



2010 Half-Yearly Examination

FORM VI MATHEMATICS 2 UNIT

Thursday 11th March 2010

General Instructions

- Writing time — 2 hours
- Write using black or blue pen.
- Board-approved calculators may be used.
- A list of standard integrals is provided at the end of the examination paper.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.
- Start each question in a new booklet.

Structure of the paper

- Total marks — 84
- All seven questions may be attempted.
- All seven questions are of equal value.

Checklist

- SGS booklets — 7 per boy
- Candidature — 83 boys

Collection

- Write your candidate number clearly on each booklet.
- Hand in the seven questions in a single well-ordered pile.
- Hand in a booklet for each question, even if it has not been attempted.
- If you use a second booklet for a question, place it inside the first.
- Place the question paper inside your answer booklet for Question One.

Examiner

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The following list of standard integrals may be used:

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE: $\ln x = \log_e x, \quad x > 0$

QUESTION ONE (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet.

Marks

(a) Simplify:

(i) $e^x \times e^{2x}$

1

(ii) $\ln 5 + \ln 2$

1

(b) Write $\frac{1}{e}$ correct to 3 decimal places.

1

(c) Consider the equation $e^x = 100$.

(i) Write the equation in logarithmic form.

1

(ii) Hence find x correct to 2 significant figures.

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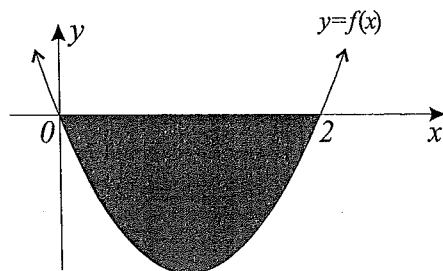
(d) Differentiate e^{x+4} .

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(e) Evaluate $\int_0^3 2x \, dx$.

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(f)



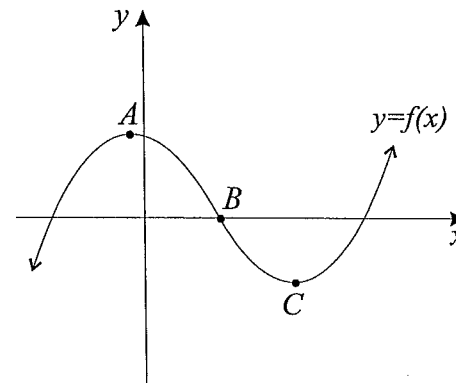
The curve $y = f(x)$ is graphed above and the region bounded by the curve and the x -axis is shaded. 1

If the area of the shaded region is 5 square units, state the value of $\int_0^2 f(x) \, dx$.

(g) Find the gradient of the tangent to the curve $y = 2 \log_e x$ at the point $(e, 2)$. 2

QUESTION ONE (Continued)

(h)



The diagram above shows three points A , B and C on the curve $y = f(x)$. At which of the points is:

(i) $f''(x) = 0$,

1

(ii) $f'(x) = 0$ and $f''(x) > 0$.

1

QUESTION TWO (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet.

Marks

- (a) (i) Sketch the graph of $y = \log_e x$, showing any intercepts with the x or y axes. 1
 (ii) State the domain of $y = \log_e x$. 1

(b)

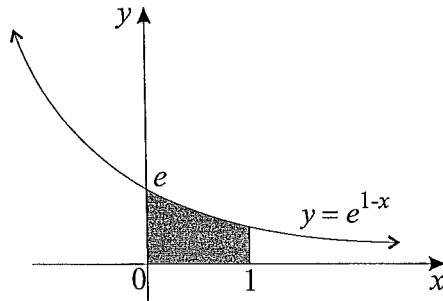
x	3	4	5
$f(x)$	8	10	9

2

Use the trapezoidal rule with the 3 function values in the table above to approximate

$$\int_3^5 f(x) dx.$$

- (c) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve $y = x^3 - 5x$ at the point where $x = -1$. 3
 (d)



Calculate the exact area of the shaded region in the diagram above. 3

- (e) (i) Differentiate $y = e^{x^3}$. 1
 (ii) Hence find $\int 6x^2 e^{x^3} dx$. 1

QUESTION THREE (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet.

