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Attempt Questions 1 – 7.

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- | Question 1 (12 marks) Start a new page   | Marks |
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| (a) Find $\int \frac{1}{x^2+3} dx$   | 2     |
| (b) Ten people sit around a round table. How many arrangements are possible if three particular people want to sit together? | 2     |
| (c) Find to the nearest degree the size of the acute angle between the lines<br>$x + 2y - 1 = 0$ $3x - 2y + 4 = 0$           | 2     |
| (d) If $y = \frac{3x+5}{x-4}$  | 2     |
| Express the inverse function as a function of x  |       |
| (e) For the points A (-5, 2) and B(2, 0)   |       |
| (i) Write down the coordinates of P, the point that divides AB internally in the ratio k:1                                   | 2     |
| (ii) If P lies on $xy=1$ , show that $k^2 - 2k + 11 = 0$   | 2     |

**Question 2** (12 marks) Start a new page

**Marks**

- (a) Given that a root of the equation  $e^x + e^{-x} - 3 = 0$  is close to 1, use one application of Newton's Method of Approximation to find a second approximation to this root (correct to 2 decimal places) 2

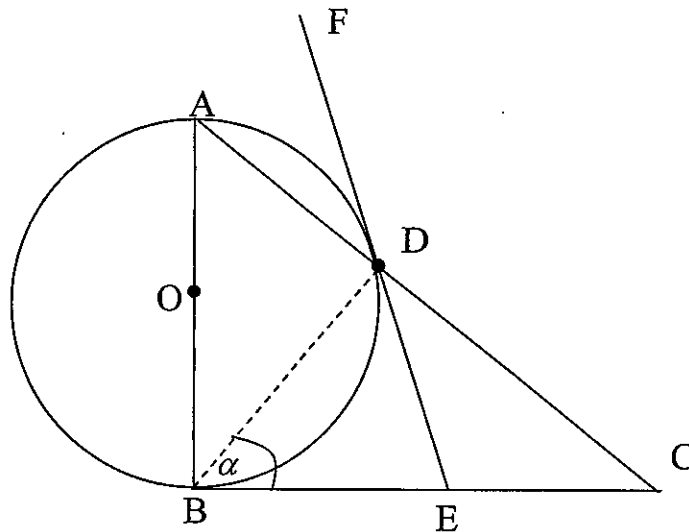
- (b) Prove by Mathematical induction that  $2^{2n+1} + 1$  is divisible by 3 for all non-negative integral values of  $n$ . 3

- (c) (i) Express  $\sin x - \cos x$  in the form  $A \sin(x - \alpha)$ , with  $A > 0$  and  $0 < \alpha < \frac{\pi}{2}$  2

- (ii) Hence or otherwise determine  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \left( \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{x - \frac{\pi}{4}} \right)$  1

(d)

Not to scale



In the diagram,  $AB$  is a diameter of the circle, centre  $O$ , and  $BC$  is tangential to the circle at  $B$ . The line  $ADC$  intersects the circle at  $D$ . The tangent to the circle at  $D$  intersects  $BC$  at  $E$ . Let  $\angle EBD = \alpha$

- (i) Copy the diagram onto your page

- (ii) Prove that  $\angle EDC = \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha$

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**Question 3** (12 marks) Start a new page

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(a) Consider the function  $f(x) = \cos^{-1} x$

(i) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ , stating clearly its range and domain. 3

(ii) Find the volume of the solid formed by rotating the arc of the curve  $y = \cos^{-1} x$  that is in the positive quadrant about the  $y$  axis. 2

(b) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [(3 \sin x) - 1]^2 \cos x \, dx$  using the substitution  $u = (3 \sin x) - 1$  3

(c) (i) If  $t = \tan \frac{\theta}{2}$ , write down expressions for  $\sin \theta$  and  $\cos \theta$  in terms of  $t$  1

(ii) Hence or otherwise solve the equation 3

$$\sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 1 + \cos \theta \quad \text{in the domain } 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$$

Question 4 (12 marks) Start a new page

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(a)

(i) Show that the derivative of  $x \tan x - \ln(\cos x)^{-1}$  is  $x \sec^2 x$  2

(ii) Hence or otherwise evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} x \sec^2 x dx$  2

(b) A team of 6 girls is to be chosen from 10 girls.

