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**Tuesday 7 May 2019**

Morning (Time: 2 hours)

Paper Reference **AAL30/01**

**Algebra**

**Level 3**

**Calculator NOT allowed**

**You must have:** Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, pair of compasses, pen, HB pencil, eraser.

Total Marks



### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- **Calculators are not allowed.**

### Information

- The total mark for this paper is 90
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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Answer ALL questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

You must write down all the stages in your working.

You must NOT use a calculator.

1 (a) Factorise  $24w^2y^3 - 8wy^2$

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(2)

(b) Factorise  $3ef - 3e + 2f - 2$

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(2)

(c) Factorise  $25 - 4x^2$

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(1)

(Total for Question 1 is 5 marks)

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2 (a) Solve  $\frac{4y - 7}{3} < -2$

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(2)

(b) Solve  $2x^2 + 9x - 5 < 0$

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(3)

**(Total for Question 2 is 5 marks)**

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3 Here is a formula  $P = \frac{4a^2b}{c^2}$

(a) Make  $b$  the subject of the formula.

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(2)

(b) Make  $c$  the subject of the formula.

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**(Total for Question 3 is 4 marks)**

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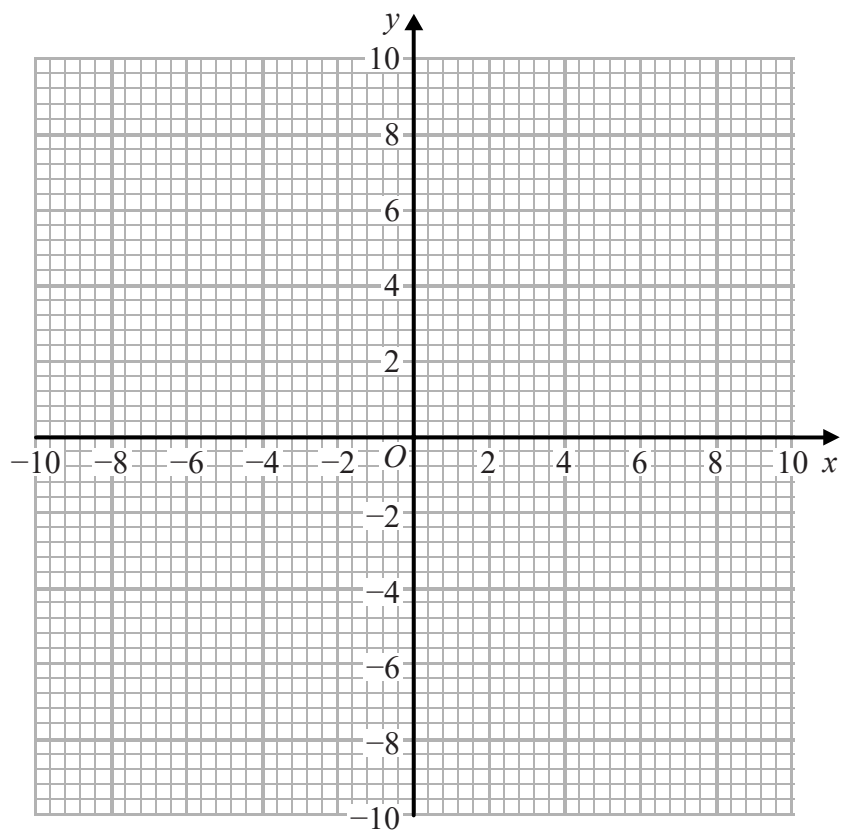


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4 (a) On the grid, construct the graph of  $2x^2 + 2y^2 = 72$



(2)

(b) (i) On the grid, draw the graph of  $y = 2x - 4$  for  $-2 \leq x \leq 6$

(1)

(ii) Use your graphs to find estimates for the solutions of the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 + 2y^2 &= 72 \\ y &= 2x - 4 \end{aligned}$$

(2)

(Total for Question 4 is 5 marks)



5 Use the quadratic formula to solve the equation  $2 + 4x - 9x^2 = 0$

Give your answer in the form  $\frac{p \pm \sqrt{q}}{9}$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are integers.

