

(a) Solve $\frac{x+1}{x} \geq 2$

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(b) Find the acute angle between the lines $x + 3y = 4$ and $2x - 5y = 0$. Give your answer correct to the nearest degree.

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(c) If $\sqrt{3} \cos x - \sin x = R \cos(x + \theta)$, find the values of R and θ .

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(d) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \frac{2x dx}{(2x+1)^2}$, using the substitution $u = 2x + 1$.

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(a) It is given that $x^2 + x - 2$ is a factor of $x^3 + rx^2 - 4x + s$, where r and s are constants.

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(i) Show that $r + s = 3$.

(ii) Evaluate r and s .

(b) (i) What is the condition for the geometric series $a + ar + ar^2 + \dots$ to have a limiting sum?

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(ii) Consider the geometric series $1 - \tan^2 x + \tan^4 x + \dots$, where $0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$.

For what values of x does this series have a limiting sum?

(iii) Find the limiting sum in terms of $\cos x$.

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(c) Find the exact value of $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^2\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) dx$.

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(a) (i) Sketch $y = 3 \sin x$ and $y = x$, for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$.

(ii) By substitution show that a solution for $3 \sin x - x = 0$ lies between $x = 2.2$ and $x = 2.4$.

(iii) Taking $x = 2.3$ as an approximation to a solution of $3 \sin x - x = 0$, apply Newton's Method once to find a better approximation. Give your answer correct to 3 decimal places.

(b) (i) Find $\frac{d}{dx} (2x \tan^{-1} x)$.

(ii) Hence, find the exact value of $\int_0^1 \tan^{-1} x dx$.

(c) Use Mathematical Induction to show that, for all $n \geq 1$

$$1 \times 2 + 2 \times 2^2 + 3 \times 2^3 + \dots + n \times 2^n = (n-1) \times 2^{(n+1)} + 2$$

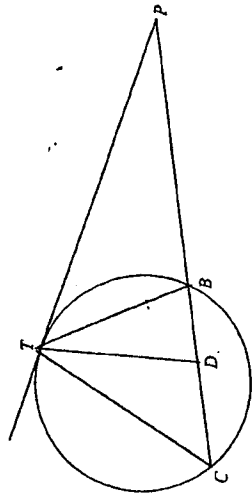
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(a)



PT is a tangent to the circle and PBC is a secant. D is a point on PBC such that $TD = TB$.
Prove that $\angle CTD = \angle P$.

(b) Consider the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ for $x \leq 0$.

(i) Sketch $y = f(x)$. It is not necessary to show working.

(ii) Find the inverse function, $f^{-1}(x)$.

(iii) State the domain of $f^{-1}(x)$.

(c) (i) On the same set of axes sketch $y = \sin^{-1}x$ and $y = \cos^{-1}x$, showing all essential information.

(ii) Let $f(x) = \sin^{-1}x + \cos^{-1}x$.

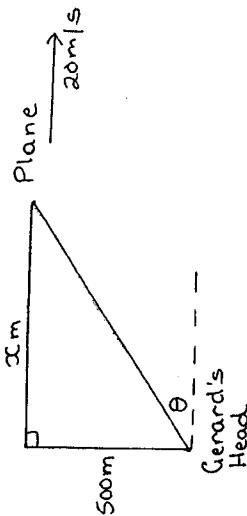
By referring to the graph in part (i), or otherwise, explain why $f(x)$ is a constant function.

iii) Hence, evaluate $\int_0^1 f(x) dx$.

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(a)



At 9 am an ultralight aircraft flies directly over Gerard's head, at a height of 500 metres. It maintains a constant speed of 20m/s , and a constant altitude.

If x is the horizontal distance travelled by the plane, and θ is the angle of elevation from Gerard's head to the plane,

(i) show that $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -\frac{500}{\sin^2\theta}$.

(ii) Hence, show that $\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -\frac{1}{25} \sin^2\theta$.

(iii) find the rate of change of the angle of elevation at 9:01 am.

(b) The points $P(2ap, ap^2)$ and $Q(2aq, aq^2)$ lie on the parabola $x = 2at, y = at^2$.

(i) Find the co-ordinates of M , the midpoint of PQ .

(ii) Show that if the gradient of PQ is constant, the locus of M is a line parallel to the y -axis.

(d) (i) State the angle property of a cyclic quadrilateral.

(ii) Given that the quadrilateral $ABCD$ is cyclic, show that the sum of the tangents of the angles in the quadrilateral is zero.

That is:

$$\tan A + \tan B + \tan C + \tan D = 0.$$

Question 6. (Start a New Page)

(a) Find a general solution for x if $\tan x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$.

Give your answer in terms of π .

(b) (i) On the same set of axes graph $y = |2x - 1|$ and $y = 3x + 2$.

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, solve $|2x - 1| < 3x + 2$.

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- (c) The rate at which a body cools is proportional to the difference between its temperature (T), and the constant temperature of the surrounding air (S).

That is $\frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - S)$, where t is the elapsed time and k is a constant.

- (i) Show that $T = S + Be^{kt}$, where B is a constant, is a solution of the above differential equation.
- (ii) A body cools from 150° to 90° in three hours. If the air temperature is 30°C , find the value of B and hence the value of k , correct to 3 decimal places.
- (iii) Using the values of B and k found in part (ii), determine the temperature of the body after a further three hours.

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- (a) $P(x)$ is a polynomial of degree 3 with the following properties:

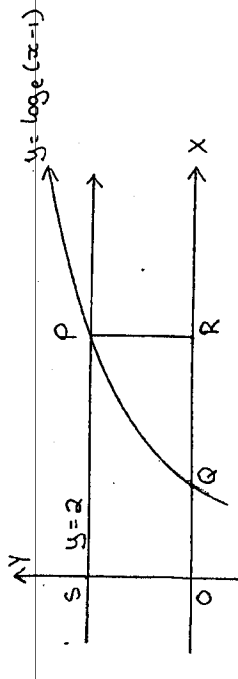
$P(0) = 4$, $P(2) = 0$, $P(-2) = 0$ and $P(x)$ has a turning point at $x = -2$.

- (i) Find $P(x)$.

(You may assume that $P(x) = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$.)

- (ii) What is the nature of the turning point at $x = -2$?

- (b) The curve $y = \log_e(x - 1)$ meets the line $y = 2$ at the point P and the x -axis at the point Q . From P , perpendiculars are drawn to the x -axis and y -axis, meeting them at R and S , respectively, as shown in the diagram.



- (i) Show that the co-ordinates of P are $(e^2 + 1, 2)$.
- (ii) Show that the normal to the curve at Q passes through S .
- (iii) Show that the arc QP divides the rectangle $OSPR$ into two portions of equal area, where O is the origin.

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- (a) Evaluate to 4 significant figures

$$\frac{12 \times (1.05)^3}{2.31 \times 0.627}$$

- (b) Express in scientific notation, correct to 3 sig fig,

$$\sqrt[4]{\frac{4.3 \times 10^{18} - 2.9 \times 10^3}{2.4^3 + 3.31^2}}$$

- (c) Find the integers a and b such that

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2 + \sqrt{3}} = a + b\sqrt{3}$$

- (d) Factorise $2ax + 4xb - a - 2b$.

- (e) The price of tickets to *Future World* has increased 5.5% to \$48. Find the price before the increase.

- (f) Solve and graph the solution on the number line

$$|6x - 9| > 21$$