

POSSIBLE ANSWERS FOR :**MATHEMATICS HG P1 FINAL COPY
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QUESTION 1		
1.1	1.1.1	$(x-2)(x+3)=6$ $x^2 + x - 6 = 6$ $x^2 + x - 12 = 0$ $(x+4)(x-3) = 0$ $x = -4 \text{ or } x = 3$
		(4)
	1.1.2	$ x-3 > 3$ $x^2 - 6x + 9 > 9$ $x^2 - 6x > 0$ $x(x-6) > 0$ $x < 0 \text{ or } x > 6$ <p>OR</p> $x-3 < -3 \text{ or } x-3 > 3$ $x < 0 \text{ or } x > 6$ <p>NOTE: If $-3 < x - 3 < 3$ $0 < x < 6 \quad \text{max } \frac{1}{4}$</p> <p>If $-3 > x - 3 > 3$ $0 > x > 6 \quad \text{max } \frac{2}{4}$</p>
		(4)
	1.1.3	$x = \sqrt{2x-1} + 2$ $x-2 = \sqrt{2x-1}$ $x^2 - 4x + 4 = 2x - 1$ $x^2 - 6x + 5 = 0$ $(x-1)(x-5) = 0$ $x = 1 \text{ or } x = 5$ $\therefore x = 5 \text{ only answer}$ <p>If $x^2 = 2x - 1 + 4$ BD : Solve and check $\frac{1}{6}$; Solve not checking: $\frac{0}{6}$</p>
		(6)

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OR	$x^2 + y^2 = 100$ $4y = 50 - 3x$ $16x^2 + 16y^2 = 1600$ $16x^2 + (50 - 3x)^2 = 1600$ $16x^2 + 2500 - 300x + 9x^2 = 1600$ $25x^2 - 300x + 900 = 0$ $x^2 - 12x + 36 = 0$ etc.		$x^2 + y^2 = 6^2 + 8^2$ $x = 6, y = 8 \text{ Marks } \frac{4}{7}$ $\text{if } y = 6, x = 8 \text{ Marks } \frac{0}{7}$
1.4.1	$x^2 - 2x + 3x - kx + k - 3 = 0$ $x^2 + x(1-k) + k - 3 = 0$ $\Delta = b^2 - 4ac$ $= (1-k)^2 - 4(1)(k-3)$ $= 1 - 2k + k^2 - 4k + 12$ $= k^2 - 6k + 13$	(3)	✓ standard form ✓ substitution into Δ ✓ remove brackets
1.4.2	$\Delta = k^2 - 6k + 9 - 9 + 13$ $= (k-3)^2 + 4$ $\therefore \Delta \geq 4 \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{R}$ $\Delta \geq 0 \therefore \text{roots are real}$	(4)	✓ completion of square ✓ form ✓ $\Delta \geq 4$ ✓ $\Delta > 0$ [If $\Delta \geq 0$ indicated at least 1 mark]
OR	Using the turning point: Minimum value = 4 $\therefore \Delta \geq 4 \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{R}$ $\therefore \text{roots are real}$	(4) [33]	✓✓ "Minimum value" stated anywhere ✓✓ 4

QUESTION 2			
2.1	(0; 1) satisfies the equation $y = k^x$ since $k^0 = 1$	(1)	✓ explanation
2.2	substitute $\left(\frac{1}{2}; 2\right)$: $2 = k^{\frac{1}{2}}$ $\therefore k = 4$	(2)	✓ substitution ✓ answer
2.3	$y = a(x - b)^2 + q$ $y = a\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$ $(0; 1): 1 = a\left(0 - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2$ $= a \cdot \frac{1}{4}$ $\therefore a = 4$	(4)	✓ form ✓ sub TP ✓ sub (0; 1) ✓ a value

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OR $y = ax^2 + bx + 1$ $0 = \frac{1}{4}a + \frac{1}{2}b + 1$ $0 = a + 2b + 4 \dots \dots \dots (1)$ $1 = a + b + 1$ $0 = a + b$ $a = -b$ $0 = a + (-2a) + 4$ $a = 4$		✓ form and $c = 1$ ✓ substituting $x = \frac{1}{2}$ ✓ substitute $(0; 1)$ ✓ answer
2.4 $f(x) = 4^x$ for f^{-1} : $x = 4^y$ $\therefore y = \log_4 x$	(2)	[$\log_k x$ accepted: 2 marks] ✓ definition ✓ answer
2.5 $h(x) = -4^x$ or $h(x) = -k^x$	(1) [10]	✓ answer ($-k^x$)

