# THREE-YEAR SEQUENCE FOR HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS 

## COURSE III

Thursday, January 30, 2003 - 9:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., only

Notice . . .
Scientific calculators must be available to all students taking this examination.

The formulas that you may need to answer some questions in this examination are found on page 2. The last page of the booklet is the answer sheet. Fold the last page along the perforations and, slowly and carefully, tear off the answer sheet. Then fill in the heading of the answer sheet.

When you have completed the examination, you must sign the statement printed at the end of the answer sheet, indicating that you had no unlawful knowledge of the questions or answers prior to the examination and that you have neither given nor received assistance in answering any of the questions during the examination. The answer sheet cannot be accepted if you fail to sign this declaration.

## Formulas

Pythagorean and Quotient Identities

$$
\begin{array}{ll}
\sin ^{2} A+\cos ^{2} A=1 & \tan A=\frac{\sin A}{\cos A} \\
\tan ^{2} A+1=\sec ^{2} A & \cot A=\frac{\cos A}{\sin A} \\
\cot ^{2} A+1=\csc ^{2} A &
\end{array}
$$

Functions of the Sum of Two Angles

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sin (A+B)=\sin A \cos B+\cos A \sin B \\
& \cos (A+B)=\cos A \cos B-\sin A \sin B \\
& \tan (A+B)=\frac{\tan A+\tan B}{1-\tan A \tan B}
\end{aligned}
$$

Functions of the Difference of Two Angles

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \sin (A-B)=\sin A \cos B-\cos A \sin B \\
& \cos (A-B)=\cos A \cos B+\sin A \sin B \\
& \tan (A-B)=\frac{\tan A-\tan B}{1+\tan A \tan B}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Law of Sines

$$
\frac{a}{\sin A}=\frac{b}{\sin B}=\frac{c}{\sin C}
$$

## $\underline{\text { Law of Cosines }}$

$$
a^{2}=b^{2}+c^{2}-2 b c \cos A
$$

Functions of the Double Angle
$\sin 2 A=2 \sin A \cos A$
$\cos 2 A=\cos ^{2} A-\sin ^{2} A$
$\cos 2 A=2 \cos ^{2} A-1$
$\cos 2 A=1-2 \sin ^{2} A$
$\tan 2 A=\frac{2 \tan A}{1-\tan ^{2} A}$

Functions of the Half Angle

$$
\sin \frac{1}{2} A= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos A}{2}}
$$

$$
\cos \frac{1}{2} A= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1+\cos A}{2}}
$$

$$
\tan \frac{1}{2} A= \pm \sqrt{\frac{1-\cos A}{1+\cos A}}
$$

Area of Triangle

$$
K=\frac{1}{2} a b \sin C
$$

## Standard Deviation

## Part I

Answer 30 questions from this part. Each correct answer will receive 2 credits. No partial credit will be allowed. Write your answers in the spaces provided on the separate answer sheet. Where applicable, answers may be left in terms of $\pi$ or in radical form. [60]

1 What is the negative value of $x$ that satisfies the equation $|3 x+1|=8$ ?

2 Evaluate: $\sum_{n=2}^{5}(n-2)^{2}$
3 If $f(x)=2 x^{3}+4 x^{2}$, find $f(-3)$.

4 Express $240^{\circ}$ in radian measure.

5 When the number 0.00422 is expressed in scientific notation as $4.22 \times 10^{n}$, what is the value of $n$ ?

6 Find the coordinates of the image of point (5,2) after a reflection in the line $y=x$.

7 Express $-3 i+\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{-64}$ as a monomial in terms of $i$.

8 Find the coordinates of $P^{\prime}$, the image of $P(-3,4)$ under the translation $T_{4,1}$.

9 Two tangents are drawn to a circle from an external point. If the measure of the major arc is $260^{\circ}$, what is the measure, in degrees, of the angle formed by the two tangents?

10 If $\mathrm{f}(x)=x^{-\frac{3}{2}}$, find $\mathrm{f}\left(\frac{16}{9}\right)$.

11 If $\mathrm{f}(x)=x^{3}+1$ and $g(x)=x+4$, find $(\mathrm{f} \circ \mathrm{g})(-6)$.

12 If $\mathrm{f}(x)=\frac{1}{x^{2}-x}$, for which value or values of $x$ is $\mathrm{f}(x)$ undefined?

13 In acute triangle $A B C$, side $a=10$, side $b=12$, and $\mathrm{m} \angle A=42$. Find $\mathrm{m} \angle B$ to the nearest degree.

14 In the accompanying diagram, tangent $\overline{P A}$ and secant $\overline{P B C}$ are drawn to circle $O$ from external point $P$. If $P A=8$ and $P B=4$, find the length of $\overline{B C}$.


15 What is the value of sec $\left(\operatorname{Arccos} \frac{5}{7}\right)$ ?

16 In a circle whose radius is 5 centimeters, a central angle intercepts an arc of 10 centimeters. What is the number of radians in the central angle?

