Differentiation:

(Classified to 3 key sub-topics

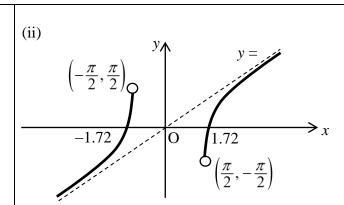
Tangents and Normals/Rate of Change & Maxima Problems / Maclaurin's series)

Solutions

	Tangents & Normals			
1	$\frac{d}{dx}\left[\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)\right] = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)^2}}\left(-\frac{2}{x^3}\right)$			
	$=\frac{2}{x\sqrt{x^4-1}}$			
	$x = \ln\left(\sin t\right) \implies \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{\cos t}{\sin t}$			
	$y = \cot t \implies \frac{dy}{dt} = -\csc^2 t$			
	Therefore $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{\sin^2 t} \times \frac{\sin t}{\cos t} = -\frac{2}{2\sin t \cos t} = -\frac{2}{\sin 2t}$ (proved)			
	Gradient of normal = $\frac{1}{2}\sin 2t = \frac{1}{2}$			
	$\Rightarrow \sin 2t = 1$			
	$\Rightarrow 2t = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow t = \frac{\pi}{4}$			
	Therefore $x = \ln\left(\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) = -\frac{1}{2}\ln 2$			
	$\therefore y=1$			
	Equation of normal: $y-1 = \frac{1}{2} \left(x - \left(-\frac{1}{2} \ln 2 \right) \right) \Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{2} \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(2 \right) \right) + 1$			
	PQ = RQ			
	\Rightarrow normal at R is the reflection of the above normal in the x-axis			
	\Rightarrow equation of normal at R is $\Rightarrow y = -\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\ln(2)\right) + 1\right)$			
	$\Rightarrow y = -\frac{1}{2} \left(x + \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(2 \right) \right) - 1$			

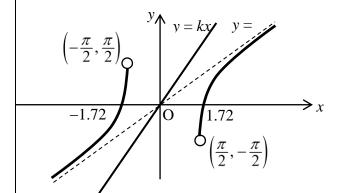
2 (i)
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{1}{t^2} + \frac{1}{1+t^2}$$
 and $\frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{1}{t^2} - \frac{1}{1+t^2}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \left(\frac{dy}{dt}\right) / \left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right) = 2t^2 + 1$ Since $y = ax$ is an oblique asymptote, \therefore as $x \to \pm \infty$, the gradient of the curve approaches a .

But $x \to \pm \infty \Rightarrow t \to 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2t^2 + 1 \to 1$, \therefore $a = 1$ (proved)



As
$$t \to -\infty$$
, $x \to 0 - \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $y \to 0 + \frac{\pi}{2}$.

As
$$t \to \infty$$
, $x \to 0 + \frac{\pi}{2}$ and $y \to 0 - \frac{\pi}{2}$.



From the diagram, For y = kx not to intersect the curve,

 $k \ge 1$ or $k \le -1$

Eqn of normal at t = 1,

(iii)

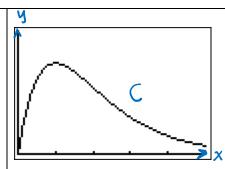
$$\frac{y - \left(1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}{x - \left(1 + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = -\frac{1}{3}$$
$$3\left(y - 1 + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\left(x - 1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

To find the points of intersection,

$$3\left(\frac{1}{t} - \tan^{-1}(t) - 1 + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) = -\left(\frac{1}{t} + \tan^{-1}(t) - 1 - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$
$$\frac{4}{t} - 2\tan^{-1}(t) - 4 + \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$$

Using GC, t = -8.41

3(i)



(ii)

$$y = xe^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = x(-e^{-x}) + e^{-x} = e^{-x}(1-x)$$

At
$$P$$
, $x = a$, $y = ae^{-a}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{-a}(1-a)$

Equation of tangent to the curve at P is

$$y - ae^{-a} = e^{-a}(1-a)(x-a)$$

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $y = e^{-a}(1-a)(x-a) + ae^{-a}$

At
$$Q$$
, $x = 0$, $y = h$

$$\Rightarrow h = e^{-a} (1-a)(0-a) + ae^{-a}$$

$$= e^{-a} (a-1)(a) + ae^{-a} = a^2 e^{-a}$$

$$dh$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dh}{da} = 2ae^{-a} + a^{2}(-e^{-a}) = ae^{-a}(2-a)$$

For stationary values of h, $\frac{dh}{da} = 0$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0$$
 (N.A. since $a > 0$) or $a = 2$

	2-	2	2+
$\frac{\mathrm{d}h}{\mathrm{d}a}$	>0	0	< 0
Tangent	/		/

Maximum value of $h = 4e^{-2}$

4 (i)
$$x = a\left(1 + \frac{1}{t}\right), \quad y = a\left(t - \frac{1}{t^2}\right), \quad a > 0$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} = -\frac{a}{t^2} \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = a\left(1 + \frac{2}{t^3}\right)$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} \cdot \frac{\mathrm{d}t}{\mathrm{d}x} = a \left(1 + \frac{2}{t^3} \right) \left(-\frac{t^2}{a} \right) = -t^2 \left(1 + \frac{2}{t^3} \right)$$

(ii) When
$$t = -\frac{1}{2}$$
, $x = -a$, $y = -\frac{9a}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{15}{4}$.

Eqn of tangent:
$$y + \frac{9a}{2} = \frac{15}{4}(x+a)$$

	4y + 18a = 15x + 15a
	4y = 15x - 3a
(iii)	At Q , $4a\left(t - \frac{1}{t^2}\right) = 15a\left(1 + \frac{1}{t}\right) - 3a$ $4t^3 - 4 = 15t^2 + 15t - 3t^2$
	$4t^{2} - 4 - 13t + 13t - 3t$ $4t^{3} - 12t^{2} - 15t - 4 = 0$
	Using GC, $t = 4$ or $t = -\frac{1}{2}$.
	Cdts of Q : $\left(\frac{5}{4}a, \frac{63}{16}a\right)$
(iv)	As $t \to \infty$, $x \to a$, $y \to \infty$.
	Asymptote: $x = a$
(iv)	
	y x = a 0 $-2a$ $x = a$
(v)	Required area = $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{5}{4} a - \frac{1}{5} a \right) \left(\frac{63}{16} a \right) + \int_{4}^{1} a \left(t - \frac{1}{t^2} \right) \left(-\frac{a}{t^2} \right) dt$
	$= \frac{1323}{640}a^2 + a^2 \int_{1}^{4} \frac{1}{t} - \frac{1}{t^4} dt$
	$= \frac{1323}{640}a^2 + a^2 \left[\ln t + \frac{1}{3t^3} \right]_1^4$
	$= \frac{1323}{640}a^2 + a^2\left(\ln 4 - \frac{21}{64}\right)$

5(i)
$$x = a \sin 2t \qquad y = a \cos t$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2a \cos 2t \qquad \frac{dy}{dt} = -a \sin t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-\sin t}{2\cos 2t}$$

 $= a^2 \left(\frac{1113}{640} + \ln 4 \right)$

When
$$t = \frac{\pi}{4}$$
, $2\cos 2t = 0 \Rightarrow$ tangent at $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$ // y-axis

When
$$t = \frac{\pi}{4}$$
, $x = a$.

Thus, the tangent to the curve at $t = \frac{\pi}{4}$ is x = a.

(ii) When
$$t = \frac{\pi}{3}$$
, $x = \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2}$, $y = \frac{a}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Equation of normal:

$$y - \frac{a}{2} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x - \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

At R

$$-\frac{a}{2} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left(x - \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$
$$x = \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

Coordinates of R: $\left(\frac{a3\sqrt{3}}{4},0\right)$

At
$$x = a$$

$$y - \frac{a}{2} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left(a - \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$
$$y = a \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right)$$

Area enclosed =
$$\frac{1}{2} \times a \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \right) \times \left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}a}{4} - a \right)$$

= $a^2 \left(\frac{43\sqrt{3}}{48} - \frac{3}{2} \right)$.

$$6(i) x = 1 - e^{-t} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = e^{-t}$$

$$y = 1 + t^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = 2t$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\frac{dy}{dt}}{\frac{dx}{dt}} = \frac{2t}{e^{-t}} = 2te^t$$
When $t = p$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2pe^p$, point P is $(1 - e^{-p}, 1 + p^2)$,

Equation of tangent at *P* is $y - (1 + p^2) = 2pe^p[x - (1 - e^{-p})]$ $y = 2pe^px - 2pe^p(1 - e^{-p}) + (1 + p^2)$

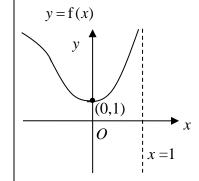
Since tangent passes through (1, 0),

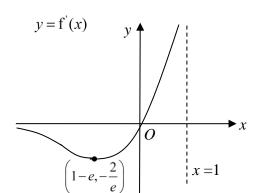
$$0 = 2pe^{p}(1) - 2pe^{p} + 2p + 1 + p^{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^{2} + 2p + 1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow p = -1$$

(ii)





7(i) $y = xe^{-x}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{-x} - xe^{-x} = e^{-x} (1-x)$

Graph is decreasing: $\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$

$$e^{-x}\left(1-x\right)<0$$

x > 1

(ii) $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = e^{-x} (-1) - e^{-x} (1 - x)$ $= e^{-x} (x - 2)$

Graph is concave downwards: $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} < 0$

$$e^{-x}(x-2)<0$$

r < 2

Therefore, for graph to be decreasing and concave downwards: 1 < x < 2.

(iii) gradient at $(x, y) = e^{-x}(1-x)$

$$e^{-x}\left(1-x\right) = \frac{y-h}{x-0}$$

$$xe^{-x} - h = xe^{-x} \left(1 - x \right)$$

$$h = xe^{-x} - xe^{-x} \left(1 - x\right)$$

$$=(x)^2 e^{-x}$$

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$$\frac{\mathrm{d}h}{\mathrm{d}x} = 2x\mathrm{e}^{-x} - (x)^2 \mathrm{e}^{-x}$$
$$= x\mathrm{e}^{-x} (2 - x)$$

At max/min point: $\frac{dh}{dx} = 0$

$$xe^{-x}\left(2-x\right)=0$$

$$x = 2$$
 or $x = 0$

х	2-	2	2+
$\frac{\mathrm{d}h}{\mathrm{d}x}$	+	0	1

X	0-	0	0-
$\frac{\mathrm{d}h}{\mathrm{d}x}$	-	0	+

Greatest possible $h = 4e^{-2}$

(i)
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{3a}{t^4} \qquad \frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{a}{t^2}$$
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{t^2}{3}$$
At $t = \frac{1}{2}$,

Gradient of tangent at $P = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{3} = \frac{1}{12}$

Gradient of normal at P = -12

At P, x = 8a and $y = 2a \rightarrow (8a, 2a)$

Equation of tangent: $y-2a = \frac{1}{12}(x-8a)$

$$y = \frac{1}{12}x + \frac{4}{3}a$$

Equation of normal: y-2a=-12(x-8a)

$$y = -12x + 98a$$

(ii)
$$\frac{a}{t} = \frac{1}{12} \left(\frac{a}{t^3} \right) + \frac{4}{3} a$$

$$12t^2 = 1 + 16t^3$$

$$16t^3 - 12t^2 + 1 = 0$$

By G.C,
$$t = \frac{1}{2}$$
 (N.A.), $-\frac{1}{4}$

When
$$t = -\frac{1}{4}$$
, $x = -64a$, $y = -4a$

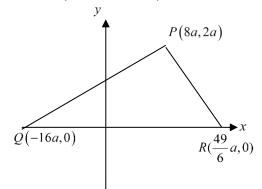
Hence the tangent cuts the curve again at (-64a, -4a)

(iii)

At
$$Q: y = 0$$
 $0 = \frac{1}{12}x + \frac{4}{3}a \rightarrow x = -16a : Q(-16a, 0)$

At R:
$$y = 0$$
 $0 = -12x + 98a$ $\rightarrow x = \frac{49}{6}a : R(\frac{49}{6}a, 0)$

Area of triangle
$$PQR = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{49}{6} a - (-16a) \right) (2a) = \frac{145}{6} a^2 \text{units}^2$$



9(i)
$$\frac{d}{dx}(xy-2y^2+4x^2) = \frac{d}{dx}66$$

$$x\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + y - 4y\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + 8x = 0$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}(x-4y) = -8x-y$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{8x + y}{4y - x}$$

For tangent parallel to y-axis,

$$4y - x = 0$$

$$x = 4y$$

Substitute x = 4y into equation of curve,

$$(4y)y-2y^2+4(4y)^2=66$$

$$66y^2 = 66$$

$$y^2 = 1$$

$$y = \pm 1$$
.

When
$$y = 1$$
, $x = 4$

When
$$y = -1$$
, $x = -4$

Coordinates are (4,1), (-4,1)

(ii) Substitute
$$y = k$$
 into equation of the curve,

$$kx - 2k^2 + 4x^2 = 66$$

$$4x^2 + kx + (-2k^2 - 66) = 0$$

Considering the discriminant,

$$k^2 - 4(4)(-2k^2 - 66)$$

$$=33k^2+1056$$

> 0 for all real values of k

The line y = k cuts the curve for all real values of k.