- (a) Differentiate:

(i) $y = \frac{2}{x}$

(ii) $y = (3x - 1)^3$ 1

(iii) $y = \log_e(1 + x^4)$ 1

- (b) Find:

(i) $\int e^{-4x} dx$ 1

(ii) $\int \frac{5}{5x + 3} dx$ 1

- (c) (i) Show that the function $y = x \log_e x$ has derivative $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + \log_e x$. 2

- (ii) Hence find the x -coordinate of the point on the curve $y = x \log_e x$ where the tangent is horizontal. 2

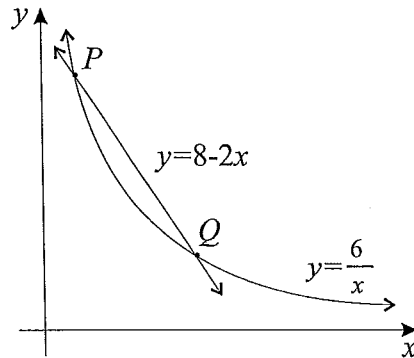
- (d) Evaluate $\int_0^1 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x)^{-2} dx$. 3

QUESTION FOUR (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet. Marks

(a) A curve has gradient function $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x^3 - 6x + 3$ and a y -intercept of -5 . Find the equation of the curve. 2

(b) Use Simpson's rule with 5 function values to find the value of $\int_2^6 \ln x \, dx$ correct to 2 decimal places. 3

(c)



The diagram above shows the hyperbola $y = \frac{6}{x}$ and the line $y = 8 - 2x$ intersecting at P and Q .

(i) By solving the equations simultaneously, show that P is $(1, 6)$ and Q is $(3, 2)$. 3

(ii) Find, correct to 2 significant figures, the area of the region enclosed by the hyperbola and the line. 4

QUESTION FIVE (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet. Marks

(a) Find the value of k given that $\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^k \frac{1}{x^2} \, dx = \frac{4}{5}$. 3

(b) (i) Show that $\frac{4}{1+2x} - 1 = \frac{3-2x}{1+2x}$. 1

(ii) Hence find the exact value of $\int_0^1 \frac{3-2x}{1+2x} \, dx$. 3

(c) The region \mathcal{R} is bounded by the curve $y = 2 + e^{-2x}$, the x -axis and the vertical lines $x = 0$ and $x = 2$.

(i) Expand $(2 + e^{-2x})^2$. 1

(ii) Show that the solid of revolution formed when \mathcal{R} is rotated about the x -axis has volume $\frac{\pi}{4} (41 - 8e^{-4} - e^{-8})$ cubic units. 4

QUESTION SIX (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet. Marks

(a) The curve $y = ax^3 + bx^2 - 9$ passes through the point $(2, 31)$ and is stationary at $x = -2$. Find the values of a and b . 4

(b) Consider the curve with equation $y = e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$.
 (i) Find and classify the stationary point on the curve. 3

(ii) Find the second derivative using the product rule, and hence find the two points of inflexion. 3

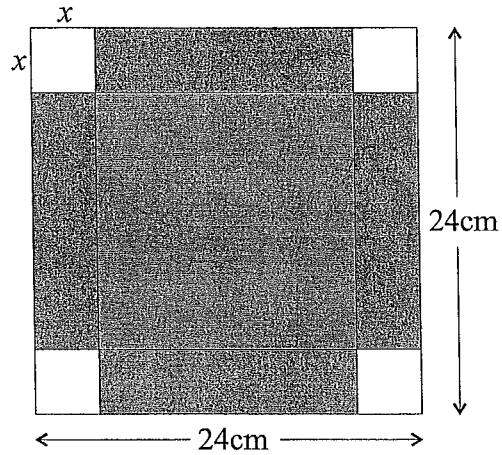
(iii) As x becomes large, what limiting value does y approach? 1

(iv) Sketch the curve using the information found in the parts above. 1

QUESTION SEVEN (12 marks) Use a separate writing booklet.

Marks

(a)



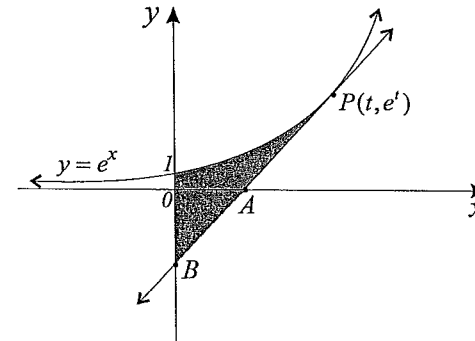
The diagram above shows a square piece of cardboard with side length 24 cm. An open box is to be made by cutting a square of side x cm from each corner, and then folding up the flaps to form the sides.

- (i) Write down, in terms of x , the side length of the square base of the box. 1
- (ii) Show that the volume V cm³ of the box is given by 1

$$V = 4x^3 - 96x^2 + 576x.$$
- (iii) Find the maximum possible volume of the box. 4

QUESTION SEVEN (Continued)

(b)



The diagram above shows the curve $y = e^x$ and the tangent to the curve at the point $P(t, e^t)$, where $t > 1$. The tangent meets the x and y axes at the points A and B respectively.

