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# AS & A Level Mathematics (9709) Paper 1 [Pure Mathematics 1]

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## Chapter 5

# Trigonometry



180. 9709\_m22\_qp\_12 Q: 7

(a) Show that  $\frac{\sin \theta + 2 \cos \theta}{\cos \theta - 2 \sin \theta} - \frac{\sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta}{\cos \theta + 2 \sin \theta} \equiv \frac{4}{5 \cos^2 \theta - 4}$ . [4]

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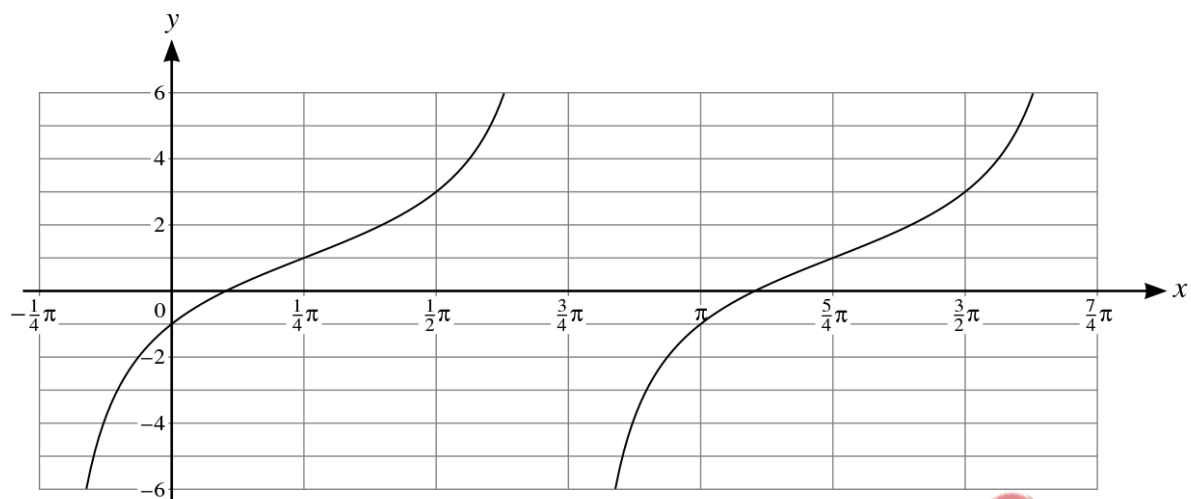
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182. 9709\_s21\_qp\_11 Q: 4



The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = a \tan(x - b) + c$ .

Given that  $0 < b < \pi$ , state the values of the constants  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ .

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184. 9709\_s21\_qp\_12 Q: 10

(a) Prove the identity  $\frac{1 + \sin x}{1 - \sin x} - \frac{1 - \sin x}{1 + \sin x} \equiv \frac{4 \tan x}{\cos x}$ .

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185. 9709\_s21\_qp\_13 Q: 4

(a) Show that the equation

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where  $k$  is a constant, may be expressed as

$$\frac{1 + \cos x}{1 - \cos x} = k. \quad [2]$$

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(b) Hence express  $\cos x$  in terms of  $k$ .

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(c) Hence solve the equation  $\frac{\tan x + \sin x}{\tan x - \sin x} = 4$  for  $-\pi < x < \pi$ .

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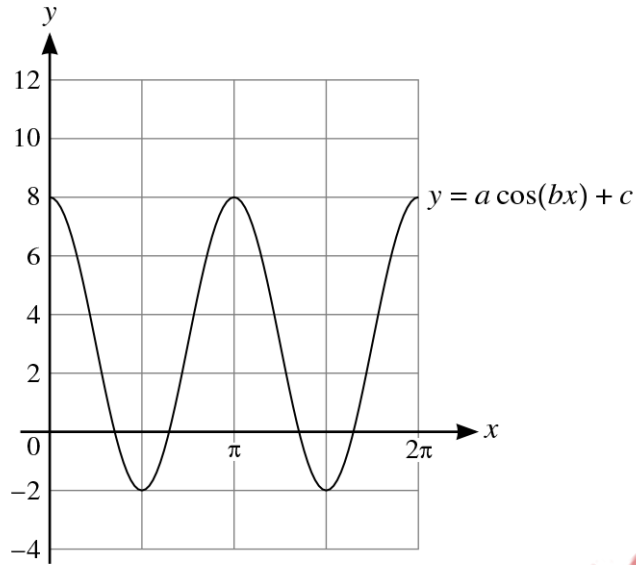
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187. 9709\_w21\_qp\_11 Q: 5



The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = a \cos(bx) + c$ .

- (a) Find the values of the positive integers  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ . [3]

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- (b) For these values of  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$ , use the given diagram to determine the number of solutions in the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$  for each of the following equations.

(i)  $a \cos(bx) + c = \frac{6}{\pi}x$  [1]

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(ii)  $a \cos(bx) + c = 6 - \frac{6}{\pi}x$  [1]

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188. 9709\_w21\_qp\_12 Q: 1

Solve the equation  $2 \cos \theta = 7 - \frac{3}{\cos \theta}$  for  $-90^\circ < \theta < 90^\circ$ .

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191. 9709\_m20\_qp\_12 Q: 11

(a) Solve the equation  $3 \tan^2 x - 5 \tan x - 2 = 0$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$ . [4]

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(b) Find the set of values of  $k$  for which the equation  $3 \tan^2 x - 5 \tan x + k = 0$  has no solutions. [2]

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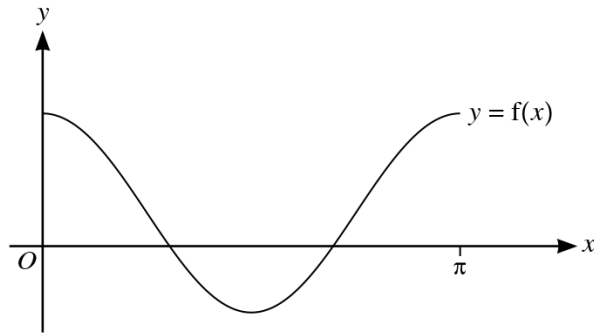
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192. 9709\_s20\_qp\_11 Q: 4



The diagram shows the graph of  $y = f(x)$ , where  $f(x) = \frac{3}{2} \cos 2x + \frac{1}{2}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

- (a) State the range of  $f$ . [2]

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A function  $g$  is such that  $g(x) = f(x) + k$ , where  $k$  is a positive constant. The  $x$ -axis is a tangent to the curve  $y = g(x)$ .

- (b) State the value of  $k$  and hence describe fully the transformation that maps the curve  $y = f(x)$  on to  $y = g(x)$ . [2]

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- (c) State the equation of the curve which is the reflection of  $y = f(x)$  in the  $x$ -axis. Give your answer in the form  $y = a \cos 2x + b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. [1]

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- (b) Hence solve the equation  $\frac{1 + \sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{1 + \sin \theta} = \frac{3}{\sin \theta}$ , for  $0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi$ . [3]

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194. 9709\_s20\_qp\_12 Q: 2

- (a) Express the equation  $3 \cos \theta = 8 \tan \theta$  as a quadratic equation in  $\sin \theta$ . [3]

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- (b) Hence find the acute angle, in degrees, for which  $3 \cos \theta = 8 \tan \theta$ . [2]

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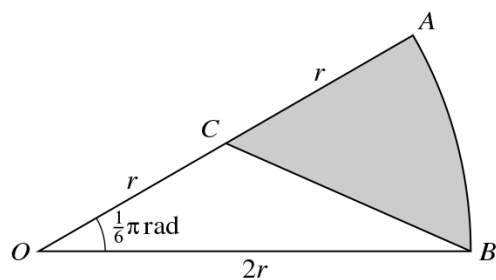
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195. 9709\_s20\_qp\_12 Q: 7



In the diagram,  $OAB$  is a sector of a circle with centre  $O$  and radius  $2r$ , and angle  $AOB = \frac{1}{6}\pi$  radians. The point  $C$  is the midpoint of  $OA$ .

- (a) Show that the exact length of  $BC$  is  $r\sqrt{5 - 2\sqrt{3}}$ . [2]

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(c) Find the exact area of the shaded region.

