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1a.

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

$$f = 4x+1$$

$$g = x-2$$

$$f' = 4$$

$$g' = 1$$

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

$$= \frac{4x-8-4x-1}{(x-2)^2}$$

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

1b.

$$-1 = \frac{-9}{(x-2)^2}$$

$$(x-2)^2 = 9$$

$$x-2 = \pm 3$$

$$x = 2 \pm 3$$

$$x = 5 \text{ or } x = -1$$

$$\therefore x = 5 \quad (\text{Since } x > 2)$$

$$\text{When } x = 5, \quad y = \frac{4(5)+1}{5-2}$$

$$= 7$$

$$\therefore P \text{ at } (5, 7)$$

2a.  $2\ln(2x+1) - 10 = 0$

$$\ln(2x+1) = 5$$

$$2x+1 = e^5$$

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

2b.  $3^x e^{4x} = e^7$

$$3^x = e^{7-4x}$$

$$x \ln 3 = 7 - 4x$$

$$x(\ln 3 + 4) = 7$$

$$x = \frac{7}{\ln 3 + 4}$$

3a.  $x = 8y \tan 2y$        $P\left(\pi, \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$

$$\pi = 8\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right) \tan\left(2\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right)\right)$$

$$\pi = \pi \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\pi = \pi \quad \therefore P \text{ lies on } C$$

3b.  $x = 8y \tan 2y$

$$\frac{dx}{dy} = 8 \tan 2y + 16y \sec^2 2y$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } y = \pi/8, \quad \frac{dx}{dy} &= 8 \tan\left(2\pi/8\right) + 16\left(\frac{\pi}{8}\right) \sec^2\left(2\pi/8\right) \\ &= 8 + 4\pi \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{8+4\pi}$$

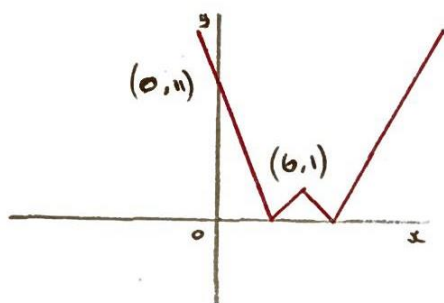
$$y - \frac{\pi}{8} = \frac{1}{8+4\pi} (x - \pi)$$

$$(y - \frac{\pi}{8})(8+4\pi) = x - \pi$$

$$8y + 4\pi y - \pi - \frac{\pi^2}{2} = x - \pi$$

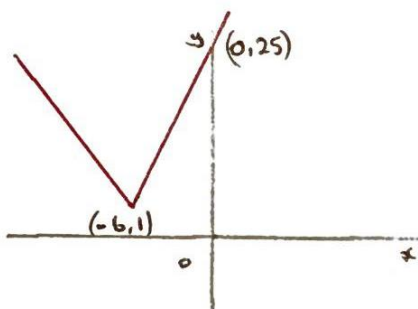
$$y(8+4\pi) = x + \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

4a.



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

4b.



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

4c.

when  $x = 6$ ,  $f(x) = -1$   $\therefore$

$$a|6-b| - 1 = -1$$

$$a|6-b| = 0 \Rightarrow a=0 \text{ or } b=6$$

when  $x = 0$ ,  $f(x) = 11$   $\therefore$

$$a|-b| - 1 = 11$$

$$a|b| = 12$$

$$a \neq 0 \therefore b = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 2$$

5a.

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

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

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

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

$$= \frac{x^2 - 2x + 6x + 3}{(x-2)(x+3)}$$

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

$$= \frac{x+1}{x-2}$$

5b.

$$g(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-2} \quad x > 3$$

$$\text{when } x=3 \quad g(x) = \frac{4}{1} = 4$$

$$\text{as } x \rightarrow \infty \quad g(x) \rightarrow 1$$

$$\therefore 1 < g(x) < 4$$

5c.

$$g(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-2}; \quad x > 3$$

$$\text{let } y = \frac{x+1}{x-2}$$

$$yx - 2y = x + 1$$

$$yx - x = 2y + 1$$

$$x(y-1) = 2y+1$$

$$x = \frac{2y+1}{y-1}$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x+1}{x-1}$$

$$\frac{2x+1}{x-1} = \frac{x+1}{x-2}$$

$$(2x+1)(x-2) = (x+1)(x-1)$$

$$2x^2 - 4x + x - 2 = x^2 - 1$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

since  $x > 3$

$$x = \frac{3 + \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

6a.

