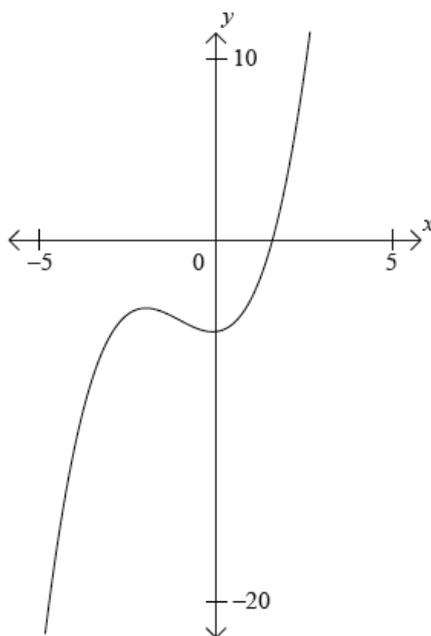


## Topic 7 Part 2 [228 marks]

Consider the graph of the function

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



1a. Label the local maximum as A on the graph. [1 mark]

1b. Label the local minimum as B on the graph. [1 mark]

1c. Write down the interval where  $f'(x) < 0$ . [1 mark]

1d. Draw the tangent to the curve at  $x = 1$  on the graph. [1 mark]

1e. Write down the equation of the tangent at  $x = 1$ . [2 marks]

A function is given as

$$f(x) = 2x^3 - 5x + \frac{4}{x} + 3, \quad -5 \leq x \leq 10, \quad x \neq 0.$$

2a. Write down the derivative of the function. [4 marks]

2b. Use your graphic display calculator to find the coordinates of the local minimum point of  $f(x)$  in the given domain. [2 marks]

Let

$$f(x) = x^4.$$

3a. Write down [1 mark]  
 $f'(x)$ .

3b. Point [2 marks]  
P(2, 6) lies on the graph of  
 $f$ .  
Find the gradient of the tangent to the graph of  
 $y = f(x)$  at  
P.

3c. Point [3 marks]  
P(2, 16) lies on the graph of  
 $f$ .  
Find the equation of the normal to the graph at  
P. Give your answer in the form  
 $ax + by + d = 0$ , where  
 $a$ ,  
 $b$  and  
 $d$  are integers.

Consider the curve

$$y = x^3 + kx.$$

4a. Write down [1 mark]  
 $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

4b. The curve has a local minimum at the point where [3 marks]  
 $x = 2$ .  
Find the value of  
 $k$ .

4c. The curve has a local minimum at the point where [2 marks]  
 $x = 2$ .  
Find the value of  
 $y$  at this local minimum.

Consider the curve  $y = x^2 + \frac{a}{x} - 1$ ,  $x \neq 0$ .

5a. Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ .

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5b. The gradient of the tangent to the curve is  $-14$  when  $x = 1$ .

[3 marks]

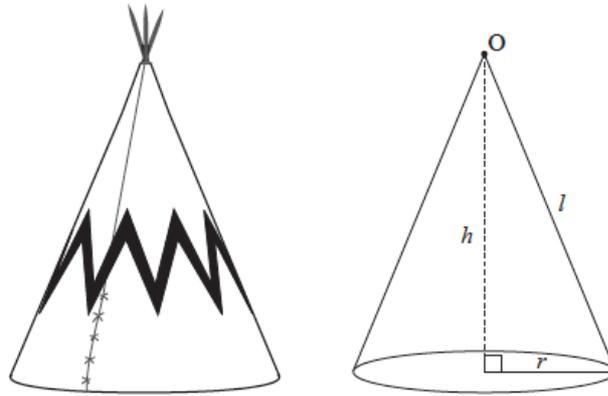
Find the value of  $a$ .

