

9. The curve  $C_1$  has equation  $y = f(x)$ .

Given that

- $f(x)$  is a quadratic expression
- $C_1$  has a maximum turning point at  $(2, 20)$
- $C_1$  passes through the origin

(a) sketch a graph of  $C_1$  showing the coordinates of any points where  $C_1$  cuts the coordinate axes,

(2)

(b) find an expression for  $f(x)$ .

(3)

The curve  $C_2$  has equation  $y = x(x^2 - 4)$

Curve  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  meet at the origin, and at the points  $P$  and  $Q$

Given that the  $x$  coordinate of the point  $P$  is negative,

(c) using algebra and showing all stages of your working, find the coordinates of  $P$

(5)

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The curve  $C$  has equation

$$y = 4x^3 + \frac{2}{x} + 9 \quad x > 0$$

(a) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , giving your answer in simplest form.

(2)

Given that

- the point  $P$  lies on  $C$
- the line with equation  $y = k - 5x$ , where  $k$  is a constant, is the tangent to  $C$  at  $P$

(b) show that the  $x$  coordinate of  $P$  satisfies the equation

$$12x^4 + 5x^2 - 2 = 0$$

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(c) Hence find the value of  $k$ .

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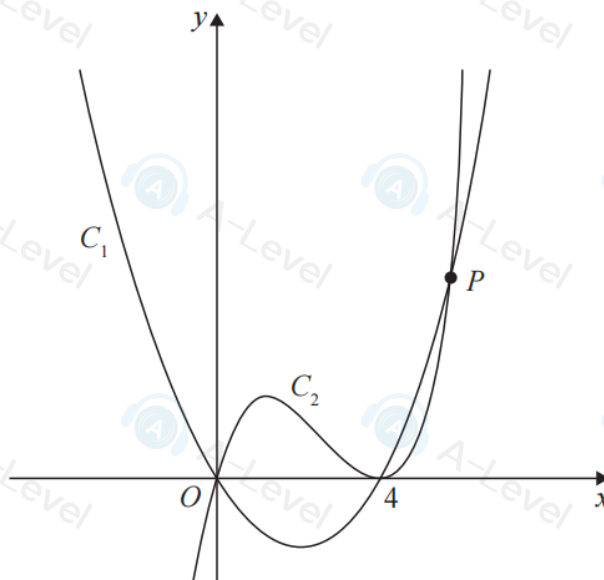


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows a sketch of part of the curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$

Given that  $C_1$

- has equation  $y = f(x)$  where  $f(x)$  is a quadratic function
- cuts the  $x$ -axis at the origin and at  $x = 4$
- has a minimum turning point at  $(2, -4.8)$

(a) find  $f(x)$

(3)

Given that  $C_2$

- has equation  $y = g(x)$  where  $g(x)$  is a cubic function
- cuts the  $x$ -axis at the origin and meets the  $x$ -axis at  $x = 4$
- passes through the point  $(6, 7.2)$

(b) find  $g(x)$

(3)

The curves  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  meet in the first quadrant at the point  $P$ , shown in Figure 1.

(c) Use algebra to find the coordinates of  $P$ .

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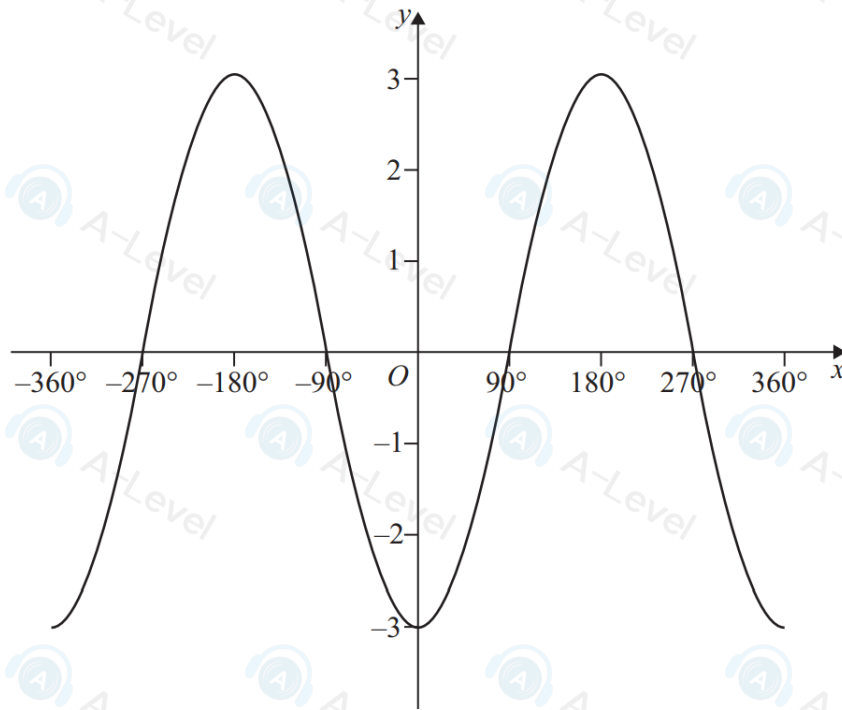


