

Exercise 2.1



- (a) 0 (A1)
- (b) (i) $x^2 - 16x = 0$
 $x(x - 16) = 0$ (M1)
 $x = 0$ or $x - 16 = 0$
 $x = 0$ or $x = 16$ (A1)(A1)
- (ii) $y = x(x - 16)$ (A1)
- (c) (i) h
 $= \frac{0 + 16}{2}$ (M1)
 $= 8$ (A1)
- (ii) k
 $= 8^2 - 16(8)$ (M1)
 $= -64$ (A1)
- (iii) $x = 8$ (A1)



Exercise 2.2



- (a)
$$\begin{cases} y = x^2 + 2kx + 5 \\ y = 3kx - 4 \end{cases}$$
- $$\therefore x^2 + 2kx + 5 = 3kx - 4$$
- $$x^2 - kx + 9 = 0 \qquad x^2 - kx + 9 = 0 \text{ (A1)}$$
- The two graphs have two intersection points.
- $$\therefore \Delta > 0 \qquad \Delta > 0 \text{ (R1)}$$
- $$(-k)^2 - 4(1)(9) > 0 \qquad \Delta = b^2 - 4ac \text{ (M1)}$$
- $$k^2 - 36 > 0 \qquad k^2 - 36 > 0 \text{ (A1)}$$
- $$k^2 > 36$$
- $$\therefore k < -6 \text{ or } k > 6 \qquad \text{(A1)}$$
- (b)
$$x^2 - 7x + 9 = 0$$
- $$x = \frac{-(-7) \pm \sqrt{(-7)^2 - 4(1)(9)}}{2(1)} \qquad x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \text{ (M1)}$$
- $$x = \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$$
- $$\therefore m + r = 20 \qquad \text{(A1)}$$

Exercise 2.3



- (a) (i) $f(x) = 0$ $f(x) = 0$ (M1)
 $\frac{x-3}{2x+4} = 0$
 $x-3 = 0$
 $x = 3$ (A1)
- (ii) The y -intercept
 $= \frac{0-3}{2(0)+4}$ Substitute $x = 0$ (M1)
 $= -\frac{3}{4}$ (A1)
- (b) (i) $x = -2$ (A1)
- (ii) $y = \frac{1}{2}$ (A1)
- (iii) $y \neq \frac{1}{2}, y \in \mathbb{R}$ (A1)
- (c) (i) $y \neq -2, y \in \mathbb{R}$ (A1)
- (ii) $y = \frac{x-3}{2x+4}$
 $\rightarrow x = \frac{y-3}{2y+4}$ Interchange x and y (M1)
 $x(2y+4) = y-3$
 $2xy + 4x = y-3$
 $2xy - y = -4x - 3$ Combine like terms (M1)
 $y(2x-1) = -4x-3$
 $y = \frac{-4x-3}{2x-1}$
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-4x-3}{2x-1}$ (A1)



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$$\begin{aligned} \text{(d)} \quad & (f^{-1} \circ g)(x) \\ & = f^{-1}(g(x)) \\ & = \frac{-4(0.5 - 5x) - 3}{2(0.5 - 5x) - 1} && \frac{-4(0.5 - 5x) - 3}{2(0.5 - 5x) - 1} \text{ (M1)} \\ & = \frac{-5 + 20x}{-10x} \\ & = \frac{1}{2x} - 2 \\ & \therefore a = \frac{1}{2} && \text{(A1)} \end{aligned}$$

Exercise 2.4



- (a) Reflection about the x -axis (A1)
followed by an upward translation by 5 units (A1)
- (b) $h(x)$
 $= g(3(x+4))$ (M1)
 $= g(3x+12)$
 $= (3x+12)^2 + 5$ (A1)
 $= 9x^2 + 72x + 144 + 5$
 $= 9x^2 + 72x + 149$ (A1)
- (c) The image after transformed to g
 $= (-3, -9+5)$ (A1) & $y+5$ (A1)
 $= (-3, -4)$
The coordinates of P
 $= (-3 \div 3 - 4, -4)$ (A1) & $x-4$ (A1)
 $= (-5, -4)$ (A1)



