

MAV Trial Examination Paper 2010
Mathematical Methods CAS Examination 2
SOLUTIONS

Section 1 – Multiple Choice

ANSWERS

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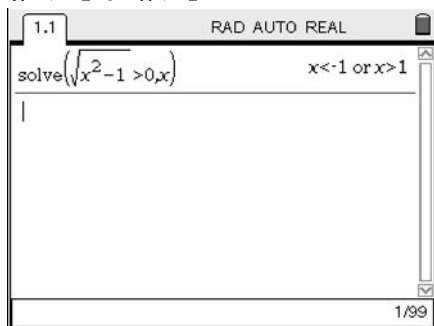
SOLUTIONS

Question 1

Answer D

$$\sqrt{x^2 - 1} > 0$$

$$x < -1 \text{ or } x > 1$$



Question 2

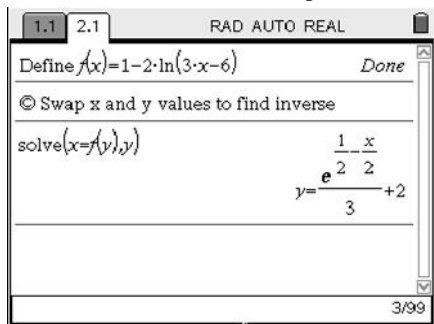
Answer C

Domain of $f^{-1} = \text{Range of } f = R$
 Rule of f^{-1} : interchange x and y values
 $x = 1 - 2 \log_e(3y - 6)$

Solve for y

$$y = \frac{e^{\left(\frac{1-x}{2}\right)}}{3} + 2$$

$$f^{-1} : R \rightarrow R, f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{3} e^{\left(\frac{1-x}{2}\right)} + 2$$



Question 3

Answer D

This can be solved by recognition, or using CAS.

$f(4x) = f(x) + 2f(2)$ may be recognised as a property of a logarithmic function.

If $f(x) = \log_e(x)$, then

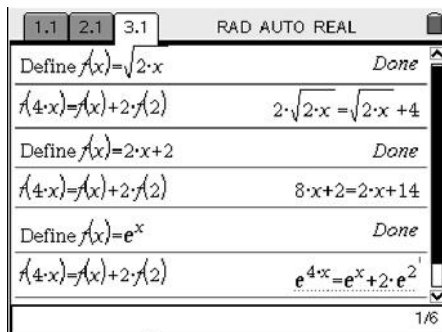
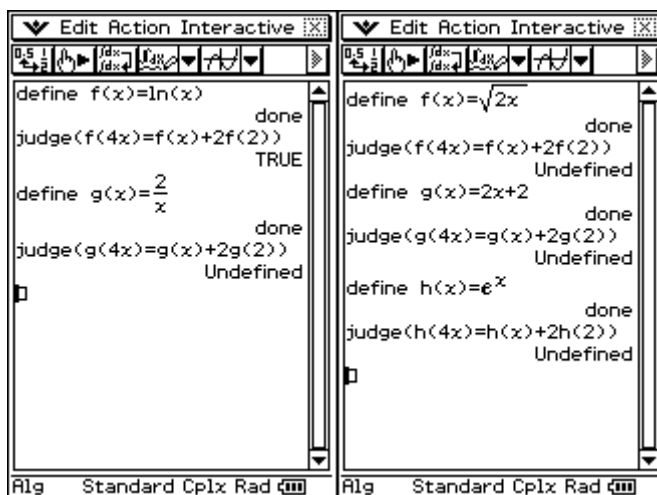
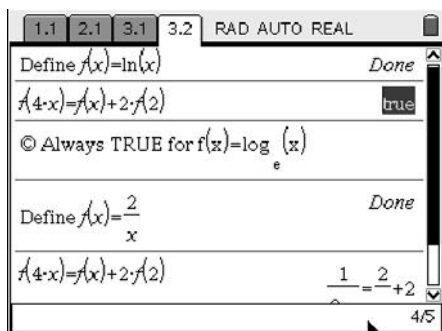
$$\begin{aligned} f(4x) &= \log_e(4x) \\ &= \log_e(x) + \log_e(4) \\ &= \log_e(x) + \log_e(2^2) \\ &= \log_e(x) + 2\log_e(2) \end{aligned}$$

$f(4x) = f(x) + 2f(2)$, as required

Alternatively, using CAS

$f(x) = \log_e(x)$ is the only function that always satisfies the functional equation.

For a functional equation, a CAS output of ‘true’ indicates that it is *always* true. An output of ‘false’ indicates that is *never* true. Any other output indicates that it is *sometimes* true (often in the trivial case), but *not always*.



Question 4
Answer E

Solve $ax = -\frac{1}{x} + 1$ for x .

$$x = \frac{\sqrt{1-4a} + 1}{2a} \text{ or } x = \frac{-\sqrt{1-4a} + 1}{2a}$$

For two distinct solutions $1-4a > 0$ and $a \neq 0$.

Hence $\{a : -\infty < a < 0\} \cup \{a : 0 < a < \frac{1}{4}\}$

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Question 5
Answer E

$$\begin{aligned} \int_1^4 (f(x) + 2) dx &= \int_1^4 f(x) dx + \int_1^4 2 dx \\ &= 5 + [2x]_1^4 \\ &= 5 + [8 - 2] \\ &= 11 \end{aligned}$$

Question 6

Answer A

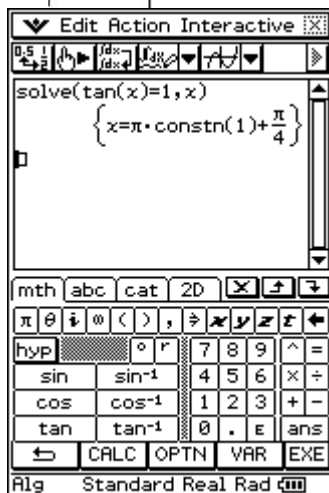
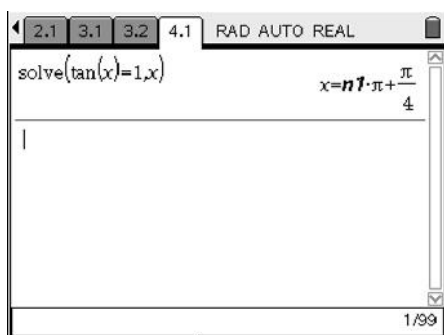
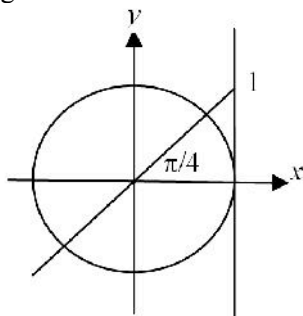
This can be done by hand or using CAS.

$$2 \tan(x) + 1 = 3$$

$$\tan(x) = 1$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4} + n \times \text{period}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{4} + n\pi, \text{ where } n \in \mathbb{Z}$$



