

1. Given that

$$\frac{3x^4 - 2x^3 - 5x^2 - 4}{x^2 - 4} \equiv ax^2 + bx + c + \frac{dx + e}{x^2 - 4}, \quad x \neq \pm 2$$

find the values of the constants a, b, c, d and e .

(4)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3x^2 - 2x + 7 \\
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 x^2 + 0x - 4 \mid 3x^4 - 2x^3 - 5x^2 + 0x - 4 \\
 \underline{3x^4 + 0x^3 - 12x^2} \\
 -2x^3 + 7x^2 + 0x \\
 \underline{-2x^3 + 0x^2 + 8x} \\
 7x^2 - 8x - 4 \\
 \underline{7x^2 + 0x - 28} \\
 -8x + 24
 \end{array}$$

$$3x^2 - 2x + 7 + \frac{-8x + 24}{x^2 - 4}$$

$$a = 3 \quad b = -2 \quad c = 7 \quad d = -8 \quad e = 24$$



2. Given that

$$f(x) = \ln x, \quad x > 0$$

sketch on separate axes the graphs of

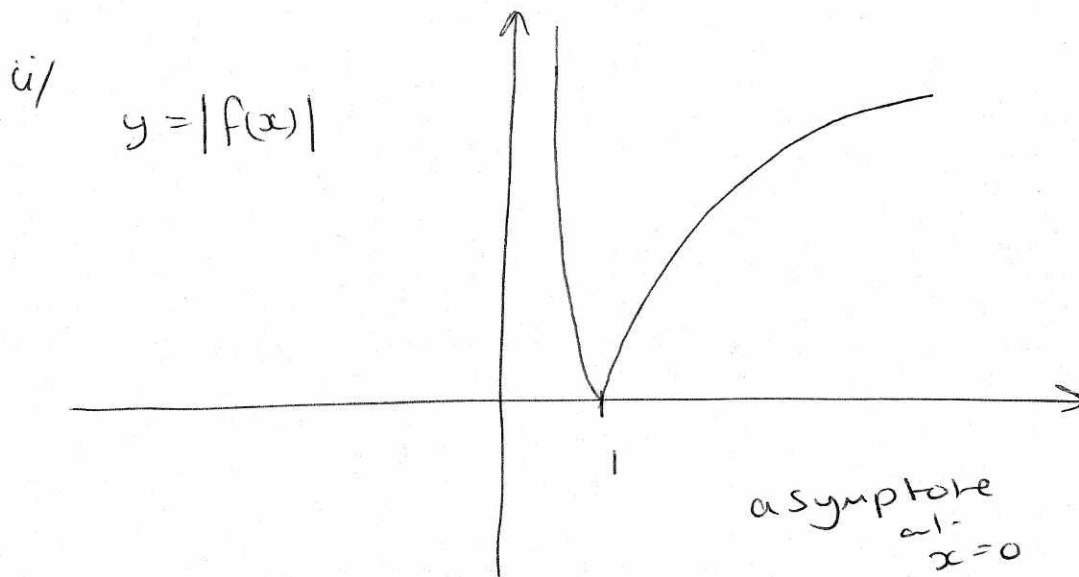
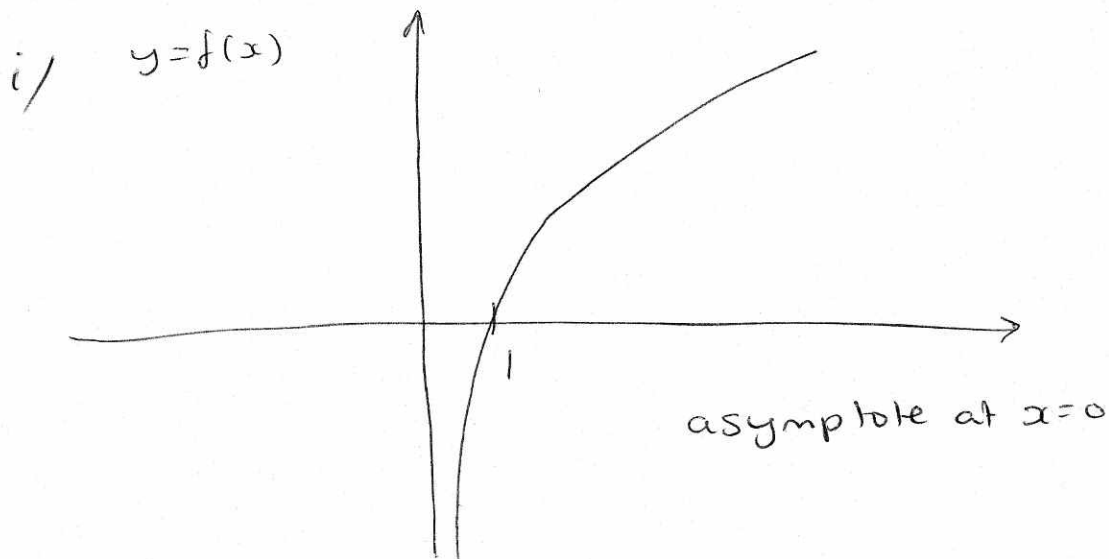
(i) $y = f(x)$,

