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Annotations and abbreviations

Annotation in RM assessor	Meaning
✓ and ✗	
BOD	Benefit of doubt
FT	Follow through
ISW	Ignore subsequent working
M0, M1	Method mark awarded 0, 1
A0, A1	Accuracy mark awarded 0, 1
B0, B1	Independent mark awarded 0, 1
SC	Special case
^	Omission sign
MR	Misread
BP	Blank Page
NBOD	Benefit of doubt not given
Highlighting	

Other abbreviations in mark scheme	Meaning
dep*	Mark dependent on a previous mark, indicated by *. The * may be omitted if only one previous M mark
cao	Correct answer only
oe	Or equivalent
rot	Rounded or truncated
soi	Seen or implied
www	Without wrong working
AG	Answer given
awrt	Anything which rounds to
BC	By Calculator
DR	This question included the instruction: In this question you must show detailed reasoning.

Question			Answer	Marks	AO	Guidance	
1			$\begin{pmatrix} -12 & -1 & 5 \\ -1 & -20 & 3 \\ 7-6a & 3a-2 & -4a-5 \end{pmatrix}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} -4a & -1 & 5 \\ 11-4a & -20 & 3 \\ -8-a & 7 & -17 \end{pmatrix}$ seen	M1	1.1	Either product **AB** or **BA** calculated (but not if assigned incorrectly). Alternatively: equivalent correct useful entries calculated for both	Condone 3 errors or omissions This mark can be implied by sight of a correct equation
			$-12 = -4a$ or $-1 = 11 - 4a$ or $7 - 6a = -8 - a$ or $3a - 2 = 7$ or $-4a - 5 = -17$	M1	1.1	Finding matrix products both ways and equating entries usefully	This mark can be implied by sight of a correct equation even if other entries or equations are wrong.
			$a = 3$	A1 [3]	2.2a		Cannot be awarded if either **AB** or **BA** has more than 3 errors

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2	(a)	(i)	DR $3z_1 + 4z_2 = 3(3 - 7\text{i}) + 4(2 + 4\text{i}) = 17 - 5\text{i}$	**B1** **[1]**	1.1		
		(ii)	DR $z_1z_2 = (3 - 7\text{i})(2 + 4\text{i}) = 6 + 12\text{i} - 14\text{i} - 28(-1)$	**M1**	1.1	Attempted expansion with $\text{i}^2 = -1$ used and at least 3 correctly expanded terms	$-28(-1)$ can be simply $+28$
			$= 34 - 2\text{i}$	**A1** **[2]**	1.1		
		(iii)	DR $\frac{z_1}{z_2} = \frac{3-7\text{i}}{2+4\text{i}} = \frac{3-7\text{i}}{2+4\text{i}} \times \frac{2-4\text{i}}{2-4\text{i}}$	**M1**	1.1	Multiplying top and bottom by (real multiple of) conjugate of bottom	
			$= \frac{6-12\text{i}-14\text{i}-28}{4+16} = \frac{-22-26\text{i}}{20} = -\frac{11}{10} - \frac{13}{10}\text{i}$	**A1** **[2]**	1.1	Must see some evidence of expansion	Allow $\frac{-11-13\text{i}}{10}$ or $-\frac{11+13\text{i}}{10}$
	(b)		DR $\sqrt{3^2 + (-7)^2}$ or $\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-7}{3}\right)$	**M1**	1.1	Explicit working must be seen	Other trig calculations could be sufficient for M1 provided that these are being used to find the argument.
			$\lvert z_1 \rvert = \sqrt{58}$ or awrt 7.62 or $\arg z_1$ = awrt -1.17 or 5.12 rads	**A1**	1.1		
			$z_1 = \sqrt{58}\text{cis}(-1.17)$ or $z_1 = \sqrt{58}\text{e}^{-1.17\text{i}}$ or $z_1 = \sqrt{58}(\cos(-1.17) + \text{i}\sin(-1.17))$ or $\left[\sqrt{58}, -1.17\right]$	**A1** **[3]**	2.5	Must be in correct form with $\sqrt{58}$ exact and could be awrt 5.12 instead of -1.17.	Do not condone degrees Condone round brackets

