

1 $\Delta SQR: \tan 30^\circ = \frac{4}{QR} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4}{QR}$
 $\Rightarrow QR = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}+1}$
 $= \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}+1} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{\sqrt{3}-1}$
 $= \frac{4\sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3}-1)}{3-1}$
 $= 2(3-\sqrt{3})$
 $\therefore PR = 2\sqrt{3} + 4(3-\sqrt{3})$
 $= 12 - 2\sqrt{3}$
 $\therefore \text{Area of trapezium} = \frac{1}{2}[2\sqrt{3} + 12 - 2\sqrt{3}] \times \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}+1}$
 $= \frac{24}{\sqrt{3}+1}$
 $= \frac{24(\sqrt{3}-1)}{(\sqrt{3}+1)(\sqrt{3}-1)}$
 $= \frac{24(\sqrt{3}-1)}{3-1}$
 $= 12(\sqrt{3}-1) \text{ units}^2$ [5]

2 $\frac{4x^3 + x^2 + 6}{(x-2)(x^2+2)} = 4 + \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+2}$
 Multiplying by $(x-2)(x^2+2)$, we obtain
 $4x^3 + x^2 + 6 = 4(x-2)(x^2+2) + A(x^2+2) + (Bx+C)(x-2)$
 Sub $x = 2$: $4 \times 8 + 4 + 6 = A(4+2)$
 $42 = 6A \Rightarrow A = 7$
 Sub $x = 0$: $6 = -16 + 2(7) + C(-2)$
 $-2C = 8 \Rightarrow C = -4$
 Compare x^2 : $1 = -8 + 7 + B \Rightarrow B = 2$
 $\therefore \frac{4x^3 + x^2 + 6}{(x-2)(x^2+2)} = 4 + \frac{7}{x-2} + \frac{2-4x}{x^2+2}$ [5]

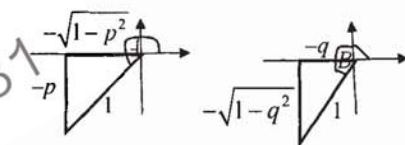
3 (i) $8x^3 - (x-1)^3 = (2x)^3 - (x-1)^3$
 $= [2x - (x-1)][(2x)^2 + 2x(x-1) + (x-1)^2]$
 $= (x+1)(4x^2 + 2x^2 - 2x + x^2 - 2x + 1)$
 $= (x+1)(7x^2 - 4x + 1)$ [3]
 (ii) $8x^3 - (x-1)^3 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow (x+1)(7x^2 - 4x + 1) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow x = -1$ since for $7x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$,
 $D = (-4)^2 - 4(7) = -12 < 0$
 $\therefore 7x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$ has no real roots.
 Thus $8x^3 - (x-1)^3 = 0$ has only one real root, -1 . [2]

4 (i) The minimum point (h, k) lies on the line of symmetry: $x = \frac{1+3}{2} = 2$.
 $\therefore h = 2$ [1]
 (ii) $y = a(x-h)^2 + k$ where $a > 0$
 For $(1, 0)$: $-|a+k| = 0 \Rightarrow a+k = 0$
 $\Rightarrow k = -a \dots (1)$
 For $(0, -9)$: $-|4a+k| = -9 \Rightarrow |3a| = 9$
 $\Rightarrow 3a = 9$
 $a = 3$
 $k = -3$
 (iii) We find the value of m where the line $y = mx$ is tangent to the curve.
 $y = mx \dots (1)$
 $y = 3(x-2)^2 - 3 \dots (2)$
 $(1) = (2): mx = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$
 $3x^2 - (12+m)x + 9 = 0$
 Since the line is tangent to the curve, then $D = 0$,
 i.e. $[-(12+m)]^2 - 4 \times 3 \times 9 = 0$
 $(12+m)^2 = 108$
 $12+m = \pm\sqrt{108}$
 $= \pm 6\sqrt{3}$
 $\therefore m = -12 \pm 6\sqrt{3}$
 $\therefore m = -12 + 6\sqrt{3}$ since $m > -3$

Thus, the line intersects the curve at four distinct points when $-12 + 6\sqrt{3} < m < 0$. [2]