Question 7

Answer E

$$g(x) = -2 \cos\left(\frac{x}{3} - 2\right) + 1$$

$$\text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{1}{3}} = 6\pi$$

$$\text{Amplitude} = |-2| = 2$$

$$\text{Range} = [-2 + 1, 2 + 1] = [-1, 3]$$

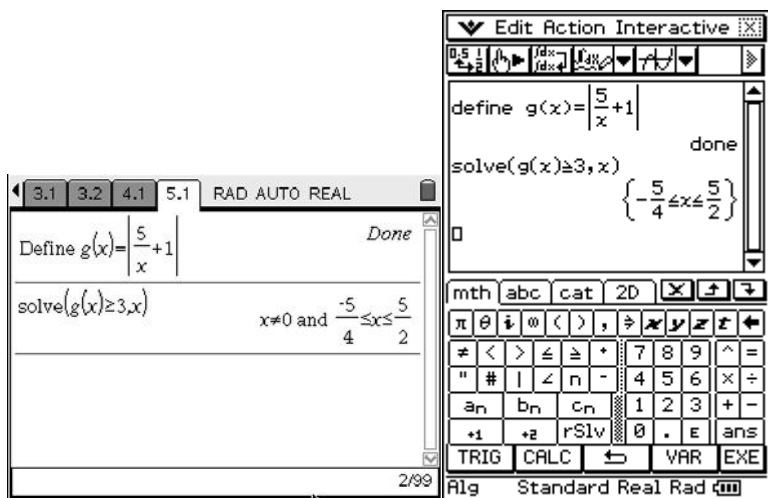
Question 8

Answer B

$$\left| \frac{5}{x} + 1 \right| \geq 3$$

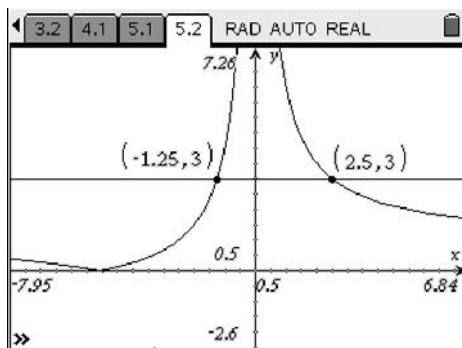
$$x \in \left[-\frac{5}{4}, \frac{5}{2}\right] \setminus \{0\}. \text{ Which is equivalent to}$$

$$\left\{x : -\frac{5}{4} \leq x < 0\right\} \cup \left\{x : 0 < x \leq \frac{5}{2}\right\}$$



Alternatively, a graphical approach may be used.

Find the points of intersection of $y = g(x)$ and $y = 3$



$$\{x : g(x) \geq 3\} = \{x : -1.25 \leq x < 0\} \cup \{x : 0 < x \leq 2.5\}$$

Question 9

Answer A

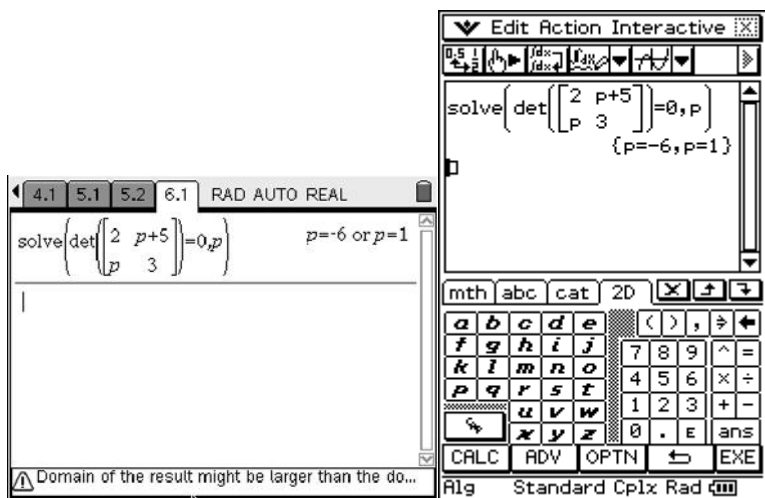
A system of linear equations will **not** have a unique solution when the **determinant** of the coefficient matrix is equal to zero.

Solve $\begin{vmatrix} 2 & p+5 \\ p & 3 \end{vmatrix} = 0$ for p .

$$p = -6 \text{ or } p = 1$$

Both of these values of p will give no solution.

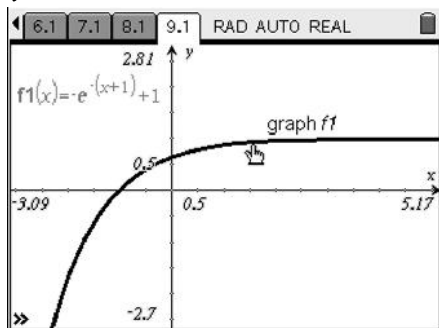
Note that it is impossible for the equations to have infinitely many solutions because $p = -6$ or $p = 1$ does not give rise to identical equations.



Question 10

$y = -e^{-(x+1)} + 1$ meets the criteria. It is most like graph **B**.

Answer B



Question 11

A dilation of scale factor 2 from the y -axis:

$$h(x) \rightarrow h\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

A reflection in the x -axis:

$$h\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \rightarrow -h\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$$

Translation 6 units right:

$$-h\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \rightarrow -h\left(\frac{1}{2}(x-6)\right)$$

Translation 1 unit up:

$$-h\left(\frac{1}{2}(x-6)\right) \rightarrow -h\left(\frac{1}{2}(x-6)\right) + 1$$

Answer A

Question 12

Answer B

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$$

$$= \frac{55 - 45}{8}$$

$$= 1.25$$

$$\Pr(X > 55) = \Pr(Z > 1.25)$$

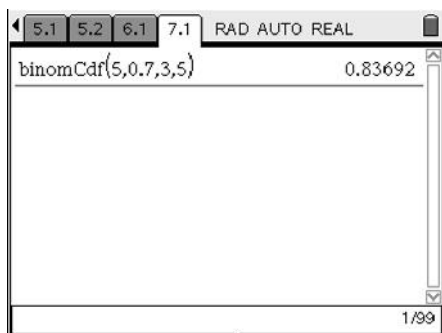
$$= 1 - \Pr(Z < 1.25)$$

Question 13

Answer A

$$X \sim Bi(5, 0.7)$$

$$\Pr(X \geq 3) = 0.8369$$



Question 14

Answer E

$$3r + 0.2 + .35 + 0.3 = 1$$

$$r = 0.05$$

$$E(X) = 0 + (0.2 \times 1) + (.35 \times 2) + (0.3 \times 3) + (0.1 \times 4)$$

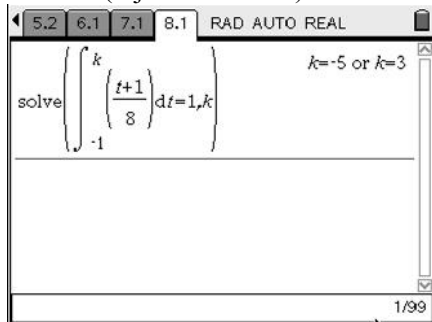
$$E(X) = 2.2$$

Question 15

Answer D

Solve for k , $\int_{-1}^k \left(\frac{t+1}{8} \right) dt = 1$

$$k = 3 \quad (\text{reject } k = -5)$$



Question 16

Answer C

If T is a 2×2 matrix, S_0 must be a 2×1 matrix. The columns in T must add to one

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.3 & 0.9 \\ 0.7 & 0.1 \end{bmatrix}, S_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 15 \\ 30 \end{bmatrix}$$

Question 17

Answer B

$$f(x) = A(x - B)^{\frac{1}{3}} + C$$

The graph has a vertical tangent at $x = 3$, passing through the point $(3, 1)$.

