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A Level Maths

**Edexcel Core Maths C3 June
2012 Model Solutions**

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$$1. \quad \frac{2(3x+2)}{9x^2-4} - \frac{2}{3x+1}$$

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

$$\frac{2(3x+1) - 2(3x-2)}{(3x+1)(3x-2)}, \quad \frac{6}{(3x+1)(3x-2)}$$

$$2a. \quad f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x - 12$$

$$x^3 + 3x^2 = 12 - 4x$$

$$x^2(x+3) = 4(3-x)$$

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{4(3-x)}{x+3}}, \quad x \neq -3$$

$$2b. \quad x_0 = 1$$

$$x_1 = 1.41$$

$$x_2 = 1.20$$

$$x_3 = 1.31$$

$$2c. \quad \alpha = 1.272 \text{ to 3dp.} \Rightarrow \alpha \in [1.2715, 1.2725)$$

$$F(1.2715) = 0.00827$$

$$F(1.2725) = -0.00821$$

$$\text{change of sign} \Rightarrow \alpha \in (1.2715, 1.2725)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 1.272 \text{ to 3dp.}$$

3a. $y = e^{x\sqrt{3}} \sin 3x$, $-\frac{\pi}{3} \leq x \leq \frac{\pi}{3}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{3} e^{x\sqrt{3}} \sin 3x + 3e^{x\sqrt{3}} \cos 3x$$

$-\pi \leq 3x \leq \pi$

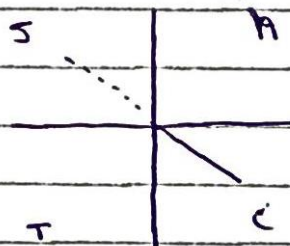
for turning point, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$e^{x\sqrt{3}} (\sqrt{3} \sin 3x + 3 \cos 3x) = 0 \quad (e^{x\sqrt{3}} > 0)$$

$$\sqrt{3} \sin 3x = -3 \cos 3x$$

$$\tan 3x = -\frac{3}{\sqrt{3}}$$

P.V. $-\frac{1}{3}\pi, \frac{2}{3}\pi$



$$x = -\frac{1}{9}\pi, \frac{2}{9}\pi$$

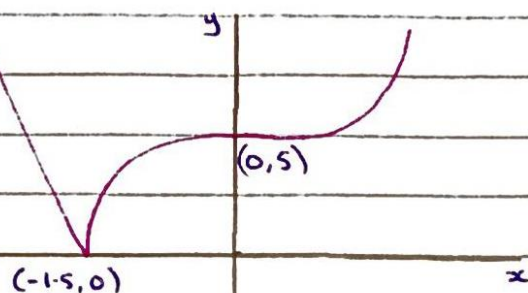
since $x > 0$, $x = \frac{2}{9}\pi$

3b. $x=0, y=0$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{3} e^0 \sin(0) + 3e^0 \cos(0) = 3$$

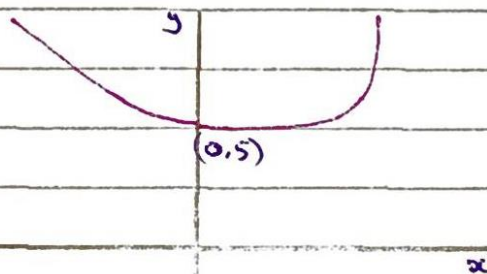
$$y = -\frac{1}{3}x$$

4a.



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

4b.

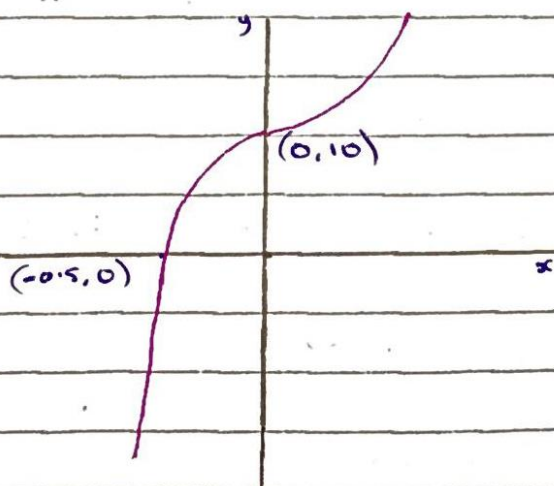


$$y = f(|x|)$$

4c.

stretch x s.f. $\frac{1}{3}$
stretch y s.f. 2

$$y = 2f(3x)$$



$$5a. \quad 4 \operatorname{cosec}^2 2\theta - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = \frac{4}{\sin^2 2\theta} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta}$$

use $\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$
 $\sin^2 2\theta = 4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta$

$$\frac{4}{4 \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta}$$

$$5b. \quad 4 \operatorname{cosec}^2 2\theta - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta$$

$$\text{LHS} : \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} - \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta}$$

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

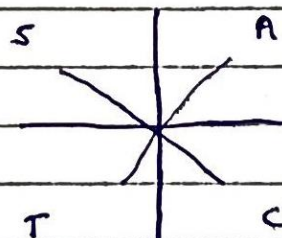
$$= \frac{\sin^2 \theta}{\sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \theta} = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta} = \sec^2 \theta = \text{RHS}$$

$$5c. \quad 4 \operatorname{cosec}^2 2\theta - \operatorname{cosec}^2 \theta = 4 \quad 0 < \theta < \pi$$

$$\sec^2 \theta = 4$$

$$\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{2\pi}{3}$$



6a. $f(x) = e^x + 2 \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$
 $g(x) = \ln x \quad x > 0$

