



**SYDNEY BOYS HIGH
SCHOOL**
MOORE PARK, SURRY HILLS

2015
HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
ASSESSMENT TASK #2

Mathematics

General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 Minutes
- Working time – 90 Minutes
- Write using black or blue pen.
- Board approved calculators may be used.
- Each Section is to be returned in a separate bundle.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.

Total Marks – 69

- Attempt questions 1 – 12.
- All questions are not of equal value.
- Unless otherwise directed give your answers in simplest exact form.

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Section A (24 Marks)

Questions 1 to 7. (7 marks)

Indicate which of the answers A, B, C, or D is the correct answer.

Marks

Write the answer on the separate answer sheet.

- (1) The gradient of the tangent to the curve $y = (x - 1)(x^2 + 1)$ at the point where $x = \frac{1}{2}$ is: **1**

A: $-\frac{4}{3}$

B: $\frac{3}{4}$

C: $\frac{4}{3}$

D: $-\frac{3}{4}$

- (2) For what values of x is the curve $f(x) = 2x^2 - x^3$ increasing? **1**

A: $x > \frac{2}{3}$

B: $x < 0, x > \frac{4}{3}$

C: $x < \frac{2}{3}$

D: $0 < x < \frac{4}{3}$

- (3) What is the slope of the line containing the points $(-9, 2)$ and $(3, 14)$. **1**

A: $\frac{4}{3}$

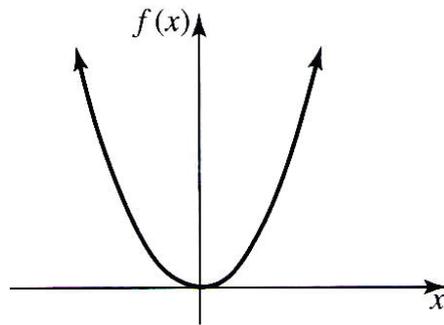
B: $-\frac{1}{2}$

C: 1

D: -2

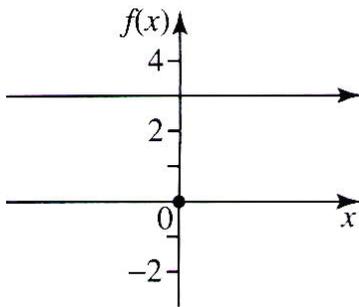
(4) The figure below is the graph of $f(x) = 3x^2$:

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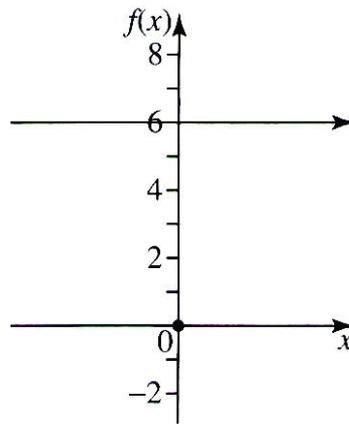


Which of the following represents the graph of the second derivative?

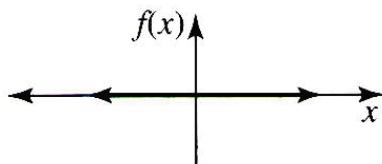
A:



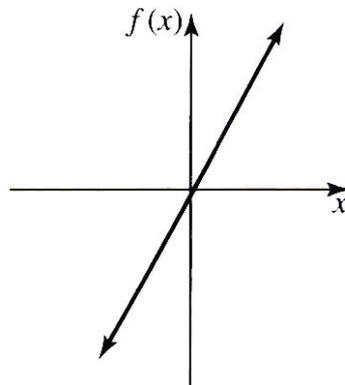
B:



C:



D:



(5) Differentiate the following equation: $y = 6x^{-3}$

1

A: $\frac{dy}{dx} = -18x^{-2}$

B: $\frac{dy}{dx} = -12x^{-3}$

C: $\frac{dy}{dx} = -18x^{-4}$

D: $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3x^{-2}$

(6) It is known that $f''(a) = 0$. The point $(a, f(a))$ is:

A: a minimum turning point

B: a maximum turning point

C: a horizontal point of inflection

D: not determined (insufficient information)

(7) The graph with equation $y = x^2$ is translated 3 units down and 2 units to the right. Which equation represents the resulting graph?

A: $y = (x - 2)^2 + 3$

B: $y = (x - 2)^2 - 3$

C: $y = (x + 2)^2 + 3$

D: $y = (x + 2)^2 - 3$

Question 8 (17 marks) (Start a new booklet)

Marks

(a) Differentiate the following:

(i) $\ln x^3$ 1

(ii) e^{2x+1} 1

(iii) $e^x \ln x$ 1

(b) Find

(i) $\int (3x^2 - 4x + 1) dx$ 2

(ii) $\int \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x-1} \right) dx$ 2

(iii) $\int \left(\frac{1}{e^{2x}} \right) dx$ 2

(c) Evaluate

(i) $\int_{-1}^3 (2x - 1) dx$ 2

(i) $\int_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \left(\frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} \right) dx$ 2

