

6.1 Solving Quadratic Equations

1a) $x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0$

$$(x-2)^2 = 0$$

$$x = 2$$

2b) $2x^2 - 9x - 5 = 0$

$$2x^2 - 10x + x - 5 = 0$$

$$2x(x-5) + 1(x-5) = 0$$

$$(2x+1)(x-5) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2}, x = 5$$

2a) $(-3, 0), (3, 0)$

b) $(-\frac{1}{2}, 0), (3, 0)$

3a) $x(x+4) = 0$

$$x = 0, x = -4$$

b) $(x+10)(x+8) = 0$

$$x = -10, x = -8$$

c) $(x-5)^2 = 0$

$$x = 5$$

d) $(3x+8)(x-4) = 0$

$$x = -\frac{8}{3}, x = 4$$

e) $x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$

$$(x+3)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = -3, x = -2$$

f) $x^2 - 2x - 8 = 0$

$$(x-4)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = 4, x = -2$$

4a) $x^2 + x - 6 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = 2$$

$$\text{LS} = (2)^2 + 2 - 6$$

$$= 4 + 2 - 6$$

$$= 0$$

$\therefore x = 2$ is a root

for the equation

4b) $x^2 + 7x - 8 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = 4$$

$$\text{LS} = (4)^2 + 7(4) - 8$$

$$= 16 + 28 - 8$$

$$= 36$$

$\therefore x = 4$ is not

a root (LS \neq RS)

c) $2x^2 + 11x + 5 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{LS} = 2(-\frac{1}{2})^2 + 11(-\frac{1}{2}) + 5$$

$$= 2(\frac{1}{4}) - \frac{11}{2} + 5$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{11}{2} + 5$$

$$= -5 + 5$$

$$= 0$$

$\therefore x = -\frac{1}{2}$ is a

root.

d) $8x^2 + 10x - 3 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\text{LS} = 8(\frac{3}{2})^2 + 10(\frac{3}{2}) - 3$$

$$= 8(\frac{9}{4}) + 15 - 3$$

$$= 18 + 15 - 3$$

$$= 30$$

$\therefore x = \frac{3}{2}$ is not a

root (LS \neq RS)

e) $x^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = -5$$

$$\text{LS} = (-5)^2 - 4(-5) - 5$$

$$= 25 + 20 - 5$$

$$= 40$$

$\therefore x = -5$ is not

a root (LS \neq RS)

f) $3x^2 - 2x - 8 = 0$

$$\text{Let } x = 2$$

$$\text{LS} = 3(2)^2 - 2(2) - 8$$

$$= 12 - 4 - 8$$

$$= 0$$

$\therefore x = 2$ is a root.

5a) $x^2 + 2x - 15 = 0$

$$(x+5)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x = -5, x = 3$$

b) $x^2 + 5x - 24 = 0$

$$(x+8)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x = -8, x = 3$$

c) $x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$

$$(x+2)^2 = 0$$

$$x = -2$$

d) $x^2 - 5x = 0$

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

$$x = 0, x = 5$$

e) $x^2 - 6x - 16 = 0$

$$(x-8)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = 8, x = -2$$

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

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

$$x = 4, x = 3$$

6a) $3x^2 - 5x - 2 = 0$

$$(3x+1)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{3}, x = 2$$

b) $2x^2 + 3x - 2 = 0$

$$(2x-1)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}, x = -2$$

c) $3x^2 - 4x - 15 = 0$

$$(3x+5)(x-3) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{5}{3}, x = 3$$

$$6d) 6x^2 - x - 2 = 0$$

$$(3x-2)(2x+1) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}, x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$e) 4x^2 - 4x - 3 = 0$$

$$(2x+1)(2x-3) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{1}{2}, x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$f) 9x^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$$

$$(3x-1)^2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$7a) x(x+1) = 12$$

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

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

$$x = -4, x = 3$$

$$b) 2x(x+4) = x+4$$

$$2x^2 + 8x - x - 4 = 0$$

$$2x^2 + 7x - 4 = 0$$

$$(2x-1)(x+4) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}, x = -4$$

$$c) 3x(x+2) = 2x^2 - (4-x)$$

$$3x^2 + 6x - 2x^2 = -4 + x$$

$$x^2 + 5x + 4 = 0$$

$$(x+4)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = -1, x = -4$$

$$d) 3x(x+6) + 50 = 2x^2 + 3(x-2)$$

$$3x^2 + 18x + 50 = 2x^2 + 3x - 6$$

$$x^2 + 15x + 56 = 0$$

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

$$x = -8, x = -7$$

$$e) (x+2)^2 + x = 2(3x+5)$$

$$x^2 + 4x + 4 + x = 6x + 10$$

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x = 3, x = -2$$

$$7f) (2x+1)^2 = x+2$$

$$4x^2 + 4x + 1 = x + 2$$

$$4x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$$

$$(4x-1)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{4}, x = -1$$

$$8a) x^2 + 4x - 32 = 0$$

$$(x+8)(x-4) = 0$$

$$x = -8, x = 4$$

$$b) x^2 + 11x + 30 = 0$$

$$(x+6)(x+5) = 0$$

$$x = -6, x = -5$$

$$c) 5x^2 - 28x - 12 = 0$$

$$(5x+2)(x-6) = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{2}{5}, x = 6$$

$$d) x^2 + 5x - 14 = 0$$

$$(x+7)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -7, x = 2$$

$$e) 4x^2 - 20x + 25 = 0$$

$$(2x-5)^2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$f) 3x^2 + 16x - 12 = 0$$

$$(3x-2)(x+6) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}, x = -6$$

$$9a) x^2 + 5x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(1)(-2)}}{2}$$

$$2$$

$$x = 0.37, x = -5.37$$

$$b) 4x^2 - 8x + 3 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{(-8)^2 - 4(4)(3)}}{8}$$

$$8$$

$$= \frac{8 \pm 4}{8}$$

$$8$$

$$x = 1.5, x = 0.5$$

9c) $3x^2 = 3$

$x^2 = 1$

$x = \pm 1$

d) $x(x-5) = 2x+7$

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

$x = \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{(-7)^2 - 4(1)(-7)}}{2}$

$x = 7.89, x = -0.88$

e) $3x^2 + 5x - 3 = x^2 + 4x + 1$

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

$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{(1)^2 - 4(2)(-4)}}{4}$

$x = 1.19, x = 1.69$

f) $(x+3)^2 - 2x = 15$

$x^2 + 6x + 9 - 2x - 15 = 0$

$x^2 + 4x - 6 = 0$

$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(1)(-6)}}{2}$

$x = 1.16, x = -5.16$

10. $P = -5x^2 + 200x - 1500$

a) Let $P = 0$

$-5(x^2 - 40x + 300) = 0$

$(x-30)(x-10) = 0$

$x = 30, x = 10$

∴ He needs to charge \$10 or \$30 per lawn.

b) Let $P = 500$

$500 = -5x^2 + 200x - 1500$

$-5x^2 + 200x - 2000 = 0$

$-5(x^2 - 40x + 400) = 0$

$-5(x-20)^2 = 0$

$x = 20$

He needs to charge \$20.

