

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
<b>4(a)</b>	A complete attempt to find the sum of the cubes of the first $n$ odd numbers using three of the standard summation formulae. Attempts to find $\sum (2r+1)^3$ or $\sum (2r-1)^3$ by expanding and using summation formulae	M1	3.1a
	$\sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^3 = \sum_{r=1}^n (8r^3 - 12r^2 + 6r - 1) = 8\sum_{r=1}^n r^3 - 12\sum_{r=1}^n r^2 + 6\sum_{r=1}^n r - \sum_{r=1}^n 1$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} (2r+1)^3 = \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} (8r^3 + 12r^2 + 6r + 1) = 8\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r^3 + 12\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r^2 + 6\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r + \sum_{r=0}^{n-1} 1$	M1	1.1b
	$= 8\frac{n^2}{4}(n+1)^2 - 12\frac{n}{6}(n+1)(2n+1) + 6\frac{n}{2}(n+1) - n$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $= 8\frac{(n-1)^2}{4}(n)^2 + 12\frac{(n-1)}{6}(n)(2n-1) + 6\frac{(n-1)}{2}(n) + n$	M1 A1	1.1b 1.1b
	Multiplies out to achieve a correct intermediate line for example $n \ n \ n+1 \ 2n^2 - 2n + 1 \ -n = 2n^4 - 2n^3 + n^2 + 2n^3 - 2n^2 + n - n$ $2n^4 + 4n^3 + 2n^2 - 4n^3 - 6n^2 - 2n + 3n^2 + 3n - n$ <p style="text-align: center;">leading to</p> $= n^2(2n^2 - 1) \text{ cso } *$	A1 *	2.1
			(5)
<b>(b)</b>	$\sum_{r=n}^{n+9} (2r-1)^3 = \sum_{r=1}^{n+9} (2r-1)^3 - \sum_{r=1}^{n-1} (2r-1)^3$ $= (n+9)^2(2(n+9)^2 - 1) - (n-1)^2(2(n-1)^2 - 1) = 99800$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $\sum_{r=n+1}^{n+10} (2r-1)^3 = \sum_{r=1}^{n+10} (2r-1)^3 - \sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^3$ $= (n+10)^2(2(n+10)^2 - 1) - (n)^2(2n^2 - 1) = 99800$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $\sum_{r=n-9}^n (2r-1)^3 = \sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^3 - \sum_{r=1}^{n-10} (2r-1)^3$ $= (n)^2(2(n)^2 - 1) - (n-10)^2(2(n-10)^2 - 1) = 99800$	M1	3.1a
	$80n^3 + 960n^2 + 5820n - 86760 = 0$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $80n^3 + 1200n^2 + 7980n - 79900 = 0$ <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> $80n^3 - 1200n^2 + 7980n - 119700 = 0$	A1	1.1b
	Solves cubic equation	dM1	1.1b

Achieves  $n = 6$  and the smallest number as 11

or

Achieves  $n = 5$  and the smallest number as 11

or

Achieves  $n = 15$  and the smallest number as 11

A1

2.3

(4)

(9 marks)

**Notes:**

(a)

**M1:** A complete attempt to find the sum of the cubes of  $n$  odd numbers using three of the standard summation formulae.

**M1:** Expands  $\sum_{r=1}^n (2r-1)^3$  or  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} (2r+1)^3$  and splits into four appropriate sums.

**M1:** Applies the result for at least three summations  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r^3$ ,  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r^2$ ,  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} r$  and  $\sum_{r=0}^{n-1} 1$  or

$\sum_{r=1}^n r^3$ ,  $\sum_{r=1}^n r^2$ ,  $\sum_{r=1}^n r$  and  $\sum_{r=1}^n 1$  as appropriate to their expansion provided that there is an attempt at cubing some values.

**A1:** Correct unsimplified expression.

**A1 \*:** Multiplies out to achieve a correct intermediate expression which clearly leads to the correct expression. cso

Special case: If uses  $\sum_{r=1}^n (2r+1)^3$  leading to  $= 8\frac{n^2}{4}(n+1)^2 + 12\frac{n}{6}(n+1)(2n+1) + 6\frac{n}{2}(n+1) + n$  max

score is M1 M0 M1 A1 A0

(b)

**M1:** Uses the answer to part (a) to find the sum of the cubes of the first  $N + 10$  odd numbers minus the sum of the first  $N$  odd numbers and sets equal to 99800 or equivalent.

**A1:** Correct simplified cubic equation.

**dM1:** Uses their calculator to solve their cubic equation, dependent on previous method mark.

**A1:** cao