(d) (i) Copy and complete the table for $f(x) = e^{x^2}$ correct to 4 decimal places. 2

| | | | | | |
|--------|---|-----|---|-----|---|
| x | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 | 2 |
| $f(x)$ | 1 | | | | |

(ii) Use Simpson's Rule with the above 5 function values to find an approximation to $\int_0^2 e^{x^2} dx$ correct to 3 decimal places. 2

Section B (23 Marks)

START A NEW BOOKLET

Question 9 (12 Marks)

Marks

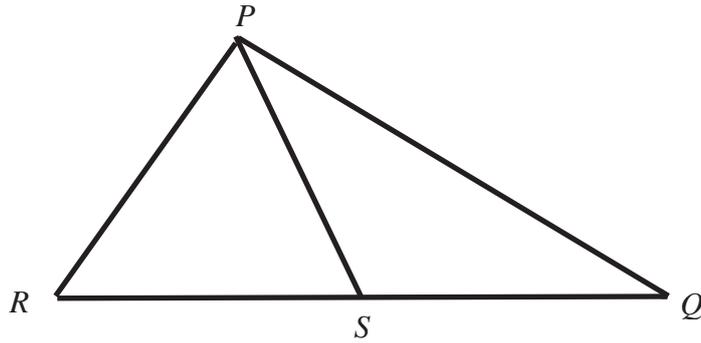
- (a) In an x - y plane in your answer booklet:
- (i) Sketch the line through $C(-3,0)$ which makes an angle of 45° with the positive direction of the x -axis. Also sketch the line $x + y = 4$, which meets the first line at A , and the x -axis at B . **1**
 - (ii) Show that AC is perpendicular to AB . **1**
 - (iii) Find the equation of the line through B , which is parallel to AC . **2**
 - (iv) Show that the equation of the line through the point C parallel to the line AB is $x + y + 3 = 0$. **1**
 - (v) The lines from parts (iii) and (iv) meet at D . Find the coordinates of D . **2**
 - (vi) What type of quadrilateral is $ABDC$? Give reasons. **2**
- (b) A car's velocity v in metres per second is recorded each second as it accelerates along a drag strip. The table below gives the results. **3**

| | | | | | | |
|-------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| t (s) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| v (ms^{-1}) | 0 | 15 | 31 | 48 | 64 | 83 |

Given that the distance travelled may be found by calculating the area under a velocity/time graph, use the trapezoidal rule to estimate the distance travelled by the car in the first five seconds.

Question 10 (11 Marks)

(a)



In the diagram $\angle QPR = 90^\circ$, $PS = SQ$.

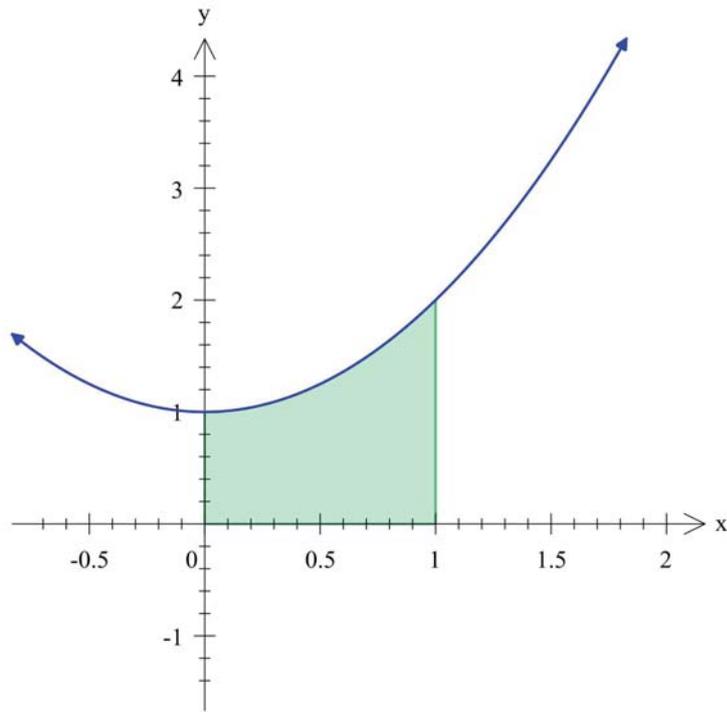
- (i) Copy the diagram to your answer booklet. 1
- (ii) Construct $ST \perp PQ$ (Sketch only). 1
- (ii) Prove that $PS = \frac{1}{2}RQ$. 3

(b) A triangle has vertices $A(4, 0)$, $B(-4, 0)$ and $C(0, 6)$.

- (i) Draw a neat sketch of the triangle in your answer booklet. 1
- (ii) State the coordinates of D and E , the mid-points of CA and CB respectively. 1
- (iii) Show that the medians BD and EA meet on the y -axis. 3

(c)

2



In the diagram the shaded region is bounded by the parabola $y = x^2 + 1$, the x -axis and the lines $x = 0$, and $x = 1$.
Find the volume of the solid formed when then shaded region is rotated about the x -axis.

