

Cambridge O Level

ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS Paper 2 Paper 24 MARK SCHEME Maximum Mark: 80 Published

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Generic Marking Principles

These general marking principles must be applied by all examiners when marking candidate answers. They should be applied alongside the specific content of the mark scheme or generic level descriptors for a question. Each question paper and mark scheme will also comply with these marking principles.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 1:

Marks must be awarded in line with:

- the specific content of the mark scheme or the generic level descriptors for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptors for the question
- the standard of response required by a candidate as exemplified by the standardisation scripts.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 2:

Marks awarded are always whole marks (not half marks, or other fractions).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 3:

Marks must be awarded **positively**:

- marks are awarded for correct/valid answers, as defined in the mark scheme. However, credit is given for valid answers which go beyond the scope of the syllabus and mark scheme, referring to your Team Leader as appropriate
- marks are awarded when candidates clearly demonstrate what they know and can do
- marks are not deducted for errors
- marks are not deducted for omissions
- answers should only be judged on the quality of spelling, punctuation and grammar when these features are specifically assessed by the question as indicated by the mark scheme. The meaning, however, should be unambiguous.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 4:

Rules must be applied consistently, e.g. in situations where candidates have not followed instructions or in the application of generic level descriptors.

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 5:

Marks should be awarded using the full range of marks defined in the mark scheme for the question (however; the use of the full mark range may be limited according to the quality of the candidate responses seen).

GENERIC MARKING PRINCIPLE 6:

Marks awarded are based solely on the requirements as defined in the mark scheme. Marks should not be awarded with grade thresholds or grade descriptors in mind.

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Ma	Maths-Specific Marking Principles				
1	Unless a particular method has been specified in the question, full marks may be awarded for any correct method. However, if a calculation is required then no marks will be awarded for a scale drawing.				
2	Unless specified in the question, answers may be given as fractions, decimals or in standard form. Ignore superfluous zeros, provided that the degree of accuracy is not affected.				
3	Allow alternative conventions for notation if used consistently throughout the paper, e.g. commas being used as decimal points.				
4	Unless otherwise indicated, marks once gained cannot subsequently be lost, e.g. wrong working following a correct form of answer is ignored (isw).				
5	Where a candidate has misread a number in the question and used that value consistently throughout, provided that number does not alter the difficulty or the method required, award all marks earned and deduct just 1 mark for the misread.				
6	Recovery within working is allowed, e.g. a notation error in the working where the following line of working makes the candidate's intent clear.				

Types of mark

- M Method marks, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem.
- A Accuracy mark, awarded for a correct answer or intermediate step correctly obtained. For accuracy marks to be given, the associated Method mark must be earned or implied.
- B Mark for a correct result or statement independent of Method marks.

When a part of a question has two or more 'method' steps, the M marks are in principle independent unless the scheme specifically says otherwise; and similarly where there are several B marks allocated. The notation 'dep' is used to indicate that a particular M or B mark is dependent on an earlier mark in the scheme.

Abbreviations

awrt answers which round to cao correct answer only

dep dependent

FT follow through after error isw ignore subsequent working nfww not from wrong working