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196. 9709\_s20\_qp\_12 Q: 9

Functions  $f$  and  $g$  are such that

$$f(x) = 2 - 3 \sin 2x \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi,$$

$$g(x) = -2f(x) \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq \pi.$$

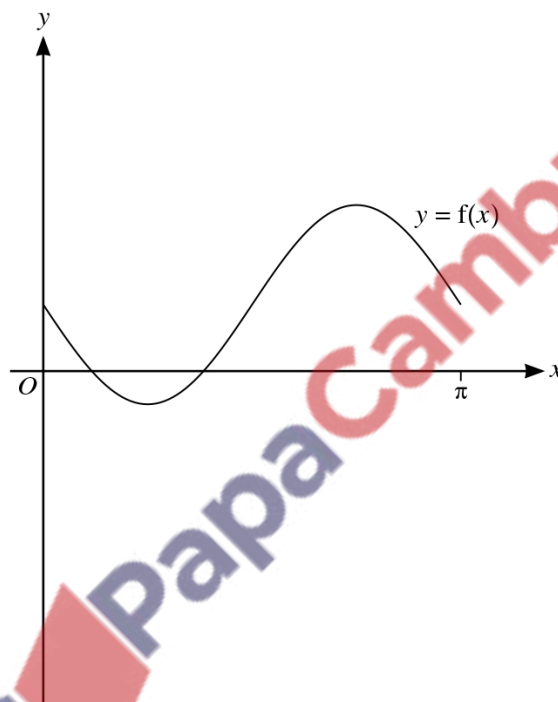
- (a) State the ranges of  $f$  and  $g$ . [3]

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The diagram below shows the graph of  $y = f(x)$ .



- (b) Sketch, on this diagram, the graph of  $y = g(x)$ . [2]

The function  $h$  is such that

$$h(x) = g(x + \pi) \quad \text{for } -\pi \leq x \leq 0.$$

- (c) Describe fully a sequence of transformations that maps the curve  $y = f(x)$  on to  $y = h(x)$ . [3]

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197. 9709\_s20\_qp\_13 Q: 7

(a) Show that  $\frac{\tan \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} + \frac{\tan \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} \equiv \frac{2}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$ . [4]

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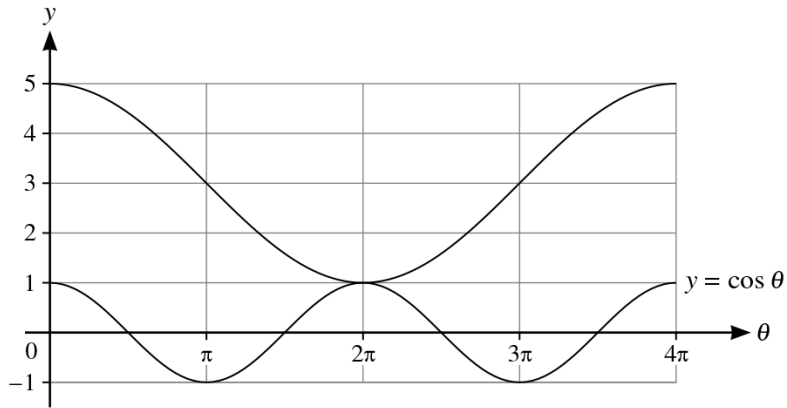
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198. 9709\_w20\_qp\_11 Q: 4



In the diagram, the lower curve has equation  $y = \cos \theta$ . The upper curve shows the result of applying a combination of transformations to  $y = \cos \theta$ .

Find, in terms of a cosine function, the equation of the upper curve. [3]

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200. 9709\_w20\_qp\_12 Q: 6

(a) Prove the identity  $\left(\frac{1}{\cos x} - \tan x\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sin x} + 1\right) \equiv \frac{1}{\tan x}$ . [4]

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(b) Hence solve the equation  $\left(\frac{1}{\cos x} - \tan x\right)\left(\frac{1}{\sin x} + 1\right) = 2 \tan^2 x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 180^\circ$ . [2]

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201. 9709\_w20\_qp\_12 Q: 11

A curve has equation  $y = 3 \cos 2x + 2$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

- (a) State the greatest and least values of  $y$ . [2]

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- (b) Sketch the graph of  $y = 3 \cos 2x + 2$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ . [2]

- (c) By considering the straight line  $y = kx$ , where  $k$  is a constant, state the number of solutions of the equation  $3 \cos 2x + 2 = kx$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$  in each of the following cases.

- (i)  $k = -3$  [1]

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- (ii)  $k = 1$  [1]

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- (iii)  $k = 3$  [1]

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Functions  $f$ ,  $g$  and  $h$  are defined for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  by

$$f(x) = 3 \cos 2x + 2,$$

$$g(x) = f(2x) + 4,$$

$$h(x) = 2f\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\pi\right).$$

- (d) Describe fully a sequence of transformations that maps the graph of  $y = f(x)$  on to  $y = g(x)$ . [2]

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- (e) Describe fully a sequence of transformations that maps the graph of  $y = f(x)$  on to  $y = h(x)$ . [2]

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203. 9709\_m19\_qp\_12 Q: 7

(a) Solve the equation  $3 \sin^2 2\theta + 8 \cos 2\theta = 0$  for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ . [5]

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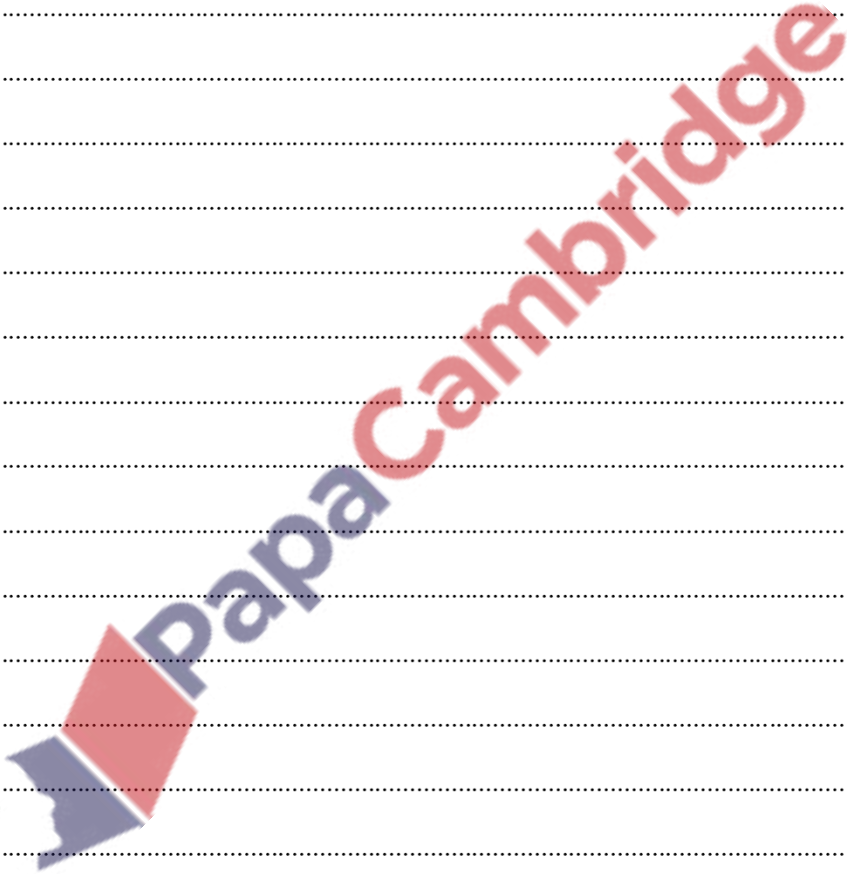
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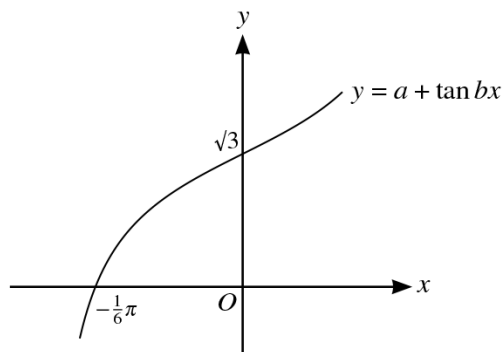
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The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = a + \tan bx$ , where  $x$  is measured in radians and  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. The curve intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $(-\frac{1}{6}\pi, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, \sqrt{3})$ . Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ . [3]

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205. 9709\_s19\_qp\_11 Q: 9

The function  $f$  is defined by  $f(x) = 2 - 3 \cos x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .

