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Specific marking instructions for each question

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
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| 1. | (a) | • ¹ evaluate expression | • ¹ 10 | 1 |
| Notes: | | | | |
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| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | | |
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| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
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| 1. | (b) | • ² interpret notation • ³ state expression for $g(f(x))$ | • ² $g(5x)$ • ³ $2\cos 5x$ | 2 |
| Notes: | | | | |
| <p>1. For $2\cos 5x$ without working, award both •² and •³.</p> <p>2. Candidates who interpret the composite function as either $g(x) \times f(x)$ or $g(x) + f(x)$ do not gain any marks.</p> <p>3. $g(f(x)) = 10\cos x$ award •². However, $10\cos x$ with no working does not gain any marks.</p> <p>4. $g(f(x))$ leading to $2\cos(5x)$ followed by incorrect 'simplification' of the function award •² and •³.</p> | | | | |
| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | | |
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| Candidate A | | $g(f(x)) = 2\cos(5x) \quad \bullet^2 \checkmark \quad \bullet^3 \checkmark$ $= 10\cos(x)$ | | |

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| 2. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ state coordinates of centre •² find gradient of radius •³ state perpendicular gradient •⁴ determine equation of tangent | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ (4, 3) •² $\frac{1}{3}$ •³ -3 •⁴ $y = -3x - 5$ | 4 |

Notes:

1. Accept $\frac{2}{6}$ for •².
2. The perpendicular gradient must be simplified at •³ or •⁴ stage for •³ to be available.
3. •⁴ is only available as a consequence of trying to find and use a perpendicular gradient.
4. At •⁴, accept $y + 3x + 5 = 0$, $y + 3x = -5$ or any other rearrangement of the equation where the constant terms have been simplified.

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| 3. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ start to differentiate •² complete differentiation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $12(4x-1)^{11} \dots$ •² $\dots \times 4$ | 2 |

Notes:

1. •² is awarded for correct application of the chain rule.

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| <p>Candidate A</p> $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12(4x-1)^{11} \times 4 \quad \bullet^1 \checkmark \quad \bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 36(4x-1)^{11}$ <p>Working subsequent to a correct answer: General Marking Principle (n)</p> | <p>Candidate B</p> $\frac{dy}{dx} = 36(4x-1)^{11} \quad \bullet^1 \times \quad \bullet^2 \times$ <p>Incorrect answer with no working</p> |
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| 4. | | <p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use the discriminant •² apply condition and simplify •³ determine the value of k | <p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $4^2 - 4 \times 1 \times (k - 5)$ •² $36 - 4k = 0$ or $36 = 4k$ •³ $k = 9$ | 3 |
| | | <p>Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ communicate and express in factorised form •² expand and compare •³ determine the value of k | <p>Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ equal roots $\Rightarrow x^2 + 4x + (k - 5) = (x + 2)^2$ •² $x^2 + 4x + 4$ leading to $k - 5 = 4$ •³ $k = 9$ | |

Notes:

- At the •¹ stage, treat $4^2 - 4 \times 1 \times k - 5$ as bad form only if the candidate treats ' $k - 5$ ' as if it is bracketed in their next line of working. See Candidates A and B.
- In Method 1 if candidates use any condition other than 'discriminant = 0' then •² is lost and •³ is unavailable.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate A | Candidate B |
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| $4^2 - 4 \times 1 \times \underline{k - 5}$ • ¹ ✓ | $4^2 - 4 \times 1 \times \underline{k - 5}$ • ¹ ✗ |
| $36 - 4k = 0$ • ² ✓ | $11 - 4k = 0$ • ² ✓1 |
| $k = 9$ • ³ ✓ | $k = \frac{11}{4}$ • ³ ✓1 |

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| 5. (a) | • ¹ evaluate scalar product | • ¹ 1 | 1 |

Notes:

