

- 5 (a) The first four terms in the binomial expansion of $(1 + 2x)^9$ in ascending powers of x are $1 + ax + bx^2 + cx^3$. Find the values of the integers a , b and c .
[3 marks]
- (b) Hence find the value of the coefficient of x^3 in the expansion of $\left(3 - \frac{1}{2}x\right)^2 (1 + 2x)^9$.
[4 marks]

- 7 (a) The expression $(1 - 2x)^5$ can be written in the form

$$1 + px + qx^2 + rx^3 + 80x^4 - 32x^5$$

By using the binomial expansion, or otherwise, find the values of the coefficients p , q and r .

[3 marks]

- (b) Find the value of the coefficient of x^{10} in the expansion of $(1 - 2x)^5(2 + x)^7$.
[5 marks]

Q	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
5(a)	$a = 9(2) = 18$ $b = \frac{9(8)(2)^2}{2} = 144$ $c = \frac{9(8)(7)(2)^3}{2(3)} = 672$	B1 B1 B1	 3	Condone $18x$ Condone $144x^2$ Condone $672x^3$
(b)	$\left(3 - \frac{1}{2}x\right)^2 = 9 - 3x + \frac{1}{4}x^2$ x^3 terms from expn of $\left(3 - \frac{1}{2}x\right)^2 (1 + 2x)^9$ are ' $9'cx^3$ ' and ' $-3'b x^3$ ' and ' $\frac{1}{4}'ax^3$ ' ' $9'cx^3 + '-3'b x^3 + '\frac{1}{4}'ax^3$ $9 \times 672 - 3 \times 144 + 0.25 \times 18$ (coefficient of $x^3 =$) 5620.5	 M1 A1F A1	 4	Any two of the three, ft from products of non-zero terms using c's two expansions. May just see the coefficients without the x^3 Relevant products identified, with or without ' x^3 ', ft on <u>at most two errors</u> in values for $a, b, c, 9, -3, \frac{1}{4}$. OE Condone $5620.5x^3$ OE
	Total		7	

Q7	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$p = -10;$ $q = 40;$ $r = -80$	B1 B1 B1	3	Accept correct embedded values for p, q and r within the expansion
(b)	$(2 + x)^7 = \dots\dots\dots + mx^5 + nx^6 + x^7$ $m = 84, n = 14$ Coefficients of x^{10} terms in expansion of $(1 - 2x)^5(2 + x)^7$ are $-32m + 80n + r$ Coeff. of $x^{10} = (-32)(84) + (80)(14) + r$ $= -2688 + 1120 + r = -1568 + r$ Coeff. of $x^{10} = -1648$	M1 A1 m1 A1F A1	5	Attempting to find at least two of x^5 term, x^6 term, x^7 term in the expansion of $(2 + x)^7$ Either correct. (M1 must be scored). PI by later correct work Identifying at least two of the three products $-32m, 80n, r$ that give x^{10} terms Only ft c's value of r in (a). If not shown in any of these forms, can be implied by final answer which matches correct evaluation of $(-1568 + c's\ r)$ -1648 or left as ' $-1648x^{10}$ '. Ignore other powers of x terms
	Total		8	

- 4 (a)** Find the binomial expansion of $(1 - 2x)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[2 marks]
- (b) (i)** Find the binomial expansion of $(81 - 16x)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[3 marks]
- (ii)** Use your expansion from part **(b)(i)** to find an approximation for $\sqrt[4]{76}$, giving your answer to five decimal places.
[2 marks]

- 3 (a)** Find the binomial expansion of $(1 - 9x)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[2 marks]
- (b) (i)** Find the binomial expansion of $(64 - 9x)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[3 marks]
- (ii)** Use your expansion from part **(b)(i)** to find an estimate for $67^{\frac{2}{3}}$, giving your answer in the form $p + \frac{q}{r}$ where p , q and r are positive integers with $q < r$.
[2 marks]

