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**TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE  
EXAMINATION**

# Mathematics

## Extension 2

### General Instructions

- Reading Time- 5 minutes
- Working Time – 3 hours
- Write using a blue or black pen
- Approved calculators may be used
- A table of standard integrals is provided at the back of this paper.
- All necessary working should be shown for every question.

### Total marks (120)

- Attempt Questions 1-8
- All questions are of equal value



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Answer each question in a SEPARATE writing booklet. Extra writing booklets are available.

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**Question 1 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE answer booklet

**Marks**

a) Find  $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{16-9x^2}}$  **2**

b) Find  $\int 5\cos x \sin^2 x \, dx$  **2**

c) Evaluate  $\int_1^e x \ln x \, dx$  **3**

d) Evaluate  $\int_2^3 \frac{dx}{x^2-1}$  **4**

e) Using the substitution  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$  or otherwise find **4**

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d\theta}{2 + \cos \theta}$$

**End of Question 1**

**Question 2 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

**Marks**

a) Let  $A = 3 + 4i$  and  $B = 2 - 2i$ . Find in the form  $x + iy$  ( $x$  and  $y$  real).

i)  $\frac{A}{B}$  2

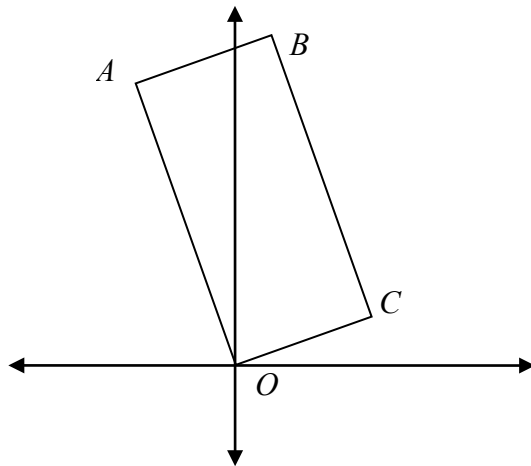
ii)  $\sqrt{A}$  3

iii)  $A - \bar{B}$  1

b) i) Write  $1 + \sqrt{3}i$  in the form  $r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$  2

ii) Hence write  $(1 + \sqrt{3}i)^6$  showing that it is real. 2

c)



The points  $OABC$  are the vertices of a rectangle on the Argand diagram with  $|OA| = 2|OC|$ . If  $OC$  represents the complex number  $p + iq$ , write down the complex numbers represented by:

i)  $OA$  1

ii)  $OB$  1

iii)  $BC$  1

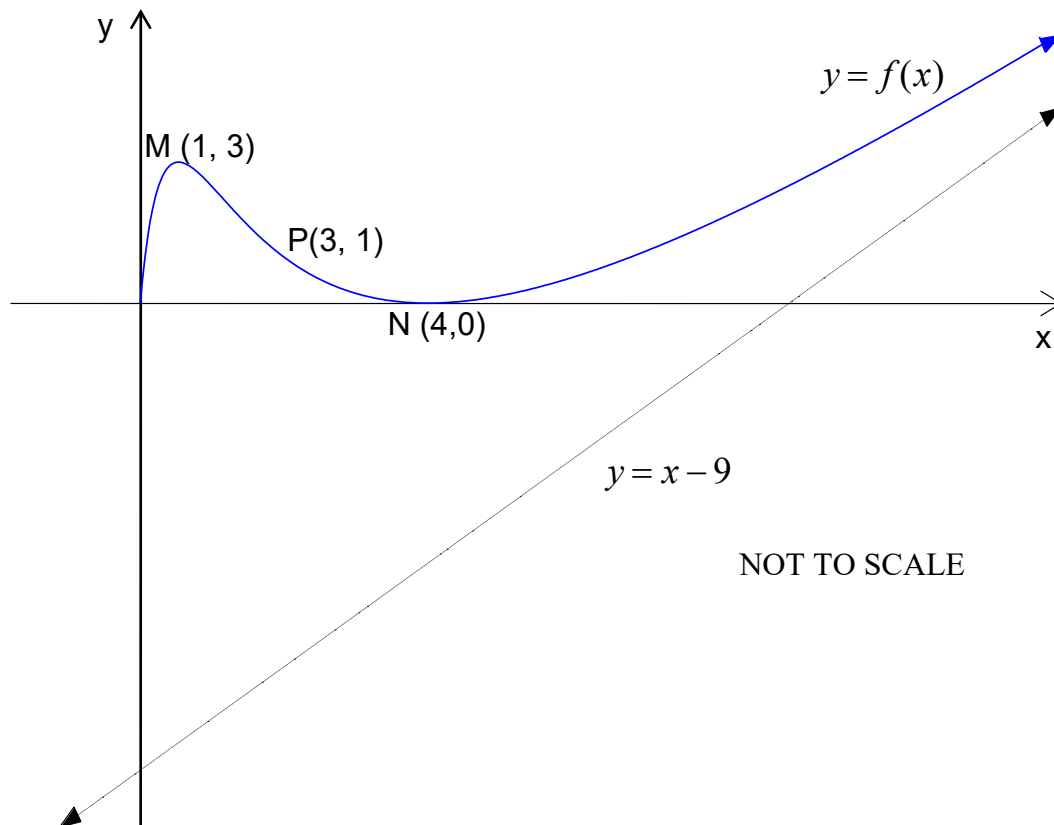
iv)  $AC$  2

**End of Question 2**

**Question 3 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

**Marks**

a)



The diagram shows the graph of  $y = f(x)$  for  $x \geq 0$ .

