

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
6(a)	$(11\mathbf{i} + 11\mathbf{j}) + t(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j})$	M1A1 (2)
6(b)	When $t = 6$ , $\mathbf{r}_A = (29\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j})$	M1
	$\mathbf{r}_B = (7\mathbf{i} + 16\mathbf{j}) + t(4\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) = (29\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j})$	M1
	Solve <b>both</b> $4t + 7 = 29$ and $16 - 2t = 5$ <b>explicitly</b> to give $t = 5.5$ for <b>both equations</b> (Division by vectors is DM0)	DM1 A1* (4)
6(c)	$\overrightarrow{AB} = (7\mathbf{i} + 16\mathbf{j}) + t(4\mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j}) - \{(11\mathbf{i} + 11\mathbf{j}) + t(3\mathbf{i} - \mathbf{j})\}$	M1
	$\overrightarrow{AB} = [(t-4)\mathbf{i} + (5-t)\mathbf{j}] \text{ m} \quad \text{GIVEN ANSWER}$	A1* (2)
6(d)	$AB^2 = (t-4)^2 + (5-t)^2$ oe seen or implied by a numerical calculation	M1
	$= 2(t-4.5)^2 + 0.5$	A1
	Complete method using the above to find the minimum	M1
	Minimum $AB = \sqrt{0.5} = 0.71 \text{ m}$ (or better)	A1
	<b>OR</b> $AB^2 = (t-4)^2 + (5-t)^2$ oe seen or implied by a numerical calculation	M1
	$4t-18 \quad \text{or} \quad 2(t-4)-2(5-t)$	A1
	N.B. Either of these could be implied by seeing $t = 4.5$	
	Complete method using the above to find the minimum	M1
	Minimum $AB = \sqrt{0.5} = 0.71 \text{ m}$ (or better)	A1 (4)
	<b>OR</b> $AB^2 = (t-4)^2 + (5-t)^2$ oe seen or implied by a numerical calculation	M1
	$2t^2 - 18t + (41-d^2) = 0 \quad (d = AB)$	A1
	Complete method using $b^2 - 4ac = 0$ : $(-18)^2 - 4 \times 2(41-d^2) = 0$ to find minimum	M1
	Minimum $AB = \sqrt{0.5} = 0.71 \text{ m}$ (or better)	A1
	<b>Accept column vectors throughout except in (c)</b>	(12)
	<b>Notes for question 6</b>	
6(a)	M1 for an attempt at $\mathbf{r}_A$ with a correct structure	
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6(b)	M1 for putting $t = 6$ into their $\mathbf{r}_A$ to find $\mathbf{r}_P$	
	M1 for equating their $\mathbf{r}_B$ at time $t$ (with correct structure) to their $\mathbf{r}_P$	
	<b>DM1</b> Solve their vector equation for <b>both</b> components, dependent on both previous M marks. Need to see 5.5 occurring twice. <b>N.B.</b> One ratio equation is not sufficient for this mark	