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**Formulae:**

**Factoring:**  $x^3 - a^3 = (x - a)(x^2 + xa + a^2)$

**Circle:**  $(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$

**Quadratic Formula:**  $\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

**Average rate of change:**

of  $f(x)$  on  $[a, b]$ :  $\frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$

**Parabola vertex:**  $\left(\frac{-b}{2a}, f\left(\frac{-b}{2a}\right)\right), a \neq 0$

**Logarithms:**

$\log_b(xy) = \log_b(x) + \log_b(y)$

$\log_b(x^p) = p \log_b(x)$

$\log_b\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_b(x) - \log_b(y)$

$\ln x = \log_e x$

$\log_b x = \frac{\ln x}{\ln b} = \frac{\log_{10} x}{\log_{10} b}$

$\ln e^a = a = e^{\ln a}$

$\log_b b^a = a = b^{\log_b a}$

$x^3 + a^3 = (x + a)(x^2 - xa + a^2)$

**Lines:**  $y - y_0 = m(x - x_0); y = mx + b$

**Difference Quotient:**  $\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h}$

**Compound Interest:**  $A = P\left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$

**Continuous Interest:**  $A = Pe^{rt}$

**Annuity:**  $A = \frac{P \left[ \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} - 1 \right]}{\frac{r}{n}}$

**Sinking Fund:**  $P = \frac{(A)\left(\frac{r}{n}\right)}{\left(\frac{r}{n} + 1\right)^{nt} - 1}$

**Exponential Growth:**  $A(t) = A_0 e^{rt}, r > 0$

**Exponential Decay:**  $A(t) = A_0 e^{-rt}, r > 0$

1.  $(2x - 3)^2 = ?$

- (a)
- $4x^2 + 12x + 6$
- (b)
- $4x^2 + 12x + 9$
- (c)
- $4x^2 + 16x + 16$
- (d)
- $4x^2 - 12x + 9$
- (e)
- $4x^2 + 9$

2. If one simplifies the following expression  $\frac{7m^{10}n^2}{\frac{2m}{14m^4n^8} \cdot 8n^4}$  one obtains

- (a)
- $\frac{m^4}{2n^2}$
- (b)
- $\frac{2m^5}{n^2}$
- (c)
- $\frac{2m^5}{n^3}$
- (d)
- $\frac{56m^5}{28n^6}$
- (e)
- $\frac{28m^5}{56n^6}$

3.  $\frac{2x}{x+3} - \frac{x}{3x+4} = ?$

- (a)
- $\frac{5x^2 + 6x + 5}{(x+3)(3x+4)}$
- (b)
- $\frac{6x^2 + 6x - 6}{(x+3)(3x+4)}$
- (c)
- $\frac{5x^2 + 5x}{(x+3)(3x+4)}$
- (d)
- $\frac{3x^2 + 6x + 6}{(x+3)(3x+4)}$
- (e)
- $\frac{x}{-2x-1}$

4. If one solves the inequality  $7 < 3x + 1 < 10$  one obtains

- (a) (2, 3) (b) (-4, -2) (c) (1, 2) (d) (-3, -1) (e) (3, 4)

5. Which of the following is a factor of  $x^2 - 2x - 8$  ?

- (a)
- $x - 8$
- (b)
- $x + 6$
- (c)
- $x + 4$
- (d)
- $x + 2$
- (e)
- $x + 8$

6. Simplify and reduce to lowest terms  $\frac{x^3 - 64}{4x^2 - 4} \div \frac{x - 4}{3x^2 + 2x - 5}$ 

- (a)
- $x$
- (b)
- $\frac{(x^2 + 16)(3x^2 + 2x - 5)}{(4x^2 - 4)}$
- (c)
- $\frac{(3x + 5)(x^2 + 4x + 16)}{4(x + 1)}$
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- (d)
- $\frac{(x^2 + 4x + 16)(3x - 5)}{4(x - 1)}$
- (e)
- $\frac{(x^2 + 4x + 16)(x - 4)^2}{4(x - 1)(x + 1)(3x^2 + 2x - 5)}$

7. If  $x$  is the solution of  $2x + 1 = 11$ , and  $y$  is the solution of  $-2y + 7 = 1 + y$  then  $x + y$  will be

- (a) 0 (b)
- $\frac{13}{7}$
- (c) 3 (d) 7 (e) 18

8. If one solves the equation  $A = \frac{1}{3}H(B + A)$  for  $B$  one obtains

- (a)
- $B = \frac{AH - 2A}{H}$
- (b)
- $B = \frac{3A - AH}{H}$
- (c)
- $B = \frac{5AH + A}{H}$
- (d)
- $B = \frac{3A - 2AH}{H}$
- (e)
- $B = \frac{4A - HA}{H}$

9. Mark leaves UNCC at 1:00 p.m. going 50mph and Alex leaves UNCC at 3:00 p.m. going 70mph on the same highway in the same direction. At what time does Alex catch up with Mark?