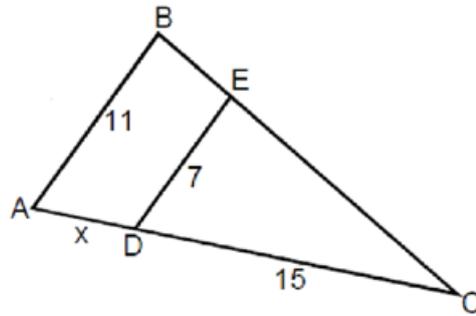
Section C (22 Marks)

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Question 11 (11 Marks)

(a)

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In the diagram above, $AB \parallel DE$.

Find the value of x , correct to 2 decimal places, giving full reasons.

(b) Consider the curve with equation $y = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x - 3$.

- (i) Find the co-ordinates of the stationary points and determine their nature. 4
- (ii) Find the co-ordinates of any points of inflexion. 2
- (iii) Sketch the curve for the domain $0 \leq x \leq 3$. (Do not attempt to find any x -intercepts.) 2

Question 12 (11 Marks)

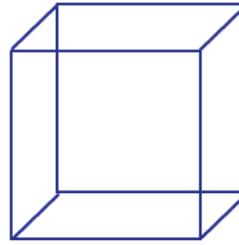
- (a) For a certain curve $y = f(x)$, $f''(x) = 6x - 1$. 2

Find the equation of the curve given that it passes through the point (1, -2) with gradient -3.

- (b) (i) Differentiate $e^x \sqrt{x}$. 2

- (ii) Hence evaluate $\int_1^2 \frac{e^x(1+2x)}{\sqrt{x}} dx$. 2

- (c) A sealed tin rectangular box is to have a square base and a volume of 64 cm^3 . If the length of the edge of the base is x cm:



- (i) Express the height of the box in terms of x . 1
- (ii) Show that the total surface area $y \text{ cm}^2$ of the box is given by 2
$$y = \frac{256}{x} + 2x^2.$$
- (iii) Find the minimum surface area of the box, and its dimensions. 2

This is the end of the paper.

STANDARD INTEGRALS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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Suggested Solutions & Markers' Comments

| QUESTION | Marker |
|----------|------------|
| 1 – 7 | – |
| 8 | VL see PSP |
| 9 & 10 | JC |
| 11 & 12 | RB |

Multiple Choice Answers

1. B
2. D
3. C
4. B
5. C
6. D
7. B

Q.1 $y' = u'v + uv'$ where $u = x-1$
 $= x^2+1 + (x-1) \times 2x$ $u' = 1$
 $= x^2+1 + 2x^2 - 2x$ $v = x^2+1$
 $= 3x^2 - 2x + 1$ $v' = 2x$

$$f'(\frac{1}{2}) = 3(\frac{1}{2})^2 - 2(\frac{1}{2}) + 1$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} - 1 + 1$$

$$= \frac{3}{4}$$

B

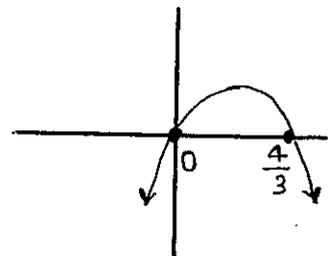
Q.2 $f'(x) = 4x - 3x^2$

curve increases when $f'(x) > 0$

$$4x - 3x^2 > 0$$

$$x(4 - 3x) > 0$$

$$\therefore 0 < x < \frac{4}{3}$$



D

Q.3 slope = $\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$

$$= \frac{14 - 2}{3 - (-9)}$$

$$= 1$$

C

Q. 4 $f(x) = 3x^2$
 $f'(x) = 6x$ B
 $f''(x) = 6$

Q. 5 $y = 6x^{-3}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = -18x^{-4}$

C

Q. 6 D

Q. 7 $y = (x - 2)^2 - 3$

↑ translated 2 units to the right

← translated 3 units down

B

Question 8

$$(a) (i) \frac{d}{dx} \ln x^3 = \frac{d}{dx} 3 \ln x$$
$$= \frac{3}{x}$$

a)(i) Those who wrote the following received no marks because they are all incorrect:

$$(3x^2)^{-1}, \frac{1}{x^3}, \frac{x}{3}, \frac{3 \ln x^2}{\ln x^3}, \frac{2x}{x^3}, 3 \ln x^2,$$
$$3x^3, 3e^x, \frac{3}{x^2}, 3 \ln e^x, 3x^2 \ln x^3$$

Those who wrote $\frac{3x^2}{x^3}$ received $\frac{1}{2}$ out of 1 mark because they should have simplified their answer to $\frac{3}{x}$.

$$(ii) \frac{d}{dx} e^{2x+1} = 2e^{2x+1}$$

a)(ii) Those who wrote the following received no marks because they were all incorrect:

$$2e^{2x}, e^2, e^{2x+1}, 2xe^{2x+1}, (2x+1)e^{2x+1}, (2x+1)e^{2x},$$
$$\frac{1}{2}e^{2x+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad \frac{d}{dx} e^x \ln x &= u'v + uv' \quad \text{where } u = e^x \\
 &= e^x \ln x + \frac{e^x}{x} \quad u' = e^x \\
 &= e^x \left(\ln x + \frac{1}{x} \right) \quad v = \ln x \\
 & \quad \quad \quad v' = \frac{1}{x}
 \end{aligned}$$

a)(iii) The product rule should be used.