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| 5. (b) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² calculate \mathbf{u} •³ use scalar product •⁴ evaluate $\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w}$ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² $\sqrt{27}$ •³ $\sqrt{27} \times \sqrt{3} \times \cos \frac{\pi}{3}$ •⁴ $\frac{9}{2}$ or 4.5 | 3 |

Notes:

1. Candidates who treat negative signs with a lack of rigour and arrive at $\sqrt{27}$ gain •².
2. Surds must be fully simplified for •⁴ to be awarded.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
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| 6. | | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ equate composite function to x •² write $h(h^{-1}(x))$ in terms of $h^{-1}(x)$ •³ state inverse function | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $h(h^{-1}(x)) = x$ •² $(h^{-1}(x))^3 + 7 = x$ •³ $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ or $h^{-1}(x) = (x-7)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ | 3 |
| | | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ write as $y = x^3 + 7$ and start to rearrange •² complete rearrangement •³ state inverse function | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $y - 7 = x^3$ •² $x = \sqrt[3]{y-7}$ •³ $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ or $h^{-1}(x) = (x-7)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ | 3 |
| | | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ interchange variables •² complete rearrangement •³ state inverse function | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $x = y^3 + 7$ •² $y = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ •³ $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ or $h^{-1}(x) = (x-7)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ | 3 |
| Notes: | | | | |
| <p>1. $y = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ (or $y = (x-7)^{\frac{1}{3}}$) does not gain •³.</p> <p>2. At •³ stage, accept h^{-1} expressed in terms of any dummy variable eg $h^{-1}(y) = \sqrt[3]{y-7}$.</p> <p>3. $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ or $h^{-1}(x) = (x-7)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ with no working gains 3/3.</p> | | | | |

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| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | |
| <p>Candidate A</p> $x \rightarrow x^3 \rightarrow x^3 + 7 = h(x)$ $\quad \quad \quad \wedge 3 \rightarrow +7$ $\therefore -7 \rightarrow \sqrt[3]{\quad}$ $\quad \quad \quad \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7}$ <div style="float: right; margin-top: 20px;"> <p>•¹✓ awarded for knowing to perform the inverse operations in reverse order</p> <p>•²✓</p> <p>•³✓</p> </div> | | | |
| <p>Candidate B - BEWARE</p> $h^{-1}(x) = \dots \bullet^3 \times$ | <p>Candidate C</p> $h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-7} \bullet^3 \times$ <p>With no working 0/3</p> | | |

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| 7. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ find midpoint of AB •² demonstrate the line is vertical •³ state equation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ (2,7) •² m_{median} undefined •³ $x = 2$ | 3 |

Notes:

1. $m_{median} = \frac{\pm 4}{0}$ alone is not sufficient to gain •². Candidates must use either 'vertical' or 'undefined'. However •³ is still available.
2. ' $m_{median} = \frac{4}{0}$ x', ' $m_{median} = \frac{4}{0}$ impossible' ' $m_{median} = \frac{4}{0}$ infinite' are **not** acceptable for •².
However, if these are followed by either 'vertical' or 'undefined' then award •², and •³ is still available.
3. ' $m_{median} = \frac{4}{0} = 0$ undefined' ' $m_{median} = \frac{4}{0}$ undefined' are **not** acceptable for •².
4. •³ is not available as a consequence of using a numeric gradient; however, see notes 5 and 6.
5. For candidates who find an incorrect midpoint (a,b) , using the coordinates of A and B and find the 'median' through C without any further errors award 1/3. However, if $a = 2$, then both •² and •³ are available.
6. For candidates who find $15y = 2x + 121$ (median through B) or $3y = 2x + 21$ (median through A) award 1/3.

