

Functions

Question Paper 10

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A*	A	B	C	D	E	U
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1 The function f is defined by $f : x \mapsto 2x^2 - 12x + 7$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

(i) Express $f(x)$ in the form $a(x - b)^2 - c$. [3]

(ii) State the range of f . [1]

(iii) Find the set of values of x for which $f(x) < 21$. [3]

The function g is defined by $g : x \mapsto 2x + k$ for $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

(iv) Find the value of the constant k for which the equation $gf(x) = 0$ has two equal roots. [4]

2 The functions f and g are defined for $x \in \mathbb{R}$ by

$$f : x \mapsto 4x - 2x^2,$$

$$g : x \mapsto 5x + 3.$$

(i) Find the range of f . [2]

(ii) Find the value of the constant k for which the equation $gf(x) = k$ has equal roots. [3]

3 Functions f and g are defined by

$$f : x \mapsto k - x \quad \text{for } x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ where } k \text{ is a constant,}$$

$$g : x \mapsto \frac{9}{x+2} \quad \text{for } x \in \mathbb{R}, x \neq -2.$$

(i) Find the values of k for which the equation $f(x) = g(x)$ has two equal roots and solve the equation $f(x) = g(x)$ in these cases. [6]

(ii) Solve the equation $fg(x) = 5$ when $k = 6$. [3]

(iii) Express $g^{-1}(x)$ in terms of x . [2]

- 4 The function $f : x \mapsto a + b \cos x$ is defined for $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$. Given that $f(0) = 10$ and that $f(\frac{2}{3}\pi) = 1$, find
- (i) the values of a and b , [2]
 - (ii) the range of f , [1]
 - (iii) the exact value of $f(\frac{5}{6}\pi)$. [2]

- 5 The function f is defined by $f : x \mapsto 2x + k$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$, where k is a constant.

- (i) In the case where $k = 3$, solve the equation $ff(x) = 25$. [2]

The function g is defined by $g : x \mapsto x^2 - 6x + 8$, $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

- (ii) Find the set of values of k for which the equation $f(x) = g(x)$ has no real solutions. [3]

The function h is defined by $h : x \mapsto x^2 - 6x + 8$, $x > 3$.

- (iii) Find an expression for $h^{-1}(x)$. [4]