

**SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL**



**Mathematics Extension 2**

**HSC ASSESSMENT TASK 1  
MARCH 2008**

**General Instructions**

- Working time allowed – 70 minutes
- Write using black or blue pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- All necessary working should be shown
- Start each question on a new page
- Attempt all questions
- All questions are of equal value

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QUESTION 1	QUESTION 2	QUESTION 3	TOTAL

**Question 1** ( 16 marks )

a) If  $z = 1 - \sqrt{3}i$  5

- i) find  $|z|$
- ii) find  $\arg(z)$
- iii) find  $z^5$  in the form  $a + ib$
- iv) find a possible value of  $n$  ( $n > 1$ ) such that  $\arg(z) = \arg(z^n)$

b) Solve the equation :  $z^2 + 4z - 1 + 12i = 0$ . 4

c) Find the equation of the ellipse with eccentricity  $\frac{4}{5}$  2

and foci at  $(-8, 0)$  and  $(8, 0)$ .

d) Find the gradient of the tangent to  $4x + xy^2 = y^3$  at the point  $(1, 2)$ . 2

e) The equation of the normal to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  3

at the point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  is given by  $\frac{a^2 x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$ .

This normal meets the minor axis of the ellipse at  $G$ .

The line parallel to the major axis of the ellipse which passes

through the point  $P$  meets the minor axis of the ellipse at  $N$ .

Show that  $\frac{OG}{ON} = \frac{-a^2 e^2}{b^2}$

**Question 2** ( 16 marks )

- a) Sketch on an Argand diagram the region specified by 2

$$|z - 2| < |z + 2i|$$

- b) i) Sketch the locus of the point  $z$  such that  $|z - (3 + 2i)| = 2$  2

- ii) Determine the values of  $k$  for which the simultaneous equations 2

$$|z - 2i| = k \text{ and } |z - (3 + 2i)| = 2 \text{ have exactly two solutions.}$$

- c) On an Argand diagram the quadrilateral OABC is a square, 2

where O is the origin.

If A represents the complex number  $5 + 2i$  find the complex number

represented by the points B and C given that they both have positive arguments.

- d) i) Solve  $z^3 = 1$  over the complex field. 2

- ii) Given that  $\omega$  is the complex roots of  $z^3 = 1$  with smallest positive argument :

$\alpha)$  Show that  $1 + \omega + \omega^2 = 0$  1

$\beta)$  Evaluate  $(1 - \omega)(1 - \omega^2)(1 - \omega^4)(1 - \omega^8)$  3

- e) Use De Moivre's Theorem to show that 2

$$(\cot \theta + i)^n + (\cot \theta - i)^n = \frac{2 \cos n\theta}{\sin^n \theta}$$

**Question 3** ( 16 marks )

- a) Given that  $z$  is a complex number, show that the locus defined by 3

$$z\bar{z} + 10(z + \bar{z}) = 21$$

is a circle and state its centre and radius.

- b) Sketch the locus of the point  $z$  such that  $\arg(z + 2i) = \frac{3\pi}{4}$  2

- c) Sketch the locus of  $z$  given that  $\frac{z}{z+4}$  is purely imaginary. 2

- d) i) Show that the equation of the tangent to the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  3

at the point  $P(a\cos\theta, b\sin\theta)$  is given by  $\frac{x\cos\theta}{a} + \frac{y\sin\theta}{b} = 1$

- ii) If this tangent at  $P$  meets the  $x$  axis at  $A$  4

and  $S$  is a focus of the ellipse

show that  $\frac{PS}{AS}$  is independent of the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

