

Mathematical Formulae

1. ALGEBRA

Quadratic Equation

For the equation $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$,

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

Binomial expansion

$$(a + b)^n = a^n + \binom{n}{1} a^{n-1} b + \binom{n}{2} a^{n-2} b^2 + \dots + \binom{n}{r} a^{n-r} b^r + \dots + b^n,$$

where n is a positive integer and $\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!} = \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-r+1)}{r!}$

2. TRIGONOMETRY

Identities

$$\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A = 1$$

$$\sec^2 A = 1 + \tan^2 A$$

$$\operatorname{cosec}^2 A = 1 + \cot^2 A$$

$$\sin(A \pm B) = \sin A \cos B \pm \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A \pm B) = \cos A \cos B \mp \sin A \sin B$$

$$\tan(A \pm B) = \frac{\tan A \pm \tan B}{1 \mp \tan A \tan B}$$

$$\sin 2A = 2 \sin A \cos A$$

$$\cos 2A = \cos^2 A - \sin^2 A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1 = 1 - 2 \sin^2 A$$

$$\tan 2A = \frac{2 \tan A}{1 - \tan^2 A}$$

Formulae for $\triangle ABC$

$$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$\Delta = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$$

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- 2 It is given that $f(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 6$, where a and b are constants, has a factor of $x - 2$ and leaves a remainder of -60 when divided by $x + 3$.
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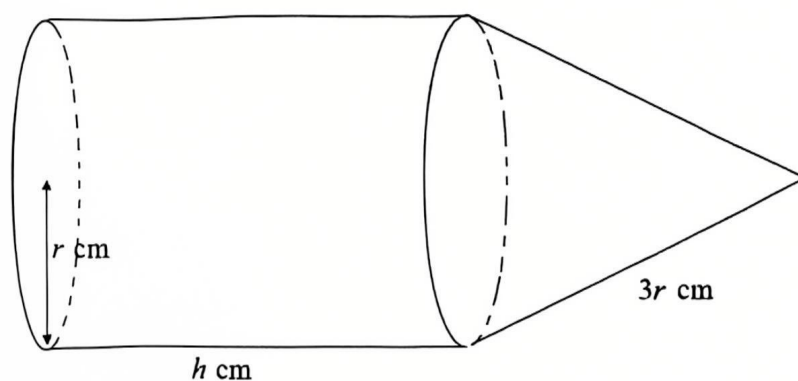
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- (b) Hence solve the equation $\frac{\sin x + \cos x}{1 + \sin 2x + \cos 2x} = \frac{9}{4} \sin x$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$. [4]

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- (b) Show that the total surface area of the entire container is $4\pi \left(\frac{48}{r} + r^2 \right)$. [3]

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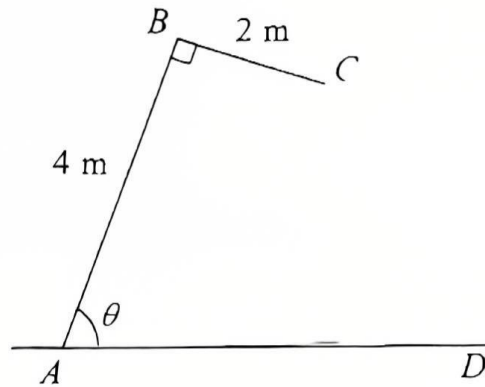
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[4]

