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General Marking Guidance

- All candidates must receive the same treatment. Examiners must mark the first candidate in exactly the same way as they mark the last.
- Mark schemes should be applied positively. Candidates must be rewarded for what they have shown they can do rather than penalised for omissions.
- Examiners should mark according to the mark scheme not according to their perception of where the grade boundaries may lie.
- There is no ceiling on achievement. All marks on the mark scheme should be used appropriately.
- All the marks on the mark scheme are designed to be awarded. Examiners should always award full marks if deserved, i.e. if the answer matches the mark scheme. Examiners should also be prepared to award zero marks if the candidate's response is not worthy of credit according to the mark scheme.
- Where some judgement is required, mark schemes will provide the principles by which marks will be awarded and exemplification may be limited.
- When examiners are in doubt regarding the application of the mark scheme to a candidate's response, the team leader must be consulted.
- Crossed out work should be marked UNLESS the candidate has replaced it with an alternative response.

General Instructions for Marking

1. The total number of marks for the paper is 75.
2. The Edexcel Mathematics mark schemes use the following types of marks:
 - **M** marks: Method marks are awarded for 'knowing a method and attempting to apply it', unless otherwise indicated.
 - **A** marks: Accuracy marks can only be awarded if the relevant method (M) marks have been earned.
 - **B** marks are unconditional accuracy marks (independent of M marks)

Marks should not be subdivided.

3. Abbreviations

These are some of the traditional marking abbreviations that will appear in the mark schemes and can be used if you are using the annotation facility on ePEN:

- bod – benefit of doubt
- ft – follow through
 - the symbol \surd will be used for correct ft
- cao – correct answer only
- cso – correct solution only. There must be no errors in this part of the question to obtain this mark
- isw – ignore subsequent working
- awrt – answers which round to
- SC – special case
- oe – or equivalent (and appropriate)
- d... or dep – dependent
- indep – independent
- dp – decimal places
- sf – significant figures
- * – The answer is printed on the paper or ag- answer given
- \square or d... – The second mark is dependent on gaining the first mark

4. All A marks are 'correct answer only' (cao), unless shown, for example, as A1 ft to indicate that previous wrong working is to be followed through. After a misread however, the subsequent A marks affected are treated as A ft, but manifestly absurd answers should never be awarded A marks.

5. For misreading which does not alter the character of a question or materially simplify it, deduct two from any A or B marks gained, in that part of the question affected. If you are using the annotation facility on ePEN, indicate this action by 'MR' in the body of the script.
6. If a candidate makes more than one attempt at any question:
 - a) If all but one attempt is crossed out, mark the attempt which is NOT crossed out.
 - b) If either all attempts are crossed out or none are crossed out, mark all the attempts and score the highest single attempt.
7. Ignore wrong working or incorrect statements following a correct answer.

General Principles for Pure Mathematics Marking

(NB specific mark schemes may sometimes override these general principles)

Method mark for solving 3 term quadratic:

1. Factorisation

$(x^2 + bx + c) = (x + p)(x + q)$, where $|pq| = |c|$ leading to $x = \dots$

$(ax^2 + bx + c) = (mx + p)(nx + q)$, where $|pq| = |c|$ and $|mn| = |a|$ leading to $x = \dots$

2. Formula

Attempt to use correct formula (with values for a, b and c)

3. Completing the square

Solving $x^2 + bx + c = 0$: $(x \pm \frac{b}{2})^2 \pm q \pm c$, $q \neq 0$ leading to $x = \dots$

Method marks for differentiation and integration:

1. Differentiation

Power of at least one term decreased by 1 ($x^n \rightarrow x^{n-1}$)

2. Integration

Power of at least one term increased by 1 ($x^n \rightarrow x^{n+1}$)

Use of a formula

Where a method involves using a formula that has been learnt, the advice given in recent examiners' reports is that the formula should be quoted first.

Normal marking procedure is as follows:

Method mark for quoting a correct formula and attempting to use it, even if there are small mistakes in the substitution of values.

Where the formula is not quoted, the method mark can be gained by implication from correct working with values, but may be lost if there is any mistake in the working.

Exact answers

Examiners' reports have emphasised that where, for example, an exact answer is asked for, or working with surds is clearly required, marks will normally be lost if the candidate resorts to using rounded decimals.

Answers without working

The rubric says that these may not gain full credit. Individual mark schemes will give details of what happens in particular cases. General policy is that if it could be done "in your head", detailed working would not be required. Most candidates do show working, but there are occasional awkward cases and if the mark scheme does not cover this, please contact your team leader for advice.

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
1 (a)	Attempts $u_3 = 3u_2 - 2u_1 \Rightarrow 4 = 3u_2 - 2 \times 7 \Rightarrow u_2 = \dots$ $\Rightarrow u_2 = 6$	M1 A1
		(2)
(b)	Attempts $u_4 = 3u_3 - 2u_2 = 3 \times 4 - 2 \times "6" = (0)$ $\sum_{r=1}^4 (u_r + 2r) = (7 + 2 \times 1) + ("6" + 2 \times 2) + (4 + 2 \times 3) + ("0" + 2 \times 4)$ $= 37$	M1 dM1 A1
		(3)
		Total 5

(a)

M1: Attempts to use the iteration formula to find u_2

Look for a correct NUMERICAL equation $4 = 3u_2 - 2 \times 7$ o.e. leading to a value for u_2 .

