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# **MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 2**

## **PRE-TRIAL TEST**

**HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE (HSC)**

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### **General Instructions**

- Reading time – 5 minutes
- 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
- Write your Student Number and your Name on all working booklets

### **Total marks – 96**

- Attempt Questions 1–8
- Question 8 is optional
- All questions are of equal value

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## Marks

### Question 1

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(A) Integrate the following,

$$(i) \int \frac{\sin 2x}{\sqrt{1 - \cos 2x}} dx \quad 1$$

$$(ii) \int \frac{dx}{x\sqrt{x^6 - 4}} \quad (\text{Let } x^3 = 2 \sec u) \quad 2$$

$$(iii) \int_{-1}^1 \frac{2x}{(x^2 + 2x + 5)^2} dx \quad 2$$

$$(iv) \int \frac{dx}{e^x \sqrt{1 - e^{-2x}}} \quad 2$$

(B) By substituting  $x = a - y$ , show that 1

$$\int_0^a f(x) dx = \int_0^a f(a - x) dx$$

Hence use this result to evaluate.

$$(i) \int_0^1 x(1-x)^{12} dx \quad 2$$

$$(ii) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{1 + \sin 2x} dx \quad 2$$

**Question 2****12**

(A) Given  $Z_1 = i\sqrt{2}$  and  $Z_2 = \frac{2}{1-i}$

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(i) Express  $Z_1$  and  $Z_2$  in the modulus/argument form.

(ii) If  $Z_1 = w.Z_2$  express  $w$  in the modulus/argument form.

(iii) Show  $Z_1$ ,  $Z_2$  and  $Z_1 + Z_2$  on an Argand diagram.

Hence show that

$$\text{Arg}(Z_1 + Z_2) = \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

Use the diagram to find the exact value of  $\tan \frac{3\pi}{8}$

(B) If  $Z_1, Z_2$  are complex numbers, prove that

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$$\frac{|Z_1|}{|Z_2|} = \frac{|Z_1|}{|Z_2|}$$

Given a complex number  $Z = \frac{c+2i}{c-2i}$  where  $c$  is real.

Find  $|Z|$  and hence describe the exact locus of  $Z$  if  $c$  varies from  $-1$  to  $1$ .

(C) If  $w = 2\sqrt{3}i - 2$ , find  $|w|$  and  $\arg w$ , then indicate on an Argand diagram the complex number  $w$ ,  $\bar{w}$ ,  $iw$ ,  $\frac{1}{w}$ ,  $-w$ .

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Show that  $w^2 = 4\bar{w}$

Prove that  $w$  is a root of the equation  $Z^3 - 64 = 0$ . Find other roots.

**Question 3****12**

(A) P is the point  $(3\cos \theta, 2\sin \theta)$  and Q is the point  $(3\sec \theta, 2\tan \theta)$ .

Sketch the curves which are the loci, as  $\theta$  varies, of P and Q, marking on them the range of positions occupied by P and Q respectively as  $\theta$  varies from  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to  $\pi$ .

(i) Prove that for any value of  $\theta$ , the line PQ passes through one of the common points of the 2 curves. 2

(ii) Show that the tangent at P to the first curve meets the tangent at Q to the second curve in a point which lies on the common tangent to the two curves at their other common point. 2

(iii) Prove that the two curves have the same length of the latus rectum. 2

(B) Show that the condition for a straight line  $y = mx + c$  to touch the ellipse E of 3

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \text{is} \quad c^2 = b^2 + a^2m^2$$

Hence show that the locus of the point P(x, y) from which the 2 tangents to the ellipse E

$\frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$  are perpendicular together, is a curve with the centre at the origin and a radius of 5.

**Question 4**

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(A) A function is defined with the polar equation as follows:

$$\begin{cases} x = 8 \cos^3 \theta \\ y = 8 \sin^3 \theta \end{cases} \quad -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

(i) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in term of  $\theta$  and show that the graph of this function touches the x and y axis. Sketch the curve. 3

(ii) Show that the Cartesian equation of that function is 3

$$x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 4$$

Show that the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point P(  $x_0$ ,  $y_0$ ) is:

$$y_0^{1/3} x + x_0^{1/3} y = 4x_0^{1/3} \cdot y_0^{1/3}$$

Prove that the segment intercepted on this tangent by the coordinate axis is independent of the position of P on the curve.