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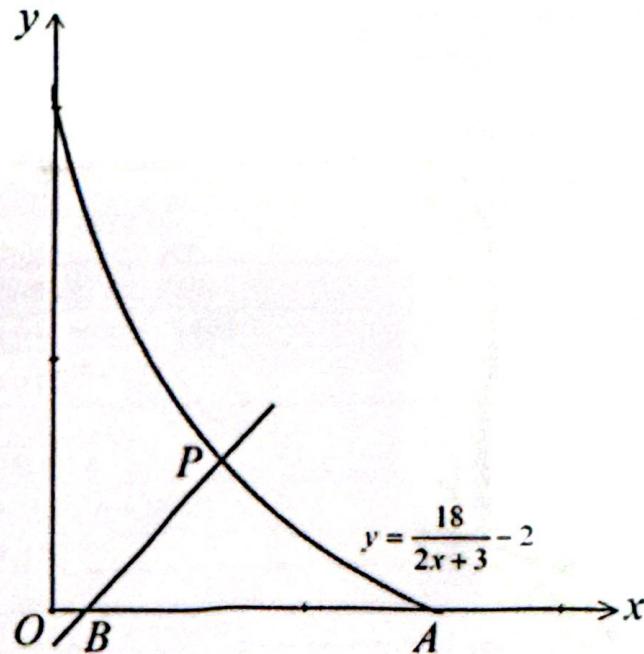
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- (c) A second circle C_2 passes through the points $A(2, 4)$ and $B(-3, 5)$ and its centre lies on the line $y = 3x + 9$. Find the coordinates of the centre of circle C_2 .

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- 10 The diagram below shows part of the curve $y = \frac{18}{2x+3} - 2$, which crosses the x -axis at A . Point P lies on the curve and the gradient of the curve at P is -1 . The normal to the curve at point P meets the x -axis at point B .



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Solution	
$M = Ae^{-kt}$ $t = 0, M = 100$ $100 = A \quad \text{B1}$ $t = 40, M = 90$ $90 = 100e^{-40k} \quad \text{M1}$ $\frac{9}{10} = e^{-40k}$ $-40k = \ln \frac{9}{10}$ $k = -\frac{1}{40} \ln \frac{9}{10}$ $M = 100e^{\frac{1}{40} \ln \frac{9}{10} t}$ $t = 48$ $M = 100e^{\frac{1}{40} \ln \frac{9}{10} \times (48)} \quad \text{M(FT) 1}$ $M = 88.1 \text{ grams} \quad \text{A1}$	

- (b) Find the time, to the nearest hour, for the mass to decay to less than 50% of its original mass. [2]

Solution	
$100e^{\frac{1}{40}\ln\frac{9}{10}t} < 50$ $e^{\left(\frac{1}{40}\ln\frac{9}{10}\right)t} < \frac{1}{2}$ M(FT) 1 $\left(\frac{1}{40}\ln\frac{9}{10}\right)t < \ln\frac{1}{2}$ $t > 263.2$ hours $t = 264$ (to nearest hours) A1	

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- (a) Find the values of a and b . [4]

Solution	
$f(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + 6$ $f(2) = 0$ $8 + 4a + 2b + 6 = 0$ M1 $4a + 2b = -14$ $2a + b = -7$ ----- (1) $f(-3) = -60$ $-27 + 9a - 3b + 6 = -60$ M1 $9a - 3b = -39$ $3a - b = -13$ ----- (2) $5a = -20$ $a = -4$ A1 $b = 1$ A1	

- (b) Using these values of a and b , factorise $f(x)$ completely. [3]

Solution	
$x^3 - 4x^2 + x + 6 = (x - 2)(x^2 + kx - 3)$ M1 compare x terms: $1 = -3 - 2k$ $k = -2$ $x^3 - 4x^2 + x + 6$ $= (x - 2)(x^2 - 2x - 3)$ $(x - 2)(x + 1)(x - 3)$ A1, A1	

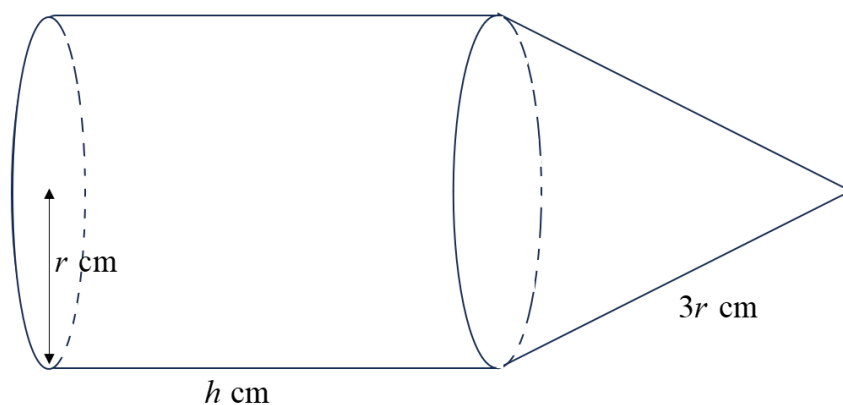
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Solution	
$\frac{\sin x + \cos x}{1 + \sin 2x + \cos 2x}$ $= \frac{\sin x + \cos x}{1 + 2 \sin x \cos x + 2 \cos^2 x - 1}$ M1 for $\sin 2x$, M1 for $\cos 2x$ $= \frac{\sin x + \cos x}{2 \cos x (\sin x + \cos x)}$ M1 for factorising $= \frac{1}{2 \cos x}$ M1 $= \frac{1}{2} \sec x$	