QUESTION 3			
3.1 <p style="margin-top: 10px;"> $f(x) = x + 4$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{16 - x^2}$ </p>	(6)	For f : ✓ x -intercept (-4) ✓ y -intercept (4) ✓ correct shape: V to top ✓ symmetry [If salient point is at $x = 4$: $\frac{3}{4}$, and CA marks apply thereafter] for g : ✓ semi circle ✓ intercept/showing radius [Graphs on separate axes: marks $\frac{5}{6}$]	

3.2 $y \geq 0$ OR [$y \in [0; \infty)$ or Range = $\{y \mid 0 \leq y < \infty\}$]	(2)	✓✓ answer [y>0: subtract 1]
3.3 $-4 < x < 0$	(2)	✓ critical values ✓ correct inequalities
3.4 $x + 4 = 6$ or $x + 4 = -6$ $x = 2$ or $x = -10$	(2)	✓ set-up equations ✓ both answers [Only 1 answer: 1 mark]

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3.5		(2) [14]	✓✓ A & B on x-axis [Only 1 mark if indicate on the line $y = 6$] [If only -10 and 2 on x-axis: <u>zero</u> but if $A=-10$ and $B=2$ on x-axis: <u>full marks</u>] Alternatively the graph can be moved 6 units down and the x-intercepts of the new graph can be labeled A & B
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QUESTION 4			
4.1	$h(x) = x^3 + px^2 + 2x + q$ $x^2 - x - 2 = (x - 2)(x + 1)$ $h(2) = 0$ $h(2) = 8 + 4p + 4 + q = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (1)$ $4p + q = -12$ $h(-1) = 0$ $h(-1) = -1 + p - 2 + q = 0 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (2)$ $p + q = 3$ $(1) - (2): \quad 3p = -15$ $p = -5 \text{ and } q = 8$	(7)	✓ Attempt to factorise (M) ✓ factorise correct (A) ✓ substitute in (1) ✓ Either $h(2) = 0$ or $h(-1) = 0$ ✓ substitute in (2) ✓ p-value ✓ q-value
OR	$x^3 + px^2 + 2x + q = (x^2 - x - 2)(x - 4)$ $\therefore q = 8 \text{ and } p = -5$		✓✓✓✓ ✓ q ✓✓ p
4.2	$f(x) = 2x^3 + kx^2 + 4x - 7$ $= (x + 2).g(x) - 3$ $f(-2) = 0 - 3$ $2(-2)^3 + k(-2)^2 + 4(-2) - 7 = -3$ $-16 + 4k - 8 - 7 = -3$ $4k = 28$ $k = 7$	(4) [11]	✓ $f(-2) = -3$ [If $f(-2) = 0$ BD: Max $\frac{1}{4}$] ✓ substituting -2 ✓ simplification ✓ answer

QUESTION 5			
5.1	$\frac{5^{a-2} \cdot 2^{a+2}}{10^a - 2 \cdot 10^{a-1}} = \frac{10^a \left(\frac{1}{25} \cdot 4\right)}{10^a \left(1 - \frac{2}{10}\right)}$ $= \frac{4}{25} \div \frac{8}{10}$ $= \frac{4}{25} \cdot \frac{10}{8}$ $= \frac{1}{5}$	(5)	✓ splitting up ✓ same bases ✓ common factor ✓ simplification ✓ answer

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OR	$\begin{aligned} & \frac{5^a \cdot 5^{-2} \cdot 2^a \cdot 2^2}{5^a 2^a - 2^{a-1} \cdot 5^{a-1} \cdot 2} \\ &= \frac{5^a \cdot 5^{-2} \cdot 2^a \cdot 2^2}{5^a \cdot 2^a (1 - 2^{-1} \cdot 5^{-1} \cdot 2)} \\ &= \frac{\frac{4}{25}}{\frac{4}{5}} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \end{aligned}$		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ splitting up ✓ same bases ✓ common factor ✓ simplification ✓ answer
5.2	$\begin{aligned} & \log 1 - \log 2 + \log 2 - \log 3 + \dots + \log 99 - \log 100 \\ &= 0 - \log 100 \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$	(5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Apply log law - write without fractions ✓ $\log 99 - \log 100$ ✓ 0 ✓ $-\log 100$ ✓ answer
OR	$\begin{aligned} & \log\left(\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{3}{4} \times \dots \times \frac{99}{100}\right) \\ &= \log \frac{1}{100} \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Write as one log ✓ $\frac{99}{100}$ ✓ $\log \frac{1}{100}$ ✓ answer <p>[Any attempt in 5.2 to use AP or GP formulae: 0 marks]</p>
5.3	5.3.1 $\begin{aligned} & 3x^{\frac{2}{3}} - 12 = 0 \\ & 3x^{\frac{2}{3}} = 12 \\ & x^{\frac{2}{3}} = 4 \\ & x^2 = 4^3 = 64 \\ & x = 8 \text{ or } -8 \end{aligned}$	(3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ dividing by 3 ✓ exp law ✓ any one answer