Exercise 2.5



- (a) $f(-x)$
 $= -(-x)^2 \sqrt{9 - (-x)^2}$ $f(-x)$ (A1)
 $= -x^2 \sqrt{9 - x^2}$
 $= f(x)$ (A1)
 Thus, f is an even function. (AG)
- (b) By considering the graph of $y = -x^2 \sqrt{9 - x^2}$,
 the coordinates of the maximum point and the
 two minimum points are $(0, 0)$,
 $(-2.4494904, -10.3923)$ and
 $(2.4494904, -10.3923)$ respectively. GDC approach (M1)
 Thus, the range of f is $-10.4 \leq y \leq 0$, $y \in \mathbb{R}$. (A1)
- (c) $c = -2.45$ (A1)
- (d) $|x| - 2 \geq f(x)$
 $\therefore |x| - 2 \geq -x^2 \sqrt{9 - x^2}$
 $|x| - 2 + x^2 \sqrt{9 - x^2} \geq 0$ Correct inequality (A1)
 By considering the graph of
 $y = |x| - 2 + x^2 \sqrt{9 - x^2}$, the graph is above the
 horizontal axis when $-3 < x < -0.6735888$
 or $0.6735888 < x < 3$. GDC approach (M1)
 $\therefore -3 < x \leq -0.674$ or $0.674 \leq x < 3$ (A1)

Exercise 2.6



(a) (i) $\log_3 x^6 = 6\log_3 x$

(A1)

(ii) $\log_3(16x)$
 $= \log_3 16 + \log_3 x$
 $= \log_3 2^4 + \log_3 x$
 $= 4\log_3 2 + \log_3 x$

$\log_3(pq) = \log_3 p + \log_3 q$ (M1)

$16 = 2^4$ (M1)

(A1)

(iii) $\log_2 3$
 $= \frac{\log_3 3}{\log_3 2}$
 $= \frac{1}{\log_3 2}$

$\log_2 a = \frac{\log_3 a}{\log_3 2}$ (M1)

(A1)

(b) $\frac{2}{3}\log_3 x^6 + \frac{1}{\log_2 3} + \log_3(16x) = 0$

$\therefore \frac{2}{3}(6\log_3 x) + \log_3 2 + 4\log_3 2 + \log_3 x = 0$

Substitution (M1)

$4\log_3 x + \log_3 2 + 4\log_3 2 + \log_3 x = 0$

$5\log_3 x + 5\log_3 2 = 0$

Combine like terms (M1)

$\log_3 x + \log_3 2 = 0$

$\log_3 x = -\log_3 2$

$\log_3 x = \log_3 2^{-1}$

$n\log_3 p = \log_3 p^n$ (M1)

$x = \frac{1}{2}$

(A1)



Exercise 2.7



- (a) $P_1 = P_0 e^{k(1)}$
 $\therefore P_0(1-10\%) = P_0 e^{k(1)}$ $P_1 = P_0(1-10\%)$ & $t=1$ (A1)
 $0.9 = e^k$ $b = e^x \Leftrightarrow x = \ln b$ (M1)
 $k = \ln 0.9$
 $k = -0.1053605157$
 $\therefore k = -0.1054$ (A1)
- (b) The growth rate is negative. (R1)
- (c) $0.5P_0 = P_0 e^{-0.1053605157t}$ Correct equation (A1)
 $0.5 = e^{-0.1053605157t}$
 $e^{-0.1053605157t} - 0.5 = 0$
 By considering the graph of
 $y = e^{-0.1053605157t} - 0.5$, the horizontal intercept is
 6.5788135 . GDC approach (M1)
 \therefore The least number of complete years is 66. (A1)

Exercise 2.8

(a) The gradient

$$= \frac{1 - (-9)}{-8 - 0}$$

$$= -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \text{ (M1)}$$

(A1)

(b) (i) $(-4, -4)$

(A1)

(ii) The exact distance

$$= \sqrt{(-4 - (-8))^2 + (-4 - 1)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{41}$$

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2} \text{ (M1)}$$

(A1)

(c) The required slope

$$= -1 \div -\frac{5}{4}$$

$$= \frac{4}{5}$$

$$m_1 \times m_2 = -1 \text{ (M1)}$$

The equation:

$$y - 1 = \frac{4}{5}(x - (-8))$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1) \text{ (M1)}$$

$$5(y - 1) = 4(x + 8)$$

$$5y - 5 = 4x + 32$$

$$4x - 5y + 37 = 0$$

(A1)