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Solution	
$\frac{\sin x + \cos x}{1 + \sin 2x + \cos 2x} = \frac{9}{4} \sin x$ $\frac{1}{2} \sec x = \frac{9}{4} \sin x$ $2 \sec x = 9 \sin x$ $9 \sin x \cos x = 2$ $2 \sin x \cos x = \frac{4}{9} \quad \text{M1}$ $\sin 2x = \frac{4}{9} \quad \text{M1}$ $\alpha = 26.387^\circ$ $2x = 26.387^\circ, 180 - 26.387^\circ, 360 + 26.387^\circ, 360 + 180 - 26.387^\circ$ $2x = 26.387, 153.612, 386.387, 513.612$ $x = 13.2^\circ, 76.8^\circ, 193.2^\circ, 256.8^\circ \quad \text{A2 (A1 for any 2 correct)}$	

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- (a) Given that volume of the cylinder is $96\pi \text{ cm}^3$. Express h in terms of r . [1]

Solution	
$\pi r^2 h = 96\pi$ B1	
$h = \frac{96}{r^2}$	

- (b) Show that the total surface area of the entire container is $4\pi\left(\frac{48}{r} + r^2\right)$. [3]

Solution	
$A = \pi r(3r) + 2\pi r\left(\frac{96}{r^2}\right) + \pi r^2$ B3 for each correct area, ECF for h	
$A = 4\pi r^2 + 2\pi\left(\frac{96}{r}\right)$	
$A = 4\pi\left(r^2 + \frac{48}{r}\right)$	

- (c) Given that r can vary, find the exact value of r for which the total surface area is stationary. [4]

Solution	
$A = 4\pi\left(r^2 + \frac{48}{r}\right)$	
$\frac{dA}{dr} = 4\pi\left(2r - \frac{48}{r^2}\right)$	M1x2 for each correct differentiation
$\frac{dA}{dr} = 4\pi\left(2r - \frac{48}{r^2}\right) = 0$	M1 for $\frac{dA}{dr} = 0$
$2r - \frac{48}{r^2} = 0$	
$2r^3 - 48 = 0$	
$r^3 = 24$	
$r = \sqrt[3]{24}$	A1

- (d) Determine whether this value of r gives a maximum or minimum value for the total surface area of the container. [2]

Solution	
$\frac{dA}{dr} = 4\pi\left(2r - \frac{48}{r^2}\right)$	
$\frac{d^2A}{dr^2} = 4\pi\left(2 + \frac{96}{r^3}\right)$	M1
$r = \sqrt[3]{24}$	
$\frac{d^2A}{dr^2} = 4\pi\left(2 + \frac{96}{24}\right) > 0, \text{ min area}$	A1

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- (a) Show that $\sin 105^\circ = \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4}$. [4]

Solution	
$\sin 105^\circ$ $= \sin(60^\circ + 45^\circ)$ M1 $= \sin 60^\circ \cos 45^\circ + \cos 60^\circ \sin 45^\circ$ $= \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)$ M2 (1mark for any 2 correct) $= \frac{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}{4}$ A1	

- (b) Use the result in (a) to find an expression for $\cot^2 105^\circ$ in the form $a + b\sqrt{3}$, where a and b are integers. [4]

