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- (a) (i) The base of a certain solid S_1 is the region bounded by the parabola $y^2 = 4ax$ and the line $x = a$, where $a > 0$. 3

By taking slices parallel to the y -axis in this base where each cross-section is an equilateral triangle, find the volume of S_1 .

- (ii) The area bounded by $y^2 = 4ax$ and the line $x = a$ is rotated about the line $x = a$ to form a solid of revolution.

By considering slices parallel to the x -axis:

- (α) Show that the cross-sectional area A is given by: 2

$$A = \pi \left(a^2 - \frac{1}{2}y^2 + \frac{1}{16a^2}y^4 \right).$$

- (β) Hence, find the volume of the solid of revolution. 2

- (b) A particle P of mass m kg, is attached to the end of a light wire 5 cm long which rotates as a conical pendulum with uniform speed in a horizontal plane below a fixed point O to which the wire is attached. The particle rotates so that the angular velocity is ω rads/sec.

- (i) Show that the angular velocity is $\frac{26\pi}{5}$ rads/sec when the particle is rotating at 156 rpm. 1

- (ii) Find the semi-vertical angle θ of the conical pendulum (answer to the nearest degree and take $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$). 2

- (c) A particle moves in a straight line. It is placed at the origin O on the x -axis and is then released from rest.

When it is at position x , the acceleration \ddot{x} , of the particle is given by:

$$\ddot{x} = -9x + \frac{5}{(2-x)^2}.$$

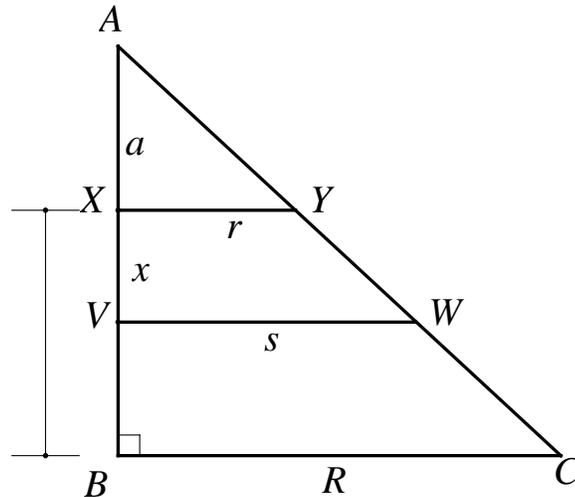
- (i) Show that: $v^2 = \frac{x(3x-5)(3x-1)}{2-x}$ for $x \neq 2$. 3

- (ii) Prove that the particle moves between two points on the x -axis, and find these points. 2

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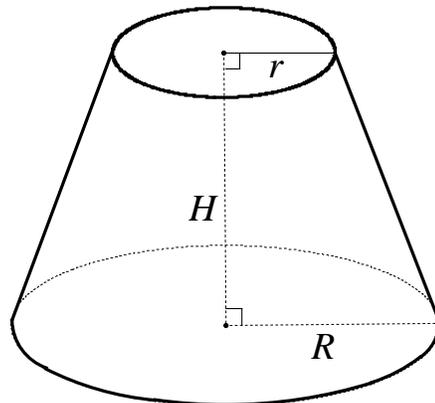
- (a) Consider the right-triangle ABC , where XY and BC are the lengths r and R respectively. Given VW is parallel to XY and BC . The distance between XY and BC is H , the length $VW = s$, $XV = x$ and length $AX = a$, as shown.



(i) Show using similar triangles: $s = \frac{R-r}{H} \left(x + \frac{Hr}{R-r} \right)$.

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- (ii) The frustum of a cone where the radius of the top and bottom faces are r and R respectively and the height is H , is shown below.



By considering a cross-sectional slice of the frustum parallel to the top face at a distance x units from the top, and using **integration**, show that the volume V of the frustum is given by :

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$$V = \frac{\pi H}{3} (R^2 + Rr + r^2) .$$

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- (b) An object of unit mass falls under gravity through a resistive medium. The object falls from rest from a height of 50 metres above the ground. The resistive force, in Newtons, is of magnitude $\frac{1}{100}$ the square of the objects speed $v \text{ ms}^{-1}$ when it has travelled a distance x metres. Let g be the acceleration due to gravity in ms^{-2} .

