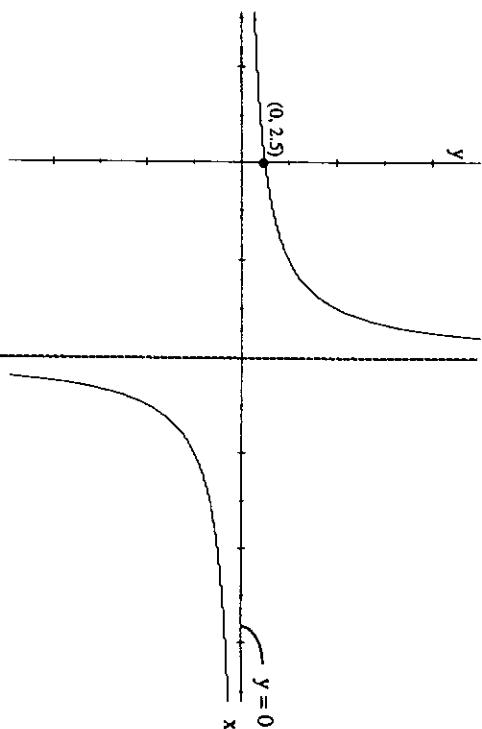


## 1995 CAT 3

## Solutions.

## Question 1

a.



Shape A1  
Intercept A1  
Asymptotes A1

b.

i.

Using long division we have:

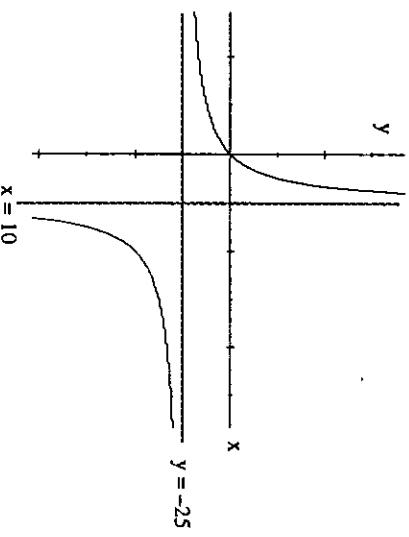
$$\begin{array}{r} -25 \\ x+10 \overline{) 25x} \\ \underline{-25x} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

Therefore,  $g(x) = -25 + \frac{250}{10-x}$  as required.

ii. Now,  $g(x) = -25 + \frac{250}{10-x} = -25 + 10\left(\frac{25}{10-x}\right) = -25 + 10f(x)$

M1 A1

c.



Shape A1  
Asymptotes A1

d. When  $x = 60$ ,  $C(60) = \frac{25 \times 60}{100 - 60} = 37.5$

Therefore it would cost \$37.5 million.

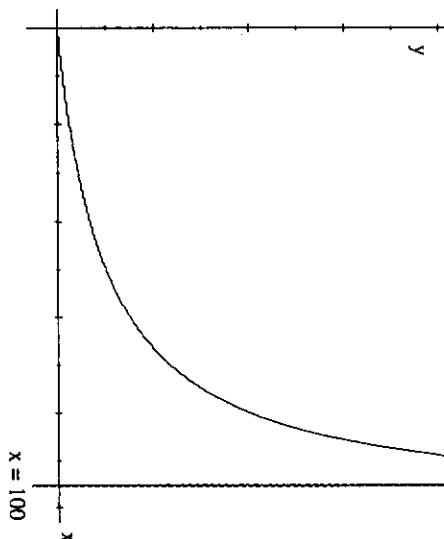
e. When  $C = 10$ ,  $10 = \frac{25x}{100-x} \Leftrightarrow 1000 - 10x = 25x \Leftrightarrow 35x = 1000$

$$x = 28.57$$

That is, 28.57% of pollutants can be removed. That is, 71.43% remains.

A1

f.



Shape A1  
Asymptotes A1

g. Let  $y = C(x)$ , interchanging  $x$  and  $y$ , we have:

$$x = \frac{25y}{100-y} \Leftrightarrow x(100-y) = 25y$$

M1

$$\Leftrightarrow 100x - xy = 25y$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 100x = 25y + xy$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 100x = y(25+x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y = \frac{100x}{25+x}$$

A1

$$\text{Therefore, } C^{-1}(x) = \frac{100x}{25+x}.$$

h.  $N(u)$  represents the percentage of pollutants removed from the river system when \$ $u$  million dollars are spent on the cleaning process.

A1



Shape A1  
Asymptotes A1

j.

It is impossible to remove all pollutants from the river system (asymptote exists at  $y = 100$ ).

A1

This means that in order to get close to removing 100% of the pollutants, you would need to continually fund the cleaning process.

