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$$f(x) = \frac{1-3x}{(1+3x^2)(1-x)^2}, \quad x \neq 1.$$

(a) Find the constants A, B, C and D such that

$$f(x) \equiv \frac{Ax+B}{1+3x^2} + \frac{C}{1-x} + \frac{D}{(1-x)^2}. \quad (5)$$

(b) Find a series expansion for $f(x)$ in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^4 . (4)

(c) Find an equation of the tangent to the curve with equation $y = f(x)$ at the point where $x = 0$. (2)