Solution	
$\operatorname{cosec} 105^\circ = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}$ B1 $\cot^2 105^\circ$ $= \operatorname{cosec}^2 105^\circ - 1$ $= \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}}\right)^2 - 1$ M1 $= \left(\frac{4}{\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6}}\right)^2 - 1$ M1 for rationalisation $= \left(\frac{4(\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6})}{2 - 6}\right)^2 - 1$ $= (\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{6})^2 - 1$ $= 2 - 2\sqrt{12} + 6 - 1$ $= 7 - 4\sqrt{3}$ A1	

- 6 (a) Solve the equation $7 - 3^{1-x} = 2(3^x)$. [5]

Solution	
$7 - 3^{1-x} = 2(3^x)$	
$7 - \frac{3}{3^x} = 2(3^x)$ M1	
$3^x = u$	
$7 - \frac{3}{u} = 2(u)$	
$2u^2 - 7u + 3 = 0$ M1	
$(u - 3)(2u - 1) = 0$	
$u = 3$ or $u = \frac{1}{2}$	
$3^x = 3$ or $3^x = \frac{1}{2}$	
$x = 1$ or $x \ln 3 = \ln \frac{1}{2}$ M1 for taking ln on both sides	
$x = 1$ or $x = -0.631$ A1, A1	

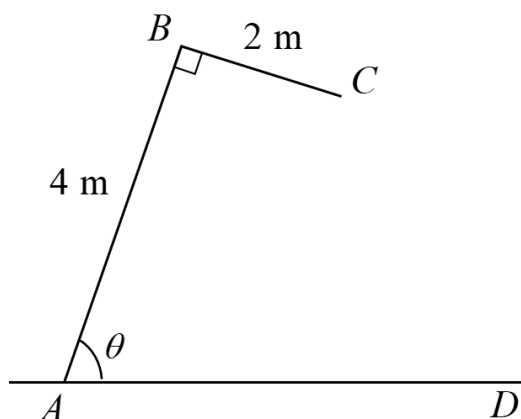
- (b) The curve $y = e^{\sqrt{x}-2} + 5$ intersects the line $y = 10$ at the point P .
 (i) Find the x -coordinates of P , in logarithmic form where appropriate. [2]

Solution	
$e^{\sqrt{x}-2} + 5 = 10$ M1	
$e^{\sqrt{x}-2} = 5$	
$\sqrt{x} - 2 = \ln 5$	
$x = (\ln 5 + 2)^2$ A1	

- (ii) Find the exact gradient of the curve at point P , in the form $\frac{A}{B \ln 5 + C}$,
where A , B and C are constants. [2]

Solution	
$y = e^{\sqrt{x}-2} + 5$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^{\sqrt{x}-2}}{2\sqrt{x}} \quad \text{M1}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^{\ln 5 + 2 - 2}}{2(\ln 5 + 2)}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{5}{2 \ln 5 + 4} \quad \text{A1}$	

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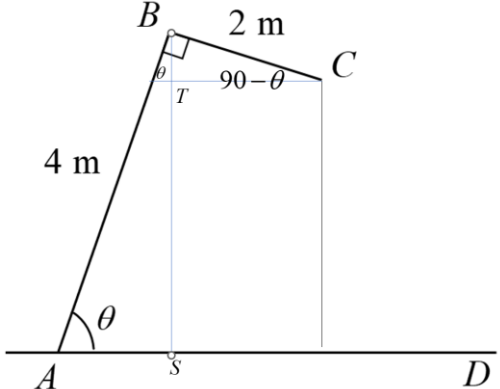
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- (i) Show that the shortest distance from C to AD is $4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta$. [2]

Solution	
$BT = 2 \sin(90 - \theta)$ $BT = 2 \cos \theta$ B1 $BS = 4 \sin \theta$ B1 $TS = 4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta$	

- (ii) Express $4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta$ in the form $R \sin(\theta - \alpha)$ where $R > 0$ and $0^\circ \leq \alpha \leq 90^\circ$.

