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## HSC Trial Examination August 2015

# Mathematics Extension 1

### General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 2 hours
- Write using black or blue pen  
Black pen is preferred
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of the paper
- Answer questions 1 – 10 on the multiple choice answer sheet provided
- Answer questions 11-14 on the paper provided, showing relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations
- **Start each question on a new page**
- Write your Student Number on the top of this page and at the top of every writing page

**Total marks – 69**

### Section I

**10 marks**

- Attempt Questions 1 – 10
- Allow about 15 minutes for this section

### Section II

**60 marks**

- Attempt Questions 11 – 14
- Allow about 1 hour and 45 minutes for this section

## Section I

10 Marks

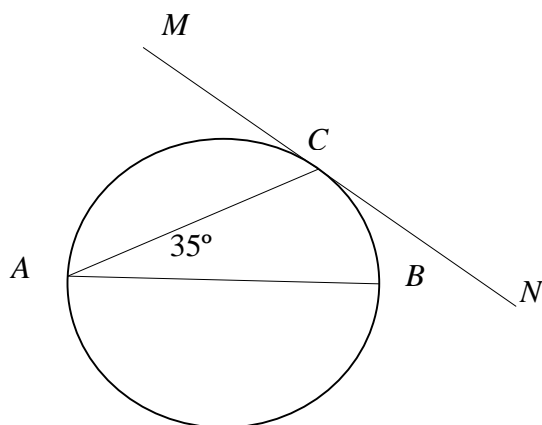
Attempt Questions 1 – 10

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Use the multiple-choice answer sheet for Questions 1 – 10.

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- 1 When the polynomial  $P(x) = x^3 - 5x^2 + kx + 2$  is divided by  $(x + 1)$  the remainder is 3. What is the value of  $k$ ?
- (A) -7                      (B) -5                      (C) 5                      (D) 7
- 2 Which of the following is a simplification of  $4\log_e \sqrt{e^x}$ ?
- (A)  $4\sqrt{x}$                       (B)  $\frac{1}{2}x$                       (C)  $2x$                       (D)  $x^2$
- 3 In the diagram,  $AB$  is a diameter of the circle and  $MCN$  is the tangent to the circle at  $C$ .  $\angle CAB = 35^\circ$ . What is the size of  $\angle MCA$ ?
- (A)  $35^\circ$                       (B)  $45^\circ$                       (C)  $55^\circ$                       (D)  $65^\circ$



4 The acute angle between the lines  $2x - y = 0$  and  $kx - y = 0$  is equal to  $\frac{\pi}{4}$ . What is the value of  $k$ ?

(A)  $k = 3$  or  $k = -\frac{1}{3}$

(B)  $k = -3$  or  $k = \frac{1}{3}$

(C)  $k = 3$  or  $k = -\frac{1}{3}$

(D)  $k = 3$  or  $k = \frac{1}{3}$

5 Which of the following is a simplification of  $\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{\sin 2x}$ ?

(A)  $1 - \cot 2x$

(B)  $1$

(C)  $\cot x$

(D)  $\tan x$

6 The statement  $7^n - 3^n$  is always divisible by 10 is true for

(A) all integers  $n \geq 1$

(B) all integers  $n \geq 2$

(C) all odd integers  $n \geq 1$

(D) all even integers  $n \geq 2$

7 What is the value of  $\int_1^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} dx$ ?

(A)  $\frac{\pi}{6}$

(B)  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

(C)  $\frac{\pi}{3}$

(D)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

- 8** The radius  $r$  of a circle is increasing at a constant rate of  $0.1 \text{ cm s}^{-1}$ . What is the rate at which the area of the circle is increasing when  $r = 10 \text{ cm}$ ?
- (A)  $\pi \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$     (B)  $2\pi \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$     (C)  $10\pi \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$     (D)  $20\pi \text{ cm}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$
- 9** If  $x + \frac{1}{x} = 2$  what is the value of  $x^2 + \frac{1}{x^2}$ ?
- (A) 2                      (B) 4                      (C) 6                      (D) 8
- 10** Evaluate  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2}$ .
- (A) 0                      (B)  $\infty$                       (C) 1                      (D)  $\frac{1}{2}$

**End of Section I**

**Section II**

**60 Marks**

**Attempt Questions 11 – 14**

**Allow about 1 hour and 45 minutes for this section**

Answer each question on the writing paper provided. Start each question on a new page.