11. $A = 4x^2 + 160x$

Let $A = 900$.

$4x^2 + 160x - 900 = 0$

$x^2 + 40x - 225 = 0$

$(x-5)(x+45) = 0$

∴ The width is 5m.

12. $E = \frac{1}{50} R(1650 - R)$

a) $E = \frac{1}{50} (900)(1650 - 900)$

$= \frac{1}{50} (900)(750)$

$= \$13500 \therefore$ He earns \$13500

b) $13000 = \frac{1}{50} R(1650 - R)$

$13000 = 33R - \frac{1}{50} R^2$

$\frac{1}{50} R^2 - 33R + 13000 = 0$

$R^2 - 1650R + 650000 = 0$

$(R - 650)(R - 1000) = 0$

∴ He needs to charge between \$650 and \$1000 rent.

13. ① $y = -2x + 7$, ② $y = 2x^2 + 3x - 5$

Sub ① in to ②.

$-2x + 7 = 2x^2 + 3x - 5$

$2x^2 + 5x - 12 = 0$

$(2x - 3)(x + 4) = 0$

$x = \frac{3}{2}, x = -4$

$y = -2(\frac{3}{2}) + 7$ $y = -2(-4) + 7$

$= 4$ $= 15$

∴ The POIS are $(\frac{3}{2}, 4) + (-4, 15)$

14. $h = -5t^2 - 4t + 120$

a) $-5t^2 - 4t + 120 = 0$

$t = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(-5)(120)}}{-10}$

-10

∴ It will land

$t = -5.3, t = 4.5$ after 4.5s.

b) $95 = -5t^2 - 4t + 120$

$5t^2 + 4t - 25 = 0$

$t = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(5)(-25)}}{10}$

$t = 1.87$

10

$t = -2.67$

∴ It is above 95m for 1.87s.

15. Yes \Rightarrow graph it, rearrange from vertex form, or use the quadratic formula (6.4).

16a) It has to be of the form $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ to solve.
b) Let $y = 0$.

17. $x^4 - 9x^2 + 20 = 0$ $x^3 - 9x^2 + 20x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 9x + 20 &= 0 & x(x^2 - 9x + 20) &= 0 \\ (x-5)(x-4) &= 0 & x(x-5)(x-4) &= 0 \\ x=5, x=4 & & x=0, x=5, x=4 & \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^4 - 9x^2 + 20 &= 0 \\ (x^2 - 5)(x^2 - 4) &= 0 \\ x^2 - 5 & \quad x^2 - 4 \\ x = \pm\sqrt{5} & \quad x = \pm 2 \end{aligned}$$

18. No!

6.4 The Quadratic Formula

1a) $a=1, b=5, c=-2$

b) $a=4, b=0, c=3$

c) $a=1, b=6, c=0$

d) $2x^2 - 10x - x^2 - 1 = 0$

$x^2 - 10x - 1 = 0$

$a=1, b=-10, c=-1$

2a) $x^2 + 18x - 63 = 0$

$(x+21)(x-3) = 0$

$x = -21, x = 3$

iii) Factoring is shorter in this case.

b) $8x^2 - 10x - 3 = 0$

$(4x+1)(2x-3) = 0$

$x = -\frac{1}{4}, x = \frac{3}{2}$

ii) $x = \frac{-18 \pm \sqrt{(18)^2 - 4(1)(-63)}}{2}$

$x = 3, x = -21$

ii) $x = \frac{10 \pm \sqrt{(10)^2 - 4(8)(-3)}}{2(8)}$

$x = \frac{3}{2}, x = -\frac{1}{4}$

3a) $\frac{2x^2}{2} = \frac{50}{2}$

$x^2 = 25$

$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{25}$

$x = \pm 5$

b) $x^2 - 1 = 0$

$x^2 = 1$

$x = \pm 1$

c) $3x^2 - 2 = 10$

$3x^2 = 12$

$x^2 = 4$

$x = \pm 2$

d) $x^2 - 2x - 36 + 2x = 0$

$x^2 - 36 = 0$

$(x+6)(x-6) = 0$

$x = \pm 6$

iii) Factoring is still more efficient!