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

Differentiating wr.t. x:

$$12x^2 + 6xy + 3x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3y^2 \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$(3x^2 - 3y^2)\frac{dy}{dx} = -12x^2 - 6xy$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{4x^2 + 2xy}{y^2 - x^2}$$

$$=\frac{2x(2x+y)}{(y-x)(y+x)}$$

Curve meets y = -x when:

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

$$2x^3 = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -1$$
 and $y = 1$

Thus, coordinates of P is (-1,1)

(ii) At
$$(-1,1)$$
, $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is undefined.

Equation of tangent at P: x = -1

OQPR is a square.

11 (i)
$$x = t + \ln t, \quad y = t + 1, \quad t > 0$$

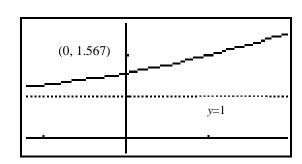
$$\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} = 1 + \frac{1}{t}, \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = 1,$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{t}} = \frac{t}{t+1}$$

Since t > 0, t+1 > 0, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{t}{t+1} > 0$ for all t > 0

Hence C does not have a stationary point

(ii)



When x = 0, $t + \ln t = 0 \Rightarrow t = 0.5671432904$ (by g.c.) y = 1 + 0.5671432904 = 1.5671432904

When $t \to 0$, $x \to -\infty$, $y \to 0 + 1 = 1$

- (iii) When t = 1, $x = 1 + \ln 1 = 1$ y = 1 + 1 = 2, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}$ Equation of normal : y - 2 = -2(x - 1) $\Leftrightarrow y = -2x + 4$
- (iv) Volume generated = $\pi \int_{0.5671432904}^{1} (t+1)^2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{t}\right) dt + \frac{1}{3}\pi \left(2^2\right)(1)$ = 14.10 (2 decimal places)

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$$y^{2} - xy = -1$$

$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} - \left(y + x \frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 0$$

$$(2y - x) \frac{dy}{dx} = y$$

$$dy \qquad y$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{y}{2y - x}$$

Tangent parallel to y-axis implies 2y - x = 0

$$y = \frac{x}{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2 - x\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = -1$$

$$-\frac{1}{4}x^2 = -1$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

Hence **equation of tangents** are x = 2 and x = -2

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{y}{2y - x}$$

Hence $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ implies y = 0.

But
$$y^2 - xy = -1$$
.

Thus
$$y = 0 \Rightarrow LHS = 0 \neq RHS$$

Hence there are no stationary points.

(iii)

$$2^{2} - 2x = -1$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2}, y = 2 \implies \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{2(2) - \frac{5}{2}} = \frac{4}{3}$$

Hence gradient of normal is $-\frac{3}{4}$.

$$y-2 = -\frac{3}{4}\left(x-\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

Equation of normal: $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{31}{8}$

$$x = 0 \Rightarrow y = \frac{31}{8} = 3.875$$

$$y=0 \Rightarrow x=\frac{31}{6}=5.1\dot{6}$$

Hence area of region
$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{31}{6} \right) \left(\frac{31}{8} \right)$$
$$= \frac{961}{96} = 10.0 (3 \text{ s.f.})$$

(a)
$$4x + \left(x\frac{dy}{dx} + y\right) - 2y\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\frac{4x + y}{2y - x} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$
When the tangent is parallel to the $y - axis$,
$$2y - x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2y$$
Hence,
$$2(2y)^2 + (2y)y - y^2 = 9$$

$$8y^2 + 2y^2 - y^2 = 9$$
Solving,
$$y = 1 \text{ or } y = -1$$
.
Since
$$x = 2y$$
,
$$x = 2 \text{ or } x = -2$$
.
Hence, the coordinates are $(2, 1)$ and $(-2, -1)$.

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(b) (i)
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t + 1, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = -1$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{2t + 1}$$

At the point P,
$$x = p^2 + p$$
, $y = 4 - p$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-1}{2p+1}$.

Hence, equation of tangent at P:

$$y - (4 - p) = \frac{-1}{2p+1} \left(x - (p^2 + p) \right)$$

$$(2p+1)(4-p-y) = x-p^2-p$$
 (shown)

(ii) For the tangent to meet the curve again, there must be another value of t such that:

$$(2p+1)(4-p-(4-t)) = (t^2+t)-p^2-p$$
.

$$(2p+1)t-2p^2-p=t^2+t-p^2-p$$

$$t^2 - 2pt + p^2 = 0$$

$$(t-p)^2 = 0$$

Since t = p is the only solution, then every tangent to the curve C does not meet the curve again.

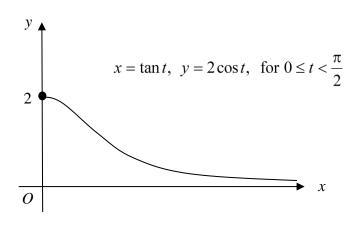
14(i)
$$x = \tan t, y = 2\cos t, \text{ for } 0 \le t < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} = \sec^2 t$$
, $\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = -2\sin t \implies \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{-2\sin t}{\sec^2 t} = -2\sin t \cos^2 t$

As
$$t \to 0$$
, $\frac{dy}{dx} \to 0$.

The tangent becomes parallel to the *x*-axis/tangent is a horizontal line.

$$x = \tan 0 = 0$$
, $y = 2\cos 0 = 2$



(ii) At
$$P(\tan p, 2\cos p)$$
, gradient of normal $= -\frac{1}{\frac{dy}{dx}} = -\frac{1}{(-2\sin p\cos^2 p)} = \frac{1}{2\sin p\cos^2 p}$,

Method 1

Since normal passes through origin, equation of normal: $y = \left(\frac{1}{2\sin p \cos^2 p}\right)x$ (1)

Since normal intersects curve also at P, substitute $x = \tan p$, $y = 2\cos p$ into eqn (1)

Equation of normal is

$$y = \frac{x}{2\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\cos^2\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$y = \frac{x}{2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} \dots (2)$$

$$\therefore y = x\sqrt{2} \text{ (shown)}$$

Method 2

Equation of normal: $y-2\cos p = \frac{1}{2\sin p\cos^2 p}(x-\tan p)$ (1)

Since the normal passes through origin (0,0), substitute x = 0, y = 0 into eqn (1)

$$0 - 2\cos p = \frac{1}{2\sin p \cos^2 p} (0 - \tan p)$$

$$-4\sin p\cos^3 p = \frac{-\sin p}{\cos p}$$

$$\sin p(4\cos^4 p - 1) = 0$$

$$\sin p = 0 \text{ or } \cos p = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\therefore p = \frac{\pi}{4} \left(\because 0$$

Equation of normal which passes through origin is

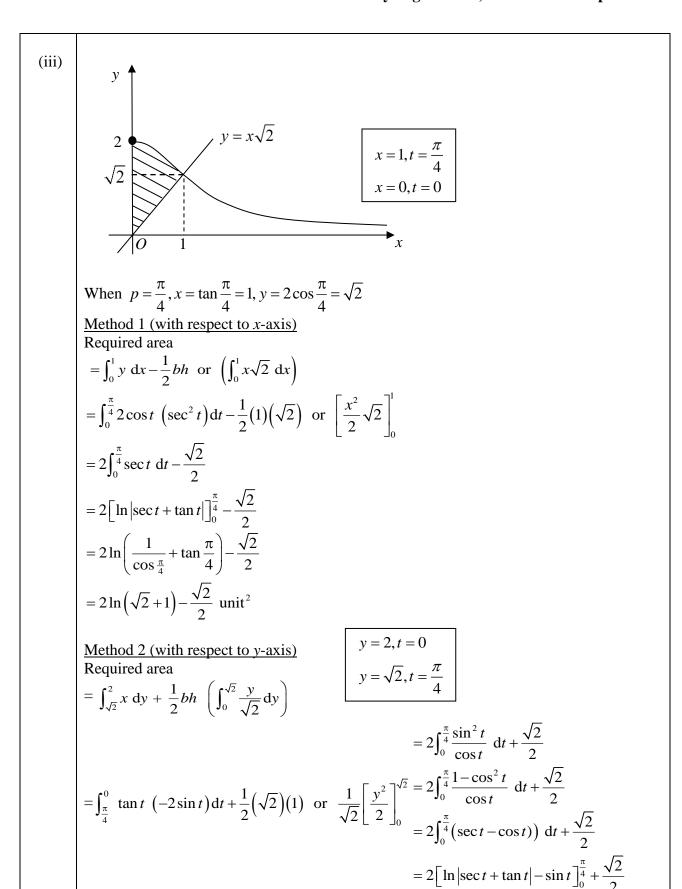
$$y - 2\cos\frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\cos^2\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(x - \tan\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$y - 2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = \frac{1}{2\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} (x - 1) \dots (2)$$

$$y - \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{2} \left(x - 1 \right)$$

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

$$\therefore y = x\sqrt{2} \text{ (shown)}$$



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$$= 2\ln\left(\frac{1}{\cos\frac{\pi}{4}} + \tan\frac{\pi}{4} - \sin\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= 2\ln\left(\sqrt{2} + 1 - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= 2\ln\left(\sqrt{2} + 1\right) - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \text{ unit}^2$$

Note: Generally $\int \sec t \, dt = \ln |\sec t + \tan t|$.

But in this question where the limits are $0 \le t \le \frac{\pi}{4}$,

 $\int_{0}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \sec t \, dt = \ln \left(\sec t + \tan t \right) \text{ is acceptable.}$

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$$x = t^2, y = t^3 - 4$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} = 2t, \quad \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = 3t^2$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{3t}{2}$$
Tangent at P

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

$$2y = 3px - p^3 - 8$$

Since the tangent passes through the origin, subst. x = 0 and y = 0 into the equation of (ii) tangent in part (i).

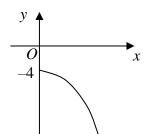
$$-p^3-8=0$$

$$p = -2$$

$$x = 4, y = -12$$

$$P(4,-12)$$

x = 0, y = -4, t = 0(iii)



(iv) Area =
$$\frac{1}{2}(4)(12) - \int_{-12}^{-4} x \, dy$$

= $24 - \int_{-2}^{0} (t^2)(3t^2) \, dt$
= $24 - \left[\frac{3t^5}{5}\right]_{-2}^{0}$
= $\frac{24}{5}$

16 (i) **y**

(ii)
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{1}{\left(\frac{dx}{dt}\right)} = \frac{2a}{2at} = \frac{1}{t}$$

Gradient of normal = -t.

Equation of normal at a point *P* is given by

$$\frac{y - 2ap}{x - ap^2} = -p$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2ap - p(x - ap^2)$$

(iii) If the normal at point P meets C again at point Q,

$$2aq = 2ap - p(aq^{2} - ap^{2})$$

$$pq^{2} + 2q - (2p + p^{3}) = 0$$

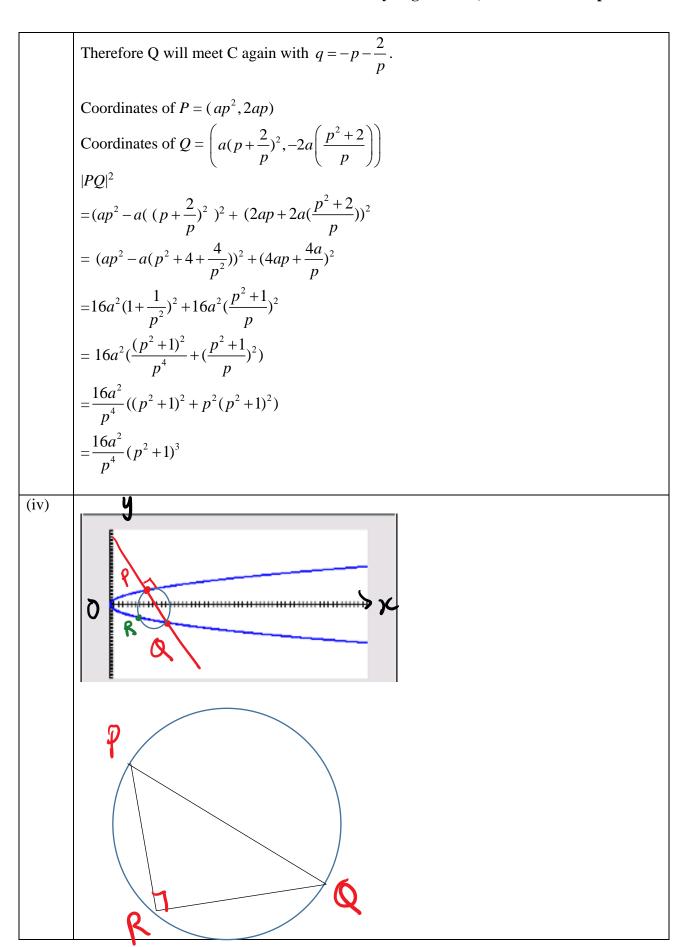
$$q = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 4p(2p + p^{3})}}{2p}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 8p^{2} + 4p^{4}}}{2p}$$

$$= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{(2p^{2} + 2)^{2}}}{2p}$$

$$= \frac{-2 + (2p^{2} + 2)}{2p} \text{ or } \frac{-2 - (2p^{2} + 2)}{2p}$$

$$= p \text{ (rejected as it is the point } P) \text{ or } -p - \frac{2}{p}$$



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Note that PR and QR are perpendicular to each other (angle PRQ is 90^{0} – angle in a semi-circle).

