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ASSESSMENT TASK 1

# Mathematics Advanced

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**Total marks:**  
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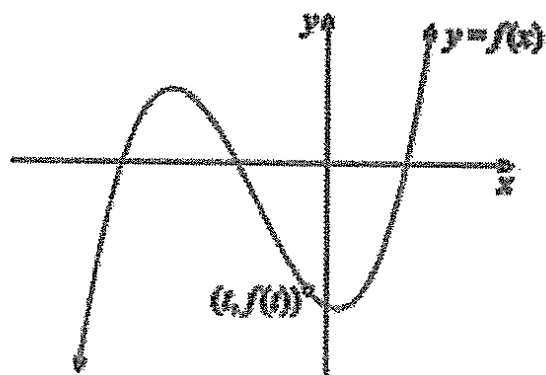
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4. Consider the curve given by  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^4 - x^3$ . What are the points of inflexion?

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5. The line  $y = mx + b$  is a tangent to the curve  $y = x^3 - 3x + 2$  at the point  $(-2, 0)$ . What is value of  $m$  and  $b$ ?

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## Section II Answer Booklet

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b) Find the stationary points and determine their nature

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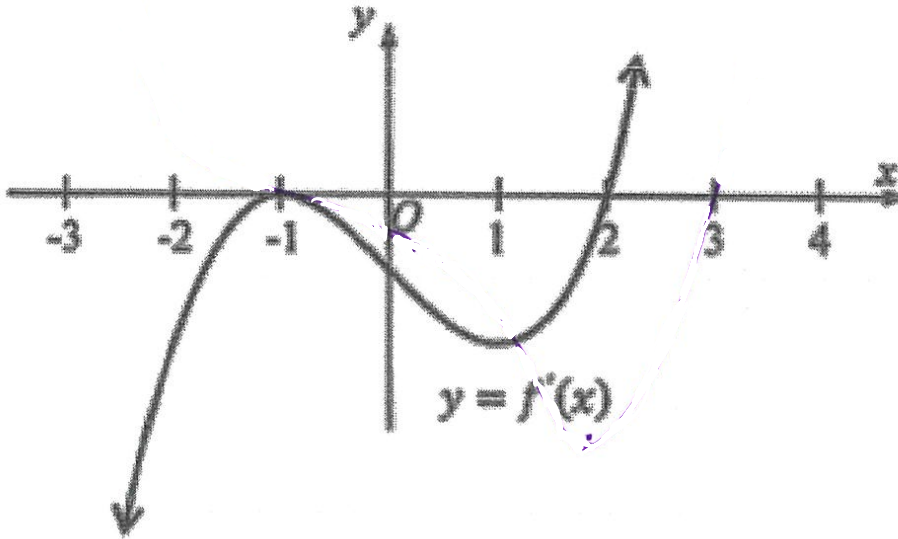
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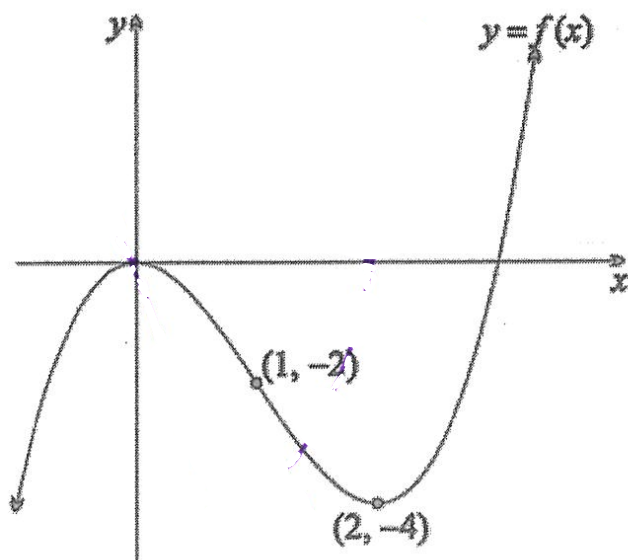
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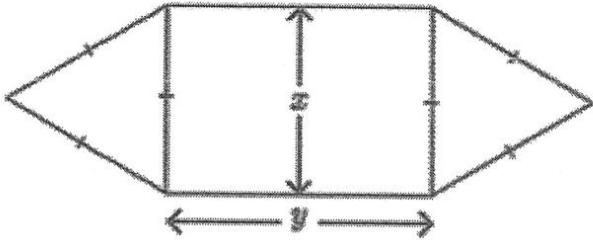
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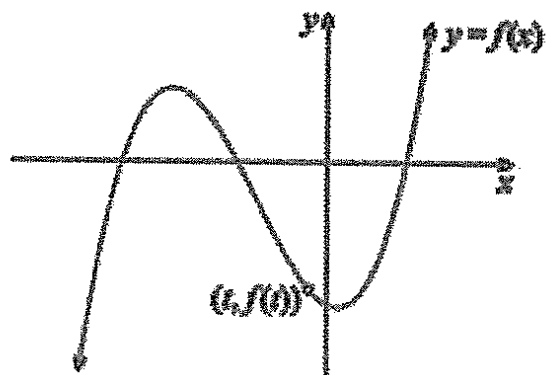
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$$x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{\tan x} \times \sec^2 x$$

