



SAINT IGNATIUS' COLLEGE RIVERVIEW

TRIAL HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE  
EXAMINATION

2003

MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 2

*Time allowed: Three hours  
(plus 5 minutes reading time)*

DIRECTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Attempt all questions.
- There are eight questions. All questions are of equal value.
- All necessary working should be shown. Full marks may not be awarded if work is careless or badly arranged.
- The questions are not necessarily arranged in order of difficulty. Candidates are advised to read the whole paper carefully at the start of the examination.
- Approved calculators may be used. A table of standard integrals is provided.
- Each question is to be started in a new booklet. Your number should be written clearly on the cover of each booklet.

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QUESTION 1 (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

a) Find  $\int \frac{1}{5+4x+x^2} dx$

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[2]

b) Prove that  $\int_4^6 \frac{4dt}{(t-1)(t-3)} = 2 \log_e \left(\frac{9}{5}\right)$

[3]

c) (i) Use the substitution  $x = \frac{2}{3} \sin \alpha$  to prove that  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \sqrt{4-9x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{3}$

[4]

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, find the area enclosed by the ellipse  $9x^2 + y^2 = 4$

[2]

d) (i) Given that  $I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x dx$  prove that  $I_n = \left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right) I_{n-2}$ ,  
where  $n$  is an integer and  $n \geq 2$

[3]

(ii) Hence evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^5 x dx$ .

[1]

**QUESTION 2** (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

- a) Express  $\frac{2+i}{(1-i)^2}$  in the form  $a+bi$ . [2]
- b) If  $z = x+iy$ , shade the region represented by  $2 < |z+\bar{z}| < 10$  on an Argand diagram. [1]
- c) Solve for  $z = x+iy$ , the equation  $z\bar{z} + 2iz = 12 + 6i$  [4]
- d) If  $z = x+iy$ , show that there are two complex numbers  $z$  such that  $|z - 2 - i| = 1$  and  $\arg(z) = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .  
Find the moduli of each of these complex numbers.
- e) If the complex number  $p = \frac{8-2i}{5+3i}$ , find  $\arg(p)$  in exact form. [3]

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[2]

[1]

[4]

[5]

[3]

**QUESTION 3** (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

The hyperbola  $H$  has the equation  $4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$

- a) Write down [4]

- (i) Its eccentricity,
- (ii) The coordinates of its foci  $S$  and  $S'$ ,
- (iii) The equation of each directrix
- (iv) The equation of each asymptote

- b) Sketch the curve for  $H$  and include on your diagram the features found in part (a) [2]

- c) If  $A(x_1, y_1)$  is an arbitrary point on  $H$ ,

- (i) Prove using differential calculus that the equation of the tangent  $l$  at  $A$  is  $4x_1x - 9y_1y = 36$ .

- (ii) Find the co-ordinates of the point  $B$  at which  $l$  cuts the  $x$ -axis. [1]

- (iii) Hence prove that  $\frac{SA}{S'A} = \frac{SB}{S'B}$  [5]

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[4]

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[3]

[1]

**QUESTION 4 (15 marks)** Start a new answer booklet.

Consider the function  $f(x) = x - 2\sqrt{x}$

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| a) Determine the domain of $f$ .  | [1]   |
| b) Find the $x$ -intercepts of the graph of $y = f(x)$ .  | [1]   |
| c) Show that the curve $y = f(x)$ is concave upwards for all positive values of $x$ .   | [1]   |
| d) Find the co-ordinates of the stationary point and determine its nature.  | [1]   |
| e) Sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$ clearly showing all essential features.   | [1]   |
| f) Hence, by considering the graph of $y = f(x)$ , sketch the following on separate diagrams, showing the essential features. |       |
| (i) $y =  f(x) $  | [2]   |
| (ii) $y = f(x-1)$   | [2]   |
| (iii) $y = f( x )$  | [2]   |
| (iv) $ y  = f(x)$   | [2]   |
| (v) $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$  | [2]   |

**QUESTION 5 (15 marks)** Start a new answer booklet.

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|---|-------|
| a) Show, by the method of mathematical induction that<br>$1 \times 1! + 2 \times 2! + 3 \times 3! + \dots + n \times n! = (n+1)! - 1$ , for $n \geq 1$ .  | [4]   |
| b) If $(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$ are the roots of the equation $x^3 + 4x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$ , find the equation whose roots are $\alpha^{-1}, \beta^{-1}, \gamma^{-1}$ .  | [3]   |
| c) Find all the roots of $3x^3 - 26x^2 + 52x - 24 = 0$ , given that the roots are in geometric progression.   | [4]   |
| d) (i) Prove that for any polynomial $P(x)$ , if $k$ is a zero of multiplicity 2, then $k$ is also a zero of $P'(x)$ .<br>(ii) Show that $x = 1$ is a double root of the equation<br>$x^{2n} - nx^{n+1} + nx^{n-1} - 1 = 0$ | [2]   |

**QUESTION 6** (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

- a) The area enclosed by the parabola  $y = (x - 3)^2$  and the straight line  $y = 9$  is rotated about the  $y$ -axis. Use the method of cylindrical shells to find the exact volume of the solid formed.

