

**Question 1****(25 marks)**

- (a)  $(-4 + 3i)$  is one root of the equation  $az^2 + bz + c = 0$ , where  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ , and  $i^2 = -1$ .  
Write the other root.
- (b) Use De Moivre's Theorem to express  $(1 + i)^8$  in its simplest form.
- (c)  $(1 + i)$  is a root of the equation  $z^2 + (-2 + i)z + 3 - i = 0$ .  
Find its other root in the form  $m + ni$ , where  $m, n \in \mathbb{R}$ , and  $i^2 = -1$ .

Q1	Model Solution – 25 Marks	Marking Notes
(a)	$-4 - 3i$	Scale 5B (0, 2, 5) <i>Partial Credit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• real or imaginary part correct</li> </ul>
(b)	$r = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2} \quad \theta = \frac{\pi}{4}$ $(1 + i)^8 = \left\{ \sqrt{2} \left( \cos \frac{\pi}{4} + i \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \right) \right\}^8$ $(1 + i)^8 = \{16(\cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi)\}$ $(1 + i)^8 = 16(1) = 16$	Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10) <i>Low Partial Credit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• correct answer without use of De Moivre's</li> <li>• modulus <b>or</b> argument correct</li> <li>• formula</li> <li>• statement of De Moivre's</li> </ul> <i>High Partial Credit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <math>16(\cos 2\pi + i \sin 2\pi)</math></li> </ul> <b>Note:</b> <i>not De Moivre and incorrect answer merits 0 marks</i>
(c)	$z = \frac{(2 - i) \pm \sqrt{(-2 + i)^2 - 4(3 - i)}}{2}$ $= \frac{(2 - i) \pm \sqrt{4 - 4i - 1 - 12 + 4i}}{2}$ $= \frac{2 - i \pm \sqrt{-9}}{2}$ $= \frac{2 - i \pm 3i}{2}$ $= 1 - 2i \text{ or } 1 + i$ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ $x^2 - \left(\frac{-b}{a}\right)x + \frac{c}{a} = 0$ Sum of roots = $-\frac{b}{a}$ $1 + i + z_1 = 2 - i$ $z_1 = 1 - 2i$	Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10) <i>Low Partial Credit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• root formula with some substitution</li> </ul> <i>High Partial Credit</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• formula fully substituted</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10) <i>Low Partial Credit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• equation rearranged</li> <li>• <math>-\frac{b}{a}</math></li> </ul> <i>High Partial Credit</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• correct substitution</li> </ul>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> $(z - 1 - i)(z - z_1)$ $= z^2 - z - zi - z \cdot z_1 + z_1 + z_1 i$ $= z^2 - (1 + i + z_1)z + z_1(1 + i)$ $= z^2 + (-2 + i)z + (3 - i)$ $\Rightarrow z_1(1 + i) = 3 - i$ $z_1 = \frac{3 - i}{1 + i} \cdot \frac{1 - i}{1 - i} = 1 - 2i$ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> $z - 1 - i \overline{) z^2 - 2z + iz + 3 - i}$ $\underline{z^2 - z - iz}$ $-z + 2iz + 3 - i$ $\underline{-z + 1 + i}$ $2iz + 2 - 2i$ $\underline{2iz + 2 - 2i}$ $z - 1 + 2i = 0$ $z = 1 - 2i$ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> $(1 + i)(m + ni) = 3 - i$ $(m - n) + (m + n)i = 3 + (-1)i$ $m - n = 3 \quad \text{and} \quad m + n = -1$ <p>Solving <math>m = 1</math> and <math>n = -2</math></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> <p>Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10)</p> <p><i>Low Partial Credit:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• correct factor(s)</li> </ul> <p><i>High Partial Credit</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identification of equal terms</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> <p>Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10)</p> <p><i>Low Partial Credit:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• long division formulated correctly</li> </ul> <p><i>High Partial Credit</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• two correct lines in division</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Or</b></p> <p>Scale 10C (0, 3, 7, 10)</p> <p><i>Low Partial Credit:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• correct multiplication</li> <li>• substitution of <math>(m + ni)</math> into quadratic and stops</li> </ul> <p><i>High Partial Credit</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identification of equal terms</li> </ul> <p><b>Note:</b> substitution of <math>(1 + i)</math> merits 0 marks</p>
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