It can be implied by sight of $u_2 = 6$

There have been some longer methods seen.

E.g. $u_4 = 12 - 2u_2$ and $u_3 = 3u_2 - 14$ combined by using $12 - 2u_2 = 3(3u_2 - 14) - 2u_2$

The mark is not scored until a value of u_2 is found from a correct NUMERICAL equation

A1: $u_2 = 6$. You don't need to see the LHS but if they state $u_3 = 6$ it is A0

6 on its own without any incorrect working scores both marks.

Do not accept partially complete answers such as $\frac{18}{3}$

(b)

M1: Attempts to use the iteration formula to find u_4 . This may be embedded within a sum

Look for $u_4 = 3u_3 - 2u_2 = 3 \times 4 - 2 \times "6"$. If (a) is correct, score for sight of $u_4 = 0$

dM1: Full attempt to find $\sum_{r=1}^4 (u_r + 2r)$

Look for $\sum_{r=1}^4 u_r + \sum_{r=1}^4 2r = (7 + (a) + 4 + (3 \times 4 - 2 \times "6")) + (2 + 4 + 6 + 8) =$

Alternatively, you may score for an attempt to find $(7 + 2) + ((a) + 4) + (4 + 6) + (3 \times 4 - 2 \times "6" + 8)$

A1: 37

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
2 (a)	Strip width = 1.5	B1
	$\frac{3}{4}\{4.16 + 2.28 + 2 \times (2.91 + a + 1.73 + 1.37 + 1.43)\} = 19.3 \Rightarrow a = \dots$	M1
	$a = \text{awrt } 2.21$	A1
		(3)
(b)	$\int_{-4}^5 (2f(x) - 3)dx = 2 \times 19.3 - [3x]_{-4}^5$	M1
	$= 11.6$	A1
		(2)
		Total 5

(a)

B1: Correct strip width. Allow for $h = 1.5$. It is implied by sight of $\frac{1.5}{2}\{\dots\dots\dots\}$ o.e.

Note that $h = -1.5$ is B0 unless recovered later in the working.

M1: 'Correct' attempt at the trapezium rule leading to a value for a .

Look for $\frac{3}{4}\{4.16 + 2.28 + 2 \times (2.91 + a + 1.73 + 1.37 + 1.43)\} = 19.3$ leading to a value for a

Condone a missing trailing bracket.

Condone $\dots\{4.16 + 2.28 + 2 \times (2.91 + a + 1.73 + 1.37 + 1.43)\} = 19.3$ leading to a value for a if $\frac{3}{4}$ not seen.

Award for the sum of separate trapezia leading to a value for a

You do not need to check their calculation but it must lead to a value for a

A1: $a = \text{awrt } 2.21$.

It is acceptable for the candidate to be working in fractions. Score for $\frac{331}{150}$ or $2 \frac{31}{150}$.

ISW after a correct answer.

(b) Answers resulting from attempts at the trapezium rule score M0 A0

M1: Attempts to find $\int_{-4}^5 (2f(x) - 3)dx$ but condone $\int_{-4}^5 (2f(x) \pm 3)dx$

Look for $2 \times 19.3 \pm [3x]_{-4}^5$, $2 \times 19.3 \pm 3 \times 9$ or $2 \times 19.3 \pm 27$ o.e.

If $2 \times 19.3 - [3x]_{-4}^5$ is not seen, look for 2×19.3 combined with a ± 15 **and** a ± 12

So each of $2 \times 19.3 - 15 + 12$, $2 \times 19.3 - ((15) - (12))$, $2 \times 19.3 - (15 + 12)$ and $2 \times 19.3 + 15 - 12$ are M1

Candidates who attempt $2 \times '2.21' - [3x]_{-4}^5$ scores M0 as it uses the value of a

Candidates who attempt $2 \times 19.3 - 3$ scores M0 as no integration of the 3 was attempted (unless you see sight of a ± 15 **and** a ± 12 before the 3 was reached)

A1: 11.6 The answer with no incorrect working can score both marks

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
3(a)	Attempts to complete the square for both variables $(x+4)^2, (y-7)^2$	M1
	Centre $(-4, 7)$	A1
	Radius = 12	A1
		(3)
(b)	Attempts $\pm \left(12 - \sqrt{4^2 + 7^2} \right)$	M1
	$12 - \sqrt{65}$	A1 ft
		(2)
		Total 5

(a)