$$f(x) > 2 \quad (\text{since } e^x > 0)$$

6b. $fg(x) = f(\ln x) = e^{\ln x} + 2 = x + 2$

6c. $f(2x+3) = 6$

$$e^{2x+3} + 2 = 6$$

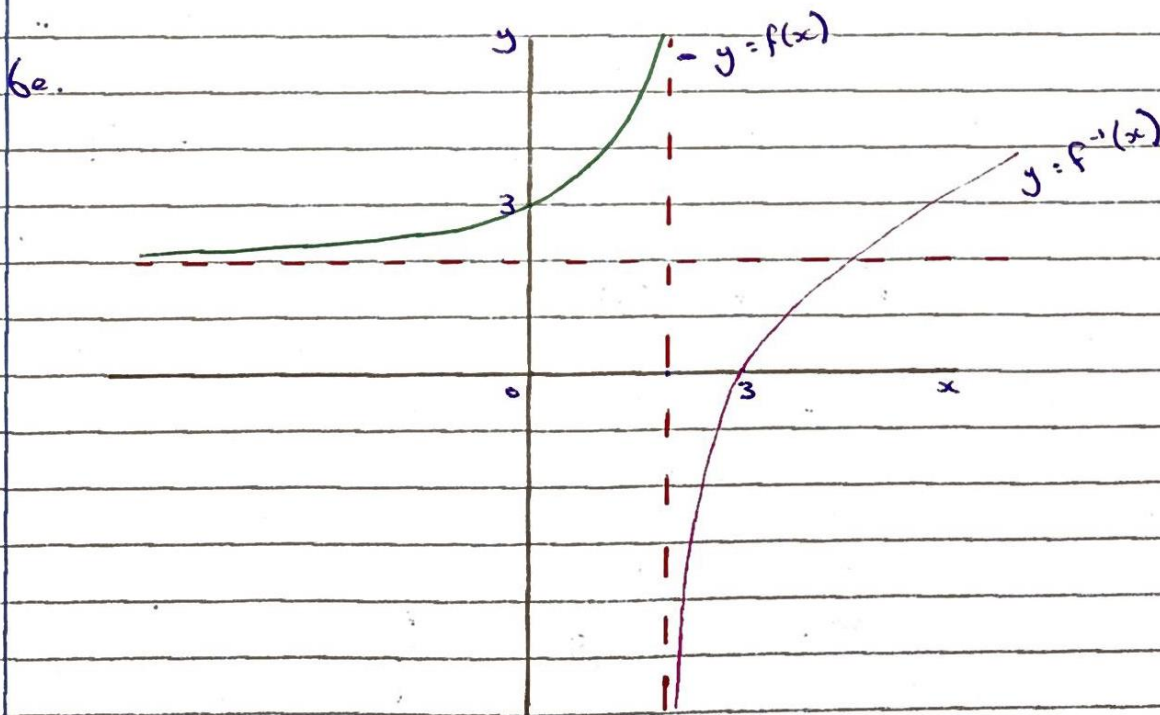
$$2x+3 = \ln 4$$

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

6d. let $y = e^{x+2} + 2$

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

$$f^{-1}(x) = \ln(x-2)$$



$$7a. \frac{d}{dx} x^{1/2} \ln 3x = \frac{1}{2} x^{-1/2} \ln 3x + \frac{3x^{1/2}}{3x}$$

$$7b. \frac{d}{dx} \left[\frac{1-10x}{(2x-1)^5} \right] \quad f = 1-10x \quad g = (2x-1)^5$$

$$f' = -10 \quad g' = 10(2x-1)^4$$

$$= \frac{-10(2x-1)^5 - 10(1-10x)(2x-1)^4}{(2x-1)^{10}}$$

$$= \frac{-10(2x-1) - 10(1-10x)}{(2x-1)^6}$$

$$= \frac{-20x + 10 - 10 + 100x}{(2x-1)^6}$$

$$= \frac{80x}{(2x-1)^6}$$

$$7c. x = 3 \tan(2y) \quad \left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^2 = \tan^2(2y)$$

$$1 = 6 \sec^2(2y) \frac{dy}{dx} \quad \sec^2(2y) = 1 + \tan^2(2y)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{6 \sec^2(2y)} \quad = 1 + \left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{6 \left(1 + \left(\frac{x}{3}\right)^2\right)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6 + \frac{6x^2}{9}}$$

$$= \frac{9}{54 + 6x^2} \quad = \frac{3}{18 + 2x^2}$$

8a. $f(x) = 7 \cos 2x - 24 \sin 2x$

$$7 \cos 2x - 24 \sin 2x = R \cos(2x + \alpha)$$

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

$$R = \sqrt{7^2 + (-24)^2} = 25$$

$$\cos 2x : 7 = 25 \cos \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha = 73.74^\circ$$

8b. $25 \cos(2x + 73.74^\circ) = 12.5 \quad 0 \leq x \leq 180^\circ$

$$2x + 73.74^\circ = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{12.5}{25}\right)$$

$$73.74^\circ \leq 2x + 73.74^\circ \leq 433.74^\circ$$

P.V. $60^\circ, 300^\circ, 420^\circ$



$$2x + 73.74 = \begin{cases} 60^\circ & \Rightarrow x = -6.87^\circ \\ 300^\circ & \Rightarrow x = 113.13^\circ \\ 420^\circ & \Rightarrow x = 173.14^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 113.1^\circ, 173.1^\circ$$

$$8c. \quad 14 \cos^2 x - 48 \sin x \cos x$$

$$\sin 2x = 2 \sin x \cos x$$

$$\cos 2x = 2 \cos^2 x - 1$$

$$~~28 \cos x~~$$

$$7 \cos 2x + 7 = 24 \sin 2x$$

$$8d. \quad 14 \cos^2 x - 48 \sin x \cos x + 7 = f(x) + 7$$

$$25 \cos(2x + 73.74^\circ) + 7$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{max value is } 32$$