



Mathematics

Extension 2

General Instructions

- Working time: 1½ hours
- Reading time: 5 minutes
- Write using blue or black pen.
- Board-approved calculators may be used.
- A table of standard integrals is provided.
- A separate section with graphs is supplied for Question 2 responses.

Total marks – 72

- Attempt Questions 1 – 3
- All questions are of equal value
- Begin each question in a new booklet
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.

Question 1 – (24 marks) – (Start a new booklet)

- a) Find the equation of the ellipse which has eccentricity $\frac{3}{4}$ and foci at $S'(-3, 0)$ and $S(3, 0)$

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- b) Consider the hyperbola H with equation $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$

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- (i) Find the eccentricity, e

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- (ii) Find the coordinates of the foci, S and S'

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- (iii) Find the equation of each directrix

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- (iv) Find the equation of each of the asymptotes

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- (v) Sketch the hyperbola H , showing all the main features.

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- (vi) Given $P(4 \sec \phi, 3 \tan \phi)$ is any arbitrary point on H

- (α) Show that the equation of the tangent at P is $\frac{x \sec \phi}{4} - \frac{y \tan \phi}{3} = 1$

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- (β) The tangent at P meets the asymptote of the hyperbola H at the points Q and Q' . Find the coordinates of Q and Q'

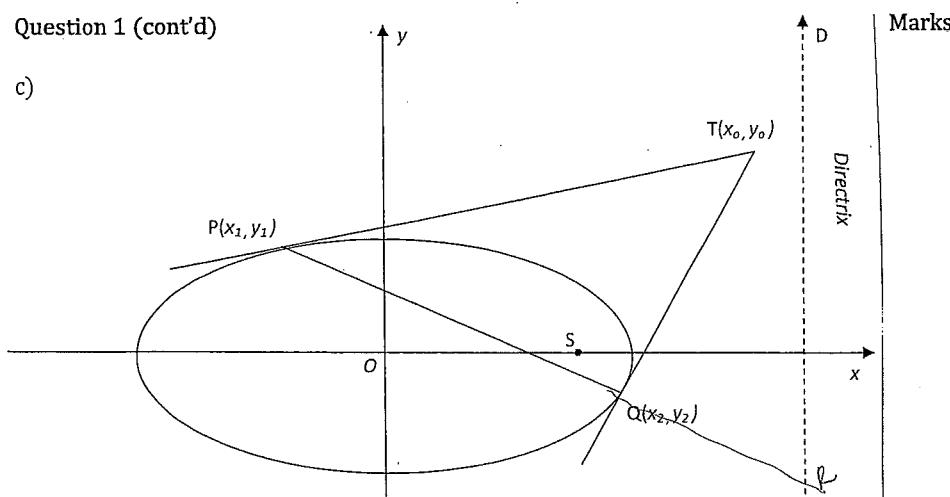
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- (γ) Hence, or otherwise, show that $PQ = PQ'$

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Question 1 (cont'd)

c)



The ellipse E has equation $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ with focus S and directrix D as shown on the diagram. The point $T(x_0, y_0)$ lies outside the ellipse and is not on the x -axis.

The chord of contact PQ from T intersects the directrix at R .

- (i) Show that the equation of the tangent to ellipse at the point $P(x_1, y_1)$ is

$$\frac{x_1x}{a^2} + \frac{y_1y}{b^2} = 1$$

- (ii) Show that the equation of the normal to the ellipse at the point $P(x_1, y_1)$ is

$$\frac{a^2x}{x_1} - \frac{b^2y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$$

- (iii) Given the equation of the chord of contact from T is $\frac{x_0x}{a^2} + \frac{y_0y}{b^2} = 1$, show that $R(x, y)$ has ordinate

$$y = \frac{b^2}{y_0} \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}\right)$$

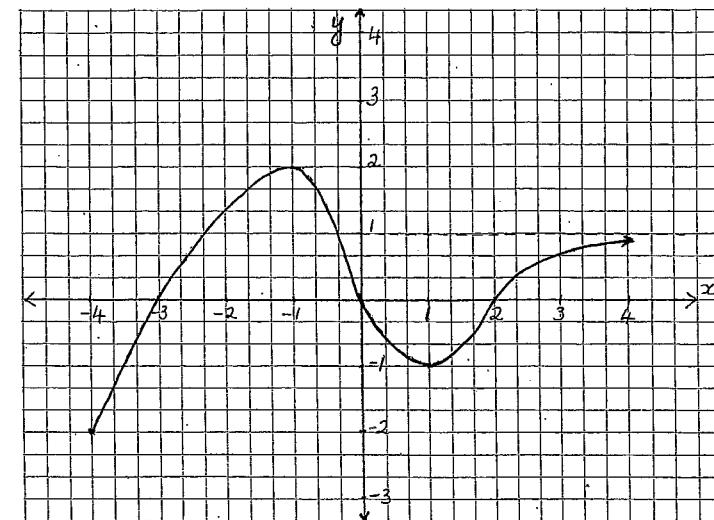
- (iv) Show that TS is perpendicular to SR .

Marks

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Question 2 – (24 marks) – (Start a new booklet)

- a) The graph of $y = f(x)$ for $x \geq -4$ is shown in the following diagram.



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On the separate diagrams provided, neatly sketch the following graphs.

(i) $y = f(x + 1)$

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(ii) $y = [f(x)]^2$

2

(iii) $y = \sqrt{f(x)}$

2

(iv) $y^2 = f(x)$

2

(v) $y = f(|x|)$

2

(vi) $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$

2

(vii) $y = f'(x)$

2

Question 2 (cont'd)

Marks

- b) For the curve $2x^2 - xy + y^2 = 14$

(i) Use implicit differentiation to find $\frac{dy}{dx}$

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(ii) Find the gradient of the tangent at the point $(1, -3)$

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(iii) Show that any stationary points must lie on the line $y = 4x$

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(iv) Hence find the coordinates of the stationary points

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- c) Sketch the graph of $\cos(x+y) = 0 \quad -3\pi \leq x \leq 3\pi$

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Question 3 – (24 marks) – (Start a new booklet)

