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Sample Solutions

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(1) (a) (i) $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$.

(ii) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 3x}{4x} = \frac{3}{4} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan 3x}{3x} = \frac{3}{4}$

(iii) let $\alpha = \tan^{-1}\frac{5}{12} \Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{5}{12}$



$\therefore \cos\left(\tan^{-1}\frac{5}{12}\right) = \cos \alpha = \frac{12}{13}$

(b) $x = \cos 4t - \sin 4t$

$\dot{x} = -4 \sin 4t - 4 \cos 4t$

$\ddot{x} = -16 \cos 4t + 16 \sin 4t$

$= -16(\cos 4t - \sin 4t)$

$= -16x$

(c) $\int \frac{dx}{1+3x}$

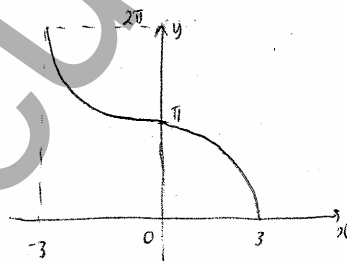
$= \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{3dx}{1+3x}$

$= \frac{1}{3} \ln|1+3x| + C$

(d) $f(x) = 2 \cos^{-1} \frac{x}{3}$

D: $-1 \leq \frac{x}{3} \leq 1 \Rightarrow -3 \leq x \leq 3$

R: $0 \leq y \leq \pi \Rightarrow 0 \leq y \leq 2\pi$



(2) (a) (i) $\int_0^1 \frac{dx}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = \left[\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \right]_0^1$
 $= \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{\pi}{6}$

(ii) $\int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^2 x \sin x dx$

$u = \cos x$

$du = -\sin x dx$

$x=0, u=1$

$x=\frac{\pi}{2}, u=0$

$= -\int_1^0 u^2 (-du)$

$= \int_0^1 u^2 du = \left[\frac{1}{3} u^3 \right]_0^1 = \frac{1}{3}$

(iii) $\int_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+16x^2}} dx$

$= \frac{1}{16} \int_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{16} + x^2} dx$

$= \frac{1}{16} \times 4 \left[\tan^{-1}(4x) \right]_{\frac{1}{4}}^{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}}$

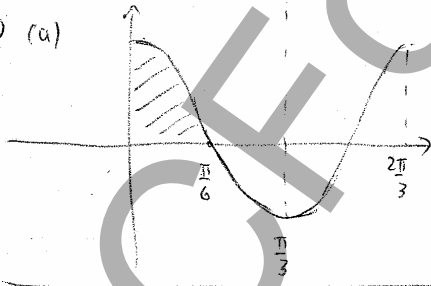
$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\tan^{-1} \sqrt{3} - \tan^{-1}(1) \right] = \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi}{4} \right] = \frac{\pi}{48}$

2 (b) (i) $\frac{d(\tan(x^2))}{dx} = 2x \sec^2(x^2)$

(ii) $\frac{d\left(\frac{e^{-x}}{x^2}\right)}{dx} = \frac{x^2(-e^{-x}) - e^{-x}(2x)}{x^4}$
 $= \frac{-xe^{-x}(x+2)}{x^4}$
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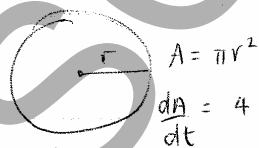
(e) $f(x) = e^{-x^2}$
 $f'(x) = -2xe^{-x^2}$
 $f''(x) = e^{-x^2}(-2) + (-2x)(-2xe^{-x^2})$
 $= -2e^{-x^2}(1-2x^2)$
 $f''(1) = -2e^{-1}(-1)$
 $= \frac{2}{e}$

(3) (a)



$$\begin{aligned} V &= \pi \int_0^{\pi/6} \cos^2 3x \, dx \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^{\pi/6} 2 \cos^2 3x \, dx \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \int_0^{\pi/6} (1 + \cos 6x) \, dx \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \left[x + \frac{1}{6} \sin 6x \right]_0^{\pi/6} \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} \left(\frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{1}{6} \sin \pi \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi^2}{12} \text{ c.u.} \end{aligned}$$

b)