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| <p>Candidate A</p> <p>(2,7) •¹✓</p> <p>$m = \frac{4}{0}$</p> <p>= 0 undefined •²x</p> <p>$x = 2$ •³✓1</p> | <p>Candidate B</p> <p>(2,7) •¹✓</p> <p>$m = \frac{4}{0}$</p> <p>= 0 •²x</p> <p>$y = 7$ •³✓2</p> | <p>Candidate C</p> <p>(2,7) •¹✓</p> <p>$m = \frac{4}{0}$ •²^</p> <p>$y - 7 = \frac{4}{0}(x - 2)$</p> <p>$0 = 4x - 8$</p> <p>$x = 2$ •³x</p> |
| <p>Candidate D</p> <p>(2,7) •¹✓</p> <p>Median passes through (2,7) and (2,11) •²x</p> <p>$x = 2$ •³✓1</p> | <p>Candidate E</p> <p>(2,7) •¹✓</p> <p>Both coordinates have an x value 2 \Rightarrow vertical line</p> <p>$x = 2$ •²✓ •³✓</p> | |

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| 8. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ write in differentiable form •² differentiate •³ evaluate derivative | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\frac{1}{2}t^{-1}$ •² $-\frac{1}{2}t^{-2}$ •³ $-\frac{1}{50}$ | 3 |

Notes:

1. Candidates who arrive at an expression containing more than one term at •¹ award 0/3.
2. •² is only available for differentiating a term containing a negative power of t .

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| <p>Candidate A</p> <p>$2t^{-1}$ •¹ ✗</p> <p>$-2t^{-2}$ •² ✓1</p> <p>$-\frac{2}{25}$ •³ ✓1</p> | <p>Candidate B</p> <p>$2t^{-1}$ •¹ ✗</p> <p>$-2t^{-2}$ •² ✓1</p> <p>$-\frac{1}{50}$ •³ ✗</p> | <p>Candidate C</p> <p>$-\frac{1}{2}t^{-2}$ •¹ ✓ implied by •² ✓</p> <p>$-\frac{1}{50}$ •³ ✓</p> | |
| <p>Candidate D</p> <p>$(2t)^{-1}$ •¹ ✓</p> <p>$-(2t)^{-2}$ •² ✗</p> <p>$-\frac{1}{100}$ •³ ✓1</p> | <p>Candidate E</p> <p>$(2t)^{-1}$ •¹ ✓</p> <p>$-(2t)^{-2}$ •² ✗</p> <p>$-\frac{2}{25}$ •³ ✗</p> | <p>Candidate F Bad form of chain rule</p> <p>$2t^{-1}$ •¹ ✓</p> <p>$-\frac{2}{t^2} \times 2$ •² ✓</p> <p>$-\frac{1}{50}$ •³ ✓</p> | <p>Candidate G</p> <p>$2t^{-1}$ •¹ ✗</p> <p>$-\frac{2}{t^2} \times 2$ •² ✗</p> <p>$-\frac{4}{25}$ •³ ✓1</p> |

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| 9. | (a) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ interpret information •² state the value of m | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $13 = 28m + 6$ stated explicitly or in a rearranged form •² $m = \frac{1}{4}$ or $m = 0.25$ | 2 |

Notes:

1. Stating ' $m = \frac{1}{4}$ ', or simply writing ' $\frac{1}{4}$ ', with no other working gains only •².

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate A | | Candidate B | |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| $13 = 28u_n + 6$ | • ¹ ✗ | $28 = 13m + 6$ | • ¹ ✗ |
| $u_n = \frac{1}{4}$ | • ² ✓1 | $m = \frac{22}{13}$ | • ² ✓1 |

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| 9. | (b) | (i) | • ³ communicate condition for limit to exist | • ³ a limit exists as the recurrence relation is linear and $-1 < \frac{1}{4} < 1$ | 1 |

Notes:

2. For •³ accept:

any of $-1 < \frac{1}{4} < 1$ or $\left| \frac{1}{4} \right| < 1$ or $0 < \frac{1}{4} < 1$ with no further comment;

or statements such as:

“ $\frac{1}{4}$ lies between -1 and 1 ” or “ $\frac{1}{4}$ is a proper fraction”

3. •³ is not available for:

$-1 \leq \frac{1}{4} \leq 1$ or $\frac{1}{4} < 1$

or statements such as:

“It is between -1 and 1 .” or “ $\frac{1}{4}$ is a fraction.”

