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## Key to mark scheme abbreviations

| M | mark is for method |
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| m or dM | mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for method |
| A | mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy |
| B | mark is independent of $M$ or $m$ marks and is for method and accuracy |
| E | mark is for explanation |
| $\checkmark$ orft or F | follow through from previous incorrect result |
| CAO | correct answer only |
| CSO | correct solution only |
| AWFW | anything which falls within |
| AWRT | anything which rounds to |
| ACF | any correct form |
| AG | answer given |
| SC | special case |
| OE | or equivalent |
| A2,1 | 2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks |
| -x EE | deduct $x$ marks for each error |
| NMS | no method shown |
| PI | possibly implied |
| SCA | substantially correct approach |
| c | candidate |
| sf | significant figure(s) |
| dp | decimal place(s) |

## No Method Shown

Where the question specifically requires a particular method to be used, we must usually see evidence of use of this method for any marks to be awarded.

Where the answer can be reasonably obtained without showing working and it is very unlikely that the correct answer can be obtained by using an incorrect method, we must award full marks. However, the obvious penalty to candidates showing no working is that incorrect answers, however close, earn no marks.

Where a question asks the candidate to state or write down a result, no method need be shown for full marks.

Where the permitted calculator has functions which reasonably allow the solution of the question directly, the correct answer without working earns full marks, unless it is given to less than the degree of accuracy accepted in the mark scheme, when it gains no marks.

Otherwise we require evidence of a correct method for any marks to be awarded.

| Q1 | Solution | Mark | Total | Comment |
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| (a) (b) | $\begin{aligned} & r+1=A(r+2)+B \text { or } \\ & 1=\frac{A(r+2)}{r+1}+\frac{B}{r+1} \\ & \text { either } A=1 \text { or } B=-1 \\ & \frac{1}{(r+2) r!}=\frac{1}{(r+1)!}-\frac{1}{(r+2)!} \\ & \frac{1}{2!}-\frac{1}{3!}+\frac{1}{3!}-\frac{1}{4!}+\ldots \\ & \frac{1}{(n+1)!}-\frac{1}{(n+2)!} \\ & \text { Sum }=\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{(n+2)!} \end{aligned}$ | M1 A1 A1 M1 A1 |  | OE with factorials removed <br> correctly obtained <br> allow if seen in part (b) <br> use of their result from part (a) at least twice <br> must simplify 2 ! <br> and must have scored at least M1 A1 in part (a) |
|  | Total |  | 5 |  |
| (a) | Alternative Method Substituting two values of $r$ to obtain two correct equations in $A$ and $B$ with factorials evaluated correctly $r=0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}=A+\frac{B}{2} \quad ; r=1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3}=\frac{A}{2}+\frac{B}{6} \quad$ earns $\mathbf{M 1}$ then A1, A1 as in main scheme <br> NMS $\frac{1}{(r+1)!}-\frac{1}{(r+2)!} \quad$ earns 3 marks. <br> However, using an incorrect expression resulting from poor algebra such as $1=A(r+2)!+B(r+1)!$ with candidate often fluking $A=1, B=-1$ scores M0 ie zero marks which you should denote as FIW These candidates can then score a maximum of M1 in part (b). <br> ISW for incorrect simplification after correct answer seen |  |  |  |


| Q2 | Solution | Mark | Total | Comment |
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| (a) |  <br> Graph roughly correct through $O$ | M1 |  | condone infinite gradient at $O$ for M1 |
|  | Correct behaviour as $x \rightarrow \pm \infty \& \operatorname{grad}$ at $O$ <br> Asymptotes have equations $y=1 \& y=-1$ | A1 <br> B1 | 3 | must state equations |
| (b) | $\operatorname{sech} x=\frac{2}{\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}} ; \tanh x=\frac{\mathrm{e}^{x}-\mathrm{e}^{-x}}{\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}}$ | B1 |  | both correct ACF or correct squares of these expressions seen |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \left(\operatorname{sech}^{2} x+\tanh ^{2} x=\right) \frac{2^{2}+\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}-\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)^{2}}{\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)^{2}} \\ & \operatorname{sech}^{2} x+\tanh ^{2} x=\frac{\mathrm{e}^{2 x}+2+\mathrm{e}^{-2 x}}{\mathrm{e}^{2 x}+2+\mathrm{e}^{-2 x}}=1 \end{aligned}$ | M1 A1 | 3 | attempt to combine their squared terms with correct single denominator <br> AG valid proof convincingly shown to equal 1 including LHS seen |
| (c) | $\begin{aligned} & 6\left(1-\tanh ^{2} x\right)=4+\tanh x \\ & \quad 6 \tanh ^{2} x+\tanh x-2 \quad(=0) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { B1 } \\ \text { M1 } \end{gathered}$ |  | correct use of identity from part (b) forming quadratic in $\tanh x$ |
|  | $\tanh x=\frac{1}{2}, \quad \tanh x=-\frac{2}{3}$ | A1 |  | obtained from correct quadratic |
|  | $\tanh x=k \Rightarrow x=\frac{1}{2} \ln \left(\frac{1+k}{1-k}\right)$ | A1F |  | FT a value of $k$ provided $\|k\|<1$ |
|  | $x=\frac{1}{2} \ln 3 \quad, \quad x=\frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1}{5}$ | A1 | 5 | both solutions correct and no others any equivalent form involving $\ln$ |
|  | Total |  | 11 |  |

