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# **GCE AS MARKING SCHEME**

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**SUMMER 2024**

**AS  
MATHEMATICS  
UNIT 1 PURE MATHEMATICS A  
2300U10-1**

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**Q      Solution**

**Mark Notes**

1	$y = 12x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 27x^{-1} + 4$	B1	index form, si
	$\frac{dy}{dx} = 12 \times \frac{1}{2} \times x^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 27 \times (-1)x^{-2}$	B1	correct 1 <sup>st</sup> term, ft fractional index.
		B1	correct 2nd term, ft -ve index.
	$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + 27x^{-2}$		
	When $x = 9$ , $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2 - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) = \frac{7}{3}$	B1	cao, accept decimal answers correctly derived from $\frac{7}{3}$ , isw

<b>Q</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark Notes</b>
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2  $2\sin 2\theta = 1$

$$\sin 2\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2\theta = 30^\circ, 150^\circ$$

B1 either angle, si

$$\theta = 15^\circ,$$

B1

$$\theta = 75^\circ$$

B1

Notes:

Ignore answers not in the range  $0^\circ < \theta < 180^\circ$ .

For an incorrect 3<sup>rd</sup> answer, -1 mark from the last 2 marks.

For an incorrect 4<sup>th</sup> answer, -1 mark from the last 2 marks.

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

$$3 \quad \int (5x^{\frac{1}{4}} + 3x^{-2} - 2) \, dx$$

$$= \frac{5}{5/4} \times x^{\frac{5}{4}} + \frac{3x^{-1}}{-1} - 2x + C$$

B1       $\frac{5}{5/4} \times x^{\frac{5}{4}}$ , oe, isw

B1       $+ \frac{3}{-1} x^{-1}$ , oe, isw

B1       $-2x$ , isw

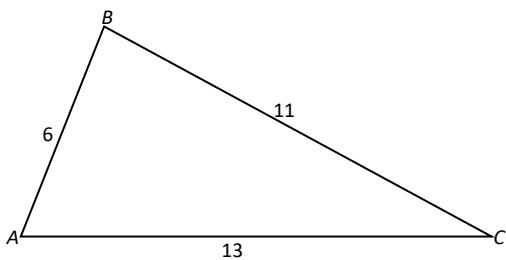
-1 no  $C$

$$= 4x^{\frac{5}{4}} - 3x^{-1} - 2x + C$$

<b>Q</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark Notes</b>
4	$n$	$n^2 - 2$
	1	-1
	2	2
	3	7
	4	14
	5	23
6	34	M1 evaluating $n^2 - 2$ (for 1,...,6) at least twice
		A1 at least 4 values correct.
		Implied by correct conclusion.
$n^2 - 2$ is not divisible by 3 for $1 \leq n \leq 6$		A1 all values correct, and conclusion.

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

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Cosine rule attempted

M1      allow one error

Must have 2 and cos

$$11^2 = 6^2 + 13^2 - 2 \times 6 \times 13 \cos \alpha$$

$$13^2 = 6^2 + 11^2 - 2 \times 6 \times 11 \cos \beta$$

$$6^2 = 13^2 + 11^2 - 2 \times 13 \times 11 \cos \gamma \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{any one}$$

$$\cos \alpha = \frac{7}{13}; \cos \beta = -\frac{1}{11}, \cos \gamma = \frac{127}{143}, \quad \text{si}$$

$$(\alpha = 57.421^\circ, \beta = 95.216^\circ, \gamma = 27.363^\circ)$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 13 \sin \left( \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{7}{13} \right) \right)$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times 6 \times 11 \sin \left( \cos^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{11} \right) \right)$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times 11 \times 13 \sin \left( \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{127}{143} \right) \right) \quad \text{M1} \quad \text{any one, FT their angle}$$

$$\text{Area} = 32.86\ldots (\text{cm}^2)$$

A1      Accept 32.7 to 33.0, cao

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

6(a)  $7x^{\frac{3}{4}} = \sqrt{147}$

B1 collect  $x$  term,  $x^{\frac{3}{4}}$ .

