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1a. $x = 1.25$, $y = 1.601$

1b. $R \approx \frac{1}{2}(0.25) \left\{ (1.414 + 2.236) + 2(1.601 + 1.803 + 2.016) \right\}$
 ≈ 1.81 (2dp)

2a. $f(x) = 2x^3 - 7x^2 + 4x + 4$
 $f(2) = 2(2)^3 - 7(2)^2 + 4(2) + 4$
 $= 16 - 28 + 8 + 4$
 $= 0 \quad \therefore (x-2) \text{ is a factor}$

2b.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2x^2 - 3x - 2 \\
 x-2 \overline{) 2x^3 - 7x^2 + 4x + 4} \\
 \underline{2x^3 - 4x^2} \\
 -3x^2 + 4x \\
 \underline{-3x^2 + 6x} \\
 -2x + 4 \\
 \underline{-2x + 4} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$\therefore f(x) = (x-2)(2x^2 - 3x - 2)$
 $= (x-2)(2x+1)(x-2)$

3a. $(2-3x)^6 = {}^6C_0 2^6 + {}^6C_1 2^5(-3x) + {}^6C_2 2^4(-3x)^2 + \dots$
 $= 64 - 576x + 2160x^2 + \dots$

3b. $\left(1 + \frac{x}{2}\right)(64 - 576x + 2160x^2 + \dots)$
 $= 64 - 576x + 2160x^2 + 32x - 288x^2 + \dots$
 $= 64 - 544x + 1872x^2$

4. $\int_1^{\sqrt{3}} \frac{1}{6}x^3 + \frac{1}{3}x^{-2} dx$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{24}x^4 - \frac{1}{3}x^{-1} \right]_1^{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{24}(\sqrt{3})^4 - \frac{1}{3}(\sqrt{3})^{-1} \right) - \left(\frac{1}{24}(1)^4 - \frac{1}{3}(1)^{-1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{6 - \sqrt{3}}{9}$$

$$\therefore \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{9}\sqrt{3} \quad ; \quad a = \frac{2}{3} \quad b = -\frac{1}{9}$$

5a. $A = \frac{1}{2}r^2\theta \quad ; \quad \frac{1}{2}(5)^2(1.4) = 17.5$

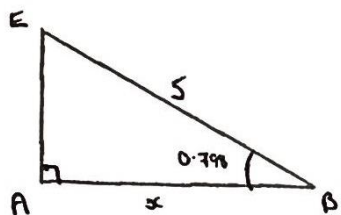
5b. $\cos \theta = \frac{5^2 + 7.5^2 - 6.1^2}{2(5)(7.5)} \quad \therefore \theta = 0.943$

5c. Area of $\triangle = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C = \frac{1}{2}(5)(7.5) \sin 0.943$

$$= 15.1748 \dots$$

$\hat{EBA} : \pi - 0.943 - 1.4$

$$= 0.79859$$



$$\frac{x}{5} = \cos(0.79859 \dots)$$

$$x = 3.4885 \dots$$

$$\therefore \text{Area} = \frac{1}{2}(5)(3.4885 \dots) \sin 0.79859$$

$$= 6.2478 \dots$$

$$\therefore \text{Total Area} = 6.2478 \dots + 17.5 + 15.1748$$

$$= 38.9 \quad (3 \text{sf})$$

6a. $S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r} \quad ; \quad \frac{20}{1-7/8} = 160$

6b. $S_{12} = \frac{a(1-r^{12})}{1-r} = \frac{20(1-0.875^{12})}{1-7/8}$
 $= 127.7 \quad (1dp)$

6c. $S_{\infty} - S_N < 0.5$

$160 - S_N < 0.5$

$S_N > 159.5$

$\frac{20(1-0.875^N)}{1/8} > 159.5$

$1 - 0.875^N > \frac{319}{320}$

$0.875^N < \frac{1}{320}$

$N \log(0.875) < \log(1/320)$

$N > \frac{\log(1/320)}{\log(0.875)} \quad (\text{Sign flips since } \log 0.875 < 0)$

$N > 43.198 \dots$

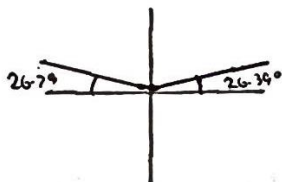
$\therefore N = 44$

7i. $9 \sin(\theta + 60) = 4 \quad 0 \leq \theta < 360^\circ$

$\sin(\theta + 60) = 4/9$

Let $\phi = \theta + 60$, $\sin \phi = 4/9 \quad 60 \leq \phi < 420$

P.V. $\phi = 26.39^\circ$



$\therefore \phi = 153.6^\circ, 386.4^\circ$

$x = 93.6^\circ, 326.4^\circ$

7ii.

