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Test 1
Differentiation , applications and Optimisation.
Basic antidifferentiation
Semester One 2017
Year 12 Mathematics Methods
Calculator Free

Name: SOLUTIONS

Date Monday 20th February 7.45am

You may have a formula sheet for this section of the test.

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Question 1

(4 marks)

Find y in terms of x given that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 15x(5x^2 - 1)^2$
and $y = 40$ when $x = 1$

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

$$40 = \frac{4^3}{2} + c$$

$$c = 8$$

$$y = \frac{(5x^2 - 1)^3}{2} + 8$$

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Question 2**(6 marks)**

Clearly showing your use of the product, quotient or chain rule differentiate the following. (YOU MAY LEAVE YOUR ANSWERS IN AN UNSIMPLIFIED FORM) .

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

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

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b) $y = \frac{1-t}{1-2t^2}$ (2)

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{-(1-2t^2)+4t(1-t)}{(1-2t^2)^2}$$

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c) $y = (3x^2+5)^3$ (2)

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 18x(3x^2+5)^2$$

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Question 3

(4 marks)

Given that $y = x^{\frac{1}{3}}$, use $x = 1000$ and the increments formula $\delta y \approx \frac{dy}{dx} \delta x$ to determine an approximate value for $\sqrt[3]{1006}$.

Solution
$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}x^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ $\delta y \approx \frac{1}{3}x^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times 6$ When $x = 1000$, $\delta y \approx 2 \times \frac{1}{(\sqrt[3]{1000})^2}$ $\approx \frac{2}{100}$ $\therefore \sqrt[3]{1006} \approx 10.02$
Specific behaviours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ substitutes for x correctly ✓ determines $\frac{dy}{dx}$ ✓ uses $\frac{\delta y}{\delta x}$ correctly ✓ determines approximate value

Question 4

(6 marks)

For the function $y = x^4 - 4x^3 + 1$ determine

a) The coordinates of the y - intercept

$$y = (0, 1) \quad \checkmark$$

b) The behaviour of the function as $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$

y increases as $x \rightarrow \pm \infty \quad \checkmark$

c) The location and nature of any turning points

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^3(x-3)$$

Gradient of 0 at $x = 0 \wedge x = 3$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12x^2$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}(0) = 0 \therefore \text{horizontal point of inflection}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}(3) > 0 \therefore \text{minimum turning point}$$

Minimum turning point at $(3, -26)$

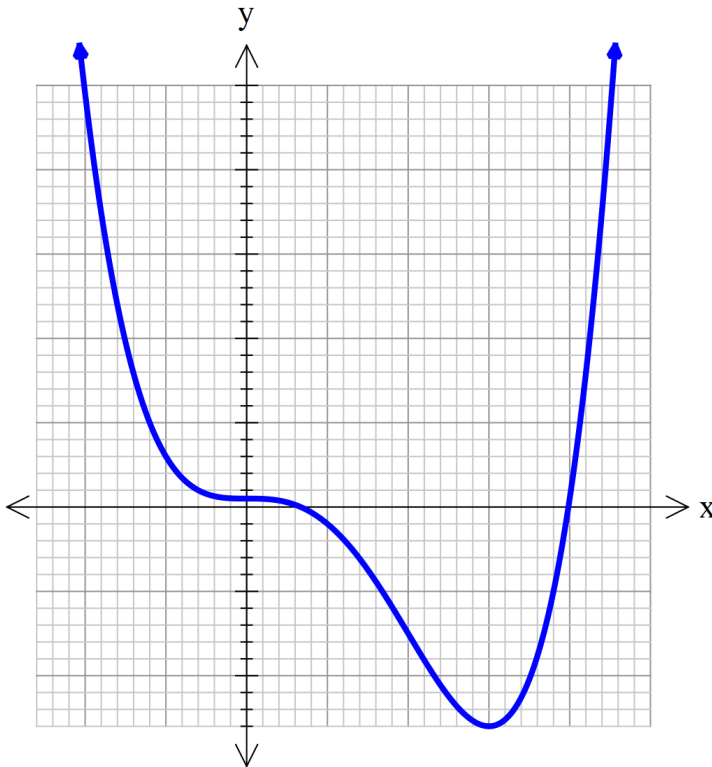
\checkmark

d) Any points of inflection and what type of inflection they are.

