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**Mathematics
Paper 2**

Marking Instructions

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These instructions are **strictly confidential** and, in common with the scripts you will view and mark, they must never form the subject of remark of any kind, except to Scottish Qualifications Authority staff.

General marking principles for Higher Mathematics

Always apply these general principles. Use them in conjunction with the detailed marking instructions, which identify the key features required in candidates' responses.

For each question, the marking instructions are generally in two sections:

- *generic scheme – this indicates why each mark is awarded*
- *illustrative scheme – this covers methods which are commonly seen throughout the marking*

In general, you should use the illustrative scheme. Only use the generic scheme where a candidate has used a method not covered in the illustrative scheme.

- Always use positive marking. This means candidates accumulate marks for the demonstration of relevant skills, knowledge and understanding; marks are not deducted for errors or omissions.
- If you are uncertain how to assess a specific candidate response because it is not covered by the general marking principles or the detailed marking instructions, you must seek guidance from your team leader.
- One mark is available for each •. There are no half marks.
- If a candidate's response contains an error, all working subsequent to this error must still be marked. Only award marks if the level of difficulty in their working is similar to the level of difficulty in the illustrative scheme.
- Only award full marks where the solution contains appropriate working. A correct answer with no working receives no mark, unless specifically mentioned in the marking instructions.
- Candidates may use any mathematically correct method to answer questions, except in cases where a particular method is specified or excluded.
- If an error is trivial, casual or insignificant, for example $6 \times 6 = 12$, candidates lose the opportunity to gain a mark, except for instances such as the second example in point (h) below.
- If a candidate makes a transcription error (question paper to script or within script), they lose the opportunity to gain the next process mark, for example

This is a transcription error and so the mark is not awarded.

This is no longer a solution of a quadratic equation, so the mark is not awarded.

$$x^2 + 5x + 7 = 9x + 4$$

$$x - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

The following example is an exception to the above

This error is not treated as a transcription error, as the candidate deals with the intended quadratic equation. The candidate has been given the benefit of the doubt and all marks awarded.

$$x^2 + 5x + 7 = 9x + 4$$

$$x - 4x + 3 = 0$$

$$(x - 3)(x - 1) = 0$$

$$x = 1 \text{ or } 3$$

(i) **Horizontal/vertical marking**

If a question results in two pairs of solutions, apply the following technique, but only if indicated in the detailed marking instructions for the question.

Example:

$$\begin{array}{cc} \bullet^5 & \bullet^6 \\ \bullet^5 & x = 2 \quad x = -4 \\ \bullet^6 & y = 5 \quad y = -7 \end{array}$$

Horizontal: $\bullet^5 x = 2$ and $x = -4$ Vertical: $\bullet^5 x = 2$ and $y = 5$
 $\bullet^6 y = 5$ and $y = -7$ $\bullet^6 x = -4$ and $y = -7$

You must choose whichever method benefits the candidate, **not** a combination of both.

(j) In final answers, candidates should simplify numerical values as far as possible unless specifically mentioned in the detailed marking instruction. For example

$$\frac{15}{12} \text{ must be simplified to } \frac{5}{4} \text{ or } 1\frac{1}{4} \quad \frac{43}{1} \text{ must be simplified to } 43$$

$$\frac{15}{0.3} \text{ must be simplified to } 50 \quad \frac{4\cancel{5}}{3} \text{ must be simplified to } \frac{4}{15}$$

$$\sqrt{64} \text{ must be simplified to } 8^*$$

*The square root of perfect squares up to and including 144 must be known.

(k) Commonly Observed Responses (COR) are shown in the marking instructions to help mark common and/or non-routine solutions. CORs may also be used as a guide when marking similar non-routine candidate responses.

(l) Do not penalise candidates for any of the following, unless specifically mentioned in the detailed marking instructions:

- working subsequent to a correct answer
- correct working in the wrong part of a question
- legitimate variations in numerical answers/algebraic expressions, for example angles in degrees rounded to nearest degree
- omission of units
- bad form (bad form only becomes bad form if subsequent working is correct), for example
 $(x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x + 2)(2x + 1)$ written as
 $(x^3 + 2x^2 + 3x + 2) \times 2x + 1$
 $= 2x^4 + 5x^3 + 8x^2 + 7x + 2$ gains full credit
- repeated error within a question, but not between questions or papers

(m) In any 'Show that...' question, where candidates have to arrive at a required result, the last mark is not awarded as a follow-through from a previous error, unless specified in the detailed marking instructions.

- (n) You must check all working carefully, even where a fundamental misunderstanding is apparent early in a candidate's response. You may still be able to award marks later in the question so you must refer continually to the marking instructions. The appearance of the correct answer does not necessarily indicate that you can award all the available marks to a candidate.
- (o) You should mark legible scored-out working that has not been replaced. However, if the scored-out working has been replaced, you must only mark the replacement working.
- (p) If candidates make multiple attempts using the same strategy and do not identify their final answer, mark all attempts and award the lowest mark. If candidates try different valid strategies, apply the above rule to attempts within each strategy and then award the highest mark.

For example:

Strategy 1 attempt 1 is worth 3 marks.	Strategy 2 attempt 1 is worth 1 mark.
Strategy 1 attempt 2 is worth 4 marks.	Strategy 2 attempt 2 is worth 5 marks.
From the attempts using strategy 1, the resultant mark would be 3.	From the attempts using strategy 2, the resultant mark would be 1.

In this case, award 3 marks.

Key E-marking Information

Response Overview: Before you start marking you must check every page of the candidate's response. This is to identify :


- If the candidate has written in any unexpected areas of their answer booklet
- If the script is legible and that it does not require to be re-scanned
- If there is an additional answer booklet/answer sheet, you need to check that it belongs to the same candidate
- If the candidate has continued an answer to a question at the back or in a different location in the booklet
- The presence of any non-script related objects.

No Response (NR): Where a candidate has not attempted to answer a question use No Response (NR).

Candidates are advised in the 'Your Exams' booklet to cross out any rough work when they have made a final copy. However, crossed-out work must be marked if the candidate has not made a second attempt to answer the question. Where a second attempt has been made, the crossed-out answers should be ignored.

Zero marks should only be applied when a candidate has attempted the question/item and their response does not attract any marks.

Additional Objects: Where a candidate has used an additional answer sheet this is known as an additional object. When you open a response that contains an additional object, a popup message will advise you of this. You are required to add a minimum of one annotation on every additional page to confirm that you have viewed it. You can use any of the normal marking annotations such as tick/cross or the **SEEN** annotation to confirm that you have viewed the page. You will not be able to submit a script with an additional object, until every additional page contains an annotation.











Link tool: The Link tool  allows you to link pages/additional objects to a particular question item on a response.

In "Full Response View":

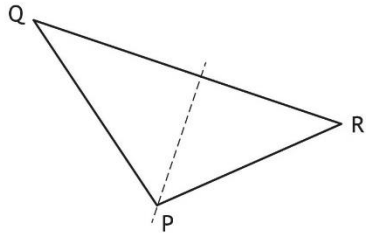
- Check which question the candidate's answer relates to
- Click on the question in the marks display panel
- On the left hand side, select the Link Page check box beneath the thumbnail for the page
- Once all questions have been linked, click 'Structured Response View' to start marking. When you select a linked question item in the mark input panel, the linked page(s) are displayed.

