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**TRIAL PAPER**

# Mathematics      Extension 2

## General Instructions

- Reading Time – 5 Minutes
- Working time – 3 Hours
- Write using black or blue pen. Pencil may be used for diagrams.
- Board approved calculators maybe used.
- Each Section is to be returned in a separate bundle.
- All necessary working should be shown in every question.

## Total Marks – 120

- Attempt questions 1 – 8

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**Section A**  
**(Start a new answer sheet.)**

**Question 1.** (15 marks)

**Marks**

(a) Evaluate  $\int_0^2 \frac{3}{4+x^2} dx$ . **2**

(b) Find  $\int \cos x \sin^4 x dx$ . **1**

(c) Use integration by parts to find  $\int te^{-t} dt$ . **2**

(d) (i) Find real numbers  $a$  and  $b$  such that **2**

$$\frac{1}{x(\pi-2x)} = \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{\pi-2x}.$$

(ii) Hence find **2**

$$\int \frac{dx}{x(\pi-2x)}.$$

(e) Evaluate  $\int_{-3}^3 (2-|x|)dx$ . **2**

(f) (i) Use the substitution  $x = a - t$  to prove that **2**

$$\int_0^a f(x)dx = \int_0^a f(a-x)dx.$$

(ii) Hence evaluate **2**

$$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \log_e(\tan x)dx$$

**Question 2.** (15 marks)

- (a) If  $z = 2 + i$  and  $w = -1 + 2i$  find **Marks**  
**2**
- $\text{Im}(z - w).$

- (b) On an Argand diagram shade the region that is satisfied by both the conditions **2**

$$\text{Re}(z) \geq 2 \text{ and } |z - 1| \leq 2.$$

- (c) If  $|z| = 2$  and  $\arg z = \theta$  determine **3**

(i)  $\left| \frac{i}{z^2} \right|$                       (ii)  $\arg\left(\frac{i}{z^2}\right)$

- (d) If for a complex number  $z$  it is given that  $\bar{z} = z$  where  $z \neq 0$ , determine the locus of  $z$ . **2**

- (e) A complex number  $z$  is such that  $\arg(z + 2) = \frac{\pi}{6}$  and  $\arg(z - 2) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$ . **3**

Find  $z$ , expressing your answer in the form  $a + ib$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are real.

- (f) The complex numbers  $z_1$ ,  $z_2$  and  $z_3$  are represented in the complex plane by the points  $P$ ,  $Q$  and  $R$  respectively. If the line segments  $PQ$  and  $PR$  have the same length and are perpendicular to one another, prove that: **3**

$$2z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_1(z_2 + z_3)$$

**Section B**  
**(Start a new answer sheet.)**

**Question 3.** (15 marks)

- |   | <b>Marks</b> |
|---|--------------|
| (a) If $2 - 3i$ is a zero of the polynomial $z^3 + pz + q$ where $p$ and $q$ are real, find the values of $p$ and $q$ .   | <b>3</b>     |
| (b) If $\alpha$ , $\beta$ and $\gamma$ are roots of the equation $x^3 + 6x + 1 = 0$ find the polynomial equation whose roots are $\alpha\beta$ , $\beta\gamma$ and $\alpha\gamma$ . | <b>2</b>     |
| (c) Consider the function $f(x) = 3\left(\frac{x+4}{x}\right)^2$ .  |              |
| (i) Show that the curve $y = f(x)$ has a minimum turning point at $x = -4$ and a point of inflexion at $x = -6$ .   | <b>5</b>     |
| (ii) Sketch the graph of $y = f(x)$ showing clearly the equations of any asymptotes.  | <b>2</b>     |
| (d) Use mathematical induction to prove that  | <b>3</b>     |
| $n! > 2^n$ for $n > 3$ where $n$ is an integer.   |              |

**Question 4** (15 marks)

(a) If  $f(x) = \sin x$  for  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$  draw neat sketches, on separate diagrams, of:

(i)  $y = [f(x)]^2$  2

(ii)  $y = \frac{1}{f\left(x + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)}$  2

(iii)  $y^2 = f(x)$  2

(iv)  $y = f(\sqrt{|x|})$  2

(b) Show that the equation of the tangent to the curve  $x^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{1}{2}} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}$  at the point  $P(x_0, y_0)$  on the curve is  $xx_0^{-\frac{1}{2}} + yy_0^{-\frac{1}{2}} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}$ . 3

(c) Consider the polynomial  $P(x) = x^5 - ax + 1$ . By considering turning points on the curve  $y = P(x)$ , prove that  $P(x) = 0$  has three distinct roots if

$$a > 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{\frac{8}{5}}.$$

**Section C**  
**(Start a new answer booklet)**

**Question 5** (15 marks)

**Marks**

- (a) A particle of mass  $m$  is thrown vertically upward from the origin with initial speed  $V_0$ . The particle is subject to a resistance equal to  $mkv$ , where  $v$  is its speed and  $k$  is a positive constant.

- (i) Show that until the particle reaches its highest point the equation of motion is

**1**

$$\ddot{y} = -(kv + g)$$

where  $y$  is its height and  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity.

- (ii) Prove that the particle reaches its greatest height in time  $T$  given by

**4**

$$kT = \log_e \left[ 1 + \frac{kV_0}{g} \right].$$

- (iv) If the highest point reached is at a height  $H$  above the ground prove that

**4**

$$V_0 = Hk + gT.$$

- (b) If  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are roots of the equation  $z^2 - 2z + 2 = 0$

- (i) find  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  in mod-arg form.

**3**

- (ii) show that  $\alpha^n + \beta^n = \sqrt{2^{n+2}} \cdot \left[ \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} \right]$ .