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

(iii) $y = -f(x - 4)$.

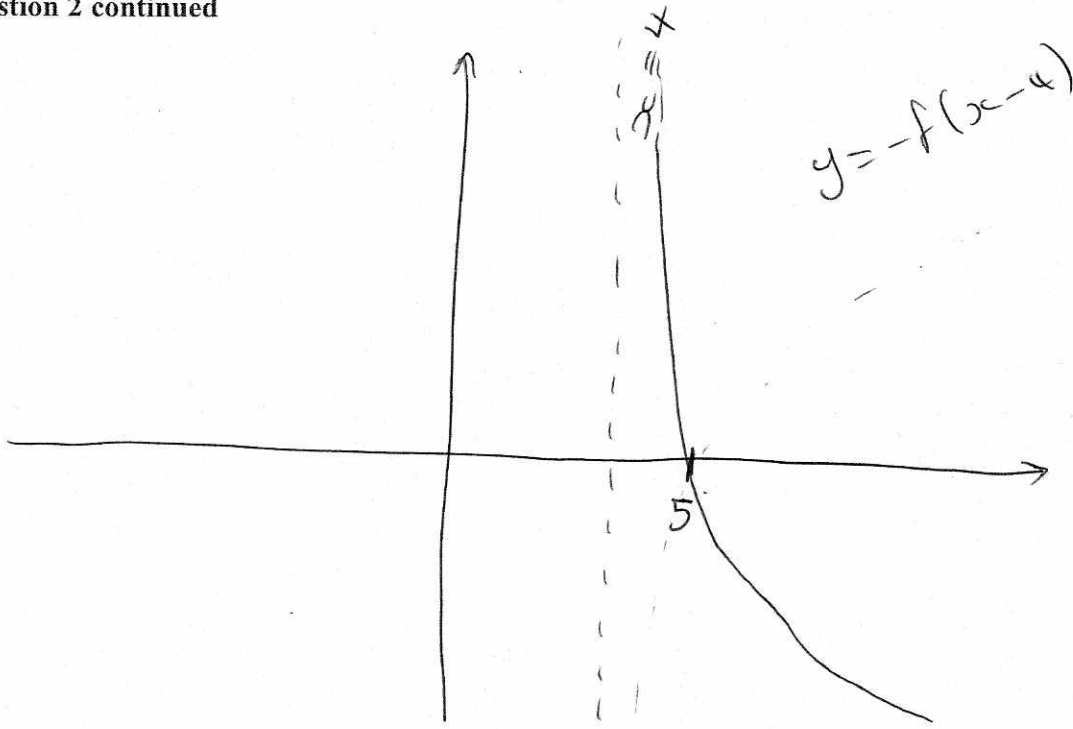
Show, on each diagram, the point where the graph meets or crosses the x -axis.
In each case, state the equation of the asymptote.

