



## MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST Year 12

### Section One: Calculator-free

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's name \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Time and marks available for this section**

Reading time for this section:	2 minutes
Working time for this section:	25 minutes
Marks available:	25 marks

#### **Materials required/recommended for this section**

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**Question 1****(7 marks)**Functions  $f$  and  $g$  are defined such that:

$$f(x) = \sqrt{4-x}$$

$$g(x) = \frac{2}{x-2}$$

(a) Determine  $gf(x)$ .

(1 mark)

(b) Determine the domain and range for  $gf(x)$ .

(4 marks)

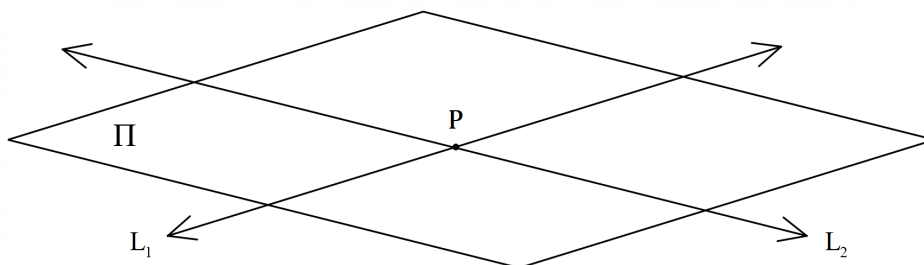
(c) Given that  $f^{-1}(x) = 4 - x^2$ , explain if it is true that  $f^{-1}(-1) = 3$ .

(2 marks)

**Question 2**

**(9 marks)**

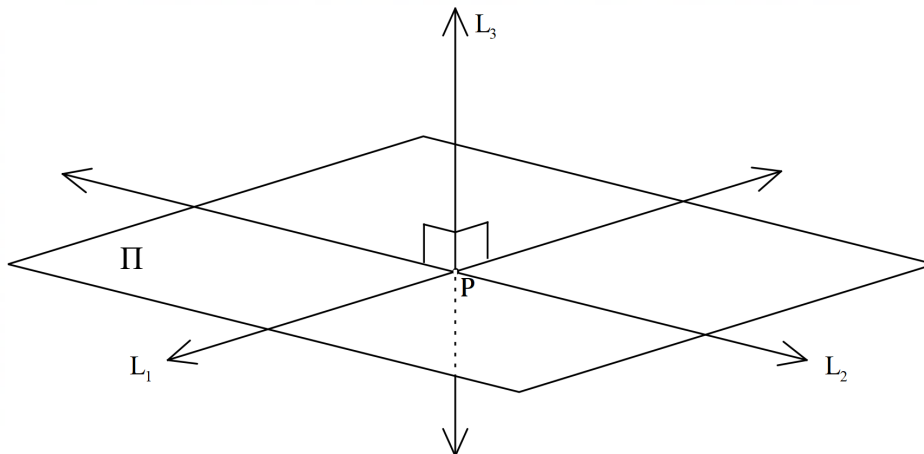
The lines  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  have equations  $\mathbf{r} = (3 + \lambda)\mathbf{i} + (1 + \lambda)\mathbf{j} - 2\lambda\mathbf{k}$  and  $\mathbf{r} = \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \end{pmatrix} + \mu \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  respectively, with  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ , and they lie on the same plane  $\Pi$  as shown.



- (a) Given that the lines intersect at the point  $P$  when  $\lambda = 3 = \mu + 2$ , determine the value of the constants  $a, b$  and  $c$ , and the exact distance of point  $P$  from the origin. (4 marks)

