# Mathematics SL Diagnostic test – Non–Calculator paper (Paper 1)

# Section A

1. Find a value such that 
$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a^{2k+1}$$
 equals 1.2. [6]

2. Solve the simultaneous equations  $\log_3 A + \log_9 B = 5$ ,  $\log_9 A + \log_3 B = 5.5$  [6]

- 3. Consider the function  $y = f(x) = \frac{2^{x+1}+8}{2^{x}+1}$ .
- a) State the domain of the function. [1]
- b) State the value of f(0). [1]
- c) Find an expression for the inverse of f(x). [6]

4. 3 boats A, B and C, depart a pier O (0, 0) at the same time. The velocity vectors of A, B and C are (i + 7j) m s<sup>-1</sup>, (ai + bj) m s<sup>-1</sup> and (5i + 5j) m s<sup>-1</sup>, respectively, with a and b being positive constants.

a) Show that boats A and C have the same speed. [2]

It's given that boat B also sails with the same speed, and that the path of B bisects the acute angle AOC.

b) Find the velocity vector of boat B. [5]

5. Find the point on the graph of  $y = f(x) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$  that's closest to the origin. [6]

6. Solve the equation  $\tan^2(x - \frac{\pi}{4}) = \frac{1}{3}$ , for  $0 \le x \le 2\pi$ . [5]

7. Find the finite area between the parabolas  $y = x^2 + 7x$  and  $y = -x^2 - 3x - 8$ . [6]

#### Section B

- 8. This question is about sketching a rational function graph.
- a) Sketch the graph  $y = f(x) = \frac{2x+3}{x+6}$ , clearly indicating all asymptotes and intercepts. [5]
- b) State the domain, range and inverse of y. [3]
- c) Solve the equation  $f^{-1}(x) = 7$ . [2]
- d) Find k such that the line y = kx + 14 is tangent to f(x). [6]
- e) Find, if it exists, a line that goes through the origin and is tangent to f(x) at some point. [4]

9. It's given that ABCD is a cyclic quadrilateral inscribed on the circumference of a circle, with AB = 1 cm, BC = 3 cm, CD = 3 cm and DA = 5 cm. Given that the sum of opposite angles of cyclic quadrilaterals equals to  $180^{\circ}$ ,.....



- a) Show that  $\cos \angle ABC = -\frac{2}{3}$ , and state the value of  $\cos \angle ADC$ . [7]
- b) Calculate the area of ABCD, giving your answer in surd form. [4]
- c) Calculate the radius of the circle, giving your answer in surd form. [4]

10. This question is about the differentiation of a polynomial.

a) Find the points on the graph  $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3$  where i) f'(x) = 0; ii) f''(x) = 0. [4]

b) Classify each point as a maximum, minimum, or a point of inflection, and justify your answers in each case. [6]

# Mathematics SL Diagnostic test –Calculator paper (Paper 2)

## Section A

1. Find the values of n and k if  $(x + 2)^n(x - k)$ , when expanded, gives -192 - 448x + higher powers of x. [6]

2. Find the sum of all positive integers, up to and including 240, that are divisible by either 4 or 6. [6]

3. A culture of bacteria increases its population by 8% every 14 minutes. Find, correct to the nearest minute, the time it takes for the bacteria population to triple. [4]

4. Consider the following diagram. A bird standing at the top of a wire pole OR, height = h, is being watched by two cats located at P and Q, respectively. The bearing of cat P is 240 (S  $60^{\circ}$  W) and the bearing of cat Q is 130 (S  $50^{\circ}$  E). The angle of elevation from P to R is  $40^{\circ}$  and the angle of elevation from Q to R is  $25^{\circ}$ . The distance PQ is 20 metres.

Find the height, h, of the wire pole, and find the angle OPQ. [7]



5. This question is about integration of an unfamiliar function.

- a) Differentiate  $y = f(x) = xe^{-2x}$ . [3]
- b) Use your result in part a) to find the exact value of  $\int_0^1 x e^{-2x} dx$ . [5]

6. In a population, 5% of the individuals are carriers of a genetic disease. A biochemical blood test is developed to test for carriers. Clinical trials show that the test is accurate 98% of the time if the individual carries the disease, and is accurate 96% of the time if the individual does not carry the disease.

a) What's the chance that a random person gets tested positive? [2]

b) An individual has now been tested positive for being a carrier the disease. What is the chance that he actually is a carrier? [3]

7. This question is about logarithmic functions.

a) Use the change of base formula to help find f'(x) given  $f(x) = \log_2(x)$ . [2]

b) Find the value of m such that  $y = \log_m(x)$  is tangent to the graph of its own inverse  $y = f^1(x)$ . [7]

# Section B

8. At 12:00 a boat starts sailing from the origin (0, 0) with the vector equation B: r = t(i + j). Beacons M and N have position vectors 5i + 2j and 10i + j, respectively.

a) Draw a diagram with x and y axis drawn to scale to indicate the path of B, and the location of M and N. [2]

b) Find t such that the boat is the same distance from each beacon? [5]

c) Let y = cos( $\angle$ MBN). Show that  $y = \frac{f(t)}{\sqrt{g(t) \times h(t)}}$  where f(t), g(t) and h(t) are quadratic expressions to be found. [6]

d) Sketch a graph from t = 0 to 10 that shows how y varies with time. [3]

e) Hence find the maximum and minimum values of  $\angle$ MBN. [4]

9. The east-west position of a toy car, in meters, is given by the equation  $s(t) = -t^3 + 9t^2 - 24t + 20$ . East is designated to be the positive direction in this question. An observing person is standing at s = 0.

a) Find v and a in terms of t. [3]

b) Find the 2 times when the toy car is momentarily at rest? [2]

c) Find when the toy car is moving with the most positive velocity? [3]

d) Find the change in position after 6 seconds. [1]

e) Find the total distance travelled after 6 seconds, and explain why this answer is not the same as the answer in part f. [3]

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- 10. Petra and Vince play a game as follows:
  - Petra rolls two fair dice, notes the larger number showing, subtracts 1 from this number, and uses this result as her score.
  - Vince rolls one die, and uses the number showing as his score.
  - The person with the higher score wins the round. The round is a draw if the two scores are identical.
  - When Petra wins, Vince has to pay her \$m. When Vince wins, Petra has to pay Vince \$5.40. When the score is a tie, no one has to pay anything.
- a) Calculate the probability that Petra wins a particular round. [5]
- b) Find the value of m such that the game above is fair to both. [3]

c) The two now play two consecutive rounds. Given that the results of the two rounds are different, find the probability that each person won one round. [5]