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3	(a)		$\left(\begin{pmatrix}1\\-3\\3\end{pmatrix}+\lambda\begin{pmatrix}3\\2\\-2\end{pmatrix}\right).\begin{pmatrix}2\\-5\\-3\end{pmatrix}=4$	M1	1.1	Substituting the expression for a point on the line into the equation of the plane	
			$2+15-9+\lambda(6-10+6)=4$ $8+2\lambda=4 \Rightarrow 2\lambda=-4 \Rightarrow \lambda=-2$ so	M1	1.1	Dotting out to form and solve equation in λ	
			$\mathbf{r}=\begin{pmatrix}1\\-3\\3\end{pmatrix}+-2\begin{pmatrix}3\\2\\-2\end{pmatrix}=\begin{pmatrix}-5\\-7\\7\end{pmatrix}$	A1 [3]	1.1		Condone coordinates
	(b)		$\dfrac{\begin{pmatrix}2\\-5\\-3\end{pmatrix}.\begin{pmatrix}3\\2\\-2\end{pmatrix}}{\sqrt{4+25+9}\sqrt{9+4+4}}$ soi $=\dfrac{6-10+6}{\sqrt{38}\sqrt{17}}=\dfrac{2}{\sqrt{646}}=0.07868...$	M1	1.1	BC. Using $\cos\theta=\dfrac{\mathbf{a.b}}{\lvert\mathbf{a}\rvert\lvert\mathbf{b}\rvert}$	May see $\sin\phi=\dfrac{\mathbf{a.b}}{\lvert\mathbf{a}\rvert\lvert\mathbf{b}\rvert}$ Or use of cross product
			$\theta=$ awrt 85.5…° soi	A1	1.1	Can be implied by correct final answer	or 1.49… rads
			($\phi=90°-85.48…°=$) awrt 4.51°	A1 [3]	1.1		or 0.0788 rads

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3	(c)		$\lambda = 1 \Rightarrow \mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	B1	3.1a		
			$\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -16 \\ 5 \\ -19 \end{pmatrix}$	M1	2.2a	Method shown or at least two terms correctly evaluated	
			So equation of l_2 is $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} -16 \\ 5 \\ -19 \end{pmatrix}$ oe	A1	1.1	Must be **r** =. Allow parameter λ.	
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4			DR				
			$\sum_{r=1}^{100}(2r+3)^2 = 4\sum_{r=1}^{100} r^2 + 12\sum_{r=1}^{100} r + 9\sum_{r=1}^{100} 1$	B1	3.1a	Expanding and separating	
			$\sum_{r=1}^{100} r^2 = \frac{1}{6}\times 100(100+1)(2\times 100+1)$	M1	1.1a	Use of formula for $\sum_{r=1}^{100} r^2$	
			4×338350 + 12×½×100×101 + 900 = 1414900	A1 [3]	1.1		

Question			Answer	Marks	AO	Guidance	
5	(a)		DR RHS = $2\cosh^2 x - 1 = 2\left(\frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}\right)^2 - 1$ $= 2\left(\frac{e^{2x} + 2 + e^{-2x}}{4}\right) - 1 = \frac{e^{2x} + 2 + e^{-2x}}{2}$ $= \frac{e^{2x} + e^{-2x}}{2} = \cosh 2x = \text{LHS}$	**M1** **A1** **[2]**	2.1 2.1	Uses correct exponential form in an attempt at proof AG	 Proof must be complete
	(b)		DR $2\cosh^2 x - 1 = 3\cosh x + 1$ => $2\cosh^2 x - 3\cosh x - 2 = 0$ $(2\cosh x + 1)(\cosh x - 2) = 0$ $\cosh x = 2$ or $-½$ $\cosh x \geq 1$ so $\neq -½$ $x = \cosh^{-1} 2 = \ln\left(2 + \sqrt{3}\right)$ $x = \ln\left(2 - \sqrt{3}\right)$	**M1** **M1** **A1** **A1** **A1** **A1** **[6]**	3.1a 1.1 1.1 2.3 1.1 1.1	Use of identity in **(a)** to leave a three term quadratic equation in just $\cosh x$ Attempt to solve eg $\frac{-(-3) \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4 \times 2 \times (-2)}}{2 \times 2}$ Justification must be seen and must contain no incorrect statements For either correct answer seen Both correct values for x	 or $2\left(\cosh x - \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 - \frac{9}{8} - 2 = 0$ Or solves quadratic BC Or $x = -\ln\left(2 + \sqrt{3}\right)$ Mark final answer

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6	(a)		DR A shear which leaves the x-axis invariant and which transforms the point (0, 1) to the point (2, 1).	B1 [1]	2.2a	Or any useful point transformed to its image	not "scale factor" or sf
	(b)		DR $\det\mathbf{A} = 1\times1 - 0\times2 = 1$ and this is the area scale factor	B1 [1]	2.4	Both	Detailed calculation must be shown
	(c)		DR $\begin{pmatrix}1 & 0\\3 & 1\end{pmatrix}$ seen	B1	3.1a		
			$\begin{pmatrix}1 & 2\\0 & 1\end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix}1 & 0\\3 & 1\end{pmatrix}=\begin{pmatrix}7 & 2\\3 & 1\end{pmatrix}$	B1	1.1	BC	
			$\begin{pmatrix}1 & 0\\0 & p\end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix}7 & 2\\3 & 1\end{pmatrix}$	M1	1.1	Correct form for stretch multiplied into their matrix in either order	
			$=\begin{pmatrix}7 & 2\\3p & p\end{pmatrix}\Rightarrow p=7$	A1 [4]	1.1	Correct multiplication	