Those who did not use the product rule wrote the following which were all incorrect:

$$e^x \times \frac{1}{x} = \frac{e^x}{x}, \quad e^x \ln x, \quad \frac{1}{x^x}, \quad x^{-e^x}, \quad e^x, \quad 2x e^x \ln x$$

$$\text{(b) (i)} \quad \int (3x^2 - 4x + 1) dx = x^3 - 2x^2 + x + C$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \int \left(\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{x-1} \right) dx = \ln x - \ln(x-1) + C$$

b) → 1 mark was lost if the constant was not included.

b)(i) well answered overall

b)(ii) The following scored zero marks:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &-1 - (x-1)^{-1} + C, \quad \ln x + \ln(x-1) + C, \quad 1 + C, \quad -x + C, \\
 &\frac{-2}{x-1}, \quad \frac{x^0}{0} = \text{undefined}, \quad \frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(x-1)}, \quad \frac{1}{x} + C, \quad \ln x - \ln x - \ln x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad \int \left(\frac{1}{e^{2x}} \right) dx &= \int e^{-2x} dx \\
 &= \frac{e^{-2x}}{-2} + C
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) (iii) If the negative sign was omitted from the first term, one mark was lost

i.e. $\frac{e^{-2x}}{-2} + c$ is the correct answer (not $\frac{e^{-2x}}{2} + c$)

This question was not answered correctly overall with incorrect answers such as:

$$\frac{\ln e^{2x}}{2e^{2x}}, \ln e^{2x} + c, e^{-2x} + c, 2x + c, \frac{e^{2x-1}}{2x},$$

$$\frac{x}{e^{2x}} + c, \frac{1}{e^x} + c, \frac{1}{2} \ln(e^{2x}), -3e^{-3x} + c,$$

$$\frac{e^{-2x+1}}{-2x+1} + c, \ln e^{2x} \cdot \frac{1}{2e^{2x}}, \frac{1}{e^{2x^2}} + c$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(c) (i)} \quad \int_{-1}^3 (2x-1) dx &= \left[x^2 - x \right]_{-1}^3 \\ &= (3^2 - 3) - ((-1)^2 - (-1)) \\ &= (9 - 3) - (1 + 1) \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) (i) \quad [x^2 - x]_{-1}^3$$

$$= (3^2 - 3) - ((-1)^2 - (-1))$$

$$= (9 - 3) - (1 + 1)$$

$$= 4$$

If grouping symbols were not used, students incorrectly wrote $6 - (-2) = 8$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{or incorrectly wrote} \\ 6 - 1 + 1 \\ = 6 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{or incorrectly wrote} \\ 6 - (1 - 1) \\ = 6 \end{array} \right.$$

The negative sign on the lower limit was incorrectly left out (1 was used instead of -1)

Most students answered this correctly because grouping symbols were used.

$$(c) (ii) \quad \int_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3} \left(\frac{\cos x}{1 + \sin x} \right) dx = \left[\ln(1 + \sin x) \right]_{\pi/6}^{\pi/3}$$

$$= \ln\left(1 + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) - \ln\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{2}\right) - \ln\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{3}{2}}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(\frac{2 + \sqrt{3}}{3}\right)$$

(d) (i)

| | | | | | |
|--------|---|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| x | 0 | 0.5 | 1 | 1.5 | 2 |
| $f(x)$ | 1 | 1.2840 | 2.7183 | 9.4877 | 54.5982 |

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad \int_0^2 e^{x^2} dx &\approx \frac{h}{3} \left[f(0) + f(2) + 4(f(0.5) + f(1.5)) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2(f(1)) \right] \\ &= \frac{2-0}{4} \left[1 + 54.5982 + 4(1.2840 + 9.4877) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2(2.7183) \right] \\ &= 17.354 \text{ (correct to 3 decimal places)} \end{aligned}$$

(d) (i) Some students did not round to 4 decimal places (instead they rounded to 3 decimal places and lost 1 mark).

When completing the table, approximations were not written and instead exact values $e^{\frac{1}{4}}$, e^1 , $e^{2\frac{1}{4}}$, e^4 were written. No marks were awarded for exact values.

$\frac{1}{2}$ mark was lost for each incorrect approximation.

