



## MATHEMATICS METHODS Year 12

### Section One: Calculator-free

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Teacher's name \_\_\_\_\_

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## Question 1

(7 marks)

Determine the following.

(a)  $\int e^{7x+3} dx$

(1 mark)

(b)  $\frac{d}{dx}(x^2 e^{x^2})$

(2 marks)

**Question 1 continued**

Evaluate the following.

(c)  $\int_0^2 3(x + e^{3x})dx$  (2 marks)

(d)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d}{du} \sin(u)du$  (2 marks)

**Question 2**

**(3 marks)**

For a \$5 monthly fee, a TV repair company guarantees customers a complete service. The company estimates the probability that a customer will require one service call in a month is 0.05, the probability of 2 calls is 0.01 and the probability of 3 or more calls is 0.00. Each call costs the repair company \$40.

(a) Complete the table below.

**(1 mark)**

<b>Calls</b>	0	1	2	$\geq 3$
<b>Gain (g)</b>			-75	
<b>P(G = g)</b>		0.05		0.00

(b) What is the TV repair company's expected monthly gain from such a contract?

**(2 marks)**

## Question 3

(5 marks)

(a) Determine  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  where  $y = xe^{2x-1}$

(2 marks)

(b) Hence, determine  $\int xe^{2x-1} dx$

(3 marks)

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**Question 4****(4 marks)**

Assume one in 300 Australian adults were plumbers. One Australian adult was randomly selected and it was noted whether he/she was a plumber. Define  $X$  as the random variable associated with this trial.

(a) Describe the distribution of  $X$ , include its parameter(s). (2 marks)

(b) State the mean and variance of this distribution. (2 marks)

**Question 5**

**(6 marks)**

The table shows the pdf of a discrete random variable, where  $E(X)$  is the expected value of  $X$ .

$x$	1	2	3	4	5
$P(X = x)$	0.2	$p$	0.3	$q$	0.1

(a) If  $E(X^2) = 8.2$ , determine  $p$  and  $q$ . (3 marks)

(b) Calculate  $E(X)$ . (1 mark)

(c) If  $Y = 1 - 2X$ , calculate  $E(Y)$ . (2 marks)

**Question 6****(5 marks)**

The population of a certain country is growing continuously at 3% per annum. Its population  $P$  is such that  $P = P_0 e^{kt}$  where  $P$  is the population in millions,  $t$  years from now. The population is currently 35 million.

- (a) In how many years will the population of the country reach 50 million if it continues to grow at the same rate?

**(2 marks)**

- (b) Data suggests that the capital city's population is growing at a faster rate than that of the country. Currently 22% of the people in the country live in the capital city, and if its population continues to grow at its present rate, 40% of the entire population will live in the capital city 15 years from now. What is the continuous growth rate of the population of the capital city?

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- (a) A coin is biased in favour of heads such that the probability of obtaining a head on any single toss is 0.6. The coin is tossed three times and the result noted. If  $X$  is the number of heads obtained on the three tosses, find  $E(X)$ , the expected value of  $X$  by first completing the table below: (3 marks)

$x$	0	1	2	3
$P(X = x)$				

- (b) For the random variable  $X$  defined above, find:

(i)  $E(3X + 1)$

(1 mark)

(ii)  $SD(3X + 1)$

(1 mark)



**Question 8**

**(4 marks)**

The Kappa family live one kilometre from their school. On the route they drive to school are two school crosswalks. The probability that they will have to stop at each crosswalk is  $\frac{3}{5}$  and is independent of each other. Let  $x$  represent the number of times the car must stop at a crosswalk.

- (a) Complete the following probability distribution table for this random variable.

**(2 marks)**

$x$	0	1	2
$P(X = x)$			

- (b) After five weekdays, what is the probability that the Kappa family have to stop at most once on their way to school on exactly three of the five days? **(2 marks)**

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Find the coordinates of the point(s) on the curve  $y = x + e^{2x}$  where the tangent to the curve at these point(s) are parallel to  $3x - y = 1$ .

**Question 10****(3 marks)**

A bush fire near Walpole at time  $t$  hours is spreading at a rate of  $2.1e^{2t-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{hour}$ .

- (a) What area is burnt out in the first 9 hours? (1 mark)
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- (c) Explain why this function is an unrealistic model for  $t > 11$ . (1 mark)

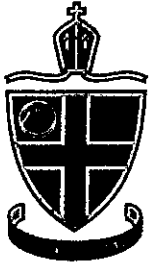
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(1 mark)

$$= \frac{1}{7} e^{7x+3} + c \quad \checkmark$$

(b)  $\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 e^{x^2})$

(2 marks)

$$= \frac{u'v + uv'}{\checkmark}$$

$$= \frac{2x e^{x^2} + x^2 (2x e^{x^2})}{\checkmark}$$

OR

$$2x e^{x^2} (1 + x^2)$$

Question 1 continued

Evaluate the following.