Q 4	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$(1 - 2x)^{\frac{1}{4}} = 1 - \frac{1}{2}x + kx^2$ $= 1 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{8}x^2$	M1 A1	 2	where $k \neq 0$. Ignore any higher powers of x .
	Allow ACF for the coefficients - e.g. $1 - \frac{2}{4}x - \frac{12}{32}x^2$ would be M1 A1 but signs must be simplified			
(b)(i)	$(81 - 16x)^{\frac{1}{4}} = 81^{\frac{1}{4}} \left(1 - \frac{16}{81}x\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ $\left(1 - \frac{16}{81}x\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ $= 1 + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(-\frac{16}{81}\right)x$ $+ \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(-\frac{16}{81}x\right)^2 \left(\frac{1}{2!}\right)$ $(81 - 16x)^{\frac{1}{4}} = 3 \left(1 - \frac{4}{81}x - \frac{8}{2187}x^2\right)$	B1 M1 A1	 3	ACF - e.g. $3 \left(1 - \frac{16}{81}x\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$. Condone missing brackets if recovered For their $(1 + kx)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ ACF: e.g. $3 - \frac{4}{27}x - \frac{8}{729}x^2$ (3 NOT $81^{\frac{1}{4}}$)
(ii)	For $\sqrt[4]{76}$ we need $81 - 16x = 76 \rightarrow x = \frac{5}{16}$ Substituting $x = \frac{5}{16}$ in their (b)(i) $\sqrt[4]{76} = 2.95263$	M1 A1	 2	or $x = 0.3125$ Either seen or implied by correct answer CAO - Must be correct to 5 d.p.
	Beware calculator answer is 2.95259			

(a)	$(1 - 9x)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 + \frac{2}{3}(-9x) + kx^2$ $= 1 - 6x - 9x^2$	M1 A1	 2	or better with $k \neq 0$ Coefficients must be simplified.
(b)(i)	$(64 - 9x)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 64^{\frac{2}{3}} \left(1 - \frac{9}{64}x\right)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ $\left(1 - \frac{9}{64}x\right)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 1 + \frac{2}{3} \times \left(-\frac{9}{64}x\right) + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{-1}{3} \left(-\frac{9}{64}x\right)^2 \times \frac{1}{2}$ $(64 - 9x)^{\frac{2}{3}} = 16 - \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{9}{256}x^2$	B1 M1 A1	 3	ACF - e.g. $16 \left(1 - \frac{9}{64}x\right)^{\frac{2}{3}}$ OE - condone missing brackets. Accept $16 \left(1 - \frac{3}{32}x - \frac{9}{4096}x^2\right)$
(b)(ii)	Substituting $x = -\frac{1}{3}$ (OE) into their (b)(i) $\left(67^{\frac{2}{3}}\right) = 16 + \frac{127}{256}$	M1 A1	 2	$64 - 9x = 67 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{1}{3}$ or $-\frac{3}{9}$ Must have correct expansion in (b)(i) and use $x = -\frac{1}{3}$. OE for $\frac{127}{256}$ - e.g. $\frac{254}{512}$ etc. NMS is 0/2 since 'Hence'...

- 4 (a)** Find the binomial expansion of $(1-4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[2 marks]
- (b)** Find the binomial expansion of $(16+4x)^{\frac{3}{4}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[3 marks]
- (c)** Hence find the expansion of $\sqrt{\frac{(16+4x)^{\frac{3}{2}}}{(1-4x)}}$ in ascending powers of x up to and including the term in x^2 .
[2 marks]

- 4 (a)** Find the binomial expansion of $(1+5x)^{\frac{1}{5}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[2 marks]
- (b) (i)** Find the binomial expansion of $(8+3x)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ up to and including the term in x^2 .
[3 marks]
- (ii)** Use your expansion from part **(b)(i)** to find an estimate for $\sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{81}}$, giving your answer to four decimal places.
[2 marks]

