

<b>07</b>	<b>1e</b>	Factorise $2x^2 + 5x - 12$	<b>2</b>
$2x^2 + 5x - 12 = (2x - 3)(x + 4)$			

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A significant number of responses solved the corresponding quadratic equation. Weaker responses did not determine the two correct factors. Candidates are advised to always check their answer by expanding.
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