

Graphs and Transformations - Edexcel Past Exam Questions MARK SCHEME

Question 1: Jan 05 Q6

Question number			Mark	S	
	(a)	^	Reflection in x-axis	B1	-
		(3, 2)	2 and 4 labelled (or (2, 0) and (4, 0) seen)	B1	
	(b)	2/4	Image of $P(3, 2)$	B1	(3)
		T _	Stretch parallel to x-axis	M1	
		\ (1 and 2 labelled (or (1, 0) and (2, 0) seen)	A1	
		1\(\frac{2}{(1\(\frac{1}{2}\),-2)}\)	Image of $P(1\frac{1}{2}, -2)$	A1	(3) 6



Question 2: June 06 Q9

Question number	Scheme	Marks	
(a)	$f(x) = x[(x-6)(x-2)+3]$ or $x^3 - 6x^2 - 2x^2 + 12x + 3x = x($	M1	
	$f(x) = x(x^2 - 8x + 15)$ $b = -8 \text{ or } c = 15$	A1	
	both and $a = 1$	A1 (3)	
(b)	$(x^2 - 8x + 15) = (x - 5)(x - 3)$	M1	
	f(x) = x(x-5)(x-3)	A1 (2)	
(c)			
	y ↑ Shape	B1	
	their 3 <u>or</u> their 5	B1f.t.	
	$ \begin{array}{c c} & \underline{\text{both their 3 and their 5}} \\ \hline 0 & 3 & 5 & x \end{array} $		
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(a)	M1 for a correct method to get the factor of x . x (as printed is the minimum.		
	1 st A1 for $b = -8$ or $c = 15$.		
	-8 comes from -6-2 and must be coefficient of x , and 15 from 6x2+3 and m	nust have no xs.	
	2^{nd} A1 for $a = 1$, $b = -8$ and $c = 15$. Must have $x(x^2 - 8x + 15)$.		
(b)	M1 for attempt to factorise their 3TQ from part (a).		
	A1 for all 3 terms correct. They must include the x .		
(-)	For part (c) they must have at most 2 non-zero roots of their $f(x) = 0$ to ft their 3 and the		
(c)	1 st B1 for correct shape (i.e. from bottom left to top right and two turning points.)		
	2 nd B1f.t. for crossing at their 3 or their 5 indicated on graph or in text. 3 rd B1f.t. if graph passes through (0, 0) [needn't be marked] and both their 3	and their 5	
	3 rd B1f.t. if graph passes through (0, 0) [needn't be marked] and both their 3	and their 5.	



Question 3: June 05 Q4

Question	Scheme		Marks
Number (a)	Shape	B1	
	9 (3,15) Points	B1	(2)
(b)		M1	
	-2 and 4 max	A1 A1	(3)
	Marks for shape: graphs must have curved sides and round top.		(5)
(a)	1 st B1 for \cap shape through $(0, 0)$ and $((k,0))$ where $k>0$) 2 nd B1 for max at $(3, 15)$ and 6 labelled or $(6, 0)$ seen Condone $(15,3)$ if 3 and 15 are correct on axes. Similarly $(5,1)$ in (b)		
(b)	M1 for \cap shape NOT through (0, 0) but must cut x-axis twice. 1 st A1 for -2 and 4 labelled or (-2, 0) and (4, 0) seen 2 nd A1 for max at (1, 5). Must be clearly in 1 st quadrant		



Question 4: June 06 Q3

Question number		Scheme	Mar	ks
	(a) y	U shape touching x-axis	B1	
	1	(-3,0)	B1	
		(0, 9)	B1	
	-3	/9 <i>x</i>	(3)	
	(b) y	Translated parallel to y-axis up	M1	
		9+k $(0, 9+k)$	B1f.t.	
		(0,5)		
			(2)	,
		x		5
(a)	2 nd B1	They can score this even if other intersections with the <i>x</i> -axis are given.		
	2 nd B1 & 3 rd B1	The -3 and 9 can appear on the sketch as shown		
(b)	M1	Follow their curve in (a) up only.		
		If it is not obvious do not give it. e.g. if it cuts <i>y</i> -axis in (a)		
		but doesn't in (b) then it is M0.		
	B1f.t.	Follow through their 9		



