

2011 Year 12  
Semester 1 Examination

# Mathematics Extension 1

## General Instructions

- All questions should be attempted
- Start each 'Question' on a new page
- Answers without appropriate working and/or diagrams may not attract full marks
- Approved silent calculators may be used

## Time Allowed

1½ hours + 5 minutes reading time



**Question 1 (13 marks)****MARKS**

a) Convert an angle of 1.85 radians to degrees. 1

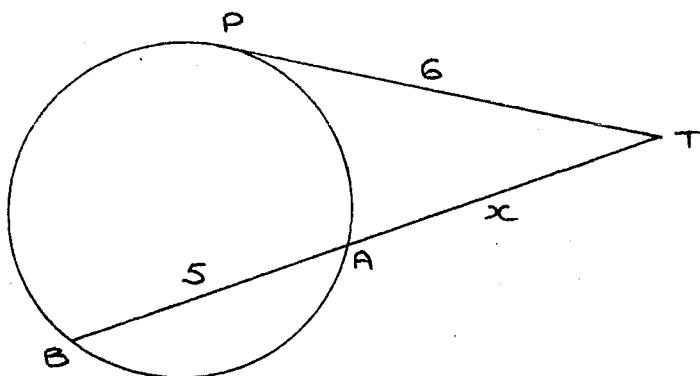
b) If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots of the equation:  $x^3 - 5x^2 + 2x - 1 = 0$   
find the value of:

(i)  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma$  1

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

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

c) 2

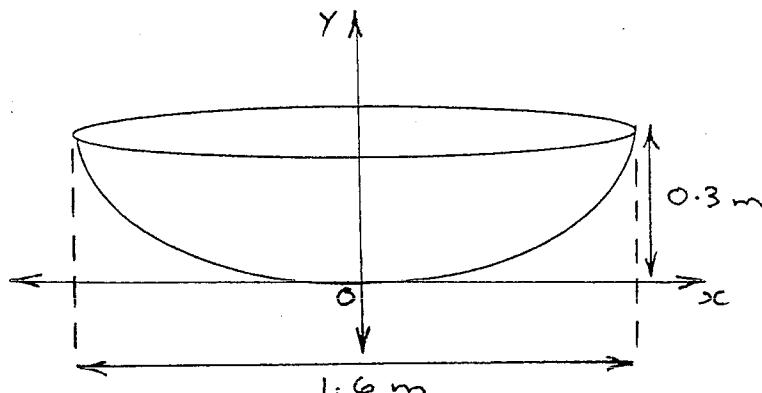


PT is a tangent and TAB is a secant.  
Find the value of  $x$ .

d) Find  $\int x \cdot e^{-x^2} dx$  1

- e) A satellite dish in the shape of a paraboloid has its vertex at the origin. Its diameter is 1.6 metres and its depth 0.3 metre as shown.

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Find the equation of the parabola required, in the form  $x^2 = 4ay$ . Hence find the satellite dish's focal length 'a'.

f) Find  $\int \frac{1+5x^2-x^3}{x^2} dx$

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g) What is the exact value of  $\sec \frac{\pi}{6}$ ?

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## Question 2 (13 marks)

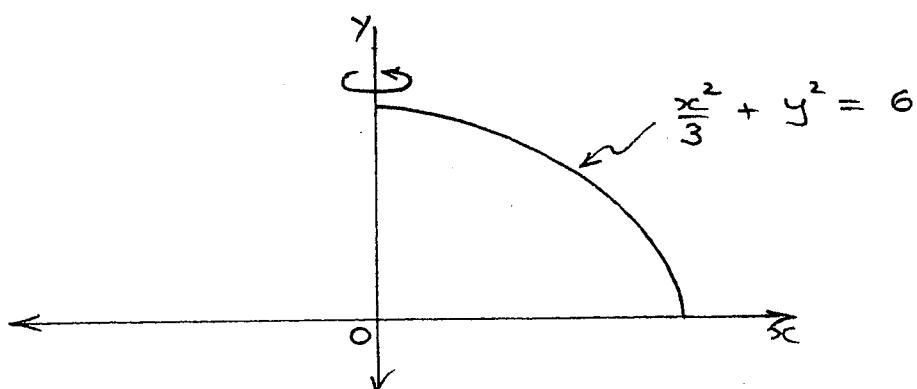
- a) Perform the long division:  $(x^3 - 2) \div (x + 1)$

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writing your answer in the form  $A(x) + \frac{R}{x+1}$

- b)

