

- 1 (a) Express $x^2 - 8x + 11$ in the form $(x+p)^2 + q$ where p and q are constants.

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$$(x-4)^2 - 16 + 11$$

$$\underline{(x-4)^2 - 5}$$

ALT METHOD:

Compare
coefficients

$$(x+p)^2 + q = x^2 + 2px + p^2 + q$$

x^2

$$1 = 1$$

x

$$2p = -8$$

$$p = -4$$

constant

$$p^2 + q = 11$$

$$(-4)^2 + q = 11$$

$$16 + q = 11$$

$$q = -5$$

- (b) Hence find the exact solutions of the equation $x^2 - 8x + 11 = 1$.

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$$x^2 - 8x + 11 = 1$$

from (a):

$$(x-4)^2 - 5 = 1$$

$$(x-4)^2 = 6$$

$$(x-4) = \pm\sqrt{6}$$

$$\underline{x = 4 \pm \sqrt{6}}$$

- 2 The thirteenth term of an arithmetic progression is 12 and the sum of the first 30 terms is -15.

Find the sum of the first 50 terms of the progression.

[5]

$$u_{13} = 12: a + 12d = 12 \quad (1)$$

$$S_{30} = -15: \frac{30}{2} [2a + 29d] = -15$$

$$2a + 29d = -1 \quad (2)$$

$$(1) \times 2: 2a + 24d = 24$$

$$- (2): 2a + 29d = -1$$

$$-5d = 25$$

$$d = -5$$

$$\rightarrow (1): a + 12(-5) = 12$$

$$a - 60 = 12$$

$$a = 72$$

$$S_{50}: S_{50} = \frac{50}{2} [2(72) + 49(-5)]$$

$$= 25 [144 - 245]$$

$$= 25 \times -101$$

$$= -2525$$

- 3 The coefficient of x^4 in the expansion of $\left(2x^2 + \frac{k^2}{x}\right)^5$ is a . The coefficient of x^2 in the expansion of $(2kx - 1)^4$ is b .

(a) Find a and b in terms of the constant k .

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$$\left(2x^2 + \frac{k^2}{x}\right)^5 = (2x^2)^5 + 5(2x^2)^4\left(\frac{k^2}{x}\right) + 10(2x^2)^3\left(\frac{k^2}{x}\right)^2 + \dots$$

$$\rightarrow 10 \times 8x^6 \times \frac{k^4}{x^2}$$

$$= 80k^4 x^4$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{a = 80k^4}$$

$$(2kx - 1)^4 = (2kx)^4 + 4(2kx)^3(-1) + 6(2kx)^2(-1)^2 + \dots$$

$$\rightarrow 6 \times 4k^2 x^2$$

$$= 24k^2 x^2$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{b = 24k^2}$$

- (b) Given that $a + b = 216$, find the possible values of k .

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$$80k^4 + 24k^2 = 216$$

$$10k^4 + 3k^2 = 27$$

$$10k^4 + 3k^2 - 27 = 0$$

Let $X = k^2$:

$$10X^2 + 3X - 27 = 0$$

$$X = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 - 4(10)(-27)}}{2(10)}$$

$$X = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad X = \frac{-9}{5}$$

$$k^2 = \frac{3}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad k^2 = \frac{-9}{5}$$

$$k = \pm \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}$$

no solⁿs

- 4 (a) Prove the identity $\frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\sin \theta - 1} - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 + \sin \theta} \equiv -\tan^2 \theta (1 + \sin^2 \theta)$.

[4]