Question 5: Jan 06 Q6

Question number	Scheme	Marks
	(a) (See below)	M1
	\setminus Clearly through origin (or $(0, 0)$ seen)	A1
	3 labelled (or (3, 0) seen)	A1 (3)
	(b) Stratah namilal ta wawis	M1
	Stretch parallel to y-axis 1 and 4 labelled (or (1, 0) and (4, 0) seen)	A1
	6 labelled (or (0, 6) seen)	A1
	o labelled (of (0, 0) seen)	(3)
	(c) Stretch parallel to <i>x</i> -axis	M1
	2 and 8 labelled (or (2, 0) and (8, 0) seen)	A1
	3 labelled (or (0, 3) seen)	A1 (3)
	(a) M1:	
	(b) M1: with at least two of: (1, 0) unchanged (4, 0) unchanged (0, 3) changed	
	with at least two of: (1, 0) changed (4, 0) changed (0, 3) unchanged	
	Beware: Candidates may sometimes re-label the parts of their solution.	



Question 6: Jan 07 Q3

Question number	Scheme	Marks	
	(a) Shape of $f(x)$	B1	
	Moved up ↑	M1	
	Asymptotes: $y = 3$	B1	
	x = 0 (Allow "y-axis")	B1	(4)
	$(y \ne 3 \text{ is B0}, x \ne 0 \text{ is B0}).$		
	(b) $\frac{1}{x} + 3 = 0$ No variations accepted.	M1	
	$x = -\frac{1}{3}$ (or -0.33) Decimal answer requires at least 2 d.p.	A1	(2)
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	asymptotes (see below), but otherwise this mark is awarded generously. The curve may, e.g., bend away from the asymptote a little at the end. Sufficient curve must be seen to suggest the asymptotic behaviour, both horizontal and vertical. M1: Evidence of an upward translation parallel to the <i>y</i> -axis. The shape of the graph can be wrong, but the complete graph (both branches if they have 2 branches) must be translated upwards. This mark can be awarded generously by implication where the graph drawn is an upward translation of another standard curve (but not a straight line). The B marks for asymptote equations are independent of the graph. Ignore extra asymptote equations, if seen.		
	The answer may be seen on the sketch in part (a). Ignore any attempts to find an intersection with the y -axis.		
	e.g. (a) This scores B0 (clear overlap with horiz. asymp.) M1 (Upward translation bod that both branches have been translated).		
	B0 M1 B0 M1 B0 M0 No marks unless the original curve is seen, to show upward translation.		



Question 7: Jan 07 Q10

Question number	Scheme	^	Marks
	(a) (i) Shape or or	B1	
	Max. at (0, 0).	B1	
	(2, 0), (or 2 shown on x-axis).	B1	(3)
	(ii) Shape	-B1	
	(It need not go below x-axis)		
	Through origin.	-B1	
	(6, 0), (or 6 shown on x-axis).	B1	(3)
	(b) $x^2(x-2) = x(6-x)$	-м1	
	$x^3 - x^2 - 6x = 0$ Expand to form 3-term cubic (or 3-term quadratic if divided by x), with all terms on one side. The "= 0" may be implied.	-М1	
	x(x-3)(x+2) = 0 $x =$ Factor x (or divide by x), and solve quadratic.	М1	
	x = 3 and $x = -2$	A1	
	$x = -2$: $y = -16$ Attempt y value for a non-zero x value by substituting back into $x^2(x-2)$ or $x(6-x)$.	M1	
	x = 3: $y = 9$ Both y values are needed for A1.	A1	
	(-2,-16) and $(3,9)$		
	(0, 0) This can just be written down. Ignore any 'method' shown. (But must be seen in part (b)).	В1	(7) 13
	(a) (i) For the third 'shape' shown above, where a section of the graph coincides with the <i>x</i> -axis, the B1 for (2, 0) can still be awarded if the 2 is shown on the <i>x</i> -axis.		
	For the final B1 in (i), and similarly for (6, 0) in (ii): There must be a sketch. If, for example (2, 0) is written <u>separately</u> from the sketch, the sketch must not clearly contradict this. If (0, 2) instead of (2, 0) is shown <u>on the sketch</u> , allow the mark. Ignore extra intersections with the <i>x</i> -axis.		
	(ii) 2 nd B is dependent on 1 st B.		
	Separate sketches can score all marks.		
	(b) Note the dependence of the first three M marks. A common wrong solution is (-2, 0), (3, 0), (0, 0), which scores M0 A0 B1 as the last 3 marks.		
	A solution using <u>no</u> algebra (e.g. trial and error), can score up to 3 marks: M0 M0 M0 A0 M1 A1 B1. (The final A1 requires both y values). Also, if the cubic is found but not solved algebraically, up to 5 marks: M1 M1 M0 A0 M1 A1 B1. (The final A1 requires both y values).		



