Mathematics: analysis and approaches

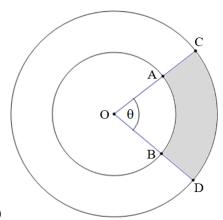
Higher Level

Paper 2 (set C)

worked solutions

1. [Maximum mark: 5]

The diagram below shows two circles which have the same centre O. The smaller circle has a radius of 12 cm and the larger circle has a radius of 20 cm. The two arcs AB and CD have the same central angle θ , where θ = 1.3 radians. Find the area of the shaded region.



Solution:

area of shaded region = (area of sector COD) – (area of sector AOB)

area of sector COD =
$$\frac{1}{2}r^2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 20^2 \cdot 1.3 = 260 \text{ cm}^2$$

area of sector AOB =
$$\frac{1}{2}r^2\theta = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 12^2 \cdot 1.3 = 93.6 \text{ cm}^2$$

thus, area of shaded region = $260-93.6=166.4 \approx 166 \text{ cm}^2$

2. [Maximum mark: 5]

Two lines have the vector equations
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 and $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$.

Find the obtuse angle between the lines.

Solution:

Let θ be the angle between the lines.

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}}{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}} = \frac{7}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{14}} \implies \theta = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{7}{\sqrt{6}\sqrt{14}}\right) \approx 40.203...^{\circ}$$

obtuse angle between the lines $\approx 180^{\circ} - 40.203...^{\circ} \approx 139.797...^{\circ} \implies \theta \approx 140^{\circ}$



3. [Maximum mark: 5]

Find the coefficient of the x^3 term in the expansion of $\left(\frac{2}{3}x+3\right)^8$.

Solution:

general term of expansion: $\binom{8}{r} \left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)^{8-r} 3^r$

considering exponent of x: $8-r=3 \implies r=5$

thus, coefficient of x^3 term $= {8 \choose 5} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 3^5 = 56 \cdot \frac{8}{27} \cdot 243 = 4032$

4. [Maximum mark: 6]

The table below shows the marks earned on a guiz by a group of students.

Mark	1	2	3	4	5
Number of students	8	7	С	9	1

The median is 3 and the mode is 4 for the set of marks. Find the **three** possible values of c.

Solution:

Since 4 is the mode, then c < 9

The total number of students is 8+7+c+9+1=c+25

Since 3 is the median, then
$$\frac{c+25}{2} > 8+7 \implies c+25 > 30 \implies c > 5$$

Thus, the three possible values of c are 6, 7, 8

5. [Maximum mark: 6]

Consider the complex number $z = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1-i} - i$.

(a) Show that
$$z$$
 can be expressed, in the form $x + yi$, as $z = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2} - 2}{2}\right)i$. [2]

(b) (i) Find the **exact** value of the modulus of z.

(ii) Find the argument
$$\theta$$
 of z , where $-\pi < \theta \le \pi$. [4]

Solution:

(a)
$$z = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{1-i} \cdot \frac{1+i}{1+i} - i = \frac{\sqrt{2}+i\sqrt{2}}{1-i^2} - i = \frac{\sqrt{2}+i\sqrt{2}}{2} - i = \frac{\sqrt{2}+i\sqrt{2}-2i}{2}$$
 Thus, $z = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-2}{2}\right)i$

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(b) modulus:
$$|z| = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-2}{2}\right)^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2-4\sqrt{2}+4}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{4} + \frac{6-4\sqrt{2}}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{8-4\sqrt{2}}{4}} = \sqrt{2-\sqrt{2}}$$

argument:
$$\arg(z) = \theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-2}{\frac{2}{2}}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}-2}{\sqrt{2}}\right) = -0.392699...$$

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$$\frac{\sqrt{2}-2}{2}$$
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thus, $\theta \approx -0.393$

6. [Maximum mark: 7]

(a) Express
$$\frac{1}{2x^2+7x-4}$$
 in partial fractions; i.e. as the sum of two fractions. [4]

(b) Given that
$$\int_{1}^{4} \frac{9}{2x^2 + 7x - 4} dx = \ln k$$
, find the **exact** value of k . [3]

Solution:

(a)
$$\frac{1}{2x^2+7x-4} = \frac{1}{(2x-1)(x+4)} = \frac{A}{2x-1} + \frac{B}{x+4}$$

multiply both sides by (2x-1)(x+4), to give 1 = A(x+4) + B(2x-1)

let
$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$
: $1 = A(\frac{1}{2} + 4) \implies \frac{9}{2}A = 1 \implies A = \frac{2}{9}$

let
$$x = -4$$
: $1 = B(-8-1) \implies -9B = 1 \implies B = -\frac{1}{9}$

thus,
$$\frac{1}{2x^2 + 7x - 4} = \frac{1}{(2x - 1)(x + 4)} = \frac{\frac{2}{9}}{2x - 1} - \frac{\frac{1}{9}}{x + 4}$$
 or $= \frac{2}{9(2x - 1)} - \frac{1}{9(x + 4)}$

(b)
$$\int_{1}^{4} \frac{9}{2x^{2} + 7x - 4} dx = 9 \int_{1}^{4} \frac{1}{2x^{2} + 7x - 4} dx = 9 \int_{1}^{4} \left(\frac{2}{9(2x - 1)} - \frac{1}{9(x + 4)} \right) dx = \int_{1}^{4} \left(\frac{2}{2x - 1} - \frac{1}{x + 4} \right) dx$$
$$= \left[\ln|2x - 1| - \ln|x + 4| \right]_{1}^{4} = \left(\ln 7 - \ln 8 \right) - \left(\ln 1 - \ln 5 \right) = \ln \frac{7}{8} - 0 + \ln 5 = \ln \frac{35}{8} \quad \text{thus, } k = \frac{35}{8}$$

7. [Maximum mark: 6]

(a) Write down the Maclaurin expansion of
$$e^x$$
 up to the term in x^4 . [1]

(b) Find the Maclaurin expansion of
$$e^{x^2}$$
 up to the term in x^4 . [2]

(c) Hence, find the Maclaurin expansion of e^{x+x^2} up to the term in x^4 . [3]

Solution:

(a)
$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!}$$
 or $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24}$

(b)
$$e^{x^2} = 1 + x^2 + \frac{(x^2)^2}{2} + \frac{(x^2)^3}{6} + \frac{(x^2)^4}{24} = 1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^6}{6} + \frac{x^8}{24}$$

(c)
$$e^{x+x^2} = e^x \cdot e^{x^2} = \left(1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \frac{x^6}{6} + \frac{x^8}{24}\right) \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24}\right)$$

$$= \left(1 + x^2 + \frac{x^4}{2}\right) \left(1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24}\right) = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^3}{6} + \frac{x^4}{24} + x^2 + x^3 + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots + \frac{x^4}{2} + \dots$$

$$= 1 + x + \frac{3}{2}x^2 + \frac{7}{6}x^3 + \frac{25}{24}x^4$$

8. [Maximum mark: 6]

$$2x + y + 6z = 0$$

Consider the following system of equations

$$4x + 3y + 14z = 4$$

$$2x-2y+(\alpha-2)z = \beta-12$$

Find the conditions on α and β for which

(c) the system has an infinite number of solutions. [2]

Solution: using row operations

$$2 -2 \alpha - 2 \beta - 12$$
 $0 -3 \alpha - 8 \beta - 12$

$$\begin{array}{c|ccccc} (R2-2R1 \to R2) & 2 & 1 & 6 & 0 \\ \Rightarrow & 0 & 1 & 2 & 4 \\ & 0 & -3 & \alpha - 8 & \beta - 12 \end{array}$$

$$(R3-3R2 \rightarrow R3)$$
 2 1 6 0 Thus,
 \Rightarrow 0 1 2 4 (a) no solutions when $\alpha = 2$ and $\beta \neq 0$

- (b) one solution when $\alpha \neq 2$
- (c) infinite solutions when $\alpha = 2$ and $\beta = 0$

9. [Maximum mark: 7]

Consider the differential equation $x\frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = \frac{1}{x}$, x > 0 such that y = 1 when x = 1. Show that the solution to this differential equation is $y = \frac{x^2 + 1}{2x^3}$.