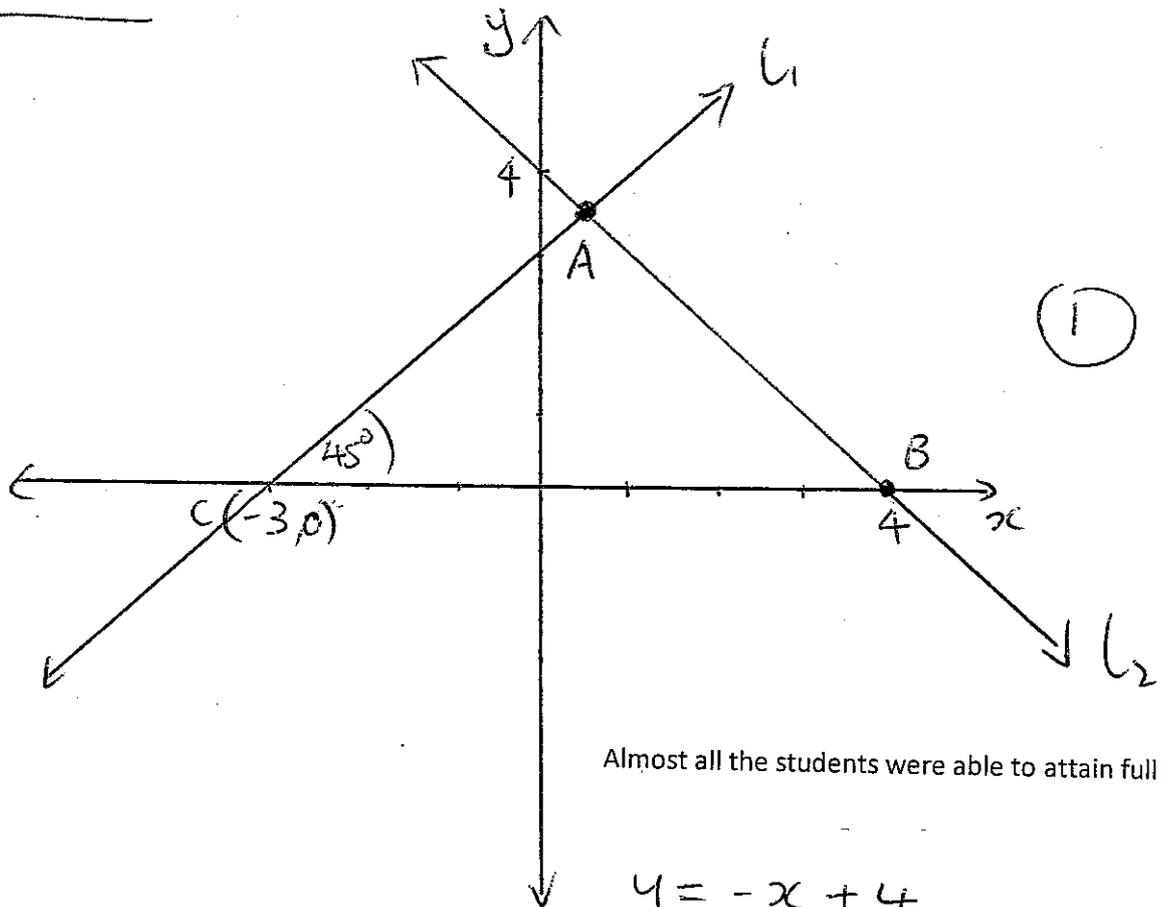
(d)(ii) Overall, Simpson's Rule was written and applied correctly. In a few cases, $\frac{h}{3}$ was incorrectly calculated as $\frac{2-0}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$ (instead of $\frac{1}{6}$) $\frac{1}{2}$ mark was lost if $\frac{h}{3}$ was incorrect.

If Simpson's Rule was written and applied correctly however the final answer was not rounded to 3 decimal places or incorrect, $\frac{1}{2}$ mark was lost.

Question 9

(1)

a) (i)



(1)

Almost all the students were able to attain full marks

(ii) $m_{L_1} = \tan 45^\circ$
 $m_{L_1} = 1$

$$y = -x + 4$$

$$m_{L_2} = -1$$

$$m_{L_1} \times m_{L_2} = 1 \times -1 = -1 \quad (1)$$

$\therefore AC \perp AB$

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(iii) $y - 0 = 1(x - 4) \quad (1)$

$$y = x - 4$$

(1)

Almost all the students were able to attain full marks

(iv) $y - 0 = -1(x + 3)$

$$y = -x - 3$$

$$x + y + 3 = 0 \quad (1)$$

(1)

Almost all the students were able to attain full marks

Question 9 (continued)

(2)

a) (v) $y = x - 4$ — (1)

$x + y + 3 = 0$ — (2)

Sub (1) in (2),

$x + x - 4 + 3 = 0$

$2x - 1 = 0$

$x = \frac{1}{2}$ (1)

$y = \frac{1}{2} - 4$

$y = -3\frac{1}{2}$ (1)

$\therefore D = \left(\frac{1}{2}, -3\frac{1}{2}\right)$

Almost all the students were able to attain full marks

(vi) ABCD is a square (1)

* All sides equal, adjacent sides are perpendicular. (1)

This part was poorly done, most students weren't able to identify the type of quadrilateral

Question 9 (continued)

(3)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b). } d &= \frac{h}{2} [f(a) + 2f(x_n) + f(b)] && (1) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [0 + 2(15 + 31 + 48 + 64) + 83] && (1) \end{aligned}$$