Question 8: June 07 Q5

Question number	Scheme	Marks	S	
	(a) Translation parallel to x-axis Top branch intersects +ve y-axis	M1		
	Lower branch has no intersections No obvious overlap	A1		
	$\left(0,\frac{3}{2}\right)$ or $\frac{3}{2}$ marked on y- axis	В1	(3)	
S.C.	(b) $x = -2$, $y = 0$ [Allow ft on first B1 for $x = 2$ when translated "the wrong way" but must be	B1, B1	(2)	
5/25/10	compatible with their sketch.]		5	
(a)	M1 for a horizontal translation – two branches with one branch cutting y – axis If one of the branches cuts both axes (translation up and across) this is M0.			
	Al for a horizontal translation to left. Ignore any figures on axes for this mark	L.		
	B1 for correct intersection on positive y-axis. More than 1 intersection is B0.			
	x=0 and $y=1.5$ in a table alone is insufficient unless intersection of their sketch is with +ve y-axis. A point marked on the graph overrides a point given elsewhere.			
(b)	1 st B1 for $x = -2$. NB $x \ne -2$ is B0.			
	Can accept $x = +2$ if this is compatible with their sketch.			
	Usually they will have M1A0 in part (a) (and usually B0 too) 2^{nd} B1 for $y = 0$.			
S.C.	If $x = -2$ and $y = 0$ and some other asymptotes are also given award B1B0			
	The asymptote equations should be clearly stated in part (b). Simply marking $x = -2$ or $y = 0$ on the sketch is insufficient <u>unless</u> they are clearly marked "asymptote $x = -2$ " etc.			



Question 9: Jan 08 Q6

Question number	Scheme		Marks	
3	(a) (2,10)	Shape: Max in 1 st quadrant and 2 intersections on positive x-axis	B1	
	1 4	1 and 4 labelled (in correct place) or clearly stated as coordinates	B1	
		(2, 10) labelled or clearly stated	B1	(3)
	(b) (-2, 5)	Shape: Max in 2nd quadrant and 2 intersections on negative <i>x</i> -axis	B1	
		-1 and -4 labelled (in correct place) or clearly stated as coordinates	B1	
	-4 -1	(-2, 5) labelled or clearly stated	B1	(3)
	(c) (a =) 2	May be implicit, i.e. $f(x+2)$	B1	(1)
	Beware: The answer to part (c) may be	e seen on the first page.		
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	(a) and (b):			
	1 st B: 'Shape' is generous, providing the c			
	2 nd and 3 rd B marks are dependent upon a	65 (55 (55 (55 (55 (55 (55 (55 (55 (55 (
	2 nd B marks: Allow (0, 1), etc. (coordinate correct.	es the wrong way round) if the sketch is		
	Points must be labelled correctly and be in appropriate place (e.g. (-2, 5) in the first quadrant is B0).			
	(b) Special case: If the graph is reflected in the x-axis (in scored. This requires shape and coording Shape: Minimum in 4 th quadrant			
	1 and 4 labelled (in correct place) or cl (2, −5) labelled or clearly stated.	early stated as coordinates,		



