

4721 Core Mathematics 1

1 (i) $n = -2$

B1

(ii) $n = 3$

B1

(iii)

M1 $\sqrt{4^3}$ or $64^{\frac{1}{2}}$ or $\left(4^{\frac{1}{2}}\right)^3$ or $(4^3)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ or
 $4 \times \sqrt{4}$ with brackets correct if used

$n = \frac{3}{2}$

A1

2 (i)

M1 $y = (x \pm 2)^2$

$y = (x - 2)^2$

A1

(ii) $y = -(x^3 - 4)$

B1 oe

3 (i) $\sqrt{2 \times 100} = 10\sqrt{2}$

B1

(ii) $\frac{12}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{12\sqrt{2}}{2} = 6\sqrt{2}$

B1

(iii)

$10\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{2} = 7\sqrt{2}$

M1 Attempt to express $5\sqrt{8}$ in terms of $\sqrt{2}$

A1

4 $y = x^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$2y^2 - 7y + 3 = 0$

M1* Use a substitution to obtain a quadratic or

$(2y-1)(y-3) = 0$

factorise into 2 brackets each containing $x^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$y = \frac{1}{2}, y = 3$

M1dep Correct method to solve a quadratic

A1

$x = \frac{1}{4}, x = 9$

M1 Attempt to square to obtain x

A1

SR If first M1 not gained and 3 and $\frac{1}{2}$ given as final answers, award B1

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M1 Attempt to differentiate

A1 $kx^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + 1$$

$$= 4\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{9}}\right) + 1$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{7}{3}$$

M1 Correct substitution of $x = 9$ into their

A1 $\frac{7}{3}$ only

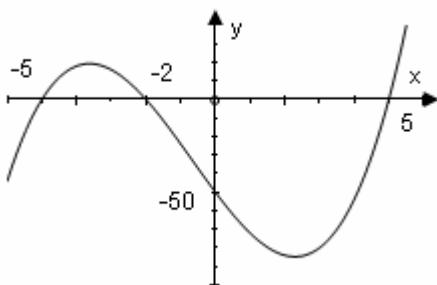
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6 (i) $(x-5)(x+2)(x+5)$
 $= (x^2 - 3x - 10)(x+5)$
 $= x^3 + 2x^2 - 25x - 50$

B1 $x^2 - 3x - 10$ or $x^2 + 7x + 10$ or $x^2 - 25$
seen

M1 Attempt to multiply a quadratic by a linear factor**A1**
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(ii)



- B1** +ve cubic with 3 roots (not 3 line segments)
B1 (0, -50) labelled or indicated on y-axis
B1 (-5, 0), (-2, 0), (5, 0) labelled or indicated on x-axis and no other x-intercepts

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7 (i) $8 < 3x - 2 < 11$
 $10 < 3x < 13$
 $\frac{10}{3} < x < \frac{13}{3}$

M1 2 equations or inequalities both dealing with all 3 terms resulting in $a < kx < b$ **A1** 10 and 13 seen**A1****3**

(ii) $x(x+2) \geq 0$

$x \geq 0, x \leq -2$

M1 Correct method to solve a quadratic**A1** 0, -2**M1** Correct method to solve inequality**A1****4**

8 (i) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 - 2kx + 1$

B1 One term correct

B1 Fully correct

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(ii) $3x^2 - 2kx + 1 = 0$ when $x = 1$

M1 their $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$ so

$$3 - 2k + 1 = 0$$

M1 $x = 1$ substituted into their $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$k = 2$$

A1 ✓

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(iii) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x - 4$

M1 Substitutes $x = 1$ into their $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ and looks at sign

$$\text{When } x = 1, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0 \therefore \text{min pt}$$

A1 States minimum **CWO**

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(iv) $3x^2 - 4x + 1 = 0$

M1 their $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

$$(3x - 1)(x - 1) = 0$$

M1 correct method to solve 3-term quadratic

$$x = \frac{1}{3}, x = 1$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}$$

A1 **WWW** at any stage

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9 (i)

$$(x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 100$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 2y - 95 = 0$$

B1 $(x-2)^2$ and $(y-1)^2$ seen**B1** $(x \pm 2)^2 + (y \pm 1)^2 = 100$ **B1** correct form**[3]**

(ii) $(5-2)^2 + (k-1)^2 = 100$

$$(k-1)^2 = 91 \quad \text{or} \quad k^2 - 2k - 90 = 0$$

$$k = 1 + \sqrt{91}$$

M1 $x = 5$ substituted into their equation**A1** correct, simplified quadratic in k (or y) obtained**A1** cao**[3]**(iii) distance from $(-3, 9)$ to $(2, 1)$

$$= \sqrt{(2 - -3)^2 + (1 - 9)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 64}$$

$$= \sqrt{89}$$

 $\sqrt{89} < 10$ so point is inside**M1** Uses $(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2$ **A1****B1** compares their distance with 10 and makes consistent conclusion**[3]**

(iv) gradient of radius $= \frac{9-1}{8-2}$

$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

gradient of tangent $= -\frac{3}{4}$

$$y - 9 = -\frac{3}{4}(x - 8)$$

$$y - 9 = -\frac{3}{4}x + 6$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 15$$

M1 uses $\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$ **A1** oe**B1** oe**M1** correct equation of straight line through $(8, 9)$, any non-zero gradient**A1** oe 3 term equation**[5]**

10 (i) $2(x^2 - 3x) + 11$

$$= 2\left[\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 - \frac{9}{4}\right] + 11$$

$$= 2\left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{13}{2}$$

B1 $p = 2$

B1 $q = -\frac{3}{2}$

M1 $r = 11 - 2q^2$ or $\frac{11}{2} - q^2$

A1 $r = \frac{13}{2}$

[4]

(ii) $\left(\frac{3}{2}, \frac{13}{2}\right)$

B1 ✓

[2]

(iii) $36 - 4 \times 2 \times 11$
 $= -52$

M1 uses $b^2 - 4ac$

A1**[2]**

(iv) 0 real roots

B1**[1]**

(v) $2x^2 - 6x + 11 = 14 - 7x$

$2x^2 + x - 3 = 0$

$(2x+3)(x-1) = 0$

$x = -\frac{3}{2}, x = 1$

$y = \frac{49}{2}, y = 7$

M1* substitute for x/y or attempt to get an equation in 1 variable only

A1 obtain correct 3 term quadratic**M1dep** correct method to solve 3 term quadratic**A1****A1**

SR If A0 A0, one correct pair of values,
 spotted or from correct factorisation **www B1**

[5]