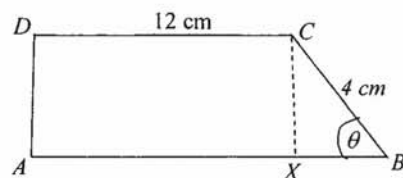
5 (i) gradient of $OQ = \frac{2-0}{4-0} = \frac{1}{2}$
 $\therefore$ gradient of $\perp$ bisector of $OQ = -2$
 Midpoint of $OQ = \left(\frac{4+0}{2}, \frac{2+0}{2}\right)$
 $= (2, 1)$
 Thus, equation of the perpendicular bisector of OQ is $y - 1 = -2(x - 2)$
 $y = -2x + 5$ [3]
 (ii) When $x = 0$, $y = 5$.
 When $x = 3$, $y = -1$.
 These results show that R and P lie on the perpendicular bisector of OQ .
 i.e., RP is the perpendicular bisector of OQ .
 Thus, the quadrilateral $OPQR$ is a kite. [2]
 (iii) Let $T = (a, b)$
 Since $OPQT$ is a rhombus, then midpoint of OQ is the midpoint of RP .
 $\therefore \left(\frac{a+3}{2}, \frac{b-1}{2}\right) = (2, 1)$
 $\Rightarrow a = 1, b = 3$
 $\therefore T = (1, 3)$. [2]

6 $4x^2 + px + q = 0$
 (i) Since the roots are $\frac{1}{\alpha}$ and $\frac{1}{\beta}$, then
 $\frac{1}{\alpha} + \frac{1}{\beta} = -\frac{p}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{\beta + \alpha}{\alpha\beta} = -\frac{p}{4}$
 $\Rightarrow \frac{5}{2} = -\frac{p}{4}$
 $\therefore p = -10$
 $\frac{1}{\alpha} \times \frac{1}{\beta} = \frac{q}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{q}{4}$
 $\therefore q = 2$
 $p = -10, q = 2$ [4]

(ii) For the new equation, the roots are $\frac{2\alpha^2}{\beta}$ and $\frac{2\beta^2}{\alpha}$. Sum of roots = $\frac{2\alpha^2}{\beta} + \frac{2\beta^2}{\alpha}$ $= \frac{2(\alpha^3 + \beta^3)}{\alpha\beta}$ $= \frac{2(\alpha + \beta)[\alpha^2 - \alpha\beta + \beta^2]}{\alpha\beta}$ $= \frac{2(\alpha + \beta)[(\alpha + \beta)^2 - 3\alpha\beta]}{\alpha\beta}$ $= \frac{2(5)[5^2 - 3 \times 2]}{2}$ $= 95$ Product of roots = $\left(\frac{2\alpha^2}{\beta}\right)\left(\frac{2\beta^2}{\alpha}\right)$ $= 4\alpha\beta$ $= 4 \times 2$ $= 8$ Thus the equation is $x^2 - 95x + 8 = 0$. [5]	$3(x + 2)^2 = 0$ The equation has equal roots $x = -2$ So the line is tangent to the curve. [2] 8 (a) Given: $y = 2x^3 - 9x^2 - 1$ gradient: $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 18x$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12x - 18$ For minimum gradient, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$, i.e., $12x - 18 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{3}{2}$ Since $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 12 (> 0)$, gradient is minimum at $x = \frac{3}{2}$. $\therefore$ Minimum gradient = $6\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 - 18\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$ $= -13.5$ [3] (b) When $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + k$ touches the positive x-axis at A [This means that the x-axis is tangent to the curve at A and so A is a stationary point.] (i) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 12x$ At A, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow 3x(x - 4) = 0$ $\therefore x = 0$ or $x = 4$ For A, $x > 0$, $\therefore A = (4, 0)$ [2] (ii) A also lies on the curve, $\therefore 0 = 4^3 - 6 \times 4^2 + k$ $\therefore k = 32$ [1] (iii) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x - 12$ At A, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6(4) - 12$	$= 12 (> 0)$ Thus A is a minimum point. [2] 9 (a) $\frac{5 - 10\cos^2 A}{\sin A - \cos A} = \frac{5(\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A) - 10\cos^2 A}{\sin A - \cos A}$ $= \frac{5(\sin^2 A - \cos^2 A)}{\sin A - \cos A}$ $= \frac{5(\sin A + \cos A)(\sin A - \cos A)}{\sin A - \cos A}$ $= 5(\sin A + \cos A)$ [3] (b) Given: $\sin A = -p$ $\cos B = -q$ and A and B lie in the same quadrant, then they both lie in 3rd quadrant.  (i) $\sin(-A) = -\sin A$ $= p$ [1] (ii) $\tan(45^\circ - A) = \frac{\tan 45^\circ - \tan A}{1 + \tan 45^\circ \tan A}$ $= \frac{1 - \tan A}{1 + \tan A}$ since $\tan 45^\circ = 1$ $= \frac{1 - \frac{-p}{-\sqrt{1-p^2}}}{1 + \frac{-p}{-\sqrt{1-p^2}}}$ $= \frac{\sqrt{1-p^2} - p}{\sqrt{1-p^2} + p}$ [3] (iii) $\sec 2B = \frac{1}{\cos 2B}$ $= \frac{1}{2\cos^2 B - 1}$ $= \frac{1}{2(-q)^2 - 1}$ $= \frac{1}{2q^2 - 1}$ [2]
7 (a) Given: $x^2 + ax + 2(a - 1) > 1$ $x^2 + ax + (2a - 3) > 0$ For a positive quadratic function, $D < 0$ $\therefore a^2 - 4(2a - 3) < 0$ $\therefore a^2 - 8a + 12 < 0$ $\therefore (a - 2)(a - 6) < 0$ $\therefore 2 < a < 6$ [3] (b) $y = 3x^2 + 4x + 6$ (i) $y > 6 \Rightarrow 3x^2 + 4x + 6 > 6$ $3x^2 + 4x > 0$ $x(3x + 4) > 0$ $\therefore x < -\frac{4}{3}$ or $x > 0$ [2] (ii) $y = 3x^2 + 4x + 6$ $y = -8x - 6$ $\therefore 3x^2 + 4x + 6 = -8x - 6$ $3x^2 + 12x + 12 = 0$		

