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Mark Scheme (Results)

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Question number	Scheme	Marks
2.	(a) $(1+px)^9 = 1+9px; +\binom{9}{2}(px)^2$ (b) $9p = 36, \text{ so } p = 4$ $q = \frac{9 \times 8}{2} p^2 \text{ or } 36p^2 \text{ or } 36p \text{ if that follows from their (a)}$ So $q = 576$	B1 B1 (2) M1 A1 M1 A1cao (4) <b>6</b>
N.B.	(a) 2 <sup>nd</sup> B1 for $\binom{9}{2}(px)^2$ or better. Condone “,” not “+”. (b) 1 <sup>st</sup> M1 for a linear equation for $p$ . 2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 for either printed expression, follow through their $p$ . 1+9px+36px <sup>2</sup> leading to $p = 4, q = 144$ scores B1B0 M1A1M1A0 i.e 4/6	
3.	(a) $(AB)^2 = (4-3)^2 + (5)^2 \quad [= 26]$ $AB = \sqrt{26}$ (b) $p = \left(\frac{4+3}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$ $= \left(\frac{7}{2}, \frac{5}{2}\right)$ (c) $(x-x_p)^2 + (y-y_p)^2 = \left(\frac{AB}{2}\right)^2$ $(x-3.5)^2 + (y-2.5)^2 = 6.5$	M1 A1 (2) M1 A1 (2) LHS M1 RHS M1 oe A1 c.a.o (3) <b>7</b>
	(a) M1 for an expression for $AB$ or $AB^2$ N.B. $(x_1 + x_2)^2 + \dots$ is M0 (b) M1 for a full method for $x_p$ (c) 1 <sup>st</sup> M1 for using their $x_p$ and $y_p$ in LHS 2 <sup>nd</sup> M1 for using their $AB$ in RHS N.B. $x^2 + y^2 - 7x - 5y + 12 = 0$ scores, of course, 3/3 for part (c). Condone use of calculator approximations that lead to correct answer given.	

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4.	<p>(a) <math>\frac{a}{1-r} = 480</math></p> <p><math>\frac{120}{1-r} = 480 \Rightarrow 120 = 480(1-r)</math></p> <p><math>1-r = \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow \underline{r = \frac{3}{4}} \quad *</math></p> <p>(b) <math>u_5 = 120 \times \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^4 [= 37.96875]</math></p> <p><math>u_6 = 120 \times \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5 [= 28.4765625]</math></p> <p>Difference = <u>9.49</u></p> <p>(c) <math>S_7 = \frac{120(1-(0.75)^7)}{1-0.75}</math></p> <p><math>= 415.9277\dots</math></p> <p>(d) <math>\frac{120(1-(0.75)^n)}{1-0.75} &gt; 300</math></p> <p><math>1-(0.75)^n &gt; \frac{300}{480}</math></p> <p><math>n &gt; \frac{\log(0.375)}{\log(0.75)}</math></p> <p><math>\underline{n = 4}</math></p>	<p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1cso (3)</p> <p>either M1</p> <p>(allow <math>\pm</math>) A1 (2)</p> <p>M1</p> <p>(AWRT) <u>416</u> A1 (2)</p> <p>M1</p> <p>(or better) A1</p> <p>(=3.409...) M1</p> <p>A1cso (4)</p> <p><b>11</b></p>
Trial & Imp.	<p>(a) 1<sup>st</sup> M1 for use of <math>S_\infty</math></p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> M1 substituting for <math>a</math> and moving <math>(1-r)</math> to form linear equation in <math>r</math>.</p> <p>(b) M1 for some correct use of <math>ar^{n-1}</math>. [<math>120\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^5 - 120\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^6</math> is M0]</p> <p>(c) M1 for a correct expression (need use of <math>a</math> and <math>r</math>)</p> <p>(d) 1<sup>st</sup> M1 for attempting <math>S_n &gt; 300</math> [or = 300] (need use of <math>a</math> and some use of <math>r</math>)</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for valid attempt to solve <math>r^n = p(r, p &lt; 1)</math>, must give linear eqn in <math>n</math>. Any correct log form will do.</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> M1 for attempting at least 2 values of <math>S_n</math>, one <math>n &lt; 4</math> and one <math>n \geq 4</math>.</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for attempting <math>S_3</math> and <math>S_4</math>.</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> A1 for both values correct to 2 s.f. or better.</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> A1 for <math>n = 4</math>.</p>	<p><u>For Information</u></p> <p><math>u_1 = 120</math></p> <p><math>u_2 = 90</math></p> <p><math>u_3 = 67.5</math></p> <p><math>u_4 = 50.625</math></p> <p><math>S_2 = 210</math></p> <p><math>S_3 = 277.5</math></p> <p><math>S_4 = 328.125</math></p> <p><math>S_5 = 366.09\dots</math></p>