6. Yes, all of the equations in #5 are factorable, so I could have done that.

7. You would find roots that are whole #'s or fractions.

4a) $(x+1)^2 - 16 = 0$

$[x+1+4][x+1-4] = 0$

$(x+5)(x-3) = 0$

$x = -5, x = 3$

b) $-2(x+5)^2 + 2 = 0$

$-2(x+5)^2 = -2$

$(x+5)^2 = 1$

$x+5 = \pm 1$

$x = -6, x = -4$

$x = -4, x = -6$

c) $-3(x-7)^2 + 3 = 0$

$-3(x-7)^2 = -3$

$(x-7)^2 = 1$

$x-7 = \pm 1$

$x = 8, x = 6$

$x = -1+7, x = -1-7$

$x = 8$

$x = 6$

d) $4(x-2)^2 - 5 = 0$

$4(x-2)^2 = 5$

$(x-2)^2 = \frac{5}{4}$

$x-2 = \pm \sqrt{\frac{5}{4}}$

$x = 2 + \sqrt{\frac{5}{4}}, x = 2 - \sqrt{\frac{5}{4}}$

$= 3.12, = 0.88$

e) $-6(x+3)^2 + 12 = 0$

$-6(x+3)^2 = -12$

$(x+3)^2 = 2$

$x+3 = \pm \sqrt{2}$

$x = -3 + \sqrt{2}, x = -3 - \sqrt{2}$

$x = -1.59, x = -4.41$

f) $0.25(x-4)^2 - 4 = 0$

$(x-4)^2 = 16$

$x-4 = \pm 4$

$x = 4+4, x = -4+4$

$= 8, = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{5a) } x &= \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{(1)^2 - 4(6)(-15)}}{2(6)} \\ &= \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{361}}{12} \\ x &= \frac{5}{3} \quad x = -\frac{3}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } x &= \frac{20 \pm \sqrt{(20)^2 - 4(4)(25)}}{2(4)} \\ x &= \frac{20}{8} \\ x &= \frac{5}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } x &= \frac{0 \pm \sqrt{(0)^2 - 4(1)(-16)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{\pm \sqrt{64}}{2} \\ x &= \pm 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } x &= \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{(-11)^2 - 4(6)(6)}}{2(6)} \\ x &= \frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{121}}{10} \\ x &= 0, x = -\frac{11}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e) } x &= \frac{-9 \pm \sqrt{(9)^2 - 4(1)(20)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{-9 \pm 1}{2} \\ x &= -4, x = -5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{f) } x &= \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{(17)^2 - 4(12)(-40)}}{2(12)} \\ x &= \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{2209}}{24} \\ x &= \frac{8}{3}, x = -\frac{5}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{8a) } x &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(1)(-1)}}{2(1)} \\ x &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{8}}{2} \\ x &= 3.41, x = 0.59 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } 2x^2 - x - 3 &= 0 \\ (2x-3)(x+1) &= 0 \\ x &= \frac{3}{2} \quad x = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e) } m &= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(1)(3)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{5 \pm \sqrt{37}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } x &= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{(-6)^2 - 4(5)(-2)}}{2(5)} \\ &= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{76}}{10} \\ x &= 1.47 \quad x = -0.27 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} m &= 5.54 \quad m = -0.54 \\ \text{f) } x &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{(12)^2 - 4(-1)(7)}}{2(-1)} \\ &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{160}}{-6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } w &= \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{(8)^2 - 4(3)(2)}}{2(3)} \\ &= \frac{-8 \pm \sqrt{40}}{6} \\ w &= -0.28 \quad w = -2.39 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = 3.29 \quad x = 0.71$$

9a) $2x^2 - 5x = 3x + 12$

$$2x^2 - 8x - 12 = 0$$

$$2(x^2 - 4x - 6) = 0$$

$$x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(4)^2 - 4(1)(-6)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{40}}{2}$$

$$x = 5.16 \quad x = -1.16$$

e) $(x-2)(2x+3) = x+1$

$$2x^2 + 3x - 4x - 6 = x + 1$$

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

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(2)(-7)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{60}}{4}$$

$$x = 2.44 \quad x = -1.44$$

b) $(x+4)^2 = 2(x+5)$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16 = 2x + 10$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 6 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{(6)^2 - 4(1)(6)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{12}}{2}$$

$$x = -1.27 \quad x = -4.73$$

f) $(x-3)^2 + 5 = 3(x+1)$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 + 5 = 3x + 3$$

$$x^2 - 9x + 11 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{9 \pm \sqrt{(-9)^2 - 4(1)(11)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{9 \pm \sqrt{37}}{2}$$

$$x = 7.54 \quad x = 1.46$$

c) $x(x+3) = 5 - x^2$

$$x^2 + 3x = 5 - x^2$$

$$2x^2 + 3x - 5 = 0$$

$$(2x+5)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x = -5/2, \quad x = 1$$

10a) $2x^2 + 5x - 14 = 0$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(2)(-14)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{137}}{4}$$

$$4$$

$$x = 1.67 \quad x = -4.17$$

d) $3x(x+4) = (4x-1)^2$

$$3x^2 + 12x = 16x^2 - 8x + 1$$

$$13x^2 - 20x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{20 \pm \sqrt{(-20)^2 - 4(13)(1)}}{2(13)}$$

$$= \frac{20 \pm \sqrt{348}}{26}$$

$$x = 1.49 \quad x = 0.052$$

b) $3x^2 + 7.5x - 21 = 0$

$$x = \frac{-7.5 \pm \sqrt{(7.5)^2 - 4(3)(-21)}}{2(3)}$$

$$= \frac{-7.5 \pm \sqrt{308.25}}{6}$$

$$x = 1.68 \quad x = -4.18$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 c) \quad & 3x(0.4x+1) = 8.4 \\
 & 1.2x^2 + 3x - 8.4 = 0 \\
 & x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{(3)^2 - 4(1.2)(-8.4)}}{2(1.2)} \\
 & = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{49.32}}{2.4} \\
 & x = 1.68 \quad x = -4.18
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 d) \quad & 0.2x^2 + 0.5x - 1.4 = 0 \\
 & x = \frac{-0.5 \pm \sqrt{(0.5)^2 - 4(0.2)(-1.4)}}{2(0.2)} \\
 & = \frac{-0.5 \pm \sqrt{1.37}}{0.4} \\
 & x = 1.68 \quad x = -4.18
 \end{aligned}$$

1b) They are all the same.

b) The equations are all multiples of each other.

12. ① $y = 2x^2 + 5x - 8$ * Remember from Ch. 1, POT means $y = 4!$ Sub ① in to ②.

② $y = -3x^2 + 8x - 1$

$$2x^2 + 5x - 8 = -3x^2 + 8x - 1$$

$$5x^2 - 3x - 7 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4(5)(-7)}}{2(5)}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{149}}{10}$$

$$x = 1.52 \quad x = -0.92$$

* To find points, sub x back in to ①.

$$y = 2(1.52)^2 + 5(1.52) - 8 = 4.22 \quad (1.52, 4.22)$$

$$y = 2(-0.92)^2 + 5(-0.92) - 8 = -10.91 \quad (-0.92, -10.91)$$

13. $x^2 + (x+7)^2 = (x+9)^2$

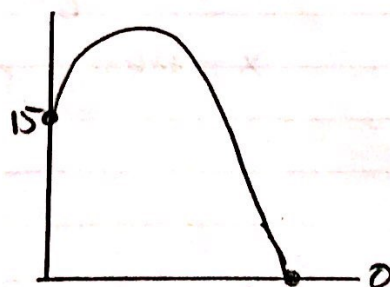
$$x^2 + x^2 + 14x + 49 = x^2 + 18x + 81$$

$$x^2 - 4x - 32 = 0$$

$$(x-8)(x+4) = 0$$

$$x = 8, x = -4$$

∴ $x = 8!$



14. $h = -4.9t^2 + 1.2t + 15$

a) $-4.9t^2 + 1.2t + 15 = 15$

$$-4.9t^2 + 1.2t = 0$$

$$-t(4.9t - 1.2) = 0$$

$$t = 0 \quad t = 0.245 \text{ s}$$

∴ It is above 15m for 0.245s.

