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A Level Further Mathematics A Y541/01 Pure Core 2

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes



You must have:

- the Printed Answer Booklet
- the Formulae Booklet for A Level Further Mathematics A
- a scientific or graphical calculator

INSTRUCTIONS

- Use black ink. You can use an HB pencil, but only for graphs and diagrams.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided in the **Printed Answer Booklet**. If you need extra space use the lined pages at the end of the Printed Answer Booklet. The question numbers must be clearly shown.
- Fill in the boxes on the front of the Printed Answer Booklet.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Where appropriate, your answer should be supported with working. Marks might be given for using a correct method, even if your answer is wrong.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures unless a different degree of accuracy is specified in the question.
- The acceleration due to gravity is denoted by $g \text{ m s}^{-2}$. When a numerical value is needed use $g = 9.8$ unless a different value is specified in the question.
- Do **not** send this Question Paper for marking. Keep it in the centre or recycle it.

INFORMATION

- The total mark for this paper is **75**.
- The marks for each question are shown in brackets [].
- This document has **8** pages.

ADVICE

- Read each question carefully before you start your answer.

1 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

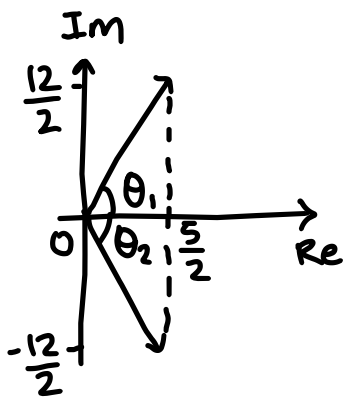
Solve the equation $4z^2 - 20z + 169 = 0$. Give your answers in modulus-argument form. [5]

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

$$a = 4, b = -20, c = 169$$

$$z = \frac{-(-20) \pm \sqrt{(-20)^2 - 4(4)(169)}}{2(4)} = \frac{5 \pm 12i}{2}$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{12}{2}\right)^2} = \frac{13}{2}$$



$$\theta_1 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{12 \div 2}{5 \div 2}\right) = 1.1760... \approx 1.18 \text{ rad (3sf)}$$

$$\theta_2 = -1.18 \text{ rad (3sf)}$$

$$\therefore z = \frac{13}{2} (\cos 1.18 + i \sin 1.18)$$

$$\text{OR } z = \frac{13}{2} (\cos(-1.18) + i \sin(-1.18))$$

2 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

The roots of the equation $3x^3 - 2x^2 - 5x - 4 = 0$ are α , β and γ .

(a) Find a cubic equation with integer coefficients whose roots are α^2 , β^2 and γ^2 . [4]

(b) Find the exact value of $\frac{\alpha^2\beta^2 + \beta^2\gamma^2 + \gamma^2\alpha^2}{\alpha\beta\gamma}$. [2]

$$(a.) \alpha^2\beta^2\gamma^2 = (\alpha\beta\gamma)^2 = \left(-\frac{-4}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{16}{9}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^2\beta^2 + \beta^2\gamma^2 + \gamma^2\alpha^2 &= (\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta\gamma)(\alpha + \beta + \gamma) \\ &= \left(\frac{-5}{3}\right)^2 - 2\left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \\ &= \frac{44}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 &= (\alpha + \beta + \gamma)^2 - 2(\alpha\beta + \beta\gamma + \gamma\alpha) \\ &= \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 - 2\left(\frac{-5}{3}\right) \\ &= \frac{34}{9} \end{aligned}$$

$$u^3 - \frac{34}{9}u^2 + u - \frac{16}{9} = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\therefore 9u^3 - 34u^2 + 9u - 16 = 0}$$

$$(b.) \frac{\alpha^2\beta^2}{\alpha\beta\gamma} = \frac{1}{\left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)} = \boxed{\frac{3}{4}}$$

3 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

(a) Use partial fractions to show that $\sum_{r=5}^n \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} = \frac{37}{60} - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2}$ [5]