$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 2\pi r \cdot \frac{dr}{dt}$$

(r=3) $4 = 2\pi(3) \frac{dr}{dt}$
 $\frac{dr}{dt} = \frac{2}{3\pi} \text{ cm/s.}$

(3) (c) (i) RHS = $\frac{d(\frac{1}{2}v^2)}{dx}$
 $= \frac{d(\frac{1}{2}v^2)}{dv} \times \frac{dv}{dx}$
 $= v \frac{dv}{dx}$
 $= \frac{dx}{dt} \cdot \frac{dv}{dx}$
 $= \frac{dv}{dt}$
 $= \ddot{x}$
 $= \text{LHS}$

(ii) $\ddot{x} = -100x$
 $\therefore \frac{d(\frac{1}{2}v^2)}{dx} = -100x$
 $\therefore \frac{1}{2}v^2 = -50x^2 + C$
($v=10, x=2$)
 $v^2 = -100x^2 + K$
 $100 = -100 \times 4 + K$
 $\therefore K = 500$
 $v^2 = 500 - 100x^2$
 $= 100(5 - x^2)$
max speed when $\ddot{x} = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$
 $\therefore v^2 = 500$
 $\therefore |v| = \sqrt{500} = 10\sqrt{5} \text{ units/sec.}$

(4) $y = x \ln x - 1, x > 0$

(i) $y' = x \times \frac{1}{x} + \ln x = 0$
 $\therefore \ln x = -1 \Rightarrow x = e^{-1}$
 $y'' = \frac{1}{x}$ at $x = e^{-1}, y'' > 0 \therefore \text{min.}$

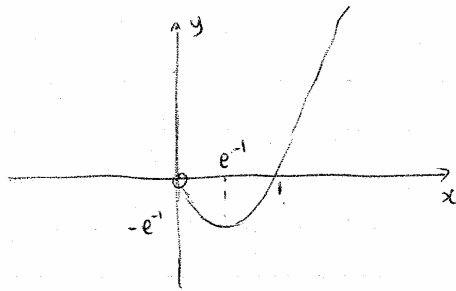
$x = e^{-1} \quad y = e^{-1} \ln e^{-1} - 1$
 $= -e^{-1} - 1$
 $\therefore (e^{-1}, -e^{-1} - 1)$

(ii) $x_0 = 2 \quad x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} = 2 - \frac{2 \ln 2 - 1}{1 + \ln 2} \approx 1.8$

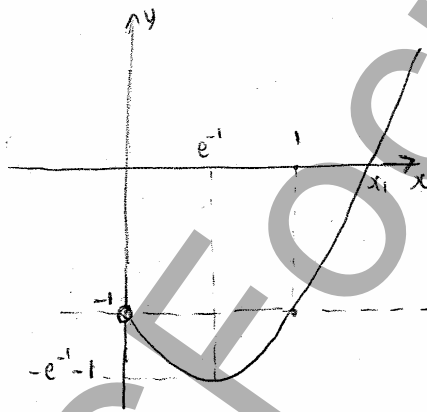
(iii) $y'' = \frac{1}{x} > 0$ for $x > 0 \therefore \text{concave up.}$

4(a)(iv) sketch $y = x \ln x - 1$

I: First sketch $y = x \ln x$



II: shift curve down 1 unit



(b) $\frac{dP}{dt} = -kP$

$\therefore P = P_0 e^{-kt}$

LHS = $\frac{dP}{dt} = -k(P_0 e^{-kt})$

$= -kP$

$= \text{RHS}$

(5) (a) $a = 8e^{-4t}$

(i) $\therefore \frac{dv}{dt} = -2e^{-4t} + c$

$\therefore v = -2e^{-4t} + c$

($t=0, v=2$)

$\therefore 2 = -2e^0 + c$

$\therefore c = 4$

$\therefore v = 4 - 2e^{-4t}$

(ii) $3 = 4 - 2e^{-4t}$

$\therefore -1 = -2e^{-4t}$

$\therefore e^{-4t} = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore -4t = \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\ln 2$