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6.	<p>(a) <math>t = 15 \quad 25 \quad 30</math>  <math>v = \underline{3.80 \quad 9.72 \quad 15.37}</math></p> <p>(b) <math>S \approx \frac{1}{2} \times 5; [0 + 15.37 + 2(1.22 + 2.28 + 3.80 + 6.11 + 9.72)]</math>  <math>= \frac{5}{2} [61.63] = 154.075 = \text{AWRT } \underline{154}</math></p>	<p>B1 B1 B1 (3)</p> <p>B1 [M1]</p> <p>A1 (3)</p> <p><b>6</b></p>
	<p>(a) S.C. Penalise AWRT these values <u>once</u> at first offence, thus the following marks could be AWRT 2 dp (Max 2/3)</p>	

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7.	<p>(a) <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 10x - 4</math></p> <p>(b) <math>6x^2 - 10x - 4 = 0</math>  <math>2(3x + 1)(x - 2) [=0]</math>  <math>x = 2</math> or <math>-\frac{1}{3}</math> (both x values)</p> <p>Points are <math>(2, -10)</math> and <math>(-\frac{1}{3}, 2\frac{19}{27}</math> or <math>\frac{73}{27}</math> or 2.70 or better) (both y values)</p> <p>(c) <math>\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12x - 10</math></p> <p>(d) <math>x = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} (=14) \geq 0 \therefore [(2, -10)]</math> is a <u>Min</u></p> <p><math>x = -\frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} (= -14) \leq 0 \therefore [(-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{73}{27})]</math> is a <u>Max</u></p>	<p>M1 A1 (2)</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1 (4)</p> <p>M1 A1 (2)</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1 (2)</p> <p><b>10</b></p>
	<p>(a) M1 for some correct attempt to differentiate <math>x^n \rightarrow x^{n-1}</math></p> <p>(b) 1<sup>st</sup> M1 for setting their <math>\frac{dy}{dx} = 0</math></p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for attempting to solve 3TQ but it must be based on their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math>.</p> <p>NO marks for answers only in part (b)</p> <p>(c) M1 for attempting to differentiate their <math>\frac{dy}{dx}</math></p> <p>(d) M1 for one correct use of their second derivative or a full method to determine the nature of one of their stationary points</p> <p>A1 both correct (=14 and = -14) are not required</p>	