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\sin \theta - 1} \times \frac{(1 + \sin \theta)}{(1 + \sin \theta)} - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 + \sin \theta} \times \frac{(\sin \theta - 1)}{(\sin \theta - 1)} \\
 & \frac{\sin^3 \theta + \sin^4 \theta}{\cancel{\sin \theta} + \sin^2 \theta - 1 - \cancel{\sin \theta}} - \frac{\sin^3 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}{\cancel{\sin \theta} + \sin^2 \theta - 1 - \cancel{\sin \theta}} \\
 & \frac{\sin^3 \theta + \sin^4 \theta - (\sin^3 \theta - \sin^2 \theta)}{\sin^2 \theta - 1} \\
 & \frac{\cancel{\sin^3 \theta} + \sin^4 \theta - \cancel{\sin^3 \theta} + \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta - 1} \\
 & \frac{\sin^4 \theta + \sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta - 1} \\
 & \frac{\sin^2 \theta (\sin^2 \theta + 1)}{\sin^2 \theta - 1} \quad \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \cos^2 \theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta \\ -\cos^2 \theta = -1 + \sin^2 \theta \end{array} \\
 & \frac{\sin^2 \theta (\sin^2 \theta + 1)}{-\cos^2 \theta} \\
 & \frac{-\sin^2 \theta}{\cos^2 \theta} \times (\sin^2 \theta + 1) \\
 & \underline{\underline{-\tan^2 \theta (1 + \sin^2 \theta) \text{ QED}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Hence solve the equation

$$\frac{\sin^3 \theta}{\sin \theta - 1} - \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{1 + \sin \theta} = \tan^2 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta)$$

for $0 < \theta < 2\pi$.

[2]

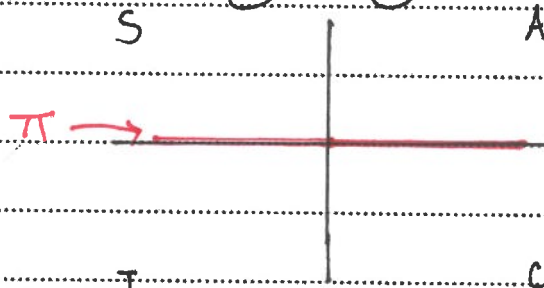
from (a): $-\tan^2 \theta (1 + \sin^2 \theta) = \tan^2 \theta (1 - \sin^2 \theta)$
 $-\tan^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta = \tan^2 \theta - \tan^2 \theta \sin^2 \theta$

$$2\tan^2 \theta = 0$$

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$$\tan \theta = 0$$

$$\theta = 0$$

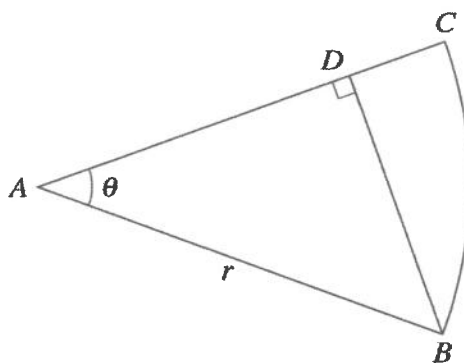


$$\theta = 0, \pi, 2\pi$$

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outside range

$$\underline{\underline{\theta = \pi}}$$

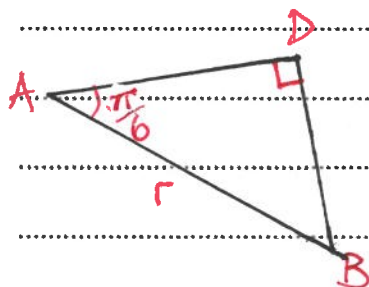


The diagram shows a sector ABC of a circle with centre A and radius r . The line BD is perpendicular to AC . Angle CAB is θ radians.

- (a) Given that $\theta = \frac{1}{6}\pi$, find the exact area of BCD in terms of r . [3]

Sector ABC : area = $\frac{1}{2} \times r^2 \times \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$= \frac{\pi r^2}{12}$$



AD : $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{AD}{r}$
 $AD = r \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

$$= \frac{r\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Area of triangle ABD :

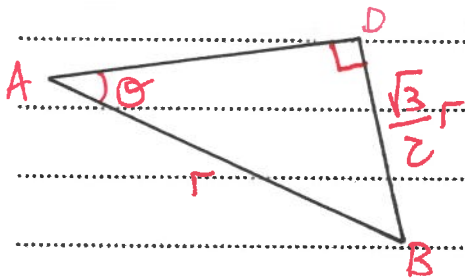
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \times r \times \frac{r\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) \\ &= \frac{r^2\sqrt{3}}{8} \end{aligned}$$

Area of segment BCD = sector ABC - triangle ABD

$$= \frac{\pi r^2}{12} - \frac{r^2\sqrt{3}}{8}$$

- (b) Given instead that the length of BD is $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r$, find the exact perimeter of BCD in terms of r . [4]

