TOPIC

1 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 4 | 13 | 26 | 43 | 64 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2 n^{2}$ | 2 | 8 | 18 | 32 | 50 |
| $3 n-1$ | 2 | 5 | 8 | 11 | 14 |

$\qquad$
(Total for Question 1 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)
2 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


$$
\frac{6}{2}=3
$$

Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 7 | 18 | 35 | 58 | 87 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $3 n^{2}$ | 3 | 12 | 27 | 48 | 75 |
| $2 n+2$ | 4 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 |


(Total for Question $\mathbf{2}$ is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)

3 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


$$
\frac{2}{2}=1
$$

Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 2 | 9 | 18 | 29 | 42 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $n^{2}$ | 1 | 4 | 9 | 16 | 25 |
| $4 n-3$ | 1 | 5 | 9 | 13 | 17 |

$$
n^{2}+4 n-3
$$

(Total for Question 3 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)
4 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 2 | 11 | 30 | 59 | 98 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5 n^{2}$ | 5 | 20 | 45 | 80 | 125 |
| $-6 n+3$ | -3 | -9 | -15 | -21 | -27 |

(Total for Question 4 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)

5 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

$$
\frac{2}{2}=1
$$

|  | -3 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 21 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $n^{2}$ | 1 | 4 | 9 | 16 | 25 |
| -4 | -4 | -4 | -4 | -4 | -4 |

$$
n^{2}-4
$$

(Total for Question 5 is 3 marks)
6 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 8 | 19 | 34 | 53 | 76 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $2 n^{2}$ | 2 | 8 | 18 | 32 | 50 |
| $5 n+1$ | 6 | 11 | 16 | 21 | 26 |

(Total for Question 6 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)

7 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


$$
-\frac{4}{2}=-2
$$

Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 11 | 10 | 5 | -4 | -17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $-2 n^{2}$ | -2 | -8 | -18 | -32 | -50 |
| $5 n+8$ | 13 | 18 | 23 | 28 | 33 |

$$
-2 n^{2}+5 n+8
$$

(Total for Question 7 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)
8 Here are the first five terms of a quadratic sequence.


Find an expression, in terms of $n$, for the $n$th term of this sequence.

|  | 1.5 | 9 | 17.5 | 27 | 37.5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0.5_{n}^{2}$ | 0.5 | 2 | 4.5 | 8 | 12.5 |
| $6 n-5$ | 1 | 7 | 13 | 19 | 25 |

(Total for Question 8 is $\mathbf{3}$ marks)

