

**Section B** (36 marks)

**7** Scientists can estimate the time elapsed since an animal died by measuring its body temperature.

(i) Assuming the temperature goes down at a constant rate of 1.5 degrees Fahrenheit per hour, estimate how long it will take for the temperature to drop

(A) from 98 °F to 89 °F,

(B) from 98 °F to 80 °F.

[2]

In practice, rate of temperature loss is not likely to be constant. A better model is provided by Newton's law of cooling, which states that the temperature  $\theta$  in degrees Fahrenheit  $t$  hours after death is given by the differential equation

$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = -k(\theta - \theta_0),$$

where  $\theta_0$  °F is the air temperature and  $k$  is a constant.

(ii) Show by integration that the solution of this equation is  $\theta = \theta_0 + Ae^{-kt}$ , where  $A$  is a constant.

[5]

The value of  $\theta_0$  is 50, and the initial value of  $\theta$  is 98. The initial rate of temperature loss is 1.5 °F per hour.

(iii) Find  $A$ , and show that  $k = 0.031\ 25$ .

[4]

(iv) Use this model to calculate how long it will take for the temperature to drop

(A) from 98 °F to 89 °F,

(B) from 98 °F to 80 °F.

[5]

(v) Comment on the results obtained in parts (i) and (iv).

[1]

**[Question 8 is printed overleaf.]**

- 8 Fig. 8 illustrates a hot air balloon on its side. The balloon is modelled by the volume of revolution about the  $x$ -axis of the curve with parametric equations

$$x = 2 + 2 \sin \theta, \quad y = 2 \cos \theta + \sin 2\theta, \quad (0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi).$$

The curve crosses the  $x$ -axis at the point A (4, 0). B and C are maximum and minimum points on the curve. Units on the axes are metres.

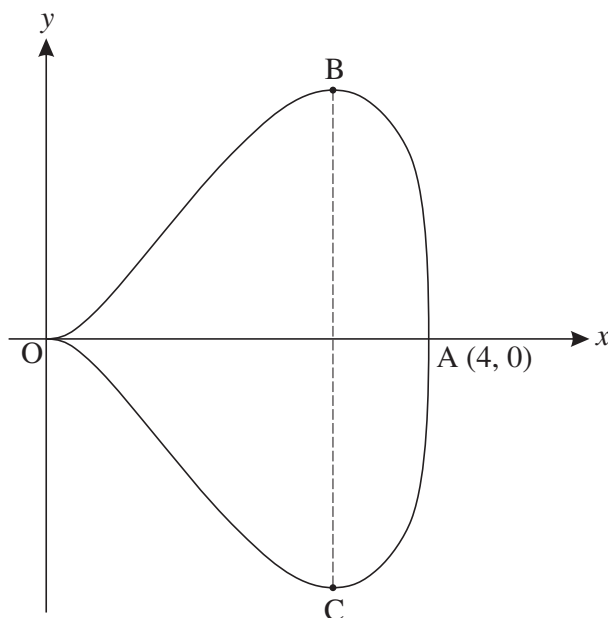


Fig. 8

- (i) Find  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  in terms of  $\theta$ . [4]

- (ii) Verify that  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$  when  $\theta = \frac{1}{6}\pi$ , and find the exact coordinates of B.

Hence find the maximum width BC of the balloon. [5]

- (iii) (A) Show that  $y = x \cos \theta$ .

(B) Find  $\sin \theta$  in terms of  $x$  and show that  $\cos^2 \theta = x - \frac{1}{4}x^2$ .

(C) Hence show that the cartesian equation of the curve is  $y^2 = x^3 - \frac{1}{4}x^4$ . [7]

- (iv) Find the volume of the balloon. [3]