

C3 June 2016 Model Answers

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1. The functions f and g are defined by

$$f : x \rightarrow 7x - 1, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$g : x \rightarrow \frac{4}{x-2}, \quad x \neq 2, x \in \mathbb{R}$$

(a) Solve the equation $fg(x) = x$

(4)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, find the largest value of a such that $g(a) = f^{-1}(a)$

(1)

$$\text{(a). } fg(x) = 7\left(\frac{4}{x-2}\right) - 1$$

$$= \frac{28}{x-2} - 1$$

$$fg(x) = x \Rightarrow \frac{28}{x-2} - 1 = x$$

$$\textcircled{x \neq 2} \Rightarrow 28 - x + 2 = x(x-2)$$

$$\therefore x^2 - x - 30 = 0$$

$$(x-6)(x+5) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{x=6}} \quad \underline{\underline{x=-5}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \quad & fg(x) = a \\ & \Rightarrow f^{-1}[fg(x)] = f^{-1}(a) \\ & \therefore g(x) = f^{-1}(a) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \quad \begin{aligned} & x = 6 \\ & \cancel{\cancel{x = 6}} \end{aligned}$$



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2.

$$y = \frac{4x}{x^2 + 5}$$

(a) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$, writing your answer as a single fraction in its simplest form. (4)

(b) Hence find the set of values of x for which $\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$ (3)

2(a) $y = \frac{4x}{x^2 + 5}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4(x^2 + 5) - 4x(2x)}{(x^2 + 5)^2}$$

$$= \frac{4x^2 + 20 - 8x^2}{(x^2 + 5)^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{20 - 4x^2}{(x^2 + 5)^2}$$



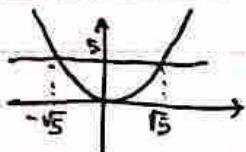
(b)

$$20 - 4x^2 < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 > 5$$

$$\underline{\underline{x > \sqrt{5}}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{x < -\sqrt{5}}}$$



3. (a) Express $2\cos\theta - \sin\theta$ in the form $R\cos(\theta + \alpha)$, where R and α are constants, $R > 0$ and $0 < \alpha < 90^\circ$. Give the exact value of R and give the value of α to 2 decimal places.

(3)

- (b) Hence solve, for $0 \leq \theta < 360^\circ$,

$$\frac{2}{2\cos\theta - \sin\theta - 1} = 15$$

Give your answers to one decimal place.

(5)

- (c) Use your solutions to parts (a) and (b) to deduce the smallest positive value of θ for which

$$\frac{2}{2\cos\theta + \sin\theta - 1} = 15$$

Give your answer to one decimal place.

(2)

$$\begin{aligned} 3(a) R\cos(\theta + \alpha) &= R\cos\theta\cos\alpha - R\sin\theta\sin\alpha \\ &\equiv 2\cos\theta - \sin\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow R\cos\alpha = 2 \quad \& \quad R\sin\alpha = 1$$

$$R^2 = 2^2 + 1^2 = 5 \Rightarrow R = \sqrt{5}$$

$$\tan\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \alpha = \arctan\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \underline{\underline{26.57^\circ}} \text{ (2dp)}$$

$$\therefore 2\cos\theta - \sin\theta = \sqrt{5} \cos\left(\theta + 26.57^\circ\right)$$



Question 3 continued

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$$(b) \frac{2}{2\cos\theta - \sin\theta - 1} = 15$$

$$\therefore 2 = 30\cos\theta - 15\sin\theta - 15$$

$$17 = 15(2\cos\theta - \sin\theta)$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{5}\cos(\theta + 26.57^\circ) = \frac{17}{15}$$

$$0 \leq \theta < 360^\circ \quad \therefore \cos(\theta + 26.57^\circ) = \frac{17}{15\sqrt{5}}$$

$$26.57 \leq (\theta + 26.57^\circ) < 386.57^\circ$$

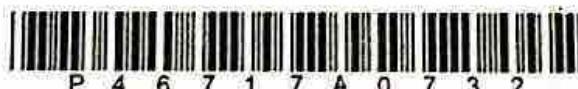
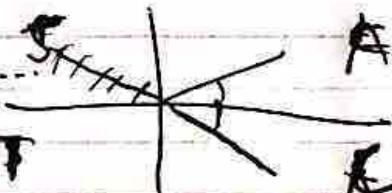
$$\theta + 26.57^\circ = \arccos\left(\frac{17}{15\sqrt{5}}\right) = 59.54^\circ$$