[4]

Solution	
	
$4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta = R \sin(\theta - \alpha)$ $4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta = R \sin \theta \cos \alpha - R \cos \theta \sin \alpha$ $R \cos \alpha = 4$ $R \sin \alpha = 2$ $R = \sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{5} \quad \text{B1}$ $\tan \alpha = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{M1}$ $\alpha = 26.567$ $\alpha = 26.6 \quad \text{A1}$ $4 \sin \theta - 2 \cos \theta = 2\sqrt{5} \sin(\theta - 26.6^\circ) \quad \text{B1}$	

- (iii) Find the value of θ if the shortest distance of C from AD is 4 m. [3]

Solution	
$2\sqrt{5} \sin(\theta - 26.6^\circ) = 3$ $\sin(\theta - 26.6^\circ) = \frac{3}{2\sqrt{5}}$	M1
$\theta - 26.567^\circ = 42.130^\circ$ $\theta = 26.56^\circ + 42.130^\circ$	M1
$\theta = 68.7^\circ$	A1

- 8 A curve has the equation $y = (2x-1)\sqrt{4x+1}$.

- (a) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{12x}{\sqrt{(4x+1)}}$. [4]

Solution	
$y = (2x-1)\sqrt{4x+1}$ $= (2x-1)(4x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = (2x-1) \frac{1}{2} (4x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} (4) + 2(4x+1)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $= (4x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} [2(2x-1) + 2(4x+1)]$ $= \frac{12x}{\sqrt{(4x+1)}}$	M1 for product rule M1 for $\frac{1}{2}(4x+1)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ M1 for (1) M1 for correct factorisation

- (b) Find the rate of change of x when $x = 6$, given that y is changing at a constant rate of 2 units per second. [2]

Solution	
$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2$ $\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{dy}{dx} \times \frac{dx}{dt}$ $2 = \frac{12(6)}{\sqrt{4x+1}} \times \frac{dx}{dt} \quad \text{M1}$ $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{2(5)}{12(6)}$ $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{5}{36} \quad \text{unit/s} \quad \text{A1}$	

- (c) Use the result from (a) to evaluate $\int_0^2 \frac{3x-1}{\sqrt{4x+1}} dx$. [4]

Solution	
$\int_0^2 \frac{3x-1}{\sqrt{4x+1}} dx$ $= \int_0^2 \frac{3x}{\sqrt{4x+1}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{4x+1}} dx$ $= \left[\frac{1}{4}(2x-1)\sqrt{4x+1} - \frac{\sqrt{4x+1}}{\frac{1}{2} \times 4} \right]_0^2$ $= \left[\frac{1}{4}(2x-1)\sqrt{4x+1} - \frac{\sqrt{4x+1}}{2} \right]_0^2$ $= \left[\frac{1}{4}(3)\sqrt{9} - \frac{\sqrt{9}}{2} \right] - \left[\frac{1}{4}(-1)\sqrt{1} - \frac{\sqrt{1}}{2} \right]$ $= \frac{9}{4} - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}$ $= 1\frac{1}{2}$	M1 for splitting M1x2 for each correct or equivalent A1

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(a) Find the value of k . [3]

Solution	
$x^2 + y^2 + 2kx - 14y - 35 = 0$ $x^2 + 2kx + y^2 - 14y - 35 = 0$ $(x+k)^2 - k^2 + (y-7)^2 - 49 - 35 = 0$ M1 for completing the square $(x+k)^2 + (y-7)^2 = k^2 + 84$ $k^2 + 84 = 10^2$ M1 for equating to r^2 $k = 4$ A1	