- (i) Draw a diagram to show the forces acting on the body. Hence, show that the equation of motion of the body is: **1**

$$\ddot{x} = g - \frac{v^2}{100}.$$

- (ii) Show that the terminal speed, $u \text{ ms}^{-1}$, of the body is given by: **1**

$$u = \sqrt{100g}.$$

- (iii) Prove that: $\ddot{x} = v \frac{dv}{dx}$. **1**

- (iv) Show that: $\frac{v^2}{u^2} = 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{50}}$. **3**

- (v) Find the distance fallen when the object has reached a speed equal to 50% of its terminal speed (correct to 1 decimal place). **2**

- (vi) Find the speed attained, as a percentage of the terminal speed, when the object hits the ground (correct to 1 decimal place). **1**

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- (a) The region bounded by the curves $y = \frac{1}{x+1}$ and $y = \frac{1}{x+2}$ and the lines $x = 0$ and $x = 2$,

is rotated about the y -axis, forming a solid of revolution with a volume of V units³.

(i) Show that: $V = 2\pi \int_0^2 \frac{x}{(x+1)(x+2)} dx$. **2**

(ii) Find V , correct to three significant figures. **3**

- (b) A vehicle is travelling along a horizontal straight road with a speed of 42 ms^{-1} . The engine is stopped as it passes a point marked O on the road and then the car is allowed to come to rest at a point B . The frictional resistance force is $\frac{1}{7}$ of the weight of the car and the air resistive force is $\frac{v}{14}$ per unit mass, where v is the speed of the car.

(i) If x is the distance travelled in metres, explain why $\ddot{x} = -\left(\frac{v+2g}{14}\right)$, **1**

where g is the acceleration due to gravity, in ms^{-2} .

(ii) Find the distance travelled (to the nearest metre) **and** the exact time taken for the car to come to rest once the engine is stopped. **4**

Take $g = 10 \text{ ms}^{-2}$.

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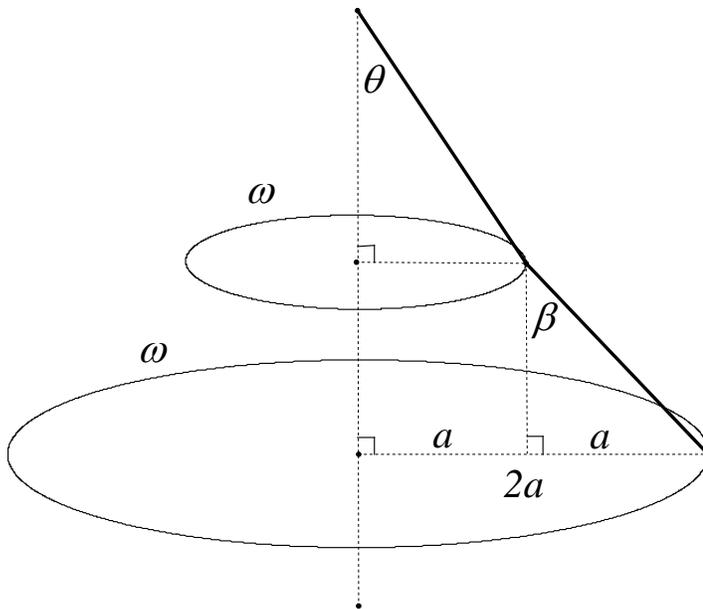
- (c) A light inextensible string ABC is such that $AB = \frac{5a}{3}$ and $BC = \frac{5a}{4}$.

A particle of mass m kg is attached to the string at C and another particle of mass $7m$ kg is fixed at B . The end A is tied to a fixed point and the whole system rotates steadily about the vertical AH (as shown), in such a way that B and C describe horizontal circles of radii a and $2a$ respectively and each has the same angular velocity ω .

- (i) By resolving the forces at C ,

show that the tension in the string BC is $\frac{5mg}{3}$ Newtons.

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- (ii) Hence, find the tension in the part of string AB .

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- (iii) Find the speed of the particle at B .

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(a) A rectangular hyperbola has the equation $x^2 - y^2 = 8$.

Write down its eccentricity, the coordinates of the foci and the equation of each directrix.

Sketch the curve, indicating on your diagram each focus, directrix and asymptote.

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(b) This curve is rotated anti-clockwise through 45° , where the equation of the curve takes the form $xy = 4$.

