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GRADE 12

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MARKING GUIDELINES

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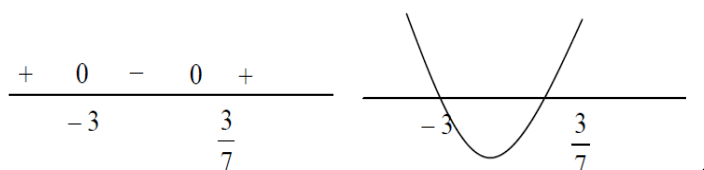
MARKS: 150

This marking guidelines consists of twelve pages.



NOTE:

- If a learner answers a question TWICE, only mark the FIRST attempt.
- If a learner has crossed out (cancelled) an attempt to a question and NOT redone the solution, mark the crossed out (cancelled) version.
- Consistent accuracy (CA) applies in ALL aspects of the marking guidelines; however, it stops at the second calculation error.
- Rounding is an independent mark.
- General principle of making, if the candidate makes one mistake one mark shall be deducted.
- A conclusion mark can only be given if relevant calculations precede it.

	Question 1	
1.1.1	$x = 3 \checkmark$ or $x = 2 \checkmark$	$x = 3 \checkmark$ $x = 2 \checkmark$ (2)
1.1.2	$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(2)(-7)}}{2(2)} \checkmark$ $x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{65}}{4} \checkmark$ $x = 1.27 \checkmark$ or $x = -2.77 \checkmark$	Correct substitution \checkmark Simplification \checkmark $x = 1.27 \checkmark$ $x = -2.77 \checkmark$ (4)
1.1.3	$2^x - 2^{\frac{x}{2}} - 6 = 0 \checkmark$ $(2^{\frac{x}{2}} - 4)(2^{\frac{x}{2}} + 2) = 0 \checkmark$ $2^{\frac{x}{2}} = 2^2$ or $2^{\frac{x}{2}} = -2$ (N/A) \checkmark $\frac{x}{2} = 2$ $x = 4 \checkmark$	Standard form \checkmark factors \checkmark $2^{\frac{x}{2}} = -2$ (N/A) \checkmark $x = 4 \checkmark$ (4)
1.1.4	$(3x - 7)(x + 3) > 0 \checkmark$ Critical values: $x = \frac{7}{3}$ or $x = -3$  $x < -3 \checkmark$ or $x > \frac{3}{7} \checkmark$	CVs \checkmark Method \checkmark $x < -3 \checkmark$ $x > \frac{3}{7} \checkmark$ (4)
1.2.1	$x = 4y - 4 \checkmark$ $y(4y - 4) = 8 \checkmark$ $4y^2 - 4y - 8 = 0$	Equa... (3) \checkmark Sub... \checkmark Sta Form \checkmark

	$y^2 - y - 2 = 0$ ✓ $(y - 2)(y + 1) =$ ✓ $y = 2$ or $y = -1$ ✓ $x = 4$ or $x = -8$ ✓	Factors ✓ y-values ✓ x-values ✓ (6)
1.2.2	$y = x$ ✓ or $y = -x$ ✓	$y = x$ ✓ $y = -x$ ✓ (2)
1.3.1	$36 - 4k < 0$ ✓ $-4k < -36$ $k > 9$ ✓	$36 - 4k < 0$ ✓ $k > 9$ ✓ (2)
1.3.1	$2k = 0$ $k = 0$ ✓	$k = 0$ ✓ (1)
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Question 2

2.1.1	$3(1) + a = 11$ $a = 8$ ✓ $1 + 8 + b = 9$ $b = 0$ ✓ $T_n = n^2 + 8n$ ✓	$a = 8$ ✓ $b = 0$ ✓ $T_n = n^2 + 8n$ ✓ (3)
2.1.2	$n^2 + 8n = 240$ $n^2 + 8n - 240 = 0$ ✓ $(n - 12)(n + 20) = 0$ ✓ $n = 12$ ✓ or $n = -20$ (N/A) ✓	Sta Form ✓ Factors ✓ $n = 12$ ✓ $n = -20$ (N/A) ✓ (4)
2.2.1	$3 + (n - 1)(-4) = -89$ ✓	$T_n = -89$ ✓