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(i)



$$\sin \theta = \frac{CX}{4} \Rightarrow CX = 4 \sin \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{BX}{4} \Rightarrow BX = 4 \cos \theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of trapezium} &= \frac{1}{2} [12 + 12 + 4 \cos \theta] \times 4 \sin \theta \\ &= (12 + 2 \cos \theta) 4 \sin \theta \\ &= 48 \sin \theta + 4(2 \sin \theta \cos \theta) \\ &= 48 \sin \theta + 4 \sin 2\theta \quad (\text{shown}) \end{aligned} \quad [3]$$

$$(ii) \quad \frac{dA}{d\theta} = 48 \cos \theta + 8 \cos 2\theta$$

$$\text{For maximum } A, \frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0.$$

$$\therefore 48 \cos \theta + 8 \cos 2\theta = 0$$

$$48 \cos \theta + 8(2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) = 0$$

$$8(2 \cos^2 \theta + 6 \cos \theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{6^2 - 4 \times 2 \times (-1)}}{4}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{44}}{4}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-6 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{4}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{11}}{4} \quad \text{since } \theta \text{ is acute.}$$

$$\therefore \theta = 1.49155$$

$$\frac{d^2 A}{d\theta^2} = -48 \sin \theta - 16 \sin 2\theta$$

$$\text{When } \theta = 1.49155, \frac{d^2 A}{d\theta^2} < 0,$$

$$\text{Thus } A \text{ is maximum when } \theta = 1.49. \quad [5]$$

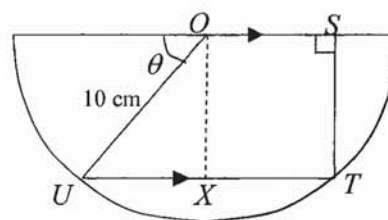
(iii) Maximum A

$$= 48 \sin(1.49155) + 4 \sin 2(1.49155)$$

$$= 53.3 \text{ sq units} \quad [1]$$

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(i)

Consider $\triangle OUX$, $\angle OUX = \theta$ (alternate angles)

$$\sin \theta = \frac{OX}{10} \Rightarrow OX = 10 \sin \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{UX}{10} \Rightarrow UX = 10 \cos \theta$$

$$L = 10 + UT + ST + OS$$

$$= 10 + 2 \times 10 \cos \theta + 10 \sin \theta + 10 \cos \theta$$

$$= 10 + 30 \cos \theta + 10 \sin \theta \quad (\text{shown}) \quad [3]$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{Let } 30 \cos \theta + 10 \sin \theta = R \cos(\theta - \alpha)$$

$$\text{Then } R = \sqrt{30^2 + 10^2} = 10\sqrt{10}$$

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{10}{30} \Rightarrow \alpha = 18.434^\circ$$

$$\therefore L = 10 + 10\sqrt{10} \cos(\theta - 18.4^\circ) \quad [3]$$

(iii) Since $\max L = 10 + 10\sqrt{10} = 41.6$, it is impossible for the perimeter of $OSTU$ to be 50 cm. [1]

