



SPTA

Higher Homework

Mixed 6

Differentiation, Circles & Angle Formulae



1. Find the coordinates of the turning points of the curve with equation $y = x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 12$ and determine their nature.

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2. Show that the line with equation $y = 6 - 2x$ is a tangent to the circle with equation $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 4y - 7 = 0$ and find the coordinates of the point of contact of the tangent and the circle.

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3. (a) Show that the line with equation $y = 3 - x$ is a tangent to the circle with equation $x^2 + y^2 + 14x + 4y - 19 = 0$.

(b) Find the coordinates of the point of contact, P .

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4. Solve $2 \cos 2x - 5 \cos x - 4 = 0$ for $0 \leq x < 2\pi$.

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