Horizontal point of inflection at (0,1)

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Hence sketch the curve on the axes provided. (Ensure you label all parts)



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Question 1

(7 marks)

A small object is moving in a straight line with acceleration $a = 6t + k \text{ ms}^{-2}$, where t is the time in seconds and k is a constant. When $t = 1$ the object was stationary and had a displacement of 4 metres relative to a fixed point O on the line. When $t = 2$ the object had a velocity of 1 ms^{-1} .

- (a) Determine the value of k and hence an equation for the velocity of the object at time t . (4 marks)

Solution	
	$v = 3t^2 + kt + c$ $t = 1, 3 + k + c = 0$ $t = 2, 12 + 2k + c = 1$ $k = -8$ $c = 5$ $v = 3t^2 - 8t + 5$
Specific behaviours	
(b) D	✓ antidifferentiates acceleration, adding constant ✓ derives simultaneous equations from information ✓ solves equations ✓ writes velocity equation

(4 marks)

Solution	
	$s = t^3 - 4t^2 + 5t + c$ $t = 1, 4 = 1 - 4 + 5 + c$ $c = 2$ $s = t^3 - 4t^2 + 5t + 2$ $s(2) = 8 - 16 + 10 + 2$ $= 4 \text{ m}$
Specific behaviours	
	✓ antidifferentiates velocity ✓ determines constant ✓ evaluates displacement

Question 2 [7 marks]

An open cuboid container for holding fishing equipment, is made with a base length twice as long as its width is to be made from a sheet of metal with an area of 36 m^2 .

- (a) Show that its height is given by the expression $h = \frac{6}{x} - \frac{x}{3}$ where x is the width of

the base.

[2]

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + 2xh + 4xh &= 36 \\ 2x^2 + 6xh &= 36 \\ 6xh &= 36 - 2x^2 \\ h &= \frac{36}{6x} - \frac{2x^2}{6x} \\ &= \frac{6}{x} - \frac{x}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(b) Express the volume V , in terms of x

[2]

$$\begin{aligned} V &= lwh \\ &= 2x \cdot x \cdot \left(\frac{6}{x} - \frac{x}{3} \right) \\ &= 12x - \frac{2x^3}{3} \end{aligned}$$

(c) Find the maximum Volume using Calculus techniques.

[3]

