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Advanced Subsidiary GCE

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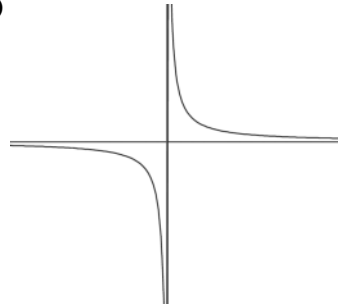
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<p><b>1</b></p> $3(x^2 - 6x) + 4$ $= 3[(x-3)^2 - 9] + 4$ $= 3(x-3)^2 - 23$	<p><b>B1</b> <math>p = 3</math></p> <p><b>B1</b> <math>(x-3)^2</math> seen or <math>q = -3</math></p> <p><b>M1</b> <math>4 - 3q^2</math> or <math>\frac{4}{3} - q^2</math> (their <math>q</math>)</p> <p><b>A1</b> <math>r = -23</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;">4 4</p>	<p>If <math>p, q, r</math> found correctly, then <b>ISW</b> slips in format.</p> <p><math>3(x-3)^2 + 23</math> <b>B1 B1 M0 A0</b></p> <p><math>3(x-3) - 23</math> <b>B1 B1 M1 A1 (BOD)</b></p> <p><math>3(x-3x)^2 - 23</math> <b>B1 B0 M1 A0</b></p> <p><math>3(x^2 - 3)^2 - 23</math> <b>B1 B0 M1 A0</b></p> <p><math>3(x+3)^2 - 23</math> <b>B1 B0 M1 A1 (BOD)</b></p> <p><math>3x(x-3)^2 - 23</math> <b>B0 B1M1A1</b></p>
<p><b>2 (i)</b></p> 	<p><b>B1</b> Reasonably correct curve for <math>y = \frac{1}{x}</math> in 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quadrants only</p> <p><b>B1</b> 2 Very good curves for <math>y = \frac{1}{x}</math> in 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quadrants</p> <p><b>SC</b> If 0, very good single curve in either 1<sup>st</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> quadrant and nothing in other three quadrants. <b>B1</b></p>	<p>N.B. Ignore 'feathering' now that answers are scanned. Reasonably correct shape, not touching axes more than twice.</p> <p>Correct shape, not touching axes, asymptotes clearly the axes. Allow slight movement away from asymptote at one end but not more. Not finite.</p>
<p><b>(ii)</b> Translation 4 units parallel to <math>y</math> axis</p>	<p><b>B1</b> <b>Must</b> be translation/translated – not shift, move etc.</p> <p><b>B1</b> 2 Or <math>\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}</math></p>	<p>For "parallel to the <math>y</math> axis" allow "vertically", "up", "in the (positive) <math>y</math> direction". <b>Do not accept</b> "in/on/across/up/along the <math>y</math> axis"</p>
<p><b>3 (i)</b></p> $\frac{16x^2 \times 2x^3}{x}$ $= 32x^4$	<p><b>B1</b> 32</p> <p><b>B1</b> 2 <math>x^4</math></p>	
<p><b>(ii)</b> <math>\frac{1}{6}x</math></p>	<p><b>M1</b> 6 or <math>\frac{1}{36^{\frac{1}{2}}}</math> or <math>\frac{1}{\sqrt{36}}</math> seen</p> <p><b>A1</b> <math>\frac{1}{6}</math> in final answer</p> <p><b>B1</b> <math>\frac{3}{5}x</math> (Allow <math>x^1</math>) in final answer</p>	<p><math>\frac{1}{\sqrt{36}}</math> is M0</p> <p><math>\pm \frac{1}{6}</math> is A0</p>