(i) Prove that the equation of the normal to the rectangular hyperbola $xy = 4$ at the point $P\left(2p, \frac{2}{p}\right)$ is $py - p^3x = 2(1 - p^4)$.

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(ii) If this normal meets the hyperbola again at $Q\left(2q, \frac{2}{q}\right)$ with parameter q , prove that $q = -\frac{1}{p^3}$.

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(iii) Hence, or otherwise, explain why there exists only one chord of the hyperbola where the gradients of the normal, at both ends, are equal.

Find the equation of this special chord PQ .

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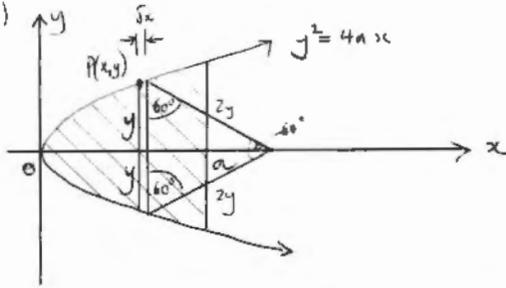
(iv) Find the equation of the locus of the midpoint R of the chord PQ , as p and q vary.

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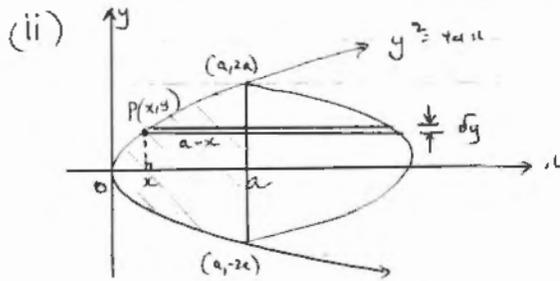
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Qn. ① (a) (i)



Area of equilateral $\Delta = \frac{1}{2} \times 2y \times 2y \times \sin 60$
 $= 2y^2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$
 $= \sqrt{3} y^2$
 $= \sqrt{3} \times 4ax \quad (y^2 = 4ax)$
 $\therefore A(x) = 4\sqrt{3}ax$

Volume of cross-sectional slice = $\delta V = 4\sqrt{3}ax \delta x$
 Volume of solid = $S_1 = \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{x=0}^a 4\sqrt{3}ax \delta x$
 $= \int_0^a 4\sqrt{3}ax dx$
 $= 4\sqrt{3}a \left[\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^a$
 $= 4\sqrt{3}a \left(\frac{a^2}{2} - 0 \right)$
 $= 2\sqrt{3}a^3 \text{ units}^3$

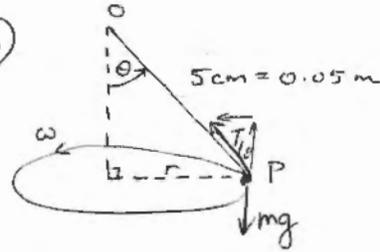


(ii) $A = \text{Area of cross-section} = \pi r^2$
 $= \pi(a-x)^2$
 $= \pi \left(a - \frac{y^2}{4a} \right)^2 \quad (\text{where } y^2 = 4ax)$
 $= \pi \left(a^2 - 2 \cdot a \cdot \frac{y^2}{4a} + \left(\frac{y^2}{4a} \right)^2 \right)$
 $\therefore A = \pi \left(a^2 - \frac{1}{2} y^2 + \frac{1}{16a^2} y^4 \right)$

(b) Volume of cross-sectional disc = $\pi \left(a^2 - \frac{1}{2} y^2 + \frac{1}{16a^2} y^4 \right) \delta y$

$V = \pi \int_{-2a}^{2a} \left(a^2 - \frac{1}{2} y^2 + \frac{1}{16a^2} y^4 \right) dy$
 $= 2\pi \int_0^{2a} \left(a^2 - \frac{1}{2} y^2 + \frac{1}{16a^2} y^4 \right) dy$
 $= 2\pi \left[a^2 y - \frac{1}{6} y^3 + \frac{y^5}{80a^2} \right]_0^{2a}$
 $= 2\pi \left(2a^3 - \frac{1}{6} \times 8a^3 + \frac{32a^5}{80a^2} - 0 \right)$
 $= \frac{32}{15} \pi a^3$

① (b)



(i) $\omega = 156 \text{ revs/min}$
 $= 156 \times 2\pi \text{ radians/min}$
 $= \frac{156 \times 2\pi}{60} \text{ radians/sec}$
 $\omega = \frac{26\pi}{5} \text{ radians/sec}$