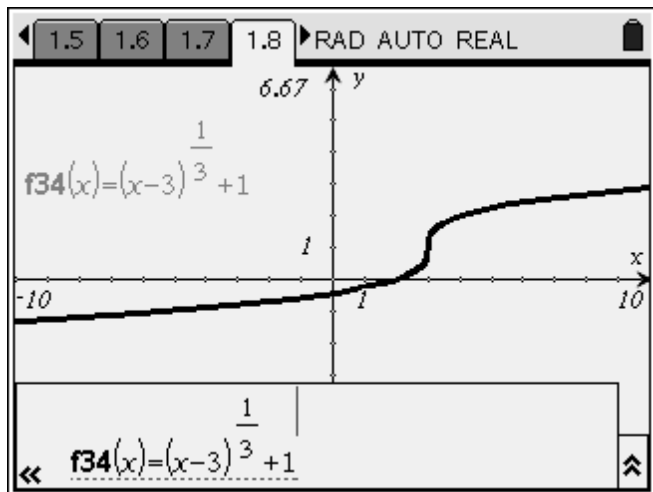
Hence $B = 3$ and $C = 1$.

$$f(x) = A(x - 3)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 1$$

The y -intercept is negative as $f(0) < 0$.

A possible value for A is 1.

$$f(x) = (x - 3)^{\frac{1}{3}} + 1$$



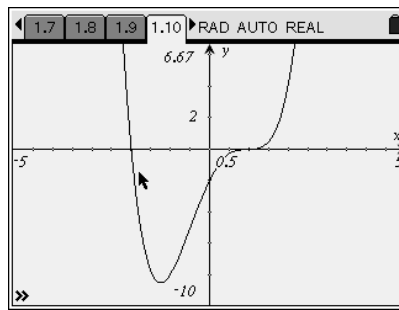
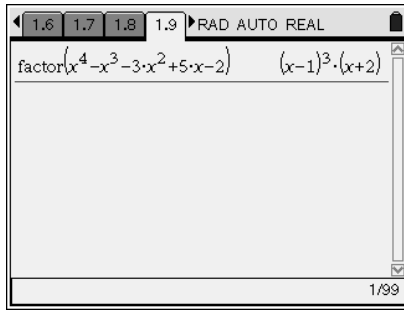
Question 18

Answer C

$$f(x) = x^4 - x^3 - 3x^2 + 5x - 2 = (x - 1)^3(x + 2)$$

Hence the graph of f has a stationary point of inflection at $(1, 0)$

and a local minimum.



Question 19

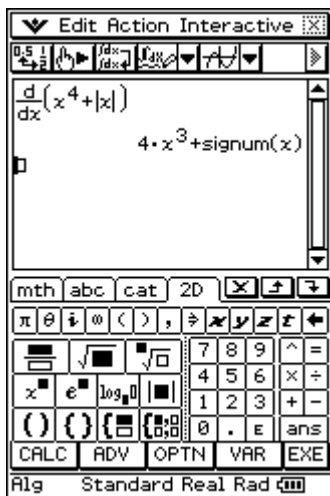
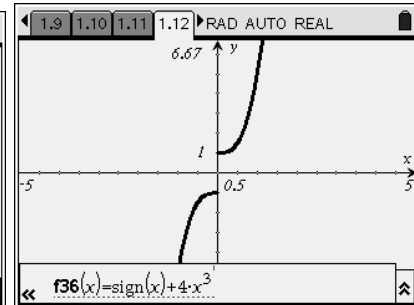
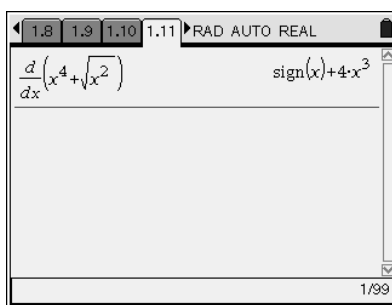
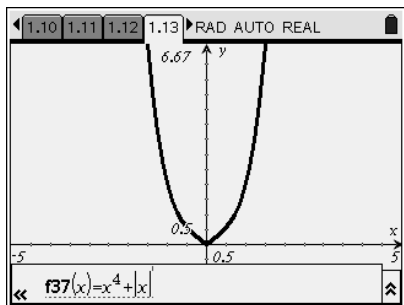
Answer D

$$\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$$

$$f(g(x)) = x^4 + |x|$$

There is a cusp at $x = 0$.

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^4 + |x|) = \begin{cases} 4x^3 + 1 & \text{for } x > 0 \\ 4x^3 - 1 & \text{for } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

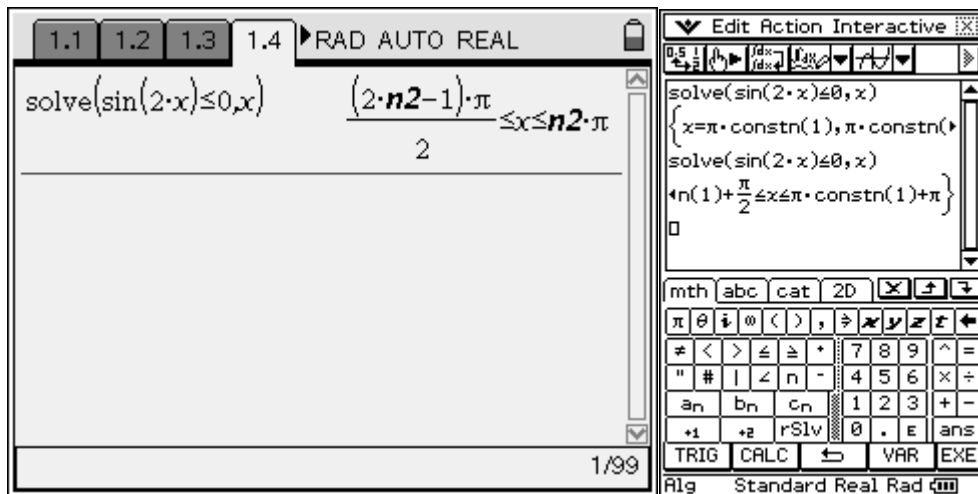


Question 20

Answer D

$\frac{d}{dx}(\log_e(\sin(2x)))$ is undefined when $\sin(2x) \leq 0$

$$\frac{(2k-1)\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \pi k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$$



Question 21

Answer E

For A, B and C, $y > 0$ for all x and as x increases, y increases.