4. Candidates who state $-1 < m < 1$ can only gain •³ if it is explicitly stated

that $m = \frac{1}{4}$ in part (a).

5. Do not accept ‘ $-1 < a < 1$ ’ for •³.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate C | | | Candidate D | | |
|-------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| (a) | $m = \frac{1}{4}$ | • ¹ ✓ • ² ✓ | (a) | $\frac{1}{4}$ | • ¹ ✓ • ² ✓ |
| (b) | $-1 < m < 1$ | • ³ ✓ | (b) | $-1 < m < 1$ | • ³ ✗ |

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| 9. | (b) | (ii) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ know how to calculate limit •⁵ calculate limit | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ $\frac{6}{1-\frac{1}{4}}$ or $L = \frac{1}{4}L + 6$ •⁵ 8 | 2 |

Notes:

6. Do not accept $L = \frac{b}{1-a}$ with no further working for •⁴.
7. •⁴ and •⁵ are not available to candidates who conjecture that $L = 8$ following the calculation of further terms in the sequence.
8. For $L = 8$ with no working, award 0/2.
9. For candidates who use a value of m appearing ex nihilo or which is inconsistent with their answer in part (a) •⁴ and •⁵ are not available.

Commonly Observed Responses:

Candidate E - no valid limit

(a) $m = 4$ •¹ ✘

(b) $L = \frac{6}{1-4}$ •⁴ ✓1

$L = -2$ •⁵ ✘

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| 10. | (a) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ know to integrate between appropriate limits •² use “upper - lower” •³ integrate •⁴ substitute limits •⁵ evaluate area | Method 1 | |
| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ know to integrate between appropriate limits for both integrals •² integrate both functions •³ substitute limits into both functions •⁴ evaluation of both functions •⁵ evidence of subtracting areas | Method 2 | |

$$\bullet^1 \int_0^2 \dots dx$$

$$\bullet^2 \int_0^2 \left((x^3 - 4x^2 + 3x + 1) - (x^2 - 3x + 1) \right)$$

$$\bullet^3 \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{5x^3}{3} + 3x^2$$

$$\bullet^4 \left(\frac{2^4}{4} - \frac{5 \times 2^3}{3} + 3 \times 2^2 \right) - (0)$$

$$\bullet^5 \frac{8}{3}$$

$$\bullet^1 \int_0^2 \dots dx \text{ and } \int_0^2 \dots dx$$

$$\bullet^2 \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{4x^3}{3} + \frac{3x^2}{2} + x \text{ and } \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{3x^2}{2} + x$$

$$\bullet^3 \left(\frac{2^4}{4} - \frac{4(2^3)}{3} + \frac{3(2^2)}{2} + 2 \right) - 0$$

$$\text{and } \left(\frac{2^3}{3} - \frac{3(2^2)}{2} + 2 \right) - 0$$

$$\bullet^4 \frac{4}{3} \text{ and } \frac{-4}{3}$$

$$\bullet^5 \frac{4}{3} - \frac{-4}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$$

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Notes:

- ¹ is not available to candidates who omit 'dx'.
- Treat the absence of brackets at •² stage as bad form only if the correct integral is obtained at •³. See Candidates A and B.
- Where a candidate differentiates one or more terms at •³, then •³, •⁴ and •⁵ are unavailable.
- Accept unsimplified expressions at •³ e.g. $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{4x^3}{3} + \frac{3x^2}{2} + x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{3x^2}{2} - x$.
- Do not penalise the inclusion of '+c'.
- Candidates who substitute limits without integrating do not gain •³, •⁴ or •⁵.
- ⁴ is only available if there is evidence that the lower limit '0' has been considered.
- Do not penalise errors in substitution of $x=0$ at •³.

