

YEAR 12 EXT1 MATHEMATICS – TEST16th February, 2006

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– Geometrical Applications of Calculus

– Newton's Method

Time: 50mins

All necessary working should be shown in every question.

Full marks may not be awarded if work is careless or badly arranged.

Approved silent calculators may be used.

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1. (12 marks) (Begin a new page)

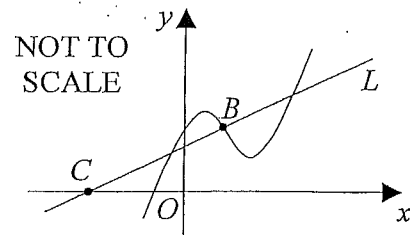
JSH

The curve $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x - 1$ is defined in the domain $-4 \leq x \leq 2$.

- Find the co-ordinates of the two stationary points and determine their nature.
- Show a point of inflexion occurs at $x = -1$.
- Sketch this curve

2. (12 marks) (Begin a new page)

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The diagram shows a sketch of the curve $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 4$. The curve has a point of inflexion at B . The line L is a normal to the curve at point B and meets the x axis at a point C .

- Show that the coordinates of point B is $(2, 6)$.
- Show that the equation of the line L is $x - 3y + 16 = 0$.
- Find the coordinates of point C .
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3. (12 marks) (Begin a new page)

HRK

A closed water tank in the shape of a right cylinder is to be constructed with a surface area of $54\pi \text{ cm}^2$. The height of the cylinder is h cm and the base radius is r cm.

- Show that height of the water tank in terms of r is given by $h = \frac{27}{r} - r$.
- Show that the volume V that can be contained in the tank is given by $V = 27\pi r - \pi r^3$.
- Find the radius r cm which will give the cylinder its greatest possible volume. Justify your answer.

4. (12 marks) (Begin a new page)

HRK

Given the polynomial equation $f(x) = 8x^3 + 12x^2 - 18x - 20 = 0$

- Show that it has a root between $x = 1$ and $x = 2$
- Use the method of halving the interval twice to find an approximation to this root of the equation
- Apply Newton's method once to approximate this root

① $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x - 1, -4 \leq x \leq 2$

(i) $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 6x - 9$
 $f''(x) = 6x + 6$

For a stat pt $f'(x) = 0$
 $\therefore 3(x^2 + 2x - 3) = 0$
 $\therefore 3(x+3)(x-1) = 0$
 $\therefore x = -3$ or 1

when $x = -3$ $f''(-3) < 0 \Rightarrow$
 maximum pt at $(-3, 26)$

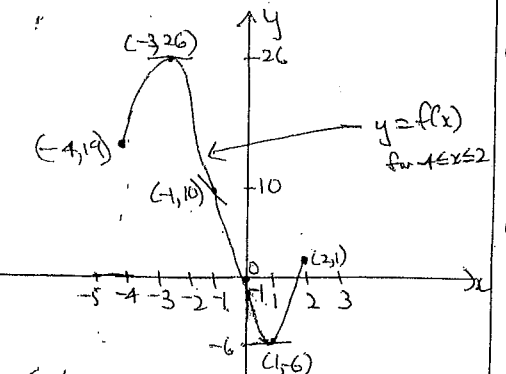
when $x = 1$ $f''(1) > 0 \Rightarrow$
 minimum pt at $(1, -6)$

(ii) For a possible pt. of inflexion
 $f''(x) = 0 \therefore x = -1$

x	-3	-1	1
$f''(x)$	-	0	+

concavity change
 \Rightarrow pt. of inflexion at $(-1, 10)$

(iii)



✓ endpoints
 ✓ y-intercept

② $y = x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x + 4$
 $y' = 3x^2 - 12x + 9$
 $y'' = 6x - 12$

(i) As there is a pt. of inflexion at B
 \therefore at B $y'' = 0 \therefore x = 2$

when $x = 2$ $y = 2^3 - 6(2)^2 + 9(2) + 4 = 6$
 \Rightarrow B has co-ords $(2, 6)$

(ii) at B $(2, 6)$ $y' = 3(2)^2 - 12(2) + 9 = -3 = \text{slope}$
 $\therefore \text{slope} = \frac{1}{3}$

eqn of line L is: $y - 6 = \frac{1}{3}(x - 2)$
 $\therefore 3y - 18 = x - 2$
 $\therefore x - 3y + 16 = 0$

(iii) At C $y = 0 \therefore x = -16$
 \Rightarrow co-ords of C are: $(-16, 0)$

③ $V = \pi r^2 h$ — (1)
 $A = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r h = 54\pi$ — (2)
 from (2) $h = \frac{54\pi - 2\pi r^2}{2\pi r}$
 $\therefore h = \frac{27}{r} - r$ — (3)

(ii) sub (3) into (1)
 $\therefore V = \pi r^2 \left(\frac{27}{r} - r \right)$
 $\therefore V = 27\pi r - \pi r^3$

(iii) $V' = 27\pi - 3\pi r^2$
 $V'' = -6\pi r$

For a possible max/min $V' = 0$
 $\therefore r^2 = \frac{27\pi}{3\pi} = 9$
 $\therefore r = 3$ ($r > 0$ as radius must be)

3(i)

SA = $2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r h$ ✓

$54\pi = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r h$

$\frac{2\pi r h}{2\pi} = \frac{54 - 2\pi r^2}{2\pi}$ ✓

$h = \frac{27}{r} - r$ ✓

(ii) $V = \pi r^2 h$ ✓
 $= \pi r^2 \left(\frac{27}{r} - r \right)$ ✓
 $= 27\pi r - \pi r^3$ ✓

(iii) $V = 27\pi r - \pi r^3$ ✓
 $V' = 27\pi - 3\pi r^2$ ✓
 $V' = 0$ FOR MAX ✓

$27\pi = 3\pi r^2$
 $r = \pm 3, r > 0$ ✓
 $\therefore r = 3$

$V'' = -6\pi r$ ✓
 $= -18\pi$ when $r = 3$
 < 0 ✓

\therefore MAX Volume occurs when $r = 3$ cm ✓

4(a)

$f(1) = -18$ ✓

$f(2) = 56$ ✓

Since $f(x)$ is continuous and $f(1)$ & $f(2)$ have opposite signs there is at least 1 root in the interval $1 < x < 2$ ✓

b) $x_1 = \frac{1+2}{2} = 1.5$ ✓

$f(1.5) = 7$ ✓

Since $f(x)$ is cts and $f(1.5)$ and $f(1)$ have opposite signs there is at least 1 root for $1 < x < 1.5$

$x_2 = \frac{1+1.5}{2} = 1.25$ ✓

c) $f'(x) = 24x^2 + 24x - 18$ ✓

$z_2 = z_1 - \frac{f(z_1)}{f'(z_1)}$ ✓

$= 1.5 - \frac{-7}{72}$ ✓

$= 1.40$ (zdp) ✓