4	$2x^2 - 8x + 8 = 26 - 3x$	<b>M1</b>	Attempt to eliminate $x$ or $y$	Must be a clear attempt to reduce to one variable. Condone poor algebra for first mark. <u>If <math>x</math> eliminated:</u> $y = 2\left(\frac{26 - y}{3} - 2\right)^2$ Leading to $2y^2 - 89y + 800 = 0$ $(2y - 25)(y - 32) = 0$ etc.
	$2x^2 - 5x - 18 (= 0)$	<b>A1</b>	Correct 3 term quadratic (not necessarily all in one side)	
	$(2x - 9)(x + 2) (= 0)$	<b>M1</b>	Correct method to solve quadratic	
	$x = \frac{9}{2}, x = -2$	<b>A1</b>	$x$ values correct	
	$y = \frac{25}{2}, y = 32$	<b>A1</b>	5 $y$ values correct	
		<b>5</b>	<b>SR</b> If A0 A0, one correct pair of values, spotted or from correct factorisation <b>www B1</b>	
5 (i)	$10\sqrt{3} - 4\sqrt{3}$	<b>M1</b>	Attempt to express both surds in terms of $\sqrt{3}$	e.g. $\sqrt{3 \times 100} - \sqrt{3 \times 16}$
		<b>B1</b>	One term correct	
	$= 6\sqrt{3}$	<b>A1</b>	3 Fully correct (not $\pm 6\sqrt{3}$ )	
(ii)	$\frac{\sqrt{5}(15 + \sqrt{40})}{5}$	<b>M1</b>	Multiply numerator and denominator by $\sqrt{5}$ or $-\sqrt{5}$ <b>or</b> attempt to express both terms of numerator in terms of $\sqrt{5}$ (e.g. dividing both terms by $\sqrt{5}$ )	Check both numerator and denominator have been multiplied
	$= \frac{15\sqrt{5} + 10\sqrt{2}}{5}$	<b>B1</b>	One of $a, b$ correctly obtained	
	$= 3\sqrt{5} + 2\sqrt{2}$	<b>A1</b>	3 Both $a = 3$ and $b = 2$ correctly obtained	
		<b>6</b>		

6	$k = x^{\frac{1}{4}}$	M1*	Use a substitution to obtain a quadratic or	<p><b>No marks</b> unless evidence of substitution (quadratic seen or square rooting or squaring of roots found). = 0 may be implied.</p> <p>Allow <math>x = x^{\frac{1}{4}}</math> as a substitution.</p> <p><b>No marks</b> if straight to quadratic formula to get <math>x = \frac{2}{3}</math> <math>x = 2</math> and no further working</p> <p><b>No marks</b> if <math>k = x^{\frac{1}{4}}</math> then <math>3k - 8k^2 + 4 = 0</math></p> <p><b>SC</b> If <b>M0</b> Spotted solutions <b>www B1</b> each Justifies 2 solutions exactly <b>B3</b></p>
	$3k^2 - 8k + 4 = 0$	DM1	factorise into 2 brackets each containing $x^{\frac{1}{4}}$	
	$(3k - 2)(k - 2) = 0$		Correct method to solve a quadratic	
	$k = \frac{2}{3}$ or $k = 2$	A1		
	$x = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^4$ or $x = 2^4$	M1	Attempt to calculate $k^4$	
	$x = \frac{16}{81}$ or $x = 16$	A1	5	
		5		
	If candidates use $k = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and rearrange:			
	$3k - 8\sqrt{k} + 4 = 0$			
	$8\sqrt{k} = 3k + 4$			
	$64k = 9k^2 + 24k + 16$	M1*	Substitute, rearrange and square both sides	
	$9k^2 - 40k + 16 = 0$			
	$(9k - 4)(k - 4) = 0$	DM1	Correct method to solve quadratic	
	$k = \frac{4}{9}$ or $k = 4$			
	$x = \left(\frac{4}{9}\right)^2$ or $x = 4^2$	A1		
		M1	Attempt to calculate $k^2$	
	$x = \frac{16}{81}$ or $x = 16$	A1		
7 (i)	$-14 \leq 6x \leq -5$	M1	2 equations or inequalities both dealing with all 3 terms resulting in $a \leq 6x \leq b$ , $a \neq -9$ , $b \neq 0$	<p><b>Do not ISW</b> after correct answer if contradictory inequality seen.</p> <p>Allow <math>-\frac{14}{6} \leq x \leq -\frac{5}{6}</math></p>
	$-\frac{7}{3} \leq x \leq -\frac{5}{6}$	A1	-14 and -5 seen <b>www</b>	
		A1	3 Accept as two separate inequalities provided not linked by "or" (must be $\leq$ )	
(ii)	$0 < x^2 - 4x - 12$	M1	Rearrange to collect all terms on one side	<p><b>Do not ISW</b> after correct answer if contradictory inequality seen.</p> <p>e.g. for last two marks, <math>-2 &gt; x &gt; 6</math> scores <b>M1 A0</b></p>
	$(x - 6)(x + 2)$	M1	Correct method to find roots	
		A1	6, -2 seen	
	$x > 6, x < -2$	M1	Correct method to solve quadratic inequality i.e. $x >$ their higher root, $x <$ their lower root	
		A1	5 (not wrapped, strict inequalities, no 'and')	