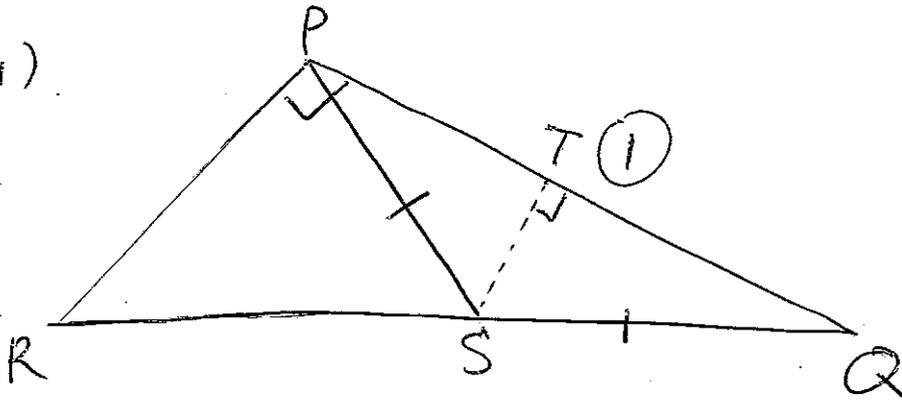
$$d = 199 \frac{1}{2} \text{ m} \quad (1)$$

Most students were able to attain full marks

Question 10:

(4)

a) (i)



Almost all the students were able to attain full marks

(iii) Let $\angle SPT = x$

$$\angle SQT = \angle SPT = x \quad (\text{base } \angle \text{ of isos. } \triangle)$$

$$\angle RPS = 90^\circ - x \quad (\text{comp. } \angle)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \angle PRQ &= 180^\circ - 90^\circ - x && (\angle \text{ sum of a } \triangle) \\ &= 90^\circ - x && (\text{right-} \angle \triangle) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$$\therefore \angle PRQ = \angle RPS = 90^\circ - x$$

$\therefore \triangle RSP$ is isosceles with $PS = RS$ (1)

$$\therefore PS = RS = SQ$$

$$\therefore PS = \frac{1}{2} (RS + SQ) \quad (1)$$

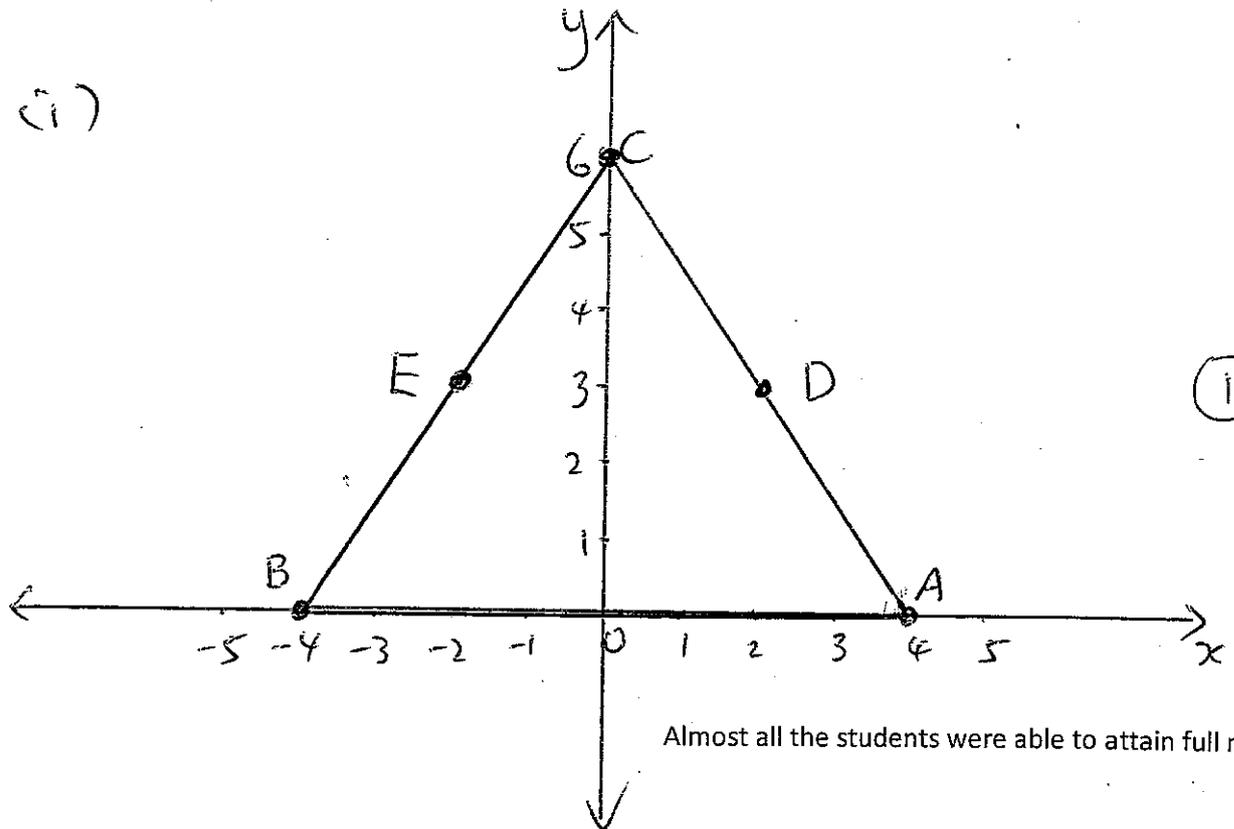
$$PS = \frac{1}{2} RQ \quad //$$

Most students were able to write out a logical proof for this question

Question 10 (continued)