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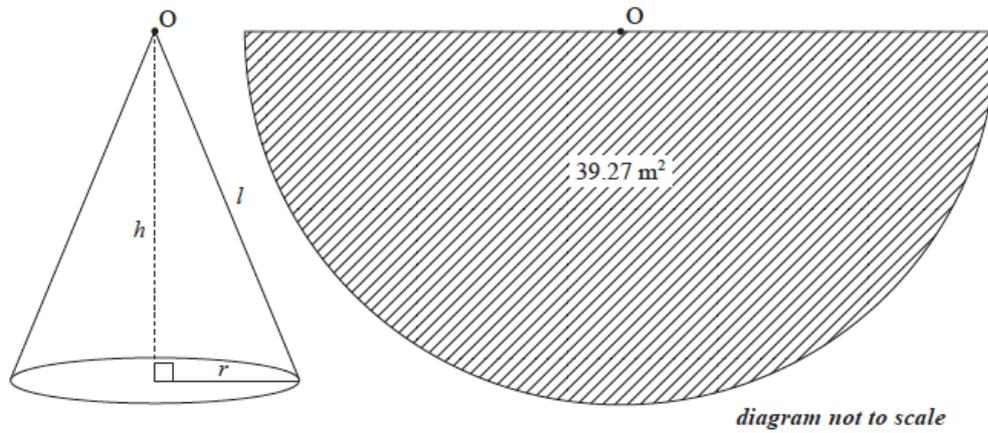
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Tepees were traditionally used by nomadic tribes who lived on the Great Plains of North America. They are cone-shaped dwellings and can be modelled as a cone, with vertex  $O$ , shown below. The cone has radius,  $r$ , height,  $h$ , and slant height,  $l$ .



A model tepee is displayed at a Great Plains exhibition. The curved surface area of this tepee is covered by a piece of canvas that is  $39.27 \text{ m}^2$ , and has the shape of a semicircle, as shown in the following diagram.



6a. Show that the slant height,  $l$ , is  $5 \text{ m}$ , correct to the nearest metre.

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- 6b. (i) Find the circumference of the base of the cone.  
(ii) Find the radius,  $r$ , of the base.  
(iii) Find the height,  $h$ .

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- 6c. A company designs cone-shaped tents to resemble the traditional tepees.

[1 mark]

These cone-shaped tents come in a range of sizes such that the sum of the diameter and the height is equal to **9.33 m**.

Write down an expression for the height,  $h$ , in terms of the radius,  $r$ , of these cone-shaped tents.

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- 6d. A company designs cone-shaped tents to resemble the traditional tepees.

[1 mark]

These cone-shaped tents come in a range of sizes such that the sum of the diameter and the height is equal to **9.33 m**.

Show that the volume of the tent,  $V$ , can be written as

$$V = 3.11\pi r^2 - \frac{2}{3}\pi r^3.$$

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6e. A company designs cone-shaped tents to resemble the traditional tepees. [2 marks]

These cone-shaped tents come in a range of sizes such that the sum of the diameter and the height is equal to **9.33 m**.

Find  $\frac{dV}{dr}$ .

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6f. A company designs cone-shaped tents to resemble the traditional tepees. [4 marks]

These cone-shaped tents come in a range of sizes such that the sum of the diameter and the height is equal to **9.33 m**.

(i) Determine the exact value of  $r$  for which the volume is a maximum.

(ii) Find the maximum volume.

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A cuboid has a rectangular base of width  $x$  cm and length  $2x$  cm. The height of the cuboid is  $h$  cm. The total length of the edges of the cuboid is 72 cm.

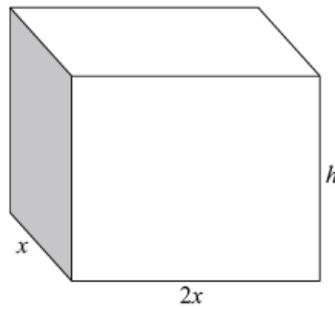


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The volume,  $V$ , of the cuboid can be expressed as  $V = ax^2 - 6x^3$ .

7a. Find the value of  $a$ . [3 marks]

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7b. Find the value of  $x$  that makes the volume a maximum. [3 marks]

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Consider the function  $f(x) = \frac{96}{x^2} + kx$ , where  $k$  is a constant and  $x \neq 0$ .

8a. Write down  $f'(x)$ . [3 marks]

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8b. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ .

[2 marks]

Show that  $k = 3$ .

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8c. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ .

[2 marks]

Find  $f(2)$ .

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8d. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ .

[2 marks]

Find  $f'(2)$ .

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8e. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ . [3 marks]

Find the equation of the normal to the graph of  $y = f(x)$  at the point where  $x = 2$ .