<p><b>8 (i)</b> <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x + 6x^{-2}</math></p> <p><math>6x + \frac{6}{x^2} = 0</math></p> <p><math>x = -1</math></p> <p><math>y = 7</math></p>	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p> <p><b>A1 ft</b> 5</p>	<p>Attempt to differentiate (one non-zero term correct)</p> <p>Completely correct</p> <p>Sets their <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = 0</math></p> <p>Correct value for <math>x</math> - <b>www</b></p> <p>Correct value of <math>y</math> for <i>their</i> value of <math>x</math></p>	<p><b>NB</b> <math>x = -1</math> (and therefore possibly <math>y = 7</math>) can be found from equating the incorrect differential</p> <p><math>\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x + 6</math> to 0. This could score <b>M1A0 M1A0A1 ft</b></p> <p>If more than one value of <math>x</math> found, allow <b>A1 ft</b> for one correct value of <math>y</math></p>
<p><b>(ii)</b> <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6 - 12x^{-3}</math></p> <p>When <math>x = -1</math>, <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &gt; 0</math> so minimum pt</p>	<p><b>M1</b></p> <p><b>A1 ft</b> 2</p> <p><b>7</b></p>	<p>Correct method e.g. substitutes their <math>x</math> from (i) into their <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}</math> (must involve <math>x</math>) and considers sign.</p> <p><b>ft</b> from their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math> differentiated correctly and correct substitution of <i>their</i> value of <math>x</math> and consistent final conclusion</p> <p><b>NB</b> If second derivate evaluated, it must be correct (18 for <math>x = -1</math>).</p> <p>If more than one value of <math>x</math> used, max <b>M1 A0</b></p>	<p>Allow comparing signs of their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math> either side of their “- 1”, comparing values of <math>y</math> to their “7”</p> <p><b>SC</b> <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = a</math> constant correctly obtained from their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math> and correct conclusion (ft) <b>B1</b></p>

