

Trial CAT 3 Solutions

Question 1

a. Reading from the graph, cedar = (2, 0), gum = (5, 4)

[2A]

b. Gradient = $\frac{4-0}{5-2} = \frac{4}{3}$ [1M]

$y-0 = \frac{4}{3}(x-2)$

$y = \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{8}{3}$

$3y = 4x - 8$

$\sqrt{4x+3} = \sqrt{25} = 5$

c. Neither. They are both the same distance from the cedar

[1A] [1M]

(0, 0) \Rightarrow 0 = c $\textcircled{1}$

(5, 4) \Rightarrow 4 = 25a + 5b $\textcircled{2}$

(7, 0) \Rightarrow 0 = 49a + 7b $\textcircled{3}$

$\textcircled{2} \times 7$ 28 = 175a + 35b

$\textcircled{3} \times 5$ 0 = 245a + 35b

Subtract $\textcircled{2}$ from $\textcircled{3}$

$28 = -70a$

$\frac{-28}{70} = a$

$\frac{-2}{5} = a$

Substitute into $\textcircled{1}$

$4 = 25\left(\frac{-2}{5}\right) + 5b$

$4 = -10 + 5b$

$14 = 5b$

$\frac{14}{5} = b$

$y = \frac{-2}{5}x + \frac{14}{5}x$

$y = \frac{-2}{5}x^2 + \frac{14}{5}x$ [1A]

f. Many methods possible. One method involves integrating the curve and subtracting the triangular area.

$\int_0^4 \left[\frac{-2}{5}x^2 + \frac{14}{5}x - \frac{1}{2}(3 \times 4) \right] dx$ [1M]

$= \left[\frac{-2}{15}x^3 + \frac{14}{10}x^2 \right]_0^4 - 6$ [1M]

$= \left[\frac{-50}{3} + \frac{70}{2} \right] - [0+0] - 6$ [1M]

$= [-16.66 + 35] - 6$ [1M]

$= [18.33] - 6$ [1A]

Area of Mark's farm $\approx 12.33 \text{ km}^2$

Total 14 marks

Question 2

a. The period is given by one revolution

$T = 2\pi$

$\frac{4-0}{5-2} = \frac{4}{3}$

$\frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{4}{3}$

$T = \frac{3}{2} \times 2\pi$

$T = 3\pi$

$T = 9.42$

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b. $12 - 10 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} t = 20$

$-10 \cos \frac{\pi}{2} t = 8$

$\cos \frac{\pi}{2} t = \frac{-4}{5}$

$\frac{\pi}{2} t = \pi - 0.64, \pi + 0.64$

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d. When $x = 0$, $h_1(x) = 3$ metres. After a descent of 2 metres, $h_2(x) = 1$, so $h_2(x) = 1$ metre also.

$h_2(x) = \frac{13}{4} e^{-\frac{2}{13}(x-1)} - 0.5 = 1$ [1M]

$\frac{13}{4} e^{-\frac{2}{13}(x-1)} = 1.5$

$e^{-\frac{2}{13}(x-1)} = \frac{6}{13}$

$-\frac{2}{13}(x-1) = \log_e \left(\frac{6}{13} \right)$

$x-1 = -\frac{13}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{6}{13} \right)$

$x = 1 - \frac{13}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{6}{13} \right)$

$= 1 + \frac{13}{2} \log_e \left(\frac{13}{6} \right)$

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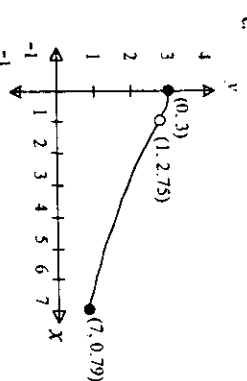
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Total 16 marks



For correct shape [1M], for correct labels [1M]

f. When $x = 4$, $h_2'(4) = -\frac{13}{4} \left(\frac{2}{13} \right) e^{-\frac{2}{13}(4-1)}$

$= -\frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{2}{13}}$

≈ -0.315 [1M]

gradient of the tangent is $-\frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{2}{13}}$

≈ -0.315 [1M]

$h_2'(7) = \frac{13}{4} e^{-\frac{2}{13}(7-1)} - 0.5 \approx 0.791$ [1M]

$(y-0.791) = 3.173(x-7)$

$y = 3.173x - 21.42$ [1A]

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Question 4

a. i. Since $\mu = 65$ $\sigma = y$

$$\Pr(X > 65) = \Pr(Z > \frac{65 - 65}{y})$$

$$= \Pr(Z > \frac{0}{y})$$

$$= \Pr(Z > 0) = 0.5$$

[1A]

ii. By symmetry:

$$\Pr(X < 65.8) = \Pr(X > 64.2) = 0.6$$

[1A]

b. $z = \frac{64.2 - 65}{y}$

[1M]

$$z = \frac{-0.8}{y}$$

[1A]

c. If $\Pr(X > 64.2) = 0.6$, then

$$\Pr(Z > \frac{-0.8}{y}) = 0.6$$

By symmetry, $\Pr(Z < \frac{0.8}{y}) = 0.6$

From the normal distribution tables,

$$\frac{0.8}{y} = 0.253$$

[1M]

$$y \approx 3.16$$

[1A]

d. $\Pr(X > 63) = \Pr(Z > \frac{63 - 65}{3.162})$

[1M]

$$\Pr(X > 63) = \Pr(Z > \frac{-2}{3.162})$$

$$\Pr(X > 63) = \Pr(Z < \frac{2}{3.162})$$

[1M]

$$\Pr(X > 63) = \Pr(Z < 0.6325)$$

[1A]

e. The 95% probability interval can be expressed as $\mu - 2\sigma \leq x \leq \mu + 2\sigma$

$$65 - 2(3.162) \leq x \leq 65 + 2(3.162)$$

[1M]

$$58.7 \leq x \leq 71.3$$

Since the record is well outside the

95% probability interval, it is unlikely she will break the record.

[1A]

f. $\hat{p} = \frac{39}{200} = 0.195$

[1A]

g. $se(\hat{p}) = \sqrt{\frac{39}{200} \frac{161}{200}} = 0.028$

[1A]

h. $\hat{p} - 2se(\hat{p}) \leq p \leq \hat{p} + 2se(\hat{p})$
 $0.195 - 2(0.0280) \leq p \leq 0.195 + 2(0.0280)$
 $0.139 \leq p \leq 0.251$

[1A]

i. P is the proportion of throws 65 m or greater in population.
 $p = 0.5$

\hat{p} is the proportion of throws 65 m or greater in a sample of 200.
 $\hat{p} = 0.195$
 Since \hat{p} is more than two standard errors below p , Albert's suspicions are true.
 [1A]

Total 17 marks

Total 60 Trial CAT 3 marks