Figure 2

Figure 2 shows part of the graph of the trigonometric function with equation  $y = f(x)$ , where  $x$  is measured in degrees.

- (a) Write down an expression for  $f(x)$ . (2)
- (b) State the number of solutions of the equation
- (i)  $f(x) = 2$  in the interval  $-720^\circ \leq x \leq 720^\circ$
  - (ii)  $f(x) = -3$  in the interval  $-720^\circ \leq x \leq 720^\circ$  (2)

5. A curve has equation

$$y = \frac{x^3}{6} + 4\sqrt{x} - 15 \quad x \geq 0$$

- (a) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , giving the answer in simplest form. (3)

The point  $P\left(4, \frac{11}{3}\right)$  lies on the curve.

- (b) Find the equation of the normal to the curve at  $P$ . Write your answer in the form  $ax + by + c = 0$ , where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers to be found. (4)

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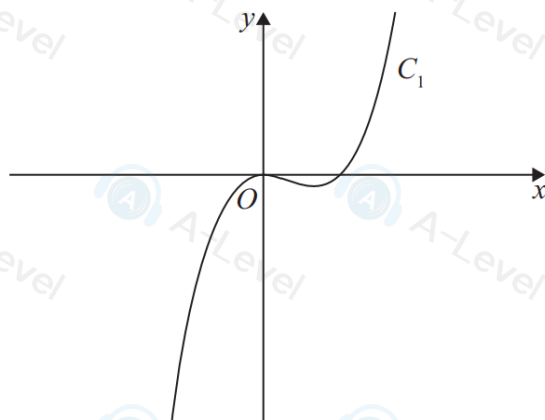


Figure 3

Figure 3 shows a sketch of part of the curve  $C_1$

Given that  $C_1$

- has equation  $y = f(x)$  where  $f(x)$  is a cubic function
- touches the  $x$ -axis at the origin and cuts the  $x$ -axis at  $x = 4$
- passes through the point  $(10, 120)$

(a) find  $f(x)$

(3)

The curve  $C_2$  has equation  $y = 1.2x(8 - x)$

On the following page there is a copy of Figure 3 called Diagram 1.

(b) On Diagram 1 sketch a graph of the curve  $C_2$

(2)

(c) Use algebra to find the coordinates of the points where  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  intersect.  
Show each stage of your working.

(5)

6 The function  $f$  is defined by  $f(x) = 2x^2 - 16x + 23$  for  $x < 3$ .

(a) Express  $f(x)$  in the form  $2(x + a)^2 + b$ .

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8. The curve  $C_1$  has equation

$$y = 3x^2 + 6x + 9$$

- (a) Write  $3x^2 + 6x + 9$  in the form

$$a(x + b)^2 + c$$

where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are constants to be found.

(3)

The point  $P$  is the minimum point of  $C_1$

- (b) Deduce the coordinates of  $P$ .

(1)

A different curve  $C_2$  has equation

$$y = Ax^3 + Bx^2 + Cx + D$$

where  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  are constants.

Given that  $C_2$

- passes through  $P$
- intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $-4$ ,  $-2$  and  $3$

- (c) find, making your method clear, the values of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$ .

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$$y = x^3 + 96\sqrt{x} + 5 \quad x > 0$$

- (a) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , giving each term in simplest form.

(3)

- (b) Find the solution of the equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$$

writing the answer in the form  $2^k$  where  $k$  is a constant.

(3)

**Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

1. Find

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

simplifying your answer.