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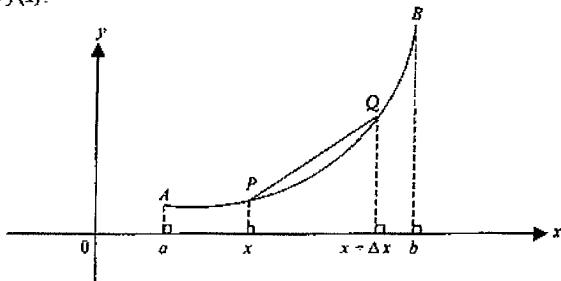
- b) The base of a solid is the region bounded by the parabolas  $y = 5 - x^2$  and  $y = \frac{1}{4}x^2$ .

Cross sections by planes perpendicular to the  $y$ -axis are semi-circles with their diameters in the base of the solid.

- (i) Find the points of intersection of the two parabolas. [1]

- (ii) Find (in exact form) the volume of the solid. [4]

- c)  $P(x, y)$  and  $Q(x + \Delta x, y + \Delta y)$  are points on the continuous curve  $AB$ , whose equation is  $y = f(x)$ .



- (i) Explain why the length of the arc  $PQ$  (ie.  $\Delta z$ ) is given by the relation [1]

$$\Delta z \approx \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}$$

- (ii) Hence explain why the length of the arc  $AB$  can be expressed as [3]

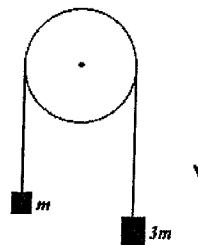
$$AB = \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2} dx$$

- (iii) Find the length of the arc of the semi-cubical curve  $y = x^{\frac{3}{2}}$  between the points  $(0,0)$  and  $(4,8)$  on the curve. [2]

**QUESTION 7** (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

- a) Particles of mass  $3m$  and  $m$  are connected by a light inextensible string which passes over a smooth fixed pulley. The string hangs vertically on each side, as shown in the diagram.

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[1]



The particles are released from rest and move under the influence of gravity. The air resistance on each particle is  $kv$  when the speed of the particles is  $v$ . The acceleration due to gravity,  $g$ , is taken as positive throughout the question and is assumed to be constant.  $k$  is a positive constant.

- (i) Draw diagram(s) to show the forces acting on each particle. [1]

- (ii) Show that the equation of motion is  $\frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{mg - kv}{2m}$  [3]

- (iii) Find the terminal or maximum speed of the system, stating your answer in terms of  $m$ ,  $g$  and  $k$ . [1]

- (iv) Prove that the time elapsed since the beginning of the motion is given by [3]

$$t = \frac{2m}{k} \ln \left| \frac{mg}{mg - kv} \right|$$

- (v) If the bodies have attained a speed equal to half of the terminal speed, show by using the results of (iii) and (iv), that the time elapsed is equal to  $\frac{V}{g} \ln 4$ , where  $V$  is the terminal speed. [3]

- b) If  $z_1, z_2, z_3$  are the roots of the polynomial equation  $P(z) = 0$ , where  $z$  is a member of the set of complex numbers, solve the system of simultaneous equations [4]

$$z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 1$$

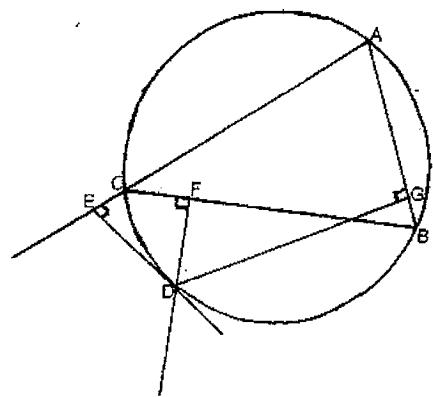
$$z_1 z_2 + z_1 z_3 + z_2 z_3 = 9$$

$$z_1 z_2 z_3 = 9$$

QUESTION 8 (15 marks) Start a new answer booklet.

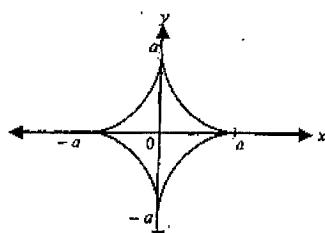
a)

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The above diagram shows a triangle  $ABC$  inscribed in a circle with  $D$  a point on the arc  $BC$ .  $DE$  is perpendicular to  $AC$  produced,  $DF$  is perpendicular to  $BC$  and  $DG$  is perpendicular to  $AB$ .

- (i) Copy this diagram into your answer booklet.
  - (ii) Explain why  $DECDF$  and  $DFGB$  are cyclic quadrilaterals. [2]
  - (iii) Show that the points  $E, F$  and  $G$  are collinear. [5]
- b) Consider the diagram below which represents the astroid  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$  [8]



Show that the length of a tangent line to the astroid (at any point  $(l, m)$  on it) cut off by the coordinate axes is constant.