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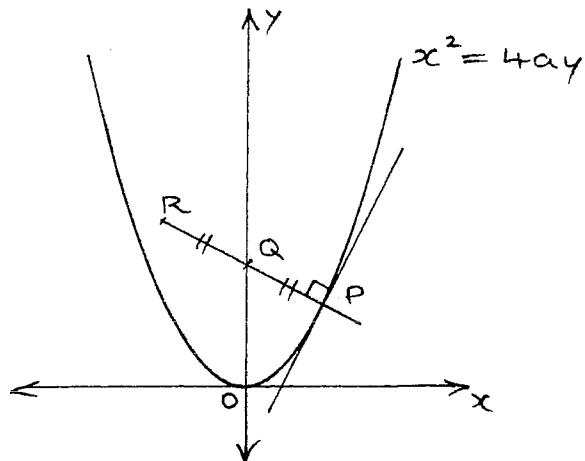
That part of the curve  $\frac{x^2}{3} + y^2 = 6$  that lies in the first quadrant is rotated about the y axis. Find the exact volume of the solid of revolution.

- c) Given that  $y = e^{kx}$  is a solution to  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = 0$   
find the values of k.

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- d) The normal at the point  $P(2at, at^2)$  on  $x^2 = 4ay$  cuts the  $y$  axis at Q, and is so produced to R such that  $PQ = QR$ .



- (i) You are given that the normal at P has the equation

$x + ty - at(t^2 + 2) = 0$  (you are not required to prove this). Find the co-ordinates of R in terms of  $t$ . 2

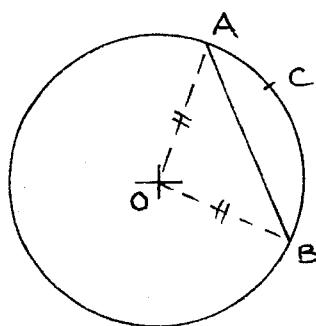
- (ii) Find the cartesian locus of R. 2

### Question 3 (13 marks)

- a) A function  $y = f(x)$  had just one stationary point, at  $x = 3$ . Using the table of results shown below, what is the nature of the stationary point? 1

$x$	2	3	4
$f'(x)$	-0.1	0	-5

b)



AB is a chord of length 10cm, in a circle of radius 6cm.

- (i) Find  $\angle AOB$  in radians (correct to 3 significant figures). 2

- (ii) Find the perimeter of segment ABC. 1

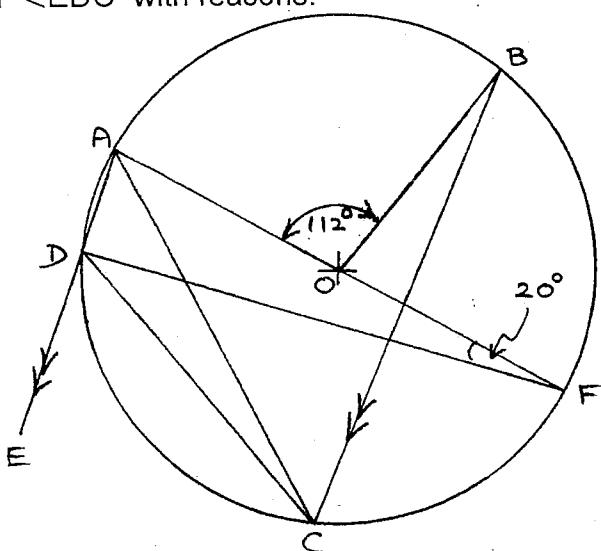
- (iii) Find the area of segment ABC 1

- c) Solve the equation:  $x^3 - 3x^2 - 4x + 12 = 0$  given that the sum of two of its roots is zero. 2
- d) P is the point  $(2at, at^2)$  on the parabola  $x^2 = 4ay$ . S is the focus. PR is drawn parallel to the parabola's axis, meeting the directrix in R. Prove that RS is parallel to the normal at P. 3
- e) Starting with an initial value of  $x = 1$ , use one application of Newton's Method to find a better approximation to the root of the equation:  $2x - \ln(x+3) = 0$ . 3

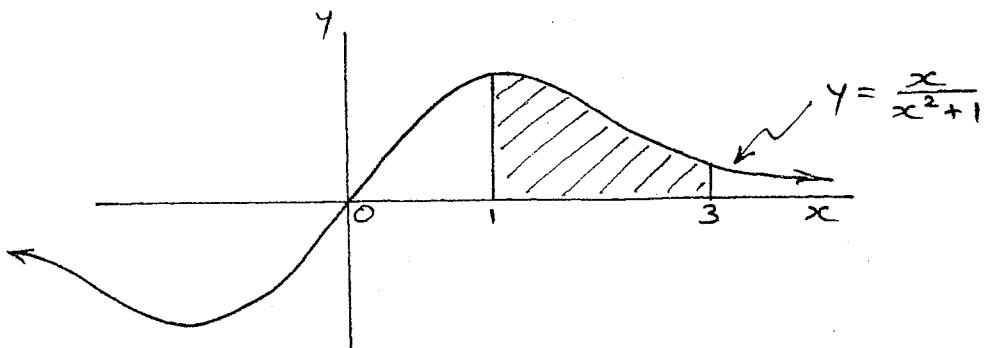
**Question 4 (13 marks)**

- a) i) Copy the diagram below into your examination booklet.

