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2. The function f and the function g are defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{12}{x+1} \qquad x > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$g(x) = \frac{5}{2}\ln x \qquad x > 0, x \in \mathbb{R}$$

(a) Find, in simplest form, the value of $fg(e^2)$

(2)

(b) Find f^{-1}

(3)

(c) Hence, or otherwise, find all real solutions of the equation

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

(3)

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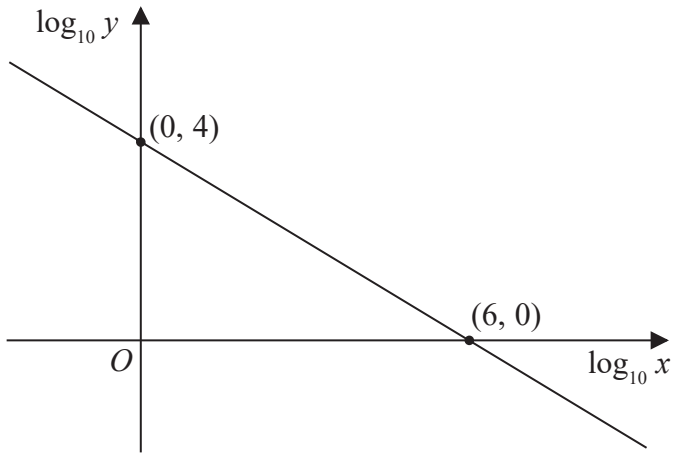


Figure 1

Figure 1 shows a linear relationship between $\log_{10} y$ and $\log_{10} x$

The line passes through the points (0, 4) and (6, 0) as shown.

(a) Find an equation linking $\log_{10} y$ with $\log_{10} x$

(2)

(b) Hence, or otherwise, express y in the form px^q, where p and q are constants to be found.

(3)

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