

2007 TRIAL HSC EXAMINATION

Mathematics

General Instructions

- Reading Time 5 minutes ٠
- Working Time 3 hours
- Write using black or blue pen
- 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

Student Number:______Teacher:_____

Student Name:_____

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QUESTION	MARK
1	/12
2	/12
3	/12
4	/12
5	/12
6	/12
7	/12
8	/12
9	/12
10	/12
TOTAL	/120

Total Marks – 120

Attempt Questions 1–10

All questions are of equal value

At the end of the examination, place your

so that anonymity will be maintained.

solution booklets in order and put this question

paper on top. Submit one bundle. The bundle

will be separated before marking commences

Total Marks – 120 Attempt Questions 1–10 All questions are of equal value

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

Questi	Question 1 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.	
(a)	Evaluate $\frac{e^2 - 1 \cdot 2^3}{\sqrt{5 \cdot 8 + 2 \cdot 7}}$ correct to two significant figures.	2
(b)	Differentiate $x^3 - \frac{4}{x}$.	2
(c)	Solve $ x+2 \ge 4$.	2
(d)	Find the limiting sum of the series $\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{8} + \dots$	2
(e)	If $\frac{4}{\sqrt{3}-1} = a + \sqrt{b}$, find the values of <i>a</i> and <i>b</i> , where <i>a</i> and <i>b</i> are integers.	2

(f) Find the value of *x* correct to 1 decimal place.



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Quest	Question 2 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.Mar		
(a)	Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = \ln(x-2)$ at the point where $x = 3$.	2	
(b)	Differentiate: (i) xe^{4x}	2	
	(ii) $\sin 3x + \tan x$	2	
(c)	Find $\int \sec^2\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) dx$	1	
(d)	Evaluate $\int_{0}^{2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{e^{x}}\right) dx$	2	
(e)	In the diagram below, <i>ABCD</i> is a parallelogram. $\angle ACD = 30^{\circ}$ and $\angle BEC = 70^{\circ}$. Copy or trace the diagram into your writing booklet.	3	

Find the size of $\angle ACB$ giving reasons for your answer.



Question 3 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) If α and β are the roots of $1 - 4x - 2x^2 = 0$, evaluate

(i) $\alpha + \beta$ 1

(ii)
$$\alpha\beta$$
 1

(iii)
$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2$$
 2

(b) Solve
$$2\cos x + 1 = 0$$
 for x if $0 \le x \le 2\pi$.

(c) In the diagram, the line joining the points A(-1, 2) and B(3, -1) is shown



(i)	Show that the equation of the line <i>AB</i> is $3x + 4y - 5 = 0$.	2
(ii)	The line <i>AB</i> makes an angle of θ with the positive direction of the <i>x</i> -axis. Find θ to the nearest minute.	1
(iii)	From $C(4, 2)$ a perpendicular is drawn to the line AB. Find the length of this perpendicular.	2
(iv)	Find the equation of the circle, centre <i>C</i> , which has <i>AB</i> as a tangent.	1

(a) The graphs of $y = 4 - x^2$ and y = 2x + 1 intersect at the points A and B.



(i)	Find the x values of the points A and B.	2
(ii)	Find the shaded area bounded by $y = 4 - x^2$ and $y = 2x + 1$.	3

(b) A parabola has the equation $y = x^2 + 6x + 10$

Find:	(i)	the equation of the axis of symmetry;	1
	(ii)	the coordinates of the vertex;	1
	(iii)	the focal length.	2

(c) A bridge is being built across a canyon. The length of the bridge is 1522 metres.
 From the deepest point in the canyon, the angles of elevation of the ends of the bridge are 78° and 72°.



Show that the depth, h of the canyon is given by

$$h = \frac{1522}{\tan 12^\circ + \tan 18^\circ}$$

Marks

Question 5 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

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(a) Consider the curve given by $f(x) = 7 + 4x^3 - 3x^4$.

(i)	Find the coordinates of the stationary points and determine their nature.	3
(ii)	Find the coordinates of any points of inflexion.	2
(iii)	Sketch the curve for the domain $-1 \le x \le 2$, showing these features.	2
(iv)	What is the minimum value of the function for the domain $-1 \le x \le 2$?	1

(b) In the diagram below, *ABCD* is a parallelogram. $FB \perp AB$.



Copy or trace the diagram into your writing booklet.

- (i) Prove $\triangle CBE \parallel \triangle AFB$. 3
- (ii) If CE = 3 cm, BC = 7 cm and AF = 15 cm, find AB.

(a) Evaluate
$$\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos 2x \, dx$$
 giving your answer in exact form. 3

(b) Sketch the graph of $y = 3\cos 2x$ over the domain $-\pi \le x \le \pi$. **3** Use your graph to find the number of solutions to the equation $3\cos 2x = -1$ over this domain. DO NOT find the solutions.

(c) AD and BC are arcs of concentric circles with O as their centre. OA = 8 metres **3** and OC = 10 metres. Find the *exact* perimeter of the shaded region.



