

# Tracking Test 3 Part A

**(36 marks: 43 minutes)**

1  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 2.$

(a) Use the factor theorem to show that  $(x+2)$  is a factor of  $f(x)$ . (2)

(b) Given that  $f(x) = (x + 2)(x - 1)^2,$

express  $\frac{3x^3+x^2-18x+20}{x^3-3x+2}$  in partial fractions.

(6)

2 (a) Prove that

$$\tan\theta + \cot\theta = 2\operatorname{cosec}2\theta, \quad \theta \neq \frac{n\pi}{2}, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

(4)

(b) Given the equation

$$\tan\theta + \cot\theta = k$$

has real solutions, find all possible values of  $k$ .

Write your answer in set notation.

(1)

3. Given that

$$2\cos(x + 50)^\circ = \sin(x + 40)^\circ$$

(a) Show, without using a calculator, that

$$\tan x^\circ = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40^\circ$$

(4)

(b) Hence solve, for  $0 \leq \theta < 360,$

$$2\cos(2\theta + 50)^\circ = \sin(2\theta + 40)^\circ$$

giving your answers to 1 decimal place.

(4)

4. The curve  $C$  has the equation

$$f(x) = e^{3x} \sin 5x$$

Show that the turning points of  $C$  occur when  $\tan 5x = -\frac{5}{3}$

(5)

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5. The circle  $C$  has equation  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 8y = 33$ .

(a) Express  $C$  in the form  $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$  (2)

The points  $P(-5, -2)$  and  $Q(9, -6)$  both lie on  $C$ .

(b) Show that  $PQ$  is a diameter of  $C$ . (2)

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6. The curve  $C$  has equation  $y = x^3 + 6x^2 - 12x + 6$

a) Show that  $C$  is concave on the interval  $[-5, -3]$ . (3)

b) Find the coordinates of the point of inflection. (3)

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**END OF PART A**

## Mark Scheme

1.

1a	$(f(-2)) = (-2^3) - 3 \times (-2) + 2$	Attempts $f(-2)$ . Some sight of (-2) embedded or calculation is required.	M1
	$f(-2) = 0 \text{ so } (x + 2) \text{ is a factor.}$	Requires correct statement and conclusion. Both " $f(-2) = 0$ " and " $(x + 2)$ is a factor" must be seen in the solution. This may be seen in a preamble before finding $f(-2) = 0$ , but in these cases there must be a minimal statement ie QED, "proved" etc.	A1
1b	$\frac{3x^3 + x^2 - 18x + 20}{x^3 - 3x + 2} = 3 + \frac{x^2 - 9x + 14}{x^3 - 3x + 2}$ $\frac{x^2 - 9x + 14}{x^3 - 3x + 2} = \frac{4}{x + 2} + \frac{2}{(x - 1)^2} - \frac{3}{x - 1}$ $\frac{3x^3 + x^2 - 18x + 20}{x^3 - 3x + 2} = 3 + \frac{4}{x + 2} + \frac{2}{(x - 1)^2} - \frac{3}{x - 1}$	<p>Division attempted, by any method</p> <p>Denominators and multiplying</p> <p>Eliminating to find constants</p> <p>Correct form with 2 constants correct</p> <p>Correct form with 3 constants correct</p>	<p>M1 A1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1</p>

2.

Question	Scheme	Marks
<b>(a)</b>	$\tan \theta + \cot \theta \equiv \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} + \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$	M1
	$\equiv \frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$	A1
	$\equiv \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2} \sin 2\theta}$	M1
	$\equiv 2 \operatorname{cosec} 2\theta$ *	A1*
		<b>(4)</b>
<b>(b)</b>	Real solutions when $\{k: k \leq -2\} \cup \{k: k \geq 2\}$	B1
		<b>(1)</b>
		<b>(5 marks)</b>

**Notes:**

**(a)**

**M1:** Writes  $\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}$  and  $\cot \theta = \frac{\cos \theta}{\sin \theta}$