$M(1, 3)$  and  $N(4, 0)$  are stationary points of  $y = f(x)$  and  $P(3, 1)$  is a point of inflexion of  $y = f(x)$ . The line  $y = x - 9$  is an asymptote as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ . Draw separate one third page sketches showing any special features for the following:

i)  $f'(x)$  2

ii)  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  2

iii)  $-(f(x))^2$  2

**Question 3 continues on the next page**

**Question 3 continued****Marks**

- b) Determine the gradient of the tangent to the curve  $x^2 + 2xy - y^2 = 17$  at the point  $(3, 2)$  **2**
- c) The zeros of  $x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x + 4$  are  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$
- i) Find a cubic polynomial whose zeros are  $\alpha^2$ ,  $\beta^2$  and  $\gamma^2$  **2**
- ii) Hence or otherwise find the value of  $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$  **1**
- iii) Determine the value of  $\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3$  **2**
- d) The equation  $P(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 24x + k = 0$  has a double root. Find the possible values of  $k$ . **2**

**End of Question 3**

**Question 4 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

**Marks**

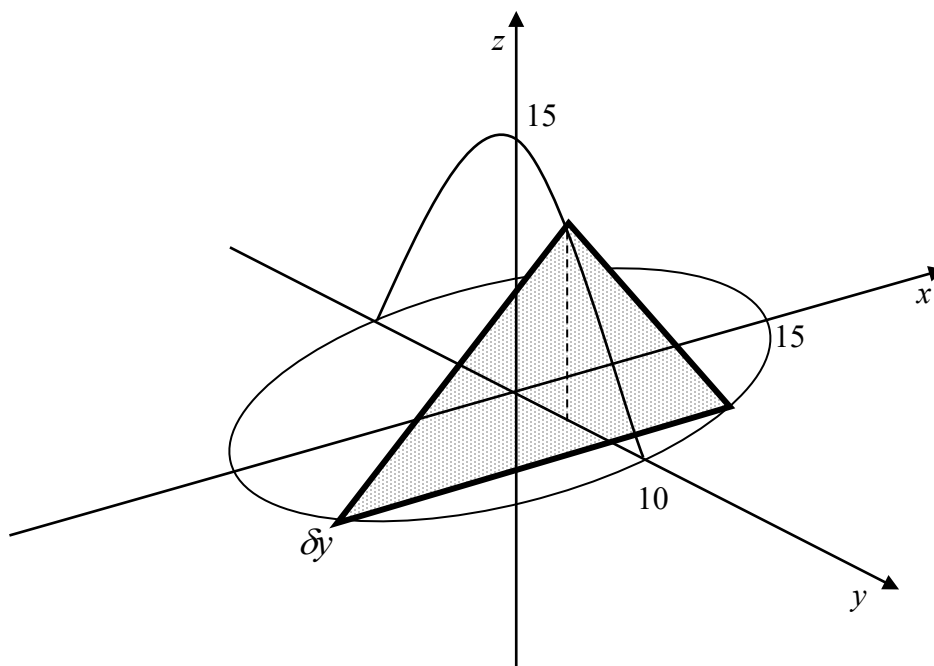
- a) i) Show that a reduction formula for  $I_n = \int (\ln x)^n dx$  3

$$\text{is } I_n = x(\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1}$$

- ii) Hence evaluate  $\int_1^{e^4} (\ln x)^3 dx$  4

- b) The arc of the curve  $y = 6x - x^2 - 8$  where  $y \geq 0$  is rotated about the line  $x = 1$ . 4  
By applying the technique of cylindrical shells determine the exact volume of the solid formed

c)



A cake is made with base in the shape of an ellipse, with semi-major axis 15 cm and semi-minor axis 10 cm. Slices of the cake parallel to the major axis of the base are isosceles triangles, whose vertices trace out a semi-elliptical path with the same semi-major axis and semi-minor axis lengths as in the diagram below.

- i) Show that the volume of a 'typical' triangular slice is given by: 1  

$$V_{\text{slice}} \approx xz\delta y \text{ cm}^3$$
- ii) Find the exact volume of the cake in  $\text{cm}^3$ . 3

**End of Question 4**

**Question 5 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

**Marks**

- a) The line  $y = mx + a$  intersects the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  at two points which have x coordinates  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ . **3**
- i) Express  $x_2$  in terms of  $m, a, b$  and  $x_1$ . **1**
- ii) Hence or otherwise show that the line is a tangent to the ellipse at the point where  $\frac{-a^3m}{b^2 + a^2m^2}$ . **1**
- b) A parabola has parametric equations  $x = 2at$  and  $y = at^2$ . **2**
- i) Find the equation of the normal to the parabola at the point where  $t = p$ . **2**
- ii) Hence show that, through the point  $(x_1, y_1)$ , it is possible to draw up to three normals to the parabola. **2**
- c) Given the complex number  $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta$  **3**
- i) Use De Moivre's Theorem and the binomial expansion find an expression for  $\cos 4\theta$  in terms of  $\cos \theta$  **2**
- ii) Also, using  $z^n + \frac{1}{z^n} = 2 \cos n\theta$  determine an expansion for  $\cos^4 \theta$  in terms of  $\cos n\theta$  **2**
- iii) Hence evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 \theta \, d\theta$  **2**

**End of Question 5**



**Question 6 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.**Marks**

- a) On a suitably labelled Argand diagram sketch the region determined by  $[\operatorname{Re}(z)]^2 + \operatorname{Im}z < 0$

**2**

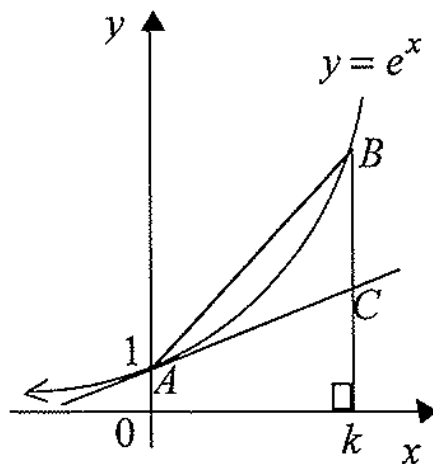
- (b) Consider the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{e^x - 1}{x}, & x \neq 0 \\ 1, & x = 0 \end{cases}$$

- (i) Use differentiation to show that  $e^{-x} + x - 1 \geq 0$  for all values of  $x$ . Hence show that  $f(x)$  is an increasing function for  $x \neq 0$
- (ii) Show that  $f(x)$  is continuous at  $x = 0$ .
- (iii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ .

**3****2****1**

- (c)



The curve  $y = e^x$  cuts the  $y$  axis at A. B is a second point on the curve such that  $x = k$ , where  $k > 0$ . The tangent to the curve  $y = e^x$  at A cuts the vertical line  $x = k$  at the point C.

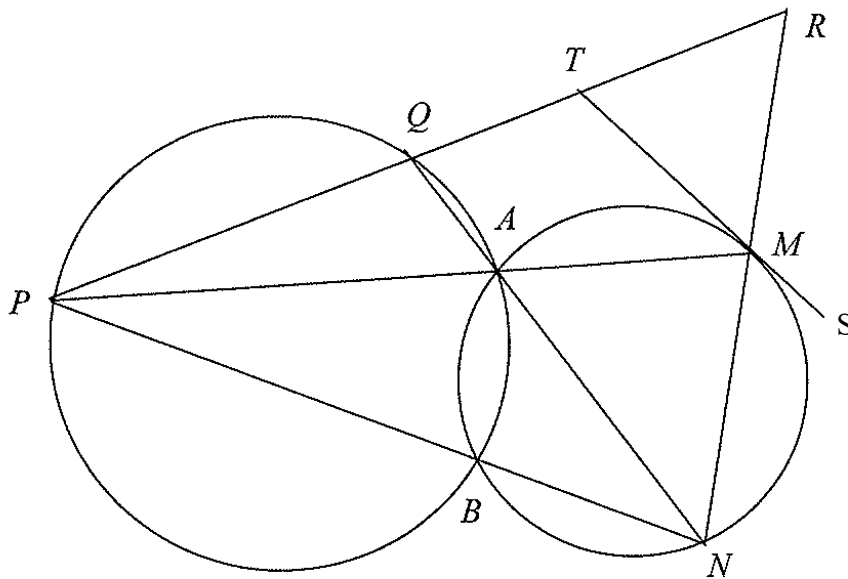
- (i) By considering areas, show that  $\frac{1}{2}k(k+2) < e^k - 1 < \frac{1}{2}k(1+e^k)$ . Hence deduce that  $2.5 < e < 3$ .
- (ii) Show that the curve  $y = e^x$  bisects the area of  $\triangle ABC$  for some value of  $k$  such that  $2 < k < 3$ . Taking  $k = 2.7$  as a first approximation, apply Newton's method once to obtain a second approximation. Give your answer to one decimal place.

**4****3****End of Question 6**

**Question 7 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet.

**Marks**

- a) Given that  $z^5 - 1 = 0$
- Solve for  $Z$  over the complex field in the form  $\cos \theta + i \sin \theta$ . 3
  - Hence express  $z^5 - 1$  as the product of linear and quadratic factors. 2
  - Write down the complex roots of  $z^4 + z^3 + z^2 + z + 1 = 0$ . 1
  - Without evaluating, show that  $\cos \frac{2\pi}{5} + \cos \frac{4\pi}{5} = -\frac{1}{2}$  2
- b)



In the diagram, the two circles intersect at A and B. P is a point on one circle. PA and PB produced meet the other circle at M and N respectively. NA produced meets the first circle at Q. PQ and NM produced meet at R. The tangent at M to the second circle meets PR at T. Copy or trace the diagram into your answer booklet.

- Show that QAMR is a cyclic quadrilateral. 3
- Show that  $TM = TR$ . 4

**End of Question 7**

**Question 8 (15 marks)** Use a SEPARATE writing booklet**Marks**

- a) i) Show that for all values of  $x$  and  $y$ : **1**  
$$\sin(x+y) - \sin(x-y) = 2 \cos x \sin y$$
- ii) Use mathematical induction to show that for all positive integers  $n$ : **4**  
$$\cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x + \dots + \cos nx = \frac{\sin\left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\frac{1}{2}x}{2 \sin\frac{1}{2}x}$$
- iii) Hence show that: **4**  
$$\cos 2x + \cos 4x + \cos 6x + \dots + \cos 16x = 8 \cdot \cos 9x \cdot \cos 4x \cdot \cos 2x \cdot \cos x$$
- b) Show that a relationship between the coefficients of  $p(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  **4**  
is  $2a^3 - 9ab - 27c = 0$ , if the roots are three consecutive terms of an arithmetic series.
- c) Solve the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2y$  for  $y$  given that when  $x = 1, y = 1$  **2**