A1

**Question 2**

- a. Set up a table of values:

x	0.5	1	1.5	2	3.5
R(x) (0 ≤ x ≤ 3)	1.736	0.889	0.375	0.111	
R(x) (3 ≤ x ≤ 4)					0.0417

Therefore Area = 0.5(1.736 + 0.889 + 0.375 + 0.111 + 0.0417)

$$A_1 = 1.576 \text{ sq units}$$

- b. As above, we have:

x	0	0.5	1	1.5	2	4
R(x) (0 ≤ x ≤ 3)	3	1.736	0.889	0.375	0.111	
R(x) (3 ≤ x ≤ 4)						0.333

Therefore Area = 0.5(3 + 1.736 + 0.889 + 0.375 + 0.111 + 0.333)

$$A_2 = 3.2221 \text{ sq units}$$

M1  
A1

$$\begin{aligned} c. - \quad \text{Exact area } A &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{9}(3-x)^3 dx + \int_1^3 (x-3)^3 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{9} \left[ -\frac{1}{4}(3-x)^4 \right]_0^1 + \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{4}(x-3)^4 \right]_1^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{36} [0 - (-81)] + \frac{1}{12} (1 - 0) = \frac{84}{36} = 2.3333 \end{aligned}$$

M1  
A1

Therefore,  $A_1 < A < A_2$  as required.

$$d. \quad \text{Using } R(x) \text{ for } 3 \leq x < 4, \frac{dy}{dx} = (x-3)^2.$$

When  $x = 4$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dx} = (4-3)^2 = 1$ .

M1  
A1

- e. i. Because the transition from  $x < 3$  to  $x > 3$  must be smooth, then  $m = 1$  (from d).

$$\text{ii. Now, when } x = 4, y = \frac{1}{3}(1)^3 = \frac{1}{3}.$$

Therefore,  $y - \frac{1}{3} = 1(x-4)$ , so that  $y = x - \frac{11}{3}$  for  $4 \leq x \leq a$ , as required.

A1

$$f. \quad \text{When } y = 2.5 \text{ we have } 2.5 = a - \frac{11}{3}. \text{ So that } a = \frac{37}{6}.$$

M1

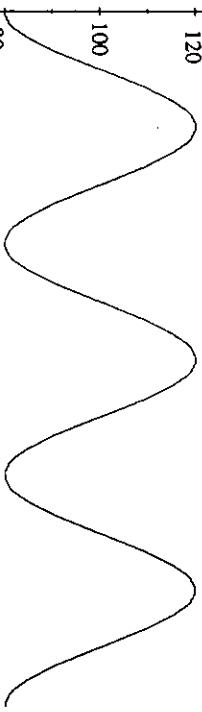
$$\begin{aligned} g. - \quad \text{i.} \quad A &= \int_0^1 \frac{1}{9}(3-x)^3 dx + \int_1^3 (x-3)^3 dx + \int_3^4 \left( x - \frac{11}{3} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{84}{36} + \left[ \frac{1}{3}x^2 - \frac{11}{3}x \right]_4 \\ &= \frac{84}{36} + \left[ \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{37}{6}\right)^2 - \frac{11}{3}\left(\frac{37}{6}\right) \right] - \left[ \frac{1}{2}(4)^2 - \frac{11}{3}(4) \right] \\ &= 5.403 \text{ sq units} \end{aligned}$$

ii. Volume = 8(5.403) = 43.2 ≈ 43 units cubed.

A1

**Question 3**

- a. i. period =  $\frac{2\pi}{\frac{5\pi}{3}} = \frac{6}{5} = 1.2$  seconds A1  
 ii. Amplitude = 20 A1



Shape A1  
 Amplitude & period A1  
 Translation A1

- b. Let the r.v X denote the time taken to complete set homework per subject.  
 $P(X > 50) = P\left(Z > \frac{50 - 40}{6}\right) = P(Z > 1.6667) = 1 - P(Z < 1.6667)$   
 $= 1 - 0.9521 = 0.0479$  M1 M1

$$c. P(X < 45) = P\left(Z < \frac{45 - 40}{6}\right) = P(Z < 0.8333) = 0.7975$$
 M1 A1

Let N denote the number of subjects in which the homework is completed within 45 minutes.

- d. Therefore  $N \stackrel{d}{=} \text{Bin}(3, 0.7975) \Rightarrow P(N = 3) = (0.7975)^3 = 0.5072$  M1 A1

- e. This time,  $N \stackrel{d}{=} \text{Bin}(5, 0.7975) \Rightarrow P(N = 3) = C_3(0.7975)^3 (0.2025)^2 = 0.2080$  M1 A1

- f. We need to find x such that  $P(X < x) = 0.90$   
 That is  $\frac{x - 40}{6} = 1.2816$ . M1 A1

Therefore  $x = 47.6896$ , so that dinner should be served at seven forty eight. A1



- g. Let  $T = X_1 + X_2 + X_3$ , where each  $X_i \stackrel{d}{=} N(40, 36)$   
 Therefore  $E(T) = 120$  and  $\text{Var}(T) = 108^*$  so that  $T \stackrel{d}{=} N(120, 108)$ .  
 $\text{So, } P(T < 150) = P\left(Z < \frac{150 - 120}{\sqrt{108}}\right) = P(Z < 2.8867) = 0.9980$  M1 M1  
 M1 A1

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In this instance, as each  $X_i$  is an i.i.d.r.v, then  $\text{Var}(\text{Sum}) = \text{Sum}(\text{Var})$ .

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{5\pi}{3}t &= \frac{2\pi}{3}, \frac{4\pi}{3} \\ t &= 0.4, 0.8, \dots, \end{aligned}$$

A1

Therefore P lies above 110 millimeters for 0.4 sec every 1.2 seconds, and so the percentage is  $\left(\frac{0.4}{1.2}\right) = 33.33\%$ . A1

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 ii. 6 A1

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