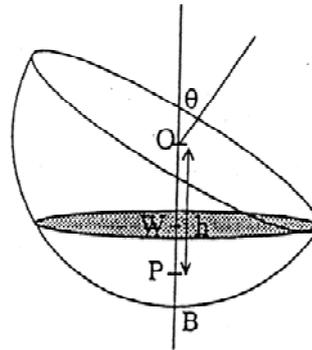
**3**

**Question 6** (15 marks)

- (a) A group of 20 people is to be seated at a long rectangular table, 10 on each side. There are 7 people who wish to sit on one side of the table and 6 people who wish to sit on the other side. How many seating arrangements are possible? 2

- (b) The area enclosed by the curves  $y = \sqrt{x}$  and  $y = x^2$  is rotated about the  $y$  axis through one complete revolution. Use the cylindrical shell method to find the volume of the solid that is generated. 3

- (c) The diagram shows a hemi-spherical bowl of radius  $r$ . The bowl has been tilted so that its axis is no longer vertical, but at an angle  $\theta$  to the vertical. At this angle it can hold a volume  $V$  of water.



The vertical line from the centre  $O$  meets the surface of the water at  $W$  and meets the bottom of the bowl at  $B$ . Let  $P$  be between  $W$  and  $B$ , and let  $h$  be the distance  $OP$ .

- (i) Explain why  $V = \int_{r \sin \theta}^r \pi(r^2 - h^2) dh$ . 3
- (ii) Hence show  $V = \frac{r^3 \pi}{3} (2 - 3 \sin \theta + \sin^3 \theta)$ . 2
- (d) (i) Show that  $x^4 + y^4 \geq 2x^2y^2$ . 2
- (ii) If  $P(x, y)$  is any point on the curve  $x^4 + y^4 = 1$  prove that  $OP \leq 2^{\frac{1}{4}}$ , where  $O$  is the origin. 3

**Section D**  
(Start a new answer booklet)

**Question 7** (15 marks)

- (a) How many sets of 5 quartets (groups of four musicians) can be formed from 5 violinists, 5 viola players, 5 cellists, and 5 pianists if each quartet is to consist of one player of each instrument? 2

- (b) (i) If  $t = \tan \theta$ , prove that 2

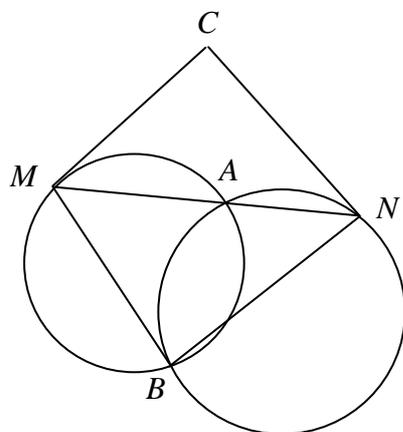
$$\tan 4\theta = \frac{4t(1-t^2)}{1-6t^2+t^4}.$$

- (ii) If  $\tan \theta \tan 4\theta = 1$  deduce that  $5t^4 - 10t^2 + 1 = 0$ . 2

- (iii) Given that  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{10}$  and  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{10}$  are roots of the equation 4

$$\tan \theta \tan 4\theta = 1, \text{ find the exact value of } \tan \frac{\pi}{10}.$$

- (c)

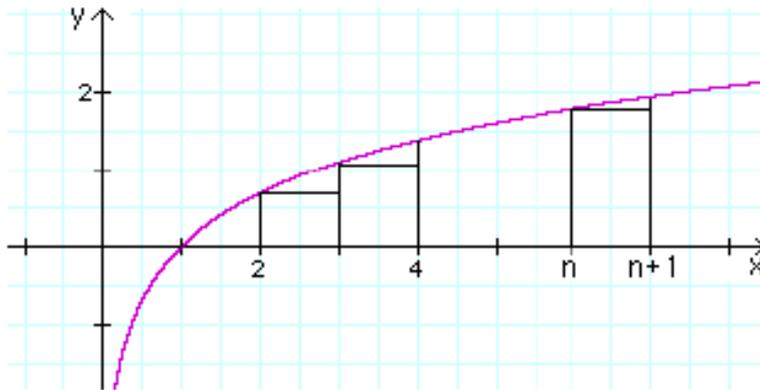


Two circles intersect at  $A$  and  $B$ . A line through  $A$  cuts the circles at  $M$  and  $N$ . The tangents at  $M$  and  $N$  intersect at  $C$ . 5

- (i) Prove that  $\angle CMA + \angle CNA = \angle MBN$ .  
 (ii) Prove  $M, C, N, B$  are concyclic.

**Question 8** (15 marks)

(a)



**6**

The diagram above shows the graph of  $y = \log_e x$  for  $1 \leq x \leq n+1$ .

- (i) By considering the sum of the areas of inner and outer rectangles show that

$$\ln(n!) < \int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx < \ln[(n+1)!]$$

- (ii) Find  $\int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx$ .

- (iii) Hence prove that

$$e^n > \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!}$$

- (b) If a root of the cubic equation  $x^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$  is equal to the reciprocal of another root, prove that

**3**

$$1 + bd = c + d^2.$$

**This question continues on the next page.**

- (c) A stone is projected from a point  $O$  on a horizontal plane at an angle of elevation  $\alpha$  and with initial velocity  $U$  metres per second. The stone reaches a point  $A$  in its trajectory, and at that instant it is moving in a direction perpendicular to the angle of projection with speed  $V$  metres per second.

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Air resistance is neglected throughout the motion and  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity.

If  $t$  is the time in seconds at any instant, show that when the stone is at  $A$ :

(i)  $V = U \cot \alpha$

(ii)  $t = \frac{U}{g \sin \alpha}$ .