*Adds To Solutions*  
Question 1

$$(a) I = \int \frac{1}{5+4x+x^2} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{1}{1+(x+2)^2} dx$$

$$= \tan^{-1}(x+2) + C$$

$$(b) I = \int_4^6 \frac{4 dt}{(t-1)(t-3)}$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{4}{(t-1)(t-3)} = \frac{A}{t-1} + \frac{B}{t-3}$$

$$\text{Consider } 4 = A(t-3) + B(t-1)$$

$$\text{If } t=1, \therefore 4 = A(-2) \text{ i.e. } A = -2$$

$$\text{If } t=3, \therefore 4 = B(2) \text{ i.e. } B = 2$$

$$\therefore I = \int_4^6 \left( \frac{2}{t-3} - \frac{2}{t-1} \right) dt$$

$$I = \left[ 2 \ln(t-3) - 2 \ln(t-1) \right]_4^6$$

$$I = 2 \left[ \ln \left( \frac{t-3}{t-1} \right) \right]_4^6$$

$$I = 2 \left[ \ln \frac{3}{5} - \ln \frac{1}{3} \right]$$

$$I = 2 \ln \left( \frac{9}{5} \right)$$

Aids To Solutions

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$$(c) I = \int_0^{\frac{2}{3}} \sqrt{4 - 9x^2} dx$$

$$9x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

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

$$* \text{ If } x = \frac{2}{3} \sin d$$

$$\frac{dx}{dd} = \frac{2}{3} \cos d.$$

$$dx = \frac{2}{3} \cos d dd.$$

$$* \sqrt{4 - 9x^2} \sin^2 d$$

$$= 2 \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 d}$$

$$= 2 \sqrt{\cos^2 d}$$

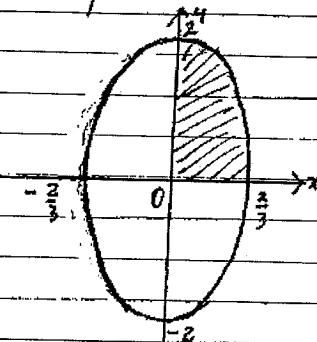
$$= 2 \cos d.$$

$$* \sin d = \frac{3x}{2}.$$

$$\text{when } x = 0, d = 0$$

$$\text{when } x = \frac{2}{3}, d = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Ellipse :



Consider 4 times the shaded area.

The equation for the curve in

The first quadrant  $y = \sqrt{4 - 9x^2}$

$$\text{Shaded area } A = \int_0^{\frac{2}{3}} \sqrt{4 - 9x^2} dx$$

$$I = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} 2 \cos d \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cos d dd$$

$$= \frac{4}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^2 d dd$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 + \cos 2d) dd.$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left[ d + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2d \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right) = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

Required area of Ellipse :

$$A = 4I$$

$$= 4 \times \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$= \frac{4\pi}{3} \text{ units}^2.$$

Aids To Solutions

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$$(d) (i) I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x dx$$

$$I_n = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos x \cos^{n-1} x dx$$

Now using integration by parts:

$$\text{If } u = \cos^{n-1} x$$

$$\text{then } u' = (n-1)(\cos^{n-2} x)(-\sin x)$$

$$= -(n-1) \sin x \cos^{n-2} x$$

$$\text{and } v' = \cos x$$

$$\text{Then } v = \sin x$$

$$\therefore I_n = \left[ \sin x \cos^{n-1} x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin x \cdot -(n-1) \sin x \cos^{n-2} x dx$$

$$I_n = 0 + (n-1) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin^2 x \cos^{n-2} x dx$$

$$I_n = (n-1) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (1 - \cos^2 x) \cos^{n-2} x dx$$

$$I_n = (n-1) \left[ \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (\cos^{n-2} x) dx - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \cos^n x dx \right]$$

$$I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2} - (n-1) I_n$$

$$I_n + (n-1) I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}$$

$$n I_n = (n-1) I_{n-2}$$

$$I_n = \frac{(n-1)}{n} I_{n-2}$$

Question 2

## Ans To Solutions

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(a)  $\frac{z+i}{(1-i)^2}$

=  $\frac{z+i}{-2i}$

=  $\frac{2+i}{-2i} \times \frac{i}{i}$

=  $\frac{i^2+2i}{-2i^2}$

=  $\frac{-1+2i}{2}$

=  $\frac{1}{2} + i$

(c)  $z\bar{z} + 2i\bar{z} = 12 + 6i$

$x^2 + y^2 + 2i(x+iy) = 12 + 6i$

$x^2 + y^2 - 2y + 2xi = 12 + 6i$

Equate real &amp; imaginary parts

$x^2 + y^2 - 2y = 12 \quad \dots \textcircled{1}$

$2x = 6 \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$

$\therefore x = 3$

Sub into  $\textcircled{1}$ 

$y^2 - 2y = 12$

$y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0$

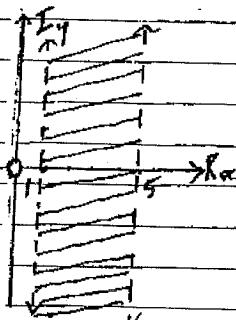
$(y-3)(y+1) = 0$

$y = 3 \text{ or } -1$

(b)  $2 < z + \bar{z} \leq 10$

\text{Now } z + \bar{z} = 2x

\text{So } 1 &lt; x \leq 5



∴ solutions are:

$z = 3 + 3i$

$z = 3 - i$

## Ans To Solutions

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(d) For  $|z - 2 - i| = 1$

$|z - (2+i)| = 1$

circle centre  $(2+i)$ radius  $r = 1$ 

and  $\arg(z) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

a ray excluding origin

in 1st quadrant at

an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{4}$  to the  
real axis

(e)  $p = \frac{8-2i}{5+3i}$

$p = \frac{8-2i}{5+3i} \times \frac{5-3i}{5-3i}$

$p = \frac{40-24i-10i+6i^2}{25-9i^2}$

$= \frac{34-34i}{25+9}$

$= \frac{34(1-i)}{34}$

$= 1-i$

$\begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ \text{Im} \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ \text{Re} \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ \theta \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ 1 \end{array}$

$\begin{array}{l} \uparrow \\ -1 \end{array}$

$\arg(1-i) = -\tan^{-1} \frac{1}{4}$

Two complex numbers  
 $(1+i)$  and  $(2+2i)$ 

$|1+i| = \sqrt{1^2+1^2} = \sqrt{2}$

$|2+2i| = \sqrt{2^2+2^2} = \sqrt{4+4} = \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$

Note cartesian equations are

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

and  $y = x$

Question ③

### Aids To Solutions

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$$(a) 4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36$$

$$\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$$

$$a^2 = 9, b^2 = 4$$

(a) (i) for a hyperbola

$$b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$\frac{4}{9} = \frac{9}{e^2} - 1$$

$$e^2 = \frac{13}{9}$$

$$e = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{3} (e > 1)$$

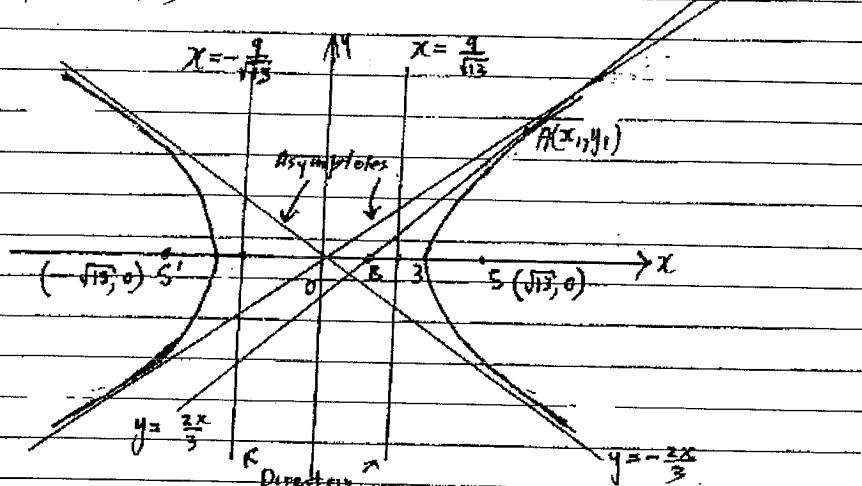
(ii) Focii S and S'

$$\text{are } (\pm ae, 0)$$

$$\therefore S \text{ is } (\sqrt{13}, 0)$$

$$\text{and } S' \text{ is } (-\sqrt{13}, 0)$$

(b)



(iii) Directrices  $x = \pm \frac{a}{e}$

$$x = \pm \frac{3}{\frac{\sqrt{13}}{3}}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{9}{\sqrt{13}}$$

(iv) Asymptotes:  $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{4} = 0$

$$\frac{y^2}{4} = \frac{x^2}{9}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{4x^2}{9}$$

$$y = \pm \frac{2x}{3}$$

### Aids To Solutions

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(c)

(i) Equation of tangent at  $P(x_1, y_1)$

$$4x^2 - 9y^2 = 36 \quad \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$8x - 18y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$9y \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{9y}$$

$$\text{at } (x_1, y_1) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x_1}{9y_1}$$

$$\text{Gradient of tangent } m = \frac{4x_1}{9y_1}$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - y_1 = \frac{4x_1}{9y_1}(x - x_1)$$

$$9y_1 y - 9y_1^2 = 4x_1 x - 4x_1^2$$

$$4x_1 x - 9y_1 y = 4x_1^2 - 9y_1^2$$

$$\text{But } 4x_1^2 - 9y_1^2 = 36 \text{ because } (x_1, y_1) \text{ lies on the hyperbola.}$$

$$(AS')^2 = 13 + 2\sqrt{13}x_1 + x_1^2 + 4y_1^2 - 36$$

$$\therefore 4x_1 x - 9y_1 y = 36 \quad \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

$$9(AS')^2 = 11y_1^2 + 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 18x_1^2 + 4y_1^2 - 36$$

$$(AS')^2 = \frac{1}{9} (13x_1^2 + 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 81)$$

$$x = \frac{9}{x_1}$$

$$AS' = \frac{1}{3} (\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9)$$

$$\therefore B \text{ is } \left(\frac{9}{x_1}, 0\right)$$

(ii)

The Distance AS

$$d = \sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$$

$$AS^2 = (\sqrt{13} - x_1)^2 + (0 - y_1)^2$$

$$AS^2 = (\sqrt{13} - x_1)^2 + y_1^2$$

$$AS^2 = (\sqrt{13} - x_1)^2 + \frac{4x_1^2 - 36}{9} \text{ using } (1)$$

$$9AS^2 = 9(\sqrt{13} - 2\sqrt{13}x_1 + x_1^2) + 4x_1^2 - 36$$

$$9AS^2 = 13x_1^2 - 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 81$$

$$AS^2 = \frac{1}{9} (13x_1^2 - 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 81)$$

$$AS = \frac{1}{3} (\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9)$$

$$9(AS)^2 = 11y_1^2 + 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 18x_1^2 + 4y_1^2 - 36$$

$$(AS')^2 = (\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9)^2$$

$$13x_1^2 + 18\sqrt{13}x_1 + 81 = (\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9)^2$$

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$$x = \frac{9}{x_1}$$

$$AS' = \frac{1}{3} (\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9)$$

(b) (iv) continued.