Gradient of PR =
$$\frac{2ap - 2ar}{ap^2 - ar^2} = \frac{2}{p+r}$$

Gradient of QR = $\frac{-2a\left(\frac{p^2 + 2}{p}\right) - 2ar}{a\left(\frac{p^2 + 2}{p}\right)^2 - ar^2} = -\frac{2}{\left(\frac{p^2 + 2}{p}\right) - r}$

$$-\frac{2}{\left(\frac{p^2 + 2}{p}\right) - r} \cdot \frac{2}{p+r} = -1$$

$$(p+r)(p+\frac{2}{p}-r)=4$$

$$p^2 - r^2 + \frac{2r}{p} = 2$$
 . (Shown).

DHS Prelim 9758/2018/02/Q5

(a)(i)
$$(x+y)^2 = 4e^{xy}$$

$$2(x+y)\left(1+\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 4e^{xy}\left(x\frac{dy}{dx}+y\right)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2ye^{xy}-y-x}{2}$$

(ii) When
$$x = 0$$
,
 $(0+y)^2 = 4e^{(0)y}$
 $y = 2(\because y > 0)$

When at (0, 2),
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2(2)-2}{2} = 1$$

Equation of the tangent to the curve at (0, 2) is

$$y-2=1(x-0)$$
$$y=x+2$$

(iii) Substitute
$$y = x + 2$$
 into $(x + y)^2 = 4e^{xy}$,
 $(x + x + 2)^2 = 4e^{x(x+2)}$
 $(2x+2)^2 = 4e^{x^2+2x}$
 $(x+1)^2 = e^{x^2+2x}$
Using G.C.

x = -2 or x = 0 (reject :: it's point A)

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$\therefore B(-2,0)$

Let r and h be the radius and the height of the cylinder respectively. **(b)**

Fixed vol.
$$p = \pi r^2 h \Rightarrow h = \frac{p}{\pi r^2}$$

Surface area, S

$$=2\pi r^2+2\pi rh$$

$$=2\pi r^2+2\pi r\left(\frac{p}{\pi r^2}\right)$$

$$=2\pi r^2+\frac{2p}{r}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}S}{\mathrm{d}r} = 4\pi r - \frac{2p}{r^2}$$

For min. S,
$$\frac{dS}{dr} = 4\pi r - \frac{2p}{r^2} = 0 \implies r = \left(\frac{p}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 S}{\mathrm{d}r^2} = 4\pi + \frac{4p}{r^3} > 0 \text{ since } r \text{ and } p \text{ are positive.}$$

 \therefore S is minimum when $r = \left(\frac{p}{2\pi}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ cm.

$$\frac{x^3 - 2y^2}{x^2 + 3xy} = 1$$
$$x^3 - 2y^2 = x^2 + 3xy$$

Differentiating implicitly wrt *x*:

$$3x^2 - 4y\frac{dy}{dx} = 2x + \left(3x\frac{dy}{dx} + y(3)\right)$$

$$3x^2 - 2x - 3y = \left(3x + 4y\right)\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{3x^2 - 2x - 3y}{3x + 4y}$$

Alternative (not advised)

Using quotient rule to differentiate:

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$$\frac{\left(x^2 + 3xy\right)\left(3x^2 - 4y\frac{dy}{dx}\right) - \left(x^3 - 2y^2\right)\left(2x + 3x\frac{dy}{dx} + y(3)\right)}{\left(x^2 + 3xy\right)^2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x^2 + 3xy\right)\left(3x^2 - 4y\frac{dy}{dx}\right) - \left(x^3 - 2y^2\right)\left(2x + 3x\frac{dy}{dx} + y(3)\right) = 0$$

(because $x^2 + 3xy \neq 0$)

$$\Rightarrow 3x^{2} (x^{2} + 3xy) - (x^{3} - 2y^{2})(2x + 3y) = 4y(x^{2} + 3xy)\frac{dy}{dx} + 3x(x^{3} - 2y^{2})\frac{dy}{dx}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^{2} (x^{2} + 3xy) - (x^{3} - 2y^{2})(2x + 3y)}{4y(x^{2} + 3xy) + 3x(x^{3} - 2y^{2})} = \frac{x^{4} + 6x^{3}y + 4xy^{2} + 6y^{3}}{3x^{4} + 4x^{2}y + 6xy^{2}}$$

Sub
$$x = 1$$
,

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

$$\Rightarrow 1 - 2y^2 = 1 + 3y$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^2 + 3y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(2y + 3) = 0 \quad \therefore y = 0 \text{ or } y = -\frac{3}{2}$$

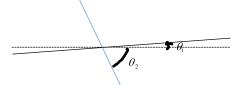
Sub x = 1 and y = 0 into $\frac{dy}{dx}$:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{3(1)^2 - 2(1) - 3(0)}{3(1) + 4(0)} = \frac{1}{3}$$

Sub x = 1 and $y = -\frac{3}{2}$ into $\frac{dy}{dx}$:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3(1)^2 - 2(1) - 3\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)}{3(1) + 4\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)} = -\frac{11}{6}$$

(ii) $\theta_1 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)$ $\theta_2 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{11}{6}\right)$



acute angle between tangents:

$$\theta_1 + \theta_2 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right) + \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{11}{6} \right) = 79.8^{\circ} \text{ (to 1d.p.)} \quad \text{(or 1.39 rad)}$$

[6]

19. ASRJC/2022/I/Q7

A curve C has parametric equations

$$x = \sin^3 t$$
, $y = \cos^2 t$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} < t < 0$.

The tangent at the point $P(\sin^3 p, \cos^2 p)$, $-\frac{\pi}{2} , meets the x-axis and y-axis at <math>Q$ and R respectively.

- (i) By finding the equation of the tangent at the point P, show that the area of the triangle OQR is $-\frac{1}{12}\sin p (2+\cos^2 p)^2$.
- (ii) Find a cartesian equation of the locus of the mid-point of *QR* as *p* varies. You need not indicate its domain. [5]

Solution	
(i)	
$x = \sin^3 t \qquad \qquad y = \cos^2 t$	
$\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} = 3\sin^2 t \cos t \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = -2\sin t \cos t$	
$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{-2\sin t\cos t} = 2$	
$\int dx - 3\sin^2 t \cos t - 3\sin t$	
At the point P , $x = \sin^3 p$	
$y = \cos^2 p$	
$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = -\frac{2}{3\sin p}$	
$\frac{1}{dx} = \frac{1}{3\sin p}$	
Equation of the tangent at the point P:	
$y - \cos^2 p = -\frac{2}{3\sin p}(x - \sin p)$	$n^3 p)$
When $y = 0$, $-\cos^2 p = -\frac{2}{3\sin p}(x - \sin p)$	$n^3 p$)
$x = \sin^3 p + \frac{3}{2}\sin p \cos^2 p$	
$x = \frac{1}{2}\sin p(2\sin^2 p + 3\cos^2 p)$	
$x = \frac{1}{2}\sin p(2 + \cos^2 p)$	
$Q\left(\frac{1}{2}\sin p(2+\cos^2 p),0\right)$	

When $x = 0$, $y - \cos^2 p = -\frac{2}{3\sin p}(0 - \sin^3 p)$	
$y = \frac{2}{3}\sin^2 p + \cos^2 p$	
$y = \frac{1}{3}(2\sin^2 p + 3\cos^2 p) = \frac{1}{3}(2 + \cos^2 p)$	
$R\left(0,\frac{1}{3}(2+\cos^2 p)\right)$	
Area of the triange <i>OQR</i>	
$= \frac{1}{2} \times \left[0 - \frac{1}{2} \sin p (2 + \cos^2 p) \right] \times \frac{1}{3} (2 + \cos^2 p)$	
$=-\frac{1}{12}\sin p\left(2+\cos^2 p\right)^2$	
(ii)	
Mid point of $QR = \left(\frac{\frac{1}{2}\sin p(2+\cos^2 p)+0}{2}, \frac{0+\frac{1}{3}(2+\cos^2 p)}{2}\right)$	
$= \left(\frac{1}{4}\sin p(2+\cos^2 p), \frac{1}{6}(2+\cos^2 p)\right)$	
$x = \frac{1}{4}\sin p(2 + \cos^2 p) $	
$y = \frac{1}{6}(2 + \cos^2 p) \qquad(2)$	
$\frac{(1)}{(2)}$ gives	
$\frac{x}{x} = \frac{1}{4}\sin p(2 + \cos^2 p)$	
$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{\frac{1}{4}\sin p(2 + \cos^2 p)}{\frac{1}{6}(2 + \cos^2 p)}$	
$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{3}{2}\sin p$	
$\sin p = \frac{2x}{3y}$	
$y = \frac{1}{6}(2 + \cos^2 p)$	
$y = \frac{1}{6} (2 + (1 - \sin^2 p))$	
$y = \frac{1}{6} \left(3 - \frac{4x^2}{9y^2} \right)$	

$y = \frac{1}{54y^2} \left(27y^2 - 4x^2 \right)$	
$54y^3 = 27y^2 - 4x^2$	
Cartesian equation of the locus of the mid-point of QR is $54y^3 = 27y^2 - 4x^2$	

Differentiation (Rate of Change and Maxima Problems)

1(i) At point
$$P$$
, $y = 16 \tan^{-1} t^3 - 4t + 16$ and $y = 4(5-\pi)$
 $4 \tan^{-1} t^3 - 4t + 16$ and $y = 4(5-\pi)$
 $4 \tan^{-1} t^3 - 4t + 16 = -1$.

By observation, when $t = -1$,

 $LHS = 4\left(-\frac{\pi}{4}\right) - (-1) + 4 = 5 - \pi = RHS$

OR by G.C, $t = -1$.

 $x = 3(-1)^2 - 10(-1) - 1 = 12$

$$x = 3t^2 - 10t - 1$$
 $y = 16 \tan^{-1} t^3 - 4t + 16$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx} \times \frac{dt}{dt} = \frac{\frac{48t^2}{1+t^0} - 4}{6t - 10}$$

When $t = -1$, $x = 12$, $y = 4(5-\pi)$,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{24 - 4}{-6 - 10} = \frac{5}{-4}$$

Equation of tangent: $y - 4(5-\pi) = -\frac{5}{4}(x - 12)$
 $y + 4\pi - 20 = -\frac{5}{4}x + 15$
 $5x + 4y + 16\pi - 140 = 0$ (shown)

1(ii) To find m , find coordinates of B . i.e solve the equations simultaneously.

Eqn of curve: $x = 3t^2 - 10t - 1$, $y = 16 \tan^{-1} t^3 - 4t + 16$

Eqn of tangent: $5x + 4y + 16\pi - 140 = 0$

Using G.C, $t = -0.568281$ or $t = -1$ (reject since at P)

Hence, $m = 16 \tan^{-1} \left((-0.568281)^3 \right) - 4(-0.568281) + 16 = 15.369$ (3 d.p.) (or 15.372 if 0.568 was used)

1(last part)

At $t = -1$,

Equation of normal: $y - 4(5-\pi) = \frac{4}{5}(x - 12)$
 $y + 4\pi - 20 = \frac{4}{5}x - \frac{48}{5}$

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$$y = \frac{4}{5}x + \frac{52}{5} - 4\pi$$
At point E, $y = 0$. $\frac{4}{5}x = -\frac{52}{5} + 4\pi$

$$x = 5\pi - 13$$
Length of EP $= \sqrt{(5\pi - 13 - 12)^2 + (0 + 4\pi - 20)^2}$

$$= \sqrt{(5\pi - 25)^2 + (4\pi - 20)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25(\pi - 5)^2 + 16(\pi - 5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{41}(5 - \pi)$$

$$AD = 2\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}$$

$$\rightarrow P = 2x + 2\left[2\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}\right]$$

$$= 2x + 4\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dx} = 2 - 4x\left(r^2 - x^2\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dx} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 2 - 4x\left(r^2 - x^2\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{r^2 - x^2} = 2x$$

$$\frac{AB}{BC} = \frac{1}{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{2\sqrt{r^2 - x^2}} = \frac{1}{k}$$

$$\frac{1}{k} = \frac{1}{4} \qquad \Rightarrow k = 4$$

(ii) From (i),
$$\int \frac{-2}{1+x^2} dx = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) + C''$$
But
$$\int \frac{-2}{1+x^2} dx = -2\tan^{-1}x + C'$$
Hence,
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) = -2\tan^{-1}x + C$$
When
$$x = 0$$
,
$$\cos^{-1}(0) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$
,
$$-2\tan^{-1}0 = 0$$
Therefore,
$$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) = -2\tan^{-1}x + \frac{\pi}{2}$$
.

$$\Rightarrow \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2}\right) + 2\tan^{-1}x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 2 \text{ and } B = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

Alternatively:

Given
$$\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right) + A \tan^{-1} x = B \dots (1)$$

Therefore
$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2} \right) + A \tan^{-1} x \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-2}{1+x^2} + \frac{A}{1+x^2} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \frac{A-2}{1+x^2} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad A-2=0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad A=2$$

Next substitute
$$A = 2$$
 and $x = 0$ into (1): $\cos^{-1}(0) + 2 \tan^{-1} 0 = B \implies B = \frac{\pi}{2}$.

