



































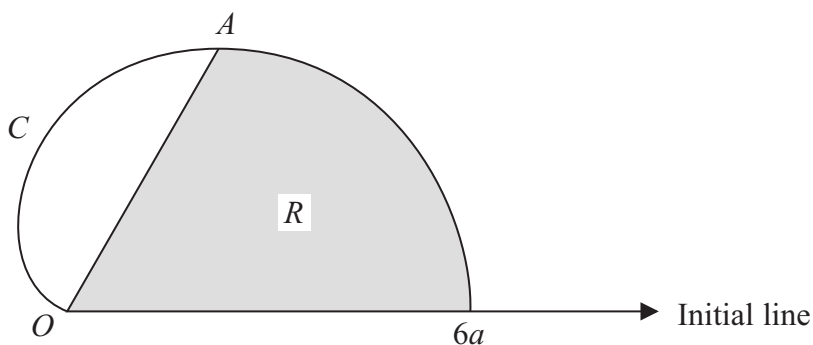








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**Figure 1**

The curve  $C$ , shown in Figure 1, has polar equation

$$r = 3a(1 + \cos\theta), \quad 0 \leq \theta < \pi$$

The tangent to  $C$  at the point  $A$  is parallel to the initial line.

(a) Find the polar coordinates of  $A$ . (6)

The finite region  $R$ , shown shaded in Figure 1, is bounded by the curve  $C$ , the initial line and the line  $OA$ .

(b) Use calculus to find the area of the shaded region  $R$ , giving your answer in the form  $a^2(p\pi + q\sqrt{3})$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are rational numbers. (5)

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