(5)

b). (i)



(1)

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(ii) $D(2, 3)$ $(\frac{1}{2})$

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$E(-2, 3)$ $(\frac{1}{2})$

(iii) $m_{BD} = \frac{3-0}{2+4}$
 $m_{BD} = \frac{1}{2}$

$m_{AE} = \frac{3-0}{-2-4}$
 $= -\frac{1}{2}$

(1)

Equation of BD: $y-0 = \frac{1}{2}(x+4)$

$y = \frac{1}{2}x + 2$ ——— (1)

Equation of AE: $y-0 = -\frac{1}{2}(x-4)$

$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$ — (2)

(1)

Equate (1) & (2)

$\frac{1}{2}x + 2 = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$

$x = 0$

$y = \frac{1}{2}(0) + 2$

$y = 2$

(1)

\therefore Medians meet at $(0, 2)$ which is on the y-axis.

Question 10 (continued)

(6)

c) $V = \pi \int_a^b y^2 \cdot dx$

$$= \pi \int_0^1 (x^2 + 1)^2 \cdot dx$$

$$= \pi \int_0^1 x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 \cdot dx$$

(1)

$$= \pi \left[\frac{x^5}{5} + \frac{2x^3}{3} + x \right]_0^1$$

$$= \pi \left[\frac{1}{5} + \frac{2}{3} + 1 - 0 \right]$$

$$\therefore V = \frac{28\pi}{15}$$

(1)

Deduct $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$ for not including π .

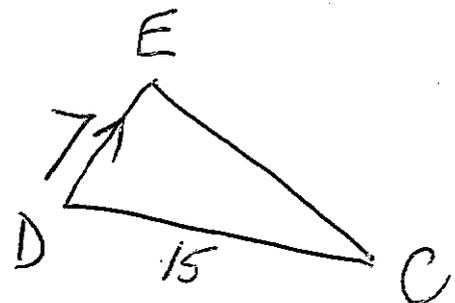
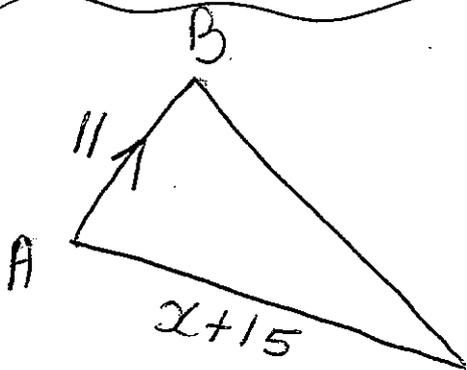
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Assessment Task 2 Unit 2015
March/April Section C

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a)



In $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle DEC$,

\hat{C} is common

$\hat{BAC} = \hat{EDC}$ angles in the corresponding position as $AB \parallel DE$ given

$\therefore \triangle ABC \parallel \triangle DEC$ 2 angle test. ①

thus $\frac{AB}{DE} = \frac{AC}{DC} = \frac{BC}{EC}$

$$\frac{11}{7} = \frac{x+15}{15}$$

$$11 \times 15 = 7(x+15)$$

$$165 = 7x + 105$$

$$7x = 60$$

$$x = \frac{60}{7} \approx 8.57 \text{ 2DP } \textcircled{1}$$

or stating the proportional division theorem
"A line parallel to 1 side of a triangle divides the other sides in the same ratio"

* Well answered but students did get the ratio of sides wrong.

11 (b) $y = 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 12x - 3$ Well answered but Max/min has to be established.
 $y' = 6x^2 - 18x + 12$ Sign change for inflexion established.
 $y'' = 12x - 18$

(i) Stat points exist when $y' = 0$ Graph domain $0 \leq x \leq 3$ only and y values there.

$6x^2 - 18x + 12 = 0$
 $\div 6 \quad x^2 - 3x + 2 = 0$
 $(x-2)(x-1) = 0$
 $x = 1, x = 2$

At $x=1, y = 2 - 9 + 12 - 3 = 2$ (1, 2) ①

At $x=2, y = 16 - 36 + 24 - 3 = 1$ (2, 1) ①

At (1, 2) $y'' = 12 - 18 = -6 < 0$ MAX st pt. ①

At (2, 1) $y'' = 24 - 18 = 6 > 0$ min st pt. ①

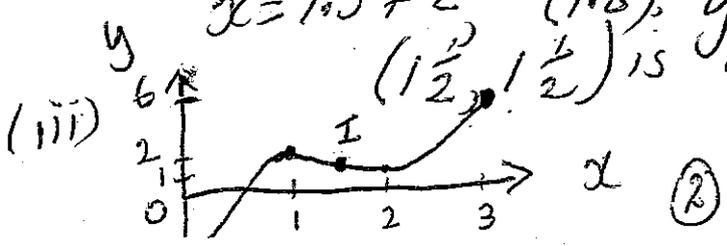
(ii) Inflexions occur when $y'' = 0$ and there is a sign change.

