

GCE Examinations
Advanced / Advanced Subsidiary

Core Mathematics C3

Paper H

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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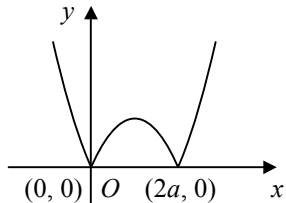
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1. $f'(x) = \frac{4 \times (2x+1) - (4x-1) \times 2}{(2x+1)^2} = \frac{6}{(2x+1)^2}$ M1 A1
 $x = -2 \Rightarrow y = 3, \text{ grad} = \frac{2}{3}$ A1
 $\therefore y - 3 = \frac{2}{3}(x + 2)$ M1
 $3y - 9 = 2x + 4$
 $2x - 3y + 13 = 0$ A1 (5)

2. (i) $x = \frac{1}{3} e^{2y}$ M1 A1
(ii) $= \pi \int_0^1 \frac{1}{9} e^{4y} dy$ M1
 $= \pi \left[\frac{1}{36} e^{4y} \right]_0^1$ M1 A1
 $= \frac{1}{36} \pi (e^4 - 1)$ M1 A1 (7)

3. (i) LHS $\equiv \sin(2x + x)$ M1
 $\equiv \sin 2x \cos x + \cos 2x \sin x$ M1
 $\equiv 2 \sin x \cos^2 x + \sin x(1 - 2 \sin^2 x)$ M1
 $\equiv 2 \sin x (1 - \sin^2 x) + \sin x - 2 \sin^3 x$ M1
 $\equiv 2 \sin x - 2 \sin^3 x + \sin x - 2 \sin^3 x$
 $\equiv 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x \equiv \text{RHS}$ A1
(ii) $3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x - \sin x = 0$
 $2 \sin x(1 - 2 \sin^2 x) = 0$ M1
 $\sin x = 0, \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ A1
 $x = 0, \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}, \pi, \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{7\pi}{4}$ A2 (8)

4. (i)  B3
(ii) $= f(3a^2) = 9a^4 - 6a^3$ M1 A1
(iii) $gf(x) = 3a(x^2 - 2ax)$ M1
 $\therefore 3a(x^2 - 2ax) = 9a^3$
 $x^2 - 2ax - 3a^2 = 0$ A1
 $(x + a)(x - 3a) = 0$ M1
 $x = -a, 3a$ A1 (9)

5. (i) $(e^x - 3)(e^x - 5) = 0$ M1
 $e^x = 3, 5$
 $x = \ln 3, \ln 5$ M1 A1
(ii) assume $\log_2 3$ is rational B1
 $\therefore \log_2 3 = \frac{p}{q}$ where p and q are integers and $q \neq 0$ M1
 $\Rightarrow 2^{\frac{p}{q}} = 3$ M1
 $\Rightarrow 2^p = 3^q$ A1
2 and 3 are co-prime \therefore only solution is $p = q = 0$ M1
but $q \neq 0 \therefore$ contradiction $\therefore \log_2 3$ is irrational A1 (9)

6.	(i)	$2x^2 + 3 \ln(2-x) = 0 \Rightarrow 3 \ln(2-x) = -2x^2$	
		$\ln(2-x) = -\frac{2}{3}x^2$	M1
		$2-x = e^{-\frac{2}{3}x^2}$	M1
		$x = 2 - e^{-\frac{2}{3}x^2} \quad [k = -\frac{2}{3}]$	A1
	(ii)	$x_1 = 1.90988, x_2 = 1.91212, x_3 = 1.91262, x_4 = 1.91273, x_5 = 1.91275$	M1 A1
		$\therefore \alpha = 1.913$ (3dp)	A1
	(iii)	$f'(x) = 4x + \frac{3}{2-x} \times (-1) = 4x - \frac{3}{2-x}$	M1 A1
		$\therefore 4x - \frac{3}{2-x} = 0, \quad 4x = \frac{3}{2-x}, \quad 4x(2-x) = 3$	M1
		$4x^2 - 8x + 3 = 0, \quad (2x-3)(2x-1) = 0$	M1
		$x = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}$	A1 (11)

7.	(i)	$\cos(A+B) \equiv \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$	
		let $A = B = \frac{x}{2} \quad \cos x \equiv \cos^2 \frac{x}{2} - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}$	M1
		$\cos x \equiv (1 - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}) - \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}$	
		$\cos x \equiv 1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}$	A1
	(ii)	LHS $\equiv \frac{1 - (1 - 2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2})}{2 \sin \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2}}$	M1
		$\equiv \frac{2 \sin^2 \frac{x}{2}}{2 \sin \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2}} \equiv \frac{\sin \frac{x}{2}}{\cos \frac{x}{2}}$	M1
		$\equiv \tan \frac{x}{2} \equiv \text{RHS}$	A1
	(iii)	$\tan \frac{x}{2} = 2 \sec^2 \frac{x}{2} - 5, \quad \tan \frac{x}{2} = 2(1 + \tan^2 \frac{x}{2}) - 5$	M1
		$2 \tan^2 \frac{x}{2} - \tan \frac{x}{2} - 3 = 0, \quad (2 \tan \frac{x}{2} - 3)(\tan \frac{x}{2} + 1) = 0$	M1
		$\tan \frac{x}{2} = -1 \text{ or } \frac{3}{2}$	A1
		$\frac{x}{2} = 135 \text{ or } 56.310$	M1
		$x = 112.6^\circ$ (1dp), 270°	A2 (11)

8.	(i)	$f(x) = (x-1)^2 - 1 + 5 = (x-1)^2 + 4$	M1 A1
	(ii)	$f(x) \geq 4$	B1
	(iii)	$y = (x-1)^2 + 4$	
		$(x-1)^2 = y - 4$	
		$x - 1 = \pm \sqrt{y-4}$	M1
		$x = 1 \pm \sqrt{y-4}$	
		$f^{-1}(x) = 1 + \sqrt{x-4}$	A1
	(iv)	translation by 4 units in negative x direction	
		translation by 1 unit in negative y direction (either first)	B3
	(v)	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}(x-4)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$	M1
		$x = 8, y = 3, \text{ grad} = \frac{1}{4}$	A1
		$\therefore \text{grad of normal} = -4$	
		$\therefore y - 3 = -4(x - 8) \quad [y = 35 - 4x]$	M1 A1 (12)

Total (72)