<p><b>9 (i)</b></p> <p>Gradient of <math>AB = \frac{1-3}{7-1} = -\frac{1}{3}</math></p> <p>Gradient of <math>AC = \frac{-9-3}{-3-1} = 3</math></p> <p>Vertex A <b>OR:</b> Length of <math>AB = \sqrt{(7-1)^2 + (1-3)^2} = \sqrt{40}</math> <math>AC = \sqrt{(-3-1)^2 + (-9-3)^2} = \sqrt{160}</math> <math>BC = \sqrt{(-3-7)^2 + (-9-1)^2} = \sqrt{200}</math> Shows that <math>AB^2 + AC^2 = BC^2</math> Vertex A</p>	<b>M1*</b>	Uses $\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$ for any 2 points	
	<b>A1</b>	One correct gradient (may be for gradient of $BC$ )	
	<b>A1</b>	=1)	
	<b>M1</b>	Gradients for both $AB$ and $AC$ found correctly	Do not allow final mark if vertex A found from wrong working. (Dependent on 1 <sup>st</sup> M 1 A1 A1)
	<b>DB1</b>	Attempts to show that $m_1 \times m_2 = -1$ oe, accept “negative reciprocal”	Accept $B\hat{A}C$ etc for vertex A or “between AB and AC” Allow if marked on diagram.
	<b>M1*</b>	Correct use of Pythagoras, square rooting not needed	
	<b>A1</b>	Any length or length squared correct	
	<b>A1</b>	All three correct	
	<b>M1</b>	5 Correct use of Pythagoras to show $AB^2 + AC^2 = BC^2$	i.e must add squares of shorter two lengths
	<b>DB1</b>		
<p><b>9 (ii)</b></p> <p>Midpoint of <math>BC</math> is <math>\left(\frac{7 + -3}{2}, \frac{1 + -9}{2}\right)</math> <math>= (2, -4)</math></p> <p>Length of <math>BC = \sqrt{(-3-7)^2 + (-9-1)^2} = \sqrt{200} = 10\sqrt{2}</math></p> <p>Radius = <math>5\sqrt{2}</math> <math>(x-2)^2 + (y+4)^2 = (5\sqrt{2})^2</math> <math>(x-2)^2 + (y+4)^2 = 50</math> <math>x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 8y - 30 = 0</math></p>	<b>M1*</b>	Uses $\left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}\right)$ o.e. for $BC, AB$ or	<u>Substitution method 1</u> (into $x^2 + y^2 + ax + by + c = 0$ ) Substitutes all 3 points to get 3 equations in $a, b, c$ <b>M1</b> At least 2 equations correct <b>A1</b> Correct method to find one variable <b>M1</b> One of $a, b, c$ correct <b>A1</b> Correct method to find other values <b>M1</b> All values correct <b>A1</b> Correct equation in required form <b>A1</b>
	<b>A1</b>	AC (3 out of 4 subs correct) Correct centre ( <b>cao</b> )	<u>Alternative markscheme for last 4 marks with <math>f, g, c</math> method:</u> $x^2 - 4x + y^2 + 8y$ for their centre <b>DM1*</b> $c = (\pm 2)^2 + 4^2 - 50$ <b>DM1**</b> $c = -30$ <b>A1</b> Correct equation in required form <b>A1</b> <u>Ends of diameter method (<math>p, q</math>) to (<math>c, d</math>):</u> Attempts to use $(x-p)(x-c) + (y-q)(y-d) = 0$ for $BC, AC$ or $AB$ <b>M2</b> $(x-7)(x+3) + (y-1)(y+9) = 0$ <b>A2</b> for both $x$ brackets correct, <b>A2</b> for both $y$ brackets correct $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 8y - 30 = 0$ <b>A1</b> <b>SC</b> If <b>M2 A0 A0</b> then <b>B1</b> if both $x$ brackets correct and <b>B1</b> if both $y$ brackets correct for <b>AC</b> or <b>AB</b>
	<b>M1**</b>	Correct method to find $d$ or $r$ or $d^2$ or $r^2$ o.e. for $BC, AB$ or $AC$ (must be consistent with their midpoint if found)	
	<b>DM1*</b>	7 $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2$ seen for their centre	
	<b>DM1**</b>	<b>12</b> $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 = \text{their } r^2$	
	<b>A1</b>	Correct equation	
	<b>A1</b>	Correct equation in required form	