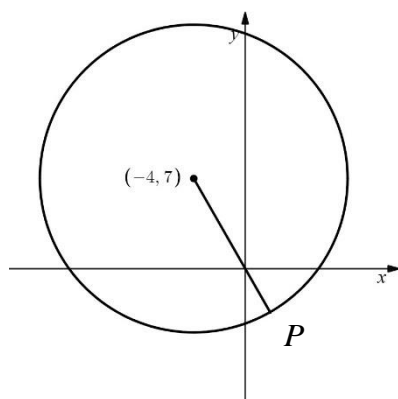
M1: Attempts to complete the square for **both** variables. Score for sight of $(x+4)^2 \dots (y-7)^2$

Condone $(x \pm 4)^2, (y \pm 7)^2$ or even with a negative between. It is implied by a centre of $(\pm 4, \pm 7)$

A1: Centre $(-4, 7)$

A1: Radius = 12. May be awarded following a centre of $(\pm 4, \pm 7)$

(b)



M1: Attempts $\pm \left(12 - \sqrt{4^2 + 7^2} \right)$ which may be in decimals. Look for $\pm(12 - 8.06)$ or ± 3.94 following a correct (a)

Must be an attempt at subtraction of "12" and $\sqrt{4^2 + 7^2}$ either way around and not addition

A1ft: $12 - \sqrt{65}$ but ft on their $12 - \sqrt{65}$ which must be exact and positive. ISW if followed by the decimal answer

Alt (b): You may see various attempts using the intersection of their $y = -\frac{7}{4}x$ and the equation of the circle.

The method mark is scored when the equations are solved to find coordinates for P followed by the calculation of distance OP .

M1: Equates their $y = -\frac{7}{4}x$ (must agree with their centre) with either the original equation or their

adapted equation to set up a 3 term quadratic equation in either x or y . This must be solved by an appropriate method which includes use of calculator (you may need to check if just answers are given). Once a value of x and y have been found, score for the use of Pythagoras' theorem (e.g. $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$) to find the length. It is highly unlikely that an exact answer could be found via this route.

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
4 (a)	$(3+2x)^6$	
	First term 3^6 or 729	B1
	Term in x , x^2 or x^3 : Award for one of ${}^6C_5(3)^5(2x)^1$, ${}^6C_4(3)^4(2x)^2$ or ${}^6C_3(3)^3(2x)^3$	M1
	Two of $\dots + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$ $(3+2x)^6 = 729 + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$	A1 A1
		(4)
(b)	Attempts one correct term $2x^2 \times "729" \text{ or } \pm \frac{1}{6x} \times "4320" x^3$	M1
	Attempts to combine the correct two terms $2x^2 \times "729" \pm \frac{1}{6x} \times "4320" x^3 = \dots x^2$	dM1
	738 but condone $738x^2$	A1
		(3)
		Total 7

(a)

B1: Correct first term 3^6 or 729 which must be seen in part (a)

M1: Correct attempt at term 2, 3 or 4. Condone a missing bracket.

Look for the correct binomial coefficient (C notation or bracket form), the correct power of 3 and the correct power of x .

So condone attempts such as ${}^6C_4(3)^4 2x^2$ and even ${}^6C_3(3)^3 x^3$

If there isn't an intermediate form given, then the mark is awarded for a correct term 2, 3 or 4.

A1: Two correct and simplified of $\dots + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$

A1: $(3+2x)^6 = 729 + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$. Allow this to be given/written as a list.

ISW after a correct answer

(b)

M1: Attempts one of the two terms (or one of the two coefficients required to find the coefficient of x^2).

Look for $2x^2 \times "729" \text{ or } \pm \frac{1}{6x} \times "4320" x^3$ which may be seen amongst a larger list or sum of terms.

Condone slips, e.g 729 written as 792 but the 2 and/or the $\frac{1}{6}$ must be used correctly.

dM1: Attempts the term in x^2 or the coefficient in x^2 using a correct combination of terms.

Look for $2x^2 \times "729" \pm \frac{1}{6x} \times "4320" x^3$ leading to a single term in x^2 or the combined coefficient of x^2

A1: 738 but condone $738x^2$.

Alt (a) via removal of common factor:

$$(3+2x)^6 = 3^6 \left(1 + \frac{2}{3}x\right)^6 = 3^6 \left(1 + 6 \times \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{6 \times 5}{2} \times \left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)^2 + \frac{6 \times 5 \times 4}{6} \times \left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)^3 + \dots\right)$$

B1: Correct first term 3^6 or 729 implied by $3^6(1 + \dots x + \dots)$

M1: Correct attempt at term 2, 3 or 4.

Look for a correct binomial coefficient and a correct power of $\frac{2}{3}x$.

See main scheme regarding what you can condone.

