Pure Maths 1

1.8 Integration - Easy



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Questions

- 1. At the point (4, -1) on a curve, the gradient of the curve is $-\frac{3}{2}$. It is given that $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} 2$. (9709/12/F/M/23 number 10b) Find the equation of the curve.
- 2. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 30x + 24$. The curve has a stationary point at (4, -15). (9709/11/M/J/23 number 11c) Find the equation of the curve.
- 3. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{(x-3)^3}$ for x > 3. The curve passes through the point (4,5). (9709/12/M/J/23 number 1) Find the equation of the curve.
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The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = 10x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ for x > 0. The curve meets the x-axis at the points (0,0) and (4,0). (9709/12/M/J/23 number 5) Find the area of the shaded region.

- 5. A curve which passes through (0,3) has equation y = f(x). It is given that $f'(x) = 1 \frac{2}{(x-1)^3}$. (9709/13/M/J/23 number 9a) Find the equation of the curve.
- 6. A curve with equation y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = 2x^{-\frac{1}{3}} x^{\frac{1}{3}}$. It is given that f(8) = 5. (9709/12/F/M/22 number 1) Find f(x).
- 7. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(4x-7)^{\frac{1}{2}} 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point $(4, \frac{5}{2})$. (9709/12/M/J/22 number 3) Find the equation of the curve.

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The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. The line y = 5 intersects the curve at the points A(1,5) and B(16,5). (9709/13/M/J/22 number 8b) Calculate the area of the shaded region.

- 9. The function f is defined by $f(x) = (4x+2)^{-2}$ for $x > -\frac{1}{2}$. (9709/13/M/J/22 number 10a) Find $\int_{1}^{\infty} f(x) dx$
- 10. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12 \left(\frac{1}{2}x 1\right)^{-4}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point P(6, 4). (9709/11/O/N/22 number 2b) Find the equation of the curve.
- 11. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^{\frac{1}{2}} 3x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. The curve passes through the point (3,5). (9709/12/O/N/22 number 8a) Find the equation of the curve.
- 12. The curve y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = \frac{-3}{(x+2)^4}$. (9709/13/O/N/22 number 7b) Find f(x) given that the curve passes through the point (-1, 5).
- 13. A curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6}{(3x-2)^3}$ and A(1,-3) lies on the curve. (9709/12/F/M/21 number 6b) Find the equation of the curve.





The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = 9\left(x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right)$. The curve crosses the *x*-axis at the point A(4,0). (9709/12/F/M/21 number 11d) Find the area of the region bounded by the curve, the *x*-axis and the line x = 9.

- 15. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{x^4} + 32x^3$. It is given that the curve passes through the point $(\frac{1}{2}, 4)$. (9709/11/M/J/21 number 1) Find the equation of the curve.
- 16. The equation of a curve is $y = 2\sqrt{3x + 4} x$. (9709/11/M/J/21 number 11d) Find the exact area of the region bounded by the curve, the *x*-axis and the lines x = 0 and x = 4.
- 17. A curve with equation y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = 6x^2 \frac{8}{x^2}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point (2,7). (9709/13/M/J/21 number 1) Find f(x).

Answers

1. At the point (4, -1) on a curve, the gradient of the curve is $-\frac{3}{2}$. It is given that $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 2$. (9709/12/F/M/23 number 10b) Find the equation of the curve.

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

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} - 2x + c$$
$$y = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2x + c$$

The curve passes through (4, -1). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$-1 = 2(4)^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2(4) + c$$
$$-1 = 4 - 8 + c$$
$$-1 = -4 + c$$
$$c = 3$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 2x + 3$$

2. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 30x + 24$. The curve has a stationary point at (4, -15). (9709/11/M/J/23 number 11c) Find the equation of the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 30x + 24$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{6x^3}{3} - \frac{30x^2}{2} + 24x + c$$
$$y = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 24x + c$$

The curve passes through (4, -15). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$-15 = 2(4)^{3} - 15(4)^{2} + 24(4) + c$$
$$-15 = 128 - 240 + 96 + c$$
$$-15 = -16 + c$$
$$c = 1$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = 2x^3 - 15x^2 + 24x + 1$$

3. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{(x-3)^3}$ for x > 3. The curve passes through the point (4,5). (9709/12/M/J/23 number 1) Find the equation of the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4(x-3)^{-3}$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{4(x-3)^{-2}}{-2} + c$$
$$y = -2(x-3)^{-2} + c$$

The curve passes through (4,5). Let's use this point to evaluate c_r

$$5 = -2(4-3)^{-2} + c$$
$$5 = -2 + c$$
$$c = 7$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = -2(x-3)^{-2} + 7$$





The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = 10x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ for x > 0. The curve meets the x-axis at the points (0,0) and (4,0). (9709/12/M/J/23 number 5) Find the area of the shaded region.

$$y = 10x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

Let's integrate the curve from $0\ {\rm to}\ 4$,

$$\int_{0}^{4} 10x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{5}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} dx$$
$$\left[\frac{10x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{5x^{\frac{5}{2}}}{2 \times \frac{5}{2}}\right]_{0}^{4}$$
$$\left[\frac{20}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} - x^{\frac{5}{2}}\right]_{0}^{4}$$

Substitute in the limits,

$$\left[\left(\frac{20}{3} (4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - (4)^{\frac{5}{2}} \right) - \left(\frac{20}{3} (0)^{\frac{3}{2}} - (0)^{\frac{5}{2}} \right) \right]$$
$$\left[\frac{64}{3} - 0 \right]$$
$$\frac{64}{3}$$

Therefore, the area of the shaded region is,

$$\frac{64}{3}$$

5. A curve which passes through (0,3) has equation y = f(x). It is given that $f'(x) = 1 - \frac{2}{(x-1)^3}$. (9709/13/M/J/23 number 9a) Find the equation of the curve.

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

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = x - \frac{2(x-1)^{-2}}{-2} + c$$
$$y = x + (x-1)^{-2} + c$$

The curve passes through (0,3). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$3 = 0 + (0 - 1)^{-2} + c$$

 $3 = 1 + c$
 $c = 2$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = x + (x - 1)^{-2} + 2$$

6. A curve with equation y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = 2x^{-\frac{1}{3}} - x^{\frac{1}{3}}$. It is given that f(8) = 5. (9709/12/F/M/22 number 1) Find f(x).

$$f'(x) = 2x^{-\frac{1}{3}} - x^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Let's integrate f'(x),

$$y = \frac{2x^{\frac{2}{3}}}{\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{x^{\frac{4}{3}}}{\frac{4}{3}} + c$$
$$y = 3x^{\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{3}{4}x^{\frac{4}{3}} + c$$

The curve passes through (8,5). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$5 = 3(8)^{\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{3}{4}(8)^{\frac{4}{3}} + c$$
$$5 = 12 - 12 + c$$
$$c = 5$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$f(x) = 3x^{\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{3}{4}x^{\frac{4}{3}} + 5$$

7. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(4x - 7)^{\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point $(4, \frac{5}{2})$. (9709/12/M/J/22 number 3) Find the equation of the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(4x-7)^{\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{3(4x-7)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2} \times 4} - \frac{4x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$
$$y = \frac{1}{2}(4x-7)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 8x^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$

The curve passes through $\left(4, \frac{5}{2}\right)$. Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$\frac{5}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(4(4) - 7)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 8(4)^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$
$$\frac{5}{2} = \frac{27}{2} - 16 + c$$
$$\frac{5}{2} = -\frac{5}{2} + c$$
$$c = \frac{5}{2} + \frac{5}{2}$$
$$c = 5$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = \frac{1}{2}(4x - 7)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 8x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 5$$



The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. The line y = 5 intersects the curve at the points A(1,5) and B(16,5). (9709/13/M/J/22 number 8b) Calculate the area of the shaded region.

