

## FP2 Summation of finite series

- 2 (a) Given that

$$\frac{1}{r(r+1)(r+2)} = \frac{A}{r(r+1)} + \frac{B}{(r+1)(r+2)}$$

show that  $A = \frac{1}{2}$  and find the value of  $B$ . (3 marks)

- (b) Use the method of differences to find

$$\sum_{r=10}^{98} \frac{1}{r(r+1)(r+2)}$$

giving your answer as a rational number. (4 marks)

- 2 (a) Given that

$$\frac{1}{4r^2 - 1} = \frac{A}{2r - 1} + \frac{B}{2r + 1}$$

find the values of  $A$  and  $B$ . (2 marks)

- (b) Use the method of differences to show that

$$\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{4r^2 - 1} = \frac{n}{2n + 1} \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

- (c) Find the least value of  $n$  for which  $\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{4r^2 - 1}$  differs from 0.5 by less than 0.001.

(3 marks)

- 2 (a) Express  $\frac{1}{r(r+2)}$  in partial fractions. (3 marks)

- (b) Use the method of differences to find

$$\sum_{r=1}^{48} \frac{1}{r(r+2)}$$

giving your answer as a rational number. (5 marks)

**6 (a)** Show that  $\frac{1}{(k+2)!} - \frac{k+1}{(k+3)!} = \frac{2}{(k+3)!}$ . (2 marks)

**(b)** Prove by induction that, for all positive integers  $n$ ,

$$\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{r \times 2^r}{(r+2)!} = 1 - \frac{2^{n+1}}{(n+2)!} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

**2 (a)** Given that

$$u_r = \frac{1}{6}r(r+1)(4r+11)$$

show that

$$u_r - u_{r-1} = r(2r+3) \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Hence find the sum of the first hundred terms of the series

$$1 \times 5 + 2 \times 7 + 3 \times 9 + \dots + r(2r+3) + \dots \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

**7 (a)** Given that

$$f(k) = 12^k + 2 \times 5^{k-1}$$

show that

$$f(k+1) - 5f(k) = a \times 12^k$$

where  $a$  is an integer. (3 marks)

**(b)** Prove by induction that  $12^n + 2 \times 5^{n-1}$  is divisible by 7 for all integers  $n \geq 1$ . (4 marks)

**3 (a)** Show that

$$(r+1)! - (r-1)! = (r^2 + r - 1)(r-1)! \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Hence show that

$$\sum_{r=1}^n (r^2 + r - 1)(r-1)! = (n+2)n! - 2 \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

**6 (a)** Show that

$$(k + 1)(4(k + 1)^2 - 1) = 4k^3 + 12k^2 + 11k + 3 \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Prove by induction that, for all integers  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$1^2 + 3^2 + 5^2 + \dots + (2n - 1)^2 = \frac{1}{3}n(4n^2 - 1) \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

**4** The sequence  $u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots$  is defined by

$$u_1 = \frac{3}{4} \quad u_{n+1} = \frac{3}{4 - u_n}$$

Prove by induction that, for all  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$u_n = \frac{3^{n+1} - 3}{3^{n+1} - 1} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

**3 (a)** Show that

$$\frac{2^{r+1}}{r+2} - \frac{2^r}{r+1} = \frac{r2^r}{(r+1)(r+2)} \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Hence find

$$\sum_{r=1}^{30} \frac{r2^r}{(r+1)(r+2)}$$

giving your answer in the form  $2^n - 1$ , where  $n$  is an integer. (3 marks)

QUESTION | Answer space for question 3

**7 (a)** Prove by induction that, for all integers  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$\frac{3}{1^2 \times 2^2} + \frac{5}{2^2 \times 3^2} + \frac{7}{3^2 \times 4^2} + \dots + \frac{2n+1}{n^2(n+1)^2} = 1 - \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} \quad (7 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Find the smallest integer  $n$  for which the sum of the series differs from 1 by less than  $10^{-5}$ . (2 marks)

**3 (a)** Show that  $\frac{1}{5r-2} - \frac{1}{5r+3} = \frac{A}{(5r-2)(5r+3)}$ , stating the value of the constant  $A$ .  
(2 marks)

