



# NORTH SYDNEY BOYS HIGH SCHOOL

## 2010 HSC ASSESSMENT TASK 2

# Mathematics Extension 2

### General Instructions

- Working time – **60 minutes**
- Write in the booklet provided on both sides of the paper
- Write using blue or black pen
- Board approved calculators may be used
- All necessary working should be shown in every question
- Each new question is to be started on a **new page**.

- Attempt all questions

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(To be used by the exam markers only.)

Question No	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total	Total %
Mark	5	15	4	5	6	4	6	45	100

**Question 1** (5 marks)

Sketch a graph of  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$ , showing the coordinates of the vertices and foci, and the equations of the directrices and asymptotes. 5

**Question 2** (15 marks)

- (a) Sketch a graph of  $x = 2t$ ,  $y = \frac{2}{t}$ , showing the coordinates of the vertices and foci, and the equations of the directrices. 3
- (b) Show that the equation of the tangent to this curve at the point  $P$  where  $t = p$  is  $x + p^2y = 4p$ . 2
- (c) This tangent intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $A$ , and the  $y$ -axis at  $B$ , and  $O$  is the origin. Show that the area of triangle  $OAB$  is independent of the position of  $P$ . 3
- (d)  $Q$  is the point on the curve where  $t = q$ .  
Show that the tangents at  $P$  and  $Q$  intersect at  $T\left(\frac{4pq}{p+q}, \frac{4}{p+q}\right)$ . 3
- (e) The chord  $PQ$  has a gradient of  $-\frac{1}{2}$ .  
Show that  $pq = 2$ . 2
- (f) Hence find the Cartesian equation for the locus of  $T$ . 2

**Question 3** (4 marks)

- (a) Write down in integral form an expression for the area enclosed by the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ . 2
- (b) Hence, find the area enclosed by the ellipse. 2

**Question 4** (5 marks)

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

- (a) Show that the equation of the normal to  $P$  is:

$$ax \sin \theta - by \cos \theta = (a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

- (b)  $G$  is the point where this normal meets the  $x$ -axis,  $N$  is the foot of the perpendicular from  $P$  to the  $x$ -axis, and  $O$  is the origin.

$$\text{Show that } \frac{OG}{ON} = e^2.$$

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**Question 5** (6 marks)

- (a) Decompose  $\frac{x^2 - x + 2}{(x+1)(x^2+1)}$  into partial fractions.

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- (b) Hence find  $\int \frac{x^2 - x + 2}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} dx$ , writing your answer in the form  $\ln[f(x)] + c$ .

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**Question 6** (4 marks)

It can be shown that  $1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{1}{6}n(n+1)(2n+1)$ .

[DO NOT prove this result.]

Prove by mathematical induction (using the result above) that:

$$1^2 + (1^2 + 2^2) + (1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2) + \dots + \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n}{12}(n+1)^2(n+2)$$

**Question 7** (6 marks)

- (a) Show that if  $y = mx + k$  is a tangent to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ , then  $a^2m^2 - b^2 = k^2$ .

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- (b) Hence find the equation of the tangents from the point  $(1, 3)$  to the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{15} = 1$ , and the coordinates of their points of contact.

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# Question 1

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$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{16} = 1$$

$$ae = 3 \times \frac{5}{3}$$

$\approx 5$

$$b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$16 = 9(e^2 - 1)$$

$$e^2 - 1 = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$e^2 = \frac{25}{9}$$