.....  
(Total for Question 5 is 3 marks)

6 Find the range of values of  $k$  such that the equation  $3x^2 + kx + 3 = 0$  has real roots.

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(Total for Question 6 is 3 marks)

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7 (a) Expand and simplify  $(2x + 1)(x - 4)$

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(2)

(b) Expand and simplify  $(3x - 5y)^2$

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(2)

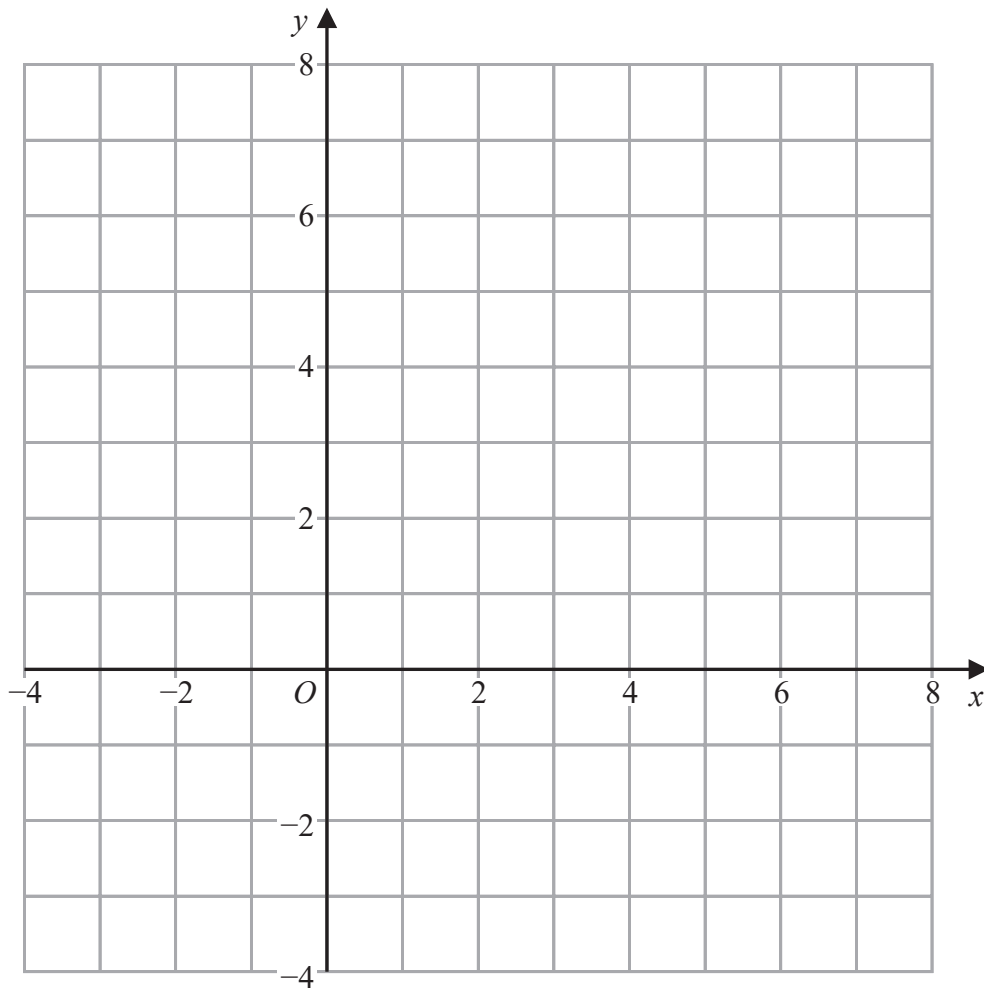
**(Total for Question 7 is 4 marks)**



8 On the grid, shade the region that satisfies all these inequalities.

$$x > -1 \quad 2x + y < 6 \quad y < 4 - x$$

Label the region **R**.



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9  $h$  is directly proportional to the cube of  $x$ .

When  $x = 3$ ,  $h = 108$

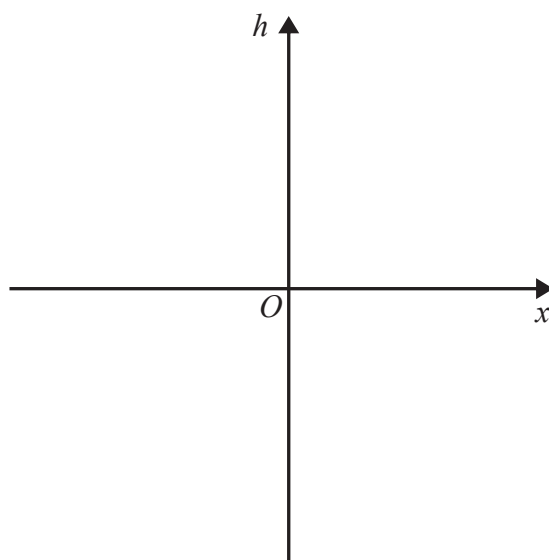
(a) Find a formula for  $h$  in terms of  $x$ .