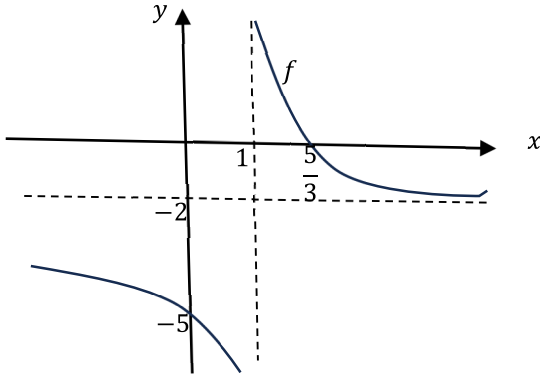
	$n - 1 = 23$ ✓ $n = 24$ ✓ 24 terms.	Simplification ✓ $n = 24$ ✓ (3)
2.2.2	Negative sequence -1; -5; -9...;-89 ✓ $n = 24 - 1 = 23$ $s_n = \frac{23}{2} [2(-1) + (23 - 1)(6)]$ ✓ $s_n = 1495$ ✓	-1; -5; -9...;-89 ✓ Sub... ✓ $s_n = 1495$ ✓ (3)
2.2.3	Sequence of terms divisible by 3 3;-9;-21;...;-81 ✓ $-81 = 3 - 12(n - 1)$ ✓ $n = 6$ ✓	3;-9;-21;...;-81 ✓ $d = -12$ ✓ $T_n = -81$ ✓ $n = 6$ ✓ (4)
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Question 3

3.1	$r = \frac{2}{3}$ $-1 < \frac{2}{3} < 1$ ✓	$-1 < \frac{2}{3} < 1$ ✓ (1)
3.2	$s_\infty = \frac{3}{1 - \frac{2}{3}}$ ✓ $= 9$ ✓	Sub.. ✓ $S_\infty = 9$ ✓ (2)
3.3	$S_\infty - S_n = \frac{3}{1 - \frac{2}{3}} - \frac{3(1 - (\frac{2}{3})^n)}{1 - \frac{2}{3}}$ ✓ $= 9 - 9(1 - (\frac{2}{3})^n)$ ✓ $= 9(1 - 1 + (\frac{2}{3})^n)$ ✓	Sub S_n ... ✓ Sub S_∞ ✓ Simp ✓ Common factor ✓

	$= 9 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \checkmark$	$9 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^n \checkmark$ (5)
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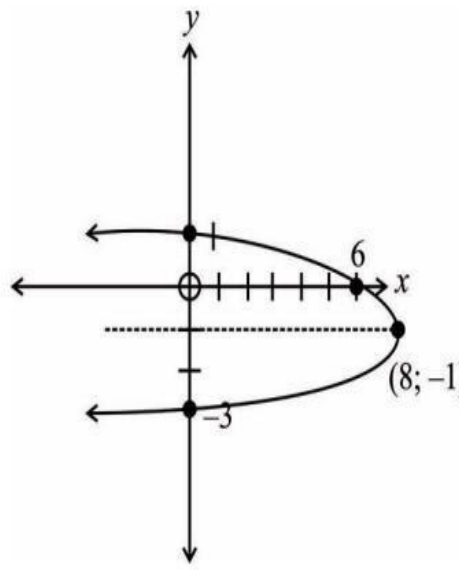
Question 4

4.1	$= \frac{-2x+2+3}{x-1} \checkmark$ $= \frac{-2x+2}{x-1} \checkmark + \frac{3}{x-1} \checkmark$ $= \frac{-2(x-1)}{x-1} \checkmark + \frac{3}{x-1}$ $= \frac{3}{x-1} - 2$	$5 = 2 + 3 \checkmark$ Common denominator \checkmark Splitting \checkmark Factorization \checkmark (4)
4.2	$x = 1 \checkmark$ $y = -2 \checkmark$	$x = 1 \checkmark$ $y = -2 \checkmark$ (2)
4.3	$0 \checkmark = \frac{3}{x-1} - 2$ $2 = \frac{3}{x-1}$ $x = \frac{5}{3} \checkmark$ $y = -5 \checkmark$	$f(x) = 0 \checkmark$ $x = \frac{5}{3} \checkmark$ $y = -5 \checkmark$ (3)
4.4		Shape \checkmark Intercepts \checkmark Asymptotes \checkmark (3)