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OR	$3x^{\frac{2}{3}} - 12 = 0$ $3x^{\frac{2}{3}} = 12$ $x^{\frac{2}{3}} = 4$ $x = (2^2)^{\frac{3}{2}}$ $= 8$		Full marks (3)
OR	$3x^{\frac{2}{3}} - 12 = 0$ $x^{\frac{2}{3}} - 4 = 0$ $(x^{\frac{1}{3}} - 2)(x^{\frac{1}{3}} + 2) = 0$ $\frac{1}{x^{\frac{1}{3}}} = \pm 2 \quad \text{and} \quad x = \pm 8$		Full marks (3)
5.3.2	$3^{x^2-1} = \frac{27^{-x}}{3} = \frac{3^{-3x}}{3}$ $= 3^{-3x-1}$ $x^2 - 1 = -3x - 1$ $x^2 + 3x = 0$ $x(x + 3) = 0$ $x = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad x = -3$	(4)	✓ same base ✓ using second law ✓ standard form ✓ both answers
5.3.3	$3 \log_8 x - 5 = 2 \log_x 8$ $3 \log_8 x - 5 = \frac{2}{\log_8 x}$ $3(\log_8 x)^2 - 5 \log_8 x = 2$ $3(\log_8 x)^2 - 5 \log_8 x - 2 = 0$ $(3 \log_8 x + 1)(\log_8 x - 2) = 0$ $\log_8 x = -\frac{1}{3} \quad \text{or} \quad \log_8 x = 2$ $x = 8^{-\frac{1}{3}} \quad \text{or} \quad x = 8^2$ $x = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = 64$	(6)	✓ log law same base ✓ standard form ✓ factors ✓ log forms ✓ exponential forms ✓ both answers

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OR	$\frac{3 \log x}{\log 8} - 5 = \frac{2 \log 8}{\log x}$ $3(\log x)^2 - 5 \log 8 \log x - 2(\log 8)^2 = 0$ $(3 \log x + 1 \log 8)(\log x - 2 \log 8) = 0$ $x^3 = \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{or} \quad x = 8^2$ $x = \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad x = 64$		
	<p>5.3.4 $\log_2(5-x) + \log_2 x \leq 2$</p> $\log_2(5x - x^2) \leq 2$ $5x - x^2 \leq 4$ $5x - x^2 - 4 \leq 0$ $x^2 - 5x + 4 \geq 0$ $(x-1)(x-4) \geq 0$ $x \leq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad x \geq 4 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (1)$ <p>by definition: $5-x > 0$ and $x > 0$</p> $x < 5 \quad \text{and} \quad x > 0$ $\therefore 0 < x < 5 \quad \dots \dots \dots \quad (2)$ <p>combining (1) and (2):</p> $4 \leq x < 5 \quad \text{or} \quad 0 < x \leq 1$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ single log ✓ remove logs ✓ factors ✓✓ each answer ✓ definition ✓✓ $4 \leq x < 5$ ✓✓ $0 < x \leq 1$ <p>[Critical values: one mark inequality signs: one mark]</p> <p>$\frac{3}{4}$ marks for $4 < x < 5$ or $0 < x < 1$</p>	
QUESTION 6			
6.1	$T_5 = \frac{1+15}{2} = 8$	(3)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓✓ 1+15 and divide by 2 ✓ answer 8
OR	$T_1 = a = 1$ $T_9 = 1 + 8d = 15$ $d = \frac{14}{8}$ $T_5 = 1 + 4d = 1 + \frac{4}{1} \cdot \frac{14}{8} = 8$		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 9th term ✓ d ✓ answer
OR	$T_n = \frac{7n-3}{4}$ $\text{Middle term} = \frac{1 + \frac{7n-3}{4}}{2} = \frac{\frac{4+7n-3}{4}}{2} = \frac{7n+1}{8}$		