**A1:** Achieves a correct intermediate answer of  $\frac{\sin^2 \theta + \cos^2 \theta}{\sin \theta \cos \theta}$

**M1:** Uses the double angle formula  $\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$

**A1\*:** Completes proof with no errors. This is a given answer.

Note: There are many alternative methods. For example

$$\tan \theta + \cot \theta \equiv \tan \theta + \frac{1}{\tan \theta} \equiv \frac{\tan^2 \theta + 1}{\tan \theta} \equiv \frac{\sec^2 \theta}{\tan \theta} \equiv \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta \times \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta}} \equiv \frac{1}{\cos \theta \times \sin \theta}$$

then as the main scheme.

**(b)**

**B1:** Scored for sight of  $\sin 2\theta = 2$  and a reason as to why this equation has no real solutions.

Possible reasons could be  $-1 \leq \sin 2\theta \leq 1$ .....and therefore  $\sin 2\theta \neq 2$

or  $\sin 2\theta = 2 \Rightarrow 2\theta = \arcsin 2$  which has no answers as  $-1 \leq \sin 2\theta \leq 1$

3.

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
3(a)	$2 \cos x \cos 50 - 2 \sin x \sin 50 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$ $\sin x(\cos 40 + 2 \sin 50) = \cos x(2 \cos 50 - \sin 40)$ $\div \cos x \Rightarrow \tan x(\cos 40 + 2 \sin 50) = 2 \cos 50 - \sin 40$ $\tan x = \frac{2 \cos 50 - \sin 40}{\cos 40 + 2 \sin 50}, \quad (\text{or numerical answer awrt } 0.28)$ <p>States or uses <math>\cos 50 = \sin 40</math> and <math>\cos 40 = \sin 50</math> and so <math>\tan x^\circ = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40^\circ</math> *    cao</p>	M1  M1  A1  A1 *  <b>(4)</b>
3(b)	<p>Deduces <math>\tan 2\theta = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40</math></p> $2\theta = 15.6 \quad \text{so} \quad \theta = \text{awrt } 7.8(1) \text{ One answer}$ <p>Also <math>2\theta = 195.6, 375.6, 555.6 \Rightarrow \theta = ..</math></p> $\theta = \text{awrt } 7.8, 97.8, 187.8, 277.8 \quad \text{All 4 answers}$	M1  A1  M1  A1  <b>(4)</b>  <b>[8 marks ]</b>

<b>Alt 1</b> 3(a)	$2 \cos x \cos 50 - 2 \sin x \sin 50 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$ $2 \cos x \sin 40 - 2 \sin x \cos 40 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$ $\div \cos x \Rightarrow 2 \sin 40 - 2 \tan x \cos 40 = \tan x \cos 40 + \sin 40$ $\tan x = \frac{\sin 40}{3 \cos 40} \quad (\text{or numerical answer awrt } 0.28), \quad \Rightarrow \tan x = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40$	M1   M1  A1,A1
<b>Alt 2</b> 3(a)	$2 \cos(x + 50) = \sin(x + 40) \Rightarrow 2 \sin(40 - x) = \sin(x + 40)$ $2 \cos x \sin 40 - 2 \sin x \cos 40 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$ $\div \cos x \Rightarrow 2 \sin 40 - 2 \tan x \cos 40 = \tan x \cos 40 + \sin 40$ $\tan x = \frac{\sin 40}{3 \cos 40} \quad (\text{or numerical answer awrt } 0.28), \quad \Rightarrow \tan x = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40$	M1  M1  A1,A1

### Notes for Question 3

(a)

M1 Expand both expressions using  $\cos(x + 50) = \cos x \cos 50 - \sin x \sin 50$  and  $\sin(x + 40) = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$ . Condone a missing bracket on the lhs.  
The terms of the expansions must be correct as these are given identities. You may condone a sign error on one of the expressions.  
Allow if written separately and not in a connected equation.

