Velocity-Position Questions

Calculator Question 1

A rat moves through a tunnel with velocity given by $v(t) = t^3 - 9t^2 + 19t$ (in feet/sec), over a 6 second time interval, $0 \le t \le 6$.

- (a) Find the change in position of the rat (relative to its starting point) after 6 seconds.
- (b) Find the total distance traveled by the rat over the 6 seconds.
- (c) Find the average velocity of the rat over this time interval.
- (d) Find the average speed of the rat over this time interval.
- (e) Find the average acceleration of the rat over this time interval
- (f) Find the time when the rat is farthest from where he started (over this time interval).