

Question 1

a. Differentiate the following:

i)  $f(x) = 3x^5 - \frac{1}{2}x^2$  1

ii)  $y = 6x\sqrt{x}$  2

iii)  $\frac{5x^6 + 4x^5}{3x^3}$  2

b. Find the derivative of  $y = 10x^2\sqrt{2x-1}$ . 3

c. i) Find the equation of the tangent to  $y = \sqrt{x}$  at (1,1). 2

ii) Sketch the function  $y = \sqrt{x}$  also showing the equation of the tangent at (1,1) on your diagram. 2

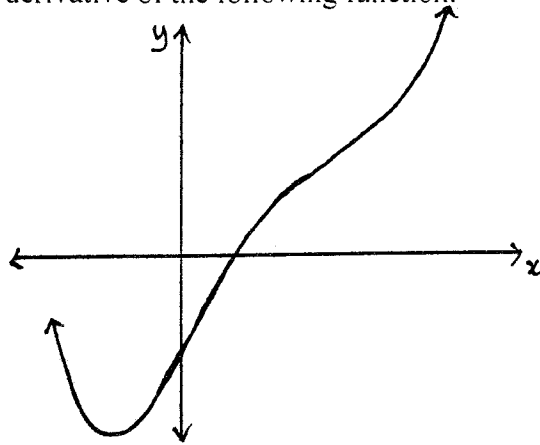
d. A curve has equation  $y = 2x^3 + ax^2 + bx$ . At the point P(1,5) on the curve, there is a point of inflexion. 2

Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

## Question 2

- a. Sketch the derivative of the following function.

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- b. Consider the curve  $y = 4x^3 + 6x^2$ .

- i) Find the coordinates of any turning points and determine their nature.
- ii) Find the  $x$  coordinate of any points of inflexion.
- iii) Sketch the curve for the domain  $-2 \leq x \leq 1$ .
- iv) What is the maximum value of  $4x^3 + 6x^2$  in the domain  $-2 \leq x \leq 1$ ?

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- c. 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  $h \text{ cm}$  and the base radius is  $r \text{ cm}$ .

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

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(a) (i)  $f(x) = 3x^5 - \frac{1}{2}x^2$

$f'(x) = 15x^4 - 1x$

(ii)  $y = 6x\sqrt{x}$

$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x \times \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2} + 6 \times x^{1/2}$   
 $= 6x^{1/2} + 6x^{1/2}$   
 $= 12x^{1/2}$

(iii)  $\frac{5x^6 + 4x^5}{3x^3}$

$\frac{d}{dx} = \frac{vu' - uv'}{v^2}$   
 $= \frac{(3x^3)(30x^5 + 20x^4) - (5x^6 + 4x^5)(9x^2)}{(3x^3)^2}$

$= \frac{90x^8 + 60x^7 - 45x^8 - 36x^7}{(3x^3)^2}$

$= \frac{45x^8 + 24x^7}{9x^6}$

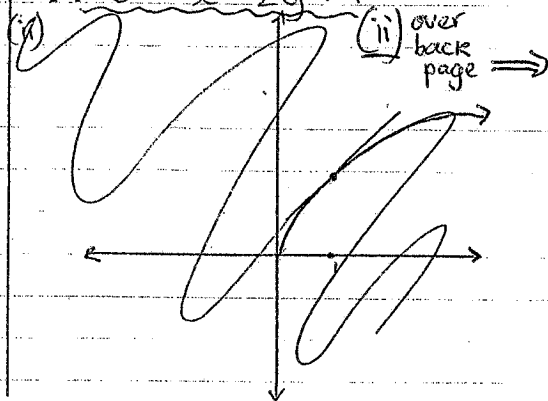
$= \frac{15x^8 + 8x^7}{3x^6}$

$= \frac{15x^2 + 8x}{3}$

(b)  $y = 10x^2\sqrt{2x-1}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^2 \times (2x-1)^{-1/2}$   
 $= vu' + uv'$   
 $= (2x-1)^{-1/2}(20x) + (10x^2)(2x-1)^{-1/2}$   
 $= (2x-1)^{-1/2} [20x + 20x^2]$   
 $= 10x(2x-1)^{-1/2} (2x+2)$   
 $= 10x(2x-1)^{-1/2} (6x+2)$   
 $= \frac{10x(6x+2)}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

(c) (i)  $y = \sqrt{x}$   
 $y = x^{1/2}$  pt. (1,1)  
 $y' = \frac{1}{2}x^{-1/2}$   
 $= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$   
 $\therefore m = \frac{1}{2}$

$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$   
 $y - 1 = \frac{1}{2}(x - 1)$   
 $2y - 2 = x - 1$   
 $\therefore 0 = x - 2y + 1$



(a)  $y = 2x^3 + ax^2 + bx$

P(1,5)

