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1a. $\frac{d}{dx} [\ln(x^2 + 3x + 5)] = \frac{2x + 3}{x^2 + 3x + 5}$

since $\frac{d}{dx} [\ln(f(x))] = \frac{f'(x)}{f(x)}$

1b. $\frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{\cos x}{x^2} \right]$; $f = \cos x$ $g = x^2$
 $f' = -\sin x$ $g' = 2x$

$$= \frac{-\sin x \cdot x^2 - \cos x \cdot 2x}{(x^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-x^2 \sin x - 2x \cos x}{x^4}$$

$$= \frac{-x \sin x - 2 \cos x}{x^3}$$

2a. $f(x) = 2 \sin(x^2) + x - 2$, $0 \leq x < 2\pi$

$$f(0.75) = -0.18339 \dots$$

$$f(0.85) = 0.1725 \dots$$

change of sign $\therefore 0.75 < \alpha < 0.85$ (α is root)

2b. $x_{n+1} = [\arcsin(1 - 0.5x_n)]^{1/2}$

$$x_0 = 0.8$$

$$x_1 = 0.80219$$

$$x_2 = 0.80133$$

$$x_3 = 0.80167$$

2c. if $\alpha = 0.80157$ to 5 dp $0.801565 < \alpha < 0.801575$

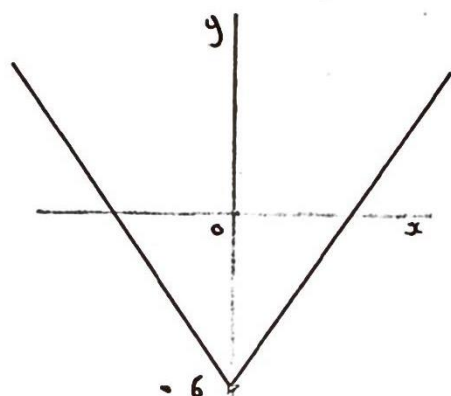
$$F(0.801565) = -0.000027...$$

$$F(0.801575) = 0.00000862...$$

change of sign $\therefore 0.801565 < \alpha < 0.801575$

$$\therefore \alpha = 0.80157 \text{ to 5 dp.}$$

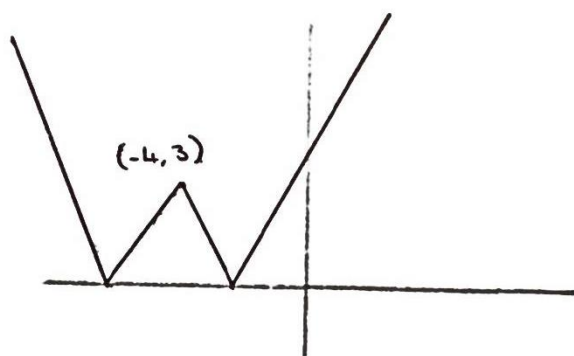
3a.



$$y = 2f(x+4)$$

$$R (0, -6)$$

3b.



$$y = |f(-x)|$$

$$R (-4, 3)$$

4a.

$$f(x) = 4 - \ln(x+2), \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x \geq -1$$

$$\text{let } y = 4 - \ln(x+2)$$

$$\ln(x+2) = 4 - y$$

$$x+2 = e^{4-y}$$

$$x = e^{4-y} - 2$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = e^{4-x} - 2$$

4b. domain of $f^{-1}(x)$ = range of $f(x)$

$$f(x) = 4 - \ln(x+2) \quad x \geq -1$$

$$f(-1) = 4 - \ln(1) = 4$$

$$\therefore f(x) \leq 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{domain of } f^{-1}(x) : x \leq 4$$

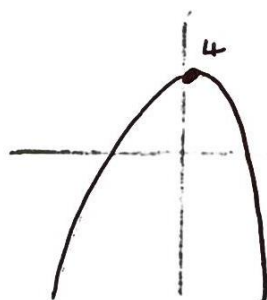
4c. $f(x) = 4 - \ln(x+2)$, $g(x) = e^{x^2} - 2$

$$fg(x) = 4 - \ln(e^{x^2} - 2 + 2)$$

$$= 4 - \ln(e^{x^2})$$

$$= 4 - x^2$$

4d.



range: $fg(x) \leq 4$

5a.

when $t=0$, $m = 7.5 \Rightarrow p = 7.5$

5b.

$$m = 7.5e^{-kt}$$

$$t=4, m = 2.5$$

$$2.5 = 7.5e^{-4k}$$

$$\frac{1}{3} = e^{-4k}$$

$$\ln \frac{1}{3} = -4k$$

$$-\ln 3 = -4k$$

$$k = \frac{1}{4} \ln 3$$

5c.

$$m = 7.5 e^{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t}$$

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = 7.5 \left(-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3\right) e^{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t}$$

$$-0.6 \ln 3 = -\frac{15}{8} \ln 3 e^{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t}$$

$$\frac{-0.6 \ln 3}{-\frac{15}{8} \ln 3} = e^{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t}$$

$$\frac{8}{25} = e^{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{8}{25}\right) = -\frac{1}{4} \ln 3 t$$

$$t = \frac{\ln(8/25)}{-\frac{1}{4} \ln 3}$$

$$= 4.15 \text{ (3sf)}$$

6a.

