

Question 1.

a (i) $x(x-3) - 10 = 0$
 $x^2 - 3x - 10 = 0$
 $(x-5)(x+2) = 0$
 $x = 5 \text{ or } -2$ (3)

(ii) $\frac{2x}{x-1} + \frac{1}{x+1} = 1$ $CD = (x+1)(x-1)$
Rest. $x \neq \pm 1$
 $2x(x+1) + (x-1) = (x-1)(x+1)$
 $2x^2 + 2x + x - 1 = x^2 - 1$
 $x^2 + 3x = 0$
 $x(x+3) = 0$
 $x = 0 \text{ or } -3$ (5)

(iii) $-x + 6x^2 = 2$
 $6x^2 - x - 2 = 0$ (no) Must show factors.
 $(2x+1)(3x-2) = 0$ if they use their calculators will they get this mark.
 $x = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ or } x = \frac{2}{3}$ (4)

(iv) $3 \cdot 9^{x-1} = 27^{-x}$
 $3 \cdot 3^{2x-2} = 3^{-3x}$
 $3^{2x-1} = 3^{-3x}$
 $2x-1 = -3x$
 $5x = 1$
 $x = \frac{1}{5}$ (3)

(v) $2^{x+1} + 2^{x+2} = 48$
 $2^x(2 + 2^2) = 48$
 $2^x(6) = 48$
 $2^x = 8$
 $2^x = 2^3$
 $x = 3$ (4)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{vi} \quad x-2 &= \sqrt{8-x} \\
 x^2 - 4x + 4 &= 8-x \\
 x^2 - 3x - 4 &= 0 \\
 (x-4)(x+1) &= 0 \\
 x &= 4 \text{ or } -1
 \end{aligned}$$

check:

Sub $x=4$
 Lhs = 2 rhs = 2

Sub $x=-1$
 Lhs = -3 rhs = 3

$x=4$ (5)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{vii} \quad 2x^2 - 6x - 8 &= 0 \\
 x^2 - 3x &= 4 \\
 \left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 &= 4 + \frac{9}{4} \\
 \left(x - \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 &= \frac{25}{4} \\
 x - \frac{3}{2} &= \pm \frac{5}{2} \\
 x &= 4 \text{ or } -1
 \end{aligned}$$

(4)

(ii) $T = \frac{\sqrt{m-4}}{m-1}$

(i) T undefined if $m=1$ (1)

(ii) T not real if $m-4 < 0$
 $m < 4$ (2)

should just put the answer? (five)

(1) $x - 3y = 5$ (1)
 $x^2 + 3xy + 2y^2 = 4$ (2)

from (1) $x = 5 + 3y$ (3)

Sub (3) into (2)
 $(5+3y)^2 + y(5+3y) + 2y^2 - 4 = 0$
 $25 + 30y + 9y^2 + 5y + 3y^2 + 2y^2 - 4 = 0$
 $14y^2 + 35y + 21 = 0$

$\div 7$
 $2y^2 + 5y + 3 = 0$
 $(2y+3)(y+1) = 0$

$2y = -3$
 $y = -\frac{3}{2}$ or $y = -1$

Sub into (3)
 $x = 5 + 3 \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)$ or $x = 5 - 3$
 $= \frac{1}{2}$ or $= 2$
 $\left(\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\right)$ or $(2, -1)$ (7)

$$(d)(i) x^2 - 2x - 3 > 0.$$

$$(x-3)(x+1) > 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty; -1) \text{ or } x \in (3; \infty)$$

(4)

$$(ii) x^2 \leq 100$$

$$(x-10)(x+10) \leq 0$$



$$x \in [-10; 10]$$

if student writes
 $x \geq \pm 10$

no marks at all.

(4)

Question 2.

$$(a) \frac{16^{\frac{3}{4}} \sqrt{3} 4^{0.5}}{27^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 8^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{(2^4)^{\frac{3}{4}} \cdot 3^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2^{2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}}}{(3^3)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (2^3)^{\frac{2}{3}}}$$

$$= \frac{2^3 \cdot 3^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2}{2^2 \cdot 3^{-\frac{3}{2}}} = 2^2 \cdot 3^2$$

$$= 4 \cdot 9$$

$$= \underline{36}$$

$$(b) \frac{5^{2x} \cdot 15^{x-1}}{125^x \cdot 3^{x-2}} = \frac{5^{2x} \cdot 3^{x-1} \cdot 5^{x-1}}{5^{3x} \cdot 3^{x-2}}$$

$$= 5^{2x-1-3x} \cdot 3^{x-1-x+2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \cdot 3$$

$$= \underline{\frac{3}{5}}$$

(4)

$$(c) \sqrt{\frac{2^{x+3} + 2^x}{2^x}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2^x(2^3 + 1)}{2^x}}$$

$$= \sqrt{9} = 3$$

lose this last $\frac{1}{2}$ if put
 ± 3 .

