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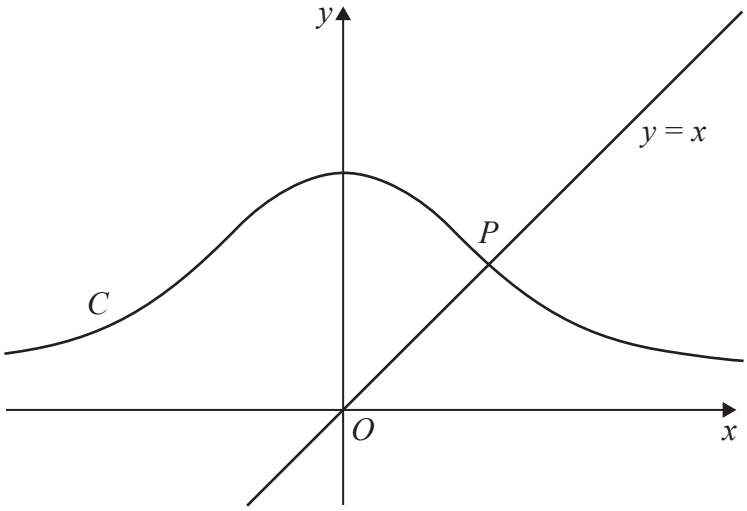

Figure 2

Figure 2 shows a sketch of the curve C with equation

$$y^3 - x^2 + 4x^2y = k$$

where k is a positive constant greater than 1

(a) Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in terms of x and y.

(5)

The point P lies on C.

Given that the normal to C at P has equation $y = x$, as shown in Figure 2,

(b) find the value of k.

(5)

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6. The line l_1 has equation $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ where λ is a scalar parameter.

The line l_2 has equation $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 8 \end{pmatrix}$ where μ is a scalar parameter.

Given that l_1 and l_2 meet at the point P

(a) state the coordinates of P

(1)

Given that the angle between lines l_1 and l_2 is θ

(b) find the value of $\cos\theta$, giving the answer as a fully simplified fraction.

(3)

The point Q lies on l_1 where $\lambda = 6$

Given that point R lies on l_2 such that triangle QPR is an isosceles triangle with $PQ = PR$

(c) find the exact area of triangle QPR

(3)

(d) find the coordinates of the possible positions of point R

(3)

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