Exception	Description	Marker Action
Image Rescan request	You should raise this exception when you are unable to mark the candidate's response because the image you are viewing is of poor quality and you believe a rescan would improve the quality of the image, therefore allowing you to mark the response. Some examples of this include scan lines, folded pages or image skew.	If image is to be rescanned RM will remove the script from your work list. RM will inform you of this. No further action is required from you. If RM do not think that a rescan will improve the image then you should raise the script as an Undecipherable exception.
Offensive Content	You should raise this exception when the candidate's response contains offensive, obscene or frivolous material. Examples of this include vulgarity, racism, discrimination or swearing.	Raise this exception and enter a short report in the comments box. You should then mark the script and submit in the normal manner
Incorrect Question Paper	You should raise this exception when the image you are viewing does not correspond to the paper you are marking.	Raise script as an exception. Do not mark the image until SQA have contacted you and provided advice.
Undecipherable	You should raise this exception when you are unable to mark the candidate's response because the response cannot be read and you do not believe that a re-scan will improve the situation because the problem is with the writing and not the image. Some examples of this include poor handwriting and overwriting the original response.	Raise script as an exception to alert SQA staff. SQA will contact you to advise further action and when to close the exception.
Answer Outside of Guidance	You should raise this exception when you are unable to mark because the Marking Instructions do not cover this candidate's response.	Act on advice from Team Leader.
Concatenated Script Exception	You should raise this exception when the additional object(s) ie pages or scripts displayed do not belong to the candidate you are marking. You need not use this exception if the additional objects are transcriptions or additional pages submitted for the candidate.	Raise script as an exception. You can mark the correct script then review the marks once the erroneous script has been removed. SQA will contact you and advise of any actions and when to close the exception.

Exception	Description	Marker Action
Non-Script Object	<p>You should raise this exception when the additional object displayed does not relate to the script you are marking</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If you think that there is a piece of the candidate's submission missing eg because the script you are marking contains only responses to diagrams or tables and you suspect there should be a further script or word processed response or the response on the last page ends abruptly.</p>	<p>Raise script as an exception. Write a short report to advise the issue and continue to mark. SQA will contact you and advise of any actions and when to close the exception.</p>
Candidate Welfare Concern	<p>You should raise this exception when you have concerns about the candidate's well-being or welfare when marking any examination script or coursework and there is no tick on the flyleaf to identify these issues are being or have been addressed by the centre.</p>	<p>Telephone the Child Welfare Contact on 0345 213 6587 as early as possible on the same or next working day for further instruction.</p> <p>Click on the Candidate Welfare Concern button and complete marking the script and submit the mark as normal.</p>
Malpractice	<p>You should raise this exception when you suspect wrong doing by the candidate. Examples of this include plagiarism or collusion.</p>	<p>Raise this exception and enter a short report in the comments box. You should then mark the script and submit in the normal manner</p>

Annotations		
Annotation	Annotation Name	Instructions on use of annotation
	Correct Point	DO NOT USE THIS ANNOTATION
	Correct Point	A tick should be placed on the script at the point where a mark is awarded (or at the end of that line of working).
	Incorrect Point	DO NOT USE THIS ANNOTATION
	Cross 1	A cross is used to indicate where a mark has not been awarded.
	Highlight	This is used to highlight or underline an error.
	SEEN	This annotation should be used by the marker on a blank page to show that they have viewed this page and confirm it contains no candidate response.
	Omission	An omission symbol should be used to show that something is missing, such as part of a solution or a crucial step in the working.
	Tick 1	A tick 1 should be used to indicate 'correct' working where a mark is awarded as a result of follow through from an error.
	Tick 2	A tick 2 should be used to indicate correct working which is irrelevant or insufficient to award any marks. This should also be used for working which is not of equivalent difficulty.
	Horizontal wavy line	A horizontal wavy line should be used to indicate a minor error which is not being penalised, e.g. bad form (bad form only becomes bad form if subsequent working is correct).

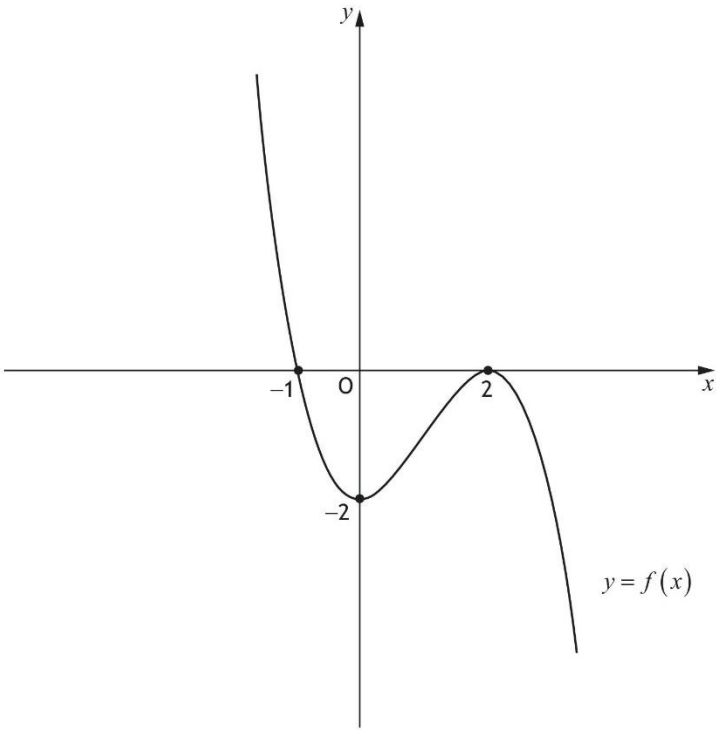
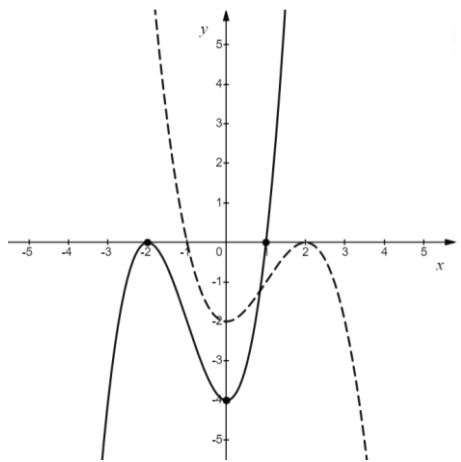
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Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
1.	(a)		<p>Triangle PQR has vertices P(5, -1), Q(-2, 8) and R(13, 3).</p>  <p>(a) Find the equation of the altitude from P.</p>		
			<p>•¹ find gradient of QR</p> <p>•² use property of perpendicular lines</p> <p>•³ determine equation of altitude</p>	<p>•¹ $-\frac{1}{3}$ or $-\frac{5}{15}$</p> <p>•² 3</p> <p>•³ $y = 3x - 16$</p>	3
Notes:					
<p>1. •³ is only available to candidates who find and use a perpendicular gradient.</p> <p>2. The gradient of the altitude must appear in fully simplified form at •² or •³ stage for •³ to be awarded - see Candidate B.</p> <p>3. •³ is not available as a consequence of using the midpoint of QR and the point P.</p> <p>4. At •³, accept any arrangement of a candidate's equation where constant terms have been simplified.</p>					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A - BEWARE Correct equation from incorrect substitution $m = \frac{13 - (-2)}{3 - (8)} = 3$ $y = 3x - 16$			Candidate B - unsimplified gradient $m = -\frac{5}{15}$ $m_{\perp} = \frac{15}{5}$ $15x - 5y - 80 = 0$		
<p>•¹ ✗ •² ^</p> <p>•³ ✗</p>			<p>•¹ ✓</p> <p>•² ✓</p> <p>•³ ^</p>		


















Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
	(b)		(b) Calculate the angle that the side PR makes with the positive direction of the x -axis.		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ determine gradient of the line •⁵ use $m = \tan \theta$ to find the angle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ $m = \frac{1}{2}$ or $\tan \theta = \frac{1}{2}$ •⁵ 26.6° or $0.4636\dots$ radians 	2
Notes:					
5. Do not penalise the omission of units at • ⁵ . 6. Accept any answers which round to 27° or 0.46 radians. 7. For 27° or 0.46 radians without working award 2/2. 8. Where candidates find the angle of the altitude or other sides with the positive direction of the x -axis only • ⁵ is available.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate C - no reference to tan $m = \frac{4}{8}$ 26.6°			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ ✓ •⁵ ✓ 	Candidate D - BEWARE $m = \frac{1}{2}$ $\theta = \tan \frac{1}{2}$ $\theta = 26.6^\circ$ Stating \tan rather than \tan^{-1} See general marking principle (g) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ ✓ •⁵ ✗ 	
Candidate E $\tan^{-1}(3) = 72^\circ$			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ ✗ •⁵ ✓₁ 		

