

Graphs & Equations 2 Worked Solutions

(1a) Straight line \therefore assume linear equation: $y = mx + c$

consider $(0, 2.1), (1, 4.7)$

$\therefore y = 2.5x + 2.1$ ✓

$$m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{4.7 - 2.1}{1 - 0} = \frac{2.6}{1} = 2.6$$

(1b) consider $(0, -2), (2, -6)$

$y = -2x - 2$ ✓

$$m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{-6 - (-2)}{2 - 0} = \frac{-4}{2} = -2$$

(2) consider $(0, 0), (5, 10), (10, 35)$

Assume polynomial. $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ $c = 0$

① $(5, 10): 10 = 25a + 5b$

② $(10, 35) 35 = 100a + 10b$

$2 \times ① - ②: 20 = 50a + 10b$

$35 = 100a + 10b -$

$-15 = -50a$

$a = \frac{3}{10} = 0.3$

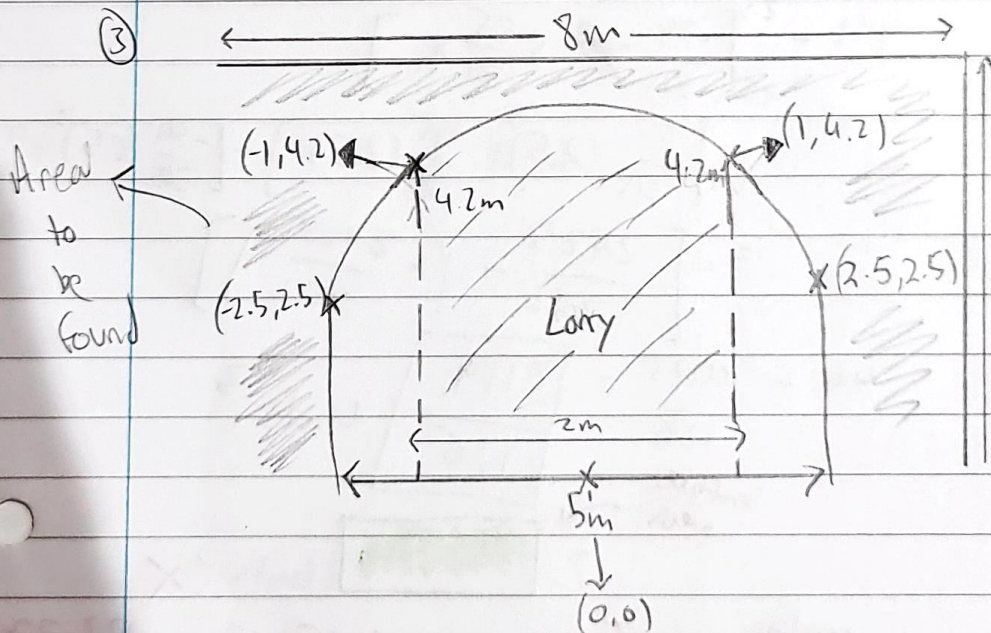
$\therefore 20 = 50\left(\frac{3}{10}\right) + 10b$

$5 = 10b$

$b = \frac{1}{2}$

$y = 0.3x^2 + 0.5x$ ✓

(3)



* Diagram NOT to Scale *

4 points:

$(-1, 4.2)$

$(1, 4.2)$

$(-2.5, 2.5)$

$(2.5, 2.5)$

consider $(2.5, 2.5), (4.2, 1), (4.2, -1)$ assume polynomial:
 $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 2.5 = 6.25a + 2.5b + c \quad (2.5, 2.5)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 4.2 = a + b + c \quad (4.2, 1)$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 4.2 = a - b + c \quad (4.2, -1)$$

$$\textcircled{2} - \textcircled{3} \quad 4.2 = a + b + c$$

$$4.2 = a - b + c -$$

$$0 = 2b \quad \therefore \underline{b=0}$$

if $b=0$, $\textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2}$:

$$2.5 = 6.25a + c$$

$$4.2 = a + c -$$

$$-1.72 \quad 5.25a$$

$$\boxed{a = -\frac{34}{105}}$$

if $a = -\frac{34}{105}$ and $b=0$:

$$4.2 = -\frac{34}{105} + 0 + c$$

$$\boxed{c = \frac{95}{21}}$$

Volume of bricks = Total area - area on Curve

~~Surface area~~

$$= [5.5 \times 8] - \int_{-2.5}^{2.5} \left(\left(-\frac{34}{105} \right) x^2 + \frac{95}{21} \right) dx$$

$$= 44 - \int_{-2.5}^{2.5} \left[-\frac{34}{315} x^3 + \frac{95}{21} x \right] dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{34}{315} (2.5)^3 + \frac{95}{21} (2.5) \right] - \left[-\frac{34}{315} (-2.5)^3 + \frac{95}{21} (-2.5) \right]$$

$$= \left[\frac{2425}{252} - \left(-\frac{2425}{252} \right) \right]$$

$$44 - \frac{2425}{126} = \boxed{\frac{3119}{126}} \text{ units}^3$$

~~Surface area~~

$$= \boxed{24.75} \text{ units}^3 \quad \times$$

width is 5 m $\therefore 24.75 \times 5 = \underline{123.75 \text{ m}^3}$