- (i) State the range of  $f$ . [2]

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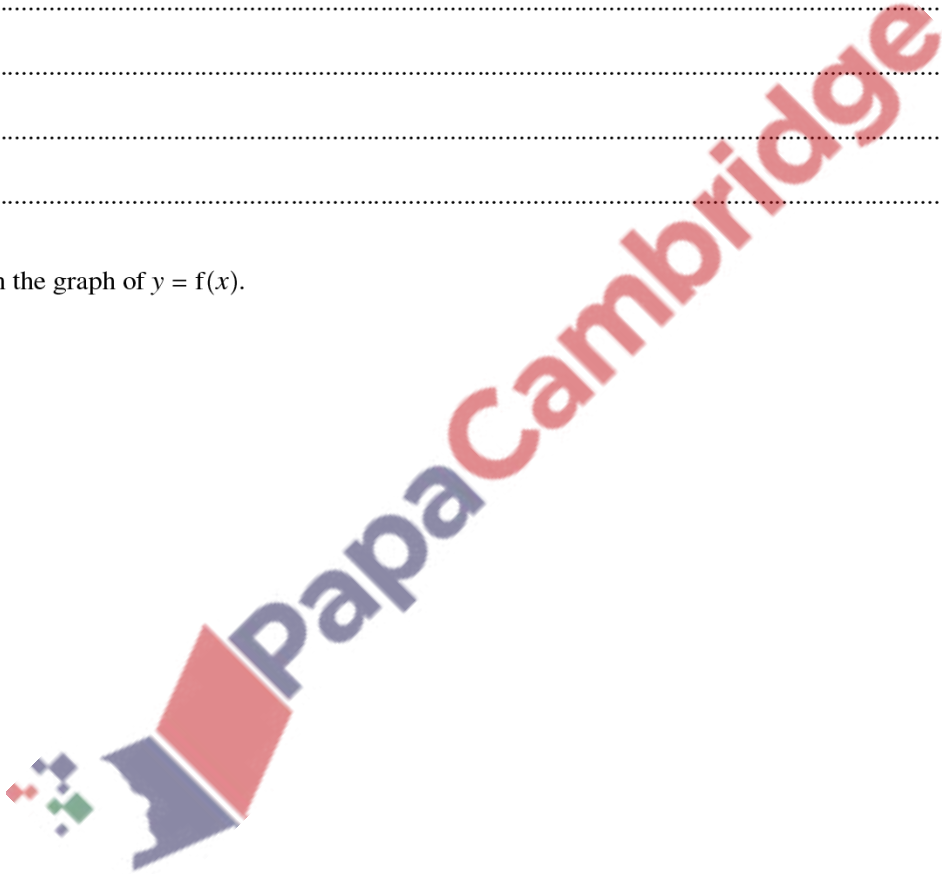
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- (ii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [2]







206. 9709\_s19\_qp\_12 Q: 4

Angle  $x$  is such that  $\sin x = a + b$  and  $\cos x = a - b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants.

- (i) Show that  $a^2 + b^2$  has a constant value for all values of  $x$ . [3]

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- (ii) In the case where  $\tan x = 2$ , express  $a$  in terms of  $b$ . [2]

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207. 9709\_s19\_qp\_12 Q: 6

The equation of a curve is  $y = 3 \cos 2x$  and the equation of a line is  $2y + \frac{3x}{\pi} = 5$ .

- (i) State the smallest and largest values of  $y$  for both the curve and the line for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [3]

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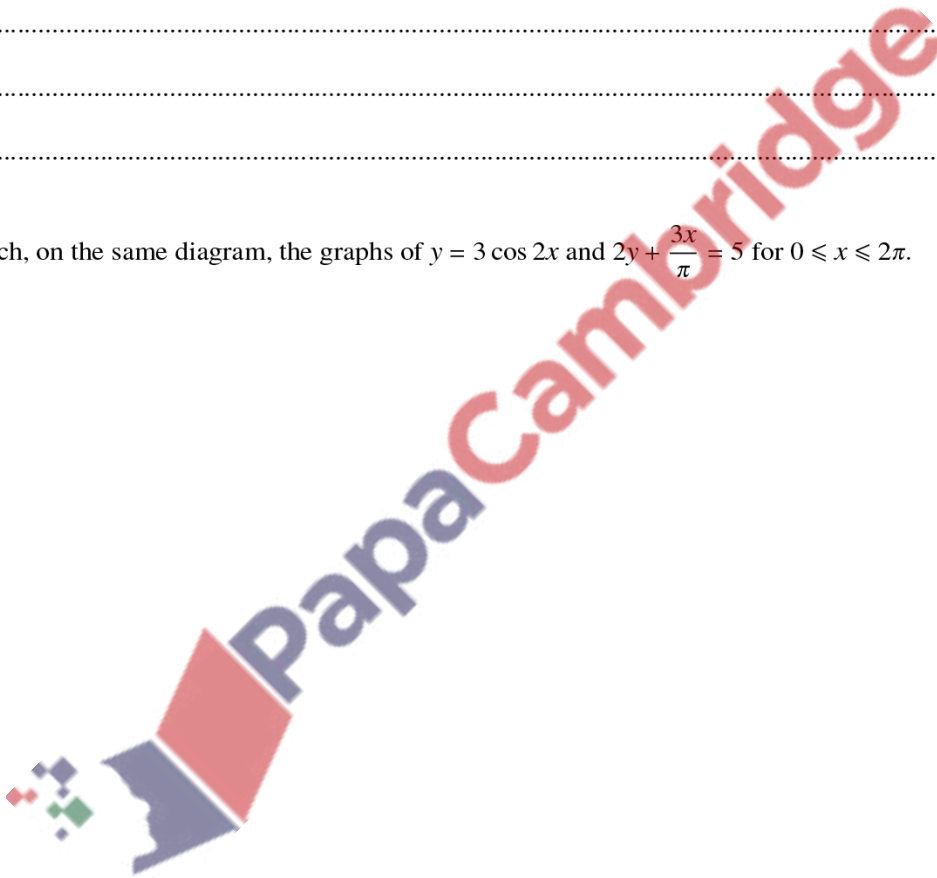
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- (ii) Sketch, on the same diagram, the graphs of  $y = 3 \cos 2x$  and  $2y + \frac{3x}{\pi} = 5$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [3]



- (iii) State the number of solutions of the equation  $6 \cos 2x = 5 - \frac{3x}{\pi}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [1]

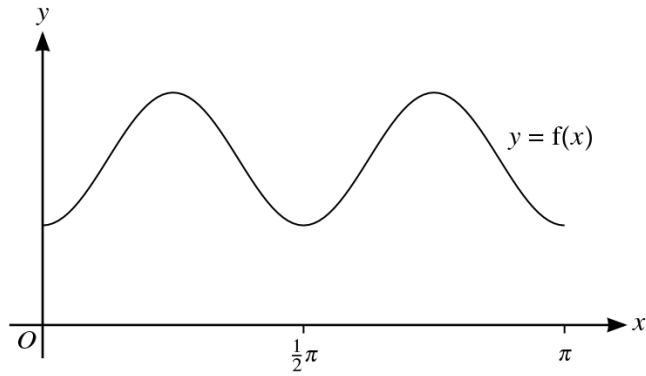
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208. 9709\_s19\_qp\_13 Q: 9



The function  $f : x \mapsto p \sin^2 2x + q$  is defined for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are positive constants. The diagram shows the graph of  $y = f(x)$ .

- (i) In terms of  $p$  and  $q$ , state the range of  $f$ . [2]

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- (ii) State the number of solutions of the following equations.

(a)  $f(x) = p + q$  [1]

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(b)  $f(x) = q$  [1]

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(c)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}p + q$  [1]

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(b) The function  $f : x \mapsto 3 \cos^2 x - 2 \sin^2 x$  is defined for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

(i) Express  $f(x)$  in the form  $a \cos^2 x + b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. [1]

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(ii) Find the range of  $f$ . [2]

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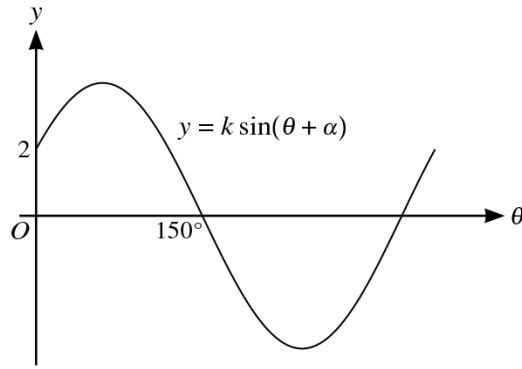
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The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = k \sin(\theta + \alpha)$ , where  $k$  and  $\alpha$  are constants and  $0^\circ < \alpha < 180^\circ$ . Find the value of  $\alpha$  and the value of  $k$ . [2]

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214. 9709\_s18\_qp\_12 Q: 4

The function  $f$  is such that  $f(x) = a + b \cos x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . It is given that  $f(\frac{1}{3}\pi) = 5$  and  $f(\pi) = 11$ .

