

MATHEMATICS
ASSESSMENT TASK 1

December 2003

Topics: Chapters 10, 11, 12 and 16 from J & C:

Time Allowed: 90 minutes

Instructions:

- There are four (4) questions of equal value.
- Attempt all questions.
- Start each question on a new page.
- Show all necessary working.
- Marks may be deducted for carelessness or poor setting out.
- Board approved calculators may be used.

Total = 100 marks

QUESTION 1 (25 marks)

(a) On a number plane, mark the origin O , and $A(5, -1)$, $B(8, 3)$, and $C(0, 9)$.
Join A to B , B to C , and C to A .

(b) Show that the gradient of the line BC is $-\frac{4}{3}$

(c) Show that the line AB has equation $4x - 3y - 23 = 0$.

(d) Show that AB and BC are perpendicular.

(e) Show that the length of AB is 5 units.

(f) Find the coordinates of the point D such that $ABCD$ is a parallelogram.

(g) If E is the point $(8, -1)$ find the perpendicular distance of E from the line AB .

(h) Find the point of intersection of the lines $4x - 3y - 23 = 0$ and $2x - 4y + 6 = 0$.

QUESTION 2 (25 marks)

(a) Evaluate the following limits :

(i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow -2} (x^2 + 5x + 6)$

(ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{3x + 5}{2x} \right)$

(b) (i) Sketch the curve $y = 2x^2 + 5x + 2$.

(ii) Find all values of x for which the curve is increasing.

(d) Differentiate $y = x^2 - 3x$ from first principles.

(e) Differentiate the following functions with respect to x :

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

(ii) $y = (2x^4 + 1)(3x + 12)$

(iii) $y = (4x^2 + 7x)^{\frac{1}{5}}$

(iv) $y = \frac{x^2 + 4}{2x - 3}$

(f) If $f(x) = 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 4$, for what values of x is $f'(x) = 7$?

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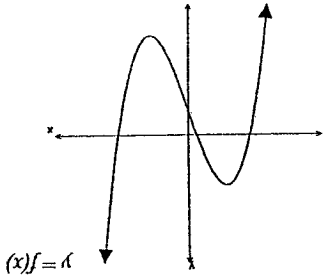
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QUESTION 3 (25 marks)



(a) (i) Copy the diagram above by tracing it.

(ii) Sketch the gradient function $f'(x)$, for the function above.

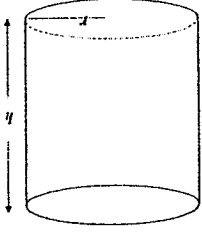
(b) If $A = \frac{5h + 3}{7h - 1}$ find $\frac{dA}{dh}$ when $h = 1$.

(c) Find the equation of the normal to the curve $y = 4x^3 - 7x^2 + 3$ at the point where $x = 2$.

(d) At what point on the curve $y = 2x^2 - 6x + 4$ is the tangent parallel to the line $y = 6x + 4$?

(e) Find the stationary points on the curve $y = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x + 4$ and determine their nature.

(f) A can of 'Sparkle' soft drink is in the shape of a closed cylinder with height h cm and radius r cm, as shown below.



(i) The volume of the can is 500 cm^3 . Show that the surface area, $S \text{ cm}^2$, of the can is given by $S = 2\pi r^2 + \frac{1000}{r}$.

(ii) If the area of metal used to make the can is to be minimised, find the exact radius of the can.

Marks

1

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(a) Consider the curve $y = x^3 - 3x^2 + 1$.
(i) Find any stationary points on the curve.

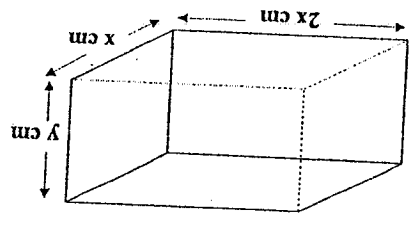
(ii) Determine their nature.