A1: Two correct and simplified of $\dots + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$

A1: $(3+2x)^6 = 729 + 2916x + 4860x^2 + 4320x^3 + \dots$. Allow as a list

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
5 (a)	$D = 8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi \times 2}{6} + 3\right) = 4.07$	B1
		(1)
(b)	(b) $6 = 8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) \Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = -\frac{2}{5}$	M1 , A1
	$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = \arcsin\left(-\frac{2}{5}\right) = \text{Any of } 3.55, 5.87, 9.84, 12.2$	dM1
	$\Rightarrow t = \text{Any of } \frac{6(3.55-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(5.87-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(9.84-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(12.2-3)}{\pi}$	ddM1
	13:04 or 1:04 pm	A1
		(5)
		Total 6

(a)

B1: Scored for sight of $8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi \times 2}{6} + 3\right)$ o.e followed by 4.06, 4.07 or awrt 4.07. Units can be omitted

(b) It is acceptable to set $x = \frac{\pi t}{6} + 3$ which allows access to the first three marks

M1: Substitutes $D = 6$ and proceeds to $\sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = k$

A1: $\sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = -\frac{2}{5}$. o.e

dM1: Takes arcsink where $k < 0$ and achieves any **correct positive value** for their arcsink

Any of 3.55, 5.87, 9.84, 12.2 are acceptable where $k = -\frac{2}{5}$. Follow through on their $-1 < k < 0$

ddM1: Full and complete method to find a positive value of t

It is dependent upon both previous M's **AND** $k = -\frac{2}{5}$

Score for $t = \text{Any of } \frac{6(3.55-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(5.87-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(9.84-3)}{\pi}, \frac{6(12.2-3)}{\pi}$

It can be implied for any t value to 3sf,

Score for any t value awrt 1.05/1.06, 5.48/5.49, 13.0/13.1, 17.5/17.6 following M1 A1dM1

A1: 13:04 or 1:04 pm. Condone/allow an answer of 13.03 or 1.03pm.

Condone one hour and 4 minutes after midday

Requires $\arcsin(-0.4) = \text{awrt } 9.84$, $t = \text{awrt } 13.1$ and a time of 13:03 o.e.

Note that the steps may not occur in exactly the same way but it is equivalent work.

$$\begin{aligned}
 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) &= -2 \\
 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) &= -\frac{2}{5} \\
 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) &= -\frac{2}{5} \\
 \frac{\pi t}{6} + 3 &= -0.41 \\
 \frac{\pi t}{6} &= -3.41 \\
 \pi t &= -20.47 \\
 t &= -6.52 \\
 \text{Adding } 4\pi &\Rightarrow \frac{\pi t}{6} + 3 = -0.41 + 4\pi \\
 \frac{\pi t}{6} &= -3.41 + 4\pi \\
 \pi t &= 9.16 \times 6 \\
 \pi t &= 54.96 \\
 t &= 17.49
 \end{aligned}$$

dM1 scored here

Adding on 4π at this stage is equivalent

work to $\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3 = -0.41 + 4\pi = \text{awrt } 12.2$

ddM1 scored on lhs for 17.49

Note that all the above steps must be seen to score full/part marks here

Example 1

Using num-solv on TI-36XPro: $6 = 8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) \Rightarrow t = 1.056$ scores 00000

Example 2

Using num-solv on TI-36XPro: $6 = 8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) \Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = -\frac{2}{5} \Rightarrow t = 1.056$ scores 11000

Example 3

Using 24 hours in a day:

$6 = 8 + 5 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) \Rightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{6} + 3\right) = -\frac{2}{5} \Rightarrow \frac{\pi t}{6} + 3 = -0.4115 \Rightarrow t = -6.515 + 24 \Rightarrow t = 17.485$ scores

11000

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
6(a)	Sets $f\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = 0 \Rightarrow (9p + 4q = 102)$	M1
	Sets $f(-2) = -5 \Rightarrow (4p + q = 43)$	M1
	Solves to get values for p and q	dM1
	(i) $p = 10$ * (ii) $q = 3$ following two correct equations	A1*, A1
		(5)
(b)	$f'(x) = 12x^2 + 20x + 8$	B1
	Solves $f'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow 4(3x + 2)(x + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{2}{3}, -1$	M1, A1
	$-1 < x < -\frac{2}{3}$	A1
		(4)
		Total 9

(a)

M1: Attempts to set $f\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = 0$ **to form an equation in p and q** . Setting $f\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) = 0$ is M0

Award for an attempt such as $4\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)^3 + p\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right)^2 + 8\left(\frac{-3}{2}\right) + q = 0$ condoning slips (e.g. lack of bracketing)

Note that the partially simplified correct equation is $-\frac{27}{2} + \frac{9p}{4} - 12 + q = 0$

You may see an attempt via division. Look for division by $(2x + 3)$ leading to a remainder in p and q which should be set equal to 0

M1: Attempts to set $f(-2) = -5$ **to form an equation in p and q** . Setting $f(2) = -5$ or $f(-2) = 5$ is M0

Award for $4(-2)^3 + p(-2)^2 + 8(-2) + q = -5$ condoning slips (e.g. lack of bracketing).