Adds To Solns.

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$$\text{Now } SA = \sqrt{13} - \frac{9}{x_1} \equiv \frac{\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9}{x_1}$$

$$S'B = \sqrt{13} + \frac{9}{x_1} = \frac{\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9}{x_1}$$

$$\text{And } SA = \frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9) = \frac{\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9}{\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9}$$

$$\text{Also } \frac{SA}{S'B} = \frac{(\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9) \div x_1}{(\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9) \div x_1} = \frac{\sqrt{13}x_1 - 9}{\sqrt{13}x_1 + 9}$$

$$\therefore \frac{SA}{S'A} = \frac{SA}{S'B}$$

Note: There are two other methods which can be used for part (iv).

\* Adds To Solns Only

Question 4

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(a)  $x \geq 0$

(b) Let  $f(x) = 0$

$$x - 2\sqrt{x} = 0$$

$$x^2 = 4x$$

$$x(x-4) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } 4$$

(c)  $f(x) = x - 2x^{1/2}$

$$f'(x) = 1 - 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

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

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

$$\text{Now the domain makes } f''(x) > 0 \text{ for all } x > 0$$

which is the condition

for concave up.

(d) Stationary pt for  $f'(x) = 0$

$$1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} = 0$$

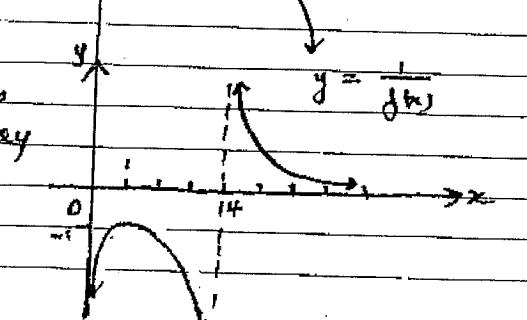
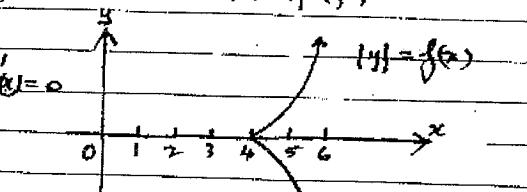
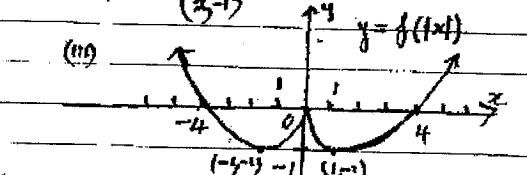
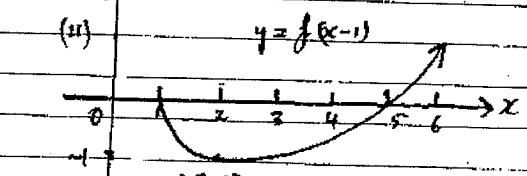
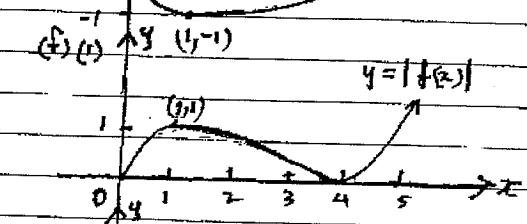
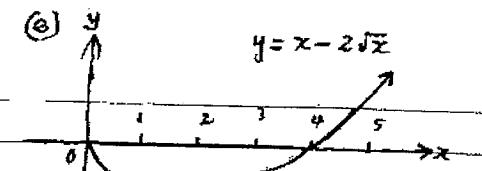
$$\sqrt{x} = 1$$

$\therefore x = 1$  and on

substitution  $y = -1$

Now since the curve is concave up we can say

that  $(1, -1)$  is a minimum fp.



Questions

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$$(a) 1 \times 1! + 2 \times 2! + 3 \times 3! + \dots + n \times n! = (n+1)! - 1, \text{ for } n \geq 1$$

$$\text{Let } T_n = n \times n!$$

$$S_n = (n+1)! - 1$$

$$I^P_{n=1}$$

$$S_n = (1+1)! - 1 = 2! - 1 = 2 - 1 = 1 \therefore \text{true for } n=1$$

Assume the result to be true for  $n=k$ .

$$\therefore S_k = (k+1)! - 1$$

$$\text{Consider } n = k+1$$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{k+1} &= T_{k+1} = (k+1)! - 1 + (k+1)k(k+1)! \\ &= (k+1)! + k(k+1)! + (k+1)! - 1 \\ &= 2(k+1)! + k(k+1)! - 1 \\ &= (k+2)(k+1)! - 1 \\ &= (k+2)! - 1 \\ &= ((k+1)+1)! - 1 \end{aligned}$$

which is the same as  $S_n$  with  $(k+1)$  replacing  $n$ .