$$7x^{\frac{3}{4}} = 7\sqrt{3}$$

$$x^{\frac{3}{4}} = 3^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

B1 collect constant term,  $3^{\frac{1}{2}}$ .

$$x = \left(3^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)^{\frac{4}{3}} \quad \text{or} \quad x^3 = 9$$

B1 si by correct answer

$$x = 3^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

B1 cao, oe  $\sqrt[3]{3^2} = \sqrt[3]{9}$ **OR**

$$7x^{\frac{5}{4}} = \sqrt{147}x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$49x^{\frac{5}{2}} = 147x$$

$$49x^{\frac{3}{2}} = 147$$

(B1) collect  $x$  term,  $x^{\frac{3}{2}}$ .

$$x^{\frac{3}{2}} = 3$$

(B1) collect constant term, 3.

$$x = 3^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

(B1)(B1)

Note

Sight of 2.08... without working 0 marks

Sight of 2.08... from correct working B1 B1 B1 B0

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

$$\begin{aligned} 6(b) \quad \frac{(8x - 18)}{(2\sqrt{x} - 3)} &= \frac{(8x - 18)(2\sqrt{x} + 3)}{(2\sqrt{x} - 3)(2\sqrt{x} + 3)} & M1 \\ &= \frac{(8x - 18)(2\sqrt{x} + 3)}{(4x - 9)} & A1 \quad \text{correct denominator simplified} \\ &= \frac{2(4x - 9)(2\sqrt{x} + 3)}{(4x - 9)} \\ &= 2(2\sqrt{x} + 3) & A1 \quad \text{convincing} \end{aligned}$$

OR

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(8x - 18)}{(2\sqrt{x} - 3)} &= \frac{2(4x - 9)}{(2\sqrt{x} - 3)} & (B1) \\ &= \frac{2(2\sqrt{x} + 3)(2\sqrt{x} - 3)}{(2\sqrt{x} - 3)} & (M1) \\ &= 2(2\sqrt{x} + 3) & (A1) \quad \text{convincing} \end{aligned}$$

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

7(a)   Gradient  $L_1 = \frac{4-0}{1-(-3)} (= 1)$       B1      si

Correct method for finding equation of line   M1

Equation of  $L_1$  is  $y - 0 = 1(x - (-3))$       A1       $y - 4 = 1(x - 1)$  isw

$y = x + 3$

7(b)(i)  $x + 3 = 3x - 3$       M1      FT part (a) for M1 A1 A1

$x = 3$       A1

$y = 6$       A1

7(b)(ii) At  $D$ ,  $y = 0$ ,  $0 = 3x - 3$

$x = 1$

$D$  is the point  $(1, 0)$       B1      allow verification

7(c)   area of  $ACD = \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 6$       M1      oe, FT their coord of C

$= 12$       A1      cao

Q	Solution		Mark	Notes
7(d)	$\text{angle } ACD = \tan^{-1}(6/6) - \tan^{-1}(2/6)$		M1	oe, FT their coord of C
	$= 45^\circ - 18.4349^\circ$			
	$= 26.57^\circ$		A1	cao Accept $26.6^\circ$

OR  $\angle ACD = \tan^{-1}(3) - \tan^{-1}(1)$  (M1) oe, FT their coord of C  
 $= 71.5651^\circ - 45^\circ$   
 $= 26.57^\circ$  (A1) cao Accept  $26.6^\circ$

OR

$$AC = \sqrt{(6-0)^2 + (3-(-3))^2} = \sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2}$$

$$CD = \sqrt{(6-0)^2 + (3-1)^2} = \sqrt{40} = 2\sqrt{10}$$

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{72} \times \sqrt{40} \sin ACD = 12 \quad (\text{M1}) \quad \text{FT their coord of C}$$

$$\sin ACD = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$$

angle  $ACD = 26.57^\circ$  (A1) cao Accept  $26.6^\circ$

<b>Q</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark Notes</b>
8	$x - 10 < x^2 - 5x$	
	$x^2 - 6x + 10 > 0$	M1 For collecting terms on to one side
	$(x - 3)^2 + 1 > 0$	M1 oe
		or Showing minimum $> 0$
		or Discriminant $< 0$ (and a point $> 0$ )
		or Discriminant $< 0$ (and +ve quadratic)
		or correct sketch
		A1 all correct
	Valid explanation, e.g. minimum $\geq 1$	A1 Convincing
	This is true for all real values of $x$ .	