Give your answer in the form  $ax + by + d = 0$  where  $a, b, d \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

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8f. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ . [4 marks]

Sketch the graph of

$y = f(x)$ , for  $-5 \leq x \leq 10$  and  $-10 \leq y \leq 100$ .

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8g. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ . [2 marks]

Write down the coordinates of the point where the graph of  $y = f(x)$  intersects the  $x$ -axis.

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8h. The graph of  $y = f(x)$  has a local minimum point at  $x = 4$ .

[2 marks]

State the values of  $x$  for which  $f(x)$  is decreasing.

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Consider the function  $f(x) = 0.5x^2 - \frac{8}{x}$ ,  $x \neq 0$ .

9a. Find  $f(-2)$ .

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9b. Find  $f'(x)$ .

[3 marks]

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9c. Find the gradient of the graph of  $f$  at  $x = -2$ .

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9d. Let  $T$  be the tangent to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = -2$ .

[2 marks]

Write down the equation of  $T$ .

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9e. Let  $T$  be the tangent to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = -2$ .

[4 marks]

Sketch the graph of  $f$  for  $-5 \leq x \leq 5$  and  $-20 \leq y \leq 20$ .

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- 9f. Let  $T$  be the tangent to the graph of  $f$  at  $x = -2$ . [2 marks]  
 Draw  $T$  on your sketch.

- 9g. The tangent,  $T$ , intersects the graph of  $f$  at a second point, P. [2 marks]  
 Use your graphic display calculator to find the coordinates of P.

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

- 10a. Find  $f'(x)$ . [3 marks]
- 10b. Find using your answer to part (a) the  $x$ -coordinate of [3 marks]  
 (i) the local maximum point;  
 (ii) the local minimum point.

Consider the function  
 $g(x) = bx - 3 + \frac{1}{x^2}, x \neq 0$ .

- 11a. Write down the equation of the vertical asymptote of the graph of  $y = g(x)$ . [2 marks]
- 11b. Write down  $g'(x)$ . [3 marks]
- 11c. The line  $T$  is the tangent to the graph of  $y = g(x)$  at the point where  $x = 1$ . The gradient of  $T$  is 3. [2 marks]  
 Show that  $b = 5$ .
- 11d. The line  $T$  is the tangent to the graph of  $y = g(x)$  at the point where  $x = 1$ . The gradient of  $T$  is 3. [3 marks]  
 Find the equation of  $T$ .

11e. Using your graphic display calculator find the coordinates of the point where the graph of  $y = g(x)$  intersects the  $x$ -axis. [2 marks]

11f. (i) Sketch the graph of  $y = g(x)$  for  $-2 \leq x \leq 5$  and  $-15 \leq y \leq 25$ , indicating clearly your answer to part (e). [6 marks]  
(ii) Draw the line  $T$  on your sketch.

11g. Using your graphic display calculator find the coordinates of the local minimum point of  $y = g(x)$ . [2 marks]

11h. Write down the interval for which  $g(x)$  is increasing in the domain  $0 < x < 5$ . [2 marks]

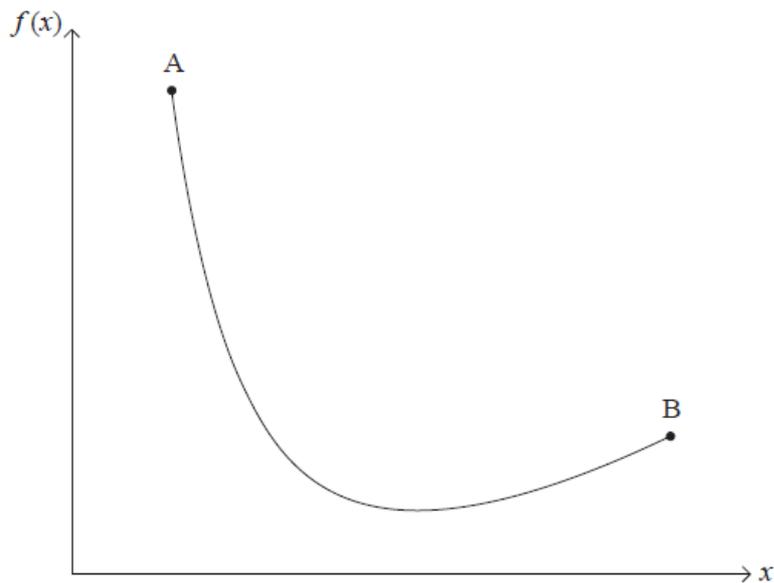
Consider the function  
 $f(x) = ax^3 - 3x + 5$ , where  
 $a \neq 0$ .