oe or equivalent

rot rounded or truncated

SC Special Case soi seen or implied

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
1	Rearranges to a 3-term quadratic $p^2 + p - 4 = 0$	M1	Condone one sign error in coefficients but not powers; powers must be simplified
	Solves <i>their</i> 3-term quadratic in <i>p</i> soi	M1	
	$p = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{17}}{2}$ cao; nfww	A1	
2	$\frac{1}{2}\ln(2x-3) + \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}(+c) \text{ isw}$	ВЗ	B2 for $\frac{1}{2}\ln(2x-3)$ or $\frac{1}{2}\ln(x-1.5)$
	or $\frac{1}{2}\ln(x-1.5) + \frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}(+c)$ isw		or B1 for $\frac{1}{2} \ln 2x - 3$ or for $k \ln(2x - 3)$ or $k \ln(x - 1.5)$ where k is non-zero and
			$k \neq \frac{1}{2}$ and B1 for $\frac{2}{3}x^{\frac{3}{2}}(+c)$
3	gradient = $\frac{114}{21}$ oe or 5 soi	M1	or $-4 = -m + c$ and $11 = 2m + c$ oe and subtracting/substituting to solve for m or c ,
			condone one error
	$Y-11 = their \ 5(X-2)$ oe or $Y-4 = their \ 5(X-1)$ oe or $11 = 2 \times their \ 5 + c$ oe or $-4 = -1 \times their \ 5 + c$ oe	M1	or using their m or their c to find their c or their m, without further error
	$ \lg y = 5 \lg x + 1 \text{ oe} or \lg y = 5 (\lg x - 2) + 11 \text{ oe} or \lg y = 5 (\lg x - 1) - 4 \text{ oe} $	A1	
	$y = 10^{5 \times \lg x + 1} \text{ oe}$ or $\lg y = \lg x^5 + \lg 10 \text{ oe}$ or $\lg \left(\frac{y}{x^5}\right) = 1 \text{ oe}$	A1	this first step in manipulating the equation, or the second step, must be seen; only one step may be implied
	$y = 10^{\lg x^5} \times 10^{[1]}$ oe or $\lg y = \lg 10x^5$ oe or $\frac{y}{x^5} = 10^{[1]}$ oe or $\lg\left(\frac{y}{x^5}\right) = \lg 10$	A1	this second step in manipulating the equation, or the first step, must be seen; only one step may be implied
	$y = 10x^5$	A1	must be seen

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
3	Alternative $\lg y = \lg a + n \lg x$ soi	(B1)	
	Valid method to find n or $\lg a$ e.g. Solves for n or $\lg a$: $11 = \lg a + 2n$ and $-4 = \lg a - n$	(M1)	May find gradient as above (do not need to identify it as <i>n</i> for this mark)
	$n = 5$ or $\lg a = 1$ so $a = 10^1$ or 10	(A1)	
	Correct method using <i>their</i> lga or <i>their</i> n to find <i>their</i> n or <i>their</i> lga	(M1)	FT May find intercept as above (do not need to identify it as lga for this mark)
	$lga = 1 \text{ so } a = 10^1 \text{ or } 10$ or $n = 5$	(A1)	
	$y = 10x^5$	(A1)	must be seen
4	$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = 5x^4 - 6x^2 + 2x$	M2	Must be seen or very clearly implied by $5(-1)^4 - 6(-1)^2 + 2(-1)$ M1 for any 2 out of 3 terms correct and
			no extras or for all 3 terms correct and one extra term
	$\left. \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} \right _{x=-1} = -3$	A1	
	gradient of normal = $-\frac{1}{their(-3)}$	M1	
	y = 5	B1	
	$3y = x + 16$ or $y - 5 = \frac{1}{3}(x + 1)$ oe, isw	A1	FT $-\frac{1}{their(-3)}$ and their 5, providing their $5 \neq 0$
	P(-16, 0)	B1	