Hence the result is true for  $n=k+1$  if it is true for  $n=k$ .

Now the result is true for  $n=1$  hence it is true for  $n=2$ , and 3 and so on; hence it is true for all integers  $n \geq 1$ .

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$$(b) x^3 + 4x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$$

roots are  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$

Equation whose roots are  $\alpha^{-1}, \beta^{-1}, \gamma^{-1}$

$$\text{let } y = \frac{1}{x} \text{ since } x = \alpha, \beta, \gamma, y = \frac{1}{\alpha}, \frac{1}{\beta}, \frac{1}{\gamma}$$

Put  $x = \frac{1}{y}$  in the above equation

$$\frac{1}{y^3} + \frac{4}{y^2} - \frac{3}{y} + 1 = 0$$

$$1 + 4y^2 - 3y^3 + y^3 = 0$$

The required equation is  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$

$$(c) 3x^3 - 26x^2 + 52x - 24 = 0$$

Let the roots be  $d, d, dr$  where  $d$  is a real and  $r$  is the common ratio for the GP.

$$\text{Sum of roots: } \frac{d}{r} + d + dr = \frac{26}{3}$$

$$d\left(\frac{1}{r} + 1 + r\right) = \frac{26}{3} \quad \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\text{Sum of roots} \times \text{constant: } \frac{d}{r} \times d + d \times dr + \frac{d}{r} \times dr = 52$$

$$\frac{d^2}{r} + d^2 r + d^2 = \frac{52}{3} \quad \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

$$\text{Product of roots: } \frac{d}{r} \times d \times dr = 8 \quad \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

$$d^3 = 8$$

$$d = 2$$

$$\text{Sub in (1)} \quad \frac{1}{r} + 1 + r = \frac{13}{3} \quad \text{if } r = 3 \\ \text{roots are}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 + 3r + 3r^2 &= 13 \\ 3r^2 + 10r + 3 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$(3r-1)(r+3) = 0 \quad \text{This will reverse for}$$

$$r = 3 \text{ or } r = -\frac{1}{3}$$

$$r = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 3r-1 \\ r-3 \end{matrix}$$

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(d) (i) Let  $P(x) = (x-k)^2 Q(x)$

$$P'(x) = 2(x-k) + (x-k)^2 Q'(x)$$

$$= 2(x-k) A(x) + (x-k)^2 A'(x)$$

$$= (x-k) [2A(x) + (x-k) A'(x)]$$

$$P'(k) = (k-k) [2A(k) + (k-k) A'(k)]$$

$$= 0$$

$x=k$  is a zero of  $P'(x)$

(ii) Let  $P(x) = x^n - nx^{n+1} + nx^{n-1} - 1$

$$P(1) = 1 - n + n - 1 = 0$$

$$P'(x) = nx^{n-1} - n(n+1)x^n + n(n-1)x^{n-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P'(1) &= n - n^2 - n + n^2 - n \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

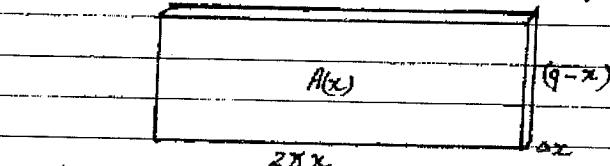
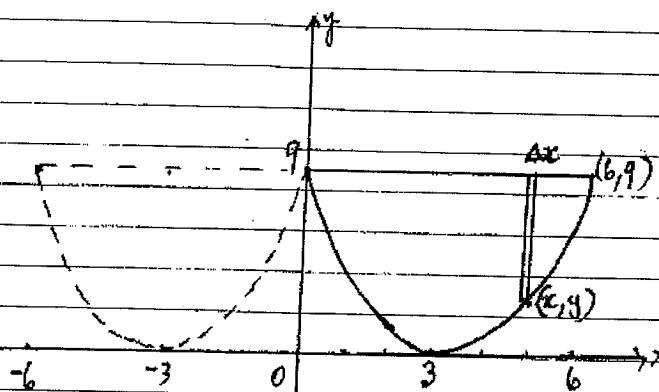
so  $x=1$  is a root of  $P(x) = 0$  and  $P'(x) = 0$   
hence a double root of  $P(x) = 0$ .

