Chapter 1 to 5 test

1. (a) Find the range of values of x satisfying the inequality (5x - 1)(6 - x) < 0.

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(b)Find the values of k such that the line y = 9kx + 1 does not meet the curve $y = kx^2 + 3x(2k + 1) + 4$.

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2. Find constants *a*, *b* and *c* such that $\frac{\sqrt{pq^2}r^3}{(pq^{-1})^2r^{-1}} = p^a q^b r^c$.

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The diagram shows the graph of y = |f(x)|, where f(x) is a cubic. Find the possible expressions for f(x).

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(b) (i) On the axes below, sketch the graph of y = |2x + 1| and the graph of y = |4(x - 1)|, stating the coordinates of the points where the graphs meet the coordinate axes.



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(ii) Find the exact solutions of the equation |2x + 1| = |4(x - 1)|.

[4]

4. DO NOT USE A CALCULATOR IN THIS QUESTION.

Find the exact coordinates of the points of intersection of the curve $y = x^2 + 2\sqrt{5}x - 20$ and the line $y = 3\sqrt{5}x + 10$.

[4]

5. The polynomial $p(x) = mx^3 - 17x^2 + nx + 6$ has a factor x - 3. It has a remainder of -12 when divided by x + 1. Find the remainder when p(x) is divided by x - 2.

[6]

6. (a) Write $9x^2 - 12x + 5$ in the form $p(x - q)^2 + r$, where *p*, *q* and *r* are constants.

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(b) Hence write down the coordinates of the minimum point of the curve $y = 9x^2 - 12x + 5$.

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7. Find the value of x such that $\frac{4^{x+1}}{2^{x-1}} = 32^{\frac{x}{3}} \times 8^{\frac{1}{3}}$.

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