Q4	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$(1 - 4x)^{-\frac{1}{2}} = 1 + 2x + kx^2$ $= 1 + 2x + 6x^2$	M1 A1	2	$k \neq 0$
(b)	$(16 + 4x)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 16^{\frac{3}{4}} \left(1 + \frac{4x}{16}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}}$ $\left(1 + \frac{4x}{16}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 1 + \frac{3}{4} \cdot \left(\frac{4x}{16}\right) + \frac{3}{4} \cdot -\frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{4x}{16}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \dots$ $(16 + 4x)^{\frac{3}{4}} =$ $8 \left(1 + \frac{3}{16}x - \frac{3}{512}x^2\right) \quad \text{or} \quad 8 + \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{3}{64}x^2$	B1 M1 A1	3	OE e.g. $8 \left(1 + \frac{x}{4}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}}$ Condone missing / poor use of brackets Must be 8 not $16^{3/4}$
	or $(16 + 4x)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 16^{\frac{3}{4}} + \frac{3}{4}(16)^{-\frac{1}{4}}(4x) + \frac{3}{4} \cdot -\frac{1}{4}(16)^{-\frac{5}{4}}(4x)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \dots$ M1 $= 8 + \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{3}{64}x^2$ A2			
(c)	$(1 + 2x + 6x^2) \left(8 + \frac{3}{2}x - \frac{3}{64}x^2\right)$ $= 8 + \frac{35}{2}x + \frac{3261}{64}x^2$	M1 A1	2	Setting up the product of their two expansions - be convinced CAO

Q4	Solution	Mark	Total	Comment
(a)	$1 + \frac{1}{5} \times 5x + kx^2$ $1 + x - 2x^2$	M1 A1	2	k any non-zero numerical expression Simplified to this
(b) (i)	$(8 + 3x)^{-\frac{2}{3}} = 8^{-\frac{2}{3}} \left(1 + \frac{3x}{8}\right)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ $\left(1 + \frac{3x}{8}\right)^{-\frac{2}{3}}$ $= 1 + \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(\frac{3x}{8}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(-\frac{5}{3}\right) \left(\frac{3x}{8}\right)^2$ $\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{16}x + \frac{5}{256}x^2$	B1 M1 A1	3	ACF for $8^{-\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{1}{4}$ Expand correctly using their $\frac{3}{8}x$ Condone poor use of or missing brackets Accept $= \frac{1}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4}x + \frac{5}{64}x^2\right)$
(ii)	$x = \frac{1}{3}$ $0.2313 \quad (4\text{dp})$	M1 A1	2	$x = \frac{1}{3}$ used in their expansion from (b)(i) Note 3 in 4th decimal place
	Total		7	

3. (a) Find the first 4 terms, in ascending powers of x , in the binomial expansion of

$$(1 + kx)^{10}$$

where k is a positive constant. Give each term in its simplest form.

(3)

Given that, in this expansion, the coefficients of x and x^3 are equal,

- (b) find the exact value of k ,

(3)

- (c) find the coefficient of x^2

(1)

2. (a) Find the first 4 terms, in ascending powers of x , of the binomial expansion of

$$(2 + kx)^7$$

where k is a non-zero constant. Give each term in its simplest form.

(4)

Given that the coefficient of x^3 in this expansion is 1890

- (b) find the value of k .

(3)

1. Find the first 4 terms, in ascending powers of x , of the binomial expansion of

$$\left(3 - \frac{1}{3}x\right)^5$$

giving each term in its simplest form.

(4)

<p>3. (a)</p>	$(1+kx)^{10}$ $1+{}^{10}C_1(kx)+{}^{10}C_2(kx)^2+{}^{10}C_3(kx)^3\ldots$ $1+({}^{10}C_1\times\ldots\times x)+({}^{10}C_2\times\ldots\times x^2)+({}^{10}C_3\times\ldots\times x^3)\ldots$ $=1+10kx+45k^2x^2+120k^3x^3\ldots$	<p>M1</p> <p>B1, A1 (3)</p> <p>M1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>(3)</p> <p>B1</p> <p>(1)</p> <p>(7 marks)</p>
<p>(b)</p>	$120k^3=10k$ $k^2=\frac{1}{12} \text{ so } k=\ldots$ $k=\frac{\sqrt{3}}{6} \text{ o.e.}$	
<p>(c)</p>	$\frac{15}{4} \text{ o.e.}$	

