

Question	Scheme	Marks	AOs
1 (a)	$y = 2x^3 - 2x^2 - 2x + 8 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 4x - 2$	M1 A1	1.1b 1.1b
		(2)	
(b)	Attempts $6x^2 - 4x - 2 > 0 \Rightarrow (6x+2)(x-1) > 0$	M1	1.1b
	$x = -\frac{1}{3}, 1$	A1	1.1b
	Chooses outside region	M1	1.1b
	$\left\{x : x < -\frac{1}{3}\right\} \cup \{x : x > 1\}$	A1	2.5
		(4)	

(6 marks)

### Notes:

(a)

**M1:** Attempts to differentiate. Allow for two correct terms un-simplified

**A1:**  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - 4x - 2$

(b)

**M1:** Attempts to find the critical values of their  $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$  or their  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$

**A1:** Correct critical values  $x = -\frac{1}{3}, 1$

**M1:** Chooses the outside region

**A1:**  $\left\{x : x < -\frac{1}{3}\right\} \cup \{x : x > 1\}$  or  $\left\{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \quad x < -\frac{1}{3} \text{ or } x > 1\right\}$

Accept also  $\left\{x : x, -\frac{1}{3}\right\} \cup \{x : x \dots 1\}$