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7	(a)		DR $\frac{x^3+x^2+9x-1}{x^3+x^2+4x+4} \equiv \frac{x^3+x^2+4x+4+5x-5}{x^3+x^2+4x+4}$ $=1+\frac{5x-5}{x^3+x^2+4x+4}$ So $A = 1$, $B = 5$ and $C = -5$	B1 [1]	3.1a	Attempt to divide out improper fraction. Could be by symbolic division or other valid method (eg comparing coefficients or substitution of values for x)	Allow embedded answers
	(b)		DR $x^3+x^2+4x+4=(x+1)(x^2+4)$	B1	3.1a	Correct factorisation of cubic seen in working	Could be from improper fraction
			$\frac{5x-5}{x^3+x^2+4x+4}=\frac{D}{x+1}+\frac{Ex+F}{x^2+4}$ $D(x^2+4)+(x+1)(Ex+F)=5x-5$	M1	1.2	Correct form for partial fractions equated to their remainder rational fraction from (a). Follow through their division and factorisation.	
			$x=-1 \Rightarrow 5D=-10 \Rightarrow D=-2$	A1	1.1	Or equivalent to find D correctly.	
			$x=0 \Rightarrow -2-F=-5 \Rightarrow F=3$	A1	1.1		Allow ft A1 for second and third coefficients found.
			$x^2: D+E=0 \Rightarrow E=2$ $1-\frac{2}{x+1}+\frac{2x+3}{x^2+4}$	A1 [5]	1.1		Or $1-\frac{2}{x+1}+\frac{2x}{x^2+4}+\frac{3}{x^2+4}$

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7	(c)		DR $\int_0^2 \frac{x^3+x^2+9x-1}{x^3+x^2+4x+4}\,dx = \int_0^2 1-\frac{2}{x+1}+\frac{2x}{x^2+4}+\frac{3}{x^2+4}\,dx$	*M1	3.1a	Split term with x^2+4 in denominator and $ax+b$ in numerator	
			$=\left[x-2\ln(x+1)+\ln(x^2+4)+\frac{3}{2}\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)\right]_0^2$	dep*M1	1.1	Correctly integrate *their* expression (ignore limits)	
			$\left(2-2\ln 3+\ln 8+\frac{3\pi}{8}\right)-\ln 4$	M1	1.1	Correctly substitute limits to produce exact values and evaluate their $\tan^{-1}$ term	
			$2+\ln\left(\frac{2}{9}\right)+\frac{3}{8}\pi$	A1 [4]	1.1	$a=2$, $b=\frac{2}{9}$, $c=\frac{3}{8}$	

8	(a)		$F = ma = 2\frac{dv}{dt} = 4e^{-2t} - kv$	M1	3.3	Use of NII with m and a replaced and with 2 forces, the given force and kv	$F=ma$ can be implicit here
			$t = \ln 2$, $v = 0.5$, $F = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = 1 - 0.5k$	M1	2.2a	Use of given conditions to derive an equation in k	Can be done first
			$k = 2 \Rightarrow 2\frac{dv}{dt} = 4e^{-2t} - 2v \Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dt} + v = 2e^{-2t}$	A1 [3]	1.1	AG	Complete argument including $F=ma$
	(b)		IF = $e^{\int 1 dt} = e^t$	*B1	1.1		Or CF
			$e^t\frac{dv}{dt} + e^t v = \frac{d}{dt}(e^t v) = e^t \times 2e^{-2t}$	*M1	1.1	Multiplying by IF and writing LHS as an exact derivative	Or subst correct PI into DE
			$e^t v = \int 2e^{-t} dt = -2e^{-t} + c$	A1	1.1	"+ c" required	Or GS $v = Ae^{-t} - 2e^{-2t}$
			$t = 0$, $v = 0 \Rightarrow c = 2$	dep*M1	3.4	Use of initial conditions to derive a value for c	Or using alternative boundary condition
			$v = 2e^{-t} - 2e^{-2t}$	A1 [5]	3.4		
	(c)		As $t \to \infty$, $v \to 0$ So speed starts at 0 and ends at 0 (and is continuous and positive between) so must reach a maximum somewhere in $t > 0$	M1 A1 [2]	3.4 2.4		
	(d)		v is max when $\frac{dv}{dt} = 0$ so $t = \ln 2$	M1	2.2a	Deducing time when v is maximum	Or by finding expression for $\frac{dv}{dt}$ and solving $\frac{dv}{dt} = 0$
			So $v_{max} = 0.5$ (given) (or $v_{max} = 2e^{-\ln 2} - 2e^{-2\ln 2} = 1 - \frac{2}{4} = \frac{1}{2}$)	A1 [2]	3.4		