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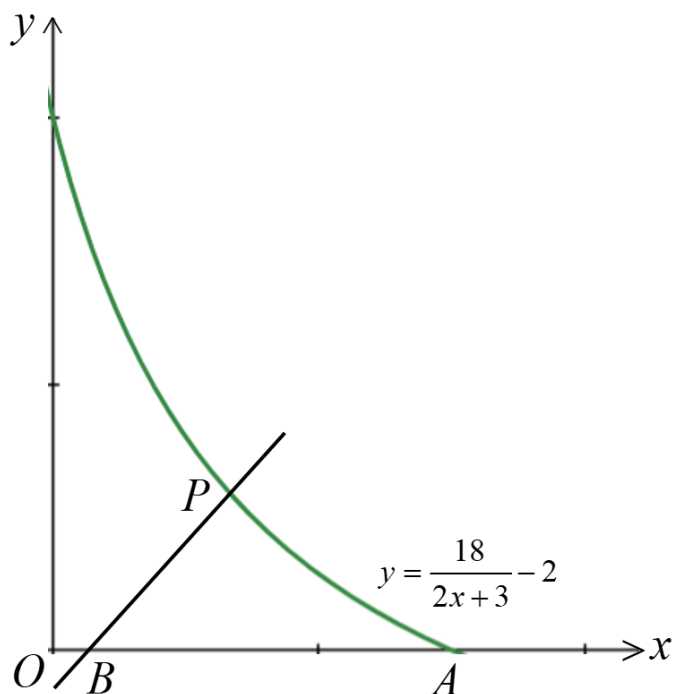
Solution	
$(x+4)^2 + (3x+9-7)^2 = 100$ M1 $x^2 + 8x + 16 + 9x^2 + 12x + 4 = 100$ $10x^2 + 20x - 80 = 0$ $x^2 + 2x - 8 = 0$ $x = -4$ or $x = 2$ M1 for finding x or y $y = -3$ or $y = 15$ $P(-4, -3)$ or $Q(2, 15)$ Mid point = $\left(\frac{-4+2}{2}, \frac{-3+15}{2} \right)$ M1 $= (-1, 6)$ Center = $(-4, 7)$ Shortest Distance between the centre of circle to the line PQ $= \sqrt{(-1 - (-4))^2 + (6 - 7)^2}$ M1 $= \sqrt{10}$ units or 3.16 units A1	

- (c) A second circle C_2 passes through the points $A(2, 4)$ and $B(-3, 5)$ and its centre lies on the line $y = 3x + 9$. Find the coordinates of the centre of circle C_2 .

[3]

Solution	
$A(2, 4)$ and $B(-3, 5)$ $(x, 3x + 9)$ $\sqrt{(x+3)^2 + (3x+9-5)^2} = \sqrt{(x-2)^2 + (3x+9-4)^2}$ M1, M1 $x^2 + 6x + 9 + 9x^2 + 24x + 16 = x^2 - 4x + 4 + 9x^2 + 30x + 25$ $30x + 25 = 26x + 29$ $4x = 4$ $x = 1$ $y = 12$ $(1, 12)$ A1	

- 10 The diagram below shows part of the curve $y = \frac{18}{2x+3} - 2$, which crosses the x -axis at A . Point P lies on the curve and the gradient of the curve at P is -1 . The normal to the curve at point P meets the x -axis at point B .



- (a) Find the coordinates of point P . [3]

Solution	
Gradient at $P = -1$	
$-18 \left(\frac{2}{(2x+3)^2} \right) = -1$ M1	
$(2x+3)^2 = 36$	
$2x+3 = 6 \quad (x > 0)$	
$x = \frac{3}{2}$ M1	
$y = 1$	
$P \left(\frac{3}{2}, 1 \right)$ A1	

(b) Hence, find the area of the region ABP .

[9]

Solution		
$y = \frac{18}{2x+3} - 2$ $\text{at } A, y = 0$ $\frac{18}{2x+3} - 2 = 0 \quad \text{M1}$ $\frac{18}{2x+3} = 2$ $2x+3 = 9$ $x = 3$ $A(3,0) \quad \text{A1}$		
Eqn of PB $y - 1 = 1\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right) \quad \text{M1}$ $y = x - \frac{1}{2}$ $B\left(\frac{1}{2}, 0\right) \quad \text{A1}$		
$\int_{\frac{3}{2}}^3 \frac{18}{2x+3} - 2 \, dx + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{3}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right) (1) \quad \text{M1(FT) for correct limit}$ $= \left[9 \ln(2x+3) - 2x \right]_{\frac{3}{2}}^3 + \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{M1(FT) for area of triangle}$ $= 9 \ln 9 - 6 - (9 \ln 6 - 3) + \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{M1 for correct integration}$ $= 9 \ln 9 - 6 - 9 \ln 6 + 3 + \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{M1}$ $= 9 \left(\ln \frac{3}{2} \right) - \frac{5}{2} \quad \text{A1}$		

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