(ii) Resolving forces at P:

Vertically: $0 = mg - T_1 \cos \theta$
 $mg = T_1 \cos \theta \quad \text{--- ①}$
 Normally: $mr\omega^2 = T_1 \sin \theta \quad \text{--- ②}$
 but $\sin \theta = \frac{r}{0.05} \Rightarrow r = 0.05 \sin \theta \quad \text{--- ③}$

② \div ①: $\frac{T \sin \theta}{T \cos \theta} = \frac{mr\omega^2}{mg}$
 $\tan \theta = \frac{r\omega^2}{g}$
 $\therefore \tan \theta = \frac{0.05 \sin \theta \times \frac{26^2 \pi^2}{5^2}}{9.8} \quad \text{① (From ③ and } \omega = \frac{26\pi}{5})$
 $\sec \theta = \frac{0.05 \times 26^2 \times \pi^2}{9.8 \times 5^2}$
 OR $\cos \theta = \frac{9.8 \times 5^2}{0.05 \times 26^2 \times \pi^2}$
 $\theta = 43^\circ \text{ (nearest degree) ①}$

1.(c) (1) $\ddot{x} = -9x + \frac{5}{(2-x)^2}$

$$\frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{1}{2}v^2\right) = -9x + 5(2-x)^{-2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}v^2 = -\frac{9x^2}{2} + 5(2-x)^{-1} + C \quad (1)$$

When $x=0, v=0$:

$$0 = 5(2)^{-1} + C$$

$$C = -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2}v^2 = \frac{5}{2-x} - \frac{9x^2}{2} - \frac{5}{2}$$

$$v^2 = \frac{10}{2-x} - 9x^2 - 5 \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{10 - 9x^2(2-x) - 5(2-x)}{2-x}$$

$$= \frac{10 - 18x^2 + 9x^3 - 10 + 5x}{2-x} \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{x(9x^2 - 18x + 5)}{2-x}$$

$$\therefore v^2 = \frac{x(3x-1)(3x-5)}{2-x} \quad (3)$$

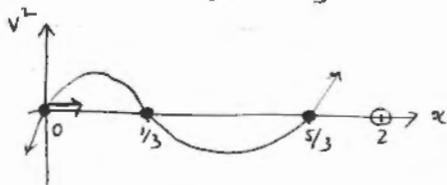
(ii) Particle is at rest ($v=0$):

$$0 = \frac{x(3x-1)(3x-5)}{2-x}$$

$$0 = x(3x-1)(3x-5), x \neq 2$$

$$x=0, x=\frac{1}{3}, x=\frac{5}{3}$$

at $x=0$,
 $\ddot{x} = \frac{5}{4}$
 \therefore particle moving right.



$$v^2 > 0 \text{ when } 0 < x < \frac{1}{3} \text{ and } x > \frac{5}{3}, x \neq 2 \quad (1)$$

However, since particle was at $x=0$ initially, then the particle

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(a) (i) $\frac{a}{a+H} = \frac{r}{R}$ (Corresponding sides of similar Δ 's are in $\textcircled{1}$ proportion)

$$aR = ar + Hr$$

$$a = \frac{rH}{R-r} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Similarly: $\frac{a}{a+x} = \frac{r}{S}$

$$aS = r(a+x)$$

$$S = \frac{r}{a}(a+x) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Sub. (1) into (2): $S = \frac{r}{\frac{rH}{R-r}}(a+x)$

$$\therefore S = \frac{R-r}{H} \left(\frac{rH}{R-r} + x \right) \text{ as required} \quad (3)$$

(ii) Volume of cross-sectional slice = $\pi s^2 \delta x$

$$= \pi \left(\frac{R-r}{H} \right)^2 \left(\frac{rH}{R-r} + x \right)^2 \delta x$$

Volume of solid = $V = \pi \left(\frac{R-r}{H} \right)^2 \int_0^H \left(\frac{rH}{R-r} + x \right)^2 dx \quad (1)$

$$= \frac{\pi(R-r)^2}{H^2} \int_0^H \left(\frac{r^2 H^2}{(R-r)^2} + \frac{2xrH}{R-r} + x^2 \right) dx$$