**Question 2 continued**

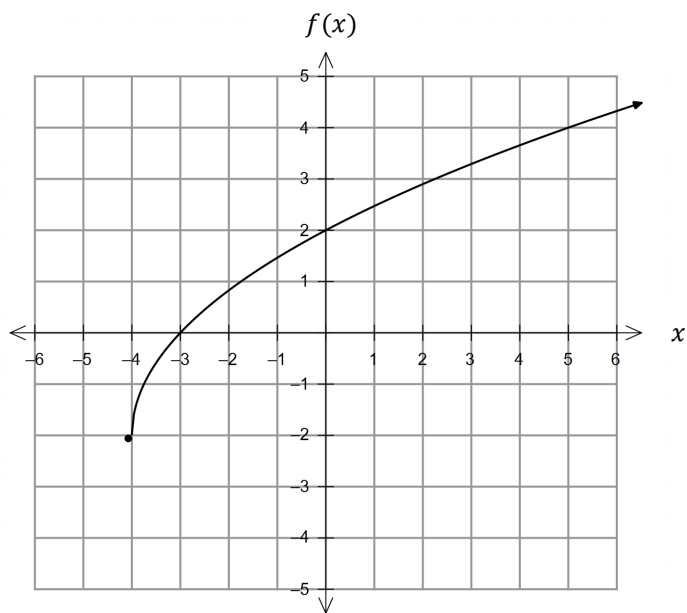
- (b) A third line  $L_3$  is perpendicular to the plane formed by  $L_1$  and  $L_2$ , and passes through  $P$ . Determine the vector equation of  $L_3$  and the Cartesian equation of the plane  $\Pi$ . (5 marks)



Question 3

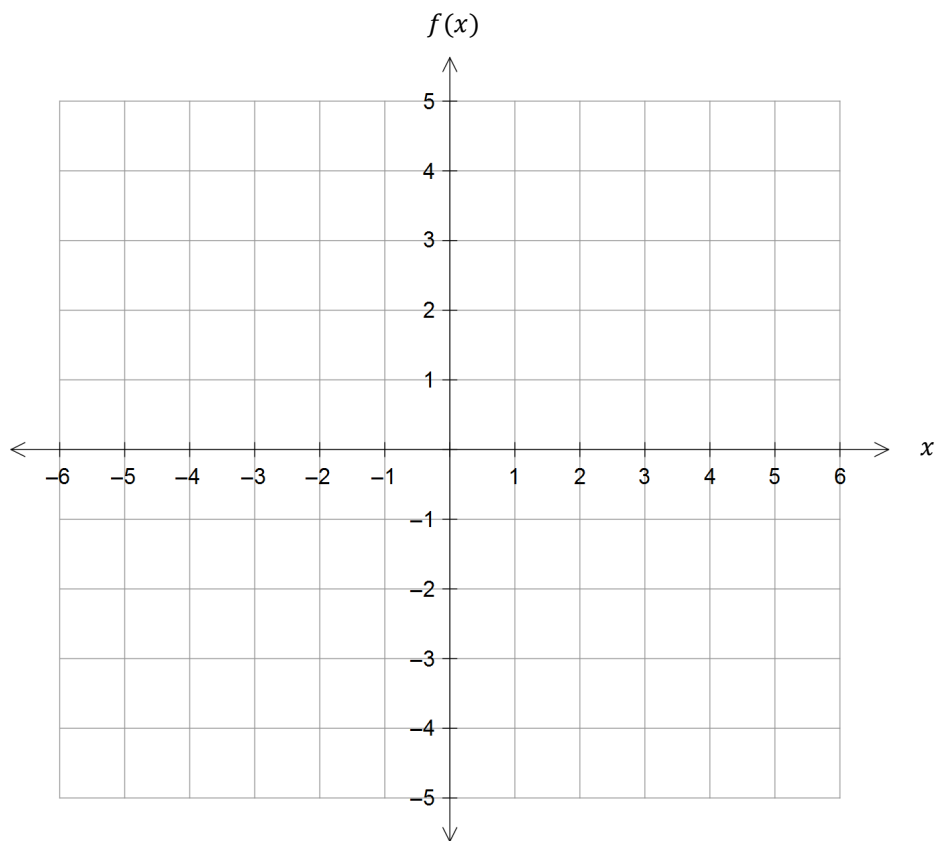
(9 marks)

The graph of  $f(x) = 2\sqrt{x+4} - 2$  is shown below.



(a) Sketch the graph of  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  on the grid below.

