

**Question 1****Marks**

- (a) Solve the following inequality  $\frac{x}{1-x^2} \geq 0$  3
- (b) (i) Factorise completely  $x^4 + x^3 - 2x^2 - 2x$  1
- (ii) Find the roots of the following equation  $4x^3 - 4x^2 - 29x + 15 = 0$ , given that one root is the difference between the other two roots. 3
- (b) Solve, showing the solution on the number line,  $|x - 1| \leq x + 2$  3

**Question 2 (start a new page)**

- (a) Prove by the Principle of Mathematical Induction that  $5^n + 3^n$  is always even for all positive integers  $n$ . 4
- (b) i) Show that a solution of  $x^3 + x - 1 = 0$  lies between  $x = 0$  and  $x = 1$ . 1
- ii) By using Halving of the Interval Method once, obtain a better approximation. 2
- iii) By using  $x = 0.5$  as a first approximation, apply Newton's method once to obtain a better approximation. (give your answer to three decimal places). 2
- iv) Decide which method is more powerful and why is that? 1

**Question 3 (start a new page)**

- (a) Use mathematical induction to prove the following result for positive integral values of  $n$ :  $\sum_{r=1}^n 3^r = \frac{3^n - 1}{2(3) - 1}$  6
- (b) Two cars are travelling along roads that intersect at right angles to one another. One starts 200 km away and travels towards the intersection at  $80 \text{ kmh}^{-1}$ , while the other starts at 120 km away and travels towards the intersection at  $60 \text{ kmh}^{-1}$ .
- i) Show that their distance  $d$  apart after  $t$  hours is given by: 2
- $$d^2 = 10000t^2 - 46400t + 54400$$
- (note: the distance formula is  $d = \text{speed} \times \text{time}$ ).
- ii) Hence find how long it takes them to reach their minimum distance apart. 3

- iii) Find their minimum distance apart.

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**Question 4 (start a new page)**

- (a) Prove by mathematical induction that  $4^n \geq 3n + 7$ , for all integers  $n \geq 2$  4
- (b) Sketch, showing all the important features, the real function  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2x+3}$ . 7
- Hence, determine the values of  $x$  for which the function is decreasing.

***End of Test***

## Solutions & Marking Scheme

### Question 1

b)  $\frac{x}{1-x^2} \geq 0 \mid x(1-x^2)^2 (x \neq \pm 1)$

$\therefore x(1-x^2) \geq 0$

$\therefore x(1+x)(1-x) \geq 0$



$x < -1$  or  $0 < x < 1$

i)  $x^4 + x^3 - 2x^2 - 2x$   
 $= x^3(x+1) - 2x(x+1)$

$= (x+1)x(x^2-2)$   
 $= x(x+1)(x+\sqrt{2})(x-\sqrt{2})$

ii) Let  $\alpha, \beta, \alpha-\beta$  be the roots

$\therefore \alpha + \beta + (\alpha - \beta) = -\frac{-4}{1}$

$\alpha\beta + \alpha(\alpha-\beta) + \beta(\alpha-\beta) = \frac{-29}{4}$

$\alpha\beta(\alpha-\beta) = -\frac{15}{4}$

From the first relationship

$\therefore 2\alpha = 1 \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

From the last relationship

$\therefore \frac{1}{2}\beta(\frac{1}{2}-\beta) = -\frac{15}{4}$

$\therefore \frac{1}{4}\beta - \frac{1}{2}\beta^2 + \frac{15}{4} = 0$

$\therefore 2\beta^2 - \beta - 15 = 0$

$\therefore \beta = -\frac{5}{2}$  or  $3$

$\therefore$  Solutions are  $\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{5}{2}, 3$

(by checking for  $\alpha-\beta$ )

c)  $|x-1| \leq x+2$

$\therefore x-1 \leq x+2$  or  $-(x-1) \leq x+2$

$\therefore -1 \leq 2$  (true) or  $x-1 \geq -x-2$

$\therefore 2x \geq -1$



### Question 2

a) Step 1

For  $n=1 \therefore 5^1 + 3^1 = 8$  which is even

Step 2

Assume that  $S_k: 5^k + 3^k = 2m$  (where  $m$  is an integer)

hence, prove that  $S_{k+1}$  is also true

$S_{k+1}: 5^{k+1} + 3^{k+1} = 5 \cdot 5^k + 3 \cdot 3^k$

$= 5(2m - 3^k) + 3 \cdot 3^k$  (since  $S_k$  is true:  $5^k = 2m - 3^k$ )