(iv) Given: $L = 35$

$$10 + 10\sqrt{10} \cos(\theta - 18.434^\circ) = 35$$

$$\cos(\theta - 18.434^\circ) = \frac{35 - 10}{10\sqrt{10}} = \frac{5}{2\sqrt{10}}$$

$$\text{Basic angle} = 37.761^\circ$$

$$\therefore \theta - 18.434^\circ = 37.761^\circ$$

$$\therefore \theta = 56.2^\circ \quad [3]$$

1 Given: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x - 2$

$\therefore$ Integrating, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 2x + c$

Given that gradient of normal at $P(2, -8) = -\frac{1}{2}$, this means that gradient of tangent at $P = 2$, i.e. when $x = 2$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$

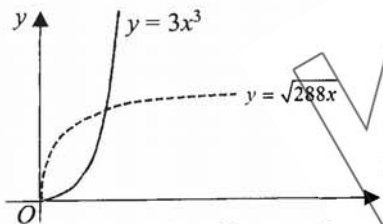
$\therefore 2 = 3(2)^2 - 2(2) + c$
 $\Rightarrow c = -6$

$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 2x - 6$

$\therefore$ Integrating, $y = x^3 - x^2 - 6x + c_2$

Since $P(2, -8)$ lies on the curve, i.e. when $x = 2$, $y = -8$,
 $\therefore -8 = 2^3 - 2^2 - 6(2) + c_2$
 $\Rightarrow c_2 = 0$

Thus the equation of the curve is
 $y = x^3 - x^2 - 6x$

2 (i) 

(ii) To find the point of intersection, we solve the equations simultaneously:
 $y = 3x^3 \dots (1)$
 $y = \sqrt{288x} \dots (2)$

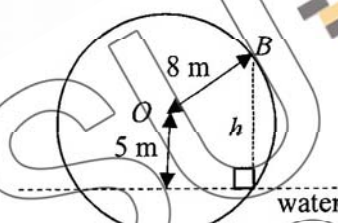
(1) = (2): $3x^3 = \sqrt{288x}$
 $9x^6 = 288x$
 $9x^6 - 288x = 0$ [Do not divide by variable x]
 $9x(x^5 - 32) = 0$
 $\therefore x = 0$ or $x = 2$
 $y = 0$ or $x = 24$

So the 2 points of intersection are $(0, 0)$ and $(2, 24)$.
 Gradient of line joining these 2 points = $\frac{24-0}{2-0}$
 $= 12$

$y = 3x^3$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 9x^2$

Since gradient of tangent to the curve at A is parallel to the line passing through the 2 points of intersection,
 $\therefore 9x^2 = 12$
 $x^2 = \frac{4}{3}$
 $\therefore x = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$ since $x \geq 0$. [4]

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Given: $h = a \cos bt + c$

(i) Starting point is when B is at its highest point, i.e. when $t = 0$, $h = 13$
 $\therefore 13 = a(1) + c \Rightarrow a + c = 13 \dots (1)$
 and lowest point is when B is 3 m below water level.
 $\therefore -3 = a(-1) + c \Rightarrow -a + c = -3 \dots (2)$
 Solving (1) and (2),
 $a = 8, c = 5$

Given: 5 revolutions take 1 minute
 $\therefore$ 1 revolution takes $\frac{1}{5}$ minute (= 12 seconds)

So, period: $\frac{2\pi}{b} = 12 \Rightarrow b = \frac{\pi}{6}$ [3]

$\therefore h = 8 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) + 5$

(ii) $h < 0 \Rightarrow 8 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) + 5 < 0$

When $h = 0$, $8 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) + 5 = 0$
 $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) = -\frac{5}{8}$

Basic angle = $\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{8}\right) = 0.89566$