b) $-4.9t^2 + 1.2t + 15 = 0$

$$t = \frac{-1.2 \pm \sqrt{(1.2)^2 - 4(-4.9)(15)}}{2(-4.9)}$$

$$= \frac{-1.2 \pm \sqrt{295.44}}{-9.8}$$

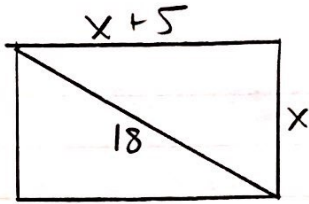
$$t = -1.63 \quad t = 1.88 \text{ s}$$

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∴ The diver is in the air for 1.88s.

15.



$$x^2 + (x+5)^2 = 18^2$$

$$x^2 + x^2 + 10x + 25 = 324$$

$$2x^2 + 10x - 299 = 0$$

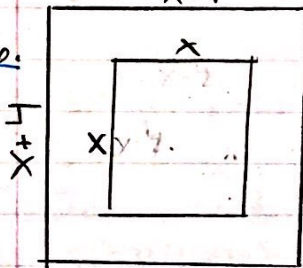
$$x = \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{(10)^2 - 4(2)(-299)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{2492}}{4}$$

∴ The rectangle is approximately 9.98cm by 14.98cm.

$$x = 9.98 \quad x = -14.98$$

16.



Let x be the dimensions of the lawn.

$$A_{\text{lawn}} = A_{\text{walkway}}$$

$$x^2 = 8x + 16$$

$$A_{\text{walkway}} = (x+4)^2 - x^2$$

$$= x^2 + 8x + 16 - x^2$$

$$= 8x + 16$$

$$x^2 - 8x - 16 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{(-8)^2 - 4(1)(-16)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{8 \pm \sqrt{128}}{2}$$

∴ The lawn is 9.7m x 9.7m.

$$x = 9.7m \quad x = -1.7m$$

18.

① $y = 2x + 5$

② $x^2 + y^2 = 36$

Sub ① in to ②

$$x^2 + (2x+5)^2 = 36$$

$$x^2 + 4x^2 + 20x + 25 = 36$$

$$5x^2 + 20x - 11 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-20 \pm \sqrt{(20)^2 - 4(5)(-11)}}{2(5)}$$

$$= \frac{-20 \pm \sqrt{620}}{10}$$

$$x = 0.49 \quad x = -4.49$$

Sub back in to ①:

$$y = 2(0.49) + 5$$

$$= 5.98 \quad (0.49, 5.98)$$

$$y = 2(-4.49) + 5$$

$$= -3.98 \quad (-4.49, -3.98)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 19a) (x+3)(x-5) &= 0 \\ x^2 - 5x + 3x - 15 &= 0 \\ x^2 - 2x - 15 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b) x &= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4\left(\frac{3}{6}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{6}\right)}}{2} & b &= 2 \\ & & a &= \frac{3}{2} \\ & & c &= -\frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{3}{2}x^2 - 2x - \frac{1}{6} &= 0 \\ 9x^2 - 12x - 1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

20. 3, 4, 5 (Pyth. Triple)

6.5 Interpreting Quadratic Equation Roots

1a) $x^2 - 6x + 5 = 0$

$(x-3)(x-2) = 0$

$x = 3, x = 2$

$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{(6)^2 - 4(1)(5)}}{2(1)}$

$= \frac{6 \pm 4}{2}$

2

$x = 3, x = 2$

b) The graph has

zeros when

$x = 3$ and

$x = 2.$

c) $b^2 - 4ac$

$= (-6)^2 - 4(1)(5)$

$= 16$

Positive, so 2 real roots.

2a) none $\rightarrow a+k$ have

same sign

b) two $\rightarrow a+k$ have

opposite sign

c) one $\rightarrow k = 0$

3a) $(3)^2 - 4(1)(-5)$

$= 29$

\therefore Two real roots

b) $(5)^2 - 4(6)(12)$

$= -263$

\therefore No real roots

c) $(8)^2 - 4(-1)(-12)$

$= 16$

\therefore Two real roots

d) $(8)^2 - 4(-2)(-8)$

$= 0$

\therefore one real root

e) $3x^2 - 3x - 12 = 0$

$(-3)^2 - 4(3)(-12)$

$= 153$

\therefore Two real roots

f) $4x^2 + 12x + 9 = 0$

$(12)^2 - 4(4)(9)$

$= 0$

\therefore One real root.

4a) Twice $\rightarrow a+k$ have opposite signs

b) None $\rightarrow a+k$ have the same sign

c) One $\rightarrow k = 0$

d) None $\rightarrow a+k$ have the same signs

e) Two \rightarrow opens down, max up.

f) One \rightarrow vertex is $(0, 0)$

5a) None $\rightarrow a+k$ have the same sign

b) $(3)^2 - 4(-2)(-7)$

$= -47$

\therefore No real roots

d) One zero at $x = -2$

f) Two, $a+k$ have

opposite signs

c) $(-7)^2 - 4(1)(0)$

$= 49$

\therefore Two real roots

e) $(6)^2 - 4(3)(-8)$

$= 132$

\therefore Two real roots

6. $r = -2n^2 + 5n + 250$

$500 = -2n^2 + 5n + 250$

$2n^2 - 5n + 250 = 0$

$b^2 - 4ac$

$= (-5)^2 - 4(2)(250)$

$= -1975$

\therefore It is impossible

for her to earn \$500 revenue.

7. $h = 0.005x^2 + 24$

a) No zeros \rightarrow opens up, moved up

b) 24 m.

8. $h = -4.9t^2 + 10.78t + 1.071$

b) $(10.78)^2 - 4(-4.9)(1.071)$
 $= 137.2$

\therefore It has two zeros

a) Two \rightarrow it has to land

d) Find max height.

$$t = \frac{-10.78}{-9.8}$$

$$= 1.1$$

$$h = -4.9(1.1)^2 + 10.78(1.1) + 24$$

$$= 8.329$$

c) It will pass through 7m twice, but 9m never!