$= 10m - 2 \cdot 3^k$

$= 2(5m - 3^k) = 2M, M$  integer

$\therefore S_{k+1}$  is also true

Step 3: Since  $S_1$  is true  $\therefore S_2$  is also true  
 Since  $S_2$  is true  $\therefore S_3$  is also true

$\therefore S_n$  is true for all values of  $n$ , positive integer

$\therefore S^n + 3^n$  is even (divisible by 2)

for all positive integers  $n$ .

b) i) Let  $f(x) = x^3 + x - 1$

$\therefore f(0) = -1, f(1) = 1$

$\therefore f(0) = f(1) < 0$   $\therefore$  there is at least one solution between 0 and 1

ii)  $x_m = \frac{0+1}{2} = 0.5$

$f(0.5) = -0.375$

$\therefore f(0.5) \times f(1) < 0$

$\therefore$  there is (at least) a solution between 0.5 and 1 closer to 0.5

iii)  $x_{better} = x - \frac{f(x)}{f'(x)}$

$f'(x) = 3x^2 + 1$

$f(0.5) = -0.375, f'(0.5) = 1.75$

$\therefore x_{better} = 0.5 - \frac{-0.375}{1.75}$

$\therefore x_{better} = 0.714$  (3dp)

iv)  $f(0.5) = -0.375$

$f(0.714) = -0.0779...$

$\therefore$  Newton's method is more powerful because  $f(0.714)$  is closer to 0

(0.714 is closer to the root)

### Question 3

a)  $\sum_{k=1}^n 3^{-k} = \frac{3^n - 1}{2(3)^n}$

$S_n: 3^{-1} + 3^{-2} + \dots + 3^{-n} = \frac{3^n - 1}{2(3)^n}$

Step 1

For  $n=1 \therefore LHS = 3^{-1} = \frac{1}{3}$

$RHS = \frac{3^1 - 1}{2 \cdot 3} = \frac{1}{3}$

$\therefore LHS = RHS \therefore S_1$  is true (for  $n=1$ )

Step 2

Assume  $S_k: \sum_{r=1}^k 3^{-r} = \frac{3^k - 1}{2(3)^k}$  is true

Prove  $S_{k+1}: \sum_{r=1}^{k+1} 3^{-r} = \frac{3^{k+1} - 1}{2(3)^{k+1}}$  is also true

$S_{k+1}: 3^{-1} + 3^{-2} + \dots + 3^{-k} + 3^{-(k+1)}$

$= \frac{3^k - 1}{2(3)^k} + 3^{-(k+1)}$

$= \frac{3^k - 1}{2 \cdot 3^k} + \frac{1}{3 \cdot 3^k}$

$= \frac{3 \cdot 3^k - 3 + 2}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3^k}$

$= \frac{3^{k+1} - 1}{2 \cdot 3^{k+1}}$

$\therefore S_{k+1}$  is also true

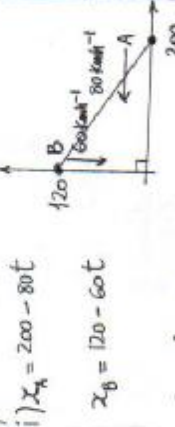


### Step 3

Since  $S_1$  is true  $\therefore S_2$  is also true  
 $S_2$  is true  $\therefore S_3$  is also true

