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MEMORANDUM**

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- Consistent Accuracy applies in all aspects of the marking memorandum.

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- Volgehoue akkuraatheid is DEURGAANS op ALLE aspekte van die memorandum van toepassing.

**QUESTION/VRAAG 1**

1.1.1	$x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$ $(x - 6)(x + 1) = 0$ $x = 6 \text{ or } x = -1$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$ $x = \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{(-5)^2 - 4(1)(-6)}}{2(1)}$ $x = \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{49}}{2}$ $x = 6 \text{ or } x = -1$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ factors</li> <li>✓ both answers</li> </ul> <p>(2)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ correct subst into correct formula</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ both answers</li> </ul> <p>(2)</p>
1.1.2	$(3x - 1)(x - 4) = 16$ $3x^2 - 13x - 12 = 0$ $x = \frac{13 \pm \sqrt{(-13)^2 - 4(3)(-12)}}{2(3)}$ $x = \frac{13 \pm \sqrt{313}}{6}$ $x = 5,12 \text{ or } x = -0,78$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $3x^2 - 13x - 12 = 0$ $x^2 - \frac{13}{3}x = 4$ $x^2 - \frac{13}{3}x + \left(-\frac{13}{6}\right)^2 = 4 + \left(-\frac{13}{6}\right)^2$ $\left(x - \frac{13}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{313}{36}$ $x = \frac{13 \pm \sqrt{313}}{6}$ $x = 5,12 \text{ or } x = -0,78$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ standard form</li> <li>✓ correct subst into correct formula</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ ✓ answers</li> </ul> <p>(4)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ standard form</li> <li>✓ adding <math>\left(-\frac{13}{6}\right)^2</math> both sides</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ ✓ answers</li> </ul> <p>(4)</p>



	$y = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{x}{3} \dots\dots\dots (1)$ $x^2 + 4xy - 5 = 0 \dots\dots\dots (2)$ <p>Substitute (1) in (2):</p> $x^2 + 4x\left(\frac{2}{3} - \frac{x}{3}\right) - 5 = 0$ $3x^2 + 8x - 4x^2 - 15 = 0$ $-x^2 + 8x - 15 = 0$ $x^2 - 8x + 15 = 0$ $(x - 5)(x - 3) = 0$ $x = 3 \text{ or } x = 5$ $y = -\frac{1}{3} \text{ or } y = -1$	$y = \frac{2}{3} - \frac{x}{3}$ <p>✓ correct subst into correct formula</p> <p>✓ either standard form</p> <p>✓ x - values</p> <p>✓ y - values (5)</p>
<p>1.3</p>	$ab = 2\sqrt{10}$ $bc = 3\sqrt{2}$ $ac = 6\sqrt{5}$ $ab \cdot bc \cdot ac = 2\sqrt{10} \cdot 6\sqrt{5} \cdot 3\sqrt{2}$ $(abc)^2 = 36\sqrt{100}$ $abc = \sqrt{360} = 6\sqrt{10}$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $ac = 6\sqrt{5} \quad \therefore a = \frac{6\sqrt{5}}{c}$ $bc = 3\sqrt{2} \quad \therefore b = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{c}$ $ab = 2\sqrt{10}$ $\left(\frac{6\sqrt{5}}{c}\right)\left(\frac{3\sqrt{2}}{c}\right) = 2\sqrt{10}$ $18\sqrt{10} = 2\sqrt{10} \cdot c^2$ $c^2 = 9$ $c = 3$ $\text{Volume} = abc = 2\sqrt{10} \cdot 3 = \sqrt{360} = 6\sqrt{10}$	<p>□ volume = abc</p> $ab \cdot bc \cdot ac = 2\sqrt{10} \cdot 6\sqrt{5} \cdot 3\sqrt{2}$ $(abc)^2 = 36\sqrt{100}$ <p>□ answer (5)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $a = \frac{6\sqrt{5}}{c}$ $b = \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{c}$ <p>□ value of c</p> <p>□ Volume = abc</p> <p>□ answer (5)</p> <p>[22]</p>

