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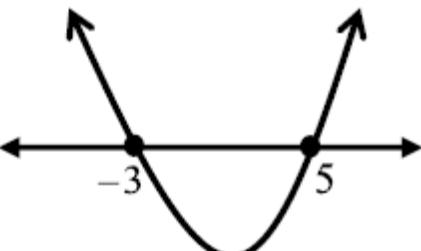


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## QUESTION 1

1.1.1	$x = -3$ or $x = 2$	✓ $x = -3$ ✓ $x = 2$	(2)
1.1.2	$(x+3)(x-5) \geq 0$ <p>CV: <math>x = -3</math> or <math>x = 5</math></p>  	✓ critical values	
	$x \leq -3$ or $x \geq 5$ <b>OR</b> $x \in (-\infty; -3] \text{ or } x \in [5; \infty)$	✓ $x \leq 3$ ✓ $x \geq 5$	(3)
1.2.1	$x \leq -5, x \in \mathbb{R}$	✓✓ answer	(2)
1.2.2	$x + 3 = \sqrt{x + 5}$ $(x + 3)^2 = (\sqrt{x + 5})^2$ $x^2 + 6x + 9 = x + 5$ $x^2 + 5x + 4 = 0$ $(x + 1)(x + 4) = 0$ $x = -1 \text{ or } x \neq -4$	✓ isolating surd ✓ square both sides ✓ standard form ✓ selection	(4)



**QUESTION 2**

2.1.1	$r = \frac{T_3}{T_2} = \frac{6x}{12}$ $= \frac{x}{2}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer (1)
2.1.2	$x = 4 \Rightarrow a = 6 \text{ & } r = 2$ $S_{10} = \frac{a(r^n - 1)}{r - 1}$ $= \frac{6(2^{10} - 1)}{2 - 1}$ $= 6138$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> values of $a$ and $r$ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> substitution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer (3)
2.2.1	$S_{15} = -(15)^2 + 8(15)$ $= -105$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> substitution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer (2)
2.2.2	$T_{15} = S_{15} - S_{14}$ $= -105 - (-84) = -21$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer (2)
2.2.3	$T_1 = S_1 = 7 \quad a + 14d = -21$ $S_2 = -(2)^2 + 8(2) = 12 \quad \text{OR} \quad 7 + 14d = -21$ $\therefore T_2 = 5 \quad 14d = -28$ $\Rightarrow d = -2 \quad d = -2$ $T_n = a + (n-1)d$ $7 + (n-1)(-2) = -169$ $7 - 2n + 2 = -169$ $-2n = -178$ $n = 89$ <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> $S_n - S_{n-1} = T_n$ $-n^2 + 8n - [-(n-1)^2 + 8(n-1)] = -169$ $-n^2 + 8n - [-n^2 + 2n - 1 + 8n - 8] = -169$ $-n^2 + 8n + n^2 - 10n + 9 = -169$ $-2n = -178$ $n = 89$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> $T_5 = 5$ or $14d = -28$ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> $d = -2$ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> substitution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> formula <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> substitution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> simplification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> answer (4)
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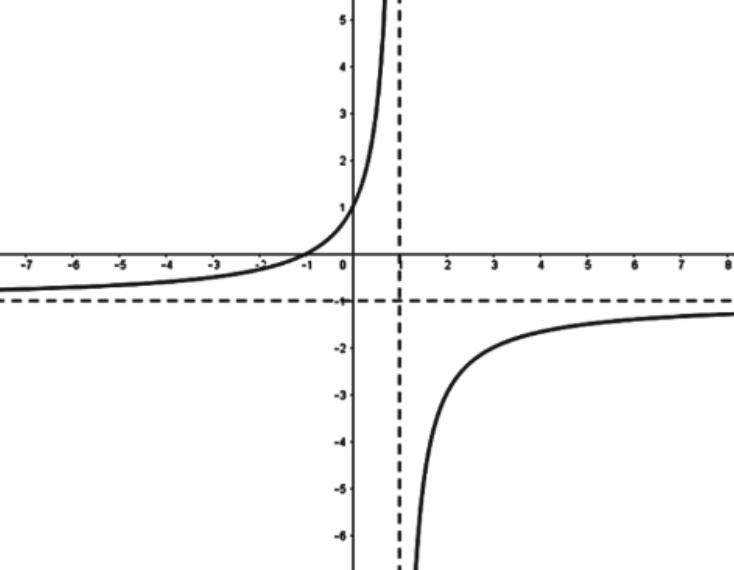