**(b)** Hence use the method of differences to show that

$$\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{(5r-2)(5r+3)} = \frac{n}{3(5n+3)} \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

**(c)** Find the value of

$$\sum_{r=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(5r-2)(5r+3)} \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

**7** The polynomial  $p(n)$  is given by  $p(n) = (n-1)^3 + n^3 + (n+1)^3$ .

**(a) (i)** Show that  $p(k+1) - p(k)$ , where  $k$  is a positive integer, is a multiple of 9.  
(3 marks)

**(ii)** Prove by induction that  $p(n)$  is a multiple of 9 for all integers  $n \geq 1$ .  
(4 marks)

**(b)** Using the result from part **(a)(ii)**, show that  $n(n^2 + 2)$  is a multiple of 3 for any positive integer  $n$ .  
(2 marks)

**3** The sequence  $u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots$  is defined by

$$u_1 = 2, \quad u_{n+1} = \frac{5u_n - 3}{3u_n - 1}$$

Prove by induction that, for all integers  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$u_n = \frac{3n+1}{3n-1} \quad (6 \text{ marks})$$

**4 (a)** Given that  $f(r) = r^2(2r^2 - 1)$ , show that

$$f(r) - f(r-1) = (2r-1)^3 \quad (3 \text{ marks})$$

**(b)** Use the method of differences to show that

$$\sum_{r=n+1}^{2n} (2r-1)^3 = 3n^2(10n^2 - 1) \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

- 3 (a)** Express  $(k + 1)^2 + 5(k + 1) + 8$  in the form  $k^2 + ak + b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. [1 mark]

- (b)** Prove by induction that, for all integers  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$\sum_{r=1}^n r(r+1) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{r-1} = 16 - (n^2 + 5n + 8) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$$

[6 marks]

- 1 (a)** Express  $\frac{1}{(r+2)r!}$  in the form  $\frac{A}{(r+1)!} + \frac{B}{(r+2)!}$ , where  $A$  and  $B$  are integers. [3 marks]

- (b)** Hence find  $\sum_{r=1}^n \frac{1}{(r+2)r!}$ . [2 marks]

**4** The expression  $f(n)$  is given by  $f(n) = 2^{4n+3} + 3^{3n+1}$ .

- (a)** Show that  $f(k+1) - 16f(k)$  can be expressed in the form  $A \times 3^{3k}$ , where  $A$  is an integer. [3 marks]

- (b)** Prove by induction that  $f(n)$  is a multiple of 11 for all integers  $n \geq 1$ . [4 marks]

- 1 (a)** Given that  $f(r) = \frac{1}{4r-1}$ , show that

$$f(r) - f(r+1) = \frac{A}{(4r-1)(4r+3)}$$

where  $A$  is an integer.

[2 marks]

- (b)** Use the method of differences to find the value of  $\sum_{r=1}^{50} \frac{1}{(4r-1)(4r+3)}$ , giving your answer as a fraction in its simplest form.

[4 marks]

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Given that  $p \geq -1$ , prove by induction that, for all integers  $n \geq 1$ ,

$$(1 + p)^n \geq 1 + np$$

**[6 marks]**

<b>2(a)</b>	$1 = A(r+2) + Br$ $2A = 1, \quad A = \frac{1}{2}$ $A + B = 0, \quad B = -\frac{1}{2}$	M1 A1 A1	3	
	<b>(b)</b> $r = 10 \quad \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{10.11} - \frac{1}{11.12} \right)$ $r = 11 \quad \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{11.12} - \frac{1}{12.13} \right)$ <p style="text-align: center;">.....</p> $r = 98 \quad \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{98.99} - \frac{1}{99.100} \right)$ $S = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{10.11} - \frac{1}{99.100} \right)$  $= \frac{89}{19800}$	M1A1 m1 A1	4	if (a) is incorrect but $A = \frac{1}{2}$ and $B = -\frac{1}{2}$ used, allow full marks for (b)  3 relevant rows seen  if split into $\frac{1}{2r} - \frac{1}{r+1} + \frac{1}{2(r+2)}$ , follow mark scheme, in which case $\frac{1}{2.10} - \frac{1}{2.11} + \frac{1}{2.100} - \frac{1}{2.99}$ scores m1
	<b>Total</b>		7	



