

1	$x = 2$	B1	
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2	$\pm 6x$ or $\pm 3$ or $8x - 2x = 10 - 7$ or $7 - 10 = 2x - 8x$	M1	oe terms in $x$ or constant terms collected
	$6x = 3$ or $-6x = -3$	A1	oe implied by correct answer
	0.5 or $\frac{1}{2}$	A1ft	oe eg $\frac{3}{6}$ ft any equation of form $6x = a$ or $-6x = a$ or $bx = 3$ or $bx = -3$
	Additional Guidance		
	$\frac{-3}{-6}$		M1A1A0
	Trial and Improvement scores 0 or 3		

3(a)	-5	B1	
	Additional Guidance		
	$-5 + 17 = 12$ or $17 - 5 = 12$ but -5 not selected as answer		B0

3(b)	48	B1	
	Additional Guidance		
	48 seen but 12 given as answer		B0
	Answer $\frac{48}{4}$		B0

3(c)	$\frac{3}{4}$ or 0.75	B2	B1 partial simplification eg $\frac{3m}{4m}$ or $\frac{0.75m}{m}$ or $\frac{9}{12}$
	Additional Guidance		
	eg $\frac{3m}{4m}$ seen but answer given as $0.75m$		B1

4	$a = 7$	B2	B1 $3ax - 10a$ or $3ax = 21x$ or $3ax - 21x = 0$ or $3a = 21$ or $3a - 21 = 0$ or $21 \div 3$ oe or $-10a = 2b$ oe
	$b = -35$	B1ft	ft $-5 \times$ their $a$ where $a \neq 0$
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Ignore collection error if correct expansion seen eg $3ax - 10a - 21x + 2b = 0$ (should be $-2b$ )		B1
	Ignore incorrect simplification if correct expansion seen eg $3ax - 10a = -7ax$		B1
	Allow eg $a \times 3x$ for $3ax$		
	Allow eg $a3x$ for $3ax$		
	Embedded 7 with $a = 7$ not stated eg $7(3x - 10)$ or $7 \times 3x = 21x$ or $21 \div 7 = 3$		B1
	Allow B1 even if not subsequently used		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
5	$10x = 21 + 3$ or $10x = 24$ or $(21 + 3) \div 10$ or $24 \div 10$	M1	oe eg $-10x = -3 - 21$
	2.4	A1	oe eg $\frac{24}{10}$ or $\frac{12}{5}$ or $2\frac{4}{10}$ or $2\frac{2}{5}$ SC1 1.8 oe
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	$10x - 3 + 3 = 21 + 3$		M1
	$10x - 3 = 21 + 3$ or $10x - 3 + 3 = 21$ unless recovered		M0
	$10x \div 10 - 3 \div 10 = 21 \div 10$		M1
	$10x \div 10 - 3 = 21 \div 10$ unless recovered		M0
	Embedded answer eg $10 \times 2.4 - 3 = 21$ with no or incorrect answer		M1A0

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
6	$x = 8$	B1	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
7	$2w = \frac{4}{5} \times 15$ or $2w = \frac{60}{5}$ or $2w = 12$ or $\frac{2w}{15} = \frac{12}{15}$ or $\frac{w}{3} = \frac{2}{1}$ or $\frac{w}{2} = \frac{3}{1}$ or $\frac{w}{15} = \frac{4}{5} \div 2$ or $\frac{w}{15} = \frac{2}{5}$ or $2w \times 5 = 4 \times 15$ or $10w = 60$ or $\frac{4}{5} \div \frac{2}{15}$	M1	oe in the form $aw = n$ where $a$ is an integer and $n$ is an integer, fraction or decimal  oe in the form $\frac{bw}{x} = \frac{c}{x}$ where $x$ is a common denominator  oe calculation
	6	A1	
	Additional Guidance		
	Embedded answer 6 eg $\frac{2 \times 6}{15} = \frac{4}{5}$		M1A0

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
8(a)	(2, -1)	B1	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
9	<b>Alternative method 1</b>		
	$10x - 5$	M1	may be seen in a grid
	their $10x - 6x = 9 +$ their 5 or $4x = 14$ or $14 \div 4$ or $7 \div 2$	M1	oe eg their $-5 - 9 = 6x -$ their $10x$ or $4x - 14 = 0$ collecting two terms in $x$ and two constant terms correctly
	$\frac{14}{4}$ or $3\frac{2}{4}$ or $\frac{7}{2}$ or $3\frac{1}{2}$ or 3.5	A1ft	oe ft M1M0 or M0M1 with exactly one error
	<b>Alternative method 2</b>		
	$\frac{6x}{5} + \frac{9}{5}$	M1	oe two terms eg $1.2x + 1.8$
	$2x -$ their $\frac{6x}{5} =$ their $\frac{9}{5} + 1$ or $\frac{4x}{5} = \frac{14}{5}$	M1	oe eg $-1 -$ their $\frac{9}{5} =$ their $\frac{6x}{5} - 2x$ or $\frac{4x}{5} - \frac{14}{5} = 0$ collecting two terms in $x$ and two constant terms correctly
	$\frac{14}{4}$ or $3\frac{2}{4}$ or $\frac{7}{2}$ or $3\frac{1}{2}$ or 3.5	A1ft	oe ft M1M0 or M0M1 with exactly one error