12a. Find  $f'(x)$ . [2 marks]

12b. Write down the value of  $f'(0)$ . [1 mark]

12c. The function has a local maximum at  $x = -2$ . [3 marks]  
Calculate the value of  $a$ .

The graph of the function  
 $f(x) = \frac{14}{x} + x - 6$ , for  $1 \leq x \leq 7$  is given below.



13a. Calculate  $f(1)$ . [2 marks]

13b. Find  $f'(x)$ . [3 marks]

13c. Use your answer to part (b) to show that the  $x$ -coordinate of the local minimum point of the graph of  $f$  is 3.7 correct to 2 significant figures. [3 marks]

13d. Find the range of  $f$ . [3 marks]

13e. Points A and B lie on the graph of  $f$ . The  $x$ -coordinates of A and B are 1 and 7 respectively. [1 mark]  
Write down the  $y$ -coordinate of B.

13f. Points A and B lie on the graph of  $f$ . The  $x$ -coordinates of A and B are 1 and 7 respectively. [2 marks]  
Find the gradient of the straight line passing through A and B.

13g. M is the midpoint of the line segment AB. [2 marks]  
Write down the coordinates of M.

13h.  $L$  is the tangent to the graph of the function  $y = f(x)$ , at the point on the graph with the same  $x$ -coordinate as M. [2 marks]  
Find the gradient of  $L$ .

13i. Find the equation of  $L$ . Give your answer in the form  $y = mx + c$ . [3 marks]

A curve is described by the function

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

$$x \neq 0.$$

14a. Find  $f'(x)$ . [3 marks]

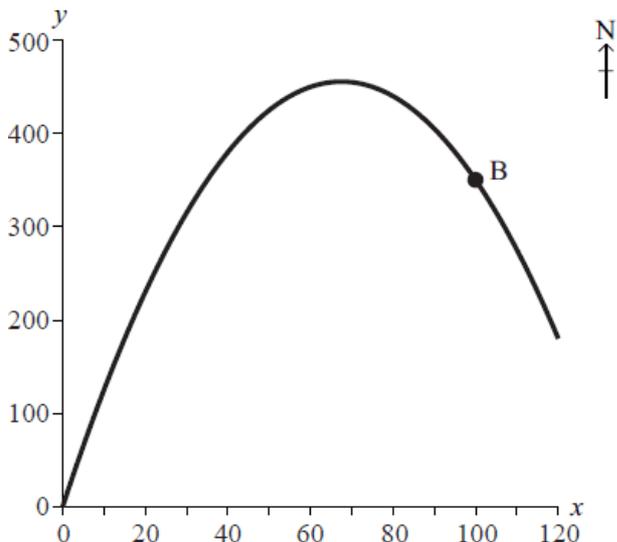
14b. The gradient of the curve at point A is 35. [3 marks]  
Find the  $x$ -coordinate of point A.

The diagram shows an **aerial** view of a bicycle track. The track can be modelled by the quadratic function

$$y = \frac{-x^2}{10} + \frac{27}{2}x, \text{ where}$$

$$x \geq 0, y \geq 0$$

$(x, y)$  are the coordinates of a point  $x$  metres east and  $y$  metres north of  $O$ , where  $O$  is the origin  $(0, 0)$ .  $B$  is a point on the bicycle track with coordinates  $(100, 350)$ .



15a. The coordinates of point  $A$  are  $(75, 450)$ . Determine whether point  $A$  is on the bicycle track. Give a reason for your answer. [3 marks]

15b. Find the derivative of [2 marks]

$$y = \frac{-x^2}{10} + \frac{27}{2}x.$$

15c. Use the answer in part (b) to determine if  $A(75, 450)$  is the point furthest north on the track between  $O$  and  $B$ . Give a reason for your answer. [4 marks]

15d. (i) Write down the midpoint of the line segment  $OB$ . [3 marks]

(ii) Find the gradient of the line segment  $OB$ .