(4)

(3)

Question 3

(a) (i) $3; 6; 9; 12; \dots$
 $\dots 15; 18; 21$

(ii) $T_n = 3n + 3n$ (2)

(b) $6; 12; 20$
 $d_1 \quad 6 \quad 8$
 $d_2 \quad \quad 2$

$$2a = 2$$

$$a = 1$$

$$3 + b = 6$$

$$b = 3$$

$$1 + 3 + c = 6$$

$$c = 2$$

$$T_n = n^2 + 3n + 2$$

$$T_{20} = 20^2 + 3(20) + 2$$

$$= 462$$

$3; 6; 11; 18; \dots$ $27; 38; 50$

$$2a = 2$$

$$a = 1$$

$$3a + b = 3$$

$$3 + b = 3$$

$$b = 0$$

$$1 + b + c = 3$$

$$c = 2$$

$$T_n = n^2 + 2$$

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(5)

Question 4. [22]

$g(x) = x^2 - 5x - 6$

(a) $Y_{int} (0; -6)$ ✓

(1) no need to work as coord. $y = -6$ is fine.

(b) $X_{int} \quad 0 = x^2 - 5x - 6$
 $0 = (x-6)(x+1)$
 $(6; 0)$ ✓ or $(-1; 0)$ ✓

(2) must be roots together 3rd mark.

(c) $x = \frac{5}{2}$

(half way between X_{int} .)

OR $x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{5}{2}$ ✓

(1)

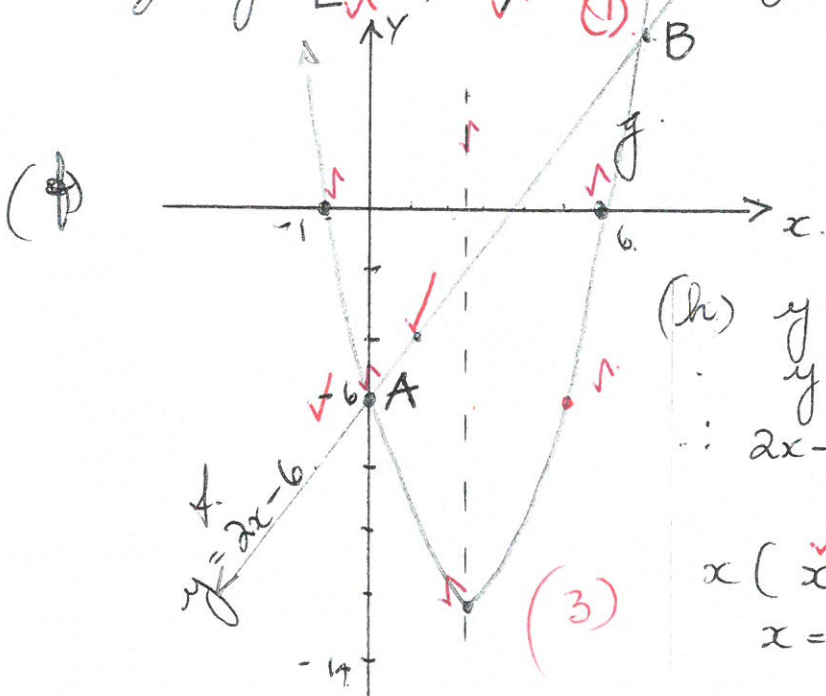
* (d) TP $(\frac{5}{2}; -\frac{49}{4})$ ✓

Sub $x = \frac{5}{2}$ into original

$g(\frac{5}{2}) = (\frac{5}{2})^2 - 5(\frac{5}{2}) - 6$
 $= \frac{25}{4} - \frac{25}{2} - 6$
 $= \frac{25 - 50 - 24}{4}$
 $= -\frac{49}{4} = -12\frac{1}{4}$

(e) Range $y \in [-12\frac{1}{4}; \infty)$ ✓

(1) (2)



(h) $y = 2x - 6$ (1)
 $y = x^2 - 5x - 6$ (2)
 $\therefore 2x - 6 = x^2 - 5x - 6$
 $0 = x^2 - 7x$
 $x(x - 7) = 0$
 $x = 0$ ✓ or $x = 7$ ✓

(g) $y - 2x = -6$
 $y = 2x - 6$ ✓ (3)

$y = -6$ or $y = 8$
 $A(0; -6)$ $B(7; 8)$ (5)

(i) $g(x) \leq f(x)$
 $x \in [0; 7]$ ✓

(3)

(j) $b^2 - 4ac > 0$ ✓

(2)

$b^2 - 4ac = 49$
 a perf. square as roots real, rational & unequal.