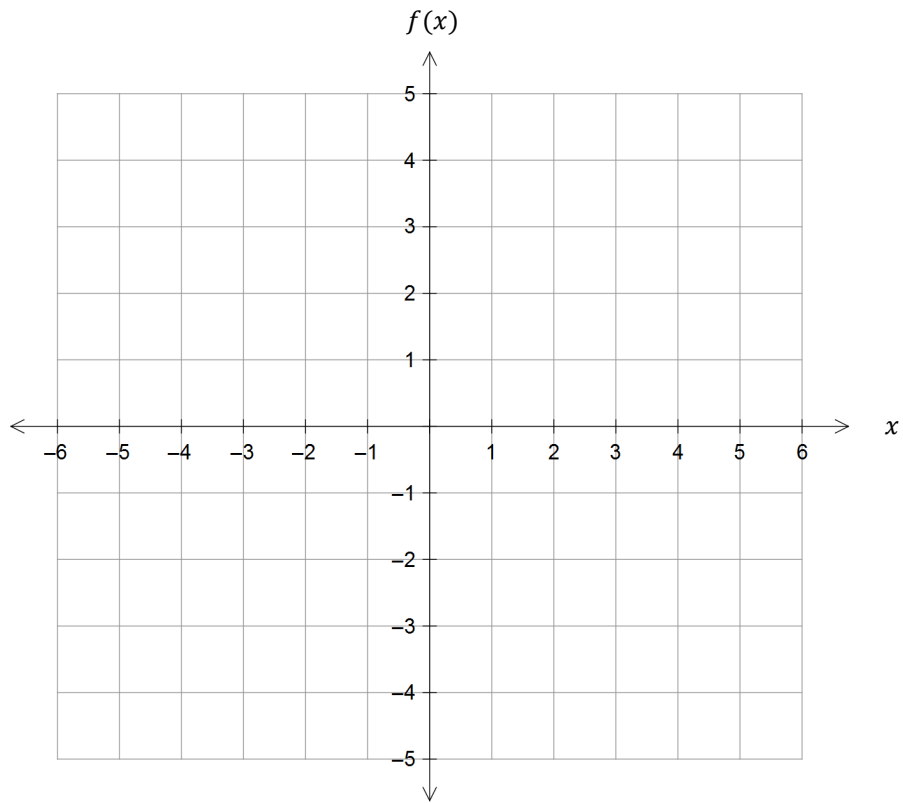
(3 marks)



Question 3 continued

(b) Sketch the graph of  $|f(-|x|)|$  on the grid below.

(3 marks)



(c) The domain of  $f(x)$  is restricted to  $x \geq k$  so that the inverse of  $g(x) = |f(x)|$  exists. Determine the value of  $k$  and state the domain and range of  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

(3 marks)

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### Section Two:

### Calculator-assumed

Your name \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's name \_\_\_\_\_

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Marks available:	21 marks

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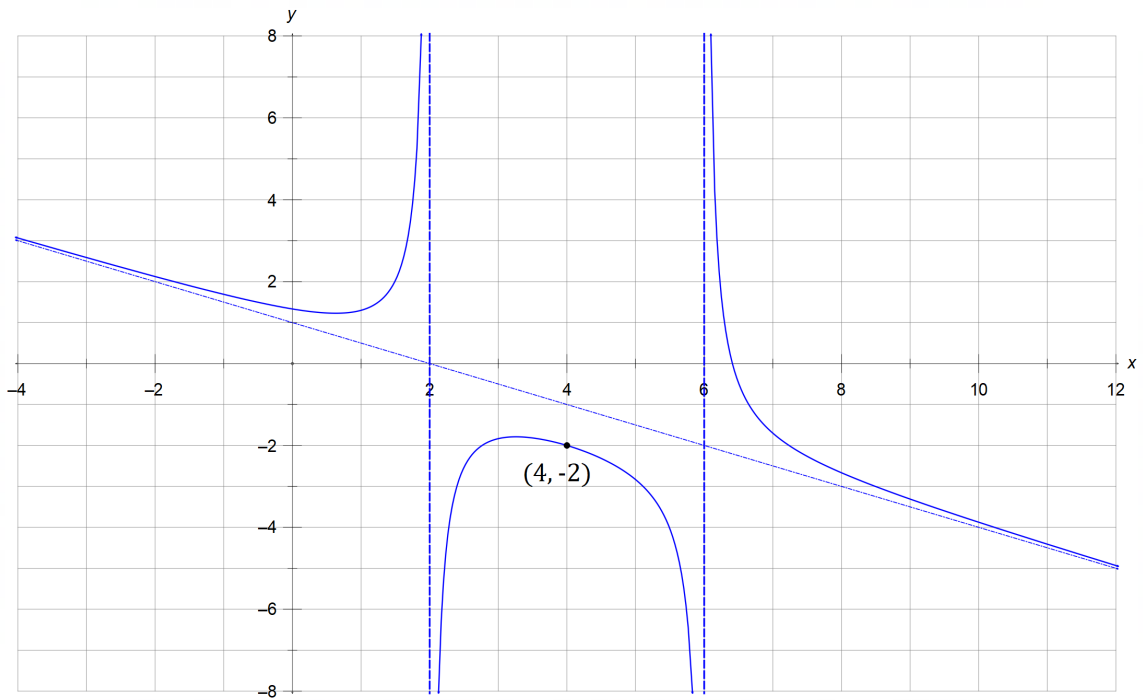
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Question 4

