

# REVISION ONE

Year 11 Examination  
Question/Answer Booklet

## MATHEMATICS METHODS UNITS 1 AND 2

Section One:  
Calculator-free

### Time allowed for this section

Reading time before commencing work: five minutes  
Working time for this section: fifty minutes

### Materials required/recommended for this section

#### *To be provided by the supervisor*

This Question/Answer Booklet  
Formula Sheet

#### *To be provided by the candidate*

Standard items: pens (blue/black preferred), pencils (including coloured), sharpener,  
correction fluid/tape, eraser, ruler, highlighters

Special items: nil

### Important note to candidates

No other items may be taken into the examination room. It is **your** responsibility to ensure that you do not have any unauthorised notes or other items of a non-personal nature in the examination room. If you have any unauthorised material with you, hand it to the supervisor **before** reading any further.

**Section One: Calculator-free****(51 Marks)**

This section has **eight (8)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Working time for this section is 50 minutes.

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**Question 1****(5 marks)**

Calculate the value of

(a)  $16^{-0.5}$ .

**(2 marks)**

(b)  $(a \div b)^2$  when  $a = 4 \times 10^2$  and  $b = 8 \times 10^3$ , leaving your answer in scientific notation.

**(3 marks)**

**Question 2****(9 marks)**

(a) Determine  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  for

(i)  $y = \frac{4x^4}{3}$ .

(1 mark)

(ii)  $y = \frac{12}{\sqrt{x}}$ .

(2 marks)

(b) Determine  $f'(2)$  if  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{4}{x}$ .

(3 marks)

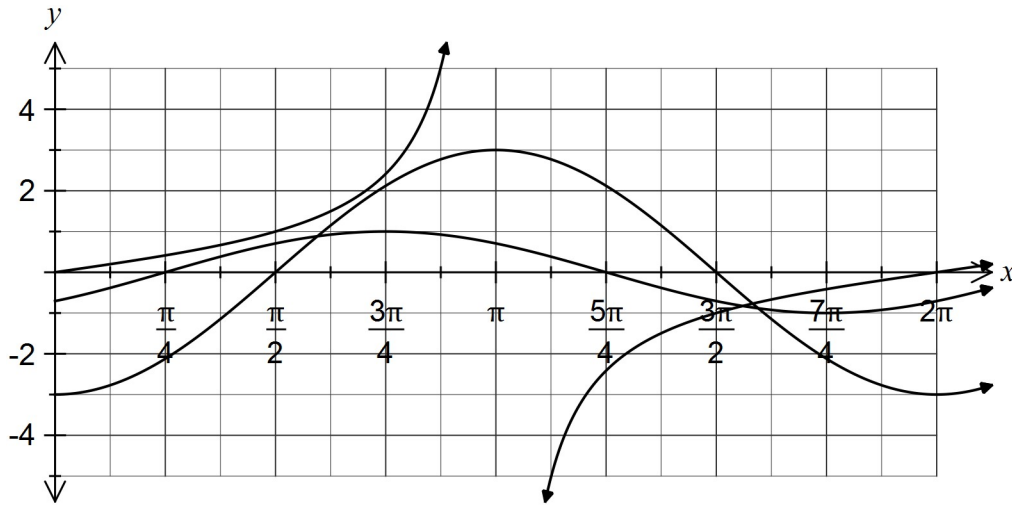
(c) Determine  $g(x)$  if  $g(1) = -1$  and  $g'(x) = 2x^2 + \frac{2x}{3} + 5$ .

(3 marks)

**Question 3**

**(6 marks)**

(a) The graphs of  $y = \tan(ax)$ ,  $y = b \cos(x)$  and  $y = \sin(x + c)$  are shown below.



Determine the values of the constants  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ .

**(3 marks)**

(b) Solve the equation  $\sqrt{3} \cos\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos(x)$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

**(3 marks)**

**Question 4**

**(7 marks)**

(a) Evaluate  $x^{2a} \cdot x^b$  when  $x = 64$ ,  $a = 2$  and  $b = -4.5$ .

**(3 marks)**

(b) The first two terms of a geometric sequence are  $3 \times 10^{-4}$  and  $6 \times 10^{-6}$ . Calculate the fifth term of the sequence, giving your answer in scientific notation. **(4 marks)**

**Question 5****(9 marks)**Solve the following equations for  $x$ :

(a)  $(x - 11)^2 - 49 = 0.$

(2 marks)

(b)  $27^{x+1} = 9^{1-x}.$

(3 marks)

(c)  $\sin^2 x - \cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2}, 0 \leq x \leq 360^\circ.$

(4 marks)

**Question 6****(5 marks)**(a) Determine  $f'(x)$  if

(i)  $f(x) = 5x^4 + x.$

(1 mark)

(ii)  $f(x) = (2x + 3)^2.$

(2 marks)

(b) The area of an oil slick, at time  $t$  hours, is given by  $A(t) = 0.5t^3 - 2t^2 + 7$  square meters. Determine the instantaneous rate of change of the area of the slick when  $t = 10$  hours.

(2 marks)

**Question 7****(10 marks)**(a) Expand  $(x - 2)^4$ .

(3 marks)

(b) Solve the following for x:

(i)  $4^{2x-1} = \frac{1}{8}$ .

(3 marks)

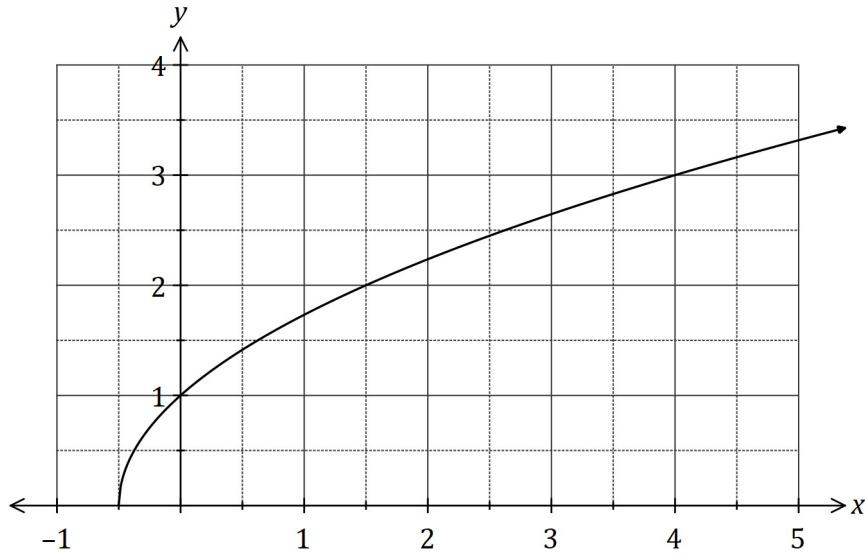
(ii)  $x^3 - x^2 - 17x - 15 = 0$ .

(4 marks)



**Question 8****(5 marks)**

The graph of  $y = f(x)$  is shown below, where  $f(x) = \sqrt{2x + 1}$ .



The difference quotient is shown here:

$$\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h}$$

- (a) Add to the graph a secant whose slope represents the difference quotient when  $x = 0$  and  $h = 4$ , and state the value of this slope. (2 marks)
- (b) Evaluate the difference quotient as  $h \rightarrow 0$  to determine the slope of  $f(x)$  when  $x = 0$ . (3 marks)