**End of Examination**

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

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## Part Solution

## Marks Comment

- (a)  $\int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{16-9x^2}} = \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{dx}{\sqrt{\frac{16}{9}-x^2}}$  2  
1 for rearranging
- $$= \frac{1}{3} \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{\frac{4}{3}} + c$$
- $$= \frac{1}{3} \sin^{-1} \frac{3x}{4} + c$$
- 1 for inv trig integral
- (b)  $\int 5 \cos x \sin^2 x \, dx = \frac{5}{3} \sin^3 x + c$  2  
2 for solution  
1 if simple error made
- (c)  $\int_1^e x \ln x \, dx = \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x^2}{2} \frac{1}{x} dx$  3  
1 for breakup into parts
- $$= \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x \right]_1^e - \int_1^e \frac{x}{2} dx$$
- $$= \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \ln x - \frac{x^2}{4} \right]_1^e$$
- $$= \left[ \frac{x^2}{4} (2 \ln x - 1) \right]_1^e$$
- $$= \frac{e^2}{4} (2-1) - \frac{1}{4} (-1)$$
- $$= \frac{e^2}{4} + \frac{1}{4}$$
- 1 for integral
- (d) Let  $\frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1} = \frac{1}{x^2-1}$  4  
1 value of B
- $$A(x-1) + B(x+1) = 1$$
- 1 value of A
- $$\text{When } x=1 \quad 2B=1 \rightarrow B=\frac{1}{2}$$
- $$\text{When } x=-1 \quad -2A=1 \rightarrow A=-\frac{1}{2}$$
- $$\int_2^3 \frac{dx}{x^2-1} = \frac{1}{2} \int_2^3 \left( \frac{-1}{x+1} + \frac{1}{x-1} \right) dx$$
- $$= \frac{1}{2} [\ln(x-1) - \ln(x+1)]_2^3$$
- $$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{x-1}{x+1} \right) \right]_2^3$$
- $$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \ln \frac{1}{2} - \ln \frac{1}{3} \right]_2^3$$
- $$= \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{3}{2}$$
- 1 for answer

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Marks Comment

Part Solution

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(e) If  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$

$$\frac{dt}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} dt = d\theta$$

$$\cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{1+t^2}$$

$$d\theta = \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$$

Limits  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} \rightarrow t = 1$

$\theta = 0 \rightarrow t = 0$

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d\theta}{2 + \cos \theta} = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}} \cdot \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{1+t^2}{(2+2t^2+1-t^2)} \cdot \frac{2}{1+t^2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 \frac{2}{(3+t^2)} dt$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \frac{t}{\sqrt{3}} \right]_0^1$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left( \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \tan^{-1} 0 \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \cdot \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3\sqrt{3}}$$

1 for  $d\theta$

1 for correct  
statement of  
integral  
including  
limits

1 for  
completing  
integral

1 for result

| Question 2 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 | 2008                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                                                                                                      |  |
| (a)<br>i)  | $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{3+4i}{2-2i} \times \frac{2+2i}{2+2i}$ $= \frac{6+6i+8i-8}{4+4}$ $= \frac{-2+14i}{8}$ $= -\frac{1}{4} + \frac{7}{4}i$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 2                                                 | 1 for multiplying by conjugate.<br><br>1 for correct answer                                                                                                                  |  |
| ii)        | Let $\sqrt{A} = x+iy$<br>$\therefore A = x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi$<br>$\therefore 3+4i = x^2 - y^2 + 2xyi$<br>$\therefore 3 = x^2 - y^2 \dots\dots\dots(1)$<br>$\therefore 4 = 2xy \dots\dots\dots(2)$<br>$(1)^2 + (2)^2$<br>$x^4 + 2x^2y^2 + y^4 = 25$<br>$(x^2 + y^2)^2 = 25$<br>$x^2 + y^2 = 5 \dots\dots\dots(3)$<br>$(1) + (3) \quad 2x^2 = 8$<br>$x = \pm 2$<br>$y = \pm 1$<br>$\sqrt{A} = \pm(2+i)$ | 3                                                 | 1 for squaring and equating real and imaginary<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for eliminating y (or x)<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for final solution |  |
| iii)       | $A - \bar{B} = 3+4i - (2+2i)$<br>$= 1+2i$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 1                                                 | 1 for answer                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| (b)<br>i)  | $1+\sqrt{3}i = 2\left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}i\right)$<br>$\cos\theta = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad \sin\theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$<br>$\therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$<br>$\therefore 1+\sqrt{3}i = 2\left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$                                                                                                                     | 2                                                 | 1 value of $\theta$<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for result                                                                                                      |  |
| ii)        | $(1+\sqrt{3}i)^6 = 2^6 \left(\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + i\sin\frac{\pi}{3}\right)^6$<br>$= 64(\cos 2\pi + i\sin 2\pi) \text{ by De Moivre's Theorem}$<br>$= 64(1+0i)$<br>$= 64$<br>Which is <del>totally</del> real.                                                                                                                                                                                      | 2                                                 | 1 Use of De Moivre Thm<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for answer                                                                                                   |  |

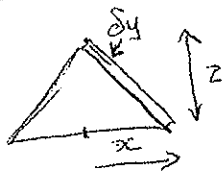
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| Part       | Solution                                                                        | Marks                                             | Comment                                        |      |  |
| (c)<br>i)  | $OA = 2iOC$<br>$= 2i(p+iq)$<br>$= -2q+2pi$                                      | 1                                                 | 1 for<br>answer                                |      |  |
| ii)        | $OB = OC + OA$<br>$= (p+iq) + (-2q+2pi)$<br>$= (p-2q) + (2p+q)i$                | 1                                                 | 1 for<br>answer                                |      |  |
| iii)       | $BC = -OA$<br>$= 2q-2pi$                                                        | 1                                                 | 1 for<br>answer                                |      |  |
| iv)        | $AC = AB + BC$<br>$= OC - OA$<br>$= (p+iq) - (-2q+2pi)$<br>$= (p+2q) + (q-2p)i$ | 2                                                 | 1 for sum<br>of vectors<br><br>1 for<br>answer |      |  |



| Question 3 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                        | 2008 |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                |      |  |
| (a)<br>i)  | <p>Asymptote as <math>x \rightarrow \infty</math></p> <p><math>y = f(x)</math></p> <p><math>y = 1</math></p> <p>Minimum <math>(3, k)</math></p>                                                                                                                           | 2                                                 | 1 for basic shape<br><br>1 for asymptote                               |      |  |
| ii)        | <p>Minimum <math>(1, 1/3)</math></p> <p><math>y = \frac{1}{f(x)}</math></p>                                                                                                                                                                                               | 2                                                 | 1 for basic shape<br><br>1 for discontinuity                           |      |  |
| iii)       | <p><math>y = -(f(x))^2</math></p> <p><math>(1, -9)</math></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 2                                                 | 1 for shape<br><br>1 for below axis                                    |      |  |
| (b)        | $x^2 + 2xy - y^2 = 17$ $2x + 2y + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ $\frac{dy}{dx}(2x - 2y) = -(2x + 2y)$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-(x + y)}{(x - y)}$ $= \frac{x + y}{y - x}$ <p>At <math>(3, 2)</math></p> $\text{Gradient of tangent} = \frac{3 + 2}{2 - 3} = -5$ | 2                                                 | 1 for implicit differentiation<br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for derivative |      |  |

