

| Question | Scheme | Marks | AOs |
|-------------|--|-------|------|
| 8(a) | $-7.5 + 2(0) + \lambda(1.5) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \dots$ | M1 | 3.3 |
| | $\lambda = 5 *$ | A1* | 1.1b |
| | | (2) | |
| (b) | Solves $m^2 + 2m + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow m = \dots$ | M1 | 3.1b |
| | $m = -1 \pm 2i$ | A1ft | 1.1b |
| | $x = e^{-t}(A \cos 2t + B \sin 2t)$ | A1 | 1.1b |
| | Using the initial conditions, $x = 1.5, t = 0$ to find a constant $1.5 = e^0(A \cos 0 + B \sin 0) \Rightarrow A = \dots \{1.5\}$ | M1 | 3.4 |
| | $\frac{dx}{dt} = -e^{-t}(A \cos 2t + B \sin 2t) + e^{-t}(-2A \sin 2t + 2B \cos 2t)$ | M1 | 1.1b |
| | Using the initial conditions, $v = 0, t = 0$ to find the second constant $0 = -e^0(1.5 \cos 0 + B \sin 0) + e^0(-3 \sin 0 + 2B \cos 0)$ $\Rightarrow B = \dots \{0.75\}$ | dM1 | 3.4 |
| | $x = e^{-t}(1.5 \cos 2t + 0.75 \sin 2t)$ | A1 | 1.1b |
| | (7) | | |
| (c) | Substitutes $t = 4.5$ into their equation for x ($x = -0.0117\dots$) | M1 | 3.4 |
| | Compares their value of x with 0 and evaluates the model | A1ft | 3.5a |
| | | (2) | |
| (d) | e. g. Take into account air resistance | B1 | 3.5c |
| | | (1) | |

(12 marks)

Notes:

(a)

M1: Substitutes $\ddot{x} = -7.5$, $\dot{x} = 0$ and $x = 1.5$ into the differential equation to find a value for λ

A1*: Correct solution only

(b)

M1: Forms and solves the auxiliary equation

A1ft: Correct solution to their auxiliary equation. Follow through on their value of λ only.

A1: Correct complementary function

M1: Uses the information from the model $x = 1.5, t = 0$ to find a constant

M1: Differentiates to find an expression for the velocity

dM1: Uses the information from the model, $v = 0, t = 0$ to find another equation for the constants.

A1: Correct equation for displacement

(c)

M1: Substitutes to find a value of x

A1ft: Any suitable comment consistent with their value e.g. a good model since only 1cm out

(d)

B1: A suitable refinement of the model e.g. air resistance