

<b>8</b>	<b>(a)</b>	$\frac{d}{dx}(e^{2x}) = 2e^{2x}$ $6xe^{2x} + (2 + 3x^2)(2e^{2x})$ $e^{2x}(6x^2 + 6x + 4)$	<b>B1</b>  <b>M1</b> <b>A1</b> <b>[3]</b>	<b>1.1</b>  <b>1.1a</b> <b>1.1</b>	Seen anywhere in solution  Attempt product rule Obtain any fully correct expression	Could expand first
	<b>(b)</b>	$e^{2x} > 0 \text{ for all } x$ $6x^2 + 6x + 4 = 6\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{5}{2}$ <p>minimum value is <math>\frac{5}{2}</math> so <math>&gt; 0</math> for all <math>x</math></p>	<b>B1</b>  <b>M1</b>	<b>2.1</b>  <b>2.1</b>	Attempt to show that their 3 term quadratic factor is $> 0$ for all $x$	B0 if clearly considering $f(x)$ or $f''(x)$ and not $f'(x)$  Complete the square or consider discriminant  Could be multiple or fraction of their quadratic

Question		Answer	Marks	AO	Guidance	
		Gradient $e^{2x}(6x^2 + 6x + 4) > 0$ for all $x$ so it is increasing for all $x$	A1 A1 [4]	2.4 2.4	Full justification that quadratic factor is always positive Justify increasing function as $f'(x) > 0$ for all $x$	Show minimum point $> 0$ , or show that quadratic is always positive  <b>OR</b> B1 $e^{2x} \neq 0$ M1 Show that quadratic $\neq 0$ (detail required) M1 Show gradient is positive at one point, as part of attempt to show $f'(x) \neq 0$ A1 Conclude that gradient must hence be positive for all $x$ , so increasing function