Note that the partially simplified correct equation is $-32 + 4p - 16 + q = -5$

You may see an attempt via division. Look for division by $(x + 2)$ leading to a remainder in p and q which should be set equal to -5

dM1: Solves a pair of equations in both p and q resulting from setting $f\left(\pm\frac{3}{2}\right) = 0$ and $f(\pm 2) = \pm 5$

Just look for some work (either substitution or elimination) which may or may not be correct leading to values for p and q . They know that p should be 10 so there will be a certain amount of fudging. Be generous here and give BOD if they show **some** correct work leading to both values. Allow the solution to be done via a calculator but the solution must fit at least one of the equations if done this way.

So if both equations are correct, or only one equation is correct, writing down $p = 10, q = 3$ would score this mark as it is a solution to both.

Examples of sufficient work

Ex 1 (Correct equations/elimination): $\frac{9}{4}p + q = \frac{51}{2}$ (1),

$4p + q = 43$ (2), then (2) - (1) $\frac{7}{4}p = \dots \Rightarrow p = \dots, q = \dots$

Ex 2: (Incorrect first equation $f(3/2) = 0$, substitution)

$\frac{9}{4}p + q = -\frac{51}{2}, 4p + q = 43 \Rightarrow \frac{9}{4}p + 43 - 4p = \frac{51}{2} \Rightarrow p = \dots, q = \dots$

Ex 3: (Incorrect second equation $f(2) = -5$: Calculator solution)

Either $9p + 4q = 102, 4p + q = -53 \Rightarrow p = 10, q = -93$ (solution to 2nd equation)

Or $9p + 4q = 102, 4p + q = -53 \Rightarrow p = 10, q = 3$ (solution to 1st equation)

A1*: Achieves $p = 10$ from solving a correct pair of simultaneous equations.

There must have been some attempt to justify this as it is a given answer.

So, a correct intermediate line **must be seen**. E.g. $\frac{9p}{4} + q = \frac{51}{2}, 4p + q = 43 \Rightarrow \frac{7}{4}p = \frac{35}{2} \Rightarrow p = 10$

Allow this to be scored from a correct intermediate line of the form $ap + b = c$

A1: $q = 3$. **This can only be awarded if the two simultaneous that were 'solved' were both correct.**

There is no requirement to see an intermediate line here.

(b)

B1: Differentiates to achieve $12x^2 + 20x + 8$

M1: Attempts to find the critical values of the equation " $f'(x) = 0$ ".

Allow any valid method including via a calculator. Their $f'(x)$ must be of the form $ax^2 + bx + c$

A1: Achieves the correct exact critical values. Do not accept -0.67 but allow recurring decimals $-0.\dot{6}$

A1: $-1 < x < -\frac{2}{3}$ OR $-1 \leq x \leq -\frac{2}{3}$ but the inequality must be used consistently.

Allow versions such as $\left(-1, -\frac{2}{3}\right)$ and $\left[-1, -\frac{2}{3}\right]$

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Note that candidates cannot just use their calculators to solve part (b).

So $f(x) = 4x^3 + 10x^2 + 8x + 3$ followed by $-1 < x < -\frac{2}{3}$ is 0 marks.

The minimum working required would be sight of $f'(x)$ followed by the solution.
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Question Number	Scheme	Marks
7 (i)	States or uses $\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$	M1
	$3\sin x \tan x = 11 + \cos x \Rightarrow 3\sin^2 x = 11\cos x + \cos^2 x$ $\Rightarrow 3(1 - \cos^2 x) = 11\cos x + \cos^2 x \Rightarrow 4\cos^2 x + 11\cos x - 3 = 0$	dM1, A1
	$\Rightarrow (4\cos x - 1)(\cos x + 3) = 0 \Rightarrow \cos x = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow x = 1.318, 4.965$	dM1 A1
		(5)
(ii)	$\cos \theta = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \sin^2 \theta = 1 - \frac{1}{3^2} \Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - \frac{1}{3^2}}}{\frac{1}{3}}$	M1
	$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = 2\sqrt{2}$	A1
		(2)
		Total 7

(i)

M1: States or uses $\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$ o.e.

dM1: Uses $\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$, attempts to multiply by $\cos x$ and then uses $\sin^2 x = \pm 1 \pm \cos^2 x$ to set up a 3 TQ equation in $\cos x$

A1: Correct simplified quadratic equation in $\cos x$. Terms can be on either side of the equation.
The ‘= 0’ can be implied by a subsequent attempt to solve.

dM1: Solves a quadratic equation in $\cos x$ by any allowable method (including a calculator) to find $\cos x$ and proceeds to a value for x (in degrees or radians) via arccos. Dependent upon the first M only
Minimum working required would be $4\cos^2 x + 11\cos x - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \cos x = 0.25 \Rightarrow x = 1.3$

Note that

- $\cos x = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow x = 0.2527$ is dM0 as it is $\arcsin\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$ not $\arccos\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$
- $\cos x = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow x = 0.9689$ is dM0 as it is $\cos\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$ not $\arccos\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$

A1: $x = \text{awrt } 1.318, 4.965$ following the award of all previous marks.

Ignore any extra solutions outside the range, but withhold this mark for any extra solutions within it.