Let the volume of the cone by V, and area of the circular base be M.

$$V = \frac{1}{3}(M)(10) = \frac{10}{3}M \implies \frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{10}{3}\frac{dM}{dt}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{10}{3}(2) = \frac{20}{3} \text{ cm}^3\text{s}^{-1}.$$

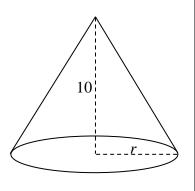
Let the radius of the circular base be r.

$$A = \pi r^{2} \Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dr} = 2\pi r$$

$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^{2}(10) = \frac{10}{3}\pi r^{2} \Rightarrow \frac{dV}{dr} = \frac{20}{3}\pi r$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = \frac{dV}{dA} \times \frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dV}{dr} \times \frac{dr}{dA} \times \frac{dA}{dt}$$

$$= \left(\frac{20}{3}\pi r\right) \left(\frac{1}{2\pi r}\right)(2) = \frac{20}{3} \text{ cm}^{3}\text{s}^{-1}.$$



4
$$(i) \frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{-2t^2 + 2a}{(t^2 + a)^2},$$

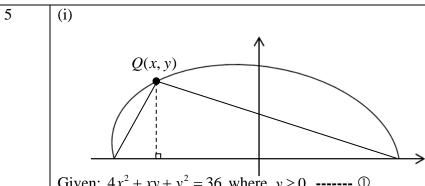
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 8t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{a - t^2}{4t(t^2 + a)^2} = 0$$

$$t = \pm \sqrt{a}$$

$$x = 4a, \ y = \frac{\pm (2\sqrt{a})}{2a} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{a}}{a}$$

Turning points:
$$(4a, \frac{\sqrt{a}}{a}), (4a, -\frac{\sqrt{a}}{a})$$



Given: $4x^2 + xy + y^2 = 36$ where $y \ge 0$. ----- ①

At
$$y = 0$$
, $4x^2 = 36 \Rightarrow x = -3$, 3

ie, base length of triangle PR = 6

$$A = \frac{1}{2}(6)y = 3y \quad ---- \quad \bigcirc$$

Diff ① wrt x

$$8x + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$
 3

$$\left(x+2y\right)\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = -\left(8x+y\right)$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = -\frac{8x + y}{x + 2y}$$

(iii)

Diff ② wrt x

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}A}{\mathrm{d}x} = 3\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}$$

For max A,
$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

i.e.
$$8x + y = 0$$
 or $y = -8x$ ----- @

Substitute 4 into 1:

$$4x^{2} + x(-8x) + (-8x)^{2} = 36$$

$$\therefore 60x^2 = \frac{3}{5} \Rightarrow x = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}} , \sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$$
 (reject since $y = -8x < 0$)

For
$$2^{nd}$$
 derivative test, diff ③ wrt x

$$8 + x\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 y}{\mathrm{d}x^2} + \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} + 2\left(y\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 y}{\mathrm{d}x^2} + \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}\right)^2\right) = 0$$

At
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\therefore 8 + (x+2y)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{8}{x+2y} = -\frac{8}{x+2(-8x)} = \frac{8}{15x}$$

At
$$x = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$$
, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} < 0$ gives $\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} < 0$

ie. A is maximum at
$$x = -\sqrt{\frac{3}{5}}$$

Method 1

At
$$x = 0$$
, ③: $0 + 0 + y + 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}$

Using chain rule on : A = 3y

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = 3\frac{dy}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt}$$
$$= 3\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)(8) = -12 \text{ units}^2/\text{s}$$

i.e., the area of the triangle decreases at a rate of 12 units² / s

Method 2

Diff ① wrt t

$$8x\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} + x\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} + y\frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} + 2y\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = 0$$

At
$$x = 0$$
,

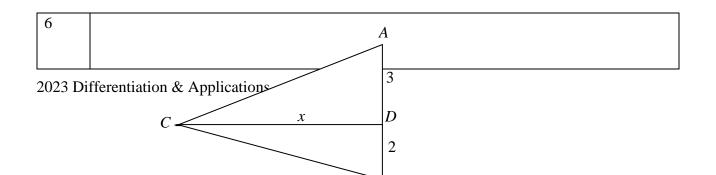
$$y \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t} + 2y \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{d}t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2}\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2}(8) = -4$$

From
$$A = 3y \Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = 3\frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 3(-4) = -12 \text{ units}^2/\text{s}$$

i.e., the area of the triangle decreases at a rate of $12\,\text{units}^2\,/\,\text{s}$.



(i) Using triangles ACD and BCD,

$$\theta = \angle ACB = \alpha + \beta = \tan^{-1}\frac{3}{x} + \tan^{-1}\frac{2}{x}$$

(ii) Given
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -10$$
 (since x is decreasing), find $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$.

$$\frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{3}{x}\right)^2} \left(-\frac{3}{x^2}\right) + \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{2}{x}\right)^2} \left(-\frac{2}{x^2}\right) = \frac{-3}{x^2 + 9} + \frac{-2}{x^2 + 4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{d\theta}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt}$$
$$= \left(\frac{-3}{x^2 + 9} + \frac{-2}{x^2 + 4}\right)(-10)$$

$$\therefore \text{ at } x = 10, \ \frac{d\theta}{dt} = 10 \left(\frac{3}{10^2 + 9} + \frac{2}{10^2 + 4} \right) = \frac{1325}{2834} \text{ rads}^{-1}$$

7 Let *x* be the length of each of the other 2 sides of the triangle.

Area,
$$A = \frac{1}{2}b \times \text{height}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}b\sqrt{x^2 - \left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}b\left(x^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(2x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dx} = \frac{1}{4}b\left(x^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(2x)$$

Now,
$$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dA}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}b\left(x^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} (2x)\frac{dx}{dt}$$

When
$$x = b$$
, $\frac{dx}{dt} = -3$, $\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{1}{4}b\left(b^2 - \frac{b^2}{4}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}(2b)(-3)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{-\frac{3}{2}b^2}{\sqrt{\frac{3}{4}b^2}} = -\sqrt{3}b \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

8(i)
$$2y+2z=48, x+2z=18$$

Expressing z and x in terms of y,

$$z = 24 - y$$
, $x = 2y - 30$

$$V = xyz = (2y - 30)y(24 - y) = -2y^3 + 78y^2 - 720y$$
.

8(ii)
$$\frac{dV}{dy} = 0$$
$$-6y^2 + 156y - 720 = 0$$

$$y^2 - 26y + 120 = 0$$

Using G.C,
$$y = 6$$
 or $y = 20$

y = 6 is not a feasible solution as x will be negative.

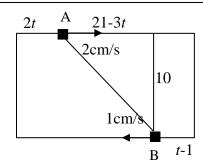
$$\frac{d^2V}{dy^2} = -12y + 156$$

When
$$y = 20$$
, $\frac{d^2V}{dy^2} = -84 < 0$

Hence, when y = 20,

Maximum volume = $20(2 \times 20 - 30)(24 - 20) = 800$

8(iii)



Let *t* be the time in seconds when robot A starts to move.

$$m = 2t$$
 and $n = t-1$

Distance between A and B = l,

$$l^2 = (21 - 3t)^2 + 10^2$$

Differentiating wrt t,

$$2l\frac{\mathrm{d}l}{\mathrm{d}t} = 2(21 - 3t)(-3)$$

At
$$n = 4$$
, $t = 5$

$$\frac{dl}{dt} = \frac{(6)(-3)}{\sqrt{6^2 + 10^2}} = -\frac{9}{\sqrt{34}} \text{ cm/s}$$

Method 2:

$$l^2 = (20 - m - n)^2 + 10^2$$

Since
$$m = 2n + 2$$
,

$$l^2 = (18 - 3n)^2 + 10^2$$

Differentiating wrt n,

$$2l\frac{dl}{dn} = -6(18 - 3n)$$

At
$$n = 4$$
, $l^2 = 10^2 + 6^2$.

$$\frac{dl}{dn} = \frac{-18}{\sqrt{10^2 + 6^2}}$$

$$\frac{dl}{dt} = \frac{dl}{dn} \frac{dn}{dt} = \frac{-18}{\sqrt{10^2 + 6^2}} (1) = \frac{-18}{\sqrt{10^2 + 6^2}} = -\frac{9}{\sqrt{34}}$$
cm/s

9(i)
$$h = \frac{30}{\pi r^2}$$
Let the slanted height of the cone be l cm.
$$A = \pi r l$$

$$= \pi r \sqrt{h^2 + r^2}$$

$$A^2 = \pi^2 r^2 (h^2 + r^2)$$

$$= \pi^2 r^4 + \pi^2 r^2 \left(\frac{30}{\pi r^2}\right)^2$$

$$= \pi^2 r^4 + \frac{900}{r^2}$$
(ii)
$$2A \frac{dA}{dr} = 4\pi^2 r^3 - \frac{1800}{r^3}$$
Since $\frac{dA}{dr} = 0$,
$$4\pi^2 r^3 = \frac{1800}{r^3}$$

$$r^3 \left(4\pi^2 - \frac{1800}{r^6}\right) = 0$$

$$r^3 = 0 \qquad \text{or} \qquad 4\pi^2 - \frac{1800}{r^6} = 0$$

$$r = 0 \text{ (Reject)}$$

$$r^6 = \frac{450}{\pi^2}$$

$$r = \sqrt[6]{\frac{450}{\pi^2}} \approx 1.890$$

$$2\left(\frac{dA}{dr}\right)^2 + 2A\frac{d^2A}{dr^2} = 12\pi^2 r^2 + \frac{5400}{r^4}$$

At $r \approx 1.890$, $\frac{d^2A}{dr^2} = 21.7655 > 0$ which indicates that the curved surface area of the cone

Alternatively,

is a minimum when $r \approx 1.890$.

r	1.890 -	1.890	1.890 ⁺
Sign of	-ve	0	+ve
Sign of $\frac{dA}{dA}$			
dr			
Slope	\	-	/

Therefore the curved surface area of the cone is a minimum when $r \approx 1.890$.

10(i)	Base Area of Packaging = $6\left(\frac{1}{2}x^2\sin 60^0\right) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}x^2}{2}cm^2$.		
(ii)	Volume = $\frac{3\sqrt{3}x^2}{2}h = 972 \Rightarrow h = \frac{1944}{3\sqrt{3}x^2}$		
	Area of the material, $A = 2\left(\frac{3\sqrt{3}x^2}{2}\right) + 6xh = 3\sqrt{3}x^2 + \frac{6x(1944)}{3\sqrt{3}x^2} = 3\sqrt{3}x^2 + \frac{3888}{\sqrt{3}x}$		
	$\frac{dA}{dx} = 6\sqrt{3}x - \frac{3888}{\sqrt{3}x^2} = 0 \implies 18x^3 - 3888 = 0 \implies x^3 = 216 \implies x = 6$		
	Check, $\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = 6\sqrt{3} + \frac{7776}{\sqrt{3}x^3} > 0$		
	So area is minimum when $x = 6cm$		
	Minimum Area = $3\sqrt{3}(6^2) + \frac{3888}{\sqrt{3}(6)} = 561.1844 \approx 561.18 \ (2 \text{ d.p.})$		
(ii)	Minimum cost of packaging = $\frac{\$0.05}{100 \text{ cm}^2} \times (561.1844\text{ cm}^2) = \$0.28 \text{ (nearest cent)}$		

Let s be the length of the minor arc
$$PQ$$
 and A be the area of the shaded segment.

$$s = 2a\theta \implies \frac{ds}{dt} = 2a\frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

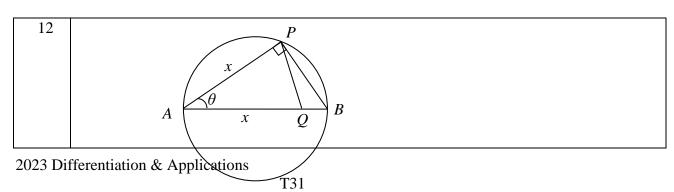
$$A = \frac{1}{2}(4a^2)(\theta - \sin \theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dA}{dt} = 2a^2 \left(\frac{d\theta}{dt} - \cos \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt}\right)$$

$$= 2a^2 \frac{d\theta}{dt}(1 - \cos \theta)$$
Given $\frac{dA}{dt} = \left(\frac{a}{2}\right)\frac{ds}{dt}$,
$$2a^2 \frac{d\theta}{dt}(1 - \cos \theta) = a^2 \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } 60^\circ$$