$$\text{At } x = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{\tan \frac{\pi}{4}} \times \sec^2 \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$= (\sqrt{2})^2 = 2$$

## Question 7 (9 Marks)

Consider the curve  $y = f(x)$  where  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 27$

a) Show that  $f(x) = (x+3)(x-3)^2$  2

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 27$$

$$= x^2(x-3) - 9(x-3)$$

$$= (x^2 - 9)(x-3)$$

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

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

Question 7 continues on next page

b) Find the stationary points and determine their nature

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$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= 3x^2 - 6x + 9 \\
 &= 3(x^2 - 2x + 3) \\
 &= 3(x-3)(x+1)
 \end{aligned}$$

for stationary point  $f'(x) = 0$ 

$$x = 3, -1$$

$$f''(x) = 6x - 6$$

$$\text{At } x = 3$$

$$f''(x) = 12$$

Minimum at  $x = 3$ 

$$\text{At } x = -1$$

$$f''(x) = -12$$

 $\therefore$  Maximum at  $x = -1$ 

$$f(3) = 0, \quad f(-1) = 32$$

 $\therefore (3, 0)$  is the min turning point. $(-1, 32)$  is the max turning point.

c) Find the point of inflection

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$$f''(x) = 6x - 6$$

$$6x - 6 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

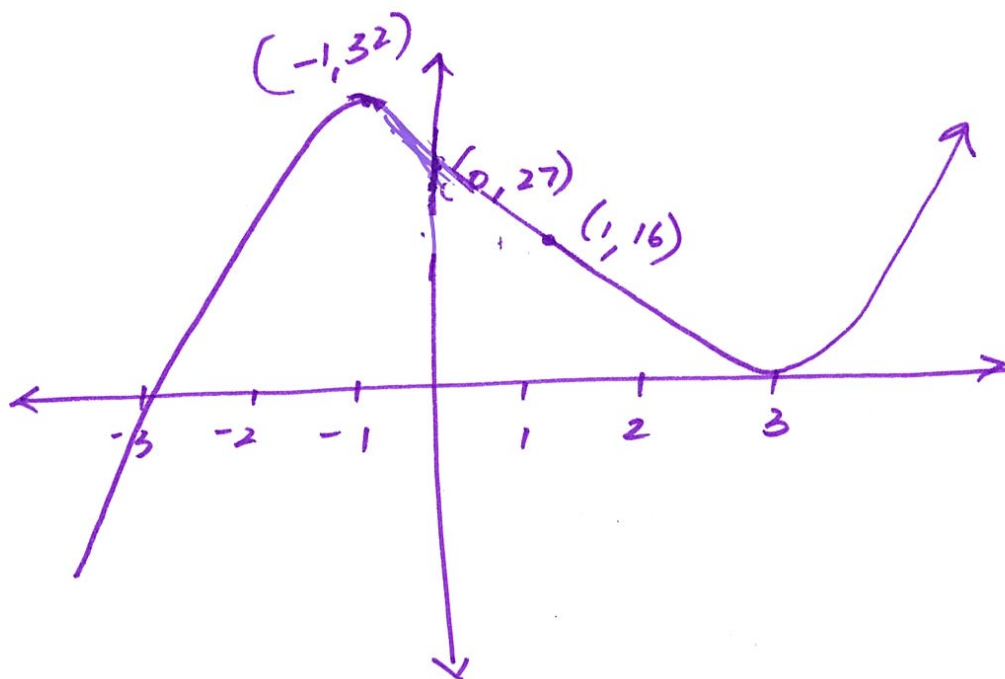
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| $x$      | 0  | 1 | 2 |
| $f''(x)$ | -6 | 0 | 6 |