**This is the end of the paper.**

## STANDARD INTEGRALS

$$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1}, n \neq -1; x \neq 0, \text{ if } n < 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x, x > 0$$

$$\int e^{ax} dx = \frac{1}{a} e^{ax}, a \neq 0$$

$$\int \cos ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sin ax, a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sin ax dx = -\frac{1}{a} \cos ax, a \neq 0$$

$$\int \sec^2 ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan ax,$$

$$\int \sec ax \tan ax dx = \frac{1}{a} \sec ax, a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} dx = \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, a \neq 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} dx = \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a}, a > 0, -a < x < a$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 - a^2} \right) x > a > 0$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 + a^2}} dx = \ln \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 + a^2} \right)$$

NOTE:  $\ln x = \log_e x, x > 0$



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**Sample Solutions**

<b>Section</b>	<b>Marker</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>PP</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>EC</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>PB</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>DH</b>

## Section A

$$\begin{aligned} (1) \quad (i) \quad \int_0^2 \frac{3}{4+x^2} dx &= \frac{3}{2} \int_0^2 \frac{3}{4+x^2} dx \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \left[ \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{x}{2} \right) \right]_0^2 \\ &= \frac{3}{2} [\tan^{-1}(1) - 0] \\ &= \frac{3\pi}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (ii) \quad \int \cos x \sin^4 x dx &= \int u^4 du \quad [u = \sin x] \\ &= \frac{u^5}{5} + c \\ &= \frac{\sin^5 x}{5} + c \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (iii) \quad \int \underbrace{e^{-t}}_g \underbrace{1}_{f'} dt &= fg - \int fg' dt \\ &= -te^{-t} - \int (-e^{-t} \times 1) dt \\ &= -te^{-t} + \int e^{-t} dt \\ &= -te^{-t} - e^{-t} + c \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (d) \quad (i) \quad 1 &\equiv a(\pi - 2x) + bx \\ x = 0 &\Rightarrow a = \frac{1}{\pi} \\ 2a &= b \quad [\text{coefficients of } x] \\ \therefore b &= \frac{2}{\pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{\pi}, b = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

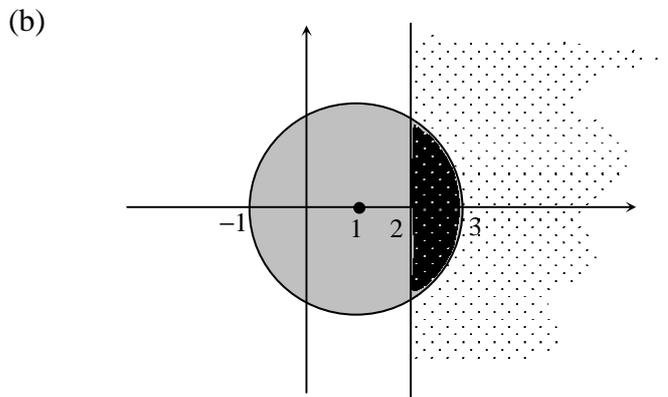
$$\begin{aligned} (ii) \quad \int \frac{dx}{x(\pi - 2x)} &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int \left( \frac{1}{x} - \frac{-2}{\pi - 2x} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \ln x - \frac{1}{\pi} \ln(\pi - 2x) + c \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \ln \left( \frac{x}{\pi - 2x} \right) + c \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(e)} \quad \int_{-3}^3 (2 - |x|) dx &= 2 \int_0^3 (2 - |x|) dx && \text{[Q } 2 - |x| \text{ is even]} \\
&= 2 \int_0^3 (2 - x) dx && \text{[Q } 2 - |x| = 2 - x, x > 0]} \\
&= 2 \left[ 2x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right]_0^3 \\
&= 2 \left[ 6 - \frac{9}{2} \right] \\
&= 3
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(f)} \quad \text{(i)} \quad x = a - t &\Rightarrow dx = -dt \\
x = 0 &\Rightarrow t = a \\
x = a &\Rightarrow t = 0 \\
\int_0^a f(x) dx &= \int_a^0 f(a-t)(-dt) \\
&= \int_0^a f(a-t) dt && \text{[Q } \int_a^b f(x) dx = -\int_b^a f(x) dx]} \\
&= \int_0^a f(a-x) dx && \text{[Q choice of variable irrelevant]}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{(ii)} \quad I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\tan x) dx \\
&= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln\left(\tan\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - x\right)\right) dx \\
&= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\cot x) dx \\
2I &= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\tan x) dx + \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\cot x) dx \\
&= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} [\ln(\tan x) + \ln(\cot x)] dx \\
&= \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln 1 dx \\
&= 0 \\
\therefore 2I &= 0 \\
\therefore I &= 0 \\
\therefore \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \ln(\tan x) dx &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

(2) (a)  $z = 2 + i, w = -1 + 2i$   
 $\therefore z - w = 3 - i$   
 $\therefore \text{Im}(z - w) = -1$



(c) (i)  $\left| \frac{i}{z^2} \right| = \frac{|i|}{|z|^2} = \frac{1}{4}$   
(ii)  $\arg\left(\frac{i}{z^2}\right) = \arg i - \arg(z^2)$   
 $= \frac{\pi}{2} - 2 \arg z$   
 $= \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\theta$

(d)  $z = \bar{z} \Rightarrow z$  is purely real  
So the locus is  $y = 0$ , except  $x = 0$ .

**Alternatively:**

Let  $z = x + iy, (z \neq 0)$

$$\therefore \bar{z} = x - iy$$

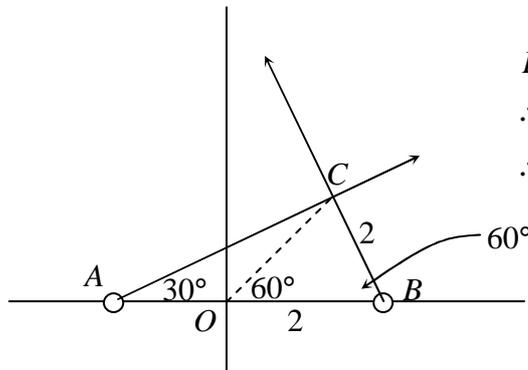
$$\therefore z = \bar{z} \Rightarrow x + iy = x - iy$$

$$\therefore 2iy = 0 \Rightarrow y = 0$$

$\therefore z$  is a purely real number excluding 0

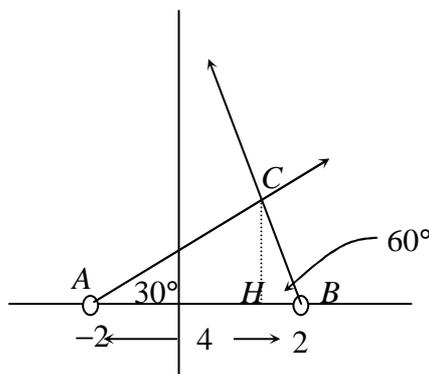
(e)  $\arg(z+2) = \frac{\pi}{6}, \arg(z-2) = \frac{2\pi}{3}.$

$z$  is represented by the point  $C$ , the intersection of the two rays.