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(3)

(b) Calculate the value of  $x$  when  $h = -32$

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(2)

(c) Using the axes below, sketch the graph of  $h$  against  $x$ .

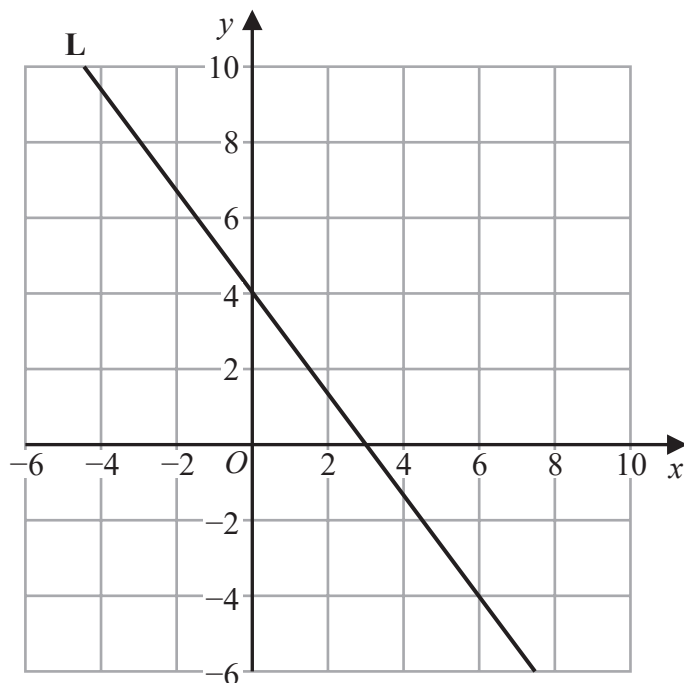


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(Total for Question 9 is 6 marks)



10 The straight line **L** is drawn on the grid.



- (a) Find an equation for **L**  
Give your answer in the form  $ax + by + c = 0$  where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers.

.....  
(3)

The straight line  $L_1$  is parallel to **L**

- (b) Find the gradient of  $L_1$

.....  
(1)

(Total for Question 10 is 4 marks)



11 Here is a quadratic equation.

$$5x^2 + 6x - 8 = 0$$

(a) (i) Write down the sum of the roots of this equation.

.....  
(1)

(ii) Write down the product of the roots of this equation.

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(1)

(b) Write  $x^2 - 8x + 7$  in the form  $(x + p)^2 + q$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are constants.

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(2)

**(Total for Question 11 is 4 marks)**

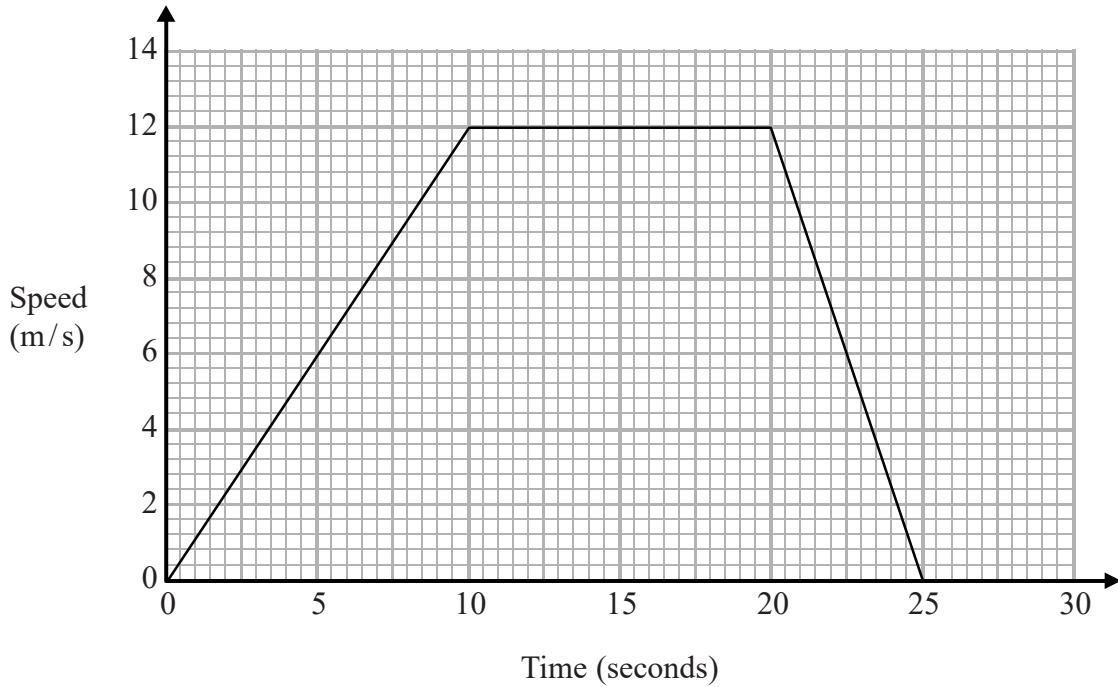
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12 Here is a speed-time graph for a toy car.