→ θ is no longer $\frac{\pi}{6}$:



$$\sin \theta = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r}{r}$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

length AD : $\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{AD}{r}$

$$AD = r \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$= \frac{r}{2}$$

length CD : $CD = AC - AD$

$$= r - \frac{r}{2}$$

$$= \frac{r}{2}$$

Arc BC : arc length = $r\theta$

$$= r \times \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$= \frac{\pi r}{3}$$

Perimeter = $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}r + \frac{r}{2} + \frac{\pi r}{3}$

- 6 The function f is defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + 4} \quad \text{for } x > 2.$$

- (a) Find an expression for $f^{-1}(x)$.

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$$y = \frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + 4}$$

$$y(x^2 + 4) = x^2 - 4$$

$$x^2 y + 4y = x^2 - 4$$

$$x^2 y - x^2 = -4y - 4$$

$$x^2(y - 1) = -4y - 4$$

$$x^2 = \frac{-4y - 4}{y - 1} \quad \begin{matrix} x=1 \\ x=1 \end{matrix}$$

$$x^2 = \frac{4y + 4}{1 - y}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{4y + 4}{1 - y}}$$

domain of $f(x)$ is $x > 2$, so x is always positive, meaning we want the positive square root only:

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{4y + 4}{1 - y}}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{4x + 4}{1 - x}}$$

- (b) Show that $1 - \frac{8}{x^2+4}$ can be expressed as $\frac{x^2-4}{x^2+4}$ and hence state the range of f . [4]

$$1 - \frac{8}{x^2+4}$$

$$= \frac{x^2+4}{x^2+4} - \frac{8}{x^2+4}$$

$$= \frac{x^2-4}{x^2+4} \quad \text{QED}$$

$$f(x) = 1 - \frac{8}{x^2+4}$$

domain of $f(x)$ is $x \geq 2$, so let's sub. $x=2$:

$$f(2) = 1 - \frac{8}{2^2+4}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{8}{8}$$

$$= 0$$

so $f(x)$ gets close, but not equal to 1
 $\rightarrow 0 < f(x) < 1$

and let's see what happens as $x \rightarrow \infty$:

$$f(x) = 1 - \frac{8}{x^2+4}$$

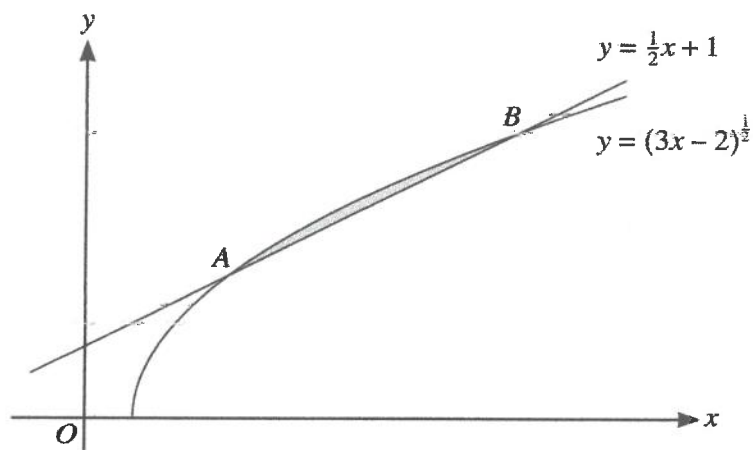
when $x \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{8}{x^2+4} \rightarrow 0$

- (c) Explain why the composite function ff cannot be formed. [1]

for ff to be formed, the whole range of f ($0 < f(x) < 1$) must be within the domain of f ($x \geq 2$).

As it is not, the function cannot be formed.

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The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = (3x - 2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and the line $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 1$. The curve and the line intersect at points A and B.

(a) Find the coordinates of A and B.