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

9(a) 
$$(2-x)^6$$

$$= 2^6 + 6 \times 2^5 \times (-x) + \frac{6 \times 5}{2 \times 1} \times 2^4 \times (-x)^2 + \dots \text{ B3}$$
$$= 64 - 192x + 240x^2 - \dots$$

9(b) 
$$(1+ax)(2-x)^6$$

$$= (1+ax)(64 - 192x + 240x^2 - \dots) \quad \text{M1}$$

replace  $(2-x)^6$  by answer in (a)  
provided 3 terms.

$$= 64 + 64ax - 192x + 240x^2 - 192ax^2 + \dots \text{ A1}$$

allow one slip, ignore extra terms  
FT (a)

Therefore

$$64 + (64a - 192)x + (240 - 192a)x^2 \equiv 64 + bx + 336x^2 + \dots$$

$$64a - 192 = b$$

FT (a)

$$240 - 192a = 336$$

m1 equating coefficients

$$a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

A1 both equations correct

$$b = -224$$

A1 cao

A1 cao

OR

$$(1+ax)(2-x)^6$$

$$= (1+ax)(64 - 192x + 240x^2 - \dots) \quad \text{M1}$$

FT their (a), implied by next line

$$(1+ax)(64 - 192x + 240x^2 - \dots) \equiv$$

A1 si

$$64 + bx + 336x^2 + \dots$$

FT (a)

$$64a - 192 = b$$

m1 equating coefficients

$$240 - 192a = 336$$

A1 both equations correct

$$a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

A1 cao

$$b = -224$$

A1 cao

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

10(a)  $t^2 - 14t + 49 = 25$

M1

$t^2 - 14t + 24 = 0$

$(t - 2)(t - 12) = 0$

A1      method to solve must be seen

$t = 2, 12$

Required value is  $t = 2$ , (since  $t \leq 7$ ).A1       $t = 12$  rejected

10(b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 2t - 14$

M1      at least 1 correct term.

$t = 3, \frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \times 3 - 14$

A1      substitute  $t = 3$ , si

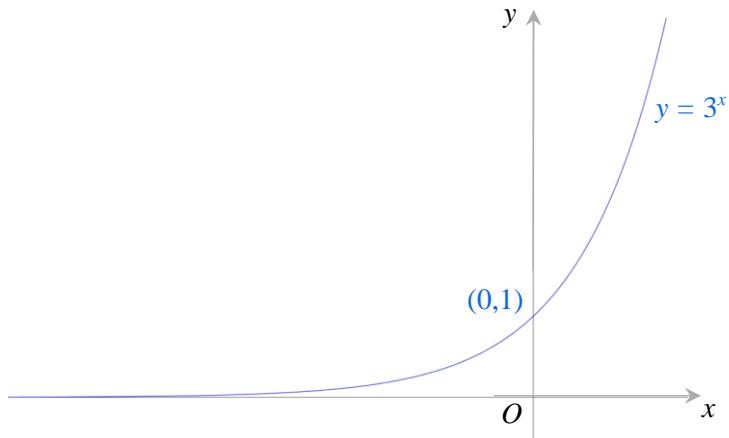
$\frac{dy}{dt} = -8$

A1      cao

Rate of decrease is 8 (cms<sup>-1</sup>)