- (a) 9:00pm      (b) 7:00pm      (c) 6:00pm      (d) 5:00pm      (e) 8:00pm

10. If one solves  $x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$  one obtains  $x =$

- (a)  $-2 \pm \sqrt{3}$       (b)  $\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2}$       (c)  $\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{7}}{2}$       (e)  $\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{11}}{2}$

11. What is the distance between the points (7,1) and (1,4) ?

- (a)  $4\sqrt{3}$       (b)  $2\sqrt{5}$       (c)  $4\sqrt{5}$       (d)  $3\sqrt{2}$       (e)  $3\sqrt{5}$

12. What is the slope of the line through (3,12) and (1,6)?

- (a) 1      (b) 2      (c) 3      (d) 4      (e) 5

13. Which of the following is an equation of a line which is parallel to the line  $3y+6x = 18$  ?

- (a)  $6y + 18x = 3$       (b)  $y = -2x - 18$       (c)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x$       (d)  $y = -2$       (e)  $3y = 6x + 18$

14. What is the equation of the line which is perpendicular to the line  $3y+6x = 18$ , and has y-intercept 5?

- (a)  $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 5$       (b)  $y = 2x + 5$       (c)  $3y + 6x = 5$       (d)  $(y - 3) = 2(x - 5)$       (e)  $y = \frac{1}{2}(x - 5)$

15. For a particular marketing firm, advertising expenditures along the x-axis and sales plotted along the y-axis results in a graph which is a straight line. Given that \$500 in advertising resulted in \$3000 in sales and \$1000 in advertising result in \$11000 in sales. For an advertising expenditure of \$1500 what dollar amount in sales are expected ?

**Hint:** the points (500,3000) and (1000,11000) determine a line; Find the equation of this line.

- (a) \$15000      (b) \$16000      (c) \$18000      (d) \$19000      (e) \$20000

16. The center and radius of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6y - 4x + 9 = 0$  are

- (a) center  $(-2, 3)$  radius 4      (b) center  $(4, -3)$  radius 2      (c) center  $(-2, -3)$  radius 2  
(d) center  $(3, 4)$  radius 4      (e) center  $(2, -3)$  radius 2

17. Let  $f(x)$  be the piecewise defined function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x^3 + 6 & \text{for } x < 0 \\ 2x + 4 & \text{for } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$

Then  $f(-2) + f(2) = ?$

- (a)  $-4$       (b)  $2$       (c)  $-2$       (d)  $4$       (e)  $-6$

18. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{2x+3}$ . Then the domain is

- (a)  $x \geq 0$       (b)  $|x| \geq \frac{2}{3}$       (c)  $x \geq 2$       (d)  $x \geq -\frac{3}{2}$       (e)  $x \geq -1$

19. If  $f(x) = (x-1)^2$  then which of the following is correct ?

- (a) the range of  $f$  is  $[1, \infty)$  and  $f$  is increasing on  $(-\infty, 0)$   
(b) the range of  $f$  is  $[1, \infty)$  and  $f$  is increasing on  $(0, \infty)$   
(c) the range of  $f$  is  $[0, \infty)$  and  $f$  is increasing on  $(0, \infty)$   
(d) the range of  $f$  is  $[0, \infty)$  and  $f$  is increasing on  $(-\infty, 0)$   
(e) the range of  $f$  is  $[0, \infty)$  and  $f$  is increasing on  $(1, \infty)$

20. Let  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x$ , the difference quotient (see page 1) is

- (a)  $2x + h + 1$       (b)  $2x + h - 1$       (c)  $2x - h + 1$       (d)  $2x + h + 2$       (e)  $2x + 2h + 1$

21. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3} + 3$ . If the graph of **this** function is shifted right 4 units, then reflected about the x-axis, then the function giving this translated figure as a graph would be