- (i) Find the values of the constants  $a$  and  $b$ . [3]

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- (ii) Find the set of values of  $k$  for which the equation  $f(x) = k$  has no solution. [3]

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(ii) Sketch, on the same diagram, the graphs of  $y = 2 \cos x$  and  $y = -3 \sin x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ . [3]

(iii) Use your answers to parts (i) and (ii) to find the set of values of  $x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$  for which  $2 \cos x + 3 \sin x > 0$ . [2]

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216. 9709\_s18\_qp\_13 Q: 7

- (a) (i) Express  $\frac{\tan^2 \theta - 1}{\tan^2 \theta + 1}$  in the form  $a \sin^2 \theta + b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants to be found. [3]

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- (ii) Hence, or otherwise, and showing all necessary working, solve the equation

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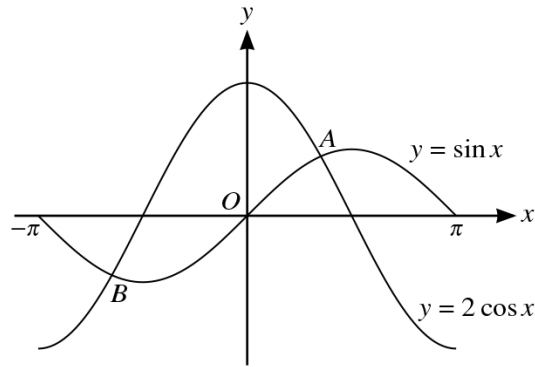
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The diagram shows the graphs of  $y = \sin x$  and  $y = 2 \cos x$  for  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ . The graphs intersect at the points  $A$  and  $B$ .

(i) Find the  $x$ -coordinate of  $A$ . [2]

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(ii) Find the  $y$ -coordinate of  $B$ . [2]

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217. 9709\_w18\_qp\_11 Q: 5

(i) Show that the equation

$$\frac{\cos \theta - 4}{\sin \theta} - \frac{4 \sin \theta}{5 \cos \theta - 2} = 0$$

may be expressed as  $9 \cos^2 \theta - 22 \cos \theta + 4 = 0$ . [3]

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218. 9709\_w18\_qp\_12 Q: 4

Functions  $f$  and  $g$  are defined by

$$f : x \mapsto 2 - 3 \cos x \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi,$$

$$g : x \mapsto \frac{1}{2}x \quad \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi.$$

- (i) Solve the equation  $fg(x) = 1$ . [3]

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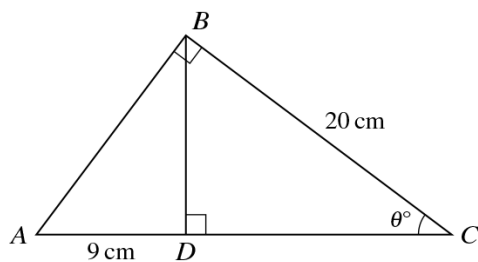
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- (ii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [3]



219. 9709\_w18\_qp\_12 Q: 6



The diagram shows a triangle  $ABC$  in which  $BC = 20$  cm and angle  $ABC = 90^\circ$ . The perpendicular from  $B$  to  $AC$  meets  $AC$  at  $D$  and  $AD = 9$  cm. Angle  $BCA = \theta^\circ$ .

- (i) By expressing the length of  $BD$  in terms of  $\theta$  in each of the triangles  $ABD$  and  $DBC$ , show that  $20 \sin^2 \theta = 9 \cos \theta$ . [4]

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(ii) Hence, showing all necessary working, solve the equation

$$\frac{\tan \theta + 1}{1 + \cos \theta} + \frac{\tan \theta - 1}{1 - \cos \theta} = 0$$

for  $0^\circ < \theta < 90^\circ$ .

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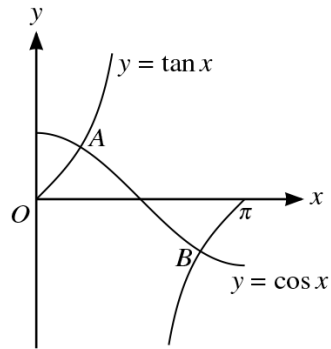
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221. 9709\_m17\_qp\_12 Q: 5



The diagram shows the graphs of  $y = \tan x$  and  $y = \cos x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ . The graphs intersect at points  $A$  and  $B$ .

- (i) Find by calculation the  $x$ -coordinate of  $A$ .

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(ii) Find by calculation the coordinates of  $B$ .

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223. 9709\_s17\_qp\_11 Q: 5

The equation of a curve is  $y = 2 \cos x$ .

- (i) Sketch the graph of  $y = 2 \cos x$  for  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$ , stating the coordinates of the point of intersection with the  $y$ -axis. [2]

Points  $P$  and  $Q$  lie on the curve and have  $x$ -coordinates of  $\frac{1}{3}\pi$  and  $\pi$  respectively.

- (ii) Find the length of  $PQ$  correct to 1 decimal place. [2]

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225. 9709\_s17\_qp\_12 Q: 10

The function  $f$  is defined by  $f(x) = 3 \tan\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right) - 2$ , for  $-\frac{1}{2}\pi \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}\pi$ .

- (i) Solve the equation  $f(x) + 4 = 0$ , giving your answer correct to 1 decimal place. [3]

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- (ii) Find an expression for  $f^{-1}(x)$  and find the domain of  $f^{-1}$ . [5]

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(iii) Sketch, on the same diagram, the graphs of  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = f^{-1}(x)$ .

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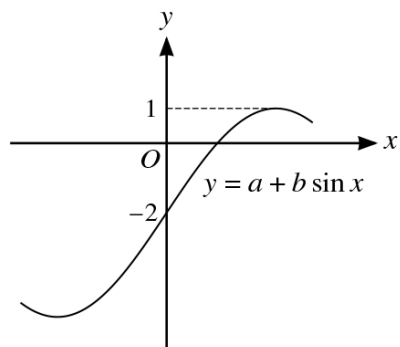
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227. 9709\_w17\_qp\_11 Q: 7



The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = a + b \sin x$ . Find the values of the constants  $a$  and  $b$ .

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- (b) (i) Show that the equation

$$(\sin \theta + 2 \cos \theta)(1 + \sin \theta - \cos \theta) = \sin \theta(1 + \cos \theta)$$

may be expressed as  $3 \cos^2 \theta - 2 \cos \theta - 1 = 0$ . [3]

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- (ii) Hence solve the equation

$$(\sin \theta + 2 \cos \theta)(1 + \sin \theta - \cos \theta) = \sin \theta(1 + \cos \theta)$$

for  $-180^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ . [4]

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228. 9709\_w17\_qp\_12 Q: 5

- (i) Show that the equation  $\cos 2x(\tan^2 2x + 3) + 3 = 0$  can be expressed as

$$2 \cos^2 2x + 3 \cos 2x + 1 = 0. \quad [3]$$

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229. 9709\_w17\_qp\_12 Q: 6

(a) The function  $f$ , defined by  $f : x \mapsto a + b \sin x$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ , is such that  $f(\frac{1}{6}\pi) = 4$  and  $f(\frac{1}{2}\pi) = 3$ .