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

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } x = 2.1, \quad y &= 2\cos\left(\frac{1}{2}(2.1)^2\right) + (2.1)^3 - 3(2.1) - 2 \\ &= -0.22 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{when } x = 2.2, \quad y &= 2\cos\left(\frac{1}{2}(2.2)^2\right) + (2.2)^3 - 3(2.2) - 2 \\ &= 0.55 \end{aligned}$$

change of sign  $\therefore$  point lies between 2.1 and 2.2

6b.

$$R = \text{minimum} \Rightarrow \text{at } R \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

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

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x^2\right) + 3x^2 - 3$$

$$0 = -2x \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x^2\right) + 3x^2 - 3$$

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

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

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

6c.

$$x_{n+1} = \sqrt{1 + \frac{2}{3}x_n \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}x_n^2\right)}, \quad x_0 = 1.3$$

$$x_1 = 1.284 \quad (3dp)$$

$$x_2 = 1.276 \quad (3dp)$$

7a.

$$\operatorname{cosec} 2x + \cot 2x = \cot x, \quad x \neq 90^\circ n, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

LHS

$$\frac{1}{\sin 2x} + \frac{\cos 2x}{\sin 2x}$$

$$= \frac{1 + \cos 2x}{\sin 2x}$$

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

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

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

$$= \cot x = \text{RHS}$$

7b.

$$\operatorname{cosec}(4\theta + 10) + \cot(4\theta + 10) = \sqrt{3} \quad 0 \leq \theta < 180$$

$$\text{let } 4\theta + 10 = 2x$$

$$230 + 5 = x$$

$$\therefore \cot(2\theta + 5) = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan(2\theta + 5) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

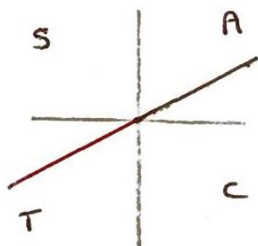
$$\text{let } \phi = 2\theta + 5$$

$$\tan \phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$0 \leq 2\theta < 360$$

$$5 \leq \phi < 365$$

$$\text{P.V. } \phi = 30^\circ$$



$$\phi = 30^\circ, 210^\circ$$

$$2\theta + 5 = 30^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 12.5^\circ$$

$$2\theta + 5 = 210^\circ \Rightarrow \theta = 102.5^\circ$$

8a.

$$t=0 \quad ; \quad P = \frac{800e^0}{1+3e^0} = 200$$

8b.

$$250 = \frac{800e^{0.1t}}{1+3e^{0.1t}}$$

$$250 + 750e^{0.1t} = 800e^{0.1t}$$

$$250 = 50e^{0.1t}$$

$$5 = e^{0.1t}$$

$$\ln 5 = 0.1t$$

$$t = \frac{\ln 5}{0.1} = 10 \ln 5$$



8c.

$$P = \frac{800e^{0.1t}}{1+3e^{0.1t}}$$

$$f = 800e^{0.1t}$$

$$g = 1+3e^{0.1t}$$

$$f' = 80e^{0.1t}$$

$$g' = 0.3e^{0.1t}$$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{80e^{0.1t}(1+3e^{0.1t}) - 800e^{0.1t}(0.3e^{0.1t})}{(1+3e^{0.1t})^2}$$

$$= \frac{80e^{0.1t} + 240e^{0.1t} - 240e^{0.1t}}{1 + 6e^{0.1t} + 9e^{0.2t}}$$

when  $t=10$ ,  $\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{80e}{1+6e+9e^2}$

8d.

as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{800e^{0.1t}}{1+3e^{0.1t}} \rightarrow \frac{800}{3}$

$\frac{800}{3} < 270 \quad \therefore P$  will never reach 270

9a.

$$\begin{aligned} 2\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta &= R\sin(\theta - \alpha) \\ &= R(\sin\theta\cos\alpha - \cos\theta\sin\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

$\sin\theta : 2 = R\cos\alpha \quad (1)$

$\cos\theta : -4 = -R\sin\alpha$

$4 = R\sin\alpha \quad (2)$

' $(2) \div (1)$ '  $\tan\alpha = 2$   
 $\alpha = 1.107^\circ$

$R = \sqrt{2^2 + 4^2}$   
 $= 2\sqrt{5}$

$2\sin\theta - 4\cos\theta = 2\sqrt{5}\sin(\theta - 1.107)$

9b.

$$H(\theta) = 4 + 5(2\sin 3\theta - 4\cos 3\theta)^2$$

$$> 4 + 5(2\sqrt{5}(\sin(3\theta - 1.107)))^2$$

max value of  $\sin(3\theta - 1.107) = 1$

$$H(\theta) = 4 + 5(2\sqrt{5} \times 1)^2$$

$$= 104$$

9bi.

$$\sin(3\theta - 1.107) = 1$$

let  $\phi = 3\theta - 1.107$

$$\sin \phi = 1$$

$$\phi = \pi/2$$

$$3\theta - 1.107 = \pi/2$$

$$\theta = 0.893 \quad (3sf)$$

$$0 \leq \theta < \pi$$

$$0 \leq 3\theta < 3\pi$$

$$-1.107 \leq \phi < 3\pi - 1.107$$

9ci.

min value of  $|\sin(3\theta - 1.107)| = 0$

$$H(\theta) = 4 + 5(2\sqrt{5} \times 0)^2$$

$$= 4$$

9cii.

$$\sin(3\theta - 1.107) = 0$$

$$\sin \phi = 0$$

$$\phi = 0, \pi, 2\pi$$

max value when  $\phi = 2\pi$

$$3\theta - 1.107 = 2\pi$$

$$\theta = \frac{2\pi + 1.107}{3}$$

$$= 2.46 \quad (3sf)$$

$$0 \leq \theta < \pi$$

$$-1.107 \leq \phi < 3\pi - 1.107$$