(b) Write down the value of $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sum_{r=5}^n \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} \right)$. [1]

$$(a.) \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} \equiv \frac{A}{r-1} + \frac{B}{r+2}$$

$$A(r+2) + B(r-1) \equiv 3 \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \textcircled{1} A + B = 0 \\ \textcircled{2} 2A - B = 3 \end{array}$$

$$3A = 3 \Rightarrow \therefore A = 1$$

$$\therefore B = -A = -1$$

$$\therefore \sum_{r=5}^n \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} = \sum_{r=5}^n \frac{1}{r-1} - \frac{1}{r+2}$$

$$r=5: \frac{1}{5-1} - \frac{1}{5+2} = \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{7}$$

$$r=6: \frac{1}{6-1} - \frac{1}{6+2} = \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{8}$$

$$r=7: \frac{1}{7-1} - \frac{1}{7+2} = \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{9}$$

$$\dots$$

$$r=n-2: \frac{1}{n-2-1} - \frac{1}{n-2+2} = \frac{1}{n-3} - \frac{1}{n}$$

$$r=n-1: \frac{1}{n-1-1} - \frac{1}{n-1+2} = \frac{1}{n-2} - \frac{1}{n+1}$$

$$r=n: \frac{1}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n+2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \sum_{r=5}^n \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} &= \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{6} - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2} \\ &= \frac{37}{60} - \frac{1}{n} - \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n+2}\end{aligned}$$

$$(b.) \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sum_{r=5}^n \frac{3}{r^2+r-2} \right) = \frac{37}{60}$$

4 The equations of two intersecting lines l_1 and l_2 are

$$l_1: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$l_2: \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where a is a constant.

The equation of the plane Π is

$$\mathbf{r} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = -14.$$

l_1 and Π intersect at Q .

l_2 and Π intersect at R .

(a) Verify that the coordinates of R are $(13, 3, -14)$. [2]

(b) Determine the exact value of the length of QR . [7]

$$(a.) \begin{pmatrix} 13 \\ 3 \\ -14 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = 13 + 15 - 42 = -14$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore R \text{ is on } \Pi \\ \therefore R = (13, 3, -14) \end{aligned}$$

(b.) Since lines intersect:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 9 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$1 + 2\lambda = 7 - \mu$$

$$\lambda = 9 + \mu$$

$$a - 3\lambda = -2 + 2\mu$$

$$\hookrightarrow \therefore a = 3\lambda + 2\mu - 2 = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} \textcircled{1} \quad 2\lambda + \mu = 6 \\ + \quad + \quad + \\ \textcircled{2} \quad \lambda - \mu = 9 \end{array}$$

$$\hline 3\lambda = 15 \Rightarrow \therefore \lambda = 5$$

$$\therefore \mu = 5 - 9 = -4$$

$$\text{At } Q: \begin{pmatrix} 1+2\lambda \\ 0+\lambda \\ 5-3\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} = -14$$

$$1+2\lambda+5\lambda+3(5-3\lambda) = -14$$

$$1+2\lambda+5\lambda+15-9\lambda = -14$$

$$-2\lambda = -30$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{-30}{-2} = 15$$

$$\lambda = 15 \Rightarrow Q(31, 15, -40)$$

Since $R(13, 3, -14)$:

$$QR = \sqrt{(31-13)^2 + (15-3)^2 + (-40--14)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{18^2 + 12^2 + 26^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1144}$$

$$\therefore QR = \sqrt{1144}$$

- 5 A capacitor is an electrical component which stores charge. The value of the charge stored by the capacitor, in suitable units, is denoted by Q . The capacitor is placed in an electrical circuit.

At any time t seconds, where $t \geq 0$, Q can be modelled by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2Q}{dt^2} - 2\frac{dQ}{dt} - 15Q = 0.$$

Initially the charge is 100 units and it is given that Q tends to a finite limit as t tends to infinity.

- (a) Determine the charge on the capacitor when $t = 0.5$. [6]

- (b) Determine the finite limit of Q as t tends to infinity. [1]

$$(a.) m^2 - 2m - 15 = 0 \Rightarrow m = 5, -3$$

$$\text{General Solution: } Q = Ae^{-3t} + Be^{5t}$$

$$\text{As } t \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow B = 0$$

$$t = 0, Q = 100 \Rightarrow A = 100$$

$$\therefore Q = 100e^{-3t}$$

$$t = 0.5 \Rightarrow Q = 100e^{-3(0.5)} = 22.31\dots \approx 22.3 \text{ (3sf)}$$

$$\therefore Q = 22.3$$

- (b) As $t \rightarrow \infty$, $e^{-3t} \rightarrow 0$ so Q tends to 0.