<p>2. (a)</p>	$(2+kx)^7$ $2^7+{}^7C_12^6(kx)+{}^7C_22^5(kx)^2+{}^7C_32^4(kx)^3\ldots$ <p>First term of 128</p> $({}^7C_1\times\ldots\times x)+({}^7C_2\times\ldots\times x^2)+({}^7C_3\times\ldots\times x^3)\ldots$ $=(128\ldots)+448kx+672k^2x^2+560k^3x^3\ldots$	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1, A1 (4)</p>
<p>(b)</p>	$560k^3=1890$ $k^3=\frac{1890}{560} \text{ so } k=$ $k=1.5 \text{ o.e.}$	<p>M1</p> <p>dM1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>(3)</p> <p>(7marks)</p>

<p>1.</p>	$(3-\frac{1}{3}x)^5-$ $3^5+{}^5C_13^4(-\frac{1}{3}x)+{}^5C_23^3(-\frac{1}{3}x)^2+{}^5C_33^2(-\frac{1}{3}x)^3\ldots$ <p>First term of 243</p> $({}^5C_1\times\ldots\times x)+({}^5C_2\times\ldots\times x^2)+({}^5C_3\times\ldots\times x^3)\ldots$ $=(243\ldots)-\frac{405}{3}x+\frac{270}{9}x^2-\frac{90}{27}x^3\ldots$ $=(243\ldots)-135x+30x^2-\frac{10}{3}x^3\ldots$	<p>B1</p> <p>M1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>A1</p> <p>(4)</p> <p>[4]</p>
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5. (a) Find the first 3 terms, in ascending powers of x , of the binomial expansion of

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

giving each term in its simplest form.

(4)

$$f(x) = (1 + kx)(2 - 9x)^4, \text{ where } k \text{ is a constant}$$

The expansion, in ascending powers of x , of $f(x)$ up to and including the term in x^2 is

$$A - 232x + Bx^2$$

where A and B are constants.

- (b) Write down the value of A .

(1)

- (c) Find the value of k .

(2)

- (d) Hence find the value of B .

(2)

1. Find the first 3 terms, in ascending powers of x , of the binomial expansion of

$$\left(2 - \frac{x}{4}\right)^{10}$$

giving each term in its simplest form.

(4)

5.	(a) $(2-9x)^4 = 2^4 + {}^4C_1 2^3(-9x) + {}^4C_2 2^2(-9x)^2$, (b) $f(x) = (1+kx)(2-9x)^4 = A - 232x + Bx^2$	
(a)	First term of 16 in their final series	B1
Way 1	At least one of $({}^4C_1 \times \dots \times x)$ or $({}^4C_2 \times \dots \times x^2)$	M1
	$= (16) - 288x + 1944x^2$	At least one of $-288x$ or $+1944x^2$ A1
		Both $-288x$ and $+1944x^2$ A1
		[4]
(a)	$\{(2-9x)^4\} = 2^4 \left(1 - \frac{9}{2}x\right)^4$	First term of 16 in final series B1
Way 3	$= 2^4 \left(1 + 4\left(-\frac{9}{2}x\right) + \frac{4(3)}{2}\left(-\frac{9}{2}x\right)^2 + \dots\right)$	At least one of $(4 \times \dots \times x)$ or $\left(\frac{4(3)}{2} \times \dots \times x^2\right)$ M1
	$= (16) - 288x + 1944x^2$	At least one of $-288x$ or $+1944x^2$ A1
		Both $-288x$ and $+1944x^2$ A1
		[4]
	Parts (b), (c) and (d) may be marked together	
(b)	$A = "16"$	Follow through their value from (a) B1ft
		[1]
(c)	$\{(1+kx)(2-9x)^4\} = (1+kx)(16 - 288x + \{1944x^2 + \dots\})$	May be seen in part (b) or (d) and can be implied by work in parts (c) or (d). M1
	x terms: $-288x + 16kx = -232x$	
	giving, $16k = 56 \Rightarrow k = \frac{7}{2}$	$k = \frac{7}{2}$ A1
		[2]
(d)	x^2 terms: $1944x^2 - 288kx^2$	
	So, $B = 1944 - 288\left(\frac{7}{2}\right); = 1944 - 1008 = 936$	See notes M1
		936 A1
		[2]
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1.	$\left(2 - \frac{x}{4}\right)^{10}$	
Way 1	$2^{10} + \binom{10}{1} 2^9 \left(-\frac{1}{4}x\right) + \binom{10}{2} 2^8 \left(-\frac{1}{4}x\right)^2 + \dots$	For <u>either</u> the x term <u>or</u> the x^2 term including a correct <u>binomial coefficient</u> with a <u>correct power of x</u> M1
	$= 1024 - 1280x + 720x^2$	First term of 1024 B1
	Either $-1280x$ or $720x^2$ (Allow $\pm 1280x$ here)	A1
	Both $-1280x$ and $720x^2$ (Do not allow $\pm 1280x$ here)	A1
		[4]
Way 2	$\left(2 - \frac{x}{4}\right)^{10} = 2^k \left(1 - \frac{10}{8}x + \frac{10 \times 9}{2} \left(-\frac{x}{8}\right)^2 + \dots\right)$	M1
	$1024(1 \pm \dots)$	
	$= 1024 - 1280x + 720x^2$	B1 A1 A1
		[4]