9a) $(-4)^2 - 4(2)(1.5)$
 $= 4$

\therefore Two real roots, so vertex is below (opens up)

b) $(-2)^2 - 4(0.5)(0.5)$
 $= 3$

\therefore Two real roots, so vertex is above (opens down)

c) $(-30)^2 - 4(5)(45)$
 $= -1125$

\therefore No real roots, lies above (opens up)

d) $(-4)^2 - 4(0.5)(7.75)$
 $= 0.5$

\therefore Two real roots. Lie below (opens up)

10. $h = 5x^2 + 6x + k$

$x = \frac{-6}{10}$ Let $h = 0$
 $= -\frac{3}{5}$ $5(-\frac{3}{5})^2 + 6(-\frac{3}{5}) + k = 0$
 $k = \frac{9}{5}$

b) One zero when $k = \frac{9}{5}$

a) Two zeros when $k < \frac{9}{5}$

c) No real roots when $k > \frac{9}{5}$

11. $h = -5t^2 + t + 216$

a) 216 m

b) $-5t^2 + t + 216 = 0$

$$(1)^2 - 4(-5)(216)$$

$$= 4321 \therefore \text{Two solutions,}$$

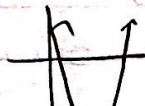
The positive one makes sense!

12. $y = 4x^2 + 24x - 5$

Find the minimum.

$$(x = \frac{-24}{8}, y = 4(-3)^2 + 24(-3) - 5$$

$$= -41$$



$(3, -41) \therefore y < -41$ will result in no real roots.

13. $x^2 + (x+k)^2 = 25$

$$x^2 + x^2 + 2kx + k^2 = 25$$

$$2x^2 + 2kx + k^2 - 25 = 0$$

$$(2k)^2 - 4(2)(k^2 - 25) = 0$$

$$4k^2 - 8k^2 + 200 = 0$$

$$-4k^2 = -200$$

$$k^2 = 50$$

$$k = \pm\sqrt{50}$$

14. Agree \rightarrow factored form only works if it has real roots

17. $y = (x+3)^2$ ① $y = -2x^2 - 5$ ②

Sub ① in to ②

$$-2x^2 - 5 = (x+3)^2$$

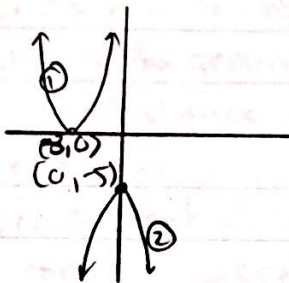
$$-2x^2 - 5 = x^2 + 6x + 9$$

$$-3x^2 - 6x - 14 = 0$$

$$(-6)^2 - 4(-3)(-14)$$

$$= -132$$

\therefore They never intersect (see diagram)



6.6 Solving Problems Using Quadratic Models

- a) zeros \rightarrow when $h=0$, so when the ball hits the ground (and when it ^{to hit the ground} hits the ground)
 vertex \rightarrow when the ball reaches its max height (x), and the max height (y)
 b) zeros \rightarrow when $h=0$, so when it hits the ground, and one \ominus value
 vertex \rightarrow max height (y) and the distance it was at when it got there (x)
 c) zeros \rightarrow selling prices that produce 0 profit (break even)
 vertex \rightarrow max profit & the price that produces it.
 d) zeros \rightarrow # of items produced to result in 0 cost
 vertex \rightarrow # of items produced to minimize cost
 e) no zeros \rightarrow we don't want the swing to hit the ground!
 vertex \rightarrow min. height above the ground & the time it occurs.

2. $h = -5t^2 + 22t + 15$

a) The school is 15m tall.

b) $10 = -5t^2 + 22t + 15$

$$5t^2 - 22t - 5 = 0$$

$$t = \frac{22 \pm \sqrt{(-22)^2 - 4(5)(-5)}}{2(5)}$$

$$= \frac{22 \pm \sqrt{584}}{10}$$

$$t = 4.62 \quad t = -0.22$$

\therefore The ball is above 10m

for 4.62 s.

c) $5t^2 - 22t - 15 = 0$

$$t = \frac{22 \pm \sqrt{(-22)^2 - 4(5)(-15)}}{2(5)}$$

$$= \frac{22 \pm \sqrt{784}}{10}$$

$$t = 5 \quad t = -0.6$$

\therefore It takes the ball

5s to hit the ground.

d) $t = \frac{-22}{-10} \quad h = -5(2.2)^2 + 22(2.2) + 15$

$$= 39.2 \text{ m}$$

\therefore The max ht. is 39.2m.

3. $H = -0.011x^2 + 0.99x + 1.6$

a) $x = \frac{-0.99}{2(-0.011)} \quad H = \frac{-0.011(45)^2 + 0.99(45) + 1.6}{1}$

$$= 45 \quad \therefore \text{The max ht. is } 23.875 \text{ m}$$

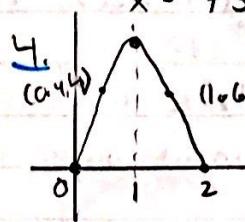
b) $15 = -0.011x^2 + 0.99x + 1.6$

$$0.011x^2 - 0.99x + 13.4 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{0.99 \pm \sqrt{(0.99)^2 - 4(0.011)(13.4)}}{2(0.011)}$$

$$= \frac{0.99 \pm \sqrt{0.3905}}{0.022}$$

$$x = 73.4 \text{ m or } x = 16.6 \text{ m}$$



$$y = a(x-r)(x-s)$$

$$4 = a(0.4-0)(0.4-2)$$

$$4 = -0.64a$$

$$-6.25 = a$$

$$y = -6.25x(x-2)$$

$$y = -6.25(1)(1-2)$$

$$y = 6.25$$

\therefore Max ht. is 6.25 m.

5. Vertex: (28, 1024)

$x \rightarrow$ price

Point: (10, -4160)

$y \rightarrow$ profit

a) $y = a(x-h)^2 + k$

$-4160 = a(10-28)^2 + 1024$

$-5184 = 324a$

$-16 = a$

$y = -16(x-28)^2 + 1024$

b) Let $y = 0$.

