

5 (a) The function $f(x)$ is defined for all values of x as $f(x) = |ax - b|$, where a and b are positive constants.

(i) The graph of $y = f(x) + c$, where c is a constant, has a vertex at $(3, 1)$ and crosses the y -axis at $(0, 7)$.

Find the values of a , b and c . [3]

(ii) Explain why $f^{-1}(x)$ does not exist. [1]

(b) The function $g(x)$ is defined for $x \geq \frac{q}{p}$ as $g(x) = |px - q|$, where p and q are positive constants.

(i) Find, in terms of p and q , an expression for $g^{-1}(x)$, stating the domain of $g^{-1}(x)$. [3]

(ii) State the set of values of p for which the equation $g(x) = g^{-1}(x)$ has no solutions. [1]