(i) Find the values of the constants  $a$  and  $b$ . [3]

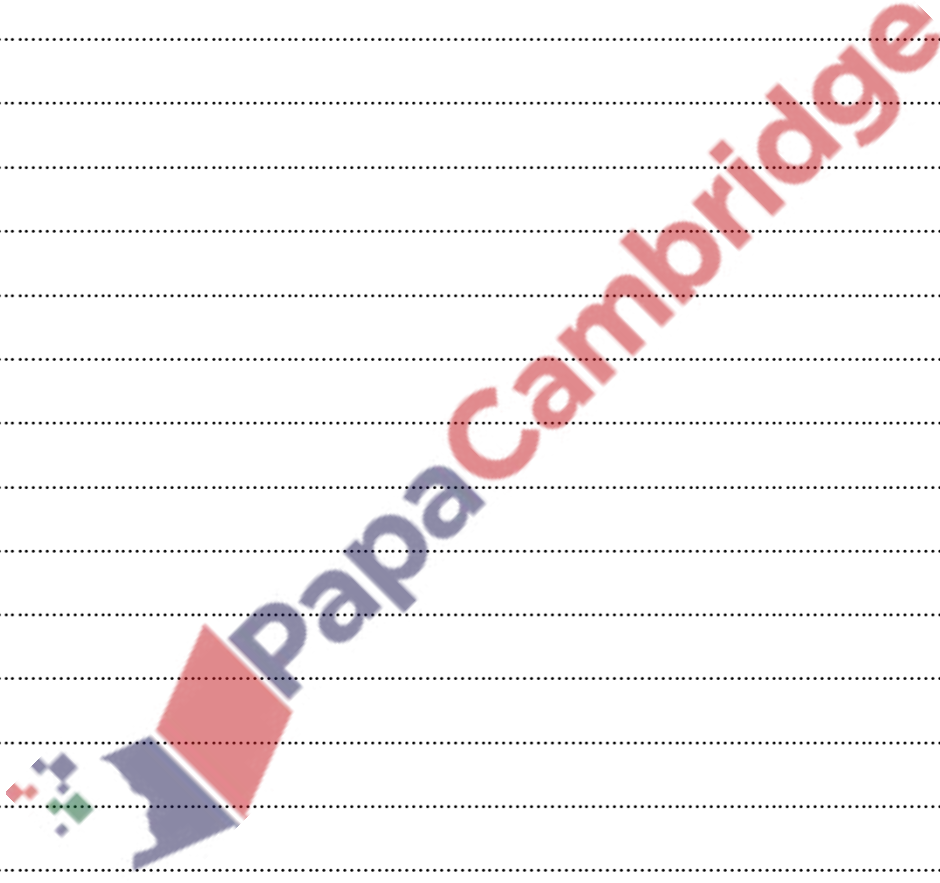
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(ii) Evaluate  $ff(0)$ . [2]

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- (b) The function  $g$  is defined by  $g : x \mapsto c + d \sin x$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . The range of  $g$  is given by  $-4 \leq g(x) \leq 10$ . Find the values of the constants  $c$  and  $d$ . [3]

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231. 9709\_m16\_qp\_12 Q: 4

(a) Solve the equation  $\sin^{-1}(3x) = -\frac{1}{3}\pi$ , giving the solution in an exact form. [2]

(b) Solve, by factorising, the equation  $2 \cos \theta \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta - \sin \theta + 1 = 0$  for  $0 \leq \theta \leq \pi$ . [4]

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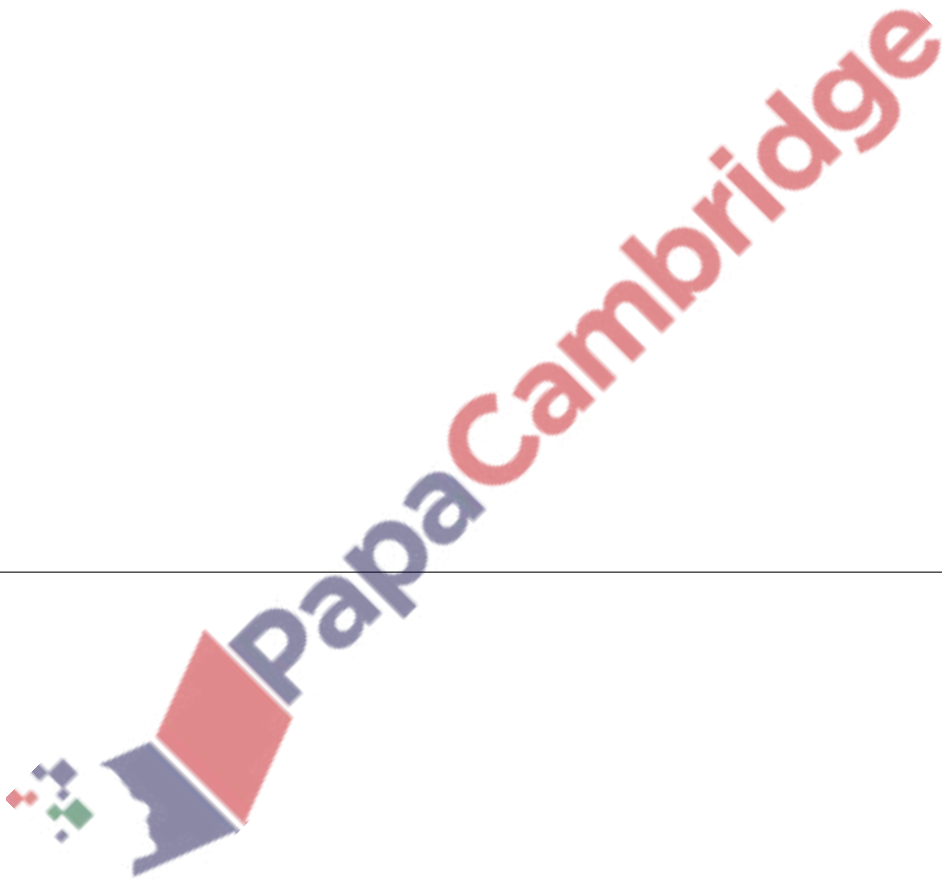


232. 9709\_s16\_qp\_11 Q: 2

Solve the equation  $3 \sin^2 \theta = 4 \cos \theta - 1$  for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ .

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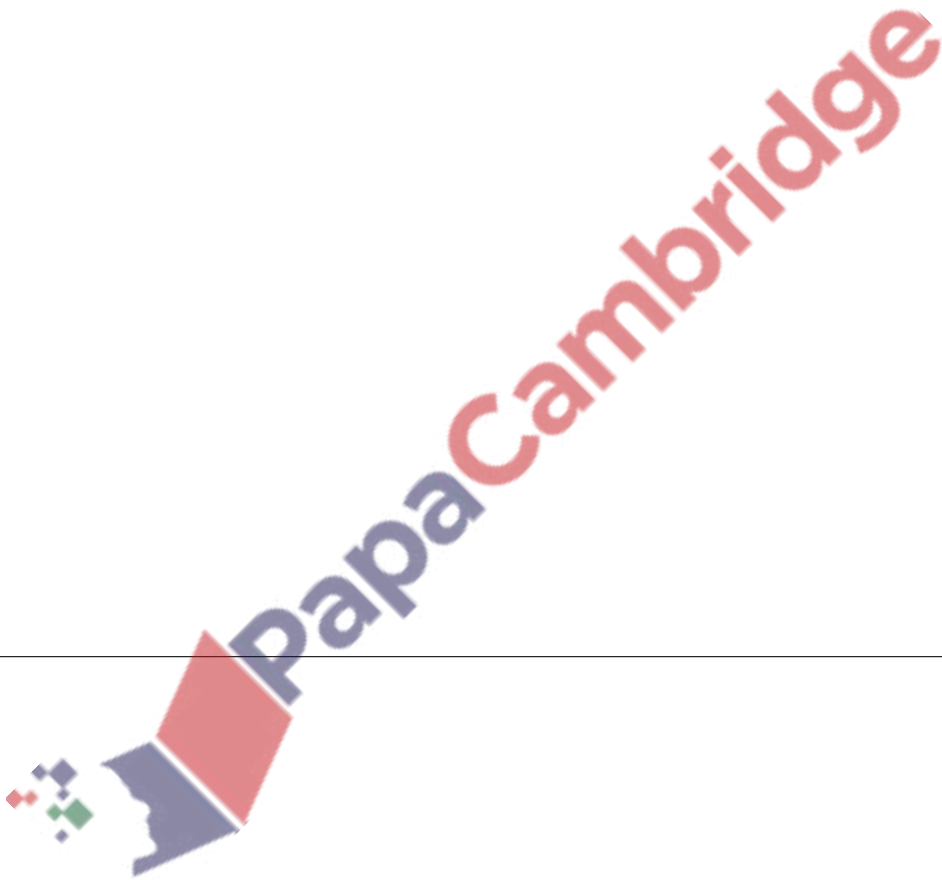
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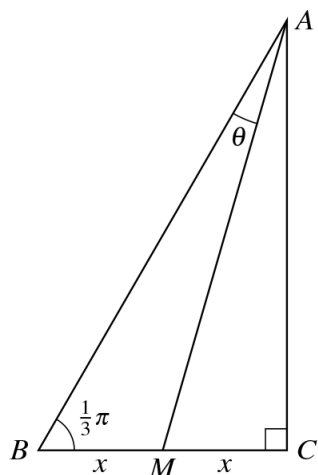
233. 9709\_s16\_qp\_11 Q: 11

The function  $f$  is defined by  $f : x \mapsto 4 \sin x - 1$  for  $-\frac{1}{2}\pi \leq x \leq \frac{1}{2}\pi$ .