- (i) Find the coordinates of A and B in terms of t . 3
- (ii) Show that the shaded region bounded by the curve, the tangent at P and the y -axis has area $(\frac{1}{2}e^t(t^2 - 2t + 2) - 1)$ square units. 3

END OF EXAMINATION

(1)(a)(i) $e^x \cdot e^{2x} = e^{3x}$ ✓

(ii) $\ln 5 + \ln 2 = \ln 10$ ✓

(b) $\frac{1}{e} \doteq 0.368$ ✓
(must be correct to 3 dec. pl.)

(c)(i) $e^x = 100$ ✓
 $\therefore x = \log_e 100$ ✓

(ii) $x \doteq 4.6$ ✓
(must be correct to 2 sig. figs)

(d) $\frac{d}{dx}(e^{x+4}) = e^{x+4}$ ✓

(e) $\int_0^3 2x dx = [x^2]_0^3$
 $= 3^2 - 0^2$
 $= 9$ ✓

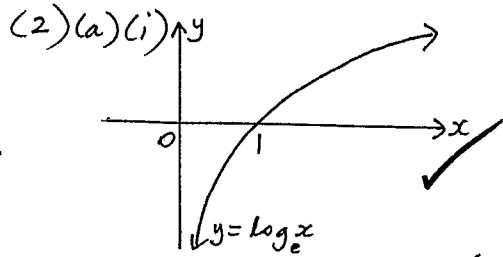
(f) $\int_0^2 f(x) dx = -5$ ✓

(g) $y = 2 \log_e x$
 $\therefore y' = \frac{2}{x}$ ✓

At $x = e$, $y' = \frac{2}{e}$ ✓
So the gradient is $\frac{2}{e}$.

(h)(i) B ✓

(ii) C ✓



(ii) Domain is $x > 0$. ✓

(b) $\int_3^5 f(x) dx$
 $\doteq \frac{1}{2}(y_0 + y_2 + 2y_1)$
 $= \frac{1}{2}(8 + 9 + 2(10))$
 $= \frac{37}{2}$ or 18.5 ✓

(c) When $x = -1$,
 $y = (-1)^3 - 5(-1)$
 $= 4$. ✓
 $y' = 3x^2 - 5$
When $x = -1$,
 $y' = -2$. ✓

So the tangent has equation
 $y - 4 = -2(x + 1)$
 $y = -2x + 2$. ✓

(d) Area = $\int_0^1 e^{1-x} dx$ ✓
 $= -[e^{1-x}]_0^1$ ✓
 $= -(e^0 - e)$ ✓
 $= (e - 1) u^2$ ✓

(e)(i) $\frac{d}{dx}(e^{x^3}) = 3x^2 e^{x^3}$ ✓
(ii) So $\int 3x^2 e^{x^3} dx = 2e^{x^3} + c$. ✓
(No penalty for omitting c.)

(5)(a)(i) $y = 2x^3$
 $y' = -2x^{-2}$ ✓
 $= -\frac{2}{x^2}$ ✓

(ii) $y = (3x-1)^3$
 $y' = 3(3x-1)^2 \cdot 3$ ✓
 $= 9(3x-1)^2$ ✓

(iii) $y = \log_e(1+x^4)$
 $y' = \frac{4x^3}{1+x^4}$ ✓

(b)(i) $\int e^{-4x} dx = -\frac{1}{4}e^{-4x} + c$ ✓

(ii) $\int \frac{5}{5x+3} dx = \log_e(5x+3) + c$ ✓
(no penalty for omitting c)

(c)(i) $y = x \log_e x$
By the product rule,
 $y' = x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \log_e x \cdot 1$
 $= 1 + \log_e x$

(ii) Let $y' = 0$.
 $\therefore 1 + \log_e x = 0$ ✓
 $\log_e x = -1$
 $x = e^{-1}$ or $\frac{1}{e}$ ✓

(d) $\int_0^1 (1 - \frac{1}{2}x)^{-2} dx$
 $= \left[\frac{(1 - \frac{1}{2}x)^{-1}}{-1(-\frac{1}{2})} \right]_0^1$ ✓
 $= 2 \left((\frac{1}{2})^{-1} - 1^{-1} \right)$ ✓
 $= 2(2 - 1)$ ✓
 $= 2$ ✓