The rectangles will always be under the curve.

For D and E $y < 0$ for all x .

For D as x increases y decreases and the area of the rectangles will under estimate the actual area.

For E as x increases y increases and the area of the rectangles will over estimate the actual area.

Question 22

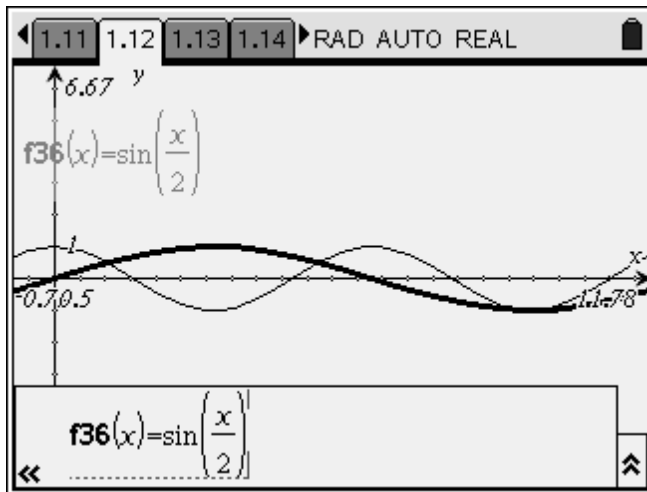
Answer C

Solve $\sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \cos(x)$ for $0 \leq x \leq 4\pi$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{3} \text{ or } x = \frac{5\pi}{3} \text{ or } x = 3\pi$$

The curve of f is above the curve of g for the first area and below for the second area.

$$\text{Area} = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{5\pi}{3}} (f(x) - g(x)) dx + \int_{\frac{5\pi}{3}}^{3\pi} (g(x) - f(x)) dx$$



Section 2 - Extended Answer

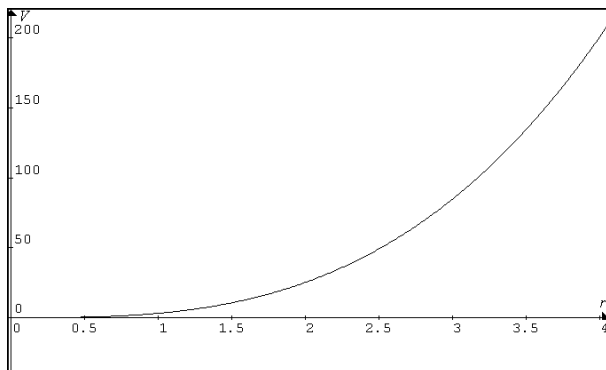
Question 1

a. Shape

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Open circle (0, 0) and closed circle (4, 64π)

1A



b. $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h = \pi r^3$

$h = 3r = 3 \times 4 = 12 \text{ cm}$

1A

c. i. $V = \pi r^3$

$\frac{dV}{dr} = 3\pi r^2 = 3\pi \times 2^2 = 12\pi \text{ cm}^3/\text{cm}$

1A

$V(2) = 8\pi$

$V(r) \approx V(2) + (r - 2)V'(2)$

$= 8\pi + (r - 2)12\pi$

$V(r) \approx 12\pi r - 16\pi$ as required

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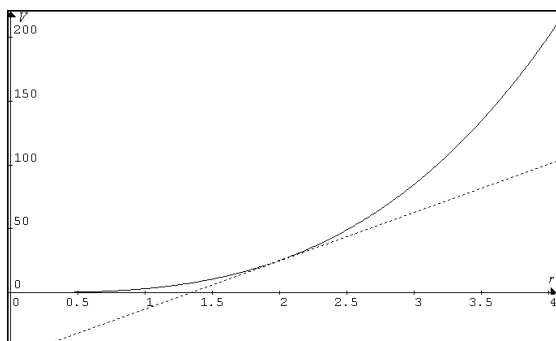
ii. $V(2.1) = 12\pi \times 2.1 - 16\pi = \frac{46\pi}{5} \text{ cm}^3$

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iii. Underestimate

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The actual volume is being approximated by the tangent to the curve at $x = 2$. The tangent line is below the graph of V at $r = 2.1$.

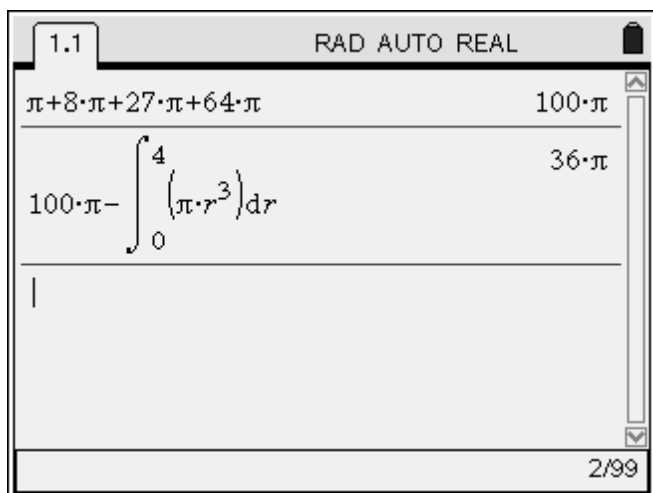


d. i. Area $\approx f(1) + f(2) + f(3) + f(4)$ 1A

$= 100\pi \text{ cm}^2$ 1A

ii. $100\pi - \int_0^4 V(r) dr$ 1A

$= 36\pi \text{ cm}^2$ 1A



iii. The average value $\approx \frac{\text{the approximate area under the curve}}{4 - 0} = \frac{100\pi}{4}$

$\frac{100\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \int_0^4 V(r) dr$

$= 9\pi \text{ cm}$ 1A

OR

$\frac{36\pi}{4} = 9\pi$ 1A

Question 2

a. i.

Period of 1 cycle = 11 years

$$\text{Number of cycles} = \frac{2008 - 1755}{11} = 23$$

1A

a. ii.

$$N \in [10, 110]$$

1A

b.

$$\text{Period} = \frac{2\pi}{n}$$

$$n = \frac{2\pi}{11}, \text{ as required}$$

1M

c.

- The amplitude is 50, therefore $a = 50$.
- The cosine graph has been translated 60 units up (average value for a complete cycle is 60), therefore $b = 60$.

1M

1M

d.

$$N(t) = 60 - 50 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi t}{11}\right)$$

$$N(2) = 39$$

1A

e.

Using CAS, a graphical or algebraic method may be used to find where $N(t) = 80$.

