Question		Answer	Marks	AO	Guidance	
2		DR $\frac{1}{2}(3x+1)^2(2)$ or $(3x+1)^2$	B1*	1.1	Correct use of $A = \frac{1}{2}r^2\theta$	For reference only: $\frac{1}{2}(3x+1)^2(2) < 44x - 7$
		$9x^{2} + 6x + 1 < 44x - 7 \Rightarrow 9x^{2} - 38x + 8 (< 0)$	B1dep*	1.1	Expand and re-arrange to correct 3TQ expression in <i>x</i>	Allow <b>any</b> inequality sign or equals
		$9x^2 - 38x + 8(<0) \Rightarrow (9x - 2)(x - 4)(<0)$	M1dep*	1.1	<b>SEE APPENDIX</b> for awarding this mark (solving 3TQ expressions) - dependent on first <b>B</b> mark only (this mark is for solving <b>their</b> 3TQ but not for solving $(3x+1)^2 = 0$ )	Correct quadratic followed immediately by correct critical values (with no working) is <b>M0</b>
		c.v. of x are $\frac{2}{9}$ , 4	B1	1.1	Correct critical values of <i>x</i> (if factorisation shown then it must imply these two c.v.)	Must be $\frac{2}{9}$ or $0.\dot{2}$ but <b>B0</b> for 0.222
		$\left\{x: \frac{2}{9} < x < 4\right\}$	B1FT dep*	2.5	FT their <b>two positive</b> critical values $x_1, x_2$ e.g. $\{x : x_1 < x < x_2\}$ where $x_2 > x_1$ allow $\{x : x > \frac{2}{9}\} \cap \{x : x < 4\}$ but 'union' is <b>B0 B0</b> for interval notation e.g. $\left(\frac{2}{9}, 4\right)$	Answer must be in set notation for this mark  — dependent on first  B mark only
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## **APPENDIX**

## Rules for solving quadratics in questions 2 and 4(b)(i) ONLY

In questions 2 and 4(b)(i) candidates are required to solve 3 term quadratics (3TQ) using DR – therefore we must see a correct, complete method for solving

these quadratics – the correct answers do not imply the corresponding M mark, for example in question 2,  $9x^2 - 38x + 8 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 4$  or  $x = \frac{2}{9}$  is **M0 Rules for factorising:** 

 $at^2 + bt + c \Rightarrow (mt + n)(pt + q)$  where a = mp and one of mq + np = b or c = nq (so when expanding their factorised expression it must give the correct quadratic term and one other term correct of the preceding 3TO expression/equation)

e.g. in question 2 (and similarly for question 4(b)(i)):

 $9x^2 - 38x + 8 = (x - \frac{2}{9})(x - 4)$  is **M0** (but the following **B1** for the correct c.v. of  $\frac{2}{9}$  and 4 in qu. 2 can still be awarded as they follow from these two factors)

 $9x^2 - 38x + 8 = (3x + 8)(3x + 1)$  is **M1** (when expanded the  $x^2$  and constant terms are correct)

Allow correct part factorisation for their 3TQ expression e.g. if correct 3TQ then in question 2 the expression 9x(x-4)-2(x-4) scores M1

## Rules for the formula:

Must apply the correct formula for their three-term quadratic (no errors even if correct formula is stated) – note that stating the formula (in terms of a, b and c) followed immediately by the corresponding roots is  $\mathbf{M0}$  – we **must** see the formula being applied e.g.  $9x^2 - 38x + 8 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{38 \pm \sqrt{38^2 - 4(9)(8)}}{2(9)}$ 

Minimal acceptable working would be  $x = \frac{38 \pm \sqrt{1156}}{18}$  (so must explicitly see the discriminant) for M1

**Rules for completing the square** – using  $9x^2 - 38x + 8 = 0$  as an example:

The M1 is not awarded until correctly getting to the stage of  $x - \frac{19}{9} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{289}{81}}$  (must include  $\pm$  so implying two roots) with no errors (so consistent with applying the formula correctly)