- (i) State the range of  $f$ . [2]
- (ii) Find the coordinates of the points at which the curve  $y = f(x)$  intersects the coordinate axes. [3]
- (iii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [2]
- (iv) Obtain an expression for  $f^{-1}(x)$ , stating both the domain and range of  $f^{-1}$ . [4]



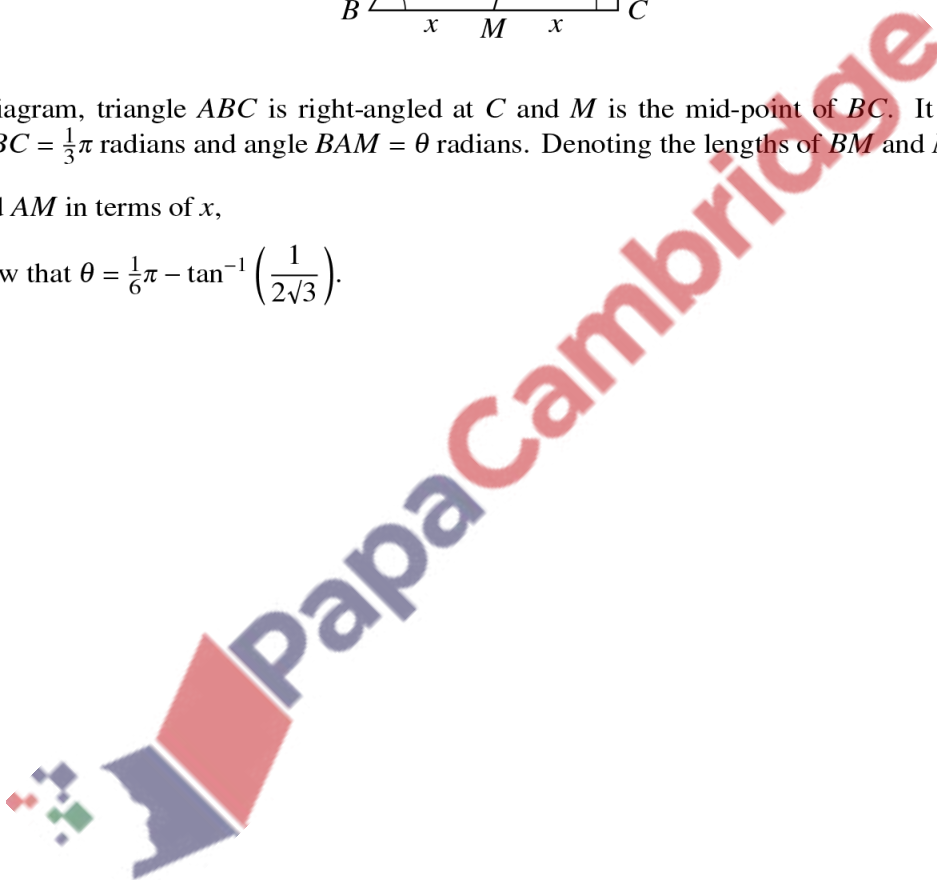
234. 9709\_s16\_qp\_12 Q: 5



In the diagram, triangle  $ABC$  is right-angled at  $C$  and  $M$  is the mid-point of  $BC$ . It is given that angle  $ABC = \frac{1}{3}\pi$  radians and angle  $BAM = \theta$  radians. Denoting the lengths of  $BM$  and  $MC$  by  $x$ ,

(i) find  $AM$  in terms of  $x$ , [3]

(ii) show that  $\theta = \frac{1}{6}\pi - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}\right)$ . [2]



235. 9709\_s16\_qp\_12 Q: 7

(i) Prove the identity  $\frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} - \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} \equiv \frac{4}{\sin \theta \tan \theta}$ . [4]

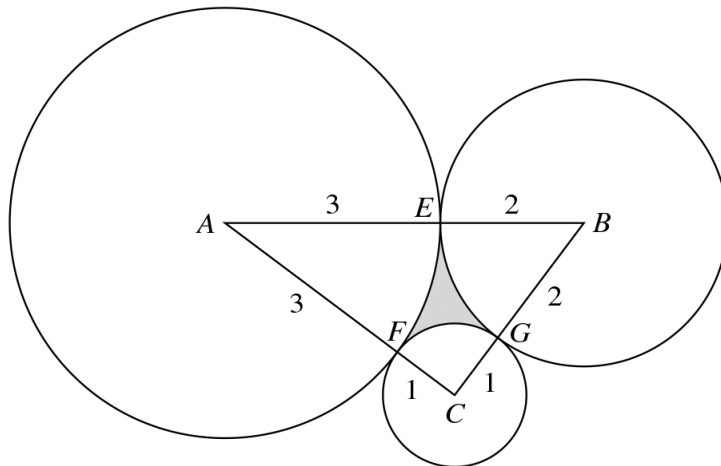
(ii) Hence solve, for  $0^\circ < \theta < 360^\circ$ , the equation

$$\sin \theta \left( \frac{1 + \cos \theta}{1 - \cos \theta} - \frac{1 - \cos \theta}{1 + \cos \theta} \right) = 3. \quad [3]$$

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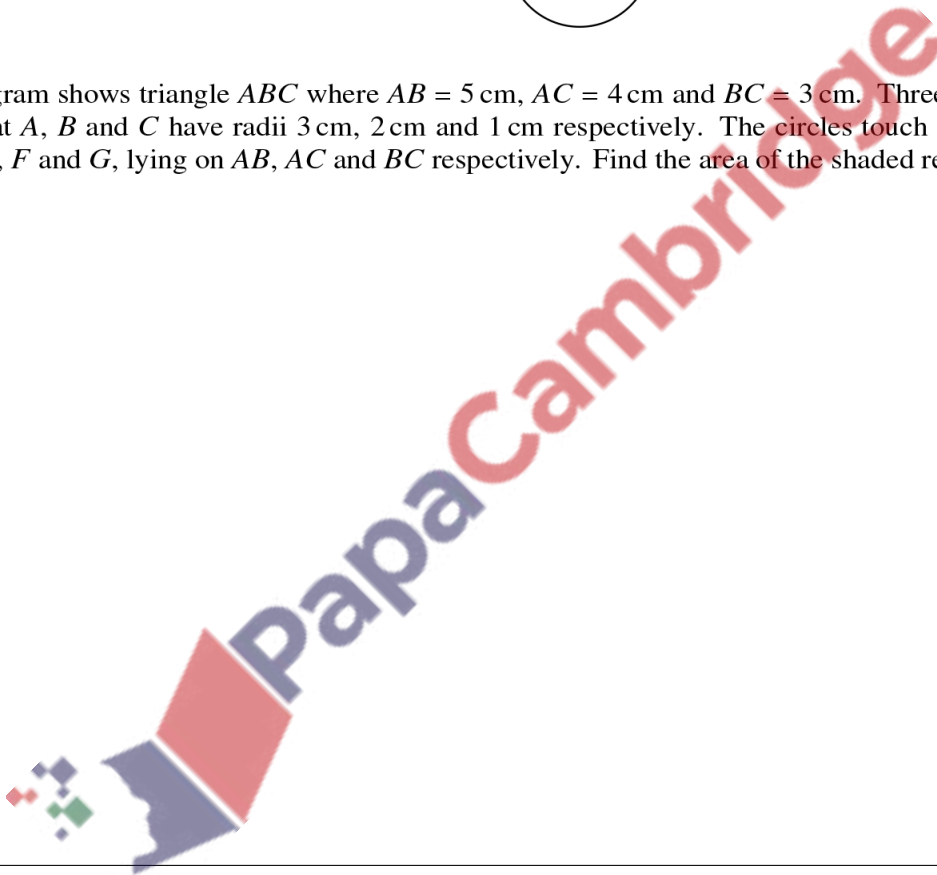
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236. 9709\_s16\_qp\_13 Q: 6



The diagram shows triangle  $ABC$  where  $AB = 5$  cm,  $AC = 4$  cm and  $BC = 3$  cm. Three circles with centres at  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  have radii 3 cm, 2 cm and 1 cm respectively. The circles touch each other at points  $E$ ,  $F$  and  $G$ , lying on  $AB$ ,  $AC$  and  $BC$  respectively. Find the area of the shaded region  $EFG$ .