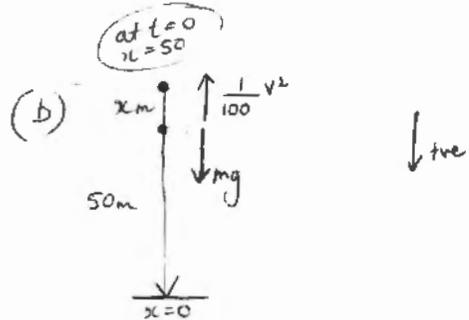
$$= \frac{\pi(R-r)^2}{H^2} \left[\frac{r^2 H^2 x}{(R-r)^2} + \frac{x^2 rH}{R-r} + \frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^H$$

$$= \frac{\pi(R-r)^2}{H^2} \left(\frac{r^2 H^3}{(R-r)^2} + \frac{H^3 r}{R-r} + \frac{H^3}{3} \right) \quad (1)$$

$$= \frac{\pi(R-r)^2}{H^2} \cdot \frac{H^3}{3(R-r)^2} \left(3r^2 + 3r(R-r) + (R-r)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi H}{3} \left(\cancel{3r^2} + 3rR - \cancel{3r^2} + R^2 - 2Rr + r^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{\pi H}{3} (R^2 + Rr + r^2) \quad (3)$$



$$(i) \quad m\ddot{x} = mg - \frac{1}{100}v^2 \quad (1)$$

since $m=1$

$$\ddot{x} = g - \frac{v^2}{100} \quad \text{as required} \quad (1)$$

(ii) Terminal velocity ($\ddot{x}=0$)

$$0 = g - \frac{1}{100}u^2 \quad (1)$$

$$u^2 = 100g$$

$$u = \sqrt{100g} \quad (1)$$

$$(iii) \quad \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{dv}{dx} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} \quad (1)$$

$$\ddot{x} = \frac{dv}{dx} \cdot v \quad \text{as required} \quad (1)$$

$$(iv) \quad v \frac{dv}{dx} = g - \frac{v^2}{100}$$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{100g - v^2}{100v}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dv} = \frac{100v}{100g - v^2}$$

$$= 50 \left(\frac{2v}{100g - v^2} \right)$$

$$x = -50 \ln(100g - v^2) + c \quad (1)$$

When $x=0, v=0, 100g = u^2 \Rightarrow$

$$0 = -50 \ln u^2 + c$$

$$c = 50 \ln u^2$$

$$\therefore x = -50 \ln(u^2 - v^2) + 50 \ln u^2 \quad (1)$$

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$$\frac{-x}{50} = \ln \left(\frac{u^2 - v^2}{u^2} \right)$$

$$\frac{-x}{50} = \ln \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{u^2} \right)$$

$$1 - \frac{v^2}{u^2} = e^{-\frac{x}{50}}$$

$$\frac{v^2}{u^2} = 1 - e^{-\frac{x}{50}}$$

as required. (1)

(3)

$$(v) \quad v = \frac{1}{2}u$$

$$\frac{v^2}{u^2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$1 - e^{-\frac{x}{50}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$e^{-\frac{x}{50}} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$-\frac{x}{50} = \ln \frac{3}{4}$$

$$x = -50 \ln \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\approx 14.38410362$$

$$\therefore x = 14.4 \text{ (1 dp)} \quad (1)$$

(2)

(vi) Body hits ground, when $x=50$:

$$\frac{v^2}{u^2} = 1 - e^{-1}$$

$$\frac{v}{u} = \sqrt{1 - e^{-1}}$$

$$= 0.795060097$$

$$\frac{v}{u} = 79.5\% \text{ (1 dp)} \quad (1)$$

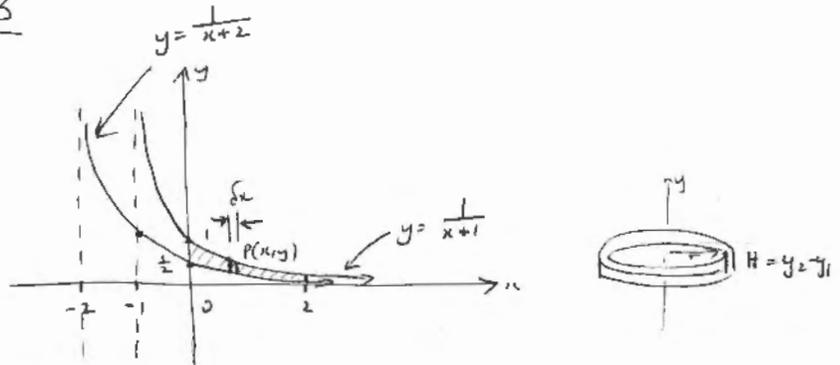
$$\frac{v}{u} = 79.5\% \times u$$

" Speed of particle when it hits the ground is 79.5% of terminal speed. (1)

