



NATIONAL SENIOR
CERTIFICATE



MARKS: 100

DURATION: 2 hrs

This question paper consists of 6 pages and a information sheet



INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

Read the following instructions carefully before answering the questions.

- 1 This question paper consists of SIX questions. Answer ALL the questions.
- 2 Clearly show ALL calculations, diagrams, graphs, et cetera that you have used in determining your answer.
- 3 You may use an approved scientific calculator, unless stated otherwise.
- 4 Answer only will not necessarily be awarded full marks.
- 5 If necessary, round off answers to TWO decimal places, unless stated otherwise.
- 6 Diagrams are NOT necessarily drawn to scale.
- 7 Number the answers correctly according to the numbering system used in this question paper.
- 8 Write neatly and legibly.

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QUESTION 1

1.1 Solve for x :

1.1.1 $x^2 - 2x - 24 = 0$ (3)

1.1.2 $2x^2 - 3x - 3 = 0$ (correct to TWO decimal places) (3)

1.1.3 $x^2 + 5x \leq -4$ (4)

1.1.4 $2 \cdot 3^x = 81 - 3^x$ (4)

1.2 Solve simultaneously for x and y :

$x - 4y = 5$ and $x^2 - 5xy + y^2 = 7$ (6)

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QUESTION 2

2.1 Given the quadratic sequence: 5 ; 18 ; 37 ; 62 ; 93 ; ; 557

2.1.1 Determine the general term of the sequence in the form $T_n = an^2 + bn + c$ (4)

2.1.2 Determine the number of terms in the sequence. (4)

2.2 Given that:

$$\sum_{k=1}^6 (x - 3k) = \sum_{k=1}^9 (x - 3k), \text{ prove that } \sum_{k=1}^{15} (x - 3k) = 0$$
 (5)

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QUESTION 3

The following geometric series is given: $10 + 5 + 2,5 + 1,25 + \dots$

3.1 Explain why the infinite series converges? (2)

3.2 Determine $S_{\infty} - S_n$ in the form ab^n , where S_n is the sum of the first n terms of the series. (4)

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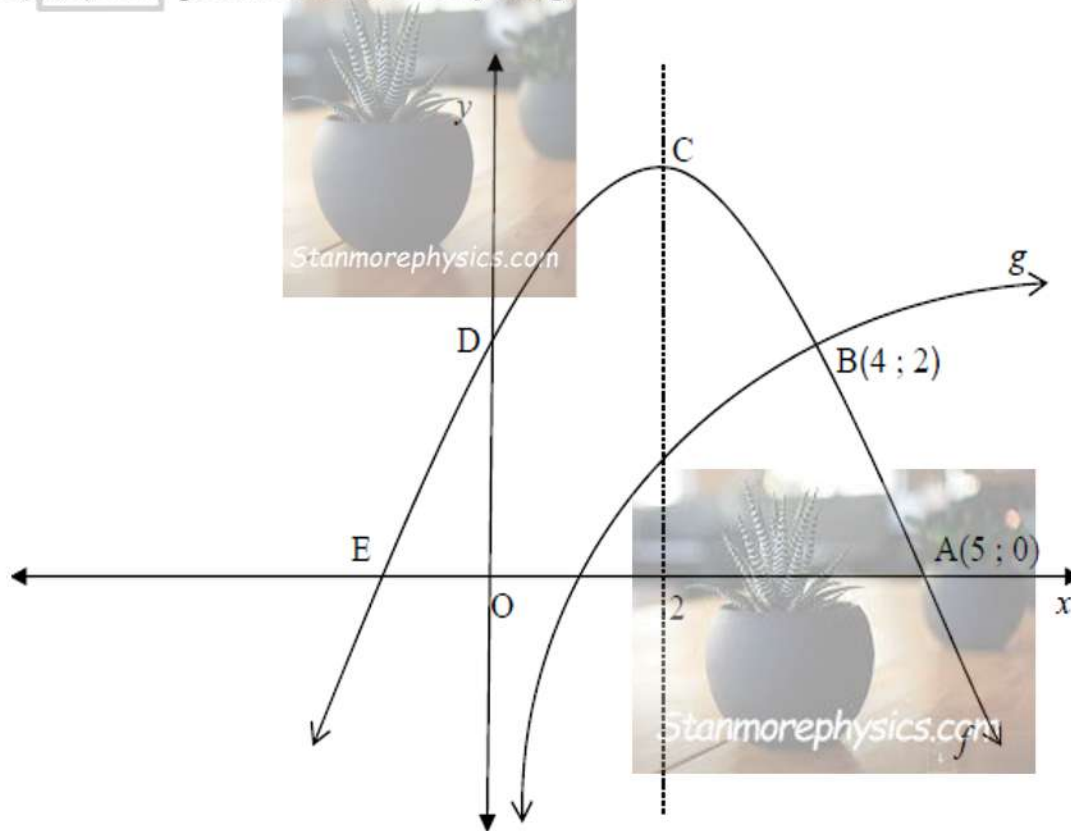
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QUESTION 4

In the sketch, the graphs of the functions given by $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ and $g(x) = \log_m x$ are represented.

