

GCE Examinations  
Advanced / Advanced Subsidiary

## **Core Mathematics C2**

Paper D

### 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.	$= \int (3x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x^{-2}) dx$ $= x^3 - \frac{1}{2}x^{-1} + c$	B1 M1 A2 (4)												
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2.	$(7-x)^2 = x^2 + (x+1)^2 - [2 \times x \times (x+1) \times \cos 60]$ $49 - 14x + x^2 = x^2 + x^2 + 2x + 1 - x^2 - x$ $15x = 48$ $x = \frac{16}{5}$	M1 A1  M1 A1 (4)												
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3.	<p>(i)</p> <table style="margin-left: 20px; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding-right: 10px;"><math>x</math></td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">0</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">0.25</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">0.5</td> <td style="padding-right: 10px;">0.75</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{4x}{(x+1)^2}</math></td> <td>0</td> <td>0.64</td> <td>0.8889</td> <td>0.9796</td> <td>1</td> </tr> </table> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">area <math>\approx \frac{1}{2} \times 0.25 \times [0 + 1 + 2(0.64 + 0.8889 + 0.9796)]</math>  <math>= 0.752</math> (3sf)</p> <p>(ii) under-estimate the curve passes above the top edge of each trapezium</p>	$x$	0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1	$\frac{4x}{(x+1)^2}$	0	0.64	0.8889	0.9796	1	M1 A1  B1 M1 A1 B1 B1 (7)
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4.	<p>(i)</p> $(1+kx)^7 = \dots + \binom{7}{2}(kx)^2 + \dots$ $\therefore \frac{7 \times 6}{2} \times k^2 = 525$ $k^2 = \frac{525}{21} = 25$ $k > 0 \therefore k = 5$ <p>(ii)</p> $(1+5x)^7 = \dots + \binom{7}{3}(5x)^3 + \dots$ $\therefore \text{coeff. of } x^3 = \frac{7 \times 6 \times 5}{3 \times 2} \times 125 = 4375$ <p>(iii)</p> $(1+5x)^7 = 1 + 35x + 525x^2 + \dots$ $(2-x)(1+5x)^7 = (2-x)(1+35x+525x^2+\dots)$ $= 2 + 70x + 1050x^2 - x - 35x^2 + \dots$ $= 2 + 69x + 1015x^2 + \dots$	B1  M1 A1  M1 A1  B1 M1 A1 (8)												
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5.	<p>(i)</p> $\frac{8 \sin x}{\cos x} - 3 \cos x = 0$ $8 \sin x - 3 \cos^2 x = 0$ $8 \sin x - 3(1 - \sin^2 x) = 0$ $3 \sin^2 x + 8 \sin x - 3 = 0$ <p>(ii)</p> $(3 \sin x - 1)(\sin x + 3) = 0$ $\sin x = -3 \text{ (no solutions) or } \frac{1}{3}$ $x = 0.34, \pi - 0.3398$ $x = 0.34, 2.80 \text{ (2dp)}$	M1  M1 A1  M1 A1 B1 M1 A1 (8)												

6. (a)  $= f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} - 3 + 1 = -1$  M1 A1
- (b) (i)  $= f(-2) = -16 + 12 + 12 + 1 = 9$  B1
- (ii)  $x = -2$  is a solution to  $f(x) = 9$  i.e.  $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 6x - 8 = 0$  M1 A1
- $$\begin{array}{r}
 2x^2 - x - 4 \\
 x+2 \overline{) 2x^3 + 3x^2 - 6x - 8} \\
 \underline{2x^3 + 4x^2} \phantom{- 6x - 8} \\
 -x^2 - 6x \phantom{- 8} \\
 \underline{-x^2 - 2x} \phantom{- 8} \\
 -4x - 8 \\
 \underline{-4x - 8} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$
- M1 A1
- $\therefore (x+2)(2x^2 - x - 4) = 0$
- $x = -2$  or  $\frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+32}}{4} = -2, -1.19$  (3sf),  $1.69$  (3sf) M1 A1 (9)
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7. (i)  $\log_2(y-1) - \log_2 x = 1, \quad \log_2 \frac{y-1}{x} = 1$  M1
- $\frac{y-1}{x} = 2^1 = 2$  M1
- $y-1 = 2x, \quad y = 2x+1$  A1
- (ii)  $2 \log_3 y = 2 + \log_3 x \Rightarrow \log_3 y^2 - \log_3 x = 2$  M1
- $\frac{y^2}{x} = 3^2 = 9$  M1
- $y^2 = 9x$  A1
- sub.  $y = 2x+1$   $(2x+1)^2 = 9x$  M1
- $4x^2 - 5x + 1 = 0$
- $(4x-1)(x-1) = 0$  M1
- $x = \frac{1}{4}, 1$  A1
- $\therefore x = \frac{1}{4}, y = \frac{3}{2}$  or  $x = 1, y = 3$  A1 (10)
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8. (a) (i)  $= (t^2 - 5) - (t - 1) = t^2 - t - 4$  M1 A1
- (ii)  $= (t^2 - 5) + (t^2 - t - 4) = 2t^2 - t - 9$  M1 A1
- (b)  $2t^2 - t - 9 = 19$
- $2t^2 - t - 28 = 0$
- $(2t+7)(t-4) = 0$  M1
- $t > 0 \therefore t = 4$  A1
- (c)  $a = 4 - 1 = 3, d = 16 - 4 - 4 = 8$  B1
- $u_{10} = 3 + (9 \times 8) = 3 + 72 = 75$  M1 A1
- (d)  $= \frac{40}{2} [6 + (39 \times 8)] = 20 \times 318 = 6360$  M1 A1 (11)
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9. (i)  $2x^2 - 6x - 3 = 9 + 3x - x^2$
- $3x^2 - 9x - 12 = 0$  M1
- $3(x+1)(x-4) = 0$  M1
- $x = -1, 4$  A1
- $\therefore (-1, 5), (4, 5)$  A1
- (ii) area  $= \int_{-1}^4 [(9 + 3x - x^2) - (2x^2 - 6x - 3)] dx$  M1
- $= \int_{-1}^4 (12 + 9x - 3x^2) dx$  A1
- $= [12x + \frac{9}{2}x^2 - x^3]_{-1}^4$  M1 A2
- $= (48 + 72 - 64) - (-12 - \frac{9}{2} + 1) = 62\frac{1}{2}$  M1 A1 (11)
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Total (72)