Commonly Observed Responses:

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| <p>Candidate A</p> <p>•¹ ✓</p> $\int_0^2 x^3 - 4x^2 + 3x + 1 - x^2 - 3x + 1 dx$ $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{5x^3}{3} + 3x^2$ <p>•³ ✓ ⇒ •² ✓</p> | <p>Candidate B</p> <p>•¹ ✓</p> $\int_0^2 x^3 - 4x^2 + 3x + 1 - x^2 - 3x + 1 dx$ <p>•² ✗</p> $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{5x^3}{3} + 2x$ <p>•³ ✓ ✓1</p> <p>$\int \dots = -\frac{16}{3}$ cannot be negative so $= \frac{16}{3}$ •⁵ ✗</p> <p>However, $\int \dots = -\frac{16}{3}$ so Area $= \frac{16}{3}$ •⁵ ✓</p> | |
| Treating individual integrals as areas | | |
| <p>Candidate C - Method 2</p> <p>•¹ ✓</p> <p>•² ✓</p> <p>•³ ✓</p> <p>$\frac{4}{3}$ and $-\frac{4}{3}$ •⁴ ✓</p> <p>∴ Area is $\frac{4}{3} - \left(-\frac{4}{3}\right) = \frac{8}{3}$ •⁵ ✓</p> | <p>Candidate D - Method 2</p> <p>•¹ ✓</p> <p>•² ✓</p> <p>•³ ✓</p> <p>$\frac{4}{3}$ and $-\frac{4}{3}$ •⁴ ✓</p> <p>$= \frac{4}{3}$</p> <p>∴ Area is $\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$ •⁵ ✗</p> | <p>Candidate E - Method 2</p> <p>•¹ ✓</p> <p>•² ✓</p> <p>•³ ✓</p> <p>$\frac{4}{3}$ and $-\frac{4}{3}$ •⁴ ✓</p> <p>Area cannot be negative</p> <p>∴ Area is $\frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{3} = \frac{8}{3}$ •⁵ ✗</p> |

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| 10. | (b) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ use “line - quadratic” •⁷ integrate •⁸ substitute limits and evaluate integral •⁹ state fraction | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ $\int((1-x)-(x^2-3x+1))dx$ •⁷ $-\frac{x^3}{3}+x^2$ •⁸ $\left(-\frac{2^3}{3}+2^2\right)-(0)=\frac{4}{3}$ •⁹ $\frac{1}{2}$ | |
| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ use “cubic - line” •⁷ integrate •⁸ substitute limits and evaluate integral •⁹ state fraction | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ $\int((x^3-4x^2+3x+1)-(1-x))dx$ •⁷ $\frac{x^4}{4}-\frac{4x^3}{3}+2x^2$ •⁸ $\left(\frac{2^4}{4}-4\times\frac{2^3}{3}+2\times 2^2\right)-(0)=\frac{4}{3}$ •⁹ $\frac{1}{2}$ | |
| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ integrate line •⁷ substitute limits and evaluate integral •⁸ evidence of subtracting integrals •⁹ state fraction | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁶ $\int(1-x)dx = \left[x-\frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^2$ •⁷ $\left(2-\frac{2^2}{2}\right)-(0)=0$ •⁸ $0-\left(-\frac{4}{3}\right)=\frac{4}{3}$ or $\frac{4}{3}-0$ •⁹ $\frac{1}{2}$ | |
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| Notes: | | | |
| <p>IMPORTANT: Notes prefixed by *** may be subject to General Marking Principle (n). If a candidate has been penalised for the error in (a) then they must not be penalised a second time for the same error in (b).</p> <p>9. *** ●⁶ is not available to candidates who omit 'dx'.</p> <p>10. In Methods 1 and 2 only, treat the absence of brackets at ●⁶ stage as bad form only if the correct integral is obtained at ●⁷.</p> <p>11. Candidates who have an incorrect expression to integrate at the ●³ and ●⁷ stage due solely to the absence of brackets lose ●², but are awarded ●⁶.</p> <p>12. Where a candidate differentiates one or more terms at ●⁷, then ●⁷, ●⁸ and ●⁹ are unavailable. *** In cases where Note 3 has applied in part (a), ●⁷ is lost but ●⁸ and ●⁹ are available.</p> <p>13. In Methods 1 and 2 only, accept unsimplified expressions at ●⁷ e.g. $x - \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{3x^2}{2} - x$</p> <p>14. Do not penalise the inclusion of '+c'.</p> <p>15. *** ●⁸ in Methods 1 and 2 and ●⁷ in method 3 is only available if there is evidence that the lower limit '0' has been considered.</p> <p>16. At the ●⁹ stage, the fraction must be consistent with the answers at ●⁵ and ●⁸ for ●⁹ to be awarded.</p> <p>17. Do not penalise errors in substitution of $x = 0$ at ●⁸ in Method 1 & 2 or ●⁷ in Method 3.</p> | | | |
| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | |
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| 11. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ determine the gradient of given line or of AB •² determine the other gradient •³ find a | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\frac{2}{3}$ or $\frac{a-2}{12}$ •² $\frac{a-2}{12}$ or $\frac{2}{3}$ •³ 10 | 3 |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ determine the gradient of given line •² equation of line and substitute •³ solve for a | <p style="text-align: center;">Method 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\frac{2}{3}$ stated or implied by •² •² $y-2 = \frac{2}{3}(x+7)$ $a-2 = \frac{2}{3}(5+7)$ •³ 10 | |

