

$$f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 1$$

(a) find the value of $\alpha^2 + \beta^2$ (3)

(b) show that $\alpha^4 + \beta^4 = \frac{433}{16}$ (2)

$$\left(\alpha^2 + \frac{1}{\alpha^2}\right) \text{ and } \left(\beta^2 + \frac{1}{\beta^2}\right) \quad (7)$$



Question 10 continued



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(Total for Question 10 is 12 marks)



11 $f(x) = x^3 + px^2 + qx + 6 \quad p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$

Given that $f(x) = (x - 1)(x - 3)(x + r)$

(a) find the value of r .

(1)

Hence, or otherwise,

(b) find the value of p and the value of q .

(3)

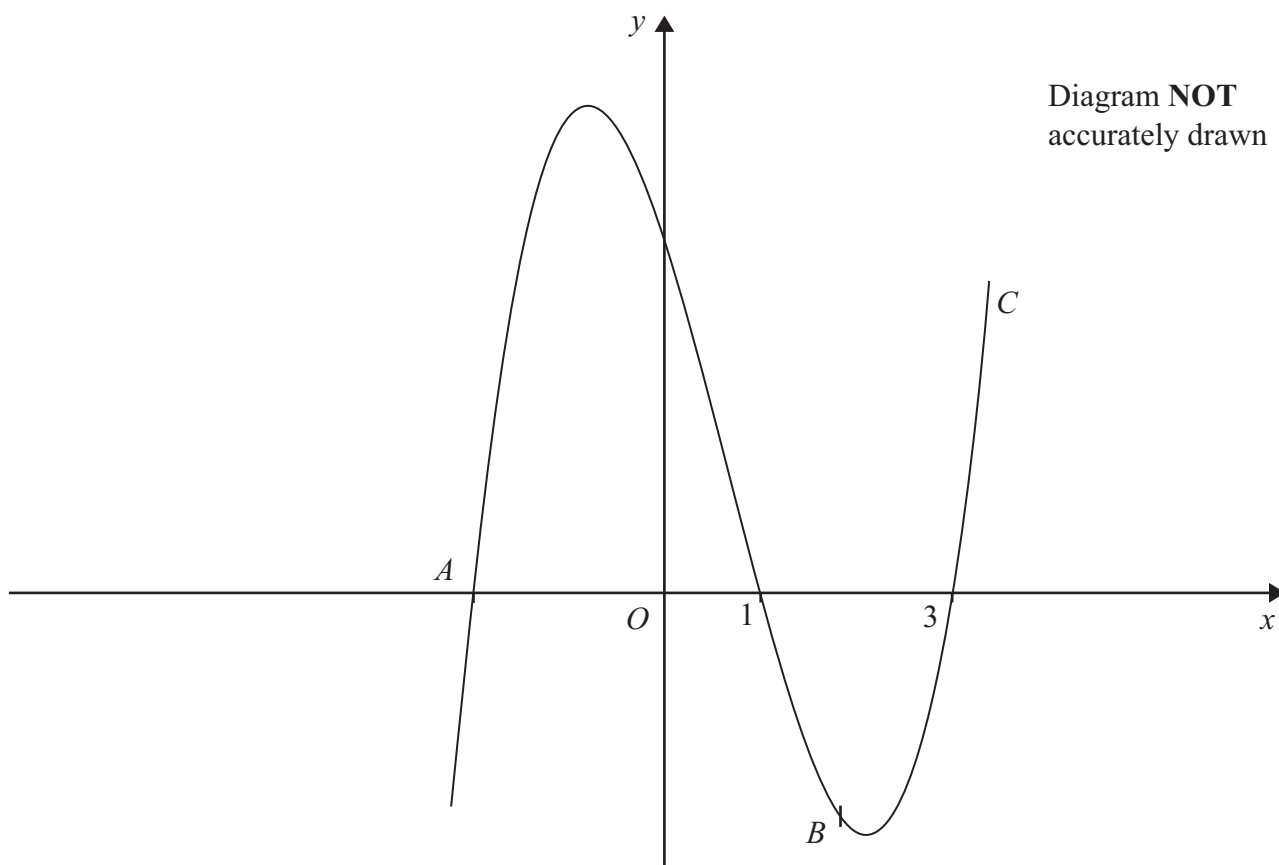


Figure 2

Figure 2 shows the curve C with equation $y = f(x)$ which crosses the x -axis at the points with coordinates $(3, 0)$ and $(1, 0)$ and at the point A . The point B on C has x -coordinate 2

(c) Find an equation of the tangent to C at B .

(5)

(d) Show that the tangent at B passes through A .

(2)

(e) Use calculus to find the area of the finite region bounded by C and the tangent at B .

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