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MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Year 12 MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST

TEST 4: DIFFERENTIATION AND DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

DATE: 28th June 2016

Name _____

Reading Time: 3 minutes

SECTION ONE: CALCULATOR FREE

TOTAL: 33 marks

EQUIPMENT: Pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, highlighter, eraser, ruler, SCSA formula sheet.

WORKING TIME: 30 minutes (maximum)

SECTION TWO: CALCULATOR ASSUMED

TOTAL: 25 marks

EQUIPMENT: Pens, pencils, pencil sharpener, highlighter, eraser, ruler, drawing instruments, templates, up to 3 Calculators,

1 A4 page of notes (one side only), SCSA formula sheet.

WORKING TIME: 20 minutes (minimum)

SECTION 1 Question	Marks available	Marks awarded	SECTION 2 Question	Marks available	Marks awarded
1	6		5	8	
2	6		6	8	
3	11		7	9	
4	10				
Total	33			25	

Section One: Calculator-free

[33 marks]

This section has **four (4)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Question 1 [6 marks]

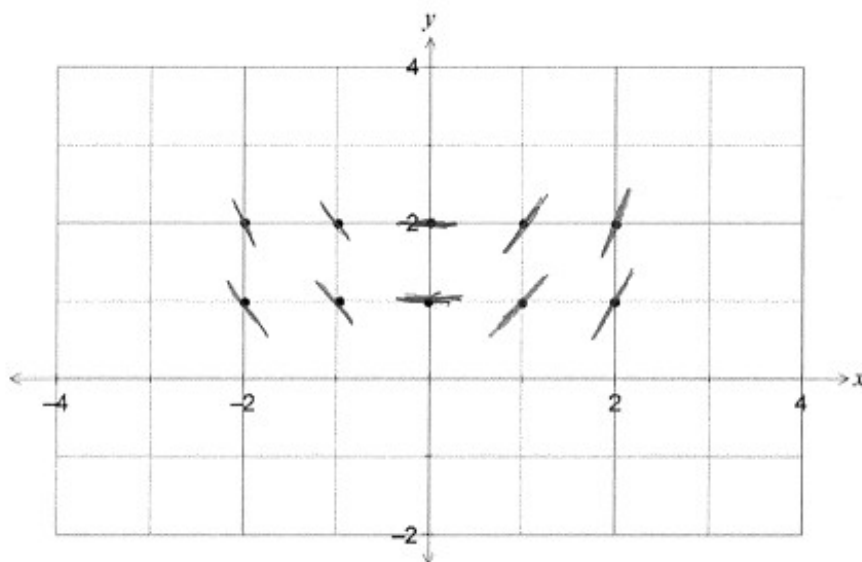
A first order differential equation is given by $\frac{dy}{dx} = xy$.

- (a) Use the equation to complete the table below. [2]

x	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
y	2	2	2	2	2	3
$\frac{dy}{dx}$	-4	-2	0	2	4	9

(2) {-0.5 per error, down to zero}

- (b) Create a slope field on the 10 points on the graph below. [2]



(2) {-0.5 per error, down to zero}

- (c) Find the solution that passes through the point given by $x=1$ and $y=1$. [2]

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = xy \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = x \Rightarrow \ln y = \frac{x^2}{2} + c \quad (1)$$

$$(1, 1) \Rightarrow 0 = \frac{1}{2} + c \Rightarrow c = -\frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow y = e^{\frac{x^2-1}{2}} \quad (1)$$

Question 2 [6 marks]

A function is defined parametrically by the equations $x(t)=t^2+2t$ and $y(t)=t^3-9t$

- (a) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of t [2]

$$\frac{dy}{dt}=3t^2-9, \frac{dx}{dt}=2t+2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx}=\frac{3t^2-9}{2t+2}=\frac{3(t^2-3)}{2(t+1)}$$

(1) (1)

- (b) By finding the second derivative, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ in terms of t , show that there are no points of inflection on this curve. [4]

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}=\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)=\frac{d}{dt}\left(\frac{3(t^2-3)}{2(t+1)}\right)\times\frac{dt}{dx}$$

(1)

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}=\frac{3}{2}\left(\frac{2t(t+1)-(t^2-3)}{(t+1)^2}\right)\times\frac{1}{2(t+1)}=\frac{3}{4}\left(\frac{t^2+2t+3}{(t+1)^3}\right)$$

(1) (1)

$$\text{As } t^2+2t+3\neq 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{No points of inflection.}$$

(1)

Question 3 [11 marks]

The equation of a curve in the plane is $x^2 + 3y^2 + 2xy = 12$.