Question 6

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(a)  $y = (x-3)^2$  and  $y = 9$



$$A(x) = 2\pi x (9-x)$$

$$\Delta V = 2\pi x (9-x) \Delta x$$

$$\text{Now } 9-y = 9-(x-3)^2$$

$$= 9-x^2+(x-9)$$

$$V = \lim_{\substack{\text{Largest} \\ \Delta x \rightarrow 0}} \sum_{x=0}^6 2\pi x (6x-x^2) \Delta x$$

$$V = 2\pi \int_0^6 (6x^2-x^3) dx$$

$$= 2\pi \left[ 2x^3 - \frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^6$$

$$V = 2\pi (432 - 324 - 0)$$

$$V = 216\pi \text{ units}^3$$

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$$(b) y = 5 - x^2 \quad \dots \quad ①$$

$$y = \frac{1}{4}x^2 \quad \dots \quad ②$$

$$5 - x^2 = \frac{1}{4}x^2$$

$$5 = x^2 + \frac{1}{4}x^2$$

$$\frac{5}{4}x^2 = 5$$

$$\frac{5}{4}x^2 = 4$$

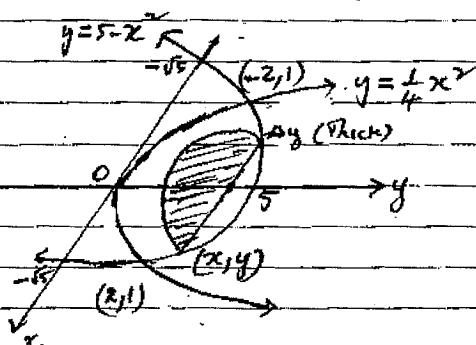
$$x = \pm 2$$

hence from ①  $y = 1$

$$V = \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \left( 25 - \frac{x^2}{2} \right) - \left( 5 - \frac{x^2}{4} \right) + 2 \cdot 0 \right]$$

$$V = \frac{\pi}{2} (20 - 12 + 3)$$

$$V = 5\pi \text{ units}^3$$



Area of semicircular disc.

$$y = 5 - x^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{1}{4}x^2$$

$$A = \pi (x)^2 \times \frac{1}{2} \quad A = \pi (x)^2 \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Volume of Disc} : \Delta V = \frac{\pi x^2}{2} \Delta y \quad \Delta V = \frac{\pi x^2}{2} A y$$

$$V = \lim_{\Delta y \rightarrow 0} \sum_{y=1}^5 \frac{\pi x^2}{2} \Delta y + \lim_{\Delta y \rightarrow 0} \sum_{y=0}^1 \frac{\pi x^2}{2} \Delta y$$

$$V = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_1^5 (5-y) dy + \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^1 4y dy$$

$$V = \frac{\pi}{2} \left\{ \left[ 5y - \frac{y^2}{2} \right]_1^5 + [2y^2]_0^1 \right\}$$

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$$(c) (i) \text{ arc } PA \approx \text{ chord } PA$$

because G is very close to P

$\Delta x$  is very small

Using Pythagoras.

$$\Delta z \approx \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}$$

$$(ii) \text{ Arc } AB = \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{x=a}^b \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 + (\Delta y)^2}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{x=a}^b \sqrt{(\Delta x)^2 \left( 1 + \left( \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \right)^2 \right)}$$

$$= \lim_{\Delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{x=a}^b \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} \right)^2} \Delta x$$

$$= \int_a^b \sqrt{1 + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2} dx$$

$$(iii) y = x^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \left[ 10^{\frac{3}{2}} - 1 \right]$$

$$\text{Now } \int 1 + \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = \int 1 + \frac{9}{4}x^{-1} = \frac{9}{27} (10\sqrt{10} - 1) \text{ units}^2$$

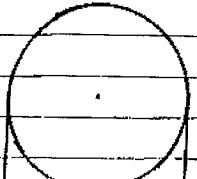
$$l = \int_0^4 \left( 1 + \frac{9}{4}x^{-1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{\left( 1 + \frac{9}{4}x^{-1} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2} \times \frac{9}{4}} \right]_0^4$$

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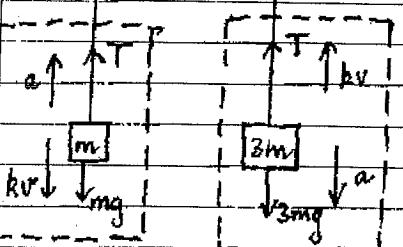
(a) Question 7

(i)



"smooth fixed point" with "a light inextensible string" means The tensions are equal

Now  $m < 3m$  so the particle with mass  $m$  will accelerate up while the particle with mass  $3m$  will accelerate down.



(iii) Terminal Velocity occurs when  $a = 0$

$$\frac{mg - kv}{2m} = 0$$

$$V = \frac{mg}{k} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

(ii) using  $F = ma$  we have

$$Tma = T - mg - kv$$

$$\text{i.e. } T = mg + ma + kv \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{also, } 3ma = (3m)g - T - kv$$

$$T = 3mg - 3ma - kv \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Equate (1) and (2)

Now when  $t = 0, v = 0$ 

$$mg + ma + kv = 3mg - 3ma - kv$$

$$4ma = 2mg - 2kv$$

$$a = \frac{mg - kv}{2m}$$

$$0 = -\frac{2m}{k} \ln(mg) + c$$

$$c = \frac{2m}{k} \ln(mg)$$

$$\text{But } \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{mg - kv}{2m} \quad \text{--- (3)} \quad t = \frac{2m}{k} \ln \left| \frac{mg}{mg - kv} \right| \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