$A(5; 0)$ is an x -intercept of f and $x = 2$ is the axis of symmetry of f .

$B(4; 2)$ is the point of intersection of f and g .



- 4.1 Determine the value of m . (2)
- 4.2 Write down the domain of g . (1)
- 4.3 Determine the equation of g^{-1} , in the form $y = \dots$ (2)
- 4.4 Write down the equation of h if h is obtained by shifting $g^{-1}(x)$ 2 units to the left. (1)
- 4.5 Determine the equation of the parabola f and hence show that: (4)
 $a = -\frac{2}{5}$; $b = \frac{8}{5}$ and $c = 2$
- 4.6 Use the sketch to determine the values of x for which $f(x) \cdot g(x) > 0$ (2)

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QUESTION 5

5.1 The following function is given: $f(x) = 2x^2$

5.1.1 Determine the equation of $f^{-1}(x)$, in the form $y = \dots$ (2)

5.1.2 Is f^{-1} a function? Give a reason for your answer. (2)

5.1.3 How can the domain be restricted in order for f^{-1} to be a function? (2)

5.2 Consider: $f(x) = \frac{3}{x-2} + 1$

5.2.1 Write down the equations of the asymptotes of f . (2)

5.2.2 Determine the following:

(a) y –intercept of f . (1)

(b) x –intercept of f . (2)

5.2.3 Sketch the graph of f , showing clearly all intercepts and asymptotes. (3)

5.2.4 Determine the equation of the axis of symmetry of f with a positive y -intercept. (2)

5.2.5 If $R(1 ; -3)$ is a point on f , determine the image of R if when it is reflected about the axis of symmetry in 5.2.4. (3)

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QUESTION 6

6.1 If $\sin 42^\circ = k$, determine the following in terms of k .

6.1.1 $\tan 42^\circ$ (2)

6.1.2 $\sin 84^\circ$ (3)

6.1.3 $\sin 3^\circ$ (4)

6.2 Simplify the following expression to ONE trigonometric term:

$\frac{\sin x}{\cos x \cdot \tan x} + \sin(180^\circ + x) \cos(90^\circ - x)$ (4)

6.3 Consider the identity: $\frac{\cos 2\beta}{(\cos \beta + \sin \beta)^3} = \frac{\cos \beta - \sin \beta}{1 + \sin 2\beta}$

6.3.1 Prove the identity: $\frac{\cos 2\beta}{(\cos \beta + \sin \beta)^3} = \frac{\cos \beta - \sin \beta}{1 + \sin 2\beta}$ (4)

6.4 If $\cos \theta = 2p$ and $\cos 2\theta = 7p$, determine the possible value(s) of p . (5)

6.5 Complete the following:

$\cos(A + B) =$ (1)

6.6 Consider: $f(x) = \sin(x + 25^\circ) \cos 15^\circ - \cos(x + 25^\circ) \sin 15^\circ$ (6)

Determine the general solution of $f(x) = \tan 165^\circ$

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TOTAL: [100]



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$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$A = P(1 + ni)$$

$$A = P(1 - ni)$$

$$A = P(1 - i)^n$$

$$A = P(1 + i)^n$$

$$F = \frac{x[(1+i)^n - 1]}{i}$$

$$P = \frac{x[1 - (1+i)^{-n}]}{i}$$

$$T_n = a + (n-1)d$$

$$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a + (n-1)d)$$

$$T_n = ar^{n-1}$$

$$S_n = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}; r \neq 1 \text{ or } S_n = \frac{a(1 - r^n)}{1 - r}; r \neq 1$$

$$S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r}; -1 < r < 1$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

$$M\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}\right)$$

$$y = mx + c$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$m = \tan \theta$$

$$\text{area } \Delta ABC = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$$

$$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta + \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta - \cos \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta - \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos \alpha \cos \beta + \sin \alpha \sin \beta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 2\alpha &= \cos^2 \alpha - \sin^2 \alpha \\ &= 1 - 2\sin^2 \alpha \\ &= 2\cos^2 \alpha - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sin 2\alpha = 2 \sin \alpha \cos \alpha$$