

1 (i) $\sin(A - B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B$
 $\cos A \sin B = \sin A \cos B - \sin(A - B) = \frac{5}{8} - \frac{3}{8} = \frac{1}{4}$

(ii) $\sin(A + B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B = \frac{5}{8} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{7}{8}$

(iii) $\frac{\tan A}{\tan B} = \frac{\frac{\sin A}{\cos A}}{\frac{\sin B}{\cos B}} = \frac{\sin A \cos B}{\cos A \sin B} = \frac{\frac{5}{8}}{\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{5}{2}$

2 (i) $\frac{7}{2x^2 - x - 6} = \frac{7}{(2x+3)(x-2)}$
 $= \frac{A}{2x+3} + \frac{B}{x-2}$
 $7 = A(x-2) + B(2x+3)$
 When $x = -\frac{3}{2}$, $7 = -\frac{7}{2}A \Rightarrow A = -2$
 When $x = 2$, $7 = 7B \Rightarrow B = 1$
 $\therefore \frac{7}{(2x+3)(x-2)} = -\frac{2}{2x+3} + \frac{1}{x-2}$

(ii) $\int_3^9 \frac{7}{2x^2 - x - 6} dx = \int_3^9 -\frac{2}{2x+3} + \frac{1}{x-2} dx$
 $= \left[-2 \frac{\ln|2x+3|}{2} + \ln|x-2| \right]_3^9$
 $= \left[\ln \left| \frac{x-2}{2x+3} \right| \right]_3^9$
 $= \ln \frac{(9)-2}{2(9)+3} - \ln \frac{(3)-2}{2(3)+3}$
 $= \ln \frac{1}{3} - \ln \frac{1}{9}$
 $= \ln 3$
 ≈ 1.10

3 (i) $8^x - 2^{x+2} = 15$
 $2^{3x} - 2^2(2^x) = 15$
 $u^3 - 4u - 15 = 0$

(ii) Let $f(u) = u^3 - 4u - 15$
 $f(3) = 3^3 - 4(3) - 15 = 0$
 By Factor Theorem, $u - 3$ is a factor of $f(u)$.
 $f(u) = (u - 3)(u^2 + 3u + 5)$
 $u = 3$ or $u^2 + 3u + 5 = 0$
 Discriminant of $u^2 + 3u + 5 = 0$ is $3^2 - 4(1)(5) = -1$
 Since discriminant < 0 , $u^2 + 3u + 5 = 0$ has no real solution.
 $\therefore u = 3$ is the only real solution of this equation.

(iii) Comparing the coefficient of x^2 ,

$$u = 2^x = 3$$

$$x = \log_2 3 = 1.58496 \approx 1.58$$

- 4 (i) We first show that triangles ACP and BCQ are congruent. In triangles ACP and BCQ ,
- $AC = BC$ (given)
 - $PC = QC$ (given)
 - $\hat{A}CP = \hat{B}CQ$ (common angle)
- \therefore Triangles ACP and BCQ are congruent.
 $\Rightarrow \hat{C}AP = \hat{C}BQ \dots(1)$
 Since triangle ABC is isosceles,
 $\hat{C}AB = \hat{C}BA \dots(2)$
 $\hat{X}AB = \hat{C}AB - \hat{C}AP$
 $\hat{X}BA = \hat{C}BA - \hat{C}BQ$
 By (1) and (2), $\hat{X}AB = \hat{X}BA$.
 $\therefore AXB$ is an isosceles triangle.
- (ii) Since triangles ACP and BCQ are congruent,
 $AP = BQ \dots(3)$
 Since AXB is an isosceles triangle,
 $AX = BX \dots(4)$
 From the diagram,
 $PX = AP - AX$
 $QX = BQ - BX$
 By (3) and (4), $PX = QX$.

5 (i) $\left(2 - \frac{x}{4}\right)^n$
 $= 2^n + \binom{n}{1} 2^{n-1} \left(-\frac{x}{4}\right) + \binom{n}{2} 2^{n-2} \left(-\frac{x}{4}\right)^2 + \dots$
 $= 2^n - n(2^{n-1}) \left(\frac{x}{4}\right) + \frac{n(n-1)}{2} (2^{n-2}) \left(\frac{x^2}{16}\right) + \dots$
 $= 2^n - 2^{n-3} nx + 2^{n-7} n(n-1)x^2 + \dots$

