I. Use our *analysis of intervals* technique to sketch the graphs of the following:

1. 
$$x = t^2 + 3$$
  
 $y = 2t^3 - 54t$ 

2. 
$$x = t^2 - 4$$
  
 $y = 4t^3 + 6t^2 - 24t$ 

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$$x = t^2 + 3$$
  
 $y = 2t^3 - 54t$ 

4. 
$$x = t^2 - 4$$
  
 $y = 4t^3 + 6t^2 - 24t$ 

- II. Answer the following:
  - 1. Consider the parametric equations:

$$x = 3t^2$$
$$y = t^3 - 3t$$

- i) Clearly sketch the graph of this curve (use our *analysis of intervals* technique).
- ii) Determine the coordinates of the points on this curve where the tangent lines are horizontal and the coordinates of the points where the tangent lines are vertical.
- iii) Determine the slope of the tangent lines where the curve crosses the *x*-axis.
- iv) Determine the area enclosed by the closed loop in the graph.
- v) Determine the length of the loop described above.
- 2. If  $x = t \sin t$  and  $y = t \cos t$ , then determine the equation of the tangent line at  $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$