(a) Write down the acceleration of the car at time 15 seconds.

..... m/s<sup>2</sup>  
(1)

(b) What does the area under the graph represent?

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(1)

(c) When does the car begin to decelerate?

..... seconds  
(1)

(Total for Question 12 is 3 marks)



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13 The straight line **M** has equation  $y = -\frac{2}{5}x + 3$

The point *A* has coordinates (3, 4)

- (a) Find an equation of the straight line which passes through *A* and is parallel to **M**.  
Give your answer in the form  $y = mx + c$

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(3)

- (b) Find an equation of the straight line which passes through *A* and is perpendicular to **M**.

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(2)

**(Total for Question 13 is 5 marks)**



14 (a) Simplify  $\sqrt[3]{(8x)^6}$

.....  
(2)

$(2y^3)^{-3}$  can be written in the form  $ay^b$

(b) Find the value of  $a$  and the value of  $b$

$a =$  .....

$b =$  .....

(2)

**(Total for Question 14 is 4 marks)**

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15 Solve, algebraically, the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}2x + y &= 7 \\4x^2 + 3y^2 &= 43\end{aligned}$$

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16 Express  $\frac{x+3}{2x-3} + \frac{4-x}{2x+3}$  as a single fraction.

Give your answer in its simplest form.

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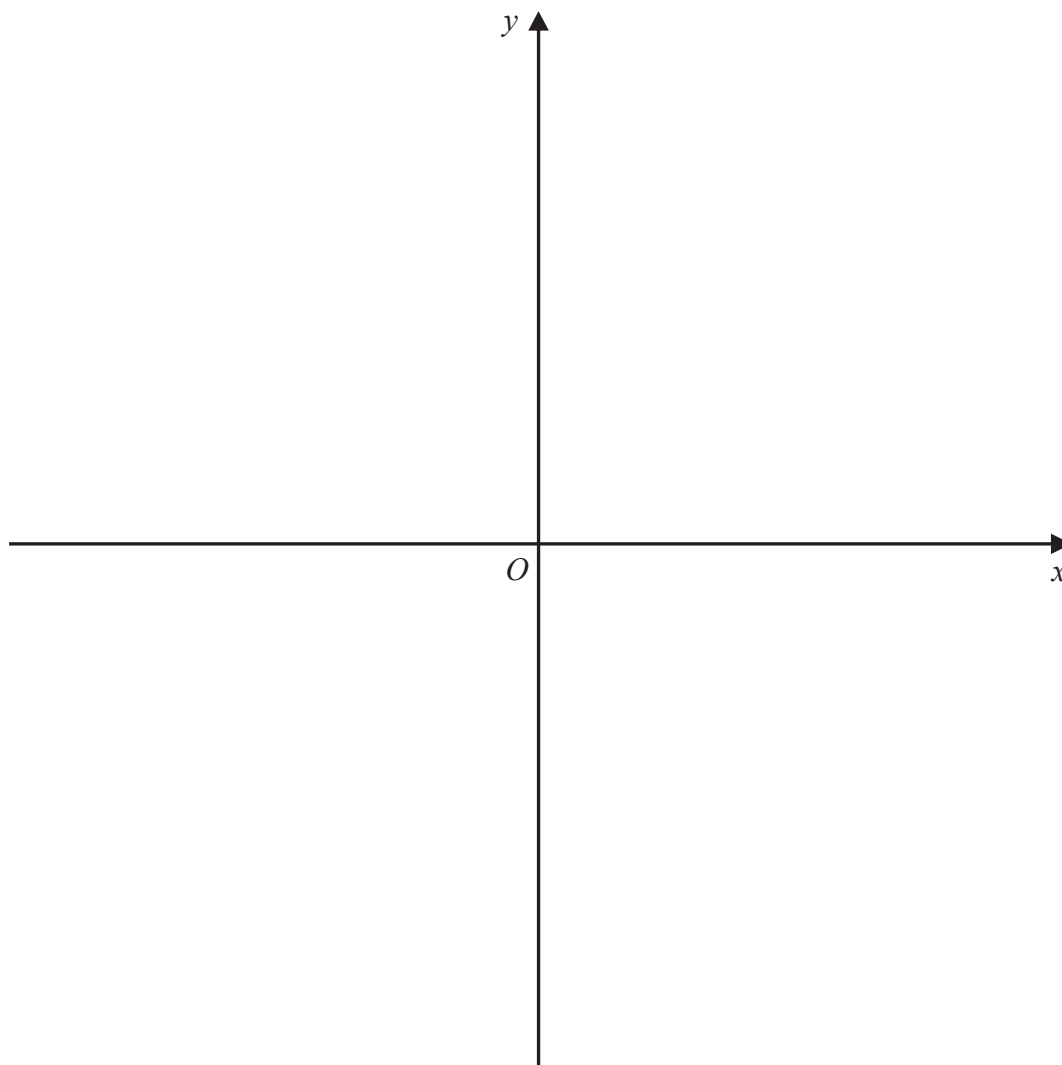
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17 Sketch the graph of  $y = x^2 - 4x$