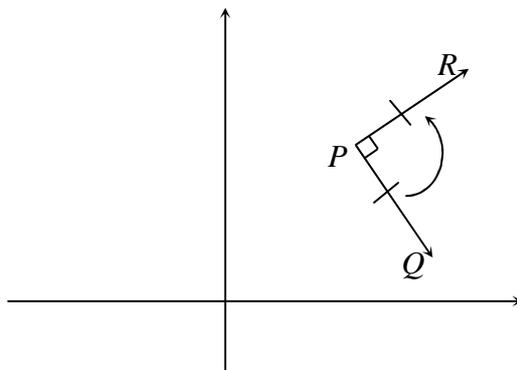
$BC = 4 \cos 60^\circ = 2$   
 $\therefore \triangle BOC$  is equilateral  
 $\therefore z = 2 \operatorname{cis} 60^\circ = 1 + i\sqrt{3}$

Alternatively



$BC = 4 \cos 60^\circ = 2$   
 $CH = 2 \sin 60^\circ = \sqrt{3}$   
 $BH = 2 \cos 60^\circ = 1$   
 $\therefore z = 1 + i\sqrt{3}$

(f)



$PR \perp PQ$   
 $|PR| = |PQ|$   
 $PR$  represents  $z_3 - z_1$   
 $PQ$  represents  $z_2 - z_1$

$i(z_2 - z_1) = z_3 - z_1$

$\therefore i^2 (z_2 - z_1)^2 = (z_3 - z_1)^2$

$\therefore -(z_2^2 - 2z_2z_1 + z_1^2) = z_3^2 - 2z_1z_3 + z_1^2$

$\therefore 2z_1^2 + z_2^2 + z_3^2 = 2z_1z_3 + 2z_2z_1 = 2z_1(z_2 + z_3)$

## Section B

(a)  $z^3 + pz + q = 0$   
 If  $(2-3i)$  is a zero then  
 $(2-3i)^3 + (2-3i)p + q = 0$   
 $(2-3i)^3 = (2-3i)^2(2-3i)$   
 $= (-5-12i)(2-3i)$   
 $= -46-9i$   
 $-46-9i + (2-3i)p + q = 0$   
 Equating real parts.  
 $-46 + 2p + q = 0$   
 $2p + q = 46$  — ①  
 Equating imaginary parts.  
 $-9 - 3p = 0 \Rightarrow 3p = -9$   
 $p = -3$  — ②  
 Subst. ② into ①  
 We have  
 $-6 + q = 46$   
 $q = 52$  — ③  
**[3]**

Question (3)

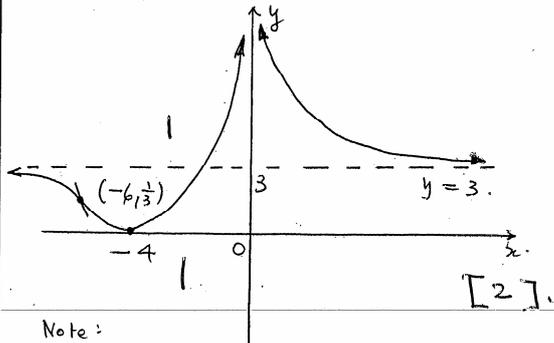
(b)  $x^3 + 6x + 1 = 0$   
 If  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$  are the roots  
 then  $\alpha\beta\gamma = -1$   
 Now,  $\alpha\beta = \frac{\alpha\beta\gamma}{\gamma} = -\frac{1}{\gamma}$   
 Similarly,  $\beta\gamma = -\frac{1}{\alpha}$   
 and  $\alpha\gamma = -\frac{1}{\beta}$   
 $\therefore$  Let  $y = -\frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{y}$   
 i.e. the polynomial equation  
 is  $(-\frac{1}{y})^3 + 6(-\frac{1}{y}) + 1 = 0$   
 $-1 - 6y^2 + y^3 = 0$   
 $y^3 - 6y^2 - 1 = 0$  **[2]**

(c)  $y = 3\left(\frac{x+4}{x}\right)^2$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6\left(\frac{x+4}{x}\right)\left(-\frac{4}{x^2}\right)$   
 $= -\frac{24(x+4)}{x^3}$   
 $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow x = -4$  2  
 When  $x = -4$ ,  $y = 0$   
 $\therefore (-4, 0)$  is a stationary pt.  
 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -24\left[\frac{x^3 - (x+4)3x^2}{x^6}\right]$   
 $= 24\left[\frac{2x^3 + 12x^2}{x^6}\right]$   
 $= 48x^2\left(\frac{x+6}{x^4}\right)$   
 $f''(x) = 0, \Rightarrow x = -6$   
 When  $x = -6$ ,  $y = 3\left(\frac{4}{36}\right)$   
 $= \frac{1}{3}$  2  
 $\therefore (-6, \frac{1}{3})$  could be a  
 pt. of inflexion.

Test:

$x$	-7	-6	-5
$f(x)$	-	0	+

$\therefore (-6, \frac{1}{3})$  is a pt. of inflexion.  
 Also,  $f''(-4) = \frac{48}{4^4}(2) > 0$   
 $\therefore (-4, 0)$  is a min turning pt  
 $x \neq 0 \therefore y$ -axis is a vertical  
 asymptote. **[5]**



Note:

$\lim_{x \rightarrow \pm\infty} 3\left(\frac{x^2+8x+16}{x^2}\right) = 3$   
 i.e. horizontal asymptote at  $y=3$ .

(d) Let  $S(n)$  be the proposition

that  $n! > 2^n$   $n > 3$ .