$-16(x-28)^2 + 1024 = 0$

$-16(x-28)^2 = -1024$

$(x-28)^2 = 64$

$x-28 = \pm 8$

$x = 8 + 28$

$x = -8 + 28$

$= 36$

$= 20$

6. $h = -4.9t^2 + 21$

a) When does $h = 10.5$?

$-4.9t^2 + 21 = 10.5$

$-4.9t^2 = -10.5$

$\sqrt{t^2} = \sqrt{2.143}$

$t = 1.46$ seconds

b) When does $h = 0$?

$-4.9t^2 + 21 = 0$

$-4.9t^2 = -21$

$t^2 = 4.286$

$t = 2.07$ seconds

a) Gravity!

8. $P = 8x^2 - 112x + 570$

a) 570 (let $x = 0$)

b) $x = \frac{112}{2(8)}$ $P = 8(7)^2 - 112(7) + 570$

$= 178$

$= 7$ \therefore In 2006 there were 178 deer.

a) No, the minimum value is 178.

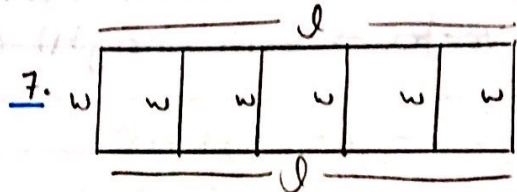
d) Let $x = 21$

$P = 8(21)^2 - 112(21) + 570$

$= 1746$ deer

Probably not because the graph is increasing rapidly by then.

\therefore 20 and 36 will ensure she breaks even.



$6w + 2l = 30$

$l = -3w + 15$

$A = lw$

$c = \left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)^2$

$A = (-3w + 15)(w)$

$A = -3w^2 + 15w$

$= -3\left(w^2 - 5w + \frac{25}{4} - \frac{25}{4}\right)$

$= -3\left(w^2 - 5w + \frac{25}{4}\right) + \frac{75}{4}$

$= -3\left(w - \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{75}{4}$

\therefore The width is 2.5m and the length is 7.5m, and the area is 18.75m²

9. $d = 0.1t^2 - 3.5t + 6$

a) $0.1t^2 - 3.5t + 6 = 0$

$t = \frac{3.5 \pm \sqrt{3.5^2 - 4(0.1)(6)}}{2(0.1)}$

0.2

$= \frac{3.5 \pm \sqrt{9.85}}{0.2}$

0.2

$t = 33.2$ $t = 1.8$

\therefore She is underwater for 31.4 seconds.

b) $t = \frac{3.5 - 1.8}{2}$

$= 17.5$

$d = 0.1(17.5)^2 - 3.5(17.5) + 6$
 $= -24.63$

\therefore She reaches a depth of 24.6m.

10. $C = 0.01x^2 - 1.5x + 93.25$

a) $x = \frac{1.5}{0.02}$
 $= 75$ items

b) $0.01x^2 - 1.5x + 93.25 = 53$

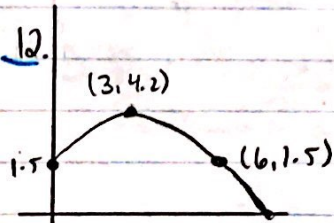
$0.01x^2 - 1.5x + 40.25 = 0$

$x = \frac{1.5 \pm \sqrt{(1.5)^2 - 4(0.01)(40.25)}}{2(0.01)}$

$= \frac{1.5 \pm \sqrt{0.64}}{0.02}$

$x = 115$ $x = 35$

A production rate between 35 and 115 items will keep costs below \$53.



$h = a(x-h)^2 + k$

$1.5 = a(0-3)^2 + 4.2$

$-2.7 = 9a$

$-0.3 = a$

$h = -0.3(x-3)^2 + 4.2$

Let $h = 0$

$-0.3(x-3)^2 + 4.2 = 0$

$-0.3(x-3)^2 = -4.2$

$(x-3)^2 = 14$

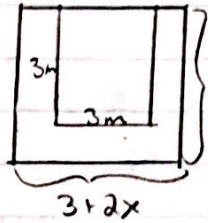
$x = \sqrt{14} + 3$ or $x = -\sqrt{14} + 3$

$= 6.74$

$= -0.74$

∴ It hits the ground after 6.74 m.

11.



Let x be the width of the border.

$A_g = 9 \text{ m}^2$

$A_b = 9 \text{ m}^2$

$A_{\text{big square}} - A_g = A_{\text{border}}$

$(3+x)(3+2x) - 9 = 9$

$9 + 9x + 2x^2 - 9 = 9$

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

$x = \frac{-9 \pm \sqrt{(9)^2 - 4(2)(-9)}}{2(2)}$

$= \frac{-9 \pm \sqrt{153}}{4}$

$x = 0.84 \text{ m}$

~~$x = 5.34$~~

∴ The border is 0.84 m wide.

13. Let n be the first integer.

$(n)^2 + (n+2)^2 + (n+4)^2 = 980$

$n^2 + n^2 + 4n + 4 + n^2 + 8n + 16 = 980$

$3n^2 + 12n + 20 = 980$

$3n^2 + 12n - 960 = 0$

$n^2 + 4n - 320 = 0$

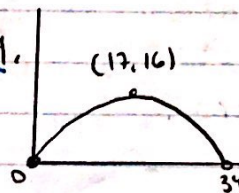
$(n+20)(n-16) = 0$

∴ $n = -20$ or $n = 16$

∴ The integers are -20, -18, -16

or 16, 18, 20.

