

As shown in the diagram, the continuous random variable X has probability density function f given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} mx & 0 \le x \le 2, \\ \frac{k}{x^2} + c & 2 \le x \le 6, \\ 0 & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

where m, k and c are constants.

- (a) Given that $P(X \le 2) = \frac{1}{3}$, show that $m = \frac{1}{6}$ and find the values of k and c. [4]
- (b) Find the exact numerical value of the interquartile range of X. [5]