

Core 4 Exponential Growth Answers

4(a)	$A = 80$	B1	1	
(b)	$5000 = 80 \times k^{56}$	M1		$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{SC1 Verification. Need 62.51 or better} \\ \text{Or using logs: M1 } \ln\left(\frac{5000}{80}\right) = 56 \ln k \\ \text{A1 } k = e^{\ln\left(\frac{62.5}{56}\right)} \\ \text{Or } 3/3 \text{ for } k = 1.076636 \\ \text{Or } 1.076637 \text{ seen} \end{array} \right.$
	$k = \sqrt[56]{\frac{5000}{80}} \approx 1.07664$	M1A1	3	
(c)(i)	$V = 80 \times k^{106} = 200707$	M1A1	2	200648 using full register k
(ii)	$\ln 10000 = \ln k^t$ $t = \frac{\ln 10000}{\ln k} = 124.7 \Rightarrow 2024$	M1 M1A1	3	M1 $t \ln k = \ln 10000$ A1 CAO Or trial and improvement M1 expression M1 125, 124, A1 2024
Total			9	

8(a)(i)	(5000 - x) seen in a product	B1		Could be implied, eg $5000a - xa$
	$\frac{dx}{dt} = kx(5000 - x)$	B1	2	
(ii)	$200 = k \times 1000 \times (5000 - 1000)$	M1		$\frac{dx}{dt} = 200, x = 1000$ in their diff. equation Condone t s and $t = 0$ for M1 CAO OE
	$k = 0.00005$	A1	2	
(b)(i)	$t = 4 \ln\left(\frac{4 \times 2500}{5000 - 2500}\right) = 5.5$ (hours)	M1 A1	2	$x \rightarrow 2500$ (or $4 \ln 4$) CAO
(ii)	$e^{\frac{30}{4}}$	B1		
	$e^{7.5} = \frac{4x}{5000 - x}$	M1		OE
	$5000 \times e^{7.5} = x(4 + e^{7.5})$	m1		Soluble for x
	$x = 4988.96.. \Rightarrow 4989$ rabbits infected	A1	4	Or 4988 or 4990; integer value only
Total			10	

8(a)(i)	$\int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \sin t \, dt$	M1		Attempt to separate and integrate
	$\ln y = -\cos t + C$	A1,A1		A1 for $\ln y$; A1 for $-\cos t$; condone missing C
	$y = Ae^{-\cos t}$	A1	4	A present; or $y = e^{-\cos t + C}$
(ii)	$y = 50, t = \pi : 50 = Ae^{-\cos \pi} = Ae$	M1 A1		Substitute $y = 50, t = \pi$ to find constant Can have $50 = e^{1+C}$ if substituted in above
	$y = 50e^{-1}e^{-\cos t}$	A1	3	AG (convincingly obtained)
	Alternative:			Alternative:
	Must have a constant in answer to (a)(i)			Substitute $y = 50, t = \pi$ into
	$y = Ae^{-\cos t} \text{ or } y = e^{-\cos t + c} \text{ or } \ln y = -\cos t + c$			$\ln y = -\cos t + c$ M1 $\ln y = -\cos t + \ln 50 - 1$ A1
	$50 = Ae^{-\cos \pi} \quad 50 = e^{-\cos \pi + c} \quad \ln 50 = -\cos \pi + c$ (M1)			$\ln \frac{y}{50} = -1 - \cos t \quad (\text{AG})$ A1
	$50 = Ae^{-1} \quad 50 = e^{1+c} \quad \ln y = -\cos t + \ln 50 - 1$ (A1)			
	$y = 50e^{-1-\cos t} \quad y = e^{-\cos t} \frac{50}{e} \quad \ln \left(\frac{y}{50} \right) = -1 - \cos t$ (A1)			
(b)(i)	$t = 6 : y = 50e^{-1}e^{-\cos 6} = 7.0417\dots \approx 7\text{cm}$	M1A1	2	Degrees 6.8 SC1 7 or 7.0 for A1
	(ii) $t = \pi \Rightarrow (\sin t = 0 \Rightarrow) \frac{dy}{dt} = 0$	B1		Condone x for t
	$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = y \cos t + \frac{dy}{dt} \sin t$	M1		For attempt at product rule including $\frac{dy}{dt}$
	$t = \pi$	A1		term; must have $\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} =$
	$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = y \cos \pi + \frac{dy}{dt} \sin \pi$	A1	4	Accept $= -y$, with explanation that y is never negative
	$= -50 \Rightarrow \text{max}$			
8(b)(ii) (cont)	Alternative:			
	$y = 50e^{-(1+\cos t)} = \frac{50}{e} e^{-\cos t}$	(B1)		
	$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{50}{e} e^{-\cos t} \times \sin t = 0 \text{ at } t = \pi$	(M1)		Attempt at product rule
	$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = \frac{50}{e} e^{-\cos t} \times \cos t + \frac{50}{e} e^{-\cos t} \times \sin^2 t$	(A1)		Correct
	Substitute $t = \pi \rightarrow -50 \Rightarrow \text{max}$	(A1)		
Total			13	

4(a)(i)	$t = 0: x = 3$	B1	1	
(ii)	$t = 14: x = 15 - 12e^{-1}$ $= 10.6$	M1 A1	2	or $15 - 12e^{-\frac{14}{14}}$ CAO
(b)(i)	$-5 = -12e^{-\frac{t}{14}}$ $\ln\left(\frac{5}{12}\right) = -\frac{t}{14}$ (OE) $t = 14\ln\left(\frac{12}{5}\right)$	M1 m1 A1		substitute $x = 10$; rearrange to form $p = qe^{-\frac{t}{14}}$ take lns correctly must come from correct working
(ii)	$t = 12.256... \approx 12$ days	B1F	1	fit on a, b if $a > b$; accept $t = 12$ NMS Accept 12 from incorrect working in b(i) Accept 13 if 12.2 or 12.3 seen
(c)(i)	$\frac{dx}{dt} = -\frac{1}{14} \times -12e^{-\frac{t}{14}}$	M1		differentiate; allow sign error condone $\frac{dy}{dx}$ used consistently

	$= -\frac{1}{14}(x-15)$ $= \frac{1}{14}(15-x)$ Alt: $t = -14\ln\left(\frac{15-x}{12}\right)$ $\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{-14\left(-\frac{1}{12}\right)}{\left(\frac{15-x}{12}\right)}$ $\frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{14}{15-x} \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{1}{14}(15-x)$ Alt: (backwards) $\int \frac{dx}{15-x} = \int \frac{dt}{14} = \pm 14\ln(15-x) = t + c$ Use (0,3): $-14\ln(15-x) + 14\ln 12 = t$ Solve for x : $x = 15 - 12e^{-\frac{t}{14}}$	m1 A1 (M1) (m1) (A1) (M1) (m1) (A1)		Or $\frac{1}{14}\left(12e^{-\frac{t}{14}}\right)$ and $12e^{-\frac{t}{14}} = 15 - x$ seen AG – be convinced CSO attempt to solve given equation for t differentiate wrt x , with $\frac{1}{15-x}$ seen: OE $\frac{1}{12}$ AG – be convinced All steps shown
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(ii)	rate of growth = 0.5 (cm per day)	B1	1	Accept $\frac{7}{14}$
Total			11	