

$$13a)i) -2 \left| \begin{array}{rrrr} 1 & -2 & -20 & -24 \\ & -2 & 8 & 24 \\ \hline 1 & -4 & -12 & 0 \end{array} \right.$$

remainder = 0 so $(x+2)$ is a factor

$$ii) (x+2)(x^2 - 4x - 12)$$

$$x = -2 \quad (x-6)(x+2)$$

$$x = 6 \quad x = -2$$

b) $x = -2$ is root and s.p. for $f(x)$

moves to $(1,0)$ which is $\rightarrow 3$

$$\underline{\underline{k=3}}$$

Question			Generic Scheme	Illustrative Scheme	Max Mark
13.	(a)	(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ use -2 in synthetic division or evaluation of the cubic •² complete division/evaluation and interpret result 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •¹ $\begin{array}{r rrrr} -2 & 1 & -2 & -20 & -24 \\ & & & & \\ \hline & & 1 & & \end{array}$ or $(-2)^3 - 2(-2)^2 - 20(-2) - 24$ •² $\begin{array}{r rrrr} -2 & 1 & -2 & -20 & -24 \\ & & -2 & 8 & 24 \\ \hline & 1 & -4 & -12 & 0 \end{array}$ Remainder = 0. $\therefore (x+2)$ is a factor or $f(-2) = 0 \therefore (x+2)$ is a factor 	2
		(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •³ state quadratic factor •⁴ find remaining factors or apply the quadratic formula •⁵ state solution 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •³ $x^2 - 4x - 12$ •⁴ $(x+2)$ and $(x-6)$ or $\frac{4 \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(1)(-12)}}{2(1)}$ •⁵ $-2, 6$ 	3
Notes:					
1. Communication at • ² must be consistent with working at that stage - a candidate's working must arrive legitimately at 0 before • ² can be awarded. 2. Accept any of the following for • ² : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ' $f(-2) = 0$ so $(x+2)$ is a factor' • 'since remainder = 0, it is a factor' • the '0' from any method linked to the word 'factor' by 'so', 'hence', \therefore, \rightarrow, \Rightarrow etc. 3. Do not accept any of the following for • ² : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • double underlining the '0' or boxing the '0' without comment • '$x = -2$ is a factor', '\dots is a root' • the word 'factor' only, with no link. 					
Commonly Observed Responses:					
	(b)		• ⁶ state value of k	• ⁶ 3	1
Notes:					
1. Accept $y = f(x-3)$ or $f(x-3)$ for • ⁶ .					
Commonly Observed Responses:					