$n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

For  $n=4$

$$4! = 24 > 2^4 = 16$$

$\therefore S(4)$  is true

Assume  $S(k)$  is true.

Prove true for  $n=k+1$ .

$$(k+1)! = (k+1)k!$$

$$> (k+1) \cdot 2^k$$

$\therefore k > 3$ , then  $k+1 > 4$

$$> 4 \cdot 2^k$$

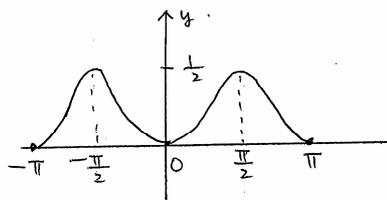
$$2 \cdot 2^{k+1}$$

$$> 2^{k+1}$$

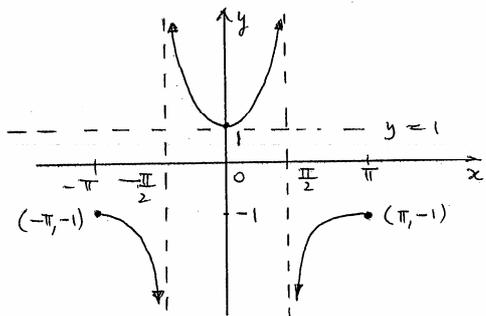
Question (4).

$$y = \sin x, \quad -\pi \leq x \leq \pi$$

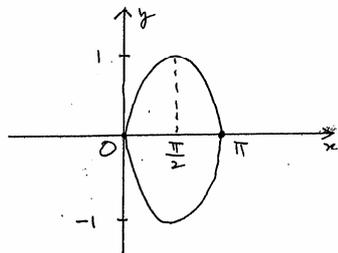
$$(i) \quad y = \sin^2 x \\ = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x)$$



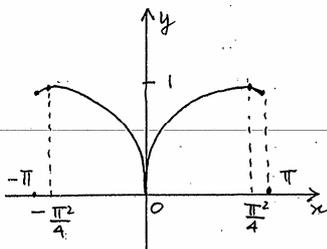
$$(ii) \quad y = \frac{1}{\sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})} = \frac{1}{\cos x}$$



$$(iii) \quad y^2 = \sin x \\ y = \pm \sqrt{\sin x}$$



(iv)



$$(b) \quad x^{\frac{1}{2}} + y^{\frac{1}{2}} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{2}y^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{y^{\frac{1}{2}}} = -\sqrt{\frac{y}{x}}$$

$$\left. \frac{dy}{dx} \right|_{\substack{x=x_0 \\ y=y_0}} = -\sqrt{\frac{y_0}{x_0}}$$

Equation of tangent.

$$y - y_0 = -\frac{y_0^{\frac{1}{2}}}{x_0^{\frac{1}{2}}}(x - x_0)$$

$$\therefore x_0^{\frac{1}{2}}y - x_0^{\frac{1}{2}}y_0 = x_0 y_0^{\frac{1}{2}} - x y_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_0^{\frac{1}{2}}x + x_0^{\frac{1}{2}}y = x_0^{\frac{1}{2}}y_0^{\frac{1}{2}}(y_0^{\frac{1}{2}} + x_0^{\frac{1}{2}})$$

$\therefore (x_0, y_0)$  is on the curve (1)

$$\Rightarrow x_0^{\frac{1}{2}} + y_0^{\frac{1}{2}} = a^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

and divide both sides of (1)

by  $x_0^{\frac{1}{2}} y_0^{\frac{1}{2}}$  we have.

$$x_0^{-\frac{1}{2}}x + y_0^{-\frac{1}{2}}y = a^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

(c)

$$p(x) = x^5 - ax + 1$$

$$p'(x) = 5x^4 - a$$

$$p''(x) = 20x^3$$

Stationary pts when

$$5x^4 - a = 0$$

$$x^4 = \frac{a}{5}$$

$$\therefore x = \pm \left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

For  $x = \left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ ,  $p''\left[\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}\right] > 0$

For  $x = -\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ ,  $p''\left[-\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}\right] < 0$

When  $x = \left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ ,  $y = \left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{5}{4}} - a\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}} + 1$

$$\therefore y = 1 - \left(\frac{4a}{5}\right)\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}$$

For  $x = -\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$

$$y = 1 + \left(\frac{4a}{5}\right)\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}$$

For three distinct real roots, the curve cuts the x-axis in 3 points.

$$x \rightarrow \infty \quad p(x) \rightarrow \infty (> 0)$$

and the turning points are on the opposite sides of the x-axis

$\Rightarrow$  The product of the y's  $< 0$

$$\therefore \left[1 + \left(\frac{4a}{5}\right)\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}\right] \left[1 - \left(\frac{4a}{5}\right)\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}}\right] < 0$$

$$1 - \frac{6a^2}{25}\left(\frac{a}{5}\right)^{\frac{1}{5}} < 0$$

$$\frac{6a^{5/2}}{5^{5/2}} > 1 \Rightarrow a^{5/2} > \left(\frac{5^{5/2}}{24}\right)$$

$$\therefore a > \left(\frac{5^{5/2}}{24}\right)^{2/5} = \left[\frac{5^1}{2^{8/5}}\right]$$

$$\Rightarrow a > 5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{8/5} \quad [4]$$