| Question 3 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                                                    | 2008 |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                            |      |  |
| (c)<br>i)  | <p>For <math>x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x + 4 = 0</math><br/> <math>x = \alpha, \beta</math> and <math>\gamma</math><br/> Let <math>X = x^2</math><br/> <math>\sqrt{X} = x</math><br/> <math>X\sqrt{X} - 3X - 2\sqrt{X} + 4 = 0</math><br/> <math>\sqrt{X}(X - 2) = 3X - 4</math><br/> Squaring <math>X(X^2 - 4X + 4) = 9X^2 - 24X + 16</math><br/> <math>X^3 - 4X^2 + 4X = 9X^2 - 24X + 16</math><br/> <math>\therefore</math> Required polynomial is <math>x^3 - 13x^2 + 28x - 16 = 0</math></p>                                                                               | 2                                                 | <p>Any method okay.</p> <p>1 mark for partial solution or complete solution with simple error.</p> |      |  |
| ii)        | <p>As above has roots <math>\alpha^2, \beta^2</math> and <math>\gamma^2</math><br/> <math>\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 = \frac{-b}{a} = 13</math></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | 1                                                 | 1 for answer                                                                                       |      |  |
| iii)       | <p>As <math>\alpha, \beta</math> and <math>\gamma</math> are roots of <math>x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x + 4 = 0</math><br/> Then <math>\alpha^3 - 3\alpha^2 - 2\alpha + 4 = 0</math><br/> <math>\beta^3 - 3\beta^2 - 2\beta + 4 = 0</math><br/> <math>\gamma^3 - 3\gamma^2 - 2\gamma + 4 = 0</math><br/> Adding<br/> <math>(\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3) - 3(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2) - 2(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) + 12 = 0</math><br/> <math>(\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3) - 3(13) - 2(3) + 12 = 0</math><br/> <math>(\alpha^3 + \beta^3 + \gamma^3) = 33</math></p> | 2                                                 | <p>Any method okay.</p> <p>1 mark for partial solution or complete solution with simple error.</p> |      |  |
| (d)        | <p><math>P(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 24x + k</math><br/> <math>P'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x - 24</math><br/> <math>= 3(x - 2)(x + 4)</math><br/> If <math>P'(x) = 0</math> <math>x = 2, x = -4</math><br/> If <math>x = 2</math> is a double zero,<br/> <math>P(2) = (2)^3 + 3(2)^2 - 24(2) + k = 0</math><br/> <math>k = 28</math><br/> <math>P(-4) = (-4)^3 + 3(-4)^2 - 24(-4) + k = 0</math><br/> <math>k = -80</math></p>                                                                                                                                                          | 2                                                 | <p>1 possible zeros</p> <p>1 values of k</p>                                                       |      |  |

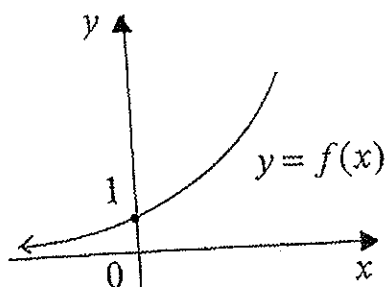
| Question 4 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 | 2008                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  |
| (a)<br>i)  | $I_n = \int (\ln x)^n dx = x(\ln x)^n - \int x \cdot n(\ln x)^{n-1} \cdot \frac{1}{x} dx$ $= x(\ln x)^n - n \int (\ln x)^{n-1} dx$ $= x(\ln x)^n - nI_{n-1}$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 3                                                 | 1 for use of<br>Int by parts<br>1 for<br>simplifying<br>1 for result<br>in terms of<br>$I_n$                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| ii)        | <p>Consider <math>\int (\ln x)^3 dx = I_3</math></p> $\therefore I_3 = x(\ln x)^3 - 3I_2$ <p>Now <math>I_2 = x(\ln x)^2 - 2I_1</math><br/>and <math>I_1 = x(\ln x) - I_0</math><br/><math>= x(\ln x) - x</math></p> $\therefore I_3 = x(\ln x)^3 - 3(x(\ln x)^2 - 2(x(\ln x) - x))$ $= x(\ln x)^3 - 3x(\ln x)^2 + 6x(\ln x) - 6x$ $\therefore \int_1^e (\ln x)^3 dx = (e^4 \cdot 64 - 3e^4 \cdot 16 + 6e^4 \cdot 4 - 6e^4) - (-6)$ $= 34e^4 + 6$                                              | 4                                                 | 1 for $I_3$<br><br><br>1 for $I_2$<br><br>1 full<br>expression<br>including<br>$I_1$<br><br>1 sub and<br>evaluate                                                                                                                                     |  |
| (b)        | $y = 6x - x^2 - 8$ $y = 0 \quad x = 2, 4$ <p>For shells about Y axis</p> $V = 2\pi \int_a^b xy \, dx$ <p>About <math>x = 1</math></p> $V = 2\pi \int_a^b (x-1)y \, dx$ $= 2\pi \int_2^4 (x-1)(6x - x^2 - 8) \, dx$ $= 2\pi \int_2^4 (7x^2 - x^3 - 14x + 8) \, dx$ $= 2\pi \left[ \frac{7x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{4} - 7x^2 + 8x \right]_2^4$ $= 2\pi \left[ \left( \frac{448}{3} - 64 - 112 + 32 \right) - \left( \frac{56}{3} - 4 - 28 + 16 \right) \right]$ $= \frac{16\pi}{3} \text{ units}^3$ | 4                                                 | 4 marks for<br>full<br>solution<br><br>3 marks if<br>simple<br>error made<br><br>2 marks if<br>major error<br>or 2 simple<br>errors<br><br>1 mark if<br>start made<br>using<br>correct<br>formula or<br>from<br>scratch<br>with<br>correct<br>method. |  |

