

A Level H2 Math

Integration Test 3

Q1

The region bounded by the curve $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x-2}}$, the x -axis and the lines $x = 9$ and $x = 16$ is rotated through 2π radians about the x -axis. Use the substitution $t = \sqrt{x}$ to find the exact volume of the solid obtained. [6]

Q2

- (a) Find $\int e^x \cos(2x) dx$. [3]
- (b) The curve C has parametric equations

$$x = t - e^t, \quad y = 3 \cos^2 t - 1, \quad \text{for } 0 < t < \pi.$$

- (i) Use differentiation to find the exact x -coordinate of any turning point and determine the nature of the turning point. [3]
- (ii) Find the exact area of the region bounded by the curve C and the line $y = 2$, expressing your answer in the form $a\pi + b + ce^\pi$, where a , b and c are rational numbers to be determined. [5]

Q3

The parametric equations of the curve C are

$$x = 2 \sec t \quad \text{and} \quad y = 3 \tan t, \quad \text{where } -\pi < t \leq \pi, t \neq \pm \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

- (i) Write down the Cartesian equation of C . [1]
- (ii) Sketch the curve C , stating the equations of the asymptotes and the coordinates of the points where C crosses the axes, if any. [2]
- (iii) The line $y = \sqrt{3}x + k$, where $k < 0$, is a tangent to C . Show that $k = -\sqrt{3}$. [3]
- The region bounded by this tangent, the curve C and the x -axis is rotated completely about the x -axis. Calculate the volume obtained. [4]

Answers

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Q1

Method ①:

Volume

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \pi \int_9^{16} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}-2} \right)^2 dx \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \left(\frac{1}{t-2} \right)^2 (2t) dt \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \frac{2t}{t^2-4t+4} dt \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \frac{2t-4}{t^2-4t+4} + \frac{4}{(t-2)^2} dt \\
 &= \pi \left[\ln|t^2-4t+4| \right]_3^4 + \pi \int_3^4 4(t-2)^{-2} dt \\
 &= \pi \left[\ln|t^2-4t+4| + 4 \frac{(t-2)^{-1}}{-1} \right]_3^4 \\
 &= \pi \left[\ln|t^2-4t+4| - \frac{4}{(t-2)} \right]_3^4 \\
 &= \pi [(\ln 4 - 2) - (\ln 1 - 4)] \\
 &= \pi(\ln 4 + 2) \text{ units}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Method ②:

Volume

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \pi \int_9^{16} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{x}-2} \right)^2 dx \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \left(\frac{1}{t-2} \right)^2 (2t) dt \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \frac{2t}{(t-2)^2} dt \\
 &= \pi \int_3^4 \frac{2}{(t-2)} + \frac{4}{(t-2)^2} dt \\
 &= \pi [2 \ln|t-2|]_3^4 + \pi \int_3^4 4(t-2)^{-2} dt \\
 &= \pi \left[2 \ln|t-2| + 4 \frac{(t-2)^{-1}}{-1} \right]_3^4 \\
 &= \pi \left[2 \ln|t-2| - \frac{4}{(t-2)} \right]_3^4 \\
 &= \pi [(2 \ln 2 - 2) - (2 \ln 1 - 4)] \\
 &= \pi(2 \ln 2 + 2) \text{ units}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Substitution:

$$\begin{aligned}
 t &= \sqrt{x} \\
 t^2 &= x \\
 2t &= \frac{dx}{dt} \\
 \text{When } x &= 9, t = 3 \\
 \text{When } x &= 16, t = 4
 \end{aligned}$$

Most candidates were able to setup the correct integral for the volume of revolution. However, many failed make the correct substitution

of dx by $\frac{dx}{dt} dt$ and thus $2tdt$.

Another group of students forgot to change the upper and lower limits to the respective values of t when the variable was changed.

Many students were also stuck at the integration of $\frac{4}{(t-2)^2}$ as it is

not very easy for those who don't practise much to identify the fraction as a power function of power -2.

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Q2

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} \int e^x \cos 2x \, dx &= e^x \cos 2x + 2 \int e^x \sin 2x \, dx \\ &= e^x \cos 2x + 2 \left(e^x \sin 2x - 2 \int e^x \cos 2x \, dx \right) \\ 5 \int e^x \cos 2x \, dx &= e^x \cos 2x + 2e^x \sin 2x \\ \therefore \int e^x \cos 2x \, dx &= \frac{e^x (\cos 2x + 2 \sin 2x)}{5} + c \end{aligned}$$

(b)(i)

$$x = t - e^t, \quad y = 3 \cos^2 t - 1$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 1 - e^t, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = 6 \cos t (-\sin t) = -3 \sin(2t)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-3 \sin(2t)}{1 - e^t}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow \sin(2t) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2t = 0 \text{ (N.A.) or } 2t = \pi \text{ or } 2t = 2\pi \text{ (N.A.)}$$