~~$$\theta + 26.57^\circ = 180^\circ - 59.54^\circ = 120.45^\circ$$~~

$$\theta + 26.57^\circ = 360^\circ - 59.54^\circ = 300.453^\circ$$

$$\therefore \underline{\theta = 33.0^\circ}$$

$$\underline{\theta = 273.9^\circ}$$



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Question 3 continued

$$(c) 2\cos\theta \pm \sin\theta = R\cos(\theta \mp \alpha)$$

(i)

$$\therefore 2\cos\theta + \sin\theta = \sqrt{5} \cos(\theta - 26.57)$$

④ from part (b):

$$\cos(\theta - 26.57) = \frac{17}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$\therefore \theta - 26.57 = \arccos\left(\frac{17}{\sqrt{5}}\right)$$

$$= 59.546\dots$$

$$\therefore \theta = 59.546\dots + 26.57$$

$$\Rightarrow \theta = 86.1^\circ \quad (\text{1d1})$$

4.

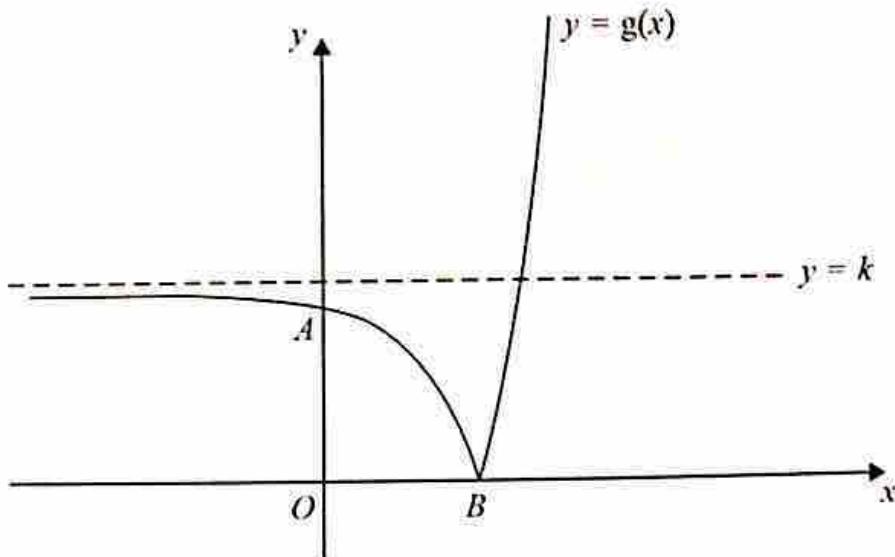
**Figure 1**

Figure 1 shows a sketch of part of the curve with equation $y = g(x)$, where

$$g(x) = |4e^{2x} - 25|, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

The curve cuts the y -axis at the point A and meets the x -axis at the point B . The curve has an asymptote $y = k$, where k is a constant, as shown in Figure 1

(a) Find, giving each answer in its simplest form,

- (i) the y coordinate of the point A ,
- (ii) the exact x coordinate of the point B ,
- (iii) the value of the constant k .

(5)

The equation $g(x) = 2x + 43$ has a positive root at $x = \alpha$

(b) Show that α is a solution of $x = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}x + 17\right)$

(2)

The iteration formula

$$x_{n+1} = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1}{2}x_n + 17\right)$$

can be used to find an approximation for α

(c) Taking $x_0 = 1.4$ find the values of x_1 and x_2
Give each answer to 4 decimal places.

(2)

(d) By choosing a suitable interval, show that $\alpha = 1.437$ to 3 decimal places.

(2)

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Question 4 continued

$$4(a)(i) \quad g(0) = -21$$

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{y_1 = 21}}$$

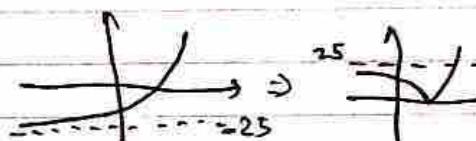
$$(ii) \quad g(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 4e^{2x} - 25 = 0$$

$$e^{2x} = \frac{25}{4}$$

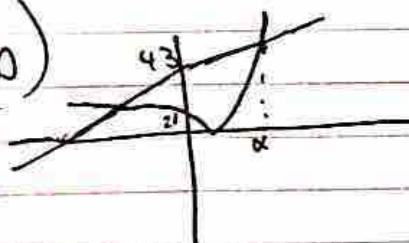
$$e^x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$x = \ln\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$(iii) \quad k = 25$$