9 cont	Additional Guidance	
	Ignore simplification or conversion if correct answer seen	
	Correct answer from trial and improvement	M1M1A1
	Correct equation with terms collected or division with no or incorrect answer	M1M1A0
	Embedded 3.5 with no or incorrect answer	M1M1A0
	$10x - 5 = 6x + 9$ $10x - 6x = 9 - 5$ $x = 1$ (exactly one error in line 2)	M1 M0 A1ft
	$7x - 5 = 6x + 9$ $7x - 6x = 9 + 5$ $x = 14$ (exactly one error in line 1)	M0 M1 A1ft
	$10x - 5 = 6x + 9$ $10x + 6x = 9 - 5$ $x = \frac{4}{16}$ (two errors in line 2)	M1 M0 A0ft
	$10x - 1 = 6x + 9$ $10x - 6x = 9 + 1$ $x = 3$ (exactly one error in line 1 but answer does not ft)	M0 M1 A0ft
	$7x - 6 = 6x + 9$ $7x - 6x = 9 + 6$ $x = 15$ (two errors in line 1)	M0 M1 A0ft
	$10x + 4 = 6x + 9$ $10x - 6x = 9 + 4$ $x = 3.25$ (neither M mark scored)	M0 M0 A0ft
	$10x - 5 = 30x + 45$	M1M0A0ft
	Any ft answer must be rounded or truncated to 1 dp or better	
	The last two marks can be implied without the collection of terms seen eg $10x - 1 = 6x + 9$ and $x = 2.5$	M0M1A1ft
	Collecting terms before the bracket has been expanded	M0M0A0ft

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
10(a)	3	B1	
Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
10(b)	43	B1	
Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
10(c)	32	B1	

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
11(a)	$11x - 6x$ or $6x - 11x$ or $\pm 5x$ or $(+)1 + 3$ or $-3 - 1$ or $\pm 4$	M1	oe terms in $x$ or constant terms collected
	$5x = 4$ or $-5x = -4$	A1	may be implied eg $4 \div 5$ or $-4 \div -5$ or $\frac{-4}{-5}$
	$\frac{4}{5}$ or 0.8	A1ft	oe ft any equation of the form $5x = a$ or $-5x = a$ or $bx = 4$ or $bx = -4$
	<b>Additional Guidance</b>		
	Ignore attempt to convert or simplify after correct answer seen		
	Trial and improvement scores 3 or 0		
	$5x - 4 (= 0)$ with no further work		M1A0A0
	$\frac{4}{5}$ and $5x = 4$ on answer line		M1A1A1
	Embedded answer eg $11 \times 0.8 - 3 = 6 \times 0.8 + 1$		M1A1A0
	ft answers must be exact or rounded to 2 dp or better eg $17x = 4$ , answer $\frac{4}{17}$		M1A0A1ft
	eg $17x = -4$ , answer $-0.24$		M1A0A1ft
	$5x + 4$ or $5x + 4 = 0$ or $17x - 4$ or $17x - 4 = 0$ etc with no further work		M1
	$\pm 5x$ or $\pm 4$ must not have come from incorrect working		

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
11(b)	$2x = 14 \times 5$ or $2x = 70$ or $\frac{x}{5} = 14 \div 2$ or $\frac{x}{5} = 7$ or $14 \times 5 \div 2$ or $70 \div 2$	M1	oe eg $14 \div 0.4$
	35	A1	
	Additional Guidance		
	Trial and improvement scores 2 or 0		
	Embedded answer eg $\frac{2 \times 35}{5}$		M1A0
	$\frac{2x}{5} = \frac{14 \times 5}{5}$		M1

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
12(a)	12	B1	
	Additional Guidance		
	Answer $12 - 12 = 0$		B0

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
12(b)	0	B1	
	Additional Guidance		
	$\frac{0}{7}$		B0
	Answer $7 \times 0 = 0$		B0

Q	Answer	Mark	Comments
13	$7x - 4x$ or $3x$ or $4x - 7x$ or $-3x$ or $-22 - 29$ or $-51$ or $22 + 29$ or $51$	M1	
	$3x = 51$ or $-3x = -51$	A1	$\frac{51}{3}$ or $\frac{-51}{-3}$ implies M1A1 implied by correct answer
	17	A1ft	ft M1A0 from an equation of the form $\pm 3x = a$ or $bx = \pm 51$
	Additional Guidance		
	Trial and improvement scores 0 or 3		
	If a follow through answer does not simplify to an integer, accept it as a fraction, mixed number or decimal to at least 1dp.  eg from $3x = 7$ accept $\frac{7}{3}$ or $2\frac{1}{3}$ or 2.3 or better  Ignore any attempt to convert a correct ft fraction		M1A0A1ft
	Embedded answer		M1A1A0