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UNIT 3
METHODS
MATHEMATICS



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Calculator-free Solutions

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{(4x + 3)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \quad \checkmark$$

$$m = 2 \quad n = \frac{3}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{2}{(9)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \\ &= \frac{2}{27} \quad \checkmark \quad [3] \end{aligned}$$

2. (a) $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3$

$$f'(x) = 4x^3 - 12x^2$$

$$4x^2(x - 3) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = 3 \quad \checkmark$$

Stationary points $(0, 0)$ and $(3, -27)$ \checkmark

(b) $f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x \quad \checkmark$

$$f''(0) = 0 \quad \therefore \text{horizontal point of inflection occurs at } (0, 0) \quad \checkmark$$

Since $f''(3) > 0$, then minimum occurs at $(3, -27)$ $\checkmark \checkmark$

(c) (i) $f''(x) = 12x^2 - 24x \quad \checkmark$

$$12x(x - 2) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore x = 0 \text{ or } x = 2 \quad \checkmark$$

Point of oblique inflection at $(2, -16)$ \checkmark

(ii) $m = -16$ \checkmark

$$y = -16x + c \quad \checkmark$$

$$-16 = -16(2) + c \quad \checkmark$$

$$c = 16 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Tangent is } y = -16x + 16 \quad \checkmark \quad [11]$$

3. (a) $y = e^{-12x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{12}{e^{12x}} \quad \checkmark \checkmark$$

(b) $-2\sin x \ e^{\cos x}$ $\checkmark \checkmark$

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$$x = 2e^{2t} + \frac{3}{2}(t + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{3}{5}$$

$$c = -\frac{3}{5}$$

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$$1 = 2 + \frac{3}{2} + c$$

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$$(b) \quad x = 2e^{2t} + \frac{3}{2}(t + 1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + c$$

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(III) 5 units²

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$$7. \quad (a) \quad (i) \quad 6+?2 = 4$$

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$$7. \quad (a) \quad (i) \quad -3$$

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$$(b) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x \sin(2x - 3) + 24x^2 \cos(2x - 3) \sin^3(2x - 3)$$

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$$6. \quad (a) \quad f(x) = \frac{(1 - e^{2x})(-\sin x) - \cos x(-2e^{2x})}{(1 - e^{2x})^2}$$

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$$g(x) = -\cos x + \frac{2}{1} \sin 2x + 1$$

$$1 = c$$

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$$1 = -\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{1}\right) + \frac{2}{1} \sin\pi + c$$

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$$5. \quad g(x) = -\cos x + \frac{2}{1} \sin 2x + c$$

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$$(c) \quad \frac{15}{14} = \frac{5}{14}$$

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$$(b) \quad P(X < 3) = \frac{15}{9}$$

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∴ Probability function

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$$4. \quad (a) \quad \text{The values of } f(x) \text{ are all positive}$$

$$\frac{5}{15} + \frac{15}{15} + \frac{3}{15} + \frac{2}{15} + \frac{1}{15} = 1$$

8.

$$(a) E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2p + 4p - (2p + 2p)^2 = 6p - 16p^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$(32p^2 - 12p + 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore (8p - 1)(4p - 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore p = \frac{1}{8} \text{ or } \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\therefore E(X) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } 1$$

- (b) (i) 21
(ii) Standard deviation of $X = 3$
 $|2| \times 3 = 6$

$$9. (a) \left[\pi \sqrt{2x+3} \right]_1^3$$

$$= 3\pi - \pi = 2\pi$$

$$(b) y = -\frac{2}{\pi} \cos \frac{\pi x}{2} + x + c$$

$$4 = 0 + 1 + c \therefore c = 3$$

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

Its path is

Calculator-assumed Solutions

$$10. (a) A = \pi r^2 = \pi(3t + 1)^2$$

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$$(b) \frac{dr}{dt} = 3 \text{ cm/s}$$

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$$(c) \frac{dA}{dt} = 6\pi(3t + 1)t = 1$$

✓

$$= 24\pi \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

$$(d) \delta A = \frac{dA}{dr} \times \delta r$$

$$= 2\pi(r)(0.05)$$

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$$\text{When } r = 4, \delta A = 0.4\pi \approx 1.26 \text{ cm}^2$$

✓

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$$21. \text{ In triangle } h = \sqrt{15^2 - x^2} \text{ therefore } A = \frac{1}{2} bh = x(\sqrt{15^2 - x^2})$$

$$A'(x) = \frac{225 - 2x^2}{\sqrt{225 - x^2}} = 0$$

$$x = \pm \frac{15\sqrt{2}}{2} \approx 10.6066$$

(Discard negative value for x .)

