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# Mathematics Extension 2

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Total marks – 120  
Attempt Questions 1–8  
All questions are of equal value

Answer each question on a NEW page.

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Question 1 (15 marks)

(a) Find

(i)  $\int \frac{e^x}{(1+e^x)^2} dx$

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(ii)  $\int x \cos x dx$

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(iii)  $\int \frac{2x-3}{x^2-4x+8} dx$

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(b) (i) Find real numbers A, B and C such that:

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$$\frac{10}{(3+x)(1+x^2)} = \frac{A}{3+x} + \frac{Bx+C}{1+x^2} \quad (x \neq -3)$$

(ii) Hence find  $\int \frac{10}{3+\tan \theta} d\theta$  using the substitution  $x = \tan \theta$ .

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(c) Use the substitution  $x = \sin^2 \theta$  to evaluate

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$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\sqrt{x}}{(1-x)^{\frac{3}{2}}} dx$$

## General Instructions

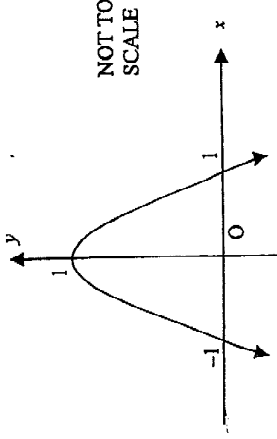
- Reading time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 3 hours
- Write using black or blue pen
- Board-approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper
- All necessary working should be shown in every question

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Question 3 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

(a)



The graph is of the curve  $y = 1 - x^2$  where  $f(x) = 1 - x^2$ .

Without using calculus, sketch the following showing all important features.

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

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

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

(iv)  $y = \log_e(f(x))$  2

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Question 2 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

(a) By considering the expansion of  $(1+x)^{2n}$  in ascending powers of  $x$ , prove that  $\sum_{k=0}^{2n} \binom{2n}{k} = 4^n$  3

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(b) Clearly indicate on an Argand Diagram the regions in the complex plane satisfied by:

(i)  $0 \leq \arg z \leq \frac{\pi}{3}$  and  $2 \leq \operatorname{Im} z \leq 3$ . 2

(ii)  $|z - 2i| \leq 2$  and  $|z - 2 - 2i| \leq 2$ . 3

(c) (i) Express  $z = -1 + i\sqrt{3}$  in modulus argument form. 1

(ii) Hence or otherwise, confirm that  $z$  is a solution of the equation  $z^4 - 4z^2 - 16z - 16 = 0$  3

(iii) Find the other three solutions of the equation. 3

Question 3 (continued)

(b) Consider the cubic

$$P(x) = x^3 + Ax + B$$

(where  $A$  and  $B$  are real)

Prove that  $P(x) = 0$  has exactly one real root if  $A \geq 0$ .

(c) (i) Find the points of intersection of the curve  $y = x^2 - 2x$  and the straight line  $y = x$ . 1

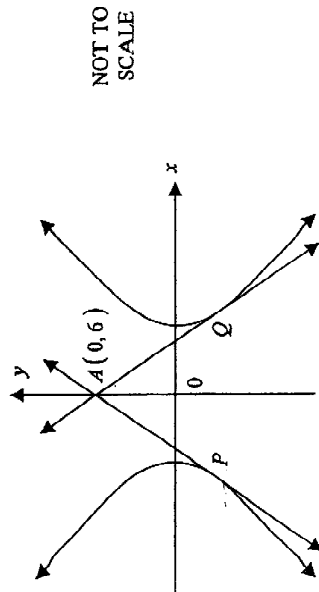
(ii) Use the method of cylindrical shells to find the volume generated when the region enclosed by the parabola  $y = x^2 - 2x$  and the line  $y = x$  is rotated about the  $y$  axis. 4

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Question 4 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

(a)



The diagram shows the hyperbola  $9x^2 - y^2 = 36$ . Tangents from the point  $A(0, 6)$  touch the hyperbola at the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ .

(i) Prove that the equation of the tangent at  $P$  is:

$$y - y_1 = \frac{9x_1}{y_1}(x - x_1)$$

(ii) Prove that  $9x_1^2 - y_1^2 = -6y_1$ .

(iii) Hence find the co-ordinates of  $P$  and  $Q$ .

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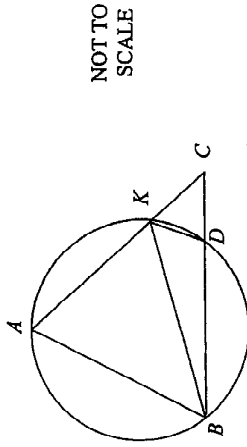
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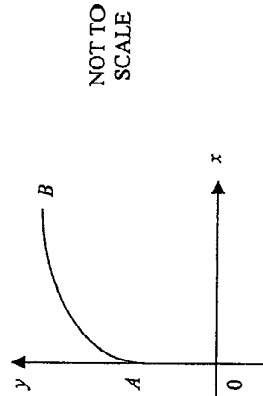
(b)



In the triangle  $ABC$ ,  $AB = AC$ .  
 $BK$  bisects  $\angle ABC$ .  
 Points  $A, B, D, K$  lie on the circumference of a circle.