$$S_n: \sum_{k=1}^n 3^k = \frac{3^{n+1}-1}{2} \text{ is true}$$

for any positive integer  $n$



$$d^2 = x_A^2 + x_B^2 \text{ (Pythagoras)}$$

$$d^2 = (200 - 80t)^2 + (120 - 60t)^2$$

$$= 40000 - 32000t + 6400t^2 + 14400 - 14400t + 3600t^2$$

$$= 10,000t^2 - 46,400t + 54,400$$

$$d = \sqrt{10,000t^2 - 46,400t + 54,400}$$

$$\frac{d(d)}{dt} = \frac{20,000t - 46,400}{2\sqrt{10,000t^2 - 46,400t + 54,400}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d(d)}{dt} = 0 \therefore 20,000t - 46,400 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{2.32 \text{ hours}}{24 \times 60 \text{ min}} = 2 \text{ h } 19 \text{ min } 12 \text{ s}$$

$$\therefore \text{distance is a minimum.}$$

iii) For  $t = 2.32$  hours

$$d = 24 \text{ km}$$

### Question 4

$$a) S_n: 4^n \geq 3n+7, n \geq 2, \text{ integer}$$

$$\text{Step 1 For } n=2 \therefore \text{LHS} = 4^2 = 16$$

$$\text{RHS} = 3 \times 2 + 7 = 13$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} \geq \text{RHS}$$

$$\therefore S_2 \text{ is true (for } n=2)$$

### Step 2

$$\text{Assume } S_k: 4^k \geq 3k+7 \text{ is true}$$

$$\text{for } n=k, \text{ integer } \geq 2$$

$$\text{Prove that } S_{k+1}: 4^{k+1} \geq 3(k+1)+7$$

$$4^{k+1} \geq 3k+10, \text{ for } n=k+1, \text{ integer } \geq 2$$

Since  $S_k$  is true by multiplying both sides of ineq. by 4

$$\therefore 4 \times 4^k \geq 4(3k+7)$$

$$\therefore 4^{k+1} \geq 12k+28 \geq 3k+10$$

$$(12k+28 \geq 3k+10)$$

$$\therefore 4^{k+1} \geq 3k+10, \text{ for } k \text{ integer } \geq 2$$

$$\therefore S_{k+1} \text{ is also true}$$

### Step 3

$$\text{Since } S_2 \text{ is true } \therefore S_3 \text{ is also true}$$

$$\text{Since } S_3 \text{ is true } \therefore S_4 \text{ is also true}$$

$$\therefore S_n \text{ is true for all } n \geq 2, \text{ integer}$$

$$\therefore 4^n \geq 3n+7, \text{ for all } n \geq 2, \text{ integer}$$

$$b) f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2x+3}$$

Domain: all real  $x$  except  $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

$$x\text{-int: } f(x) = 0 \therefore x = 0$$

$$y\text{-int: } x = 0 \therefore y = \frac{4 \times 0^2 + 6 \times 0}{2 \times 0 + 3} = 0$$

$$\text{1st Derivative } f'(x) = \frac{(2x+3)^2 - x^2 \cdot 2}{(2x+3)^3}$$

$$= \frac{2x^2 + 6x}{(2x+3)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2x(x+3)}{(2x+3)^2}$$

$$(1m)$$

$$f'(x) = 0 \therefore \frac{2x(x+3)}{(2x+3)^2} = 0$$

$$\therefore x = -3 \text{ or } 0$$

$x$	$-3$	$-\frac{3}{2}$	$0$
$f'$	$+$	$-$	$+$
$f$	$\swarrow$	$\searrow$	$\swarrow$
	$-3$	$-\frac{3}{2}$	$0$

$$\text{Max + p } (-3, -3); \text{ Min. + p } (0, 0) (1m)$$

$$\text{V.A. } x \rightarrow -\frac{3}{2} \therefore f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$x \rightarrow \frac{3}{2} \therefore f(x) \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$\therefore \text{V.A. } x = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$x \rightarrow +\infty \therefore f(x) \rightarrow +\infty$$

$$x \rightarrow -\infty \therefore f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$\therefore \text{NO H.A.}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{4}$$