In
$$\triangle PAB$$
, $\cos \theta = \frac{AP}{AB} = \frac{x}{\ell}$ $\therefore x = \ell \cos \theta$

$$S = \frac{1}{2}x^2 \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}(\ell \cos \theta)^2 \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\ell^2 (1 - \sin^2 \theta) \sin \theta$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\ell^2 (\sin \theta - \sin^3 \theta) \quad \text{(shown)}$$

$$S = \frac{1}{2}\ell^{2}\left(\sin\theta - \sin^{3}\theta\right)$$

$$\frac{dS}{d\theta} = \frac{1}{2}\ell^{2}\left(\cos\theta - 3\sin^{2}\theta\cos\theta\right) = \frac{1}{2}\ell^{2}\cos\theta\left(1 - 3\sin^{2}\theta\right)$$

$$\frac{dS}{d\theta} = 0 \implies \frac{1}{2}\ell^{2}\cos\theta\left(1 - 3\sin^{2}\theta\right) = 0$$

$$\cos\theta = 0 \text{ (rejected)} \quad \text{or} \quad \sin\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \quad \text{or} \quad \sin\theta = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ (rejected)}$$

$$\text{since } 0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\frac{d^{2}S}{d\theta^{2}} = \frac{1}{2}\ell^{2}\left\{\left(\cos\theta\right)\left(-6\sin\theta\cos\theta\right) + \left(1 - 3\sin^{2}\theta\right)\left(-\sin\theta\right)\right\}$$
When $\sin\theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, $\cos^{2}\theta = \frac{2}{3}$, $\frac{d^{2}S}{d\theta^{2}} = -\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\ell^{2} < 0$

$$\therefore S \text{ is max when } \sin \theta = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\max S = \frac{1}{2} \ell^2 \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - \frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \ell^2 \left(\frac{2}{3} \right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{9} \ell^2$$

$$l^2 = h^2 + r^2$$
 ----(1)

Using similar triangles,

$$\frac{h-3}{l} = \frac{3}{r}$$

$$l = \frac{rh-3r}{3} \quad ----(2)$$

Equating (1) and (2),

$$\left(\frac{rh - 3r}{3}\right)^{2} = h^{2} + r^{2} - - - - (*)$$

$$r^{2}h^{2} - 6r^{2}h + 9r^{2} = 9h^{2} + 9r^{2}$$

$$r^{2}(h^{2} - 6h) = 9h^{2}$$

$$\therefore r = \frac{3h}{\sqrt{h^{2} - 6h}} \qquad \text{(Since } r > 0\text{)}$$
Volume of cone, $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^{2}h$

(ii)

$$= \frac{1}{3}\pi \left(\frac{3h}{\sqrt{h^2 - 6h}}\right)^2 h$$
$$= \frac{3\pi h^3}{h^2 - 6h}$$
$$= \frac{3\pi h^2}{h - 6}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dh} = \frac{6\pi h(h-6) - 3\pi h^2}{(h-6)^2}$$
$$= \frac{3\pi h^2 - 36\pi h}{(h-6)^2}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dh} = 0 \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad 3\pi h^2 - 36\pi h = 0$$

$$h(h-12) = 0$$

$$h = 12 \text{ or } h = 0 \text{ (reject } \because h > 0)$$

h	12-	12	12+
Sign of $\frac{dV}{dh}$	– ve	0	+ ve
Tangent	/		

Thus, *V* is a minimum when h = 12

When h = 12,

$$r = \frac{3(12)}{\sqrt{(12)^2 - 6(12)}} = \frac{6}{\sqrt{2}} \qquad (\approx 4.2426)$$

$$V = \frac{3\pi (12)^2}{12 - 6} = 72\pi \qquad (\approx 226.195)$$

Let *R* be the radius of the snowball (iii)

$$S = 4\pi R^{2} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}S}{\mathrm{d}t} = 8\pi R \frac{\mathrm{d}R}{\mathrm{d}t}$$

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi R^{3} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}t} = 4\pi R^{2} \frac{\mathrm{d}R}{\mathrm{d}t}$$

When
$$R = 2.5$$
, $\frac{dS}{dt} = -0.75 \implies 8\pi (2.5) \frac{dR}{dt} = -0.75$

$$\frac{dR}{dt} = -\frac{3}{80\pi} \quad or \quad -\frac{0.0375}{\pi} \quad or \quad -0.0119366$$

$$\frac{dV}{dt} = 4\pi (2.5)^2 \left(-\frac{3}{80\pi} \right) = -\frac{15}{16} \quad or \quad -0.9375$$

At the instant when R = 2.5 m, the rate of decrease of volume is 0.9375 m³ per minute.

Curve C $Q\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$ $Q\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$ $Q\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$ $Q\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$ $Q\left(-\frac{\pi}{2},0\right)$

Point P has coordinates $(\theta \cos 2\theta, 3\theta \sin 2\theta)$.

Let area of triangle *OPQ* be *A*.

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\pi}{2} \right) (3\theta \sin 2\theta) = \frac{3\pi}{4} (\theta \sin 2\theta)$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}A}{\mathrm{d}\theta} = \frac{3\pi}{4} \left(2\theta \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta \right)$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}A}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{\mathrm{d}A}{\mathrm{d}\theta} \times \frac{\mathrm{d}\theta}{\mathrm{d}t}$$

$$= \frac{3\pi}{4} \left(2\theta \cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta \right) (0.01)$$

When
$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}$$
,

$$\frac{dA}{dt}$$
 = 0.0327 units²/s (3 s.f.)

(ii) When
$$\frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0$$
, $\frac{3\pi}{4}(2\theta\cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta) = 0$
Since $\frac{3\pi}{4} \neq 0$, $2\theta\cos 2\theta + \sin 2\theta = 0$
Using GC, $\theta = 1.0144$ (5 s.f.) $= 1.01$ (3 s.f.)
$$\frac{d^2A}{d\theta^2} = \frac{3\pi}{4}(-4\theta\sin 2\theta + 2\cos 2\theta + 2\cos 2\theta)$$
When $\theta = 1.0144$, $\frac{d^2A}{d\theta^2} = -12.7 < 0$ $\therefore \theta = 1.0144$ will result in maximum A .
When $\theta = 1.0144$, $A = \frac{3\pi}{4}(1.0144)\sin(2\times1.0144)$ $= 2.14$ units² (3 s.f.)
When $\theta = 1.0144$, $x = 1.0144\cos\left[2(1.0144)\right] = -0.449$ $y = 3(1.0144)\sin\left[2(1.0144)\right] = 2.73$ \therefore Location of the camera is at a point with coordinates $(-0.449, 2.73)$
(iii) For triangle OPQ to be an isosceles triangle, $x = -\frac{\pi}{2} \div 2 = -\frac{\pi}{4}$ $-\frac{\pi}{4} = \theta\cos 2\theta$ Using GC, $\theta = 1.1581$ $y = 3(1.1581)\sin(2\times1.1581) = 2.55$ \therefore coordinates of $P(-0.785, 2.55)$

15(i) Let
$$\alpha = \angle TPB$$
 and $\beta = \angle CPB$

$$\tan \theta = \tan(\alpha - \beta)$$

$$= \frac{\tan \alpha - \tan \beta}{1 + \tan \alpha \tan \beta}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\frac{b}{x} - \frac{a}{x}}{1 + \left(\frac{b}{x}\right)\left(\frac{a}{x}\right)}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{(b - a)x}{x^2 + ab}$$

15(ii)
$$\frac{d}{dx}(\tan \theta) = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{(b-a)x}{x^2 + ab} \right)$$

$$\sec^2 \theta \frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{(x^2 + ab)(b-a) - (2x)(b-a)x}{(x^2 + ab)^2}$$

$$\sec^2 \theta \frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{(ab - x^2)(b-a)}{(x^2 + ab)^2}$$

OR (Not recommended)

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{(b-a)x}{x^2 + ab}\right)$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{(b-a)x}{x^2 + ab}\right)^2} \times \frac{(x^2 + ab)(b-a) - 2x^2(b-a)}{(x^2 + ab)^2}$$

$$= \vdots$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dx} = 0, \qquad \frac{(ab - x^2)(b - a)}{(x^2 + ab)^2} = 0$$

$$x = \sqrt{ab} \text{ or } x = -\sqrt{ab} \text{ (rej } :: x > 0)$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\theta}{\mathrm{d}x} = \frac{\left(ab - x^2\right)\left(b - a\right)}{\left(x^2 + ab\right)^2 \sec^2 \theta}$$

Since $(x^2 + ab)^2 > 0$, $\sec^2 \theta > 0$ and $b > a \Rightarrow b - a > 0$, it suffices to check $(ab - x^2)$

Using first derivative test:

X	$\left(\sqrt{ab}\right)^{-}$	\sqrt{ab}	$\left(\sqrt{ab}\right)^{\scriptscriptstyle +}$
$\mathrm{d} heta$	+ve	0	-ve
$\frac{\mathrm{d}\theta}{\mathrm{d}x}$	$\therefore ab - x^2 > 0$		$\therefore ab - x^2 < 0$

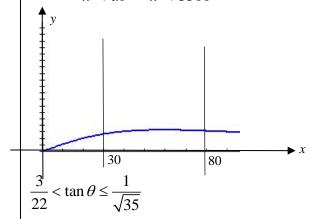
 $\therefore \theta$ is a maximum when $x = \sqrt{ab}$.

When $x = \sqrt{ab}$,

$$\tan\theta = \frac{(b-a)\sqrt{ab}}{2ab}$$

15(iii) Given a = 50, b = 70,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{(b-a)x}{x^2 + ab} = \frac{20x}{x^2 + 3500}$$



$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \mathbf{15(iv)} & \frac{\mathrm{d}x}{\mathrm{dt}} = -3 \end{array}$$

When a = 50, b = 70, x = 10,

$$\tan \theta = \frac{(b-a)x}{x^2 + ab}$$
$$= \frac{1}{18}$$

$$\therefore \sec^2 \theta = \frac{325}{324}$$

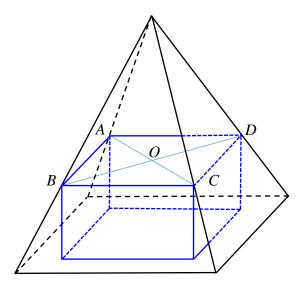
$$\frac{d\theta}{dx} = \frac{(x^2 - ab)(a - b)}{(x^2 + ab)^2 \sec^2 \theta} = \frac{17}{3250} \text{ or } 0.0052308$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{d\theta}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt}$$
$$= -3 \times \frac{17}{3250}$$

$$=-\frac{51}{3250}$$

The angle θ is decreasing at a rate of $\frac{51}{3250}$ rad/s.

16. ASRJC/2022/2/Q4



The product engineer of a factory crafted the design of a rectangular box, using a right pyramid, that is shown on the diagram above (not drawn to scale). The rectangular box is contained in a right pyramid with a rectangular base such that the upper four corners of the box A, B, C and D touch the slant faces of the pyramid, and the bottom four corners lie on the base of the pyramid. O is the point of intersection of the two diagonals, AC and BD.

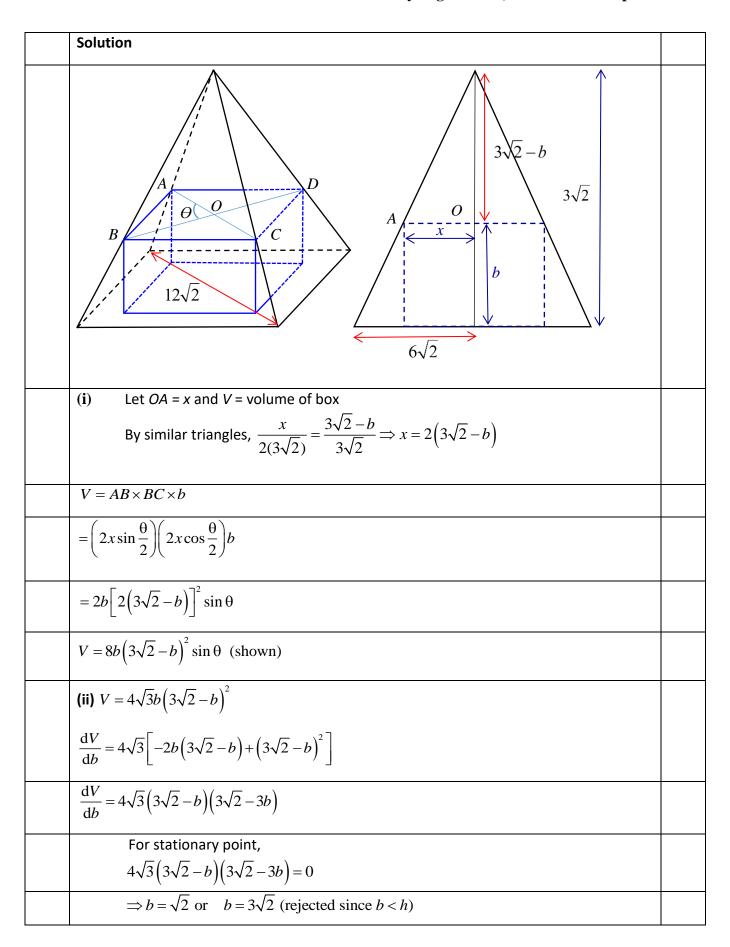
The height of the pyramid is $3\sqrt{2}$ units, the length of the diagonal of its rectangular base is $12\sqrt{2}$ units, the height of the box is b units, where $b < 3\sqrt{2}$, and the angle AOB is θ radians. It is given that the box is made of material with negligible thickness.