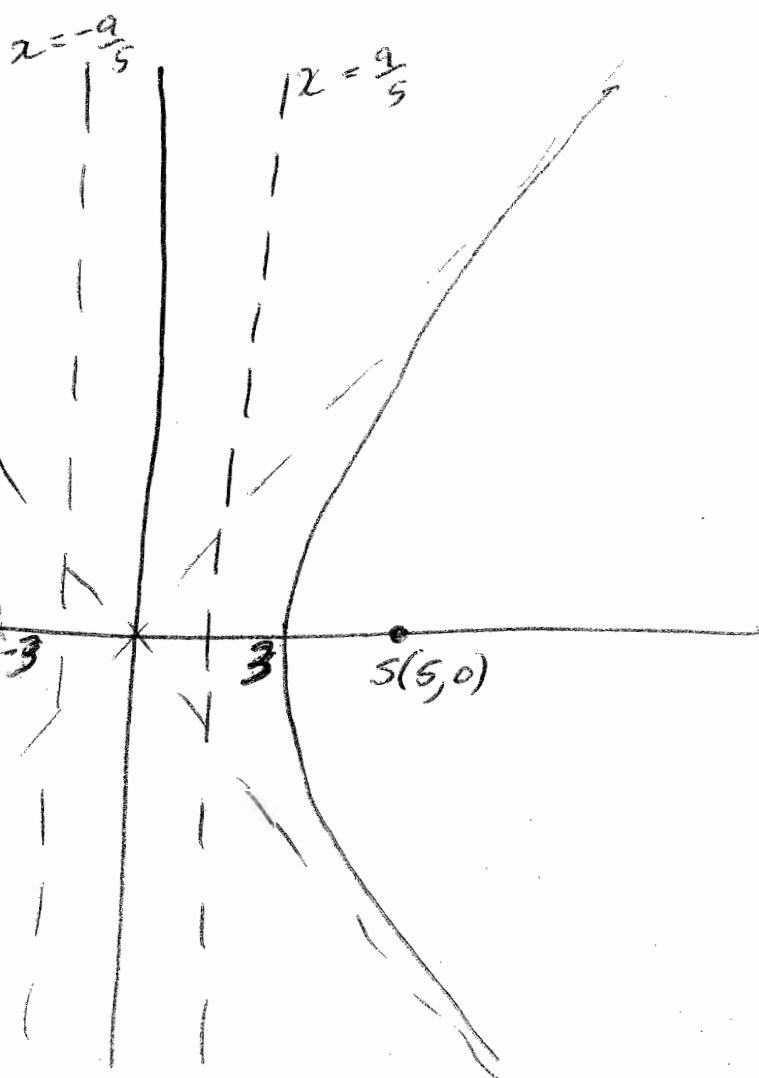
$$\boxed{e = \frac{5}{3}} - [1]$$

$$\frac{a}{e} = 3 \times \frac{3}{5}$$

$$= \frac{9}{5}$$

$$\boxed{\text{directrices } : x = \pm \frac{9}{5}} - [1]$$

$$\boxed{\text{asymptotes } : y = \pm \frac{4}{3}x} - [1]$$

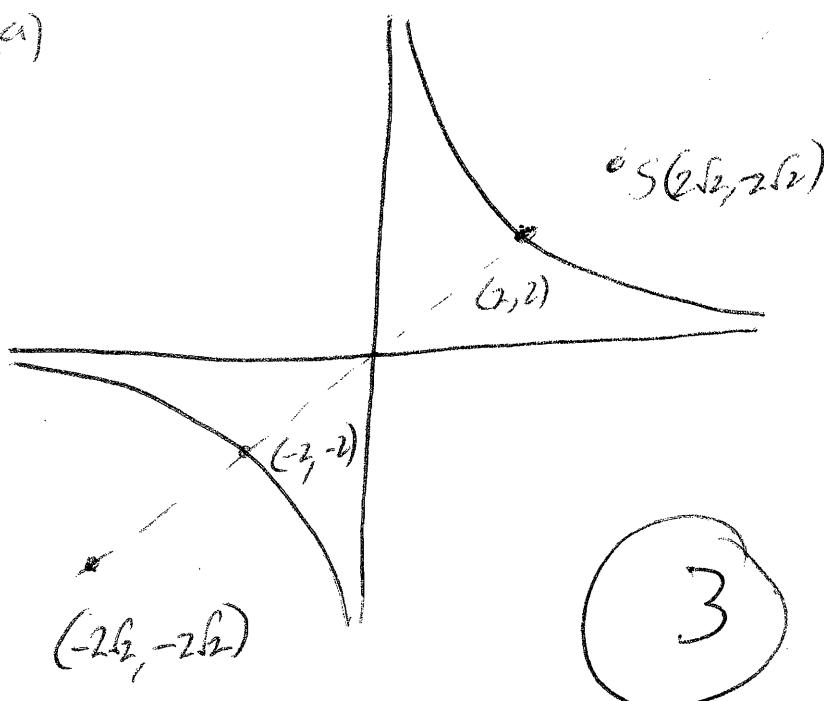


- [1] for correct shape & earned vertices (don't penalise if they write an x-int of 3 instead of (3, 0))