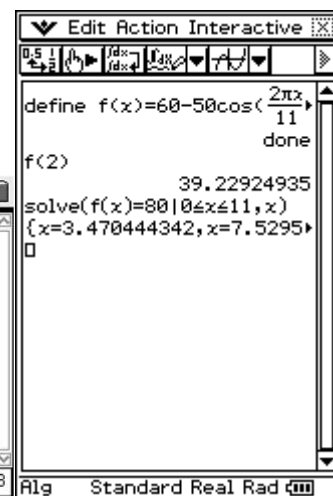
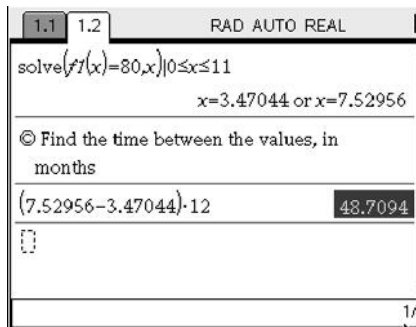
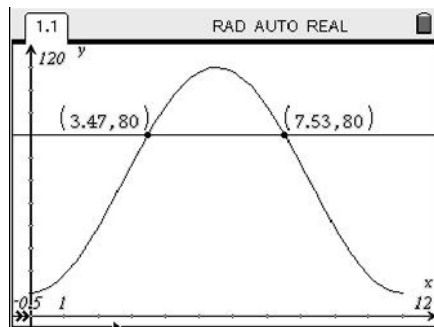
$$N(t) = 80 \text{ for } t \approx 3.47 \text{ or } t \approx 7.35$$

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$$\text{time} = (7.52956 - 3.47044) \times 12$$

$$= 49 \text{ months}$$

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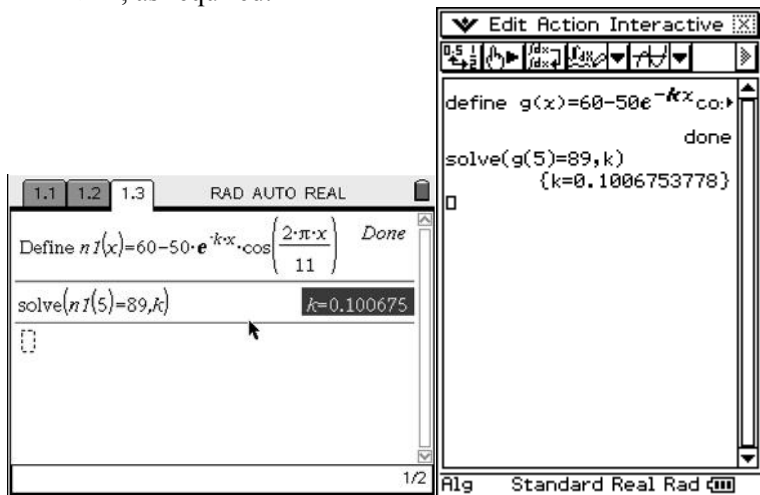


f.

Solve for k , $N_1(5) = 89$

$k = 0.10$, as required.

1M



g.

Using CAS, a graphical or algebraic method may be used.

Solve for t , $N(t) = N_1(t)$,

$t \in \{0, 2.75, 8.75\}$

$N(0) = 10$

$N(2.75) = N(8.75) = 60$

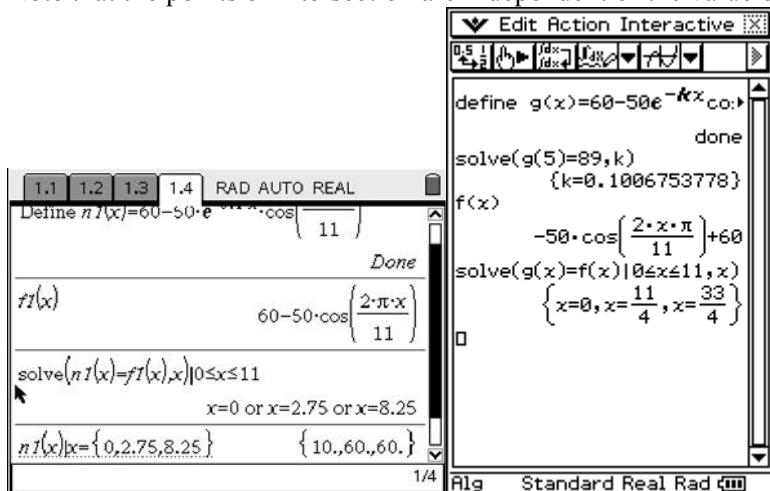
Points of intersection are

$(0.0, 10.0)$, $(2.8, 60.0)$, $(8.8, 0.0)$

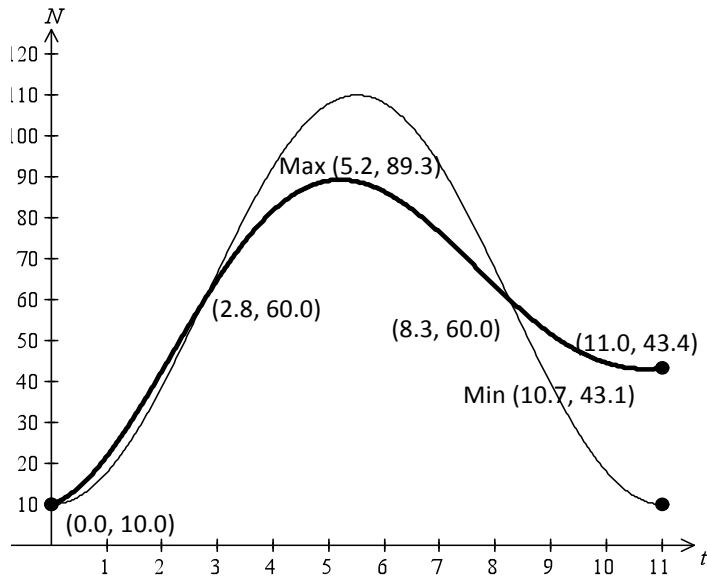
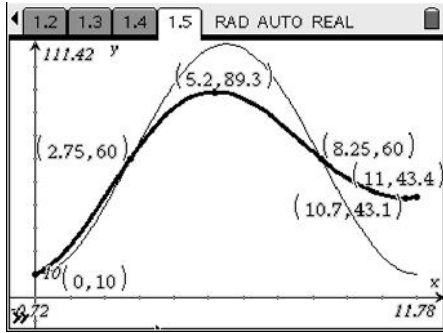
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Note that the points of intersection are independent of the value of k , because k does not alter the period.



h.



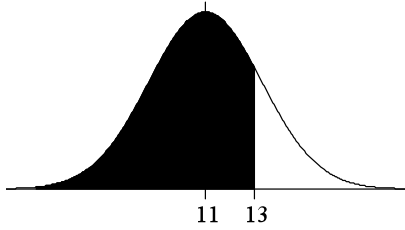
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| Correct shape | 1A |
| Intersection points correctly placed and labelled | 1A |
| Turning points and intersection points correctly labelled | 1A |
| Endpoints with closed circles and correctly labelled | 1A |

Question 3

a. i.