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4.5	$y \in \mathbb{R} \checkmark; y \neq 2 \checkmark$	$y \in \mathbb{R} \checkmark$ $y \neq 2 \checkmark$ (2)
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Question 5

5.1	Axis of symmetry: $\frac{-3+1}{2} \checkmark = -1 \checkmark$ $x < -1 \checkmark$ or $x > 0 \checkmark$	$\frac{-3+1}{2} \checkmark$ $= -1 \checkmark$ $x < -1 \checkmark$ $x > 0 \checkmark$ (4)
5.2	$q = -1 \checkmark$ Sub (1:2) $2 = d^1 - 1 \checkmark$ $d = 3 \checkmark$ $\therefore g(x) = 3^x - 1 \checkmark$	$q = -1 \checkmark$ Sub (1:2) \checkmark $d = 3 \checkmark$ $g(x) = 3^x - 1 \checkmark$ (4)
5.3	$x = 3^y - 1 \checkmark$ $3^y = x + 1$ $y = \log_3(x + 1) \checkmark$	Swoping \checkmark $y = g^{-1}(x) =$ $\log_3(x + 1) \checkmark$ (2)
5.4	$x > -1 \checkmark \checkmark$	$x > -1 \checkmark \checkmark$ (2)
5.5	$f(x) = a(x + 3)(x - 1) \checkmark$ $6 = a(3)(-1) \checkmark$ $a = -2 \checkmark$ $\therefore f(x) = -2(x + 3)(x - 1)$ $= -2x^2 - 4x + 6 \checkmark$ $a = -2, b = -4, c = 6$	Sub x- intercepts \checkmark Sub C(0;6) \checkmark $a = -2 \checkmark$ $-2x^2 - 4x + 6 \checkmark$ (4)

5.6		Shape ✓ x-intercept ✓ TP: (8;-1)✓ y-intercepts ✓ (4)
5.7	$k > -6$ ✓✓	$k > -6$ ✓✓ (2)
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Question 6

6.1.1	$i = \frac{0.1}{4} = 0.025$ ✓	0.025✓ (1)
6.1.2	$A = 5000 \left(1 + \frac{0.1}{4}\right)^{2 \times 4}$ ✓ $A = R6092,01$ ✓	$n = 8$ ✓ $i = \frac{0.1}{4}$ ✓ $A = R6092,01$ ✓ (3)
6.2.1	Amount paid for 110 laptops: $6000 \times 110 = A = R660\,000$ ✓ Depreciation over 5 years: $A = 660\,000 \left(1 - \frac{15}{100}\right)^5$ ✓ $= 292\,845,51$ ✓ Inflation : $= 660\,000 \left(1 + \frac{6}{100}\right)^5$ ✓ $A = 883\,228,881$ ✓	Total paid: = $R660\,000$ ✓ Sub correct F✓ $292\,845,51$ ✓ Sub correct F✓ $883\,228,881$ ✓ Difference:

	$= 883\,228,88 - 292\,845,51$ $= R590\,383,37\checkmark$	$R590\,383,37\checkmark$ (5)
6.2.2	<p>Sinking fund: $590\,383,37 = x \left[\frac{\left(1 + \frac{0,12}{12}\right)^{5 \times 12} - 1}{\frac{0,12}{12}} \right]\checkmark$</p> $x = 7\,228,92\checkmark$	Sub... \checkmark $n = 60\checkmark$ $i = \frac{0,12}{12}\checkmark$ $x = 7\,228,92\checkmark$ (4)
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Question 7

