

6 The functions f and g are defined by

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{2}{x^2 - 1} \text{ for } x < -1, \\ g(x) &= x^2 + 1 \text{ for } x > 0. \end{aligned}$$

(i) Find an expression for $f^{-1}(x)$.

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(ii) Solve the equation $gf(x) = 5$.

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