(B) Consider the function  $f(x) = 2 - \frac{4x}{x^2 + 1}$

(i) Show that the function is always positive for any value of x. 1

(ii) Find the asymptote (if any) and the stationary point of that curve. 1

(iii) Sketch the curve  $y = f(x)$ . 1

(iv) On a separate diagram, sketch the relating curves:

a)  $y = f(|x|)$  1

b)  $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$  1

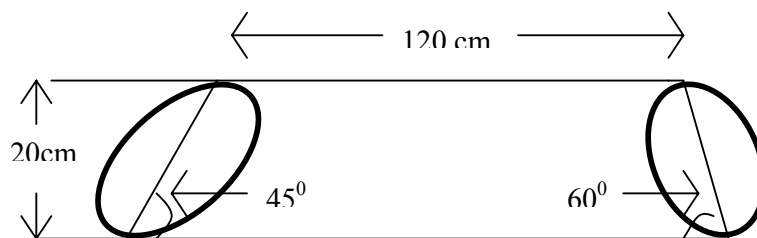
c)  $y = \ln f(x)$  1

**Question 5**

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(A) The area bounded by the curve  $y=\sin x$ , the two lines  $y=-x$  and  $x=\pi$  is rotated about the line  $y=-x$ . Find the volume of the solid shape of that formation. 6

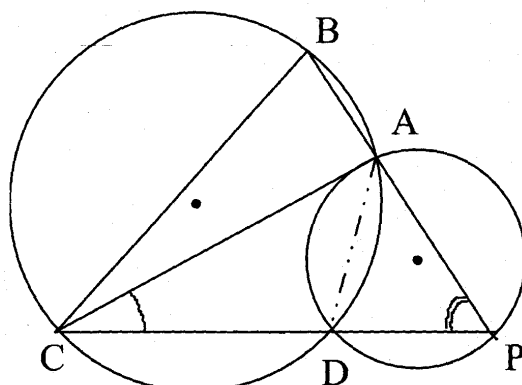
(B) A cylindrical timber is chopped at two ends by 2 planes which are inclined  $60^\circ$  and  $45^\circ$  respectively. If the two ends are tilt toward each other and the shortest length of 2 ends is 120cm. Find the volume of that timber. Give the radius of timer is 10cm. 6



Question 6

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(A)



Two circles intersect at A and D. P is the point on the major arc of one circle. The other circle has the radius  $r$ . PA produced and PD produced meet the other circle at B and C respectively. Let  $\angle APD = \alpha$  and  $\angle ACD = \beta$ .

(i) Show that  $BC = 2r \sin(\alpha + \beta)$ . 2

(ii) As P moves along the major arc AD on its circle, show that the length of the chord BC is independent of the position of P. 2

(iii) If the 2 circles have equal radii, show that  $BC = 2 \cos \alpha \cdot AD$  2

(B) P is any point  $(ct, c/t)$  on the Hyperbola  $xy = c^2$ , whose centre is O.

(i) M and N are perpendicular roots of P to the 2 asymptotes. Prove that PM.PN is constant. 1

(ii) Find the equation of tangent at P, and show that OP and this tangent are equally inclined to the asymptotes. 2

(iii) If the tangent at P meet the asymptotes at A and B, and Q is the fourth vertex of the rectangle OAQB, find the locus of Q. 1

(iv) Show that  $PA=PB$  and hence conclude that the area of  $\Delta OAB$  is independent of position of P. 2



**Question 7****12**

- (A) If the polynomial  $P(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 + 11x^2 - 14x + 10$  has two zeros  $(a + ib)$  and  $(a - 2ib)$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are real, then find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ . 4

Hence find the zeros of  $P(x)$  over the complex field  $\mathbb{C}$ , and express  $P(x)$  as the product of 2 quadratic factors with rational coefficients.

- (B) Show that if the polynomial  $P(x) = 0$  has a root  $\alpha$  of multiplicity  $m$ , then  $P'(x) = 0$  has a root  $\alpha$  of multiplicity  $(m - 1)$ . 4

Given that  $P(x) = x^4 + x^3 - 3x^2 - 5x - 2 = 0$  has a 3-fold root, find all the roots of  $P(x)$ .

- (C) Find the cubic roots of unity and express them in the form  $r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$ .

Show these roots on an Argand diagram.

If  $w$  is one of the complex roots, prove that the other root is  $w^2$  and show that  $1 + w + w^2 = 0$ .

- (i) Prove that if  $n$  is a positive integer, then  $1 + w^n + w^{2n} = 3$  or  $0$  depending on whether  $n$  is or is not a multiple of 3. 2

- (ii) If  $x = a + b$ ,  $y = aw + bw^2$  and  $z = aw^2 + bw$ , show that  $z^2 + y^2 + x^2 = 6ab$  2

**Question 8 - Optional****12**

(A) A particle is projected vertically upward with initial speed  $u$ . The air resistance is proportional to the speed of the particle.

(a) If  $\ddot{x} = -(g + kv)$  with  $k$  is the constant, then find the maximum height reached by the particle and the time to do so. 2

(b) Set up the differential equation for the downward motion. 2

(c) Show that the particle returns to its point of projection with speed  $v$  given by 2

$$k(u + v) = g \log_e \left[ \frac{-g + ku}{-g - kV} \right]$$

(B) Show that for  $n \geq 1$  3

$$1. \ln \frac{2}{1} + 2 \ln \frac{3}{2} + 3 \ln \frac{4}{3} + \dots + n \ln \left( \frac{n+1}{n} \right) = \ln \left( \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!} \right)$$

(C) By using the induction method, prove that  $(35)^n + 3 \times 7^n + 3 \times 5^n + 6$  is divisible by 12 for  $n \geq 1$  3

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

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