

Topics	What students need to learn:		
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7 Differentiation	7.1	<p>Understand and use the derivative of $f(x)$ as the gradient of the tangent to the graph of $y = f(x)$ at a general point (x, y); the gradient of the tangent as a limit; interpretation as a rate of change</p> <p>sketching the gradient function for a given curve</p> <p>second derivatives</p> <p>differentiation from first principles for small positive integer powers of x</p> <p>Understand and use the second derivative as the rate of change of gradient.</p>	<p>Know that $\frac{dy}{dx}$ is the rate of change of y with respect to x.</p> <p>Knowledge of the chain rule is not required.</p> <p>The notation $f'(x)$ may be used for the first derivative and $f''(x)$ may be used for the second derivative.</p> <p>Given for example the graph of $y = f(x)$, sketch the graph of $y = f'(x)$ using given axes and scale. This could relate speed and acceleration for example.</p> <p>For example, students should be able to use, for $n = 2$ and $n = 3$, the gradient expression</p> $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{(x+h)^n - x^n}{h} \right)$ <p>Students may use δx or h</p> <p>Use the condition $f''(x) > 0$ implies a minimum and $f''(x) < 0$ implies a maximum for points where $f'(x) = 0$</p>
	7.2	<p>Differentiate x^n, for rational values of n, and related constant multiples, sums and differences.</p>	<p>For example, the ability to differentiate expressions such as</p> $(2x + 5)(x - 1) \text{ and } \frac{x^2 + 3x - 5}{4x^{\frac{1}{2}}}, x > 0,$ <p>is expected.</p>
	7.3	<p>Apply differentiation to find gradients, tangents and normals,</p> <p>maxima and minima and stationary points.</p> <p>Identify where functions are increasing or decreasing.</p>	<p>Use of differentiation to find equations of tangents and normals at specific points on a curve.</p> <p>To include applications to curve sketching. Maxima and minima problems may be set in the context of a practical problem.</p> <p>To include applications to curve sketching.</p>

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8 Integration	8.1	Know and use the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus.	Integration as the reverse process of differentiation. Students should know that for indefinite integrals a constant of integration is required.
	8.2	Integrate x^n (excluding $n = -1$) and related sums, differences and constant multiples.	For example, the ability to integrate expressions such as $\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 3x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ and $\frac{(x+2)^2}{x^2}$ is expected. Given $f'(x)$ and a point on the curve, Students should be able to find an equation of the curve in the form $y = f(x)$.
	8.3	Evaluate definite integrals; use a definite integral to find the area under a curve.	Students will be expected to understand the implication of a negative answer.