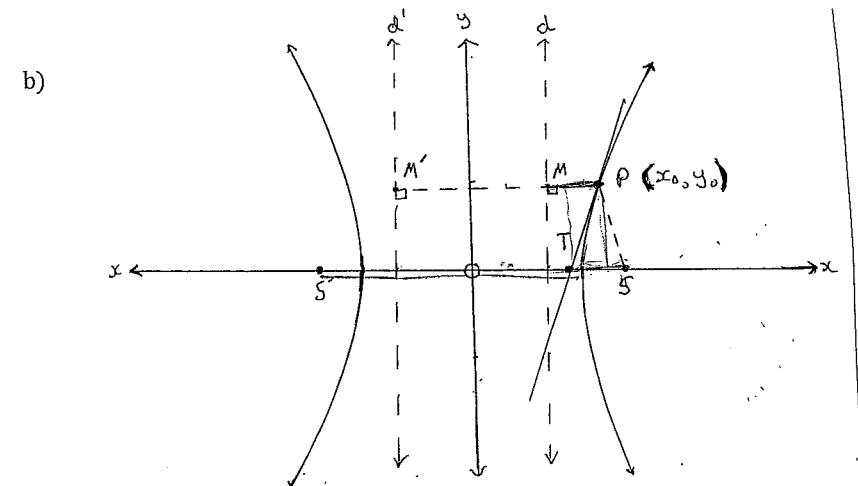
Marks

- a) (i) On separate diagrams draw neat sketches of $y = \cos x$ for $-2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$ and $y = 3^x$ for $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

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- (ii) Using part (i) or otherwise draw a neat sketch of $y = 3^{\cos x}$ $-2\pi \leq x \leq 2\pi$

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The point $P(x_0, y_0)$ lies on the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{7} = 1$

The tangent to the hyperbola at P cuts the x -axis at T , and has equation $\frac{x_0 x}{9} - \frac{y_0 y}{7} = 1$. The two foci of the hyperbola are S and S' , and the two directrices are d and d' .

The points M and M' are the feet of the perpendicular from P to d and d' .

The eccentricity is $\frac{4}{3}$, the foci $S(4, 0)$ and $S'(-4, 0)$, the directrices are $x = \pm \frac{9}{4}$

- (i) Show that T has coordinates $(\frac{9}{x_0}, 0)$

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- (ii) Using the focus directrix definition, or otherwise, show that $\frac{PS}{PS'} = \frac{TS}{TS'}$

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- (iii) Prove that $|PS' - PS| = 6$

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Question 3 (cont'd)

Marks

- c) Show that, if $y = mx + k$ is a tangent to the hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ then
 $m^2a^2 - b^2 = k^2$

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- d) (i) Draw a neat sketch of the parabola $y = x^2 - 2x - 3$. Your sketch should clearly show the intercepts with the coordinate axes and the coordinates of the vertex.

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- (ii) Hence, or otherwise, sketch the graph of $y = 4 - |x^2 - 2x - 3|$ showing all important features.

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- (iii) For what values of m does the equation $mx = 4 - |x^2 - 2x - 3|$ have 4 distinct real solutions?

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- e) P is any point on the ellipse $E: \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ and S is a focus of E .

Prove that the line through S perpendicular to the tangent at P meets the line OP produced at a point on the directrix.

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You may use the fact that the equation of the tangent through P is

$$y = \frac{-b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta} \left(x - \frac{a}{\cos \theta} \right)$$

Year 12 Mid-Course Assessment Ext 2 Maths

Question 1.

a) $e = \frac{3}{4}$, $S(3, 0)$ $\therefore ae = 3$

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

$$\therefore a = 4$$

$$\text{Now } b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

$$b^2 = 16\left(1 - \frac{9}{16}\right)$$

$$= 16 - 9$$

$$= 7$$

$$\therefore \text{Equation of ellipse is } \frac{x^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{7} = 1$$

b) (i) Hyperbola $\frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$ has $a = 4$, $b = 3$

$$\text{since } b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$$

$$9 = 16(e^2 - 1)$$

$$\frac{9}{16} + 1 = e^2$$

$$\frac{25}{16} = e^2$$

$$\therefore e = \frac{5}{4}, e > 0$$

(ii) Foci are $S(ae, 0)$, i.e. $S\left(4 \times \frac{5}{4}, 0\right)$; $S'\left(-5, 0\right)$

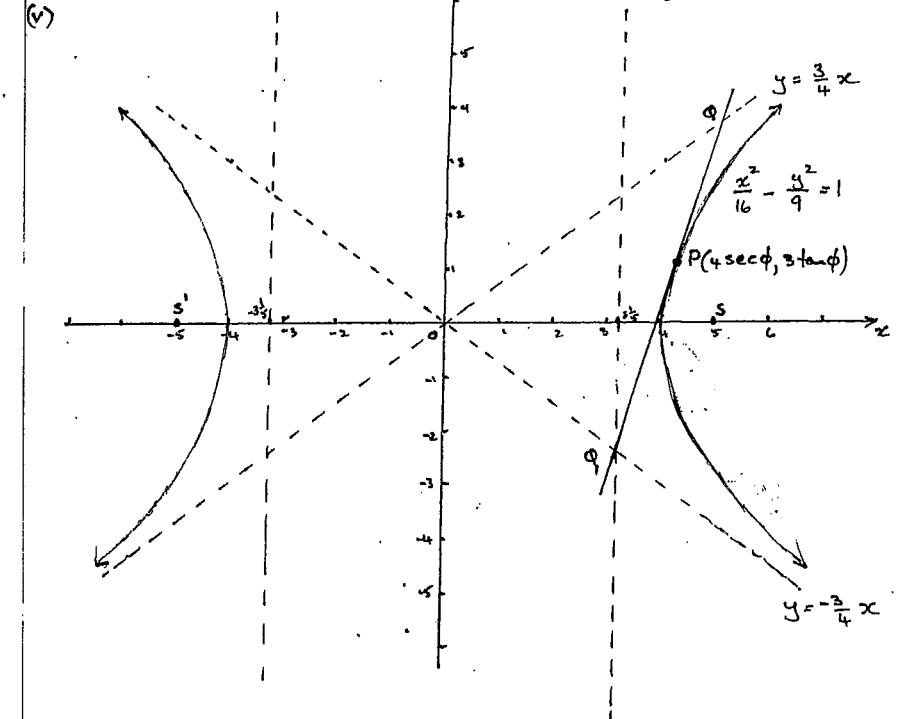
(iii) Directrices are $x = \pm \frac{a}{e}$

$$\text{ie } x = \pm \frac{4}{\frac{5}{4}}$$

$$\text{ie } x = \frac{16}{5} \text{ or } x = -3\frac{1}{5}$$

(iv) Asymptotes are $y = \pm \frac{b}{a}x$

$$\text{ie } y = \frac{3}{4}x \text{ and } y = -\frac{3}{4}x$$



(vi) $P(4 \sec \phi, 3 \tan \phi)$

$$(x) \quad \frac{x^2}{16} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\frac{2x}{16} - \frac{2y}{9} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x}{16} \cdot \frac{-9}{2y}$$

$$= \frac{9x}{16y} = \frac{\frac{3}{4} \times 4 \sec \phi}{\frac{9}{4} \times 3 \tan \phi}, \text{ when at } P.$$

