

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
14(i)	The statement is not true because e.g. when $x = -4$, $x^2 = 16$ (which is > 9 but $x < 3$)	B1	2.3
		(1)	
(ii)	$n^3 + 3n^2 + 2n = n(n^2 + 3n + 2) = n(n+1)(n+2)$	M1	2.1
	$n(n+1)(n+2)$ is the product of 3 consecutive integers	A1	2.2a
	As $n(n+1)(n+2)$ is a multiple of 2 and a multiple of 3 it must be a multiple of 6 and so $n^3 + 3n^2 + 2n$ is divisible by 6 for all integers n	A1	2.4
		(3)	

(4 marks)

Notes

(i)

B1: Identifies the error in the statement by giving

- a counter example and a reason eg $x = -4$ with $x^2 = 16$ eg $x = -4$ with $(-4)^2 > 9$
- concludes **not true**

There should be no errors seen including the use of brackets. The conclusion could be a preamble. Do not accept “sometimes true” or equivalent.

Alternatively, explains why the statement is **not true**

Eg. It is not true as when $x < -3$ then $x^2 > 9$ so x does not have to be greater than 3.

Eg. $x^2 > 9 \Rightarrow x < -3$ or $x > 3$ so not true

(ii)

M1: Takes out a factor of n and attempts to factorise the resulting quadratic.

A1: Deduces that the expression is the product of 3 consecutive integers

A1: Explains that as the expression is a multiple of 3 **and** 2, it must be a multiple of 6 and so is divisible by 6

If you see any method which appears to be credit worthy but is not covered by the scheme then send to review