

1 Factorise $x^2 + 7x + 10$

[2 marks]

$$(x+a)(x+b) \text{ ①, where } a+b=7, a \times b=10$$

$$(x+5)(x+2) \text{ ①}$$

Answer $(x+5)(x+2)$

2

Factorise fully

$50x + 100$

[2 marks]

$$50(x + 2)$$

Answer $50(x + 2)$ (2)

3 (a) Factorise $21x + 28$ ($\div 7$)

[1 mark]

$$7(3x + 4)$$

Answer $7(3x + 4)$ ①

4

Factorise $12a + 15b$

[1 mark]

$$3(4a + 5b) \text{ (1)}$$

Answer $3(4a + 5b)$

5 (a) Factorise $x^2 + 8x + 15$

[2 marks]

$$(x+3)(x+5)$$

Answer $(x+3)(x+5)$ ②

5 (b) Write down the **two** solutions of $(y+2)(y-4) = 0$

[1 mark]

Answer -2 and 4
①