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1.) True

13.) 0

2.) False

14.)  $2x^2 - 3x + 4 + \frac{x+3}{3x^2+2}$

3.) True

15.)  $2x^2 - 11x + 22 + \frac{-41}{x+2}$

4.) True

16.) 3

5.) False

17.)  $4(x+\frac{1}{2})^2 - 4$

6.) True

18.) 0

7.) True

19.)  $1 + \sqrt{11}$  and  $1 - \sqrt{11}$

8.) False

20.) -2

9.) -7

21.)  $2(x-2)(x^2+x+2)$

10.) 3

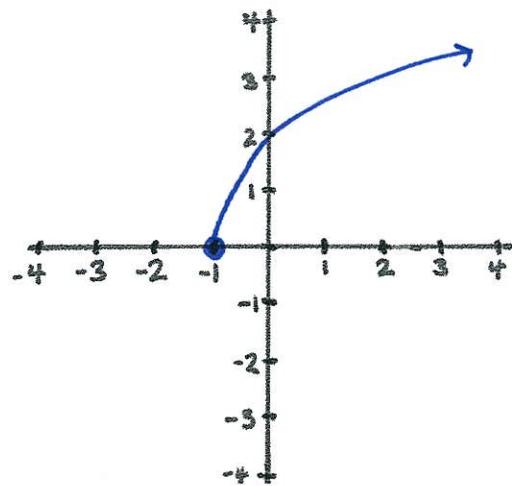
22.)  $2(x+2)(x+3)(x-\frac{1}{2})$

11.)  $f^{-1}(y) = \left(\frac{y-2}{3}\right)^3 + 1$

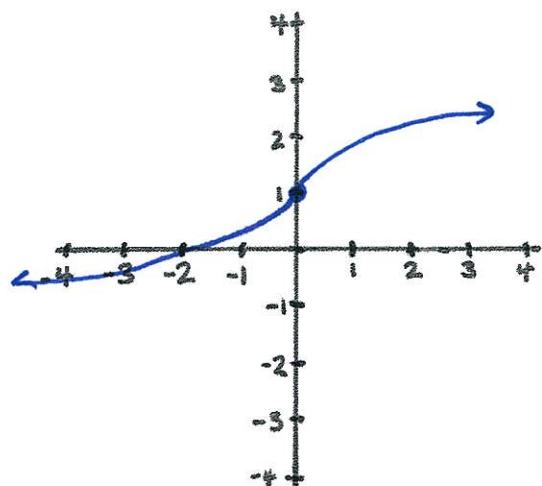
23.)  $x+2 \quad x-3$

12.)  $\left[\frac{2}{3}, \infty\right)$

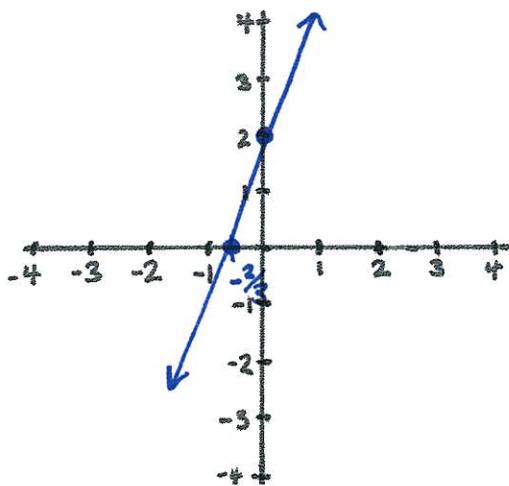
$$24.) \ 2\sqrt{x+1}$$



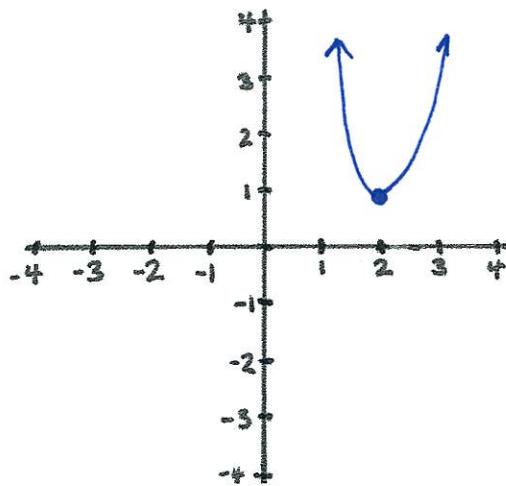
$$25.) \ \sqrt[3]{\frac{x}{2}} + 1$$



$$26.) \ 3x + 2$$



$$27.) \ 3(x - 2)^2 + 1$$



# Second Exam

## True/False

For #1-8 write the entire word “True” or the entire word “False”.