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
2.			Find the equation of the tangent to the curve with equation $y = 2x^5 - 3x$ at the point where $x = 1$.		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ calculate y-coordinate •² differentiate •³ calculate the gradient •⁴ find equation of line 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ -1 •² $10x^4 - 3$ •³ 7 •⁴ $y = 7x - 8$ 	4
Notes:					
<p>1. Only •¹ is available to candidates who integrate.</p> <p>2. •⁴ is only available where candidates attempt to find the gradient by substituting into their derivative.</p> <p>3. The appearance of $10x^4 - 3$ gains •².</p> <p>4. •³ is not available for $y = 7$. However, where 7 is then used as the gradient of the straight line, •³ may be awarded - see Candidates B, C & D.</p> <p>5. •⁴ is not available as a consequence of using a perpendicular gradient.</p>					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A			Candidate B - incorrect notation		
$\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 3$ $y = 7$ $m = -3$ $y = -3x + 10$			$y = -1$ $y = 10x^4 - 3$ $y = 7$ $y + 1 = 7(x - 1)$ $y = 7x - 8$		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² ✓ •¹ ✗ •³ ✗ •⁴ ✓₂ 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ✓ - BoD •² ✓ •³ ✓ - BoD •⁴ ✓ 		
Candidate C - use of values in equation			Candidate D - incorrect notation		
$y = -1$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 3$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 7$ $y = 7$ $y + 1 = 7(x - 1)$ $y = 7x - 8$			$y = -1$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 3$ $y = 7$		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ✓ - BoD •² ✓ •³ ✓ •⁴ ✓ 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ✓ - BoD •² ✓ •³ ✗ <p>Evidence for •³ would need to appear in the equation of the line</p>		
Candidate E					
$y = -1$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 10x^4 - 3 = 0$ $10(1)^4 - 3 = 0$ $m = 7$ $y = 7x - 8$					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ✓ •² ✓ •³ ✗ •⁴ ✓₁ 					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
3.			Find $\int 7 \cos\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) dx$.		
			<p>•¹ start to integrate</p> <p>•² complete integration</p>	<p>•¹ $7 \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \dots$</p> <p>•² $\dots \times \frac{1}{4} + c$</p>	2
Notes:					
<p>1. Award •¹ for any appearance of $(+)7 \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ regardless of any constant multiplier.</p> <p>2. Candidates who work in degrees from the start cannot gain •¹, however •² is still available - see Candidate C.</p> <p>3. Where candidates use any other invalid approach, eg $7 \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)^2$, $\int \left(7 \cos 4x + \cos \frac{\pi}{3}\right) dx$ or $7 \sin 4x + \frac{\pi}{3}$ award 0/2. However, see Candidate E.</p> <p>4. Do not penalise the appearance of an integral sign and/or dx throughout.</p>					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A - using addition formula $\int \left(7 \cos 4x \cos \frac{\pi}{3} - 7 \sin 4x \sin \frac{\pi}{3}\right) dx$ $= \frac{7}{4} \sin 4x \cos \frac{\pi}{3} + \frac{7}{4} \cos 4x \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \dots$ • ¹ ✓ $= \frac{7}{4} \sin 4x \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) + \frac{7}{4} \cos 4x \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) + c$ • ² ✓			Candidate B $\frac{7}{4} \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ • ¹ ✓ $= \frac{7}{4} \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + c$ • ² ✓		
Candidate C - working in degrees $\int 7 \cos(4x + 60) dx$ $= 7 \sin(4x + 60) \times \frac{1}{4} + c$ • ¹ ✗ • ² ✓ ₁			Candidate D - integrating over two lines $7 \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right)$ • ¹ ✓ $= \frac{7}{4} \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + c$ • ² ✗		
Candidate E - integrating in part $-\frac{7}{4} \sin\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + c$ • ¹ ✗ • ² ✓ ₁			Candidate F - insufficient evidence of integration $\frac{7}{4} \cos\left(4x + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + c$ • ¹ ✗ • ² ✗		

Question	Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
4.	<p>The diagram shows the cubic graph of $y = f(x)$, with stationary points at $(2, 0)$ and $(0, -2)$.</p>  <p>On the diagram in your answer booklet, sketch the graph of $y = 2f(-x)$.</p>		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ reflect in the y-axis •² apply appropriate vertical scaling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ cubic graph with max at $(-2, 0)$ and passing through $(1, 0)$ •²  	2
<p>Notes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Where candidates do not sketch a cubic function award 0/2. 2. For transformations of the form $f(-x) + k$ or $-f(x + k)$ award 0/2. 3. If the transformation has not been applied to all coordinates, award 0/2. 			

Commonly Observed Responses:

Function	Transformation of $(-1,0)$ and $(2,0)$	Transformation of $(0,-2)$	Shape	Award
Incorrect orientation	$(-2,0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,-4)$		0/2
$-2f(x)$	$(-1,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,4)$		1/2
$-2f(-x)$	$(-2,0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,4)$		1/2
$-2f(-2x)$	$(-1,0)$ and $(\frac{1}{2},0)$	$(0,4)$		0/2
$-2f(-\frac{x}{2})$	$(-4,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,4)$		0/2
$2f(x)$	$(-1,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,-4)$		1/2
$2f(2x)$	$(-\frac{1}{2},0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,-4)$		1/2
$2f(\frac{x}{2})$	$(-2,0)$ and $(4,0)$	$(0,-4)$		1/2
$2f(-\frac{x}{2})$	$(-4,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,-4)$		1/2
$2f(x-1)$	$(0,0)$ and $(3,0)$	$(1,-4)$		1/2
$f(-x)$	$(-2,0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,-2)$		1/2
$\frac{1}{2}f(-x)$	$(-2,0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,-1)$		1/2
$f(2x)$	$(-\frac{1}{2},0)$ and $(1,0)$	$(0,-2)$		0/2
$f(-2x)$	$(-1,0)$ and $(\frac{1}{2},0)$	$(0,-2)$		0/2
$f(-\frac{x}{2})$	$(-4,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,-2)$		0/2
$-f(\frac{x}{2})$	$(-2,0)$ and $(4,0)$	$(0,2)$		0/2
$-f(-\frac{x}{2})$	$(-4,0)$ and $(2,0)$	$(0,2)$		0/2

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
5.			A function, f , is defined by $f(x) = (3 - 2x)^4$, where $x \in \mathbb{R}$. Calculate the rate of change of f when $x = 4$.		
			\bullet^1 start to differentiate \bullet^2 complete differentiation \bullet^3 calculate rate of change	$\bullet^1 4(3 - 2x)^3 \dots$ $\bullet^2 \dots \times (-2)$ $\bullet^3 1000$	3
Notes:					
1. Correct answer with no working, award 0/3. 2. Accept $4u^3 \times (-2)$ where $u = 3 - 2x$ for \bullet^1 . 3. Where candidates only evaluate $f(4)$, award 0/3 - see Candidate B. 4. \bullet^3 is only available for evaluating expressions equivalent to $k(3 - 2x)^3$.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A $f'(x) = 4(3 - 2x)^3 \times (-2)$ $\bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \checkmark$ $f'(x) = 8(3 - 2x)^3$ $f'(4) = -1000$ $\bullet^3 \times$			Candidate B - evaluating $f(x)$ $f'(x) = (3 - 2x)^4$ $\bullet^1 \times \bullet^2 \times$ $f'(4) = 625$ $\bullet^3 \times$		
Candidate C - differentiating over two lines $4(3 - 2x)^3$ $\bullet^1 \checkmark$ $4(3 - 2x)^3 \times 2$ $\bullet^2 \times$ -1000 $\bullet^3 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$			Candidate D - differentiating over two lines $4(3 - 2x)^3$ $\bullet^1 \checkmark$ $4(3 - 2x)^3 \times -2$ $\bullet^2 \wedge$ 1000 $\bullet^3 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$		
Candidate E - insufficient evidence for mark 1 $f'(x) = 8(3 - 2x)^3$ $\bullet^1 \times \bullet^2 \times$ $f'(4) = -1000$ $\bullet^3 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$			Candidate F $4(3 - 2x)^3$ $\bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \wedge$ -500 $\bullet^3 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$		