$$2 \tan x - 3 \sin x = 0$$

$$-\pi \leq x < \pi$$

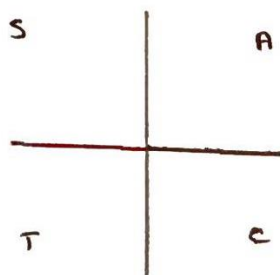
$$\frac{2 \sin x}{\cos x} - 3 \sin x = 0$$

$$2 \sin x - 3 \sin x \cos x = 0$$

$$\sin x (2 - 3 \cos x) = 0$$

$$\sin x = 0$$

P.V. $x = 0$

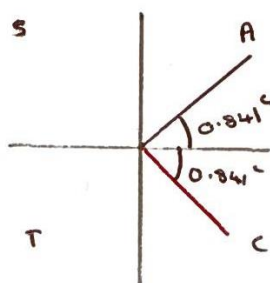


$$x = 0, -\pi$$

$$3 \cos x = 2$$

$$\cos x = 2/3$$

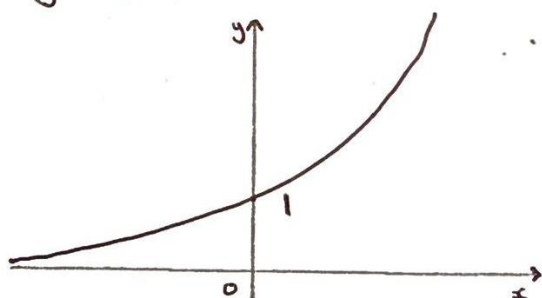
P.V. $x = 0.841$



$$x = 0.841, -0.841$$

8a.

$$y = 3^x$$



8b.

$$3^{2x} - 9(3^x) + 18 = 0$$

let $y = 3^x$
 $y^2 = 3^{2x}$

$$y^2 - 9y + 18 = 0$$

$$(y - 3)(y - 6) = 0$$

$$y = 3$$

$$3^x = 3 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

or

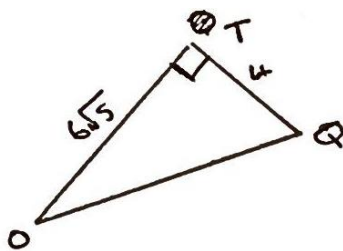
$$y = 6$$

$$3^x = 6$$

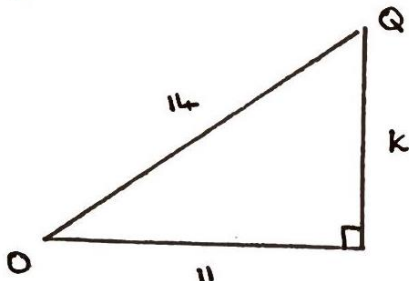
$$x \log 3 = \log 6$$

$$x = \frac{\log 6}{\log 3} = 1.63 \quad (2dp)$$

9a.



$$\begin{aligned} OQ^2 &= (6\sqrt{5})^2 + 4^2 \\ &= 196 \\ \therefore OQ &= 14 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} k^2 &= 14^2 - 11^2 \\ k &= 5\sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

9b

$$(x-11)^2 + (y-5\sqrt{3})^2 = 4^2$$

10a.

$$A \text{ of trap} : \frac{9x+6x}{2} \times 4x = 30x^2$$

$$V_{\text{dome}} \quad 9600 = 30x^2y$$

$$y = \frac{9600}{30x^2}$$

$$= \frac{320}{x^2}$$

10b.

$$SA = 2(30x^2) + 6xy + 5xy + 4xy + 9xy$$

$$= 60x^2 + 24xy$$

$$= 60x^2 + 24x \left(\frac{320}{x^2} \right)$$

$$= 60x^2 + \frac{7680}{x}$$

10c.

$$\frac{dS}{dx} = 120x - 7680x^{-2}$$

$$\text{minimum when } \frac{dS}{dx} = 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{7680}{x^2} = 120x$$

$$7680 = 120x^2$$

$$x^3 = 64$$

$$x = 4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } x = 4, \quad S &= 60(4)^2 + \frac{7680}{4} \\ &= 2880 \end{aligned}$$

10d.

$$\frac{d^2S}{dx^2} = 120 + 15360x^{-3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } x = 4, \quad \frac{d^2S}{dx^2} &= 120 + 15360(4)^{-3} \\ &= 360 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d^2S}{dx^2} > 0$$

\therefore minimum