In Questions 11–14, your responses should include relevant mathematical reasoning and/or calculations.

**Question 11 (15 marks) Start a new page**

(a) Solve the inequality  $\frac{1}{|x-1|} > \frac{1}{2}$ . 2

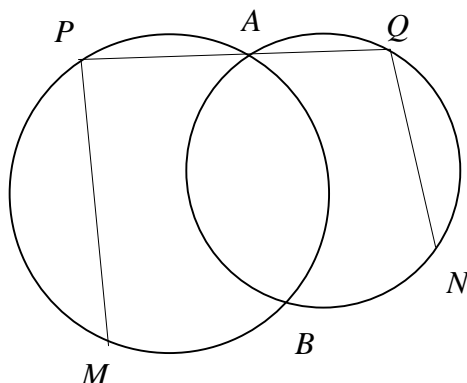
(b)  $A(-2, 5)$  and  $B(6, -7)$  are two points. Find the coordinates of the point  $P(x, y)$  that divides the interval  $AB$  internally in the ratio 3:1. 2

(c) Find  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 \tan^{-1} x)$ . 2

(d) Use Mathematical Induction to show that for all positive integers  $n \geq 1$   
 $1 \times 2^0 + 2 \times 2^1 + 3 \times 2^2 + \dots + n \times 2^{n-1} = 1 + (n-1)2^n$ . 3

(e) Use the substitution  $x = u^2 - 1$ ,  $u \geq 0$ , to evaluate  $\int_0^3 \frac{x}{\sqrt{x+1}} dx$ . 3

(f) In the diagram the two circles intersect at  $A$  and  $B$ .  $PAQ$  is a straight line and  $PM$  is parallel to  $QN$ . Copy the diagram. Show that  $MBN$  is a straight line. 3



**Question 12 (15 marks) Start a new page**

(a) Given that  $\int_0^a e^{1-2x} dx = \frac{e}{4}$ , find  $a$  in terms of  $\ln k$ . 2

(b) The equation  $x^3 - 6x^2 + 4x + 2 = 0$  has roots  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ . Find the value of

(i)  $\frac{\alpha}{2} + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{\gamma}{2}$  1

(ii)  $\frac{2}{\alpha} + \frac{2}{\beta} + \frac{2}{\lambda}$ . 2

(c) (i) Show that for  $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{4}$ ,  $\tan x + \tan^3 x + \tan^5 x + \dots = \frac{1}{2} \tan 2x$ . 2

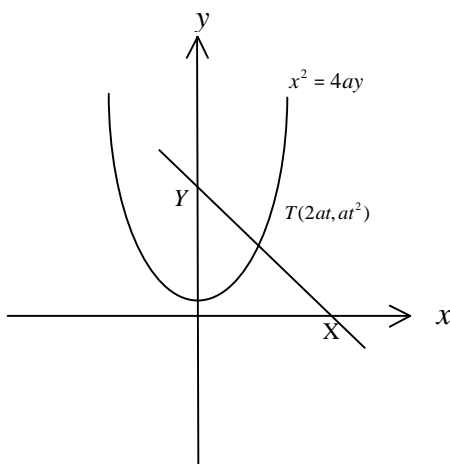
(ii) Hence find the exact value of  $\tan \frac{\pi}{8} + \tan^3 \frac{\pi}{8} + \tan^5 \frac{\pi}{8} + \dots$  1

(d) Solve the equation  $\sin^{-1} x = 3\cos^{-1} x$ , giving the solution correct to 2 decimal places. 3

(e) In the diagram,  $T(2at, at^2)$  is a point on the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$ .