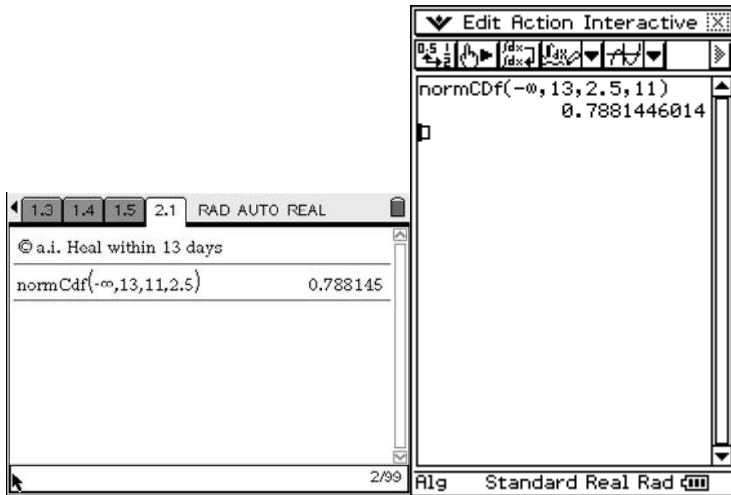
Let X be the healing time, in days.

$$X \sim N(11, 2.5^2)$$



$$\Pr(X < 13) = 0.7881$$

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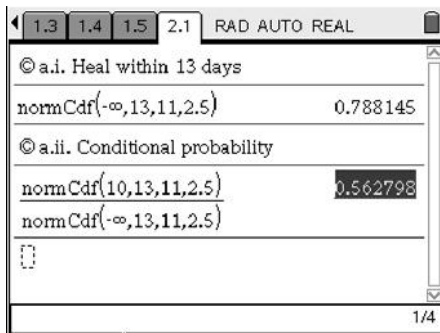


a. ii.

$$\Pr(X > 10 | X < 13) = \frac{\Pr(10 < X < 13)}{\Pr(X < 13)}$$

$$\Pr(X > 10 | X < 13) = 0.563$$

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1A



b.

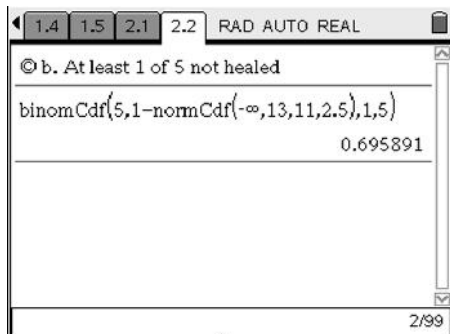
Let Y be the number of patients with incision **not** healed at the time of discharge.

$$Y \sim Bi(5, 1 - 0.788145\dots)$$

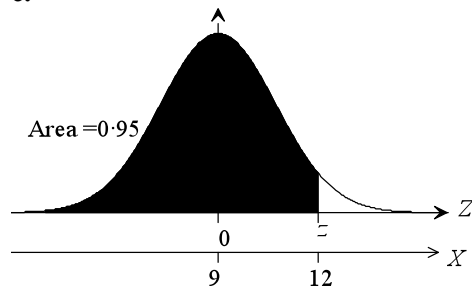
1M

$$\Pr(Y \geq 1) = 0.696$$

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c.



$$\Pr(Z < z) = 0.95$$

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$$\Pr(Z < z) = 1.64485$$

$$z = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$$

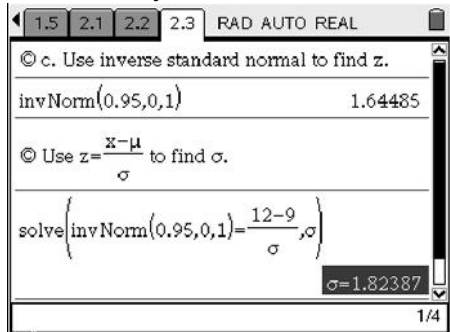
$$1.64485 = \frac{12 - 9}{\sigma}$$

1M

$$\sigma = \frac{12 - 9}{1.64485}$$

$$\sigma = 1.82 \text{ days}$$

1A



Alternative solutions: there are several other methods of solving this problem using the CAS device. A graphical approach is shown below.

Let W be the healing time using this technology

$$W \sim N(9, x^2)$$

Solve (graphically) for x ,

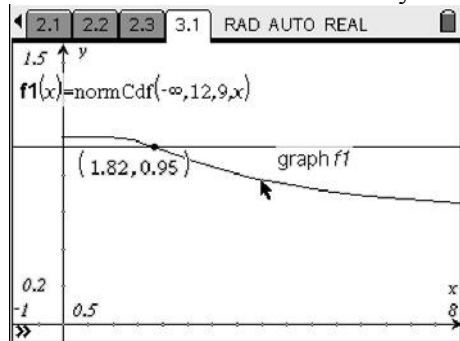
$$\Pr(W < 12) = 0.95$$

2M

$$x = 1.82$$

The standard deviation is 1.82 days

1A



d.

Let m be the median time in hospital

Solve for m ,

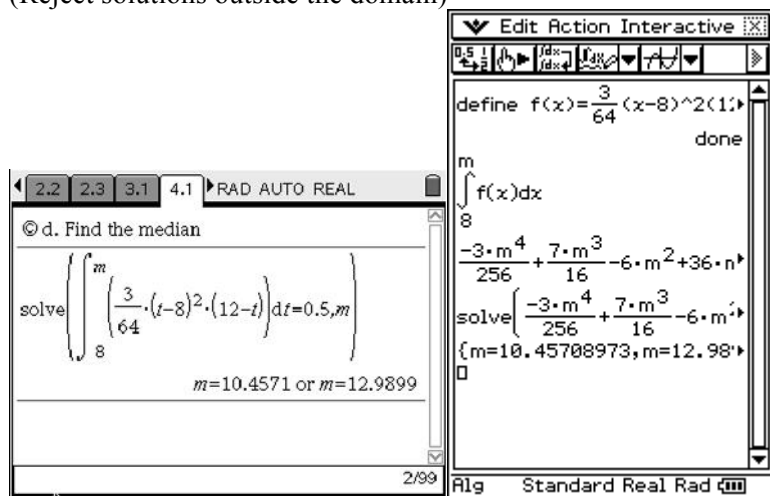
$$\int_8^m f(t) dt = 0.5, \text{ or alternatively, } \int_m^{12} f(t) dt = 0.5$$

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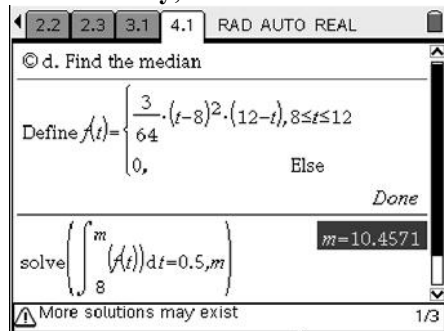
$$t = 10.46 \text{ days}$$

1A

(Reject solutions outside the domain)



Alternatively, avoid redundant solutions by defining (storing) the function with its domain.



e.