**QUESTION 3**

3.1.1	$T_1 = (x-1)$ $T_2 = (x-1)^2$ $\therefore r = x-1$ for convergence: $-1 < r < 1$ $-1 < x-1 < 1$ $\therefore 0 < r < 2$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <math>-1 &lt; r &lt; 1</math></li> <li>✓ answer (2)</li> </ul>
3.1.2	When: $x = \frac{2}{3}$ $k = \left(\frac{2}{3} - 1\right) + \left(\frac{2}{3} - 1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2}{3} - 1\right)^3 + \dots$ $k = \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right) + \left(\frac{1}{9}\right) + \left(-\frac{1}{27}\right) + \dots$ $\therefore a = -\frac{1}{3}$ and $r = -\frac{1}{3}$ $\therefore S_{\infty} = \frac{a}{1-r}$ $= \frac{-\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)}$ $= -\frac{1}{4}$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ substitution</li> <li>✓ values of <math>a</math> and <math>r</math></li> <li>✓ substituting into <math>S_{\infty}</math> formula</li> <li>✓ answer (4)</li> </ul>
3.2	$a = 70$ and $T_{11} = 50$ $\therefore 70 + 10d = 50$ $10d = -20$ $\therefore d = -2$ $70 + (n-1)(-2) = 58$ $70 - 2n + 2 = 58$ $-2n = -14$ $n = 7$ $\therefore$ 7th horizontal support has a length of 58 cm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <math>70 + 10d = 50</math></li> <li>✓ <math>d = -2</math></li> <li>✓ <math>70 + (n-1)(-2) = 58</math></li> <li>✓ <math>-2n = -14</math></li> <li>✓ answer (5)</li> </ul>
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**QUESTION 4**

4.1	$x = 1$ $y = -1$	✓ $x = 1$ ✓ $y = -1$ (2)
4.2	$y$ -intercept: $y = -1$ $x$ -intercept: $0 = \frac{-2}{x-1} - 1$ $x = -1$	✓ $y$ -intercept ✓ equating to 0 ✓ $x$ -intercept (3)
4.3		✓ asymptotes ✓ intercepts ✓ shape (3)
4.4	$-1 = (-1)(1) + c$ $c = 0$ $y = -x$	✓ gradient ✓ answer (2)
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**QUESTION 5**

5.1.	$g(x) = -3x + 20$ $g(3) = -3(3) + 20 = 11$ $\therefore k = 11$	✓ subst. $x = 3$ ✓ $k = 11$ (2)
5.2	$y \geq -11$ OR	✓✓ answer (2)



	$x \in [-11; \infty)$	
5.3	$y = a(x-3)^2 + 11$ subst. (6; 2) $2 = a(6-3)^2 + 11$ $-9 = 9a$ $a = -1$ $y = -1(x-3)^2 + 11$ $y = -(x^2 - 6x + 9) + 11$ $y = -x^2 + 6x + 2$ $\therefore a = -1; b = 6 \text{ and } c = 2$  OR $f'(3) = 0$ $f'(x) = 2ax + b$ $f'(3) = 6a + b = 0$ $b = -6a \dots (1)$ $f(3) = 11$ $11 = 9a + 3b + c \dots (2)$ subst (1) in (2) $11 = 9a - 18a + c$ $9a + 11 = c \dots (3)$ $f(6) = 2$ $2 = 36a + 6b + c \dots (4)$ subst (1) and 3 in (4) $2 = 36a + 6(-6a) + 11 + 9a$ $2 = 11 + 9a$ $-9 = 9a$ $a = -1$ subst in (1): $b = -6(-1) = 6$ subst in (3): $11 + 9(-1) = c$ $c = 2$	✓ $y = a(x-3)^2 + 11$ ✓ subst. (6; 2) ✓ $a = -1$ ✓ $x^2 - 6x + 9$ ✓ $y = -x^2 + 6x + 2$ ✓ answer ✓ $b = -6a$ ✓ $11 = 9a + 3b + c$ ✓ $11 + 9a = c$ ✓ $2 = 36a + 6b + c$ ✓ $b = 6 \text{ and } c = 2$ (6)
5.4	$3 < x < 6$	✓ critical values



	OR	
	$x \in (3; 6)$	✓ inequalities (2)
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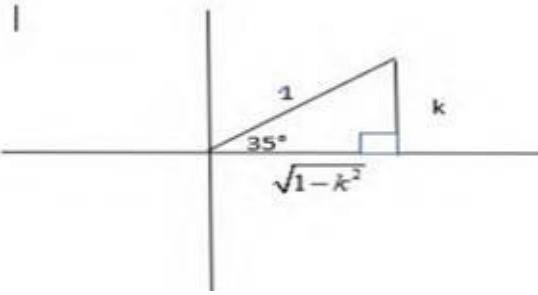
**QUESTION 6**