(i) Find the number of ways that two particular girls, A and B, are **both included**. 1

(ii) Find the number of ways that A and B are **both excluded**. 1

(iii) Find the probability that either A is included or B is included, but A and B are not included together. 2

(c) A particle is released from rest at the origin on a straight line, when  $x$  metres from the origin, its acceleration is given by

$$\frac{18}{(x-4)^2} \text{ m/s}^2, \text{ for } x < 4.$$

(i) In which direction will the particle first move? 1

(ii) Find the particle's velocity when it reaches  $x = 2$  3

**Question 5** (12 marks) Start a new page

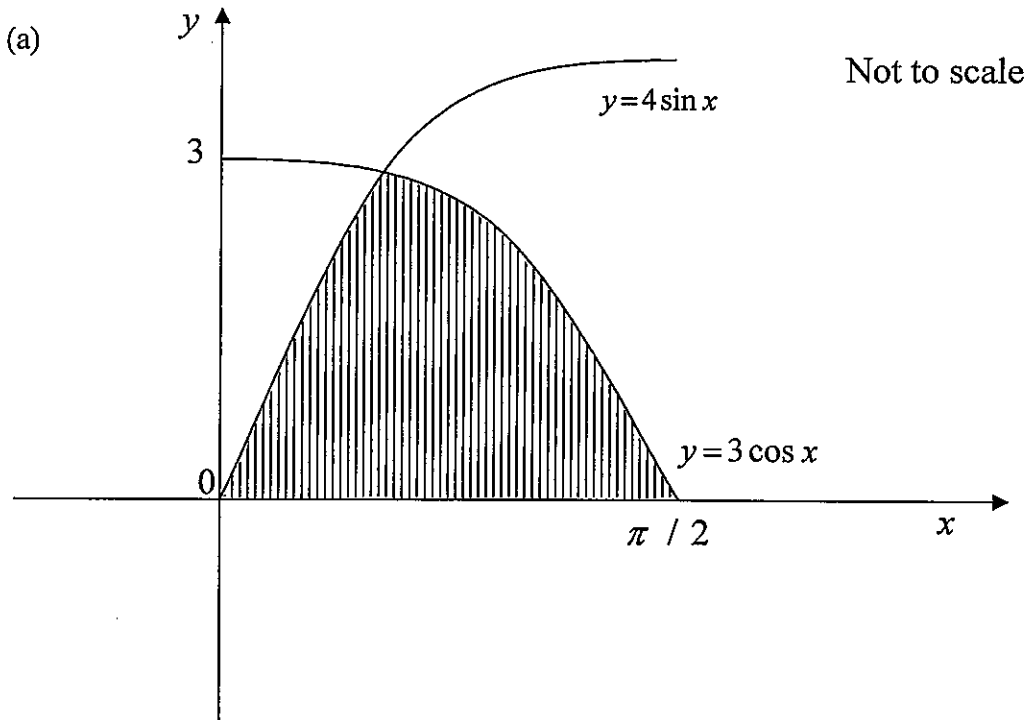
- (a) A particle moves along in a straight line such that its displacement  $x$  metres from an origin  $O$  at time  $t$  seconds is given by:

$$x = 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{2} t$$

- (i) Show that this motion is simple harmonic motion. 3
- (ii) State the amplitude and the period of this motion. 2
- (iii) Calculate the maximum speed attained by the particle. 3
- (b)
- Use long division to divide the polynomial  $f(x) = x^4 - x^3 + x^2 - x + 1$  2  
by the polynomial  $g(x) = x^2 - 3$ .
- Express your answer in the form  $f(x) = g(x).q(x) + r(x)$
- (c) Differentiate  $\cos^{-1}(e^{-x})$  with respect to  $x$ , putting your answer in simplest form. 2

Question 6 (12 marks) Start a new page

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The diagram shows the graphs of  $y = 4 \sin x$  and  $y = 3 \cos x$ . Show that the area of the shaded region in the diagram is  $2 \text{ units}^2$ .