- e) Given that  $|z - 2| = 2$  and  $0 < \arg(z) < \frac{\pi}{2}$  2

find the value of  $k$  if  $\arg(z - 2) = k \times \arg(z^2 - 2z)$

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$$w = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\text{iii) } z^3 = \left(2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)\right)^3$$

$$= 32 \cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= 16 + 16\sqrt{3}i$$

$$\text{iv) } n=7$$

$$\text{b) } z = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4(-1)(-1+12i)}}{2}$$

$$= -2 \pm \sqrt{5-12i}$$

$$\sqrt{5-12i} = a+ib$$

$$5-12i = a^2-b^2 + i(2ab)$$

$$\therefore a^2-b^2=5$$

$$ab=-6$$

$$\therefore a=3, b=-2$$

$$\therefore z = -2 \pm (3-2i)$$

$$= -5+2i, 1-2i$$

$$\text{c) } ae=8 \quad b^2=a^2(1-e^2)$$

$$a \cdot \frac{4}{5} = 8 \quad = 10^2 \left(1 - \frac{16}{25}\right)$$

$$a=10 \quad = 36$$

$$b=6$$

$$\therefore \frac{x^2}{100} + \frac{y^2}{36} = 1$$

$$(x+y)^2 + (y-x)^2 = 4 + y^2 + 2xy + 4 - 2xy = 8 + 2y^2$$

$$(3y^2 - 2xy) \frac{dy}{dx} = 4 + y^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4+y^2}{3y^2 - 2xy}$$

$$\text{sub (52)}$$

$$m_T = \frac{4+4}{12-4} \\ = 1$$

$$\text{e) } N(0, y_1)$$

when  $x=0$  normal becomes

$$-\frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$$

$$y_1 = \frac{y_1}{-b^2} (a^2 - b^2)$$

$$\therefore G(0, \frac{y_1}{-b^2} (a^2 - b^2))$$

$$\therefore \frac{OG}{ON} = \frac{\frac{y_1}{-b^2} (a^2 - b^2)}{y_1}$$

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

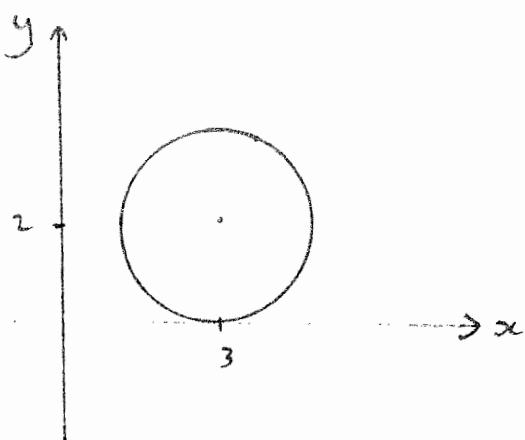
$$\text{but } b^2 = a^2(1-e^2) \quad e^2 = 1 - \frac{b^2}{a^2} \\ = \frac{-a^2 e^2}{b^2} \quad = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}$$

$$\therefore a^2 e^2 = a^2 - b^2$$

QUESTION 1



b) i)



$$\text{ii)} \quad 1 < k < 5$$

$$\text{c)} \quad C \rightarrow i(5+2i) \\ = -2 + 5i$$

$$B \rightarrow (-2+5i) + (5+2i) \\ = 3+7i$$

$$\text{d)} \quad \text{i)} \quad z = 1, \operatorname{Cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}, \operatorname{Cis} \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{or} \quad 1, \operatorname{Cis} \frac{2\pi}{3}, \operatorname{Cis} \left(-\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\text{or} \quad 1, \frac{1}{2}(-1+\sqrt{3}i), \frac{1}{2}(-1-\sqrt{3}i)$$

sub  $z = w$

$$(w-1)(w^2+w+1) = 0$$

but  $w-1 \neq 0$  as  $w$  is complex root

$$\therefore w^2 + w + 1 = 0$$

$$\text{iii)} \quad (1-w)(1-w^2)(1-w^4)(1-w^8)$$

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

$$= (1-2w+w^2)(1-2w^2+w^4)$$

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

$$= 9w^3$$

$$= 9$$

$$\text{e)} \quad \text{LHS} = (\operatorname{Cot} \theta + i)^n + (\operatorname{Cot} \theta - i)^n$$

$$= \left( \frac{\cos \theta + i \sin \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^n + \left( \frac{\cos \theta - i \sin \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^n$$

$$= \frac{\cos n\theta + i \sin n\theta + \cos n\theta - i \sin n\theta}{\sin^n \theta}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos n\theta}{\sin^n \theta}$$

$$= \text{RHS}$$

$x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 4y = 0$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 6x + b^2 = 0$$