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Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
6.			A function $f(x)$ is defined by $f(x) = \frac{2}{x} + 3, x > 0$. Find the inverse function, $f^{-1}(x)$.		
			Method 1 • ¹ equate composite function to x • ² write $f(f^{-1}(x))$ in terms of $f^{-1}(x)$ • ³ state inverse function	Method 1 • ¹ $f(f^{-1}(x)) = x$ • ² $x = \frac{2}{f^{-1}(x)} + 3$ • ³ $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$	3
			Method 2 • ¹ write as $y = f(x)$ and start to rearrange • ² express x in terms of y • ³ state inverse function	Method 2 • ¹ $y = f(x) \Rightarrow x = f^{-1}(y)$ $y - 3 = \frac{2}{x}$ • ² $x = \frac{2}{y-3}$ • ³ $f^{-1}(y) = \frac{2}{y-3}$ $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$	
Notes:					
1. In Method, 1 accept $x = \frac{2}{f^{-1}(x)} + 3$ for • ¹ and • ² . 2. In Method 2, accept ' $y - 3 = \frac{2}{x}$ ', without reference to $y = f(x) \Rightarrow x = f^{-1}(y)$ at • ¹ . 3. In Method 2, accept $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$ without reference to $f^{-1}(y)$ at • ³ . 4. In Method 2, beware of candidates with working where each line is not mathematically equivalent - see Candidates A and B for example. 5. At • ³ stage, accept f^{-1} written in terms of any dummy variable eg $f^{-1}(y) = \frac{2}{y-3}$. 6. $y = \frac{2}{x-3}$ does not gain • ³ . 7. $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$ with no working gains 3/3. 8. In Method 2, where candidates make multiple algebraic errors at the • ² stage, • ³ is still available.					

Commonly Observed Responses:

Candidate A

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{x} + 3$$

$$y = \frac{2}{x} + 3$$

$$y - 3 = \frac{2}{x}$$

$$x = \frac{2}{y - 3}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

•¹ ✓ •² ✓

•³ ✗

Candidate B

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{x} + 3$$

$$y = \frac{2}{x} + 3$$

$$x = \frac{2}{y} + 3$$

$$x - 3 = \frac{2}{y}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

•¹ ✗

•² ✓₁

•³ ✓₁

Candidate C - BEWARE

$$f'(x) = \dots$$

•³ ✗

Candidate D

$$x \rightarrow \frac{1}{x} \rightarrow \frac{2}{x} \rightarrow \frac{2}{x} + 3 = f(x)$$

$$\times 2 \rightarrow + 3$$

$$\therefore -3 \rightarrow \div 2$$

$$\frac{2}{x - 3} \text{ (invert)}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{x - 3}$$

•¹ ✓

•² ✓

•³ ✓

Candidate E

∴

$$f^{-1}(x) = \left(\frac{x - 3}{2} \right)^{-1}$$

•¹ ✓ •² ✓

•³ ✓

Candidate F

∴

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[1]{\frac{x - 3}{2}}$$

•¹ ✓ •² ✓

•³ ✓

Candidate G

$$y = \frac{2}{x} + 3$$

$$xy = 5$$

$$x = \frac{5}{y}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5}{x}$$

However

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2 + 3}{x}$$

•¹ ✗

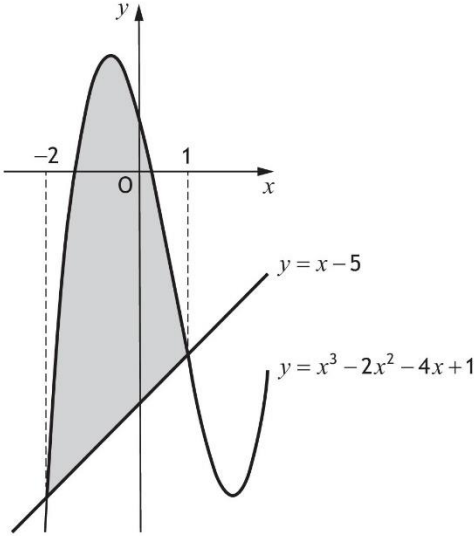
•² ✓₂

•³ ✓₁

•³ ^

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
7.			Solve the equation $\sin x^\circ + 2 = 3 \cos 2x^\circ$ for $0 \leq x < 360$.		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use double angle formula to express equation in terms of $\sin x^\circ$ •² arrange in standard quadratic form •³ factorise or use quadratic formula •⁴ solve for $\sin x^\circ$ •⁵ solve for x 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\dots = 3(1 - 2\sin^2 x^\circ)$ •² $6\sin^2 x^\circ + \sin x^\circ - 1 = 0$ •³ $(3\sin x^\circ - 1)(2\sin x^\circ + 1) (= 0)$ or $\sin x^\circ = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{25}}{12}$ •⁴ $\sin x^\circ = \frac{1}{3}$, •⁵ $\sin x^\circ = -\frac{1}{2}$ •⁵ 19.47..., 160.52..., 210, 330 	5
Notes:					
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Substituting $1 - 2\sin^2 A$ or $1 - 2\sin^2 \alpha$ for $\cos 2x^\circ$ at the •¹ stage should be treated as bad form provided the equation is written in terms of x at •² stage. Otherwise, •¹ is not available. 2. Do not penalise the omission of degree signs. 3. ‘= 0’ must appear by •³ stage for •² to be awarded. However, for candidates using the quadratic formula to solve the equation, ‘= 0’ must appear at •² stage for •² to be awarded. 4. Candidates may express the equation obtained at •² in the form $6S^2 + S - 1 = 0$, $6x^2 + x - 1 = 0$ or using any other dummy variable at the •³ stage. In these cases, award •³ for $(3S - 1)(2S + 1)$ or $(3x - 1)(2x + 1)$. However, •⁴ is only available if $\sin x^\circ$ appears explicitly at this stage - see Candidate A. 5. The equation $1 - 6\sin^2 x^\circ - \sin x^\circ = 0$ does not gain •² unless •³ has been awarded. 6. •³ is awarded for identifying the factors of the quadratic obtained at •². Eg “$3\sin x^\circ - 1 = 0$ and $2\sin x^\circ + 1 = 0$”. 7. •⁴ and •⁵ are only available as a consequence of trying to solve a quadratic equation - see Candidate B. 8. •³, •⁴ and •⁵ are not available for any attempt to solve a quadratic equation written in the form $ax^2 + bx = c$ - see Candidate C. 9. •⁵ is only available where at least one of the equations at •⁴ leads to two solutions for x. 10. Do not penalise additional (correct) solutions at •⁵. However see Candidates E and F. 11. Accept answers which round to 19, 19.5 and 161. 					