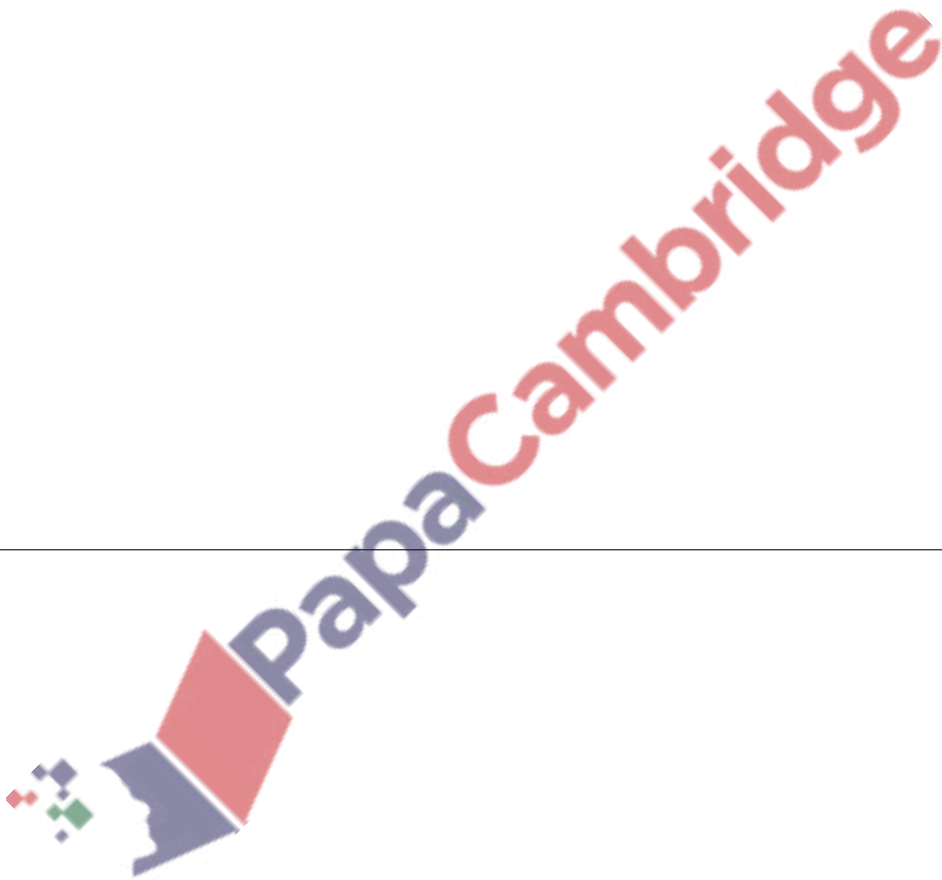
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237. 9709\_s16\_qp\_13 Q: 8

- (i) Show that  $3 \sin x \tan x - \cos x + 1 = 0$  can be written as a quadratic equation in  $\cos x$  and hence solve the equation  $3 \sin x \tan x - \cos x + 1 = 0$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ . [5]
- (ii) Find the solutions to the equation  $3 \sin 2x \tan 2x - \cos 2x + 1 = 0$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ . [3]

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238. 9709\_w16\_qp\_11 Q: 6

(i) Show that  $\cos^4 x \equiv 1 - 2 \sin^2 x + \sin^4 x$ . [1]

(ii) Hence, or otherwise, solve the equation  $8 \sin^4 x + \cos^4 x = 2 \cos^2 x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ . [5]

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239. 9709\_w16\_qp\_12 Q: 2

- (i) Express the equation  $\sin 2x + 3 \cos 2x = 3(\sin 2x - \cos 2x)$  in the form  $\tan 2x = k$ , where  $k$  is a constant. [2]
- (ii) Hence solve the equation for  $-90^\circ \leq x \leq 90^\circ$ . [3]

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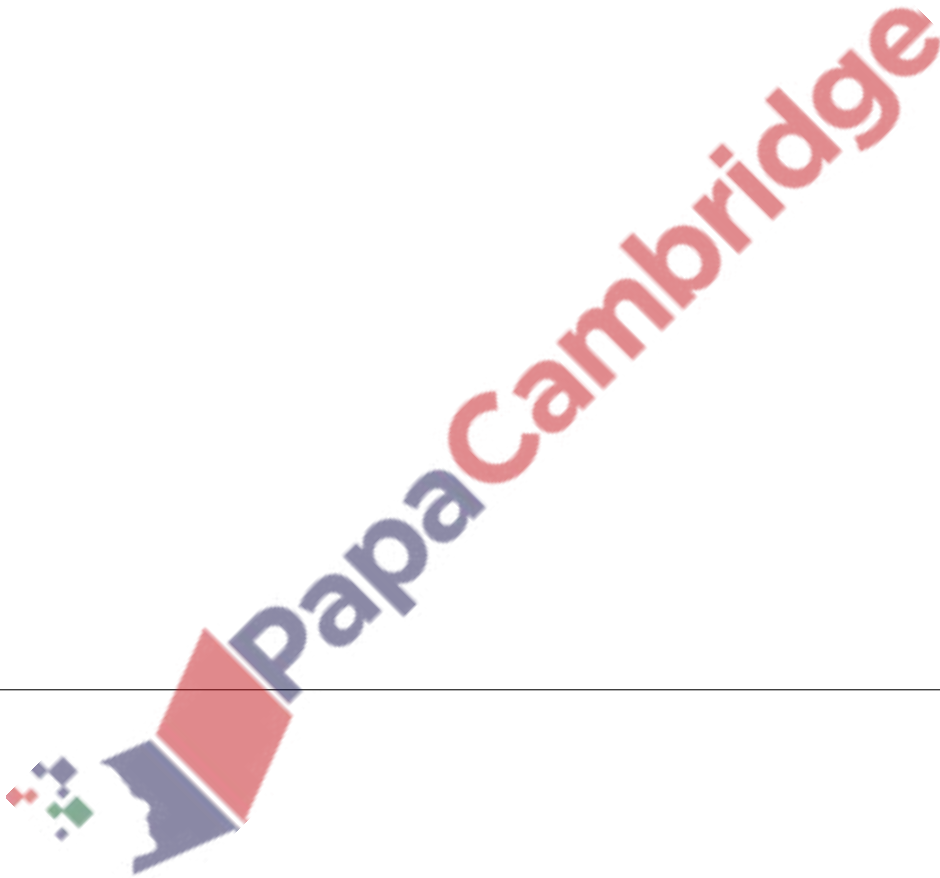
240. 9709\_w16\_qp\_12 Q: 10

A function  $f$  is defined by  $f : x \mapsto 5 - 2 \sin 2x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ .

- (i) Find the range of  $f$ . [2]
- (ii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [2]
- (iii) Solve the equation  $f(x) = 6$ , giving answers in terms of  $\pi$ . [3]

The function  $g$  is defined by  $g : x \mapsto 5 - 2 \sin 2x$  for  $0 \leq x \leq k$ , where  $k$  is a constant.

- (iv) State the largest value of  $k$  for which  $g$  has an inverse. [1]
- (v) For this value of  $k$ , find an expression for  $g^{-1}(x)$ . [3]



241. 9709\_w16\_qp\_13 Q: 3

Showing all necessary working, solve the equation  $6 \sin^2 x - 5 \cos^2 x = 2 \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x$  for  $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$ . [4]

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242. 9709\_s15\_qp\_11 Q: 1

Given that  $\theta$  is an obtuse angle measured in radians and that  $\sin \theta = k$ , find, in terms of  $k$ , an expression for