- (a) Show that for all points on the curve $(3y+x)\frac{dy}{dx} = -x-y$. [4]

Differentiation implicitly gives

$$2x + 6y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2(3y+x) \frac{dy}{dx} = -2(x+y) \quad \Rightarrow \quad (3y+x) \frac{dy}{dx} = -x-y$$

(1) (1) (1) (1)

as required

- (b) Find the equation of the tangent to the curve at the point $(0, 2)$. [3]

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-x-y}{3y+x} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \text{at } (0, 2) \text{ the gradient is } m = \frac{-0-2}{3 \times 2 + 0} = -\frac{1}{3}$$

(1) (1)

$$\Rightarrow \text{Equation is } y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 2 \text{ or } x + 3y = 6$$

(1)

- (c) At what points on the curve is the tangent parallel to the y-axis? [4]

Tangent is parallel to y-axis when $3y+x=0$. (0.5)

$$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{x}{3} \quad (0.5)$$

Subbing into original equation gives

$$x^2 + 3\left(-\frac{x}{3}\right)^2 + 2x\left(-\frac{x}{3}\right) = 12 \quad \Rightarrow \quad x^2 + \left(\frac{x^2}{3}\right) - \left(\frac{2x^2}{3}\right) = 12 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2x^2 = 36 \quad \Rightarrow$$

(1)

$$x = \pm 3\sqrt{2} \quad (1)$$

Thus points are $(3\sqrt{2}, -\sqrt{2})$ and $(-3\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{2})$ (1)

Question 4 [10 marks]

The volume V of blood flowing through an artery in unit time can be modelled by the formula $V = kr^4$, where r is the radius of the artery and k is a constant.

- (a) What is the effect on the volume of blood flow if the radius of the artery is halved?

[2]

$$\text{If } V_0 = kr_0^4 \text{ and } r_1 = \frac{r_0}{2} \Rightarrow V_1 = kr_1^4 = \frac{kr_0^4}{16} = \frac{1}{16} V_0 \text{ i.e. the volume is } 1/16^{\text{th}} \text{ of the original volume.}$$

(1) (1)

- (b) Use the incremental formula to estimate the percentage decrease in the radius of a

partially clogged artery that will produce a 10% decrease in the flow of blood.

[5]

$$\frac{\Delta V}{V} = 0.1 \Rightarrow \Delta V = 0.1 V \quad (1)$$

$$\Delta V \approx \frac{dV}{dr} \Delta r = 4kr^3 \Delta r \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \frac{4kr^3}{kr^4} \Delta r \Rightarrow \frac{\Delta V}{V} = \frac{4 \Delta r}{r} \Rightarrow$$

(1) (1)

$$\frac{\Delta r}{r} = \frac{0.1}{4} = 0.025 \quad (1)$$

Thus, the radius that will produce a 10% decrease in flow of blood is reduced by 2.5%. (1)

- (c) Show that the incremental formula gives a physically absurd estimate for the change

in V resulting from a halving of the radius of the artery. Explain why this

estimate is so poor compared to the true answer found in (a).

[3]

$$\text{Halving the radius mean that } \frac{\Delta r}{r} = 0.5 \Rightarrow \Delta r = 0.5 r \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\Delta V}{V} \approx \frac{4kr^3}{kr^4} \times \Delta r = \frac{4kr^3}{kr^4} \times 0.5 r = 2$$

which is a 200% reduction, which is not possible. (1)

The reason for this estimate being absurd is because Δr is not small compared to r . (1)

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Section Two: Calculator-assumed

[25 marks]

This section has **three (3)** questions. Answer **all** questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided

Question 5 [8 marks]

The needle in a sewing machine moves vertically with simple harmonic motion, and the distance between the highest and lowest positions of the tip is 8 mm.

The height of the tip of the needle above its mid-point position t seconds after it starts to move is $x(t)$ mm, where $x(t)$ satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = -16\pi^2 x.$$

- (a) Determine $x(t)$, given that the needle starts at its highest point. [3]

Amplitude = 4 mm and $k = 4\pi \Rightarrow x(t) = 4\cos(4\pi t)$
(1) (1) (1)

- (b) How long does it take for the needle to return to its highest point? [2]