(a) Actual asymptotes need not be shown, but if asymptotes are drawn then curve should not cross them for A1. Gradient should not be infinite at $O$ for A1.
(b) Condone trailing equal signs up to final line provided " $\operatorname{sech}^{2} x+\tanh ^{2} x=$ " is seen on previous line for A1 Denominator may be $\mathrm{e}^{4 x}+4 \mathrm{e}^{2 x}+6+\mathrm{e}^{4 x}+4 \mathrm{e}^{-2 x}+\mathrm{e}^{-4 x}$ etc for $\mathbf{M 1}$ and $\mathbf{A 1}$
Accept $\operatorname{sech}^{2} x+\tanh ^{2} x=\frac{\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)^{2}}{\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)^{2}}=1$ for $\mathbf{A 1}$
Alternative : $\left(\frac{1}{\cosh ^{2} x}+\frac{\sinh ^{2} x}{\cosh ^{2} x}=\right) \frac{1+\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}-\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)\right)^{2}}{\left(\frac{1}{2}\left(\mathrm{e}^{x}+\mathrm{e}^{-x}\right)\right)^{2}}$ scores B1 M1
and then A1 for $\operatorname{sech}^{2} x+\tanh ^{2} x=\frac{\frac{1}{4} \mathrm{e}^{2 x}+\frac{1}{4} \mathrm{e}^{-2 x}+\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{1}{4} \mathrm{e}^{2 x}+\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{4} \mathrm{e}^{-2 x}}=1,($ all like terms combined in any order $)$.


| Q4 | Solution | Mark | Total | Comment |
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| (a) | $\mathrm{f}(k+1)=2^{4 k+7}+3^{3 k+4}$ | M1 |  |  |
|  | convincingly showing $2^{4 k+7}=16 \times 2^{4 k+3}$ $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{f}(\mathrm{k}+1)-16 \mathrm{f}(\mathrm{k}) \\ & \quad=(81-16 \times 3) \times 3^{3 k} \end{aligned}$ | E1 |  | must see $16=2^{4} \mathrm{OE}$ |
|  | $=33 \times 3^{3 k}$ | A1 | 3 |  |
| (b) | $f(1)=209$ therefore $f(1)$ is a multiple of 11 | B1 |  | $\mathrm{f}(1)=209=11 \times 19$ or $209 \div 11=19$ etc therefore true when $n=1$ |
|  | Assume $\mathrm{f}(k)$ is a multiple of $11\left(^{*}\right)$ $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{f}(k+1)= & 16 \mathrm{f}(k)+33 \times 3^{3 k} \\ & =11 M+11 N=11(M+N) \end{aligned}$ <br> Therefore $\mathrm{f}(k+1)$ is a multiple of 11 | M1 <br> A1 |  | attempt at $\mathrm{f}(k+1)=\ldots$ using their result from part (a) where $M$ and $N$ are integers |
|  | Since $f(1)$ is multiple of 11 then $f(2), f(3), \ldots$ are multiples of 11 by induction (or is a multiple of 11 for all integers $n \geq 1$ ) | E1 | 4 | must earn previous 3 marks and have (*) before E1 can be awarded |
|  | Total |  | 7 |  |
| (a) | It is possible to score M1 E0 A1 |  |  |  |
| (b) | Withhold E1 for conclusion such as "a multiple of 11 for all $n \geq 1$ " or poor notation, etc |  |  |  |