$$2x+3$$

$$x^2$$

$$-x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x$$

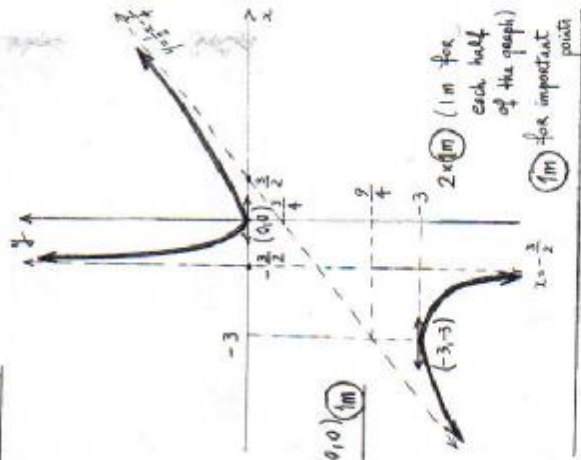
$$/ -\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{9}{4}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{9}{4(2x+3)}$$

$$x \rightarrow \pm\infty \therefore f(x) \div \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{4}$$

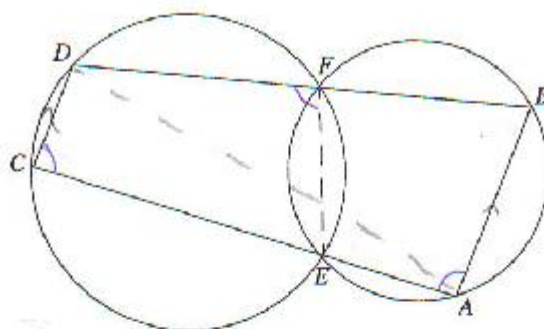
$$\therefore \text{Oblique Asymptote is } y = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{4} (1m)$$

$$\text{Function is increasing for } -\frac{3}{2} < x < 0 (1m)$$



**Question 1****Marks**

- (a) Two circles intersect at  $E$  and  $F$ .  $AEC$  and  $BFD$  are straight lines. Copy the diagram and prove that  $AB$  is parallel to  $CD$ .

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- (b) If  $\sin \alpha = \frac{3}{5}$ , and  $\tan \beta = \frac{12}{5}$ , find the exact value of  $\tan(\alpha - \beta)$  **2**
- (c) (i) Simplify  $\frac{\sin 2x}{1 + \cos 2x}$  **2**
- (ii) Hence, find the exact value of  $\tan 15^\circ$ . **1**
- (d) A surveyor observes two towers, one due north, of height 80m, and the other on a bearing of  $\theta$  ( $0 < 90^\circ$ ) of height 120m. The angles of elevation of the two towers are  $40^\circ$  and  $36^\circ$  respectively. If the towers are 150m apart on a horizontal plane, calculate the value of  $\theta$  to the nearest minute. **4**

**Question 2 (start a new page)**

- (a) (i) Find  $\int \sin^2 3x dx$  **3**
- (ii) Use the substitution  $u = x - 1$  to find  $\int 5x\sqrt{x-1} dx$  **3**
- (b) Find: (i)  $\int x^4(2x^5 - 1) dx$  (let  $u = 2x^5 - 1$ ) **3**
- (ii)  $\int_0^3 \frac{t}{\sqrt{t+1}} dt$  **3**

- (c) (i) Differentiate  $x \cos x$  1
- (ii) Hence find  $\int x \sin x dx$  2

**Question 3 (start a new page)**

- (a) (i) Find the exact value for  $2 \cos^2 22.5^\circ - 1$  2
- (ii) Show that  $\frac{1 + \sin \theta - \cos \theta}{1 + \sin \theta + \cos \theta} = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$  2
- (b) Express  $\sqrt{3} \sin x + \cos x$  in the form  $r \sin(x + \theta)$  and hence solve the trigonometric equation  $\sqrt{3} \sin x + \cos x = 1$ , for  $0 \leq x \leq 360^\circ$  (Give answers to the nearest degree). 5

**Question 4 (start a new page)**

- (a) (i) Sketch  $f(x) = 2\sqrt{x} + 5$ . State the Domain and Range for this function. 2
- (ii) State if it is a one-one function in its domain, and if it is, find its inverse function  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  2
- (iii) Sketch  $y = f^{-1}(x)$ . State the Domain and Range for this function. 2
- (b) A curve has  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6 \sin 2x$ , and passes through the point  $\left(\frac{\pi}{4}, 3\right)$ . Find the equation of this curve. 3
- (c) Find: 3
- (i)  $\int_0^2 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} dx$
- (ii)  $\int_0^1 \sqrt{4-x^2} dx$  (use the substitution  $x = 2 \cos \theta$ ) 4

