

MARKSCHEME

1. (a) $18n - 10$ (or equivalent) A1
 (b) $\sum_{1}^n (18r - 10)$ (or equivalent) A1
 (c) by use of GDC or algebraic summation or sum of an AP (M1)
 $\sum_{1}^{15} (18r - 10) = 2010$ A1
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2. $2 \times 1.05^{n-1} > 500$ M1
 $n - 1 > \frac{\log 250}{\log 1.05}$ M1
 $n - 1 > 113.1675\dots$ A1
 $n = 115$ (A1)
 $u_{115} = 521$ A1 N5

Note: Accept graphical solution with appropriate sketch.

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3. **METHOD 1**

$$\text{constant term: } \binom{5}{0}(-2x)^0 \binom{7}{0}x^0 = 1 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\text{term in } x: \binom{7}{1}x + \binom{5}{1}(-2x) = -3x \quad (\text{M1})\text{A1}$$

$$\text{term in } x^2: \binom{7}{2}x^2 + \binom{5}{2}(-2x)^2 + \binom{7}{1}x \binom{5}{1}(-2x) = -9x^2 \quad \text{M1A1 N3}$$

METHOD 2

$$\begin{aligned} (1-2x)^5 (1+x)^7 &= \left(1 + 5(-2x) + \frac{5 \times 4 (-2x)^2}{2!} + \dots \right) \left(1 + 7x + \frac{7 \times 6}{2} x^2 + \dots \right) \quad \text{M1M1} \\ &= (1 - 10x + 40x^2 + \dots)(1 + 7x + 21x^2 + \dots) \\ &= 1 + 7x + 21x^2 - 10x - 70x^2 + 40x^2 + \dots \\ &= 1 - 3x - 9x^2 + \dots \quad \text{A1A1A1 N3} \end{aligned}$$

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4. **METHOD 1**

$$r = 2, \theta = -\frac{\pi}{3} \quad (\text{A1})(\text{A1})$$

$$\therefore (1 - i\sqrt{3})^{-3} = 2^{-3} \left(\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) + i \sin\left(-\frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right)^{-3} \quad \text{M1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} (\cos \pi + i \sin \pi) \quad (M1)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{8} \quad A1$$

METHOD 2

$$(1 - i\sqrt{3})(1 - i\sqrt{3}) = 1 - 2i\sqrt{3} - 3 (= -2 - 2i\sqrt{3}) \quad (M1)A1$$

$$(-2 - 2i\sqrt{3})(1 - i\sqrt{3}) = -8 \quad (M1)(A1)$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{(1-i\sqrt{3})^3} = -\frac{1}{8} \quad A1$$

METHOD 3

Attempt at Binomial expansion M1

$$(1 - i\sqrt{3})^3 = 1 + 3(-i\sqrt{3}) + 3(-i\sqrt{3})^2 + (-i\sqrt{3})^3 \quad (A1)$$

$$= 1 - 3i\sqrt{3} - 9 + 3i\sqrt{3} \quad (A1)$$

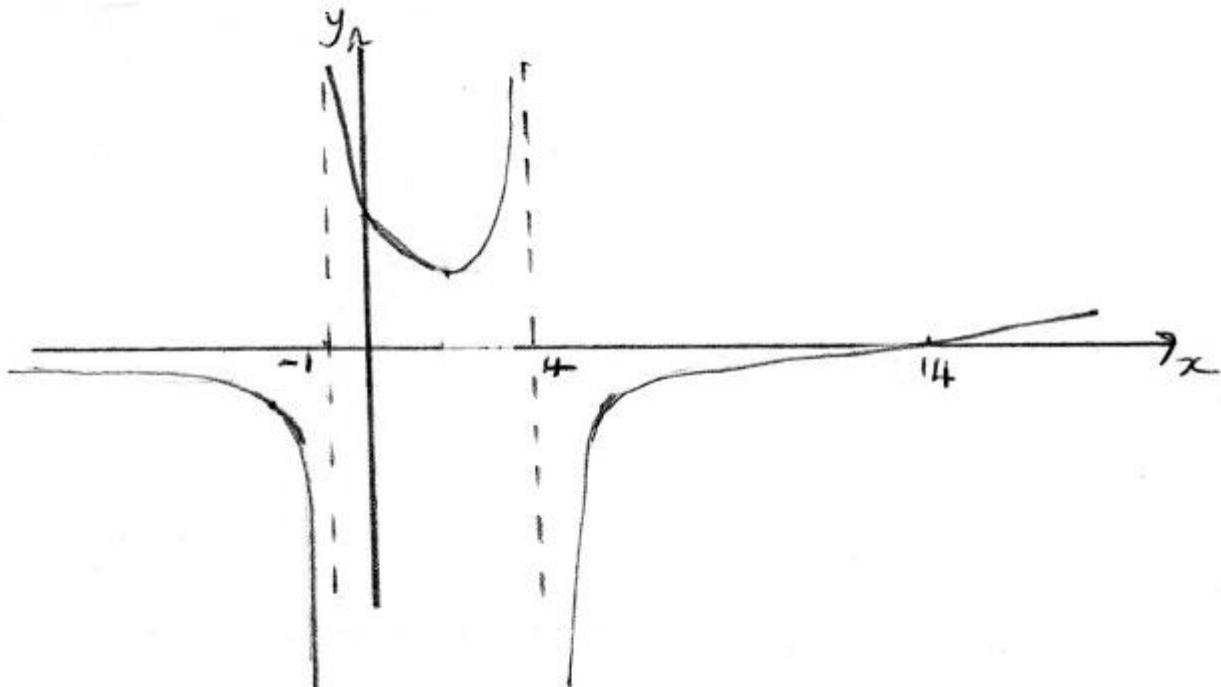
$$= -8 \quad A1$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{(1-i\sqrt{3})^3} = -\frac{1}{8} \quad M1$$

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5. METHOD 1

Graph of $f(x) - g(x)$ M1



A1A1A1

Note: Award A1 for each branch.

$$x < -1 \text{ or } 4 < x \leq 14 \quad A1A1 \quad N3$$

Note: Each value and inequality sign must be correct.