$$A''(10.6066) = -3.999 \therefore A'' < 0 \text{ therefore maximum}$$

Maximum area is 112.5 cm²

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$$22. (a) v(t) = \int \cos t - 4\sin(2t) = \sin t + 2\cos 2t + c$$

$$\sin 0 + 2\cos 0 + c = 2 \therefore c = 0$$

$$v(t) = \sin t + 2\cos 2t = 0$$

The particle changes direction when $t = 1.003$ s or $t = 2.139$ s

$$(b) \int_0^\pi |\sin t + 2\cos 2t| dt = 3.476$$

m²

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23.

$g(0)$	$g(0.2)$	$g(0.4)$	$g(0.6)$	$g(0.8)$	$g(1)$
1	0.96	0.85	0.70	0.53	0.37

Area from left = 0.2 (1 + 0.96 + 0.85 + 0.70 + 0.53) = 0.808

Area from right = 0.2 (0.96 + 0.85 + 0.70 + 0.53 + 0.37) = 0.682

Average = 0.745 = 0.75 units²

(b) As the width of the rectangle tends to 0,
the more accurate will be the area.

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24. (a) $t = 110$ years

$$A = e^{-0.047069} = 0.95402 \text{ grams}$$

Therefore 4.598 % has decayed.

$$(b) 0.5 = e^{-0.0004279t}$$

$$t = 1619.88 \approx 1620 \text{ years}$$

$$(c) 0.5 = e^{k \times 3.8}$$

$$\therefore k = -0.1824$$

$$A = 10e^{-0.1824(15)}$$

0.648 mg of radon remains

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13. (a) $f'(t) = \frac{2}{50} f(t) = 0.04 f(t)$
 $\therefore k = 0.04$
 $2A = Ae^{0.04t}$
 $t = 17.3$ days
 $\int_0^8 2e^{2t-7} dt = 8103.083 \text{ m}^2$
 $\int_9^{10} 2e^{2t-7} dt = 382\,539.25 \text{ m}^2$
(iii) The exponential growth of the area becomes too large too quickly for the model to be realistic.
- (b) (i) $s'(t) = v(t) = -3t^2 + 27 = 0$
 $\therefore t = 3$ (discard -3)
The maximum distance from O occurs at $t = 3$ seconds and then the particle turns back towards O.
(ii) $s(t) = 27t - t^3 = 0$
 $\therefore t = 3\sqrt[3]{1}$ (discard $t = 0$ and $-3\sqrt[3]{1}$)
 $v(3\sqrt[3]{1}) = -54$
Therefore speed when the particle returns to O is 54 cm/s.
14. (a) $\int_{-\infty}^x x^2 \sqrt{1-x^2} \frac{t}{2} dt = t^2 \sqrt{1-t^2} - \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{3} \frac{3}{4}$
 $A(t) = t^2 \sqrt{1-t^2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8}$
15. $P = 3.5n - 0.01n^2 - 50 - 0.8n = 2.7n - 0.01n^2 - 50$
 $2.5 = 3.5 - 0.01n$
 $\therefore n = 100$ He will sell 100 figs
 $P'(n) = 2.7 - 0.02n$ where $n = 100$
The marginal profit is $0.7 = 70$ cents

17. (a) (i)

Y	0	1	2	3
$P(Y=y)$	$\frac{1}{56}$	$\frac{15}{56}$	$\frac{15}{28}$	$\frac{5}{28}$

(ii) $E(Y) = \frac{105}{56} \approx 1.875$

$\text{Var}(Y) = \frac{225}{448} \approx 0.50$

$\frac{15}{56}$

(iii) $X \sim \text{Bin}(10, 0.7)$

(b) (i) $P(X = 7) = 0.2668$

(ii) $X \sim \text{Bin}(26, 0.7)$

$P(X \leq 13) = 0.0255$

(c) $E(X) = np = 12$

$\text{Var}(x) = npq = np(1-p) = 9$

$n = 48 \text{ and } p = \frac{1}{4}$

18. (a) The amount of water cannot be a negative amount.
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- If no water flows in or out the functions can equal zero.

(b) $f(t) - w(t)$ megalitres

(c) $\int_{t=0}^{t=1} f(t) dt$

(d) $\int_0^{30} \left(10 - \frac{1}{2}t - 2\sin 2\pi t \right) dt = 75$
75 megalitres of water.

(e)

