

C4 Paper A – Marking Guide

1.
$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{2x}{2x^2+3x-5} \times \frac{x^2-x}{x^3} && \text{M1} \\ &= \frac{2x}{(2x+5)(x-1)} \times \frac{x(x-1)}{x^3} && \text{M1} \\ &= \frac{2}{x(2x+5)} && \text{M1 A1 (4)} \end{aligned}$$

2.
$$\begin{aligned} 4x + y + x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \frac{dy}{dx} &= 0 && \text{M1 A1} \\ \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \quad \therefore 4x + y &= 0, \quad y = -4x && \text{M1 A1} \\ \text{sub. } 2x^2 - 4x^2 - 16x^2 + 18 &= 0 && \text{M1} \\ x^2 = 1, \quad x = \pm 1 \quad \therefore (-1, 4), (1, -4) & && \text{A2 (7)} \end{aligned}$$

3. (i)
$$\begin{aligned} (1+ax)^n &= 1 + nax + \frac{n(n-1)}{2}(ax)^2 + \dots && \text{B1} \\ \therefore an &= -4, \quad \frac{a^2 n(n-1)}{2} = 24 && \text{B1} \\ \Rightarrow a = \frac{-4}{n}, \quad \text{sub.} \Rightarrow \frac{16}{n^2} \times \frac{n(n-1)}{2} &= 24 && \text{M1 A1} \\ 8(n-1) &= 24n, \quad n = -\frac{1}{2}, \quad a = 8 && \text{M1 A1} \\ (ii) \quad (1+8x)^{-\frac{1}{2}} &= \dots + \frac{(-\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{3}{2})(-\frac{5}{2})}{3 \times 2} (8x)^3 + \dots && \text{M1} \\ \therefore k &= -\frac{5}{16} \times 512 = -160 && \text{A1 (8)} \end{aligned}$$

4. (i)
$$\begin{aligned} &= \left| \frac{1 \times 6 + 5 \times 3 + (-1) \times (-6)}{\sqrt{1+25+1} \times \sqrt{36+9+36}} \right| && \text{M1 A1} \\ &= \frac{27}{\sqrt{27} \times \sqrt{81}} = \frac{\sqrt{27}}{9} = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{9} = \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} && \text{M1 A1} \\ (ii) \quad \sin(\angle AOB) &= \sqrt{1 - (\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3})^2} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} && \text{M1} \\ \text{area} &= \frac{1}{2} \times 3\sqrt{3} \times 9 \times \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{27}{2}\sqrt{2} && \text{M1 A1} \\ (iii) \quad &= OA \times \sin(\angle AOB) = 3\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} = 3\sqrt{2} && \text{M1 A1 (9)} \end{aligned}$$

5. (i)
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx}(\tan x) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \right) \\ &= \frac{\cos x \times \cos x - \sin x \times (-\sin x)}{\cos^2 x} && \text{M1 A1} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x}{\cos^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} && \text{M1} \\ &= \sec^2 x && \text{A1} \end{aligned}$$

(ii)
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dy}{dx} &= 2 \times \tan x + 2x \times \sec^2 x = 2 \tan x + 2x \sec^2 x && \text{M1 A1} \\ x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \quad y = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad \text{grad} &= 2 + \pi && \text{B1} \\ \therefore y - \frac{\pi}{2} &= (2 + \pi)(x - \frac{\pi}{4}) && \text{M1} \\ \text{at } P, \quad x = 0 & && \\ \therefore y = \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}(2 + \pi) &= -\frac{1}{4}\pi^2 && \text{M1 A1 (10)} \end{aligned}$$

6. (i) $= \int (\operatorname{cosec}^2 2x - 1) dx$ M1
 $= -\frac{1}{2} \cot 2x - x + c$ M1 A1

(ii) $u^2 = x + 1 \Rightarrow x = u^2 - 1, \frac{dx}{du} = 2u$ M1
 $x = 0 \Rightarrow u = 1, x = 3 \Rightarrow u = 2$ B1
 $I = \int_1^2 \frac{(u^2-1)^2}{u} \times 2u du = \int_1^2 (2u^4 - 4u^2 + 2) du$ M1 A1
 $= [\frac{2}{5}u^5 - \frac{4}{3}u^3 + 2u]_1^2$ M1
 $= (\frac{64}{5} - \frac{32}{3} + 4) - (\frac{2}{5} - \frac{4}{3} + 2) = 5\frac{1}{15}$ M1 A1 **(10)**

7. (i) $\int \frac{1}{(x-6)(x-3)} dx = \int 2 dt$ M1
 $\frac{1}{(x-6)(x-3)} \equiv \frac{A}{x-6} + \frac{B}{x-3}, \quad 1 \equiv A(x-3) + B(x-6)$ M1
 $x = 6 \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{3}, x = 3 \Rightarrow B = -\frac{1}{3}$ A2
 $\frac{1}{3} \int \left(\frac{1}{x-6} - \frac{1}{x-3} \right) dx = \int 2 dt$
 $\ln|x-6| - \ln|x-3| = 6t + c$ M1 A1
 $t = 0, x = 0 \therefore \ln 6 - \ln 3 = c, \quad c = \ln 2$ M1 A1
 $x = 2 \Rightarrow \ln 4 - 0 = 6t + \ln 2$ M1
 $t = \frac{1}{6} \ln 2 = 0.1155 \text{ hrs} = 0.1155 \times 60 \text{ mins} = 6.93 \text{ mins} \approx 7 \text{ mins}$ A1

(ii) $\ln \left| \frac{x-6}{2(x-3)} \right| = 6t, \quad t = \frac{1}{6} \ln \left| \frac{x-6}{2(x-3)} \right|$
as $x \rightarrow 3, t \rightarrow \infty \therefore \text{cannot make } 3 \text{ g}$ B2 **(12)**

8. (i) $x = 1 \therefore -1 + 4 \cos \theta = 1, \cos \theta = \frac{1}{2}, \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \frac{5\pi}{3}$ M1
 $y > 0 \therefore \sin \theta > 0 \therefore \theta = \frac{\pi}{3}$ A1

(ii) $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = -4 \sin \theta, \quad \frac{dy}{d\theta} = 2\sqrt{2} \cos \theta$ M1
 $\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2\sqrt{2} \cos \theta}{-4 \sin \theta}$ M1 A1
at P , grad $= -\frac{2\sqrt{2} \times \frac{1}{2}}{4 \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2\sqrt{3}}$ M1
grad of normal $= \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{6}$ A1
 $\therefore y - \sqrt{6} = \sqrt{6}(x-1)$ M1
 $y = \sqrt{6}x, \quad \text{when } x = 0, y = 0 \therefore \text{passes through origin}$ A1

(iii) $\cos \theta = \frac{x+1}{4}, \sin \theta = \frac{y}{2\sqrt{2}}$ M1
 $\therefore \frac{(x+1)^2}{16} + \frac{y^2}{8} = 1$ M1 A1 **(12)**

Total **(72)**