(b)



$$4e^{2x} - 25 = 2x + 43$$

$$\therefore 4e^{2x} = 2x + 68$$

$$\therefore e^{2x} = \frac{2x+68}{4} = \frac{1}{2}x + 17$$

$$\therefore e^x = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}x + 17}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \ln\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}x + 17}\right) = \ln\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}x + 17\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}\right]$$

$$\therefore \underline{\underline{x = \frac{1}{2}\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}x + 17\right)}} \text{ as required.}$$



Question 4 continued

(c) $x_1 = \underline{\underline{1.4368}} \text{ (4dp)}$

$x_2 = \underline{\underline{1.4373}} \text{ (4dp)}$

(d) We are solving $4e^{2x} - 2x - 68 = 0$

$$\therefore 4e^{2x} - 2x - 68 = 0$$

Let $f(x) = 4e^{2x} - 2x - 68$

Solve $f(x) = 0$

$$f(1.4365) = -0.11296\ldots$$

$$f(1.4375) = 0.026696\ldots$$

There is a sign change in the interval $[1.4365, 1.4375]$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \in [1.4365, 1.4375]$$

$$\therefore \alpha \approx \underline{\underline{1.437}} \text{ (3dp)}$$



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5. (i) Find, using calculus, the x coordinate of the turning point of the curve with equation

$$y = e^{3x} \cos 4x, \quad \frac{\pi}{4} \leq x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

Give your answer to 4 decimal places.

(5)

- (ii) Given $x = \sin^2 2y, \quad 0 < y < \frac{\pi}{4}$, find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ as a function of y .

Write your answer in the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = p \operatorname{cosec}(qy), \quad 0 < y < \frac{\pi}{4}$$

where p and q are constants to be determined.

(5)

$$5(i) \quad y = e^{3x} \cos 4x \quad u = e^{3x} \quad v = \cos 4x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \frac{dy}{dx} &= (\cos 4x)(3e^{3x}) + e^{3x}(-4\sin 4x) \\ &= 3e^{3x} \cos 4x - 4e^{3x} \sin 4x \end{aligned}$$

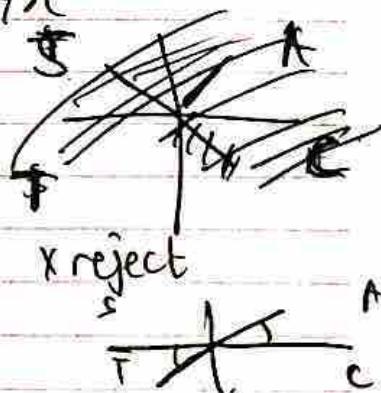
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow e^{3x}(3\cos 4x - 4\sin 4x) &= 0 \\ e^{3x} \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 3\cos 4x - 4\sin 4x = 0$$

$$\therefore 4\sin 4x = 3\cos 4x$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan 4x = \frac{3}{4}$$

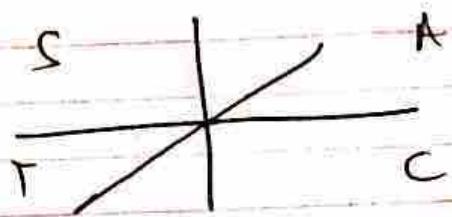
$$\pi \leq 4x < 2\pi \mid 4x = \arctan\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = 0.64 \times \text{reject}$$



Question 5 continued

$$4x = 2\pi + 0.6435 = 6.9266 \dots$$

$$4x = \pi + \arctan\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$



$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \arctan\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$\therefore x = 0.9463 \text{ (4d)}$$

$$(ii) x = \sin^2 2y$$

$$\frac{\partial x}{\partial y} = 2 \sin 2y \times 2 \cos 2y = 4 \sin 2y \cos 2y$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{4 \sin 2y \cos 2y}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2(2 \sin 2y \cos 2y)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{2 \sin 4y} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2 \cos 4y}}}$$

$$\phi = \frac{1}{2} \quad q = 4$$

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6. $f(x) = \frac{x^4 + x^3 - 3x^2 + 7x - 6}{x^2 + x - 6}, \quad x > 2, x \in \mathbb{R}$

(a) Given that

$$\text{LHS} \quad \frac{x^4 + x^3 - 3x^2 + 7x - 6}{x^2 + x - 6} \equiv x^2 + A + \frac{B}{x-2} \quad \text{RHS}$$

find the values of the constants A and B .