	Canteen Today	Tracebook Today
Canteen Tomorrow	0.75	0.4
Tracebook Tomorrow	0.25	0.6

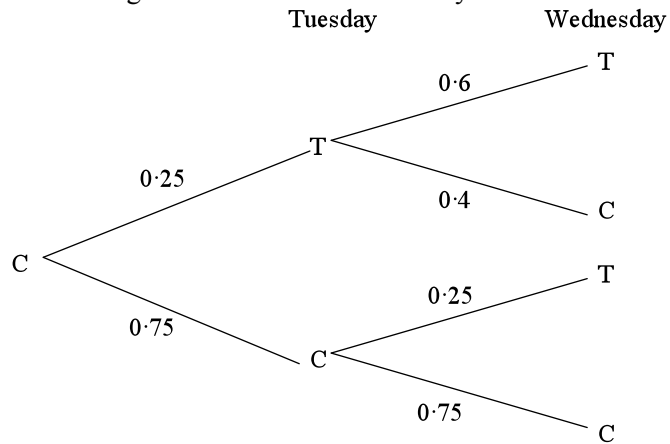
$$\Pr(C, T) + \Pr(T, C) = (0.75 \times 0.25) + (0.25 \times 0.4)$$

1M

$$\Pr(C, T) + \Pr(T, C) = 0.2875 = \frac{23}{80}$$

1A

A tree diagram could be used to clarify the situation.



f.

For a Markov chain with transition matrix T and initial state matrix S_0 , the n^{th} state is given by

$$S_n = T^n \times S_0.$$

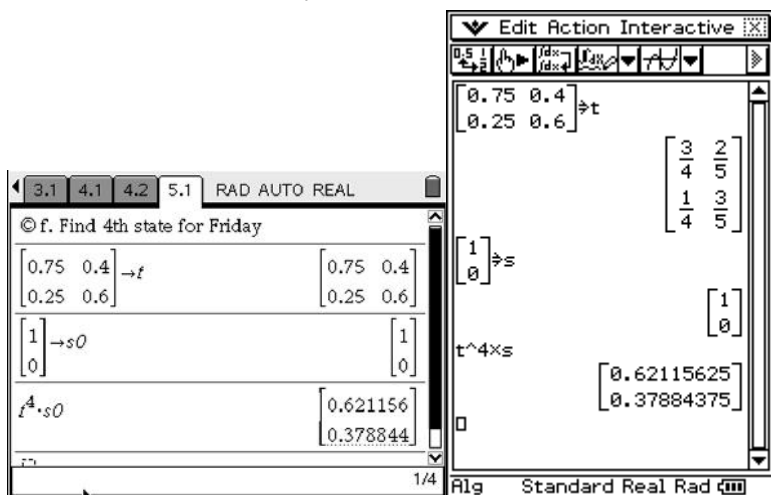
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.75 & 0.4 \\ 0.25 & 0.6 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } S_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ or alternatively, } T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.6 & 0.25 \\ 0.4 & 0.75 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } S_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{1M}$$

$$S_4 = T^4 \times S_0 \quad \mathbf{1M}$$

$$S_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.62 \\ 0.38 \end{bmatrix} \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{canteen} \\ \leftarrow \text{Tracebook} \end{matrix}$$

The probability of canteen on Friday is 0.62. **1A**

Note that the solution may also be obtained from T^4 , without using S_0 .



Question 4

a. i. (0, 5)

0.5A

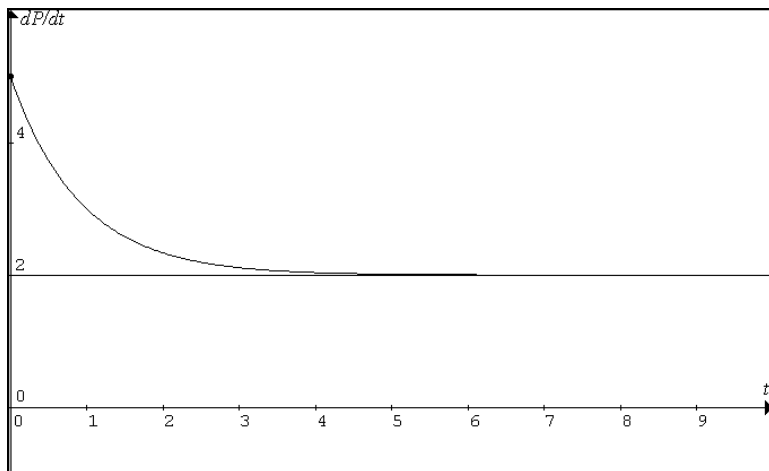
Asymptote $\frac{dP}{dt} = 2$

0.5A

Shape

1A

Round down



ii. As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $\frac{dP}{dt} \rightarrow 2$

2000 insects per year

1A

b. i. $P = \int (3^{1-t} + 2) dt$

$$= 2t - \frac{3 \times 3^{-t}}{\log_e(3)} + c$$

1A

Solve $200 = 2t - \frac{3 \times 3^{-t}}{\log_e(3)} + c$ when $t = 0$

$$P = 2t - \frac{3 \times 3^{-t}}{\log_e(3)} + 200 + \frac{3}{\log_e(3)}$$

1A

The calculator screen shows the integration of $\int (3^{1-t} + 2) dt$ resulting in $2 \cdot t - \frac{3 \cdot 3^t}{\ln(3)}$. Below this, the equation $\text{solve}\left(2 \cdot t - \frac{3 \cdot 3^t}{\ln(3)} + c = 200, c\right) | t=0$ is entered, yielding the solution $c = \frac{3}{\ln(3)} + 200$. The right-hand window shows the same steps in the Edit Action Interactive mode.

ii. $P(1) \approx 204\,000$ insects

1A

The calculator screen shows the same solving step for c . Below, the expression $2 \cdot t - \frac{3 \cdot 3^t}{\ln(3)} + \frac{3}{\ln(3)} + 200 | t=1$ is evaluated, resulting in 203.82. The right-hand window shows the definition of a function $f(x) = \frac{-3}{3^x \cdot \ln(3)} + 2 \cdot x$ and the calculation of $g(1) = 203.8204785$.

c. i. Solve $\frac{dP}{dt} = t$ for t

$$t = 2.25 \text{ years}$$

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ii. Let $y = \frac{dP}{dt}$

Inverse: swap t and y

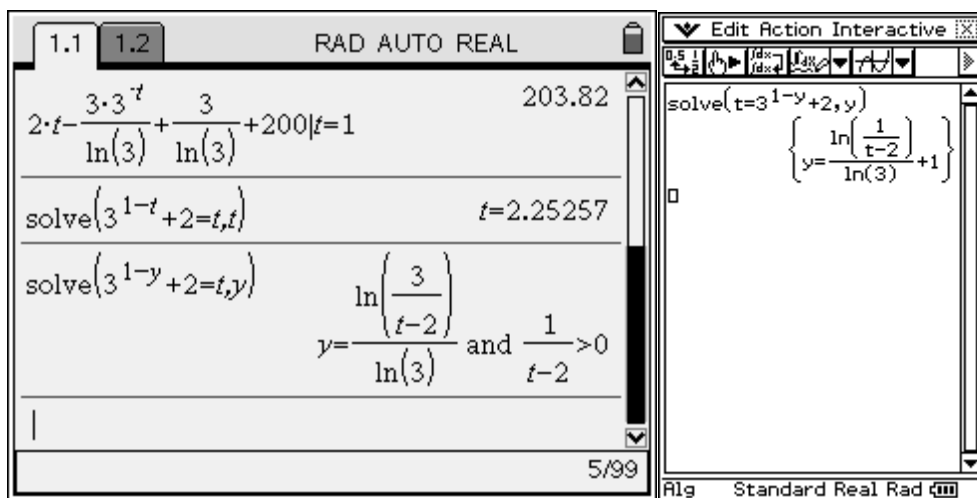
$$\text{Solve } t = 3^{1-y} + 2 \text{ for } y$$

