



Area under a curve

Mark schemes for the Area under a curve question pack

WJEC Level 2 Additional Mathematics (9550) · Calculus

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10	Intention to integrate $18x^3/3 - 3x^2/2$ or $6x^3 - 3x^2/2$ Use of correct limits 2 & 1 in correct order and intention to subtract $37\frac{1}{2}$ or $75/2$	M1 A2 m1 A1 5	Intention to integrate (manipulated given, hence not using given or differentiated expression). Sight of integration symbol alone is insufficient A1 for one term correct. Ignore 'c' included CAO, do not accept $37\frac{1}{2} + c$. Answer only gets no marks. No marks for use of the trapezium rule
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16	<p>Curve intersections with x-axis 3 and 9 or appropriate sight of $x = 3$ and $x = 9$</p> <p>Intention to integrate</p> <p>$-x^3/3 + 12x^2/2 - 27x$</p> <p>Use of correct limits 9 & 3 in correct order and intention to subtract</p> <p style="text-align: right;">36</p>	<p>B2</p> <p>B1 for any of the following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • either intersection correct • sight of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ $-(x - 3)(x - 9)$ ○ $(x - 3)(9 - x)$ ○ $(3 - x)(x - 9)$ ○ $(x - 3)(x - 9)$ ○ $(-12 \pm \sqrt{36})/-2$ ○ $(12 \pm \sqrt{36})/2$ <p style="text-align: right;">or equivalent</p> <p>M1</p> <p>Intention to integrate, hence not using given or differentiated expression</p> <p>A2</p> <p>Ignore sight of '+c'. A1 one term correct</p> <p>m1</p> <p>FT 'their stated value 9' > 0 and 'their stated value 3' > 0 in appropriate order provided 'their stated 9' ≠ 'their stated 3' There must be evidence of use of limits and subtraction</p> <p>A1</p> <p>CAO Do not accept 36 + c <i>Correct answer only gets B2 M1 A0 m0 A0 (for intention to integrate)</i> <i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">7</p>
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16	Intention to integrate $-x^3/3 + 5x^2/2 + 6x$ Use of correct limits 6 & 2 in correct order and intention to subtract 104/3 or 34⅔ or 34.66(...) or 34.67 or 34.7 or equivalent	M1	Intention to integrate, hence not using given or differentiated expression
		A2	Ignore sight of '+c.
		A1	one term correct
		m1	
		A1	CAO. Do not accept $34\frac{2}{3} + c$ or 34.6 Correct answer only gets M1 A0 m0 A0 (for intention to integrate) No marks for use of the trapezium rule
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16	Intention to integrate	M1	Intention to integrate, manipulation given, hence not using given or differentiated	
	$-x^3/3 + 2x^2/2 + 3x$	A2	Ignore sight of '+C'. A1 one term correct.	
	Use of correct limits 3 & -1 in correct order and intention to subtract	m1		
	10% or equivalent	A1	CAO. Allow 10.66(...) or 10.7, do not allow 10.6 Do not accept 10% + C <i>Answer only gets no marks</i> <i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule</i>	
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15	(a) Intention to substitute $x=2$ and $x = 4$ into $y = -x^2 + 6x - 8$	4	DO not accept trial & improvement
	Showing $y = 0$ for both values	M1	OR substituting either value and showing $y = 0$ OR attempt to factorise as a pair of brackets $((-x - 2)(x - 4))$ Do not accept $(-2)^2 + 6 \times 2 - 8$ and $(-4)^2 + 6 \times 4 - 8$ Accept $-2^2 + 6 \times 2 - 8$ and $-4^2 + 6 \times 4 - 8$
	(b) Intention to integrate	A1	OR factorised as $(-)(x - 2)(x - 4)$ or equivalent
	$-x^3/3 + 6x^2/2 - 8x$ Use of correct limits 4 & 2 in the correct order and intention to subtract $4/3$ or $1.33(3\dots)$	M1 A2 m1 A1	Intention to integrate (manipulated given, hence not using given or differentiated) A1 one term correct. The limits must be used in the correct order CAO. Only allow 1.3 from correct working and sight of $4/3$ <i>Answer only gets no marks</i> <i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule</i>
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15	(a) Intention to substitute $x=2$ and $x = 5$ into $y = -x^2 + 7x - 10$	M1	given and no omeets OR substituting either value and showing $y = 0$ OR attempt to factorise as a pair of brackets $(x - 2)(x - 5)$
	Showing $y = 0$ for both values	A1	Do not accept $(-2)^2 + 7 \times 2 - 10$ and $(-5)^2 + 7 \times 2 - 10$ Accept $-2^2 + 7 \times 2 - 10$ and $-5^2 + 7 \times 5 - 10$ OR factorised as $(-)(x - 2)(x - 5)$ or equivalent
	(b)	M1	Intention to integrate (manipulated given, hence not using given or differentiated)
	$= -x^3/3 + 7x^2/2 - 10x$ Use of correct limits 5 & 2 in correct order and intention to subtract	A2 m1	A1 one term correct.
	4.5	A1 7	CAO. <i>Answer only gets no marks</i> <i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule</i>



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11	$\int (10x - x^2) dx$ $= 5x^2 - x^3/3$ Use of correct limits 10 & 0 in correct order 500/3 or equivalent	3	
		M1	Intention to integrate
		A2	A1 for each. Accept 10/2 as 5
		m1	
		A1	CAO. Accept 166.6(66..) or 166.7 <i>Answer only gets no marks</i>
		5	<i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule.</i>

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12	Intention to integrate $6x - x^2$ $3x^2 - x^3/3$	M1 A2 m1	A1 for each. Accept 6/2 as 3 Depends on previous M1, A1
	Use of correct limits 6 & 0 in correct order with the intention to subtract 36	A1 5	CAO. <i>Answer only gets no marks</i> <i>No marks for use of the trapezium rule.</i>

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12	$\int (3x - x^2) dx$ $3x^2/2 - x^3/3$ <p>Correct use of limits</p> <p style="text-align: right;">4.5 or equivalent</p>	<p>M1 A2</p> <p>m1 A1 e</p>	<p><i>for ... + 2y^{...}/5</i></p> <p>Do not penalise dx omitted. Limits not required A1 for each</p> <p>CAO <i>No marks for use of trapezium rule</i></p>
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