6.1	$h(x) = a^x$ $\frac{1}{2} = a^{-1}$ $\therefore a = 2$	✓ substitution ✓ answer (2)
6.2	$y = 2^x$ $x = 2^y$ $\therefore h^{-1}(x) : y = \log_2 x$	✓ swop $x$ and $y$ ✓ answer (2)
6.3		✓ $y$ -intercept for $h$ ✓ shape of $h$ ✓ $x$ -intercept for $h^{-1}$ ✓ shape of $h^{-1}$ (4)
6.4	$x > 0; x \in \mathbb{R}$	✓ answer (1)
6.5	$x > 2; x \in \mathbb{R}$ <b>OR</b> $\log_2 x > 1$ algebraically $\therefore x > 2$	✓ answer (1)
6.6.1	$t(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x - 1$ $= 2^{-x} - 1$ $\Rightarrow$ reflection about the $y$ -axis shift of 1 unit down	✓ reflection ✓ shift (2)



6.6.2	$y = -1$	✓ answer	(1)
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**QUESTION 7**

7.1.1	$r^2 = x^2 + y^2$ $(1)^2 = x^2 + (k)^2$ $x = 1 - k^2$ $x = \pm\sqrt{1 - k^2}$  $\cos 55^\circ = \cos(90^\circ - 35^\circ)$ $= \sin 35^\circ$ $= k$ <b>OR</b> $\cos 55^\circ = k$	✓ $x$ ✓ $\cos(90^\circ - 35^\circ)$ ✓ answer ✓✓ answer	(3)
7.1.2	$\sin 70^\circ = \sin 2(35^\circ)$ $= 2 \sin 35^\circ \cos 35^\circ$ $= 2.k.\sqrt{1 - k^2}$	✓ double angle ✓ $k$ ✓ $\sqrt{1 - k^2}$	(3)
7.1.3	$\cos 80^\circ = \cos(45^\circ + 35^\circ)$ $= \cos 45^\circ \cos 35^\circ - \sin 45^\circ \sin 35^\circ$ $= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot \sqrt{1 - k^2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \cdot k$ $= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (\sqrt{1 - k^2} - k)$ <b>OR</b>	✓ $\cos(45^\circ + 35^\circ)$ ✓ expansion ✓ answer	(3)



	$= \frac{\sqrt{2-2k^2} - \sqrt{2}k}{2}$	
7.2	$(\sin x - \cos x)^2 = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2$ $\sin^2 x - 2 \sin x \cos x + \cos^2 x = \frac{9}{16}$ $1 - 2 \sin x \cos x = \frac{9}{16}$ $2 \sin x \cos x = \frac{7}{16}$ $\therefore \sin 2x = \frac{7}{16}$	✓ squaring both sides ✓ expanding LHS ✓ using identity ✓ answer (4)
7.3	$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\tan(180^\circ + x) \cdot \cos(360^\circ - x)}{\sin(x - 180^\circ) \cos(90^\circ + x) + \cos(720^\circ + x) \cos(-x)} \\ &= \frac{\tan x \cdot \cos x}{-\sin x \cdot (-\sin x) + \cos x \cdot \cos x} \\ &= \frac{\frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \cdot \cos x}{\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x} \\ &= \sin x \end{aligned}$	✓ both $\tan x$ and $\cos x$ ✓ both $-\sin x$ and $-\sin x$ ✓ both $\cos x$ and $\cos x$ ✓ $\frac{\sin x}{\cos x}$ ✓ $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$ ✓ answer (6)
7.4	LHS: $\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\cos 2x + \cos^2 x + 3 \sin^2 x}{2 - 2 \sin^2 x} \\ &= \frac{\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x + \cos^2 x + 3 \sin^2 x}{2(1 - \sin^2 x)} \\ &= \frac{2 \cos^2 x + 2 \sin^2 x}{2 \cos^2 x} \\ &= \frac{2(1)}{2 \cos^2 x} \\ &= \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} \\ \therefore \text{LHS} &= \text{RHS} \end{aligned}$	✓ $\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x$ ✓ $2(1 - \sin^2 x)$ ✓ $2 \cos^2 x + 2 \sin^2 x$ ✓ $\cos^2 x$ ✓ answer (5)

7.5 $\begin{aligned} 2\sin x \cos x - \cos^2 x &= 0 \\ \cos x(2\sin x - \cos x) &= 0 \\ \cos x = 0 \text{ or } 2\sin x &= \cos x \\ \cos x = 0 \text{ or } \tan x &= \frac{1}{2} \\ x = 90^\circ + 360^\circ k \text{ or } x &= 270^\circ + 360^\circ k \\ \text{or } x &= 26,57^\circ + 180^\circ k; k \in \mathbb{Z} \end{aligned}$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ factors</li> <li>✓ <math>\cos = 0</math></li> <li>✓ <math>\tan x = \frac{1}{2}</math></li> <li>✓ <math>x = 90^\circ + 360^\circ k</math></li> <li>✓ <math>x = 270^\circ + 360^\circ k</math></li> <li>✓ <math>x = 26,57^\circ + 180^\circ k</math></li> <li>✓ <math>k \in \mathbb{Z}</math></li> </ul> <span style="float: right;">(7)</span>
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