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(iv) When  $v = \frac{1}{2} V_T$ 

$$= \frac{mg}{2k} \text{ from (4)}$$

Sub in (5)

$$t = \frac{2m}{k} \ln \left| \frac{mg}{mg - \frac{mg}{2k}} \right|$$

$$t = \frac{2m}{k} \ln \left| \frac{mg}{mg - \frac{mg}{2}} \right|$$

$$t = \frac{2m}{k} \ln 2$$

$$t = \frac{m}{k} \ln 2^2$$

$$t = \frac{m}{k} \ln 4$$

now from (4)

$$t = \frac{m}{mg} \frac{\ln 4}{V_T}$$

$$t = \frac{V_T}{g} \ln 4 \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

(b) For  $P(z) = 0$ 

$$\text{Sum of roots: } z_1 + z_2 + z_3 = 1$$

$$\text{Sum of roots two at a time: } z_1z_2 + z_1z_3 + z_2z_3 = 9$$

$$\text{Product of roots: } z_1z_2z_3 = 9$$

$$\text{Equation is } z^3 - \left(\frac{1}{a}\right)z^2 + \frac{c}{a}z - \left(\frac{e}{a}\right) = 0.$$

$$z^3 - z^2 + 9z - 9 = 0$$

$$z^2(z-1) + 9(z-1) = 0$$

$$(z^2+9)(z-1) = 0.$$

$$(z^2-9)(z-1) = 0$$

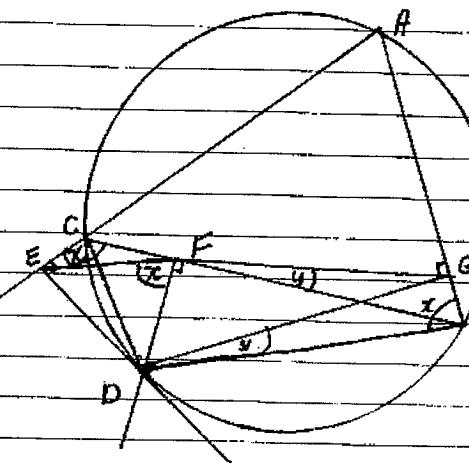
$$(z-3i)(z+3i)(z-1) = 0$$

$$z = 3i \text{ or } -3i \text{ or } 1.$$

Question 8

(a)

(ii)



(ii) In quadrilateral  $DECF$  The opposite angles  $\angle ECD$  and  $\angle EFD$  are both  $90^\circ$  hence supplementary. This means that the remaining pair  $\angle ECF$  and  $\angle FDE$  are also supplementary, hence  $DECF$  is a cyclic quadrilateral.

In quadrilateral  $DFGB$ ,  $\widehat{DFB} = \widehat{BDA} = 90^\circ$  and so by converse of "angles in the same segment are equal", the points  $D, F, G$  and  $B$  are concyclic.

(iii) Let  $\widehat{EFD} = x$  and  $\widehat{GFB} = y$ .

$\widehat{EFD} = \widehat{ECD} = x$  (angles in the same segment are equal — concyclic points  $A, E, F$  and  $C, D$ )

$\widehat{ECD} = \widehat{ABD} = x$  (external  $\angle$  of cyclic quadrilateral  $ABCD$  equals the interior opposite angle)

$\widehat{GFB} = \widehat{BDG} = y$  (angles in the same segment are equal — concyclic points  $B, F, G$  and  $D$ )

$x+y = 90^\circ$  (external angle of  $\triangle DFB$  equals sum of interior opposite angles)

Now  $\widehat{EFD}(x) + \widehat{DFB}(90^\circ) + \widehat{GFB}(y) = 180^\circ$  (because  $x+y=90^\circ$ )

so  $EFG$  is a straight line and so  $E, F$  and  $G$  are collinear.

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$$(b) x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}} \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad y\text{-intercept let } x=0$$

Differentiate w.r.t x

$$\frac{2}{3}x^{-\frac{1}{3}} + \frac{2}{3}y^{-\frac{1}{3}}y' = 0 \quad y - m = -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}(-l)$$

$$\frac{1}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}} + \frac{1}{y^{\frac{1}{3}}}y' = 0 \quad y = m + l \times \left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$y' = -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad y_I = m + l^{\frac{2}{3}}m^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\text{at the point } (l, m) \quad y_I = m^{\frac{1}{3}}(m^{\frac{2}{3}} + l^{\frac{2}{3}})$$

$$y' = -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad \text{Now using Pythagoras to find length of tangent say } T$$

$$\therefore \text{Gradient of tangent is } -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \quad T^2 = [l^{\frac{2}{3}}(l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}})]^2 + [m^{\frac{2}{3}}(m^{\frac{2}{3}} + l^{\frac{2}{3}})]^2$$

Equation of tangent:

$$y - y_I = m(x - x_I) \quad T^2 = (l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}})^2(l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}})$$

$$y - m = -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}(x - l) \quad T^2 = (l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}})^3$$

$$x\text{-intercept let } y=0 \quad \text{Now from (1) } l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}} = a^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$-m = -\left(\frac{m}{l}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}(x - l) \quad \text{because } (l, m) \text{ lies on astroid}$$

$$mx\left(\frac{l}{m}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = x - l \quad T^2 = (a^{\frac{2}{3}})^3$$

$$x_I = l + l^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot m^{\frac{2}{3}} \quad T^2 = a^2$$

$$x_I = l^{\frac{4}{3}}(l^{\frac{2}{3}} + m^{\frac{2}{3}}) \quad \therefore \text{The length of the tangent is constant}$$