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8	(e)		$v=\frac{dx}{dt}=2e^{-t}-2e^{-2t}\Rightarrow x=-2e^{-t}+e^{-2t}+d$	M1	3.3	Integrating to find expression for x	
			$t=0,\ x=0\Rightarrow 0=-2+1+d\Rightarrow d=1$	M1	3.3	Using initial conditions to find value of (new) constant	Or definite integral with correct lower limit..
			$0.9=-2e^{-t}+e^{-2t}+1$	M1	3.5a	Recognising that the model is only valid when x lies between 0 and 0.9	…and upper limit
			$(e^{-t})^2-2e^{-t}+0.1=0\Rightarrow e^{-t}=\frac{10\pm3\sqrt{10}}{10}$ $\Rightarrow t=\ln\left(\frac{10}{10-3\sqrt{10}}\right)=2.97$ (3 sf)	A1 [4]	2.3	Rejecting $t=\ln\left(\frac{10}{10+3\sqrt{10}}\right)<0$ (can be implicit)	
9	(a)		$\mathbf{A}^2=\begin{pmatrix}4&12\\0&4\end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{A}^3=\begin{pmatrix}8&36\\0&8\end{pmatrix}$,			BC	
			$\mathbf{A}^4=\begin{pmatrix}16&96\\0&16\end{pmatrix}$	B1	2.2a		
			Conjecture: $\mathbf{A}^n=\begin{pmatrix}2^n&3n\times2^{n-1}\\0&2^n\end{pmatrix}$	B1 [2]	2.2b	Allow this mark for any conjecture which works for n = 1, 2, 3 and 4.	

Question			Answer	Marks	AO	Guidance	
9	(b)		Basis case: $n = 1$:				
			$\mathbf{A}^1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2^1 & 3\times1\times2^0 \\ 0 & 2^1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{A}$ so true for $n = 1$	B1	2.1	Allow this mark even if the conjecture is wrong, provided that it works for $n = 1$	
			Assume true for $n = k$ ie $\mathbf{A}^k = \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 3k\times2^{k-1} \\ 0 & 2^k \end{pmatrix}$	M1	2.1	Must have statement in terms of some other variable than n. Conjecture need not be correct.	
			$\mathbf{A}^{k+1} = \mathbf{A}^k\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 2^k & 3k\times2^{k-1} \\ 0 & 2^k \end{pmatrix}\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$				
			$= \begin{pmatrix} 2^{k+1} & 3\times2^k + 3k\times2^k \\ 0 & 2^{k+1} \end{pmatrix}$	M1	2.2a	Uses inductive hypothesis properly & expands	
			$= \begin{pmatrix} 2^{k+1} & 3(k+1)\times2^k \\ 0 & 2^{k+1} \end{pmatrix}$				
			So true for $n = k \Rightarrow$ true for $n = k + 1$. But true for $n = 1$. So true for all positive integer n	A1	2.4	AG. Manipulating terms correctly and convincingly to obtain required form. Some intermediate working must be seen and a clear conclusion must be given for the induction process.	A formal proof by induction is required for full marks.
				[4]			

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10	(a)		DR $e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + ... = (1+x) + \left(\frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + ...\right)$ $x > 0 \Rightarrow \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + ... > 0$ $\Rightarrow e^x > 1 + x$	M1 A1 [2]	1.1 2.2a	Quoting and *using* the Maclaurin series AG. Result with sufficient justification	
	(b)		DR $t = x + 1 \Rightarrow e^{t-1} > t \Rightarrow \frac{e^t}{e} > t \Rightarrow e^t > et$	B1 [1]	3.1a	AG	
	(c)		DR $t = \frac{\pi}{e} > 1$ since $2 < e < 3$ and $\pi > 3$ $e^{\frac{\pi}{e}} > e \times \frac{\pi}{e} (= \pi)$ $\Rightarrow e^\pi > \pi^e$ (ie e^π is greater)	B1 M1 A1	3.1a 3.1a 1.1	Some justification that $t > 1$ is required Substituting their choice into the inequality Answer without use of inequality in part **(b)** scores **M0A0**	
			Alternative method $t = \ln \pi$ $e^{\ln \pi} > e \ln \pi$ $e^{\ln \pi} > e \ln \pi$ $\pi > \ln(\pi^e)$ $e^\pi > \pi^e$	B1 M1 A1		Some justification that $t > 1$ is required	
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