$$\frac{1}{\sin 2\theta} - \frac{\cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \tan \theta$$

LHS

$$\frac{1 - \cos 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta} = \tan \theta$$

$$= \frac{1 - (1 - 2\sin^2 \theta)}{2\sin \theta \cos \theta}$$

$$(\cos 2\theta \equiv 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta)$$

$$(\sin 2\theta \equiv 2\sin \theta \cos \theta)$$

$$= \frac{2\sin^2 \theta}{2\sin \theta \cos \theta}$$

$$= \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$$

$$= \tan \theta = \text{RHS}$$

6bi

$$\begin{aligned}\tan 15^\circ &= \frac{1}{\sin 30^\circ} - \frac{\cos 30^\circ}{\sin 30^\circ} \quad (\theta = 15^\circ) \\ &= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 - \sqrt{3}\end{aligned}$$

6bii.

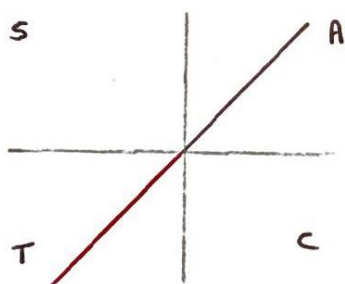
$$\operatorname{cosec} 4x - \cot 4x = 1 \quad 0 < x < 360^\circ$$

$$\frac{1}{\sin 4x} - \frac{\cos 4x}{\sin 4x} = 1$$

$$\text{let } \theta = 2x$$

$$\tan \theta = 1 \quad 0 < \theta < 720$$

$$\text{P.V. } \theta = 45^\circ$$



$$\theta = 45^\circ, 225^\circ, 405^\circ, 585^\circ$$

$$x = 22.5^\circ, 112.5^\circ, 202.5^\circ, 292.5^\circ$$

7a.

$$f(x) = \frac{4x-5}{(2x+1)(x-3)} - \frac{2x}{x^2-9}$$

$$= \frac{4x-5}{(2x+1)(x-3)} - \frac{2x}{(x+3)(x-3)}$$

$$= \frac{(4x-5)(x+3)}{(2x+1)(x+3)(x-3)} - \frac{2x(2x+1)}{(2x+1)(x+3)(x-3)}$$

$$= \frac{(4x-5)(x+3) - 2x(2x+1)}{(2x+1)(x+3)(x-3)}$$

$$\frac{4x^2 + 7x - 15 - 4x^2 - 2x}{(2x+1)(x+3)(x-3)}$$

$$= \frac{5x - 15}{(2x+1)(x+3)(x-3)}$$

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

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

7b.

$$f(x) = \frac{5}{(2x+1)(x+3)}$$

$$f = 5$$

$$f' = 0$$

$$g = (2x+1)(x+3)$$

$$= 2x^2 + 7x + 3$$

$$g' = 4x + 7$$

$$f'(x) = \frac{0(2x+1)(x+3) - 5(4x+7)}{((2x+1)(x+3))^2}$$

$$= \frac{-5(4x+7)}{(2x+1)^2(x+3)^2}$$

at P, $x = -1$,

P $(-1, -5/2)$

$$f'(-1) = -\frac{15}{4}$$

\therefore m of normal $\frac{4}{15}$ (since \perp)

$$y - -5/2 = \frac{4}{15}(x - -1)$$

$$y + 5/2 = \frac{4}{15}(x + 1)$$

8a.

$$2 \cos 3x - 3 \sin 3x = R \cos(3x + \alpha)$$

$$= R \cos 3x \cos \alpha - R \sin 3x \sin \alpha$$

$$R = \sqrt{2^2 + (-3)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{13}$$

$$\cos 3x : \quad 2 = R \cos \alpha$$

$$2 = \sqrt{13} \cos \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{\sqrt{13}}\right)$$

$$= 0.983 \quad (3 \text{ s.f.})$$

$$2 \cos 3x - 3 \sin 3x = \sqrt{13} \cos(3x + 0.983)$$

8b.

$$f(x) = e^{2x} \cos(3x)$$

$$f'(x) = 2e^{2x} \cos 3x - 3 \sin 3x e^{2x}$$

$$= e^{2x} (2 \cos 3x - 3 \sin 3x)$$

$$= e^{2x} \cdot \sqrt{13} \cos(3x + 0.983)$$

$$= \sqrt{13} e^{2x} \cos(3x + 0.983)$$

8c.

turning point occurs when $f'(x) = 0$

$$\sqrt{13} e^{2x} \cos(3x + 0.983) = 0$$

$$\cos(3x + 0.983) = 0 \quad (e^{2x} > 0, \forall x \in \mathbb{R})$$

$$\text{P.V.} \quad 3x + 0.983 = \pi/2 \quad (\text{smallest positive})$$

$$3x = \pi/2 - 0.983$$

$$x = \frac{\pi/2 - 0.983}{3} = 0.196 \quad (3 \text{ s.f.})$$