Exercise 2.9



- (a) $f(-1)$
 $= 2(-1)^3 + k(-1)^2 + 6(-1) + 8$
 $= k$ (A1)
- $g(-1)$
 $= (-1)^4 - 6(-1)^2 - 5k(-1) - 3k$
 $= 2k - 5$ (A1)
- $f(-1) = g(-1)$ (M1)
 $\therefore k = 2k - 5$
 $-k = -5$
 $k = 5$ (A1)
- (b) Let α_1 and α_2 be the two complex roots.
- Sum of roots $= -\frac{5}{2}$ (A1) $r_1 + r_2 + r_3 = -\frac{a_2}{a_3}$ (A1)
- $-2 + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = -\frac{5}{2}$
- $\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$ (A1)
- Product of roots $= (-1)^3 \frac{8}{2}$ (A1) $r_1 r_2 r_3 = (-1)^3 \frac{a_0}{a_3}$ (A1)
- $(-2)(\alpha_1)(\alpha_2) = -4$
- $\alpha_1 \alpha_2 = 2$ (A1)

Exercise 2.10



- (a) (i) $x = 2, x = 4$ (A1)(A1)
- (ii) x -intercept = -5 (A1)
 y -intercept = $\frac{5}{8}$ (A1)
- (b) By considering the graph of $y = \frac{x+5}{x^2-6x+8}$,
the coordinates of the minimum point
are $(-12.93725, -0.031373)$. (GDC approach (M1))
Thus, the coordinates are $(-12.9, -0.0314)$. (A1)
- (c) By considering the graph of $y = \frac{x+5}{x^2-6x+8}$,
the coordinates of the maximum point
are $(2.9372539, -7.968627)$. (GDC approach (M1))
Thus, the range of f is
 $y \leq -7.97$ or $y \geq -0.0314, y \in \mathbb{R}$. ($y \leq -7.97$ (A1) & $y \geq -0.0314$ (A1))
- (d) Let $\frac{x+5}{x^2-6x+8} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{x-4}$.
 $\frac{x+5}{x^2-6x+8} = \frac{A(x-4)}{(x-2)(x-4)} + \frac{B(x-2)}{(x-4)(x-2)}$
 $x+5 = Ax - 4A + Bx - 2B$ (Expansion (M1))
 $\therefore \begin{cases} x = Ax + Bx \\ 5 = -4A - 2B \end{cases}$ (Compare coefficients (M1))
 $1 = A + B$
 $A = 1 - B$
 $5 = -4A - 2B$
 $\therefore 5 = -4(1 - B) - 2B$ (Substitute $A = 1 - B$ (M1))
 $5 = -4 + 4B - 2B$
 $9 = 2B$
 $B = 4.5$ (A1)
 $\therefore A = 1 - 4.5$
 $A = -3.5$ (A1)



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(e) (i) $x = -5$ (A1)

(ii) x -intercepts = 2 or 4 (A1)

y -intercept = $\frac{8}{5}$ (A1)

(f) $g(x) = \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x + 5}$

Let $\frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x + 5} = x + C + \frac{D}{x + 5}$. (A1)

$$\frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x + 5} = \frac{(x + C)(x + 5)}{x + 5} + \frac{D}{x + 5}$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 8 = x^2 + 5x + Cx + 5C + D$$

Expansion (M1)

$$\therefore \begin{cases} -6x = 5x + Cx \\ 8 = 5C + D \end{cases}$$

Compare coefficients (M1)

$$-6 = 5 + C$$

$$C = -11$$

Thus, the equation is $y = x - 11$. (A1)

(g) By considering the graph of $y = \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x + 5}$,

the coordinates of the maximum and the minimum point are $(-12.93725, -31.87451)$

and $(2.9372558, -0.125492)$ respectively.

GDC approach (M1)

Thus, the range of g is

$$y \leq -31.9 \text{ or } y \geq -0.125, y \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$y \leq -31.9 \text{ (A1) \& } y \geq -0.125 \text{ (A1)}$$