(i) By finding the length of *OA* in terms of *b*, show that the volume *V* of the rectangular box is given by $V = 8b(3\sqrt{2} - b)^2 \sin \theta$. [3]

For the rest of the question, it is given that $\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$.

(ii) Find the exact value of b which maximises V. Hence find the cost of manufacturing one such box if the material used to make the box cost \$0.03 per unit².
 When the height of the box is at half the height of the pyramid, it is reducing at a rate of 2 units per second.

(iii) Determine whether the volume of the box is expanding or shrinking and find the rate at which this is happening. [3]



$\frac{d^2V}{db^2} = 4\sqrt{3} \left[-2b(-1) + (3\sqrt{2} - b)(-2) + 2(3\sqrt{2} - b)(-1) \right]$	
$=4\sqrt{3}\Big[6b-12\sqrt{2}\Big]$	
$=24\sqrt{3}\left(b-2\sqrt{2}\right)$	
$\left. \frac{\mathrm{d}^2 V}{\mathrm{d}b^2} \right _{b=\sqrt{2}} = -24\sqrt{6} < 0$	
Thus V is maximised when $b=\sqrt{2}$.	
$BC = 4\left(3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2}\right)\cos\frac{\pi}{6} = 4\sqrt{6}$	
$AB = 4\left(3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2}\right)\sin\frac{\pi}{6} = 4\sqrt{2}$	
$Cost = 0.03 \times 2 \left[4\sqrt{6} \left(4\sqrt{2} \right) + \sqrt{2} \left(4\sqrt{6} \right) + \sqrt{2} \left(4\sqrt{2} \right) \right]$	
– to find surface area	
= \$4.64	
(iii) $\frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}t} = \frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}b} \times \frac{\mathrm{d}b}{\mathrm{d}t}$	
When $b = \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$,	
$\left \frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}t} \right _{b=\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}} = 4\sqrt{3} \left(3\sqrt{2} - \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2} \right) \left(3\sqrt{2} - \frac{9}{2}\sqrt{2} \right) \times \left(-2 \text{ units/s} \right)$	
$=36\sqrt{3}$ units ³ /s	
Since $\frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}t}\Big _{b=\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}}>0$, the volume of the box is expanding.	

Differentiation (Maclaurin Series)

$$y = \cot\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -\cos ec^2\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \cdot 2 = -2\left(1 + y^2\right)$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -4y\frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = -4\left[y\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2\right] \cdot \text{Therefore, } k = -4$$
When $x = 0$, $y = 1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -4$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 16$, $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = -128$
Therefore, $\cot\left(2x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \approx 1 - 4x + 8x^2 - \frac{64}{3}x^3$

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Differentiating the expansion above,
$$-2\cos ec^2\left(2x+\frac{\pi}{4}\right)\approx -4+16x-64x^2$$

Therefore,
$$\cos ec^2 \left(2x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \approx 2 - 8x + 32x^2$$

Let
$$2x + \frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{13\pi}{50}$$
. Then $x = \frac{\pi}{200}$

Hence,
$$\cos ec^2 \left(\frac{13\pi}{50}\right) = 2 - \frac{\pi}{25} + \frac{\pi^2}{1250}$$
 where $a = 2$, $b = -\frac{1}{25}$, $c = \frac{1}{1250}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \\
\frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \\
\left(1-3x\right) \frac{dy}{dx} = -3\cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \\
\text{Diff. wrt } x \\
\left(1-3x\right) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3\frac{dy}{dx} = 3\sin\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \\
\left(1-3x\right)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3(1-3x)\frac{dy}{dx} = -9y \\
\left(1-3x\right)^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3(1-3x)\frac{dy}{dx} + 9y = 0 \quad \text{(shown)} \\
\text{Diff. wrt } x \\
\left(1-3x\right)^2 \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} - 9(1-3x)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 18\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \\
\text{When } x = 0, \quad y = 0, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = -3, \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -9, \quad \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = -27 \\
\therefore y = -3x - \left(9\right) \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{27}{31}x^3 \dots \\
\approx -3x - \frac{9}{2}x^2 - \frac{9}{2}x^3 \\
\text{From } \frac{dy}{dx} = \cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \left(\frac{-3}{1-3x}\right), \\
\left(1-3x\right) \frac{dy}{dx} = -3\cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \\
\cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] = -\frac{1}{3}(1-3x)\frac{dy}{dx} \\
\cos\left[\ln(1-3x)\right] \approx -\frac{1}{3}(1-3x)\left(-3-9x-\frac{27}{2}x^2\right) \\
\approx 1 - \frac{9}{2}x^2$$

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$$\frac{h}{\tan \frac{\pi}{6}} + \frac{h}{\tan \left(\frac{\pi}{4} + x\right)}$$

$$= \frac{h}{1} + \frac{h}{1\sqrt{3}} + \frac{h}{\frac{\tan \frac{\pi}{4} + \tan x}{1 - \tan \frac{\pi}{4} \tan x}}$$

$$= h\sqrt{3} + \frac{h(1 - \tan x)}{1 + \tan x}$$

$$\approx h\sqrt{3} + \frac{h(1 - x)}{1 + x}$$

$$= h\sqrt{3} + h(1 - x)(1 + x)^{-1}$$

$$= h\sqrt{3} + h(1 - x)[1 + (-1)x + \frac{(-1)(-2)}{2!})x^{2} + \dots]$$

$$= h\sqrt{3} + h(1 - x)[1 - x + x^{2} + \dots]$$

$$= h\sqrt{3} + h(1 - 2x + 2x^{2} + \dots]$$

$$\approx h(1 + \sqrt{3} - 2x + 2x^{2})$$

$$\tan y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{e^x + 1}{2}\right) \dots (1)$$
Differentiate (1) wrt x: $\sec^2 y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 + \tan y \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}\right) = \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} \dots (2)$
Differentiate (2) wrt x:
$$2\sec^2 y \tan y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 + 2\sec^2 y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}\right) + \sec^2 y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}\right) + \tan y \left(\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}\right) = \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} - \frac{e^{2x}}{\left(e^x + 1\right)^2} \dots (3)$$

$$2\sec^2 y \tan y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 + 3\sec^2 y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}\right) + \tan y \left(\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}\right) = \frac{e^x}{e^x + 1} - \frac{e^{2x}}{\left(e^x + 1\right)^2} \dots (3)$$
At $x = 0$: $f(0) = \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$f'(0) = 0$$

$$f'''(0) = \frac{1}{2}$$
Hence, Maclaurin's series: $y = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{x^3}{24} + \dots$

$$f''''(0) = \frac{1}{4}$$

Maclaurin's series of $(\cot y)\ln\left(\frac{e^x+1}{2}\right) = \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{x^3}{24}\right) = \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{8}$

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$$y = \ln(1+2x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{1+2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+2x)\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$$
Differentiate w.r.t x :
$$(1+2x)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$
(i) Differentiate w.r.t x , we have
$$(1+2x)\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 4\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

$$(1+2x)\frac{d^4y}{dx^4} + 6\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 0$$

$$(1+2x)\frac{d^5y}{dx^5} + 8\frac{d^4y}{dx^4} = 0$$
When $x = 0$, $y = 0$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -4; \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 16; \frac{d^4y}{dx^4} = -96; \frac{d^5y}{dx^5} = 768$$

$$y = 0 + 2x + \frac{-4}{2!}x^{2} + \frac{16}{3!}x^{3} + \frac{-96}{4!}x^{4} + \frac{768}{5!}x^{5} + \dots$$

$$= 2x - 2x^{2} + \frac{8}{3}x^{3} - 4x^{4} + \frac{32}{5}x^{5} + \dots$$

$$(ii) \quad \ln(1 - 2x) = \ln(1 + (-2x)) = -2x - 2x^{2} - \frac{8}{3}x^{3} - 4x^{4} - \frac{32}{5}x^{5}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1 + 2x}{1 - 2x}\right) = \ln(1 + 2x) - \ln(1 - 2x)$$

$$= 2\left(2x + \frac{8}{3}x^{3} + \frac{32}{5}x^{5} + \dots\right)$$

$$(iii) \text{ When } x = \frac{1}{4},$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{6}{2}\right) = 2\left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3(2^{3})} + \frac{1}{5(2^{5})} + \dots\right]$$

$$\therefore \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2r+1)2^{2r+1}} = \frac{1}{2}\ln 3$$

$$\frac{\ln y = \sin^{-1} 2x}{\left(\frac{1}{y}\right) \frac{dy}{dx}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{1 - 4x^2}} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} \sqrt{1 - 4x^2} = 2y \text{ (shown)} ------ (1)$$

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \sqrt{1 - 4x^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} \left(\frac{-4x}{\sqrt{1 - 4x^2}}\right) = 2 \frac{dy}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \left(1 - 4x^2\right) - 4x \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 4y ---- (2)$$

$$\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} \left(1 - 4x^2\right) + \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \left(-8x\right) - 4\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) - 4x \left(\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}\right) = 4 \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} \left(1 - 4x^2\right) + \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \left(-12x\right) - 8\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) = 0 ------ (3)$$
When $x = 0, y = 1, \frac{dy}{dx} = 2, \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = 4, \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} = 16$

$$\therefore y = 1 + 2x + \frac{4x^2}{2!} + \frac{16x^3}{3!} + \dots \therefore y \approx 1 + 2x + 2x^2 + \frac{8x^3}{3}$$
Let $e^{\frac{\pi}{3}} = e^{\sin^{-1} 2x}$

$$\frac{\pi}{3} = \sin^{-1} 2x \Rightarrow x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$e^{\frac{\pi}{3}} \approx 1 + 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right) + 2\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)^2 + \frac{8}{3}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\right)^3 = \frac{1}{8}\left(11 + 5\sqrt{3}\right)$$

$$\therefore a = 11, b = 5$$

$$\begin{vmatrix}
y = \frac{1}{(2 + \sin 2x)} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-2\cos 2x}{(2 + \sin 2x)^2} = -2y^2 \cos 2x$$
Differentiating wrt x:
$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -4y\frac{dy}{dx}\cos 2x - 2y^2 (-2\sin 2x)$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2(-2y\cos 2x)\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y^2 \sin 2x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 2\frac{1}{y}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) + 4y^2 \sin 2x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{2}{y}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 + 4y^2 \sin 2x (shown)$$
(i)
$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^3} = -\frac{2}{y^2}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 + \frac{4}{y}\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) + 8y\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)\sin 2x + 8y^2\cos 2x$$
At $x = 0$, $y = \frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 1$, $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = -1$

By Maclaurin's theorem, $y = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2!}x^2 + \frac{(-1)}{3!}x^3 + \dots$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{6}x^3 \text{ (up to term in } x^2\text{)}$$
(ii) $\frac{1}{(2 + \sin 2x)} = (2 + \sin 2x)^{-1} \stackrel{!}{=} \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(2x - \frac{8x^3}{6} + \dots\right)^{-1}\right)^{-1}$

$$\approx \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(2x - \frac{8x^3}{6}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}(2x + \dots)\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}(2x + \dots)\right)^3 + \dots\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(2x - \frac{8x^3}{6}\right) + \frac{1}{4}(2x + \dots)^2 - \frac{1}{8}(2x + \dots)^3 + \dots\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(2x - \frac{8x^3}{6}\right) + \frac{1}{4}(2x + \dots)^2 - \frac{1}{8}(2x + \dots)^3 + \dots\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(2x - \frac{8x^3}{6}\right) + \frac{1}{4}(2x + \dots)^2 - \frac{1}{8}(2x + \dots)^3 + \dots\right)$$

which is the same as the series obtained by using Maclaurin's theorem.

