

Cambridge O Level

ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS	4037/02
Paper 2 Calculator	For examination from 2025
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MARK SCHEME B	
Maximum Mark: 80	

Specimen

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 descriptions 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 descriptions for the question
- the specific skills defined in the mark scheme or in the generic level descriptions 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 descriptions.

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 descriptions in mind.

Mathematics-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, non-integer 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).
- 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 A or B 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.

MARK SCHEME NOTES

The following notes are intended to help with understanding of mark schemes in general, but individual mark schemes may include marks awarded for specific reasons outside the scope of these notes.

Anything in the mark scheme which is in square brackets [...] is not required for the mark to be earned, but if present it must be correct.

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.

Types of mark

- M Method mark, awarded for a valid method applied to the problem.
- A Accuracy mark, given 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.

Abbreviations

awrt answers which round to cao correct answer only

dep dependent on the previous mark(s)

FT follow through after error

isw ignore subsequent working (after correct answer obtained)

nfww not from wrong working

oe or equivalent

rot rounded or truncated

SC special case soi seen or implied

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Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
[Distance between centres =] $\sqrt{(15-3)^2 + (-4-2)^2}$ oe	M1	
29 – 17 < 13[.41] < 29 + 17 oe	A1	
y - 17 = 2(x + 5) oe	B2	B1 for gradient $\frac{17 - (-0.6)}{-5 + 13.8}$ oe, soi or for $600 + 30x - 8y - 6x + 9 - 4y + 4 = 17^2$ oe
[When $x^4 = 0$] $\lg y = 4$	B2	B1 for $\frac{7-5}{6-2}$ oe and correct use of a point and their $\frac{1}{2}$ to find the intercept of the straight line
$\lg y = \frac{1}{2}x^4 + 4 \text{soi}$	B1	FT their $\frac{1}{2}$ and their 4
$y = 10^{\frac{1}{2}x^4 + 4}$	M1	FT their $\frac{1}{2}$ and their 4
$A = 10^4 \text{ or } 10000, b = 10, C = \frac{1}{2}$	A1	May be embedded
12(8) + a(4) - 12(2) + b = 0 oe	B1	
12(-1) + a[1] - 12(-1) + b = -15 oe	B1	
Correct method of solution	M1	FT their pair of linear equations in a and b
a = -19, b = 4	A2	A1 for either correct
$12x^2 + 5x - 2$	M2	M1 for quadratic factor with 2 correct terms
(4x-1) and $(3x+2)$	A1	
100	3	M2 for a fully correct method e.g. [starts 2 and ends 4] $1 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1$ or 20 [starts 1, 3 and ends 2, 4] $2 \times 5 \times 4 \times 2$ or 80 OR [ends 4 and starts 1, 2, 3] $3 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1$ or 60 [ends 2 and starts 1, 3] $2 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1$ or 40 or M1 for a partially correct method equivalent to one of the
	[Distance between centres =] $\sqrt{(15-3)^2 + (-4-2)^2}$ oe 29-17 < 13[.41] < 29 + 17 oe y-17=2(x+5) oe [When $x^4=0$] $\lg y=4$ $\lg y = \frac{1}{2}x^4 + 4 \text{soi}$ $y = 10^{\frac{1}{2}x^4+4}$ $A = 10^4 \text{ or } 10000, b = 10, C = \frac{1}{2}$ $12(8) + a(4) - 12(2) + b = 0 \text{oe}$ $12(-1) + a[1] - 12(-1) + b = -15 \text{oe}$ Correct method of solution $a = -19, b = 4$ $12x^2 + 5x - 2$ $(4x-1) \text{ and } (3x+2)$	[Distance between centres =] $\sqrt{(15-3)^2 + (-4-2)^2}$ oe $29-17 < 13[.41] < 29+17$ oe 31 $y-17=2(x+5)$ oe 32 [When $x^4=0$] $1gy=4$ 33 34 35

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
4(b)	260	3	M2 for a fully correct method e.g. [starts 4 and ends 2, 3, 5, 7] $1 \times 5 \times 4 \times 4$ or 80 [starts 2, 3, 5 and ends 7 or any two of 2, 3, 5] $3 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3$ or 180 OR [ends 7 and starts 2, 3, 4, 5] $4 \times 5 \times 4 \times 1$ or 80 [ends 2, 3, 5 and starts 4 or any two of 2, 3, 5] $3 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3$ or 180 or M1 for a partially correct method equivalent to one of the above statements
5	$128 + 448ax + 672a^2x^2 + 560a^3x^3 $ soi	M3	M2 for any 3 correct terms or 2 correct equations or
	$448a = b$ $672a^{2} = c$ $560a^{3} = -15120$ soi		M1 for any 2 correct terms or 1 correct equation or for correct but insufficiently simplified expansion e.g. $2^7 + 7(2^6)(ax) + \frac{7 \times 6}{2}(2^5)(ax)^2 + \frac{7 \times 6 \times 5}{3 \times 2}(2^4)(ax)^3$
	a = -3	A1	
	b = -1344	A1	FT 448 × their a, providing at least M1 awarded
	c = 6048	A1	FT $672 \times (their\ a)^2$, providing at least M1 awarded
6(a)	$V = 2x^3 - 195x^2 + 4500x$	В3	B2 for an otherwise correct expression with at most one error or B1 for $(75 - 2x)(60 - x)x$ soi
6(b)	$\left[\frac{\mathrm{d}V}{\mathrm{d}x}\right] = 6x^2 - 390x + 4500$	B1	FT their integer values of a, b and c
	Equates their $\frac{dV}{dx}$ to 0 and solves for x	M1	FT their values of a, b and c
	x = 15 as the only solution	A1	

