

Topic Y8 Functions and series (Post-TT B) [40] MARKSCHEME

1.

	<p><u>Either</u> Obtain $x = 0$</p> <p>Form linear equation with signs of $6x$ and x different</p> <p>State $6x - 1 = -x + 1$</p> <p>Obtain $\frac{2}{7}$ and no other non-zero value</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1</p>	<p>[ignoring errors in working]</p> <p>[ignoring other sign errors]</p> <p>[or correct equiv with or without brackets]</p> <p>4 [or exact equiv]</p>
<u>Or</u>	<p>Obtain $36x^2 - 12x + 1 = x^2 - 2x + 1$</p> <p>Attempt to solve quadratic equation</p> <p>Obtain $\frac{2}{7}$ and no other non-zero value</p> <p>Obtain 0</p>	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>B1</p>	<p>[or equiv]</p> <p>[as far as factorisation or subn into formula]</p> <p>[or exact equiv]</p> <p>(4) [ignoring errors in working]</p>

2.

Apply one of the transformations correctly to their equation	B1	
Obtain correct $-3 \ln x + \ln 4$	B1	or equiv
Show at least one logarithm property	M1	correctly applied to their equation of resulting curve (even if errors have been made earlier)
Obtain $y = \ln(4x^{-3})$	A1	4 or equiv of required form; $\ln 4x^{-3}$ earns A1; correct answer only earns 4/4; condone absence of $y =$

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3.

5 (i)	$4a = \frac{a}{1-r}$	M1	Equate $\frac{a}{1-r}$ to $4a$, or substitute $r = \frac{1}{4}$ into S_n	<p>S_n must be quoted correctly. Allow $4a^n$ for $4a$. Initially using a numerical value for a is M0. Once equation in a is seen ie $4a = \frac{a}{1-r}$ assume that a has been cancelled if this subsequently becomes $4 = \frac{1}{1-r}$. If initial equation in a is never seen then assume that $a=1$ is being used and mark accordingly.</p>
	$1-r = \frac{1}{4}$	M1	Attempt to find value for r or evaluate S_n	Need to get as far as attempting r . Need to see at least one extra line of working between initial statement and given answer. Substituting numerical value for a is M0 (so M1 M0 possible depending at what stage the substitution happens).
	$r = \frac{1}{4}$	A1	3 Obtain $r = \frac{1}{4}$ (or show $S_n = 4a$)	Allow $r = 0.75$.
(ii)	$(\frac{1}{4})^n = 9$	M1*	Attempt use of a^b	Must use $r = \frac{1}{4}$ not their incorrect value from (i). Must be clearly intended as a^b , so $(\frac{1}{4})^n = 9$ is M0, unless correct expression previously seen. Can use equivalent method with ratio of $\frac{1}{4}$ ie $9 \times (\frac{1}{4})^n$.
	$a = 16$	M1d*	Equate to 9 and attempt to find a	Must get as far as attempting value for a .
		A1	3 Obtain $a = 16$	Answer only gets full credit.
(iii)	$S_n = \frac{16(1-\frac{1}{4}^n)}{1-\frac{1}{4}}$ $= 63.8$	M1	Attempt use of correct sum formula for a GP	Must be correct formula, with $a =$ their (a), $r = \frac{1}{4}$ and $n = 20$.
		A1	2 Obtain 63.8, or better	More accurate answer is 63.79704... NB using $n = 1$ rather than n in the formula gives 63.729 (M0), and using $n + 1$ gives 63.848 (M0). Must be decimal, rather than exact answer with power of $\frac{1}{4}$.

4.

(i)	$u_1 = 80$ $u_2 = 75, u_3 = 70$	B1 B1 [2]	State 80 State 75 and 70	Just a list of numbers is fine, no need for labels Ignore extra terms beyond u_3
(ii)	$S_{20} = \frac{20}{2}(2 \times 80 + 19 \times -5)$ $= 650$	M1 M1 A1 [3]	Show intention to sum 1 st 20 terms of an arithmetic sequence Attempt use of correct sum formula for an AP, with $n = 20, a = 80, d = \pm 5$ Obtain 650	Any recognisable attempt at the sum of an AP, including manual addition of terms – no need to list all of the terms, but intention (inc no of terms) must be clear Must use correct formula – only exception is $10(2a + 9d)$ If using $\frac{1}{2}n(a + l)$, must be a valid attempt at l , either from $a + 19d$ or from u_{20} Answer only gets full marks, as does manual addition
(iii)	$r = \frac{60}{80} = 0.75$ $u_p = 80 \times 0.75^2 = 45$ $85 - 5p = 45$ $p = 8$	M1* A1 M1d* A1 [4]	Attempt to find u_p Obtain 45 Attempt to solve $85 - 5p = k$ Obtain $p = 8$	Allow any valid method, inc informal Allow if first and/or second terms of their GP are incorrect Allow ratio of $\frac{4}{3}$ if used correctly to find 3 rd term ($60 + \frac{4}{3}$) Seen or implied SR: M1* A0 if 45 results from using $u_n = ar^n$. The following M1A1 are still available. k must be from attempt at third term of GP LHS could be $80 + (p - 1)(-5)$, from p^{th} term of the AP, but M0 if incorrect eg $80 + (p - 1)(5)$ Allow full credit for answer only Any variable, including n
(iv)	$S_{\infty} = \frac{80}{1 - 0.75}$ $= 320$	M1 A1 [2]	Use correct formula for sum to infinity Obtain 320	Must be from attempt at r for their GP A0 for 'tends to 320', 'approximately 320' etc

5.

(i)	Indicate stretch and (at least one) translation State translation by 7 units in negative x direction State stretch in x direction with factor $1/m$ Indicate translation by 4 units in negative y direction	M1 A1 A1 B1	[... in general terms] [or equiv; using correct terminology] [must follow the translation by 7; or equiv; using correct terminology] 4 [or equiv; at any stage; the two translations may be combined]
(ii)	Refer to each y value being image of unique x value Attempt correct process for finding inverse Obtain expression involving $(x + 4)^2$ or $(y + 4)^2$ Obtain $\frac{(x + 4)^2 - 7}{m}$	B1 M1 M1 A1	[or equiv] 4 [or equiv]
(iii)	Refer to fact that curves are reflections of each other in line $y = x$ Attempt arrangement of either $f(x) = x$ or $f^{-1}(x) = x$ Apply discriminant to resulting quadratic equation Obtain $(m - 2)(m - 14) < 0$ Obtain $2 < m < 14$	B1 M1 M1 A1 A1	[or equiv] [or equiv] 5