2(a)	$A = \frac{1}{2}, B = -\frac{1}{2}$	B1, B1F	2	For either $A$ or $B$ For the other
(b)	Method of differences clearly shown $\text{Sum} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2n+1} \right)$ $= \frac{n}{2n+1}$	M1 A1 A1	3	AG
(c)	$\frac{1}{2(2n+1)} < 0.001$ or $\frac{n}{2n+1} > 0.499$ $1 < 0.004n + 0.002$ or $n > 0.998n + 0.499$ $n > \frac{0.998}{0.004}$ or $0.004n > 0.998$ $n = 250$	M1 A1 A1F	3	Condone use of equals sign  OE ft if say 0.4999 used If method of trial and improvement used, award full marks for a completely correct solution showing working
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	

2(a)	$\frac{1}{r(r+2)} = \frac{A}{r} + \frac{B}{r+2}$ $A = \frac{1}{2}, B = -\frac{1}{2}$	M1 A1, A1F	3	ft incorrect $A$
(b)	$r=1 \quad \frac{1}{1.3} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{1} - \frac{1}{3} \right)$ $r=2 \quad \frac{1}{2.4} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \right)$ $r=3 \quad \frac{1}{3.5} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5} \right)$ $r=48 \quad \frac{1}{48.50} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{48} - \frac{1}{50} \right)$ Cancelling appropriate pairs $\text{Sum} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{49} - \frac{1}{50} \right)$ $= \frac{894}{1225}$	M1 A1F M1 A1F A1	5	3 rows (PI) numerical values only  Last row – could be implied  Allow if the $\frac{1}{2}$ is missing only  CAO (or equivalent fraction)
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	

6(a)	$\frac{1}{(k+2)!} = \frac{k+3}{(k+3)!}$	M1	2	
	Result	A1		
(b)	Assume true for $n = k$			
	For $n = k + 1$			
	$\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} \frac{r \times 2^r}{(r+2)!} = 1 - \frac{2^{k+1}}{(k+2)!} + \frac{(k+1)2^{k+1}}{(k+3)!}$	M1A1		If no LHS of equation, M1A0
	$= 1 - 2^{k+1} \left( \frac{1}{(k+2)!} - \frac{k+1}{(k+3)!} \right)$	m1		m1 for a suitable combination clearly shown
	$= 1 - \frac{2^{k+2}}{(k+3)!}$	A1		clearly shown or stated true for $n = k + 1$
True for $n = 1$	B1		Shown	
Method of induction set out properly	E1	6	Provided previous 5 marks all earned	
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	

2(a)	$u_r - u_{r-1} =$			
	$\frac{1}{6}r(r+1)(4r+11) - \frac{1}{6}(r-1)r(4r+7)$	M1		
	Correct expansion in any form, eg			
	$\frac{1}{6}r(4r^2 + 15r + 11 - 4r^2 - 3r + 7)$	A1		
	$= r(2r + 3)$	A1	3	AG
(b)	Attempt to use method of differences	M1		
	$S_{100} = u_{100} - u_0$	A1		
	$= 691850$	A1	3	CAO
<b>Total</b>			<b>6</b>	

7(a)	$f(k+1) - 5f(k)$			
	$= 12^{k+1} + 2 \times 5^k - 5(12^k + 2 \times 5^{k-1})$	M1		
	$= 12^{k+1} + 2 \times 5^k - 5 \times 12^k - 2 \times 5^k$	A1		
	$= 12 \times 12^k - 5 \times 12^k = 7 \times 12^k$	A1	3	for expansion of bracket $5 \times 5^{k-1} = 5^k$ used clearly shown
(b)	Assume $f(k) = M(7)$			
	Then $f(k+1) = 5f(k) + M(7)$	M1		
	$= M(7)$	A1		Not merely a repetition of part (a) clearly shown
	$f(1) = 12 + 2 = 14 = M(7)$	B1		
Correct inductive process	E1	4	(award only if all 3 previous marks earned)	
<b>Total</b>			<b>7</b>	