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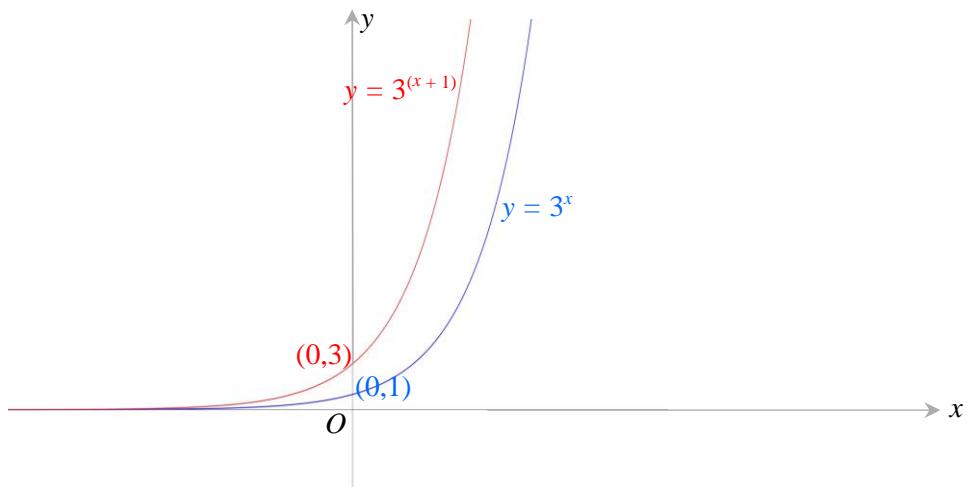
11(a)



G1 graph of  $y = 3^x$ , -ve domain required.  $x$ -axis not crossed.

B1  $(0,1)$  accept all correct methods.

11(b)



B1 graph of  $y = 3^{x+1}$ , same shape as (a), graphs do not intersect, ft (a) provided G1 awarded.

B1  $(0,3)$  accept all correct methods.

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

12(a)  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3x^2 + 12$

B1

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -3x^2 + 12 = 0$$

M1      si

$$x = 2, x = -2$$

A1      cao any pair of correct values

$$y = -4, y = -36$$

A1      cao all 4 values correct, no extra.

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -6x$$

M1      oe, ft quadratic  $\frac{dy}{dx}$ , si

Eg -ve cubic has min before max.  
Correct sketch of negative cubic.

FT only if  $x$ -coordinate of min  $<$   $x$ -coordinate of max.

$$(x = 2, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -12 < 0.)$$

(2, -4) is a maximum point

A1      ft their  $x$  value except  $x = 0$ .

$$(x = -2, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12 > 0.)$$

(-2, -36) is a minimum point

A1      ft their  $x$  value provided  
different conclusion except  $x = 0$ .

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

12(b) Curve is decreasing when

$$\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$$

FT their  $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$$-3x^2 + 12 < 0$$

M1 allow  $\geq$  or  $\leq$  throughout, oe

$$x^2 > 4$$

$$x < -2 \text{ or } x > 2$$

A1 A0 if 'and' instead of 'or'

$$(x \in) (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$$

B1 cao Allow  $-2]$   $\cup$   $[2$

OR

$$\{x : x < -2\} \cup \{x : x > 2\}$$

(B1) cao

Alternative Solution

$$x < -2$$

B1 ft their -2, if used.

$$\text{or } x > 2$$

B1 ft their 2, if used.

$$(x \in) (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$$

B1 cao Allow  $-2]$   $\cup$   $[2$

OR

$$\{x : x < -2\} \cup \{x : x > 2\}$$

(B1) cao

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

$$13(a) \quad \mathbf{AB} = (\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j}) - (4\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j})$$

M1      allow  $(4\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j}) - (\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j})$

$$\mathbf{AB} = -3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j}$$

A1      cao

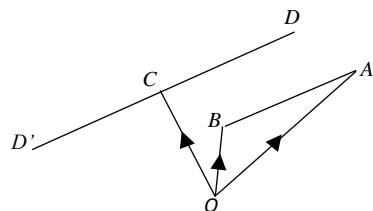
$$13(b) \quad \text{Distance} = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (-4)^2}$$