## QUESTION/VRAAG 2

2.1.1	59	answer (1)
2.1.2	$  \begin{array}{ccccccc}  15 & & 29 & & 41 & & 51 \\  & \backslash & / & \backslash & / & \backslash & / \\  & 14 & & 12 & & 10 & \\  & & \backslash & / & \backslash & / & \\  & & -2 & & -2 & &   \end{array}  $ $2a = -2$ $a = -1$ $3(-1) + b = 14$ $b = 17$ $(-1) + (17) + c = 15$ $c = -1$ $T_n = -n^2 + 17n - 1$	✓ second difference of $-2$ ✓ $a$  ✓ $b$  ✓ $c$  (4)
2.1.3	$T_{27} = -(27)^2 + 17(27) - 1$ $= -271$	substitution answer (2)
2.2.1	$r = \frac{-18}{36} = -\frac{1}{2}$	✓ answer (1)
2.2.2	$T_n = 36 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ $\frac{9}{4096} = 36 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ $\frac{1}{16384} = \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ $\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{14} = \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ $14 = n - 1$ $n = 15$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $36; -18; 9; \frac{-9}{2}; \frac{9}{4}; \frac{-9}{8}; \dots; \frac{9}{4096}$ <p>If you look only at the denominator: <math>2; 4; 8; \dots; 4096</math></p> $2^k = 4096$ $2^k = 2^{12}$ $k = 12$ $\therefore n = 15 \text{ terms}$	$T_n = 36 \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ $\frac{1}{16384} = \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-1}$ answer (3)  <b>OR/OF</b>  $2^k = 4096$  $k = 12$ answer (3)



2.2.3	$S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r}$ $= \frac{36}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)}$ $= 24$	<p>✓ correct subst into correct formula with <math>-1 &lt; r &lt; 1</math></p> <p>✓ answer if <math>-1 &lt; r &lt; 1</math></p> <p>(2)</p>
2.2.4	$S_{250 \text{ even}} = \frac{-18 \left[ \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{250} - 1 \right]}{\frac{1}{4} - 1}$ $= -24$ $S_{250 \text{ odd}} = \frac{36 \left[ \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{250} - 1 \right]}{\frac{1}{4} - 1}$ $= 48$ $\frac{S_{\text{odd}}}{S_{\text{even}}} = \frac{48}{-24}$ $= -2$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $\frac{T_1 + T_3 + T_5 + T_7 + \dots + T_{499}}{T_2 + T_4 + T_6 + T_8 + \dots + T_{500}}$ $= \frac{a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{498}}{ar + ar^3 + ar^5 + \dots + ar^{499}}$ $= \frac{a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{498}}{r(a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{498})}$ $= \frac{1}{r}$ $= -2$	<p>✓ <math>r = \frac{1}{4}</math> and <math>n = 250</math></p> <p>✓ <math>S_{250 \text{ even}} = -24</math></p> <p>✓ <math>S_{250 \text{ odd}} = 48</math></p> <p>✓ answer</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> <p>✓ <math>a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{498}</math></p> <p>✓ <math>ar + ar^3 + ar^5 + \dots + ar^{499}</math></p> <p>✓</p> <p>✓ <math>r(a + ar^2 + ar^4 + \dots + ar^{498})</math></p> <p>✓ answer</p> <p>(4)</p> <p>[17]</p>



## QUESTION/VRAAG 3

3.1.1	$p + 6 - (2p + 3) = p - 2 - (p + 6)$ $-p + 3 = -8$ $p = 11$	✓ equating i.t.o $p$ ✓ simplifying (2)
3.1.2	$T_n = 25 + (n-1)(-8) = 33 - 8n$ $33 - 8n < -55$ $-8n < -88$ $n > 11$ <p>∴ Term 12 will be the first term smaller than <math>-55</math>            ∴ Term 12 sal die eerste term kleiner as <math>-55</math> wees.</p>	✓ subst into $T_n$ formula  ✓ $n > 11$ ✓ $n = 12$ (3)
3.2	$S_6 = \frac{n}{2}[a+l] = \frac{6}{2}[(x-3) + (x-18)]$ $= 6x - 63$ $S_9 = \frac{n}{2}[a+l] = \frac{9}{2}[(x-3) + (x-27)]$ $= 9x - 135$ $6x - 63 = 9x - 135$ $3x = 72$ $x = 24$ $\therefore S_{15} = \frac{n}{2}[a+l] = \frac{15}{2}[(x-3) + (x-45)]$ $= \frac{15}{2}[2x - 48]$ $= \frac{15}{2}[2(24) - 48] = 0 = \text{RHS}$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $\sum_{k=7}^9 (x-3k) = 0$ $(x-21) + (x-24) + (x-27) = 0$ $\therefore 3x - 72 = 0$ $3x = 72$ $x = 24$ $\sum_{k=1}^{15} (24 - 3k)$ $= 21 + 18 + 15 + \dots + -21.$ $S_n = \frac{n}{2}[a+l]$ $= \frac{15}{2}[21 - 21]$ $= 0 = \text{RHS}$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p>	✓ $6x - 63$  ✓ $9x - 135$  ✓ 24 ✓ $\frac{15}{2}[(x-3) + (x-45)]$  ✓ substitution of $x$ (5)  <b>OR/OF</b>  ✓ expansion ✓ $3x - 72 = 0$  ✓ 24  ✓ substitution of $x$  ✓ sum of 15 terms (5)  <b>OR/OF</b>





