Q1(1):

$$2a^2b^3 \times (-3ab^2)^2 \div (-6a^3b^5)$$

$$= \frac{18a^4b^7}{-6a^3b^5}$$

$$=$$
 $-3ab^2$

Q1(2):

$$|x - 1| < 3$$

$$-3 < x - 1 < 3$$

Q1(3):

$$x + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{x^2 + 1}{x} = \frac{3x}{x} = \boxed{3}.$$

$$x^{2} + \frac{1}{x^{2}} = (x + \frac{1}{x})^{2} - 2 = 3^{2} - 2 = \boxed{7}.$$

Q1(4):

- i): All the three cards are odd. The probability= $\frac{C_3^5}{C_3^{10}} = \frac{10}{120} = \frac{1}{12}$.
- ii): There are two cases:
- -All the three cards are even. The probability = $\!\frac{1}{12}.$

-One card is even while the other two are odd.

The probability= $\frac{C_1^5 \cdot C_2^5}{C_3^{10}} = \frac{50}{120} = \frac{5}{12}$.

Given the above, the total probability $=\frac{1}{12} + \frac{5}{12} = \frac{1}{2}$.

Q1(5):

As the three vectors form a triangle, we have $\vec{AB}+\vec{BC}+\vec{CA}=\vec{0},$ i.e. < x+2,y-3,z+5>=<0,0,0>.

By solving, we have $x = \boxed{-2}$, $y = \boxed{3}$ and $z = \boxed{-5}$.

$$\vec{AB} \cdot \vec{AC} = <-2, 2, 1 > \cdot < -3, 5, 5 >= 6 + 10 + 5 = \boxed{21}$$

Q1(6):

$$y = \log_2(8x - 16) = \log_2(8(x - 2)) = \log_2 8 + \log_2(x - 2) = 3 + \log_2(x - 2).$$

Therefore, the graph shifts by $\boxed{2}$ on the x-axis and $\boxed{3}$ on the y-axis to the graph of $y=\log_2 x$.

Q1(7):

Let d be the common different, as 2 + 3d = -7, we have d = -3.

Therefore, the arithmetic progression is $2, \boxed{-1}, \boxed{-4}, -7$.

Let r be the common ratio, as $-6r^2 = -54$, we have $r = \pm 3$.

Therefore, the arithmetic progression is ± 2 , -6, ± 18 , -54.

Q1(8):

Note that $\frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{1}{k} - \frac{1}{k+1}$.

Therefore, $\sum_{k=1}^{n} \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = 1 - \frac{1}{n+1}$ by the telescoping property.

Then,

$$1 - \frac{1}{n+1} = \frac{6}{7}$$

$$n + 1 = 7$$

$$n = \boxed{6}$$

Q1(9):

f'(x) = (x-5)+(x+3) by the product rule. Therefore, $f'(-1) = -6+2 = \boxed{-4}$.

Q2:

(1): By completing the square, we have $y = (x + \frac{1}{2})^2 - \frac{9}{2}$.

Therefore, the vertex is $(\frac{-1}{2}, \frac{-9}{2})$.

When a and b have common points, then the equation $x^2 + x - 2 = 3x + a$ has solution, i.e.

$$\Delta = 4 - 4(-2 - a) \ge 0$$

$$a \ge \boxed{-3}$$

(2): If
$$a = 0$$
, then by solving $x^2 + x - 2 = 3x + 1$, i.e. $x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$, we have $x = \boxed{-1}, \boxed{3}$.

Therefore, the area=
$$\int_{-1}^{3} ((3x+1) - (x^2 + x - 2)) dx$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{3}x^3 + x^2 + 3x \right]_{-1}^3$$

$$= -9 + 9 + 9 - \frac{1}{3} - 1 + 3$$

$$=\frac{\boxed{32}}{3}.$$

When r reaches its upper boundary, it is tangent to y = 3x + 1.

By that time, the equation $x^2 + (3x + 1)^2 = r^2$ has only one solution., i.e.

$$\Delta = 36 - 4(10)(1 - r^2) = 0$$

$$r^2 = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$r = \frac{\boxed{\sqrt{10}}}{10}$$

Q3:

(1):
$$\frac{1}{3} - (\frac{1}{5} - \frac{7}{2}) = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{33}{10} = \frac{109}{30} \approx 3.6 \approx \boxed{4}$$

(2):
$$(\sqrt{5} - \sqrt{2})^2 = 7 - 2\sqrt{10}$$
. As $3\sqrt{9} < \sqrt{10} < \sqrt{10.5625} = 3.25$, we have $0.5 < 7 - 2\sqrt{10} < 1$. Therefore, the closest integer is $\boxed{1}$.

(3):
$$\sin 30^{\circ} + \cos 45^{\circ} + \tan 60^{\circ} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \sqrt{3} \approx 0.5 + 0.7 + 1.7 = 2.9 \approx \boxed{3}$$

(4):
$$\sum_{i=1}^{5} \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^i = \frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^6 - \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{2}{3} - 1} = 2 - \frac{2^6}{3^5} \approx \boxed{2}.$$

(5):
$$\int_0^2 (x^2 + 3x - 1) dx$$

$$= \left[\frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{3}{2}x^2 - x\right]_0^2$$

$$=\frac{8}{3}+6-2$$

$$=\frac{20}{3}$$

$$\approx 7$$