Solution:

$$x\frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = \frac{1}{x} \implies \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{3}{x}y = \frac{1}{x^2} \quad \text{integrating factor, IF} = e^{\int_{x}^{3} dx} = e^{3\ln x} = x^3$$
$$x^3 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{3}{x}y\right) = x^3 \left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \implies \int x^3 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{3}{x}y\right) dx = \int x dx \implies x^3 y = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + C$$

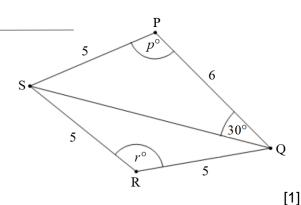
$$x = 1$$
 when $y = 1$: $(1)^3 (1) = \frac{1}{2} (1)^2 + C \implies C = \frac{1}{2}$

$$x^{3}y = \frac{1}{2}x^{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{x^{2} + 1}{2} \implies y = \frac{x^{2} + 1}{2x^{3}}$$
 QED

10. [Maximum mark: 15]

The diagram shows the quadrilateral PQRS. Angle QPS and angle QRS are obtuse.

$$\begin{split} & PQ = 6 \, \text{cm}, \ QR = 5 \, \text{cm}, \ RS = 5 \, \text{cm}, \ PS = 5 \, \text{cm}, \\ & P\hat{Q}S = 30^{\circ}, \ Q\hat{P}S = p^{\circ}, \ Q\hat{R}S = r^{\circ} \end{split}$$



- Use the sine rule to show that $QS = 10\sin p$.
- Use the cosine rule in triangle POS to find another expression for QS. [3]
- Hence, find p, giving your answer to two decimal places. (c)

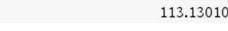
- (d) Find r. (i)
 - (ii) Hence, or otherwise, find the area of triangle QRS.

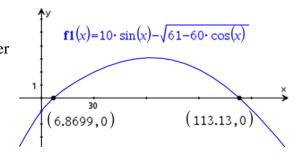
Solution:

(a)
$$\frac{\sin 30^{\circ}}{5} = \frac{\sin p}{\text{QS}} \implies \text{QS} = \frac{5}{\frac{1}{2}} \sin p \implies \text{QS} = 10 \sin p$$
 \mathbf{QED}

(b)
$$QS^2 = 5^2 + 6^2 - 2(5)(6)\cos p \implies QS = \sqrt{61 - 60\cos p}$$

(c) (i) solve the equation: $10\sin p = \sqrt{61 - 60\cos p}$ clearly, 90 ; solve with graph or GDC solver $n \text{Solve} \Big(10 \cdot \sin(p) = \sqrt{61 - 60 \cdot \cos(p)} \, p \Big) |p > 6.87$





thus, $p \approx 113.13$

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(c) (ii)
$$QS = \sqrt{61 - 60\cos(113.130102354^\circ)} \approx 9.19615... \Rightarrow QS \approx 9.20 \text{ cm}$$

(d) (i) using cosine rule in triangle QRS

$$(9.19615...)^2 = 5^2 + 5^2 - 2(5)(5)\cos r \implies r = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{50 - (9.19615...)^2}{50}\right) \approx 133.7398... \implies r \approx 134$$

(ii) area of triangle QRS =
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
(5)(5)sin(133.7398...°) \approx 9.0310889... \approx 9.03 cm²

11. [Maximum mark: 21]

A continuous random variable X has probability density function f defined by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{3} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right), & 0 \le x \le 1\\ mx + b, & 1 \le x \le k\\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Given that f is continuous on the interval $0 \le x \le k$ and that the graph of f intersects the x-axis at (k,0), show that $k = \frac{\pi+2}{\pi}$.
- (b) Find the value of m and the value of b. [3]
- (c) Sketch the graph of y = f(x). [2]
- (d) Write down the mode of X. [1]
- (e) Given that $\int_{1}^{\frac{\pi+2}{\pi}} \left[x(mx+b) \right] dx = \frac{3\pi+2}{9\pi}$, find the **exact** value of the mean of X. [7]
- (f) Find the value of the median of X. [3]

Solution:

(a)
$$\frac{\pi}{3} \int_0^1 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx = -\frac{2}{3} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \Big|_0^1 = -\frac{2}{3} (0-1) = \frac{2}{3}$$

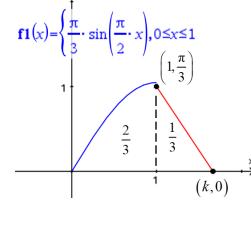
The line segment (on y = mx + b) must start at $\left(1, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$

because f is a continuous function and it ends at (k,0).

