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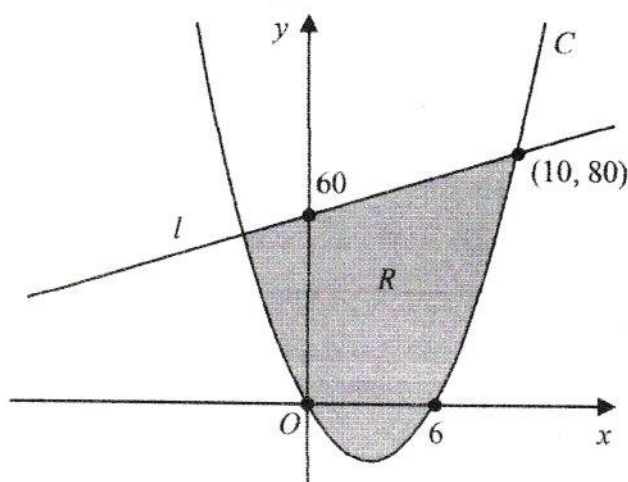


Figure 3

Figure 3 shows a sketch of a curve  $C$  and a straight line  $l$ .

Given that

- $C$  has equation  $y = f(x)$  where  $f(x)$  is a quadratic expression in  $x$
- $C$  cuts the  $x$ -axis at 0 and 6
- $l$  cuts the  $y$ -axis at 60 and intersects  $C$  at the point  $(10, 80)$

use inequalities to define the region  $R$  shown shaded in Figure 3.

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The shaded area is below  $l$  and above  $C$ . So we need to find the equations of  $l$  and  $C$

$l$ :  $y = mx + c$  From the data on the figure  $c = 60$   
 $m = \frac{80 - 60}{10} = 2$

So  $l$  is  $\underline{y = 2x + 60}$

$C$ : Is a quadratic with solutions  $x = 0$   $x = 6$

So is of the form  $A(x-0)(x-6) = y$

i.e.  $Ax(x-6) = y$

But  $y = 80$  when  $x = 10$  so

$$80 = A \cdot 10(10-6)$$

$$80 = 40A$$

$$A = 2 \Rightarrow y = 2x(x-6) = \underline{2x^2 - 12x}$$

So the region  $R$  is  $\underline{2x^2 - 12x \leq y \leq 2x + 60}$

