Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
1	Express first term as $2\sin\theta\cos 30 + 2\cos\theta\sin 30$	B1	
	Divide by $\cos\theta$ to produce linear equation in $\tan\theta$	M1	
	Obtain $\tan \theta = \frac{6}{2-\sqrt{3}}$ or 22.39	A1	
	Obtain 87.4	A1	Or greater accuracy 87.44297
		4	

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2(a)	Carry out division as far as $4x + k$	M1	
	Obtain quotient $4x - 3$	A1	
	Confirm remainder is 18	A1	AG necessary detail needed
		3	
2(b)	State or imply equation is $(4x-3)(x^2+5x+6) = 0$	B1FT	Following <i>their</i> quotient from part (a)
	Attempt solution of cubic equation to find three real roots	M1	
	Obtain $-3, -2, \frac{3}{4}$	A1	
		3	

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3	Integrate to obtain $k \ln(2x-5)$	*M1	For non-zero constant <i>k</i>
	Apply limits to obtain $\ln(6a-5) - \ln(2a-5) = \ln \frac{7}{2}$	A1	
	Apply subtraction law for logarithms	*M1	OE
	Obtain equation $\frac{6a-5}{2a-5} = \frac{7}{2}$	A1	OE without logarithms
	Solve equation for <i>a</i>	DM1	
	Obtain $a = \frac{25}{2}$	A1	
		6	

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4	Differentiate $-y^2$ to obtain $-2y\frac{dy}{dx}$	B1	
	Differentiate $-4\ln(2y+3)$ to obtain $\frac{-8}{2y+3}\frac{dy}{dx}$	B1	
	Attempt differentiation of all terms	M1	Dependent on appearance of at least one $\frac{dy}{dx}$
	Substitute $x = 3$, $y = -1$ to find numerical value of $\frac{dy}{dx}$	M1	
	Obtain $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3$	A1	
	Obtain equation $y = 3x - 10$	A1	OE
		6	

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5(a)	Draw two V-shaped graphs with one vertex on negative <i>x</i> -axis and one vertex on positive <i>x</i> -axis	M1	
	Draw correct graphs related correctly to each other	A1	
	State correct coordinates $-2k$, $2k$, $\frac{3}{2}k$, $3k$	A1	Either given on axes or stated separately
		3	
5(b)	State or imply non-modulus equation $(x+2k)^2 = (2x-3k)^2$ or pair of linear equations	B1	
	Attempt solution of 3-term quadratic equation or pair of linear equations	M1	
	Obtain $x = \frac{1}{3}k$, $x = 5k$	A1	
	Obtain $y = \frac{7}{3}k$, $y = 7k$	A1	If A0A0, award A1 for one pair of correct coordinates
		4	
5(c)	Relate 2^t to larger value of x from part (b)	M1	
	Apply logarithms to obtain $t = \frac{\ln(5k)}{\ln 2}$	A1	OE such as $\frac{\log_{10}(5k)}{\log_{10} 2}$ or $\log_2(5k)$
		2	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
6(a)	Differentiate using the product rule	*M1	
	Obtain $3x^2e^{0.2x} + 0.2x^3e^{0.2x}$	A1	OE
	Equate first derivative to 15 and rearrange to $x =$	DM1	
	Confirm $x = \sqrt{\frac{75e^{-0.2x}}{15+x}}$	A1	AG – necessary detail needed
		4	
6(b)	Consider sign of $x - \sqrt{\frac{75e^{-0.2x}}{15+x}}$ or equivalent for 1.7 and 1.8	M1	
	Obtain -0.08 and 0.03 or equivalents and justify conclusion	A1	
		2	
6(c)	Use iterative process correctly at least once	M1	Answer required to exactly 4 sf
	Obtain final answer 1.771	A1	
	Show sufficient iterations to 6 sf to justify answer or show a sign change in the interval [1.7705, 1.7715]	A1	
		3	

Question	Answer	Marks	Guidance
7(a)	Solve equation $y = 0$ to find value of x	M1	
	Obtain $\frac{7}{6}\pi$	A1	
		2	
7(b)	Attempt first derivative using chain rule	M1	OE
	Obtain $\frac{dy}{dx} = 8\sin x \cos x + 8\cos x$	A1	OE
	Substitute value from part (a) to find gradient $-2\sqrt{3}$	A1	Or exact equivalent
		3	
7(c)	Express integrand in the form $k_1 + k_2 \cos 2x + k_3 \sin x$	*M1	
	Obtain correct $5-2\cos 2x+8\sin x$	A1	OE. Allow unsimplified
	Integrate to obtain $5x - \sin 2x - 8\cos x$	A1	
	Apply limits 0 and <i>their</i> value from part (a) correctly	DM1	
	Obtain $\frac{35}{6}\pi + \frac{7}{2}\sqrt{3} + 8$ or exact equivalent	A1	
		5	