

C3 Paper A – Marking Guide

1.	$= \left[\frac{3}{4}(2x-3)^{\frac{2}{3}} \right]_2^{15}$ $= \frac{3}{4} (27^{\frac{2}{3}} - 1)$ $= \frac{3}{4} (9 - 1) = 6$	M1 A1 M1 M1 A1 (5)
2.	$= \pi \int_1^3 \frac{(3x+1)^2}{x} dx$ $= \pi \int_1^3 \frac{9x^2+6x+1}{x} dx = \int_1^3 (9x+6+\frac{1}{x}) dx$ $= \pi \left[\frac{9}{2}x^2 + 6x + \ln x \right]_1^3$ $= \pi \left\{ \left(\frac{81}{2} + 18 + \ln 3 \right) - \left(\frac{9}{2} + 6 + 0 \right) \right\}$ $= \pi(48 + \ln 3)$	M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A1 (6)
3.	<p>(i) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3(3x-5)^2 \times 3 = 9(3x-5)^2$ grad = 9 $\therefore y - 1 = 9(x - 2)$ [$y = 9x - 17$]</p> <p>(ii) $9(3x-5)^2 = 9$, $3x-5 = \pm 1$ $x = 2$ (at P), $\frac{4}{3}$ $\therefore Q(\frac{4}{3}, -1)$</p>	M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A2 (7)
4.	$e^{2y} - x + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow e^{2y} = x - 2$ $2y = \ln(x - 2)$ <p>sub. $\Rightarrow \ln(x+3) - \ln(x-2) - 1 = 0$ $\ln \frac{x+3}{x-2} = 1$ $\frac{x+3}{x-2} = e$ $x+3 = e(x-2)$, $3+2e = x(e-1)$ $x = \frac{2e+3}{e-1} = 4.91$ (2dp), $y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{2e+3}{e-1} - 2 \right) = 0.53$ (2dp)</p>	M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A2 (7)
5.	<p>(i) $\tan^{-1}(x-2) = -\frac{\pi}{3}$ $x-2 = \tan(-\frac{\pi}{3}) = -\sqrt{3}$ $x = 2 - \sqrt{3}$</p> <p>(ii) $1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta - \sin \theta - 1 = 0$ $2 \sin^2 \theta + \sin \theta = 0$, $\sin \theta(2 \sin \theta + 1) = 0$ $\sin \theta = 0$ or $-\frac{1}{2}$ $\theta = 0$ or $-\frac{\pi}{6}$, $-\pi + \frac{\pi}{6}$ $\theta = -\frac{5\pi}{6}$, $-\frac{\pi}{6}$, 0</p>	M1 M1 A1 M1 M1 A1 A2 (8)
6.	<p>(i) $= f(\frac{1}{2}) = -\frac{5}{2}$</p> <p>(ii) $gf(x) = \frac{2}{(3x-4)+3} = \frac{2}{3x-1}$ $\therefore \frac{2}{3x-1} = 6$, $2 = 6(3x-1)$ $x = \frac{4}{9}$</p> <p>(iii) $y = \frac{2}{x+3}$, $x+3 = \frac{2}{y}$, $x = \frac{2}{y} - 3$ $\therefore g^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x} - 3$</p>	M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A1 M1 A1 (8)

7. (i) $2 \sin x - 3 \cos x = R \sin x \cos \alpha - R \cos x \sin \alpha$
 $R \cos \alpha = 2, R \sin \alpha = 3$ M1
 $\therefore R = \sqrt{2^2 + 3^2} = \sqrt{13}$ A1
 $\tan \alpha = \frac{3}{2}, \alpha = 56.3$ (3sf) A1
 $\therefore 2 \sin x^\circ - 3 \cos x^\circ = \sqrt{13} \sin (x - 56.3)^\circ$
- (ii) $\operatorname{cosec} x^\circ + 3 \cot x^\circ = 2 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin x} + \frac{3 \cos x}{\sin x} = 2$
 $\Rightarrow 1 + 3 \cos x = 2 \sin x$
 $\Rightarrow 2 \sin x^\circ - 3 \cos x^\circ = 1$ B1
- (iii) $\sqrt{13} \sin (x - 56.31) = 1$
 $\sin (x - 56.31) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}}$ M1
 $x - 56.31 = 16.10, 180 - 16.10 = 16.10, 163.90$ M1
 $x = 72.4, 220.2$ (1dp) A2 (8)
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8. (i) $= f(3a) = 0$ M1 A1
- (ii) B4
- (iii) $(x - 3a)^2 = (2x + a)^2$ M1
 $3x^2 + 10ax - 8a^2 = 0$ A1
 $(3x - 2a)(x + 4a) = 0$ M1
 $x = -4a, \frac{2}{3}a$ A1 (10)
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9. (i) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 - \frac{3}{2x+5} \times 2 = 2 - \frac{6}{2x+5}$ M1
 $\text{grad} = -4, \text{grad of normal} = \frac{1}{4}$ A1
 $\therefore y + 4 = \frac{1}{4}(x + 2) \quad [y = \frac{1}{4}x - \frac{7}{2}]$ M1 A1
- (ii) $\frac{1}{4}x - \frac{7}{2} = 2x - 3 \ln (2x + 5)$ M1
 $\frac{7}{4}x + \frac{7}{2} - 3 \ln (2x + 5) = 0$
 $\text{let } f(x) = \frac{7}{4}x + \frac{7}{2} - 3 \ln (2x + 5)$
 $f(1) = -0.59, f(2) = 0.41$ M1
 $\text{sign change, } f(x) \text{ continuous } \therefore \text{root}$ A1
- (iii) $\frac{7}{4}x + \frac{7}{2} - 3 \ln (2x + 5) = 0$
 $7x + 14 - 12 \ln (2x + 5) = 0$
 $7x = 12 \ln (2x + 5) - 14$ M1
 $x = \frac{12}{7} \ln (2x + 5) - 2$ A1
- (iv) $x_{n+1} = \frac{12}{7} \ln (2x_n + 5) - 2, x_0 = 1.5$
 $x_1 = 1.5648, x_2 = 1.5923, x_3 = 1.6039, x_4 = 1.6087, x_5 = 1.6107$ M1
 $q = 1.61$ (3sf) A1
 $f(1.605) = -0.0073, f(1.615) = 0.0029$ M1
 $\text{sign change, } f(x) \text{ continuous } \therefore \text{root } \therefore q = 1.61$ (3sf) A1 (13)

Total (72)