$(x-3) + (x-6) + (x-9) + (x-12) + (x-15) + (x-18)$ $= (x-3) + (x-6) + (x-9) + (x-12) + (x-15) + (x-18)$ $+ (x-21) + (x-24) + (x-27)$ $\therefore 3x - 72 = 0$ $3x = 72$ $x = 24$ $\sum_{k=1}^{15} (24 - 3k)$ $= 21 + 18 + 15 + \dots + -21.$ $S_n = \frac{n}{2} [a + l]$ $= \frac{15}{2} [21 - 21]$ $= 0 = \text{RHS}$	<p>✓ expansion</p> <p>✓ <math>3x - 72 = 0</math></p> <p>✓ 24</p> <p>✓ substitution of <math>x</math></p> <p>✓ sum of 15 terms (5)</p> <p><b>[10]</b></p>
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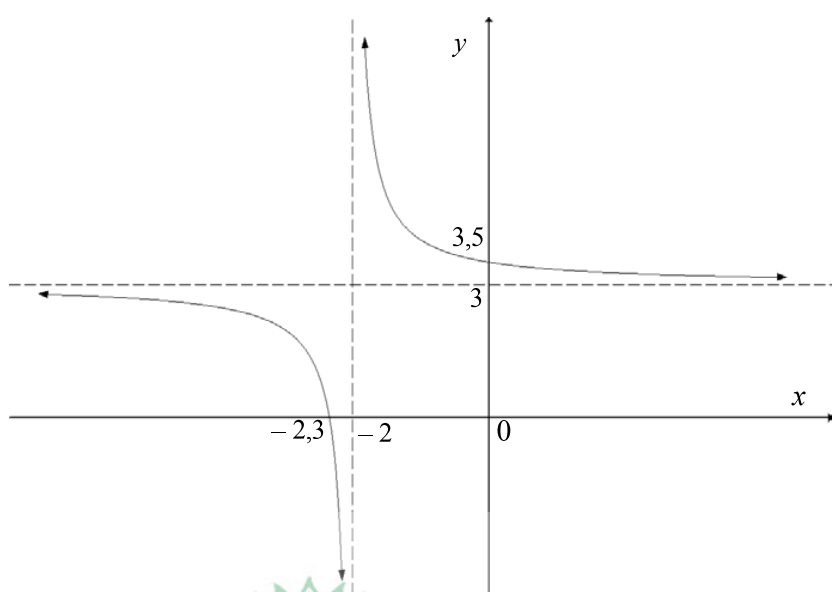
**QUESTION/VRAAG 4**

4.1	$y > 0$  <b>OR/OF</b> $y \in (0 ; \infty)$	<p>✓ answer (1)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          ✓ answer (1)</p>
4.2	$g: y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$  $g^{-1}: x = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^y$  $y = \log_{\frac{1}{2}} x$ or $y = -\log_2 x$ or $y = \log_2 \frac{1}{x}$	<p>✓ <math>x = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^y</math></p> <p>✓ equation (2)</p>
4.3	<p>Yes. The vertical line test cuts <math>g^{-1}</math> once  <i>Ja. Die vertikale lyn toets sny <math>g^{-1}</math> slegs eenkeer.</i></p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          Yes. For every <math>x</math>-value there is a unique <math>y</math>-value  <i>Ja. Vir elke <math>x</math>-waarde is daar 'n unieke <math>y</math>-waarde</i></p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          Yes. <math>g</math> is a one-to-one function / <i>Ja. <math>g</math> is 'n een-tot-een funksie</i></p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          Yes. The horizontal line cuts <math>g</math> only once  <i>Ja. Die horisontale lyn sny <math>g</math> slegs een keer</i></p>	<p>✓ yes</p> <p>✓ valid reason (2)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          ✓ yes          ✓ valid reason (2)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          ✓ yes          ✓ valid reason (2)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b>          ✓ yes          ✓ valid reason (2)</p>