The variable angle $\frac{\pi}{6}t$ lies in the 2nd and 3rd quadrants,
 $\therefore \frac{\pi}{6}t = \pi - 0.89566$ or $\pi + 0.89566$ in the 1st revolution
 $t = 4.289$ or 7.710
 so duration = $7.710 - 4.289$
 $= 3.42$ seconds [3]

4 (i) For $x\left(2x + \frac{k}{x}\right)^8$, $T_{r+1} = x\left(\frac{8}{r}\right)(2x)^{8-r}\left(\frac{k}{x}\right)^r$

Power of $x = 1 + (8-r) + (-r)$
 $= 9 - 2r$

For term in x^3 , power of $x = 3$
 $\therefore 9 - 2r = 3$
 $\Rightarrow r = 3$

$\therefore$ Term in $x^3 = x\left(\frac{8}{3}\right)(2x)^5\left(\frac{k}{x}\right)^3$
 $= \dots$
 $= 1792k^3$

Since coefficient of $x^3 = 28$,
 $1792k^3 = 28$
 $\Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{4}$ (shown) [4]

(ii) For constant term, power of $x = 0$,
 $\therefore 9 - 2r = 0$
 $\Rightarrow r = \frac{9}{2}$

Since r is not a whole number (or positive integer), then we can conclude that there is no constant term. [1]

(iii) In the expansion of $x\left(2x + \frac{k}{x}\right)^8 + k(1-x)^{10}$,

Term in $x^3 = 28x^3 + \frac{1}{4} \times \left(\frac{10}{3}\right)(-x)^3$
 $= 28x^3 + \frac{1}{4} \times (-120x^3)$
 $= -2x^3$

$\therefore$ coefficient of $x^3 = -2$ [2]

- 5 (i) To show: AB is parallel to DC
 This means that we need only to show that there are 2 equal angles that satisfy either alternate angles, corresponding angles or interior angles
 Here we can show $\angle CDT = \angle BAT$
 $\angle CDT = \angle DTP$ (alternate segment theorem)
 $= \angle ATP$ (common angle)
 $= \angle BAT$ (alternate segment theorem)
 Since this result satisfies the properties of corresponding angles, then $AB \parallel DC$. (shown) [2]

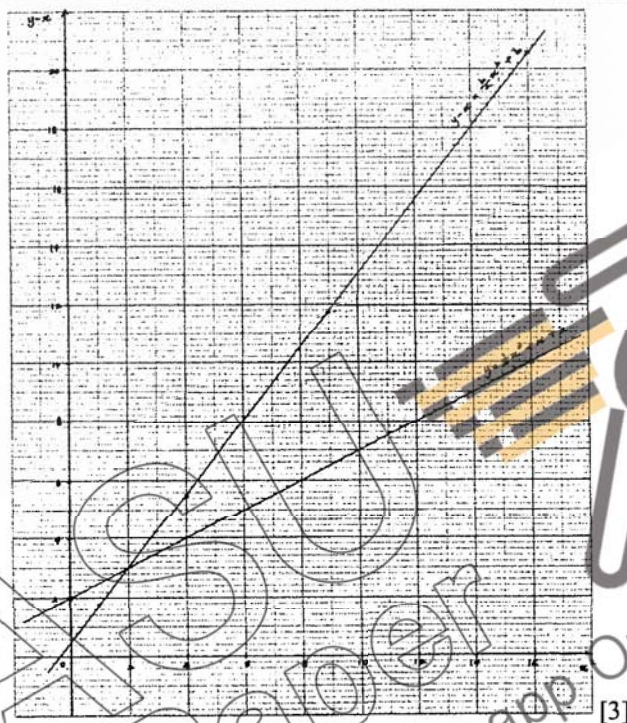
- (ii) To show: the line TE bisects $\angle ATB$
 [This means that we need to show: $\angle ATE = \angle ETB$]
 $\angle ATE = \angle DTE$ (common angle)
 $= \angle DCE$ (angle in the same segment)
 $= \angle CEB$ (alternate angles since $AB \parallel DC$)
 $= \angle ETB$ (alternate segment theorem)
 Thus, TE bisects $\angle ATB$. (show) [3]

- (iii) To show: $\triangle DFT \equiv \triangle EFC$ if $DF = EF$
 From (ii), $\angle DTE = \angle DCE$ (angle in same segment)
 i.e. $\angle DTF = \angle ECF$ (common angles) A
 $DF = EF$ (given) S
 and $\angle DFT = \angle EFC$ (vertically opp angles) A
 Thus, $\triangle DFT \equiv \triangle EFC$ (AAS) [2]

