

1. (a) Show that  $\sum_{r=1}^n (r+1)(r+5) = \frac{1}{6}n(n+7)(2n+7)$ .

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(b) Hence calculate the value of  $\sum_{r=10}^{40} (r+1)(r+5)$

(2)

(Total 6 marks)

1. (a) Expand brackets and attempt to use appropriate formulae.

$$\Sigma r^2 + 6r + 5 = \frac{n}{6}(n+1)(2n+1) + 6\frac{n}{2}(n+1) + 5n \quad \text{A1}$$

$$= \frac{n}{6}[2n^2 + 3n + 1 + 18n + 18 + 30]$$

$$= \frac{n}{6}[2n^2 + 21n + 49] = \frac{n}{6}(n+7)(2n+7) (*) \quad \text{A1} \quad 4$$

(b) Use  $S(40) - S(9) = \frac{40}{9} \times 47 \times 87 - \frac{9}{6} \times 16 \times 25$   
 $= 26660$

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1. (a) On the whole, candidates were able to expand  $(r+1)(r+5)$  accurately and were able to substitute correctly for  $\Sigma r^2$ ,  $\Sigma r$  and to deal with  $\Sigma 5$  correctly – the provision of the answer helped many to check the accuracy of their subsequent expansions, collection of terms and factorisation! A small group of candidates attempted Mathematical Induction, but rarely correctly, most being daunted by the algebra involved.
- (b) For those not working out  $S(40) - S(9)$ , the most common mistake was to use  $S(40) - S(10)$ , although some returned to using  $(r+1)(r+5)$  with  $r = 40$ , and 9 or 10; some just calculated  $S(40)$ , totally ignoring the starting value of  $r$ .