| Q5 | Solution | Mark | Total | Comment |
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| (a) |  <br> Straight line <br> Through midpoint of $O P, P$ correct | $\begin{gathered} \text { M1 } \\ \text { A1 } \end{gathered}$ | 3 | Ignore the line $O P$ drawn in full or circles drawn as part of construction for locus $L$. <br> $P$ represents $2-4 i$ |
| (b)(i) | $\begin{aligned} & (x-2)^{2}+(y+4)^{2}=x^{2}+y^{2} \\ & 2 y-x+5=0 \\ & A(5,0) \quad \& \quad B(0,-2.5) \end{aligned}$ | M1 <br> A1 <br> A1 |  | may have $5+0 \mathrm{i}$ and $0-2.5 \mathrm{i}$ |
|  | $C\left(\frac{5}{2},-\frac{5}{4}\right) \Rightarrow \text { complex num }=\frac{5}{2}-\frac{5}{4} \mathrm{i}$ | A1 | 4 |  |
|  | either $\quad \alpha=\frac{5}{2}-\frac{5}{4} \mathrm{i}$ or $k=\frac{5 \sqrt{5}}{4}$ | M1 |  | allow statement with correct value for centre or radius of circle |
|  | $\left\|z-\frac{5}{2}+\frac{5}{4} i\right\|=\frac{5 \sqrt{5}}{4}$ |  | 2 | must have exact surd form |
|  | Total |  | 9 |  |
| (a) | Withhold the final $\mathbf{A 1}$ (if 3 marks earned) if the straight line does not go beyond the $\operatorname{Re}(\mathrm{z})$ axis and negative $\operatorname{Im}(z)$ axis. <br> The two $\mathbf{A 1}$ marks can be awarded independently. |  |  |  |
| (b)(i) | Alternative 1: $\operatorname{grad} O P=-2 \Rightarrow \operatorname{grad} L=0.5 \mathbf{M 1} ; y+2=\frac{1}{2}(x-1)$ OE A1 then A1, A1 as per scheme Alternative 2: substituting $z=x$ (or $a$ ) then $z=\mathrm{iy}$ ( or ib) into given locus equation Both $(x-2)^{2}+4^{2}=x^{2}$ and $2^{2}+(y+4)^{2}=y^{2}$ M1; $4-4 x+16=0$ and $4+8 y+16=0$ OE for A1 then A1, A1 as per scheme. |  |  |  |



| Q7 | Solution | Mark | Total | Comment |
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| (a) | $\begin{aligned} & \alpha \beta+\beta \gamma+\gamma \alpha=0 \\ & \alpha \beta \gamma=-\frac{4}{27} \end{aligned}$ | B1 B1 | 2 |  |
| (b)(i) | $\alpha \beta+\alpha \beta+\beta^{2}=0 ; \alpha \beta^{2}=-\frac{4}{27}$ | B1 |  | May use $\gamma$ instead of $\beta$ throughout (b)(i) |
|  | $\alpha^{3}=-\frac{1}{27} \quad \text { or } \quad \beta^{3}=\frac{8}{27}$ | M1 |  | Clear attempt to eliminate either $\alpha$ or $\beta$ from "their" equations correct |
|  | either $\alpha=-\frac{1}{3}$ or $\beta=\frac{2}{3}$ | A1 |  |  |
|  | $\alpha=-\frac{1}{3}, \beta=\frac{2}{3}, \gamma=\frac{2}{3}$ | A1 | 5 | all 3 roots clearly stated |
| (ii) | $\left(\sum \alpha=1=-\frac{k}{27} \Rightarrow\right) k=-27$ | B1 | 1 | or substituting correct root into equation |
| (c)(i) | $\alpha^{2}=-2 \mathrm{i}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B1 } \\ & \text { B1 } \end{aligned}$ | 2 |  |
| (ii) | $27(-2-2 i)-2 i k+4=0$ | M1 |  | correctly substituting "their" $\alpha^{2}=-2 \mathrm{i}$ and "their" $\alpha^{3}=-2-2 \mathrm{i}$ |
|  | $k=-27+25 i$ | A1 | 2 |  |
| (d) | $y=\frac{1}{z}+1 \Rightarrow z=\frac{1}{y-1}$ | B1 |  | may use any letter instead of $y$ |
|  | $\frac{27}{(y-1)^{3}}-\frac{12}{(y-1)^{2}}+4=0$ | M1 |  | sub their $z$ into cubic equation |
|  | $27-12(y-1)+4(y-1)^{3}=0$ | A1 |  | removing denominators correctly |
|  | $27-12 y+12+4\left(y^{3}-3 y^{2}+3 y-1\right)=0$ | A1 |  | correct and ( $y-1)^{3}$ expanded correctly |
|  | $4 y^{3}-12 y^{2}+35=0$ | A1 | 5 |  |
|  | Alternative: $\sum \alpha^{\prime}=3+\frac{\alpha \beta+\beta \gamma+\gamma \alpha}{\alpha \beta \gamma}=3$ | (B1) |  | sum of new roots $=3$ |
|  | $\sum \alpha^{\prime} \beta^{\prime}=3+\frac{2(\alpha \beta+\beta \gamma+\gamma \alpha)+\alpha+\beta+\gamma}{\alpha \beta \gamma}$ |  |  | M1 for either of the other two formulae correct in terms of $\alpha \beta \gamma, \alpha \beta+\beta \gamma+\gamma \alpha$ and |
|  | $=0$ | (A1) |  | $\alpha+\beta+\gamma$ |
|  | $\Pi=1+\frac{\alpha \beta+\beta \gamma+\gamma \alpha+1+\alpha+\beta+\gamma}{\alpha \beta \gamma}$ |  |  |  |
|  | $=\underline{-35}$ | (A1) |  |  |
|  | $4 y^{3}-12 y^{2}+35=0$ |  | (5) | may use any letter instead of $y$ |
|  | Total |  | 17 |  |



