

GCE Examinations
Advanced / Advanced Subsidiary

Core Mathematics C4

Paper K

MARKING GUIDE

This guide is intended to be as helpful as possible to teachers by providing concise solutions and indicating how marks could be awarded. There are obviously alternative methods that would also gain full marks.

Method marks (M) are awarded for using a valid method.

Accuracy marks (A) can only be awarded when a correct method has been used.

(B) marks are independent of method marks.



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1. $u = x, u' = 1, v' = \cos x, v = \sin x$ M1
 $I = [x \sin x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} - \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \sin x \, dx$ A1
 $= [x \sin x + \cos x]_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$ A1
 $= (\frac{\pi}{2} + 0) - (0 + 1) = \frac{\pi}{2} - 1$ M1 A1 (5)

2. (i) $= 2^{-3}(1 - \frac{3}{2}x)^{-3} = \frac{1}{8}(1 - \frac{3}{2}x)^{-3}$ B1
 $= \frac{1}{8}[1 + (-3)(-\frac{3}{2}x) + \frac{(-3)(-4)}{2}(-\frac{3}{2}x)^2 + \frac{(-3)(-4)(-5)}{3 \times 2}(-\frac{3}{2}x)^3 + \dots]$ M1
 $= \frac{1}{8} + \frac{9}{16}x + \frac{27}{16}x^2 + \frac{135}{32}x^3 + \dots$ A3
(ii) $|x| < \frac{2}{3}$ B1 (6)

3. (i) $\frac{x+11}{(x+4)(x-3)} \equiv \frac{A}{x+4} + \frac{B}{x-3}, \quad x+11 \equiv A(x-3) + B(x+4)$ M1
 $x = -4 \Rightarrow 7 = -7A \Rightarrow A = -1$ A1
 $x = 3 \Rightarrow 14 = 7B \Rightarrow B = 2$ A1
 $\frac{x+11}{(x+4)(x-3)} \equiv \frac{2}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x+4}$
(ii) $= \int_0^2 \left(\frac{2}{x-3} - \frac{1}{x+4} \right) dx$
 $= [2 \ln|x-3| - \ln|x+4|]_0^2$ M1 A1
 $= (0 - \ln 6) - (2 \ln 3 - \ln 4)$ M1
 $= \ln \frac{2}{27}$ A1 (7)

4. $8x - 2y - 2x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ M1 A1
 $(-1, -3) \Rightarrow -8 + 6 + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{4}$ M1 A1
grad of normal = -4 M1
 $\therefore y + 3 = -4(x + 1)$ M1 A1 (7)

5. $u^2 = 1 - x \Rightarrow x = 1 - u^2, \frac{dx}{du} = -2u$ M1
 $x = 0 \Rightarrow u = 1, x = 1 \Rightarrow u = 0$ B1
area = $\int_0^1 x \sqrt{1-x} \, dx = \int_1^0 (1-u^2) \times u \times (-2u) \, du$ M1
 $= \int_0^1 (2u^2 - 2u^4) \, du$ A1
 $= [\frac{2}{3}u^3 - \frac{2}{5}u^5]_0^1$ M1
 $= (\frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{5}) - (0) = \frac{4}{15}$ M1 A1 (7)

6. (i) $\frac{dn}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow e^{0.5t} = 5$ M1
 $t = 2 \ln 5 = 3.219 \text{ mins} = 3 \text{ mins } 13 \text{ secs}$ M1 A1
(ii) $\int dn = \int (e^{0.5t} - 5) \, dt$
 $n = 2e^{0.5t} - 5t + c$ M1 A1
 $t = 0, n = 20 \Rightarrow 20 = 2 + c, \quad c = 18$ M1
 $n = 2e^{0.5t} - 5t + 18$ A1
(iii) as t increases, n rapidly becomes very large \therefore not realistic B1 (8)