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Question 2 continued

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3. Given that

$$2 \cos(x + 50)^\circ = \sin(x + 40)^\circ$$

(a) Show, without using a calculator, that

$$\tan x^\circ = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40^\circ \quad (4)$$

(b) Hence solve, for $0 \leq \theta < 360$,

$$2 \cos(2\theta + 50)^\circ = \sin(2\theta + 40)^\circ$$

giving your answers to 1 decimal place.

$$\sin 40 = \cos 50 \quad \cos 40 = \sin 50 \quad (4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } \cos(A+B) &= \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B \\ \sin(A+B) &= \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B \end{aligned}$$

$$2 \cos(x+50) = \sin(x+40)$$

$$2(\cos x \cos 50 - \sin x \sin 50) = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$$

$$2 \cos x (\cos 50) - 2 \sin x \sin 50 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$$

$$2 \cos x \sin 40 - 2 \sin x \cos 40 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$$

$$\cos x \sin 40 = 3 \sin x \cos 40$$

$$\sin 40 = 3 \tan x \cos 40$$

$$\tan 40 = 3 \tan x$$

$$\underline{\underline{\frac{1}{3} \tan 40 = \tan x}}$$

$$\text{b) } \tan(2\theta) = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40$$

$$\tan(2\theta) = 0.296998771$$

$$2\theta = 15.62629958, 195.6262996, \\ 375.6262996, 555.6262996$$

$$\theta = 7.8^\circ, 97.8^\circ, 187.8^\circ, 277.8^\circ$$

4. $f(x) = 25x^2e^{2x} - 16, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$

(a) Using calculus, find the exact coordinates of the turning points on the curve with equation $y = f(x)$.

(5)

(b) Show that the equation $f(x) = 0$ can be written as $x = \pm \frac{4}{5}e^{-x}$

(1)

The equation $f(x) = 0$ has a root α , where $\alpha = 0.5$ to 1 decimal place.

(c) Starting with $x_0 = 0.5$, use the iteration formula

$$x_{n+1} = \frac{4}{5}e^{-x_n}$$

to calculate the values of x_1, x_2 and x_3 , giving your answers to 3 decimal places.

(3)

(d) Give an accurate estimate for α to 2 decimal places, and justify your answer.

(2)

a/ turning points where $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$u = 25x^2 \quad v = e^{2x}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 50x \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = 2e^{2x}$$

$$f'(x) = 50xe^{2x} + 50x^2e^{2x}$$

$$= 50e^{2x}(x + x^2)$$

$$= (50xe^{2x})(1 + x)$$

$$x=0 \quad x=-1$$

$$y = 25(0)^2e^{2(0)} - 16 \quad y = 25(-1)^2e^{2(-1)}$$

$$= -16 \quad = 25e^{-2}$$

$$\underline{(0, -16)} \quad \text{and} \quad \underline{(-1, 25e^{-2})}$$

b)

$$25x^2e^{2x} - 16 = 0$$

$$25x^2e^{2x} = 16$$

$$x^2e^{2x} = \frac{16}{25}$$



Question 4 continued

$$(x e^x)^2 = \frac{16}{25}$$

$$x e^x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{16}{25}}$$

$$x e^x = \pm \frac{4}{5}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{4}{5} e^{-x}$$

$$= \pm \frac{4}{5} e^{-x}$$

c/ $x_0 = 0.5$

$$x_1 = \frac{4}{5} e^{-x_0}$$

$$x_1 = 0.485$$

$$x_2 = 0.492$$

$$x_3 = 0.489$$

d/ $x = 0.49$ to 2dp

x_2 and x_3 both round to 0.49 to 2dp

$$f(0.485) = -0.487$$

$$f(0.495) = 0.485$$

change of sign \therefore solution is 0.49 to 2dp

5. Given that

$$x = \sec^2 3y, \quad 0 < y < \frac{\pi}{6}$$

(a) find $\frac{dx}{dy}$ in terms of y . (2)

(b) Hence show that

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{6x(x-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \quad (4)$$

(c) Find an expression for $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ in terms of x . Give your answer in its simplest form. (4)

a/ $x = (\sec 3y)^2$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dy} &= 2 \sec(3y) \times 3 \sec(3y) \tan(3y) \\ &= 6 \sec^2(3y) \tan(3y) \end{aligned}$$

b/

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

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

$$= \frac{1}{6x \sqrt{x-1}} \quad \tan^2 3y = \sec^2 3y - 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{6x(x-1)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \quad \tan 3y = \sqrt{\sec^2 3y - 1} = \sqrt{x-1}$$

c/ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{6} x^{-1} (x-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$$u = \frac{1}{6} x^{-1} \quad v = (x-1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = -\frac{1}{6} x^{-2} \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = -\frac{1}{2} (x-1)^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$