- 6 Given: $y - x = \frac{b}{a}x^2 + b$ [note that this is already in linear form]
 $\underbrace{y - x}_Y = \underbrace{\frac{b}{a}x^2}_m X + \underbrace{b}_c$

- (i) Plotting $y - x$ against x^2 will give a straight line.
- | x^2 | 1 | 4 | 9 | 16 |
|---------|------|-----|-------|------|
| $y - x$ | 1.73 | 5.5 | 11.75 | 20.5 |

- (ii) $b = Y$ -intercept
 $= 0.5$
 $\frac{b}{a} = \text{gradient of line}$
 $= \frac{20.5 - 0.5}{16 - 0}$
 $= 1.25$
 $\therefore \frac{0.5}{a} = 1.25 \Rightarrow a = 0.4$
 $\therefore a = 0.4, b = 0.5$ [2]



- (iii) $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + 2 \Rightarrow y - x = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2$
 Using the same axes, $Y = y - x$ and $X = x^2$,
 Then we need to draw the line $Y = \frac{1}{2}X + 2$.
 When $X = 0$, $Y = 2$ and when $X = 16$, $Y = 10$
 So the line passes through (0, 2) and (16, 10)
 The point of intersection between the 2 lines is approximately (2, 3).
 i.e. $X = 2 \Rightarrow x^2 = 2, \therefore x = 1.41$ (3 sf)
 $Y = 3 \Rightarrow y - x = 3, \therefore y = 3 + 1.41 = 4.41$
 $x = 1.41$ and $y = 4.41$ [2]

- 7 (i) Since $(2x^2 + x - 1)$ is a factor of $P(x)$, then we can write $P(x) = (2x^2 + x - 1)Q(x)$. However, we know that $Q(x)$ is a polynomial of degree 2.
 So, $P(x) = (2x^2 + x - 1)(ax^2 + bx + c)$.
 However, we know that for $P(x)$, coeff of $x^2 =$)
 and constant term $= -3$.)

This tells us that $a = 1$ and $c = 3$.
 So, $P(x) = (2x^2 + x - 1)(x^2 + bx + 3)$.
 [Writing $P(x)$ in this form, we only need to find one unknown, i.e. b .]
 Given: when divided by $(x - 1)$, $P(x)$ has remainder 4, i.e. $P(1) = 4$.
 $\therefore 4 = (2 + 1 - 1)(1 + b + 3)$
 $= 2(b + 4)$
 $b + 4 = 2 \Rightarrow b = -2$.
 $\therefore P(x) = (2x^2 + x - 1)(x^2 - 2x + 3)$
 $= (2x - 1)(x + 1)(x^2 - 2x + 3)$ [4]

- (ii) $P(x) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{2}$ or -1 since $x^2 - 2x + 3 = 0$ has no real roots as $D = (-2)^2 - 4 \times 3 = -8 < 0$. [1]

- (iii) $P(1 - x) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow 1 - x = \frac{1}{2}$ or -1
 $\therefore x = \frac{1}{2}$ or 2 [2]

- 8 (a) $y = x^2 e^{3x}$
 $\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = 2xe^{3x} + 3x^2 e^{3x}$
 $= xe^{3x}(2 + 3x)$
 For increasing function, $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$
 $\therefore xe^{3x}(2 + 3x) > 0$
 Since $e^{3x} > 0$ for all real values of x .
 $\therefore x(2 + 3x) > 0$



- $\therefore x < -\frac{2}{3}$ or $x > 0$ [4]

(b) $y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1}}$ where $x > 0$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1} - x \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4x}{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1}}}{2x^2 - 1}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1} - x \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{4x}{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1}}}{2x^2 - 1} \times \frac{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1}}{\sqrt{2x^2 - 1}}$$

$$= \frac{(2x^2 - 1) - 2x^2}{\sqrt{(2x^2 - 1)^3}}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\sqrt{(2x^2 - 1)^3}}$$