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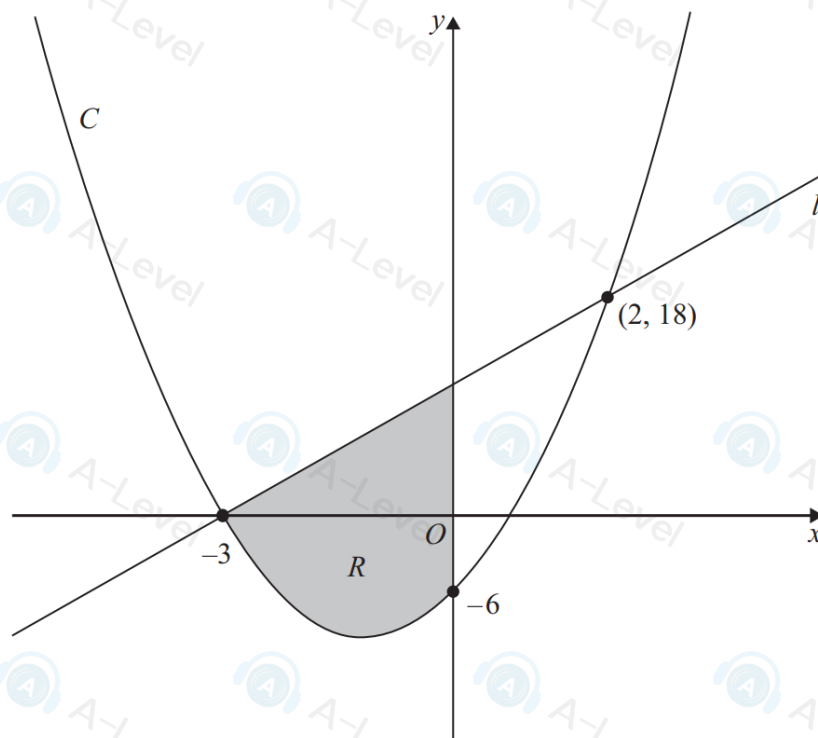


Figure 3

Figure 3 shows a sketch of a line  $l$  and a quadratic curve  $C$ .

Given that  $l$  passes through  $(-3, 0)$  and  $(2, 18)$

(a) find an equation for  $l$  in the form  $y = mx + c$  where  $m$  and  $c$  are constants.

(3)

Given that

- $C$  and  $l$  intersect at the points  $(-3, 0)$  and  $(2, 18)$
- $C$  crosses the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, -6)$

(b) find an equation for  $C$ .

(4)

The region  $R$ , shown shaded in Figure 3, is bounded by  $C$ ,  $l$  and the  $y$ -axis.

(c) Use inequalities to define  $R$ .

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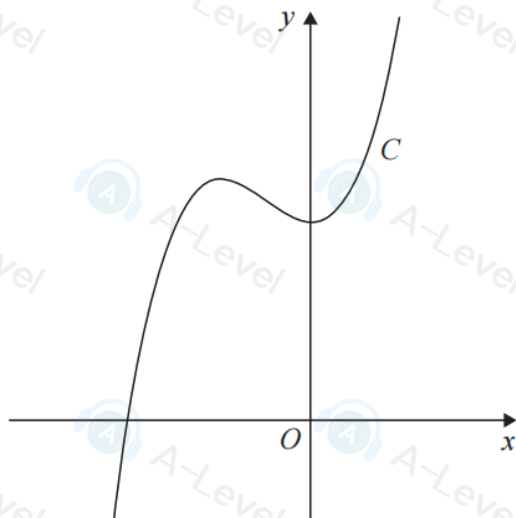


Figure 4

Figure 4 shows a sketch of the curve  $C$  with equation  $y = f(x)$ , where

$$f(x) = (x + 5)(3x^2 - 4x + 20)$$

(a) Deduce the range of values of  $x$  for which  $f(x) \geq 0$  (1)

(b) Find  $f'(x)$  giving your answer in simplest form. (3)

The point  $R(-4, 84)$  lies on  $C$ .

Given that the tangent to  $C$  at the point  $P$  is parallel to the tangent to  $C$  at the point  $R$

(c) find the  $x$  coordinate of  $P$ . (4)

(d) Find the point to which  $R$  is transformed when the curve with equation  $y = f(x)$  is transformed to the curve with equation,

(i)  $y = f(x - 3)$

(ii)  $y = 4f(x)$  (2)

2. The curve  $C$  has equation

$$y = 2x^{\frac{5}{2}} - 4x + 3$$

(a) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  writing your answer in simplest form. (2)

The point  $P$  lies on  $C$ .

Given that

- the  $x$  coordinate of  $P$  is  $2^k$  where  $k$  is a constant
- the gradient of  $C$  at the point  $P$  is 16

(b) find the value of  $k$ . (3)