

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
3 (a)	$\overline{AB} = (3\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}) - (2\mathbf{i} + 5\mathbf{j} - 6\mathbf{k})$	M1	1.1b
	$= \mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$	A1	1.1b
		(2)	
(b)	States $\overline{OC} = 2 \times \overline{AB}$	M1	1.1b
	Explains that as OC is parallel to AB , so $OABC$ is a trapezium.	A1	2.4
		(2)	
			(4 marks)
Notes:			

(a)

M1: Attempts to subtract either way around. If no method is seen it is implied by two of $\pm\mathbf{i} \pm 8\mathbf{j} \pm 2\mathbf{k}$.

A1: $\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ or $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ but not $(1, -8, 2)$

(b)

M1: Compares their $\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$ with $2\mathbf{i} - 16\mathbf{j} + 4\mathbf{k}$ by stating **any one of**

- $\overline{OC} = 2 \times \overline{AB}$
- $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -16 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
- $\overline{OC} = \lambda \times \overline{AB}$ or vice versa

This may be awarded if AB was subtracted "the wrong way around" or if there was one numerical slip

A1: A full explanation as to why $OABC$ is a trapezium.

Requires fully correct calculations, so part (a) must be $\overline{AB} = (\mathbf{i} - 8\mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k})$

It requires a reason and minimal conclusion.

Example 1:

$\overline{OC} = 2 \times \overline{AB}$, therefore OC is parallel to AB so $OABC$ is a trapezium

Example 2:

A trapezium has one pair of parallel sides. As $\overline{OC} = 2 \times \overline{AB}$, they are parallel, so \checkmark .

Example 3

As $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -16 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} = 2 \times \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -8 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$, OC and AB are parallel, so proven

Example 4

Accept as $\overline{OC} = \lambda \times \overline{AB}$, they are parallel so true

Note: There are two definitions for a trapezium. One stating that it is a shape with one pair of parallel sides, the other with **only one** pair of parallel sides. Any calculations to do with sides OA and CB in this question may be ignored, even if incorrect.