(ii) $(1+x) \left(2 - \frac{x}{4}\right)^n$
 $= (1+x)(2^n - 2^{n-3} nx + 2^{n-7} n(n-1)x^2 + \dots)$
 $\approx 2^n - 2^{n-3} nx + 2^{n-7} n(n-1)x^2 + 2^n x - 2^{n-3} nx^2$
 $= 2^n - 2^{n-3} nx + 2^n x + 2^{n-7} n(n-1)x^2 - 2^{n-3} nx^2$
 $= 2^n + (-2^{n-3} n + 2^n)x + (2^{n-7} n(n-1) - 2^{n-3} n)x^2$
 Comparing the coefficient of x ,
 $-2^{n-3} n + 2^n = 0$
 $-\frac{1}{8} 2^n n + 2^n = 0$
 $2^n \left(-\frac{1}{8} n + 1\right) = 0$
 $2^n = 0$ (rej.) or $-\frac{1}{8} n + 1 = 0$
 $\therefore n = 8$

- (iii) Comparing the coefficient of the independent term,

$$a = 2^n = 2^8 = 256$$

Comparing the coefficient of x^2 ,

$$\begin{aligned} b &= 2^{n-7} n(n-1) - 2^{n-3} n \\ &= 2^{(8)-7} (8)((8)-1) - 2^{(8)-3} (8) \\ &= 2(8)(7) - 2^5(8) \\ &= -144 \end{aligned}$$

6 (i) $y = 1 + 2 \cos x = 0$

$$2 \cos x = -1$$

$$\cos x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Basic angle } x = \cos^{-1} \frac{1\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{2\pi}{3} \text{ or } x = \frac{4\pi}{3}$$

Since $x_A < x_B$, the x -coordinate of A is $\frac{2\pi}{3}$.

The x -coordinate of B is $\frac{4\pi}{3}$.

- (ii) Total area of the shaded regions

$$= \int_0^{\frac{2\pi}{3}} 1 + 2 \cos x \, dx - \int_{\frac{2\pi}{3}}^{\frac{4\pi}{3}} 1 + 2 \cos x \, dx$$

$$= \left[x + 2 \sin x \right]_0^{\frac{2\pi}{3}} - \left[x + 2 \sin x \right]_{\frac{2\pi}{3}}^{\frac{4\pi}{3}}$$

$$= \left[\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} - 0 - 2 \sin 0 \right]$$

$$- \left[\frac{4\pi}{3} + 2 \sin \frac{4\pi}{3} - \frac{2\pi}{3} - 2 \sin \frac{2\pi}{3} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{3} + \sqrt{3} - \frac{4\pi}{3} - (-\sqrt{3}) + \frac{2\pi}{3} + \sqrt{3}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\approx 5.20 \text{ square units}$$

7 (i) $y = |3x - 5| - 2$

$$\text{When } x = 0, y = |-5| - 2 = 5 - 2 = 3.$$

$$\text{When } y = 0, 3x - 5 = \pm 2$$

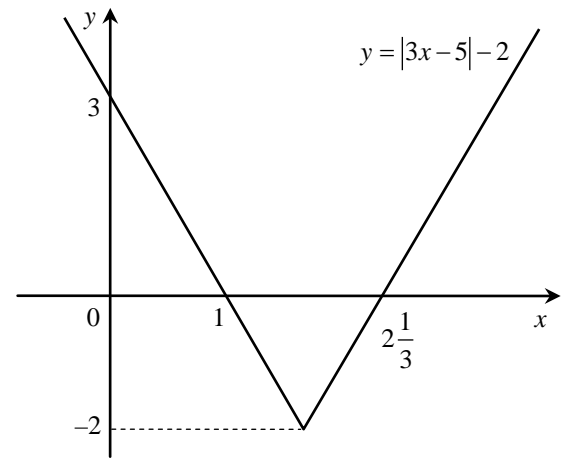
$$\Rightarrow 3x = 3 \text{ or } 3x = 7$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \text{ or } x = \frac{7}{3}$$

\therefore The coordinates of the points are $(0, 3)$,

$$(1, 0) \text{ and } \left(\frac{7}{3}, 0 \right).$$

- (ii)



(iii) $x = |3x - 5| - 2$

$$x + 2 = |3x - 5|$$

$$x + 2 = 3x - 5 \text{ or } -x - 2 = 3x - 5$$

$$2x = 7 \qquad 4x = 3$$

$$x = \frac{7}{2} \qquad x = \frac{3}{4}$$

- 8 (i)

$$s = 400(1 - e^{-\frac{t}{10}}) - 16t$$

$$v = \frac{ds}{dt} = 400 \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-\frac{t}{10}} \right) - 16 = 40e^{-\frac{t}{10}} - 16$$

(ii) $a = \frac{dv}{dt} = 40e^{-\frac{t}{10}} - 16 = 40 \left(\frac{1}{10} e^{-\frac{t}{10}} \right) = 4e^{-\frac{t}{10}}$

(iii) When $t = 0$, $v = 40e^0 - 16 = 24 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