Notes:

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate A - using simultaneous equations | Candidate B | Candidate C - Method 2 |
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| $m_{\text{line}} = \frac{2}{3}$ • ¹ ✓ $3y = 2x + 20$ $3y = 2x - 10 + 3a$ } • ² ✓ $0 = 0 + 30 - 3a$ $3a = 30$ $a = 10$ • ³ ✓ | $m_{AB} = \frac{a-2}{12}$ • ¹ ✓ $\frac{a-2}{12} = \underline{-2}$ • ² ✗ $a = -22$ • ³ ✓1 | • ¹ ✓ $y-2 = \frac{2}{3}(x+7)$ $3y = 2x + 20$ $3y = 2 \times 5 + 20$ • ² ✓ $3y = 30$ $y = 10$ No mention of a • ³ ^ |

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
|----------|--|---|---|----------|
| 12. | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use laws of logs •² write in exponential form •³ solve for a | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\log_a 9$ •² $a^{\frac{1}{2}} = 9$ •³ 81 | 3 |

Notes:

1. $\frac{36}{4}$ must be simplified at •¹ or •² stage for •¹ to be awarded.
2. Accept $\log 9$ at •¹.
3. •² may be implied by •³.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate A | Candidate B | Candidate C |
|---|---|--|
| $\log_a 144$ • ¹ ✗ $a^{\frac{1}{2}} = 144$ • ² ✓1 $a = 12$ • ³ ✗ | $\log_a 32$ • ¹ ✗ $a^{\frac{1}{2}} = 32$ • ² ✓1 $a = 12$ • ³ ^ | $\log_a 9$ • ¹ ✓ $a = 9^{\frac{1}{2}}$ • ² ✗ $a = 3$ • ³ ✓2 |
| Candidate D $2\log_a 36 - 2\log_a 4 = 1$ $\log_a 36^2 - \log_a 4^2 = 1$ • ¹ ✓ $\log_a \frac{36^2}{4^2} = 1$ $\log_a 81 = 1$ • ² ✓ $a = 81$ • ³ ✓ | | |

| Question | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
|----------|--|--|----------|
| 13. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ write in integrable form •² start to integrate •³ process coefficient of x •⁴ complete integration and simplify | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $(5-4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ •² $\frac{(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} \dots$ •³ $\dots \times \frac{1}{(-4)}$ •⁴ $-\frac{1}{2}(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$ | 4 |