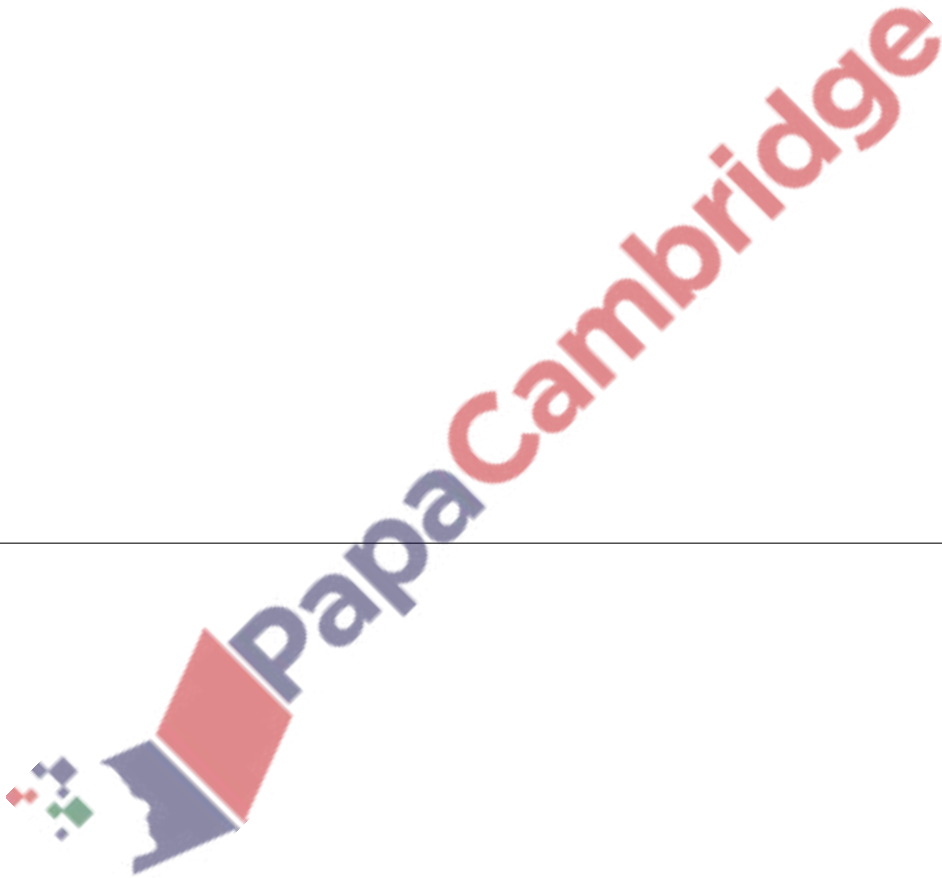
- (i)  $\cos \theta$ , [1]
- (ii)  $\tan \theta$ , [2]
- (iii)  $\sin(\theta + \pi)$ . [1]



243. 9709\_s15\_qp\_11 Q: 8

The function  $f : x \mapsto 5 + 3 \cos\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$  is defined for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ .


- (i) Solve the equation  $f(x) = 7$ , giving your answer correct to 2 decimal places. [3]
- (ii) Sketch the graph of  $y = f(x)$ . [2]
- (iii) Explain why  $f$  has an inverse. [1]
- (iv) Obtain an expression for  $f^{-1}(x)$ . [3]



244. 9709\_s15\_qp\_12 Q: 1

The function  $f$  is such that  $f'(x) = 5 - 2x^2$  and  $(3, 5)$  is a point on the curve  $y = f(x)$ . Find  $f(x)$ . [3]

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245. 9709\_s15\_qp\_12 Q: 8

- (a) The first, second and last terms in an arithmetic progression are 56, 53 and  $-22$  respectively. Find the sum of all the terms in the progression. [4]
- (b) The first, second and third terms of a geometric progression are  $2k + 6$ ,  $2k$  and  $k + 2$  respectively, where  $k$  is a positive constant.
- (i) Find the value of  $k$ . [3]
- (ii) Find the sum to infinity of the progression. [2]

246. 9709\_s15\_qp\_13 Q: 4

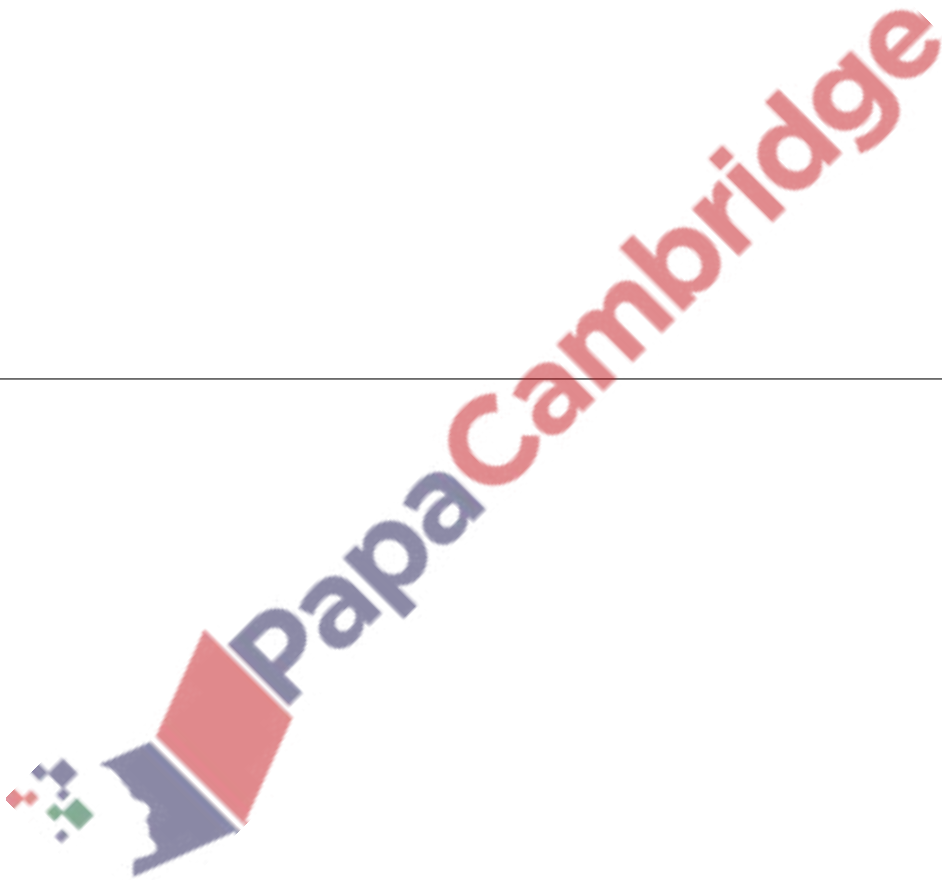
- (i) Express the equation  $3 \sin \theta = \cos \theta$  in the form  $\tan \theta = k$  and solve the equation for  $0^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$ . [2]
- (ii) Solve the equation  $3 \sin^2 2x = \cos^2 2x$  for  $0^\circ < x < 180^\circ$ . [4]

247. 9709\_w15\_qp\_11 Q: 3

Solve the equation  $\sin^{-1}(4x^4 + x^2) = \frac{1}{6}\pi$ .

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248. 9709\_w15\_qp\_11 Q: 4

(i) Show that the equation  $\frac{4 \cos \theta}{\tan \theta} + 15 = 0$  can be expressed as

$$4 \sin^2 \theta - 15 \sin \theta - 4 = 0. \quad [3]$$

(ii) Hence solve the equation  $\frac{4 \cos \theta}{\tan \theta} + 15 = 0$  for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ . [3]

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249. 9709\_w15\_qp\_12 Q: 4

(i) Prove the identity  $\left(\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{1}{\tan x}\right)^2 \equiv \frac{1 - \cos x}{1 + \cos x}$ . [4]

(ii) Hence solve the equation  $\left(\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{1}{\tan x}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{5}$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ . [3]

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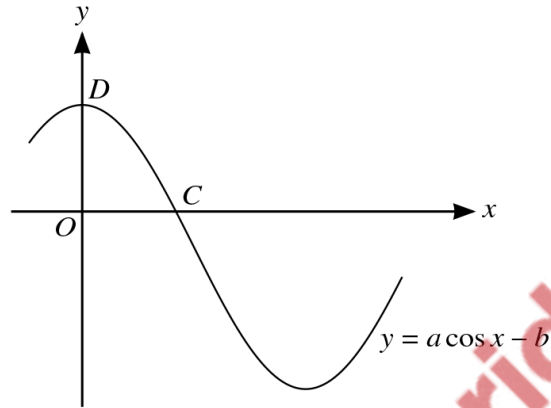
250. 9709\_w15\_qp\_13 Q: 7

(a) Show that the equation  $\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + 3 \sin \theta \tan \theta + 4 = 0$  can be expressed as

$$3 \cos^2 \theta - 4 \cos \theta - 4 = 0,$$

and hence solve the equation  $\frac{1}{\cos \theta} + 3 \sin \theta \tan \theta + 4 = 0$  for  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 360^\circ$ . [6]

(b)



The diagram shows part of the graph of  $y = a \cos x - b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. The graph crosses the  $x$ -axis at the point  $C(\cos^{-1} c, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at the point  $D(0, d)$ . Find  $c$  and  $d$  in terms of  $a$  and  $b$ . [2]