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Write your solutions in steps. You need to provide explanations to your answer.

A parametric curve is given by  $(\frac{t^3}{3} - t + \frac{2}{3}, t^2 + 2)$ .

1. (2.5 points) Find the tangent line of the curve at  $(0, 3)$ .
2. (2.5 points) Compute the arc length of the curve between  $(\frac{2}{3}, 2)$  and  $(0, 3)$ .
3. (2.5 points) Compute the area bounded between the curve and  $x$ -axis on the interval  $0 \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3}$ .
4. (2.5 points) Find the point of intersection of this curve with the parametric curve  $(t + \frac{1}{3}, t + 2)$ .

1. The tangent vector is

$$\left( \left( \frac{t^3}{3} - t + \frac{2}{3} \right)', (t^2 + 2)' \right)$$

$$= (t^2 - 1, 2t)$$

The point is at  $(0, 3)$

When  $t=1$ , so the tangent vector at this point is  $(1^2 - 1, 2 \times 1) = (0, 2)$  which implies the tangent line at this point is vertical, so the tangent line is the  $y$ -axis ( $x=0$ ).

2. The point  $(\frac{2}{3}, 2)$  corresponds to  $t=0$   
So the arc length of the curve is

$$\int_0^1 \sqrt{(t^2 - 1)^2 + (2t)^2} dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 t^2 + 1 dt = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$3. \int_0^{\frac{2}{3}} y dx = \int_1^0 (t^2 + 2) d\left(\frac{t^3}{3} - t + \frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$= \int_1^0 (t^2 + 2)(t^2 - 1) dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 (t^2 + 2)(1 - t^2) dt$$

$$= \frac{22}{15}$$

$$4. \left( \frac{t_1^3}{3} - t_1 + \frac{2}{3}, t_1^2 + 2 \right) = \left( t_2 - \frac{1}{3}, t_2 + 2 \right)$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{t_1^3}{3} - t_1 + \frac{2}{3} = t_2 - \frac{1}{3} \\ t_1^2 + 2 = t_2 + 2 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} t_1 = -1 \\ t_2 = 1 \end{cases}$$

So the intersection is  $(1 - \frac{1}{3}, 1 + 2) = (\frac{2}{3}, 3)$