(iii) Find any points of inflexion on the curve.

(iv) Hence sketch the curve in the domain $-2 \leq x \leq 3$

(v) Find the minimum point of the curve in this domain.

(b) An open rectangular box has four sides and a base, but no lid, as shown below:



(i) Write down the formulae for the area $A \text{ cm}^2$ of the outer surface of the box, and the volume $V \text{ cm}^3$ contained by the box.

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(ii) Given that $A = 150$, show that the volume is given by $V(x) = 50x - \frac{2}{3}x^3$

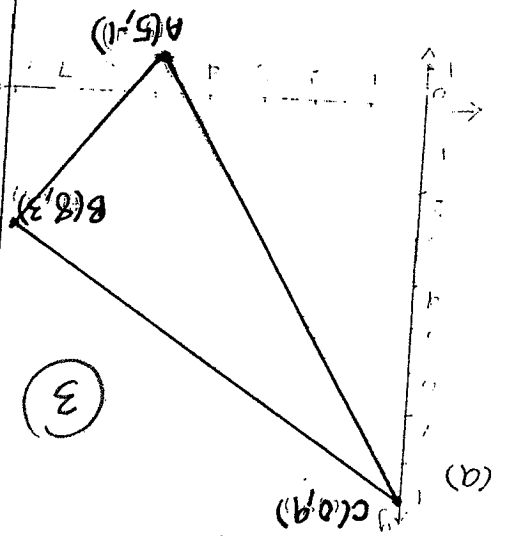
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(iii) Find the value of x for which $V(x)$ is maximum, and verify that the maximum value of V is $\frac{500}{3}$.

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QUESTION 1 (25 marks)



(3)

(d) AB ⊥ BC if $m_{AB} \times m_{BC} = -1$

$$m_{AB} \times m_{BC} = \frac{4}{3} \times \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right) = -1$$

(2)

$$(e) AB = \sqrt{(8-5)^2 + (3+1)^2} = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = \sqrt{9+16} = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

(3)

(f) If ABCD is a parallelogram then the midpoint of AC = midpoint of DB
let D have co-ords x_1, y_1

midpoint of AC = $\left(\frac{5+0}{2}, \frac{1+9}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{5}{2}, 4\right)$
midpoint of BD = $\left(\frac{8+x_1}{2}, \frac{3+y_1}{2}\right)$

(4)

$x_1 + 8 = 5 \implies x_1 = -3$
 $y_1 + 3 = 8 \implies y_1 = 5$
 $\therefore (x_1, y_1) = (-3, 5) = D$

* P.T.O for alternative point

(3)

(g) $4x - 3y - 23 = 0$
p.d. = $\frac{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}{|ax_1 + by_1 + c|} = \frac{\sqrt{16+9}}{|4(8) + 3(-1) - 23|} = \frac{5}{12}$

b) $m_{BC} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{0 - 8}{9 - 3} = -\frac{8}{6} = -\frac{4}{3}$
 $m_{AB} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{3 - 1}{8 - 5} = \frac{2}{3}$
 $\therefore m_{AB} \times m_{BC} = \frac{2}{3} \times -\frac{4}{3} = -\frac{8}{9}$

(3)

using point-gradient formula
 $y + 1 = \frac{3}{4}(x - 5)$
 $3y + 3 = 4(x - 5)$
 $0 = 4x - 3y - 23$

Question 1 (cont)

(h) $4x - 3y - 23 = 0 \dots (1)$
 $2x - 4y + 6 = 0 \dots (2)$

(2) $\times 2 \implies 4x - 8y + 12 = 0 \dots (3)$
 $4x - 3y - 23 = 0$
 $\underline{-4x - 4y + 6 = 0}$
 $7 = y$
 $35 = 5y$
 $4x - 44 = 0$
 $4x = 44$
 $x = 11$
 $\therefore (x, y) = (11, 7)$