$$1.) \sqrt[n]{\frac{x}{y}} = \frac{\sqrt[n]{x}}{\sqrt[n]{y}}$$

$$2.) (x+y)^n = x^n + y^n$$

$$3.) \sqrt[n]{xy} = \sqrt[n]{x}\sqrt[n]{y}$$

$$4.) (xy)^n = x^n y^n$$

$$5.) \sqrt[n]{x+y} = \sqrt[n]{x} + \sqrt[n]{y}$$

$$6.) \left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^n = \frac{x^n}{y^n}$$

$$7.) a(b+c) = ab+ac$$

$$8.) 7x^3 + 12x^2 + 5x - 4 \text{ has 4 roots.}$$

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## Algebra

$$9.) \text{Find } x \text{ where } (x+4)^3 + 7 = -20.$$

$$(x+4)^3 = -27$$

$$x+4 = \sqrt[3]{-27} = -3$$

$$x = -7$$

$$10.) \text{If } g(x) \text{ is an invertible function, and } g(3) = 5, \text{ then what is } g^{-1}(5)?$$

11.) Find the inverse of  $f(x) = 3\sqrt[3]{x-1} + 2$ . (You can check your answer by seeing if  $f^{-1} \circ f(x) = x$ .)

$$\begin{array}{l}
 y = 3\sqrt[3]{x-1} + 2 \\
 y-2 = 3\sqrt[3]{x-1} \\
 \frac{y-2}{3} = \sqrt[3]{x-1} \\
 \left(\frac{y-2}{3}\right)^3 = x-1
 \end{array}
 \quad \left| \quad \begin{array}{l}
 x = \left(\frac{y-2}{3}\right)^3 + 1 \\
 f^{-1}(y) = \left(\frac{y-2}{3}\right)^3 + 1
 \end{array} \right.$$

12.) What is the implied domain of  $g(x) = -\sqrt[2]{7x-2} + 18x^2 - 3$ ? (Write your answer as an interval.)

$$7x-2 \geq 0$$

$$7x \geq 2$$

$$x \geq \frac{2}{7}$$

$$\left[\frac{2}{7}, \infty\right)$$

13.) Suppose that  $a \neq 0$  and that  $b^2 - 4ac \geq 0$ . Write the following number as an integer in standard form:

$$a\left(\frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}\right)^2 + b\left(\frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}\right) + c$$

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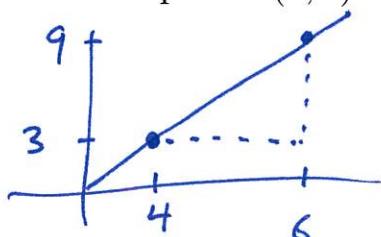
14.) Find  $\frac{6x^4 - 9x^3 + 16x^2 - 5x + 11}{3x^2 + 2}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \overline{2x^2 - 3x + 4} \\
 3x^2 + 2 \overline{)6x^4 - 9x^3 + 16x^2 - 5x + 11} \\
 \underline{6x^4 + 4x^2} \\
 \hline
 -9x^3 + 12x^2 - 5x + 11 \\
 \underline{-3x^3 - 6x} \\
 \hline
 12x^2 + x + 11 \\
 \underline{12x^2 + 8} \\
 \hline
 x + 3
 \end{array}$$

15.) Find  $\frac{2x^3 - 7x^2 + 3}{x + 2}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -2 \Big| 2 \quad -7 \quad 0 \quad 3 \\
 \quad \quad \underline{-4 \quad 22 \quad -44} \\
 \quad \quad 2 \quad -11 \quad 22 ; -4
 \end{array}$$

16.) What is the slope of the straight line in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  that passes through the points  $(4, 3)$  and  $(6, 9)$  ?



$$\frac{9-3}{6-4} = \frac{6}{2} = 3$$

17.) Complete the square: Write  $4x^2 + 4x - 3$  in the form  $\alpha(x + \beta)^2 + \gamma$  where  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{R}$ .

$$4\left(x + \frac{4}{2 \cdot 4}\right)^2 - 3 - \frac{4^2}{4(4)} = 4\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 - 4$$

18.) How many roots does  $3x^2 - 2x + 10$  have?

$$(-2)^2 - 4(3)(10) = 4 - 120 < 0$$

so 0 roots

19.) Find the roots of  $x^2 - 2x - 10$

$$(-2)^2 - 4(1)(-10) = 4 + 40 = 44$$

$$\frac{2 \pm \sqrt{44}}{2(1)} = \frac{2 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{2} = 1 \pm \sqrt{11}$$

20.) Find a root of  $3x^3 + 8x^2 + 5x + 2$

Factors of 2 : 1, 2, -1, -2.

$$\begin{aligned} 3(-2)^3 + 8(-2)^2 + 5(-2) + 2 &= 3(-8) + 8(4) + 5(-2) + 2 \\ &= -24 + 32 - 10 + 2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

so -2 is a root.