 $=\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}x+\frac{1}{2}x^2-\frac{1}{6}x^3+...$

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$$\tan^{-1} y = 2 \tan^{-1} x + \frac{\pi}{4}$$

Differentiate with respect to x,

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

Differentiate with respect to x,

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x\frac{dy}{dx} = 4y\frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (2x-4y)\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

Differentiate with respect to x,

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 2x\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (2x-4y)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (2-4\frac{dy}{dx})\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (1+x^2)\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + (4x-4y)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dx} - 4\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = 0$$

When
$$x = 0$$
, $y = \tan \frac{\pi}{4} = 1$

$$\frac{1}{1+1}\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2}{1+0} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 4$$

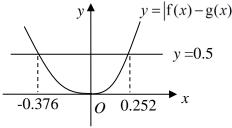
$$(1+0)\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (0-4)(4) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 16$$

$$(1+0)\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + (0-4)(4) + 2(4) - 4(16) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 120$$

$$y = \tan\left[2\tan^{-1}x + \frac{\pi}{4}\right]$$
$$= 1 + 4x + \frac{16}{2!}x^2 + \frac{120}{3!}x^3$$

$$= 1 + 4x + 8x^2 + 20x^3$$

Sketch y = |f(x) - g(x)| and y = 0.5



For
$$|f(x) - g(x)| < 0.5$$
, $-0.376 < x < 0.252$

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

$$= e^{1+\frac{5}{3}x-\frac{25}{9}x^{2}+\cdots}$$

$$= e \times e^{\frac{5}{3}x-\frac{25}{9}x^{2}+\cdots}$$

$$= e\left(1+\left(\frac{5}{3}x-\frac{25}{9}x^{2}\right)+\frac{\left(\frac{5}{3}x\right)^{2}}{2!}+\cdots\right)$$

$$= e\left(1+\frac{5}{3}x-\frac{25}{18}x^{2}+\cdots\right)$$
i.e. $a=1, b=\frac{5}{3}, c=-\frac{25}{18}$

The expansion is valid for |5x| < 1 i.e. $-\frac{1}{5} < x < \frac{1}{5}$.

Method 1

Let
$$f(x) = \cos(\alpha x - \beta)$$

 $f'(x) = -\alpha \sin(\alpha x - \beta)$
 $f''(x) = -\alpha^2 \cos(\alpha x - \beta)$

When
$$x = 0$$
,

$$f(0) = \cos \beta, \quad f''(0) = -\alpha^2 \cos \beta$$

Comparing coefficients,

$$\cos \beta = 1 \Rightarrow \beta = 0 \&$$

$$\frac{f''(0)}{2!} = -\frac{25}{18}$$
$$-\frac{\alpha^2}{2} = -\frac{25}{18} \implies \alpha = \frac{5}{3}$$

Method 2

Let
$$f(x) = \cos(\alpha x - \beta)$$

 $= \cos \alpha x \cos \beta + \sin \alpha x \sin \beta$
 $= \left(1 - \frac{\alpha^2 x^2}{2} + \cdots\right) \cos \beta + (\alpha x - \cdots) \sin \beta$
 $= \cos \beta + \alpha (\sin \beta) x - \frac{\alpha^2 (\cos \beta)}{2} x^2 + \cdots$

Comparing coefficients,

$$\cos \beta = 1 \Rightarrow \beta = 0 \& -\frac{\alpha^2}{2} = -\frac{25}{18} \Rightarrow \alpha = \frac{5}{3}$$

11 (a)(i)
$$\frac{AC}{AB} = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{3} - \ln x\right)$$

$$= \frac{\tan\frac{\pi}{3} - \tan x}{1 + \tan\frac{\pi}{3} \tan x}$$

$$\frac{AB}{AC} = \frac{1 + \sqrt{3} \tan x}{\sqrt{3} - \tan x}$$
(ii)
$$\frac{AB}{AC} \approx \frac{1 + \sqrt{3} x}{\sqrt{3} - x} \text{ when } x \text{ is small}$$

$$= (1 + \sqrt{3}x) \left(\sqrt{3} - x\right)^{-1}$$

$$= (1 + \sqrt{3}x) \left(1 - \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}}\right)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + \sqrt{3}x + ...)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (1 + \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + \sqrt{3}x + ...)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \frac{4}{3} + x + ...$$
Hence, $a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$, $b = \frac{4}{3}$
(b)(i) $(1 + x^2) \frac{d^3y}{dx} + xy = \sqrt{1 + x^2}$

$$(1 + x^2) \frac{d^3y}{dx^2} + 3x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}}$$

$$(1 + x^2) \frac{d^3y}{dx^2} + 3x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \frac{x}{\sqrt{1 + x^2}}$$
When $x = 0, y = 1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$, $\frac{dy}{dx^2} = 1$

$$\therefore y = 1 + x - \frac{x^2}{2} + ...$$
(ii) $e^y \approx e^{\frac{1 + x^2}{2}} = e^{\left(e^{\frac{x - x^2}{2}}\right)}$

$$\approx e^{\left[1 + \left(x - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(x - \frac{x^2}{2}\right)^2\right]}$$

$$\approx e^{\left[1 + \left(x - \frac{x^2}{2}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(x^2\right)\right]}$$

$$\approx e^{\left(1 + x\right)}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6 - 2y}{\cos 2x}$$

$$\cos 2x \frac{dy}{dx} = 6 - 2y$$

Differentiate w.r.t. x

$$\cos 2x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} \left(-2\sin 2x \right) = -2\frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\cos 2x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} (2 - 2\sin 2x) = 0$$

Differentiate w.r.t. x again

$$\cos 2x \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3} + \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} \left(-2\sin 2x \right) + \frac{dy}{dx} \left(-4\cos 2x \right) + \left(2 - 2\sin 2x \right) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = 0$$

When
$$x=0$$
, $y=1$, $\frac{dy}{dx}=4$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}=-8$, $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}=32$.

Using Maclaurin's theorem:

$$f(x) = 1 + 4x + \frac{-8}{2!}x^2 + \frac{32}{3!}x^3 + \dots$$
$$= 1 + 4x - 4x^2 + \frac{16}{3}x^3 + \dots$$

$$\frac{1-\sin x}{\cos x} = \left(1-x + \frac{x^3}{6}\right) \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2}\right)^{-1}$$
$$= \left(1-x + \frac{x^3}{6}\right) \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{2} + \dots\right)$$
$$= 1-x + \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots$$

$$\frac{1-\sin x}{\cos x} = \sec x - \tan x = 1 - x + \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} + \dots$$

$$\therefore \tan 2x - \sec 2x = -\left(1 - 2x + \frac{4x^2}{2} - \frac{8x^3}{3}\right)$$

Substitute power series into $f(x) = a(\tan 2x - \sec 2x) + b$ and compare coefficients of constant term and term in x

$$b-a=1$$
, $2a=4 \Rightarrow a=2$ and $b=3$

13(a)
(i)
$$e^{y+x} = \cos x$$

$$y = \ln(\cos x) - x$$
Differentiate wrt x

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\tan x - 1$$
Differentiate wrt x

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\sec^2 x$$

$$x = 0$$

$$y = 0, \frac{dy}{dx} = -1, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -1,$$

$$y = -x - \frac{x^2}{2} + ...$$
(a)(ii)
$$|h(x) - y| < 0.2$$

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From GC,
$$a = 2$$
 or 0.16086 (rejected)
when $a = 2$, $n = -2$

$$\frac{\sqrt{9+ax}}{1+bx^2} = (9+ax)^{\frac{1}{2}} (1+bx^2)^{-1} = 3 \left(1 + \frac{a}{18}x + \frac{\frac{1}{2}(-\frac{1}{2})}{2!} (\frac{a}{9}x)^2 + \dots (1-bx^2 + \dots)\right)$$

$$= 3 \left(1 + \frac{a}{18}x - \frac{a^2}{648}x^2 + \dots (1-bx^2 + \dots)\right) \qquad \approx 3 + \frac{a}{6}x + \left(-\frac{a^2}{216} - 3b\right)x^2$$
By comparing coefficients, $a = 6$ and $b = -2$
The valid range for expansion of $\frac{\sqrt{9+ax}}{1+bx^2}$ is $|x| < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$.

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$$\frac{2}{(1+3x)^n} = 2(1+3x)^{-n}$$
Consider $(1+3x)^{-n} = 1 + (-n)(3x) + \frac{-n(-n-1)}{2!}(3x)^2 + ...$

$$= 1 - 3nx + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}(9x^2) + ...$$

$$\frac{2}{(1+3x)^n} = 2\left(1 - 3nx + \frac{n(n+1)}{2}(9x^2) + ...\right)$$

$$= ... + 2\left(\frac{n(n+1)}{2}9x^2\right) + ...$$
Given: coefficient of $x^2 = 108$

$$\Rightarrow 9n(n+1) = 108$$

$$n^2 + n - 12 = 0$$

$$(n+4)(n-3) = 0$$

$$n = -4 \text{ (rejected since } n \in \mathbb{Z}^+\text{)} \text{ or } n = 3$$
Thus, value of $n = 3$

16 (i)
Let
$$f(x) = \frac{x-4}{(x+1)(3x+2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{3x+2}$$

 $\Rightarrow x-4 = A(3x+2) + B(x+1)$
Using cover up rule,
For $x = -\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{2}{3} - 4 = B\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \Rightarrow B = -14$

For
$$x = -1$$
, $-1 - 4 = A(-1) \Rightarrow A = 5$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{5}{x+1} - \frac{14}{3x+2}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{5}{x+1} - \frac{14}{3x+2} = 5(1+x)^{-1} - 14(3x+2)^{-1}$$

$$= 5(1+x)^{-1} - 14\left[2\left(1 + \frac{3x}{2}\right)\right]^{-1}$$

$$= 5(1+x)^{-1} - \frac{14}{2}\left(1 + \frac{3x}{2}\right)^{-1}$$

$$= 5(1-x+x^2-x^3+\ldots)$$

$$-7\left(1 + (-1)\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right) + \frac{(-1)(-2)}{2!}\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{(-1)(-2)(-3)}{3!}\left(\frac{3x}{2}\right)^3 + \ldots\right)$$

$$= 5(1-x+x^2-x^3+\ldots) - 7\left(1 - \frac{3x}{2} + \frac{9x^2}{4} - \frac{27x^3}{8} + \ldots\right)$$

$$= -2 + \frac{11}{2}x - \frac{43}{4}x^2 + \frac{149}{8}x^3 + \ldots$$

(ii)

Expansion of $(1+x)^{-1}$ is valid for -1 < x < 1

Expansion of $\left(1 + \frac{3x}{2}\right)^{-1}$ is valid for $-\frac{2}{3} < x < \frac{2}{3}$

Therefore, the range of values of x for the expansion of f(x) to be valid is $-\frac{2}{3} < x < \frac{2}{3}$.

(iii) Coefficient of
$$x^n = (-1)^n 5 + (-1)^{n+1} 7 \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n = (-1)^n \left[5 - 7\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^n\right]$$

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$$\left(\frac{1+2x^2}{4-x}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = (1+2x^2)^{1/2} \cdot 4^{-1/2} \left(1-\frac{x}{4}\right)^{-1/2} \\
= \left(1+\frac{1}{2}(2x^2)+\ldots\right) \\
\left(1-\frac{1}{2}\left(-\frac{x}{4}\right)+\frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)}{2}\left(-\frac{x}{4}\right)^2+\ldots\right) \\
= \frac{1}{2}\left(1+x^2+\ldots\right)\left(1+\frac{1}{8}x+\frac{3}{128}x^2+\ldots\right) \\
= \frac{1}{2}\left(1+\frac{1}{8}x+\frac{31}{128}x^2\right)+\ldots \\
= \frac{1}{2}\left(1+\frac{1}{8}x+\frac{31}{128}x^2\right)+\ldots \\
(i) \quad \left|2x^2\right|<1 \text{ and } \frac{1}{4}<1 \\
-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}
(ii)
$$\sqrt{\frac{1+2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2}{4-\frac{1}{4}}} \approx \frac{1}{2}\left(1+\frac{1}{8}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)+\frac{131}{128}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^2\right) \\
\sqrt{\frac{9}{30}} \approx \frac{2243}{4096} \\
\sqrt{30} \approx 3\left(\frac{4096}{2243}\right) = \frac{12288}{2243}$$
Alternatively,
$$\sqrt{\frac{9}{30}} \approx \frac{2243}{4096} \\
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\sqrt{310} \approx \frac{21215}{2048}$$$$

18 (i)

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4+x^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4}} \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{x^2}{4} \right) + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(-\frac{3}{2} \right)}{2!} \left(\frac{x^2}{4} \right)^2 + \dots \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{3x^4}{128} - \dots \right)$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{16} x^2 + \frac{3}{256} x^4$$

$$\frac{x+1}{\sqrt{4+x^2}} = (x+1) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{4+x^2}} \right)$$

$$= (x+1) \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{16} x^2 + \frac{3}{256} x^4 - \dots \right)$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} x - \frac{1}{16} x^2 - \frac{1}{16} x^3$$
(iii)
$$\begin{vmatrix} \frac{x^2}{4} \\ 1 \end{vmatrix} < 1$$

$$x^2 < 4$$

$$-2 < x < 2$$

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$$PR^{2} = 3^{2} + (\sqrt{2})^{2} - 2(3)(\sqrt{2})\cos\left(\theta + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= 11 - 6\sqrt{2}\left(\cos\theta\cos\frac{\pi}{4} - \sin\theta\sin\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$= 11 - 6\sqrt{2}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\cos\theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\sin\theta\right)$$

$$= 11 - 6\cos\theta + 6\sin\theta$$

$$\approx 11 - 6\left(1 - \frac{\theta^{2}}{2}\right) + 6\theta$$

$$= 5 + 6\theta + 3\theta^{2}$$

$$PR = \left(5 + 6\theta + 3\theta^{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{(shown)}$$