- 6 The equation of a curve in polar coordinates is $r = \ln(1 + \sin \theta)$ for $\alpha \leq \theta \leq \beta$ where α and β are non-negative angles. The curve consists of a single closed loop through the pole.
- (a) By solving the equation $r = 0$, determine the smallest possible values of α and β . [2]
- (b) Find the area enclosed by the curve, giving your answer to 4 significant figures. [2]
- (c) Hence, by considering the value of r at $\theta = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}$, show that the loop is not circular. [2]

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a.) } r = 0 &\Rightarrow \ln(1 + \sin \theta) = 0 \\ &\quad \swarrow \quad \searrow \\ &\quad 1 + \sin \theta = 1 \\ &\quad \therefore \sin \theta = 0 \\ &\quad \theta = \sin^{-1}(0) = 0 \\ &\quad \pi - 0 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 0, \beta = \pi$$

$$\text{(b.) } A = \frac{1}{2} \int r^2 d\theta$$

$$r^2 = [\ln(1 + \sin \theta)]^2$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi} (\ln(1 + \sin \theta))^2 d\theta = 0.41621\dots \approx 0.4162 \text{ (4sf)}$$

$$\therefore A = 0.4162$$

$$\text{(c.) } \theta = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2} = \frac{0 + \pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{2} \Rightarrow r = \ln\left(1 + \sin \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0.6931 \text{ (4sf)}$$

$$\therefore \text{Diameter of Circle, } D = 0.6931$$

$$\text{But } A = 0.4162 \Rightarrow 0.4162 = \pi \left(\frac{D}{2}\right)^2 \Rightarrow D = 0.7280 \text{ (4sf)}$$

$$0.6931 \neq 0.7280 \therefore \text{Curve is not circular.}$$

7 The matrix A is given by $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0.6 & 2.4 \\ -0.8 & 1.8 \end{pmatrix}$.

(a) Find $\det A$. [1]

The matrix A represents a stretch parallel to one of the coordinate axes followed by a rotation about the origin.

(b) By considering the determinants of these transformations, determine the scale factor of the stretch. [2]

(c) Explain whether the stretch is parallel to the x -axis or the y -axis, justifying your answer. [1]

(d) Find the angle of rotation. [2]

$$(a.) \det A = (0.6)(1.8) - (2.4)(-0.8) = 3$$

$$\therefore \det A = 3$$

(b.) Determinant of Rotation = 1

$$\text{Determinant of Rotation} \times \text{Determinant of Stretch} = 3$$

$$\rightarrow 1 \times sf = 3$$

$$\therefore sf = 3$$

(c.) Since the 2nd column of A contains entries bigger than 1 in magnitude, the stretch must be parallel to the y -axis.

$$(d.) A = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\cos \theta = 0.6$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(0.6) = 53.13\dots \approx 53.1^\circ \text{ (3sf)}$$

$$\therefore \text{Angle of Rotation} = 53.1^\circ \text{ clockwise}$$

8 In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

The complex number $-4 + i\sqrt{48}$ is denoted by z .

- (a) Determine the cube roots of z , giving the roots in exponential form. [6]

The points which represent the cube roots of z are denoted by A , B and C and these form a triangle in an Argand diagram.

- (b) Write down the angles that any lines of symmetry of triangle ABC make with the positive real axis, justifying your answer. [3]

$$(a) z = -4 + i\sqrt{48}$$

$$|z| = \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (\sqrt{48})^2} = 8$$

$$\begin{aligned} r\cos\theta &= -4 \\ r\sin\theta &= \sqrt{48} \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{x\sin\theta}{x\cos\theta} = \frac{\sqrt{48}}{-4} \Rightarrow \tan\theta = -\sqrt{3}$$

$$\tan^{-1}(-\sqrt{3}) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{8} = 2 \qquad \therefore \theta = -\frac{\pi}{3} + \pi = \frac{2}{3}\pi$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{3} + 2\pi k \text{ for } k=1 \text{ is } \frac{8}{3}\pi \text{ \& for } k=2 \text{ is } \frac{14}{3}\pi.$$

