

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
<b>1(a)</b>	93m <sup>2</sup>	B1	3.4
		(1)	
<b>(b)</b>	$40 = 105 - 12e^{0.08t} \Rightarrow 12e^{0.08t} = 65$	M1	3.1b
	$\Rightarrow 0.08t = \ln\left(\frac{65}{12}\right) \Rightarrow t = \dots$	dM1	1.1b
	21.1 days	A1	1.1b
		(3)	
<b>(c)</b>	Substitutes $t = 30$ into $A = 105 - 12e^{0.08t} \Rightarrow A = \dots$	M1	3.4
	$A = -27.3$ and states that Stuart cannot use the model as it gives a negative area	A1	2.4
		(2)	

**(6 marks)**

**Notes:**

**(a)**

**B1:** 93m<sup>2</sup>. This requires the units

**(b)**

**M1:** For using the model with  $A = 40$  and proceeding to  $Pe^{0.08t} = Q$

**dM1:** For correct use of lns and proceeding to a value for  $t$

**A1:** Accept awrt 21.1 days or  $t = 21.1$

**(c)**

**M1:** Uses the model in an attempt to find  $A$  when  $t = 30$

**A1:** Finds  $A = -27$  at  $t = 30$  and states the area of weed cannot be negative