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$$\frac{dP}{dt} = \frac{\log_e\left(\frac{3}{t-2}\right)}{\log_e(3)} = 1 - \frac{\log_e(t-2)}{\log_3(3)}$$

Accept equivalent forms

1A



iii. $t = 5$

January 1st 2014

1A

$$\text{iv. } P = \int \left(\frac{\log_e \left(\frac{3}{t-2} \right)}{\log_e(3)} \right) dt$$

1H

$$= \frac{(t-2) \log_e \left(\frac{1}{t-2} \right) + (\log_e(3) + 1)t - 2}{\log_e(3)} + c$$

Solve $P = 2t - \frac{3 \times 3^{-t}}{\log_e(3)} + 200 + \frac{3}{\log_e(3)}$ for $t = 2.2525\dots$

$P = 207.006\dots$

1M

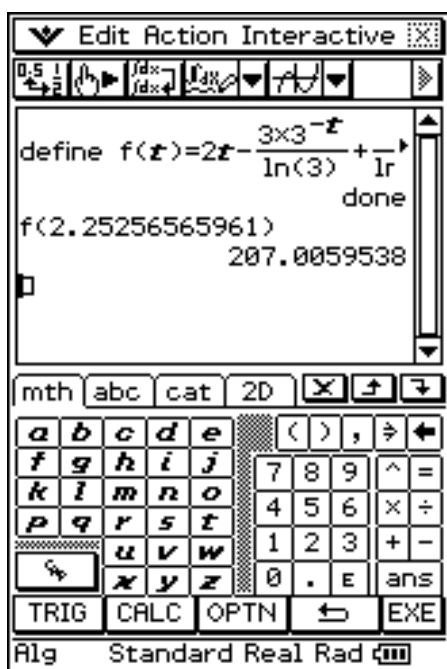
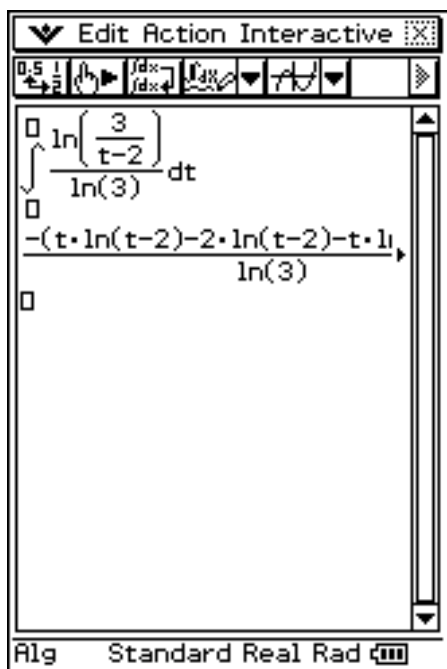
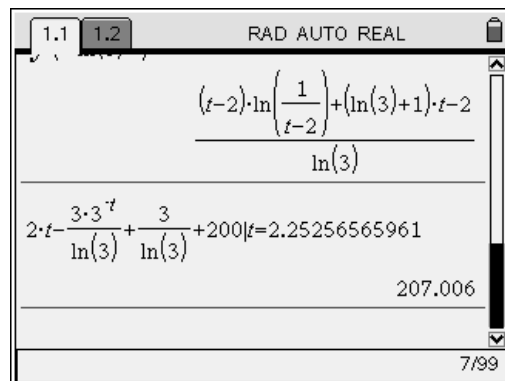
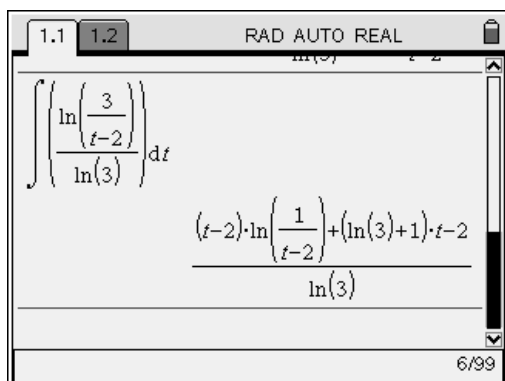
Solve $207.006\dots = \frac{(t-2) \log_e \left(\frac{1}{t-2} \right) + (\log_e(3) + 1)t - 2}{\log_e(3)} + c$ for c when $t = 2.2525\dots$

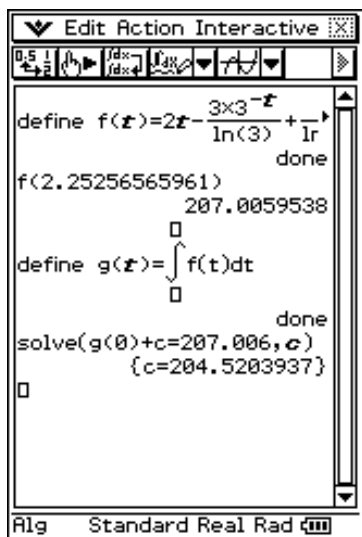
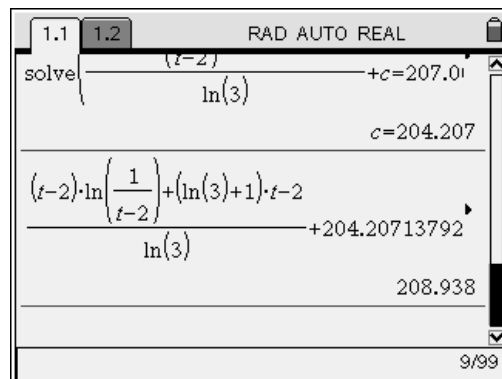
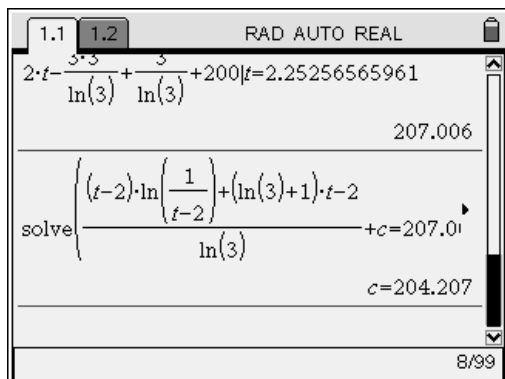
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$c = 204.207\dots$

$P(5) = 208938$ insects

1A





- d. The population will start to decrease from January 1st 2014 until they become extinct. Hence the scientists are predicting climate change will not favour the insects. (anything suitable) **1A**