

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
2(a)	$\frac{20}{2}(2 \times -20 + (20 - 1) \times 5)$ or $\frac{20}{2}(-20 + 75)$	<b>M1</b>	Correct use of either $S_{20}$ formula with $a = -20$ and $d = 5$ .
	550	<b>A1</b>	
		<b>2</b>	
2(b)	$\frac{2k}{2}(-40 + (2k - 1) \times 5)$ or $\frac{k}{2}(-40 + (k - 1) \times 5)$	<b>M1*</b>	Correct use of $S_n$ formula with $a = -20$ , $d = 5$ and either $k$ or $2k$ .  This mark can be awarded for clear use of $\frac{n}{2}(a + l)$ when correct values of $a$ and $d$ are used.
	$[-40k + 10k^2 - 5k = -200k + 25k^2 - 25k \Rightarrow] 15k^2 - 180k = 0$	<b>DM1</b>	Equating their $S_{2k}$ to $10 \times$ <i>their</i> $S_k$ and reaching a 2-term quadratic or 2 term linear equation if $k$ has been cancelled. Condone errors in simplification.
	$k = 12$	<b>A1</b>	Condone extra solution $k = 0$ .
		<b>3</b>	