				<p>Substitution method 2 into <math>(x-p)^2 + (y-q)^2 = \text{their } r^2</math>            Correct method to find <math>d</math> or <math>r</math> or <math>d^2</math> or <math>r^2</math> *M1            Substitutes all 3 points to get 3 equations in <math>p, q</math> DM1            At least 2 equations correct A1            Correct method to find one variable M1            One of <math>p, q</math> correct A1            Correct equation <math>[(x-2)^2 + (y+4)^2 = 50]</math> A1            Correct equation in required form  <math>[x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 8y - 30 = 0]</math> A1</p>
10(i)		<p>B1 +ve cubic with 3 distinct roots            B1 (0, 3) labelled or indicated on y-axis            B1 (-3, 0), <math>(\frac{1}{2}, 0)</math> and (1, 0) labelled or indicated on x-axis and no other x- intercepts</p>	<p>3            To gain second and third B marks, there must be an attempt at a curve, not just points on axes.            Final B1 can be awarded for a negative cubic.</p>	
(ii)	$2x^2 + 5x - 3, x^2 + 2x - 3, 2x^2 - 3x + 1$ $(2x^2 + 5x - 3)(x - 1)$ $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 8x + 3$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 + 6x - 8$ When $x = 1$ , gradient = 4	<p>B1 Obtain one quadratic factor (can be unsimplified)            M1 Attempt to multiply a quadratic by a linear factor            A1            M1 Attempt to differentiate (one non-zero term correct)            A1 Fully correct expression www            A1 Confirms gradient = 4 at <math>x = 1</math> **AG</p>	<p>6            Alternative for first 3 marks:            Attempt to expand all 3 brackets with an appropriate number of terms (including an <math>x^3</math> term) M1            Expansion with at most 1 incorrect term A1            Correct, answer (can be unsimplified) A1            Allow if done in part(i) please check.</p>	
(iii)	Gradient of $l = 4$ On curve, when $x = -2$ , $y = 15$ $y - 15 = 4(x + 2)$ $y = 4x + 23$	<p>B1 May be embedded in equation of line            B1 Correct y coordinate            M1 Correct equation of line using their values            A1 Correct answer in correct form</p>	<p>4            M mark is for any equation of line with any non-zero numerical gradient through (-2, their evaluated y)</p>	
(iv)	Attempt to find gradient of curve when $x = -2$ $6(-2)^2 + 6(-2) - 8 = 4$ So line is a tangent	<p>M1 Substitute <math>x = -2</math> into their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math>            A1 Obtain gradient of 4 CWO            A1 Correct conclusion</p>	<p>3            16            Alternatives            1) Equates equation of <math>l</math> to equation of curve and attempts to divide resulting cubic by <math>(x + 2)</math> M1            Obtains <math>(x + 2)^2(2x - 5) (=0)</math> A1            Concludes repeated root implies tangent at <math>x = -2</math> A1            2) Equates their gradient function to 4 and uses correct method to solve the resulting quadratic M1            Obtains <math>(x + 2)(x - 1) = 0</math> oe A1            Correctly concludes gradient = 4 when <math>x = -2</math> A1</p>	



**Allocation of method mark for solving a quadratic**

e.g.  $2x^2 - 5x - 18 = 0$

1) If the candidate attempts to solve by factorisation, their attempt when expanded must produce the **correct quadratic term** and **one other correct term** (with correct sign):

$$(2x + 2)(x - 9) = 0$$

**M1**  $2x^2$  and  $-18$  obtained from expansion

$$(2x + 3)(x - 4) = 0$$

**M1**  $2x^2$  and  $-5x$  obtained from expansion

$$(2x - 9)(x - 2) = 0$$

**M0** only  $2x^2$  term correct

2) If the candidate attempts to solve by using the formula

a) If the formula is quoted incorrectly then **M0**.

b) If the formula is quoted correctly then one **sign slip** is permitted. Substituting the wrong numerical value for a or b or c scores **M0**

$$\frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{(-5)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times -18}}{2 \times 2}$$

earns **M1** (minus sign incorrect at start of formula)

$$\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{(-5)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times 18}}{2 \times 2}$$

earns **M1** (18 for c instead of  $-18$ )

$$\frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{(-5)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times 18}}{2 \times 2}$$

**M0** (2 sign errors: initial sign and c incorrect)

$$\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{(-5)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times -18}}{2 \times -5}$$

**M0** (2b on the denominator)

**Notes** – for equations such as  $2x^2 - 5x - 18 = 0$ , then  $b^2 = 5^2$  would be condoned in the discriminant and would not be counted as a sign error. Repeating the sign error for a in both occurrences in the formula would be two sign errors and score **M0**.

c) If the formula is not quoted at all, substitution must be completely correct to earn the **M1**

3) If the candidate attempts to complete the square, they must get to the “square root stage” involving  $\pm$ ; we are looking for evidence that the candidate knows a quadratic has two solutions!

$$2x^2 - 5x - 18 = 0$$

$$2\left(x^2 - \frac{5}{2}x\right) - 18 = 0$$

$$2\left[\left(x - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 - \frac{25}{16}\right] - 18 = 0$$

$$\left(x - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2 = \frac{169}{16}$$

$$x - \frac{5}{4} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{169}{16}}$$

← This is where the **M1** is awarded – arithmetical errors may be condoned provided  $x - \frac{5}{4}$  seen or implied

If a candidate makes repeated attempts (e.g. fails to factorise and then tries the formula), mark only what you consider to be their last full attempt.

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