Commonly Observed Responses:	
Candidate A \vdots $6S^2 + S - 1 = 0$ $(3S - 1)(2S + 1) = 0$ $S = \frac{1}{3}, S = -\frac{1}{2}$ $x = 19.5, 160.5, 210, 330$	$\bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark$ $\bullet^4 \wedge$ $\bullet^5 \boxed{1}$
Candidate B - not solving a quadratic \vdots $6 \sin^2 x^\circ + \sin x^\circ - 1 = 0$ $7 \sin x^\circ - 1 = 0$ $\sin x^\circ = \frac{1}{7}$ $x = 8.2$	$\bullet^1 \checkmark$ $\bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\bullet^3 \times$ $\bullet^4 \boxed{2}$ $\bullet^5 \boxed{2}$
Candidate C - not in standard quadratic form $\sin x^\circ + 2 = 3 - 6 \sin^2 x^\circ$ $6 \sin^2 x^\circ + \sin x^\circ = 1$ $\sin x^\circ (6 \sin x^\circ + 1) = 1$ $\sin x^\circ = 1 \quad 6 \sin x^\circ + 5 = 1$ $\Rightarrow \sin x = -\frac{4}{6}$ $90, 221.8, 318.2$	$\bullet^1 \checkmark$ $\bullet^2 \boxed{2}$ $\bullet^3 \boxed{2}$ $\bullet^4 \times$ $\bullet^5 \times$
Candidate D - reading $\cos 2x^\circ$ as $\cos^2 x^\circ$ $\sin x^\circ + 2 = 3 \cos^2 x^\circ$ $\sin x^\circ + 2 = 3(1 - \sin^2 x^\circ)$ $3 \sin^2 x^\circ + \sin x^\circ - 1 = 0$ $\sin x^\circ = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{13}}{6}$ $\sin x^\circ = 0.434..., \sin x^\circ = -0.767...$ $25.7, 154.3, 230.1, 309.9$	$\bullet^1 \times$ $\bullet^2 \boxed{1}$ $\bullet^3 \boxed{1}$ $\bullet^4 \boxed{1}$ $\bullet^5 \boxed{1}$
Candidate E \vdots $(3 \sin x^\circ - 1)(2 \sin x^\circ + 1) = 0$ $\sin x^\circ = \frac{1}{3}, \sin x^\circ = -\frac{1}{2}$ $x = 19, x = 161 \quad x = 30$ $x = 210, x = 330$ However, where the final solution(s) are clearly identified by the candidate award \bullet^5	$\bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark$ $\bullet^4 \checkmark$ $\bullet^5 \times$
Candidate F \vdots $(3 \sin x^\circ - 1)(2 \sin x^\circ + 1) = 0$ $\sin x^\circ = \frac{1}{3}, \sin x^\circ = -\frac{1}{2}$ $x = 19, 161, 30, 210, 330$	$\bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \checkmark$ $\bullet^3 \checkmark$ $\bullet^4 \checkmark$ $\bullet^5 \times$

Question	Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
8.		<p>The diagram shows part of the curve with equation $y = x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1$ and the line with equation $y = x - 5$.</p> <p>The curve and the line intersect at the points where $x = -2$ and $x = 1$.</p>  <p>Calculate the shaded area.</p>	
	<p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ integrate using “upper - lower” •² identify limits •³ integrate •⁴ substitute limits •⁵ calculate shaded area 	<p>Method 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\int \left((x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1) - (x - 5) \right) dx$ •² $\int_{-2}^1 \left((x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1) - (x - 5) \right) dx$ •³ $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{5x^2}{2} + 6x$ •⁴ $\left(\frac{(1)^4}{4} - \frac{2(1)^3}{3} - \frac{5(1)^2}{2} + 6(1) \right) - \left(\frac{(-2)^4}{4} - \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} - \frac{5(-2)^2}{2} + 6(-2) \right)$ •⁵ $\frac{63}{4}$ or $15\frac{3}{4}$ 	5

		Method 2	Method 2	5
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ know to integrate between appropriate limits for both integrals •² integrate both functions •³ substitute limits into both expressions •⁴ evaluate both integrals •⁵ evidence of subtracting areas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\int_{-2}^1 \dots dx$ and $\int_{-2}^1 \dots dx$ •² $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{4x^2}{2} + x$ and $\frac{x^2}{2} - 5x$ •³ $\left(\frac{(1)^4}{4} - \frac{2(1)^3}{3} - \frac{4(1)^2}{2} + (1) \right) - \left(\frac{(-2)^4}{4} - \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} - \frac{4(-2)^2}{2} + (-2) \right)$ and $\left(\frac{(1)^2}{2} - 5(1) \right) - \left(\frac{(-2)^2}{2} - 5(-2) \right)$ •⁴ $-\frac{3}{4}$ and $-\frac{33}{2}$ •⁵ $-\frac{3}{4} - \left(-\frac{33}{2} \right) = \frac{63}{4}$ 	

Notes:

- Correct answer with no working - award 1/5.
- In Method 1, treat the absence of brackets at •¹ stage as bad form only if the correct integral is obtained at •³ - see Candidates A and B.
- Do not penalise lack of 'dx' at •¹.
- Limits and 'dx' must appear by the •² stage for •² to be awarded in Method 1 and by the •¹ stage for •¹ to be awarded in Method 2.
- Where a candidate differentiates one or more terms at •³, then •³, •⁴ and •⁵ are unavailable.
- Accept unsimplified expressions at •³ e.g. $\frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{4x^2}{2} + x - \frac{x^2}{2} + 5x$.
- Do not penalise the inclusion of '+c'.
- Do not penalise the continued appearance of the integral sign after •².
- Candidates who substitute limits without integrating do not gain •³, •⁴ or •⁵.
- ⁵ is not available where solutions include statements such as ' $-\frac{63}{4} = \frac{63}{4}$ square units' - see Candidate B.
- Where a candidate only integrates $x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1$ or another cubic or quartic expression at the •³ stage, only •³ and •⁴ are available (from Method 1).

Commonly Observed Responses:

Candidate A - bad form corrected

$$\int_{-2}^1 x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1 - x - 5 dx \quad \bullet^2 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{5x^2}{2} + 6x \quad \bullet^3 \checkmark \Rightarrow \bullet^1 \checkmark$$

Bad form at \bullet^1 must be corrected by the integration stage and may also take the form of a missing minus sign

Candidate B

$$\int_{-2}^1 x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1 - x - 5 dx \quad \bullet^1 \times \bullet^2 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{5x^2}{2} - 4x \quad \bullet^3 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$$

$$= \left(\frac{(1)^4}{4} - \frac{2(1)^3}{3} - \frac{5(1)^2}{2} - 4(1) \right)$$

$$- \left(\frac{(-2)^4}{4} - \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} - \frac{5(-2)^2}{2} - 4(-2) \right) \quad \bullet^4 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$$

$$- \frac{57}{4} \text{ cannot be negative so } = \frac{57}{4} \quad \bullet^5 \times$$

$$\text{However, } \int \dots = -\frac{57}{4} \text{ so Area} = \frac{57}{4} \quad \bullet^5 \boxed{\checkmark}_1$$

Candidate C - lower – upper

$$\int_{-2}^1 ((x-5) - (x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1)) dx \quad \bullet^2 \checkmark$$

$$= -\frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{2x^3}{3} + \frac{5x^2}{2} - 6x \quad \bullet^3 \checkmark$$

$$\left(-\frac{(1)^4}{4} + \frac{2(1)^3}{3} + \frac{5(1)^2}{2} - 6(1) \right) -$$

$$\left(-\frac{(-2)^4}{4} + \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} + \frac{5(-2)^2}{2} - 6(-2) \right) \quad \bullet^4 \checkmark$$

$$= -\frac{63}{4}$$

$$\text{So Area} = \frac{63}{4} \quad \bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^5 \checkmark$$

Candidate D - reversed limits

$$\int_{-2}^1 ((x^3 - 2x^2 - 4x + 1) - (x-5)) dx \quad \bullet^1 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{5x^2}{2} + 6x \quad \bullet^3 \checkmark$$

$$\left(\frac{(-2)^4}{4} - \frac{2(-2)^3}{3} - \frac{5(-2)^2}{2} + 6(-2) \right)$$

$$- \left(\frac{(1)^4}{4} - \frac{2(1)^3}{3} - \frac{5(1)^2}{2} + 6(1) \right) \quad \bullet^4 \checkmark$$

$$= -\frac{63}{4}$$

$$\text{So Area} = \frac{63}{4} \quad \bullet^2 \checkmark \bullet^5 \checkmark$$