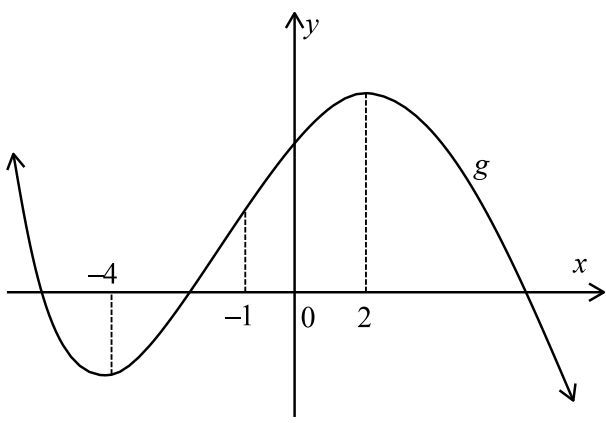


4.4.1	$y = -\log_2 x$ $2 = -\log_2 a$ $a = 2^{-2} = \frac{1}{4}$ or $a = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{4}$	✓ correct subst into correct formula ( $a ; 2$ ) ✓ answer (2)
4.4.2	$M^{-1}\left(2; \frac{1}{4}\right)$ or $M^{-1}(2; a)$	✓ answer (1)
4.5	$M^{-1}\left(-1; \frac{9}{4}\right)$	✓ -1 ✓ ✓ $\frac{9}{4}$ (3)
		<b>[11]</b>

**QUESTION/VRAAG 5**

5.1.1	$x = -2$ $y = 3$	✓ answer ✓ answer (2)
5.1.2	$\left(0; \frac{7}{2}\right)$	✓ answer (1)
5.1.3	$\frac{1}{x+2} + 3 = 0$ $1 + 3(x+2) = 0$ $3x = -7$ $x = -\frac{7}{3}$ $x$ -intercept $\left(-\frac{7}{3}; 0\right)$	✓ $y = 0$ ✓ answer (2)
5.1.4		✓ asymptotes at $y = 3$ and $x = -2$ ✓ intercepts at $y = 3,5$ and $x = -2,3$ ✓ shape (reasonable representation in correct quadrants) (3)



5.2.1	$-2x + 4 = 0$ $2x = 4$ $x = 2$ $\therefore S(2 ; 0)$	$\checkmark y = 0$ $\checkmark x = 2$  (2)
5.2.2	Equation of $k$ : $y = a(x+1)^2 + 18$ $0 = a(2+1)^2 + 18 \quad \text{or} \quad 0 = a(-4+1)^2 + 18$ $9a = -18$ $a = -2$ $y = -2(x+1)^2 + 18$	$\checkmark y = a(x+1)^2 + 18$ $\checkmark$ substitute $(2 ; 0)$ or $(-4 ; 0)$ $\checkmark a$  (3)
5.2.3	$-2x^2 - 4x + 16 = -2x + 4$ $-2x^2 - 2x + 12 = 0$ $x^2 + x - 6 = 0$ $(x+3)(x-2) = 0$ $x = -3 \text{ or } x = 2$ $y = -2(-3) + 4 = 10$ $T(-3 ; 10)$	$\checkmark$ equating $\checkmark$ standard form $\checkmark$ choosing $x = -3$ $\checkmark$ answer  (4)
5.2.4	$x < -3$ or $x > 2$  <b>OR/OF</b> $(-\infty ; -3) \cup (2 ; \infty)$	$\checkmark\checkmark$ answer  (2)  <b>OR/OF</b> $\checkmark\checkmark$ answer  (2)
5.2.5(a)	$x < -1$  <b>OR/OF</b> $(-\infty ; -1)$	$\checkmark$ answer  (2)  <b>OR/OF</b> $\checkmark$ answer  (2)
5.2.5(b)		$\square$ shape of cubic with local min tp moving to local max tp  $\square$ turning points at $x = 2$ and $x = -4$  $\square$ point of inflection at $x = -1$  (3)  <b>[24]</b>



