## DRAFT PERFORMANCE BANDS

## **MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 2**

The typical performance in this band:

	Exhibite mastery of most accords of the Mathematica Mathematica
Band E4	<ul> <li>Exhibits mastery of most aspects of the Mathematics, Mathematics Extension 1 and Mathematics Extension 2 courses</li> </ul>
	Synthesises mathematical techniques, results, and ideas creatively
	across the Mathematics, Mathematics Extension 1 and Mathematics
	Extension 2 courses to solve problems
	• Combines excellent algebraic and modelling skills, multi-step logic and
	mathematical insight to solve difficult problems
	Constructs proofs in an abstract setting
	Communicates sophisticated mathematical ideas and relationships
	using the algebraic, diagrammatic and graphical techniques of
	mathematics, concise notation and clear logical argument
Band E3	Exhibits facility with the techniques of the Mathematics, Mathematics
	Extension 1 and Mathematics Extension 2 courses
	Solves problems from the Mathematics Extension 2 topic areas, such
	as complex numbers, volumes, polynomials, conics and mechanics
	• Successfully graphs a wide variety of functions showing critical points,
	asymptotes and points of inflexion without necessarily using calculus
	Demonstrates a sound grasp of both algebraic and geometric
	techniques required to solve problems
	Communicates mathematical ideas and relationships using the
	algebraic, diagrammatic and graphical techniques of mathematics,
	appropriate notation and logical argument
Band E2	• Exhibits knowledge of the techniques of the Mathematics, Mathematics
	Extension 1 and Mathematics Extension 2 courses
	Solves standard problems from the Mathematics Extension 2 topic
	areas such as integration and complex numbers
	Graphs a wide variety of functions showing many features without
	necessarily using calculus
	Applies calculus and other appropriate ideas to model practical
	problems
	Communicates effectively using mathematical language, notation,
	diagrams and graphs
Band E1	