\therefore Equation of tangent is

$$y - 3 \tan \phi = \frac{3 \sec \phi}{4 \tan \phi} (x - 4 \sec \phi)$$

$$4y \tan \phi - 12 \tan^2 \phi = 3x \sec \phi - 12 \sec^2 \phi$$

$$3x \sec \phi - 4y \tan \phi = 12(\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi)$$

$$3x \sec \phi - 4y \tan \phi = 12, \tan^2 \phi + 1 = \sec^2 \phi$$

$$\therefore \frac{x \sec \phi}{4} - \frac{y \tan \phi}{3} = 1$$

b) tangent at P meets asymptotes at $\phi + \phi'$

$$\text{ii} \quad y = \pm \frac{3}{4}x \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{x \sec \phi}{4} - \frac{y + \tan \phi}{3} = 1 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\text{Sub (1) into (2): } \frac{x \sec \phi}{4} - \frac{\pm 3x \tan \phi}{4 \times 3} = 1$$

$$\frac{x}{4} (\sec \phi \mp \tan \phi) = 1$$

$$\text{i.e. } x = \frac{4}{\sec \phi \mp \tan \phi}$$

$$y = \pm \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{4}{\sec \phi \mp \tan \phi}$$

$$\therefore Q \left(\frac{4}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi}, \frac{3}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right) + Q' \left(\frac{4}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi}, \frac{-3}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } PQ^2 &= \left(4 \sec \phi - \frac{4}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 + \left(3 + \tan \phi - \frac{3}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \left(\frac{\sec^2 \phi - \sec \phi \tan \phi - 1}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \left(\frac{\sec \phi \tan \phi - \tan^2 \phi - 1}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \left(\frac{\tan^2 \phi - \sec \phi \tan \phi}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \left(\frac{\sec \phi \tan \phi - \sec^2 \phi}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2, \tan^2 \phi + 1 = \sec^2 \phi \\ &= 16 \tan^2 \phi \left(\frac{\tan \phi - \sec \phi}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \sec^2 \phi \left(\frac{\tan \phi - \sec \phi}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \tan^2 \phi + 9 \sec^2 \phi \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} [PQ]^2 &= \left(4 \sec \phi - \frac{4}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 + \left(3 + \tan \phi - \frac{-3}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \left(\frac{\sec^2 \phi + \sec \phi \tan \phi - 1}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \left(\frac{\sec \phi \tan \phi + \tan^2 \phi + 1}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \left(\frac{\tan^2 \phi + \sec \phi \tan \phi}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \left(\frac{\sec \phi \tan \phi + \sec^2 \phi}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2, \tan^2 \phi + 1 = \sec^2 \phi \\ &= 16 \tan^2 \phi \left(\frac{\tan \phi + \sec \phi}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 + 9 \sec^2 \phi \left(\frac{\tan \phi + \sec \phi}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right)^2 \\ &= 16 \tan^2 \phi + 9 \sec^2 \phi \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Since } [PQ]^2 = [PQ']^2$$

then,

$$PQ = PQ'$$

OR ALTERNATIVELY and more SIMPLY!

(8)

Midpoint of PP' is:

$$M \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{4}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} + \frac{4}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right), \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{3}{\sec \phi - \tan \phi} + \frac{-3}{\sec \phi + \tan \phi} \right) \right]$$

$$\therefore M \left[\frac{4}{2} \left(\frac{\sec \phi + \tan \phi + \sec \phi - \tan \phi}{\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi} \right), \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{\sec \phi + \tan \phi - \sec \phi + \tan \phi}{\sec^2 \phi - \tan^2 \phi} \right) \right]$$

$$\therefore M \left[\frac{4}{2} \left(\frac{2 \sec \phi}{1} \right), \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{2 \tan \phi}{1} \right) \right]$$

$$\therefore \sin^2 \phi + \cos^2 \phi = 1 \therefore \tan^2 \phi + 1 = \sec^2 \phi$$

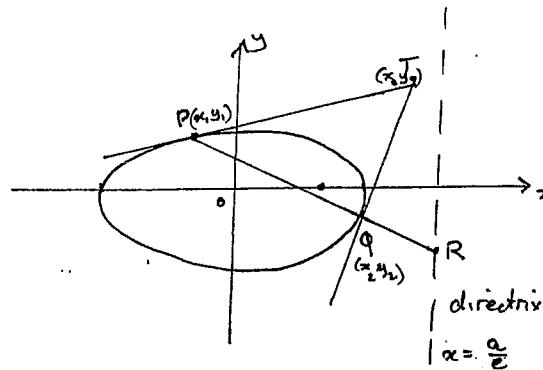
Thus midpoint of QQ' is

$$\left(4 \sec \phi, 3 \tan \phi \right)$$

But This is point P

$$\text{Thus, } PQ = PQ'$$

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$



$$(i) \frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{2x}{a^2} + \frac{2y}{b^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{2x}{a^2} \cdot \frac{b^2}{2y}$$

$$= -\frac{b^2 x}{a^2 y} = -\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1} \text{ when at } P(x_1, y_1)$$

\therefore Equation of tangent at P is

$$y - y_1 = -\frac{b^2 x_1}{a^2 y_1} (x - x_1)$$

$$a^2 y_1 y - a^2 y_1^2 = -b^2 x_1 x + b^2 x_1^2$$

$$b^2 x_1 x + a^2 y_1 y = a^2 y_1^2 + b^2 x_1^2$$

$$\therefore a^2 b^2;$$

$$\frac{x_1 x}{a^2} + \frac{y_1 y}{b^2} = \frac{x_1^2}{a^2} + \frac{y_1^2}{b^2}$$

$$\frac{x_1 x}{a^2} + \frac{y_1 y}{b^2} = 1 \quad \text{since } (x_1, y_1) \text{ lies on E.}$$

$$(ii) \text{ Gradient of normal is } \frac{a^2 y_1}{b^2 x_1}$$

\therefore Equation of normal is

$$y - y_1 = \frac{a^2 y_1}{b^2 x_1} (x - x_1)$$

$$b^2 x_1 y - b^2 x_1 y_1 = a^2 y_1 x - a^2 x_1 y_1$$

$$a^2 y_1 x - b^2 x_1 y = a^2 x_1 y - b^2 x_1 y_1$$

$$\therefore x_1 y_1,$$

$$\frac{a^2 x_1}{x_1} - \frac{b^2 y}{y_1} = a^2 - b^2$$

(iii) Equation of chord from T is

$$\frac{x_0 x}{a^2} + \frac{y_0 y}{b^2} = 1$$

Ordinate of R when $x = \frac{a}{e}$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x_0 x a}{a^2 e} + \frac{y_0 y}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{x_0}{ae} + \frac{y_0 y}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{y_0 y}{b^2} = 1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}$$

$$y_0 y = b^2 \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}\right)$$

$$y = \frac{b^2}{y_0} \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}\right)$$