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6.2	$S_n = a + ar + ar^2 + \dots + ar^{n-2} + ar^{n-1}$ $rS_n = ar + ar^2 + ar^3 + \dots + ar^{n-1} + ar^n$ $S_n - rS_n = a - ar^n$ $S_n(1-r) = a(1-r^n)$ $S_n = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r}$	(4)	✓ S_n ✓ rS_n ✓ subtract ✓ factorise
6.3	6.3.1 $6 + 3 + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{4} + \dots$ GP: $a = 6; r = \frac{1}{2}$ $S_{11} = \frac{a(1-r^n)}{1-r} = \frac{6\left(1-\left[\frac{1}{2}\right]^{11}\right)}{1-\frac{1}{2}}$ $= 12(1-0,000488)$ $= 11,99 \text{ or } \left(\frac{6141}{512} \text{ or } 11\frac{509}{512}\right)$	(4)	✓ formula ✓ substitute $r = \frac{1}{2}$ ✓ substituting $n = 11$ ✓ answer
	6.3.2 $S_\infty = \frac{a}{1-r}$ $= \frac{6}{1-\frac{1}{2}}$ $= 12$	(3)	✓ formula ✓ substitution ✓ answer [answer only: full marks]
	6.3.3 $\sum_{k=1}^{11} 6\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{k-1} \text{ or } \sum_{0}^{10} 6\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k$	(2)	✓✓ [Zero or 2]
6.4	324 ; 324r ; 324r ² ; 324r ³ ; 324r ⁴ $\therefore 324r^4 = 2500$ $r^4 = \frac{2500}{324} = \frac{625}{81} = \frac{5^4}{3^4} = \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^4$ $r = \frac{5}{3} \text{ OR } r = 1,67$ The second lowest gear is:: $324(1,67) = 541,08$ OR $324\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) = 540$	(4)	✓ term 5 = 2500 ✓ dividing by 324 ✓ $\sqrt[4]{ }$ ✓ term 1 $\times r$

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6.5 $\begin{aligned} S_{2n} &= \frac{2n}{2}[2a + (2n-1)(4)] \\ &= 2an + 8n^2 - 4n \\ 2S_n &= n[2a + (n-1)4] = 2an + 4n^2 - 4n \\ S_{2n} - 2S_n &= 4n^2 \\ \sqrt{S_{2n} - 2S_n} &= 2n \end{aligned}$	(7) [27]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Formula ✓ substitution of 2n ✓ substitution of d = 4 ✓ simplification ✓ $2S_n$ (substitution of n and 4) ✓ simplification ✓ $S_{2n} - 2S_n$
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QUESTION 7			
7.1 $\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 6x^2 - 3x - 1 \\ f(x+h) &= 6(x+h)^2 - 3(x+h) - 1 \\ &= 6(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - 3x - 3h - 1 \\ &= 6x^2 + 12xh + 6h^2 - 3x - 3h - 1 \\ f(x+h) - f(x) &= 12xh + 6h^2 - 3h \\ \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= 12x + 6h - 3 \\ f'(x) &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = 12x - 3 \end{aligned}$	(6)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ $f(x + h)$ ✓ simplification ✓ subtract $f(x)$ ✓ $\div h$ ✓ definition ✓ answer <p>[Penalty -1 for incorrect notation] [Answer only: 0 marks]</p>	
7.2 $\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} \left(4\sqrt{x} - \frac{8}{\sqrt{x}} + \pi x^3 \right) &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(4x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 8x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + \pi x^3 \right) \\ &= 2x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + 4x^{-\frac{3}{2}} + 3\pi x^2 \end{aligned}$	(4)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ both exponential forms ✓ ✓✓ each derivative 	
7.3 $\begin{aligned} y &= (x^2 - \sqrt{x})^2 \\ &= x^4 - 2x^2 \cdot x^{\frac{1}{2}} + x \\ &= x^4 - 2x^{\frac{5}{2}} + x \\ \frac{dy}{dx} &= 4x^3 - 5x^{\frac{3}{2}} + 1 \end{aligned}$	(5)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ remove bracket ✓ exponential law ✓✓✓ each derivative <p>[Maximum -1 for both 7.2 and 7.3 for abuse of equal sign]</p>	