Given: $\frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{9}{8} \frac{dx}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{9}{8}$

$$\therefore -\frac{1}{\sqrt{(2x^2 - 1)^3}} = -\frac{9}{8}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{(2x^2 - 1)^3} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$(2x^2 - 1)^3 = \frac{64}{81}$$

$$2x^2 - 1 = \sqrt[3]{\frac{64}{81}}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{4}{\sqrt[3]{81}} \right)$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{81}}} \text{ since } x > 0$$

$$= 0.981 \text{ (3 sf)}$$

9 Given: $y = x \ln x - x$

(i) $\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\ln x + x \times \frac{1}{x} \right) - 1$

$$= (\ln x + 1) - 1$$

$$= \ln x \text{ (shown)}$$

[2]

(ii) From (i), we know that $\int \ln x \, dx = x \ln x - x + c$

$$\int_a^b (\ln x + 1) \, dx = \int_a^b \ln x \, dx + \int_a^b 1 \, dx$$

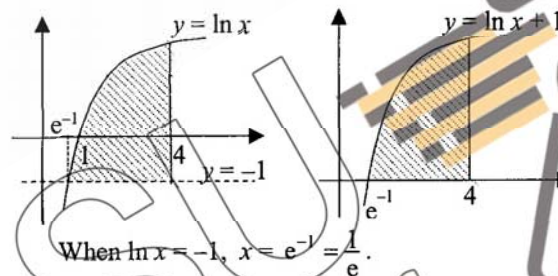
$$= [x \ln x - x]_a^b + [x]_a^b$$

$$= (b \ln b - b) - (a \ln a - a) + (b - a)$$

$$= b \ln b - a \ln a \text{ (shown)}$$

[3]

(iii) The shaded area is the same in both diagrams:



$$\text{Shaded area} = \int_{\frac{1}{e}}^4 (\ln x + 1) \, dx$$

$$= 4 \ln 4 - \frac{1}{e} \ln \frac{1}{e} \text{ [using (ii)]}$$

$$= 5.91 \text{ units}^2$$

[3]

10 (a) $\cos\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) = -\cos\frac{\pi}{10}$ for $0 < x < \pi$

$$\text{basic angle} = \frac{\pi}{10}$$

The variable angle $\frac{3x}{2}$ lies in 2nd and 3rd quadrants.

$$\therefore \frac{3x}{2} = \pi - \frac{\pi}{10} \text{ or } \pi + \frac{\pi}{10}$$

$$= \frac{9\pi}{10} \text{ or } \frac{11\pi}{10}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{3\pi}{5} \text{ or } \frac{11\pi}{15}$$

[3]

(b) $\frac{1}{1 - \sin x} - \frac{1}{1 + \sin x} = \frac{(1 + \sin x) - (1 - \sin x)}{(1 - \sin x)(1 + \sin x)}$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x}{1 - \sin^2 x}$$

$$= \frac{2 \sin x}{\cos^2 x}$$

$$= 2 \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \times \frac{1}{\cos x}$$

$$= 2 \tan x \sec x \text{ (shown)}$$

[3]

(c) $\sin 4x + 3 \sin 2x = 0$ for $-180^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$

$$2 \sin 2x \cos 2x + 3 \sin 2x = 0$$

$$\sin 2x (2 \cos 2x + 3) = 0$$

$$\therefore \sin 2x = 0 \text{ or } \cos 2x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

basic angle = 0° (no solution)

$$\therefore 2x = -360^\circ, -180^\circ, 0^\circ, 180^\circ \text{ or } 360^\circ$$

$$x = -180^\circ, -90^\circ, 0^\circ, 90^\circ \text{ or } 180^\circ$$

[3]

11 Given: $a = \frac{24}{(2t+1)^2}$

(i) $v = \frac{24(2t+1)^{-1}}{2(-1)} + c$

$$= -\frac{12}{2t+1} + c$$

when $t = 0$, $v = -10 \text{ m/s}$

$$\therefore c = 2$$

$$\therefore v = 2 - \frac{12}{2t+1}$$

$$\text{At } P, v = 0 \Rightarrow 2 - \frac{12}{2t+1} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 2.5 \text{ s}$$

[4]

(ii) $s = 2t - 12 \frac{\ln(2t+1)}{2} + c_1$

$$= 2t - 6 \ln(2t+1) + c_1$$

when $t = 0$, $s = 0$, $\therefore c_1 = 0$

$$\therefore s = 2t - 6 \ln(2t+1)$$

$$t = 0, s = 0$$

$$t = 2.5, s = 2(2.5) - 6 \ln 6 = -5.7505$$

$$t = 3, s = 2(3) - 6 \ln 7 = -5.6754$$

$$\text{Distance travelled} = 5.7505 + (5.7505 - 5.6754)$$

$$= 5.83 \text{ m (3 sf)}$$

[3]