3(a)	$(r+1)! = (r+1)r(r-1)!$	M1	2	AG
	Result	A1		
(b)	Attempt to use method of differences	M1		
	$\sum_{r=1}^n (r^2 + r - 1)(r-1)! = (n+1)! + n! - 1! - 0!$	A1		
	$(n+1)! = (n+1)n!$	m1		Must be seen
	$(n+2)n! - 2$	A1	4	AG
<b>Total</b>			<b>6</b>	



6(a)	Expansion of $(k+1)(4(k+1)^2-1)$ $= 4k^3 + 12k^2 + 11k + 3$	M1 A1	2	Any valid method – first step correct AG
	(b) Assume true for $n=k$ For $n=k+1$ : $\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} (2r-1)^2 = \frac{1}{3}k(4k^2-1) + (2k+1)^2$ $= \frac{1}{3}(4k^3 + 12k^2 + 11k + 3)$ $= \frac{1}{3}(k+1)(4(k+1)^2-1)$ True for $n=1$ shown Proof by induction set out properly (if factorised by 3 linear factors, allow A1 at this particular point)	M1A1 A1F A1 B1 E1		6
<b>Total</b>			<b>8</b>	

4	Assume result true for $n=k$ Then $u_{k+1} = \frac{3}{4 - \left(\frac{3^{k+1}-3}{3^{k+1}-1}\right)}$ $= \frac{3(3^{k+1}-1)}{4(3^{k+1}-1) - (3^{k+1}-3)}$ $4 \times 3^{k+1} - 3^{k+1} = 3^{k+2}$ $u_{k+1} = \frac{3^{k+2}-3}{3^{k+2}-1}$ $n=1 \quad \frac{3^2-3}{3^2-1} = \frac{3}{4} = u_1$ Induction proof set out properly	M1 A1 A1 A1 B1 E1	6	clearly shown must have earned previous 5 marks
<b>Total</b>				<b>6</b>

3(a)	Attempt to put LHS over common denominator $\frac{2^{r+1}(r+1) - 2^r(r+2)}{(r+1)(r+2)}$ $= \frac{r(2^{r+1} - 2^r)}{(r+1)(r+2)}$ $= \frac{r2^r}{(r+1)(r+2)}$ must see $r2^{r+1} = 2r2^r$	M1 A1 A1	3	any form clearly shown as AG
	(b) $\frac{2^2}{3} - \frac{2}{2}$ $\frac{2^3}{4} - \frac{2^2}{3}$ ..... $\frac{2^{31}}{32} - \frac{2^{30}}{31}$ $S_{30} = \frac{2^{31}}{32} - 1$ or $S_n = \frac{2^{n+1}}{n+2} - 1$ $= 2^{26} - 1$	M1 A1 A1		3
<b>Total</b>			<b>6</b>	

<p>7(a)</p> <p>Assume true for <math>n = k</math></p> <p>Then <math>\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} \frac{2r+1}{r^2(r+1)^2}</math></p> $= 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)^2} + \frac{2k+3}{(k+1)^2(k+2)^2}$ $= 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)^2} \left( 1 - \frac{2k+3}{(k+2)^2} \right)$ $= 1 - \frac{1}{(k+1)^2} \left( \frac{k^2+2k+1}{(k+2)^2} \right)$ $= 1 - \frac{1}{(k+2)^2}$ <p>True for <math>n=1</math> LHS = RHS = <math>\frac{3}{4}</math></p> <p>Method of induction set out properly</p>	<p>M1A1</p> <p>m1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>B1</p> <p>E1</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>M1A0 if no LHS</p> <p>attempt to factorise or put over a common denominator</p> <p>any correct combination starting 1-</p> <p>must score all 6 previous marks for this mark</p>
<p>(b)</p> $(n+1)^2 > 10^5 \text{ or } \frac{1}{(n+1)^2} > 10^{-5}$ <p><math>n+1 &gt; 316.2</math></p> <p><math>n &gt; 315.2</math></p> <p><math>n = 316</math></p>	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>Condone equals</p>
<b>Total</b>			<b>9</b>

