

Circle Theorems Past Paper Answers Edexcel – None Calculator

1.

$42 \div 2 = 21$ $180 - 90 - 21 = 69$ $69 \times 2 = 138$	138°	3	<p>M1 for 90 seen. A1 for 138 (accept 222) C1 for The tangent to a circle is perpendicular (90°) to the radius (diameter) and Angles in a triangle add up to 180°</p> <p>OR</p> <p>The tangent to a circle is perpendicular (90°) to the radius (diameter) and Angles in a quadrilateral (4 sided shape) add up to 360°</p>
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Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	$180 - (90 + 20) = 70$ $2 \times 70 = 140$ $(180 - 40) \div 2 = 70$ $180 - 2 \times (90 - 70) = 140$	Angle $TOR = 140^\circ$	4	<p>M1 for angle PTO (PRO) = 90° or seeing it marked on the diagram with a right angle or as 90° M1 (dep) for $180 - (90 + 20)$ ($=70^\circ$) or for $360 - (90 + 90 + 40)$ ($=140$) A1 for (angle) $TOR = 140^\circ$ or for 140° seen in the correct place in the diagram [140° alone without the '$TOR =$' gets A0] C1 (dep on at least M1) for angle between a <u>tangent</u> and a <u>radius</u> = 90° plus at least one other correct reason from: Sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> is 180° Sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is 360° <u>Triangles</u> PTO and PRO are <u>congruent</u> <u>Tangents</u> from a <u>point</u> are <u>equal</u> in length OR M1 for angle PTO (PRO) = 90° or seeing it marked on the diagram with a right angle or as 90° M1 for $(180 - 40) \div 2$ ($=70$) and $[180 - 2 \times (90 - "70")]$ ($=140$) A1 for (angle) $TOR = 140^\circ$ or for 140° seen in the correct place in the diagram [140° alone without the '$TOR =$' gets A0] C1 (dep on at least M1) for angle between a <u>tangent</u> and a <u>radius</u> = 90° plus at least one other correct reason from: Sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> is 180° Base <u>angles</u> of an <u>isosceles triangle</u> are <u>equal</u> <u>Triangles</u> PTO and PRO are <u>congruent</u> <u>Tangents</u> from a <u>point</u> are <u>equal</u> in length</p>

3.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	$OAC = OBC = 90$ (tangent is perpendicular to the radius) $AOB = 360 - 90 - 90 - 36 = 144$ (angles in a quadrilateral add up to 360°) $OBA = (180 - 144) \div 2 = 18$ (angles in a triangle add up to 180° and base angles of isosceles triangle are equal) OR $CAB = CBA = (180 - 36) \div 2 = 72$ (angles in a triangle add up to 180° and base angles of isosceles triangle are equal) $OBA = 90 - 72 = 18$ (tangent is perpendicular to the radius)	18	4	M1 for angle OAC or angle $OBC = 90^\circ$ or angle $AOB = 144^\circ$ or both angles CAB and $CBA = 72^\circ$ or angle BCO or angle $ACO = 18^\circ$ and angle BOC or angle $AOC = 72^\circ$ (these could be marked on the diagram or implied by calculation) M1 for a complete correct method e.g. $90 - \frac{180 - 36}{2}$ or $\frac{1}{2}(180 - (360 - 90 - 90 - 36))$ C1 for one reason (dep on M1) C1 for 18 with full reasons QWC: Reasons clearly laid out with correct geometrical language used

4.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	$0.0034 \times 10^5 = 340$ $34 \times 10^{-5} = 0.00034$ $-3.4 \times 10^{-3} = -0.0034$ $3.4 \times 10^4 = 34\,000$ $34 \times 10^2 = 3400$	-3.4×10^{-3} 34×10^{-5} 0.0034×10^5 34×10^2 3.4×10^4	3	M1 for changing at least 1 correctly to standard form or for changing at least 1 correctly to an ordinary number M1 at least 3 correct changes to standard form or at least 3 correct changes to ordinary numbers A1 ordered [S.C. B2 (if no working) for 4 in the correct order or all correct but reverse order]

5.