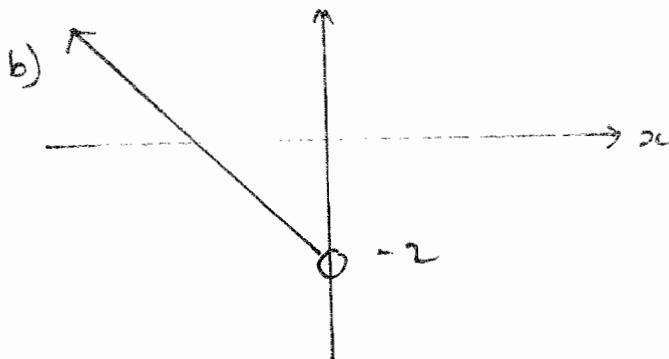
$$x^2 + 20x + 100 + y^2 = 100$$

$$(x+10)^2 + y^2 = 10^2$$

which is a circle

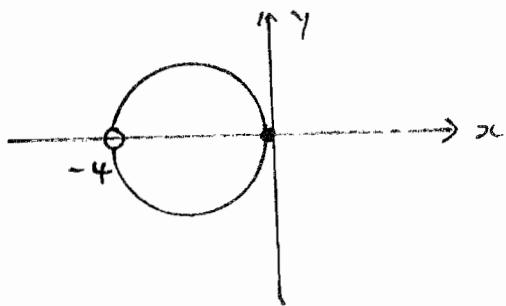
radius 10 units

centre  $(-10, 0)$



c) purely imaginary

$$\therefore \arg\left(\frac{3}{3+4}\right) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } \frac{3}{3+4} &= \frac{x+iy}{x+4+iy} \times \frac{x+4-iy}{x+4-iy} \\ &= \frac{x(x+4)+y^2 + i(y(x+4)-xy)}{(x+4)^2 + y^2} \end{aligned}$$

purely imaginary  $\Rightarrow$  real part is zero

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{b}{a} \cos \theta}{\frac{a}{a} \sin \theta}$$

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

$$= \frac{-b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta}$$

$\therefore$  equation of tangent

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

$$ay \sin \theta - ab \sin^2 \theta = -bx \cos \theta + ab \cos^2 \theta$$

$$bx \cos \theta + ay \sin \theta = ab$$

$$\frac{x \cos \theta}{a} + \frac{y \sin \theta}{b} = 1$$

$$\text{ii) } PS = e PN$$

$$= e \left( \frac{a}{e} - a \cos \theta \right)$$

$$= a - ae \cos \theta$$

$$\text{when } y=0 \quad \frac{x \cos \theta}{a} = 1$$

$$x = \frac{a}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\therefore A\left(\frac{a}{\cos \theta}, 0\right)$$

$$\therefore AS = \frac{a}{\cos \theta} - ae$$

$$= \frac{a - ae \cos \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$\therefore \frac{PS}{AS} = \frac{\frac{a - ae \cos \theta}{\cos \theta}}{\frac{a - ae \cos \theta}{\cos \theta}}$$

$$= \cos \theta$$



$$\text{let } \arg(z) = \alpha$$

$$\therefore \arg(z^{-2}) = 2\alpha$$

$$\begin{aligned}\arg(z^{-2}) &= k \times \arg(z^2 - 2z) \\ &= k \times [\arg(z) + \arg(z^{-2})]\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 2\alpha = k[\alpha + 2\alpha]$$

$$k = \frac{2}{3}$$