

Question 1

QUESTION 9

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The scores on a test are assumed to be normally distributed.

Researchers use the results from a random sample of scores to calculate a confidence interval for the population mean. However, a shorter confidence interval width is required so the researchers decide to use a second sample for their calculations.

Assuming that the standard deviations for both samples are the same, the researchers can ensure that a shorter confidence interval width is produced by

- (A) decreasing the sample size and decreasing the confidence level.
- (B) decreasing the sample size and increasing the confidence level.
- (C) increasing the sample size and decreasing the confidence level.
- (D) increasing the sample size and increasing the confidence level.

Question 2

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Which of the following is a population parameter?

- (A) s
- (B) μ
- (C) \bar{x}
- (D) z

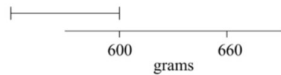
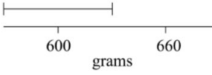
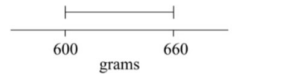
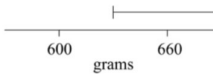
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The mass of a particular variety of cake is claimed to be normally distributed with a mean of 660 grams. A random sample of five of these cakes is found to have a mean mass of 600 grams.

Which option represents an approximate confidence interval for μ based on this sample?

- (A)  (B) 
- (C)  (D) 

Question 4

QUESTION 14 (4 marks)

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The motion of an object that moves in a straight line is given by $v(x) = \cos^{-1}(2x)$ where v is the velocity (m s^{-1}) and x is the displacement (m) from the origin.

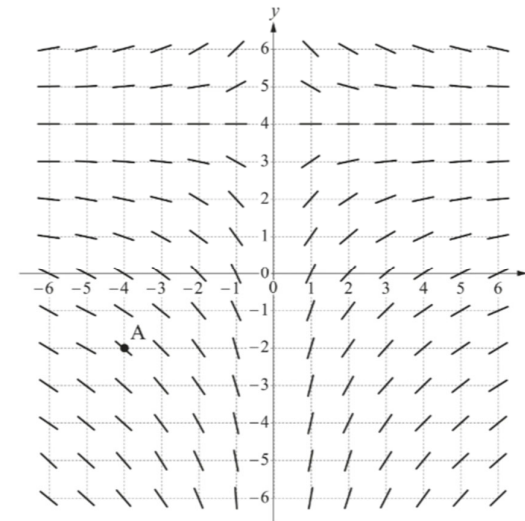
- a) Determine $a(x)$ where a is the acceleration (m s^{-2}) of the object. [2 marks]
- b) Use the result from 14a) to determine $a(0)$, given $-2\pi \leq a(0) \leq 0$. Express your answer in simplest form. [2 marks]

Question 5

QUESTION 14 (4 marks)

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The slope field for the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-0.5(y-4)}{x}$, $x \neq 0$ using $-6 \leq x \leq 6$ and $-6 \leq y \leq 6$ is shown.



- a) Determine the value of the slope at point A. [2 marks]
- b) Use the slope field to sketch the solution curve for $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-0.5(y-4)}{x}$ given that when $x = -6$, $y = 3.5$. [2 marks]

Question 6

QUESTION 17 (7 marks)

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The area between the graphs of the functions $y = 4x$ and $y = 2x^2$ is rotated about the y -axis to form a solid of revolution with a volume of V units³.

Determine the exact value of V .