(iv) Now,

$$m_{TS} = \frac{y_0 - 0}{x_0 - ae}$$

$$= \frac{y_0}{x_0 - ae}$$

$$m_{SR} = \frac{b^2 \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}\right) - 0}{\frac{a}{e} - ae}$$

$$= \frac{b^2 \left(1 - \frac{x_0}{ae}\right)}{ay_0 \left(\frac{1}{e} - e\right)} \times ae$$

$$= \frac{b^2 (ae - x_0)}{a^2 y_0 (1 - e^2)}$$

$$= \frac{b^2 (ae - x_0)}{b^2 y_0} \quad b^2 = a^2 (1 - e^2)$$

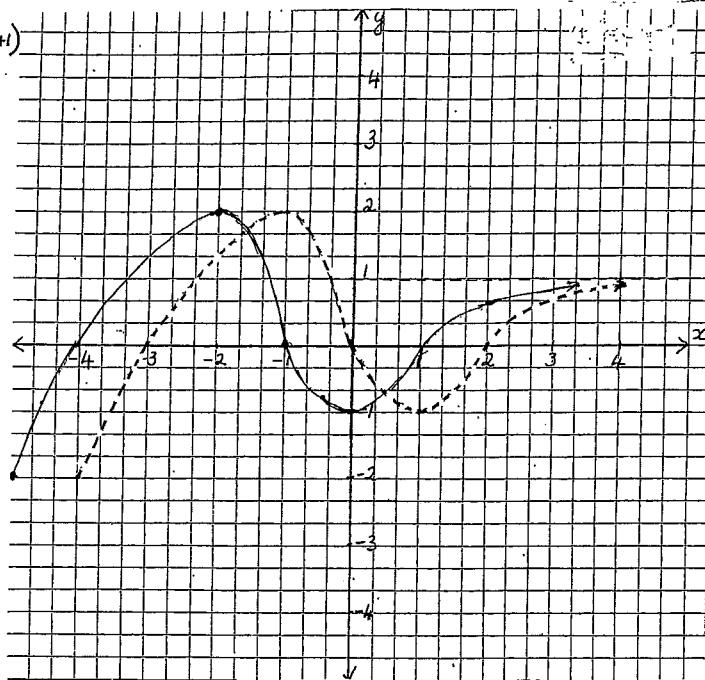
$$= \frac{ae - x_0}{y_0}$$

$$\text{Since } m_{TS} \cdot m_{SR} = \frac{y_0}{x_0 - ae} \cdot \frac{ae - x_0}{y_0}$$

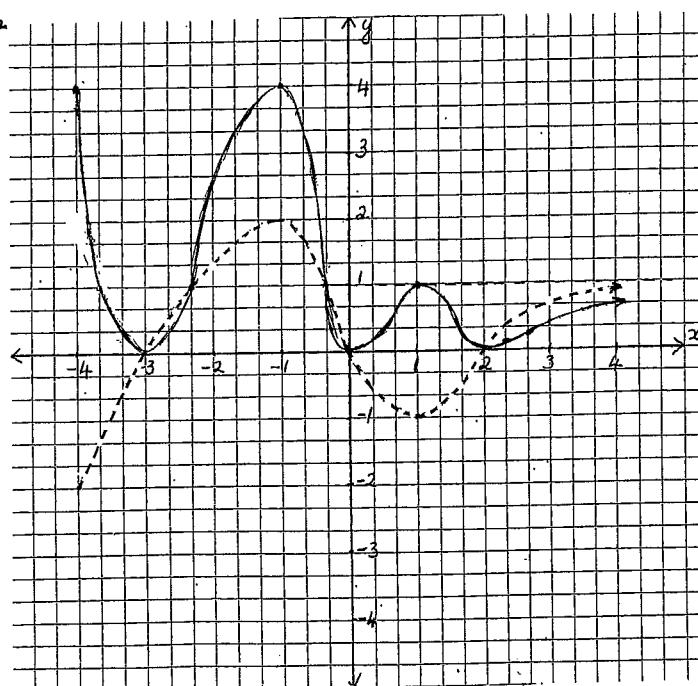
$$= -1 \quad \text{then, } TS \perp SR$$

Question 2(a)