(c)  $\int_0^2 3(x + e^{3x}) dx$

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 3 \int_0^2 x + e^{3x} dx \\
 & = 3 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{e^{3x}}{3} \right]_0^2 \quad \checkmark \\
 & = 3 \left[ 2 + \frac{e^6}{3} - \left( 0 + \frac{1}{3} \right) \right] \\
 & = 5 + e^6 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

(d)  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{d}{du} \sin(u) du$

(2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & = \left[ \sin u \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \quad \checkmark \\
 & = \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin 0 \\
 & = 1 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$



Question 2

(3 marks)

For a \$5 monthly fee, a TV repair company guarantees customers a complete service. The company estimates the probability that a customer will require one service call in a month is 0.05, the probability of 2 calls is 0.01 and the probability of 3 or more calls is 0.00. Each call costs the repair company \$40. What is the TV repair company's expected monthly gain from such a contract?

Begin by filling out the table below.

Calls	0	1	2	≥3
Gain (g)	5	-35	-75	
P(G = g)	0.94	0.05	0.01	0.00

✓ (all correct)

$$E(G) = 5(0.94) - 35(0.05) - 75(0.01)$$

$$= 4.70 - 1.75 - 0.75$$

✓ (working)

$$= \underline{\underline{\$2.20}} \text{ Expected Gain / Month}$$

✓ (Answer)

Question 3

(5 marks)

- (a) Determine  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  where  $y = x e^{2x-1}$  (2 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 1(e^{2x-1}) + x(2)(e^{2x-1}) \quad \checkmark \\ &= \underline{e^{2x-1} + 2x e^{2x-1}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Hence, determine  $\int x e^{2x-1} dx$  (3 marks)

$$\underline{\frac{d}{dx} x e^{2x-1} = e^{2x-1} + 2x e^{2x-1}} \quad \checkmark \text{ (Writes statement)}$$

$$\underline{\int \left( \frac{d}{dx} x e^{2x-1} \right) dx = \int e^{2x-1} dx + \int 2x e^{2x-1} dx.} \quad \text{(Uses FTC)} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x e^{2x-1} + c_1 = \frac{1}{2} \int 2 e^{2x-1} dx + \int 2x e^{2x-1} dx.$$

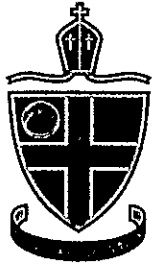
$$x e^{2x-1} + c_1 = \frac{1}{2} e^{2x-1} + c_2 + 2 \int x e^{2x-1} dx.$$

$$x e^{2x-1} + c_1 - \frac{1}{2} e^{2x-1} - c_2 = 2 \int x e^{2x-1} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \int x e^{2x-1} dx &= \frac{1}{2} \left( x e^{2x-1} - \frac{1}{2} e^{2x-1} \right) + c \\ \int x e^{2x-1} dx &= \underline{\underline{\frac{x}{2} e^{2x-1} - \frac{1}{4} e^{2x-1} + c.}} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{(Correct)} \\ \text{(Answer)} \end{array} \right\}$$

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Assume one in 300 Australian adults were plumbers. One Australian adult was randomly selected and it was noted whether he/she was a plumber. Define  $X$  as the random variable associated with this trial.

- (a) Describe the distribution of  $X$ . Include its parameter. (2 marks)

$X$  is Bernoulli, parameter  $p = \frac{1}{300}$

- (b) State the mean and variance of this distribution. (2 marks)

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{300} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = \frac{1}{300} \left(1 - \frac{1}{300}\right)$$

$$= \frac{299}{90000} \quad \checkmark \quad (0.00332)$$

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Question 5

(6 marks)

The table shows the pdf of a discrete random variable; where  $E(X)$  is the expected value of  $X$ .

$x$	1	2	3	4	5
$P(X = x)$	0.2	$p$	0.3	$q$	0.1

(a) If  $E(X^2) = 8.2$ , determine  $p$  and  $q$ .

(3 marks)

①  $p + q = \underline{0.4}$  ✓

②  $1^2(0.2) + 2^2(p) + 3^2(0.3) + 4^2(q) + 5^2(0.1) = 8.2$

or  $0.2 + 4p + 2.7 + 16q + 2.5 = 8.2$  ✓

$\therefore p = \underline{0.3}$  ✓

$q = \underline{0.1}$  ✓

(b) Calculate  $E(X)$ .

(1 mark)

$E(X) = 0.2 + 0.6 + 0.9 + 0.4 + 0.5$

$E(X) = \underline{2.6}$  ✓

(c) If  $Y = 1 - 2X$ , calculate  $E(Y)$ .

(1 mark)

$E(Y) = 1 - 2(2.6)$  ✓

$E(Y) = \underline{-4.2}$  ✓

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Question 6

(5 marks)

The population in a certain country is growing continuously at 3% per annum. Its population  $P$  is such that  $P = P_0 e^{kt}$  where  $P$  is the population in millions,  $t$  years from now. The population is currently 35 million.

