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Given that f(x) = 4x and g(x) = 5x - 2 and  $h(x) = 2x^2$ :

a) Find an expression for gh(x)

$$10x^2 - 2$$

- b) Find the value of gh(2)
  - 38

- c) Find an expression for fg(x)
- 20x 8

- d) Find the value of fg(3)
  - 52

- e) Find an expression for fh(x)
- 8x<sup>2</sup>

- f) Find the value of fh(4)
  - 132

- g) Find an expression for hf(x)
- 32x<sup>2</sup>

- h) Find the value of hf(3)
- 288

- i) Find an expression for hh(x)
- 8x<sup>4</sup>

- j) Find the value of hh(3)
  - 648

## **Practice questions:**

Given that f(x) = x + 2 and g(x) = 4 - 2x and  $h(x) = x^2 + 5$ :

- k) Find the value of x when ff(x) = 24
- I) Find the value of x when fg(x) = 2

$$x = 20$$

$$x = 2$$

- m) Find the value of x when gg(x) = 20
- n) Find the values of x when hf(x) = 30

$$x = 6$$

$$x = -7 \text{ or } x = 3$$

## Exam question:

Given that  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x$  and g(x) = x + 2

Write an expression for fg(x)

$$(x + 2)^2 + 2(x + 2)$$

$$= x^2 + 4x + 4 + 2x + 4$$

$$= x^2 + 6x + 8$$