***End of Test***



# Solutions & Marking Scheme

## Question 1

i)  $\angle BAE + \angle BFE = 180^\circ$  (opp  $\angle$  in the cyclic quad ABFE)

$\angle DFE + \angle BFE = 180^\circ$  (supplm  $\angle$ )

$\therefore \angle BAE = \angle DFE$  (1m)

$\angle DFE + \angle DCE = 180^\circ$  (opp  $\angle$  in the cyclic quad DFEC)

$\therefore \angle BAE + \angle DCE = 180^\circ$  (1m)

$\therefore AB \parallel DC$  (Since  $\angle BAE$  and  $\angle DCE$  are co-interior  $\angle$ s)



b) i)  $\sin \alpha = \frac{3}{5} \therefore \cos \alpha = 1 - \frac{9}{25}$

$\therefore \cos \alpha = \frac{4}{5}$

$\therefore \tan \alpha = \frac{3}{4}$  (1m)

$\therefore \tan(\alpha - \beta) = \frac{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{12}{5}}{1 + \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{12}{5}}$

$\therefore \tan(\alpha - \beta) = -\frac{33}{56}$  (1m)

i)  $\frac{\sin 2x}{1 + \cos 2x} = \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + \cos^2 x - \sin^2 x}$

$= \frac{2 \sin x \cos x}{2 \cos^2 x}$

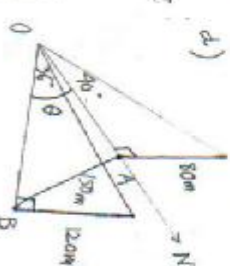
$= \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} = \tan x$  (1m)

ii)  $\tan 15^\circ = \frac{\sin 2 \times 15^\circ}{1 + \cos 2 \times 15^\circ}$

$= \frac{\sin 30^\circ}{1 + \cos 30^\circ}$

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

$= \frac{1}{2 + \sqrt{3}} = \frac{2 - \sqrt{3}}{(2 + \sqrt{3})(2 - \sqrt{3})}$  (1m)



$\tan 40^\circ = \frac{80}{OA} \therefore OA = \frac{80}{\tan 40^\circ}$  (1m)

$\tan 36^\circ = \frac{120}{OB} \therefore OB = \frac{120}{\tan 36^\circ}$  (1m)

In  $\triangle OAB$  apply cosine rule:

$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{\left(\frac{80}{\tan 40^\circ}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{120}{\tan 36^\circ}\right)^2 - 150^2}{2 \times \frac{80}{\tan 40^\circ} \times \frac{120}{\tan 36^\circ}}$

$= 0.44 \dots$  (1m)

$\therefore \theta = 63.72^\circ$  (Nearest min.) (1m)

## Question 2

a) i)  $\int \sin^2 3x \, dx = \int \frac{1 - \cos 6x}{2} \, dx$  (1m)

$= \frac{1}{2} x - \frac{1}{2} \int \cos 6x \, dx$  (1m)

$= \frac{1}{2} x - \frac{1}{12} \sin 6x + C$  (1m)

ii) let  $u = x - 1 \therefore du = dx$

$\therefore \int 5x \sqrt{x-1} \, dx$

$= \int \left(u + \frac{1}{2}\right) u^{\frac{1}{2}} \, du$  (1m)

$= \frac{5}{2} \frac{u^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{5}{2} \frac{u^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} + C$  (1m)

$= 2u^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{10}{3} u^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$

$= \frac{2}{3} (x-1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{10}{3} (x-1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$

b) i) let  $u = 2x^5 - 1$  (1m)

$\therefore du = 10x^4 \, dx \therefore dx = \frac{du}{10x^4}$

$\therefore \int x^4 (2x^5 - 1) \, dx$  (1m)

$= \frac{1}{10} \int u \, du$  (1m)

$= \frac{1}{20} u^2 + C$  (1m)

ii)  $\int \frac{t}{\sqrt{t+1}} \, dt$  let  $\sqrt{t+1} = u$

$= \int \frac{u^2 - 1}{u} \cdot 2u \, du \therefore dt = 2u \, du$  (1m)