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- (b) A particle projected from ground level at an angle  $\theta$  to the horizontal has its position at time  $t$  given by the coordinates

$$x = Vt \cos \theta, \quad y = Vt \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} gt^2 \quad (\text{DO NOT PROVE THESE})$$

- (i) Using these equations, find the maximum height reached in terms of  $V$ ,  $g$  and  $\theta$ .
- (ii) What is the speed of the object at its maximum height?

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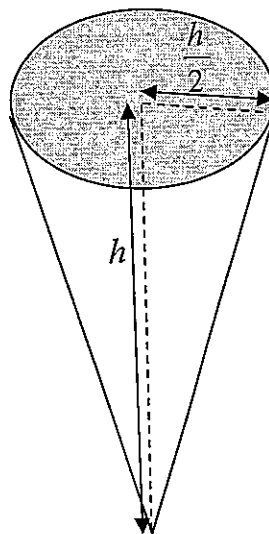
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(c)

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A cone has a depth of  $h$  and radius of  $\frac{h}{2}$ , as shown.



(i) Show that the volume of the cone is given by  $V = \frac{1}{12} \pi h^3$  1

(ii) Water is poured in at a rate of  $10 \text{ mm}^3 / \text{s}$ . Find the rate at which the depth,  $h \text{ mm}$ , is increasing when the depth of water in the cone is  $50 \text{ mm}$ . 2

The cone is filled to a depth of  $100 \text{ mm}$  and pouring then stops. A hole is then opened at the vertex of the cone and water flows out at a rate of  $\pi h^2 \text{ mm}^3 / \text{s}$

(iii) Find  $\frac{dh}{dt}$  in  $\text{mm/s}$  2

(iv) Hence find how long it takes to empty the cone. 1

End of Question 6

**Question 7** (12 marks) Start a new page

- (a) The mass,  $M$ , of a radioactive element decreases at a rate proportional to the mass,

ie.  $\frac{dM}{dt} = -kM$  where  $k$  is a constant.

- (i) Show that the function  $M = M_0 e^{-kt}$ , where  $M_0$  is the initial mass, provides such a rate. 1

- (ii) The “half-life” period of an element is the time taken for any given mass to be reduced by half. If the half-life period is  $T$ , 3

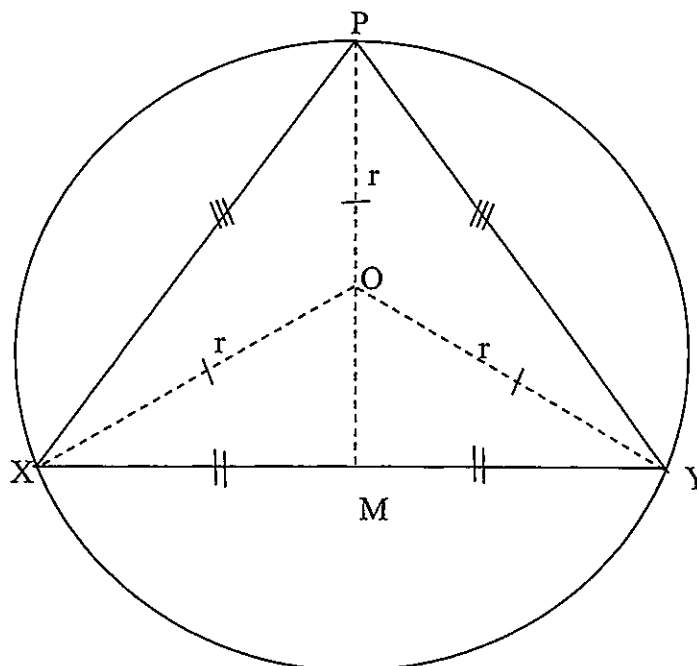
prove that  $k = \frac{\ln 2}{T}$

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(b)

Marks

Not to scale



In the diagram above,  $O$  is the centre of a circle of constant radius  $r$ . A variable chord  $XY$  subtends an angle  $2\theta$  at the centre  $O$ . Let  $P$  be the point on the major arc  $XY$  so that  $\triangle XPY$  is isosceles with  $XP = YP$ . Let  $PO$  produced meet  $XY$  at  $M$  so that  $PM$  is the perpendicular bisector of the chord  $XY$ .