<p>3(a)</p>	$\frac{1}{5r-2} - \frac{1}{5r+3} = \frac{5r+3 - (5r-2)}{(5r-2)(5r+3)}$ $= \frac{5}{(5r-2)(5r+3)}$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1cso</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>condone omission of brackets for M1</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>A = 5</math></p>
<p>(b)</p>	<p>Attempt to use method of differences</p> $k \left\{ \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5n+3} \right\}$ $k \left\{ \frac{(5n+3)-3}{3(5n+3)} \right\}$ $S_n = \frac{1}{5} \left\{ \frac{(5n+3)-3}{3(5n+3)} \right\} = \frac{n}{3(5n+3)}$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>m1</p> <p>A1cso</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>at least 2 terms of correct form seen</p> <p>correct cancellation leaving correct two fractions</p> <p>attempt to write with common denominator</p> <p><b>AG</b> <math>k = \frac{1}{5}</math> used correctly throughout</p>
<p>(c)</p>	$S_\infty = \frac{1}{15}$	<p>B1</p>	<p>1</p>	
<b>Total</b>			<b>7</b>	

<p><b>7(a)(i)</b></p>	$p(k+1) - p(k) = k^3 + (k+1)^3 + (k+2)^3 - (k-1)^3 - k^3 - (k+1)^3$ $= (k+2)^3 - (k-1)^3$ $= k^3 + 6k^2 + 12k + 8 - (k^2 - 3k^2 + 3k - 1)$ $= 9k^2 + 9k + 9 = 9(k^2 + k + 1)$ <p>which is a multiple of 9 (since <math>k^2 + k + 1</math> is an integer)</p>	<p>MI</p> <p>A1</p> <p>Alcso</p>	<p>3</p>	<p>multiplied out &amp; correct unsimplified</p> <p>correct algebra plus statement</p>
<p><b>(ii)</b></p>	<p><math>p(1) = 1 + 8 = 9</math> <math>\Rightarrow p(1)</math> is a multiple of 9</p> <p><math>p(k+1) = p(k) + 9(k^2 + k + 1)</math> or <math>p(k+1) = p(k) + 9N</math></p> <p><b>Assume</b> <math>p(k)</math> is a multiple of 9 so <math>p(k) = 9M</math>, where <math>M</math> is integer <math>\Rightarrow p(k+1) = 9M + 9N = 9(M+N)</math> <math>\Rightarrow p(k+1)</math> is a multiple of 9</p> <p>Result true for <math>n = 1</math> therefore true for <math>n = 2, n = 3</math> etc by induction. ( or <math>p(n)</math> is a multiple of 9 for all integers <math>n \geq 1</math> )</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>MI</p> <p>A1</p> <p>E1</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>result true for <math>n = 1</math></p> <p><math>p(k+1) = \dots</math> <b>and</b> result from part (i) considered <b>and</b> mention of divisible by 9</p> <p>must have word such as "assume" for A1</p> <p>convincingly shown</p> <p>must earn previous 3 marks before E1 is scored</p>
<p><b>(b)</b></p>	<p><math>p(n) = (n-1)^3 + n^3 + (n+1)^3</math> <math>= 3n^3 + 6n</math></p> <p><math>p(n) = 3n(n^2 + 2)</math> &amp; <math>p(n)</math> is a multiple of 9. Therefore <math>n(n^2 + 2)</math> is a multiple of 3 (for any positive integer <math>n</math>.)</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>E1</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>need to see this OE as evidence or <math>3n(n^2 + 2)</math></p> <p>both of these required</p> <p>plus concluding statement</p>

<p><b>3</b> <math>n = 1, \frac{3+1}{3-1} = \frac{4}{2} = 2</math>  <math>(u_1 = 2</math> so formula is) true when <math>n = 1</math></p> <p><i>Assume</i> formula is true for <math>n = k</math> (*)</p> $(u_{k+1}) = \frac{5 \frac{3k+1}{3k-1} - 3}{3 \frac{3k+1}{3k-1} - 1}$ $(u_{k+1}) = \frac{5(3k+1) - 3(3k-1)}{3(3k+1) - (3k-1)}$ $u_{k+1} = \frac{3k+4}{3k+2} \text{ or } u_{k+1} = \frac{3(k+1)+1}{3(k+1)-1}$ <p>Hence formula is true for <math>n = k+1</math> (**)</p> <p>must have lines (*) &amp; (**) and  "Result true for <math>n = 1</math> therefore true for  <math>n = 2, n = 3</math> etc by induction." }</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>m1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1 also</p> <p>E1</p>	<p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p>6</p>	<p>be convinced they have used <math>u_n = \frac{3n+1}{3n-1}</math></p> <p>clear attempt at RHS of this formula</p> <p>clear attempt to remove "double fraction"</p> $\frac{6k+8}{6k+4}$ <p>must have "<math>u_{k+1} =</math>" on at least this line</p> <p>must also have earned previous 5 marks before E1 is scored</p>
<b>Total</b>		<b>6</b>	

