

1 a  $f'(x) = 6x^2 + 10x$   
 b  $6x^2 + 10x \geq 0$   
 $2x(3x + 5) \geq 0$   
 $x \leq -\frac{5}{3}$  and  $x \geq 0$

2 a  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 2x + 2$

at  $(1, -2)$ ,  $\text{grad} = 3$

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

$$3x - y - 5 = 0$$

b SP when  $3x^2 - 2x + 2 = 0$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 4 - 24 = -20$$

$$b^2 - 4ac < 0 \therefore \text{no real roots}$$

$\therefore$  no stationary points

3 a  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-2}$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{1}{4}x^{-\frac{3}{2}} + 8x^{-3}$$

b SP:  $\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-2} = 0$

$$\frac{1}{2}x^{-2}(x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 8) = 0$$

$$x^{\frac{3}{2}} = 8$$

$$x = 4$$

$\therefore (4, 3)$

when  $x = 4$ ,  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{3}{32}$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0 \therefore \text{minimum}$$

4 a  $y = 0 \Rightarrow x(x + 3)^2 = 0$

$$x = -3, 0$$

$\therefore (-3, 0), (0, 0)$

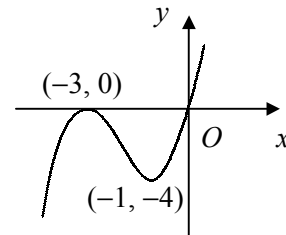
b  $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 12x + 9$

decreasing when  $3x^2 + 12x + 9 \leq 0$

$$3(x + 3)(x + 1) \leq 0$$

$\therefore -3 \leq x \leq -1$

c



5 a  $\frac{dh}{dt} = 8t^3 - 24t^2 + 16t$

b when  $t = 0.25$ ,

$$\frac{dh}{dt} = 2.625 \text{ cm per second}$$

c SP:  $8t^3 - 24t^2 + 16t = 0$

$$8t(t - 1)(t - 2) = 0$$

$$t = 0, 1, 2$$

from graph, max when  $t = 1$

$\therefore$  max height = 3 cm

6 a  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 + 6kx - 9k^2$

stationary when  $3x^2 + 6kx - 9k^2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + 2kx - 3k^2 = 0$$

b  $(x + 3k)(x - k) = 0$

$$x = -3k, k$$

when  $x = k$ ,  $y = k^3 + 3k^3 - 9k^3 = -5k^3$

$\therefore$  stationary at  $(k, -5k^3)$

c when  $x = -3k$ ,

$$y = -27k^3 + 27k^3 + 27k^3 = 27k^3$$

$\therefore (-3k, 27k^3)$

**7 a**  $V = \frac{1}{2}x^2 \sin 60^\circ \times l$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}x^2 l \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 250$   
 $\therefore l = \frac{1000}{\sqrt{3}x^2}$  or  $\frac{1000\sqrt{3}}{3x^2}$

**b**  $A = (2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}x^2) + 3xl$   
 $= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x^2 + (3x \times \frac{1000\sqrt{3}}{3x^2})$   
 $= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(x^2 + \frac{2000}{x})$

**c**  $\frac{dA}{dx} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(2x - 2000x^{-2})$   
 SP:  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(2x - 2000x^{-2}) = 0$   
 $x^3 = 1000$   
 $x = 10$

**d**  $\min A = 150\sqrt{3}$

**e**  $\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(2 + 4000x^{-3})$   
 when  $x = 10$ ,  $\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = 3\sqrt{3}$   
 $\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} > 0 \therefore$  minimum

**9 a**  $x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 4 + 3x^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 0$   
 $x - 4x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 3 = 0$   
 $(x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 1)(x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 3) = 0$   
 $x^{\frac{1}{2}} = 1, 3$   
 $x = 1, 9$   
 $\therefore (1, 0)$  and  $(9, 0)$

**b**  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{2}x^{-\frac{3}{2}}$   
 SP:  $\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{2}x^{-\frac{3}{2}} = 0$   
 $\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{3}{2}}(x - 3) = 0$   
 $x = 3$   
 $y = \sqrt{3} - 4 + \frac{3}{\sqrt{3}} = 2\sqrt{3} - 4$   
 $\therefore (3, 2\sqrt{3} - 4)$

**8 a**  $f'(x) = 3x^2 + 8x + k$   
 for 2 SPs,  $f'(x) = 0$  has 2 distinct roots

$\therefore b^2 - 4ac > 0$

$64 - 12k > 0$

$k < \frac{16}{3}$

**b** SP:  $3x^2 + 8x - 3 = 0$

$(3x - 1)(x + 3) = 0$

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

$\therefore (-3, 19)$  and  $(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{13}{27})$

**10 a**  $f(-1) = -1 - 3 + 4 = 0$

$\therefore (x + 1)$  is a factor

**b**

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 - 4x + 4 \\
 x + 1 \overline{) x^3 - 3x^2 + 0x + 4} \\
 \underline{x^3 + x^2} \phantom{+ 0x + 4} \\
 -4x^2 + 0x \phantom{+ 4} \\
 \underline{-4x^2 - 4x} \phantom{+ 4} \\
 4x + 4 \\
 \underline{4x + 4} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

$\therefore f(x) \equiv (x + 1)(x^2 - 4x + 4)$

$f(x) \equiv (x + 1)(x - 2)^2$

**c**  $(2, 0)$ , as  $(x - 2)$  is a repeated factor

of  $f(x)$  so  $x$ -axis is a tangent at  $(2, 0)$

**d**  $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6x$

SP:  $3x^2 - 6x = 0$

$3x(x - 2) = 0$

$x = 0, 2$

$\therefore (0, 4)$  is other turning point