(i) Show that the normal to the parabola at  $t$  has equation  $x + ty = 2at + at^3$ . 2

(ii) This normal cuts the  $x$  and  $y$  axes at  $X$  and  $Y$  respectively. Show  $\frac{TX}{TY} = \frac{t^2}{2}$ . 2

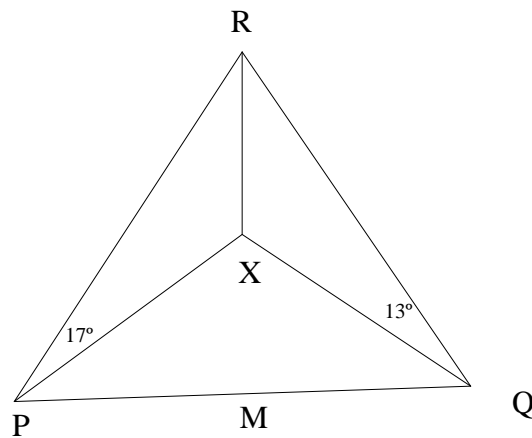


**Question 13 (15 marks) Start a new page**

- (a) Find the domain and range of the function  $f(x) = \cos^{-1}(2x-1) - \frac{\pi}{2}$ . **2**
- (b)  $\alpha$  is the real root of the equation  $\log_e x - \frac{1}{x} = 0$ . Use one application of Newton's Method with an initial approximation  $\alpha_0 = 1.5$  to find the next approximation of  $\alpha$  correct to 1 decimal place. **2**
- (c) The region bounded by the curve  $y = \cos x$  and the  $x$  axis between  $x = 0$  and  $x = \frac{\pi}{3}$  is rotated through one complete revolution about the  $x$  axis. Find the exact volume of the solid formed. **3**
- (d) The rise and fall of water in a harbour is simple harmonic. On a particular day in a harbour, high tide at its entrance occurs at noon and the water depth is then 11 m. Low tide occurs 6.25 hours later and the water depth is then 5 m.
- (i) Find the amplitude and period of this motion and write the equation for the displacement of the motion. **2**
- (ii) Find the time when the water level will be falling at its maximum rate and thus find the rate in metres per hour. Give your answer to 3 significant figures. **2**
- (iii) A ship needs a depth of 7 m to enter the harbour. Find the latest time after noon at which it can enter without having to wait for low tide to pass. **2**
- (e) Find the acute angle between the curve  $y = x^2 + 3$  and the line  $2x - y + 3 = 0$  at the point of intersection  $x = 2$ . Give your answer to the nearest degree. **2**

**Question 14 (15 marks) Start a new page**

(a)



- (i) From a point P, the angle of elevation of the top of a vertical tower at X, due North of P, is  $17^\circ$ . From Q, due East of the tower, the angle of elevation is  $13^\circ$ . Given that P and Q are 130m apart, show that  $h$ , the height of the tower, can be given by

$$h = \frac{130}{\sqrt{\tan^2 73 + \tan^2 77}}.$$

**2**

- (ii) Find  $h$  to the nearest metre.

**1**

- (b) At time  $t$  years the number  $N$  of individuals in a population is given by  $N = \frac{a}{1 + be^{-t}}$  for some constants  $a > 0$  and  $b > 0$ . The initial population size is 20 and the limiting population size is 100.

(i) Show that  $\frac{dN}{dt} = N \left( 1 - \frac{N}{a} \right)$ .

**2**

- (ii) Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**2**

- (c) Show that the series  $\log_2 x + \log_4 x + \log_{16} x + \dots$  is geometric and find the sum of the series for infinite terms.

**2**

**Question 14 continues on the next page**



**Question 14 continued**

(d) Consider the function  $f(x) = -\frac{x}{x^2 + 1}$

- (i) Show that this function is odd. **1**
- (ii) Find the equation of the horizontal asymptote. **1**
- (iii) Find the coordinates of its stationary points and determine their nature. **2**
- (iv) Sketch the graph of this function. **1**

**End of Examination**

**STANDARD INTEGRALS**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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### Section I

#### Multiple-Choice Answer Sheet *Circle the correct response*

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|-----|---|---|---|---|
| 1.  | A | B | C | D |
| 2.  | A | B | C | D |
| 3.  | A | B | C | D |
| 4.  | A | B | C | D |
| 5.  | A | B | C | D |
| 6.  | A | B | C | D |
| 7.  | A | B | C | D |
| 8.  | A | B | C | D |
| 9.  | A | B | C | D |
| 10. | A | B | C | D |