14.



a) $16 = a(17-0)(17-34)$

$-\frac{16}{289} = a$

$y = -\frac{16}{289}(x)(x-34)$

b) $y = -\frac{16}{289}x^2 + \frac{32}{17}x$

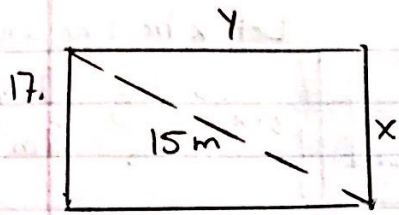
$\frac{16}{289}x^2 - \frac{32}{17}x + 3.3 = 0$

$x = \frac{\frac{32}{17} \pm \sqrt{(\frac{32}{17})^2 - 4(\frac{16}{289})(3.3)}}{2(\frac{16}{289})}$

$x = 32.1 \text{ m}$

or $x = 1.85 \text{ m}$

∴ She needs to be between 1.85 m + 32.1 m from it.



$$\textcircled{1} x^2 + y^2 = 15^2$$

$$\textcircled{2} x + y + 15 = 36$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 225$$

$$x + y = 21$$

From $\textcircled{2}$: $x = 21 - y$

Sub in to $\textcircled{1}$: $(21 - y)^2 + y^2 = 225$

$$441 - 42y + 2y^2 = 225$$

$$2y^2 - 42y + 216 = 0$$

$$2(y^2 - 21y + 108) = 0$$

$$y = \frac{21 \pm \sqrt{(-21)^2 - 4(1)(108)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{21 \pm \sqrt{9}}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{21}{2} \quad \text{or} \quad y = \frac{18}{2}$$

$$\therefore y = 12 \text{ or } 9$$

\therefore The dimensions are $12\text{m} \times 9\text{m}$.

Chapter 6 Review

1a) $(2x-5)(3x+8)=0$

$x = \frac{5}{2}, x = -\frac{8}{3}$

b) $x^2 + 12x + 32 = 0$

$(x+8)(x+4) = 0$

$x = -8, x = -4$

c) $3x^2 - 10x - 8 = 0$

$3x^2 - 12x + 2x - 8 = 0$

$3x(x-4) + 2(x-4) = 0$

$(x-4)(3x+2) = 0$

$x = 4, x = -\frac{2}{3}$

d) $3x^2 - 5x + 5 = 2x^2 + 4x - 3$

$x^2 - 9x + 8 = 0$

$(x-8)(x-1) = 0$

$x = 8, x = 1$

e) $2x^2 + 5x - 1 = 0$

$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{5^2 - 4(2)(-1)}}{2(2)}$

$= \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{33}}{4}$

$x = 0.19, x = -2.69$

f) $5x(x-1) + 5 = 7 + x(1-2x)$

$5x^2 - 5x + 5 = 7 + x - 2x^2$

$7x^2 - 6x - 2 = 0$

$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{6^2 - 4(7)(-2)}}{2(7)}$

$= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{92}}{14}$

$x = 1.11, x = -0.26$

4e) $y = 2(x^2 + 5x + \frac{25}{4} - \frac{25}{4}) - 12$

$y = 2(x + \frac{5}{2})^2 - \frac{25}{2} - 12$

$y = 2(x + \frac{5}{2})^2 - 4\frac{1}{2}$

2. d) $d = 0.002(2v^2 + 10v + 3000)$

a) $d = 0.002(2(12)^2 + 10(12) + 3000)$
 $= 6.816 \text{ m}$

b) $15 = 0.002(2v^2 + 10v + 3000)$

$7500 = 2v^2 + 10v + 3000$

$2v^2 + 10v - 4500 = 0$

$v^2 + 5v - 2250 = 0$

$(v+50)(v-45) = 0$

$v = 45$

3a) $c = (\frac{8}{2})^2$ b) $c = (\frac{-16}{2})^2$ d) $c = (\frac{19}{2})^2$

$= 16$

$= 64$

$= \frac{361}{4}$

d) $c = (\frac{12}{2})^2$ e) $c = (\frac{-5}{2})^2$ f) $c = (\frac{-70}{2})^2$

$= 36$

$= \frac{25}{4}$

$= 1225$

4a) $y = x^2 + 8x - 2$

$y = (x^2 + 8x + 16 - 16) - 2$

$y = (x^2 + 8x + 16) - 16 - 2$

$y = (x+4)^2 - 18$

b) $y = x^2 - 20x + 95$

$= (x^2 - 20x + 100 - 100) + 95$

$= (x^2 - 20x + 100) - 100 + 95$

$= (x-10)^2 - 5$

c) $y = -3(x^2 - 4x) - 2$

$= -3(x^2 - 4x + 4 - 4) - 2$

$= -3(x^2 - 4x + 4) + 12 - 2$

$= -3(x-2)^2 + 10$

d) $y = 0.2(x^2 - 2x) + 1$

$= 0.2(x^2 - 2x + 1 - 1) + 1$

$= 0.2(x^2 - 2x + 1) - 0.2 + 1$

$= 0.2(x-1)^2 + 0.8$

Hilroy

$$4a) \quad y = -4.9(x^2 + 4x) + 12$$

$$y = -4.9(x^2 + 4x + 4) + 12$$

$$y = -4.9(x+2)^2 + 19.6 + 12$$

$$= -4.9(x+2)^2 + 31.6$$

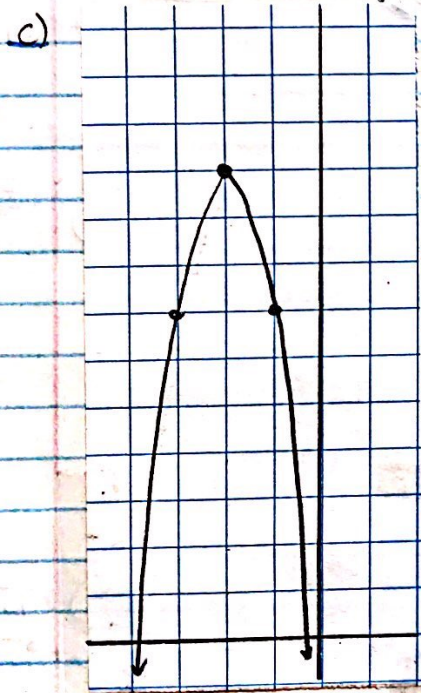
$$5a) \quad y = -3(x^2 + 4x) - 2$$

$$y = -3(x^2 + 4x + 4) - 2$$

$$y = -3(x+2)^2 + 12 - 2$$

$$= -3(x+2)^2 + 10$$

- b) • reflect over x-axis
 • v.s. by a factor of 3
 • left 2 units + up 10 units.



$$6. \quad y = -0.2x^2 + 2.4x + 2$$

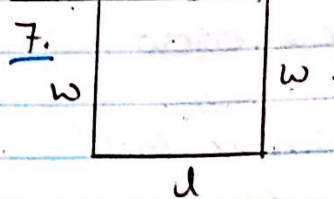
$$y = -0.2(x^2 - 12x) + 2$$

$$= -0.2(x^2 - 12x + 36 - 36) + 2$$

$$= -0.2(x-6)^2 + 9.2$$

∴ The max height is 9.2m.

