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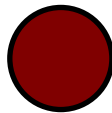
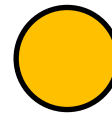
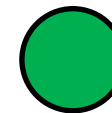
# Algebra Master-box

Equations—Algebra—Logic—Correspondence



 2 hours

 38 Questions

Easy (12 Questions)	/21
Moderate(12 Questions)	/25
Difficult(12 Questions)	/31
<b>Total Marks</b>	<b>/77</b>
How did you do?	
  	



# Easy Questions

1. SIMPLIFY -  $5x + 3x$

$8x$  (1)

(1 marks)

2. SOLVE -  $2x = 14 \div 2$   
 $x = 7$

$x = \underline{7}$  (1)

(1 marks)

3. EVALUATE  $x + y$  IF  $x = 1$  AND  $y = 4$   
Substitute  $x$  with 1 and  $y$  with 4

$1 + 4 = 5$  (1)

(1 marks)

4. SOLVE -  $x - 5 = 0$

$0 + 5 = x$   
 $x = 5$

$x = \underline{5}$

(1 marks)

5. SIMPLIFY  $6x - 4x$

$2x$  (1)

(1 marks)



6. SOLVE -  $4x=20 \div 4$   
 $x=5$

$x = \underline{5} \text{ (1)}$

(1 marks)

7. EVALUATE  $2x+5$  | f  $x=3$   
Substitute  $x$  with 3.

$2(3)+5 = 6+5 = \underline{11} \text{ (1)}$

(1 marks)

8. SOLVE  $x+7$

if  $x=3$  (previous q)

$3+7=10$

$x = \underline{3} \text{ (1)}$

(1 marks)

9. SIMPLIFY  $3x^2 + x^2$

$4x^2 \text{ (1)}$

(1 marks)

10. SOLVE -  $7x=21 \div 7$

$x=21$

$x = \underline{21} \text{ (1)}$

(1 marks)



11. EVALUATE  $4x-3$  IF  $x=2$

Sub  $x$  with 2

$$4(2) - \overset{(1)}{3} = 8 - 3 = 5 \quad (1)$$

(2 marks)

12. SOLVE -

SOLVE & EXPLAIN

Q11.

(2)

(Sub value)

$$x = \underline{2}$$

Substitution is the replacement of a variable with a value.

(2 marks)

Because  $x$  was being multiplied by 4, we did

$$\overset{66}{4} \overset{72}{(2)}$$

When 4 is multiplied by 2



# Moderate Questions

13. SOLVE  $3(x-2)=9$  Multiply  $x-2$  by 3

$$3x - 6 = 9 \quad (1)$$

$$3x = 9$$
$$x = 3 \quad (1)$$

$$x = \underline{3}$$

(2 marks)

14. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{4x^2}{8x^2}$

$$\frac{4x^2}{8x^2} \quad (1) \quad \frac{4}{8} = \underline{\frac{1}{2}} \quad (1)$$

(2 marks)

15. SOLVE  $x^2=25$

$$x = \sqrt{25} \quad (1)$$

$$x = 5$$

$$x = \underline{5}$$

(2 marks)

16. EVALUATE  $x^2+3x+4$  IF  $x=1$

Substitute  $x$  with 1.

$$1^2 + 3(1) + 4 \quad (1)$$

$$1 + 4 + 4 = 9 \quad (1)$$

$$\underline{9}$$

(2 marks)



17. SOLVE  $x^2 - 4 = 0$

$$x^2 = 4 + 0 \quad (1)$$

$$x = \sqrt{4}$$

$$x = 2 \quad (1)$$

$$x = \underline{2}$$

(2 marks)

18. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{8x^2}{4x}$

$$\frac{8x^2}{4x} = \frac{8x^2}{2x} = \frac{4x}{1} \quad (1)$$

(2 marks)

19. SOLVE  $\frac{x+3}{3} = 2$

$$\frac{x+3}{3} = 2 \rightarrow x+3 = 2 \times 3 \rightarrow x = 2 \times 3 - 3 = x = \underline{3}$$

$$x = \underline{3}$$

(2 marks)

20. EVALUATE  $2x^2 - 4x + 2$  IF  $x=2$

Substitute  $x$  with 2.

$$2(2^2) - 4(2) + 2 \quad (1)$$

$$8 - 8 + 2 = \underline{2} \quad (1)$$

(2 marks)



21. SOLVE  $3x - 9 = 0$

$$3x = 9 \quad (1)$$

$$x = 3 \quad (1)$$

$$x = \underline{\quad 1 \quad}$$

(2 marks)

22. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{10x^3}{5x}$

$$\frac{2x^2}{1} \quad (1) = \underline{\quad 2x \quad (1)}$$

(2 marks)

23. SOLVE  $(x - 3)(x + 2) = 0$

$$x - 3 = 0 \quad (1) \quad x = 3 \text{ or } -2 \quad (1)$$

$$x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = \underline{\quad 3, -2 \quad}$$

(2 marks)

24. EVALUATE  $3x^2 - 2x + 1$  if  $x = (-1)$

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

$$3 + 2 + 1 = 6$$

(2 marks)



# Difficult Questions

25. SOLVE  $2x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$

$\hookrightarrow (2x-1)(x-1) = 0$  (1)

So  $x = \frac{1}{2}$  or  $1$  (1)

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

(3 marks)

26. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{12x^2 - 4}{4x - 2}$

$\frac{6x^2 - 2}{4x - 2}$  (3)

(3 marks)

27. SOLVE  $2x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$

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

So,  $x = 1$  (1)

$x = \underline{1}$

(3 marks)





28. EVALUATE  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x = 0$  IF  $x = -1$

$$(-1)^3 - 2(-1)^2 - 3 \stackrel{(1)}{=} -1 - 2 - 1 - 3 \stackrel{(1)}{=} -7 \stackrel{(1)}{=} -7$$

(3 marks)

29. SOLVE  $2x^2 - 5 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 &= 5 & (1) \\ x^2 &= 2.5 & (1) \\ x &= \sqrt{2.5} & (1) \end{aligned}$$

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

(3 marks)

30. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{x^3 - 27}{x - 3}$

$$\frac{(x-3)(x^2+3x+9) \quad (2)}{x-3} = x^2+3x+9 \quad (4)$$

(3 marks)

31. SOLVE  $x^4 - 1 = 0$

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

$$x = \underline{\pm 1}$$

$$\therefore x^2 = 1, \quad x = \underline{\pm 1} \quad (3)$$

(3 marks)



32. EVALUATE  $x^4 - x^3 + x - 1$  IF  $x = 2$

$$2^4 - 2^3 + 2 - 1 = 16 - 8 + 2 - 1 = 9 \quad (4)$$

33. SOLVE  $\frac{x^2 - 8}{x - 2} = 0$

(3 marks)

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

$$x = 2 \quad (4)$$

$$x = \underline{2}$$

(3 marks)

34. SIMPLIFY  $\frac{x^4 - 1}{x^2 - 1}$

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

(3 marks)

35. SOLVE  $3x^3 - 6x^2 - 3x + 6 = 0$

$$(3x - 3)(x^2 - 2x - 2) = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$x = 1 \quad (4)$$

$$x = \underline{1}$$

(3 marks)



36. EVALUATE  $x^4 + x^3 - x^2 + x$  if  $x = (-2)$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} (-2)^4 & + & (-2)^3 & - & (-2)^2 & + & (-2) & = & 16 & - & 8 & - & 4 & - & 2 & = & 1 \\ (1) & & & & (1) & & & & (4) & & & & & & & & \end{array}$$

(3 marks)