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1. Find the slope intercept form of the equation of the line between the points $(1, 3)$ and $(-2, -1)$.

(A) $y = \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{1}{3}$ (C) $y = \frac{4}{3}x + \frac{5}{3}$ (E) None of these
(B) $y = \frac{3}{4}x + \frac{9}{4}$ (D) $y = -2x + 5$

2. Rewrite the interval in set notation using absolute value signs.

$$1 \leq x + 3 \leq 9$$

(a) $\{x : |x| \leq 6\}$ (d) $\{x : |x + 2| \leq 3\}$
(b) $\{x : |x + 3| \leq 9\}$
(c) $\{x : |x - 2| \leq 4\}$ (e) None of these

3. Solve by factoring.

$$2x^2 + x - 6 = 0$$

(a) $x = \{-2, \frac{3}{2}\}$ (c) $x = \{-2, 2\}$ (e) None of these
(b) $x = \{2, \frac{-3}{2}\}$ (d) $x = \{-3, 4\}$

4. Let $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{2x-3}$. For what x -value does $f(x) = 3$?

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

5. Write as a single fraction.

$$\frac{5}{a} - \frac{7}{b}$$

(a) $\frac{5b-7a}{ab}$ (c) $\frac{5b-7a}{a-b}$ (d) $\frac{35(b-a)}{ab}$
(b) $\frac{-2}{a-b}$ (e) None of these

6. Find the y -coordinate of the intersection of the two lines $y = 6x + 2$ and $2y = 3x - 4$.

(a) $-\frac{10}{3}$ (c) $\frac{2}{9}$ (e) $-\frac{2}{9}$
(b) $-\frac{8}{9}$ (d) $\frac{10}{3}$

7. Simplify $(p + 2)^2 - 3p + 6(p - 1)$.

(a) $p^2 + 3p - 2$

(d) $p^2 + 7p - 2$

(b) $p^2 + p - 2$

(c) $p^2 + p + 10$

(e) $p^2 + 7p + 1$

8. Simplify $(81)^{-\frac{3}{4}}(-27)^{\frac{1}{3}}$.

(a) $\frac{1}{27}$

(c) $-\frac{1}{3}$

(e) None of these

(b) $-\frac{1}{9}$

(d) $\frac{1}{3}$

9. Solve.

$$\frac{(x + 2)(x - 3)}{(x + 1)(x + 3)} \geq 0$$

(a) $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-1, 3)$

(d) $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-1, 3)$

(b) $(-3, -2) \cup (1, 3)$

(c) $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-2, -1) \cup (3, \infty)$

(e) $(-3, -2) \cup (3, \infty)$

10. Simplify $\frac{(y^4x^3)^{-3}}{(y^{-2}x^4)^2}$.

(a) $\frac{1}{y^8x}$

(d) y^8x^{17}

(b) $\frac{y}{x^6}$

(c) y^8x

(e) $\frac{1}{y^8x^{17}}$

11. Rationalize the denominator and simplify.

$$\frac{3}{\sqrt{x+2} - \sqrt{3}}$$

(a) $\frac{3}{x-1}$

(c) $\frac{3\sqrt{x+2}-3\sqrt{3}}{x+5}$

(b) $\frac{3\sqrt{x+2}+3\sqrt{3}}{x-1}$

(d) $\frac{9x+18}{x+5}$

(e) None of these

12. Find the center and radius of the circle given by the equation $x^2 + y^2 - 10x + 6y = -26$.

(a) Center: $(-5, 3)$ Radius: $\sqrt{10}$

(b) Center: $(3, -5)$ Radius: 8

(c) Center: $(5, -3)$ Radius: $\sqrt{8}$

(d) Center: $(-3, 5)$ Radius: $\sqrt{10}$

(e) Center: $(5, 3)$ Radius: 4

13. Compute $(f \circ g)(3)$ when $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3}$ and $g(x) = x^2 + 4$.

- (a) 10 (c) 4 (e) $13\sqrt{6}$
(b) 2 (d) 12

14. Find the inverse of the function $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x-2}}{3}$.

- (a) $f^{-1}(x) = (3x+2)^2$ (d) $f^{-1}(x) = 9x^2 + 4$
(b) $f^{-1}(x) = 3x^2 + 2$
(c) $f^{-1}(x) = 9x + 2$ (e) $f^{-1}(x) = 9x^2 + 2$

15. Find the vertex of the graph given by the equation $h(x) = 2x^2 - 12x + 17$.

- (a) (3, -1) (c) (-3, -1) (e) (6, 2)
(b) (-3, 1) (d) (6, -1) (f) None of these

16. Perform polynomial division, find the quotient and remainder.

$$\frac{2x^3 - 7x + 3}{x + 2}$$

- (a) $q(x) = 2x^2 - 11$, $r(x) = 24$ (d) $q(x) = 2x^2 - 4x + 1$, $r(x) = 1$
(b) $q(x) = 2x^2 - 11$, $r(x) = -2$
(c) $q(x) = 2x^2 + 4x - 15$, $r(x) = 33$ (e) None of these

17. Which of the following functions has the same graph as x^2 but shifted 2 left and reflected across the x -axis?

- (a) $f(x) = (-x+2)^2$ (c) $f(x) = -(x-2)^2$ (e) $f(x) = -(x+2)^2$
(b) $f(x) = -x^2 - 2$ (d) $f(x) = -x^2 + 2$

18. What's the remainder when you divide $x^4 - 3x^3 + 2x - 4$ by $x + 2$?

- (a) -8 (c) 40 (e) 32
(b) 8 (d) 4

19. How many turns does the graph of $3x^6 + 4x^4 + 3x + 4$ have?

- (a) At most 4 (c) At most 6 (e) Not enough information
(b) At most 5 (d) At most 3

20. List all asymptotes of the graph of $f(x) = \frac{2x(x-3)}{(x+2)(x-1)}$.

- (a) $x = -2, x = 1, y = 2$ (d) $x = -2, x = 1, x = 0, x = 3$
(b) $y = -2, y = 1, x = 2$
(c) $x = -2, x = 1, y = 0, y = 3$ (e) $x = 0, x = 3, y = -2, y = 1$

21. Simplify $\log_3 27^{\frac{4}{3}}$

- (a) $\frac{4}{3}$ (c) 4 (e) None of these
(b) $\frac{8}{3}$ (d) 3

22. Solve for x (Use the natural logarithm).

$$2^{x+1} = 5^x$$

- (a) $x = \ln\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) - 1$ (d) No solution
(b) $x = \frac{\ln 5}{\ln 2} - 1$
(c) $x = \frac{-\ln 2}{\ln 2 - \ln 5}$ (e) None of these

23. Combine into a single logarithm.

$$2 \log_b x - 4 \log_b 2y$$

- (a) $\log_b(2x^2y^4)$ (d) $\log_b(2x - 8y)$
(b) $\log_b\left(\frac{x^2}{16y^4}\right)$ (e) $\log_b\left(\frac{x^2}{2y^4}\right)$
(c) $\log_b(x^2 - 2y^4)$

24. Let $f(x) = \frac{x-4}{2x^2+3x-1}$. Find $f(-2)$.

- (a) 6 (c) $\frac{6}{15}$ (e) None of these
(b) -6 (d) Undefined