15e. Scott starts from a point  $C(0,150)$ . He hikes along a straight road towards the bicycle track, parallel to the line segment  $OB$ . [3 marks]

Find the equation of Scott's road. Express your answer in the form

$$ax + by = c, \text{ where}$$

$a, b$  and  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ .

15f. Use your graphic display calculator to find the coordinates of the point where Scott first crosses the bicycle track. [2 marks]

A parcel is in the shape of a rectangular prism, as shown in the diagram. It has a length

$l$  cm, width

$w$  cm and height of

20 cm.

The total volume of the parcel is

$3000 \text{ cm}^3$ .

16a. Express the volume of the parcel in terms of [1 mark]

$l$  and

$w$ .

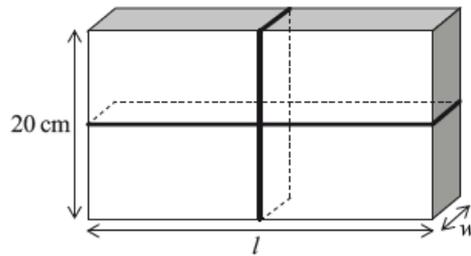
16b. Show that

$$l = \frac{150}{w}.$$

[2 marks]

16c. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

[2 marks]



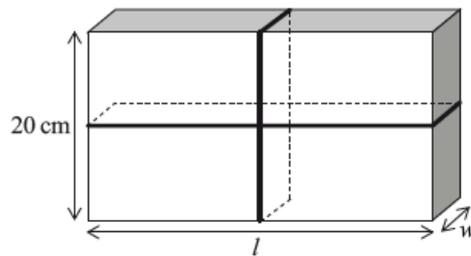
Show that the length of string,

$S$  cm, required to tie up the parcel can be written as

$$S = 40 + 4w + \frac{300}{w}, \quad 0 < w \leq 20.$$

16d. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

[2 marks]



Draw the graph of

$S$  for

$0 < w \leq 20$  and

$0 < S \leq 500$ , clearly showing the local minimum point. Use a scale of

2 cm to represent

5 units on the horizontal axis

$w$  (cm), and a scale of

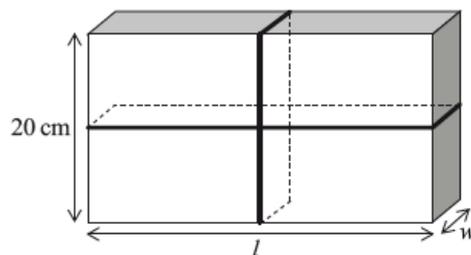
2 cm to represent

100 units on the vertical axis

$S$  (cm).

16e. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

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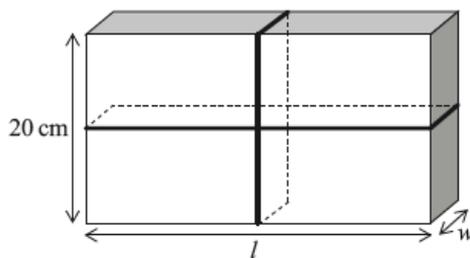


Find

$$\frac{dS}{dw}.$$

16f. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

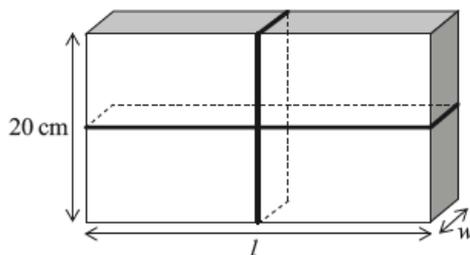
[2 marks]



Find the value of  $w$  for which  $S$  is a minimum.

16g. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

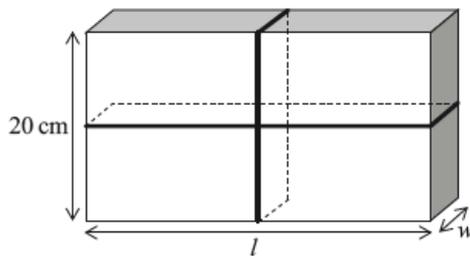
[1 mark]



Write down the value,  $l$ , of the parcel for which the length of string is a minimum.