Candidate E -

‘upper’ – ‘lower’

$$= x^3 - 2x^2 - 5x + 6$$

$$\int_{-2}^1 (x^3 - 2x^2 - 5x + 6) dx \quad \bullet^1 \checkmark \bullet^2 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{2x^3}{3} - \frac{5x^2}{2} + 6x \quad \bullet^3 \checkmark$$

$$\frac{37}{12} - \left(-\frac{38}{3} \right) \quad \bullet^4 \checkmark$$

$$= \frac{63}{4} \quad \bullet^5 \checkmark$$

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Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
9.	(a)		(a) Express $7 \cos x^\circ - 3 \sin x^\circ$ in the form $k \sin(x+a)^\circ$ where $k > 0$, $0 < a < 360$. M1		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use compound angle formula •² compare coefficients •³ process for k •⁴ process for a and express in required form 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $k \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + k \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ stated explicitly •² $k \cos a^\circ = -3$, $k \sin a^\circ = 7$ stated explicitly •³ $\sqrt{58}$ •⁴ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x+113.19\dots)^\circ$. 	4
Notes:					
<p>1. Do not penalise the omission of degree symbols in this question.</p> <p>2. Accept $k(\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ)$ at •¹.</p> <p>3. Treat $k \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ as bad form only if the equations at the •² stage both contain k.</p> <p>4. $\sqrt{58} \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + \sqrt{58} \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ or $\sqrt{58}(\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ)$ are acceptable for •¹ and •³.</p> <p>5. •² is not available for $k \cos x^\circ = -3$ and $k \sin x^\circ = 7$, however •⁴ may still be gained - see Candidate E.</p> <p>6. •³ is only available for a single value of k, $k > 0$.</p> <p>7. •⁴ is not available for a value of a given in radians.</p> <p>8. Accept values of a which round to 113.</p> <p>9. Candidates may use any form of the wave function for •¹, •² and •³. However, •⁴ is only available if the wave is interpreted in the form $k \sin(x+a)^\circ$.</p> <p>10. Evidence for •⁴ may appear in part (b).</p>					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A		Candidate B		Candidate C	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ ^ $\sqrt{58} \cos a^\circ = -3$ $\sqrt{58} \sin a^\circ = 7$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² ✓ •³ ✓ $\tan a^\circ = -\frac{7}{3}$ $a = 113.19\dots$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x+113.19\dots)^\circ$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ ✓ 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> $k \sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + k \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ •¹ ✓ $\cos a^\circ = -3$ $\sin a^\circ = 7$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² ✗ $\tan a^\circ = -\frac{7}{3}$ $a = 113.19\dots$ <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; margin-top: 10px;"> Not consistent with equations at •². </div> $\sqrt{58} \sin(x+113.19\dots)^\circ$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •³ ✓ •⁴ ✗ 		$\sin x^\circ \cos a^\circ + \cos x^\circ \sin a^\circ$ • ¹ ✗ $\cos a^\circ = -3$ $\sin a^\circ = 7$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •² ✓₂ $k = \sqrt{58}$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •³ ✓ $\tan a^\circ = -\frac{7}{3}$ $a = 113.19\dots$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x+113.19\dots)^\circ$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •⁴ ✗ 	

Candidate D - errors at ●² $k \sin x \cos a + k \cos x \sin a$ ● ¹ ✓ $k \cos a^\circ = 7$ $k \sin a^\circ = -3$ ● ² ✗ $\tan a^\circ = -\frac{3}{7}$ $a = 336.80\dots$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 336.80\dots)^\circ$ ● ³ ✓ ● ⁴ ✓ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Candidate E - use of x at ●² $k \sin x \cos a + k \cos x \sin a$ ● ¹ ✓ $k \cos x^\circ = -3$ $k \sin x^\circ = 7$ ● ² ✗ $\tan a^\circ = -\frac{7}{3}$ $a = 113.19\dots$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 113.19\dots)^\circ$ ● ³ ✓ ● ⁴ ✓ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Candidate F $k \sin A \cos B + k \cos A \sin B$ ● ¹ ✗ $k \cos A = -3$ $k \sin A = 7$ ● ² ✗ $\tan A = -\frac{7}{3}$ $A = 113.19\dots$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 113.19\dots)^\circ$ ● ³ ✓ ● ⁴ ✓ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
	(b)		(b) Hence, or otherwise, find: (i) the maximum value of $14 \cos x^\circ - 6 \sin x^\circ$ (ii) the value of x for which it occurs where $0 \leq x < 360$.		
		(i)	• ⁵ state maximum value	• ⁵ $2\sqrt{58}$	1
		(ii)	Method 1 • ⁶ start to solve • ⁷ state value of x Method 2 • ⁶ start to solve • ⁷ state value of x	Method 1 • ⁶ $x + 113.19... = 90$ leading to $x = -23.19...$ • ⁷ $x = 336.80...$ Method 2 • ⁶ $x + 113.19... = 450$ • ⁷ $x = 336.80...$	2
Notes:					
11. • ⁷ is only available where an angle outwith the range $0 \leq x < 360$ needs to be considered - see Candidate G.					
12. • ⁷ is only available where • ⁶ has been awarded. However, see Candidate K.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate G - not considering angle outwith $0 \leq x < 360$ $\sqrt{58} \sin(x - 23)^\circ$ from part (a) $x - 23 = 90$ $x = 113$			• ⁶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 • ⁷ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2	Candidate H - simplification (i) $2\sqrt{58}$ (ii) $\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 113)^\circ = \sqrt{58}$ $x + 113 = 90$ $x = -23$ $x = 337$	• ⁵ ✓ • ⁶ ✓ • ⁷ ✓
Candidate I - follow-through marking (i) $\sqrt{58}$ (ii) $2\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 113)^\circ = \sqrt{58}$ $x + 113 = 30$ $x = -83$ $x = 277$			• ⁵ ✗ • ⁶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 • ⁷ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1	Candidate J - graphical approach (i) $\sqrt{58}$ (ii) max occurs when $x + 113 = 90$ $x = -23$ $x = 337$	• ⁵ ✗ • ⁶ ✓ • ⁷ ✓
Candidate K - no acknowledgement of $\times 2$ (i) $\sqrt{58}$ (ii) $\sqrt{58} \sin(x + 113)^\circ = \sqrt{58}$ $x + 113 = 90$ $x = -23$ $x = 337$			• ⁵ ✗ • ⁶ ✗ • ⁷ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1		

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark												
10.			Determine the range of values of x for which the function $f(x) = 2x^3 + 9x^2 - 24x + 6$ is strictly decreasing.														
			Method 1 • ¹ differentiate one term • ² complete differentiation and interpret condition • ³ determine zeros of quadratic expression • ⁴ state range with justification	Method 1 • ¹ $6x^2 \dots$ or $+18x \dots$ or -24 • ² $6x^2 + 18x - 24 < 0$ • ³ 1 and -4 • ⁴ $-4 < x < 1$ with eg labelled sketch	4												
			Method 2 • ¹ differentiate one term • ² complete differentiation and determine zeros of quadratic expression • ³ construct nature table(s) • ⁴ interpret sign of derivative and state range	Method 2 • ¹ $6x^2 \dots$ or $+18x \dots$ or -24 • ² $6x^2 + 18x - 24$ and 1 and -4 • ³ <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">x</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">\dots</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">-4</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">\dots</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">1</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">\dots</td></tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px 10px;">$f'(x)$</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">+</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">0</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">-</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">0</td><td style="padding: 2px 10px;">+</td></tr> </table> • ⁴ decreasing when $f'(x) < 0$ so $-4 < x < 1$	x	\dots	-4	\dots	1	\dots	$f'(x)$	+	0	-	0	+	4
x	\dots	-4	\dots	1	\dots												
$f'(x)$	+	0	-	0	+												
Notes: 1. At • ³ do not penalise candidates who fail to extract the common factor or who have divided the quadratic inequality by 6. 2. • ³ and • ⁴ are not available to candidates who arrive at a linear expression at • ² . 3. Accept the appearance of -4 and 1 within inequalities for • ³ . 4. At • ⁴ , accept “ $x > -4$, $x < 1$ ” together with the required justification.																	
Commonly Observed Responses:																	
Candidate A $6x^2 + 18x - 24 < 0$ • ¹ ✓ • ² ✓ $6x^2 + 18x - 24 = 0$ $x = -4, 1$ • ³ ✓ $-4 < x < 1$ with sketch • ⁴ ✓			Candidate B - no initial inequation $6x^2 + 18x - 24 = 0$ • ¹ ✓ • ² ✗ $x = -4, 1$ • ³ ✓ $-4 < x < 1$ with sketch • ⁴ ✗														
Candidate C Decreasing when $f'(x) < 0$ $f'(x) = 6x^2 + 18x - 24$ • ¹ ✓ • ² ✓ ∴			Candidate D - condition applied after simplification $f'(x) = 6x^2 + 18x - 24$ • ¹ ✓ $x^2 + 3x - 4 < 0$ • ² ✗ $x = -4, 1$ • ³ ✓ $-4 < x < 1$ with sketch • ⁴ ✓														