[4]

Solve simultaneously:

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

$$\sqrt{3x - 2} = \frac{x}{2} + 1$$

$$3x - 2 = \left(\frac{x}{2} + 1\right)^2$$

$$3x - 2 = \frac{x^2}{4} + x + 1$$

$$\frac{x^2}{4} - 2x + 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0$$

$$(x - 6)(x - 2) = 0$$

$$x = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad x = 2$$

sub. $x=2$ into y :

$$\begin{aligned} y &= (3 \times 2 - 2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= (4)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{(2, 2)}_A$$

sub. $x=6$ into y :

$$\begin{aligned} y &= (3 \times 6 - 2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= (16)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{(6, 4)}_B$$

(b) Hence find the area of the region enclosed between the curve and the line.

[5]

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_2^6 \left[(3x-2)^{\frac{1}{2}} - \left(\frac{1}{2}x+1\right) \right] dx \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \uparrow \text{curve} \quad \quad \quad \uparrow \text{line} \\
 & = \left[\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} (3x-2)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \left(\frac{1}{4}x^2 + x\right) \right]_2^6 \\
 & = \left[\frac{2}{9} (3x-2)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{4}x^2 - x \right]_2^6 \\
 & = \left[\frac{2}{9} (3(6)-2)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{4}(6)^2 - 6 \right] - \left[\frac{2}{9} (3(2)-2)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{4}(2)^2 - 2 \right] \\
 & = \left[\frac{2}{9} (16)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{4} \times 36 - 6 \right] - \left[\frac{2}{9} (4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{4} \times 4 - 2 \right] \\
 & = \left[\frac{2}{9} \times 64 - 9 - 6 \right] - \left[\frac{2}{9} \times 8 - 1 - 2 \right] \\
 & = \left[\frac{-7}{9} \right] - \left[\frac{-11}{9} \right] \\
 & = \underline{\underline{\frac{4}{9}}}
 \end{aligned}$$

- 8 (a) The curve $y = \sin x$ is transformed to the curve $y = 4 \sin(\frac{1}{2}x - 30^\circ)$.

Describe fully a sequence of transformations that have been combined, making clear the order in which the transformations are applied. [5]

!!! Two transformations to x -coords, so the order is not what you might expect:

① Translation by $\begin{pmatrix} 30^\circ \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

② Stretch parallel to x -axis, scale factor 2

③ Stretch parallel to y -axis, scale factor 4

8. (b) Find the exact solutions of the equation $4 \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x - 30^\circ\right) = 2\sqrt{2}$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$. [3]

$$4 \sin\left(\frac{x}{2} - 30\right) = 2\sqrt{2}$$

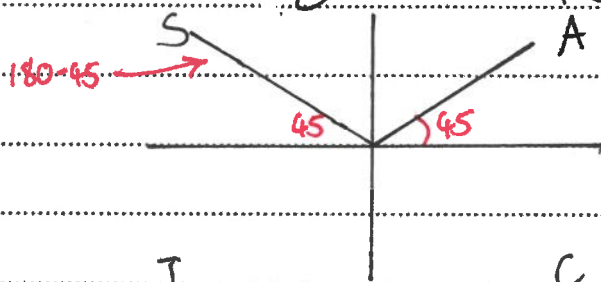
$$0 \leq x \leq 360$$

$$0 \leq \frac{x}{2} \leq 180$$

$$-30 \leq \frac{x}{2} - 30 \leq 150$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{x}{2} - 30\right) = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\frac{x}{2} - 30 = 45^\circ$$



$$\frac{x}{2} - 30 = 45^\circ, 135^\circ$$

$$\frac{x}{2} = 75^\circ, 165^\circ$$

$$x = 150^\circ, 330^\circ$$

- 9 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y - 26 = 0$.

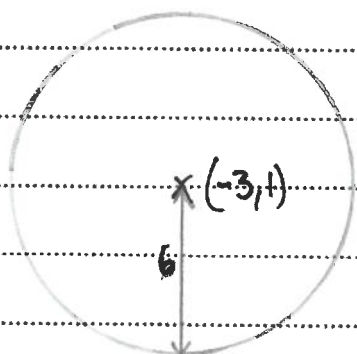
- (a) Find the coordinates of the centre of the circle and the radius. Hence find the coordinates of the lowest point on the circle. [4]

$$x^2 + 6x + y^2 - 2y - 26 = 0$$

$$(x+3)^2 - 9 + (y-1)^2 - 1 - 26 = 0$$

$$(x+3)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 36$$

Centre = $(-3, 1)$ radius = 6



Lowest point = $(-3, -5)$

9 The equation of a circle is $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 2y - 26 = 0$.

- (b) Find the set of values of the constant k for which the line with equation $y = kx - 5$ intersects the circle at two distinct points. [6]