(i) Prove that the area,  $A$ , of  $\triangle XPY$  is given by:

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$$A = r^2 \sin \theta (1 + \cos \theta)$$

(ii) Show that  $\frac{dA}{d\theta} = r^2 (2\cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 1)$

2

(iii) Show that  $\triangle XPY$  has maximum area when it is an equilateral triangle. You may assume it is a maximum – you are NOT

3

required to test  $\frac{d^2A}{d\theta^2}$

End of paper

# Standard Integrals

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, \quad n \neq -1; \quad x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, \quad a > 0, \quad -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right), \quad x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE:  $\ln x = \log_e x$ ,  $x > 0$

Question 1

(a)  $\int \frac{1}{x^2+3} dx = \int \frac{dx}{x^2+(\sqrt{3})^2}$   
 $= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{\sqrt{3}} + c$

(b)  $7 \cdot 3^1 = 3 \cdot 240$

(c)  $x+2y-1=0 \Rightarrow m_1 = -\frac{1}{2}$

$3x-2y+4=0 \Rightarrow m_2 = \frac{3}{2}$

$\tan \theta = \left| \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{3}{2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2}} \right|$

$\frac{2}{1/4} = 8$

$\theta = 82.87^\circ$

$\approx 83^\circ$

(d)  $f: y = \frac{3x+5}{x-4}$

$x = \frac{3y+5}{y-4}$

$2xy - 4x = 3y + 5$

$-4x - 5 = 3y - 2xy$

$-4x - 5 = y(3-x)$

$\therefore y = \frac{4x+5}{x-3}$

ie  $\int (y) = \frac{4x+5}{x-3}$

(e) A(-5, 2) B(2, 0)

(i)  $P = \left( \frac{2k-5}{k+1}, \frac{2}{k+1} \right)$

(ii)  $xy = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{2k-5}{k+1} \times \frac{2}{k+1} = 1$

$4k-10 = (k+1)^2$   
 $= k^2 + 2k + 1$

$\therefore 0 = k^2 - 2k + 1$

Question 2

(a)  $y = e^x + e^{-x} - 3$

$y' = e^x - e^{-x}$

$a_1 = 1 - \frac{e^1 + e^{-1} - 3}{e^1 - e^{-1}}$

$= 0.9633 \dots$

$\approx 0.96$

(b)  $2^{2n+1} + 1$

check  $n=1: 2^{2+1} = 8$ , which is divisible by 3

assume  $2^{2k+1} + 1 = 3P$ , where P is an integer

show  $2^{2(k+1)+1} + 1$  is divisible by 3

proof  $2^{2(k+1)+1} + 1 = 2^{2k+3} + 1$   
 $= 2^{2k+2} \cdot 2 + 1$   
 $= 4 \cdot 2^{2k+1} + 1$   
 $= 4(3P-1) + 1$ , by assumption  
 $= 12P - 4 + 1$   
 $= 12P - 3$   
 $= 3(4P-1)$   
 $= 3Q$

ie  $2^{2(k+1)+1} + 1$  is divisible by 3,  
 $\therefore 2^{2n+1} + 1$  is divisible by 3 by mathematical induction

(c) (i)

let  $\sin x - \cos x = A \sin(x-d)$   
 $= A \sin x \cos d - A \cos x \sin d$

$\therefore 1 = A \cos d$  and  $1 = A \sin d$

$1 = \tan d$

$d = \frac{\pi}{4}$

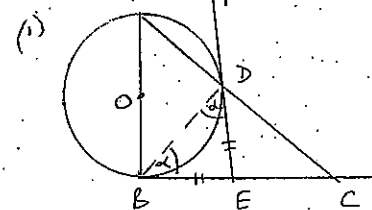
$A = 1 \div \sin \frac{\pi}{4} = \sqrt{2}$

ie  $\sin x - \cos x = \sqrt{2} \sin(x - \frac{\pi}{4})$

(ii)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sin x - \cos x}{x - \frac{\pi}{4}}$