- (i) Assuming  $\angle ABK = \alpha$ , explain why  $\angle DKC = 2\alpha$ . 1
- (ii) Hence prove  $AK = DC$ . 3

(c)



Points  $A(0, 1)$  and  $B(3, 2)$  lie on the curve  $y^2 = x + 1$ .  
 The region bounded by the curve, the line  $y = 1$  and the line  $x = 3$  is rotated about  $x = 3$ .

- (i) By taking slices perpendicular to  $x = 3$ , prove that the volume formed is 3. 3
- $$\pi \int_1^2 (4 - y^2)^2 dy$$
- (ii) Hence find this volume. 2

Question 5 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

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- (a) Without the use of calculus, draw a sketch of  $y = \frac{\sin x}{x}$  for  $-3\pi \leq x \leq 3\pi$ . 3

(b)  $P(a \cos \theta, b \sin \theta)$  is any point on the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

$M$  is the midpoint of  $SP$  where  $S$  is a focus of the ellipse.

- (i) Find the co-ordinates of  $M$ . 1
- (ii) Find the Cartesian equation of the locus of  $M$ . 2
- (iii) Prove that the locus is a second ellipse with centre at the midpoint of  $OS$ , where  $O$  is the origin. 2

- (c) (i) Explain the difficulty of using the formula for  $\tan(A + B)$  when simplifying  $\tan\left(A + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$ . 1

(ii) Prove that  $\tan\left(A + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -\cot A$ . 2

- (iii) Hence use the method of Mathematical Induction to prove that

$$\tan\left[(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{4}\right] = (-1)^n \text{ for all integers } n \geq 1.$$

Question 6 (12 marks) Start a NEW page.

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(a) Use the substitution  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$  to find  $\int \frac{d\theta}{1 - \cos \theta - \sin \theta}$ .

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(b) Given  $I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^{2n} x \, dx$ ,

(i) Prove that  $I_n = \frac{2n-1}{2n} I_{n-1}$ .

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(ii) Hence evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^6 x \, dx$ .

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(c) (i) Prove that for  $a > 0$  and  $n \neq 0$ ,  $\log_a x = \frac{1}{n} \log_a x$ .

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(ii) Hence evaluate in simplest form  $\log_2 5 + \log_4 5 + \log_{16} 5 + \log_{256} 5 + \dots$

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Question 7 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

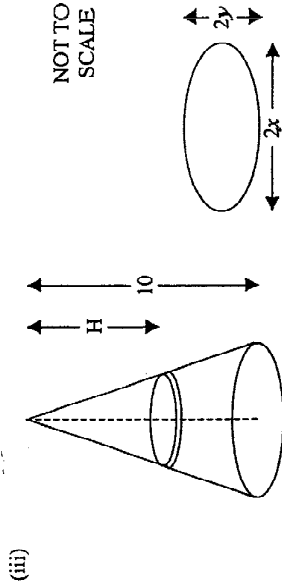
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(a) (i) Evaluate  $\int_0^a \sqrt{a^2 - x^2} \, dx$

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(ii) Explain how you could use the result in part (i) to prove that the area of the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  is  $\pi ab$  units<sup>2</sup>.

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The ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  forms the base of a cone of height 10 units. A slice  $\delta H$  wide is taken H units from the vertex as shown. The cross section is an ellipse with major and minor axes  $2x$  and  $2y$  respectively.

Use the result from part (ii) to prove that the area of cross section H units from the vertex is  $\frac{\pi ab H^2}{100}$  units<sup>2</sup>

(iv) Hence find the volume of the right elliptical cone.

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Question 8 (15 marks) Start a NEW page.

(a) From a point on the ground an object of mass  $m$  is projected vertically upwards with an initial speed of  $u$ . Air resistance is  $mkv^2$  and  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity.

(i) Using a diagram or otherwise explain why  $\ddot{x} = -g - kv^2$ .

(ii) Prove that the displacement  $x$  metres above ground level is given by

$$x = \frac{1}{2k} \left[ \log_e \left( \frac{g + kv^2}{g + ku^2} \right) \right]$$

(iii) If the object reaches a height of 40m above the ground prove that

$$u^2 = \frac{g}{k} (e^{80k} - 1)$$

(b) The equation of a curve is  $x^2y^2 - x^2 + y^2 = 0$

(i) Prove  $y^2 = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + 1}$ .

(ii) Explain why  $-1 < y < 1$ .

(iii) Prove that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^3$ .

(iv) Sketch the curve.

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Question 7 (continued)

(b) (i) Expand  $(a + b)^3$

(ii) Use this expansion and de Moivre's Theorem to prove that

$$\cos 3\theta = 4\cos^3 \theta - 3\cos \theta$$

(iii) If  $\cos 3\theta = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $x = \cos \theta$ , prove that  $8x^3 - 6x - 1 = 0$ .

(iv) Hence prove that  $\cos \frac{\pi}{9} \cos \frac{5\pi}{9} \cos \frac{7\pi}{9} = \frac{1}{8}$ .

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