7 (a) Complete the table of values for $y = \ln(3x + 1) + 2$, giving your answers to 2 decimal places.

х	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	
У	2		3.95	4.30			4.94	

(2)

(b) On the grid opposite, draw the graph of $y = \ln(3x + 1) + 2$ for $0 \le x \le 6$

(2)

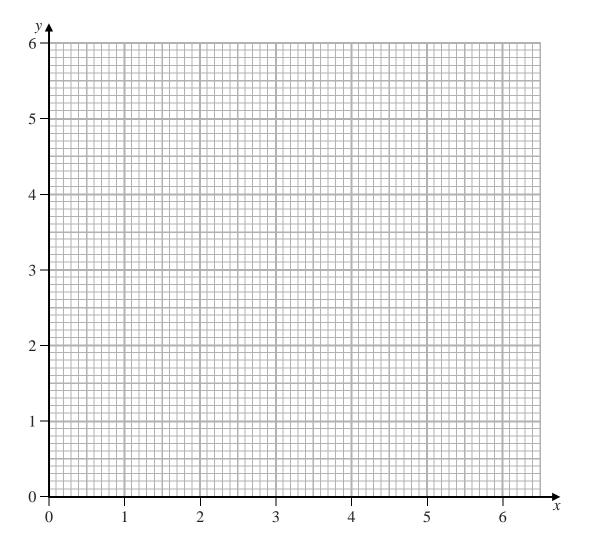
(c) Use your graph to obtain an estimate, to 1 decimal place, for the value of ln 10.6 You **must** show clearly how you have used your graph.

(3)

(d) By drawing a straight line on the grid, obtain estimates, to 1 decimal place, for the roots of the equation $(3x + 1)^2 = e^{(x+1)}$ in the interval $0 \le x \le 6$

(5)

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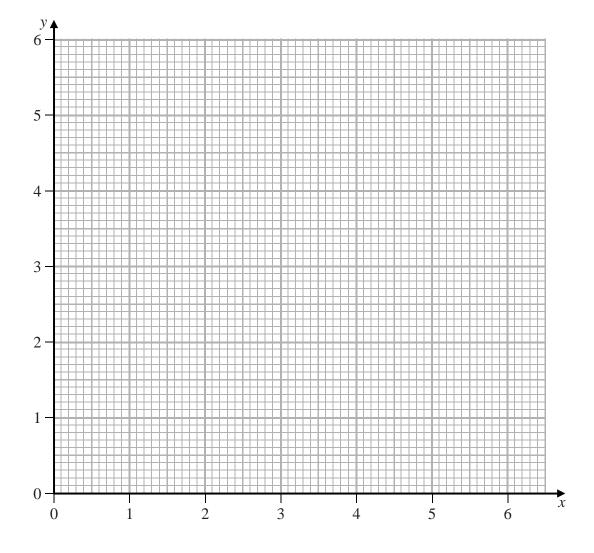
Turn over for a spare grid if you need to redraw your graph.



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Only use this grid if you need to redraw your graph.



(Total for Question 7 is 12 marks)