M1      correct method for  $|a\mathbf{i} + b\mathbf{j}|$ ,  
 $a, b \neq 0$ , si

$$\text{Distance} = 5$$

A1      ft (a)

13(c)



$$\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{c} - \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{c} + \mathbf{AB}$$

M1      si

$$\mathbf{d} = (-2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) + (-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j})$$

$$\mathbf{d} = -5\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j}$$

A1      ft  $\mathbf{AB}$

or

$$\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{c} + \mathbf{BA} = \mathbf{c} - \mathbf{AB}$$

M1      si  $\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{BC}$ ,  $\mathbf{BC} = -3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$

$$\mathbf{d} = (-2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j}) - (-3\mathbf{i} - 4\mathbf{j})$$

$$4\mathbf{i} + 7\mathbf{j} - 3\mathbf{i} + 2\mathbf{j}$$

$$\mathbf{d} = \mathbf{i} + 9\mathbf{j}$$

A1      ft  $\mathbf{AB}$

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

14(a)  $A$  is the point  $(-2, 0)$       B1

$B$  is the point  $(0, 2)$       B1

14(b) $I = \int_{-2}^0 (2 - 3x - 2x^2) dx$	M1	attempt to integrate $y$ wrt $x$ Limits not required. At least one power of $x$ increased
$= \left[ 2x - \frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3 \right]_{-2}^0$	A1	correct integration
$= \left[ 0 - \left( -4 - 6 + \frac{16}{3} \right) \right]$	m1	correct use of candidate's limits,
$= \frac{14}{3}$	A1	cao, allow one decimal place correctly derived from $\frac{14}{3}$ .
Area of triangle $\left( = \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 2 \right) = 2$	B1	oe, ft (a)
Required area $\left( = \frac{14}{3} - 2 \right) = \frac{8}{3}$	A1	cao, allow one decimal place correctly derived from $\frac{8}{3}$ .

Note:

Must be supported by workings.

If M0, award SC1 for sight of  $\frac{14}{3}$ , OR SC2 for  $\frac{8}{3}$

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**Alternative solution

$$14(b) \quad I = \int_{-2}^0 (2 - 3x - 2x^2 - x - 2) dx$$

(M1) attempt to integrate  $y$  wrt  $x$

Limits not required.

At least one power of  $x$  increased

(A1) attempt to subtract integrand

$$= \int_{-2}^0 (-4x - 2x^2) dx$$

$$= \left[ -2x^2 - \frac{2x^3}{3} \right]_{-2}^0$$

(A1) correct integration

$$= \left[ 0 - \left( -8 + \frac{16}{3} \right) \right]$$

(m1) correct use of candidate's limits,

$$= \frac{8}{3}$$

(A2) cao

Note:

Must be supported by workings.

If M0, SC2 for  $\frac{8}{3}$

<b>Q</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark Notes</b>
15	$2\sin x + 3\cos^2 x - 3 = 0$	M1
	$2\sin x + 3(1 - \sin^2 x) - 3 = 0$	M1 $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$
	$3\sin^2 x - 2\sin x = 0$	A1 si by $\sin x = 0$ AND $\sin x = \frac{2}{3}$
	$\sin x(3\sin x - 2) = 0$	
	$\sin x = \frac{2}{3}$ or $\sin x = 0$	A1 cao both roots (no extra roots)
		FT their $\sin x = k$ for $0 < k \leq 1$ .
	(At A,) $x = 41.81^\circ$	B1
	(At B,) $x = 138.19^\circ$	B1
	(At C,) $x = 180^\circ$	B1

Note:

Do not follow through for trig functions other than sine.

Ignore angles greater than  $180^\circ$

**Q      Solution**

16(a) Discriminant  $= (-k)^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 4$   
 $= k^2 - 16$

If no real roots, discriminant  $< 0$

$$k^2 - 16 < 0$$

Critical values  $-4, 4$

$$-4 < k < 4$$

**Mark Notes**

B1      si

M1      condone  $\leq$ , si by correct answer.