Section C

QUESTIONS

$$(a) (i) \quad m\ddot{y} = -mkv - mg \quad \begin{array}{ccc} \uparrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \\ m\ddot{y} & mg & mkv \end{array}$$

$$\therefore \ddot{y} = -(kv + g)$$

$$(ii) \quad \ddot{y} = \frac{dv}{dt} = -(kv + g)$$

$$\therefore dt = -(kv + g)^{-1} dv$$

$$\int_0^T 1 \cdot dt = - \int_{v_0}^0 (kv + g)^{-1} dv$$

$$T = \int_0^{v_0} (kv + g)^{-1} dv$$

$$= \int_0^{v_0} \frac{1}{kv + g} dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \left[ \ln(kv + g) \right]_0^{v_0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \left( \ln(kv_0 + g) - \ln g \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \ln \left( \frac{kv_0 + g}{g} \right)$$

$$\therefore \left| kT = \ln \left( 1 + \frac{kv_0}{g} \right) \right|$$

$$(iii) \quad v \cdot \frac{dv}{dy} = -(kv + g)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{dy} = -\left(\frac{kv + g}{v}\right)$$

$$dy = \frac{-v \cdot dv}{kv + g}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{k} \left( \frac{kv + g - g}{kv + g} \right) dv$$

$$\int_0^H 1 \cdot dy = -\frac{1}{k} \int_{v_0}^0 \frac{kv + g - g}{kv + g} dv$$

$$\therefore H = \frac{1}{k} \int_0^{v_0} \left( 1 - \frac{g}{kv + g} \right) dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \left[ \int_0^{v_0} 1 \cdot dv - \int_0^{v_0} \frac{g}{kv + g} dv \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \left[ [v]_0^{v_0} - \left[ \frac{g}{k} \ln(kv + g) \right]_0^{v_0} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \left[ v_0 - \frac{g}{k} (\ln(kv_0 + g) - \ln g) \right]$$

$$kH = v_0 - \frac{g}{k} \ln \frac{kv_0 + g}{g}$$

$$= v_0 - \frac{g}{k} kT \quad \text{from (ii)}$$

$$= v_0 - gT$$

$$\therefore \boxed{v_0 = kH + gT}$$

$$(b) (i) z = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \pm 2i}{2}$$

$$= 1 \pm i$$

$$= \sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis} \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

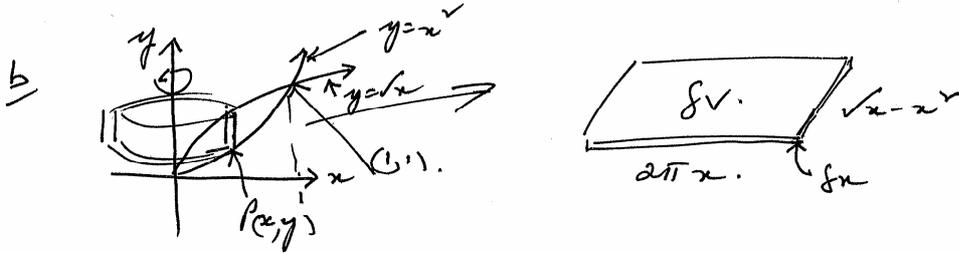
$\therefore \alpha, \beta$  are  $\sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis} \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$

$$\begin{aligned} (ii) \alpha^n + \beta^n &= \left(\sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis} \frac{\pi}{4}\right)^n + \left(\sqrt{2} \operatorname{cis} -\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^n \\ &= (\sqrt{2})^n \left[ \operatorname{cis} \frac{n\pi}{4} + \operatorname{cis} -\frac{n\pi}{4} \right] \\ &= (\sqrt{2})^n \left( 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} \right) \quad \left( \text{NB } z + \bar{z} = 2 \operatorname{Re} z \right) \\ &= 2^{\frac{1}{2}n+1} \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} \\ &= 2^{\frac{n+2}{2}} \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\alpha^n + \beta^n = \sqrt{2^{n+2}} \cos \frac{n\pi}{4}}$$

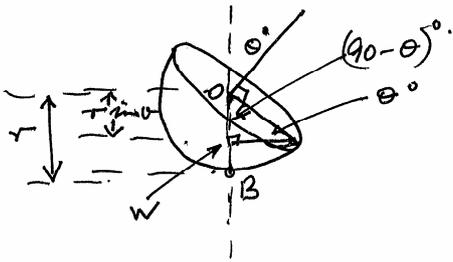
QUESTION 6.

a  $\boxed{10P_7 \times 10P_6 \times 7!}$  ( This is the same as  $\binom{10}{7} \times \binom{10}{6} \times (7!)^2 \times 6!$  )

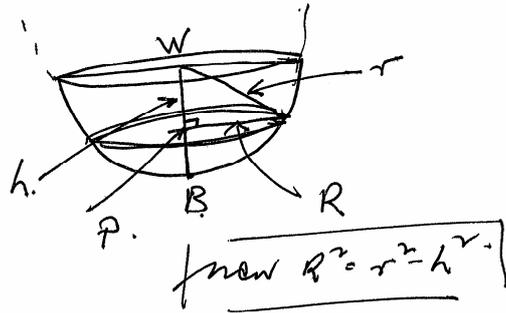


$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= \lim_{\delta x \rightarrow 0} \sum_{x=0}^1 2\pi x (x-x^2) \delta x \\
 &= 2\pi \int_0^1 (x^{3/2} - x^3) dx \\
 &= 2\pi \cdot \left[ \frac{2}{5} x^{5/2} - \frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= 2\pi \left( \frac{2}{5} - \frac{1}{4} \right) \\
 &= 2\pi \times \frac{3}{20} \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{3\pi}{10}}
 \end{aligned}$$

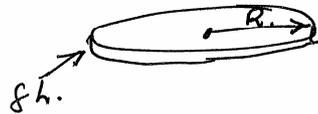
(c) (1)



$$\text{NB } \frac{OW}{r} = \sin \theta$$
$$\boxed{OW = r \sin \theta}$$
$$\text{and } \boxed{OB = r}$$



Consider the slice at P.



$$\delta V = \pi R^2 \delta h.$$
$$\therefore V = \lim_{\delta h \rightarrow 0} \sum_{h=r \sin \theta}^{h=r} \pi R^2 \delta h.$$
$$= \pi \int_{r \sin \theta}^r R^2 dh.$$
$$= \pi \int_{r \sin \theta}^r (r^2 - h^2) dh.$$