## QUESTION/VRAAG 6

6.1	$f(x) = x^2 + 2$ $f(x+h) = (x+h)^2 + 2$ $= x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 2$ $f(x+h) - f(x) = x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 2 - (x^2 + 2)$ $= 2xh + h^2$ $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x+h)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x+h) \checkmark$ $= 2x$ <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $f'(x) = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{x_2^2 + 2x_2h + h^2 + 2 - (x_2^2 + 2)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2x_2h + h^2}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x_2 + h)}{h}$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x_2 + h)$ $= 2x$	$\checkmark x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 2$ $\checkmark \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2}{h}$ $\checkmark \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x+h)}{h}$ $\checkmark \text{answer}$ <p style="text-align: right;">(5)</p> <p><b>OR/OF</b></p> $\checkmark x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 2$ $\checkmark \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{2xh + h^2}{h}$ $\checkmark \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{h(2x+h)}{h}$ $\checkmark \text{answer}$ <p style="text-align: right;">(5)</p>
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6.2.1	$y = 4x^3 + 2x^{-1}$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = 12x^2 - 2x^{-2}$	$\checkmark + 2x^{-1}$ $\checkmark 12x^2$ $\checkmark - 2x^{-2}$	(3)
6.2.2	$y = 4\sqrt[3]{x} + (3x^3)^2$ $= 4x^{\frac{1}{3}} + 9x^6$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4}{3}x^{-\frac{2}{3}} + 54x^5$	$\checkmark 4x^{\frac{1}{3}}$ $\checkmark 9x^6$ $\checkmark \frac{4}{3}x^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ $\checkmark 54x^5$	(4)
6.3	Point of contact: (1 ; 5) $m = 2$ $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ or $y = 2x + c$ $y - 5 = 2(x - 1)$ $5 = 2 + c$ $c = 3$ $y = 2x + 3$ $y = 2x + 3$	$\checkmark m = 2$ $\checkmark$ substitution of (1 ; 5) $\checkmark$ answer	(3) <b>[14]</b>

**QUESTION/VRAAG 7**

7.1	$h(x) = -2(x + \frac{3}{2})(x - 1)(x + 3)$ $h(x) = -(2x + 3)(x^2 + 2x - 3)$ $h(x) = -2x^3 - 7x^2 + 9$ <b>OR/OF</b> $h(x) = -(2x + 3)(x - 1)(x + 3)$ $h(x) = -(2x + 3)(x^2 + 2x - 3)$ $h(x) = -2x^3 - 7x^2 + 9$	$\checkmark \checkmark - 2(x + \frac{3}{2})(x - 1)(x + 3)$ $\checkmark$ correct simplification (3) <b>OR/OF</b> $\checkmark \checkmark -(2x + 3)(x - 1)(x + 3)$ $\checkmark$ correct simplification (3)	
7.2	$h'(x) = -6x^2 - 14x$ $-6x^2 - 14x = 0$ $-2x(3x + 7) = 0$ $x = 0$ or $x = -\frac{7}{3}$	$\checkmark$ first derivative $\checkmark = 0$ $\checkmark$ both answers	(3)
7.3	$x < -\frac{7}{3}$ or $x > 0$ <b>OR/OF</b> $x \in \left(-\infty; -\frac{7}{3}\right) \cup (0; \infty)$	$\checkmark \checkmark$ answer <b>OR/OF</b> $\checkmark \checkmark$ answer	(2) (2)



7.4	$y = 4x + 7$ $-6x^2 - 14x = 4$ $0 = 6x^2 + 14x + 4$ $0 = 3x^2 + 7x + 2$ $0 = (3x+1)(x+2)$ $x = -\frac{1}{3}$ or $x = -2$	$\checkmark y = 4x + 7$ $\checkmark h'(x) = 4$ $\square$ standard form $\checkmark$ both answers (5) <b>[12]</b>
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**QUESTION/VRAAG 9**

8.1	Volume of Sphere $= \frac{4}{3}\pi(8)^3$ or $= \frac{2048\pi}{3}$ or $= 2144,66$	$\checkmark$ answer (1)
8.2	$r^2 + x^2 = 8^2$ (Pythagoras) $r^2 = 64 - x^2$	$\checkmark$ substitution or reason Pythagoras (1)
8.3	$V_{cone} = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ $= \frac{1}{3}\pi(64 - x^2)(8 + x)$ $= \frac{\pi}{3}(512 + 64x - 8x^2 - x^3)$ $\frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{64\pi}{3} - \frac{16\pi}{3}x - \frac{3\pi}{3}x^2$ $0 = 64 - 16x - 3x^2$ $0 = (8 - 3x)(x + 8)$ $x = \frac{8}{3}$ $x \neq -8$ $\frac{V_{cone}}{V_{sphere}} = \frac{\frac{1}{3}\pi \left( \frac{512}{9} - \frac{32}{3} \right)}{\frac{2048\pi}{3}}$ $= \frac{8}{27} = 0,3$	$\checkmark h = 8 + x$ $\checkmark \frac{1}{3}\pi(64 - x^2)(8 + x)$ $\checkmark$ expansion $\checkmark \frac{dV}{dx} = \frac{64\pi}{3} - \frac{16\pi}{3}x - \frac{3\pi}{3}x^2$ $\checkmark x = \frac{8}{3}$ $\checkmark$ volume of the cone $\checkmark \frac{8}{27}$ or 0,3 (7) <b>[9]</b>

**TOTAL/TOTAAL: 120**