Solve simultaneously:

$$x^2 + (kx - 5)^2 + 6x - 2(kx - 5) - 26 = 0$$

$$x^2 + k^2x^2 - 10kx + 25 + 6x - 2kx + 10 - 26 = 0$$

$$x^2 + k^2x^2 + 6x - 12kx + 9 = 0$$

$$(1 + k^2)x^2 + (6 - 12k)x + 9 = 0$$

Intersect at two distinct points, so $b^2 - 4ac > 0$:

$$(6 - 12k)^2 - 4(1 + k^2)(9) > 0$$

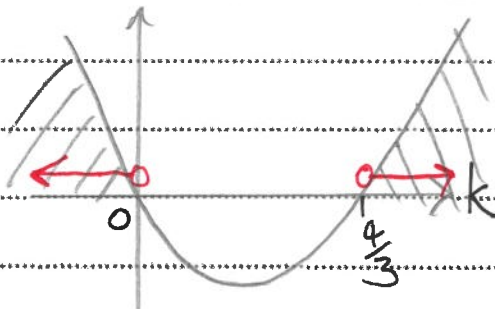
$$36 - 144k + 144k^2 - 36 - 36k^2 > 0$$

$$108k^2 - 144k > 0$$

$$3k^2 - 4k > 0$$

$$k(3k - 4) > 0$$

$$\text{critical values: } k = 0 \quad k = \frac{4}{3}$$



$$\underline{k < 0} \quad \text{or} \quad \underline{k > \frac{4}{3}}$$

- 10 The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x^2 - \frac{4}{x^3}$. The curve has a stationary point at $(-1, \frac{9}{2})$.

- (a) Determine the nature of the stationary point at $(-1, \frac{9}{2})$. [1]

Sub. $x = -1$ into $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$: $6(-1)^2 - \frac{4}{(-1)^3}$

$$= 6 \times 1 - \frac{4}{-1}$$

$$= 6 + 4$$

$$= 10$$

$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$ so minimum point

- (b) Find the equation of the curve. [5]

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \int (6x^2 - 4x^{-3}) dx$$

$$= 2x^3 + 2x^{-2} + C$$

SP at $(-1, \frac{9}{2})$, so $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ when $x = -1$:

$$0 = 2(-1)^3 + 2(-1)^{-2} + C$$

$$0 = -2 + 2 + C$$

$$\underline{C = 0}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x^3 + 2x^{-2}$$

$$y = \int (2x^3 + 2x^{-2}) dx$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x^4 - 2x^{-1} + C$$

Sub. $(-1, \frac{9}{2})$:

$$\frac{9}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(-1)^4 - 2(-1)^{-1} + C$$

$$\frac{9}{2} = \frac{1}{2} + 2 + C$$

$$\frac{9}{2} = \frac{5}{2} + C$$

$$\underline{C = 2}$$

$$\underline{y = \frac{1}{2}x^4 - 2x^{-1} + 2}$$

- (c) Show that the curve has no other stationary points.

[3]

$$\text{SP: } \frac{dy}{dx} = 0: 2x^3 + 2x^{-2} = 0$$

$$2x^3 + \frac{2}{x^2} = 0$$

$$2x^3 = -\frac{2}{x^2}$$

$$2x^5 = -2$$

$$x^5 = -1$$

$$\underline{x = -1} \rightarrow x = -1 \text{ is only solution}$$

- (d) A point A is moving along the curve and the y-coordinate of A is increasing at a rate of 5 units per second.

①

Find the rate of increase of the x-coordinate of A at the point where $x = 1$.

[3]

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\text{①: } \frac{dy}{dt} = 5$$

$$2x^3 + 2x^{-2} = 5 \times \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$x=1:$$

$$2(1)^3 + 2(1)^{-2} = 5 \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$4 = 5 \times \frac{dt}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\underline{\underline{\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{5}{4}}}$$