



# Victorian Certificate of Education

## 2009

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# MATHEMATICAL METHODS (CAS)

## Written examination 1

Friday 6 November 2009

Reading time: 9.00 am to 9.15 am (15 minutes)

Writing time: 9.15 am to 10.15 am (1 hour)

### QUESTION AND ANSWER BOOK

#### Structure of book

<i>Number of questions</i>	<i>Number of questions to be answered</i>	<i>Number of marks</i>
10	10	40

- Students are permitted to bring into the examination room: pens, pencils, highlighters, erasers, sharpeners, 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, with a detachable sheet of miscellaneous formulas in the centrefold.
- Working space is provided throughout the book.

#### Instructions

- Detach the formula sheet from the centre of this book during reading time.
- Write your **student number** in the space provided above on 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**

- a. Differentiate  $x \log_e(x)$  with respect to  $x$ .

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- b. For  $f(x) = \frac{\cos(x)}{2x+2}$  find  $f'(\pi)$ .

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**Question 2**

- a. Find an anti-derivative of  $\frac{1}{1-2x}$  with respect to  $x$ .

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- b. Evaluate  $\int_1^4 (\sqrt{x} + 1) dx$ .

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**Question 3**

- Let  $f: R \setminus \{0\} \rightarrow R$  where  $f(x) = \frac{3}{x} - 4$ . Find  $f^{-1}$ , the inverse function of  $f$ .

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**Question 4**

Solve the equation  $\tan(2x) = \sqrt{3}$  for  $x \in \left(-\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \cup \left(\frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}\right)$ .

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**Question 5**

Four identical balls are numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4 and put into a box. A ball is randomly drawn from the box, and not returned to the box. A second ball is then randomly drawn from the box.

- a. What is the probability that the first ball drawn is numbered 4 and the second ball drawn is numbered 1?

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- b. What is the probability that the sum of the numbers on the two balls is 5?

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- c. Given that the sum of the numbers on the two balls is 5, what is the probability that the second ball drawn is numbered 1?

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**Question 6**

Oil is leaking at a constant rate to form a circular puddle on the floor. The oil is being added to the puddle at the rate of  $10 \text{ mm}^3$  per minute causing the puddle to spread out evenly, with constant depth of 2 mm.

When the radius of the puddle is  $r$  mm, the volume,  $V \text{ mm}^3$ , of oil in the puddle is given by  $V = 2\pi r^2$ .

Find the rate of change of the radius of the puddle when the radius is 30 mm. Give an exact answer, with units of mm per minute.

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**Question 7**

The random variable  $X$  has this probability distribution.

$X$	0	1	2	3	4
$\Pr(X = x)$	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.1

Find

a.  $\Pr(X > 1 | X \leq 3)$

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b.  $\text{Var}(X)$ , the variance of  $X$ .

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**Question 8**

Let  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $f(x) = e^x + k$ , where  $k$  is a real number. The tangent to the graph of  $f$  at the point where  $x = a$  passes through the point  $(0, 0)$ . Find the value of  $k$  in terms of  $a$ .

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**Question 9**

Solve the equation  $2 \log_e(x) - \log_e(x+3) = \log_e\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$  for  $x$ .

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**Question 10**

- a. Use the relationship  $f(x+h) \approx f(x) + hf'(x)$  for a small positive value of  $h$ , to find an approximate value for  $\sqrt[3]{8.06}$ .

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- b. Explain why this approximate value is greater than the exact value for  $\sqrt[3]{8.06}$ .

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# **MATHEMATICAL METHODS AND MATHEMATICAL METHODS (CAS)**

## **Written examinations 1 and 2**

### **FORMULA SHEET**

#### **Directions to students**

Detach this formula sheet during reading time.

This formula sheet is provided for your reference.

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## Mathematical Methods and Mathematical Methods (CAS) Formulas

### Mensuration

area of a trapezium:  $\frac{1}{2}(a+b)h$

curved surface area of a cylinder:  $2\pi rh$

volume of a cylinder:  $\pi r^2 h$

volume of a cone:  $\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$

volume of a pyramid:  $\frac{1}{3}Ah$

volume of a sphere:  $\frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

area of a triangle:  $\frac{1}{2}bc \sin A$

### Calculus

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n) = nx^{n-1}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{ax}) = ae^{ax}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_e(x)) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\sin(ax)) = a \cos(ax)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\cos(ax)) = -a \sin(ax)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan(ax)) = \frac{a}{\cos^2(ax)} = a \sec^2(ax)$$

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + c, n \neq -1$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax} + c$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \log_e |x| + c$$

$$\int \sin(ax) dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos(ax) + c$$

$$\int \cos(ax) dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin(ax) + c$$

product rule:  $\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$

quotient rule:  $\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{u}{v}\right) = \frac{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}{v^2}$

chain rule:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{du} \frac{du}{dx}$

approximation:  $f(x+h) \approx f(x) + hf'(x)$

### Probability

$$\Pr(A) = 1 - \Pr(A')$$

$$\Pr(A \cup B) = \Pr(A) + \Pr(B) - \Pr(A \cap B)$$

$$\Pr(A|B) = \frac{\Pr(A \cap B)}{\Pr(B)}$$

mean:  $\mu = E(X)$

variance:  $\text{var}(X) = \sigma^2 = E((X - \mu)^2) = E(X^2) - \mu^2$

probability distribution		mean	variance
discrete	$\Pr(X = x) = p(x)$	$\mu = \sum x p(x)$	$\sigma^2 = \sum (x - \mu)^2 p(x)$
continuous	$\Pr(a < X < b) = \int_a^b f(x) dx$	$\mu = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x f(x) dx$	$\sigma^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (x - \mu)^2 f(x) dx$