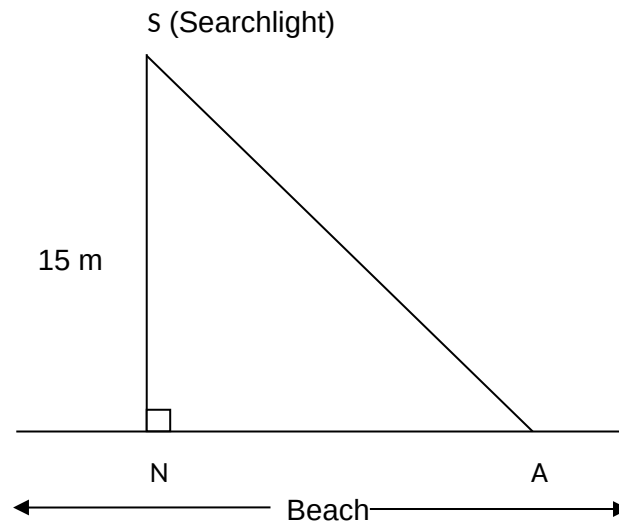
$T = \frac{2\pi}{4\pi} = 0.5$ seconds. i.e it takes half a second to return to the highest point.
(1) (1)

- (c) How far does the tip travel in the first 0.3 seconds? [3]

$v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} = -16\pi \sin(4\pi t) \Rightarrow d = \int_0^{0.3} |-16\pi \sin(4\pi t)| dt = 8.764$ mm.
(1) (1) (1)

Question 6 [8 marks]

A searchlight S is just above sea level and is revolving in the horizontal plane. The searchlight is located 15 metres out to sea from the nearest point N on a straight beach. S and N are in the same horizontal plane and the searchlight rotates at 2 revolutions per minute.



Determine the rate at which the beam of light is moving along the beach when:

- (a) the beam illuminates the beach at a point A such that the angle SAN is 30° [6]

Let $\angle ASN = \theta$ and $AN = x$. (1)

Also, 2 revolutions per minute $\Rightarrow \frac{d\theta}{dt} = 4\pi$ radians per minute. (1)

$$\tan \theta = \frac{x}{15} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{1}{15} \frac{dx}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{60\pi}{\cos^2 \theta} \text{ m/minute.}$$

(1) (1) (1)

When $\angle SAN = 30^\circ$, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = 240\pi$ m/minute or $\frac{dx}{dt} = 4\pi$ m/sec. (1)

- (b) the beam illuminates at a point B on the beach 39 metres from S. [2]

When $AS = 39$ m, $\cos \theta = \frac{15}{39} = \frac{5}{13} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{60\pi}{\left(\frac{5}{13}\right)^2} = 21.237$ m/second. (1) (1)

(or 1274.230 m/minute)

Question 7 [9 marks]

The expected uptake of a new model of smart phone in a country, currently with one million models in use, can be modelled by the logistic equation $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{x(20-x)}{250}$, where x is the total number of models in millions and t is the time in weeks.

- (a) Express x as a function of t in the form $x = \frac{a}{1+be^{-ct}}$ where a , b and c are positive constants. [5]

This is logistic model of the form $\frac{dx}{dt} = px - qx^2$ which has solution $x = \frac{p}{q + \left(\frac{p}{x(0)} - q\right)e^{-pt}}$ (1)

$$p = \frac{20}{250}, q = \frac{1}{250}, x(0) = 1 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\frac{20}{250}}{\frac{1}{250} + \frac{19}{250}e^{-\frac{20}{250}t}} = \frac{20}{1 + 19e^{-0.08t}}$$

In this case, (1) (1) (1)

i.e. $a = 20, b = 19, c = 0.08$ (1)

OR

$$\int \frac{dx}{x(20-x)} = \int \frac{dt}{250} \Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{20-x} dx = \int \frac{2}{25} dt \Rightarrow \ln x - \ln(20-x) = .08t + c$$

(1) (1) (1)

$$t = 0, x = 1 \Rightarrow c = -\ln 19 \Rightarrow x = \frac{20}{1 + 19e^{-0.08t}}$$

(1)

i.e. $a = 20, b = 19, c = 0.08$ (1)

(b) Calculate

(i) the expected number of models in use after 30 weeks. [1]

$$t = 30 \Rightarrow x = 7.343 \text{ million models. } (1)$$

(ii) the week during which the number of models in use is increasing at the greatest rate. [3]

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{For } \frac{dx}{dt} \text{ to be maximised, } \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = 0 \Rightarrow x = 10 \quad (1) \\ &\frac{20}{1+19e^{-0.08t}} = 10 \Rightarrow t = 36.8 \text{ i.e. the 37}^{\text{th}} \text{ week.} \\ &\quad (1) \qquad (1) \end{aligned}$$

END OF QUESTIONS