Question 5 continued

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= -\frac{1}{6}x^{-2}(x-1)^{-1/2} + \frac{1}{6}x^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}(x-1)^{-3/2}\right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{6}x^{-2}(x-1)^{-1/2} - \frac{1}{12}x^{-1}(x-1)^{-3/2} \\ &= \frac{1}{12}x^{-2}(x-1)^{-3/2}(-2(x-1) - x) \\ &= \frac{1}{12}x^{-2}(x-1)^{-3/2}(-2x+2-x) \\ &= \frac{1}{12x^2(x-1)^{3/2}}(2-3x) \\ &= \frac{2-3x}{12x^2(x-1)^{3/2}}\end{aligned}$$

6. Find algebraically the exact solutions to the equations

$$(a) \ln(4-2x) + \ln(9-3x) = 2\ln(x+1), \quad -1 < x < 2 \quad (5)$$

$$(b) 2^x e^{3x+1} = 10$$

Give your answer to (b) in the form $\frac{a + \ln b}{c + \ln d}$ where a, b, c and d are integers. (5)

$$a) \quad \ln(4-2x) + \ln(9-3x) = 2\ln(x+1)$$

$$\ln((4-2x)(9-3x)) = \ln(x+1)^2$$

$$(4-2x)(9-3x) = (x+1)^2$$

$$(4-2x)(9-3x) = (x+1)(x+1)$$

$$36 - 12x - 18x + 6x^2 = x^2 + x + x + 1$$

$$6x^2 - 30x + 36 = x^2 + 2x + 1$$

$$5x^2 - 32x + 35 = 0$$

$$(5x-7)(x-5) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{7}{5} \quad x = 5$$

$$-1 < x < 2$$

$$\therefore x = \underline{\underline{\frac{7}{5}}}$$

$$b) \quad 2^x e^{3x+1} = 10$$

$$\ln(2^x e^{3x+1}) = \ln 10$$

$$\ln 2^x + \ln e^{3x+1} = \ln 10$$

$$x \ln 2 + 3x + 1 = \ln 10$$

$$~~3x = \ln 10~~$$

$$x(\ln 2 + 3) = \ln(10) - 1$$

$$x = \frac{\ln(10) - 1}{\ln(2) + 3} = \frac{-1 + \ln(10)}{3 + \ln(2)}$$

7. The function f has domain $-2 \leq x \leq 6$ and is linear from $(-2, 10)$ to $(2, 0)$ and from $(2, 0)$ to $(6, 4)$. A sketch of the graph of $y = f(x)$ is shown in Figure 1.

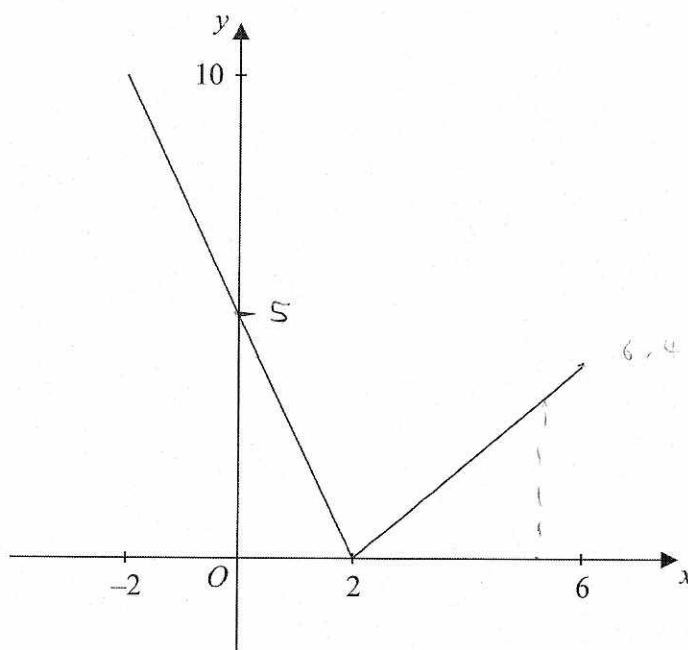


Figure 1

- (a) Write down the range of f . (1)
- (b) Find $ff(0)$. (2)

The function g is defined by

$$g : x \rightarrow \frac{4 + 3x}{5 - x}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, \quad x \neq 5$$

