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MATHEMATICS

Extension 1

ASSESSMENT TASK 1

Date: 06/12/2011

TIME ALLOWED: *Reading time: 5 minutes*
Working time: 60 minutes

INSTRUCTIONS: **SECTION A:** 4 Multiple Choice Questions: Circle your correct choice

SECTION B: ANSWER all 3 questions
Start each question in a new booklet
Marks may not be given for untidy and poorly arranged work.
All relevant working should be shown.

THIS QUESTION PAPER MUST NOT BE REMOVED FROM THE EXAMINATION ROOM

OUTCOMES ASSESSED:

- 16.1 Graphs of simple polynomials.
- 16.2 The remainder and factor theorems.
- 16.3 The roots and coefficients of a polynomial equation.
- 16.4 Iterative methods for numerical estimation of the roots of a polynomial equation
- 7.4 Mathematical induction. Applications
- 2.8 Simple angle properties of a circle.
- 2.9 Derivation of further angle, chord and tangent results.
- 2.10 Applications of 2.2, 2.3, 2.7, 2.8 and 2.9 to numerical and theoretical problems requiring one or more steps of reasoning.

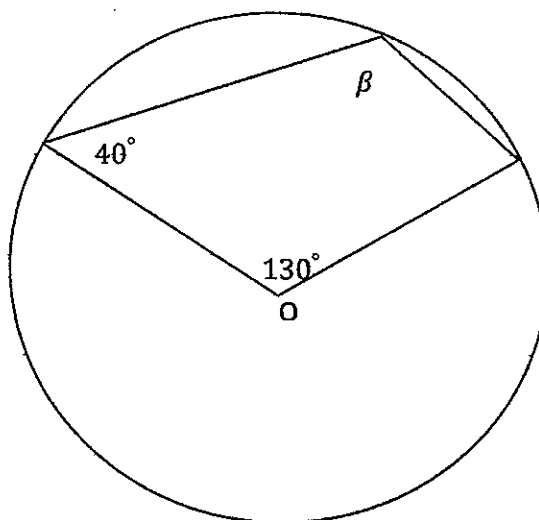
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<u>SECTION A</u> Multiple Choice questions	/5
<u>SECTION B</u>	/15
QUESTION 1 Polynomials	/10
QUESTION 2 Circle Geometry	/5
QUESTION 3 Mathematical Induction	/35

This assessment task constitutes 10% of the Higher School Certificate Course Assessment.

SECTION I**Marks**

1)

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O is the centre of the circle. The value of β is:

- A) 115°
- B) 140°
- C) 65°
- D) 50°

2)

If the roots of the equation $x^3 - 8 = 0$ are α , β and γ , then the value of

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$\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3$ is

- A) 8
- B) 6
- C) 24
- D) $\frac{8}{3}$

Marks
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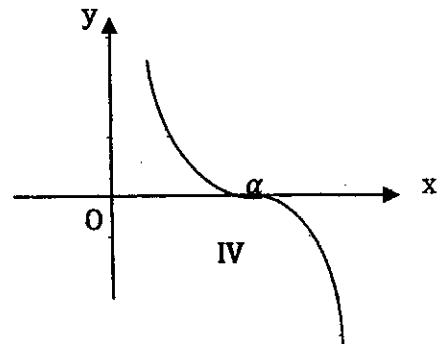
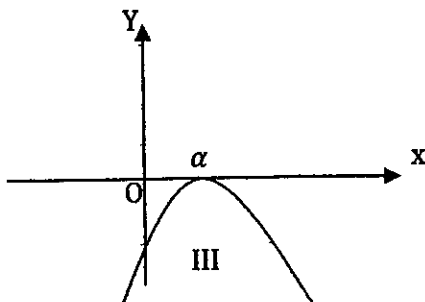
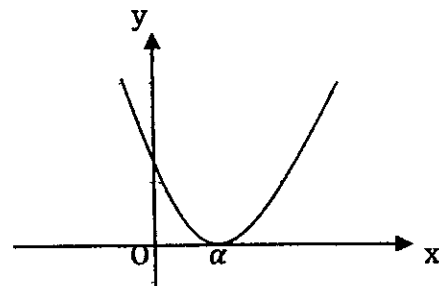
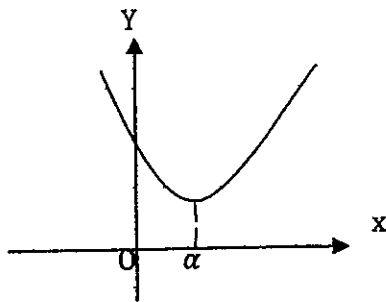
3) Which of the following are true about a cubic function:

- I It must have at least one real zero
- II If it has only one real zero then it must be monotonic
- III If it has a triple root then it must be monotonic

- A) I and II only
- B) I and III only
- C) II and III only
- D) All I, II and III

4) A polynomial $f(x)$ has a multiple zero at $x = \alpha$.

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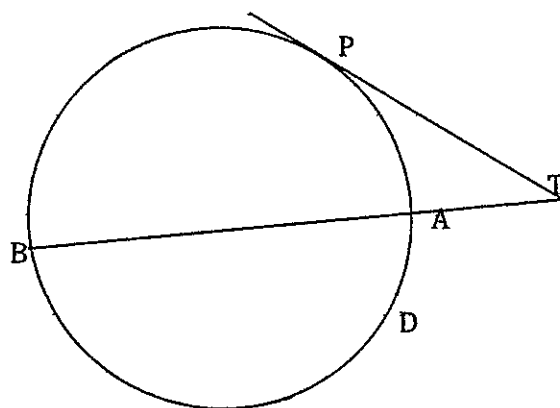
Which of the following is a possible graph of $y = f(x)$?

- A) I or II
- B) II or III
- C) III or IV
- D) II or III or IV

Marks

5)

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TP is a tangent to the circle at P. TAB is a straight line passing through the centre of the circle. If $PT = 8$ cm and $TA = 4$ cm, then the radius of the circle is:

- A) 10 cm
- B) 9 cm
- C) 6 cm
- D) 12 cm

End Of Section I

SECTION B

Question 1 (Use a separate writing booklet)

Marks

a) A polynomial $P(x)$ is given by $P(x) \equiv x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x + 1$.

i). Find the remainder when $P(x)$ is divided by $(x + 2)(x - 3)$.

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ii). Hence, find the values of p and q , if the polynomial

$f(x) \equiv x^3 + 3x^2 + px + q$ is exactly divisible by $(x + 2)(x - 3)$.

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b) The roots of the equation $3x^3 - 16x + 9 = 0$ are α, β and γ .

Find the values of:

i). $\alpha\beta\gamma$

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ii). $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha$

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iii). $\frac{2}{\alpha+\beta} + \frac{2}{\beta+\gamma} + \frac{2}{\gamma+\alpha}$

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c)

i). α is a zero of $f(x) = 3x^3 - 16x + 9$. Show that $1 < \alpha < 2$.

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ii). Find the turning point of $y = f(x)$ between 1 and 2.

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iii). David decided to apply Newton's method to find an approximation for α . He chose 1.2 as his first approximation.

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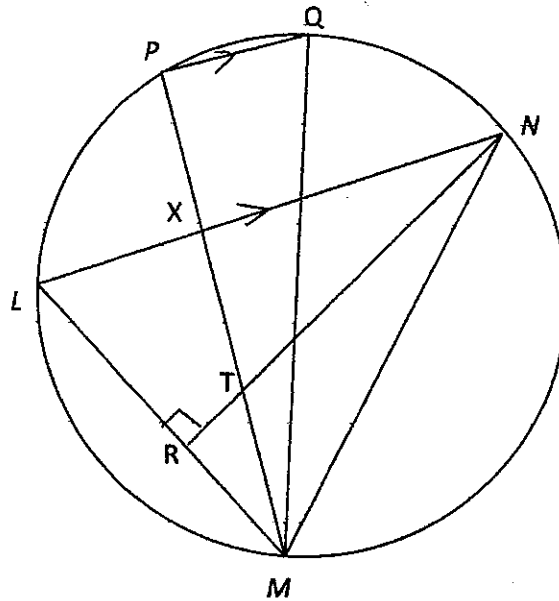
Explain to David with the aid of diagrams why the method would fail.