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
5	Correctly eliminates x or y: $(3y + 20)^2 + y^2 - 2(3y + 20) + 6y = 0$ or $x^2 + \left(\frac{x - 20}{3}\right)^2 - 2x + 6\left(\frac{x - 20}{3}\right) = 0$	M1	
	$10y^{2} + 120y + 360[= 0]$ or $10x^{2} - 40x + 40[= 0]$	A1	
	Factorises <i>their</i> 3-term quadratic or solves <i>their</i> 3-term quadratic = 0	M1	
	x=2 and $y=-6$	A1	
6(a)	$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{3}(x^3 - 91)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times 3x^2$ oe, isw	B2	B1 for $\frac{1}{3}(x^3 - 91)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times$
			or for $\frac{1}{3}$ () $^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times 3x^2$
			or for their $\frac{1}{3}(x^3 - 91)^{\left(their \frac{1}{3}\right) - 1} \times 3x^2$
			or for $k(x^3 - 91)^{-\frac{2}{3}} \times 3x^2$ where <i>k</i> is a
			constant and $k \neq \frac{1}{3}$
6(b)	$\frac{\delta y}{h} = their \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} \Big _{x=6} \right) \text{ oe}$	M1	
	1.44 <i>h</i> oe, isw	A1	dep on B2 in part (a)
7(a)	$4\left(x-\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 6 \text{ isw}$	В3	B1 for $\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$ B1 for $r = 6$
7(b)	1 their6	B1	strict FT an expression of the correct form except, if incorrect form but values of p , q , r stated give BOD using those values; must not be incorrectly attributed to x
	$x = their \frac{1}{2}$ oe	B1	strict FT an expression of the correct form except, if incorrect form but values of p , q , r stated give BOD using those values; must be correctly attributed to x

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
8(a)(i)	Uses correct Pythagorean identity in the left-hand side of the given identity, e.g. $\frac{1-\sin^2 2x}{1+\sin 2x}$	M1	
	$\frac{(1-\sin 2x)(1+\sin 2x)}{1+\sin 2x}$ oe and completion to given answer	A1	
8(a)(ii)	$\sin 2x = \frac{2}{3}$	M1	
	$x = \frac{1}{2}\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$ soi	M1	dep on first M1
	20.9 or 20.905 rounded or truncated to 4 or more figures and 69.1 or 69.094 rounded or truncated to 4 or more figures	A2	with no incorrect values in range A1 for either angle correct, ignoring extra values
8(b)	$\tan\left(y - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \text{ soi}$	M1	
	$y = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\pi}{2}$	M1	dep on first M1
	$\frac{2}{3}\pi$ oe or 2.09 or 2.094[39] rot to 4 or more significant figs	A1	with no incorrect values in range
9(a)	f>3	B1	
9(b)	Complete method: Putting $y = f(x)$ and changing subject to x and swapping x and y or swopping x and y and changing subject to y	M1	must be a function of x not y
	$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{5}\ln(x-3)$	A1	
	[Domain] $x > 3$	B1	FT their part (a) providing their part (a) is of the form $f > a$ or $f \ge a$, where a is a constant

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
9(c)	their $\ln(x-3) = \ln 1$ soi or their $(x-3) = e^0$ soi or $f(0) = 3 + e^{5 \times 0}$ soi	M1	FT their $f^{-1}(x)$ of the form $k \ln(\pm x \pm 3)$, where k is a non-zero constant
	x = 4	A1	
9(d)	Fully correct graph: $y = f(x)$ $y = f^{-1}(x)$	B4	B2 for correct exponential shape for f, in 1st and 2nd quadrants, with correct asymptotic behaviour soi or B1 for a correct exponential shape for f, in 1st and 2nd quadrants, with asymptotic behaviour but to a clearly incorrect line $y = k$ soi B1 for f ⁻¹ reflection of f in the line $y = x$ B1 for intercepts (0, 4) and (4, 0) and no others; must have attempted correct exponential and logarithmic shapes Maximum of 3 marks if not fully correct
10(a)(i)	$v = -\frac{1}{3}e^t + 10e^{-t}$	B1	
	$-\frac{(e^t)^2}{3} + 10 = 0 \text{ or } 30 - e^{2t} = 0 \text{ oe}$	M1	FT their v providing of the form $me^t + ne^{-t}$, where m and n are constants
	$e^t = \sqrt{30} \text{ or } 2t = \ln 30 \text{ oe}$	M1	dep on previous M1 ; their 30 must be > 0
	t = 1.7 cao; nfww	A1	
10(a)(ii)	$\frac{31}{3} - \frac{e^{their1.7}}{3} - 10e^{-their1.7} + \left(\frac{31}{3} - \frac{e^{their1.7}}{3} - 10e^{-their1.7} - \left(\frac{31}{3} - \frac{e^2}{3} - 10e^{-2}\right)\right)$ soi	M2	FT their $t \neq 0$ M1 for $\frac{31}{3} - \frac{e^{their 1.7}}{3} - 10e^{-their 1.7}$ or 6.68
	6.846 to 6.85	A1	must have earned 3 or 4 marks in (a)(i)
10(b)(i)	Straight line from (0, 0) stopping at (5, 10) and reasonable parabola of correct curvature between (5, 10) and (8, 25)	B2	B1 for one section correct