7. (i) let $f(x) = 2x^3 - x^2 + 4x + 15$
 $f\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = -\frac{27}{4} - \frac{9}{4} - 6 + 15 = 0 \therefore (2x+3)$ is a factor B1

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 - 2x + 5 \\ 2x+3 \overline{)2x^3 - x^2 + 4x + 15} \\ 2x^3 + 3x^2 \\ \hline -4x^2 + 4x \\ -4x^2 - 6x \\ \hline 10x + 15 \\ 10x + 15 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

M1 A1

$$\therefore f(x) = (2x+3)(x^2 - 2x + 5)$$

$$\therefore \frac{2x^2+x-3}{2x^3-x^2+4x+15} = \frac{(2x+3)(x-1)}{(2x+3)(x^2-2x+5)} = \frac{x-1}{x^2-2x+5}$$

(ii) $= \int_2^5 \frac{x-1}{x^2-2x+5} dx = [\frac{1}{2} \ln |x^2-2x+5|]_2^5$ M1 A1
 $= \frac{1}{2} (\ln 25 - \ln 9) = \frac{1}{2} \ln 25 = \ln 5$ M1 A1 (9)

8. (i) $\overrightarrow{AB} = \begin{pmatrix} 10 \\ -15 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \therefore \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 9 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} + \lambda \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$ M1 A1

(ii) $3 + 2\lambda = 9 \therefore \lambda = 3$ M1
when $\lambda = 3, \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 9 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix} + 3 \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 0 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix} \therefore (9, 0, -4)$ lies on l A1

(iii) $\overrightarrow{OD} = \begin{pmatrix} 3+2\lambda \\ 9-3\lambda \\ -7+\lambda \end{pmatrix} \therefore \begin{pmatrix} 3+2\lambda \\ 9-3\lambda \\ -7+\lambda \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$ M1
 $6 + 4\lambda - 27 + 9\lambda - 7 + \lambda = 0$
 $\lambda = 2 \therefore \overrightarrow{OD} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 3 \\ -5 \end{pmatrix}, D(7, 3, -5)$ M1 A1

(iv) $AB = \sqrt{100+225+25} = \sqrt{350}, OD = \sqrt{49+9+25} + \sqrt{83}$ M1
area $= \frac{1}{2} \times \sqrt{350} \times \sqrt{83} = 85.2$ (3sf) M1 A1 (10)

9. (i) $x + \frac{1}{x} = \sec \theta + \tan \theta + \frac{1}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta} = \frac{(\sec \theta + \tan \theta)^2 + 1}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta}$ M1
 $= \frac{\sec^2 \theta + 2\sec \theta \tan \theta + \tan^2 \theta + 1}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta} = \frac{2\sec^2 \theta + 2\sec \theta \tan \theta}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta}$ M1
 $= \frac{2\sec \theta (\sec \theta + \tan \theta)}{\sec \theta + \tan \theta}$ M1
 $= 2 \sec \theta$ A1

(ii) $\frac{x^2+1}{x} = \frac{2}{\cos \theta} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{2x}{x^2+1}$ M1
 $\frac{y^2+1}{y} = \frac{2}{\sin \theta} \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{2y}{y^2+1}, \therefore \frac{4x^2}{(x^2+1)^2} + \frac{4y^2}{(y^2+1)^2} = 1$ M1 A1

(iii) $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \sec \theta \tan \theta + \sec^2 \theta$ M1
 $= \sec \theta (\tan \theta + \sec \theta) = \frac{x^2+1}{2x} \times x = \frac{1}{2}(x^2+1)$ M1 A1

(iv) $\frac{dy}{d\theta} = -\cosec \theta \cot \theta - \cosec^2 \theta$ M1
 $= -\cosec \theta (\cot \theta + \cosec \theta) = -\frac{y^2+1}{2y} \times y = -\frac{1}{2}(y^2+1)$
 $\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{y^2+1}{x^2+1}$ M1 A1 (13)

Total (72)

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