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8.	<p>(a) <math>\sin(\theta + 30) = \frac{3}{5}</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>\frac{3}{5}</math> on RHS)</span></p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;"><math>\theta + 30 = 36.9</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>\alpha = \text{AWRT } 37</math>)</span></p> <p>or <math>\theta = 143.1</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>180 - \alpha</math>)</span></p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;"><u><math>\theta = 6.9, 113.1</math></u> <span style="float: right;">A1cao</span></p> <p>(b) <math>\tan \theta = \pm 2</math> or <math>\sin \theta = \pm \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}</math> or <math>\cos \theta = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}</math> <span style="float: right;">B1</span></p> <p>(<math>\tan \theta = 2 \Rightarrow</math>) <math>\theta = \underline{63.4}</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>\beta = \text{AWRT } 63.4</math>)</span> <span style="float: right;">B1</span></p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">or <math>\underline{243.4}</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>180 + \beta</math>)</span> <span style="float: right;">M1</span></p> <p>(<math>\tan \theta = -2 \Rightarrow</math>) <math>\theta = \underline{116.6}</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>180 - \beta</math>)</span> <span style="float: right;">M1</span></p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">or <math>\underline{296.6}</math> <span style="float: right;">(<math>180 + \text{their } 116.6</math>)</span> <span style="float: right;">M1</span></p>	<p style="text-align: right;">(4)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(5)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>9</b></p>
	<p>(a) M1 for <math>180 -</math> their first solution. Must be at the correct stage i.e. for <math>\theta + 30</math></p> <p>(b) ALL M marks in (b) must be for <math>\theta = \dots</math></p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> M1 for <math>180 +</math> their first solution</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for <math>180 -</math> their first solution</p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup> M1 for <math>180 +</math> their <math>116.6</math> or <math>360 -</math> their first solution</p> <p><u>Answers Only</u> can score full marks in both parts</p> <p><u>Not 1 d.p.:</u> loses A1 in part (a). In (b) all answers are AWRT.</p> <p>Ignore extra solutions outside range</p> <p><u>Radians</u> Allow M marks for consistent work with radians only, but all A and B marks for angles must be in degrees. Mixing degrees and radians is M0.</p>	



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9.	<p>(a) <math>\frac{3}{2} = -2x^2 + 4x</math>  <math>4x^2 - 8x + 3 = 0</math>  <math>(2x-1)(2x-3) = 0</math>  <math>x = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}</math></p> <p>(b) Area of <math>R = \int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}} (-2x^2 + 4x) dx - \frac{3}{2}</math> (for <math>-\frac{3}{2}</math>)  <math>\int (-2x^2 + 4x) dx = \left[ -\frac{2}{3}x^3 + 2x^2 \right]</math> (Allow <math>\pm[ ]</math>, accept <math>\frac{4}{2}x^2</math>)  <math>\int_{\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}} (-2x^2 + 4x) dx = \left( -\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3^3}{2^3} + 2 \times \frac{3^2}{2^2} \right) - \left( -\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{2^3} + 2 \times \frac{1}{2^2} \right)</math>  <math>\left( = \frac{11}{6} \right)</math>  Area of <math>R = \frac{11}{6} - \frac{3}{2} = \frac{1}{3}</math> (Accept exact equivalent but not 0.33...)</p>	<p>M1 A1 M1 A1 (4)</p> <p>B1 M1 [A1] M1 M1 A1cao (6)</p> <p><b>10</b></p>
Special Case	<p>(a) 1<sup>st</sup> M1 for forming a correct equation  1<sup>st</sup> A1 for a correct 3TQ (condone missing =0 but must have all terms on one side)  2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for attempting to solve appropriate 3TQ</p> <p>(b) B1 for subtraction of <math>\frac{3}{2}</math>. Either “curve – line” or “integral – rectangle”  1<sup>st</sup> M1 for some correct attempt at integration (<math>x^n \rightarrow x^{n+1}</math>)  1<sup>st</sup> A1 for <math>-\frac{2}{3}x^3 + 2x^2</math> only i.e. can ignore <math>-\frac{3}{2}x</math>  2<sup>nd</sup> M1 for some correct use of their <math>\frac{3}{2}</math> as a limit in integral  3<sup>rd</sup> M1 for some correct use of their <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> as a limit in integral and subtraction either way round</p> <p><u>Line – curve</u> gets B0 but can have the other A marks provided final answer is <math>+\frac{1}{3}</math>.</p>	

**GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR C1 & C2 MARKING****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  $x^2 + bx + c = 0$ :  $(x \pm p)^2 \pm q \pm c$ ,  $p \neq 0$ ,  $q \neq 0$ , 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 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 will 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 gain no 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.

**Misreads**

A misread must be consistent for the whole question to be interpreted as such.

These are not common. In clear cases, please deduct the first 2 A (or B) marks which would have been lost by following the scheme. (Note that 2 marks is the maximum misread penalty, but that misreads which alter the nature or difficulty of the question cannot be treated so generously and it will usually be necessary here to follow the scheme as written).

Sometimes following the scheme as written is more generous to the candidate than applying the misread rule, so in this case use the scheme as written.

If in doubt please send to review or refer to Team Leader.