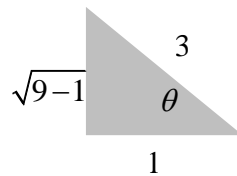
Notes: Condone notation such as $\tan = \frac{\sin}{\cos}$ and $\cos x^2$ for $\cos^2 x$. This is not a proof.

(ii)

M1: Full method of finding a value for $\tan \theta$. The value for $\sin \theta$ cannot just appear.

Other methods will be seen but most will include Pythagoras at some point. ($1 + \tan^2 \theta = \sec^2 \theta = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta}$)

E.g.



Allow sight of $\tan \theta = \sqrt{9-1}$ o.e without any other supporting evidence

A1: $\tan \theta = 2\sqrt{2}$ following the award of M1

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Answers without working:

In both parts candidates are able to use calculators to solve the whole of the question. This does not score any marks due to the demand of the question. All method marks must be awarded before accuracy marks are given.

If in doubt then please send to review.

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
8 (i)	(a) $S_n = a + (a + d) + \dots + (a + (n-1)d)$ (1)	B1
	$S_n = (a + (n-1)d) + \dots + (a + d) + a$ (2)	M1
	(1) + (2) $2S_n = (2a + (n-1)d) + (2a + (n-1)d) + \dots + (2a + (n-1)d)$	A1*
	$2S_n = n(2a + (n-1)d) \Rightarrow S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a + (n-1)d) *$	
		(3)
(ii)	(b) States or uses two of $a = 900, d = -8$ and $n = 51$ Or alternatively states or uses two of $a = 500, d = 8$ and $n = 51$	B1
	Complete method E.g. $n = \frac{900-500}{8} + 1$ and $S = \frac{51}{2}\{2 \times 900 + 50 \times -8\}$	M1
	35700	A1
		(3)
	(a) $\frac{11-k}{k-2} = \frac{k-2}{k+4}$ $44 - k^2 + 7k = k^2 - 4k + 4$ $2k^2 - 11k - 40 = 0 *$	M1 dM1 A1*
	(b) $2k^2 - 11k - 40 = 0 \Rightarrow k = \left(-\frac{5}{2}\right), 8$ Uses either k value and attempts to find both a and r . E.g. with $k = 8 \Rightarrow a = 8 + 4, r = \frac{8-2}{8+4}$ Uses $S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r} = \frac{12}{1-\frac{1}{2}} = 24$	B1 M1 dM1, A1
		(4)
		Total 13

(i)(a)

B1: A correct expression for S_n (but allow S) with a minimum of three terms including the first and last terms **WITH** no incorrect terms. Note that an incorrect order does not imply an incorrect term
So, you may see $S_n = a + (a + d) + \dots + (a + (n-1)d) + (a + (n-2)d)$ which is B1

M1: A correct method to find an expression for S_n in terms of a, n and d . Look for

- a sum with correct first and last terms
- the sum reversed (with at least first and last terms) and an attempt made to add the two series

This mark is usually scored when the candidate works with the sum $S_n = a + \dots + a + (n-1)d$

Condone attempts with incorrect terms. (See below).

E.g. $S_n = a + (a + d) + \dots + a + nd + (a + (n-1)d)$

$$S_n = (a + (n-1)d) + a + nd + \dots + (a + d) + a$$

$$2S_n = 2a + (n-1)d + \dots + 2a + (n-1)d$$

A1*: Correct proof that has previous lines scoring both B1 and M1 as well as a line equivalent to

$$2S_n = n(2a + (n-1)d) \text{ or equivalent before the given answer.}$$

You may see alternative proofs which define $l = a + (n-1)d$.

This is acceptable and the same marking scheme can be applied.

A minimal acceptable proof would be

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_n &= a + (a+d) + \dots + (a+(n-1)d) \\
 S_n &= (a+(n-1)d) + \dots + (a+d) + a \\
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 2S_n &= n\{2a+(n-1)d\} \\
 S_n &= \frac{n}{2}\{2a+(n-1)d\}
 \end{aligned}$$

(i) (b)

B1: States or uses at least two correct values of (i) the first term (ii) the common difference (iii) the number of terms.

Accept two of $a = 900$, $d = -8$ and $n = 51$ but it may be implied by embedded values within a formula. Alternatively allow the sum to be reversed so $a = 500$, $d = 8$ and $n = 51$

M1: Full method of finding $900 + 892 + 884 + \dots + 500$

This must include both

- an attempt to find the value of n . E.g. $500 = 900 + (n-1) \times -8 \Rightarrow n = \dots$ but condone

$$n = \frac{900-500}{8} \text{ which is implied by } n = 50$$

- with an attempt at using the correct formula.

$$\text{Either } S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a+(n-1)d) \text{ with } a = 900 \text{ or } 500 \text{ and } d = \pm 8 \text{ and } n = 50 \text{ or } 51$$

$$\text{or } S_n = \frac{n}{2}(a+l) \text{ with } a+l = 900+500 \text{ and } n = 50 \text{ or } 51$$

A1: 35700

(ii)

The two parts in (ii) may be marked as a single question

(a)

M1: Correct attempt to use the fact that these are consecutive terms in a GP to set up an equation in k .

$$\text{Look for } \frac{11-k}{k-2} = \frac{k-2}{k+4} \text{ or } 11-k = \left(\frac{k-2}{k+4}\right) \times (k-2) \text{ or equivalent condoning slips}$$

dM1: Cross multiplies, expands and starts to collect terms. It is dependent upon the previous M

See main scheme which has terms collected on either side of the = sign.