	proof with reasons	5	M1 for using x oe for AOB or CPB or consistent use of three letter notation M1 for correct use of at least one circle theorem or for extending PR and CA to meet at ' X ' and using triangles OBX and PCX A1 for correct proof C2 for fully correct reasons for each stage of proof (C1 for any relevant circle theorem reason) Possible reasons: Angles in a triangle add up to 180° Angles in a quadrilateral (4 sided shape) add up to 360° Angles on a straight line add up to 180° The tangent to a circle is perpendicular (90°) to the radius (diameter) Tangents from an external point are equal in length. Reasons must be relevant for method shown.
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Question	Modification	Notes
	Diagram enlarged. Dot added to centre.	<p>M1 for ($POS =$) $360 - (90 + 90 + 2x)$ ($= 180 - 2x$) ie using angles around O or ($QOR =$) $360 - (90 + 90 + y)$ ($= 180 - y$)</p> <p>M1 (dep) for ($POQ =$) $\frac{1}{2} [360 - ("POS" + "QOR")]$</p> <p>A1 for ($POQ =$) $x + \frac{y}{2}$ oe</p> <p>C1 (dep M1 and supported) for circle theorem angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> is <u>90</u></p> <p>C1 for full reasons and supported eg sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is <u>360</u> and sum of <u>angles</u> at a <u>point</u> is <u>360</u></p> <p>OR</p> <p>M1 for ($POA =$) $180 - 90 - x$ ($= 90 - x$) ie after having drawn line AOC or ($QOC =$) $180 - 90 - \frac{y}{2}$ ($= 90 - \frac{y}{2}$)</p> <p>M1 (dep and supported) for ($POQ =$) $180 - "POA" - "QOC"$</p> <p>A1 for ($POQ =$) $x + \frac{y}{2}$ oe</p> <p>C1 (dep M1 and supported) for circle theorem for angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> is <u>90</u></p> <p>C1 for full reasons and supported eg sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> is <u>180</u> and sum of <u>angles</u> on straight <u>line</u> is <u>180</u></p> <p>OR</p> <p>M1 for (ABC or $ADC =$) $\frac{1}{2} (360 - 2x - y)$ ie using similar triangles</p> <p>M1 (dep) for ($POQ =$) $360 - 90 - 90 - "ABC"$</p> <p>A1 for ($POQ =$) $x + \frac{y}{2}$ oe</p> <p>C1 (dep M1 and supported) for circle theorem for angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> is <u>90</u></p> <p>C1 for full reasons and supported eg sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is <u>360</u> and eg $\triangle ABC$ similar to $\triangle ADC$</p>

7.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	<p>$DE = AE$, and $AE = EB$ (tangents from an external point are equal in length) so $DE = EB$</p> <p>$AE = EC$ (given)</p> <p>Therefore $AE = DE = EB = EC$ So $DB = AC$</p> <p>If the diagonals are equal and bisect each other then the quadrilateral is a rectangle.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>If $AE = DE = EB = EC$ then there are four isosceles triangles ADE, AEB, BEC, DEC in which the angles DAB, ABC, BCD, CDA are all the same.</p> <p>Since $ABCD$ is a quadrilateral this makes all four angles 90°, and $ABCD$ must therefore be a rectangle.</p>	Proof	4	<p>B1 for $DE = AE$ or $AE = EB$ (can be implied by triangle AED is isosceles or triangle AEB is isosceles or indication on the diagram)</p> <p>OR <u>tangents</u> from an external <u>point</u> are <u>equal</u> in length</p> <p>B1 for $AE = DE = EB = EC$</p> <p>B1 for $DB = AC$, (dep on B2)</p> <p>OR consideration of 4 isosceles triangles in $ABCD$</p> <p>C1 fully correct proof. Proof should be clearly laid out with technical language correct and fully correct reasons</p>

8.

