

FP1 Linear Laws Answers

6(a)	X values 1.23, 2.18 Y values 0.70, 1.48	B3,2,1	3	-1 for each error
(b)	$\lg y = \lg k + \lg x^n$ $\lg x^n = n \lg x$ So $Y = nX + \lg k$	M1 M1 A1	3	
(c)	Four points plotted	B2,1 \checkmark		B1 if one error here; ft wrong values in (a) ft incorrect points (approx collinear)
	Good straight line drawn	B1 \checkmark	3	
(d)	Method for gradient Estimate for n	M1 A1 \checkmark	2	Allow AWRT 0.75 - 0.78; ft grad of candidate's graph
Total			11	

4(a)	$\lg y = \lg a + b \lg x$	M1A1	2	M1 for use of one log law
(b)	Use of above result $a = 10$ $b = \text{gradient}$ $\dots = -\frac{1}{2}$	M1 A1 m1 A1	4	
Total			6	

5(a)	Values 0.788, 0.992, 1.196 in table	B2,1	2	B1 if one correct (or if wrong number of dp given)
(b)	$\lg ab^x = \lg a + \lg b^x$ $\lg b^x = x \lg b$ So $Y = (\lg b)x + \lg a$	M1 M1 A1	3	
(c)		B1F		Four points plotted; ft wrong values in (a) Good straight line drawn; ft incorrect points
		B1F	2	
(d)	$a = \text{antilog of } y\text{-intercept}$ $b = \text{antilog of gradient}$	M1A1 M1A1	4	Accept 2.23 to 2.52 Accept 1.58 to 1.62
Total			11	