$= 2 \left[ \frac{u^3}{3} - 2u \right]$  (1m)

$= 2 \left[ \frac{(t+1)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{3} - \sqrt{t+1} \right]_0^3$

$= \frac{8}{3}$  (1m)

c) i)  $(x \cos x)' = \cos x - x \sin x$  (1m)

ii) Since  $(x \cos x)' = \cos x - x \sin x$  integrating both sides

$\therefore x \cos x = \int \cos x - x \sin x \, dx$  (1m)

$\therefore \int x \sin x \, dx = \sin x - x \cos x$  (1m)

## Question 3

a) i)  $2 \cos^2 22.5^\circ - 1 = \cos 2 \times 22.5^\circ$

$= \cos 45^\circ$  (1m)

$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)$  (1m)

ii) Let  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \frac{1 + \frac{2t}{1+t^2} - \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}}{1 + \frac{2t}{1+t^2} + \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1+t^2 + 2t - 1 + t^2}{1+t^2}}{\frac{1+t^2 + 2t + 1 - t^2}{1+t^2}}$$

$$= \frac{2t(1+t^2)}{2t(1+t^2)} = t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \text{RHS}$$

3)  $\sqrt{3} \sin x + \cos x = R \sin(x+\theta)$

$$\therefore R = \sqrt{3+1} = 2$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{3} \sin x + \cos x = 2 \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{6})$$

$$\therefore 2 \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{6}) = 1$$

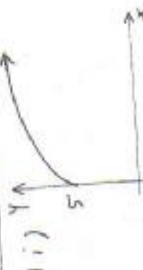
$$\therefore \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{6}) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$30^\circ \leq x + \frac{\pi}{6} \leq 30^\circ + 2\pi$$

$$\therefore x = 0, \frac{2\pi}{3}, 2\pi$$

$$\therefore x = 0, 120^\circ, 360^\circ$$

Question 4  $y = 2\sqrt{x} + 5$



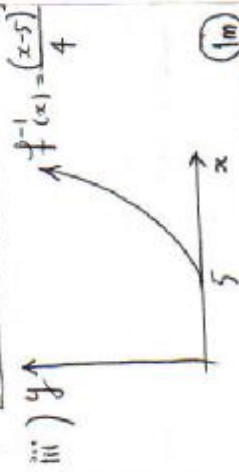
Domain  $x \geq 0$   
Range  $y \geq 5$

ii)  $f(x) = 2\sqrt{x} + 5$  is an one-one f. (H.T.)

$$x = 2\sqrt{y} + 5$$

$$\therefore 2\sqrt{y} = x - 5$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{(x-5)^2}{4}$$



Domain:  $x \geq 5$

Range:  $y \geq 0$

b)  $y = \int 6 \sin 2x dx$

$$\therefore y = -3 \cos 2x + C$$

For  $x = \frac{\pi}{4}, y = 3$

$$\therefore 3 = -3 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + C \therefore C = 3$$

$$\therefore y = -3 \cos 2x + 3$$

c) i) Let  $ux^2 = u$

$$\therefore 2x dx = du$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} = \frac{1}{2} \int u^{-\frac{1}{2}} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{u^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{u}$$

$$= \left[ \sqrt{1+x^2} \right]_0^2$$

$$= \sqrt{5} - 1$$

ii) Let  $x = 2 \sin \theta$

$$\therefore dx = 2 \cos \theta d\theta$$

when  $x = 1 \therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$x = 0 \therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\therefore \int \sqrt{4-4\cos^2 \theta} \times (-2 \sin \theta) d\theta$$

$$= -2 \int \sin \theta d\theta = 2 \cos \theta$$

$$= 2 \left[ \cos \theta \right]_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} = 2 \left[ 0 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right] = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$= -\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{2} d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int (1 - \cos 2\theta) d\theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \theta - \frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta \right]_{\frac{\pi}{6}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \sin \pi - \left( \frac{\pi}{6} - \frac{1}{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \right] = \frac{\pi}{8} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{16}$$