 $f''(1) = 0$  \* concavity changes $\therefore (1, 16)$  is a point of inflexion

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d) Sketch the curve  $y = f(x)$ , showing all important features

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Consider the function  $f(x) = x \ln x - x$

a) Find the values of  $x$  for which  $f(x)$  is decreasing.

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$$\begin{aligned}
 f'(x) &= \left( \ln x + x \cdot \frac{1}{x} \right) - 1 \\
 &= \ln x + 1 - 1 \\
 &= \ln x \\
 f''(x) &= \frac{1}{x} \\
 f'(x) &< 0 \\
 \ln(x) &< 0 \\
 0 &< x < 1
 \end{aligned}$$

- b) Show that the curve  $y = f(x)$  is concave up for all values of  $x$  in the domain of  $f(x)$  1

Domain is  $x > 0$

$$f''(x) > 0 \text{ for } x > 0$$

curve is concave up through out the domain

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Differentiate the following

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$$y' = 5 \sec^2(5x - 3)$$

b)  $y = e^{2x} \sin x$

2

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= e^{2x} \cos x + \sin x \times e^{2x} \times 2 \\ &= e^{2x} (\cos x + 2 \sin x) \end{aligned}$$

c)  $y = \frac{\tan x}{x}$

2

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= \frac{x(\sec^2 x) - 1 \cdot \tan x}{x^2} \\ &= \frac{x \sec^2 x - \tan x}{x^2} \end{aligned}$$

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d)  $y = \log_e \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

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$$y' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}} \times \frac{1}{\cancel{\sqrt{x^2 - 1}}} \times \cancel{2}x$$

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

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Find the value of  $m$  if  $y = 2 \sin 3x + 4 \cos 2x$  and  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = m \sin 3x - 4y$ 

$$y' = 6 \cos 3x - 8 \sin 2x$$

$$y'' = -18 \sin 3x - 16 \cos 2x$$

$$-18 \sin 3x - 16 \cos 2x = m \sin 3x - 4y$$

$$-18 \sin 3x - 16 \cos 2x = m \sin 3x - 4(2 \sin 3x + 4 \cos 2x)$$

$$-18 \sin 3x - 16 \cos 2x = m \sin 3x - 8 \sin 3x - 16 \cos 2x$$

$$-18 \sin 3x + 8 \sin 3x = m \sin 3x$$

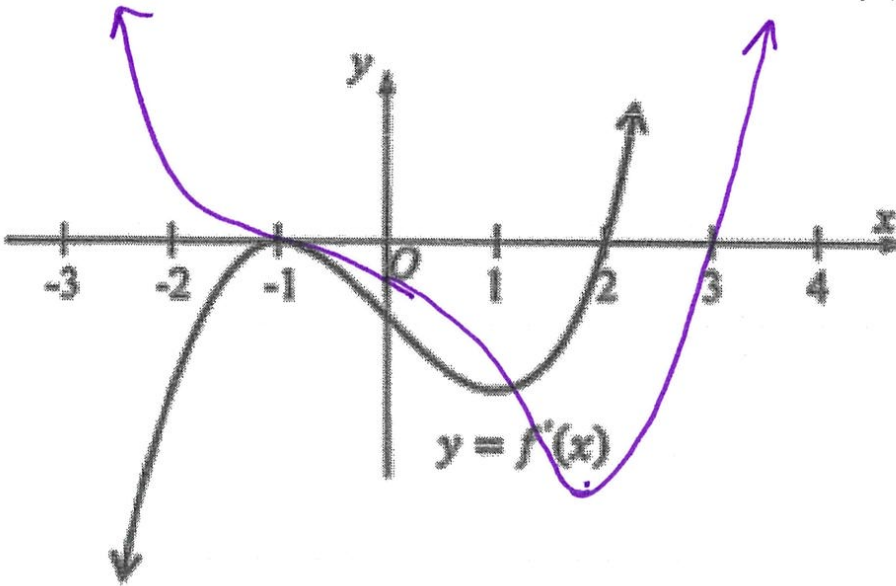
$$-10 \sin 3x = m \sin 3x$$

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$$x = -1, 2$$

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

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$$y = \ln(2x^2 + 1)$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2x^2 + 1} \times 4x$$