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
11.	(a)		Circle C_1 has equation $(x-4)^2 + (y+2)^2 = 37$. Circle C_2 has equation $x^2 + y^2 + 2x - 6y - 7 = 0$. (a) Calculate the distance between the centres of C_1 and C_2 .		
			• ¹ state centre of C_1 • ² state centre of C_2 • ³ calculate distance between centres	• ¹ $(4, -2)$ • ² $(-1, 3)$ • ³ $\sqrt{50}$ or $5\sqrt{2}$ or 7.07...	3
Notes:					
1. Accept $x = 4$, $y = -2$ for • ¹ and $x = -1$, $y = 3$ • ² . Do not accept $g = 1$, $f = -3$ for • ² . 2. Do not penalise lack of brackets in • ¹ and • ² .					
Commonly Observed Responses:					

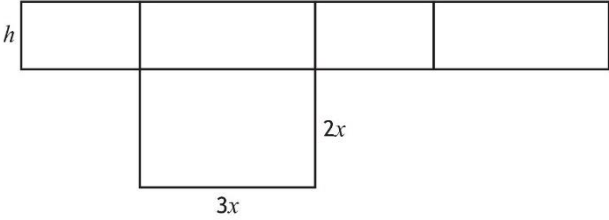
Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
	(b)		(b) Hence, show that C_1 and C_2 intersect at two distinct points.		
			• ⁴ state radius of C_1 • ⁵ calculate radius of C_2 • ⁶ demonstrate and communicate result	• ⁴ $r_1 = \sqrt{37}$ or 6.08... • ⁵ $r_2 = \sqrt{17}$ or 4.12... • ⁶ $10.20... > 7.07... (> 1.95...)$ \therefore circles intersect at two distinct points	3
Notes:					
3. Accept $\sqrt{1^2 + 3^2 + 7} = \sqrt{17}$ or $\sqrt{1^2 + -3^2 + 7} = \sqrt{17}$ for • ⁵ . However, do not accept $\sqrt{(-1)^2 + 3^2 + 7} = \sqrt{17}$. 4. At • ⁶ comparison must be made using decimals. Do not accept $\sqrt{37} + \sqrt{17} > \sqrt{50}$ without any further working. 5. Evidence for • ⁴ and • ⁵ may be found in part (a). 6. For candidates who use simultaneous equations, award • ⁴ for substitution of $y = x + 1$ into the equation of one of the circles, • ⁵ for rearranging in standard quadratic form and • ⁶ for obtaining distinct x -coordinates. 7. Do not penalise the omission of “at two distinct points” at • ⁶ .					
Commonly Observed Responses:					

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12.			A curve, for which $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8x^3 + 3$, passes through the point $(-1, 3)$. Express y in terms of x .		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ integrate one term •² complete integration •³ substitute for x and y •⁴ state expression for y 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ eg $\frac{8x^4}{4} \dots$ •² eg $\dots + 3x + c$ •³ $3 = \frac{8 \times (-1)^4}{4} + 3 \times (-1) + c$ •⁴ $y = 2x^4 + 3x + 4$ 	4
Notes:					
1. For candidates who omit $+c$ only • ¹ is available. 2. For candidates who differentiate either term, • ² , • ³ , and • ⁴ are not available. 3. Do not penalise the appearance of an integral sign and/or dx at • ² and • ³ .					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A - incomplete substitution			Candidate B - partial integration		
$y = 2x^4 + 3x + c$ • ¹ ✓ • ² ✓ $y = 2(-1)^4 + 3(-1) + c$ $c = 4$ • ³ ^ $y = 2x^4 + 3x + 4$ • ⁴ ✓₁			$y = 2x^4 + 3 + c$ • ² ✓ • ³ ✗ $3 = 2(-1)^4 + 3 + c$ • ³ ✓₁ $c = -2$ $y = 2x^4 + 1$ • ⁴ ✓₁		
Candidate C - integrating over two lines					
$y = 2x^4 + 3x$ • ¹ ✓ • ² ✗ $y = 2x^4 + 3x + c$ $3 = 2(-1)^4 + 3(-1) + c$ • ³ ✓ $y = 2x^4 + 3x + 4$ • ⁴ ✓					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
13.	(a)		<p>A patient is given a dose of medicine.</p> <p>The concentration of the medicine in the patient's blood is modelled by</p> $C_t = 11e^{-0.0053 t}$ <p>where:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> t is the time, in minutes, since the dose of medicine was given C_t is the concentration of the medicine, in mg/l, at time t. <p>(a) Calculate the concentration of the medicine 30 minutes after the dose was given.</p>		
			• ¹ calculate concentration	• ¹ 9.38... (mg/l)	1
Notes:					
1. Accept any answer which rounds to 9.4 for • ¹ .					
Commonly Observed Responses:					







Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
	(b)		The dose of medicine becomes ineffective when its concentration falls to 0.66 mg/L. (b) Calculate the time taken for this dose of the medicine to become ineffective.		
			• ² substitute • ³ write in logarithmic form • ⁴ process for t	• ² $0.66 = 11 \times e^{-0.0053 t}$ • ³ $\log_e \frac{0.66}{11} = -0.0053 t$ • ⁴ 530.83... (minutes)	3
Notes:					
2. Where values other than 0.66 are used in the substitution, • ³ and • ⁴ are still available. 3. Evidence for • ³ must be stated explicitly. 4. At • ³ all exponentials must be processed. 5. Any base may be used at • ³ stage - see Candidate A. 6. Accept $\ln 0.06 = -0.0053 t \ln e$ for • ³ . 7. Accept any answer where $530 \leq t \leq 532$ at • ⁴ . 8. • ⁴ is unavailable where a candidate rounds the value of $\ln 0.06$ to fewer than 2 decimal places. 9. The calculation at • ⁴ must follow from the valid use of exponentials and logarithms at • ² and • ³ . 10. For candidates with no working or who take an iterative approach to arrive at $t = 532$, $t = 531$ or $t = 530$ award 1/3. However, if, in any iterations C_t is evaluated for $t = 530$ and $t = 531$ leading to a final answer of $t = 531$ (minutes) then award 3/3.					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A			Candidate B		
$0.66 = 11e^{-0.0053t}$			$0.66 = 11e^{-0.0053t}$		
$0.06 = e^{-0.0053t}$			$t = 531 \text{ minutes}$		
$\log_{10} 0.06 = -0.0053t \log_{10} e$					
$t = 531 \text{ minutes}$					