(g) $4x - 3(7) - 23 = 0$
 $4x - 21 - 23 = 0$
 $4x - 44 = 0$
 $4x = 44$
 $x = 11$

$\therefore (x, y) = (11, 7)$

QUESTION 2 (25 marks)

(a) (i) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{x^2 + 5x + 6}{x^2 - 2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x+3)(x+2)}{x-2}$
 $= \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} (x+3) = 2+3 = 5$

(3)

$= -2 + 3 = +1$

(ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x+5}{2x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x+\frac{5}{x}}{\frac{x}{x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x+\frac{5}{x}}{1} = \frac{3 \times 0 + 5}{1} = 5$

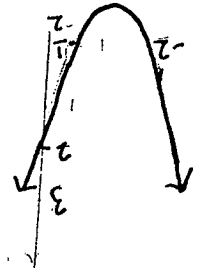
(3)

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x + \frac{5}{x}}{\frac{x}{x}} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x + \frac{5}{x}}{1} = \frac{3 \times 0 + 5}{1} = 5$

(b) $y = 2x^2 + 5x + 2$

$= 2x^2 + 4x + x + 2$
 $= 2x(x+2) + (x+2)$
 $= (2x+1)(x+2)$

(i) x-intercepts, let $y=0$
 $0 = (2x+1)(x+2)$
 $-\frac{1}{2}, -2 = x$
y-intercept = 2



\therefore concave up

(2)

(ii) values for which x is increasing.

axis of symmetry, $x = -\frac{5}{4}$
 $-1\frac{1}{4} < x < -1\frac{1}{4}$

(1)

\therefore increasing for $x > -1\frac{1}{4}$

(c) primitive function of $6 - x^{-3}$

$\int (6 - x^{-3}) dx = 6x + \frac{x^{-2}}{2} + C$
 $= 6x + \frac{x^2}{2} + C$

(2)

OR using the same method, $D = (3, 13)$

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

By definition $\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - 3(x+h) - (x^2 - 3x)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 3x - 3h - x^2 + 3x}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh - 3h + h^2}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x - 3 + h)}{h}$$

$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x - 3 + h)$$

$$= 2x - 3$$

(e) Differentiate with respect to x :

(i) $y = 2x^3 + \frac{x^4}{1} - \sqrt{x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 4x^{-5} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

$$= 6x^2 - \frac{4}{x^5} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}}$$

(ii) $y = (2x^4 + 1)(3x + 12)$

Let $u = 2x^4 + 1$ and $v = 3x + 12$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = u \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$= (2x^4 + 1)(3) + (3x + 12)(8x^3)$$

$$= 6x^4 + 3 + 24x^4 + 96x^3$$

$$= 30x^4 + 96x^3$$

(iii) $y = (4x^2 + 7x)^{\frac{3}{2}}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{2} (4x^2 + 7x)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (8x + 7)$$

$$= \frac{3(4x^2 + 7x)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{8x + 7}$$

$$= \frac{3\sqrt{4x^2 + 7x}}{8x + 7}$$

(iv) $y = x^2 + 4$

Let $u = x^2 + 4$ & $v = 2x - 3$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$= (2x - 3)(2x) - (x^2 + 4)(2)$$

$$= 4x^2 - 6x - 2x^2 - 8$$

$$= 2x^2 - 6x - 8$$

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

(f) $f(x) = 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 4$

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 + 6x$$

$$0 = 6x^2 + 6x - 12$$

$$0 = 6x^2 + 12x - 6x - 12$$

$$0 = 6x(x + 2) - 6(x + 2)$$

$$0 = (6x - 6)(x + 2)$$

$$0 = 6(x - 1)(x + 2)$$

$$\therefore x = 1, -2$$

(g) $f(x) = 12x^2 - 14x + 3$

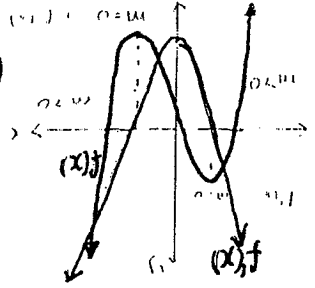
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 24x - 14$$

$$24x - 14 = 0$$

$$24x = 14$$

$$x = \frac{14}{24} = \frac{7}{12}$$

QUESTION 3 (25 marks)