Question 10: Jan 08 Q10

Question number	Scheme		Marks	
	(a) Shape (drawn anywhere)		B1	
	Minimum at (1, 0) (perhaps labelled 1 on x-	axis)	B1	
	(-3,0) (or -3 shown on -ve x-	-axis)	B1	
	(0, 3) (or 3 shown on +ve y-	-axis)	B1	(4)
	N.B. The max. can be anywhere	2		
	(b) $y = (x+3)(x^2-2x+1)$ Marks can be awarded if	1	M1	
	$= x^3 + x^2 - 5x + 3 \qquad (k = 3)$ this is seen in part (a)	J	A1cso	(2)
	 (a) The individual marks are independent, <u>but</u> the 2nd, 3rd and 4th B's are dependent upon a sketch having been attempted. B marks for coordinates: Allow (0, 1), etc. (coordinates the wrong way round if marked in the correct place on the sketch. 	ound)		2
	(b) M: Attempt to multiply out (x-1)² and write as a product with (x+3), or attempt to multiply out (x+3)(x-1) and write as a product with (x-1), or attempt to expand (x+3)(x-1)(x-1) directly (at least 7 terms). The (x-1)² or (x+3)(x-1) expansion must have 3 (or 4) terms, so			
	should not, for example, be just $x^2 + 1$.			
	A: It is not necessary to state explicitly 'k = 3'. Condone missing brackets if the intention seems clear and a fully corre expansion is seen.	ect		



Question 11: June 08 Q6

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
(a)	5	B1
	-2.5	M1 A1 (3)
(b)	$2x+5 = \frac{3}{x}$ $2x^2 + 5x - 3 [= 0] \qquad \text{or} \qquad 2x^2 + 5x = 3$ $(2x-1)(x+3) [= 0]$ $x = -3 \text{ or } \frac{1}{2}$	M1
	$2x^2 + 5x - 3 = 0$ or $2x^2 + 5x = 3$	A1
	(2x-1)(x+3) = 0	M1
	$x = -3$ or $\frac{1}{2}$	A1
	$y = \frac{3}{-3}$ or $2 \times (-3) + 5$ or $y = \frac{3}{\frac{1}{2}}$ or $2 \times (\frac{1}{2}) + 5$	M1
	Points are $(-3,-1)$ and $(\frac{1}{2},6)$ (correct pairings)	A1 ft (6)
		(9 marks)



Question 12: June 08 Q3

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
(a)	7	B1 B1 B1 (3)
	(3.5, 0)	B1 B1 (2) (5 marks)



Question 13: Jan 09 Q8

Question Number	Se	cheme	Mar	ks
(a)	$(a=) (1+1)^2 (2-1) = \underline{4}$ (1, 4) or	y = 4 is also acceptable	B1	(1)
(b)	(i) Shape \bigvee or \bigwedge anywhere	B1	
	A M	fin at $(-1,0)$ can be -1 on x-axis. flow $(0,-1)$ if marked on the x-axis. farked in the correct place, but 1, is B0.	B1	
	-1. 2	2, 0) and (0, 2) can be 2 on axes	B1	
	in B	op branch in 1 st quadrant with 2 utersections ottom branch in 3 rd quadrant (ignore any utersections)	B1	(5)
(c)	(2 intersections therefore) 2 (roots)	,	B1ft	(1) [7
(b) 1 st B1 for shape or Can be anywhere, but there must be one max. and further max. and min. turning points. Shape: Be generous, even when the curve seems to be composed of straig but there must be a discernible 'curve' at the max. and min. 2 nd B1 for minimum at (-1,0) (even if there is an additional minimum point sho 3 rd B1 for the sketch meeting axes at (2, 0) and (0, 2). They can simply mark 2 of The marks for minimum and intersections are dependent upon having a sketch. Answers on the diagram for min. and intersections take precedence over answers.			axes.	nts,
	other curve. The curve can 'touch A curve of (roughly) the correct s	shape is required, but be very generous, even v ian approaching the axes, and when the curve b rve at the join.	when the	arc
	branch). The curve can 'touch' th	shape is required, but be very generous, even v		
(c)	The answer 2 incompatible with t	of roots - compatible with their sketch. No ske he sketch is B0 (ignore any algebra seen). ntersections <u>and</u> , for example, one other intersectors the mark.		