(iv) When $v = 0$, $40e^{-\frac{t}{10}} - 16 = 0$

$$40e^{-\frac{t}{10}} = 16$$

$$e^{-\frac{t}{10}} = \frac{16}{40}$$

$$-\frac{t}{10} = \ln \frac{16}{40}$$

$$t = -10 \ln \frac{16}{40}$$

$$= 9.1629$$

$$\approx 9.163 \text{ seconds}$$

- (v)

$$s = 400(1 - e^{-\frac{9.163}{10}}) - 16(9.163)$$

$$= 93.393$$

$$\langle v \rangle = \frac{s}{t} = \frac{93.393}{9.163} = 10.2 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

- 9 (i)

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

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 25$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2(2)x + 2(1)y - 20 = 0$$

$$\therefore g = -2, f = 1, c = -20$$

- (ii) The coordinates of A is $(-3, -1)$.

(iii) Gradient of $AB = \text{Gradient of } AO = \frac{1}{3}$

The equation of AB is $y = \frac{1}{3}x$.

(iv) Substitute $y = \frac{1}{3}x$ into $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 2y - 20 = 0$.

$$x^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}x\right)^2 - 4x + 2\left(\frac{1}{3}x\right) - 20 = 0$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{9}x^2 - 4x + \frac{2}{3}x - 20 = 0$$

$$\frac{10}{9}x^2 - \frac{10}{3}x - 20 = 0$$

$$10x^2 - 30x - 180 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 18 = 0$$

$$(x+3)(x-6) = 0$$

$$x = -3 \text{ (rej.) or } x = 6$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3}(6) = 2$$

\therefore The coordinates of B is $(6, 2)$.

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$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x - 6$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \int 6x - 6 \, dx = 3x^2 - 6x + c_1$$

When $x = 3$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12$, i.e.

$$12 = 3(3)^2 - 6(3) + c_1 \Rightarrow c_1 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 6x + 3$$

$$y = \int 3x^2 - 6x + 3 \, dx = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + c_2$$

The curve passes through the point $(3, 10)$, i.e.

$$10 = (3)^3 - 3(3)^2 + 3(3) + c_2 \Rightarrow c_2 = 1$$

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

At the stationary point, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 6x + 3 = 0$

$$x^2 - 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$(x-1)^2 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

$$y = x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x + 1$$

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

$$= 2$$

The coordinates of the stationary point is $(1, 2)$.

Since $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6(1) - 6 = 0$, we should test nearby points.

When $x = 0.9$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(0.9)^2 - 6(0.9) + 3 = 0.03 > 0$

When $x = 1.1$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(1.1)^2 - 6(1.1) + 3 = 0.03 > 0$

Since $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$ when $x = 0.9$ and when $x = 1.1$, this

is a point of inflexion.

11 (i) $C\hat{O}D = \theta$

$$A\hat{O}B = A\hat{O}D - C\hat{O}D = 90^\circ - \theta$$

$$O\hat{A}B = 90^\circ - A\hat{O}B = 90^\circ - (90^\circ - \theta) = \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{AB}{17} \Rightarrow AB = 17 \cos \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{OB}{17} \Rightarrow OB = 17 \sin \theta$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{OC}{31} \Rightarrow OC = 31 \cos \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{CD}{31} \Rightarrow CD = 31 \sin \theta$$

$$AB + BC + CD$$

$$= AB + (OC - OB) + CD$$

$$= 17 \cos \theta + (31 \cos \theta - 17 \sin \theta) + 31 \sin \theta$$

$$= 48 \cos \theta + 14 \sin \theta$$

(ii) $AB + BC + CD = 49$

$$48 \cos \theta + 14 \sin \theta = 49$$

$$= R \cos(\theta - \alpha)$$

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{14}{48}$$

$$= 16.260^\circ$$

$$R = \sqrt{48^2 + 14^2}$$

$$= 50$$

$$50 \cos(\theta - 16.260^\circ) = 49$$

$$\cos(\theta - 16.260^\circ) = \frac{49}{50}$$

$$\text{Basic } (\theta - 16.260^\circ) = \cos^{-1} \frac{49}{50}$$

$$= 11.478^\circ$$

$$\theta - 16.260^\circ = 11.478^\circ, 360^\circ - 11.478^\circ$$

$$\theta \approx 27.7^\circ, 364.8^\circ$$

$$= 4.8^\circ, 27.7^\circ$$

(iii) Maximum value of $AB + BC + CD$ is 50.

$$\cos(\theta - 16.260^\circ) = 1$$

$$\theta - 16.260^\circ = 0$$

$$\theta = 16.260^\circ$$

$$\approx 16.3^\circ$$

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