$$\frac{2}{3}\pi \div 3 = \frac{2}{9}\pi$$

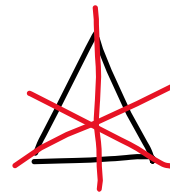
$$\frac{8}{3}\pi \div 3 = \frac{8}{9}\pi$$

$$\frac{14}{3}\pi \div 3 = \frac{14}{9}\pi$$

$$\therefore \text{Roots: } 2^{\frac{2}{9}\pi i}, 2^{\frac{8}{9}\pi i}, 2^{\frac{14}{9}\pi i}$$

- (b.) The cube roots form an equilateral triangle.

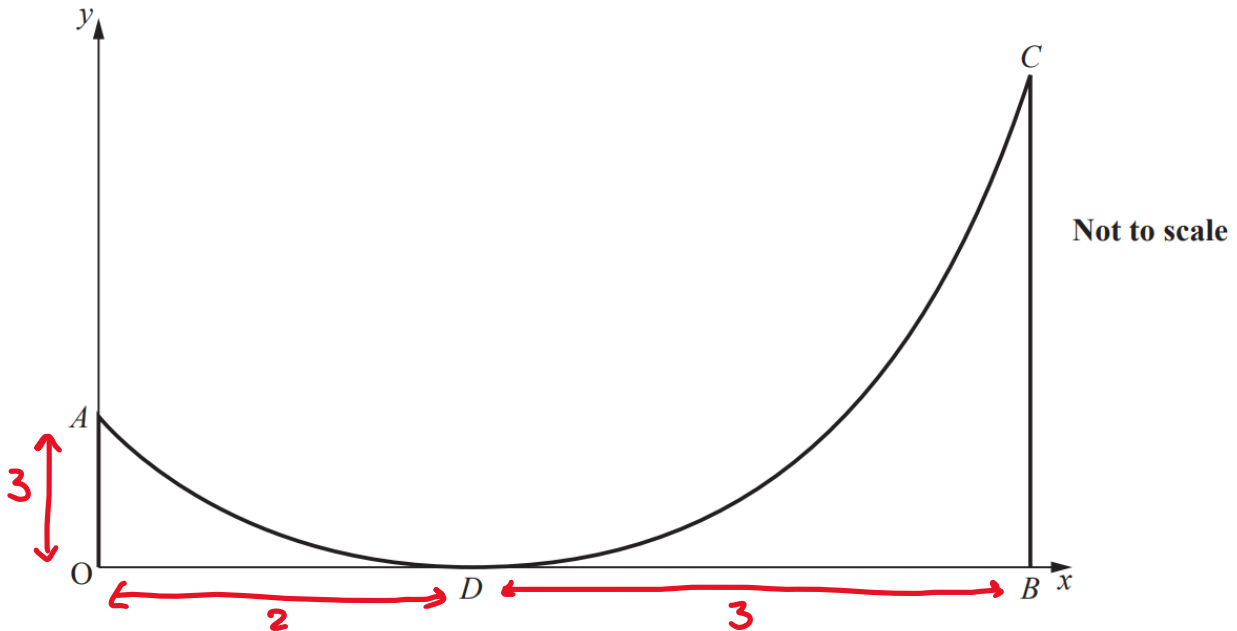
\therefore There are 3 lines of symmetry.



$$\therefore \theta = \frac{2\pi}{9}, \frac{8\pi}{9}, \frac{14\pi}{9}$$

- 9 Two thin poles, OA and BC , are fixed vertically on horizontal ground. A chain is fixed at A and C such that it touches the ground at point D as shown in the diagram.

On a coordinate system the coordinates of A , B and D are $(0, 3)$, $(5, 0)$ and $(2, 0)$.



It is required to find the height of pole BC by modelling the shape of the curve that the chain forms.

Jofra models the curve using the equation $y = k \cosh(ax - b) - 1$ where k , a and b are positive constants.

- (a) Determine the value of k . [2]
- (b) Find the exact value of a and the exact value of b , giving your answers in logarithmic form. [5]

Holly models the curve using the equation $y = \frac{3}{4}x^2 - 3x + 3$.