Since total area under p.d.f. is one, the area of

triangular region must be $\frac{1}{3}$. Height of triangle is $\frac{\pi}{3}$

and base is k-1. Hence, $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\pi}{3} (k-1) = \frac{1}{3} \implies k = \frac{\pi+2}{\pi}$ **QED**



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Q.11 solution continued

- (b) Equation of line passing through $\left(1, \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ and $\left(\frac{\pi+2}{\pi}, 0\right)$: $m = \frac{\frac{\pi}{3} 0}{1 \frac{\pi+2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{\pi}{3}}{\frac{\pi}{3} \frac{\pi+2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{\pi}{3}}{\frac{\pi}{3}} = -\frac{\pi^2}{6}$ $y = -\frac{\pi^2}{6}(x-1) = -\frac{\pi^2}{6}x + \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \frac{\pi}{3} = -\frac{\pi^2}{6}x + \frac{\pi^2 + 2\pi}{6}$ Thus, $m = -\frac{\pi^2}{6}$ and $b = \frac{\pi^2 + 2\pi}{6}$
- $\left(\frac{\pi+2}{\pi},0\right)$ $\mathbf{f1}(x) = \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot x\right), 0 \le x \le 1 \right\}$
- (d) Mode is x = 1
- (e) $E(X) = \frac{\pi}{3} \int_0^1 \left[x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \right] dx + \int_1^{\frac{\pi+2}{\pi}} \left[x \left(-\frac{\pi^2}{6}x + \frac{\pi^2 + 2\pi}{6} \right) \right] dx = \frac{\pi}{3} \int_0^1 \left[x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \right] dx + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$

Integration by parts:

$$\int x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx = -\frac{2x}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{2}{\pi} \int \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx$$

 $u = x \implies du = dx$

$$= -\frac{2x}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{2}{\pi} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$$

$$dv = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \implies v = -\frac{2}{\pi}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) = -\frac{2x}{\pi}\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{4}{\pi^2}\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$$

$$= -\frac{2x}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{4}{\pi^2} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right)$$

$$E(X) = \frac{\pi}{3} \int_{0}^{1} x \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{3} \left[-\frac{2x}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{4}{\pi^{2}} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \right]_{0}^{1} + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$$

$$= \left[-\frac{2x}{3} \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) + \frac{4}{3\pi} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) \right]_{0}^{1} + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$$

$$= \left(0 + \frac{4}{3\pi}\right) - (0 - 0) + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3\pi} + \frac{3\pi + 2}{9\pi}$$
 thus, $E(X) = \frac{3\pi + 14}{9\pi}$

(f) Let *m* be the median. Since $\frac{\pi}{3} \int_0^1 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx = \frac{2}{3}$, then 0 < m < 1.

Solve for m in the equation $\frac{\pi}{3} \int_0^m \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}x\right) dx = \frac{1}{2}$. $\frac{\pi}{3} \cdot \left| \frac{\pi}{3} \cdot \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot x \right| dx = \frac{1}{2}$,

nSolve
$$\left(\frac{\pi}{3} \cdot \int_{0}^{m} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot x\right) dx = \frac{1}{2}, m\right)$$

$$0.83913875349$$

12. [Maximum mark: 21]

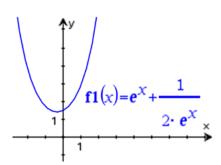
The function g is defined as $g(x) = e^x + \frac{1}{2e^x}$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

- (a) (i) Explain why the inverse function g^{-1} does not exist.
 - (ii) The line L intersects the curve $y=g\left(x\right)$ at points A and B where x=-1 at A and x=1 at B. Show that the equation of L is $y=\frac{e^2-1}{4e}x+\frac{3e^2+3}{4e}$.
 - (iii) Point C is on the curve y = g(x). The line tangent to the curve y = g(x) at C is parallel to L. Find the coordinates of C. [13]
- (b) The domain of g is now restricted to $x \ge 0$.
 - (i) Find an expression for $g^{-1}(x)$.
 - (ii) Find the volume generated when the region bounded by the curve y = g(x) and the lines x = 0 and y = 4 is rotated through an angle of 2π radians about the *y*-axis.

