

## Additional Mathematics Exercise 1 Answers

*(Quadratic Equations and Quadratic Functions)*

1. (a) 5, 1      (b)  $\frac{\sqrt{3} \pm \sqrt{7}}{4}$
2.  $\frac{1}{4}$  (repeated)
3.  $\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{10}$
4. 8
5.  $\frac{5 \pm \sqrt{37}}{2}$
6. 1.26
7. 5.32
8.  $\left(\frac{3+\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  or  $\left(\frac{3-\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{1+\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$
9. 1
10. (a) two unequal real roots, both irrational.  
(b) two unequal real roots, both irrational.  
(c) two unequal real roots, both irrational.  
(d) two unequal real roots, both rational.
11.  $k \leq \frac{3}{2}$
12.  $k \geq -1$
13. -
14.  $\frac{-11 \pm \sqrt{161}}{4}$
15. -
16. 4
17. (a)  $\frac{10}{9}$       (b)  $\frac{10}{27}$       (c)  $\frac{2}{3}$       (d)  $6\frac{2}{3}$
18. (a)  $2x^2 + 11x + 10 = 0$       (b)  $2x^2 + 5x - 2 = 0$   
(c)  $2x^2 - x - 46 = 0$       (d)  $20x^2 - 101x + 127 = 0$
19.  $x = 2, k = 10$
20.  $b = -c$
21.  $m = -1, x = 0$  or  $-1$
22. -
23.  $m = -3, n = 28$

24. (a)  $q(q-1)^2 - p^2(p^2 - 4q)$
25.  $a = \frac{1}{8}, b = -\frac{3}{4}, c = \frac{25}{8}$
26. Maximum value = 3 when  $x = \frac{2}{3}$ .
27. -
28. any real number
29. (a) - (b)  $h = \pm k$
30.  $\pm \frac{9}{8}$
31. (a) no real solutions (b) -1.5 (c) -0.5, 3
32. 2, -1
33. -3, -2, 1, 2
34.  $-1, \frac{9}{7}$
35. 4, -1
36. -1, 0, 2, 3
37.  $-\frac{1}{12}, \frac{7}{12}$
38.  $\frac{3}{4}, \frac{3}{2}$
39. 0, 2
40.  $\frac{1}{2}$
41. (a) - (b) -1, 3