- ii) O is the centre of the circle and AF is a diameter. Find  $\angle EDC$  with reasons. 3



- b) Solve for  $x$  correct to three significant figures:  $2^x = 40$  2
- c) Find  $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt[3]{2x+1}}$  2
- d) Solve for  $x$ :  $2 \ln x = \ln(x+6)$  3
- e) Calculate the shaded area shown. 3



**Question 5 (13 marks)**

For the curve with equation  $y = \frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2}$

- (i) What is its natural domain? 1
- (ii) Show that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-x-3}{(x-1)^3}$  2
- (iii) Find the one stationary point this curve has, and determine its nature. 3
- (iv) You are given its second derivative as  
$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{2x+10}{(x-1)^4}$$
- Prove that there is a point of inflection at  $x = -5$ .
- (v) What happens to the value of  $y$  as  $x$  approaches infinity? 1
- (vi) Draw a neat half page sketch of the curve showing all relevant information. 3
- (vii) Determine the range of the above function. 1

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



From ①  $t = -\frac{x}{2a}$

Sub. into ②  $y = a\left(\frac{-x}{2a}\right)^2 + 4a$

i.e.  $y = \frac{x^2}{4a} + 4a$  is the

cartesian locus of R.

Q3. a)  $\star \rightarrow \star$

Hence a stationary inflection  
is present at  $x=3$ .

b) i)  $\cos\theta = \frac{6^2 + 6^2 - 10^2}{2 \times 6 \times 6}$   
 $= \frac{-7}{18}$

$\theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{-7}{18}\right)$  (in radian mode)  
 $\doteq 1.97$  (3sf)

ii)  $P = 6 \times 1.97 + 10$   
 $= 21.8 \text{ cm}$

iii)  $A = \frac{1}{2} \times 6^2 (1.97 - \sin 1.97)$   
 $\doteq 18.875 \text{ cm}^2$

c)  $\alpha + \beta + \gamma = \frac{-(12)}{(1)}$

$\therefore \alpha + \gamma = 3$   
 $\gamma = 3$

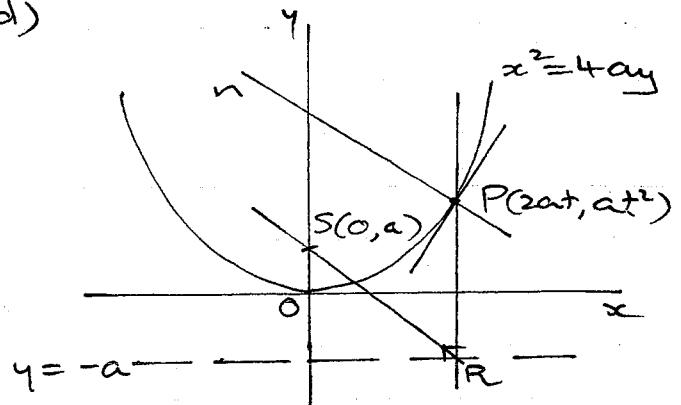
Also,  $\alpha\beta\gamma = \frac{-(12)}{(1)}$

$3\alpha\beta = -12$

$\alpha\beta = -4$

$\therefore \alpha = 2, \beta = -2, \gamma = 3$

d)



$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{1}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = 2at \times \frac{1}{2a} = t$$

$$\therefore m_n = -\frac{1}{t}$$

R has coord's  $(2at, -a)$

$$\therefore m_{RS} = \frac{a - -a}{0 - 2at}$$

$$= \frac{2a}{-2at}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{t}$$

$$= m_n$$

$\therefore RS \parallel$  normal at P.

e) Let  $f(x) = 2x - \ln(x+3)$   
 $\therefore f'(x) = 2 - \frac{1}{x+3}$

$$\begin{aligned} a_1 &= 1 - \frac{[2(1) - \ln(1+3)]}{[2 - \frac{1}{1+3}]} \\ &= 1 - \frac{2 - \ln 4}{1\frac{3}{4}} \\ &\doteq 0.649 \end{aligned}$$

Q4

a) i) —

ii)  $\angle ACD = 20^\circ$

( $\angle$ 's on common arc AD)

$$\begin{aligned} \angle ACB &= \frac{1}{2} \times 112^\circ \\ &= 56^\circ \end{aligned}$$