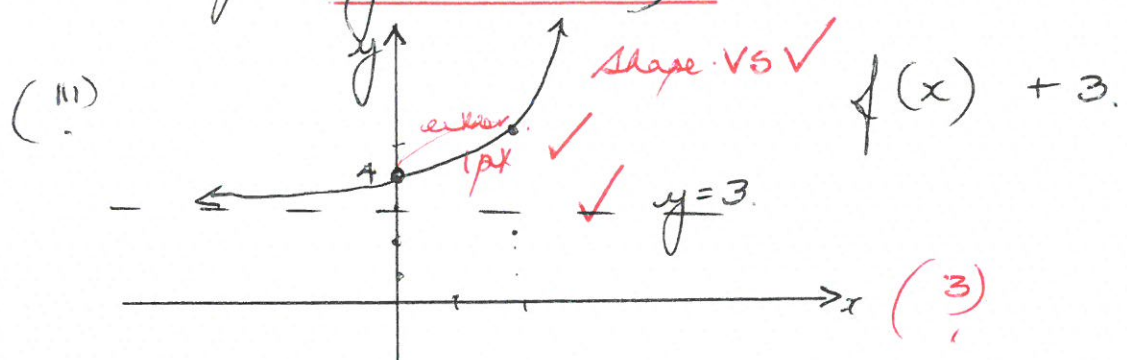
Question 5. [17]

(a) $y = a(x-p)^2 + q$
 TP (1; 2) $y = a(x-1)^2 + 2$
 1 pt (0; 1) Sub $1 = a(-1)^2 + 2$
 $-1 = a$
 $\therefore y = - (x-1)^2 + 2$ (4)

$-x^2 + 2x + 1$

(b) (i) $f(x) = b^x$
 Sub. $(2; \frac{9}{4})$ $\frac{9}{4} = b^2$
 $b = \frac{3}{2}$
 $f(x) = (\frac{3}{2})^x$

(ii) Domain $x \in \mathbb{R}$ (1)
 Range $y \in (0, \infty)$ (1) (2)



(c) $y = \frac{2}{x-2} + 3$

(i) A Y int. $y = \frac{2}{-2} + 3 = 2$ $A(0; 2)$
 B X int. $0 = \frac{2}{x-2} + 3$

(ii) $x = 2$
 $y = 3$ (2)

$-3 = \frac{2}{x-2}$
 $-3(x-2) = 2$
 $-3x + 6 = 2$
 $-3x = -4$
 $x = \frac{4}{3}$ $B(\frac{4}{3}; 0)$ (4)

Must be coordinates.

Question 6 [14]

(a) $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$

$y = a(x - x_1)(x - x_2)$

$y = a(x+1)(x-3)$ ✓

Sub (5, -6) $-6 = a(5+1)(5-3)$

$-6 = 12a$

$-\frac{1}{2} = a$ ✓

$a = -\frac{1}{2}$

$y = -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 2x - 3)$
 $= -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + x + \frac{3}{2}$ ← OR

$b = 1$ ✓

$c = \frac{3}{2}$ ✓

(4)

(b) A of S $x = -\frac{b}{2a} = \frac{-1}{2(-\frac{1}{2})} = 1$ ✓

TP (1; 2) ✓

Sub $x=1$ into $f(x)$
 $f(1) = -\frac{1}{2} + 1 + \frac{3}{2}$
 $= 2$ ✓

Must give coordinates ✓

(3)

(c) $y = t^x + q$

Thru (0, 0) $\therefore q = -1$ ✓

$y = t^x - 1$
Sub A(1, 2) ✓

$2 = t^1 - 1$

$3 = t$ ✓

(3)

(d)

$y > 7$ ✓ $\therefore y \in (-1, \infty)$ ✓

(2)

(e) TP of $g(x)$

(1; -2)

(2)