(a) 

(i) $f(x) = 2$

$$y = 4(2)^3 - 7(2)^2 + 3$$

$$= 32 - 28 + 3$$

$$= 7$$

where $x_1 = 2$ where $x_2 = 3$

$$m_1 m_2 = -1$$

$$m_2 = -\frac{1}{m_1} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y - y_1 = m_2(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 7 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 2)$$

$$20y - 140 = -x + 2$$

$$20y + 20y - 142 = 0$$

(d) $y = 2x^2 - 6x + 4$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x - 6$$

$$\therefore m_1 = 6$$

for what value of x does $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6$

$$6 = 4x - 6$$

$$12 = 4x$$

$$3 = x$$

hence for $x = 3$

(e) $y = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x + 4$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 + 6x - 9$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x + 6$$

for stationary points $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$3x^2 + 6x - 9 = 0$$

$$3(x^2 + 2x - 3) = 0$$

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

$$x = -3, x = 1$$

$f(x) = -3$

$$y = (-3)^3 + 3(-3)^2 - 9(-3) + 4$$

$$= -27 + 27 + 27 + 4$$

$$= 31$$

$\therefore \text{max}(-3, 31)$

$f(x) = 1$

$$y = 1^3 + 3(1)^2 - 9(1) + 4$$

$$= 1 + 3 - 9 + 4 = -1$$

$\therefore \text{min}(1, -1)$

(b) $A = 5h + 3$

let $u = 5h + 3$ & $v = 7h - 1$

$$\frac{dA}{dh} = v \frac{du}{dh} - u \frac{dv}{dh}$$

$$= (7h - 1)(5) - (5h + 3)(7)$$

$$= 35h - 5 - 35h - 21$$

$$= -26$$

(c) $y = 4x^3 - 7x^2 + 3$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12x^2 - 14x$$

$$12x^2 - 14x = 0$$

$$2x(6x - 7) = 0$$

$$x = 0, x = \frac{7}{6}$$

$f(x) = 2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12(2)^2 - 14(2)$$

$$= 48 - 28 = 20$$

(ii) See above

(iii) $m_1 m_2 = -1$

$$m_2 = -\frac{1}{m_1} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y - y_1 = m_2(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 7 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 2)$$

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(d) $y = 2x^2 - 6x + 4$

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$$12 = 4x$$

$$3 = x$$

hence for $x = 3$

(e) $y = x^3 + 3x^2 - 9x + 4$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 + 6x - 9$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x + 6$$

for stationary points $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$3x^2 + 6x - 9 = 0$$

$$3(x^2 + 2x - 3) = 0$$

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

$$x = -3, x = 1$$

$f(x) = -3$

$$y = (-3)^3 + 3(-3)^2 - 9(-3) + 4$$

$$= -27 + 27 + 27 + 4$$

$$= 31$$

$\therefore \text{max}(-3, 31)$

$f(x) = 1$

$$y = 1^3 + 3(1)^2 - 9(1) + 4$$

$$= 1 + 3 - 9 + 4 = -1$$

$\therefore \text{min}(1, -1)$

(f)(i) $S = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi rh \dots (1)$

and $V = \pi r^2 h$, $V = 500 \text{ cm}^3$
 $\therefore 500 = \pi r^2 h$
 $\frac{500}{\pi r^2} = h$

substitute h into (1)
 $S = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r \left(\frac{500}{\pi r^2}\right)$
 $= 2\pi r^2 + \frac{1000}{r}$