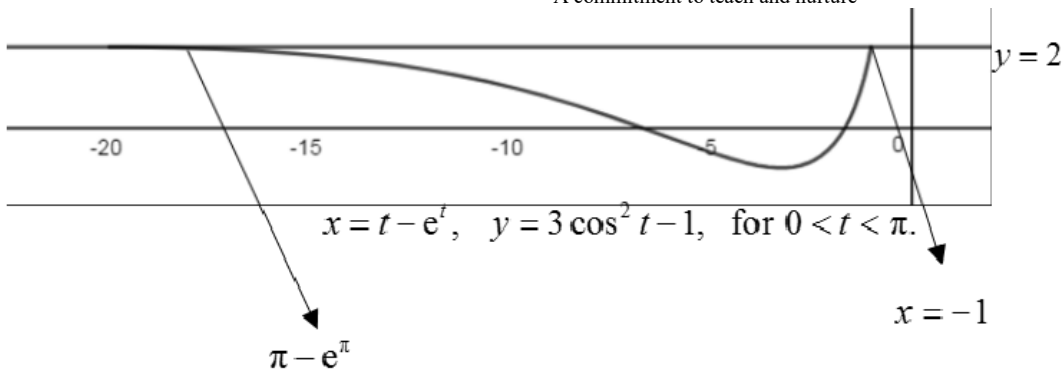
$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

t	1.6	$\frac{\pi}{2}$	1.5
x	-3.35303	-3.2396811	-2.981689
$\frac{dy}{dx}$	-0.0443	0	0.122

NB: t increases as x decreases.

Hence x -coordinate of the minimum point at is $\frac{\pi}{2} - e^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$.

(b)(ii)



When $y = 2$,

$$2 = 3 \cos^2 t - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos t = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow t = 0, \pi$$

When $t = 0, x = 0 - e^0 = -1$

When $t = \pi, x = \pi - e^\pi = -19.9991$

Area required

$$= \int_{\pi - e^\pi}^{-1} (2 - y) dx$$

$$= \int_{\pi}^0 (2 - (3 \cos^2 t - 1))(1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= \int_{\pi}^0 (3 - 3 \cos^2 t)(1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= 3 \int_{\pi}^0 (1 - \cos^2 t)(1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= 3 \int_{\pi}^0 \left(1 - \frac{\cos 2t + 1}{2}\right) (1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= 3 \int_{\pi}^0 \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\cos 2t}{2}\right) (1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \int_{\pi}^0 (1 - \cos 2t)(1 - e^t) dt$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \int_{\pi}^0 (1 - \cos 2t - e^t + e^t \cos 2t) dt$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \left[t - \frac{\sin 2t}{2} - e^t + \frac{e^t (\cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t)}{5} \right]_{\pi}^0$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \left[-\frac{4}{5} - \pi + \frac{4e^\pi}{5} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{3}{2} \pi - \frac{6}{5} + \frac{6}{5} e^\pi, \text{ where } a = -\frac{3}{2}, b = -\frac{6}{5}, c = \frac{6}{5}$$

Q3

(i)

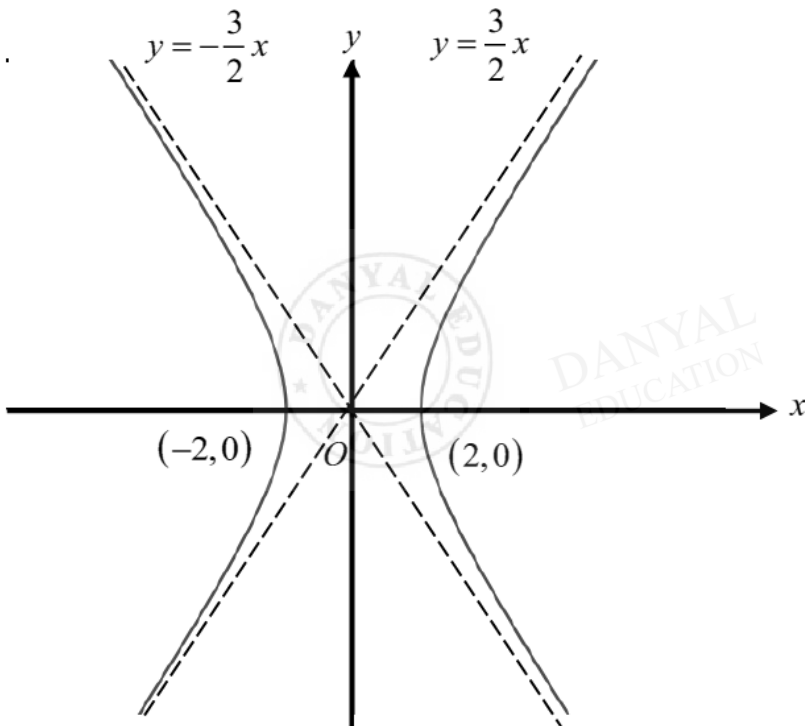
$$x = 2 \sec t \text{ and } y = 3 \tan t$$

$$1 + \tan^2 t = \sec^2 t$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 + \frac{y^2}{9} = \frac{x^2}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$$