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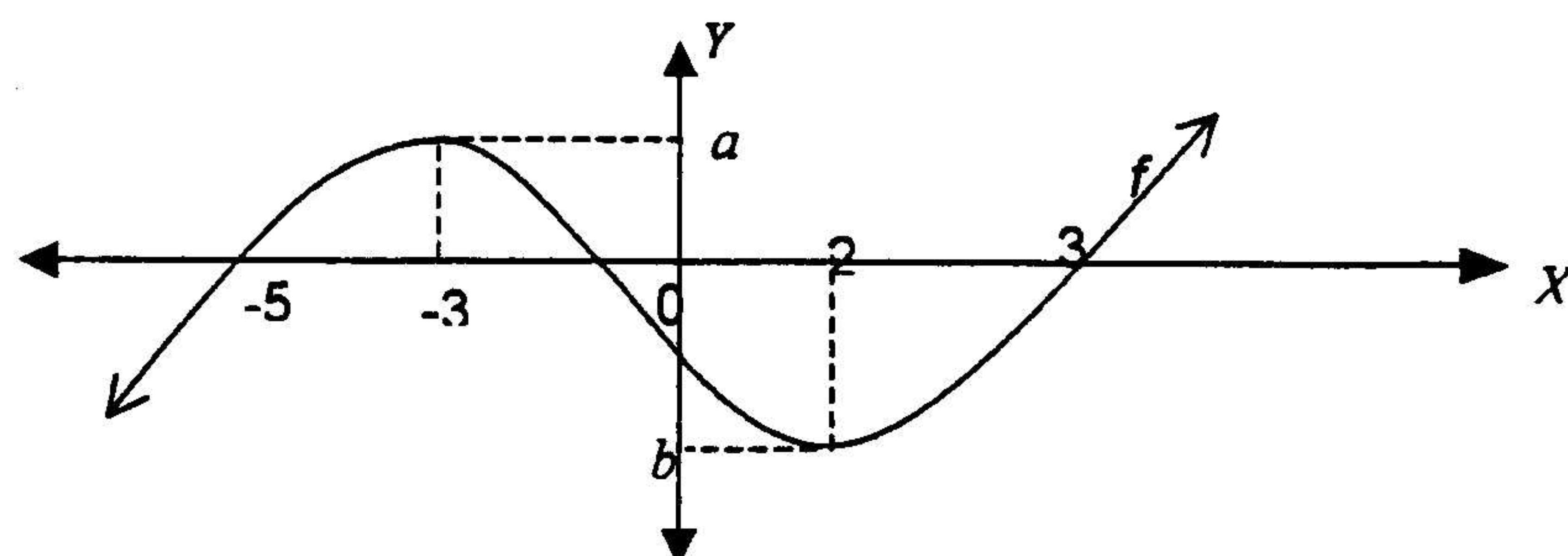
QUESTION 8

8.1	8.1.1	A maximum is obtained when $\frac{dA}{dt} = 0$ $\frac{dA}{dt} = -\frac{3}{2}t^2 + 24t = 0$ $\times 2 : -3t^2 + 48t = 0$ $\div -3 : t^2 - 16t = 0$ $t(t - 16) = 0$ $t = 16$	(4)	✓ derivative ✓ = 0 ✓ factors ✓ correct value of t [$t = 0$ or 16 : -1]
	8.1.2	Max. area: $A = -\frac{1}{2}(16)^3 + 12(16)^2$ $= 1024 \text{ m}^2$	(2)	✓ substitution ✓ answer
	8.1.3	$\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{-3}{2}t^2 + 24$ $= 22\frac{1}{2} \text{ m}^2/\text{month}$	(3)	[If substitute into original equation: 0/3] ✓ $\frac{dA}{dt}$ ✓ sub $t = 1$ into derivative ✓ answer [Ignore the unit]
	8.1.4	$-\frac{1}{2}t^3 + 12t^2 = 0$ $-\frac{1}{2}t^2(t - 24) = 0$ $t = 0 \text{ or } t = 24$	(5)	✓ value t ✓ TP(16; 1024) ✓ (0; 0) ✓ shape ✓ indicating t on graph [No marks deducted if full graph drawn]