Directions (17-35): For each question chosen, write on the separate answer sheet the numeral preceding the word or expression that best completes the statement or answers the question.

17 The expression $\sin 80^{\circ} \cos 70^{\circ}+\cos 80^{\circ} \sin 70^{\circ}$ is equivalent to
(1) $\sin 10^{\circ}$
(3) $\sin 150^{\circ}$
(2) $\cos 10^{\circ}$
(4) $\cos 150^{\circ}$

18 In the accompanying diagram of circle $O$, $\mathrm{m} \angle A C B=38$.


What is $\mathrm{m} \angle A O B$ ?
(1) 19
(3) 52
(2) 38
(4) 76

19 In the accompanying diagram of a unit circle, the ordered pair $(x, y)$ represents the point where the terminal side of $\theta$ intersects the unit circle.


If $x=-\frac{1}{2}$, what is one possible value for $\theta$ ?
(1) $60^{\circ}$
(3) $145^{\circ}$
(2) $120^{\circ}$
(4) $150^{\circ}$

20 The expression $\frac{\frac{3 x}{x+3}}{\frac{x}{x^{2}-9}}$ is equivalent to
(1) $3 x-9$
(3) $3 x$
(2) $2 x+6$
(4) $\frac{3}{x+3}$

21 If $\sin \theta=\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$ and $\cos \theta=-\frac{3}{4}$, what is $\tan \theta$ ?
(1) $\frac{4}{3}$
(3) $\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}$
(2) $-\frac{\sqrt{7}}{4}$
(4) $-\frac{\sqrt{7}}{3}$

22 What is the period of the function $y=-3 \sin 2 x$ ?
(1) $-\frac{\pi}{2}$
(3) $2 \pi$
(2) 2
(4) $\pi$

23 The expression $\frac{2 \cos x}{\sin 2 x}$ is equivalent to
(1) $\cos x$
(3) $\sin x$
(2) $\csc x$
(4) $\sec x$

24 If the domain is the set of real numbers, what is the solution set for the equation $x^{2}+4=0$ ?
(1) $\{-2\}$
(3) $\{2,-2\}$
(2) $\{2\}$
(4) $\}$

25 If $0^{\circ}<\theta<360^{\circ}$, the solutions of the equation $9^{\sin \theta}=3$ are $30^{\circ}$ and
(1) $150^{\circ}$
(3) $320^{\circ}$
(2) $210^{\circ}$
(4) $330^{\circ}$

26 The roots of the equation $3 x^{2}-7 x=5$ are
(1) real, rational, and unequal
(2) real, rational, and equal
(3) real, irrational, and unequal
(4) imaginary

27 If $a=-3+2 i$ and $b=4-i$, in which quadrant does the graph of $2 a-b$ lie?
(1) I
(3) III
(2) II
(4) IV

28 The expression $\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}+1}$ is equivalent to
(1) $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
(3) $\sqrt{3}-1$
(2) $\frac{2 \sqrt{3}+2}{4}$
(4) $1-\sqrt{3}$

29 What is the solution set of $\sqrt{2-x}=x$ ?
(1) $\{1\}$
(3) $\{-2,1\}$
(2) $\{-2\}$
(4) $\{-1,2\}$

30 How many distinct triangles can be constructed if $\mathrm{m} \angle A=60$, side $a=5 \sqrt{3}$, and side $b=10$ ?
(1) 1
(3) 3
(2) 2
(4) 0

31 The heights of a group of girls are normally distributed with a mean of 66 inches. If $95 \%$ of the heights of these girls are between 63 and 69 inches, what is the standard deviation for this group?
(1) 1
(3) 3
(2) 1.5
(4) 6

32 What is the third term in the expansion of $(a-2 b)^{6}$ ?
(1) $-160 a^{3} b^{3}$
(3) $-60 a^{4} b^{2}$
(2) $160 a^{3} b^{3}$
(4) $60 a^{4} b^{2}$

33 If $\log x=\log a-3 \log b, x$ is equal to
(1) $a-3 b$
(3) $\frac{a}{3 b}$
(2) $a-b^{3}$
(4) $\frac{a}{b^{3}}$

34 Which expression is equivalent to $i^{233}$ ?
(1) 1
(3) $i$
(2) -1
(4) $-i$

35 The graph below represents the solution set of which inequality?

(1) $x^{2}-2 x-8<0$
(2) $x^{2}+2 x-8<0$
(3) $x^{2}-2 x-8>0$
(4) $x^{2}+2 x-8>0$

Answers to the following questions are to be written on paper provided by the school.

## Part II

Answer four questions from this part. Clearly indicate the necessary steps, including appropriate formula substitutions, diagrams, graphs, charts, etc. Calculations that may be obtained by mental arithmetic or the calculator do not need to be shown. [40]

36 In the accompanying diagram of circle $O$, tangent $\overline{P B}$, secant $\overline{A E C P}$, chord $\overline{D E B}$, and chord $\overline{C B}$ are drawn; $\mathrm{m} \overparen{D C}=90$;
$\mathrm{m} \angle D E C=85 ; B P=15$; and $C B=8$.


