

Topic Y8 Functions and series (Pre-TT A) [45] MARKSCHEME

1.

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
11	Arithmetic sequence, $T_2 = 2k$, $T_3 = 5k - 10$, $T_4 = 7k - 14$		
	$(5k - 10) - (2k) = (7k - 14) - (5k - 10) \Rightarrow k = \dots$	M1	2.1
	$\{3k - 10 = 2k - 4 \Rightarrow\} \quad k = 6$	A1	1.1b
	$\{k = 6 \Rightarrow\} \quad T_2 = 12, T_3 = 20, T_4 = 28. \text{ So } d = 8, a = 4$	M1	2.2a
	$S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2(4) + (n-1)(8))$	M1	1.1b
	$= \frac{n}{2}(8 + 8n - 8) = 4n^2 = (2n)^2$ which is a square number	A1	2.1
		(5)	

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Question 11 Notes:

M1:	Complete method to find the value of k
A1:	Uses a correct method to find $k = 6$
M1:	Uses their value of k to deduce the common difference and the first term ($\neq T_2$) of the arithmetic series.
M1:	Applies $S_n = \frac{n}{2}(2a + (n-1)d)$ with their $a \neq T_2$ and their d .
A1:	Correctly shows that the sum of the series is $(2n)^2$ and makes an appropriate conclusion.

2.

(i)	Attempt process for finding both critical values	M1	squaring both sides to obtain 3 terms on each side or considering 2 different linear eqns/inequalities
	Obtain -4	A1	
	Obtain $\frac{2}{3}$	A1	
	Attempt process for solving inequality	M1	table, sketch, ...; needs two critical values; implied by plausible answer \leq
	Obtain $4 \leq x \leq \frac{2}{3}$	A1 5	With \leq and not $<$
(ii)	Use correct process to find value of $ x \leq 2$ using any value	M1	whether part of answer to (i) or not
	Obtain $2 \frac{2}{3}$ or $\frac{8}{3}$	A1 2 [7]	2 dependent on 5 marks awarded in part (i)

3.

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
10 (a)	$y = \frac{3x-5}{x+1} \Rightarrow y(x+1) = 3x-5 \Rightarrow xy + y = 3x-5 \Rightarrow y+5 = 3x-xy$	M1	1.1b
	$\Rightarrow y+5 = x(3-y) \Rightarrow \frac{y+5}{3-y} = x$	M1	2.1
	Hence $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+5}{3-x}, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}, x \neq 3$	A1	2.5
		(3)	
(b)	$ff(x) = \frac{3\left(\frac{3x-5}{x+1}\right) - 5}{\left(\frac{3x-5}{x+1}\right) + 1}$	M1	1.1a
	$\frac{3(3x-5) - 5(x+1)}{x+1}$	M1	1.1b
	$= \frac{(3x-5) + (x+1)}{x+1}$	A1	1.1b
	$= \frac{9x-15-5x-5}{3x-5+x+1} = \frac{4x-20}{4x-4} = \frac{x-5}{x-1}$ (note that $a = -5$)	A1	2.1
		(4)	
(c)	$fg(2) = f(4-6) = f(-2) = \frac{3(-2)-5}{-2+1}; = 11$	M1	1.1b
		A1	1.1b
		(2)	
(d)	$g(x) = x^2 - 3x = (x-1.5)^2 - 2.25$. Hence $g_{\min} = -2.25$	M1	2.1
	Either $g_{\min} = -2.25$ or $g(x) \geq -2.25$ or $g(5) = 25 - 15 = 10$	B1	1.1b
	$-2.25 \leq g(x) \leq 10$ or $-2.25 \leq y \leq 10$	A1	1.1b
		(3)	
(e)	E.g. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the function g is many-one the function g is not one-one the inverse is one-many $g(0) = g(3) = 0$ 	B1	2.4
		(1)	
(13 marks)			
Question 10 Notes:			

4.