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
10(b)(ii)	[distance 0 to $5 = 0.5 \times 5 \times 10 =$] 25	B1	
	$\left[\frac{t^3}{3} - \frac{8t^2}{2} + 25t\right]_5^8$ or $[s =]\frac{t^3}{3} - \frac{8t^2}{2} + 25t + c$	M2	M1 for any 2 terms correct
	$\frac{8^{3}}{3} - \frac{8 \times 8^{2}}{2} + 25 \times 8$ $-\left[\frac{5^{3}}{3} - \frac{8 \times 5^{2}}{2} + 25 \times 5\right]$ or $25 = \frac{5^{3}}{3} - \frac{8 \times 5^{2}}{2} + 25 \times 5 + c$ and $\frac{8^{3}}{3} - \frac{8 \times 8^{2}}{2} + 25 \times 8 - \frac{125}{3}$	M1	dep on at least M1 earned
	3 2 3		
	73 nfww	A1	
11(a)	Correct vector relationship involving \overrightarrow{OC} , \overrightarrow{OA} and \overrightarrow{OB} : $\overrightarrow{OC} = \overrightarrow{OA} + 4(\overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA})$ or $\overrightarrow{OC} = \overrightarrow{OB} + 3(\overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA})$ or $\frac{1}{4}\overrightarrow{OC} - \frac{1}{4}\overrightarrow{OA} = \overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA}$ or $\overrightarrow{OC} - \overrightarrow{OA} = 4(\overrightarrow{OB} - \overrightarrow{OA})$ oe, soi	M1	
	Correct unsimplified vector expression for \overrightarrow{OC} correctly shown to be the given answer $4\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a}$	A1	Must be convinced

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Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
11(b)	$\overrightarrow{DC} = 4\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a} - \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{a}$ oe, soi, isw	B 1	
	or $\overrightarrow{CD} = 3\mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{b} + \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{a}$ oe, soi, isw		
	$\overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{a} + \lambda(4\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a} - \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{a})$ oe	B1	FT their \overrightarrow{DC} or \overrightarrow{CD}
	or $\overrightarrow{OE} = 4\mathbf{b} - 3\mathbf{a} + \mu(3\mathbf{a} - 4\mathbf{b} + \frac{3}{5}\mathbf{a})$ oe		
	$\frac{3}{5} - 3\lambda - \frac{3}{5}\lambda = 0 \text{ or better}$	M1	
	or $-3 + 3\mu + \frac{3}{5}\mu = 0$		
	$\lambda = \frac{1}{6}$ oe or $\mu = \frac{5}{6}$ oe	A1	
	$\overrightarrow{OE} = \frac{4}{6} \mathbf{b} \text{ oe}$	A1	FT $4 \times their \lambda$ or $4 - 4 \times their \mu$
12(a)	-5 + 4d = 7 soi	M1	
	d=3	A1	
	$\frac{40}{2} \{ 2(-5) + (40-1) \times their d \} \text{ oe}$	M1	
	2140	A1	
12(b)	Correct method for finding a or r e.g. $\frac{ar^5}{ar^2} = \frac{0.064}{8}$ oe	M1	
	r = 0.2 oe, nfww	A 1	
	a = 200 nfww	A1	
	$\left[S_{\infty} = \frac{200}{1 - 0.2} = \right] 250$	B1	FT their a and r, providing $ their r < 1$