$y' = 6x^2 + 2ax + b$   
 $y'' = 12x + 2a$

$0 = 12x + 2a$

$x \neq$  must equal 1

$0 = 12(1) + 2a$

$-12 = 2a$

$a = -6$

when  $x = 1; y = 5$

$y = 2x^3 + ax^2 + bx$

$5 = 2(1)^3 + a(1)^2 + b(1)$

$5 = 2 - 6 + b$

$5 = -4 + b$

$9 = b$

$\therefore a = -6$  and  $b = 9$

(b)  $y = 10x^2\sqrt{2x-1}$

Let  $u = 10x^2; v = (2x-1)^{1/2}$

$u' = 20x; v' = \frac{1}{2}(2x-1)^{-1/2} \cdot 2$

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

$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = vu' + uv'$

$= (2x-1)^{1/2}(20x) + 10x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

$= \frac{(2x-1)(20x) + 10x^2}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

$= \frac{40x^2 - 20x + 10x^2}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

$= \frac{50x^2 - 20x}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

$= \frac{10x(5x-2)}{\sqrt{2x-1}}$

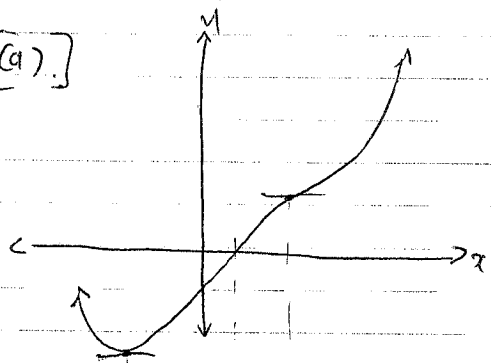
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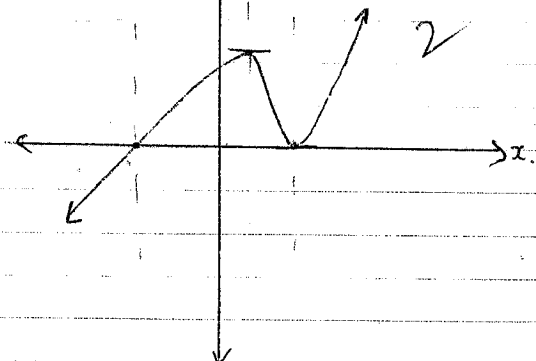
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Qu. 2.

(a)



dy/dx



(b).  $y = 4x^3 + 6x^2$

(i).  $y' = 12x^2 + 12x$   
 $0 = 12x^2 + 12x$   
 $= 12x(x + 1)$

$\therefore x = 0 \text{ \& } -1$

at  $x = 0$ ;  $y = 0$  (0,0)

at  $x = -1$ ;  $y = 2$  (-1,2)

$y'' = 24x + 12$

at  $x = 0$ ;  $y'' = 24(0) + 12 = 12$

$\therefore > 0$

$\therefore$  minimum tn. pt.

at  $x = -1$ ;  $y'' = 24(-1) + 12 = -12 < 0$   
 $\therefore$  maximum tn. pt.

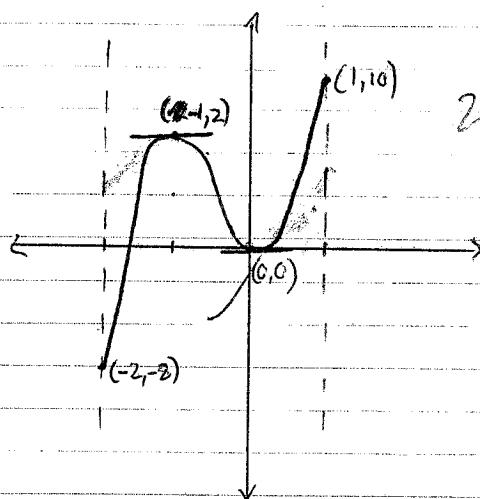
(ii)  $0 = 24x + 12$

~~$24x = -12$~~

$0 = 12(2x + 1)$

$\therefore x = -\frac{1}{2}$

(iii)  $-2 \leq x \leq 1$



(iv) maximum value.

(1, 10).

when  $x = 1$ ; maximum value is 10 (for  $-2 \leq x \leq 1$ ).

Qu. 2 cont...

(c) (i)  $h = \frac{27}{r} - r$

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

$27\pi = \pi r^2 + \pi rh$

$27 = r^2 + rh$

$\frac{27}{r} = r + h$

$\frac{27}{r} - r = h$

$\therefore h = \frac{27}{r} - r$

(ii)  $V = \pi r^2 h$

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$= \pi r^2 \left[ \frac{27}{r} - r \right]$

$\therefore V = 27\pi r - \pi r^3$

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

$\frac{dV}{dr} = 27\pi - 3\pi r^2$

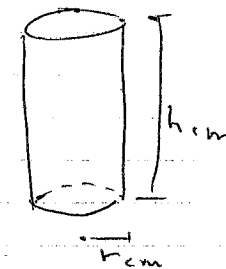
$0 = 27\pi - 3\pi r^2$

$= 3\pi(9 - r^2)$

$\therefore r = 3$

$\therefore r = 9$  (must be positive value).

$r = 3$



$SA = 54\pi \text{ cm}^2$

$\frac{d^2V}{dr^2} = -6\pi r$   
 $= -6\pi(9)$   
 $= -169.6460033$

$\therefore < 0$   
 $\therefore$  maximum value.

$\therefore$  when radius = 9 cm; cylinder has greatest (max.) possible volume.