$$\text{At } x=2, \quad m = \frac{4(2)}{2(2)^2 + 1} = \frac{8}{9}$$

$$y - \ln 9 = \frac{8}{9}(x - 2)$$

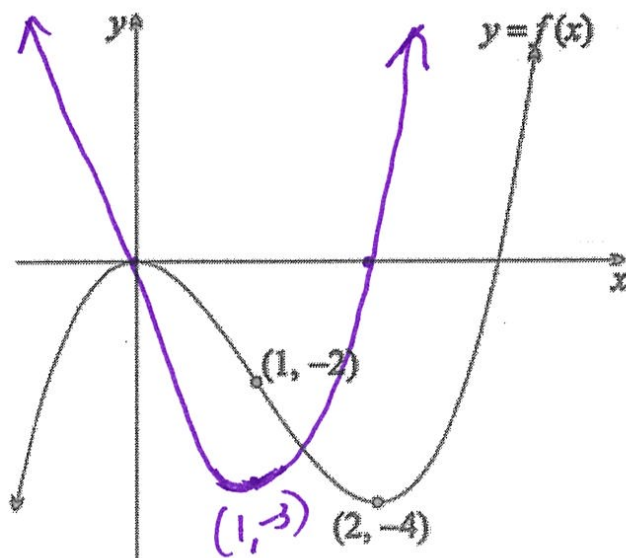
$$9y - 9\ln 9 = 8x - 16$$

$$8x - 9y - 16 + 9\ln 9 = 0$$

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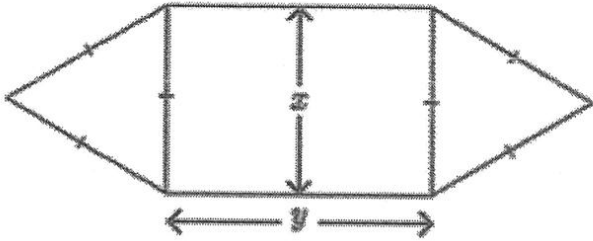
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$$2y + 4x = 26$$

$$y = \frac{26 - 4x}{2}$$

$$y = 13 - 2x$$

$$A_{\text{triangle}} = \frac{1}{2} x^2 \sin 60$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} x^2 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2$$

$$A_{\text{figure}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} x^2 \times 2 + xy$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} x^2 + x(13 - 2x)$$

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

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

$$= 13x - \frac{4x^2}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{3}x^2}{2}$$

$$= 13x - \frac{x^2(4 - \sqrt{3})}{2}$$

b) Hence show that the maximum area of the figure is  $\frac{13(4+\sqrt{3})}{2}$

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$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 13 - \left( \frac{4-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \times 2x$$

$$= 13 - (4-\sqrt{3})x$$

For max value

$$\frac{dA}{dx} = 0$$

$$13 - (4-\sqrt{3})x = 0$$

$$(4-\sqrt{3})x = 13$$

$$x = \frac{13}{4-\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\frac{d^2A}{dx^2} = -(4-\sqrt{3}) < 0$$

$$\therefore \text{Maximum at } x = \frac{13}{4-\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{Maximum area} = 13 \left( \frac{13}{4-\sqrt{3}} \right) - \left( \frac{4-\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \left( \frac{13}{4-\sqrt{3}} \right)^2$$

$$= \frac{13^2}{4-\sqrt{3}} - \frac{13^2}{2(4-\sqrt{3})}$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 13^2 - 13^2(4+\sqrt{3})}{2(4-\sqrt{3})(4+\sqrt{3})}$$

$$= \frac{13^2(4+\sqrt{3})}{2 \times 13} = \frac{13(4+\sqrt{3})}{2}$$

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