1. The binomial series expansion of

$$(1 + ax)^{\frac{2}{3}} \quad |ax| < 1$$

up to and including the term in x^2 is

$$1 + \frac{1}{2}x + kx^2$$

where a and k are constants.

- (a) Find the value of a .

(2)

- (b) Find the value of k , giving your answer in its simplest form.

(2)

- (c) Hence find the numerical coefficient of x^2 in the series expansion of

$$(4 - 9x)(1 + ax)^{\frac{2}{3}} \quad |ax| < 1$$

(2)

1. (a) Find the binomial series expansion of

$$\sqrt{4 - 9x}, \quad |x| < \frac{4}{9}$$

in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^2
Give each coefficient in its simplest form.

(5)

- (b) Use the expansion from part (a), with a suitable value of x , to find an approximate value for $\sqrt{310}$

Show all your working and give your answer to 3 decimal places.

(3)

1.	$(1+ax)^{\frac{2}{3}} \approx 1 + \frac{1}{2}x + kx^2; \quad f(x) = (4-9x)(1+ax)^{\frac{2}{3}}, \quad ax < 1$		
	$\left\{ (1+ax)^{\frac{2}{3}} \approx 1 + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)(ax) + \frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!}(ax)^2 + \dots = 1 + \frac{2}{3}ax - \frac{1}{9}a^2x^2 + \dots \right\}$		
(a)	$\frac{2}{3}a = \frac{1}{2}$	see notes	M1
	$a = \frac{3}{4}$	$a = \frac{3}{4}$ or 0.75	A1 o.e.
			(2)
(b)	$\frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!}(a)^2$	Either $\frac{(\frac{2}{3})(\frac{2}{3}-1)}{2!}(a)^2$ or $\frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!}(a)^2$ or $\frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!}(ax)^2$ or $\frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!}(\text{their } a)^2$ or $-\frac{1}{9}a^2$	M1
	$\left\{ k = \frac{(\frac{2}{3})(-\frac{1}{3})}{2!} \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 \right\} \Rightarrow k = -\frac{1}{16}$	$k = -\frac{1}{16}$ or -0.0625	A1
			(2)
(c)	$\left\{ (4-9x) \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{16}x^2 \right) \right\}$		
	$\{x^2 : \} -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{9}{2}; = -\frac{19}{4}$ or -4.75	Either $4(\text{their } k) - \frac{9}{2}$ or $4(\text{their } k)x^2 - \frac{9}{2}x^2$	M1
		$-\frac{19}{4}$ or -4.75	A1
			(2)

