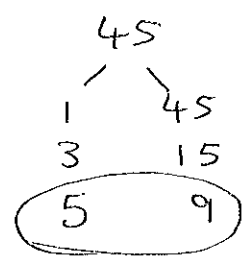


1. (i) Factorise  $x^2 - 4x - 45$



$$(x - 9)(x + 5)$$

.....

(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 - 4x - 45 = 0$$

$$(x - 9)(x + 5) = 0$$

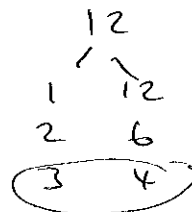
$$x = 9 \text{ and } x = -5$$

.....

(Total 3 marks)

2. (i) Factorise  $x^2 - 7x + 12$

$$(x - 3)(x - 4)$$



.....

(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$$

$$(x - 3)(x - 4) = 0$$

$$x = 3 \text{ and } x = 4$$

.....

(Total 3 marks)

3. (a) Factorise  $x^2 - 3x - 18$

$$(x + 3)(x - 6)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 - 3x - 18 = 0$

$$x = \dots -3 \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots 6 \dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

4. (a) Factorise  $x^2 + 6x + 8$

$$(x + 2)(x + 4)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 + 6x + 8 = 0$

$$x = \dots -2 \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots -4 \dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

5. (a) Factorise  $x^2 - x - 56$

$$(x + 7)(x - 8)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 - x - 56 = 0$

$$x = \dots - 7 \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots 8 \dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

6. (i) Factorise  $x^2 + 9x + 20$

$$(x + 5)(x + 4)$$

.....

(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 + 9x + 20 = 0$$

$$\dots -5 \text{ and } -4 \dots$$

(Total 3 marks)

7. (i) Factorise  $x^2 - 12x + 35$

$$(x - 5)(x - 7)$$

.....  
(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 - 12x + 35 = 0$$

$$x = 5 \text{ and } x = 7$$

.....  
**(Total 3 marks)**

8. (i) Factorise  $x^2 - x - 72$

$$(x + 8)(x - 9)$$

.....  
(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 - x - 72 = 0$$

$$x = -8 \text{ and } x = 9$$

.....  
**(Total 3 marks)**

9. (a) Factorise

$$x^2 - 15x + 56$$

$$(x - 8)(x - 7)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 - 15x + 56 = 0$

$$x = \dots\dots\dots 8 \dots\dots\dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots\dots\dots 7 \dots\dots\dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

10. (a) Factorise  $x^2 + 9x + 18$

$$(x + 3)(x + 6)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 + 9x + 18 = 0$

$$x = \dots\dots\dots -3 \dots\dots\dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots\dots\dots -6 \dots\dots\dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

11. (a) Factorise  $x^2 - 2x - 48$

$$(x + 6)(x - 8)$$

.....

(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 - 2x - 48 = 0$

$$x = \dots - 6 \dots$$

$$\text{or } x = \dots 8 \dots$$

(1)

(Total 3 marks)

12. (i) Factorise  $x^2 + 10x + 24$

$$(x + 4)(x + 6)$$

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(ii) Solve the equation

$$x^2 + 10x + 24 = 0$$

$$x = -4$$

$$x = -6$$

.....

(Total 3 marks)

13.

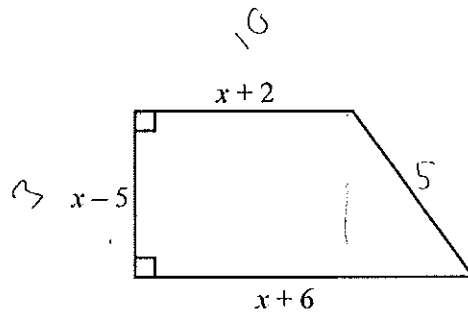


Diagram NOT accurately drawn

The diagram shows a trapezium.

The lengths of three of the sides of the trapezium are  $x - 5$ ,  $x + 2$  and  $x + 6$ . All measurements are given in centimetres.

The area of the trapezium is  $36 \text{ cm}^2$ .

(a) Show that  $x^2 - x - 56 = 0$

$$\left( \frac{x+2 + x+6}{2} \right) (x-5) = 36$$

$$\left( \frac{2x+8}{2} \right) (x-5) = 36$$

$$(x+4)(x-5) = 36 \quad (4)$$

(b) (i) Solve the equation  $x^2 - x - 56 = 0$   $x^2 + 5x + 4x - 20 = 36$   
 $x^2 - x - 56 = 0$

$$(x-8)(x+7) = 0$$

$$x = 8 \quad x = -7$$

(ii) Hence find the length of the shortest side of the trapezium.

$$\therefore x = 8$$

$$8 - 5$$

$$\dots\dots\dots 3 \dots\dots\dots \text{cm}$$

(4)

(Total 8 marks)