<p>Angle $PTO = \text{angle } PSO = 90$ Angle $TPS = 24 \times 2 = 48$ $360 - 90 - 90 - 48$</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Angle $PTO = 90$ Angle $TOP = 180 - 90 - 24$ $= 66$ 66×2</p>	132	3	<p>M1 for angle $PTO = 90$ or angle $PSO = 90$, could be marked on the diagram M1 for $360 - 90 - 90 - (24 \times 2)$ A1 cao</p> <p>OR</p> <p>M1 for angle $PTO = 90$ or angle $PSO = 90$, could be marked on the diagram M1 for $2 \times (180 - 90 - 24)$ A1 cao</p>
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Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	<p>Angle $BCD = 27^\circ$ Angle $CBD = 90^\circ$ Angle $CDB = 180^\circ - 90^\circ - 27^\circ = 63^\circ$ <u>Alternate angles</u> are equal</p> <p>The <u>tangent</u> to a circle is <u>perpendicular</u> (or 90°) to the <u>radius</u> (or <u>diameter</u>)</p> <p><u>Angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> add up to <u>180°</u></p> <p>OR</p> <p>Angle $CBE = 90^\circ$, Angle $ABE = 90^\circ - 27^\circ = 63^\circ$ Angle $CDB = 63^\circ$</p> <p>The <u>tangent</u> to a circle is <u>perpendicular</u> (or 90°) to the <u>radius</u> (or <u>diameter</u>) <u>Corresponding angles</u> are equal</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Angle $CBD = 90^\circ$ Angle $ABD = 90^\circ + 27^\circ = 117^\circ$ Angle $CDB = 180^\circ - 117^\circ = 63^\circ$</p> <p>The <u>tangent</u> to a circle is <u>perpendicular</u> (or 90°) to the <u>radius</u> (or <u>diameter</u>) <u>Allied angles/Co-interior angles</u> add up to 180°</p>	63°	4	<p>B1 for Angle $CBD = 90^\circ$ or Angle $CBE = 90^\circ$ B1 for Angle $BCD = 27^\circ$ or Angle $ABE = 63^\circ$ C1 for Angle $CDB = 63^\circ$ and one correct reason C1 for complete and correct reasons.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>B1 for Angle $CBD = 90^\circ$ B1 for Angle $ABD = 117^\circ$ C1 for Angle $CDB = 63^\circ$ and one correct reason C1 for complete and correct reasons.</p> <p><u>Alternate angles</u> are equal</p> <p><u>Corresponding angles</u> are equal</p> <p>The <u>tangent</u> to a circle is <u>perpendicular</u> (or 90°) to the <u>radius</u> (or <u>diameter</u>)</p> <p><u>Angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> add up to <u>180°</u></p> <p><u>Angles</u> on a <u>straight line</u> add up to <u>180°</u></p> <p>The <u>exterior angle</u> of a triangle is <u>equal</u> to the sum of the <u>interior opposite angles</u>.</p> <p><u>Allied angles/Co-interior angles</u> add up to 180°</p>

10.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
		Proof	5	<p>B1 for matching two lines of the same length with reasons B1 for matching two sides of the kite with reasons B1 for showing $AD = AB$ and $DC = CB$ with reasons C1 for "<u>Tangents</u> from an external <u>point</u> are <u>equal</u> in length." C1 for a complete proof</p>

11.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	$AOT = 90 - x$ (Angle between tangent and radius is 90°) $AOC = 90 + x$ (Tangents from an external point are equal) $ACB = 2(180 - (90 + x)) \div 2 = 90 - x$ Or Obtuse angle $BOA = 180 - 2x$ (Angle between tangent and radius is 90°) Reflex angle $BOA = 180 + 2x$ (Tangents from an external point are equal) $ACB = (360 - (180 + 2x)) \div 2 = 90 - x$		5	B1 for $AOT = 90 - x$ or $OAT = 90^\circ$ or $OBT = 90^\circ$ (may be shown on diagram) B1 for $AOC = 90 + x$ B1 for completing the proof C2 for 2 reasons: Angle between tangent and radius is 90° and Tangents from an external point are equal. QWC: proof should be clearly laid out with technical language correct [C1 for 1 of: Angle between tangent and radius is 90° or Tangents from an external point are equal, QWC: proof should be clearly laid out with technical language correct] OR B1 for obtuse angle $BOA = 180 - 2x$ or $OAT = 90^\circ$ or $OBT = 90^\circ$ (may be shown on diagram) B1 for reflex angle $BOA = 180 + 2x$ B1 for completing the proof C2 for 2 reasons: Angle between tangent and radius is 90° and Tangents from an external point are equal. QWC: proof should be clearly laid out with technical language correct [C1 for 1 of: Angle between tangent and radius is 90° or Tangents from an external point are equal, QWC: proof should be clearly laid out with technical language correct]

12.