$y'' = 12x - 18 = 0$
 $12x = 18$
 $x = 1\frac{1}{2}$

At $x = 1\frac{1}{2}, y = 6.75 - 20.25 + 18 - 3 = 1\frac{1}{2}$ (1.5, 1.5) ①

Sign change?
 at $x = 1.5 - \epsilon, (1.4) y'' = 12 \times 1.4 - 18 = -1.2 < 0$ ①
 at $x = 1.5 + \epsilon, (1.6) y'' = 12 \times 1.6 - 18 = 1.2 > 0$ ①

(1.5, 1.5) is a pt of inflexion



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12 (a) $f''(x) = 6x - 1$

$$f'(x) = \int (6x - 1) dx$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{6x^2}{2} - x + C_1$$

data

$$x=1,$$

$$f'(x) = -3$$

$$-3 = 3 - 1 + C_1$$

$$C_1 = -5$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - x - 5$$

①

$$f(x) = \int (3x^2 - x - 5) dx$$

$$= \frac{3x^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{2} - 5x + C_2$$

$$f(x) = x^3 - \frac{x^2}{2} - 5x + C_2$$

data (1, -2) $-2 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} - 5 + C_2$

$$C_2 = 2\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore f(x) = x^3 - \frac{x^2}{2} - 5x + 2\frac{1}{2}$$

①

Often made mistakes,

: found $f'(x)$ but not the first constant.

: many found $f(x)$ but not the 2nd constant.

: many students left out the question data completely.

$$\begin{aligned}
 12 \text{ (b) (i)} \quad & \frac{d}{dx} (e^x \cdot x^{\frac{1}{2}}) \\
 &= e^x \cdot \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + x^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot e^x \\
 &= \frac{e^x}{2\sqrt{x}} + e^x \cdot \sqrt{x} = \frac{e^x + e^x \cdot 2x}{2\sqrt{x}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Most students handled the product rule well. Many thought did not simplify enough to help in part (ii) $\frac{e^x(1+2x)}{2\sqrt{x}}$ not rationalised. (far enough)

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \int_1^2 \frac{e^x(1+2x)}{2\sqrt{x}} dx = \left[2e^x \sqrt{x} \right]_1^2$$

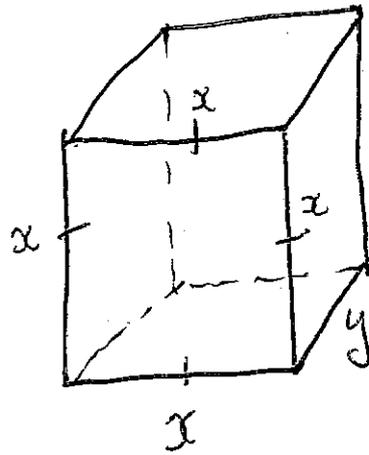
$$= 2(e^2 \cdot \sqrt{2} - e^1 \cdot \sqrt{1})$$

$$= 2(\sqrt{2}e^2 - e)$$

$$= 2e(\sqrt{2}e - 1) \quad \text{exact.} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

Generally well answered but the 2/ was often missing.

12 (c)



(i) $V = x \times x \times y$ $y = \text{height}$

$$64 = x^2 y$$

$$y = \frac{64}{x^2}$$

$$\text{height } y = \frac{64}{x^2}$$

① easily found

(ii) total S.A = $x^2 + x^2 + xy + xy + xy + xy$

$$= 2x^2 + 4xy$$

$$= 2x^2 + 4x \times \frac{64}{x^2}$$

$$y = \frac{256}{x} + 2x^2$$

② well answered -

(iii) $y = 256x^{-1} + 2x^2$

$$y' = -256x^{-2} + 4x$$

$$y'' = 512x^{-3} + 4$$

When $y' = 0$ $-\frac{256}{x^2} + 4x = 0$

obviously $x \neq 0$

$$\frac{-256 + 4x^3}{x^2} = 0$$

$$4x^3 = 256$$

$$x^3 = 64$$

$$x = 4 \text{ cm}$$

If dimensions are $4 \times 4 \times 4$

then $y'' = \frac{512}{3} + 4$

$$= \frac{4}{8} + 4 = 12$$

\Rightarrow min value

So minimum S.A is when dimensions are $4 \times 4 \times 4$ cm and its value

$$SA \text{ is } 2 \times 4^2 + \frac{256}{4}$$

$$= 32 + 64$$

$$= 96 \text{ cm}^2$$

(2)

a minimum was often not found by either using y' or y'' .
Dimensions often not finally quoted
The minimum surface area often not found as a conclusion.