

Guidance

- 1. Read each question carefully before you begin answering it.
- 2. Check your answers seem right.
- 3. Always show your workings

Revision for this topic

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1. Draw the graph of $y = 3^x$ for values of x from -2 to 2



2. Draw the graph of $y = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x$ for values of x from -2 to 2



3. Draw the graph of $y = 2.5 \times 2^x$ for values of x from -2 to 2



4. Draw the graph of $y = 3^{-x}$ for values of x from -2 to 2



5. Sketch the graph of $y = 100 \times 4^{-x}$

Label the coordinates of any points of intersection with the coordinate axes.



6. The sketch shows a curve with equation $y = ab^x$ where a > 0 and b > 0

The curve passes through the points (0, 6) and (4, 3750)



Calculate the value of a and b

(3)

7. The sketch shows a curve with equation $y = ab^{-x}$ where a > 0 and b > 0



The curve passes through the points (-2, 8) and (1, 0.001)

Calculate the value of a and b

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The curve passes through the points (-5, 37500) and (3, 0.096)

Calculate the value of a and b





The curve passes through the points (-4, 648) and (-2, 72)

Calculate the value of a and b

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10. A scientist is carrying out an experiment to remove microplastics from water. In an experiment 20,000 microplastics are added to a sample of water.

The number of microplastics, M, after t minutes is $M = 20000 \times 2^{-t}$

(a) Calculate the number of microplastics in the water after 3 minutes.

(2)

(b) After how many complete minutes does it take for the number of microplastics to fall below 100?