METHOD 2

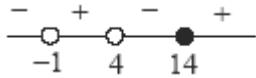
$$\frac{x+4}{x+1} - \frac{x-2}{x-4} \leq 0 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 16 - x^2 + x + 2}{(x+1)(x-4)} \leq 0 \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\frac{x-14}{(x+1)(x-4)} \leq 0 \quad \text{A1}$$

Critical value of $x = 14$ A1

Other critical values $x = -1$ and $x = 4$ A1



$$x < -1 \text{ or } 4 < x \leq 14 \quad \text{A1A1 N3}$$

Note: Each value and inequality sign must be correct.

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6. (a) coefficient of x^3 is $\binom{n}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3 = 70$ M1(A1)

$$\frac{n!}{3!(n-3)!} \times \frac{1}{8} = 70 \quad \text{(A1)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{48} = 70 \quad \text{(M1)}$$

$$n = 16 \quad \text{A1}$$

(b) $\binom{16}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 30$ A1

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7. (a) $5000(1.063)^n$ A1 N1

(b) Value = \$ $5000(1.063)^5$ (= \$ 6786.3511...) A1 N1
= \$ 6790 to 3 s.f. (accept \$ 6786, or \$ 6786.35)

(c) (i) $5000(1.063)^n > 10000$ (or $(1.063)^n > 2$) A1 N1

(ii) Attempting to solve the above inequality $n \log(1.063) > \log 2$ (M1)
 $n > 11.345\dots$ (A1)
12 years A1 N3

Note: Candidates are likely to use TABLE or LIST on a GDC to find n . A good way of communicating this is suggested below.

Let $y = 1.063^x$ (M1)

When $x = 11$, $y = 1.9582$, when $x = 12$, $y = 2.0816$ (A1)

$x = 12$ i.e. 12 years A1 N3

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8. Attempting to find $f(2) = 8 + 12 + 2a + b$ (M1)
 $= 2a + b + 20$ A1

Attempting to find $f(-1) = -1 + 3 - a + b$ (M1)
 $= 2 - a + b$ A1

Equating $2a + 20 = 2 - a$ A1
 $a = -6$

A1 N2
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9. (a) $f: x \propto e^x \Rightarrow f^{-1}: x \propto \ln x$
 $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(3) = \ln 3$ A1
 $g: x \propto x + 2 \Rightarrow g^{-1}: x \propto x - 2$
 $\Rightarrow g^{-1}(3) = 1$ A1
 $f^{-1}(3) \times g^{-1}(3) = \ln 3$ A1 N1

(b) **EITHER**

$$f \circ g(x) = f(x+2) = e^{x+2} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$e^{x+2} = 3 \Rightarrow x+2 = \ln 3 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$x = \ln 3 - 2 \quad \text{A1 N0}$$

OR

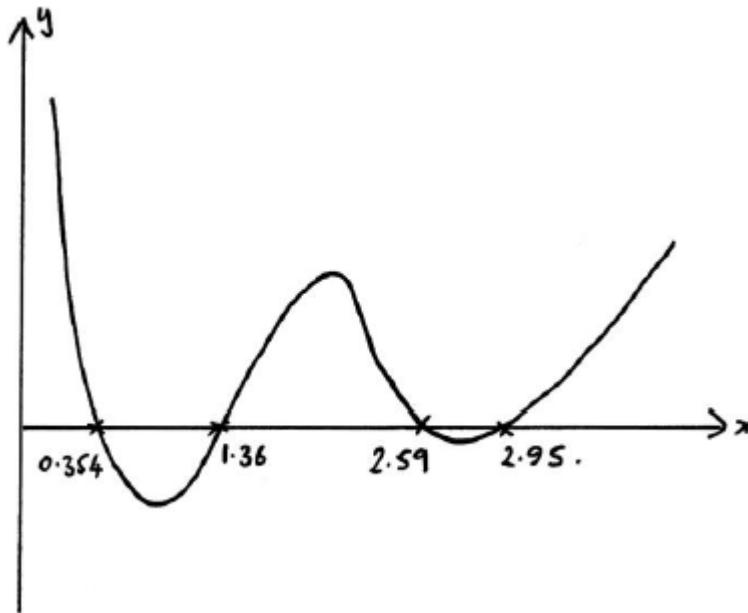
$$f \circ g(x) = e^{x+2} \quad \text{A1}$$

$$f \circ g^{-1}(x) = \ln(x) - 2 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$f \circ g^{-1}(3) = \ln(3) - 2 \quad \text{A1 N0}$$

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10. (a)



A1

Note: Award A1 for shape.

x intercepts 0.354, 1.36, 2.59, 2.95 A2

Note: Award A1 for three correct, A0 otherwise.

$$\text{maximum} = (1.57, 0.352) = \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, 0.352\right) \quad \text{A1}$$

$$\text{minimum} = (1, -0.640) \text{ and } (2.77, -0.0129) \quad \text{A1}$$

(b) $0 < x < 0.354, 1.36 < x < 2.59, 2.95 < x < 4$ A2

Note: Award A1 if two correct regions given.

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