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

Let's construct an expression for the area of the shaded region,

Area of shaded region = Area under the line - Area under the curve

Let's find the area under the line,



The area under the line forms a rectangle,

Area under the line $= 15 \times 5$

Area under the line = 75

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Now let's find the area under the curve,

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

Integrate the curve from 1 to 16,

$$\int_{1}^{16} x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}} dx$$
$$\left[\frac{x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{4x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}}\right]_{1}^{16}$$
$$\left[\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}} + 8x^{\frac{1}{2}}\right]_{1}^{16}$$

Substitute in the limits,

$$\left[\left(\frac{2}{3} (16)^{\frac{3}{2}} + 8(16)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) - \left(\frac{2}{3} (1)^{\frac{3}{2}} + 8(1)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right) \right]$$
$$\left[\frac{224}{3} - \frac{26}{3} \right]$$

Area under the curve = 66

Now let's go back to our expression for the area of the shaded region,

Area of shaded region = Area under the line - Area under the curve

Area of shaded region = 75 - 66Area of shaded region = 9

Therefore, the final answer is,

Area of shaded region = 9

9. The function f is defined by $f(x) = (4x+2)^{-2}$ for $x > -\frac{1}{2}$. (9709/13/M/J/22 number 10a) Find $\int_1^\infty f(x) dx$

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} (4x+2)^{-2} \, dx$$

Let's integrate f(x) from 1 to ∞ ,

$$\left[\frac{(4x+2)^{-1}}{-1\times4}\right]_{1}^{\infty}$$
$$\left[-\frac{1}{4}(4x+2)^{-1}\right]_{1}^{\infty}$$
$$\left[-\frac{1}{4(4x+2)}\right]_{1}^{\infty}$$

Substitute in the limits,

$$\left[\left(-\frac{1}{4(4(\infty)+2)} \right) - \left(-\frac{1}{4(4(1)+2)} \right) \right]$$
$$\left[0 - \left(-\frac{1}{24} \right) \right]$$

Note: $\frac{1}{\infty}$ is so small that it is assigned a value of 0. You can try dividing 1 by a very large number on your calculator and you'll notice that it is very close to 0, e.g $\frac{1}{100000} = 0.00001$



Therefore, the final answer is,

$$\int_{1}^{\infty} f(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{24}$$

10. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12 \left(\frac{1}{2}x - 1\right)^{-4}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point P(6, 4). (9709/11/O/N/22 number 2b) Find the equation of the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12\left(\frac{1}{2}x - 1\right)^{-4}$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{12\left(\frac{1}{2}x - 1\right)^{-3}}{-3 \times \frac{1}{2}} + c$$
$$y = -8\left(\frac{1}{2}x - 1\right)^{-3} + c$$

The curve passes through P(6,4). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$4 = -8\left(\frac{1}{2}(6) - 1\right)^{-3} + c$$
$$4 = -1 + c$$
$$c = 5$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = -8\left(\frac{1}{2}x - 1\right)^{-3} + 5$$

11. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 3x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$. The curve passes through the point (3,5). (9709/12/O/N/22 number 8a) Find the equation of the curve.

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

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{3x^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{3x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$
$$y = 2x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 6x^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$

The curve passes through (3,5). Let's use this point to evaluate c_{i} ,

$$5 = 2(3)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 6(3)^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$$

$$5 = 0 + c$$

$$c = 5$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = 2x^{\frac{3}{2}} - 6x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 5$$

12. The curve y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = \frac{-3}{(x+2)^4}$. (9709/13/O/N/22 number 7b) Find f(x) given that the curve passes through the point (-1, 5).

$$f'(x) = -3(x+2)^{-4}$$

Let's integrate f'(x),

$$y = \frac{-3(x+2)^{-3}}{-3} + c$$
$$y = (x+2)^{-3} + c$$

The curve passes through (-1, 5). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$5 = (-1+2)^{-3} + c$$

 $5 = 1 + c$
 $c = 4$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$f(x) = (x+2)^{-3} + 4$$

13. A curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{6}{(3x-2)^3}$ and A(1,-3) lies on the curve. (9709/12/F/M/21 number 6b) Find the equation of the curve.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6(3x - 2)^{-3}$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{6(3x-2)^{-2}}{-2\times 3} + c$$
$$y = -(3x-2)^{-2} + c$$

