

1 (i) Solve the equation $2x^2 + 3x = 0$. [2]

(ii) Find the set of values of k for which the equation $2x^2 + 3x - k = 0$ has no real roots. [3]

2 Make x the subject of the equation $y = \frac{x+3}{x-2}$. [4]

3 Solve the equation $y^2 - 7y + 12 = 0$.

Hence solve the equation $x^4 - 7x^2 + 12 = 0$. [4]

4 (i) Write $\sqrt{48} + \sqrt{3}$ in the form $a\sqrt{b}$, where a and b are integers and b is as small as possible. [2]

(ii) Simplify $\frac{1}{5 + \sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{5 - \sqrt{2}}$. [3]

5 Solve the equation $\frac{4x+5}{2x} = -3$. [3]

6 Make a the subject of the equation

$$2a + 5c = af + 7c. \quad [3]$$

7 Find the set of values of k for which the equation $2x^2 + kx + 2 = 0$ has no real roots. [4]

8 One root of the equation $x^3 + ax^2 + 7 = 0$ is $x = -2$. Find the value of a . [2]

9 n is a positive integer. Show that $n^2 + n$ is always even. [2]

10 Make C the subject of the formula $P = \frac{C}{C+4}$. [4]

11 (i) Find the range of values of k for which the equation $x^2 + 5x + k = 0$ has one or more real roots. [3]

(ii) Solve the equation $4x^2 + 20x + 25 = 0$. [2]