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Mark Scheme

Mathematics A

(MAP1)

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Key to Mark Scheme

M.....mark is for method
m.....mark is dependent on one or more M marks and is for..... method
A.....mark is dependent on M or m marks and is for accuracy
B.....mark is independent of M or m marks and is formethod and accuracy
E.....mark is for explanation
 \surd **or ft or F**..... follow through from previous incorrect result
CAO..... correct answer only
AWFWanything which falls within
AWRTanything which rounds to
AG answer given
SC special case
OE..... or equivalent
A2,1..... 2 or 1 (or 0) accuracy marks
-x EE..... deduct x marks for each error
NMS..... no method shown
PI possibly implied
SCAsubstantially correct approach
c..... candidate
SF..... significant figure(s)
DP decimal place(s)

Abbreviations used in Marking

MC – x..... deducted x marks for mis-copy
MR – x..... deducted x marks for mis-read
ISW..... ignored subsequent working
BOD..... given benefit of doubt
WR..... work replaced by candidate
FB formulae booklet

Application of Mark Scheme

No method shown:

Correct answer without working..... mark as in scheme
 Incorrect answer without working zero marks unless specified otherwise

More than one method/choice of solution:

2 or more complete attempts, neither/none crossed out	mark both/all fully and award the mean mark rounded down
1 complete and 1 partial attempt, neither crossed out	award credit for the complete solution only

Crossed out work

do not mark unless it has not been replaced

Alternative solution using a correct or partially correct method

award method and accuracy marks as appropriate

MAP1

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
1(a)	Sector area formula stated Area = 15 (cm ²)	M1 A1	2	or used Allow AWRT 14.9 or 15.0
(b)	Arc length formula stated Length of one arc = 3 (cm) Perimeter = 16 (cm)	M1 A1 A1F	3	or used Allow AWRT 15.9 or 16.0 ft one small error
Total			5	
2(a)(i)	f is odd (reason)	E2, 1	2	E1 for partial reason
(ii)	Period is π	B1	1	Allow 180
(b)(i)	Equation is $(y =) 3 \sin 2x$	B2, 1	2	B1 for e.g. $y = 3 \sin x$
(ii)	Attempt to replace x by $x \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$ Equation is $(y =) 3 \sin 2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$	M1 A1F	2	OE; ft wrong answer to (i)
Total			7	
3(a)(i)	$y' = 1 - 25x^{-2}$ $y'' = 50x^{-3}$	M1A1 m1A1F	4	M1 if at least one non-zero term correct m1 for kx^{-3} ; ft numerical error in y'
(ii)	At SP $25x^{-2} = 1$ SP is (5, 110)	m1 A1A1	3	
(iii)	At SP $y'' = 0.4$ So SP is a minimum	A1F E1F	2	ft numerical error in y'' ft wrong value of y'' at SP
(b)	Min occurs at $x = 5$ Min cost is £11 000	B1F B1F	2	ft wrong x value at SP ft wrong y value at SP; units needed here
Total			11	

MAP1 (cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
4(a)(i)	Values 8, 32	B1	2	AG
	Verification of $u_3 = 128$	B1		
(ii)	Ratio is 4	B1	1	Condone "ratio is 1 : 4"
(iii)	Formula for sum of GP stated	M1	3	or used
	$S_n = \frac{8(4^{20} - 1)}{4 - 1}$	m1		Condone one wrong substitution here
	$\dots = \frac{8}{3}(4^{20} - 1)$	A1		convincingly shown (AG)
(b)(i)	$v_1 = \log_2 8 = 3$	B1	1	OE; AG but accept assertion that $\log_2 8 = 3$
(ii)	Use of at least one log law	M1	3	convincingly shown (AG)
	Use of $\log_2 4 = 2$	m1		
	$v_n = 1 + 2n$	A1		
Total			10	
5(a)	$\tan x = \frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$	M1	3	stated or used
	Multiplying both sides by $\cos x$	m1		in equation $\sin x = x \tan x$
	$\sin x (\cos x - x) = 0$	A1		Convincingly shown (AG)
(b)	$\sin x \neq 0$ at P , so $\cos x - x = 0$	E1	1	
(c)	Condition not necessary (reason)	E2,1	2	$x = 0$ or $\sin x = 0$ must be mentioned for E2; E1 if 'not necessary' clearly explained
(d)(i)	$f(0.7) \approx 0.065$, $f(0.8) \approx -0.103$	B1B1	3	OE; B1 for each value condone 0.06 or 0.07 and -0.1
	Sign change, so root between	E1		OE
(ii)	Attempt to find $f(0.75)$	M1	2	This must be the first new calculation shown
	$f(0.75) \approx -0.018$ so root is closer to 0.7	A1		Condone AWRT -0.02
Total			11	

MAP1 (cont)

Q	Solution	Marks	Total	Comments
6(a)	Intersections $(\ln 3, 0), (0, -2)$	B1B1	2	Allow AWRT 1.10 or 1.09 for $\ln 3$
(b)(i)	$\int y \, dx = e^x - 3x (+c)$	B1B1	2	B1 for each term
(ii)	Substitution of $x = \ln 3$ Answer $2 - 3 \ln 3$	M1 A1	2	in c's integral (not y or y') Allow AWRT -1.30
(iii)	$\dots \approx -1.30$, so area is $+1.30$	E1	1	AG, condone vagueness provided -1.30 seen
(c)(i)	Range of f is $f(x) > -3$	B1	1	Allow any symbol for $f(x)$; condone \geq
(ii)	Domain of f^{-1} is $x > -3$ Range is all real numbers	B1F B1	2	ft wrong answer to (ii); any symbol
(iii)	$\ln z$ appearing in solution Complete correct method $f^{-1}(x) = \ln(x+3)$	M1 m1 A1	3	Where z is any function of x or y ; not \ln^z NMS 3/3, or 2/3 for $\ln x + 3$
(d)(i)	Sketch of modulus function	B1	1	
(ii)	Attempt to reflect in x -axis All clear and correct	M1 A1	2	Only for $x < \ln 3$ with sharp point and correct curvature; condone wrong shape as $x \rightarrow -\infty$
	Total		16	
	Total		60	