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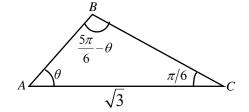
$$= \left[5 \left(1 + \frac{6}{5} \theta + \frac{3}{5} \theta^{2} \right) \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= 5^{\frac{1}{2}} \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{6}{5} \theta + \frac{3}{5} \theta^{2} \right) - \frac{1}{8} \left(\frac{6}{5} \theta + \frac{3}{5} \theta^{2} \right)^{2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\approx \sqrt{5} + \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5} \theta + \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{25} \theta^{2}$$

$$\therefore a = \sqrt{5}, \quad b = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{5}, \quad c = \frac{3\sqrt{5}}{25}$$

20 By sine rule,



$$\frac{AB}{\sin\frac{\pi}{6}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sin(\frac{5\pi}{6} - \theta)}$$

$$AB = \frac{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}}{\sin\frac{5\pi}{6}\cos\theta - \cos\frac{5\pi}{6}\sin\theta}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}}{\frac{1}{2}\cos\theta + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\sin\theta}$$

$$\approx \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2(1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2) + 2\sqrt{3}(\theta)} \quad \text{since } \theta \text{ is small}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{2 + 2\sqrt{3}\theta - \theta^2} \quad \text{(shown)}$$
Applying binomial expansion

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AB
$$\approx \sqrt{3} \left[1 + \left(\sqrt{3}\theta - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 \right) \right]^{-1}$$

$$\approx \sqrt{3} \left[1 - \left(\sqrt{3}\theta - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 \right) + \left(\sqrt{3}\theta - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 \right)^2 \right]$$

$$\approx \sqrt{3} \left[1 - \sqrt{3}\theta + \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 + 3\theta^2 \right]$$

$$= \sqrt{3} - 3\theta + \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{2}\theta^2 \qquad \left(a = \sqrt{3}, \quad b = -3, \quad c = \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)$$

21
$$x^3 + 1 = (x+1)(x^2 - x + 1)$$

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

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

$$= (x^2 + 2)(1 + x^3)^{-1} - (1 + x)^{-1}$$

$$= (x^2 + 2)\left(1 + (-1)(x^3) + \frac{(-1)(-2)}{2!}(x^3)^2 + \frac{(-1)(-2)(-3)}{3!}(x^3)^3 + \dots\right)$$

$$-\left(1 + (-1)(x) + \frac{(-1)(-2)}{2!}(x^2) + \frac{(-1)(-2)(-3)}{3!}(x^3) + \dots\right)$$

$$= (x^2 + 2)(1 - x^3 + x^6 - x^9 + \dots + (-1)x^{3n} + \dots)$$

$$-(1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots + (-1)^n x^n + \dots)$$
Hence Coefficient of x^{3n} is
$$2(-1)^n - (-1)^{3n} = (-1)^n$$
OR $2(-1)^n + (-1)^{n-1}$ OR $2(-1)^n - (-1)^n$ OR $\{-1 \text{ if } n \text{ is odd}; 1 \text{ if } n \text{ is even}\}$

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22
$$f(x) = e^{\sin x}$$

$$= e^{-3!}$$

$$= 1 + \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!}\right) + \frac{\left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!}\right)^2}{2!} + \frac{\left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!}\right)^3}{3!} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x - \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \dots$$

$$\therefore a = 1, b = 1, c = \frac{1}{2} \text{ and } d = 0.$$

$$\frac{1}{\left(e^{\sin x}\right)^2} \approx \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2}\right)^{-2}$$

$$=1+(-2)\left(x+\frac{x^2}{2}\right)+\frac{(-2)(-3)}{2!}\left(x+\frac{x^2}{2}\right)^2+\dots$$

$$\approx 1-2x+2x^2$$

Differentiating with respect to *x*,

$$4\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 y}{\mathrm{d}x^2} = 2(y+1)\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x}$$

$$4\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = 2(y+1)\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right) + 2\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2$$

Sub
$$x = 0$$
, $y = 1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$, $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 1$, $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = \frac{3}{2}$

Using Maclaurin's formula, $g(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)\frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots$

$$g(x) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{4} + \dots$$

$$g(x) - f(x) = \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{4} + \dots \right) - \left(1 + x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \dots \right)$$
$$\approx \frac{x^3}{4}$$

(ii) As
$$x \to 0$$
, $g(x) - f(x) \approx \frac{1}{4}x^3 \to 0$.

Therefore, f(x) is a good approximation to g(x) for values of x close to zero.

23(i)
$$y = \sqrt{e^{\cos x}} - - - (1)$$

$$y^2 = e^{\cos x}$$
Differentiate with respect to x ,
$$2y \frac{dy}{dx} = (-\sin x)e^{\cos x}$$

$$y\left(2\frac{dy}{dx} + y \sin x\right) = 0$$

$$y = 0 \text{ (rejected } y > 0) \text{ or } 2\frac{dy}{dx} + y \sin x = 0$$

$$2\frac{dy}{dx} + y \sin x = 0 \text{ (Shown)} - - - (1)$$
Differentiate with respect to x ,
$$2\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (\sin x)\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right) + (\cos x)y = 0$$

$$x = 0,$$

$$y = e^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{ from } (1)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \text{ from } (2)$$

$$\frac{d^1y}{dx^2} = -\frac{\sqrt{e}}{2}$$

$$y = e^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{e^{\frac{1}{2}}}{4}x^2 + \dots$$

$$e^{\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})} = e^{\frac{1}{2}\cos x} = e^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(e^{\cos x}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\approx e^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(e^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{e^{\frac{1}{2}}}{4}x^2\right)^{-1}$$

$$= \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{4}\right)^{-1}$$

$$= 1 + \frac{x^2}{4} + \dots$$
(iii)
$$\int_0^{\sqrt{2}} e^{\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})} dx \approx \int_0^{\sqrt{2}} \left(1 + \frac{x^2}{4}\right) dx$$

$$= 1.649915$$

$$= 1.650$$
(understand that the Maclaurin's series is a good estimation of the original function.)

24(a)	$(x)^n$ $(x)^n$				
	$\left(b - \frac{x}{2}\right)^n = b^n \left(1 - \frac{x}{2b}\right)^n$				
	$=b^n\left(1-\frac{xn}{2b}+\frac{n(n-1)}{2!}\left(\frac{x}{2b}\right)^2+\ldots\right)$				
	$=b^{n}\left(1-\frac{n}{2b}x+\frac{n(n-1)}{8b^{2}}x^{2}+\right)$				
	Since the coefficient of x is four times the coefficient of x^2 ,				
	$-\frac{n}{2b} = \frac{4n(n-1)}{8b^2}$				
	$-1 = \frac{n-1}{b}$				
	-b = n - 1 $n = 1 - b$				
	Since the constant term in the expansion is $\frac{1}{2}$,				
	2				
	$b^n = \frac{1}{2}$				
	Sub $n = 1 - b$				
	$b^{1-b} = \frac{1}{2}$				
	Using GC, $b = 0.346$ (rejected because b is an integer) or $b = 2$				
(1.1)	$\therefore b = 2 \text{ and } n = -1$				
(bi)	Let $f(x) = \ln(2x^2)$. As $f(0)$ is undefined, it is not possible to obtain a Maclaurin series for				
	$\ln(2x^2)$.				
(bii)	$f(x) = \ln(2x^2)$				
	$f(x) = \ln(2x^2)$ $f'(x) = \frac{4x}{2x^2} = \frac{2}{x}$ $f''(x) = -\frac{2}{x^2}$				
	$f''(x) = -\frac{2}{x^2}$				
	When $x = 2$, $f(2) = \ln 8$, $f'(2) = 1$, $f''(2) = -\frac{1}{2}$				
	$\therefore \ln(2x^2) = \ln 8 + 1(x-2) + \frac{\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)}{2!}(x-2)^2 + \dots$				
	$= \ln 8 + (x-2) - \frac{1}{4}(x-2)^2 + \dots$				

25. ACJC/2022/I/Q7

It is given that $y = \ln(2 + \sin 2x)$.

(i) Show that
$$e^y \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + e^y \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^2 = -4\sin 2x$$
. [2]

- (ii) By further differentiation of the above results, find the Maclaurin series for y, up to and including the term in x^3 . [3]
- (iii) Verify that the series for $\ln(2 + \sin 2x)$ is the same as the result obtained in part (ii), if the standard series from the List of Formulae (MF26) are used. [3]
- (iv) Hence deduce the series expansion for $\frac{\ln(2+\sin 2x)}{\sqrt{1-x}}$, up to and including the term in x^2 .

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(i)
$$y = \ln(2 + \sin 2x)$$

$$e^{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = 2\cos 2x$$

$$e^{y} \frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} + e^{y} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{2} = -4\sin 2x \text{ (shown)}$$

(ii)
$$e^{y} \frac{d^{3}y}{dx^{2}} + e^{y} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{2} = -4\sin 2x \text{ (shown)}$$

$$e^{y} \frac{d^{3}y}{dx^{3}} + e^{y} \frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} \frac{dy}{dx} + 2e^{y} \frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} \frac{dy}{dx} + e^{y} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{3} = -2\cos 2x$$

$$e^{y} \frac{d^{3}y}{dx^{3}} + 3e^{y} \frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} \frac{dy}{dx} + e^{y} \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^{3} = -2\cos 2x$$

$$\text{When } x = 0, y = \ln 2, \frac{dy}{dx} = 1, \frac{d^{2}y}{dx^{2}} = -1, \frac{d^{3}y}{dx^{3}} = -2$$

$$\therefore y = \ln 2 + x + \frac{(-1)}{2!} x^{2} + \frac{(-2)}{3!} x^{3} + \dots$$

$$= \ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2} x^{2} - \frac{1}{3} x^{3} + \dots$$

(iii)
$$y = \ln(2 + \sin 2x)$$

$$\approx \ln\left(2 + 2x - \frac{(2x)^3}{6}\right)$$

$$= \ln\left(2\left(1 + x - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right)\right)$$

$$= \ln 2 + \ln\left(1 + x - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right)$$

$$= \ln 2 + \left(x - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right) - \frac{\left(x - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right)^2}{2} + \frac{\left(x - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right)^3}{3} + \dots$$

$$\approx \ln 2 + x - \frac{2}{3}x^3 - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3$$

$$= \ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \dots \text{ (verified)}$$

(iv)
$$\frac{\ln(2+\sin 2x)}{\sqrt{1-x}}$$

$$\approx \frac{\ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3}{\sqrt{1-x}}$$

$$= \left(\ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3\right)(1-x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\approx \left(\ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right)\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)}{2!}(-x)^2\right)$$

$$= \left(\ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2\right)\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{8}x^2\right)$$

$$\approx \ln 2 + x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\ln 2\right)x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \left(\frac{3}{8}\ln 2\right)x^2$$

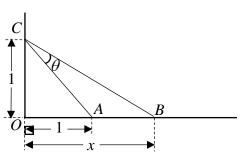
$$= \ln 2 + \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\ln 2\right)x + \left(\frac{3}{8}\ln 2\right)x^2$$

[2]

[3]

26. ASRJC/2022/I/Q4

(i) Show that the first two non-zero terms of the Maclaurin series for $\tan \theta$ is given by $\theta + \frac{1}{3}\theta^3$. You may use the standard results given in the List of Formulae (MF26).



In the right-angle triangle *OBC* shown above, point *A* lies on *OB* such that OA = 1, OB = x, where x > 1 and OC = 1. It is given that angle COB is $\frac{\pi}{2}$ radians and that angle ACB is θ radians (see diagram).

(ii) Show that
$$AB = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta}$$
. [2]

(iii) Given that θ is a sufficently small angle, show that

$$AB \approx a\theta + b\theta^2 + c\theta^3$$

for exact real constants a, b and c to be determined.

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Solutions	
(i)	
$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$	
$=\sin\theta\left(\cos\theta\right)^{-1}$	
$\approx \left(\theta - \frac{\theta^3}{3!}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{2!}\right)^{-1}$	
$\approx \left(\theta - \frac{\theta^3}{3!}\right) \left(1 + \frac{\theta^2}{2!}\right)$	
$\approx \theta + \frac{\theta^3}{2!} - \frac{\theta^3}{3!}$	
$=\theta+\frac{1}{3}\theta^3$	
(ii) $\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4} + \theta\right) = \frac{\tan\frac{\pi}{4} + \tan\theta}{1 - \tan\frac{\pi}{4}\tan\theta}$	

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$x = \frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta}$	
$AB = \frac{1 + \tan \theta}{1 - \tan \theta} - 1$	
$AB = \frac{2\tan\theta}{1-\tan\theta}$	
(iii) $AB = 2 \tan \theta (1 - \tan \theta)^{-1}$	
$\approx 2\left(\theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3}\right) \left(1 - \left(\theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3}\right)\right)^{-1}$	
$\approx 2\left(\theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3}\right)\left(1 + \left(\theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3}\right) + \left(\theta + \frac{\theta^3}{3}\right)^2\right)$	
$\approx \left(2\theta + \frac{2\theta^3}{3}\right) \left(1 + \theta + \theta^2\right)$	
$\approx 2\theta + 2\theta^2 + \frac{8\theta^3}{3}$	
$a=2, b=2, c=\frac{8}{3}$	