21.) (2 points) Completely factor  $2x^3 - 2x^2 - 8$ . (Hint: 2 is a root.)  
 (Your answer should be a product of a constant and maybe some linear and quadratic polynomials that have leading coefficients equal to 1, and such that any of the quadratics in the product have no roots.)

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \mid 2 & -2 & 0 & -8 \\ & 4 & 4 & 8 \\ & 2 & 2 & 4 & ; & 0 \end{array}$$

Discriminant of  $2x^2 + 2x + 4$   
 is  $2^2 - 4(2)(4) = 4 - 32 < 0$ ,  
 so factor by factoring out  
 the leading coefficient.

$$\begin{array}{c} 2x^3 - 2x^2 - 8 \\ (x-2) \quad \backslash \quad (2x^2 + 2x + 4) \\ \quad \quad \quad / \quad \backslash \\ \quad \quad \quad 2 \quad (x^2 + x + 2) \end{array}$$

22.) (2 points) Completely factor  $2x^3 + 9x^2 + 7x - 6$ . (Hint: -2 is a root.)  
 (Your answer should have the same form as described in #21.)

$$\begin{array}{r} -2 \mid 2 & 9 & 7 & -6 \\ & -4 & -10 & 6 \\ & 2 & 5 & -3 & ; & 0 \end{array}$$

Discriminant of  $2x^2 + 5x - 3$   
 is  $5^2 - 4(2)(-3) = 25 + 24$   
 $= 49$

$$2 \text{ Roots: } \frac{-5 + \sqrt{49}}{2(2)} = \frac{-5+7}{4}$$

$$= \frac{2}{4} \\ = \frac{1}{2}$$

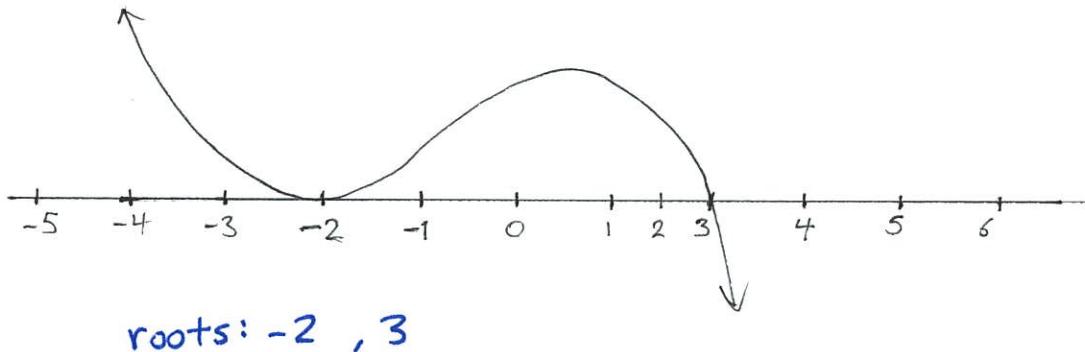
$$\begin{array}{c} 2x^3 + 9x^2 + 7x - 6 \\ (x+2) \quad \backslash \quad (2x^2 + 5x - 3) \\ \quad \quad \quad / \quad | \quad \backslash \\ \quad \quad \quad 2 \quad (x+3) \quad (x-\frac{1}{2}) \end{array}$$

$$\text{and } \frac{-5-7}{4} = \frac{-12}{4} = -3$$

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## Graphs

- 23.) List all of the monic linear factors of  $p(x)$  that you know of from the graph below.



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factors:  $x+2$ ,  $x-3$

stretch vert. by 2

shift left 1.

- 24.) Graph  $2\sqrt{x+1}$  and label its  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.

$$x\text{-int: } 2\sqrt{x+1} = 0 \Rightarrow x = -1$$

$$y\text{-int: } 2\sqrt{0+1} = 2$$

- 25.) Graph  $\sqrt[3]{\frac{x}{2}} + 1$  and label its  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.

stretch hor.  
by 2

shift up 1.

$$x\text{-int: } \sqrt[3]{\frac{x}{2}} + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow x = -2$$

$$y\text{-int: } \sqrt[3]{\frac{0}{2}} + 1 = 1$$

- 26.) Graph  $3x + 2$  and label its  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.

$$x\text{-int: } 3x+2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$y\text{-int: } 3 \cdot 0 + 2 = 2$$

- 27.) Graph  $(3(x-2))^2 + 1$  and label its vertex. (You don't have to be accurate with the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.)

parabola  
opens up.

shift right 2

shift up 1.