- (c) Write down the coordinates of the point, (u, v) where u and v are both non-zero, at which the two models will agree. [1]
- (d) Show that Jofra's model and Holly's model disagree in their predictions of the height of pole BC by 3.32 m to 3 significant figures. [3]

(a) Min value of $\cosh = 1$

Point on ground is at the minimum.

$$0 = k(1) - 1 \Rightarrow \therefore k = 1$$

$$(b) A(0,3) \Rightarrow 3 = \cosh(a(0) - b) - 1$$

$$4 = \cosh(-b)$$

$$-b = \operatorname{arcosh}(4) \quad \operatorname{arcosh} x = \ln \left| x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1} \right|$$

$$\therefore b = -\operatorname{arcosh}(4) = \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}|$$

$$D(2,0) \Rightarrow 0 = \cosh(a(2) - b) - 1$$

$$1 = \cosh(2a - b)$$

$$2a - b = \operatorname{arcosh}(1) = 0$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{1}{2}b = \frac{1}{2} \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}|$$

$$\therefore a = \frac{1}{2} \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}|, \quad b = \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}|$$

$$(c) J: y = \cosh\left(-\frac{1}{2}x \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}| + \ln |4 + \sqrt{15}|\right) - 1$$

$$H: y = \frac{3}{4}x^2 - 3x + 3$$

By symmetry of both $(u,v) = (4,3)$

$$(d) x=5 \Rightarrow d_J = \cosh(5a - b) - 1 = 10.0679\dots$$

$$d_H = \frac{3}{4}(5)^2 - 3(5) + 3 = 6.75$$

$$d_J - d_H = 10.0679\dots - 6.75 = 3.317\dots \approx 3.32 \text{ (3sf)}$$

$$\therefore \text{Difference} = 3.32$$

10 Let $f(x) = \sin^{-1}(x)$.

(a) (i) Determine $f''(x)$. [2]

(ii) Determine the first two non-zero terms of the Maclaurin expansion for $f(x)$. [3]

(iii) By considering the first two non-zero terms of the Maclaurin expansion for $f(x)$, find an approximation to $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(x) dx$. Give your answer correct to 6 decimal places. [2]

(b) By writing $f(x)$ as $\sin^{-1}(x) \times 1$, determine the value of $\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(x) dx$. Give your answer in exact form. [3]

(a) (i) $f(x) = \arcsin(x)$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} = (1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f''(x) = -\frac{1}{2}(-2x)(1-x^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}} = x(1-x^2)^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\therefore f''(x) = \frac{x}{(1-x^2)^{3/2}}$$

(ii) $f(0) = 0$

$$f'(0) = 1$$

$$f''(0) = 0$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{(1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}} - 3x^2(1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(1-x^2)^3}$$

$$u = x \quad v = (1-x^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$u' = 1 \quad v' = \frac{3}{2}(-2x)(1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 3x(1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$v^2 = (1-x^2)^3$$

$$f'''(0) = 1$$

$$f(x) = 0 + x(1) + \frac{x^2}{2!}(0) + \frac{x^3}{3!}(1) = x + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$$

$$\therefore f(x) = x + \frac{x^3}{6} + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(iii)} \quad \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 f(x) dx &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 x + \frac{x^3}{6} dx \\
 &= \left[\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{24} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \left[\frac{0.5^2}{2} - \frac{0.5^4}{24} \right] - 0 \\
 &= \frac{49}{384} \\
 &\approx 0.127604 \text{ (6dp)}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 f(x) = 0.127604$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b.)} \quad \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \sin^{-1} x \times x dx &= \left[x \sin^{-1} x \right]_0^1 - \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx \\
 u = \sin^{-1} x \quad v = x & \\
 u' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} \quad v' = 1 & \\
 y' = x(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} & \\
 \text{Let } u = (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} & \\
 u' = \frac{1}{2}(-2x)(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} & \\
 = -x(1-x^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} & \\
 \therefore y = -(1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} & \\
 &= \left[x \sin^{-1} x + (1-x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \left[\frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right] - [0-1] \\
 &= \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 f(x) = \frac{\pi}{12} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} - 1$$