(ii) $\frac{dS}{dr} = 4\pi r - \frac{1000}{r^2} = 0$
 $4\pi r = \frac{1000}{r^2}$
 $4\pi r^3 = 1000$
 $r^3 = \frac{1000}{4\pi}$
 $r = \frac{\sqrt[3]{4\pi}}{10}$

(iii) for points of inflexion
 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$
 $6x - 6 = 0$
 $6x = 6$
 $x = 1$

if $x = 1$ $y = (1)^3 - 3(1)^2 + 1 = -1$
 Check if concavity changes (1,-1)

$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$	-12	0	6
x	-1	1	2

 Since concavity changes (1,-1) is a point of inflexion.

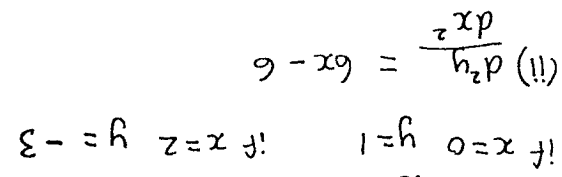
Question 4 (a)(i) $y = x^3 - 3x^2 + 1$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 6x$
 for stat pts. $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$
 $x = 0$ or $x = 2$
 if $x = 0$ $y = 1$ if $x = 2$ $y = -3$
 (ii) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x - 6$
 at $x = 0$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} < 0$ At (0,1) we have a max pt.
 at $x = 2$ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$ At (2,-3) we have a min pt.

(iii) for points of inflexion
 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$
 $6x - 6 = 0$
 $6x = 6$
 $x = 1$
 if $x = 1$ $y = (1)^3 - 3(1)^2 + 1 = -1$
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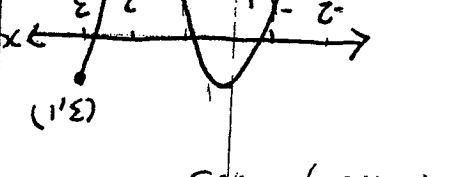
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(b)(i) Area of base = $2x \times x = 2x^2$
 Area of 2 sides = $(x \times y) \times 2 = 2xy$
 Area of front face = Area of back face = $2xy$
 Total area = $2x^2 + 2xy + 2xy + 2xy = 2x^2 + 6xy$
 $\therefore A = 2x^2 + 6xy$
 $V = l \times b \times h = 2x \times x \times y = 2x^2y$
 $\therefore V = 2x^2y$

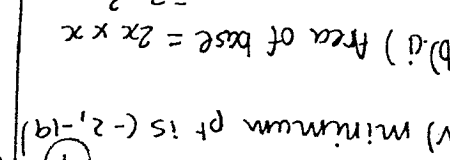


(ii) if $A = 150$
 $150 = 2x^2 + 6xy$
 $150 - 2x^2 = 6xy$
 $\frac{150 - 2x^2}{6x} = y$
 Now sub. y into $V = 2x^2y$
 $\therefore V(x) = 2x^2 \left(\frac{150 - 2x^2}{6x}\right) = \frac{300x^2 - 4x^4}{6x}$
 $= 50x - \frac{2}{3}x^3$
 $V'(x) = 50 - \frac{2}{3}x^3$
 $V''(x) = -2x^2$



(iii) $V(x) = 50x - \frac{2}{3}x^3$
 $V'(x) = 50 - 2x^2 = 0$
 $50 = 2x^2$
 $25 = x^2$
 $5 = x$
 (x must be positive)
 $V''(5) = -4(5) = -20 < 0$
 \therefore max. turning pt at $x = 5$
 $V(5) = 50(5) - \frac{2}{3}(5)^3 = 125 - \frac{250}{3} = \frac{125}{3}$
 \therefore max value of V is $\frac{125}{3}$

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(iii) $V(x) = 50x - \frac{2}{3}x^3$
 $V'(x) = 50 - 2x^2 = 0$
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