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
7(a)	$\frac{\cos x(1+\sin x)+\cos x(1-\sin x)}{\cos x(1+\sin x)}$	M1	
	$1-\sin^2 x$		
	$\frac{\cos x + \cos x \sin x + \cos x - \cos x \sin x}{1 - \sin^2 x} \text{ or } \frac{\cos x (1 + \sin x) + \cos x (1 - \sin x)}{\cos^2 x}$	A1	
	$\frac{2\cos x}{1-\sin^2 x} \text{ or } \frac{1+\sin x+1-\sin x}{\cos x} \text{ or } \frac{2\cos x}{\cos^2 x}$	A1	
	Completion to the given answer: $\frac{2}{\cos x} = 2 \sec x$ oe	A1	must be fully justified and with all previous steps correct
7(b)(i)	$\tan x = \frac{5}{4}$	M1	
	51.3 or 51.34[0] rot to 2 or more decimal places	A2	and no extras in range A1 for either correct, ignoring extras
	-128.7 or -128.65[98] rot to 2 or more decimal places		
7(b)(ii)	$10(1-\cos^2 2x) - 9 = 3\cos 2x$	M1	
	$10\cos^2 2x + 3\cos 2x - 1 \ [= 0]$	A1	
	$(5\cos 2x - 1)(2\cos 2x + 1) [= 0]$	M1	FT their 3-term quadratic in solvable form
	$\frac{\pi}{3}$, $\frac{2\pi}{3}$	A2	and no extras in range
	0.685 or 0.6847[19] rot to 4 or more significant figures, 2.46 or 2.456[87] rot to 4 or more significant figures		A1 for one correct, ignoring extras
8(a)(i)	Valid supported explanation:	B2	B1 for a correct but incomplete statement
	The function is one-one on this domain with support e.g. [it is quadratic and] the turning point is at $x = -1$		e.g. The function is one-one on this domain or [it is quadratic and] the turning point is at $x = -1$

Question	Answer	Marks	Partial Marks
8(a)(ii)	$x^{2} + 2x + 5 - y = 0$ or $y = (x + 1)^{2} + 4$	M1	
	$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4(1)(5 - y)}}{2}$ oe, soi	A1	
	or $x = -1 \pm \sqrt{y-4}$		
	Justifies the choice of square root	B1	
	$f^{-1}(x) = -1 + \sqrt{x-4}$	A1	
8(b)(i)	Valid supported explanation: The range of f is a subset of the domain of g with support e.g. $f \ge 5$ oe	B2	B1 for a correct but incomplete statement e.g. The range of f is a subset of the domain of g or $f \ge 5$ oe
8(b)(ii)	$\frac{5(x^2 + 2x + 5)}{x^2 + 2x + 5 + 2} = 4 \text{oe}$	M1	
	$x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0$	A1	
	(x-1)(x+3) = 0	M1	FT their 3-term quadratic in solvable form
	x = 1 as the only solution	A1	
9(a)	first term = $3(1.25)^{19}$ and an attempt at S_{12}	M1	
	Correct sum $S_{12} = \frac{208.166(1 - 1.25^{12})}{1 - 1.25}$ oe	M2	M1 FT their first term for $S_{12} = \frac{\text{their } 208.166(1 - 1.25^{12})}{1 - 1.25}$
	11 284	A1	
	Alternative	(B2)	B1 for $S_{19} = \frac{3(1-1.25^{19})}{1-1.25}$ or $S_{31} = \frac{3(1-1.25^{31})}{1-1.25}$ oe
	$S_{19} = \frac{3(1-1.25^{19})}{1-1.25}$ and $S_{31} = \frac{3(1-1.25^{31})}{1-1.25}$ oe		BI for $S_{19} = \frac{1}{1 - 1.25}$ or $S_{31} = \frac{1}{1 - 1.25}$ oe
	Correct plan: $S_{31} - S_{19}$ oe attempted	(M1)	
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0.447 or 0.4468[58...] rot to 4 or more decimal places

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