M1 Divide by  $\cos x$  to reach an equation in  $\tan x$ .  
Below is an example of M1M1 with incorrect sign on left hand side  
 $2 \cos x \cos 50 + 2 \sin x \sin 50 = \sin x \cos 40 + \cos x \sin 40$   
 $\Rightarrow 2 \cos 50 + 2 \tan x \sin 50 = \tan x \cos 40 + \sin 40$   
This is independent of the first mark.

A1 
$$\tan x = \frac{2 \cos 50 - \sin 40}{\cos 40 + 2 \sin 50}$$

Accept for this mark  $\tan x = \text{awrt } 0.28\dots$  as long as M1M1 has been achieved.

A1\* States or uses  $\cos 50 = \sin 40$  and  $\cos 40 = \sin 50$  leading to showing

$$\tan x = \frac{2 \cos 50 - \sin 40}{\cos 40 + 2 \sin 50} = \frac{\sin 40}{3 \cos 40} = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40$$

This is a given answer and all steps above must be shown. The line above is acceptable.  
Do not allow from  $\tan x = \text{awrt } 0.28\dots$

(b)

M1 For linking part (a) with (b). Award for writing  $\tan 2\theta = \frac{1}{3} \tan 40$

A1 Solves to find one solution of  $\theta$  which is usually (awrt) 7.8

M1 Uses the correct method to find at least another value of  $\theta$ . It must be a full method but can be implied by any correct answer.

Accept  $\theta = \frac{180 + \textit{their } \alpha}{2}, (\textit{or}) \frac{360 + \textit{their } \alpha}{2}, (\textit{or}) \frac{540 + \textit{their } \alpha}{2}$

A1 Obtains all four answers awrt 1dp.  $\theta = 7.8, 97.8, 187.8, 277.8$ .  
Ignore any extra solutions outside the range.  
Withhold this mark for extras inside the range.  
Condone a different variable. Accept  $x = 7.8, 97.8, 187.8, 277.8$

Answers fully given in radians, loses the first A mark.

Acceptable answers in rads are awrt 0.136, 1.71, 3.28, 4.85

Mixed units can only score the first M 1

4.

	$f'(x) = 3e^{3x}\sin 5x + 5e^{3x}\cos 5x$	Applying product rule $\frac{du}{dx}$ correct $\frac{dv}{dx}$ correct	M1 A1 A1
	$f'(x) = e^{3x}(3\sin 5x + 5\cos 5x) = 0$ $\tan 5x = \frac{-5}{3}$	Solving bracket = 0	M1 A1

5.

a	$(x - 2)^2 + (y + 4)^2 = \sqrt{53}^2$		M1 A1
b	Midpoint = $(\frac{-5+9}{2}, \frac{-2-6}{2})$ $= (2, -4)$ which is centre of circle $\therefore PQ$ is a diameter	Many other ways this could be shown.	M1 A1

6.

Q	Scheme	Marks	AOs	Pearson Progression Step and Progress descriptor
<b>7a</b>	Finds $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3x^2 + 12x - 12$	<b>M1</b>	1.1b	7th Use second derivatives to solve problems of concavity, convexity and points of inflection.
	Finds $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x + 12$	<b>M1</b>	1.1b	
	States that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 6x + 12 \leq 0$ for all $-5 \leq x \leq -3$ and concludes this implies $C$ is concave over the given interval.	<b>B1</b>	3.2a	
		<b>(3)</b>		
<b>7b</b>	States or implies that a point of inflection occurs when $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 0$	<b>M1</b>	3.1a	7th Use second derivatives to solve problems of concavity, convexity and points of inflection.
	Finds $x = -2$	<b>A1</b>	1.1b	
	Substitutes $x = -2$ into $y = x^3 + 6x^2 - 12x + 6$ , obtaining $y = 46$	<b>A1</b>	1.1b	
		<b>(3)</b>		