$= \lim_{x \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sqrt{2} \sin(x - \frac{\pi}{4})}{(x - \frac{\pi}{4})} = \sqrt{2}$

(d)



(ii)  $BE = ED$  (equal tangents to O from E)

$\hat{BDE} = \alpha$

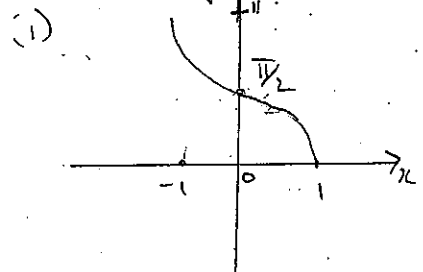
$\hat{BDA} = \frac{\pi}{2}$  (L in semi-c)

$\therefore \hat{BDE} = \frac{\pi}{2}$  (adj supp Ls)

$\hat{EDC} = \frac{\pi}{2} - \alpha$  (adj comp Ls)

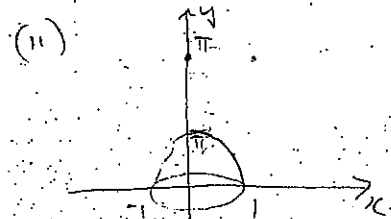
Question 3.

a)  $f(x) = \cos^{-1} x$



D:  $-1 \leq x \leq 1$

R:  $0 \leq y \leq \pi$



$$V = \pi \int_0^{\pi/2} x^2 dy$$

$$= \pi \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 y dy$$

$$= \pi \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{2} (\cos 2y + 1) dy$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{\sin 2y}{2} + y \right]_0^{\pi/2}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} \left[ \frac{\pi}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{4} \text{ units}^3$$

(b) Let  $u = 3 \sin x - 1$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 3 \cos x$$

$$du = 3 \cos x \cdot dx$$

when  $\begin{cases} x=0, & u=-1 \\ x=\pi/2, & u=2 \end{cases}$

$$\int_0^{\pi/2} (3 \sin x - 1) \cos x dx = \frac{1}{3} \int_{-1}^2 u^2 du$$

$$= \frac{1}{9} [u^3]_{-1}^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{9} [8 + 1]$$

$$= 1$$

(c) (i)  $\sin \theta = \frac{2t}{1+t^2}$

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

(ii)

$$\sqrt{3} \sin \theta = 1 + \cos \theta \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\sqrt{3} \times \frac{2t}{1+t^2} = 1 + \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2}$$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}t}{1+t^2} = \frac{1+t^2+1-t^2}{1+t^2}$$

$$\therefore 2\sqrt{3}t = 2$$

$$t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\tan \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

test  $\theta = \pi$ :

LHS of (1) =  $\sqrt{3} \sin \pi = 0$

RHS of (1) =  $1 + \cos \pi = 0$

$\therefore$  Solution are

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \pi$$

$$0 \leq \frac{\theta}{2} \leq \pi$$

### Question 4

a) (i)

$$\frac{d}{dx} [x \tan x - \ln(\cos x)^{-1}] = \frac{d}{dx} (x \tan x + \ln \cos x)$$

$$= \tan x + x \cdot \sec^2 x + \frac{1}{\cos x} \times (-\sin x)$$

$$= \tan x + x \sec^2 x - \tan x$$

$$= x \sec^2 x$$

$$= x \sec^2 x$$

(ii)  $\int_0^{\pi/4} x \sec^2 x dx$

$$= [x \tan x - \ln |\sec x|]_0^{\pi/4}$$

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

$$= 0 + \ln \left( \frac{1}{\cos 0} \right)$$

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

(b) (i)  ${}^8C_4 = 70$

(ii)  ${}^8C_6 = 28$

(iii)  $\frac{{}^{10}C_6 - 70 - 28 \cdot 160}{{}^{10}C_6}$

$$= \frac{112}{210}$$

$$= \frac{8}{15}$$

(c)  $\ddot{x} = \frac{18}{(x-4)^2} \text{ m s}^{-2}$

(i) to the right

(ii)  $\frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{2} v^2 \right) = \frac{18}{(x-4)^2}$