A1*: Correct working with sufficient intermediate work to show the given answer of $2k^2 - 11k - 40 = 0$.

An intermediate line of $44 - k^2 + 7k = k^2 - 4k + 4$ o.e. is sufficient. The $= 0$ must be present

(ii)(b)

B1: Solves $2k^2 - 11k - 40 = 0$ and achieves at least 8. The other value if found can be ignored

M1: Uses either of their k values and attempts to find both a and r . May be embedded within a formula.

The value of a must be found using $k+4$ and r must be attempted using the ratio $\frac{11-k}{k-2}$ or $\frac{k-2}{k+4}$

$$\text{FYI when with } k = -\frac{5}{2} \Rightarrow a = -\frac{5}{2} + 4 = \left(\frac{3}{2}\right), \quad r = \frac{-\frac{5}{2}-2}{-\frac{5}{2}+4} = (-3)$$

dM1: Uses $S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r}$ with their $|r| < 1$. It is dependent on the previous M but also a value of r where

$$|r| < 1$$

A1: 24 only. If two values are found it must be made clear that only this one is acceptable.

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
9 (a)	Substitute $t = 4$ in $3\log_2(t+4) - 2\log_2(t-2) \Rightarrow 3\log_2 8 - 2\log_2 2$ $= 3 \times 3 - 2 \times 1 = 7 \quad \checkmark$	M1 A1
		(2)
(b)	One correct log law applied. E.g. $3\log_2(t+4) = \log_2(t+4)^3$	M1
	Correctly removes logs $\frac{(t+4)^3}{(t-2)^2} = 2^7$	A1
	$t^3 + 12t^2 + 48t + 64 = 128(t^2 - 4t + 4) \Rightarrow t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = 0$	A1*
		(3)
(c)	$t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = (t-4)(t^2 + \dots \pm 112)$	M1
	$t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = (t-4)(t^2 - 112t + 112)$	A1
	Solves their $t^2 - 112t + 112$ and finds at least the value of t greater than 2	dM1
	$t = 4, 56 + 12\sqrt{21}$	A1
		(4)
		Total 9

(a) Note the demand of the question.

Candidates cannot substitute $t = 4$ into $t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = 0$ unless all the work in part (b) is done in part (a)

M1: Substitute $t = 4$ in $3\log_2(t+4) - 2\log_2(t-2)$ **and simplifies to achieve**

$$\text{either } 3\log_2 8 - 2\log_2 2 \quad \text{or } 3\log_2(4+4) - 2\log_2(4-2) = 9 - 2$$

There are other possible ways including substituting $t = 4$ into $\log_2 \frac{(t+4)^3}{(t-2)^2} \rightarrow \log_2 \frac{8^3}{2^2}$

If the equation is adapted it must be correct

A1: Correctly verifies with a minimal conclusion seen. E.g. $= 3 \times 3 - 2 \times 1 = 7 \quad \checkmark$

Condone sight of the calculation partially completed if deemed reasonable, E.g. $= 9 - 2 = 7 \quad \checkmark$

There are other possible ways including

- $3\log_2 8 - 2\log_2 2 = 9\log_2 2 - 2\log_2 2 = 7\log_2 2 = 7$ Hence true
- $3\log_2(t+4) - 2\log_2(t-2) = \log_2 \frac{(t+4)^3}{(t-2)^2} = \log_2 \frac{8^3}{2^2} = \log_2 128 = 7$ QED

The calculation of the logs must be something that could reasonably be done in your head.

So $\log_2 \frac{8^3}{2^2} = 7$ is insufficient

(b) Work from part (a) can only count in part (b) if it used in part (b). See example

M1: One correct log law seen and applied to the given equation.

In almost all cases this will be a power law but it can be awarded for $7 = \log_2 128$

A1: Removes logs and forms a correct un-simplified equation. E.g. $\frac{(t+4)^3}{(t-2)^2} = 2^7$ o.e.

A1*: Proceeds to the given answer with sufficient intermediate work shown.

Any incorrect working (including missing brackets) within the body of their solution should be penalised.

See main scheme for a minimal acceptable solution

(c)

M1: Uses the fact that $t = 4$ is a solution so $(t - 4)$ must be a factor.