Question 14: June 09 Q10

Question Number	Scheme	Mari	(S
Q (a)	$x(x^{2}-6x+9)$ $= x(x-3)(x-3)$ Shape $\frac{\text{Through origin (not touching)}}{\text{Touching } x\text{-axis only once}}$ $\text{Touching at (3, 0), or 3 on } x\text{-axis}$ $\text{[Must be on graph not in a table]}$	B1 M1 A1 B1 B1 B1 B1	(3)
(c)	Moved horizontally (either way) (2, 0) and (5, 0), or 2 and 5 on x-axis	M1 A1 (2)	[9]
(a)	B1 for correctly taking out a factor of x		
s.c.	 M1 for an attempt to factorize their 3TQ e.g. (x+p)(x+q) where pq = 9. So (x-3)(x+3) will score M1 but A0 A1 for a fully correct factorized expression - accept x(x-3)² If they "solve" use ISW If the only correct linear factor is (x - 3), perhaps from factor theorem, award B0M1A0 Do not award marks for factorising in part (b) 		
(b)	For the graphs "Sharp points" will lose the 1 st B1 in (b) but otherwise be generous on shape Condone (0, 3) in (b) and (0, 2), (0,5) in (c) if the points are marked in the correct places. 2 nd B1 for a curve that starts or terminates at (0, 0) score B0		
	4^{th} B1ft for a curve that touches (not crossing or terminating) at $(a, 0)$ where their $y = x(x-a)^2$		
(c)	M1 for their graph moved horizontally (only) or a fully correct graph Condone a partial stretch if ignoring their values looks like a simple translation A1 for their graph translated 2 to the right and crossing or touching the axis at 2 and 5 only Allow a fully correct graph (as shown above) to score M1A1 whatever they have in (b)		



Question 15: Jan 09 Q5

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
Shape , touching the maximum. Through (0,0) & -3 mark or (-3,0) seen. Allow (0,-3) if marked or	Through (0,0) & -3 marked on x-axis, or (-3,0) seen. Allow (0,-3) if marked on the x-axis. Marked in the correct place, but 3, is A0.	M1 A1
(b)	Correct shape \(\sqrt{\chi} \) (top left - bottom right) Through -3 and max at (0, 0). Marked in the correct place, but 3, is B0. Min at (-2,-1)	(3) B1 B1 B1 (3)
(a)	M1 as described above. Be generous, even when the curve seems to be composed of straight line segments, but there must be a discernible 'curve' at the max. and min. 1st A1 for curve passing through -3 and the origin. Max at (-3,0) 2nd A1 for minimum at (-1,-1). Can simply be indicated on sketch.	
(b)	1st B1 for the correct shape. A negative cubic passing from top left to bottom right. Shape: Be generous, even when the curve seems to be composed of straight line segments, but there must be a discernible 'curve' at the max. and min. 2nd B1 for curve passing through (-3,0) having a max at (0,0) and no other max. 3rd B1 for minimum at (-2,-1) and no other minimum. If in correct quadrant but labelled, e.g. (-2,1), this is B0. In each part the (0,0) does not need to be written to score the second mark having the curve pass through the origin is sufficient. The last mark (for the minimum) in each part is dependent on a sketch being attempted, and the sketch must show the minimum in approximately the correct place (not, for example, (-2,-1) marked in the wrong quadrant). The mark for the minimum is not given for the coordinates just marked on the axes unless these are clearly linked to the minimum by vertical and horizontal lines.	



Question 16: Jan 10 Q9

Question number	Scheme	Marks	
	(a) $x(x^2-4)$ Factor x seen in a <u>correct</u> factorised form of the expression. = x(x-2)(x+2) M: Attempt to factorise quadratic (general principles). Accept $(x-0)$ or $(x+0)$ instead of x at any stage. Factorisation must be seen in part (a) to score marks.	B1 M1 A1	(3)
	Shape (2 turning points required) Through (or touching) origin Crossing x-axis or "stopping at x-axis" (not a turning point) at (-2, 0) and (2, 0). Allow -2 and 2 on x-axis. Also allow (0, -2) and (0, 2) if marked on x-axis. Ignore extra intersections with x-axis.	B1 B1 B1	(3)



