

# Functions

## Difficulty: Easy

### Question Paper 3

Level	IGCSE
Subject	Maths (0580/0980)
Exam Board	CIE
Topic	Algebra and graphs
Sub-Topic	Functions
Paper	Paper 2
Difficulty	Easy
Booklet	Question Paper 3

**Time allowed:** 40 minutes

**Score:** /31

**Percentage:** /100

#### Grade Boundaries:

##### CIE IGCSE Maths (0580)

A*	A	B	C	D	E
>88%	76%	63%	51%	40%	30%

##### CIE IGCSE Maths (0980)

9	8	7	6	5	4	3
>94%	85%	77%	67%	57%	47%	35%

## Question 1

$$f(x) = x^2 + 1 \quad g(x) = \frac{x+2}{3}$$

(a) Work out  $ff(-1)$ .

[2]

(b) Find  $gf(3x)$ , simplifying your answer as far as possible.

[3]

(c) Find  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

[2]

## Question 2

$$f(x) = 3x + 5 \quad g(x) = 4x - 1$$

(a) Find the value of  $gg(3)$ .

[2]

(b) Find  $fg(x)$ , giving your answer in its simplest form.

[2]

(c) Solve the equation.

$$f^{-1}(x) = 11$$

[1]

**Question 3**

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x+4} \quad (x \neq -4)$$

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

$$h(x) = x^3 + 1$$

(a) Work out  $fg(1)$ . [2]

(b) Find  $h^{-1}(x)$ . [2]

(c) Solve the equation  $g(x) = -2$ . [3]

## Question 4

$$f(x) = x^3$$

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

(a) Find

(i)  $g(6)$ , [1]

(ii)  $f(2x)$ . [1]

(b) Solve  $fg(x) = 125$ . [3]

(c) Find the inverse function  $g^{-1}(x)$ . [2]

**Question 5**

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad g(x) = 2^x \quad h(x) = 2x - 3$$

(a) Find  $g(3)$ . [1]

(b) Find  $hh(x)$  in its simplest form. [2]

(c) Find  $fg(x + 1)$  in its simplest form. [2]