| Question 4 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                                                                      | 2008 |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                                              |      |  |
| (c)        |  $V_{\text{slice}} \approx Ah \delta y$ $\approx \frac{1}{2} 2x \cdot z \cdot \delta y$ $\approx xz \delta y$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 4                                                 | 1 dimensions of slice                                                                                                |      |  |
|            | $V_{\text{solid}} = \int_{-10}^{10} xz \, dy$ $\frac{x^2}{15^2} + \frac{y^2}{10^2} = 1$ $\therefore x = \sqrt{15^2 \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{10^2}\right)}$ <p>and</p> $\frac{z^2}{15^2} + \frac{y^2}{10^2} = 1$ $\therefore z = \sqrt{15^2 \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{10^2}\right)}$ $\therefore V_{\text{solid}} = 450 \int_0^{10} \left(1 - \frac{y^2}{10^2}\right) dy$ $= 450 \left[ y - \frac{y^3}{300} \right]_0^{10}$ $= 3000 \text{ cms}$ |                                                   | 1 $x = f(y)$<br>1 $z = f(y)$<br><br>1 correct integrand and limits<br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 correct exact volume |      |  |

| Question 5 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 | 2008                                                                                              |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                           |  |
| (a)<br>i)  | <p>Solving simultaneously</p> $y = mx + a \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$ $b^2x^2 + a^2y^2 = a^2b^2 \quad \dots\dots(2)$ <p>sub (1) into (2)</p> $b^2x^2 + a^2(mx + a)^2 = a^2b^2$ $b^2x^2 + a^2m^2x^2 + 2a^3mx + a^4 = a^2b^2$ $(b^2 + a^2m^2)x^2 + 2a^3mx + a^4 - a^2b^2 = 0$ <p>If <math>x = x_1</math> and <math>x_2</math> are the roots then</p> $x_1 + x_2 = \frac{-2a^3m}{b^2 + a^2m^2}$ $\therefore x_2 = \frac{-2a^3m}{b^2 + a^2m^2} - x_1$ | 3                                                 | <p>1 for sub into equation</p> <p>1 for simplify</p> <p>1 for expression for <math>x_2</math></p> |  |
| ii)        | <p>For a tangent <math>x_1 = x_2 = x</math></p> $x_1 + x_2 = 2x = \frac{-2a^3m}{b^2 + a^2m^2}$ $\therefore x = \frac{-a^3m}{b^2 + a^2m^2}$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 1                                                 | 1 for answer                                                                                      |  |
| (b)<br>i)  | <p><math>x = 2at</math> and <math>y = at^2</math></p> <p>Grad of tangent <math>= \frac{dy}{dx} = t</math></p> <p>Grad of normal <math>= -\frac{1}{t}</math></p> <p>At <math>t = p</math> <math>m = \frac{-1}{p}</math> [point <math>(2ap, ap^2)</math>]</p> <p>Equation of normal</p> $y - ap^2 = \frac{-1}{p}(x - 2ap)$ $py - ap^3 = -x + 2ap$ $x + py - ap^3 - 2ap = 0$                                                                       | 2                                                 | <p>1 for gradient of normal</p> <p>1 for equation of normal</p>                                   |  |
| ii)        | <p>Normal passes through <math>(x_1, y_1)</math> then</p> $x_1 + py_1 - ap^3 - 2ap = 0$ <p>To find intersection with the parabola, this equation must be solved for <math>p</math>.</p> <p>As the equation is a cubic in <math>p</math>, there can be from 1 to 3 values for <math>p</math>.</p> <p><math>\therefore</math> Up to three normals can be drawn</p>                                                                                | 2                                                 | 2 for any reasonable explanation                                                                  |  |

| Question 5 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                     | 2008 |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Marks                                             | Comment                                                             |      |  |
| (c)<br>i)  | $z = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta = c + is$ $z^4 = (c + is)^4$ $= c^4 + 4c^3(is) + 6c^2(-s^2) + 4c(-is^3) + s^4$ $= c^4 - 6c^2s^2 + s^4 + i(4c^3s - 4cs^3)$ <p>By De Moivres Thm</p> $z^4 = \cos 4\theta + i \sin 4\theta$ <p>Equating real parts</p> $\cos 4\theta = c^4 - 6c^2(1 - c^2) + (1 - c^2)^2$ $= c^4 - 6c^2 + 6c^4 + 1 - 2c^2 + c^4$ $= 8c^4 - 8c^2 + 1$ $= 8\cos^4 \theta - 8\cos^2 \theta + 1$    | 3                                                 | <p>1 for expanding</p> <p>1 for De Moivre</p> <p>1 for solution</p> |      |  |
| (ii)       | $\left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^4 = (2\cos \theta)^4$ $= 16\cos^4 \theta$ $\text{and } \left(z + \frac{1}{z}\right)^4 = z^4 + 4z^3 \frac{1}{z} + 6z^2 \frac{1}{z^2} + 4z \frac{1}{z^3} + \frac{1}{z^4}$ $= z^4 + \frac{1}{z^4} + 4\left(z^2 + \frac{1}{z^2}\right) + 6$ $16\cos^4 \theta = 2\cos 4\theta + 8\cos 2\theta + 6$ $\cos^4 \theta = \frac{1}{8}\cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}$ | 2                                                 | <p>1 for expansion</p> <p>1 for expression</p>                      |      |  |
| iii)       | $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^4 \theta \, d\theta = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{8}\cos 4\theta + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}\right) d\theta$ $= \left[\frac{1}{32}\sin 4\theta + \frac{1}{4}\sin 2\theta + \frac{3}{8}\theta\right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$ $= \left[\left(\frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}\right) - (0)\right]$ $= \frac{3\pi}{16}$                                             | 2                                                 | <p>1 for integral</p> <p>1 for evaluating</p>                       |      |  |