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14.			<p>A net of an open box is shown.</p> <p>The box is a cuboid with height h centimetres.</p> <p>The base is a rectangle measuring $3x$ centimetres by $2x$ centimetres.</p>  <p>(a) (i) Express the area of the net, A cm², in terms of h and x.</p> <p>(ii) Given that $A = 7200$ cm², show that the volume of the box, V cm³, is given by $V = 4320x - \frac{18}{5}x^3$.</p>		
		(i)	• ¹ express A in terms of x and h	• ¹ $(A =) 6x^2 + 10xh$	1
		(ii)	<p>•² express h in terms of x</p> <p>•³ substitute for h and demonstrate result</p>	<p>•² $h = \frac{7200 - 6x^2}{10x}$</p> <p>•³ $V = 3x \times 2x \times \left(\frac{7200 - 6x^2}{10x} \right)$ leading to</p> <p>$V = 4320x - \frac{18}{5}x^3$</p>	2
Notes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Accept unsimplified expressions for •¹. •² is only available where the (simplified) expression for A contains at least two terms. The substitution for h at •³ must be clearly shown for •³ to be awarded. 					
Commonly Observed Responses:					

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark												
14.	(b)		(b) Determine the value of x that maximises the volume of the box.														
			<ul style="list-style-type: none">•⁴ differentiate•⁵ equate expression for derivative to 0•⁶ solve for x•⁷ verify nature	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•⁴ $4320 - \frac{54}{5}x^2$•⁵ $4320 - \frac{54}{5}x^2 = 0$•⁶ 20•⁷ table of signs for a derivative<table><tr><td>x</td><td>...</td><td>20</td><td>...</td></tr><tr><td>$V'(x)$</td><td>+</td><td>0</td><td>-</td></tr><tr><td>shape</td><td>/</td><td>—</td><td>\</td></tr></table> <p>∴ maximum (when $x = 20$)</p>	x	...	20	...	$V'(x)$	+	0	-	shape	/	—	\	4
x	...	20	...														
$V'(x)$	+	0	-														
shape	/	—	\														
Notes:																	
<p>4. For any approach which does not use differentiation award 0/4.</p> <p>5. •⁵ can be awarded for $\frac{54}{5}x^2 = 4320$.</p> <p>6. For candidates who integrate any term at the •⁴ stage, only •⁵ is available on follow through for setting their 'derivative' to 0.</p> <p>7. Ignore the appearance of -20 at mark •⁶.</p> <p>8. Where -20 is considered in a nature table (or second derivative), "$x = 20$" must be clearly identified as leading to the maximum area.</p> <p>9. •⁶ and •⁷ are not available to candidates who state that the maximum exists at a negative value of x.</p> <p>10. Do not penalise statements such as "max volume is 20" or "max is 20" at •⁷.</p>																	
Commonly Observed Responses:																	
Candidate A - second derivative			Candidate B - beware of multiplying before equating														
$V''(x) = -\frac{108}{5}x$ $V''(20) < 0 \therefore$ maximum			$V'(x) = 4320 - \frac{54}{5}x^2$ $V'(x) = 21600 - 54x^2$ $21600 - 54x^2 = 0$ $x = 20$														
• ⁷ ✓			• ⁴ ✓ • ⁵ ✗ • ⁶ ✓ ₁														
Candidate C																	
Stationary points when $V'(x) = 0$																	
$V'(x) = 4320 - \frac{54}{5}x^2$ ∴			• ⁴ ✓ • ⁵ ✓														







For the table of signs for a derivative, accept:

x	20^-	20	20^+	x	\rightarrow	20	\rightarrow	x	a	20	b
$V'(x)$	+	0	-	$V'(x)$	+	0	-	$V'(x)$	+	0	-
Slope or shape				Slope or shape				Slope or shape			

Arrows are taken to mean
'in the neighbourhood of'

Where $a < 20$ and $b > 20$

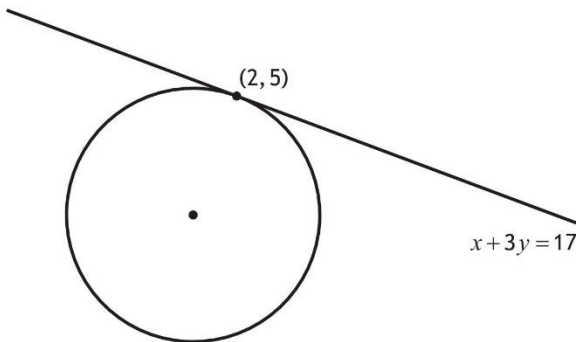
For the table of signs for a derivative, accept:

x	\rightarrow	-20	\rightarrow	20	\rightarrow	x	a	-20	b	20	c
$V'(x)$	-	0	+	0	-	$V'(x)$	-	0	+	0	-
Slope or shape						Slope or shape					

Since the function is continuous
 $-20 \rightarrow 20$ is acceptable

Since the function is continuous
 $-20 < b < 20$ is acceptable

- For this question do not penalise the omission of ' x ' or the word 'shape'/'slope'.
- Stating values of $V'(x)$ is an acceptable alternative to writing '+' or '-' signs.
- Acceptable variations of $V'(x)$ are: V' , $\frac{dV}{dx}$, and $4320 - \frac{54}{5}x^2$. Accept $\frac{dy}{dx}$ only where candidates have previously used $y = 4320x - \frac{18}{5}x^3$ in their working.

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
15.			<p>The line $x + 3y = 17$ is a tangent to a circle at the point $(2, 5)$.</p>  <p>The centre of the circle lies on the y-axis. Find the coordinates of the centre of the circle.</p>		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none">•¹ determine gradient of tangent•² determine gradient of radius•³ strategy to find centre•⁴ state coordinates of centre	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•¹ $-\frac{1}{3}$•² 3•³ eg $y = 3x - 1$ or $3 = \frac{y - 5}{x - 2}$•⁴ $(0, -1)$	4
Notes:					
<p>1. Ignore errors in processing the constant term in •¹.</p> <p>2. Do not accept $m = -\frac{1}{3}x$ for •¹. However •², •³ and •⁴ are still available where the candidate uses a numerical value for m_{\perp}.</p> <p>3. Accept $y - 5 = 3(x - 2)$ as evidence for •³.</p> <p>4. •⁴ is only available as a consequence of trying to find and use a perpendicular gradient along with a point on the y-axis.</p> <p>5. Where candidates use “stepping out” with the perpendicular gradient, the diagram must be consistent with the solution to gain full •³ and •⁴.</p> <p>6. Accept “$x = 0$”, “$y = -1$” stated explicitly for •⁴.</p>					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
Candidate A - perpendicular gradient clearly stated $x + 3y = 17$ $m_{\perp} = 3$ $y = 3x - 1$			<ul style="list-style-type: none">•¹ ✓•² ✓•³ ✓	Candidate B - no communication for perpendicular gradient $x + 3y = 17$ $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{17}{3}$ $m = 3$ $y = 3x - 1$ <ul style="list-style-type: none">•¹ ^•² ✓₁•³ ✓₁•⁴ is available	

<p>Candidate C - no communication for perpendicular gradient or rearrangement</p> $x + 3y = 17$ $m = 3$ $y = 3x - 1$ <p>•¹ ^ •² ^ •³ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ₂ •⁴ ^ •⁴ is not available</p>	<p>Candidate D - using geometry</p> <p>∴ •¹ ✓ •² ✓ •³ ✓</p> <p>Using point diametrically opposite (2,5), by symmetry identify that x-coordinate is -2.</p> <p>∴ $y = 3(-2) - 1 = -7$.</p> <p>Centre is midpoint of $(-2, -7)$ and $(2, 5)$.</p> <p>∴ centre is $(0, -1)$ •⁴ ✓</p>
<p>Candidate E - incorrect gradient</p> $x + 3y = 17$ $3y = -x + 17$ $m_{\perp} = 1$ $1 = \frac{5 - y}{2 - 0}$ <p>Centre is at $(0, 3)$</p> <p>•¹ ^ •² ✗ •³ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ₁ •⁴ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ₁</p>	

[END OF MARKING INSTRUCTIONS]