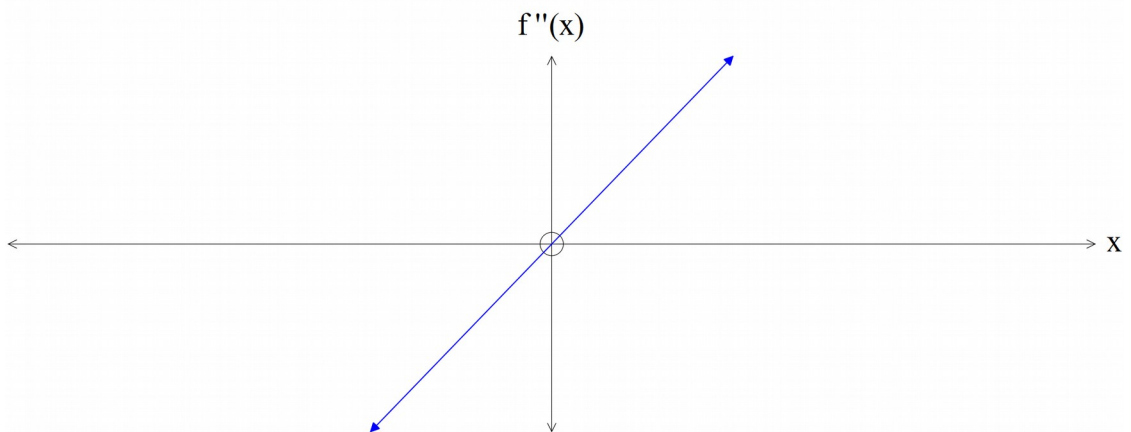
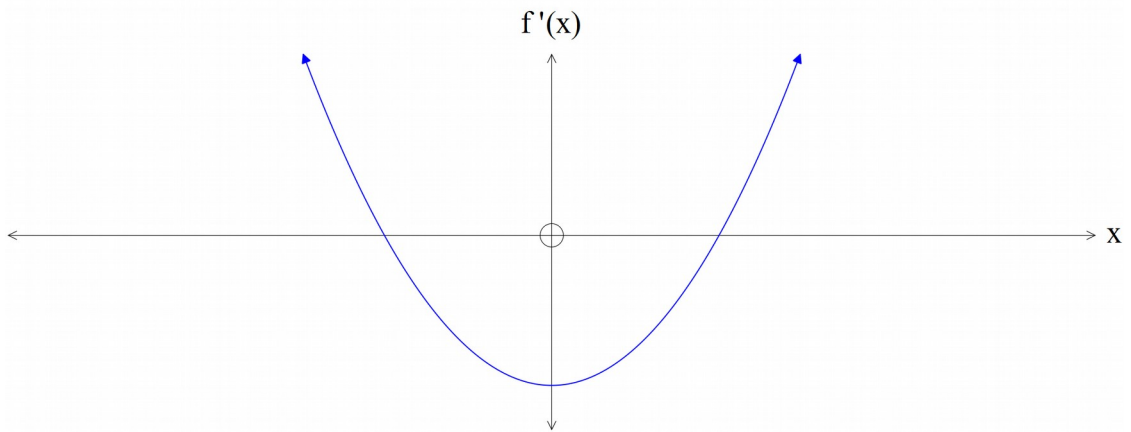
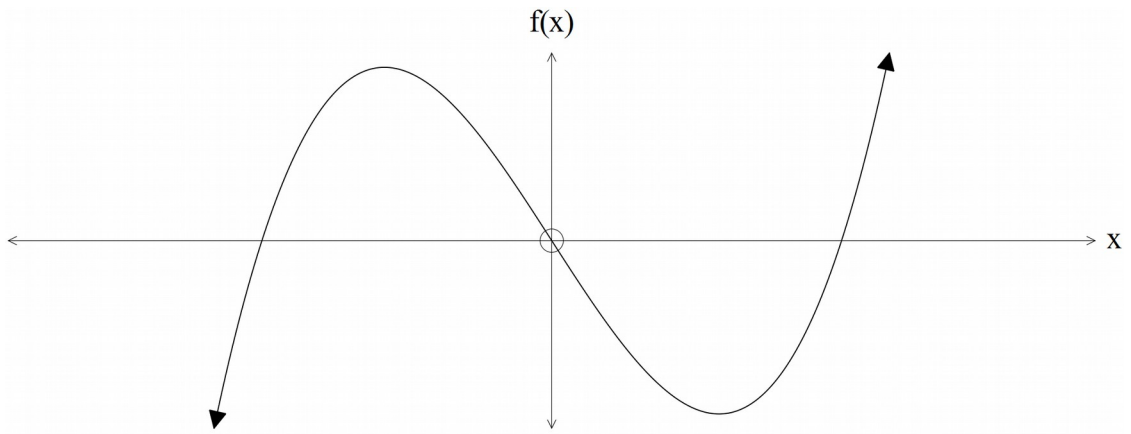
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dx} &= 12 - 2x^2 \\ \text{Put } \frac{dV}{dx} &= 0 \\ 12 - 2x^2 &= 0 \\ x^2 &= 6 \\ x &= \pm\sqrt{6} \quad \text{Discard negative value} \\ \text{Maximum volume is } &8\sqrt{6} \quad 19.60 \text{ to } 2d.p \end{aligned}$$

Question 3

(10 marks)

- (a) Given the sketch of the function $y = f(x)$ on the set of axes below, use it to sketch the functions $y = f'(x)$ and $y = f''(x)$.