[8]

Solution:

(a) (i) g is not a one-to-one function since it fails the horizontal line test because a horizontal line can intersect the graph at more than one point; hence, g^{-1} does not exist



(ii)
$$g(1) = e + \frac{1}{2e} = \frac{2e^2}{2e} + \frac{1}{2e} = \frac{2e^2 + 1}{2e}$$

$$g(-1) = e^{-1} + \frac{1}{2e^{-1}} = \frac{1}{e} + \frac{e}{2} = \frac{2}{2e} + \frac{e^2}{2e} = \frac{2 + e^2}{2e}$$

the coordinates A and B are $A\left(1,\frac{2e^2+1}{2e}\right)$ and $B\left(-1,\frac{2+e^2}{2e}\right)$

gradient of L:
$$m = \frac{\frac{2e^2 + 1}{2e} - \frac{2 + e^2}{2e}}{1 - (-1)} = \frac{\frac{e^2 - 1}{2e}}{2} = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}$$

equation of L:
$$y - \frac{2e^2 + 1}{2e} = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}(x - 1) \implies y = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}x - \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e} + \frac{2e^2 + 1}{2e}$$

$$y = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}x + \frac{-e^2 + 1}{4e} + \frac{4e^2 + 2}{2e} \implies y = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}x + \frac{3e^2 + 3}{4e}$$
 QED

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Q.12 solution continued

(a) (iii)
$$g(x) = e^x + (2e^x)^{-1} \implies g'(x) = e^x - (2e^x)^{-2}(2e^x) = e^x - \frac{2e^x}{(2e^x)^2} = e^x - \frac{1}{2e^x}$$

find the value of x such that the derivate is equal to the gradient of line L

hence, solve the equation $e^x - \frac{1}{2e^x} = \frac{e^2 - 1}{4e}$ solving on GDC

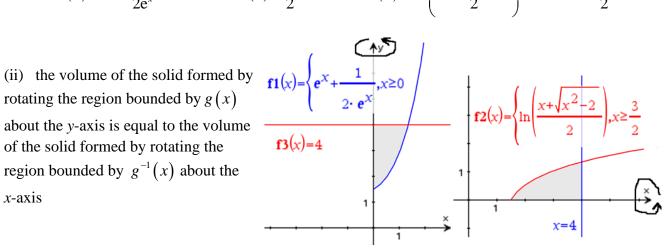
nSolve $\left(e^{x} - \frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{e^{2} - 1}{4 \cdot e^{x}}$ 0.057811016577

 $x \approx 0.057811016577...$

 $g(0.057811016577...) \approx 1.53142889531...$ coordinates of C are approximately (0.0578,1.53)

(b) (i)
$$g(x) = e^x + \frac{1}{2e^x}$$
, $x \ge 0$
 $y = e^x + \frac{1}{2e^x}$ $\Rightarrow x = e^y + \frac{1}{2e^y}$ $\Rightarrow 2xe^y = 2(e^y)^2 + 1 \Rightarrow 2(e^y)^2 - 2xe^y + 1 = 0$
solve for e^y : $e^y = \frac{2x \pm \sqrt{4x^2 - 4(2)(1)}}{2(2)} = \frac{2x \pm \sqrt{4x^2 - 8}}{4} = \frac{2x \pm 2\sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{4} = \frac{x \pm \sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{2}$
 $y = \ln\left(\frac{x \pm \sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{2}\right)$ $\Rightarrow g^{-1}(x) = \ln\left(\frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{2}\right)$ need to find domain for $g^{-1}(x)$
 $g(x) = e^x + \frac{1}{2e^x}$, $x \ge 0$ $\Rightarrow g(0) = \frac{3}{2}$ thus, $g^{-1}(x) = \ln\left(\frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{2}\right)$ where $x \ge \frac{3}{2}$

of the solid formed by rotating the region bounded by $g^{-1}(x)$ about the x-axis



volume =
$$\pi \int_{\frac{3}{2}}^{4} \left[\ln \left(\frac{x + \sqrt{x^2 - 2}}{2} \right) \right]^2 dx \approx 6.9086056902...$$