triangle inscribed in a circle. D is the point on BC such that AD is perpendicular to BC. AD produced meets the circle at P. Q is the point on AD such that  $DQ = DP$ . BQ produced meets CA at E.

- (i) Copy the diagram showing the above information 1
- (ii) Show that  $\triangle BDP \equiv \triangle BDQ$  3
- (iii) Show that  $BDEA$  is a cyclic quadrilateral 4
- (iv) Show that BE is perpendicular to CA 2

(b) (i) Show that :  $\sin x + \sin 3x = 2 \sin 2x \cos x$  2

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, find all solutions of

$$\sin x + \sin 2x + \sin 3x = 0, \text{ for } 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

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## End of Question 4

**Question 5** (15 marks)

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Marks

- (a) (i) On an Argand diagram shade in the region **R** containing all points representing complex numbers  $z$  such that
- $$1 < |z| < 2 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\pi}{4} < \arg z < \frac{\pi}{2}$$
- 2
- (ii) In **R**, mark with a dot a point **K** representing a complex number  $z$ . Clearly indicate on your diagram the points **M, N, P** and **Q** representing the complex numbers  $\bar{z}, -z, \frac{1}{z}$  and  $2z$  respectively. 4
- (b) Show that the locus specified by  $3|z - (4 + i)| = |z - (12 + 12i)|$  is a circle. Write down radius and the coordinates of its centre. Draw a neat sketch of the circle on the Argand diagram. 4
- (c) (i) Show the roots of  $z^5 + 1 = 0$  on a unit circle in an Argand diagram. 3
- (ii) Factor  $z^5 + 1$  into irreducible factors with real coefficients 2

## End of Question 5

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