	Angle $ORT = 90^\circ$ Angle between the tangent and the radius is 90° Angle $AST = 90^\circ$ Corresponding angles with angle ORT as AS is parallel to OR	Proof	3	B1 for angle ORT (or angle ORS) = 90° C1 for angle between the <u>tangent</u> and the <u>radius</u> is <u>90°/right angle</u> C1 for angle $AST = 90^\circ$ and angle $AST =$ angle ORT because <u>corresponding</u> angles are equal or for angle $ASR = 90^\circ$ because of <u>allied /co-interior</u> angles, so angle $AST = 90^\circ$ because <u>angles</u> on a straight <u>line</u> add up to <u>180°</u>
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13.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
		Proof	5	<p>B1 for $OM = ON$ or (OMN is) <u>isosceles</u> triangle or $OMB = 90^\circ$ or $AMO = 90^\circ$</p> <p>B1 for $OMN = ONM$ or either = $\frac{1}{2}(180 - y)$ oe</p> <p>B1 for (Angle) $BMN = 90 - \frac{1}{2}(180 - y)$ [if algebraic in y]</p> <p>C1 for statement angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> = 90° (or <u>perpendicular</u> or <u>right angle</u>)</p> <p>C1 for correct conclusion with BMN stated, accompanied by correct working clearly laid out and in a logical sequence with correct calculations</p> <p>Acceptable alternative:</p> <p>B1 for angle at circumference = $\frac{1}{2}y$</p> <p>B1 for 'angle at centre is twice the angle at the circumference' oe</p> <p>B1 for angle $BMN = \frac{1}{2}y$</p> <p>C1 for statement '<u>alternate segment</u> theorem'</p> <p>C1 for correct conclusion with BMN stated, accompanied by correct working clearly laid out and in a logical sequence with correct calculations</p>

14.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
		113	5	<p>B1 for stating angle $TAO = 90$</p> <p>M1 for stating angle OBA or angle $OAB = 90 - 58 (=32)$</p> <p>M1 for stating angle $ABT = 180 - 58 - 41 (=81)$ or angle $AOB = 180 - 64 (=116)$</p> <p>A1 for 113 clearly identified as the answer</p> <p>C1 (dep on M1) for correct statements for method used: angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> = 90° AND at least one of base <u>angles</u> of an <u>isosceles</u> triangle are <u>equal</u> sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> is <u>180</u> sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is <u>360</u></p> <p>NB angles may be seen in diagram</p>

15.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Notes
	$360 - 90 - 90 - 110 = 70$ $180 - 60 - 70$ $360 - 90 - 90 - 60 = 120$ $360 - 110 - 120 = 130$ $360 - 90 - 90 - 130$	50°	4	B1 for identifying 90° (may be on diagram) M1 for beginning method using $MON = 110$ eg $360 - 90 - 90 - 110 (= 70)$ M1 for completing method to find BAC eg $180 - 60 - 70 (=50)$ C1 for (angle $BAC =$) 50 and all reasons relevant to method used: Angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> is <u>90</u> Sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is <u>360</u> <u>Angles</u> in a <u>triangle</u> add up to <u>180</u> OR B1 for identifying 90° (may be on diagram) M1 for beginning method using $NCP = 60$ eg $360 - 90 - 90 - 60 (= 120)$ M1 for completing method to find BAC , e.g. $360 - 110 - 120 = 130$ $360 - 90 - 90 - 130 (=50)$ C1 for (angle $BAC =$) 50 and all reasons relevant to method used: Angle between <u>tangent</u> and <u>radius</u> is <u>90</u> Sum of <u>angles</u> in a <u>quadrilateral</u> is <u>360</u> <u>Angles</u> around a <u>point</u> equal <u>360</u>

16.

Question	Working	Answer	Mark	Additional Guidance
i, /C, ii, i)	$PS = PT$ and $PQ = PR$ (equal tgts from a point) Let angle $SPT = x$ Angle $PST =$ angle $PTS =$ $\frac{180 - x}{2}$ (base angles of isos triangle) Angle $QPR = x$ (vertically opposite angles) Angle $PQR =$ angle $PRQ =$ $\frac{180 - x}{2}$ (base angles of isos triangle) Therefore angle $PQR =$ angle PTS which are alternate angles. Hence QR is parallel to ST	Proof	5	B1 for $PS = PT$ or $PQ = PR$ B1 for equal tangents from a point $\frac{180 - x}{2}$ B1 for angle $PST =$ angle $PTS =$ or angle $PQR =$ angle $PRQ =$ $\frac{180 - x}{2}$ C1 for base angles of isos triangle are equal or vertically opposite angles are equal QWC: Working should be clearly laid out in a logical sequence, with calculations attributable C1 for alternate angles implying parallel QWC: Any technical language should be correct