<p><b>4(a)</b></p> $f(r) - f(r-1) =$ $r^2(2r^2 - 1) - (r-1)^2(2(r-1)^2 - 1)$ $= 2r^4 - r^2 - (r^2 - 2r + 1)(2r^2 - 4r + 1)$ $= 2r^4 - r^2 - (2r^4 - 8r^3 + 11r^2 - 6r + 1)$ $= 8r^3 - 12r^2 + 6r - 1$ $= (2r-1)^3$ <p><b>(b)</b> Attempt to use method of differences  <math>f(2n) - f(n)</math></p> $f(2n) - f(n) = 4n^2(8n^2 - 1) - n^2(2n^2 - 1)$ $= 30n^4 - 3n^2$ $= 3n^2(10n^2 - 1)$	<p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1 also</p> <p>M1</p> <p>m1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1 also</p>	<p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p>3</p> <p></p> <p>4</p>	<p>condone one slip here  attempt to multiply out "their" <math>f(r-1)</math></p> <p><math>f(r)</math> &amp; <math>f(r-1)</math> expanded correctly  condone correct unsimplified</p> <p><b>AG</b></p> $(2n)^2 \{2(2n^2) - 1\} - n^2(2n^2 - 1)$ <p><b>AG</b> be convinced</p>
<b>Total</b>		<b>7</b>	

<b>3 (a)</b>	$k^2 + 7k + 14$	<b>B1</b>	<b>1</b>	
<b>(b)</b>	<p>When <math>n=1</math> <math>\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{LHS} = 1 \times 2 \times 1 = 2 \\ \text{RHS} = 16 - 14 = 2 \end{array} \right\}</math>  Therefore true for <math>n=1</math></p> <p>Assume formula is true for <math>n=k</math> (*)  Add <math>(k+1)</math>th term (to both sides)</p> $\sum_{r=1}^{k+1} r(r+1)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{r-1}$ $= 16 - (k^2 + 5k + 8)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1}$ $+ (k+1)(k+2)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$ $= 16 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k (2k^2 + 10k + 16 - k^2 - 3k - 2)$ $= 16 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k (k^2 + 7k + 14)$ $= 16 - \left( (k+1)^2 + 5(k+1) + 8 \right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$ <p>Hence formula is true when <math>n = k+1</math> (**)  but true for <math>n = 1</math> so true for <math>n = 2, 3, \dots</math> by induction (***)</p>	<b>B1</b> <b>B1</b> <b>M1</b> <b>A1</b> <b>A1</b> <b>A1</b> <b>E1</b>	<b>6</b>	<p><math>(k+1)</math>th term must be correct</p> <p><b>A0</b> if only considering RHS</p> <p>from part (a)</p> <p>must have (*), (**) and (***) and must have earned previous 5 marks</p>
<b>Total</b>			<b>7</b>	

<b>Q1</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Comment</b>
<b>(a)</b>	$r+1 = A(r+2) + B$ or $1 = \frac{A(r+2)}{r+1} + \frac{B}{r+1}$ either $A=1$ or $B=-1$	<b>M1</b> <b>A1</b>		<b>OE</b> with factorials removed
	$\frac{1}{(r+2)r!} = \frac{1}{(r+1)!} - \frac{1}{(r+2)!}$	<b>A1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>correctly</b> obtained allow if seen in part (b)
<b>(b)</b>	$\frac{1}{2!} - \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{3!} - \frac{1}{4!} + \dots$ $\frac{1}{(n+1)!} - \frac{1}{(n+2)!}$ Sum = $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{(n+2)!}$	<b>M1</b> <b>A1</b>	<b>2</b>	use of their result from part (a) at least twice must simplify 2! and must have scored at least <b>M1 A1</b> in part (a)
<b>Total</b>			<b>5</b>	