(iii) [9th second means from $t = 8$ s to $t = 9$ s]

When $t = 8$, $s = 2(8) - 6 \ln 17 = -0.999\ 28$ m

When $t = 9$, $s = 2(9) - 6 \ln 19 = +0.333\ 36$ m

$\therefore s = 0$ for $8 < t < 9$

i.e. The particle is again at O during the 9th sec. [2]

12 (i) centre, X = midpoint of AB

$$= \left(\frac{-2+12}{2}, \frac{5+11}{2} \right)$$

$$= (5, 8)$$

diameter = AB

$$= \sqrt{(12+2)^2 + (11-5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{232}$$

$\therefore$ Equation of circle is

$$(x-5)^2 + (y-8)^2 = \left(\frac{\sqrt{232}}{2} \right)^2$$

$$(x-5)^2 + (y-8)^2 = 58$$

[3]

(ii) Since $D(8, k)$ lies on the circle, then

$$(8-5)^2 + (k-8)^2 = 58$$

$$(k-8)^2 = 49$$

$$\therefore k-8 = 7 \text{ or } -7$$

$$k = 15 \text{ or } 1$$

Since $k > 1$, $\therefore k = 15$.

[1]

(iii) gradient of $DX = \frac{15-8}{8-5} = \frac{7}{3}$

Since line l is perpendicular to radius DX ,

$$\therefore \text{gradient of } l = -\frac{3}{7}$$

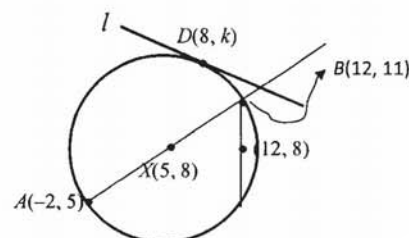
So, equation of line l is

$$y-15 = -\frac{3}{7}(x-8)$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{7}x + \frac{24}{7} + 15$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{7}x + \frac{129}{7}$$

[3]



(iv) Given that $(12, 8)$ is the midpoint of the chord, and since $B(12, 11)$ is vertically above $(12, 8)$, then the chord is a vertical line with $x = 12$.

The other end-point of the chord is $(12, 5)$

Thus the points of intersection are

$(12, 5)$ and $(12, 11)$.

[2]

13 (a)

$$\text{Given: } 9^x + 8 = 3^{x+2}$$

$$3^{2x} + 8 = 3^x \times 3^2$$

Let $u = 3^x$, then the equation becomes

$$u^2 + 8 = 9u$$

$$u^2 - 9u + 8 = 0$$

$$(u-1)(u-8) = 0$$

$$u = 1 \text{ or } u = 8$$

$$3^x = 1 \text{ or } 3^x = 8$$

$$\therefore x = 0 \text{ or } x = \log_3 8$$

$$= \frac{\lg 8}{\lg 3}$$

$$= 1.89 \text{ (3 sf)}$$

[4]

$$(b) \quad 40^{2p-1} = 5^{2-p} \Rightarrow \frac{40^{2p}}{40} = \frac{5^2}{5^p}$$

$$\therefore 40^{2p} \times 5^p = 5^2 \times 40$$

$$(40^2 \times 5)^p = 1000$$

$$(8000)^p = 1000$$

$$(20)^{3p} = 10^3$$

$$\therefore 20^p = 10$$

[3]

$$(c) \quad \log_4(2y) = \log_{16}(y-3) + 3 \log_9 3$$

$$\log_4(2y) = \frac{\log_4(y-3)}{\log_4 16} + 3 \frac{\log_3 3}{\log_3 9}$$

$$\log_4(2y) = \frac{\log_4(y-3)}{2} + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$2 \log_4(2y) = \log_4(y-3) + 3$$

$$\log_4(2y)^2 - \log_4(y-3) = 3$$

$$\log_4 \frac{(2y)^2}{y-3} = 3$$

$$\therefore \frac{4y^2}{y-3} = 4^3$$

$$4y^2 = 64(y-3)$$

$$y^2 = 16(y-3)$$

$$y^2 - 16y + 48 = 0$$

$$(y-4)(y-12) = 0$$

$$\therefore y = 4 \text{ or } y = 12.$$

[4]