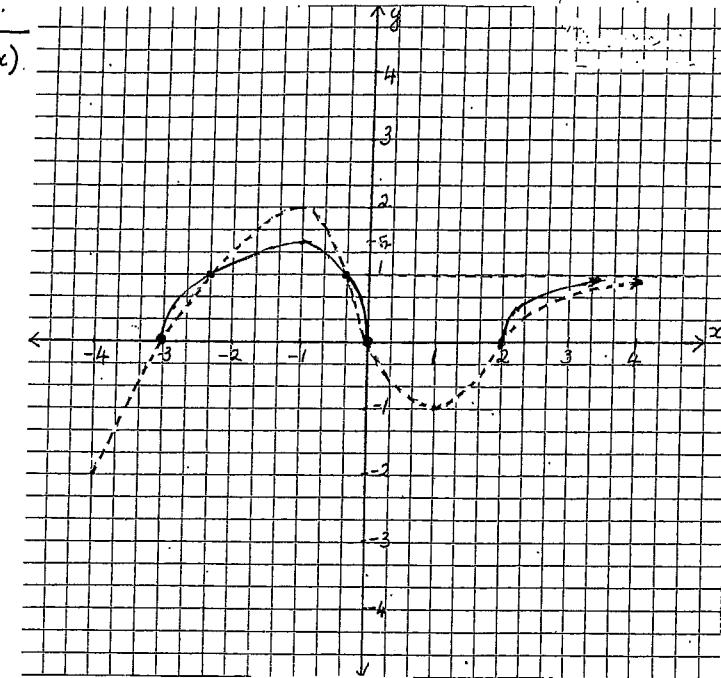
(i) $y = f(x+1)$



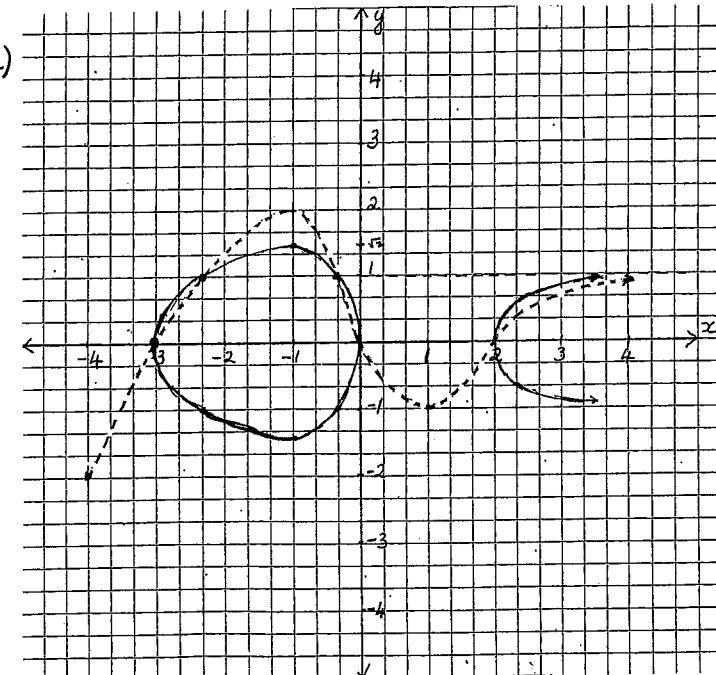
(ii) $y = [f(x)]^2$



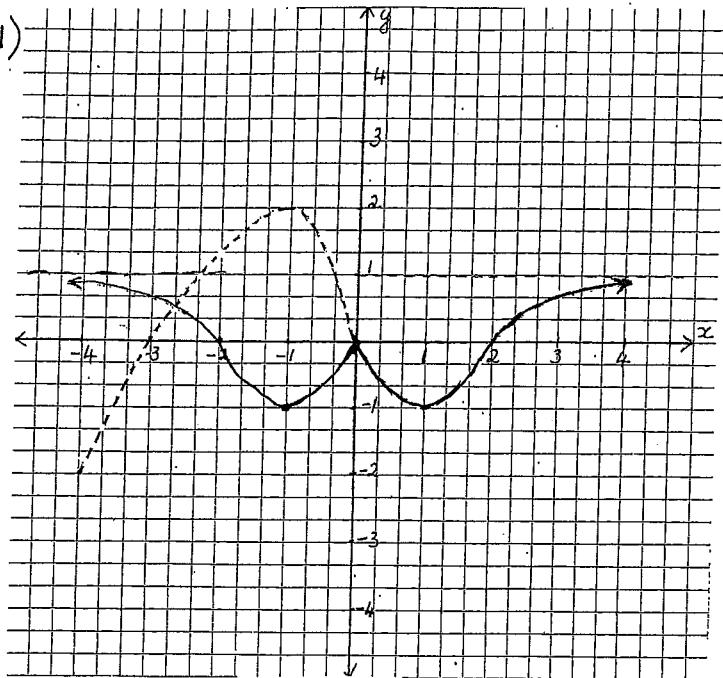
(iii) $y = \sqrt{f(x)}$



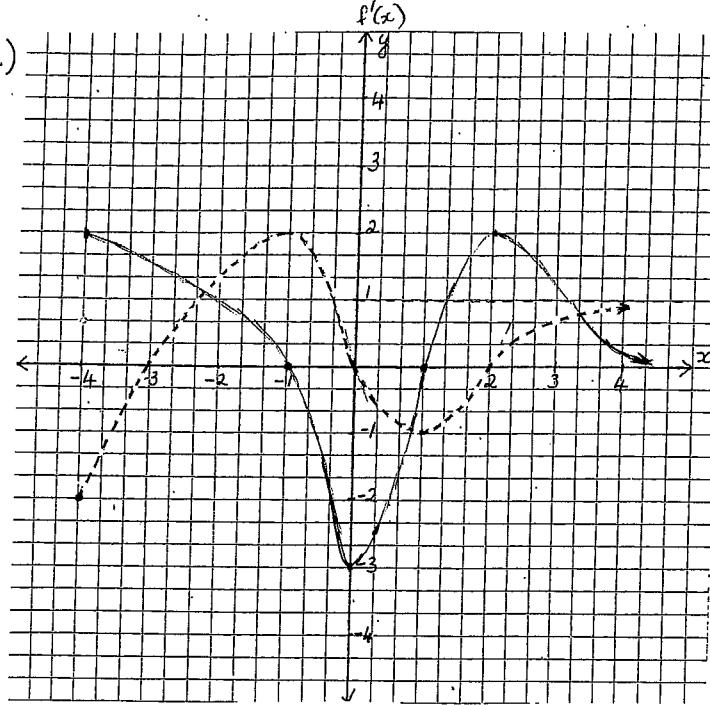
(iv) $y^2 = f(x)$



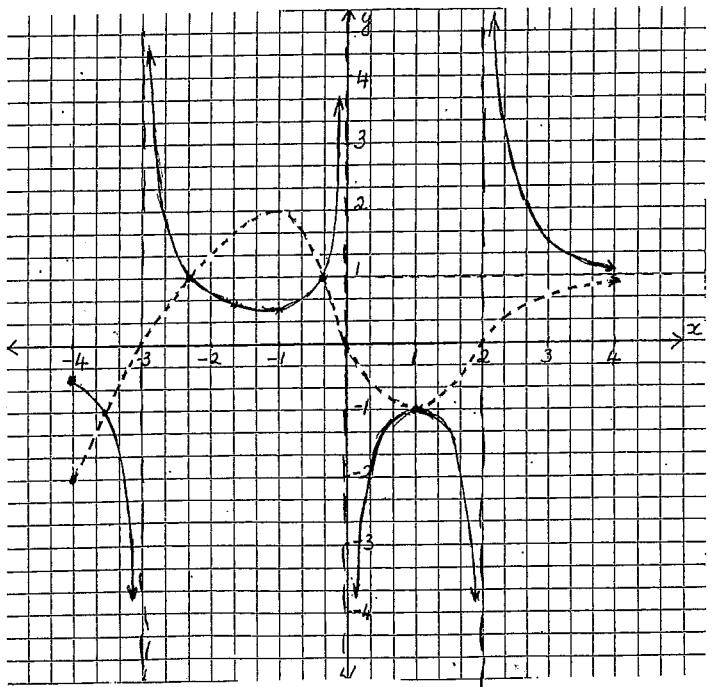
(v) $y = f(|x|)$



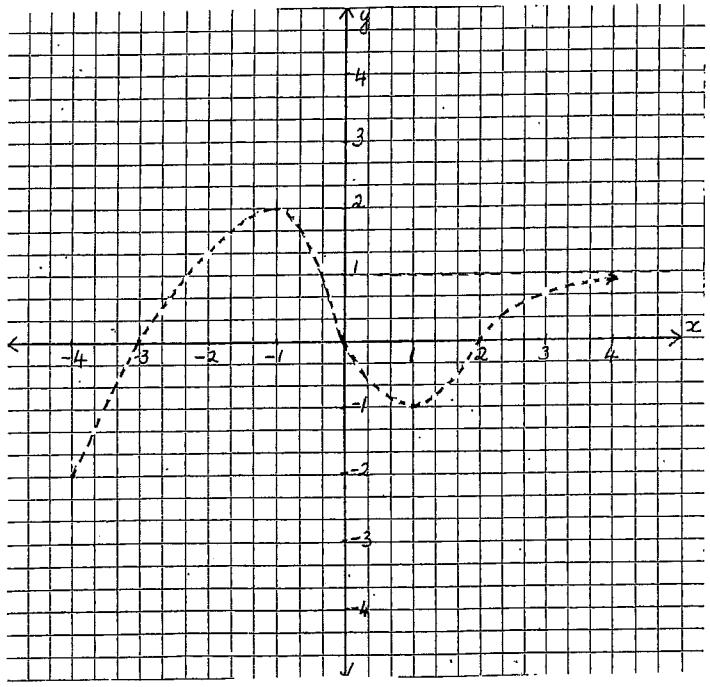
(vii) $y = f'(x)$



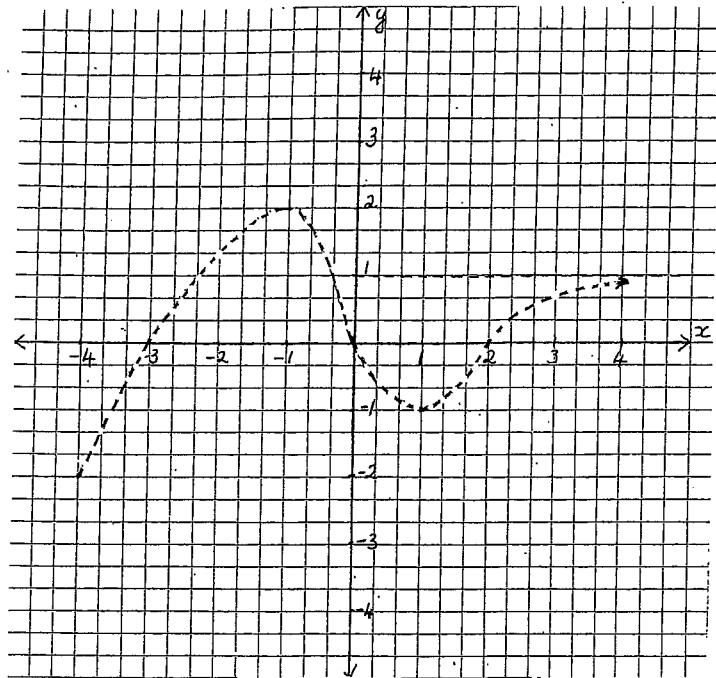
(vi) $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$



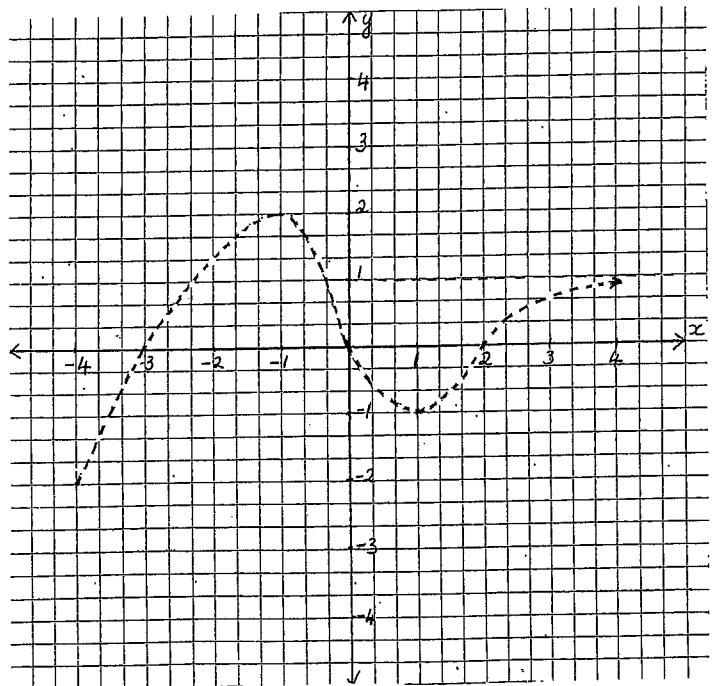
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Question 2 (b)

(i) $2x^2 - xy + y^2 = 14$
 $4x - (y \cdot 1 + x \cdot \frac{dy}{dx}) + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$4x - y + \frac{dy}{dx}(2y - x) = 0$$
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - 4x}{2y - x}$$

(ii) when $x = 1, y = -3$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3 - 4 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 1 - 3 - 1}$
 $= \frac{-3 - 4}{-6 - 1}$
 $= \frac{-7}{-7}$
 $= 1$

(iii) Stationary Points occur when $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$
i.e. $\frac{y - 4x}{2y - x} = 0, 2y \neq x$

i.e. $y - 4x = 0$
in all the on $y = 4x$

(iv) Stationary points must occur when $y = 4x$
i.e. $2x^2 - x(4x) + (4x)^2 = 14$
 $2x^2 - 4x^2 + 16x^2 = 14$
 $14x^2 = 14$
 $x^2 = 1$
 $x = \pm 1$