Q4	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$f(k+1) = 2^{4k+7} + 3^{3k+4}$	M1	3	must see $16 = 2^4$ OE
	convincingly showing $2^{4k+7} = 16 \times 2^{4k+3}$ $f(k+1) - 16f(k)$ $= (81 - 16 \times 3) \times 3^{3k}$ $= 33 \times 3^{3k}$	E1 A1		
(b)	$f(1) = 209$ therefore $f(1)$ is a multiple of 11	B1	4	$f(1) = 209 = 11 \times 19$ or $209 \div 11 = 19$ etc therefore true when $n=1$  attempt at $f(k+1) = \dots$ using their result from part (a) where $M$ and $N$ are integers  must earn previous 3 marks and have (*) before E1 can be awarded
	<i>Assume</i> $f(k)$ is a multiple of 11 (*) $f(k+1) = 16f(k) + 33 \times 3^{3k}$	M1		
	$= 11M + 11N = 11(M+N)$ Therefore $f(k+1)$ is a multiple of 11	A1		
	Since $f(1)$ is multiple of 11 then $f(2), f(3), \dots$ are multiples of 11 by induction (or is a multiple of 11 for all integers $n \geq 1$ )	E1		
<b>Total</b>			<b>7</b>	

Q1	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$f(r) - f(r+1) = \frac{1}{4r-1} - \frac{1}{4(r+1)-1}$	M1	2	or $\frac{1}{4r-1} - \frac{1}{4r+3}$
	$= \frac{4}{(4r-1)(4r+3)}$	A1		
(b)	$\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{7} + \frac{1}{7} - \frac{1}{11} + \dots$ OE or $f(1) - f(2) + f(2) - f(3) + \dots$	M1	4	Clear attempt to use <b>method of differences</b> possibly with one error <b>PI</b> by first <b>A1</b>  "their" $\frac{1}{4} \times$ "their" $\left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{203}\right)$
	$\sum_{r=1}^{50} [f(r) - f(r+1)] = f(1) - f(51)$			
	$= \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{203}$	A1		
	$\sum_{r=1}^{50} \frac{4}{(4r-1)(4r+3)} = \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{203} \right)$	m1		
	$= \frac{50}{609}$	A1		
<b>Total</b>			<b>6</b>	



Q7	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
	<p><math>n=1</math> : LHS = <math>1+p</math> ; RHS = <math>1+p</math> Therefore result is true when <math>n=1</math></p> <p><i>Assume</i> inequality is true for <math>n = k</math> (*)</p> <p><b>Multiply both sides</b> by <math>1+p</math>  <math>(1+p)^{k+1} \dots (1+kp)(1+p)</math>            Inequality only valid since multiplication by positive number because <math>1+p \dots 0</math></p> <p>Considering <math>(1+kp)(1+p)</math>            RHS = <math>1+kp+p+kp^2</math></p> <p>RHS <math>\dots 1+kp+p</math>  <math>\Rightarrow (1+p)^{k+1} \dots 1+(k+1)p</math></p> <p>Hence inequality is true when <math>n = k+1</math> (**)            but true for <math>n = 1</math> so true for <math>n = 2, 3, \dots</math> by induction (***)            (or true for all integers <math>n \dots 1</math> (***) )</p>	<p><b>B1</b></p> <p><b>E1</b></p> <p><b>M1</b> <b>A1</b></p> <p><b>A1</b></p> <p><b>E1</b></p>	<p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p></p> <p><b>6</b></p>	<p></p> <p>and stating <math>1+p \dots 0</math> before multiplying both sides by <math>1+p</math> or justifying why inequality remains ...</p> <p>and attempt to multiply out</p> <p>must have ...</p> <p>correct algebra and inequalities throughout</p> <p>must have (*), (**) and (***) and must have earned previous <b>B1, M1, A1, A1</b> marks</p>
	<b>Total</b>		<b>6</b>	