

# Test Revision

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# Algebra 2: Quadratic Equations

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1. (i) Factorise  $2x^2 + 5x - 3$ .  
Hence solve the equation  $2x^2 + 5x - 3 = 0$ .

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(ii) Solve for  $x$  and  $y$  these simultaneous equations:

$$y = 10 - 2x$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 25.$$

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(iii) Find the value of  $x$  in each of these equations:

(a)  $9^{2x-3} = \frac{1}{27}$

(b)  $3\sqrt{12} - \sqrt{27} = x\sqrt{3}$ , where  $x \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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2. (i) Simplify  $(2x - 3)^2 - (4x + 1)(x - 4)$ .

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- (ii) Solve the equation  $x^2 - 7x - 6 = 0$ , giving your answers correct to two decimal places.



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(iii) Express  $\sqrt{50} - \sqrt{32} + 2\sqrt{8}$  in the form  $k\sqrt{2}$ , where  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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(iv) Hence solve the equation  $3(3^x) = \sqrt{27}$ .

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3. (i) Given that  $3a - 2b = 4$ , find the value of  $b$  when  $a = -2$ .

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(ii) Solve for  $x$  and  $y$  the simultaneous equations

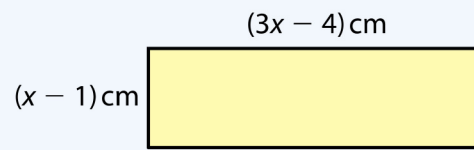
$$x + 2y = 3$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 24.$$

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(iii) The area of this rectangle is  $24 \text{ cm}^2$ .



Find the length and width of the rectangle.

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4. (i) Simplify  $\frac{2x^4 \times 6x^3}{3x^5}$ .

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(ii) Solve the equation  $\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x-1} = \frac{3}{2}$ .

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(iii) If  $(n - 3)^2$  is a perfect square, which of the following expressions are perfect squares?

**A**  $x^2 + 2x + 1$

**B**  $x^2 - 12x + 12$

**C**  $x^2 - 12x + 36$

**D**  $x^2 - 18x + 81$

**E**  $x^2 + 6x + 9$

**F**  $x^2 + 6x + 36$



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5. (i) If  $x = 4$  is a root of the equation  $2x^2 + kx - 20 = 0$ , find the value of  $k$ .

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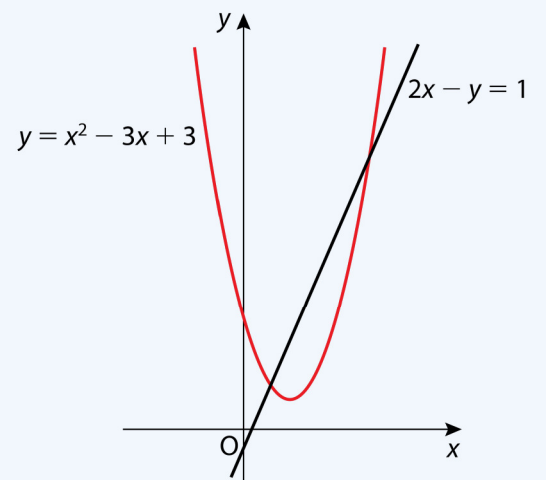
(ii) Solve these equations:

(a)  $4x = 32$

(b)  $4x = \sqrt{2}$

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(iii) Find the points of intersection of the line and the curve in the given figure.



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(iv) Solve for  $x$  the equation  $\frac{3}{x+1} + \frac{1}{x-1} = 1$ .

Give your answers in the form  $a \pm \sqrt{b}$ , where  $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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6. (i) Find the value of each of these:

(a)  $8\frac{2}{3}$

(b)  $25\frac{3}{2}$

(c)  $9^{-\frac{3}{2}}$

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(ii) Solve for  $x$  and  $y$  these simultaneous equations:

$$x - 3y = 1$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = 0.$$

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(iii) Express  $\frac{2\sqrt{45}}{\sqrt{10}}$  in the form  $k\sqrt{2}$ , where  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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(iv) If  $3^{2x+1} = \frac{27}{\sqrt{3}}$ , find the value of  $x$ .



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7. The length of this rectangle is 7 cm longer than the width.  
The width is  $x$  cm.

- (i) Write an expression for
  - (a) the length of the rectangle
  - (b) the area of the rectangle.
- (ii) The area of the rectangle is  $44 \text{ cm}^2$ .
  - (a) Form an equation in  $x$  and solve it.
  - (b) What is the perimeter of this rectangle?



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8. (i) Given that  $y = \frac{k}{k+w}$ , find the value of  $y$  when  $k = \frac{1}{2}$  and  $w = \frac{1}{3}$ .

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(ii) Express  $\frac{x}{x-1} - 1$  as a single fraction.

Hence solve the equation  $\frac{x}{x-1} - 1 = \frac{x+1}{2}$ , leaving your answers in  $\sqrt{\quad}$  form.

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(iii) Solve the equation  $4^{2x+1} = \sqrt{8}$ .

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(iv) Solve the equation  $x - 3 = \sqrt{3x - 11}$  and verify your answer.

## Answers Test yourself 2

1. (i)  $(2x - 1)(x + 3)$ ;  $-3, \frac{1}{2}$   
(ii)  $(3, 4), (5, 0)$  (iii) (a)  $\frac{3}{4}$  (b) 3
2. (i)  $3x + 13$  (ii)  $7.77, -0.77$   
(iii)  $5\sqrt{2}$  (iv)  $3^{\frac{3}{2}}; x = 2$
3. (i)  $b = -5$  (ii)  $(5, -1), (-7, 5)$   
(iii) 8 cm, 3 cm
4. (i)  $4x^2$  (ii)  $\frac{1}{3}, 2$  (iii) A, C, D, E
5. (i)  $k = -3$  (ii) (a)  $x = \frac{5}{2}$  (b)  $x = \frac{1}{4}$   
(iii)  $(1, 1), (4, 7)$   
(iv)  $2 \pm \sqrt{3}$
6. (i) (a) 4 (b) 125 (c)  $\frac{1}{27}$   
(ii)  $(\frac{1}{4}, -\frac{1}{4}), (-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$   
(iii)  $3\sqrt{2}$   
(iv)  $x = \frac{3}{4}$
7. (i) (a)  $(x + 7)$  cm (b)  $(x^2 + 7x)$  cm<sup>2</sup>  
(ii) (a)  $x = 4$  (b) 30 cm
8. (i)  $\frac{3}{5}$  (ii)  $\frac{1}{x - 1}; \pm \sqrt{3}$   
(iii)  $x = -\frac{1}{8}$  (iv) 4, 5