i.e. Stat Points are $(-1, -4)$ and $(1, 4)$

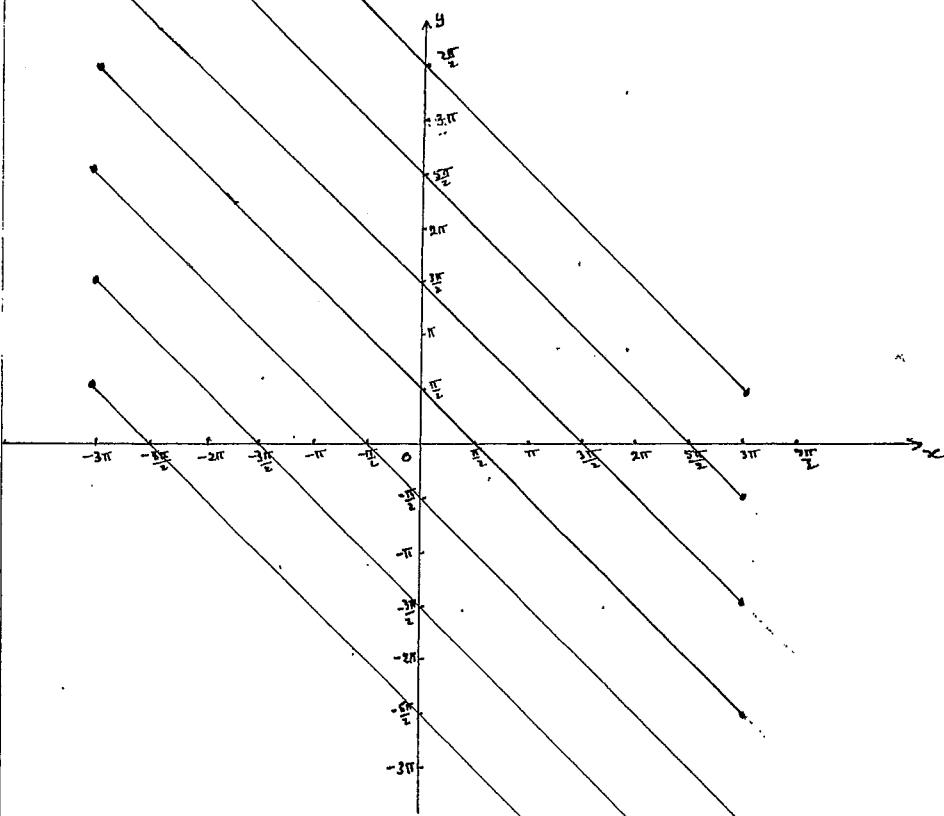
$$(d) \cos(x+y) = 0$$

$$x+y = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi n \quad \text{OR}$$

$$\therefore y = -x + \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi n \quad \text{OR}$$

$$n=0, \quad y = -x + \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$n=1, \quad y = -x + \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi$$



$$n=-1, \quad y = -x + \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\pi \quad \text{OR}$$

$$y = -x - \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{for } -3\pi \leq x \leq 3\pi$$

$$x+y = \frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi n$$

$$y = -x + \frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi n$$

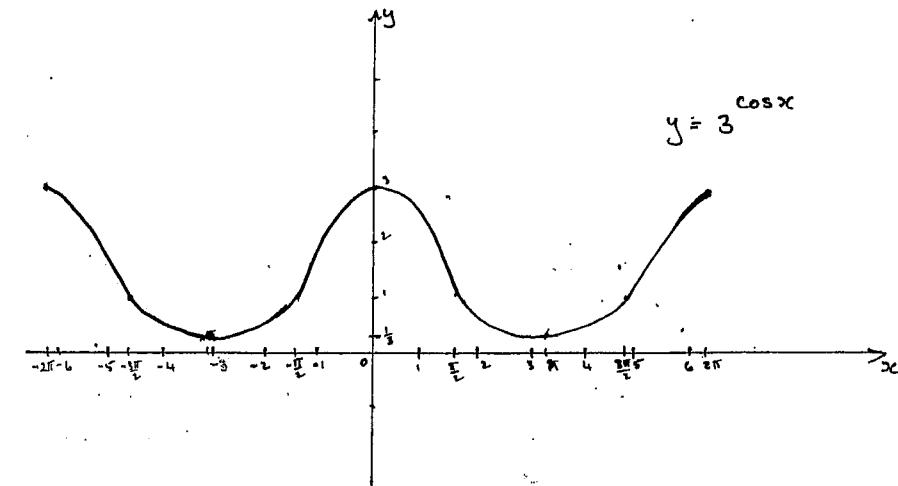
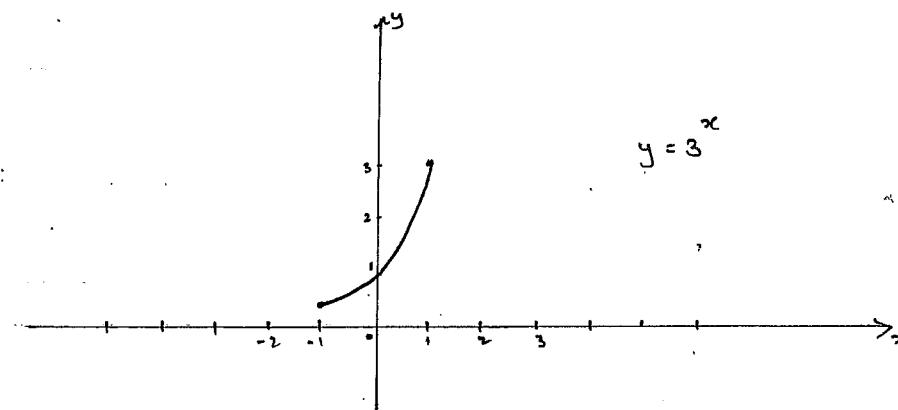
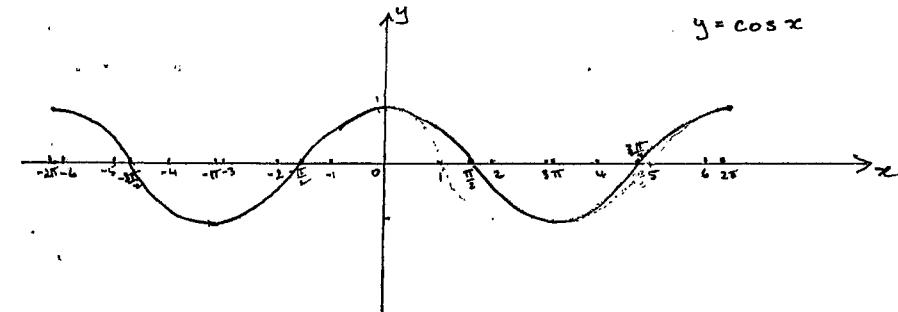
$$y = -x + \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

$$y = -x + \frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi$$

Graph continues as parallel lines separated by π units.

Question 3.

a) (i)



$$b) (i) \frac{x^2}{9} - \frac{y^2}{7} = 1$$

Equation of tangent is

$$\frac{x_0 x}{9} - \frac{y_0 y}{7} = 1$$

Tangent crosses x -axis when $y=0$

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x_0 x}{9} = 1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{9}{x_0}$$

$$\text{i.e. } T\left(\frac{9}{x_0}, 0\right)$$

(ii) From the definition of Hyperbola,

$$\frac{PS}{PM} = e \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{PS'}{PM'} = e$$

$$\therefore PS = ePM \quad PS' = ePM'$$

$$\therefore \frac{PS}{PS'} = \frac{ePM}{ePM'} = \frac{x_0 - \frac{3}{e}}{x_0 + \frac{3}{e}} \quad \begin{aligned} &\text{where M is on } x = \frac{3}{e} \\ &\text{and } M' \text{ is on } x = -\frac{3}{e} \\ &= \frac{ex_0 - 3}{ex_0 + 3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Now also, } \frac{TS}{TS'} = \frac{3e - \frac{9}{x_0}}{\frac{9}{x_0} - -3e} \times \frac{x_0}{x_0} \\ = \frac{3ex_0 - 9}{9 + 3ex_0} \\ = \frac{3(ex_0 - 3)}{3(3 + ex_0)} \\ = \frac{ex_0 - 3}{3 + ex_0}$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{TS}{TS'} = \frac{PS}{PS'}$$