Building/open side



$$2w + d = 46 \rightarrow d = 46 - 2w$$

$$A = dw$$

$$= -2w^2 + 46w$$

$$= -2(w^2 - 23w + 132.25 - 132.25)$$

$$= -2(w - 11.5)^2 + 264.5$$

∴ The max area is 264.5

8a) $3x^2 - 4x - 10 = 0$

$$x = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(3)(-10)}}{2(3)}$$

$$= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{136}}{6}$$

$$x = 2.61 \quad x = -1.28$$

b) $-4x^2 + 1 = -15$

$$-4x^2 = -16$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

c) $x^2 = 6x + 10$

$$x^2 - 6x - 10 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{(6)^2 - 4(1)(-10)}}{2(1)}$$

$$= \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{76}}{2}$$

$$x = 7.36 \quad x = -1.36$$

d) $(x-3)^2 - 4 = 0$

$$(x-3)^2 = 4$$

$$x-3 = \pm 2$$

$$x = 5, x = 1$$

8e) $(2x+5)(3x-2) = (x+1)$

$6x^2 - 4x + 15x - 10 = x + 1$

$6x^2 + 11x - 10 = x + 1$

$6x^2 + 10x - 11 = 0$

$x = \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{(10)^2 - 4(6)(-11)}}{2(6)}$

$= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{124}}{12}$

12

$x = 0.09 \quad x = -1.76$

f) $1.5x^2 - 6.1x + 1.1 = 0$

$x = \frac{6.1 \pm \sqrt{(6.1)^2 - 4(1.5)(1.1)}}{2(1.5)}$

$= \frac{6.1 \pm \sqrt{30.61}}{3}$

3

$x = 3.88 \quad x = 0.19$

9. $h = -0.1x^2 + 2.4x + 8.1$

$0.1x^2 - 2.4x - 8.1 = 10$

$0.1x^2 - 2.4x + 1.9 = 0$

$x = \frac{2.4 \pm \sqrt{(2.4)^2 - 4(0.1)(1.9)}}{2(0.1)}$

$= \frac{2.4 \pm \sqrt{5}}{0.2}$

0.2

$x = 23.18 \text{ m} \quad x = 0.82 \text{ m}$

∴ The balloon has travelled 0.82 m or 23.18 m.

10. $h = 0.0025x^2 - 0.9x + 120$

$0.0025x^2 - 0.9x + 120 = 50$

$0.0025x^2 - 0.9x + 70 = 0$

$x = \frac{0.9 \pm \sqrt{0.11}}{0.005}$

0.005

$x = 246.3 \quad x = 113.67$

∴ It is 246.3 cm or 113.67 cm.

11a) $D = (-5)^2 - 4(2)(1)$

$= 25 - 8$

$= 17 \quad \therefore 2 \text{ real roots}$

b) $D = (-2.1)^2 - 4(-3.5)(-1)$

$= -9.59 \quad \therefore \text{no real roots}$

c) $D = (5)^2 - 4(1)(8)$

$= 25 - 32$

$= -7 \quad \therefore \text{no real roots}$

d) $D = (0)^2 - 4(4)(-15)$

$= 240 \quad \therefore \text{Two real roots}$

e) $5x^2 + 10x + 25 = -4x + 50$

$5x^2 + 14x - 25 = 0$

$D = (14)^2 - 4(5)(-25)$

$= 676 \quad \therefore \text{Two real roots.}$

12a) 2 b) 2 c) $D = (8)^2 - 4(2)(14)$

d) $2x^2 - 10x + 7$ $= -48 \quad \therefore \text{no roots}$

$D = (-10)^2 - 4(2)(7)$ e) $D = (-4)^2 - 4(-1.4)(-5.4)$

$= 44 \quad \therefore 2 \text{ roots}$ $= -14.24 \quad \therefore \text{no roots}$

13. $H = 3500 - 5t^2$

a) $H = 3500 - 5(10)^2$

$= 3000 \quad \therefore \text{They have fallen 500m.}$

b) $1000 = 3500 - 5t^2$

$-2500 = -5t^2$

$500 = t^2 \quad \therefore \text{They fell for}$

$22.36 = t \quad 22.4 \text{ seconds.}$

14. $h = -0.008x^2 - 1.296x + 107.5$

$x = \frac{1.296}{-0.008} \quad h = -0.008(81)^2 - 1.296(81) + 107.5$

$2(-0.008) \quad = 160 \text{ m}$

$= -81 \quad \therefore \text{The height is 160m.}$

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15. Let x be the # of \$0.50 increases.

$$R = (5 + 0.5x)(300 - 20x)$$

$$R = -10x^2 + 50x + 1500$$

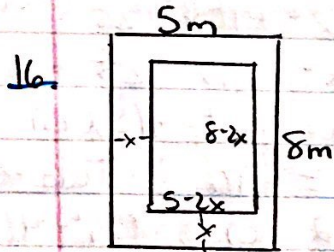
$$1562.50 = -10x^2 + 50x + 1500$$

$$10x^2 - 50x + 62.50 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{50 \pm \sqrt{0}}{20}$$

$$= 2.5$$

∴ They should charge \$7.50 to earn \$1562.50.



$$A_{\text{rug}} = \frac{3}{4}(40)$$

$$= 30 \text{ m}^2$$

$$A_{\text{room}} = 40 \text{ m}^2$$

Let x be the width of the strip.

$$A_{\text{rug}} = 30$$

$$(5 - 2x)(8 - 2x) = 30$$

$$40 - 10x - 16x + 4x^2 = 30$$

$$4x^2 - 26x + 10 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 13x + 5 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{13 \pm \sqrt{105}}{4}$$

$$x = 5.8 \quad \boxed{x = 0.7}$$

∴ The strip is about 0.7m wide.

17. Let x be the larger #.

$$\textcircled{1} x - y = 12 \rightarrow x = 12 + y$$

$$\textcircled{2} x^2 + y^2 = 1040$$

$$(12 + y)^2 + y^2 = 1040$$

$$y^2 + 24y + 144 + y^2 = 1040$$

$$2y^2 + 24y - 896 = 0$$

$$y^2 + 12y - 448 = 0$$

$$(y + 28)(y - 16) = 0$$

∴ The integers are ±16 and ±28.