(4)

- (b) Hence or otherwise, using calculus, find an equation of the normal to the curve with equation $y = f(x)$ at the point where $x = 3$ (5)

(a)

$$x > 2 \\ x=3 \Rightarrow \text{LHS} = 16$$

$$\text{RHS} = q + A + B$$

$$\therefore q + A + B = 16 \Rightarrow A + B = 7 \quad (1)$$

$$x=4 \Rightarrow$$

$$\text{LHS} = 21 \\ \text{RHS} = 16 + A + \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\therefore 16 + A + \frac{B}{2} = 21$$

$$\Rightarrow 2A + B = 10 \quad (2)$$

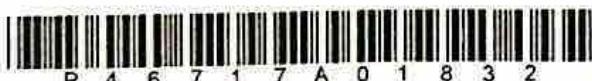
Solve simultaneously: $A + A + B = 10$

$$\therefore A + 7 = 10$$

$$\Rightarrow A = 3$$

$$B = 4$$

$$\underline{\underline{A = 3}} \quad \underline{\underline{B = 4}}$$



Question 6 continued

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

$$f(3) = 16$$

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

$$f'(3) = 2$$

$$\therefore \text{gradient of normal} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$\therefore y - 16 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 3)$$

$$32 - 2y = x - 3$$

$$y = \frac{35 - x}{2}$$



7. (a) For $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$, sketch the graph of $y = g(x)$ where

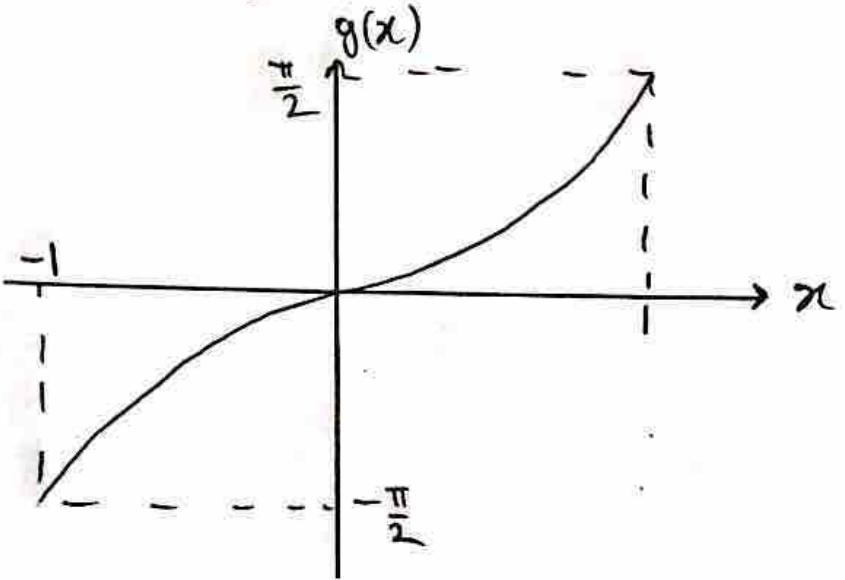
$$g(x) = \arcsin x \quad -1 \leq x \leq 1$$

(2)

- (b) Find the exact value of x for which

$$3g(x+1) + \pi = 0$$

(3)



(b) $3g(x+1) = -\pi$

$$g(x+1) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$g^{-1}(g(x+1)) = g^{-1}\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\therefore x+1 = g^{-1}\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$\therefore x+1 = \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right)$$

$$x = \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-2 - \sqrt{3}}{2}$$



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8. (a) Prove that

$$2\cot 2x + \tan x \equiv \cot x \quad x \neq \frac{n\pi}{2}, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(4)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, solve, for $-\pi \leq x < \pi$,

$$6\cot 2x + 3\tan x = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - 2$$

Give your answers to 3 decimal places.

(Solutions based entirely on graphical or numerical methods are not acceptable.)

(6)

8(a)

$$\text{LHS} = 2\cot 2x + \tan x = \frac{2\cos 2x}{\sin 2x} + \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\tan 2x} + \tan x$$

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

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

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

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

= RHS

as required.



