CALCULUS AB SECTION II, Part A Time—30 minutes Number of problems—2

A graphing calculator is required for these problems.

1. For $0 \le t \le 6$, a particle is moving along the *x*-axis. The particle's position, x(t), is not explicitly given. The velocity of the particle is given by $v(t) = 2\sin(e^{t/4}) + 1$. The acceleration of the particle is given by

$$a(t) = \frac{1}{2}e^{t/4}\cos(e^{t/4})$$
 and $x(0) = 2$.

- (a) Is the speed of the particle increasing or decreasing at time t = 5.5? Give a reason for your answer.
- (b) Find the average velocity of the particle for the time period $0 \le t \le 6$.
- (c) Find the total distance traveled by the particle from time t = 0 to t = 6.
- (d) For $0 \le t \le 6$, the particle changes direction exactly once. Find the position of the particle at that time.

WRITE ALL WORK IN THE EXAM BOOKLET.