16(b)  $x^2 - 3x + 4 = x + 16$

M1

$$x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$$

m1      write as quadratic equation

$$(x + 2)(x - 6) = 0$$

$$x = -2, x = 6$$

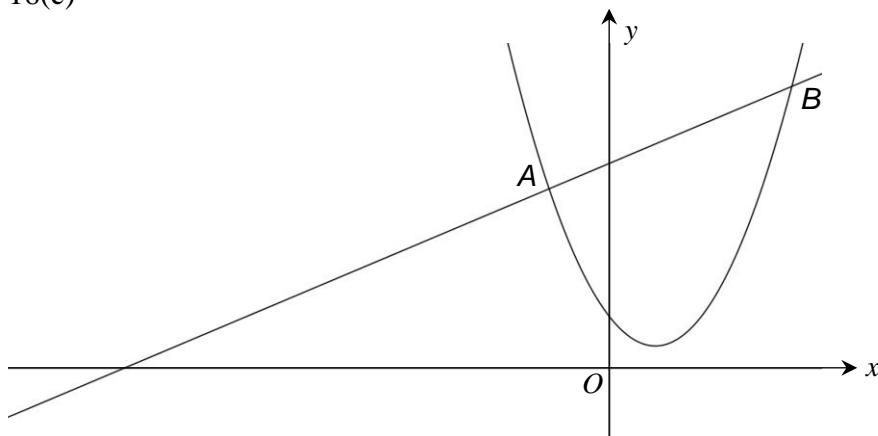
A1      cao one correct pair

$$y = 14, y = 22$$

A1      cao all correct

Points of intersection are  $(-2, 14)$  and  $(6, 22)$ .

16(c)



G1      +ve quadratic, above  $x$ -axis

G1      straight line, +ve gradient  
1 point of intersection in 1<sup>st</sup> quadrant, 1 point of intersection in 2<sup>nd</sup> quadrant

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17(a)  $1 = \log_{10}(2 - c)$

M1      si

$$2 - c = 10$$

$$c = -8$$

A1

17(b)  $\log_{10}(5 - \alpha) - \log_{10}(2 - \alpha) = 1.2$

M1      Condone

$$\log_{10}(2 - \alpha) - \log_{10}(5 - \alpha) = 1.2$$

$$\log_{10}\left(\frac{5 - \alpha}{2 - \alpha}\right) = 1.2$$

B1      subtraction law

$$\frac{5 - \alpha}{2 - \alpha} = 10^{1.2} (= 15.8489\dots)$$

m1      logs removed correctly

$$5 - \alpha = 10^{1.2}(2 - \alpha)$$

A1      removal of denominator

$$5 - \alpha = 2 \times 10^{1.2} - 10^{1.2} \times \alpha$$

$$\alpha(10^{1.2} - 1) = 2 \times 10^{1.2} - 5$$

$$\alpha = 1.798$$

A1      cao

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

18(a)  $(x + 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = (\sqrt{5})^2$

M1 condone  $\sqrt{5}$  on RHS

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 5$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 + y^2 + 2y + 1 = 5$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 2y + 5 = 0$$

A1 convincing

**OR**Equation of circle radius  $r$  is

$$x^2 + y^2 + 2fx + 2gy + c = 0$$

Centre  $(-f, -g)$ ,  $c = f^2 + g^2 - r^2$  (M1) used

$$f = 3, g = 1, c = 3^2 + 1^2 - \sqrt{5}^2 = 5$$
 (A1)

**OR**

$$x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 2y + 5 = 0$$

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 - 9 - 1 + 5 = 0$$
 (M1) M0 if no working shown.