| Question 6 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Trial HSC Examination-<br>Mathematics Extension 2 |                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 2008 |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                                                                                                                                   |      |  |
| iii)       | iii.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | 1                                                 | Correct shape curve with y intercept of 1 and asymptote                                                                                                                                                   |      |  |
| (c)<br>i)  | i. $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x = 1$ at $x = 0$<br>Hence tangent AC has equation $y = x + 1$ .<br>Let $D(k, 0)$<br>$\therefore C(k, k+1)$ . Also $B(k, e^k)$ . Then<br>$\text{Area AODC} < \int_0^k e^x dx < \text{Area AODB}$<br>$\frac{1}{2}k(k+2) < [e^x]_0^k < \frac{1}{2}k(1+e^k)$<br>$\therefore \frac{1}{2}k(k+2) < e^k - 1 < \frac{1}{2}k(1+e^k)$<br>For $k=1$ , $1.5 < e - 1 < 0.5 + \frac{1}{2}e$<br>Hence $2.5 < e$ and $\frac{1}{2}e < 1.5$<br>$\therefore 2.5 < e < 3$                                                                                                                                                                                                         | 4                                                 | 1 for equation of tangent AC and coords of C<br><br>1 for lower bound for $e^k - 1$ using area AODC<br><br>1 for upper bound using area AODB<br><br>1 for using $k=1$ and rearranging                     |      |  |
| ii)        | ii. Area of $\triangle ABC$ is bisected if<br>$(e^k - 1) - \frac{1}{2}k(k+2) = \frac{1}{2}k(1+e^k) - (e^k - 1)$<br>$(4-k)e^k - k^2 - 3k - 4 = 0$<br>Let $f(k) = (4-k)e^k - k^2 - 3k - 4$<br>Then $f(2) \approx 0.78 > 0$ , $f(3) \approx -1.9 < 0$<br>and $f(k)$ is continuous.<br>Hence $f(k) = 0$ , and the area is bisected,<br>for some $k$ such that $2 < k < 3$<br>$f(k) = (4-k)e^k - k^2 - 3k - 4$<br>$f'(k) = \{-e^k + (4-k)e^k\} - 2k - 3$<br>$= (3-k)e^k - 2k - 3$<br>Taking $k_0 = 2.7$ , $k_1 = 2.7 - \frac{f(2.7)}{f'(2.7)}$<br>$\therefore k_1 \approx 2.7 - \frac{-0.04635}{3.9361}$<br>$\approx 2.688$<br>Hence second approximation is 2.7 (to one decimal place). | 3                                                 | 1 for equation if triangle area bisected<br><br><br><br><br>1 for $f(k)=0$ and establishes existence of root $k$ $2 < k < 3$<br><br><br><br>1 for using Newton's method for 2 <sup>nd</sup> approximation |      |  |



| Question 7 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 | 2008                                                                                         |  |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Marks                                             | Comment                                                                                      |  |
| (a)<br>i)  | $z^5 = 1$<br>By De Moivres Thm<br>$\cos 5\theta + i \sin 5\theta = 1$<br>Equating real and imaginary<br>$\cos 5\theta = 1 \quad \sin 5\theta = 0$<br>$\therefore 5\theta = 0, 2\pi, 4\pi, 6\pi, 8\pi$<br>$\theta = 0, \frac{2\pi}{5}, \frac{4\pi}{5}, \frac{6\pi}{5}, \frac{8\pi}{5}$<br>$z_1 = cis 0 = 1$<br>$z_2 = cis \frac{2\pi}{5}$<br>$z_3 = cis \frac{4\pi}{5}$<br>$z_4 = cis \frac{6\pi}{5} = cis \frac{-4\pi}{5} = \bar{z}_3$<br>$z_5 = cis \frac{8\pi}{5} = cis \frac{-2\pi}{5} = \bar{z}_2$ | 3                                                 | 1 values<br>of $\theta$<br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br><br>2 for<br>values of<br>$z_1 - z_5$ |  |
| ii)        | $z^5 - 1 = (z - z_1)(z - z_2)(z - z_3)(z - z_4)(z - z_5)$<br>$= (z - z_1)(z^2 - (z_2 + z_5)z + z_2z_5)(z^2 - (z_3 + z_4)z + z_3z_4) =$<br>$= (z - z_1)\left(z^2 - 2\cos\frac{2\pi}{5}z + 1\right)\left(z^2 - 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{5}z + 1\right)$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 2                                                 | 1 factors<br><br><br><br>1 in<br>quadratics                                                  |  |
| iii)       | $z^5 - 1 = 0$<br>$(z - 1)(z^4 + z^3 + z^2 + z + 1) = 0$<br>Roots are $z_2, z_3, z_4, z_5$ from above.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 1                                                 |                                                                                              |  |
| iv)        | Sum of roots of $z^5 - 1 = 0$ is zero.<br>$\therefore z_1 + z_2 + z_3 + z_4 + z_5 = 0$<br>$z_1 + z_2 + \bar{z}_2 + z_3 + \bar{z}_3 = 0$<br>$1 + 2\cos\frac{2\pi}{5} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{5} = 0$<br>$2\cos\frac{2\pi}{5} + 2\cos\frac{4\pi}{5} = -1$<br>$\cos\frac{2\pi}{5} + \cos\frac{4\pi}{5} = \frac{-1}{2}$                                                                                                                                                                                         | 2                                                 | 1 for<br>conjugates<br><br><br><br><br><br><br>1 for<br>answer                               |  |