Question 2

(15)

(a)



$$xy = 4$$

$$\sqrt{t_2} \pm 2 \quad [1]$$

$$S(\pm 2\sqrt{2}, \pm 2\sqrt{2}) \quad [1]$$

$$\text{Directions: } x+y = \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

[1]

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(b)  $x = 2t \quad y = \frac{2}{t}$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2 \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{2}{t^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2}{t^2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$\therefore m_t = -\frac{1}{p^2} \quad [1]$$

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

$$p^2y - 2p = -x + 2p$$

$$x + p^2y = 4p \quad [1]$$

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$$(c) \quad x + qy = 4p \quad [i] \\ y = \frac{4}{p} \quad [ii]$$

(3)

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times 4p \times \frac{4}{p}$$

$$= 8 \text{ units}^2 \quad (\text{constant } \Rightarrow \text{indep of } p) \quad [i]$$

$$(d) \quad x + pqy = 4p$$

$$x + q^2y = 4q$$

$$(p-q^2)y = 4(p-q) \quad [i] \quad x = \frac{4p(p+q) - 4p^2}{p+q} = 4p$$

$$y = \frac{4}{p+q} \quad [i]$$

$$x = \frac{4pq}{p+q} \quad [i]$$

$$T \left[ \frac{4pq}{p+q}, \frac{4}{p+q} \right]$$

(3)

$$(e) \quad m_{pa} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{\frac{2}{p} - \frac{3}{q}}{2p - 2q} = -\frac{1}{2} \quad [i]$$

$$\text{cross multiply: } \frac{4}{p} - \frac{4}{q} = 2q - 2p$$

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$$\times pq: \quad 4q - 4p = 2pq(q-p)$$

$$4(q-p) = 2pq(q-p)$$

$$pq = 2 \quad [i]$$

(f)  $pq = 2 \Rightarrow x = \frac{8}{pq} \quad , \quad y = \frac{4}{pq}$

$$pq = x \Rightarrow y = 4 \times \frac{x}{8}$$

(2)

[1]  $y = \frac{3}{2}$  [1]

### Question 3

(a)  $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$   $\therefore A = 4 \int_{-3}^3 \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{9-x^2} dx$

$\frac{y^2}{4} = 1 - \frac{x^2}{9}$

$= \frac{9-x^2}{9}$

$y^2 = \frac{4}{9}(9-x^2)$

$y = \pm \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{9-x^2}$

[1]

CR  $x = \pm \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{9-y^2}$

$\therefore A = 6 \int_0^2 \sqrt{9-y^2} dy$

(f)  $A = \frac{8}{3} \times \frac{\pi}{4} \times 3^2$   
 $A = 6\pi \text{ units}^2 \quad (2)$

### Question 4

$$(a) \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{2x}{a^2} + \frac{2y}{b^2} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{b^2 x}{a^2 y}$$

at P,  $M_r = \frac{-b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta}$

$$\therefore M_n = \frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} [2]$$

$$y - b \sin \theta = \frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} (x - a \cos \theta)$$

$$by \cos \theta - b^2 \sin^2 \theta = ax \sin \theta - a^2 \cos^2 \theta$$

$$ax \sin \theta - by \cos \theta = (a^2 - b^2) a \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

[i]

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$$(b) (y=0) \quad a \sin \theta = (a^2 - b^2) \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$x_a = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \cos \theta \quad [1]$$

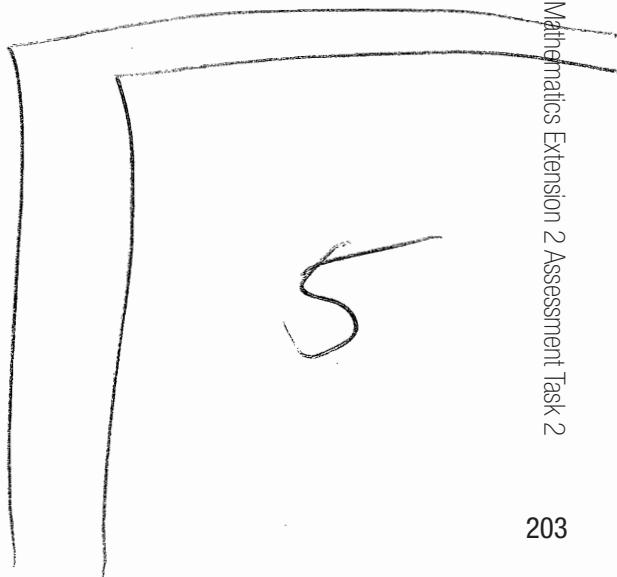
$$\frac{Oa}{ON} = \frac{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a} \cos \theta}{a \cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2}$$