Score for attempting to divide or factor out $(t - 4)$

For factorisation look for $t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = (t - 4)(t^2 \pm \dots t \pm 112)$

For division look for $t - 4 \overline{) \begin{matrix} t^2 \pm 112t \pm \dots \\ t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 \end{matrix}}$ or $t - 4 \overline{) \begin{matrix} t^2 \pm 120t \pm \dots \\ t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 \end{matrix}}$

A1: Correct quadratic factor $(t^2 - 112t + 112)$

dM1: Solves their $t^2 - 112t + 112$ and finds at least the value of t greater than 2

It is dependent upon the previous method. Allow use of a calculator to solve the quadratic.

Allow a decimal answer here, accuracy awrt 3sf.

A1: States $t = 4, 56 + 12\sqrt{21}$ and no other solutions following the award of M1 A1 dM1

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Candidates who simply write $t^3 - 116t^2 + 560t - 448 = 0$ followed by $t = 4, 56 \pm 12\sqrt{21}$ score 0 marks.

All previous M's and A must have been scored before the final A1 mark is given.
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Question Number	Scheme	Marks
10 (a)	$y = \frac{9x - x^2}{2\sqrt{x}} = \frac{9}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{9}{4}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{4}x^{\frac{1}{2}}$	M1, A1
	Sets $\frac{9}{4}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{4}x^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{9}{4} \times \frac{4}{3} \Rightarrow x = 3$	dM1, A1
		(4)
(b)	$\int \left\{ \frac{9}{2}x^{\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{1}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} \right\} dx = 3x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{5}x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ <p style="text-align: center;">Upper limit is 9</p> $\text{Area } R = \left[3x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{5}x^{\frac{5}{2}} \right]_1^9 = \left(3 \times 27 - \frac{1}{5} \times 243 \right) - \left(3 \times 1 - \frac{1}{5} \times 1 \right)$ $= \frac{148}{5}$	M1, A1 B1 dM1 A1
		(5)
		Total 9

(a)

M1: Attempts to differentiate and achieves one term with the correct index. For this to be awarded

- y must be written as a sum of two terms with one index correct $y = ax^{\frac{1}{2}} \pm bx^{\frac{3}{2}}$ or $y = ax^{\frac{3}{2}} \pm bx^{\frac{1}{2}}$
- after differentiation a correct index must be achieved. Look for $\alpha x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \pm \beta x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ or $\alpha x^{\frac{1}{2}} \pm \beta x^{\frac{3}{2}}$
- the index cannot be achieved from incorrect working, so calculations such as $y = (9x - x^2) \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{x} = \frac{9}{2}x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{2}x^{\frac{5}{2}} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \dots x^{\frac{1}{2}} \pm \dots x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ would score M0

Alternatively, they may use the quotient rule. Look for $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2\sqrt{x}(\alpha - \beta x) - (9x - x^2) \times \delta x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{\epsilon x}$

A1: Correct differentiation which may be left un-simplified.

Via the quotient rule this would be $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2\sqrt{x}(9 - 2x) - (9x - x^2) \times x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{4x}$ which may be left un-simplified

dM1: Solves their $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ which must have correct indices. Index work when solving must be correct

Look for $\alpha x^{-\frac{1}{2}} \pm \beta x^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0 \Rightarrow \dots x = \dots$ with the index of x being 1

Alternatively squares E.g. $\alpha x^{-\frac{1}{2}} = \pm \beta x^{\frac{1}{2}} \Rightarrow \dots x^{-1} = \dots x^1 \Rightarrow x^2 = \dots \Rightarrow x = \dots$

Via the quotient rule the equation should proceed to a form $px^2(qx + r) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \dots$

A1: Correct calculations and working leading to the $x = 3$ at P.

Cannot be scored from an incorrect $\frac{dy}{dx}$ so M1, A0, M1, A1 is NOT possible

Allow $\frac{9}{4}x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{4}x^{\frac{1}{2}} = 0 \Rightarrow x = 3$ without any intermediate work.

(b)

M1: Attempts to integrate and achieves one term with the correct index. For this to be awarded

- y must be written as a sum of two terms with one index correct $\delta x^{\frac{1}{2}} \pm \epsilon x^{\dots}$ or $\delta x^{\dots} \pm \epsilon x^{\frac{3}{2}}$
- after integration a correct index must be achieved with the indices processed and not left as for example $\left(\frac{1}{2} + 1\right)$. Look for $y = ax^{\frac{3}{2}} \pm bx^{\dots}$ or $y = ax^{\dots} \pm bx^{\frac{5}{2}}$
- an index cannot be achieved from incorrect working. See third bullet point in (a)

A1: Correct integration. Look for $3x^{\frac{3}{2}} - \frac{1}{5}x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ but may be left unsimplified

B1: (Upper) limit of the integral is 9. This can be written down without working.

Allow this to be awarded on the Figure for the point at which the curve crosses the x-axis

dM1: Method to find the area of R . It is dependent upon

- having scored the previous M1
- having limits of 1 and 9 or else 1 and a solution of $9x - x^2 = 0$, $\frac{9x - x^2}{2\sqrt{x}} = 0$ or adapted $\frac{9x - x^2}{2\sqrt{x}} = 0$ that isn't 0.

A1: $\frac{148}{5}$ o.e. such as for example 29.6