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$$(11) \quad V = \pi \left[ r^2 h - \frac{h^3}{3} \right]_{r \sin \theta}^r$$
$$= \pi \left[ r^3 - \frac{r^3}{3} - \left( r^2 \sin \theta - \frac{r^3 \sin^3 \theta}{3} \right) \right]$$
$$= \pi \left[ \frac{2r^3}{3} - r^2 \sin \theta + r^3 \frac{\sin^3 \theta}{3} \right]$$
$$\boxed{= \frac{\pi r^3}{3} (2 - 3 \sin \theta + \sin^3 \theta)}$$

$$(d) (i) \text{ show } (x^r - y^r)^2 \geq 0.$$

$$x^4 - 2x^r y^r + y^4 \geq 0$$

$$\therefore \underline{x^4 + y^4 \geq 2x^r y^r}$$

$$(ii) \text{ show } OP = \sqrt{x^r + y^r}$$

$$\therefore OP^4 = (x^r + y^r)^2$$

$$= x^4 + y^4 + 2x^r y^r$$

$$\leq x^4 + y^4 + x^4 + y^4 \text{ (from (i))}$$

$$\leq 2. \quad (x^4 + y^4 = 1)$$

$$\therefore \underline{OP \leq 2^{\frac{1}{4}}}$$

## Section D

7. (a) How many sets of 5 quartets (groups of four musicians) can be formed from 5 violinists, 5 viola players, 5 cellists, and 5 pianists if each quartet is to consist of one player of each instrument?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } \frac{5^4 \times 4^4 \times 3^4 \times 2^4 \times 1^4}{5!} &= (5!)^3, \\ &= 1\,728\,000. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) i. If  $t = \tan \theta$ , prove that

$$\tan 4\theta = \frac{4t(1-t^2)}{1-6t^2+t^4}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: L.H.S.} &= \frac{2 \times \tan 2\theta}{1 - (\tan 2\theta)^2}, \\ &= \frac{2 \times \frac{2t}{1-t^2}}{1 - \left(\frac{2t}{1-t^2}\right)^2}, \\ &= \frac{4t(1-t^2)}{(1-t^2)^2 - 4t^2}, \\ &= \frac{4t(1-t^2)}{1-6t^2+t^4}, \\ &= \text{R.H.S.} \end{aligned}$$

- ii. If  $\tan \theta \tan 4\theta = 1$ , deduce that  $5t^4 - 10t^2 + 1 = 0$ .

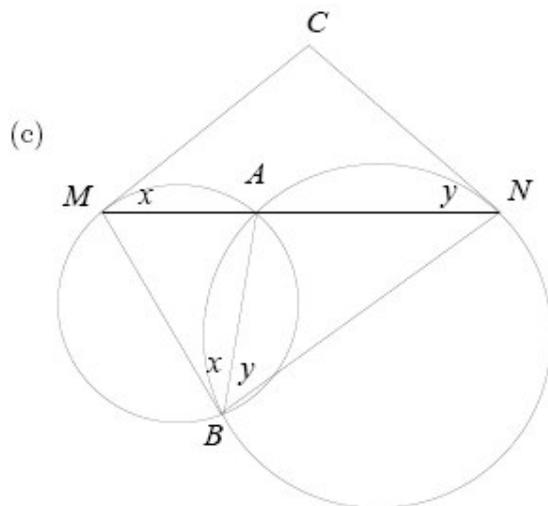
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: } t \times \frac{4t(1-t^2)}{1-6t^2+t^4} &= 1, \\ \frac{4t^2 - 4t^4}{1-6t^2+t^4} &= 1 - 6t^2 + t^4, \\ 5t^4 - 10t^2 + 1 &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

- iii. Given that  $\theta = \frac{\pi}{10}$  and  $\theta = \frac{3\pi}{10}$  are roots of the equation  $\tan \theta \tan 4\theta = 1$ , find the exact value of  $\tan \frac{\pi}{10}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution: Using the quadratic formula, } t^2 &= \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 20}}{10}, \\ &= \frac{5 \pm 2\sqrt{5}}{5}. \end{aligned}$$

*i.e.*,  $t = \sqrt{\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{5}}{5}}$  as  $\tan \frac{\pi}{10}, \tan \frac{3\pi}{10} > 0$ .

Now, as  $\tan \frac{\pi}{10} < \tan \frac{3\pi}{10}$ ,  $\tan \frac{\pi}{10} = \sqrt{\frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{5}}$ .



Two circles intersect at  $A$  and  $B$ .  
A line through  $A$  cuts the circles  
at  $M$  and  $N$ . The tangents at  $M$   
and  $N$  intersect at  $C$ .

- i. Prove that  $\angle CMA + \angle CNA = \angle MBN$ .

**Solution:** Join  $AB$ .

$$\angle CMA = \angle MBA \text{ (angle in alternate segment),}$$

$$\angle CNA = \angle ABN \text{ (angle in alternate segment),}$$

$$\therefore \angle CMA + \angle CNA = \angle MBA + \angle ABN,$$

$$= \angle MBN.$$

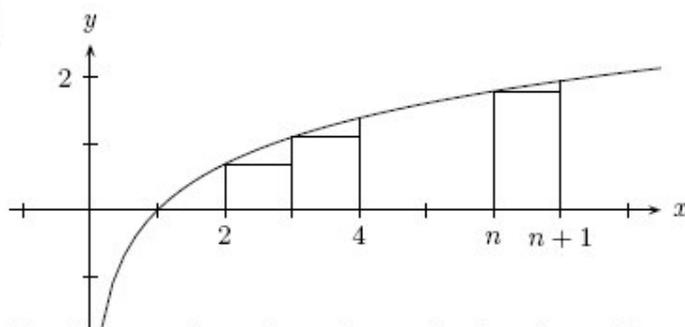
- ii. Prove  $M, C, N, B$  are concyclic.

**Solution:**  $\angle CMA + \angle CNA + \angle MCN = 180^\circ$  (angle sum of  $\triangle CMN$ ),

$$\therefore \angle MBN + \angle MCN = 180^\circ.$$

So  $MCNB$  is a cyclic quadrilateral (opposite angles supplementary).

8. (a)



The diagram above shows the graph of  $y = \log_e x$  for  $1 \leq x \leq n+1$ .