What range of values should David choose as his first approximation so that he will get a better second approximation?

Question 2 (Use a separate writing booklet)

Marks

- a) MQ is a diameter of the circle drawn below. $PQ \parallel LN$. PM cuts LN at X . $NR \perp LM$ and cuts PM at T .

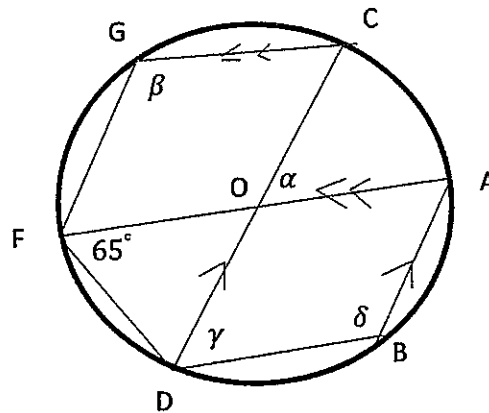


Copy or trace the diagram into your booklet.

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| i). | Explain why $LXTR$ is a cyclic quadrilateral. | 2 |
| ii). | Prove, giving reasons, that: $\angle NMQ = \angle PML$ | 3 |
| iii). | Deduce that $PL = QN$ | 1 |

Marks

b)



4

O is the centre of the circle. $DC \parallel BA$ and $AF \parallel CG$. $\angle OFD = 65^\circ$ find the values, giving reasons, of the angles denoted by the pronumerals α, β, γ and δ

Question 3 (Use a separate writing booklet)

i). Prove by mathematical induction that

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$$\sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)} = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(n+2)} - \frac{1}{2(n+3)}$$

for all integers $n \geq 0$.

ii). Deduce the value of $\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)}$

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End of Paper

Section II

Question 1 a) (i) $(x+2)(x-3) = x^2 - x - 6$

(a) Method 1

$$\begin{array}{r|l} x+4 & x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x + 1 \\ & \underline{x^3 - x^2 - 6x} \\ & 4x^2 + 4x + 1 \\ & \underline{4x^2 - 4x - 24} \\ & 8x + 25 \end{array}$$

$\therefore$ The remainder = $8x + 25$ ✓

Method 2

Divisor ~~is~~ $(x+2)(x-3)$ is of degree 2

$\therefore$ The remainder is linear (degree 1) of the form $ax + b$

Let the quotient be $Q(x)$.

Writing the division transformation

$$P(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x + 1 = (x+2)(x-3) \cdot Q(x) + ax + b$$

$$\therefore P(-2) = (-2)^3 + 3(-2)^2 - 2(-2) + 1 = 0 + -2a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow -2a + b = 9 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$P(3) = (3)^3 + 3(3)^2 - 2(3) + 1 = 0 + 3a + b$$

$$\Rightarrow 3a + b = 49 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving equations (1) and (2) simultaneously,

$$a = 8, b = 25$$

$\therefore$ The remainder = $8x + 25$

Q₁ (i) (ii)

$$x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x + 1 = (x+2)(x-3) \cdot Q(x) + 8x + 25$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 + 3x^2 - 10x - 24 = (x+2)(x-3) \cdot Q(x)$$

(ie) $x^3 + 3x^2 - 10x - 24$ is divisible by $(x+2)(x-3)$
 Since $x^3 + 3x^2 + px + q$ is divisible by $(x+2)(x-3)$

$$x^3 + 3x^2 + px + q = x^3 + 3x^2 - 10x - 24$$

matching the coefficients of corresponding terms,

$$\underline{p = -10} \text{ and } \underline{q = -24}$$

(b) $3x^3 - 16x + 9 = 0$ roots α, β and γ

(i) $\alpha\beta\gamma = -9/3 = -3 // \checkmark$

(ii) $\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha = -16/3 // \checkmark$