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Qu 3



(i) By the method of cylindrical shells:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of cylindrical shell} &= \delta V = 2\pi r H \\ &= 2\pi x \left(\frac{1}{x+1} - \frac{1}{x+2} \right) \quad \text{--- (1)} \\ &= 2\pi x \left(\frac{x+2 - (x+1)}{(x+1)(x+2)} \right) \\ &= 2\pi x \times \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} \quad \text{--- (1)} \end{aligned}$$

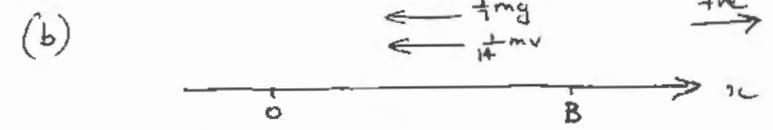
$$\delta V = \frac{2\pi x}{(x+1)(x+2)}$$

$$\text{Volume of solid} = V = 2\pi \int_0^2 \frac{x}{(x+1)(x+2)} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

(ii) Let $\frac{x}{(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x+2}$
 $x = A(x+2) + B(x+1)$

Let $x = -1$: $-1 = A$
 Let $x = -2$: $-2 = -B$
 $B = 2$ } --- (1)

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore V &= 2\pi \int_0^2 \left(\frac{2}{x+2} - \frac{1}{x+1} \right) dx \\ &= 2\pi \left[2\ln(x+2) - \ln(x+1) \right]_0^2 \\ &= 2\pi \left(2\ln 4 - \ln 3 - 2\ln 2 + \ln 1 \right) \\ &= 2\pi (2\ln 2 - \ln 3) = \underline{1.81} \text{ (3 sf)} \text{ u}^3 \quad \text{--- (1)} \quad \text{--- (3)} \end{aligned}$$



(b) (i) $m\ddot{x} = -\frac{mg}{4} - \frac{mv}{14}$ --- (1)
 $\ddot{x} = -\left(\frac{g}{14} + \frac{v}{7}\right)$
 $\dot{x} = -\left(\frac{v+2g}{14}\right)$ --- (1)

(ii) Take $y=10$: $\ddot{x} = -\left(\frac{v+20}{14}\right)$
 $\frac{dv}{dt} = -\left(\frac{v+20}{14}\right)$
 $\frac{dt}{dv} = -\frac{14}{v+20}$
 $t = -14 \int_{42}^v \frac{1}{v+20} dv$
 $= -14 \left[\ln(v+20) \right]_{42}^v$
 $= -14 \left[\ln(v+20) - \ln 62 \right]$
 $t = 14 \ln \frac{62}{v+20}$ --- (A) --- (1)

Time taken for particle to come to rest ($v=0$)
 $t = 14 \ln \frac{62}{20}$
 OR $t = 14 \ln 3.1$ (≈ 15.84 sec) --- (1)

From (A): $\frac{t}{14} = \ln \frac{62}{v+20}$
 $\frac{62}{v+20} = e^{t/14}$
 $62 e^{-t/14} = v+20$
 $v = 62 e^{-t/14} - 20$ --- (1)
 $\frac{dx}{dt} = 62 e^{-t/14} - 20$
 $x = \int_{0}^{14 \ln 3.1} (62 e^{-t/14} - 20) dt$
 $= \left[-14 \times 62 e^{-t/14} - 20t \right]_0^{14 \ln 3.1}$

$$\therefore x = -868 e^{-\ln 3.1} - 20 \times 14 \ln 3.1 + 14 \times 62$$

$$= -868 \times \frac{10}{31} - 280 \ln 3.1 + 868$$

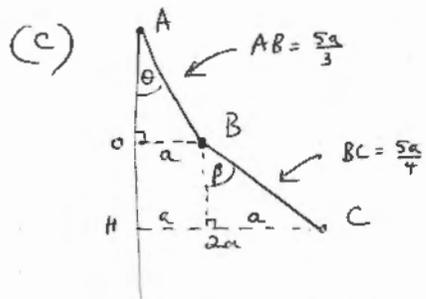
$$= 271.2074068$$

$$x = 271 \text{ m (nearest metre)}$$

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\(\therefore\) It takes $14 \ln 3.1$ sec and 271 m for the car to completely come to rest.