( $\angle$  at circ.  $\frac{1}{2} \times \angle$  at centre,  
on common arc AB)

$$\angle DCB = 20^\circ + 56^\circ \\ = 76^\circ$$

(addition of adj.  $\angle$ 's)

$$\therefore \angle EDC = 76^\circ$$

(alt.  $\angle$ 's in // lines)

$$\begin{aligned} b) \quad >c &= \log_2 40 \\ &= \frac{\ln 40}{\ln 2} \\ &= 5.32192\dots \\ &\approx 5.32 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} c) \quad I &= \int (2x+1)^{\frac{-1}{3}} dx \\ &= \frac{(2x+1)^{\frac{2}{3}}}{2 \times \frac{2}{3}} + C \\ &= \frac{3}{4} \cdot \sqrt[3]{(2x+1)^2} + C \end{aligned}$$

$$d) \quad \ln x^2 = \ln(x+6) \\ \therefore x^2 = x+6$$

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+2) = 0$$

$\therefore x = 3$  only

( $x > 0$  in the expression  $2\ln x$ )

$$\begin{aligned} e) \quad A &= \int_1^3 \frac{x}{x^2+1} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_1^3 \frac{2x}{x^2+1} dx \\ &= \left[ \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) \right]_1^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [\ln 10 - \ln 2] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln \left( \frac{10}{2} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \ln 5 \quad (\text{u}^2). \end{aligned}$$

$$e) \quad y = \frac{xc+1}{(x-1)^2}$$

$$i) \quad D = \{ \text{all } x \neq 1 \}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ii) \quad u &= xc+1 & v &= (x-1)^2 \\ u' &= c & v' &= 2(x-1) \cdot 1 \\ & & &= 2(x-1) \end{aligned}$$

$$y' = \frac{(x-1)^2 \cdot 1 - (xc+1) \cdot 2(x-1)}{(x-1)^2]^2}$$

$$= \frac{(x-1)[(x-1) - 2(x+1)]}{(x-1)^4}$$

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

$$= \frac{-x-3}{(x-1)^3} \quad \text{as req'd}$$

$$iii) \quad \text{let } y' = 0$$

$$\therefore -x-3 = 0$$

$$x = -3$$

$$\rightarrow y = \frac{(-3)+1}{(-3-1)^2} = -\frac{1}{8}$$

$$x \quad -4 \quad -3 \quad -2$$

$$y' \quad - \quad 0 \quad +$$

$\therefore (-3, -\frac{1}{8})$  is a local min.

$$iv) \quad \text{let } y'' = 0 \quad \text{for a possible inflex'}$$

$$\therefore 2x+10 = 0$$

$$x = -5$$

$$x \quad -6 \quad -5 \quad -4$$

$$y'' \quad -0.0008 \quad 0 \quad 0.0032$$

$\therefore$  there is a change in concavity

$\therefore$  an inflection exists at  $x = -5$

$$(\text{also, } y = \frac{-4}{(-6)^2} = -\frac{1}{9})$$

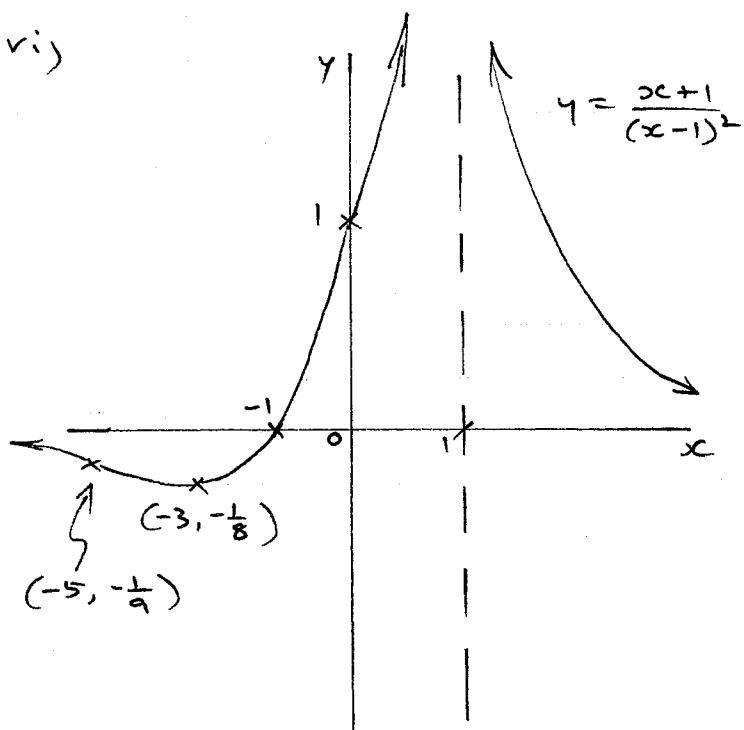
v) As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 0$

(note that  $\frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2}$  becomes

$$\frac{x+1}{x^2 - 2x + 1} = \frac{\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}{1 - \frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$$

as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ )

vi)



vii)  $R = \{y \geq -\frac{1}{8}\}$