| Question 8 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                                                                              | 2008 |  |
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| (a)        | $\sin(x+y) - \sin(x-y) = \sin x \cos y + \cos x \sin y - (\sin x \cos y - \cos x \sin y)$ $= 2 \cos x \sin y$                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 1                                                 | 1 for answer                                                                                                                 |      |  |
| a)<br>ii)  | <p>If <math>n = 1</math>      LHS = <math>\cos x</math></p> $\text{RHS} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}$ <p>Using i) above      <math display="block">\text{RHS} = \frac{2 \cos x \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}</math><math display="block">= \cos x = \text{LHS}</math></p> <p><math>\therefore</math> true for <math>n = 1</math></p> <p>Assume true for <math>n = k</math></p> $\text{i.e. } \cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x + \dots + \cos kx = \frac{\sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}$ <p>When <math>n = k + 1</math></p> $\cos x + \cos 2x + \cos 3x + \dots + \cos kx + \cos(k+1)x = \frac{\sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)} + \cos(k+1)x$ $= \frac{\sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \cos(k+1)x \cdot 2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}$ $= \frac{\sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \sin\left((k+1)x + \frac{x}{2}\right) - \sin\left((k+1)x - \frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)} \quad \text{using i) above}$ $= \frac{\sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + \sin\left(k + \frac{3}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(k + \frac{1}{2}\right)x}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}$ $= \frac{\sin\left((k+1) + \frac{1}{2}\right)x - \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}{2 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)}$ <p><math>\therefore</math> True for <math>n = k + 1</math></p> <p><math>\therefore</math> Since true for <math>n = 1</math>, by induction is true for all positive integral values of <math>k \geq 1</math></p> | 4                                                 | <p>1 for <math>n=1</math> case</p> <p>1 for using i)</p> <p>1 for simplifying</p> <p>1 for stating <math>k+1</math> case</p> |      |  |

| Question 8 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 |                                                                                                           | 2008 |  |
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| a)<br>ii)  | $\cos 2x + \cos 4x + \cos 6x + \dots + \cos 16x = \cos(2x) + \cos 2(2x) + \cos 3(2x) + \dots + \cos 8(2x)$ $= \frac{\sin\left(8 + \frac{1}{2}\right)2x - \sin\left(\frac{2x}{2}\right)}{2\sin\left(\frac{2x}{2}\right)}$ $= \frac{\sin 17x - \sin x}{2\sin x}$ $= \frac{\sin(9+8)x - \sin(9-8)x}{2\sin x}$ $= \frac{2\cos 9x \sin 8x}{2\sin x} \quad \text{Using i) above}$ $= \frac{2\cos 9x \cdot 2\sin 4x \cos 4x}{2\sin x} \quad \text{Using double angle on } \sin 8x$ $= \frac{4\cos 9x \cdot 2\sin 2x \cos 2x \cos 4x}{2\sin x} \quad \text{Using double angle on } \sin 4x$ $= \frac{8\cos 9x \cdot 2\sin x \cos x \cos 2x \cos 4x}{2\sin x} \quad \text{Using double angle on } \sin 2x$ $= \frac{8\cos 9x \cdot \cancel{2\sin x} \cos x \cos 2x \cos 4x}{\cancel{2\sin x}}$ $= 8\cos 9x \cos 4x \cos 2x \cos x$                                                                                                                                                         | 4                                                 | <p>1 for sub into expression</p> <p>1 for breaking up 17x</p> <p>2 for completing simplification</p>      |      |  |
| (b)        | <p>Let roots be <math>\alpha - d</math>, <math>\alpha</math> and <math>\alpha + d</math></p> <p><math>\therefore</math> Sum of the roots <math>= (\alpha - d) + \alpha + (\alpha + d) = -a</math></p> <p><math>\therefore 3\alpha = -a</math></p> <p><math>\alpha = \frac{-a}{3}</math></p> <p><math>\therefore</math> Sum of the roots 2 at a time <math>= (\alpha - d)\alpha + (\alpha - d)(\alpha + d) + (\alpha + d)\alpha = b</math></p> $\alpha^2 - \alpha d + \alpha^2 - d^2 + \alpha^2 + \alpha d = b$ $3\alpha^2 - d^2 = b$ $d^2 = 3\alpha^2 - b$ $d^2 = 3\left(\frac{-a}{3}\right)^2 - b = \frac{a^2}{3} - b$ <p><math>\therefore</math> Product of the roots <math>= \alpha(\alpha - d)(\alpha + d) = c</math></p> $\alpha^3 - \alpha d^2 = c$ $\left(\frac{-a}{3}\right)^3 - \left(\frac{-a}{3}\right)\left(\frac{a^2}{3} - b\right) = c$ $\frac{-a^3}{27} + \frac{a^3}{9} - \frac{ab}{3} = c$ $\frac{2a^3}{27} - \frac{ab}{3} = c$ $\therefore 2a^3 - 9ab - 27c = 0$ | 4                                                 | <p>1 each for expressions for sums &amp; products = 3 marks</p> <p>1 for substitution and simplifying</p> |      |  |

| Question 8 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Trial HSC Examination- Mathematics<br>Extension 2 | 2008                                                           |
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| Part       | Solution                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Marks                                             | Comment                                                        |
| (c)        | $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2y$ $\therefore \frac{dx}{dy} = \frac{1}{2y}$ $\therefore x = \frac{1}{2} \ln y + c$ <p>When <math>x = 1, y = 1</math></p> $\therefore c = 1$ $\therefore x = \frac{1}{2} \ln y + 1$ $\frac{1}{2} \ln y = x - 1$ $\ln y = 2x - 2$ $y = e^{2x-2}$ | 2                                                 | <p>1 for expression for <math>x</math></p> <p>1 for result</p> |

