

**‘2016 Examination Package’ -
Trial Examination 5 of 5**

STUDENT NUMBER

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MATHEMATICAL METHODS

Units 3 & 4 – Written examination 1

(TSSM’s 2015 trial exam updated for the current study design)

Reading time: 15 minutes

Writing time: 1 hour

QUESTION & ANSWER BOOK

Structure of book

<i>Number of questions</i>	<i>Number of questions to be answered</i>	<i>Number of marks</i>
8	8	40
		Total 40

- Students are permitted to bring into the examination room: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners and rulers.
- Students are NOT permitted to bring into the examination room: notes of any kind, blank sheets of paper, white out liquid/tape or a calculator of any type.

Materials supplied

- Question and answer book of 9 pages.
- Working space is provided throughout the book.

Instructions

- Print your name in the space provided on the top of this page.
- All written responses must be in English.

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Instructions

Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

A decimal approximation will not be accepted if an exact answer is required to a question.

In questions where more than one mark is available, appropriate working must be shown.

Unless otherwise indicated, the diagrams in this book are **not** drawn to scale.

Question 1 (4 marks)

Let $f(x) = \sqrt{3 - 5x}$

- a.** Find the domain of $f(x)$.

1 mark

- b.** Find the derivative of $f(x)$ with respect to x .

2 marks

- c.** Find the exact value of $f'\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)$.

1 mark

Question 2 (6 marks)

Consider $f(x) = \sin(3x)$

- a. Evaluate $F(x) = \int f(x)dx$ given that $F(0) = 0$.

3 marks

- b. Hence, solve the equation $F(x) = \frac{1}{2}$ over $[0, \pi]$.

3 marks

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Question 3 (9 marks)

Consider the function with rule $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x+2}$

- a.** Find the rule, f^{-1} , for the inverse of f .

3 marks

- b.** Find the domain and range of the inverse of f .

2 marks

- c. Show that $f^{-1}(x)$ can be written in the form $a + \frac{b}{1-x}$ and hence find $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f^{-1}(x) dx$.

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4 marks

Question 4 (8 marks)

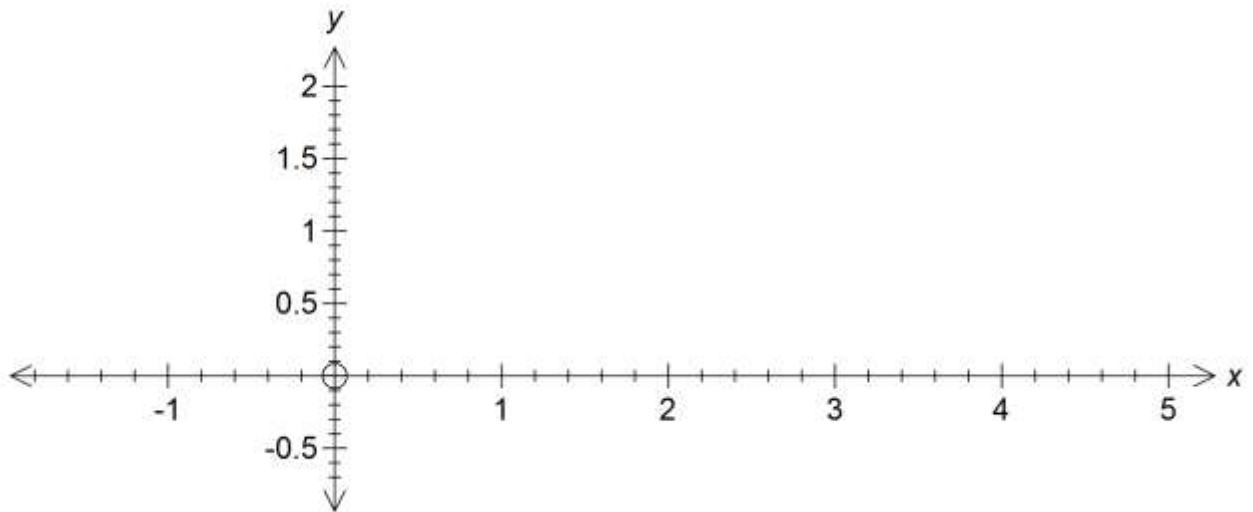
The function $f(x)$ is defined as $f: [0, 3] \rightarrow R$, $f(x) = \frac{1}{4}x^4 - x^3 + x^2$

- a.** Find the stationary points of $f(x)$.

3 marks

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- b.** Sketch the graph of $f(x)$ on the axes below. Label the end-points, stationary points and axes intercepts.



3 marks

- c.** Find the area bounded by the graph of $y = f(x)$ between $x = 0$ and $x = 2$ and the x -axis.

2 marks

Question 5 (5 marks)

Solve the following equations.

a. $\frac{4000}{2+7^{3x}} = 5$

2 marks

b. $2 \times 4^x + 2^x - 1 = 0.$

3 marks

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Question 6 (4 marks)

The discrete random variable X has the following distribution table.

X	0	1	2	3
$Pr(X)$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{10}$	k

- a. Show that $k = \frac{11}{30}$.

1 mark

- b. Find $Pr(X < 2)$.

1 mark

- c. Find the mean of the distribution.

2 marks

Question 7 (2 marks)

The tangent to the curve $y = \frac{3}{x} - 2$ at the point $x = a$, where $a > 0$, has a gradient of -9 . Find the value of a .

2 marks

Question 8 (2 marks)

A sample of r people were asked if strawberry was their favourite ice cream flavour, 90% replied yes.

- a. What is the value of the sample proportion $\hat{p}$?

1 mark

- b. If the number of people in the sample were doubled, what would be the effect on the margin of error M ?

1 mark

Total 2 marks

END OF QUESTION AND ANSWER BOOK