Mark, on your sketch, the coordinates of the turning point of the graph and the coordinates of the points where the graph intersects the  $x$ -axis.



(Total for Question 17 is 3 marks)

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18 (a) Find the value of  $\frac{4x + 7}{16 - 3\sqrt{x}}$  when  $x = 4$

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(2)

(b) Rationalise the denominator of  $\frac{12 - \sqrt{7}}{6 - \sqrt{7}}$

Give your answer in the form  $\frac{p + q\sqrt{7}}{r}$  where  $p, q$  and  $r$  are integers.

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(3)

**(Total for Question 18 is 5 marks)**

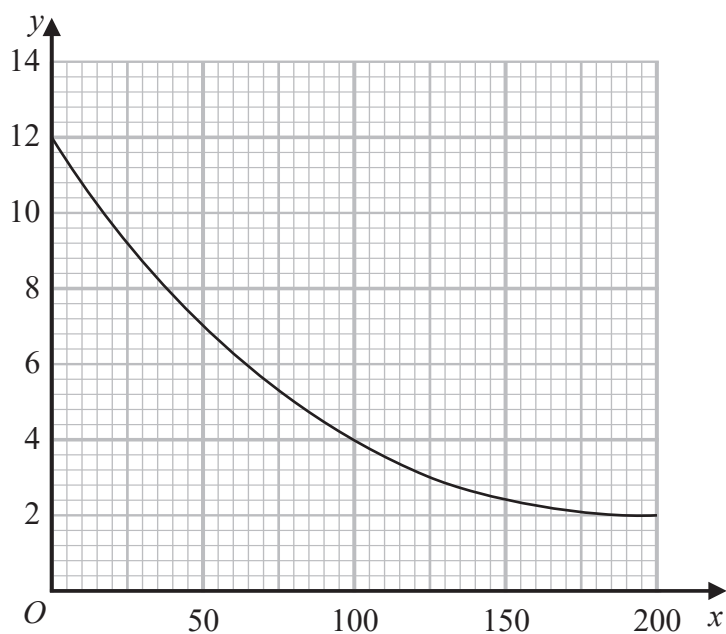
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19 Here is a graph for values of  $x$  from 0 to 200