16h. The parcel is tied up using a length of string that fits **exactly** around the parcel, as shown in the following diagram.

[2 marks]



Find the minimum length of string required to tie up the parcel.

17a. Expand the expression

[2 marks]

$$x(2x^3 - 1).$$

17b. Differentiate

[2 marks]

$$f(x) = x(2x^3 - 1).$$

17c. Find the

[2 marks]

$x$ -coordinate of the local minimum of the curve

$$y = f(x).$$

Consider the function

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4}x^4 - x^3 - 9x^2 + 20.$$

18a. Find [2 marks]  
 $f(-2)$ .

18b. Find [3 marks]  
 $f'(x)$ .

18c. The graph of the function [5 marks]  
 $f(x)$  has a local minimum at the point where  
 $x = -2$ .  
Using your answer to part (b), show that there is a second local minimum at  
 $x = 3$ .

18d. The graph of the function [4 marks]  
 $f(x)$  has a local minimum at the point where  
 $x = -2$ .  
Sketch the graph of the function  
 $f(x)$  for  
 $-5 \leq x \leq 5$  and  
 $-40 \leq y \leq 50$ . Indicate on your  
sketch the coordinates of the  
 $y$ -intercept.

18e. The graph of the function [2 marks]  
 $f(x)$  has a local minimum at the point where  
 $x = -2$ .  
Write down the coordinates of the local maximum.

18f. Let [2 marks]  
 $T$  be the tangent to the graph of the function  
 $f(x)$  at the point  
 $(2, -12)$ .  
Find the gradient of  
 $T$ .

[5 marks]

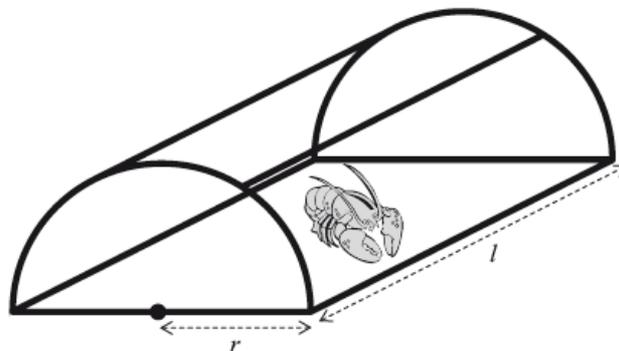
18g. The line

$L$  passes through the point  
 $(2, -12)$  and is perpendicular to  
 $T$ .  
 $L$  has equation  
 $x + by + c = 0$ , where  
 $b$  and  
 $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

Find

- (i) the gradient of  
 $L$ ;
- (ii) the value of  
 $b$  and the value of  
 $c$ .

A lobster trap is made in the shape of half a cylinder. It is constructed from a steel frame with netting pulled tightly around it. The steel frame consists of a rectangular base, two semicircular ends and two further support rods, as shown in the following diagram.



*diagram not to scale*

The semicircular ends each have radius  
 $r$  and the support rods each have length  
 $l$ .

Let

$T$  be the total length of steel used in the frame of the lobster trap.

19a. Write down an expression for

[3 marks]

$T$  in terms of

$r$ ,

$l$  and

$\pi$ .

19b. The volume of the lobster trap is

[3 marks]

$0.75 \text{ m}^3$ .

Write down an equation for the volume of the lobster trap in terms of

$r$ ,

$l$  and

$\pi$ .

19c. The volume of the lobster trap is

[2 marks]

$0.75 \text{ m}^3$ .

Show that

$$T = (2\pi + 4)r + \frac{6}{\pi r^2}.$$

19d. The volume of the lobster trap is

[3 marks]

$$0.75 \text{ m}^3.$$

Find

$$\frac{dT}{dr}.$$

19e. The lobster trap is designed so that the length of steel used in its frame is a minimum.

[2 marks]

Show that the value of

$r$  for which

$T$  is a minimum is

0.719 m, correct to three significant figures.

19f. The lobster trap is designed so that the length of steel used in its frame is a minimum.

[2 marks]

Calculate the value of

$l$  for which

$T$  is a minimum.

19g. The lobster trap is designed so that the length of steel used in its frame is a minimum.

[2 marks]

Calculate the minimum value of

$T$ .