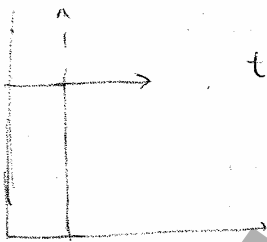
$\therefore t = \frac{1}{4} \ln 2$

(iii) as $t \rightarrow \infty, e^{-4t} \rightarrow 0$

$\therefore v \rightarrow 4$

(b)

(i)



$t=0, x=0, \dot{x}=u$
 $y=h, \dot{y}=0$

$\ddot{x} = 0$

$\therefore \dot{x} = c$

$\therefore \dot{x} = u$

$\therefore x = ut + k$

$\therefore \boxed{x = ut} \quad (t=0, x=0)$

$\ddot{y} = -g$

$\therefore \dot{y} = -gt + c_1$

$\dot{y} = -gt$

$y = -\frac{gt^2}{2} + k_1$

$\therefore \boxed{y = h - \frac{g}{2}t^2} \quad (t=0, y=h)$

(ii) $y=0 \Rightarrow h - \frac{g}{2}t^2 = 0$

$\frac{g}{2}t^2 = h$

$t^2 = \frac{2h}{g}$

$t = \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}} \text{ sec.}$

(iii) $R = u \times \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}}$

$= u \sqrt{\frac{2h}{g}} \text{ m}$

(6) (a) $\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{3\theta - \theta}{20} = -\frac{1}{20}(\theta - 30)$

(i) $\therefore \theta = 30 + \theta_0 e^{-\frac{1}{20}t}$ (Newton's Law of cooling)

$t = 0, \theta = 10 \Rightarrow \theta_0 = -20$

$\therefore \theta = 30 - 20e^{-\frac{1}{20}t}$

(ii) $t = 60 \text{ min}, \theta = ?$

$\therefore \theta = 30 - 20e^{-3}$

$\approx 29^\circ$

(iii) $\theta = 20, t = ?$

$20 = 30 - 20e^{-\frac{1}{20}t}$

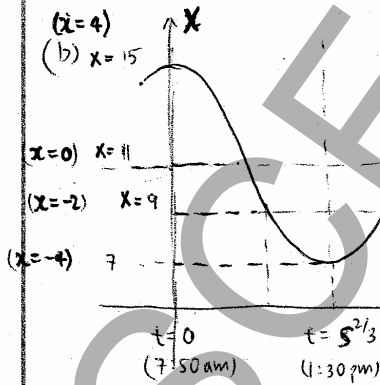
$-10 = -20e^{-\frac{1}{20}t}$

$e^{-\frac{1}{20}t} = \frac{1}{2}$

$-\frac{1}{20}t = \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\ln 2$

$\therefore t = 20 \ln 2 \text{ min.}$

$\approx 14 \text{ min.}$



(i) $|A| = 4 \text{ metres}$

$T = 11\frac{1}{3} \text{ hours} = \frac{34}{3} \text{ hours}$
(11 hrs 20 min)

(ii) $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \Rightarrow \omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{2\pi \times 3}{34} = \frac{3\pi}{17}$

$x = 4 \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{17}t\right)$

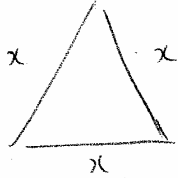
$\therefore -2 = 4 \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{17}t\right)$

$\therefore \frac{3\pi}{17}t = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3}$

$t = \frac{37}{9}, \frac{68}{9} \text{ hours later}$

$\therefore 11:37 \text{ am to } 3:23 \text{ pm}$

(6) (c)



$$P = 3x$$
$$A = \frac{1}{2} x^2 \sin 60^\circ$$
$$= \frac{x^2 \sqrt{3}}{4}$$

method 1: $x = \frac{P}{3}$

$$A = \left(\frac{P}{3}\right)^2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{3} P^2}{36}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dA}{dP} = \frac{\sqrt{3} P}{36}}$$

method 2:

$$\frac{dA}{dP} = \frac{dA}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dP}$$
$$= \frac{2x\sqrt{3}}{4} \times \frac{1}{3}$$
$$= \frac{x\sqrt{3}}{12} = \frac{3x\sqrt{3}}{36}$$
$$= \boxed{\frac{\sqrt{3} P}{36}}$$