



CNHS Higher HW Solutions

Week 3 [22/02/19]

Qs 29 - 45

29. Solve the equation $2 \cos x = \sqrt{3}$, where $0 \leq x < 2\pi$.

$$\cos x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \dots x = \frac{\pi}{6}, \frac{11\pi}{6}$$

30. (a) Express $2x^2 + 8x + 7$ in the form $a(x+b)^2 + c$.

(b) Hence **write down** the coordinates of the turning point on the parabola with equation $y = 2x^2 + 8x + 7$.

$$(a) 2(x+2)^2 - 1 \quad (b) (-2, -1)$$

31. The function f is defined by $f(x) = \frac{5}{x^2 - 3x + 2}$.

Which two values of x must be excluded from the domain of the function f ?

$$x^2 - 3x + 2 \neq 0 \dots (x+3)(x-1) \neq 0 \dots x \neq -3, x \neq 1$$

32. What is the solution of the equation $2 \sin x - \sqrt{3} = 0$ in the interval $\frac{\pi}{2} \leq x \leq \pi$?

$$\sin x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \dots \text{acute angle} = \frac{\pi}{3} \dots \text{angle in interval} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

33. (a) Express $3x^2 - 12x + 10$ in the form $a(x+b)^2 + c$.

(b) Hence **write down** the coordinates of the turning point on the parabola with equation $y = 3x^2 - 12x + 10$.

$$(a) 3(x-2)^2 - 2 \quad (b) (2, -2)$$

34. Find the solution of the equation $\sqrt{2} \cos x + 1 = 0$ in the interval $\pi \leq x \leq \frac{3\pi}{2}$.

$$\cos x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}} \dots \text{R.A.A.} = \frac{\pi}{4} \dots x = \frac{3\pi}{4}, \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

35. Functions f and g are defined on the set of all real numbers by $f(x) = 2x + 1$ and $g(x) = 4x - 2$. Find $f(f(x)) + g(g(x))$ in the form $ax + b$.

$$\begin{aligned} f(f(x)) &= 2(2x+1)+1=4x+3 \\ g(g(x)) &= 4(4x-2)-2=16x-10 \end{aligned} \quad 4x+3+16x-10=20x-7$$

36. The function f is defined on the set of real numbers by $f(x) = 3x - 8$.
Find an expression for the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ and find the value of $f^{-1}(7)$.

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+8}{3} \dots f^{-1}(7) = \frac{7+8}{3} = 5$$

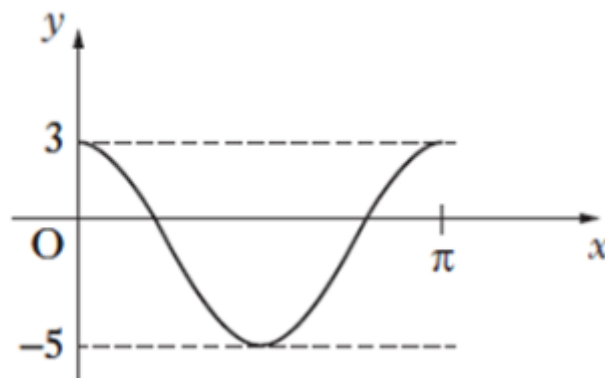
37. Express $f(x) = (2x - 1)(2x + 5)$ in the form $a(x + b)^2 + c$.

$$4(x+1)^2 - 9$$

38. Functions f and g are given by $f(x) = 3x^2 - 1$ and $g(x) = x^2 + 2$.
Express $f(g(x))$ in the form $ax^4 + bx^2 + c$.

$$3x^4 + 12x^2 + 11$$

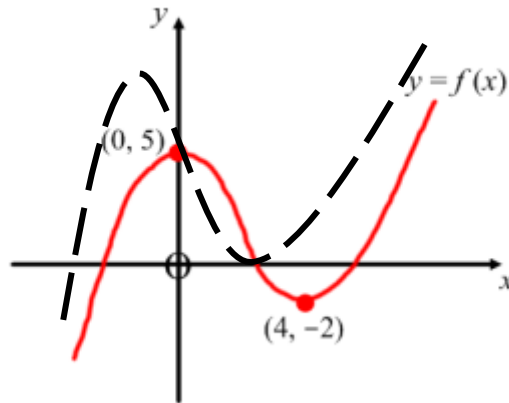
39. The diagram below shows the graph of $y = a \cos(bx) + c$



Write down the values of a , b and c .

$$a = 4 \quad b = 2 \quad c = -1$$

40. The diagram shows the graph of $y = f(x)$.
The graph has a maximum turning point at $(0, 5)$ and a minimum turning point at $(4, -2)$.



Sketch the graph of $y = f(x-1) + 2$.

Sketch as above ANNOTATED with max tp (1,7) and min tp (5,0)

41. **Do not use a calculator in this question!**

- (a) State the value of $\sin \frac{\pi}{4}$ (b) Work out the value of $\cos \frac{2\pi}{3}$.
- (c) Hence evaluate $4\sqrt{2} \sin \frac{\pi}{4} \cos \frac{2\pi}{3}$.

(a) $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ (b) $\frac{-1}{2}$ (c) 2

42. Functions f and g are defined on the set of all real numbers by $f(x) = x^2 + 3$ and $g(x) = x + 4$.

- (a) Find expressions for $f(g(x))$ and $g(f(x))$.
- (b) Show that the equation $f(g(x)) + g(f(x)) = 0$ has no real roots.

(a) $(x + 4)^2 + 3$ and $x^2 + 7$ (b) $b^2 - 4ac = 4^2 - 4 \times 1 \times 13 = -36 \dots -36 < 0$ so no real roots

43. The functions f and g are defined on suitable domains by

$$f(x) = 4x - 3 \quad \text{and} \quad g(x) = \sqrt{x+1}.$$

- (a) A third function, h , is defined by $h(x) = g(f(x))$.
Find an expression for $h(x)$.
- (b) State the largest possible domain for h .

$$\text{(a) by } h(x) = g(f(x)) = \sqrt{4x-3+1} = \sqrt{4x-2} \quad \text{(b) } x \geq \frac{1}{2}$$

44. The function f is defined on the set of all real numbers by $f(x) = 3x - 10$.
Find a formula for the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$.

$$\frac{x+10}{3}$$

45. Functions f and g are defined by $f(x) = 3x + 5$ and $g(x) = 2 - x$.
Find an expression for $f(g(x))$ and find the value of x for which $f(g(x)) = 32$.

$$f(g(x)) = 11 - 3x \quad x = -7$$