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(i) At C, resolving forces:

Vertically:

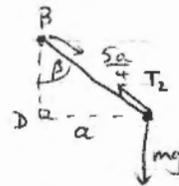
$$0 = mg - T_2 \cos \beta$$

$$T_2 = \frac{mg}{\cos \beta}$$

$$= \frac{mg}{\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$T_2 = \frac{5mg}{3}$$

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$$BD = \sqrt{\left(\frac{5a}{4}\right)^2 - a^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{25a^2}{16} - a^2}$$

$$BD = \frac{3a}{4}$$

$$\therefore \cos B = \frac{3a/4}{5a/4} = \frac{3}{5}$$

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(ii) Resolving forces at B:

Vertically:

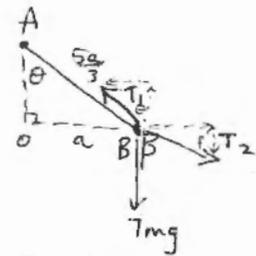
$$0 = 7mg - T_1 \cos \theta + T_2 \cos \beta$$

$$-7mg = T_2 \cos \beta - T_1 \cos \theta \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$-7mg = \frac{5mg}{3} \times \frac{3}{5} - T_1 \times \frac{4}{5}$$

$$T_1 = 10mg$$

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$$AO = \sqrt{\left(\frac{5a}{3}\right)^2 - a^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{25a^2}{9} - a^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{16a^2}{9}}$$

$$AO = \frac{4a}{3}$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{4a/3}{5a/3} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$\therefore \cos \theta = \frac{4}{5}$$

(iii) Need to find \(\omega\):

At C: $T_2 \cos \beta = mg$ (Vertically)
 $T_2 \sin \beta = 2am\omega^2$ (Normally)]

$$\frac{T_2 \sin \beta}{T_2 \cos \beta} = \frac{2am\omega^2}{mg}$$

$$\tan \beta = \frac{2a\omega^2}{g}$$

$$\omega^2 = \frac{\tan \beta \times g}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{4/3 g}{2a}$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{2g}{3a}} \quad \text{①}$$

At B, $v = r\omega = a \sqrt{\frac{2g}{3a}} = \sqrt{\frac{2ag}{3}}$

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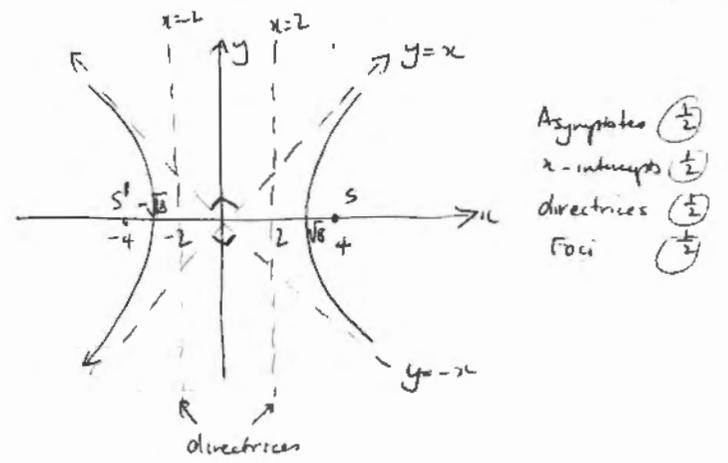
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(a) $x^2 - y^2 = 8 \implies \frac{x^2}{8} - \frac{y^2}{8} = 1 \quad \therefore a = \sqrt{8}, b = \sqrt{8}$

Using $b^2 = a^2(e^2 - 1)$ gives $8 = 8(e^2 - 1)$
 $1 = e^2 - 1$
 $e = \sqrt{2}$ (1)

Foci are S & S' , using $(\pm ae, 0) = (\pm 4, 0)$. (1)
 Eqⁿs of directrices are $x = \pm \frac{a}{e} \implies x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{2}}$
 i.e. $x = \pm 2$ (1)