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 5$$

Hence centre  $= (-3, -1)$ , radius  $= \sqrt{5}$  (A1)

<b>Q</b>	<b>Solution</b>	<b>Mark Notes</b>
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18(b)(i) Tangents have equations  $y = mx$  B1

Touches circle when

$$x^2 + (mx)^2 + 6x + 2mx + 5 = 0 \quad \text{M1}$$

$$(1 + m^2)x^2 + 2(3 + m)x + 5 = 0 \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{si}$$

$$\text{Discriminant} = 4(3 + m)^2 - 4(1 + m^2) \times 5 \quad \text{B1} \quad \text{ft 1 slip in quadratic}$$

$$\text{If tangent, discriminant} = 0 \quad \text{M1} \quad \text{used}$$

$$9 + 6m + m^2 - 5 - 5m^2 = 0$$

$$2m^2 - 3m - 2 = 0$$

$$(2m + 1)(m - 2) = 0$$

$$m = -\frac{1}{2} \quad m = 2 \quad \text{A1} \quad \text{cao, both values}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x \quad y = 2x$$

### Special case 1

Candidates who substitute  $y = mx + c$  can only earn method marks, B0 M1 A0 B0 M1 A0

### Special case 2

Candidates who obtain the correct answer using any method, award as follows:

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x \quad y = 2x \quad \text{SC1}$$

**Q      Solution****Mark Notes**

$$18(b)(ii) m = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{5}{4}x^2 + 5x + 5 = 0$$

M1      FT their derived  $m$  provided  $y = mx$

$$x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$$

$$(x + 2)^2 = 0$$

m1      must be a perfect square, si

$$x = -2, y = 1 \quad (-2, 1)$$

A1      cao

$$m = 2, \quad 5x^2 + 10x + 5 = 0$$

(M1)    award if previous M1 not awarded

$$x^2 + 2x + 1 = 0$$

$$(x + 1)^2 = 0$$

(m1)    must be a perfect square, si

$$x = -1, y = -2 \quad (-1, -2)$$

A1      cao

OR

$$x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-2(3+m)}{2(1+m^2)} = \frac{-(3+m)}{(1+m^2)} \quad (\text{M1})$$

$$\text{At } m = -\frac{1}{2}, x = \frac{-(3-\frac{1}{2})}{(1+\frac{1}{4})} = -2 \quad (\text{m1})$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2} \times (-2) = 1 \quad (-2, 1) \quad (\text{A1})$$

$$\text{At } m = 2, x = \frac{-(3+2)}{(1+4)} = -1$$

$$y = 2 \times (-1) = -2 \quad (-1, -2) \quad (\text{A1})$$

Special case

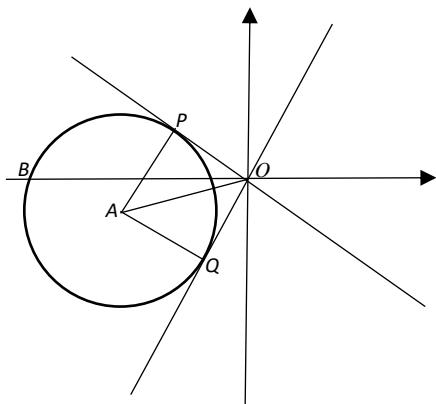
Candidates who obtained the correct answer using any method, award as follows:

$$(-2, 1) \quad (-1, -2)$$

SC1

### Alternative solution

18(b)(i)



$$\tan(BOA) = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$BOA = 18.43494882^\circ$$

B1  $BOP = 26.56505118^\circ$

$$OA = \sqrt{(3)^2 + (1)^2} = \sqrt{10}$$

B1

$$OP = OQ = \sqrt{(\sqrt{10})^2 - (\sqrt{5})^2} = \sqrt{5}$$

B1

Triangle  $POA$  and  $QOA$  are isosceles right angled

Angles  $POA = 45^\circ$  and  $QOA = 45^\circ$  B1

$$\text{Gradient } OQ = \tan(45 + 18.43494882) = 2 \quad \text{B1} \quad \tan(243.43494882) = 2$$

$$y = 2x$$

$$\text{Gradient } OP = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \text{B1} \quad \tan(26.56505118) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\tan(116.56505118) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x$$