1. (a)	$\sqrt{4-9x} = (4-9x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \left(\underline{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(1 - \frac{9x}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \underline{2} \left(1 - \frac{9x}{4}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	$\underline{(4)}^{\frac{1}{2}}$ or $\underline{2}$	B1
	$= \{2\} \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(kx) + \frac{(\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{1}{2})}{2!}(kx)^2 + \dots \right]$	see notes	M1 A1ft
	$= \{2\} \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(-\frac{9x}{4}\right) + \frac{(\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{1}{2})}{2!} \left(-\frac{9x}{4}\right)^2 + \dots \right]$		
	$= 2 \left[1 - \frac{9}{8}x - \frac{81}{128}x^2 + \dots \right]$	see notes	
	$= 2 - \frac{9}{4}x; -\frac{81}{64}x^2 + \dots$	isw	A1; A1
			[5]
(b)	$\sqrt{310} = 10\sqrt{3.1} = 10\sqrt{(4-9(0.1))}$, so $x = 0.1$	E.g. For $10\sqrt{3.1}$ (can be implied by later working) and $x = 0.1$ (or uses $x = 0.1$) Note: $\sqrt{(100)(3.1)}$ by itself is B0	B1
	When $x = 0.1$ $\sqrt{4-9x} \approx 2 - \frac{9}{4}(0.1) - \frac{81}{64}(0.1)^2 + \dots$	Substitutes their x , where $ x < \frac{4}{9}$ into all three terms of their binomial expansion	M1
	$= 2 - 0.225 - 0.01265625 = 1.76234375$		
	So, $\sqrt{310} \approx 17.6234375 = \underline{17.623}$ (3 dp)	17.623 cao	A1 cao
	Note: the calculator value of $\sqrt{310}$ is 17 60681686 which is 17 607 to 3 decimal places		[3]

2. $f(x) = (2 + kx)^{-3}$, $|kx| < 2$, where k is a positive constant

The binomial expansion of $f(x)$, in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^2 is

$$A + Bx + \frac{243}{16}x^2$$

where A and B are constants.

(a) Write down the value of A . (1)

(b) Find the value of k . (3)

(c) Find the value of B . (2)

1. Use the binomial series to find the expansion of

$$\frac{1}{(2 + 5x)^3}, \quad |x| < \frac{2}{5}$$

in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^3 .
Give each coefficient as a fraction in its simplest form.

(6)

(a)	$\{A = \} \frac{1}{8}$	$\frac{1}{8}$ or 2^{-3} or 0.125, clearly identified as A or as their answer to part (a)	B1 cao
			[1]
(b)	$\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) \frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!} \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)^2$	Uses the x^2 term of the binomial expansion to give	
		either $\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!}$ or $\left(\frac{k}{2}\right)^2$ or $\left(\frac{kx}{2}\right)^2$ or $\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2}$ or 6	M1
		either (their A) $\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!} \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)^2$ or (their A) $\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!} \left(\frac{kx}{2}\right)^2$, where (their A) $\square 1$, or $\frac{3}{16}k^2$ or $\frac{3}{16}k^2x^2$ or $(2^{-5})\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!}(kx)^2$ or $(2^{-5})\frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!}(k)^2$	M1 o.e.
	$\left\{ \text{So, } \left(\frac{1}{8}\right) \frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!} \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{243}{16} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{16}k^2 = \frac{243}{16} \Rightarrow k^2 = 81 \right\}$		
	So, $k = 9$	$k = 9$ cao	A1 cso
Note: $k = \pm 9$ with no reference to $k = 9$ only is A0			[3]
(c)	$\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) (-3) \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)$	Uses the x term of the binomial expansion to give either (their A) $(-3) \left(\frac{k}{2}\right)$ or (their A) $(-3) \left(\frac{kx}{2}\right)$; where (their A) $\square 1$, or $(2)^{-4}(-3)(k)$ or $(2)^{-4}(-3)(kx)$ or $-\frac{3k}{16}$	M1
	$\left\{ \text{So, } B = \left(\frac{1}{8}\right) (-3) \left(\frac{9}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \right\}$ $B = -\frac{27}{16}$	$-\frac{27}{16}$ or $-1\frac{11}{16}$ or -1.6875	A1 cso
			[2]
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1. Way 1	$\left\{ \frac{1}{(2+5x)^3} = \right\} (2+5x)^{-3}$	Writes down $(2+5x)^{-3}$ or uses power of -3	M1
	$= (2)^{-3} \left(1 + \frac{5x}{2}\right)^{-3} = \frac{1}{8} \left(1 + \frac{5x}{2}\right)^{-3}$	$\frac{2^{-3}}{8}$ or $\frac{1}{8}$	B1
	$= \left\{ \frac{1}{8} \right\} \left[1 + (-3)(kx) + \frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!}(kx)^2 + \frac{(-3)(-4)(-5)}{3!}(kx)^3 + \dots \right]$	see notes	M1 A1
	$= \left\{ \frac{1}{8} \right\} \left[1 + (-3) \left(\frac{5x}{2}\right) + \frac{(-3)(-4)}{2!} \left(\frac{5x}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{(-3)(-4)(-5)}{3!} \left(\frac{5x}{2}\right)^3 + \dots \right]$		
	$= \frac{1}{8} \left[1 - \frac{15}{2}x + \frac{75}{2}x^2 - \frac{625}{4}x^3 + \dots \right]$		
	$= \frac{1}{8} \left[1 - 7.5x + 37.5x^2 - 156.25x^3 + \dots \right]$		
	$= \frac{1}{8} - \frac{15}{16}x + \frac{75}{16}x^2 - \frac{625}{32}x^3 + \dots$ or $\frac{1}{8} - \frac{15}{16}x + 4\frac{11}{16}x^2 - 19\frac{17}{32}x^3 + \dots$		A1; A1
			[6]