$$\frac{1}{2} v^2 = \frac{18(x-4)^{-1}}{-1} + c$$

when  $x=0, v=0$

$$\therefore 0 = \frac{-18 \times}{-4} + c$$

$$c = -\frac{18}{4}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} v^2 = \frac{-18}{x-4} - \frac{18}{4}$$

when  $x=2$

$$\frac{1}{2} v^2 = \frac{-18}{-2} - \frac{18}{4}$$

$$= 4\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore v = 3 \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

### Question 5

$$x = 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{2} t$$

$$(i) \dot{x} = \frac{4\pi}{2} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} t$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{-4\pi^2}{4} \sin \frac{\pi}{2} t$$

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

$$\Rightarrow \text{SHM, } n = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(ii) \text{ amplitude} = 4$$

$$\text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{\pi/2} = 4$$

$$(iii) \text{ max speed is when } x=0$$

$$x=0$$

$$0 = 4 \sin \frac{\pi}{2} t$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} t = \pi$$

$$t = 2$$

$$\dot{x} = \frac{4\pi}{2} \cos \pi$$

$$= -2\pi \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore \text{max speed} = 2\pi \text{ m s}^{-1}$$

(b) (i)

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 - x + 4 \\ x^2 + 0x - 3 \quad \overline{) x^2 - x + 4} \\ \underline{x^2 - x + 3} \phantom{+ 1} \\ \phantom{x^2 - x} + 1 \phantom{+ 4} \\ x^4 + 0x^3 - 3x^2 \\ \underline{-x^3 + 4x^2 - x} \\ -x^3 + 0x^2 + 3x \\ \underline{4x^2 - 4x + 1} \\ 4x^2 + 0x - 12 \\ \underline{-4x + 13} \end{array}$$

$$x^4 - x^3 + x^2 - x + 1 = (x^2 - 3)(x^2 - x + 4) - 4x + 13$$

$$(c) \frac{d}{dx} \cos^{-1}(e^{-x})$$

$$= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-e^{-2x}}} \times (-1)(e^{-x})^{-2} \times e^{-x}$$

$$= \frac{e^{-x}}{e^{2x} \sqrt{1-e^{-2x}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e^x \sqrt{1-e^{-2x}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e^x \sqrt{\frac{e^{2x}-1}{e^{2x}}}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e^x \frac{\sqrt{e^{2x}-1}}{e^x}}$$

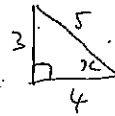
$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{e^{2x}-1}}$$

### Question 6

a) At Pt of int:

$$4 \sin x = 3 \cos x$$

$$\tan x = \frac{3}{4}$$



let  $x = \theta$  at pt of intersection

$$A = \int_0^{\theta} 4 \sin x \, dx + \int_{\theta}^{\pi/2} 3 \cos x \, dx$$

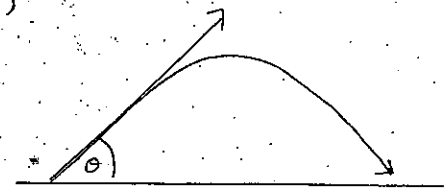
$$= 4 [\cos x]_0^{\theta} + 3 [\sin x]_{\theta}^{\pi/2}$$

$$= -4 [\cos \theta - \cos 0] + 3 [\sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin \theta]$$

$$= -4 \left[ \frac{4}{5} - 1 \right] + 3 \left[ 1 - \frac{3}{5} \right]$$

$$= 2 \text{ u}^2$$

(b)