- (a)  $-\sqrt{x+5} - 3$       (b)  $-\sqrt{x-1} - 3$       (c)  $-\sqrt{x+6} - 3$       (d)  $\sqrt{x+2} + 3$       (e)  $\sqrt{x+4} + 3$

22. Let  $f(x) = \frac{4}{x-1}$  and  $g(x) = x-1$ . Then  $(g \circ f)(x) = ?$

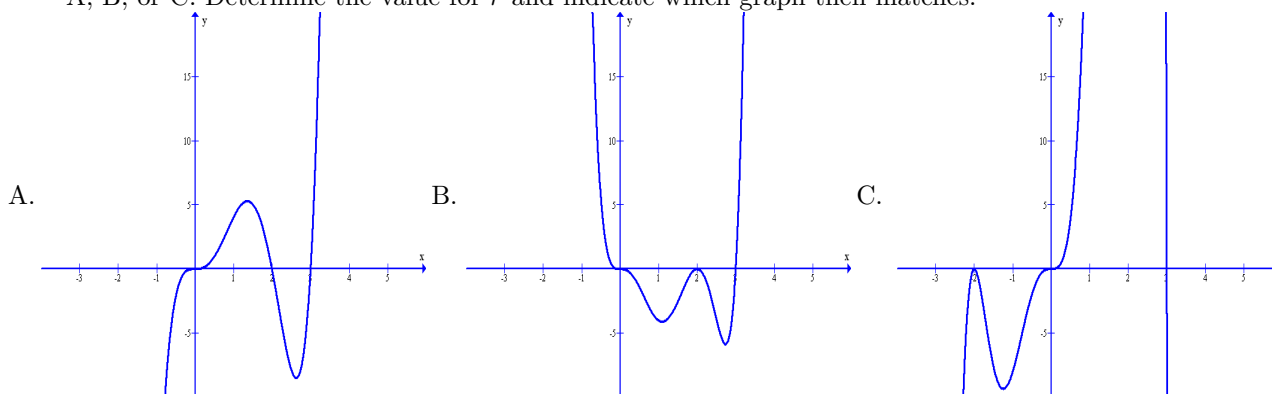
- (a)  $4$       (b)  $\frac{4}{x-1} - 1$       (c)  $\frac{4}{x-2}$       (d)  $\frac{4}{\frac{1}{x-1} - 1}$       (e)  $\frac{-4x+8}{x+1}$

23. The vertex of the parabola  $y = 3x^2 - 12x + 3$  is

- (a)  $(2, -8)$       (b)  $(2, -5)$       (c)  $(2, -9)$       (d)  $(2, 0)$       (e)  $(2, -1)$

24. The height of a projectile in feet after  $t$  seconds is  $H(t) = -16t^2 + 176t$ . How long does it take the projectile to hit the ground? (Hint: for what  $t > 0$  is Height=zero?)
- (a) 9 sec      (b) 12 sec      (c) 10 sec      (d) 11 sec      (e) 13 sec
25. Which is the solution set to  $|2x - 5| - 7 \geq -2$ ?
- (a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$       (b)  $(-\infty, 0] \cup [5, \infty)$       (c)  $(\frac{5}{2}, \infty)$       (d)  $(0, 5)$       (e)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$
26. Let  $f(x) = \frac{6x^3}{(x^2 - 1)(2x + 4)}$ . Which of the following is correct?
- (a) The rational function  $f(x)$  has two vertical asymptotes and  $y = 3$  is a horizontal asymptote.  
(b) The rational function  $f(x)$  has three vertical asymptotes and  $y = 6$  is a horizontal asymptote.  
(c) The rational function  $f(x)$  has four vertical asymptotes and  $y = 4$  is a horizontal asymptote.  
(d) The rational function  $f(x)$  has three vertical asymptotes and  $y = 3$  is a horizontal asymptote.  
(e) The rational function  $f(x)$  has two vertical asymptotes and  $y = 6$  is a horizontal asymptote.
27. Let  $y = \frac{1}{1 + 2x}$ . Then the inverse function is
- (a)  $y = \frac{2x}{x - 1}$       (b)  $y = -\frac{2x}{x - 1}$       (c)  $y = \frac{1 - x}{x}$       (d)  $y = \frac{x - 1}{2x}$       (e)  $y = \frac{1 - x}{2x}$
28. The solution set to the inequality  $x^2 - 7x + 12 < 0$  is
- (a)  $(-3, 4)$       (b)  $(3, 4)$       (c)  $(-4, 3)$       (d)  $(4, \infty)$       (e)  $(2, 3)$
29. If  $y$  is inversely proportional to  $x$  and when  $x = 5$  then  $y = 3$ . What is the value of  $y$  when  $x = 1$ ?
- (a) 18      (b) 16      (c) 15      (d) 14      (e) 10
30. If one solves the inequality  $\frac{x + 1}{x - 1} \leq 2$  one obtains
- (a)  $(-\infty, 1) \cup [3, \infty)$       (b)  $(-\infty, 1] \cup [5, \infty)$       (c)  $(2, 5]$       (d) all reals except  $x = 1$       (e)  $(1, 3]$
31. Using the possible rational root theorem to help factor  $5x^3 - 12x^2 - 8x - 3$ , we can conclude that:
- (a) 3 is a root and  $5x^2 + 3x + 1$  is a factor (i.e. quotient)  
(b)  $\frac{5}{3}$  is a possible rational root but it is not a root  
(c) 5 is a root and  $x^2 - 10x - 8$  is a factor  
(d)  $-1$  is a possible rational root and  $x + 1$  is a factor  
(e) none of the above.