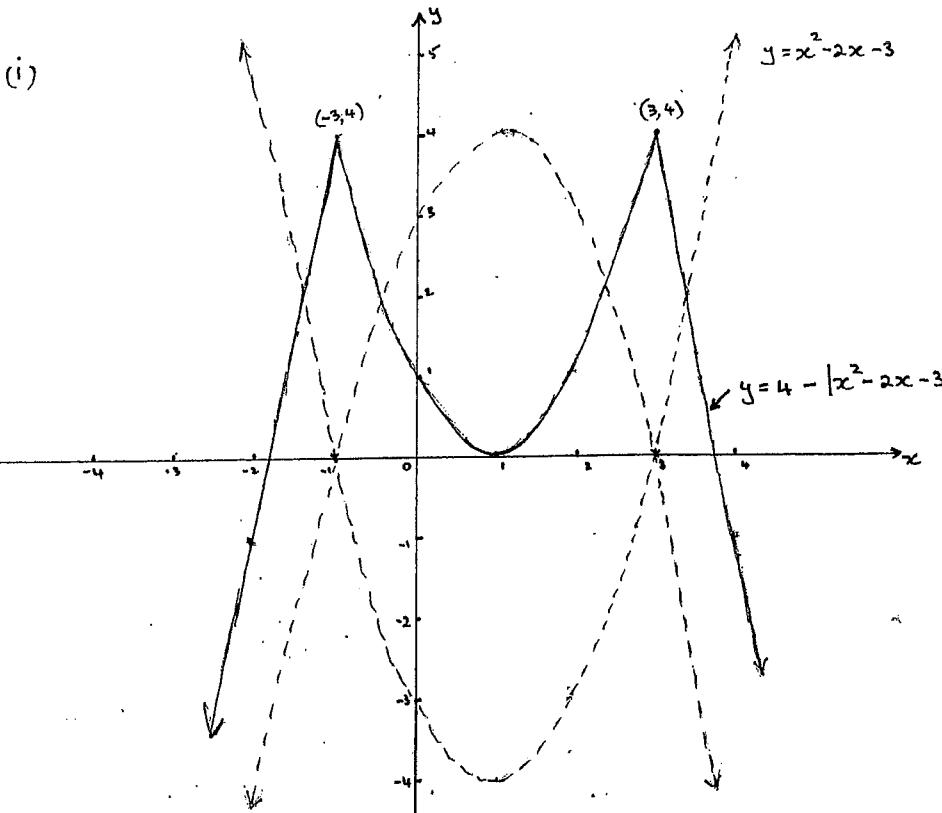
$$(iii) |PS' - PS| = |ePM' - ePM| \\ = e|PM' - PM| \\ = e\left(x_0 - \frac{3}{e}\right) - \left(x_0 + \frac{3}{e}\right) \\ = e|x_0 - \frac{3}{e} - x_0 - \frac{3}{e}| \\ = e|-2 \times \frac{3}{e}| \\ = | - 6 | \\ = 6 \\ \text{i.e. } |PS' - PS| = 6$$

c) $y = mx + k$ is a tangent to $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ when Δ of quadratic formed on solving is ZERO.

$$\text{i.e. } \frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{(mx+k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 b^2: \quad &b^2 x^2 - a^2(m^2 x^2 + 2mkx + k^2) = a^2 b^2 \\ &b^2 x^2 - a^2 m^2 x^2 - 2a^2 mkx - a^2 k^2 = a^2 b^2 \\ &x^2(b^2 - a^2 m^2) - 2a^2 mkx - a^2(k^2 + b^2) = 0 \\ \therefore \Delta = &(-2a^2 mk)^2 - 4 \times (b^2 - a^2 m^2) \times -a^2(k^2 + b^2) = 0 \\ &\text{i.e. } 4a^2 [a^2 m^2 k^2 + b^2 k^2 + b^4 - a^2 m^2 k^2 - abm^2] \\ \text{i.e. } &b^2(k^2 + b^2 - a^2 m^2) = 0 \\ \text{as } &b^2 \neq 0, \quad m^2 a^2 - b^2 = k^2 \end{aligned}$$

d) (i)



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

$$x=1, y=-2 \times 2$$

$$= -4$$

(1, -4) vertex

$$x=-2, y = -(x^2 - 2x - 3)$$

$$= -(4 + 4 - 3)$$

$$= -5$$

(ii)

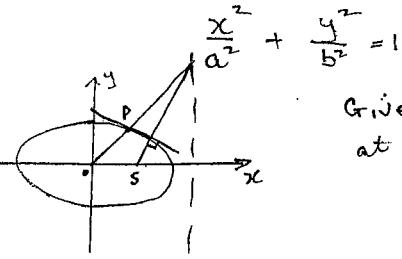
$$mx = 4 - |x^2 - 2x - 3|$$

Now, $y = mx$ passes through origin
 m is the gradient

Thus for 4 distinct solutions

$$0 < m < \frac{4}{3}$$

e)



Given the equation of tangent at P is
 $y = \frac{-b \cos \theta}{a \sin \theta} \left(x - \frac{a}{\cos \theta} \right)$

then, gradient of line perp. to tangent at P and through S is: $\frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta}$

∴ Equation of this line is:

$$y = \frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} \left(x - ae \right)$$

$$y = \frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} (x - ae) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Equation of line OP is $y = mx$

$$\text{i.e. } y = \frac{b \sin \theta - 0}{a \cos \theta - 0} x$$

$$y = \frac{b \sin \theta}{a \cos \theta} x \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Point of intersection of lines (1) + (2) is:

$$\frac{a \sin \theta}{b \cos \theta} (x - ae) = \frac{b \sin \theta}{a \cos \theta} x$$

$$\frac{a}{b} (x - ae) = \frac{b}{a} x$$

$$a^2 (x - ae) = b^2 x$$

$$a^2 x - b^2 x = a^3 e$$

$$x = \frac{a^3 e}{a^2 - b^2}$$

$$\text{But } b^2 = a^2(1 - e^2)$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{a^3 e}{a^2 - a^2(1 - e^2)}$$

$$= \frac{ae}{1 - 1 + e^2}$$

$$x = \frac{a}{e}$$

i.e. lines meet on the directrix $x = \frac{a}{e}$