- (a) When will the population of the country reach 50 million if it continues to grow at the same rate? (2 marks)

$$P = P_0 e^{kt}$$

$$P = 35 e^{0.03t}$$

$$50 = 35 e^{0.03t} \quad \checkmark$$

$$t = \underline{11.889} \quad \checkmark$$

OR Pop<sup>t</sup> reaches 50 mill  
 ~ 11 yrs & 11 months.

- (b) Data suggests that the capital city's population is growing at a faster rate than that of the country. Currently 22% of the people in the country live in the capital city, and if its population continues to grow at its present rate, 40% of the entire population will live in the capital city 15 years from now. What is the continuous growth rate of the population of the capital city? (3 marks)

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 15 \text{ years time} \Rightarrow 35 e^{15 \times 0.03} \quad (\text{country}) \\ 15 \text{ years time} \Rightarrow (0.22) \times 35 e^{15 \times c} \quad (\text{city}) \end{array} \right. \quad \left[ \text{where } c \text{ is growth rate} \right]$$

$$\therefore \underline{(0.22) \times 35 e^{15c} = 0.4 \times 35 e^{15 \times 0.03}} \quad \checkmark \quad (\text{equation})$$

$$\therefore c = 0.06985$$

c ~ 7% Growth rate.  $\checkmark$  (rate)



Question 7

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- (a) A coin is biased in favour of heads such that the probability of obtaining a head on any single toss is 0.6. The coin is tossed three times and the result noted. If  $X$  is the number of heads obtained on the three tosses, find  $E(X)$ , the expected value of  $X$  by first completing the table below: (3 marks)

$x$	0	1	2	3
$P(X = x)$	0.064	0.288	0.432	0.216

$(0.4)^3$

$(0.6)(0.4)^2$   
 $(0.4)^2(0.6)$   
 $(0.4)(0.6)(0.4)$

$(0.6)^3$

$E(X) = 0.288 + 2(0.432) + 3(0.216)$

$E(x) = \underline{1.8}$  ✓

- (b) For the random variable  $X$  defined above, find:

(i)  $E(3X + 1)$

(1 marks)

$E(3X+1) = 3(1.8) + 1$   
 $= \underline{6.4}$  ✓ (value)

(ii)  $SD(3X+1)$

(1 mark)

Old  $\sigma_x = 0.8485$   
 $SD(3X+1) = (3 \times \text{Old } \sigma_x)$   
 $= \underline{2.5455}$  ✓ (value)

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Question 8

(4 marks)

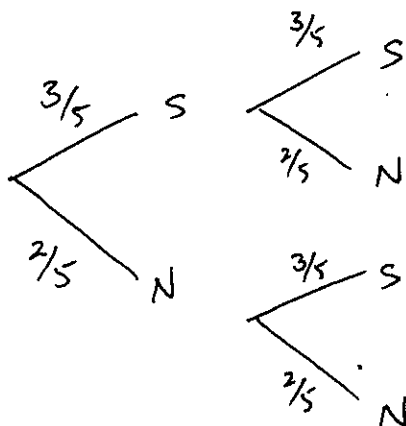
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(a) Complete the following probability distribution table for this random variable.

(2 marks)

$x$	0	1	2
$P(X = x)$	<u>0.16</u> $\frac{4}{25}$	<u>0.48</u> $\frac{12}{25}$	<u>0.36</u> $\frac{9}{25}$

(-1 for each wrong)



SS :  $\frac{3}{5} \times \frac{3}{5} = 0.36$

SN :  $\frac{3}{5} \times \frac{2}{5} = 0.24$

NS :  $\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{3}{5} = 0.24$

NN :  $\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{2}{5} = 0.16$

(b) After five weekdays, what is the probability that the Kappa family have to stop at most once on their way to school on exactly three of the five days? (2 marks)

$P(X \leq 1) = 0.64$  ✓

$\therefore \binom{5}{3} (0.64)^3 (0.36)^2 = 0.3397$  ✓

Question 9

(3 marks)

Find the coordinates of the point(s) on the curve  $y = x + e^{2x}$  where the tangent to the curve at these point(s) are parallel to  $3x - y = 1$ .

$\rightarrow y = 3x - 1 \quad (m=3)$

Find  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3$

$1 + 2e^{2x} = 3$   
 $x = 0$

(Show  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3 \quad \checkmark$   
where  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + 2e^{2x} \quad \checkmark$ )

$\therefore$  pt  $(0, 1)$   $\checkmark$

Question 10

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A bush fire near Walpole at time  $t$  hours is spreading at a rate of  $2.1e^{2t-6} \text{ m}^2/\text{hour}$ .

(a) What area is burnt out in the first 9 hours?

(1 mark)

$\int_0^9 2.1 e^{2t-6} dt = \underline{170\ 892.53 \text{ m}^2} \quad \checkmark$

(b) What area is burnt out during the 11<sup>th</sup> hour?

(1 mark)

$\int_{10}^{11} 2.1 e^{2t-6} dt = \underline{8\ 067\ 681.55 \text{ m}^2} \quad \checkmark$

(c) Explain why this function is an unrealistic model for  $t > 11$ .

(1 mark)

The function increases too quickly!  $\checkmark$

End of questions

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