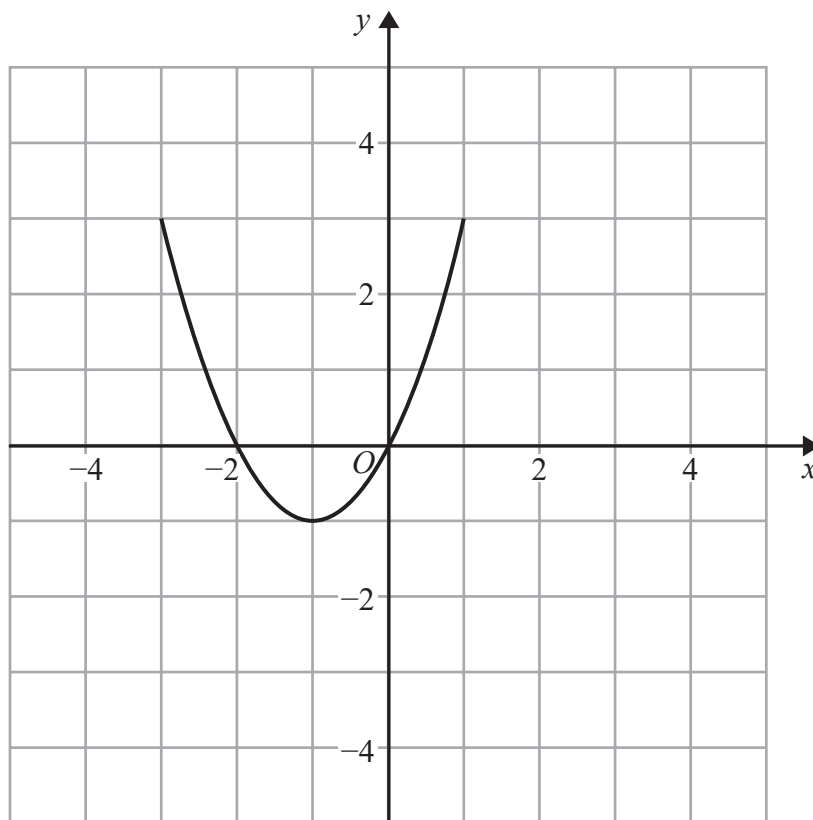
Use the trapezium rule to find an estimate of the area of the region under the curve and between  $x = 0$ ,  $x = 200$  and the  $x$ -axis.

Use 4 strips of equal width.

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(Total for Question 19 is 3 marks)



20 Here is the graph of  $y = g(x)$



(a) (i) On the grid above, draw the graph of  $y = -g(x)$

(2)

(ii) Write down the coordinates of the turning point of the graph  $y = -g(x)$

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(1)

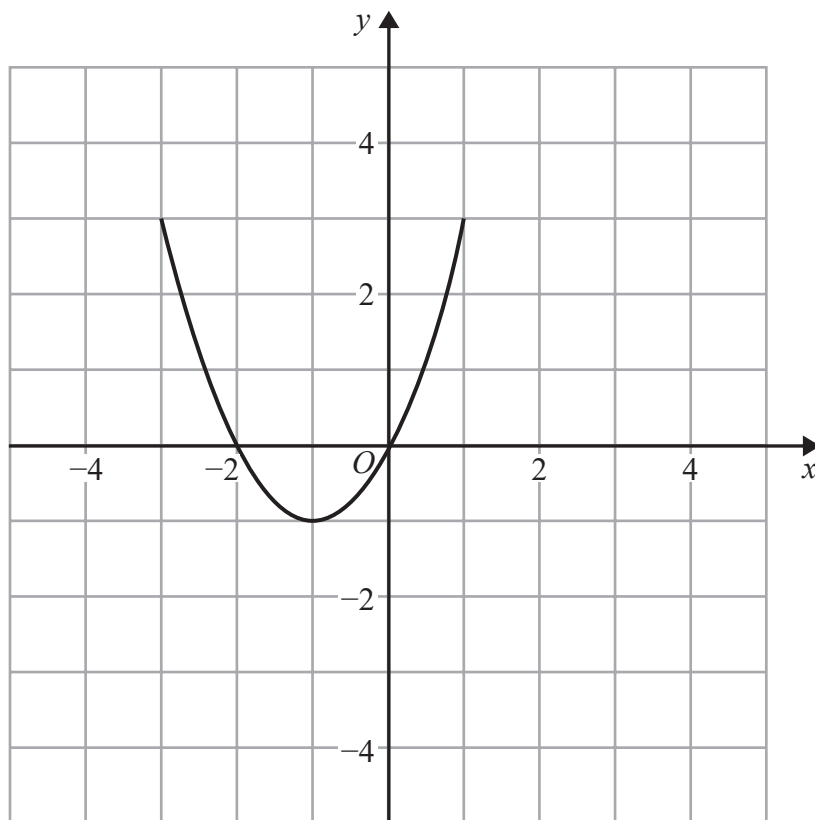
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Here is the graph of  $y = g(x)$



(b) On the grid above, draw the graph of  $y = g(x + 1)$

(2)

(Total for Question 20 is 5 marks)



21 (a) Here are the first two terms of an arithmetic sequence

$$7 - k \quad 10 + k$$

where  $k$  is a constant.

Find an expression, in terms of  $k$ , for the 10th term of this sequence.

Give your answer in the form  $ak + b$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers.

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(3)

(b) Calculate the sum of all the even numbers from 4 to 102

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(3)

(Total for Question 21 is 6 marks)

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