(4)(a) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x^2 - 6x + 3$
 $\therefore y = \int (8x^2 - 6x + 3) dx$ ✓
 $= 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + c$

When $x = 0$, $y = -5$.
 $\therefore c = -5$

So the curve has equation
 $y = 2x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 5$ ✓

(b)

x	2	3	4	5	6
y	$\ln 2$	$\ln 3$	$\ln 4$	$\ln 5$	$\ln 6$
	y_0	y_1	y_2	y_3	y_4

$\int_2^6 \ln x dx \doteq \frac{1}{3}(y_0 + y_4 + 4(y_1 + y_3) + 2(y_2))$ ✓

$= \frac{1}{3}(\ln 2 + \ln 6 + 4(\ln 3 + \ln 5) + 2 \ln 4)$
 $= 5.3632... + 2 \ln 4$ ✓
 $\doteq 5.36$ ✓

(Allow any reasonable approximation.)

(c)(i) $y = \frac{6}{x}$ ①
 $y = 8 - 2x$ ②
Substitute ① into ②:

$\frac{6}{x} = 8 - 2x$ ✓
 $6 = 8x - 2x^2$ ✓
 $x^2 - 4x + 3 = 0$ ✓
 $(x-1)(x-3) = 0$ ✓
 $x = 1$ or $x = 3$ ✓

When $x = 1$, $y = 6$.
When $x = 3$, $y = 2$.
So $P = (1, 6)$ and $Q = (3, 2)$. ✓

(ii) Area = $\int_1^3 (8 - 2x - \frac{6}{x}) dx$ ✓
 $= [8x - x^2 - 6 \ln x]_1^3$ ✓
 $= 24 - 9 - 6 \ln 3 - (8 - 6)$
 $= 8 - 6 \ln 3$ ✓
 $\doteq 1.4083... \approx 1.4$ ✓
(Allow any reasonable approximation)

10) (a) $\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\infty} x^{-2} dx = \frac{4}{5}$
 $\left[-\frac{1}{x}\right]_{\frac{1}{2}}^k = \frac{4}{5}$
 $-\frac{1}{k} + 2 = \frac{4}{5}$
 $-\frac{1}{k} = -\frac{6}{5}$
 $\therefore k = \frac{5}{6}$

(b) (i)
 $LHS = \frac{4}{1+2x} - 1$
 $= \frac{4 - 1(1+2x)}{1+2x}$
 $= \frac{3-2x}{1+2x}$
 $= RHS$

(ii) $\int_0^1 \frac{3-2x}{1+2x} dx$
 $= \int_0^1 \left(\frac{4}{1+2x} - 1\right) dx$
 $= [2 \ln(1+2x) - x]_0^1$
 $= 2 \ln 3 - 1 - (2 \ln 1 - 0)$
 $= 2 \ln 3 - 1$

(c) (i)
 $(2+e^{-2x})^2 = 4 + 4e^{-2x} + e^{-4x}$

(ii)
 $V = \pi \int_0^2 (4 + 4e^{-2x} + e^{-4x}) dx$
 $= \pi \left[4x - 2e^{-2x} - \frac{1}{4}e^{-4x}\right]_0^2$
 $= \pi \left(8 - 2e^{-4} - \frac{1}{4}e^{-8} - (0 - 2 - \frac{1}{4})\right)$
 $= \pi \left(10\frac{1}{4} - 2e^{-4} - \frac{1}{4}e^{-8}\right)$
 $= \frac{\pi}{4} (41 - 8e^{-4} - e^{-8}) u^3$

(6) (a) $y = ax^3 + bx^2 - 9$
 Substitute $x=2, y=31$:
 $31 = 8a + 4b - 9$
 $8a + 4b = 40$
 $2a + b = 10$ (1)
 $y' = 3ax^2 + 2bx$
 when $x=-2, y'=0$:
 $\therefore 0 = 12a - 4b$
 $3a - b = 0$ (2)
 (1)+(2): $5a = 10$
 $\therefore a = 2$ and $b = 6$

(b) (i) $y = e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$
 $y' = -xe^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$
 Let $y'=0$ for stationary points.
 $\therefore -xe^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} = 0$
 $\therefore x=0$ (note that $e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} > 0$ for all x)

When $x=0, y=e$.
 So $(0, e)$ is a stationary point.