(d) The diagram below shows a sketch of the curve y = f(x). In your writing booklet, copy or trace the diagram and use it to draw a sketch of the gradient function y = f'(x). 3

Marks



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

(a) (i) Draw a neat sketch of the function f(x) = √16 - x² and state the domain. (ii) Use Simpson's rule with 3 function values to find the area in the first quadrant bound by the curve y = f(x), the x-axis and the y-axis. Leave your answer in surd form. (iii) Calculate the exact area of the region. (iv) Calculate the percentage error in your answer to part (ii) above.

(b) Nikky is knitting a triangular shawl which begins with 279 stitches. The pattern requires that one stitch is decreased at each end of alternate rows until three stitches remain. This is illustrated in the diagram below.

First knitted row – 279 stitches			
277 stitches			
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275 stitches			
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3 sts			

- (i) How many rows will Nikky need to knit?
- (ii) 1 cm of yarn is used to form each stitch, and 280 cm of yarn is required to begin and end the shawl. Nikky has only 2 balls of yarn, each having a length of 210 m.

Will there be enough yarn to complete the shawl? Support your answer with calculations and reasoning.

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Marks

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

- (a) Solve $e^{2x} 3e^x 4 = 0$
- (b) Anna and Kathryn play a game in which they take turns to throw a die. Anna wins if she throws an even number or a six. Kathryn wins if she throws an odd number or a six. Anna has the first throw and the game continues until someone wins.



- (i)Find the probability that Anna wins on her first throw.1(ii)Show that the probability that Anna wins on her second throw is $\frac{1}{12}$.1(iii)What is the probability that Anna wins on her first, second or third throw?2(iv)What is the probability that Anna eventually wins the game?2
- (c) A vase is formed by rotating the part of the curve $y = \frac{2}{x} 1$ between x = 0.5 and x = 2 about the y axis. Find the volume of the vase.



Marks Question 9 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet. Mother has just been shopping and purchased 3 cans of baked beans and 2 cans (a) of spaghetti. While she is on the phone, Junior removes the labels from all the cans so that they are now indistinguishable. Junior wants baked beans for lunch and Mother decides to open only two cans. She selects the two cans at random. (i) Draw a probability tree to illustrate the situation. 1 (ii) What is the probability that Mother selects (α) two cans of baked beans? 1 (β) exactly one can of baked beans? 2 (iii) Mother opens one can and discovers that it is spaghetti. What is the 1 probability that the other can is baked beans? Alison has planned a holiday which she decides to take in 3 years time. She has (b) estimated that the holiday will cost about \$8 000 and plans to save a fixed amount each month. She invests her savings at the beginning of each month in an account which pays interest at 6% pa compounded monthly. (i) Let the amount she saves each month be A and let V_n be the value of her investment after n months. Show that the value of her investment at the end of 3 months is given by $V_3 = A \left(1 \cdot 005 + 1 \cdot 005^2 + 1 \cdot 005^3 \right).$ 1 Find correct to the nearest dollar, the least amount of money that Alison (ii) 3 would need to save each month to reach her target. (iii) If, after 2 years of her saving plan, the interest rate rose to 9% pa, how much extra spending money would Alison have if she maintained the amount she was saving as calculated in part (ii) above? 3 Question 10 (12 marks) Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

(a) Find the exact value of a if
$$\int_{2}^{\sqrt{a}} \frac{x}{x^2 - 1} dx = 3.$$
 3

(b) From a circular disc of metal whose area is 100 m^2 , a sector is cut out and used to make a right cone. The radius of the disc is *R* metres.



(iv) Given the area of the sector used to make the cone is $A = \pi R r$ show that the angle in this sector, which gives a maximum volume for the cone, is

$$\theta = \frac{2\pi\sqrt{6}}{3}$$
 radians.

End of paper

STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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$$\angle EBC = \angle ECB$$
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 $\therefore 2ACB = 25^{\circ}$
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 b^{-4}
 c^{-1}
 $i) x^{c}B = -\frac{D}{a}$
 $= -\frac{1}{7}$
 $ii) x^{c}B = -\frac{D}{a}$
 $= -\frac{1}{7}$
 $iii) x^{c}B = -\frac{D}{a}$
 $= -\frac{1}{7}$
 $iv) \Gamma = 3^{\circ}, carbe = (-4, 1)$
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 $(x-A)^{2} + (y-3)^{2} = 9$
 $(x + 3)^{2}x - 3 = 0$
 $(x + 3)^{2}x - 3 = 0$

$$\begin{array}{c} \therefore A = \left[3x - x^{3} - x^{3} \right]_{-3}^{1} \\ = 3 - \frac{1}{5} - \left[- \left(-9 + 2\frac{7}{2} - 9 \right) \right] \\ = 1 \left[\frac{3}{5} + 9 \right] \\ = 1$$

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$$\frac{7}{10} |V_{2k} = A(1005+1005^{k}+...+1005^{k}) = A\left[\frac{a(n+1)}{1-n}\right] |V_{2k} = A(1005) = 1-1005 =$$

b) i)
$$P_{-}^{2} = h^{2} + r^{2}$$
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 $\therefore h^{2} = R^{2} + r^{2}$
but $TR_{-}^{2} + R^{2}$
 $\therefore h^{2} = R^{2} - r^{2}$
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