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[1]



### Question 5

$$(a) \frac{x^2-x+2}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} = \frac{a}{x+1} + \frac{bx+c}{x^2+1}$$

$$x^2-x+2 = a(x^2+1) + (bx+c)(x+1)$$

$$(x=-1): 4 = 2a \\ \underline{a=2} \quad [i]$$

$$(x=0): 2 = a+c \\ \underline{c=0} \quad [ii]$$

$$(x=1): 2 = 2a + 2(b+c) \\ 2 = 4 + 2b \\ \underline{b=-1} \quad [i]$$

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

(3)

$$(b) \int \frac{x^2-x+2}{(x+1)(x^2+1)} dx = \int \left( \frac{2}{x+1} - \frac{x}{x^2+1} \right) dx \\ = 2 \ln(x+1) - \frac{1}{2} \ln(x^2+1) + C \quad [z] \\ = \ln \left[ \frac{(x+1)^2}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} \right] + C \quad [ii]$$

(3)

Given

$$\text{Prove: } 1^2 + (1^2+2^2) + \dots + \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n}{12}(n+1)^2(n+2)$$

$$\text{Test } n=1: \text{ LHS} = 1^2 = 1 \quad \text{ RHS} = \frac{1}{12}(2)^2(3) \\ = 1$$

$\therefore$  true for  $n=1$  [1]

Assume true for  $n = \cancel{m}$

$\therefore$   
Prove true for  $n+1$

$$\text{LHS} = 1^2 + (1^2+2^2) + \dots + \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 + \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} k^2 \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{n}{12}(n+1)^2(n+2) + \sum_{k=1}^{n+1} k^2 \quad (\text{by assumption})$$

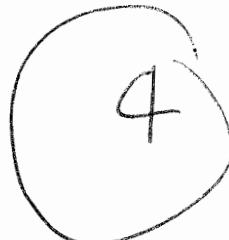
$$= \frac{1}{12}(n+1)(n+2)[n(n+1) + 2(2n+3)] \quad [1]$$

$$= \frac{1}{12}(n+1)(n+2)(n^2 + 5n + 6)$$

$$= \frac{1}{12}(n+1)(n+2)(n+2)(n+3)$$

$$= \frac{n+1}{12}(n+2)^2(n+3) \quad [1]$$

$\therefore$  BLA!! BLA!! BLA!!



### Question 7

$$(a) \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{(mx+k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$b^2x^2 - a^2(mx+k)^2 = a^2b^2$$

$$b^2x^2 - a^2m^2x^2 - 2a^2mkx - a^2k^2 = a^2b^2$$

$$(b^2 - a^2m^2)x^2 - 2a^2mkx - a^2(b^2 + k^2) = 0 \quad [1]$$

$$\Delta = 0$$

$$4a^4m^2k^2 + 4a^2(b^2 - a^2m^2)(b^2 + k^2) = 0 \quad [1]$$

$$(-4a^2) a^2m^2k^2 + b^4 + b^2k^2 - a^2b^2m^2 - a^2m^2k^2 = 0$$

$$b^2(b^2 - a^2m^2 + k^2) = 0$$

$$b \neq 0, \therefore k^2 = a^2m^2 - b^2$$

[1] (3)

$$(b) y = mx + k, (1, 3) \Rightarrow 3 = m + k \stackrel{[1]}{\Rightarrow} k = 3 - m$$

$$a^2 = 4, b^2 = 15 \Rightarrow 4m^2 - 15 = k^2 \quad [2]$$

$$4m^2 - 15 = (3 - m)^2$$

$$4m^2 - 15 = 9 - 6m + m^2$$

$$3m^2 + 6m - 24 = 0$$

$$m^2 + 2m - 8 = 0$$

$$(m+4)(m-2) = 0$$

$$m = -4, 2$$

$$k = 7, 1$$

[1]

$$\therefore y = -4x + 7 \text{ or } y = 2x + 1 \quad |$$