1. (a) Find the binomial expansion of

$$(4 + 5x)^{\frac{1}{2}}, \quad |x| < \frac{4}{5}$$

in ascending powers of x , up to and including the term in x^2 .
Give each coefficient in its simplest form.

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- (b) Find the exact value of $(4 + 5x)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ when $x = \frac{1}{10}$

Give your answer in the form $k\sqrt{2}$, where k is a constant to be determined.

(1)

- (c) Substitute $x = \frac{1}{10}$ into your binomial expansion from part (a) and hence find an approximate value for $\sqrt{2}$

Give your answer in the form $\frac{p}{q}$ where p and q are integers.

(2)

1. (a)	$(4 + 5x)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \underline{(4)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \left(1 + \frac{5x}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} = \underline{2} \left(1 + \frac{5x}{4} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	$\underline{(4)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ or $\underline{2}$	B1
	$= \{2\} \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) (kx) + \frac{(\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{1}{2})}{2!} (kx)^2 + \dots \right]$	see notes	M1 A1ft
	$= \{2\} \left[1 + \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{5x}{4} \right) + \frac{(\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{1}{2})}{2!} \left(\frac{5x}{4} \right)^2 + \dots \right]$ $= 2 \left[1 + \frac{5}{8}x - \frac{25}{128}x^2 + \dots \right]$	See notes below!	
	$= 2 + \frac{5}{4}x; - \frac{25}{64}x^2 + \dots$	isw	A1; A1
			[5]
(b)	$\left\{ x = \frac{1}{10} \Rightarrow (4 + 5(0.1))^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{4.5} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \right\}$		
	$= \frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$ or $k = \frac{3}{2}$ or 1.5 o.e.	B1
			[1]
(c)	$\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2}$ or $1.5\sqrt{2}$ or $\frac{3}{\underline{\underline{\sqrt{2}}}}} = 2 + \frac{5}{4}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right) - \frac{25}{64}\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^2 + \dots \{= 2.121\dots\}$	See notes	M1
	So, $\frac{3}{2}\sqrt{2} = \frac{543}{256}$ or $\frac{3}{\underline{\underline{\sqrt{2}}}}} = \frac{543}{256}$		
	yields, $\sqrt{2} = \frac{181}{128}$ or $\sqrt{2} = \frac{256}{181}$	$\frac{181}{128}$ or $\frac{362}{256}$ or $\frac{543}{384}$ or $\frac{256}{181}$ etc.	A1 oe