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Question 8 continued

$$(b) 6\cot 2x + 3\tan x = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - 2$$

$$\therefore 3(2\cot 2x + \tan x) = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - 2$$

$$\therefore 3\cot x = \operatorname{cosec}^2 x - 2$$

$$s^2 + c^2 = 1$$

~~$$t^2 + 1 =$$~~

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

$$3\cot x = \cot^2 x - 1$$

$$\therefore \cot^2 x - 3\cot x - 1 = 0$$

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

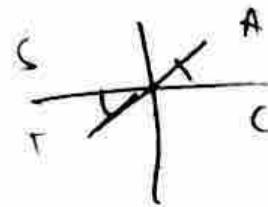
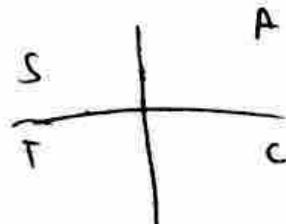
$$\therefore \cot x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \tan x = \frac{2}{3 \pm \sqrt{13}}$$

$$\tan x = \frac{2}{3 + \sqrt{13}}$$

$$x = \arctan \left(\frac{2}{3 + \sqrt{13}} \right) = 0.294$$

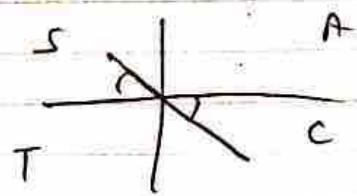
$$x = -\pi + 0.294001\dots = -2.848$$



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Question 8 continued

$$\tan x = \frac{2}{3 - \sqrt{13}}$$



$$x = \arctan\left(\frac{2}{3 - \sqrt{13}}\right) = -1.277$$

$$x = \pi - 1.277^\circ = 1.865$$

$$\therefore x = \cancel{-2.848^\circ}$$

$$x = \cancel{0.294^\circ}$$

$$x = \cancel{-1.277^\circ}$$

$$x = \cancel{1.865^\circ}$$

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9. The amount of an antibiotic in the bloodstream, from a given dose, is modelled by the formula

$$x = D e^{-0.2t}$$

where x is the amount of the antibiotic in the bloodstream in milligrams, D is the dose given in milligrams and t is the time in hours after the antibiotic has been given.

A first dose of 15 mg of the antibiotic is given.

- (a) Use the model to find the amount of the antibiotic in the bloodstream 4 hours after the dose is given. Give your answer in mg to 3 decimal places. (2)

A second dose of 15 mg is given 5 hours after the first dose has been given. Using the same model for the second dose,

- (b) show that the total amount of the antibiotic in the bloodstream 2 hours after the second dose is given is 13.754 mg to 3 decimal places. (2)

No more doses of the antibiotic are given. At time T hours after the second dose is given, the total amount of the antibiotic in the bloodstream is 7.5 mg.

- (c) Show that $T = a \ln\left(b + \frac{b}{e}\right)$, where a and b are integers to be determined. (4)

Q(a) $D = 15 \quad t = 4$

$$x = 15 e^{-0.2 \times 4} = 6.740 \text{ (3dp)}$$

(b) 7 hours since first dose:

$$x = 15 e^{-0.2 \times 7} = 3.698 \dots$$

2 hours since second dose:

$$x = 15 e^{-0.2 \times 2} = 10.054 \dots$$

$$\therefore \sum x = 15 e^{-0.2 \times 7} + 15 e^{-0.2 \times 2}$$

$$= 13.7537 \dots = 13.754 \text{ (3dp)}$$

as required.



Question 9 continued

5+ t hours since first dose T hours since second dose

$$\therefore \Sigma x = 15e^{-0.2(5+t)} + 15e^{-0.2T} = 7.5$$

$$xe^{0.2T}$$

$$\Rightarrow 15e^{-0.2T-1} e^{0.2T} + 15 = 7.5e^{0.2T}$$

$$\therefore 15e^{-1} + 15 = 7.5e^{0.2T}$$

$$\frac{\div 7.5}{\div e} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{e} + 2 = e^{0.2T}$$

$$\ln(e^{0.2T}) = \ln\left(\frac{2}{e} + 2\right)$$

$$\therefore 0.2T = \ln\left(\frac{2}{e} + 2\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow T = 5\ln\left(2 + \frac{2}{e}\right)$$

$$\underline{\underline{a=5}} \quad \underline{\underline{b=2}}$$