7.1	$f(x+h) = 3 - 2(x+h)^2$ $= 3 - 2(x^2 + 2hx + h^2)$ $= 3 - 2x^2 - 4xh - 2h^2$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 - 2x^2 - 4hx - 2h^2 - (3 - 2x^2)}{h}\checkmark$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3 - 2x^2 - 4hx - 2h^2 - 3 + 2x^2}{h}\checkmark$ $= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-4hx - 2h^2}{h}\checkmark$ $= -4x\checkmark$	Sub... \checkmark Simplification \checkmark Common factor \checkmark Sub... $h = 0\checkmark$ $-4x\checkmark$ (5)
7.2.1	$y = -x^{-1} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}\checkmark$ $y = x^{-2}\checkmark + \frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\checkmark$	$y = -x^{-1} + x^{\frac{1}{2}}\checkmark$ $x^{-2}\checkmark$ $\frac{1}{2}x^{-\frac{1}{2}}\checkmark$ (3)
7.2.2	$= D_x \left[\frac{8}{8x^5} - \frac{3x^6}{8x^5} \right]$ $= D_x \left[x^{-5} - \frac{3}{8}x \right]\checkmark$ $= -5x^{-6}\checkmark - \frac{3}{8}\checkmark$	$D_x \left[x^{-5} - \frac{3}{8}x \right]\checkmark$ $-5x^{-6}\checkmark$ $-\frac{3}{8}\checkmark$ (3)

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Question 8

8.1	$f(x) = a(x + 6)(x + 1)(x - 2)✓$ $24 = a(6)(1)(-2)✓$ $a = -2✓$ $f(x) = -2(x + 6)(x + 1)(x - 2)✓$ $= -2(x + 6)(x^2 - x - 2)$ $= -2(x^3 - x^2 - 2x - 8x - 12)$ $= -2x^3 - 10x^2 + 16x + 24✓$ $∴ a = -2, b = -10, c = 16, d = 24$	Sub x-intercepts ✓ Sub(0:24)✓ $a = -2✓$ Simplification ✓ $-2x^3 - 10x^2 + 16x + 24✓$ (5)
8.2	At D and E, $f'(x) = 0$ $-6x^2 - 20x + 16 = 0✓$ $3x^2 + 10x - 8 = 0$ $(3x - 2)(x + 4) = 0✓$ $x = \frac{2}{3}$ or $x = -4✓$ $f(-4) = -2(-4)^3 - 10(-4)^2 + 16(-4) + 24 = -72$ D(-4; -72)✓	$-6x^2 - 20x + 16 = 0✓$ factors✓ $x = \frac{2}{3}$ or $x = -4✓$ D(-4; -72)✓ (4)
8.3	$-4 + p = 0, -72 + q = 0$ $∴ p = 4 ✓$ and $q = 72✓$	$p = 4 ✓$ $q = 72✓$ (2)
8.4	$x < -6✓$ or $\frac{-5}{3} < x < 0 ✓$ or $x > 2✓$	$x < -6✓$ $\frac{-5}{3} < x < 0 ✓$ $x > 2✓$ (3)
8.5	$0✓ < k < 72✓✓$	$0✓ < k < 72✓✓$ (3)

Question 9

9.1	$B\left(x; 4 - \frac{x^2}{4}\right) \checkmark \checkmark$	x-value \checkmark y-value \checkmark (2)
9.2	$\text{Area } \triangle OBD = \frac{1}{2}(\text{OD})(\text{DB})$ $= \frac{1}{2}x \left(4 - \frac{x^2}{4}\right) \checkmark$ $= 2x - \frac{x^3}{8} \checkmark x \in [0; 4] \checkmark$	Sub correct F \checkmark $2x - \frac{x^3}{8} \checkmark$ $x \in [0; 4] \checkmark$ (3)
9.3	Max Area when $\frac{dArea}{dx} = 0 \checkmark$ $2 - \frac{3x^2}{8} = 0$ $\frac{3x^2}{8} = 2 \checkmark$ $x^2 = \frac{16}{3} \checkmark$ $x = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3} = 2,3 \text{ units} \checkmark$	$\frac{dArea}{dx} = 0 \checkmark$ $\frac{3x^2}{8} = 2 \checkmark$ $x^2 = \frac{16}{3} \checkmark$ $x = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3} = 2,3$ units \checkmark (4)
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	TOTAL:	150