

Q	Marking instructions	AO	Mark	Typical solution
15(a)	Forms expression of the correct form for the gradient of the line AB condone sign error	AO1.1a	M1	Gradient of AB
	Obtains correct expansion of $(-4+h)^3$	AO1.1b	B1	$= \frac{(-4+h)^3 - 48(-4+h) - ((-4)^3 - 48(-4))}{h}$
	Obtains correct expansion of numerator	AO1.1b	A1	$= \frac{h^3 - 12h^2}{h}$
	Simplifies numerator and shows given result	AO2.1	R1	$= h^2 - 12h$
15(b)	Explains that as $h \rightarrow 0$ the gradient of the line $AB \rightarrow$ the gradient of the curve or tangent to the curve Or gradient of curve is given by $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^2 - 12h$ Must not use $h = 0$	AO2.4	E1	The gradient of the curve is given by $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^2 - 12h$
	Explains that $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} h^2 - 12h = 0$ therefore A must be a stationary point	AO2.4	E1	As $h \rightarrow 0$, $h^2 - 12h \rightarrow 0$ therefore A must be a stationary point
Total			6	