- i. By considering the sum of the areas of inner and outer rectangles,  
show that

$$\ln(n!) < \int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx < \ln((n+1)!)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Solution: Sum inner rectangles} &= \sum_{x=1}^n \ln x \times 1, \\
&= \ln 1 + \ln 2 + \ln 3 + \cdots + \ln n, \\
&= \ln n! \\
\text{Sum outer rectangles} &= \sum_{x=2}^{n+1} \ln x \times 1, \text{ or } \sum_{x=1}^n \ln(x+1) \times 1, \\
&= \ln 2 + \ln 3 + \ln 4 + \cdots + \ln(n+1), \\
&= \ln(n+1)! \\
\therefore \ln n! &< \int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx < \ln(n+1)!
\end{aligned}$$

ii. Find  $\int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Solution: } I &= \int_1^{n+1} \ln x \times 1 \, dx, & u &= \ln x & v' &= 1 \\
&= [x \ln x]_1^{n+1} - \int_1^{n+1} dx, & u' &= \frac{1}{x} & v &= x \\
&= (n+1) \ln(n+1) - 0 - [x]_1^{n+1}, \\
&= (n+1) \ln(n+1) - (n+1-1), \\
&= (n+1) \ln(n+1) - n.
\end{aligned}$$

iii. Hence prove that

$$e^n > \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Solution: From i., } \ln(n+1)! &> \int_1^{n+1} \ln x \, dx. \\
\therefore \ln(n+1)! &> \ln(n+1)^{n+1} - n. \\
n &> \ln \frac{(n+1)^{n+1}}{(n+1)!}, \\
&> \ln \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!}. \\
\therefore e^n &> \frac{(n+1)^n}{n!}.
\end{aligned}$$

(b) If a root of the cubic equation  $x^3 + bx^2 + cx + d = 0$  is equal to the reciprocal of another root, prove that

$$1 + bd = c + d^2.$$

**Solution:** Let the roots be  $\alpha, \frac{1}{\alpha}, \beta$ .

**Method 1:**

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha \times \frac{1}{\alpha} \times \beta &= -d, \\
\beta &= -d.
\end{aligned}$$

Substitute in the equation for the root  $\beta$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 -d^3 + bd^2 - cd + d &= 0, \\
 cd + d^3 &= bd^2 + d. \\
 \text{Divide by } d \ (d \neq 0), \\
 c + d^2 &= bd + 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

Method 2:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} + \beta &= -b, \\
 1 + \alpha\beta + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} &= c, \\
 \beta &= -d.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} - d = -b \dots \boxed{1}$$

$$1 - \alpha d - \frac{d}{\alpha} = c \dots \boxed{2}$$

$$1 - c = d\left(\alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right),$$

$$\therefore \alpha + \frac{1}{\alpha} = \frac{1 - c}{d}.$$

Sub. in  $\boxed{1}$ ,  $\frac{1 - c}{d} - d = -b,$

$$1 - c - d^2 = -bd,$$

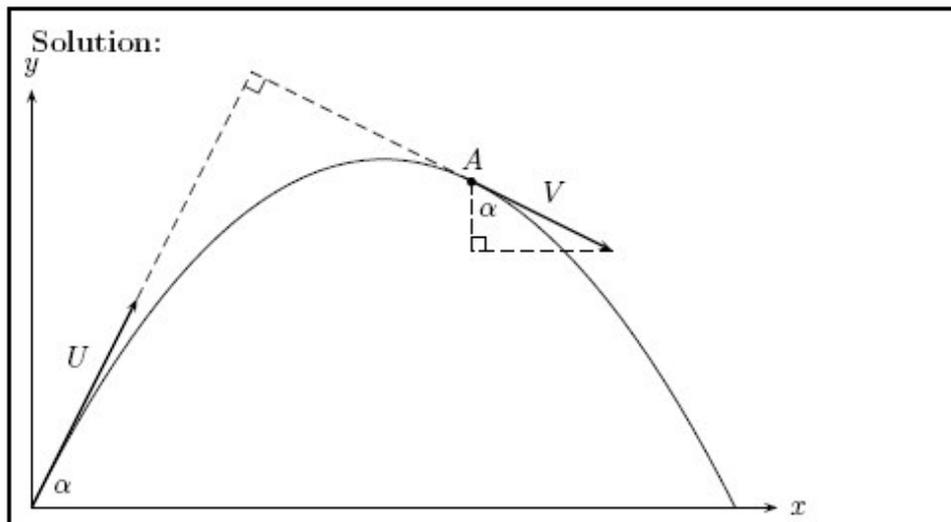
$$\text{i.e., } 1 + bd = c + d^2.$$

- (c) A stone is projected from a point  $O$  on a horizontal plane at an angle of elevation  $\alpha$  and with initial velocity  $U$  metres per second. The stone reaches a point  $A$  in its trajectory, and at that instant it is moving in a direction perpendicular to the angle of projection with speed  $V$  metres per second.

Air resistance is neglected throughout the motion and  $g$  is the acceleration due to gravity.

If  $t$  is the time in seconds at any instant, show that when the stone is at  $A$ :

- i.  $V = U \cot \alpha$



$$\begin{aligned}\ddot{x} &= 0 & \ddot{y} &= -g \\ \dot{x} &= U \cos \alpha & \dot{y} &= U \sin \alpha - gt\end{aligned}$$

At A,  $U \cos \alpha = V \sin \alpha$ ,  
i.e.,  $V = U \cot \alpha$

ii.  $t = \frac{U}{g \sin \alpha}$

**Solution:** At A,  $\dot{y} = -V \cos \alpha$  (now heading downwards),  
i.e.,  $-U \cot \alpha \times \cos \alpha = U \sin \alpha - gt$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}gt &= U \sin \alpha + U \frac{\cos \alpha}{\sin \alpha} \cdot \cos \alpha, \\ &= U \left( \frac{\sin^2 \alpha + \cos^2 \alpha}{\sin \alpha} \right). \\ \therefore t &= \frac{U}{g \sin \alpha}.\end{aligned}$$