Notes:

1. For candidates who differentiate throughout, only •¹ is available.
2. For candidates who 'integrate the denominator' without attempting to write in integrable form award 0/4.
3. If candidates start to integrate individual terms within the bracket or attempt to expand a bracket no further marks are available.
4. '+c' is required for •⁴.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate A | Candidate B |
|--|---|
| $(5-4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ • ¹ ✓ | $(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ • ¹ ✗ |
| $\frac{(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}}$ • ² ✓ • ³ ^ | $\frac{(5-4x)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{1}{(-4)}$ • ² ✓ ¹ • ³ ✓ |
| $2(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$ • ⁴ ✓ ² | $-\frac{(5-4x)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{6} + c$ • ⁴ ✓ ¹ |
| Candidate C | Candidate D |
| Differentiate in part: | Differentiate in part: |
| $(5-4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ • ¹ ✓ | $(5-4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ • ¹ ✓ |
| $-\frac{1}{2}(5-4x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \times \frac{1}{(-4)}$ • ² ✗ • ³ ✓ | $\frac{(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}} \times (-4)$ • ² ✓ • ³ ✗ |
| $\frac{1}{8}(5-4x)^{-\frac{3}{2}} + c$ • ⁴ ✓ ¹ | $-8(5-4x)^{\frac{1}{2}} + c$ • ⁴ ✓ ¹ |

| Question | | Generic Scheme | Illustrative Scheme | Max Mark |
|----------|-----|---|--|----------|
| 14. | (a) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use compound angle formula •² compare coefficients •³ process for k •⁴ process for a and express in required form | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $k \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ - k \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ stated explicitly •² $k \cos a^\circ = \sqrt{3}, k \sin a^\circ = 1$ stated explicitly •³ $k = 2$ •⁴ $2\sin(x - 30)^\circ$ | 4 |

Notes:

1. Accept $k(\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ - \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ)$ for •¹. Treat $k \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ - \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ as bad form only if the equations at the •² stage both contain k .
2. Do not penalise the omission of degree signs.
3. $2\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ - 2\cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ or $2(\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ - \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ)$ is acceptable for •¹ and •³.
4. In the calculation of $k = 2$, do not penalise the appearance of -1 .
5. Accept $k \cos a^\circ = \sqrt{3}, -k \sin a^\circ = -1$ for •².
6. •² is not available for $k \cos x^\circ = \sqrt{3}, k \sin x^\circ = 1$, however, •⁴ is still available.
7. •³ is only available for a single value of $k, k > 0$.
8. •³ is not available to candidates who work with $\sqrt{4}$ throughout parts (a) and (b) without simplifying at any stage.
9. •⁴ is not available for a value of a given in radians.
10. Candidates may use any form of the wave equation for •¹, •² and •³, however, •⁴ is only available if the value of a is interpreted in the form $k \sin(x - a)^\circ$
11. Evidence for •⁴ may only appear as a label on the graph in part (b).

Commonly Observed Responses:

Responses with missing information in working:

| Candidate A | Candidate B |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ^ $2 \cos a = \sqrt{3}$ $2 \sin a = 1$ •² ✓ •³ ✓ $\tan a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, a = 30$ $2\sin(x - 30)^\circ$ •⁴ ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $k \sin x \cos a - k \cos x \sin a$ •¹ ✓ $\cos a = \sqrt{3}$ $\sin a = 1$ •² ✗ $\tan a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ $a = 30$ Not consistent with equations at •². $2\sin(x - 30)^\circ$ •³ ✓ •⁴ ✗ |