- Asymptotes $(\pm \frac{1}{2})$
- x-intercepts $(\pm \frac{1}{2})$
- directrices $(\pm \frac{1}{2})$
- Foci $(\pm \frac{1}{2})$

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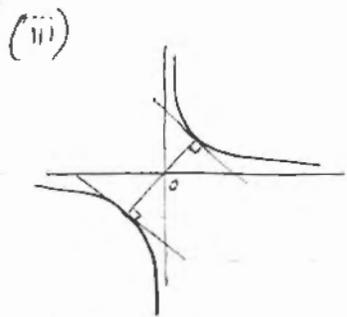
(b) (i) $xy = 4 \implies y = 4x^{-1}$
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = -4x^{-2}$
 at $P(2p, \frac{2}{p})$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-4}{(2p)^2} = \frac{-4}{4p^2} = \frac{-1}{p^2}$ (1)

(Alternative: $x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \cdot 1 = 0 \implies \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-y}{x}$
 at $P(2p, \frac{2}{p})$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-\frac{2}{p}}{2p} = \frac{-1}{p^2}$)

\therefore Gradient of normal = p^2 .
 Eqⁿ of normal: $y - \frac{2}{p} = p^2(x - 2p)$ (1)
 $py - 2 = p^3(x - 2p)$
 $py - p^3x = 2(1 - p^4)$ (2)

(ii) If normal passes through $Q(2q, \frac{2}{q})$, then it satisfies equation:
 $p \times \frac{2}{q} - p^3 \times 2q = 2(1 - p^4)$

$2p - 2p^3q^2 = 2q - 2p^4q$ (1)
 $p - q = p^3q^2 - p^4q$
 $p - q = p^3q(q - p)$ (1)
 $-1 = p^3q \quad (p \neq q)$
 $\therefore q = \frac{-1}{p^3}$ (2)



From above, if PQ is a normal at P then $q = \frac{-1}{p^3}$ i.e. $p^3q = -1$.
 Also, PQ is a normal at Q then $p = \frac{-1}{q^3}$ i.e. $pq^3 = -1$

If PQ is a normal at both P and Q then $p^3q = pq^3$
 i.e. $p^3q - pq^3 = 0$ i.e. $pq(p^2 - q^2) = 0$
 i.e. $pq(p - q)(p + q) = 0$.

Since $p \neq 0, q \neq 0$ and $p \neq q$ then $\frac{p+q}{2} = 0$ only.
 i.e. $q = -p$

Since $p^3q = -1$, then $p^3x - p = -1$
 $p^4 = 1$
 $p = \pm 1$

If $p = 1$, Eqⁿ of normal is $(y - 1^3x) = 2(1 - 1^4)$
 i.e. $y = x$
 If $p = -1$, Eqⁿ of normal is $-y + x = 2(1 - 1)$
 $y = x$

Thus, there is only one chord of the hyperbola where where the gradients of the normal, at both ends, are equal. Its equation is $y = x$

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(iv) Midpoint of PQ = R

$$\therefore R = \left(\frac{2p+2q}{2}, \frac{2p+2q}{2} \right)$$

$$R = \left(p+q, \frac{p+q}{pq} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore x &= p+q & \xrightarrow{\text{unit}} q &= \frac{-1}{p^3} \\ \textcircled{1} \quad y &= \frac{p+q}{pq} & pq &= \frac{-1}{p^2} \quad \text{--- (A)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{x}{y} = \frac{p+q}{\frac{p+q}{pq}}$$

$$= pq$$

$$\frac{x}{y} = -\frac{1}{p^2} \quad (\text{from (A)})$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{p^2 x} \quad \text{OR} \quad -\frac{y}{x} = p^2 \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Since R lies on the normal, it satisfies eqⁿ.

$$\text{i.e. } py - p^3x = 2(1-p^4)$$

$$y - p^2x = \frac{2}{p}(1-p^4)$$

$$-p^2x - p^2x = \frac{2}{p}(1-p^4)$$

$$-2p^2x = \frac{2}{p}(1-p^4)$$

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

$$2y = \frac{2}{p}\left(\frac{x^2-y^2}{x^2}\right)$$

$$4y^2 = \frac{4}{p^2}\left(\frac{x^2-y^2}{x^2}\right)^2 \quad (\text{squaring})$$

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

$$y^3 = -\frac{(x^2-y^2)^2}{x^2}$$

$$x^3y^3 + (x^2-y^2)^2 = 0$$

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