(ii)



(iii)

Method 1

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \cdot \frac{dt}{dx} = 3 \sec^2 t \cdot \frac{1}{2 \sec t \tan t} = 1.5 \operatorname{cosec} t$$

$$1.5 \operatorname{cosec} t = \sqrt{3}$$

$$t = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\text{When } t = \frac{\pi}{3},$$

$$x = 2 \sec \frac{\pi}{3} = 4, \quad y = 3 \tan \frac{\pi}{3} = 3\sqrt{3}.$$

Equation of tangent:

$$y - 3\sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}(x - 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{3}x - 4\sqrt{3} + 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{3}x - \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore k = -\sqrt{3} \text{ (Shown)}$$

$$\text{When } t = \frac{2\pi}{3},$$

$$x = 2 \sec \frac{2\pi}{3} = -4, \quad y = 3 \tan \frac{2\pi}{3} = -3\sqrt{3}.$$

Equation of tangent:

$$y + 3\sqrt{3} = \sqrt{3}(x + 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{3}x + 4\sqrt{3} - 3\sqrt{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \sqrt{3}x + \sqrt{3}$$

$$\therefore k = \sqrt{3} \text{ (N.A. } \because k < 0)$$

Method 2

$$\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{(\sqrt{3}x + k)^2}{9} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -3x^2 - (8\sqrt{3}k)x - (36 + 4k^2) = 0$$

Since the line $y = \sqrt{3}x + k$, where $k < 0$, is a tangent to C , there should be repeated roots.

Thus,

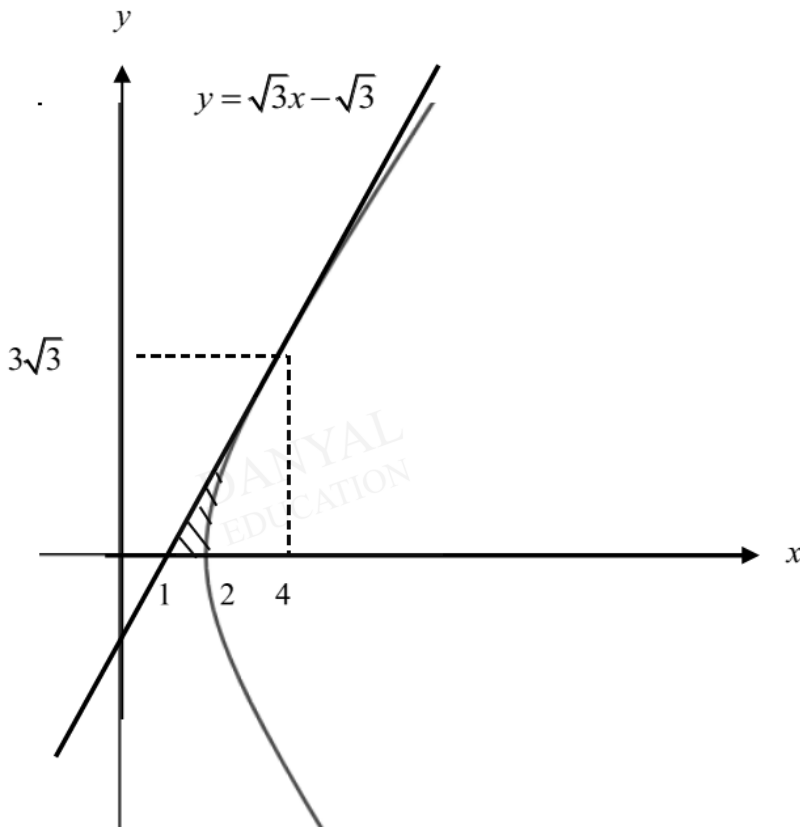
$$(8\sqrt{3}k)^2 - 4(-3)(-36 - 4k^2) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 192k^2 - 432 - 48k^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 144k^2 = 432$$

$$\Rightarrow k^2 = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \sqrt{3} \text{ (N.A. } \because k < 0) \text{ or } k = -\sqrt{3} \text{ (Shown)}$$



For $k = -\sqrt{3}$,

$$-3x^2 - (8\sqrt{3}(-\sqrt{3}))x - (36 + 4(3)) = 0$$

$$3x^2 - 24x + 48 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 16 = 0$$

$$(x - 4)^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 4$$

$$y^2 = 9\left(\frac{x^2}{4} - 1\right)$$

When $x = 4$, $y = \sqrt{27} = 3\sqrt{3}$ ($y > 0$)

$$= \frac{1}{3} \pi (3\sqrt{3})^2 (3) - \pi \int_2^4 y^2 \, dx$$

$$= 27\pi - 9\pi \int_2^4 \left(\frac{x^2}{4} - 1\right) \, dx$$

$$= 27\pi - 9\pi \left(\frac{8}{3}\right)$$

$$= 3\pi$$

$$= 9.42 \text{ (3 sf)}$$