| Question | Generic Scheme | Illustrative Scheme | Max Mark |
|---|---|---|----------|
| Responses with the correct expansion of $k \sin(x-a)^\circ$ but errors for either \bullet^2 or \bullet^4 . | | | |
| Candidate C $k \cos a = \sqrt{3}, k \sin a = 1$ $\bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\tan a = \sqrt{3}$ $\bullet^4 \times$ $a = 60$ | Candidate D $k \cos a = 1, k \sin a = \sqrt{3}$ $\bullet^2 \times$ $\tan a = \sqrt{3}$ $a = 60$ $2 \sin(x-60)^\circ$ $\bullet^4 \boxed{\checkmark 1}$ | Candidate E $k \cos a = \sqrt{3}, k \sin a = -1$ $\bullet^2 \times$ $\tan a = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, a = 330$ $2 \sin(x-330)^\circ$ $\bullet^4 \boxed{\checkmark 1}$ | |
| Responses with the incorrect labelling; $k \sin A \cos B - k \cos A \sin B$ from formula list. | | | |
| Candidate F $k \sin A \cos B - k \cos A \sin B$ $\bullet^1 \times$ $k \cos a = \sqrt{3}$ $k \sin a = 1$ $\bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\tan a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, a = 30$ $2 \sin(x-30)^\circ$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark \bullet^4 \checkmark$ | Candidate G $k \sin A \cos B - k \cos A \sin B$ $\bullet^1 \times$ $k \cos x = \sqrt{3}$ $k \sin x = 1$ $\bullet^2 \times$ $\tan x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, x = 30$ $2 \sin(x-30)^\circ$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark \bullet^4 \boxed{\checkmark 1}$ | Candidate H $k \sin A \cos B - k \cos A \sin B$ $\bullet^1 \times$ $k \cos B = \sqrt{3}$ $k \sin B = 1$ $\bullet^2 \times$ $\tan B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}, B = 30$ $2 \sin(x-30)^\circ$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark \bullet^4 \boxed{\checkmark 1}$ | |

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
|----------|-----|--|--|----------|
| 14. | (b) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁵ roots identifiable from graph •⁶ coordinates of both turning points identifiable from graph •⁷ y-intercept and value of y at $x = 360$ identifiable from graph | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁵ 30 and 210 •⁶ (120, 2) and (300, -2) •⁷ -1 | 3 |

Notes:

12. •⁵, •⁶ and •⁷ are only available for attempting to draw a “sine” graph with a period of 360° .
13. Ignore any part of a graph drawn outwith $0 \leq x \leq 360$.
14. Vertical marking is not applicable to •⁵ and •⁶.
15. Candidates sketch arrived at in (b) must be consistent with the equation obtained in (a), see also candidates I and J.
16. For any incorrect horizontal translation of the graph of the wave function arrived at in part(a) only •⁶ is available.

Commonly Observed Responses:

| Candidate I | Candidate J |
|---|--|
| (a) $2 \sin(x - 30)$ correct equation (b) Incorrect translation: Sketch of $2 \sin(x + 30)$ Only • ⁶ is available | (a) $2 \sin(x + 30)$ incorrect equation (b) Sketch of $2 \sin(x + 30)$ All 3 marks are available |

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
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| 15. | (a) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ state value of a •² state value of b | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ -5 •² 3 | 2 |
| Notes: | | | | |
| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | | |

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative Scheme | Max Mark |
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| 15. | (b) | • ³ state value of integral | • ³ 10 | 1 |
| Notes: | | | | |
| <p>1. Candidates answer at (b) must be consistent with the value of b obtained in (a).</p> <p>2. In parts (b) and (c), candidates who have 10 and -6 accompanied by working, the working must be checked to ensure that no errors have occurred prior to the correct answer appearing.</p> | | | | |
| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | | |
| <p>Candidate A From (a) $a = -3$ •¹✗ $b = 5$ •²✗ $\int h(x) dx = 14$ •³ ✓1</p> | | | | |

| Question | | Generic scheme | Illustrative scheme | Max mark |
|-------------------------------------|-----|--|---------------------|----------|
| 15. | (c) | • ⁴ state value of derivative | • ⁴ -6 | 1 |
| Notes: | | | | |
| Commonly Observed Responses: | | | | |

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]