(iii) $\frac{2}{\alpha+\beta} + \frac{2}{\beta+\gamma} + \frac{2}{\gamma+\alpha}$

Since $\alpha+\beta+\gamma = 0$ $\alpha+\beta = -\gamma$, $\beta+\gamma = -\alpha$ and $\gamma+\alpha = -\beta$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{2}{\gamma} - \frac{2}{\alpha} - \frac{2}{\beta} \checkmark$$

$$= -\frac{2(\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha)}{\alpha\beta\gamma}$$

$$= \frac{-2(-16/3)}{-3}$$

$$= \underline{\underline{-32/9}} \checkmark$$

Q. (c) i) $f(x) = 3x^3 - 16x + 9$

$f(1) = 3 - 16 + 9 = -4$

$f(2) = 24 - 32 + 9 = 1$

$f(x)$ is a cubic function.

$f(x)$ is continuous in the interval $1 \leq x \leq 2$

Since $f(1) < 0$ and $f(2) > 0$, there exists a such that $1 < x < 2$ and $f(x) = 0$

(ie) $1 < x < 2$, and x is a root.

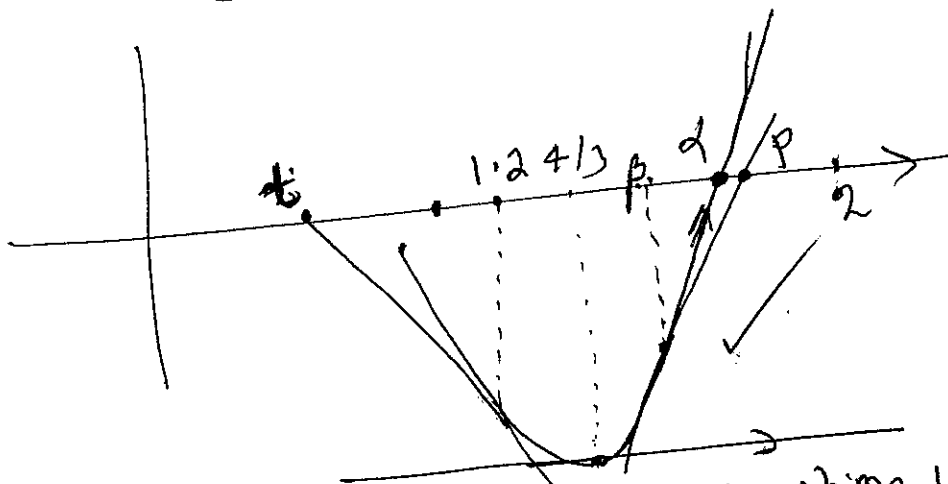
ii) $f'(x) = 9x^2 - 16$

$f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{4}{3}$ or $x = -\frac{4}{3}$

$f''(x) = 18x$

at $x = \frac{4}{3}$ $f''(x) = 18 \times \frac{4}{3} > 0$. $(\frac{4}{3}, -\frac{47}{9})$ is a minimum turning point

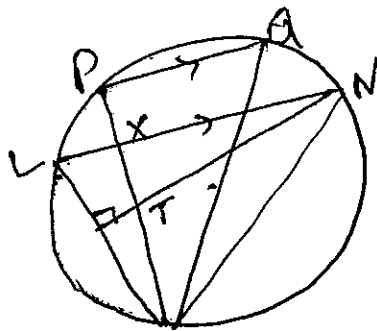
(iii) Below is a rough sketch of ~~$y = f(x)$~~ the graph of $y = f(x)$ close to the interval $[1, 2]$.



Newton's method of approximation is based on finding the x -intercept of the tangent drawn to the curve at the first approximation.

- ∴ If the first approximation = 1.2 then the second approximation is $x = t$ which is further away from 1.2
- If the first approximation = $\frac{4}{3}$ then the tangent at $x = \frac{4}{3}$ will not have an x -intercept. ∴ second approximation cannot be found
- If the first approximation is between $\frac{4}{3}$ and 2 then the second approximation is p which is a better approximation than the first at $x = p$.