The curve passes through A(1, -3). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$-3 = -(3(1) - 2)^{-2} + c$$
$$-3 = -1 + c$$
$$c = -2$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = -(3x - 2)^{-2} - 2$$

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The diagram shows the curve with equation $y = 9\left(x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right)$. The curve crosses the *x*-axis at the point A(4,0). (9709/12/F/M/21 number 11d) Find the area of the region bounded by the curve, the *x*-axis and the line x = 9.

$$y = 9\left(x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right)$$

Integrate the curve from 4 to 9,

$$\int_{4}^{9} 9\left(x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right) dx$$
$$9\int_{4}^{9} \left(x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}}\right) dx$$
$$9\left[\frac{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{4x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{-\frac{1}{2}}\right]_{4}^{9}$$
$$9\left[2x^{\frac{1}{2}} + 8x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right]_{4}^{9}$$

Substitute in the limits,

$$9\left[\left(2(9)^{\frac{1}{2}} + 8(9)^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right) - \left(2(9)^{\frac{1}{2}} + 8(9)^{-\frac{1}{2}}\right)\right]$$
$$9\left[\frac{26}{3} - 8\right]$$
$$9\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

Therefore, the area of the required region is,

15. The equation of a curve is such that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{x^4} + 32x^3$. It is given that the curve passes through the point $(\frac{1}{2}, 4)$. (9709/11/M/J/21 number 1) Find the equation of the curve.

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^{-4} + 32x^3$$

Let's integrate $\frac{dy}{dx}$,

$$y = \frac{3x^{-3}}{-3} + \frac{32x^4}{4} + c$$
$$y = -x^{-3} + 8x^4 + c$$

The curve passes through $\left(\frac{1}{2},4 \right)$. Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$4 = -\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-3} + 8\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{4} + c$$
$$4 = -8 + \frac{1}{2} + c$$
$$4 = -\frac{15}{2} + c$$
$$c = 4 + \frac{15}{2}$$
$$c = \frac{23}{2}$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$y = -x^{-3} + 8x^4 + \frac{23}{2}$$

16. The equation of a curve is $y = 2\sqrt{3x+4} - x$. (9709/11/M/J/21 number 11d) Find the exact area of the region bounded by the curve, the *x*-axis and the lines x = 0 and x = 4.

$$y = 2(3x+4)^{\frac{1}{2}} - x$$

Let's integrate the curve from 0 to 4,

$$\int_{0}^{4} 2(3x+4)^{\frac{1}{2}} - x \, dx$$
$$\left[\frac{2(3x+4)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2} \times 3} - \frac{x^{2}}{2}\right]_{0}^{4}$$
$$\left[\frac{4}{9}(3x+4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{x^{2}}{2}\right]_{0}^{4}$$

Substitute in the limits,

$$\left[\left(\frac{4}{9} (3(4) + 4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{(4)^2}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{4}{9} (3(0) + 4)^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{(0)^2}{2} \right) \right]$$
$$\left[\frac{184}{9} - \frac{32}{9} \right]$$
$$\frac{152}{9}$$

Therefore, the exact area of the required region is,

$$\frac{152}{9}$$

17. A curve with equation y = f(x) is such that $f'(x) = 6x^2 - \frac{8}{x^2}$. It is given that the curve passes through the point (2,7). (9709/13/M/J/21 number 1) Find f(x).

$$f'(x) = 6x^2 - 8x^{-2}$$

Let's integrate f'(x),

$$y = \frac{6x^3}{3} - \frac{8x^{-1}}{-1} + c$$
$$y = 2x^3 + 8x^{-1} + c$$

The curve passes through (2,7). Let's use this point to evaluate c,

$$7 = 2(2)^{3} + 8(2)^{-1} + c$$

$$7 = 16 + 4 + c$$

$$7 = 20 + c$$

$$c = -13$$

Therefore, the equation of the curve is,

$$f(x) = 2x^3 + 8x^{-1} - 13$$