(5 marks)

The function  $f(x) = ax + b + \frac{k}{(x+c)(x+d)}$  is shown below, where  $a, b, c, d, k \in \mathbb{R}$ .



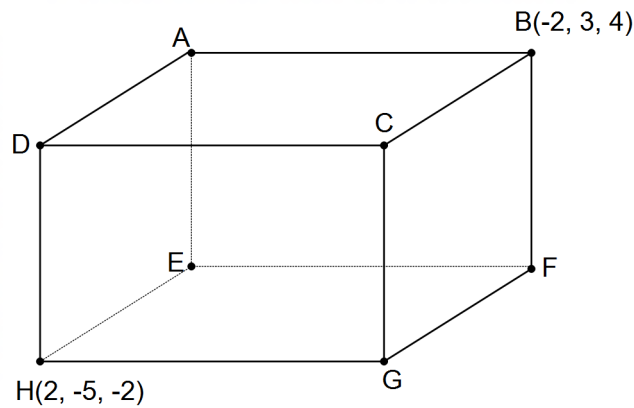
State the value of the constants  $a, b, c, d$  and  $k$ .

**Question 5**

**(6 marks)**

The right rectangular prism ABCDEFGH shown is positioned in the Cartesian coordinate system such that AD is parallel to the  $x$ -axis, AB is parallel to the  $y$ -axis, and EA is parallel to the  $z$ -axis.

The vertices B and H have coordinates  $(-2, 3, 4)$  and  $(2, -5, -2)$  respectively.



(a) State the coordinates of vertex E.

(1 mark)

(b) Determine the percentage of the prism that lies in the first octant.

(2 marks)

**Question 5 continued**

- (c) Determine the vector equation of the sphere that has HB as its diameter.  
(3 marks)

**Question 6****(10 marks)**

Triangle  $ABC$  in space has vertices with position vectors  $\overrightarrow{OA} = \mathbf{i} - 2\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$ ,  
 $\overrightarrow{OB} = -2\mathbf{i} + \mathbf{j} + 2\mathbf{k}$  and  $\overrightarrow{OC} = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} + 5\mathbf{k}$ .

(a) Determine the size of  $\angle BAC$  correct to the nearest degree. (3 marks)

(b) Find the vector equation  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{p} + \lambda\mathbf{d}_1 + \mu\mathbf{d}_2$  of the plane  $\Pi$  that contains triangle  $ABC$ . (1 mark)

(c) The line  $L$  has equation  $\mathbf{r} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} m \\ 7 \\ n \end{pmatrix}$  and it is perpendicular to the plane  $\Pi$  found in part (b).

(i) Show that  $m = 1$  and  $n = -6$ . (2 marks)

**Question 6 continued**

- (ii) Find the point of intersection between the line  $L$  and the plane  $\Pi$ . (3 marks)
- (d) Determine the shortest distance of the plane  $\Pi$  from the origin. (1 mark)

**End of questions**



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