- (c) Find $g^{-1}(x)$ (3)
- (d) Solve the equation $gf(x) = 16$ (5)

a/ $0 \leq f(x) \leq 10$

b/ $f(0) = 5$
 $f(5) = \underline{\underline{3}}$

Question 7 continued

$$c) \quad y = \frac{4 + 3x}{5 - x}$$

$$x = \frac{4 + 3y}{5 - y}$$

$$x(5 - y) = 4 + 3y$$

$$5x - xy = 4 + 3y$$

$$5x - 4 = 3y + xy$$

$$5x - 4 = y(3 + x)$$

$$\frac{5x - 4}{3 + x} = y$$

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

$$d) \quad g^{-1}(16) = \frac{5(16) - 4}{3 + (16)}$$

$$= 4$$

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

$$x = 6 \quad \text{or} \quad x = \frac{2}{5}$$

8.

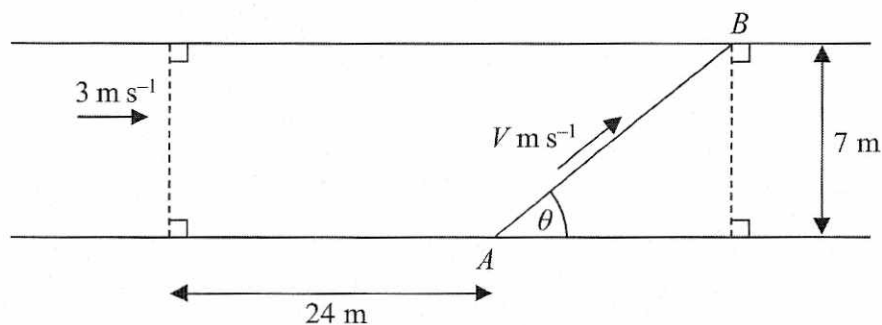


Figure 2

Kate crosses a road, of constant width 7 m, in order to take a photograph of a marathon runner, John, approaching at 3 m s^{-1} .

Kate is 24 m ahead of John when she starts to cross the road from the fixed point A.

John passes her as she reaches the other side of the road at a variable point B, as shown in Figure 2.

Kate's speed is $V \text{ m s}^{-1}$ and she moves in a straight line, which makes an angle θ , $0 < \theta < 150^\circ$, with the edge of the road, as shown in Figure 2.

You may assume that V is given by the formula

$$V = \frac{21}{24\sin\theta + 7\cos\theta}, \quad 0 < \theta < 150^\circ$$

- (a) Express $24\sin\theta + 7\cos\theta$ in the form $R\cos(\theta - \alpha)$, where R and α are constants and where $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < 90^\circ$, giving the value of α to 2 decimal places. (3)

Given that θ varies,

- (b) find the minimum value of V . (2)

Given that Kate's speed has the value found in part (b),

- (c) find the distance AB . (3)

Given instead that Kate's speed is 1.68 m s^{-1} ,

- (d) find the two possible values of the angle θ , given that $0 < \theta < 150^\circ$. (6)

a) $24 \sin \theta + 7 \cos \theta$
 $R \cos(\theta - \alpha) = R \cos \theta \cos \alpha + R \sin \theta \sin \alpha$
 $R \sin \alpha = 24 \quad R \cos \alpha = 7$



Question 8 continued

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$$\tan \alpha = \frac{24}{7}$$

$$R^2 = 24^2 + 7^2$$

$$\alpha = 73.74^\circ$$

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

$$25 \cos(\theta - 73.74)$$

b/

$$V = \frac{21}{25 \cos(\theta - 73.74)}$$

Max value of $25 \cos(\theta - 73.74)$ is 25

$$\therefore V_{\max} = \frac{21}{25} = 0.84 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

c/ $\cos(\theta - 73.74) = 1$

$$\theta - 73.74 = 0$$

$$\theta = 73.74$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{7}{14}$$

$$\sin(73.74) = \frac{7}{AB}$$

$$AB = \frac{7}{\sin(73.74)}$$

$$= 7.29 \text{ m (3sf)}$$

d/

$$1.68 = \frac{21}{25 \cos(\theta - 73.74)}$$

$$25 \cos(\theta - 73.74) = 12.5$$

$$\cos(\theta - 73.74) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\theta - 73.74 = 60, -60$$

$$\theta = 13.74, 133.74$$

