

- 1 Fig. 9 shows the curve $y = f(x)$, where $f(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 1}$ for the domain $0 \leq x \leq 2$.

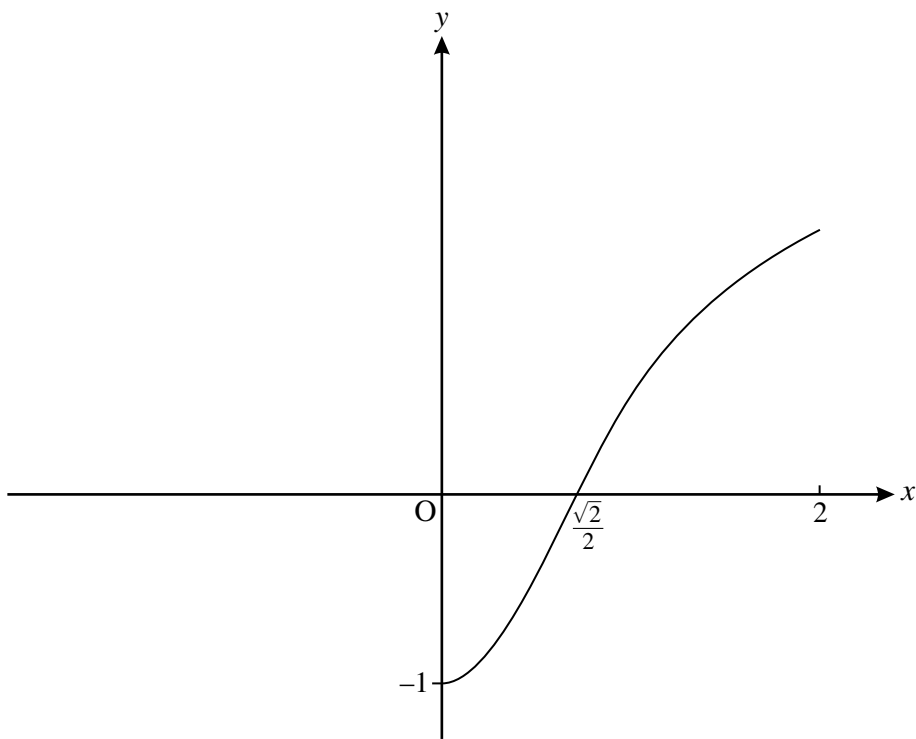


Fig. 9

- (i) Show that $f'(x) = \frac{6x}{(x^2 + 1)^2}$, and hence that $f(x)$ is an increasing function for $x > 0$. [5]
- (ii) Find the range of $f(x)$. [2]
- (iii) Given that $f''(x) = \frac{6 - 18x^2}{(x^2 + 1)^3}$, find the maximum value of $f'(x)$. [4]

The function $g(x)$ is the inverse function of $f(x)$.

- (iv) Write down the domain and range of $g(x)$. Add a sketch of the curve $y = g(x)$ to a copy of Fig. 9. [4]

- (v) Show that $g(x) = \sqrt{\frac{x+1}{2-x}}$. [4]

2 The variables x and y satisfy the equation $x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 5$.

(i) Show that $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$. [4]

Both x and y are functions of t .

(ii) Find the value of $\frac{dy}{dt}$ when $x = 1$, $y = 8$ and $\frac{dx}{dt} = 6$. [3]

3 Fig. 8 shows the curve $y = f(x)$, where $f(x) = 1 + \sin 2x$ for $-\frac{1}{4}\pi \leq x \leq \frac{1}{4}\pi$.

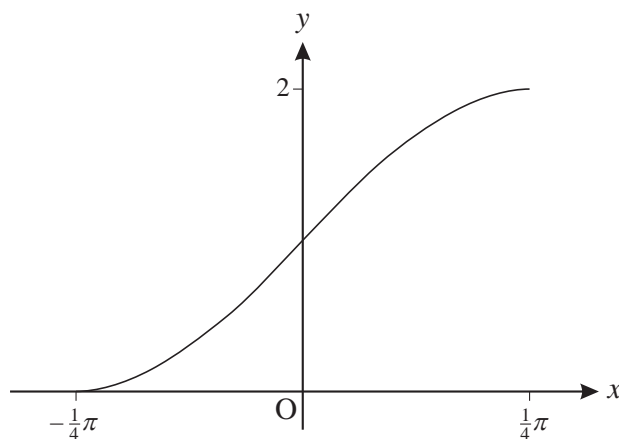


Fig. 8

- (i) State a sequence of two transformations that would map part of the curve $y = \sin x$ onto the curve $y = f(x)$. [4]
- (ii) Find the area of the region enclosed by the curve $y = f(x)$, the x -axis and the line $x = \frac{1}{4}\pi$. [4]
- (iii) Find the gradient of the curve $y = f(x)$ at the point $(0, 1)$. Hence write down the gradient of the curve $y = f^{-1}(x)$ at the point $(1, 0)$. [4]
- (iv) State the domain of $f^{-1}(x)$. Add a sketch of $y = f^{-1}(x)$ to a copy of Fig. 8. [3]
- (v) Find an expression for $f^{-1}(x)$. [2]