32. There is a value for  $r$  so that the polynomial  $y = -2x^3(x-r)^2(x-3)$  would match one of the graphs A, B, or C. Determine the value for  $r$  and indicate which graph then matches.



- (a)  $r = 1$  and matches graph A.  
 (b)  $r = 2$  and matches graph B.  
 (c)  $r = 2$  and matches graph A.  
 (d)  $r = -2$  and matches graph C.  
 (e)  $r = -2$  and matches graph B.
33. If one divides  $2x^{20} + 3x + 1$  by  $x - 1$  the remainder is  
 (a) 3                      (b) 6                      (c) 1                      (d) 5                      (e) 4
34. If one combines  $\ln x^2 - \ln(x + 2) + 3 \ln z$  into a single expression one gets  
 (a)  $\ln \frac{x^2(x+2)}{z^3}$       (b)  $\ln \frac{x^3(x+2)}{z^3}$       (c)  $\ln \frac{x^2}{z^3(x+2)}$       (d)  $\ln \frac{x(x+2)}{z^3}$       (e)  $\ln \frac{x^2 z^3}{(x+2)}$
35. If \$26000 is invested at 6% compounded monthly how much is in the account after 30 yrs ?  
 (a) \$171,238              (b) \$ 156,587              (c) \$175,954              (d) \$125,120              (e) \$177,345
36. How long does it take money to triple if it is invested at 9% compounded continuously ?  
 (a) 11.56 yrs              (b) 14.86 yrs              (c) 15.49 yrs              (d) 16.95 yrs              (e) 12.21 yrs
37. A person invests \$50 a month in an account that pays interest monthly with an annual interest rate of 8% . How much is in the account after 20 years ?  
 (a) \$31,238              (b) \$27,678              (c) \$35,954              (d) \$29,451              (e) \$23,452

38. Solve the equation  $2 \log_5(\sqrt{x}) + \log_5(x + 4) = 1$

- (a)  $x = 5$       (b)  $x = 25$       (c)  $x = 1, -5$       (d)  $-2 \pm \sqrt{5}$       (e)  $x = 1$

39. The decay model for the carbon-14 isotope is  $A(t) = A_0 e^{-.000121t}$ . Cave paintings were discovered this year with 13% of the carbon-14 remaining. How old are the paintings?

- (a) 15892 yrs      (b) 17201 yrs      (c) 14657 yrs      (d) 16861 yrs      (e) 19530 yrs

40. Solve each of the following two systems of linear equations

System I

$$x + 2y = 5$$

$$x + 3y = 7$$

System II

$$5x - y = 1$$

$$2x + y = 20$$

Which of the following statements is correct?

- (a) System I has no solution and System II has infinitely many solutions.  
(b) From the solution to system I, the x-value added to the y-value is -2.  
(c) The y-value from the solution to system I added to the y-value from the solution to II is 16.  
(d) System I has a unique solution and System II has no solutions.  
(e) The x-value from the solution to system I added to the y-value from the solution to II is -3.