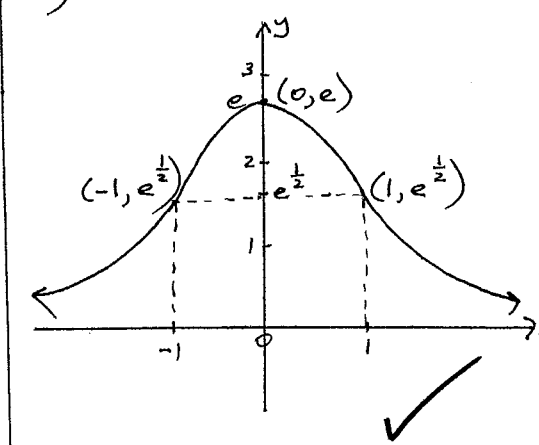
x	-1	0	1
y'	$e^{\frac{1}{2}} > 0$	0	$-e^{\frac{1}{2}} < 0$

 $(0, e)$ is a maximum turning point.

(ii) $y' = -xe^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$
 $y'' = -x \cdot -xe^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} + e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} \cdot (-1)$
 $= x^2 e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} - e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2}$
 $= e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} (x^2 - 1)$

Let $y''=0$ for possible points of inflexion.
 $\therefore x = \pm 1$ (for all x , $e^{1-\frac{1}{2}x^2} > 0$)
 When $x=1, y = e^{\frac{1}{2}}$.
 When $x=-1, y = e^{\frac{1}{2}}$.
 We are told that there are two points of inflexion, so $(1, e^{\frac{1}{2}})$ and $(-1, e^{\frac{1}{2}})$ are the points of inflexion.

(iii) As $x \rightarrow \infty, y \rightarrow 0$.
 (so $y=0$ (the x -axis) is a horizontal asymptote.)
 (iv) $e^{\frac{1}{2}} \doteq 1.65$



7) (a) (i) $(24 - 2x) \text{ cm}$ ✓
 (ii) $V = (24 - 2x)^2 \cdot x$ ✓
 $= x(576 - 96x + 4x^2)$
 $= 4x^3 - 96x^2 + 576x$
 (iii) $\frac{dV}{dx} = 12x^2 - 192x + 576$
 $= 12(x^2 - 16x + 48)$
 $= 12(x-4)(x-12)$ ✓

Let $\frac{dV}{dx} = 0$ for stationary points.

$\therefore x = 4$ or $x = 12$

But when $x = 12, V = 0$. ✓

So $x \neq 12$.

$\frac{d^2V}{dx^2} = 24x - 192$

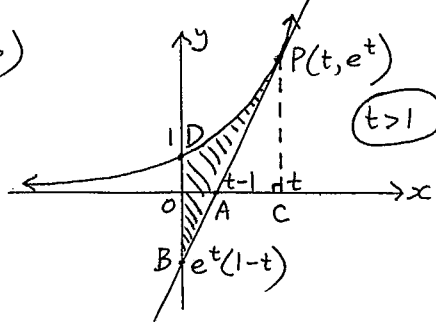
$= -96$ when $x = 4$. ✓

So $x = 4$ maximises V .

So the maximum volume is

$4 \times 16^2 = 1024 \text{ cm}^3$. ✓

(b)



(i) $y' = e^x$

At $x = t, y' = e^t$.

So the tangent has equation

$y - e^t = e^t(x - t)$, ✓

[i.e. $y = e^t x + e^t(1 - t)$].

when $y = 0,$
 $x - t = -1$
 $x = t - 1$. ✓

So $A = (t - 1, 0)$.

When $x = 0,$
 $y = e^t - te^t$
 $= e^t(1 - t)$. ✓

So $B = (0, e^t(1 - t))$.

(ii) Area of region OCPD is

$\int_0^t e^x dx = [e^x]_0^t$
 $= e^t - 1$. ✓

Area of $\triangle AOB$ is

$\frac{1}{2}(t - 1) \cdot e^t(t - 1)$ (note $t > 1$)
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^t(t - 1)^2$. ✓

Area of $\triangle ACP$ is

$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \cdot e^t$.

So the shaded region has area

$(e^t - 1) + \frac{1}{2} e^t(t - 1)^2 - \frac{1}{2} e^t$
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^t((t - 1)^2 + 1) - 1$
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^t(t^2 - 2t + 2) - 1$ as required. ✓

Alternatively,

area = $\int_0^t (e^x - (e^t x + e^t(1 - t))) dx$
 $= \int_0^t (e^x - e^t x - e^t(1 - t)) dx$
 $= [e^x - \frac{e^t}{2} x^2 - e^t(1 - t)x]_0^t$
 $= e^t - \frac{t^2 e^t}{2} - t(1 - t)e^t - 1$
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^t(2 - t^2 - 2t + 2t^2) - 1$
 $= \frac{1}{2} e^t(t^2 - 2t + 2) - 1$.