Question 17: Jan 10 Q8

Question	Scheme	Marks
	(a) (b) (c) (-3,5) (c) (-3,5) (-3,5)	
	(a) (-2, 7), $y = 3$ (Marks are dependent upon a sketch being attempted) See conditions below.	B1, B1 (2
	(b) $(-2, 20)$, $y = 4$ (Marks are dependent upon a sketch being attempted) See conditions below.	B1, B1 (2
	(c) Sketch: Horizontal translation (either way) (There must be evidence that $y = 5$ at the max and that the asymptote is still $y = 1$) (-3, 5), $y = 1$	B1 B1, B1
	(ii) If both the maximum and the equation of the asymptote are correct, the sketch must be "correct" to score B1 B1. If the sketch is "wrong", award B1 B0. The (generous) conditions for a "correct" sketch are that the maximum must be in the 2 nd quadrant and that the curve must not cross the positive x-axis ignore other "errors" such as "curve appearing to cross its asymptote" and "curve appearing to have a minimum in the 1 st quadrant".	
	appearing to have a minimum in the 1 st quadrant". Special case: (b) Stretch $\frac{1}{4}$ instead of 4: Correct shape, with $\left(-2, \frac{5}{4}\right)$. $y = \frac{1}{4}$: B1 B0. Coordinates of maximum: If the coordinates are the wrong way round (e.g. $(7, -2)$ in part (a)), or the coordinates are just shown as values on the x and y axes, penalise only once in the whole question, at first occurrence.	
	Asymptote marks: If the equation of the asymptote is not given, e.g. in part (a), 3 is marked on the y-axis but $y = 3$ is not seen, penalise only once in the whole question, at first occurrence. Ignore extra asymptotes stated (such as $x = 0$).	



Question 18: June 10 Q6

Question Number	Scheme	Marks		
(a)	(-5, 3) Horizontal translation of ±3 (-5, 3) marked on sketch or in text	M1		
	(0, -5) and min intentionally on y-axis Condone (-5, 0) if correctly placed on negative y-axis	A1 (3)		
	(-2, 6) Correct shape and intentionally through (0,0) between the max and min	B1		
(b)	(-2, 6) marked on graph or in text	B1		
	(3, -10) (3, -10) marked on graph or in text	B1 (3)		
(c)	(a =) <u>5</u>	B1 (1)		
	In (a) and (b) no graphs means no marks. In (a) and (b) the ends of the graphs do not need to cross the axes provided max and min			
(a)		v. 19		
	M1 for a horizontal translation of ±3 so accept i.e max in 1 st quad <u>and</u> coordinates of (1, 3) <u>or</u> (6, -5) seen. [Horizontal translation to the left should have a min <u>on</u> the y-axis] If curve passes through (0,0) then M0 (and A0) but they could score the B1 mark.			
	A1 for minimum clearly on negative y-axis and at least -5 marked on y-axis. Allow this mark if the minimum is very close and the point (0, -5) clearly indi	cated		
(b)	1 st B1 Ignore coordinates for this mark Coordinates or points on sketch override coordinates given in the text. Condone (y, x) confusion for points on axes only. So (-5,0) for (0, -5) is OK if the point is marked correctly but (3,10) is B0 even if in 4 th quadrant.			
(c)	This may be at the bottom of a page or in the questionmake sure you scroll up an	id down!		



Question 19: June 10 Q10

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
(a)	(i) \(\cap \) shape (anywhere on diagram) Passing through or stopping at (0, 0) and (4,0) only(Needn't be \(\cap \) shape) (ii) correct shape (-ve cubic) with a max and min drawn anywhere Minimum or maximum at (0,0) Passes through or stops at (7,0) but NOT touching. (7, 0) should be to right of (4,0) or B0 Condone (0,4) or (0, 7) marked correctly on x-axis. Don't penalise poor overlap near or Points must be marked on the sketchnot in the text	B1 B1 B1 B1 B1 (5)
(b)	$x(4-x) = x^{2}(7-x) (0 =)x[7x - x^{2} - (4-x)]$ $(0 =)x[7x - x^{2} - (4-x)] \text{(o.e.)}$ $0 = x(x^{2} - 8x + 4) *$	M1 B1ft A1 cso (3)
(c)	$(0 = x^{2} - 8x + 4 \Rightarrow) x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{64 - 16}}{2} \text{or} \qquad (x \pm 4)^{2} - 4^{2} + 4(= 0)$ $= \frac{8 \pm 4\sqrt{3}}{2} \text{or} \qquad (x - 4) = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$ $x = 4 \pm 2\sqrt{3}$	M1 A1 B1 A1
	From sketch A is $x = 4 - 2\sqrt{3}$ So $y = (4 - 2\sqrt{3})(4 - [4 - 2\sqrt{3}])$ (dependent on 1st M1) $= -12 + 8\sqrt{3}$	M1 M1 A1 (7)
	Notes	1.
(b) (c)	 M1 for forming a suitable equation B1 for a common factor of x taken out legitimately. Can treat this as an M mark. Can ft their cubic = 0 found from an attempt at solving their equations e.g. x³ -8x² - 4x = x(A1cso no incorrect working seen. The "= 0" is required but condone missing from some lines of working. Cancelling the x scores B0A0. 1st M1 for some use of the correct formula or attempt to complete the square 1st A1 for a fully correct expression: condone + instead of ± or for (x - 4)² = 12 B1 for simplifying √48 = 4√3 or √12 = 2√3. Can be scored independently of this expression 2nd A1 for correct solution of the form p + q√3: can be ± or + or − 2nd M1 for selecting their answer in the interval (0,4). If they have no value in (0,4) score M0 3rd M1 for attempting y = using their x in correct equation. An expression needed for M1A0 	