(3)

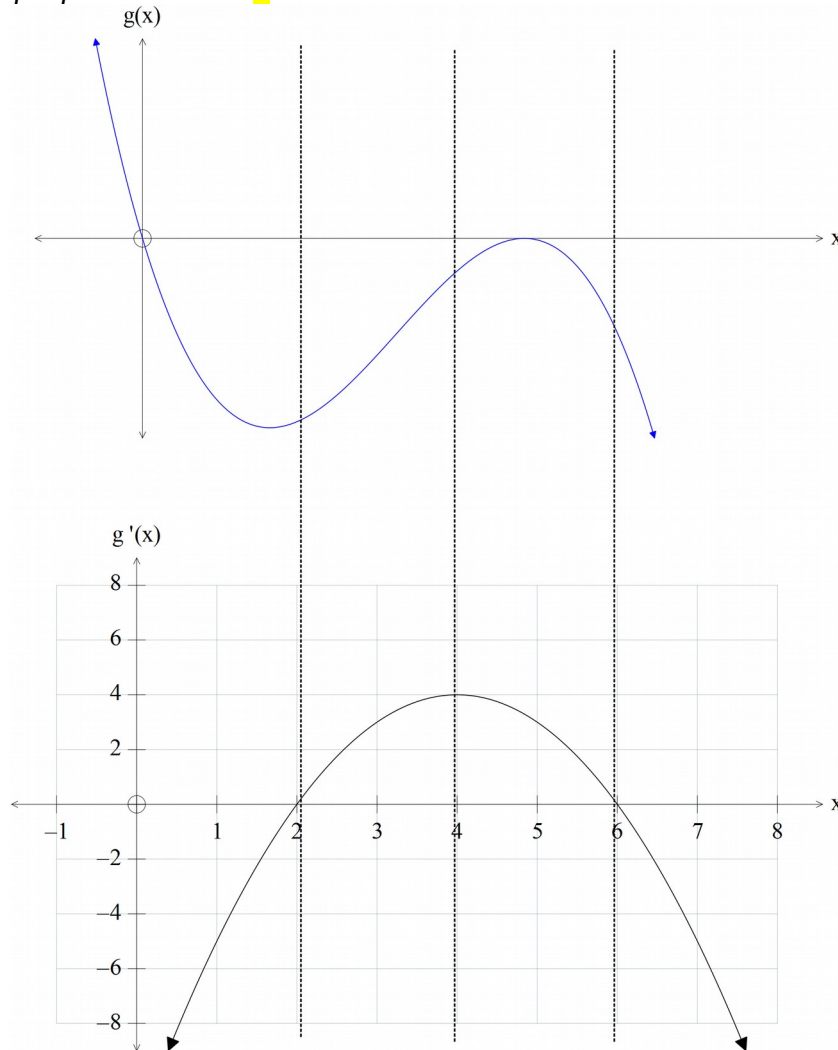


- (b) (i) Given the graph of the function $y = g'(x)$ sketch a possible graph of the function $y = g(x)$. (3)

Shape

Turning Points

Horizontal Point of Inflection



- (ii) Find the equation of $y = g(x)$ given that $g(1) = -8$. (4)

$$g'(x) = -(x-2)(x-6) \quad \checkmark$$

$$g'(x) = -x^2 + 8x - 12$$

$$g(x) = \frac{-x^3}{3} + 4x^2 - 12x + c \quad \checkmark$$

$$-8 = \frac{-1}{3} + 4 - 12 + c$$

$$c = \frac{1}{3} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\therefore g(x) = \frac{-x^3}{3} + 4x^2 - 12x + \frac{1}{3} \quad \checkmark$$