(i)	$S_{30} = \frac{30}{2} (2 \times 6 + 29 \times 1.8)$ $= 963$	M1	Use $d = 1.8$ in AP formula	Could be attempting S_{30} or u_{30} Formula must be recognisable, though not necessarily fully correct, so allow M1 for eg $15(6 + 29 \times 1.8)$, $15(12 + 14 \times 1.8)$ or even $15(12 + 19 \times 1.8)$ Must have $d = 1.8$ (not 1.3), $n = 30$ and $a = 6$
		A1	Correct unsimplified S_{30}	Formula must now be fully correct Allow for any unsimplified correct expression If using $\frac{1}{2}n(a + l)$ then l must be correct when substituted
		A1 [3]	Obtain 963	Units not required
(ii)	$r = \frac{7.8}{6} = 1.3$ $\frac{6(1-1.3^N)}{1-1.3} \leq 1800$ $1 - 1.3^N \geq -90$ $1.3^N \leq 91 \quad \text{AG}$	M1	Use $r = 1.3$ in GP formula	Could be attempting S_N , u_N or even S_∞ Formula must be recognisable, though not necessarily fully correct Must have $r = 1.3$ (not 1.8) and $a = 6$
		A1	Correct unsimplified S_N	Formula must now be fully correct Allow for any unsimplified correct expression
		M1	Link sum of GP to 1800 and attempt to rearrange to $1.3^N \leq k$	Must have used correct formula for S_N of GP Allow $=, \geq$ or \leq Allow slips when rearranging, including with indices, so rearranging to $7.8^N \leq k$ could get M1
		A1	Obtain given inequality	Must have correct inequality signs throughout Correct working only, so A0 if 6×1.3^N becomes 7.8^N , even if subsequently corrected
	$N \log 1.3 \leq \log 91$ $N \leq 17.19 \quad \text{hence } N = 17$	M1	Introduce logs throughout and attempt to solve equation / inequality	Must be using $1.3^N \leq 91$, $1.3^N = 91$ or $1.3^N \geq 91$ This M1 (and then A1) is independent of previous marks Must get as far as attempting N M0 if no evidence of use of logarithms M0 if invalid use of logarithms in attempt to solve
		A1	Conclude $N = 17$	Must come from solving $1.3^N \leq 91$ or $1.3^N = 91$ (ie not incorrect inequality sign) Answer must be integer value Answer must be equality, so A0 for $N \leq 17$
		[6]		SR Candidates who use numerical value(s) for N can get M1 Use $r = 1.3$ in a recognisable GP formula (M0 if N is not an integer value) A1 Obtain a correct unsimplified S_N Candidates who solve $1.3^N \leq 91$ and then use a value associated with their N (usually 17 and/or 18) in a GP formula will be eligible for the M1A1 for solving the inequality and also the M1A1 in the SR above

5.

8 (i) $\frac{1}{2} \times r^2 \times 1.2 = 60$ $r = 10$ $r\theta = 10 \times 1.2 = 12$ perimeter = $10 + 10 + 12 = 32$ cm	M1 A1 B1✓ A1	Attempt $(\frac{1}{2}) r^2 \theta = 60$ Obtain $r = 10$ State or imply arc length is $1.2r$, following their r 4 Obtain 32
(ii)(a) $u_5 = 60 \times 0.6^4$ $= 7.78$	M1 A1	Attempt u_5 using ar^4 , or list terms 2 Obtain 7.78, or better
(b) $S_{10} = \frac{60(1-0.6^{10})}{1-0.6}$ $= 149$	M1 A1	Attempt use of correct sum formula for a GP, or sum terms 2 Obtain 149, or better (allow 149.0 – 149.2 inclusive)
(c) common ratio is less than 1, so series is convergent and hence sum to infinity exists	B1	series is convergent or $-1 < r < 1$ (allow $r < 1$) or reference to areas getting smaller / adding on less each time
$S_\infty = \frac{60}{1-0.6}$ $= 150$	M1 A1	Attempt S_∞ using $\frac{a}{1-r}$ 3 Obtain $S_\infty = 150$
		SR B1 only for 150 with no method shown