Question 20: Jan 11 Q5

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
(a)	Correct shape with a single crossing of each axis $y=1$ $y=1$ $y=1$ $y=1$ labelled or stated $x=3$ labelled or stated	B1 B1 B1 (3)
(b)	Horizontal translation so crosses the x-axis at (1, 0) New equation is $(y =) \frac{x \pm 1}{(x \pm 1) - 2}$ When $x = 0$ $y =$ $= \frac{1}{3}$	B1 M1 M1 A1 (4)
	Notes	7
(b)	B1 for point (1,0) identified - this may be marked on the sketch as 1 on x axis. Accept $x = 1$. 1st M1 for attempt at new equation and either numerator or denominator correct 2nd M1 for setting $x = 0$ in their new equation and solving as far as $y =$ A1 for $\frac{1}{3}$ or exact equivalent. Must see $y = \frac{1}{3}$ or $(0, \frac{1}{3})$ or point marked on y-axis. Alternative $f(-1) = \frac{-1}{-1-2} = \frac{1}{3}$ scores M1M1A0 unless $x = 0$ is seen or they write the point as $(0, \frac{1}{3})$ or give $y = 1/3$ Answers only: $x = 1$, $y = 1/3$ is full marks as is $(1,0)(0, 1/3)$ Just 1 and 1/3 is B0 M1 M1 A0	
	Special case: Translates 1 unit to left (a) B0, B1, B0 (b) Mark (b) as before May score B0 M1 M1 A0 so 3/7 or may ignore sketch and start again scoring full marks for this part.	



Question 21: Jan 11 Q10

Question Number	Scheme	Marks
(a)	(i) correct shape (-ve cubic) Crossing at (-2, 0) Through the origin Crossing at (3,0) (ii) 2 branches in correct quadrants not crossing axes One intersection with cubic on each branch	B1 B1 B1 B1 B1 B1 (6)
	Since only "2" intersections	dB1ft (2)
	Notes	
(b)	B1ft for a value that is compatible with their sketch dB1ft This mark is dependent on the value being compatible with their sketch. For a comment relating the number of solutions to the number of intersections.	
	[Only allow 0, 2 or 4]	



Question 22: June 11 Q8

Question Number	S	scheme	Marks
(a)		Shape \int \text{ through (0, 0)} (3, 0) (1.5, -1)	B1 B1 B1 (3)
(b)	279 11 25 25 25 26 27 27 27 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28	Shape (0, 0) and (6, 0) (3, 1)	B1 B1 B1 (3)
(c)		Shape \bigcup , not through $(0, 0)$ Minimum in 4 th quadrant (-p, 0) and $(6-p, 0)(3-p, -1)$	M1 A1 B1 B1 (4
	50	Notes	
	B1: (3,1) shown (c) M1: U shaped parabola not the A1: Minimum in 4 th quadrant (B1: Coordinates stated or show B1: Coordinates stated Note: If values are taken for p, the	n x axis (3/2, -1) y position e labelled) and (6,0) stated or 6 labelled o rough origin (depends on M mark having been given)	