

- 5** (a) Complete the table of values for $y = 2x^3 - 5x + 3$

x	-2	-1.5	-1	-0.5	0	0.5	1	1.5	2
y		3.75	6	5.25	3	0.75		2.25	

(2)

- (b) On the grid opposite, plot the points from your completed table and join them to form a smooth curve.

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- (c) By drawing a suitable straight line on your grid, find estimates to one decimal place, for the solutions of the equation $2x^3 - 5x + 3 = 2$ in the range $-2 \leq x \leq 2$

(2)

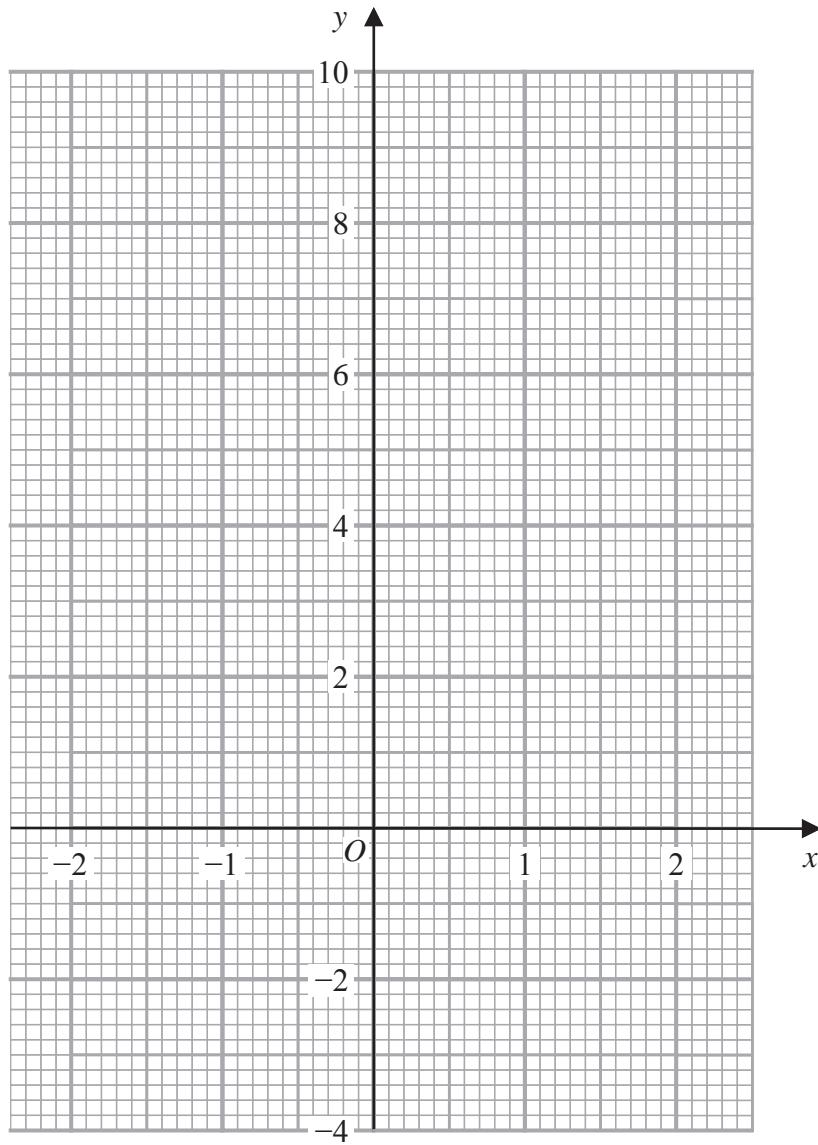


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