$$x = Vt \cos \theta$$

$$y = Vt \sin \theta - \frac{1}{2} g t^2$$

(i) Max height when  $\dot{y} = 0$

$$\dot{y} = V \sin \theta - g t = 0$$

$$\text{when } t = \frac{V \sin \theta}{g}$$

$$\text{then } y = V \sin \theta \times \frac{V \sin \theta}{g} - \frac{g}{2} \times \frac{V^2 \sin^2 \theta}{g^2}$$

$$= \frac{V^2 \sin^2 \theta}{2g}$$

(ii)  $\dot{x} = V \cos \theta$  at max height



c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 1) \quad V &= \frac{1}{3} \pi R^2 H \\
 &= \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{H}{2}\right)^2 \times H \\
 &= \frac{1}{12} \pi H^3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$i) \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = 10$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = ? \quad \text{when } h = 50.$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{dh}{dV} \times \frac{dV}{dt}$$

$$\frac{dV}{dh} = \frac{3}{12} \pi h^2 = \frac{1}{4} \pi h^2$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{4}{\pi h^2} \times 10$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{40}{\pi \times 2500} \quad \text{when } h = 50 \\
 &= \frac{2}{125\pi}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$iii) \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = -\pi h^2$$

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = \frac{4}{\pi h^2} \times (-\pi h^2) = -4$$

$$iv) \quad \text{When } h = 0, t = ?$$

$$h = 100 \quad \text{when } t = 0$$

$$\frac{dt}{dh} = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$t = -\frac{1}{4}h + c$$

$$\text{Sub } t = 0, h = 100$$

$$0 = -25 + c$$

$$c = 25$$

$$\therefore t = -\frac{1}{4}h + 25$$

→ alternative :

$$\text{If } \frac{dh}{dt} = -4 \text{ mm/s}$$

To lower by 100 mm

at 4 mm/s takes 25s

Question 7

$$2) \quad \frac{dM}{dt} = -kM$$

$$i) \quad M = M_0 e^{-kt}$$

$$\frac{dM}{dt} = -kM_0 e^{-kt} = -kM$$

$$(ii) \quad \text{when } t = T$$

$$M = \frac{1}{2}M_0$$

$$\frac{1}{2}M_0 = M_0 e^{-kT}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{-kT}$$

$$\ln \frac{1}{2} = -kT$$

$$k = \frac{-\ln(\frac{1}{2})}{T}$$

$$= \frac{\ln 2}{T}$$

b)

i)  $\hat{P} = \theta$  ( $L$  at circumf =  $\frac{1}{2} \times L$  at centre)  
 and  $\hat{xPO} = \frac{\theta}{2}$   
 $\therefore \hat{POX} = 180 - \theta$  (isos  $\Delta$  xpo  
 sum of  $\Delta = 180$ )

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \text{area } \Delta XOY + 2 \times \text{area } \Delta XPO \\ &= \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin 2\theta + 2 \times \frac{1}{2} r^2 \sin (180 - \theta) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} r^2 \times 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta + r^2 \sin \theta \\ &= r^2 \sin \theta (\cos \theta + 1) \end{aligned}$$

$$(ii) A = r^2 \sin \theta (1 + \cos \theta)$$

$$\frac{dA}{d\theta} = r^2 \left[ \cos \theta (1 + \cos \theta) + \sin \theta (-\sin \theta) \right]$$

$$= r^2 \left[ \cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta \right]$$

$$= r^2 \left[ \cos \theta + \cos^2 \theta - (1 - \cos^2 \theta) \right]$$

$$= r^2 \left[ 2 \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 1 \right]$$

$$(iii) \text{ For max area } \frac{dA}{d\theta} = 0$$

$$2 \cos^2 \theta + \cos \theta - 1 = 0$$

$$(2 \cos \theta - 1)(\cos \theta + 1) = 0$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } \cos \theta = -1$$

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$$\therefore \theta = 60^\circ$$

$$\text{i.e. } \hat{xPY} = 60^\circ$$

Since  $\Delta XPY$  is isosceles,  
 it must be equilateral.