Find:
$a \mathrm{~m} \overparen{A B} \quad$ [2]
$b \mathrm{~m} \angle A C B \quad[2]$
c $\mathrm{m} \angle P$ to the nearest degree [6]

37 Find, to the nearest tenth of a degree, all values of $\theta$ in the interval $0^{\circ} \leq \theta<360^{\circ}$ that satisfy the equation $5 \sin ^{2} \theta-9 \cos \theta-3=0$. [10]
$38 a$ On the same set of axes, sketch and label the graphs of the equation $y=-3 \sin \frac{1}{2} x$ and $y=\cos 2 x$ in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2 \pi$. [8]
$b$ Using the graphs sketched in part $a$, determine the number of values of $x$ in the interval $0 \leq x \leq 2 \pi$ that satisfy the equation $\cos 2 x=-3 \sin \frac{1}{2} x$. [2]
$39 a$ Solve for $x$ and express your answer in simplest $a+b i$ form:

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x^{2}+29=4 x \quad[5]
$$

b Express in simplest form:

$$
\frac{36-x^{2}}{x^{2}+8 x+12} \div \frac{x^{2}-6 x}{x-2}
$$

40 A hiking trail is planned in the shape of a triangle with sides 2.3 miles, 8.1 miles, and 6.2 miles.
$a$ Find, to the nearest tenth of a degree or the nearest ten minutes, the angle between the 2.3-mile side and the 6.2 -mile side. [6]
$b$ Find the area of the triangle to the nearest tenth of a square mile. [4]

41 a Six golfers had the following scores for nine holes of golf: $38,38,43,45,46$, and 48.
(1) Find the standard deviation of these scores to the nearest tenth. [4]
(2) How many scores are within one standard deviation of the mean? [1]
$b$ A varsity basketball player makes $\frac{3}{4}$ of the foul shots she attempts. Find the probability that in four attempts she will make:
(1) exactly three foul shots [2]
(2) at least three foul shots
[3]
$42 a$ On graph paper, sketch the graph of the function $\mathrm{f}(x)=\log _{2} x$ in the interval $0<x \leq 8$. [4]
$b$ On the same set of axes, sketch the inverse of the graph drawn in part $a$, and label it $b$. [4]
$c$ Write the equation of $\mathrm{f}^{-1}(x)$. [2]

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## ANSWER SHEET



Your answers for Part II should be placed on paper provided by the school.
The declaration below should be signed when you have completed the examination.

I do hereby affirm, at the close of this examination, that $I$ had no unlawful knowledge of the questions or answers prior to the examination and that $I$ have neither given nor received assistance in answering any of the questions during the examination.

Signature

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## SCORING KEY

Use only red ink or red pencil in rating Regents papers. Do not attempt to correct the student's work by making insertions or changes of any kind. Use checkmarks to indicate student errors.

Unless otherwise specified, mathematically correct variations in the answers will be allowed. Units need not be given when the wording of the questions allows such omissions.

## Part I

Allow a total of 60 credits, 2 credits for each of 30 of the following. [If more than 30 are answered, only the first 30 answered should be considered.] Allow no partial credit. For questions 17-35, allow credit if the student has written the correct answer instead of the numeral $1,2,3$, or 4 .
(1) -3
(11) -7
(21) 4
(31) 2
(2) 14
(12) 0 and 1
(22) 4
(32) 4
(3) -18
(13) 53
(23) 2
(33) 4
(4) $\frac{4 \pi}{3}$
(14) 12
(24) 4
(34) 3
(5) -3
(15) $\frac{7}{5}$
(25) 1
(35) 2
(6) $(2,5)$
(16) 2
(26) 3
(7) $i$
(17) 3
(27) 2
(8) $(1,5)$
(18) 4
(28) 3
(9) 80
(19) 2
(29) 1
(10) $\frac{27}{64}$
(20) 1
(30) 1

## Part II

Please refer to the Department's publication Guide for Rating Regents Examinations in Mathematics, 1996 Edition. Care should be exercised in making deductions as to whether the error is purely a mechanical one or due to a violation of some principle. A mechanical error generally should receive a deduction of 10 percent, while an error due to a violation of some cardinal principle should receive a deduction ranging from 30 percent to 50 percent, depending on the relative importance of the principle in the solution of the problem.
(36) a 80
[2] b 40
[2]
(40) a $140.1^{\circ}$ or $140^{\circ} 10^{\prime}$
[6]
b 4.6 [4]
c 20
[6]

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\text { (41) } a(1) 3.8
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(37) 78.5 and $281.5 \quad[10]$
(2) 3
$\begin{array}{rrr}b \text { (1) } \frac{108}{256} & {[2]} \\ \text { (2) } \frac{189}{256} & {[3]}\end{array}$
(38) $b 0$
[2]
(39) $a 2 \pm 5 i$
[5]

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b-\frac{(x-2)}{x(x+2)}
$$

(42) c $y=2^{x}$
[2]

## As a reminder . . .

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