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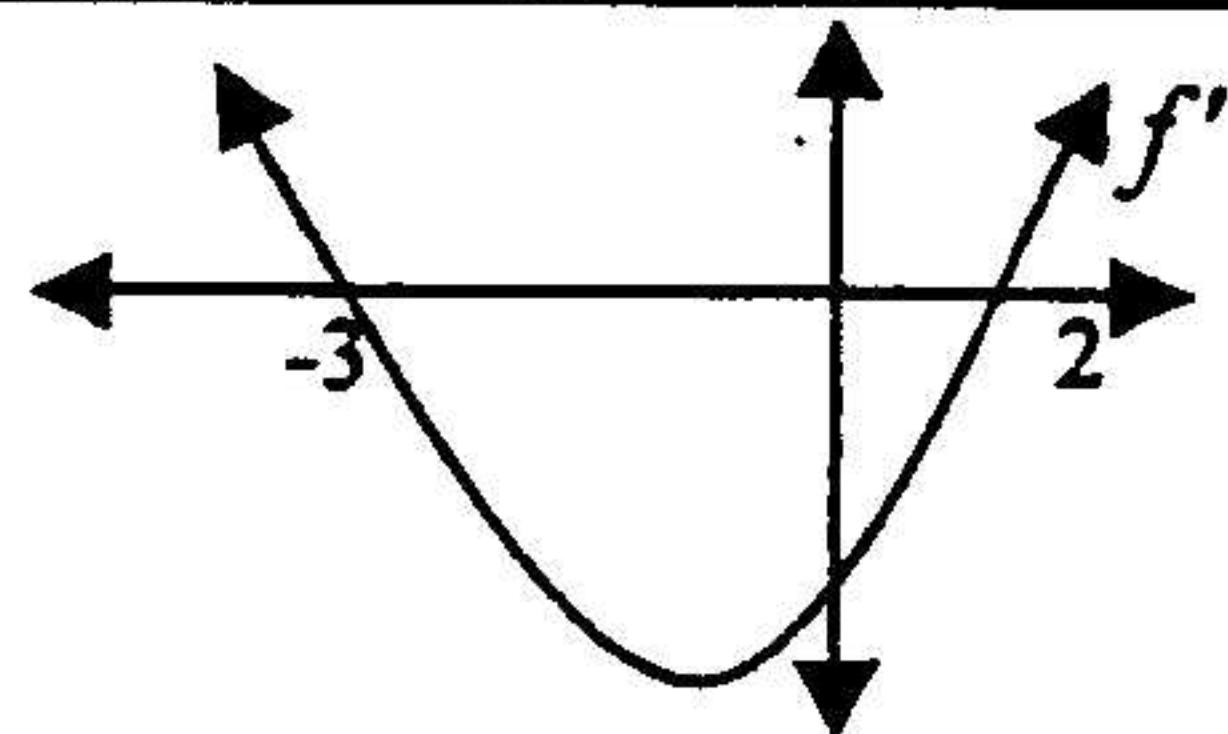
8.2

8.2.1 $f'(x) = 0$ for $x = -3$ or $x = 2$

(2) ✓✓ x values

8.2.2 $f'(x) > 0$ for $x < -3$ or $x > 2$ (4) ✓✓ for each inequalities
[-1 if = signs are included]

8.2.3



✓ parabola (shape)

✓ arms upward

✓ roots - 3 and 2

(3)

8.2.4 $k > a$ or $k < b$ ✓✓✓ $k > a$; /or $k < b$

[Partial marks:

✓✓ $k > a$ or✓✓ $k < b$ ✓ $k \leq b$ ✓ $k \geq a$ ✓✓ $k > a$ or/; $k \leq b$]

(3)

8.3	8.3.1	Athlete B is running in front at the start of the race or (B)	(1)	✓ answer
	8.3.2	Athlete B trips and falls at the hurdle	(1)	✓ answer
	OR	Athlete slow down or decelerate or he stayed at the same place for a small period of time		
	8.3.3	Athlete A is leading the race at the halfway mark or (A)	(1)	✓ answer
	8.3.4	Athlete C finishes the race faster and perhaps breaks the record or (C)	(1)	✓ answer
			[30]	

QUESTION 9

9.1	Constraint (1): $150x + 60y \leq 30000$ Constraint (2): $50x + 40y \leq 13000$ Constraint (3): $10x + 20y \leq 5000$		✓✓ correct values & ineq. ✓✓ correct values & ineq. ✓✓ correct values & ineq. [-1 if <] $\frac{3}{6}$ for all signs “=”]
9.2	On graph paper	(6)	1 mark per intercept

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9.3	On graph paper	(2)	✓✓ correct shading of feasible region
9.4	Profit: $P = 20\ 000x + 10\ 000y$ OR $y = -2x + \frac{P}{10\ 000}$	(2)	✓✓ correct equation
9.5	140 Super X and 150 Super Y	(2)	[140 ± 10 or 150 ± 10]
9.6	$P = 20\ 000(140) + 10\ 000(150)$ = R 4 300 000	(2)	✓ substitution ✓ answer or some number between R4 000 000 and R4 600 00
		[20]	
TOTAL : 200			

QUESTION 9

