

9 The roots of a quadratic equation are  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  where  $\alpha + \beta = -\frac{7}{3}$  and  $\alpha\beta = -2$

(a) Find a quadratic equation, with integer coefficients, which has roots  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  (4)

Given that  $\alpha > \beta$  and without solving the equation,

(b) show that  $\alpha - \beta = \frac{11}{3}$  (2)

(c) form a quadratic equation, with integer coefficients, which has roots

$$\frac{\alpha + \beta}{\alpha} \text{ and } \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\beta}$$

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