Section II
Question 2(a)



- (i) $\angle QPM = 90^\circ$ (angle subtended by diameter ~~MQ~~
MQ on the circle)
 $\angle QPM = \angle PXL$ (alternate angles on $\parallel$ lines, $PQ \parallel LM$)
 $\therefore \angle PXL = 90^\circ$
 $\angle TRL = 90^\circ$ (given)
(ii) $\angle PXL = \angle TRL$ ✓
 $\therefore LXTR$ is a cyclic quadrilateral as the
exterior angle $PXL =$ interior opposite angle TRL
(iii) $\angle NMQ = \angle QLP$ (angles subtended on the circle by
the same arc NQ)
But $\angle QLP = \angle PQY$ (alternate angles on $\parallel$ lines; $PQ \parallel L$)
and $\angle PQY = \angle PML$ (angles subtended on the circle
by the same arc LP)
 $\Rightarrow \angle NMQ = \angle PML$
(iii) $\angle NMQ$ is the angle subtended on the circle by the
chord QN
 $\angle PML$ is the angle subtended on the circle by the
chord PL
Since $\angle NMQ = \angle PML$ (Proven in (iii))
 $PL = QN$ (angles subtended on the circle
by equal chords are equal)

Q2 (b)

In $\triangle OFD$

$OF = OD$ (radii of same circle)

$$\therefore \angle OFD = \angle ODF = 65^\circ$$

$$\text{and } \angle FOD = 180^\circ - 2 \times 65^\circ$$

$$= 50^\circ$$

$\angle FOD = x$ vertically opposite angle

$$\therefore \boxed{x = 50^\circ}$$

$$\text{Reflex } \angle FOC = 180^\circ + x$$

$$= 230^\circ$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{reflex } \angle FOC$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \times 230^\circ$$

$$\boxed{\beta = 115^\circ}$$

angle subtended by arc $FDBAC$ on the circle is half the angle subtended at the centre by same arc

$FDBA$ is a cyclic quadrilateral

$$\therefore \delta + 65^\circ = 180^\circ \quad (\text{opp. } \angle \text{ s of a cyclic quad are supplementary})$$

$$\boxed{\delta = 115^\circ}$$

$$\gamma + \delta = 180^\circ \quad (\text{co-interior angles on } \parallel \text{ lines } DO \parallel BA \text{ given})$$

$$\therefore \gamma = 180^\circ - 115^\circ$$

$$\boxed{\gamma = 65^\circ}$$

Question 3

$$(1) \sum_{r=0}^n \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)} = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(n+2)} - \frac{1}{2(n+3)}$$

For $n=0$

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} = \frac{1}{3}$$
$$\text{RHS} = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{6}$$
$$= \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$

$\therefore$ True for $n=0$

Assume true for $n=k$

$$\text{i.e. } \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)} = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+2)} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)}$$

for $n=k+1$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{r=0}^{k+1} \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)} &= \sum_{r=0}^k \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+3)} + \frac{1}{(k+2)(k+4)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+2)} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)} + \frac{1}{(k+2)(k+4)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)} + \frac{1}{(k+2)(k+4)} - \frac{1}{2(k+2)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)} + \frac{2 - (k+4)}{2(k+2)(k+4)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)} - \frac{(k+2)}{2(k+2)(k+4)} \\ &= \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(k+3)} - \frac{1}{2(k+4)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{True} = \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2[(k+1)+2]} - \frac{1}{2[(k+1)+3]}$$

$\therefore$ True for $n=k+1$

Concluding statement

Q3
(ii)

$$\sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+2)} = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2(n+2)} - \frac{1}{2(n+3)}$$

$$\text{as } n \rightarrow \infty, \frac{1}{2(n+2)} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{and } \frac{1}{2(n+3)} \rightarrow 0$$

$$\therefore \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(r+1)(r+2)} = \underline{\underline{\frac{3}{4}}} \checkmark$$