Monster Questions - Set 7

Question 1

Write
$$5 - (x + 2) \div \left(\frac{x^2 - 4}{x - 3}\right)$$
 as a single fraction.
Simplify your answer fully.

The diagram shows a cylinder and a sphere.

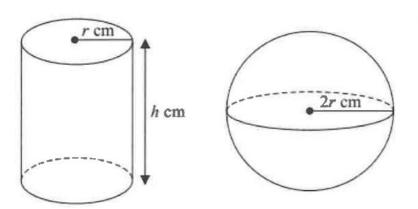


Diagram NOT accurately drawn

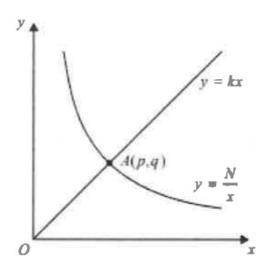
The cylinder has radius r cm and height h cm. The sphere has radius 2r cm.

The volume of the cylinder is equal to the volume of the sphere. Find an expression for h in terms of r. Give your answer in its simplest form.

(a) Factorise $4x^2 - 1$

(b) Solve
$$\frac{4}{2x+1} + \frac{1}{4x^2 - 1} = 3$$

Show clear algebraic working.



The diagram shows the straight line with equation y = kx intersecting the curve with equation $y = \frac{N}{x}$ at the point A(p, q).

(a) Find p and find q.

Give each answer in its simplest form, in terms of k and N.

Given that p = 2q

(b) find the value of k.

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

Show your working clearly.

Give your solutions correct to 3 significant figures.

Hence, or otherwise,

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

giving your solutions correct to 3 significant figures.