

The following 12 multiple choice questions are worth 6 points each.

1. Let  $f(x) = x - 2$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x + 5}$ . Determine the domain of

$$\left(\frac{g}{f}\right)(x).$$

- a.  $[-5, \infty)$
- b.  $(2, \infty)$
- c.  $[-5, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$
- d.  $(-\infty, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$
- e.  $(-\infty, -5] \cup (-5, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$

2. Let  $f$  and  $g$  be defined by the following tables:

$x$	$f(x)$		$x$	$g(x)$
-1	0		4	3
0	4		-1	2
2	-1		0	-1
4	2		2	4

Determine which of the following is/are true.

I.  $f[g^{-1}(-1)] = 4$

II.  $(f \circ g)(0) = 3$

III.  $f^{-1}[g(2)] = 2$

- a. All are true
- b. None are true
- c. I and II are true
- d. Only I is true
- e. I and III are true

3. Let  $f(x) = \frac{x-7}{8}$  and  $g(x) = 3x - 8$ . Determine  $(g \circ f)(x)$ .

a.  $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{3x-85}{8}$

b.  $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 29x + 56}{8}$

c.  $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{4x-15}{8}$

d.  $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{3x-15}{8}$

e.  $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{3x-71}{8}$

4. Let  $h(x) = \sqrt{x^3 - 5}$ . Determine two functions  $f$  and  $g$  such that

$$h(x) = (f \circ g)(x).$$

a.  $g(x) = x^3$ ,  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} - 5$

b.  $g(x) = x^3 - 5$ ,  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$

c.  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^3}$ ,  $f(x) = x - 5$

d.  $g(x) = \sqrt{x}$ ,  $f(x) = x^3 - 5$

e.  $g(x) = \sqrt{x-5}$ ,  $f(x) = x^3$

5. Determine which of the following statements about quadratic functions and their graphs is/are true.

I. All quadratic functions have a range of  $(-\infty, \infty)$

II. The vertex of  $f(x) = -4(x+5)^2 + 8$  is located at  $(5, 8)$ .

III. The x-intercepts of  $f(x) = -4(x+5)^2 + 8$  are  $(-5 - \sqrt{2}, 0)$  and  $(-5 + \sqrt{2}, 0)$ .

a. All are true

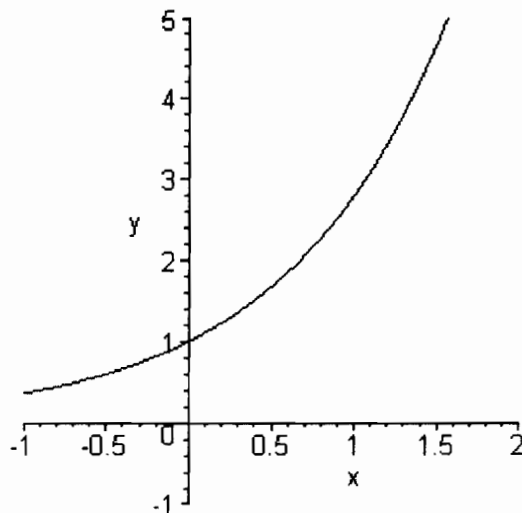
d. II and III are true

b. None are true

e. Only III is true

c. I and II are true

6. The graph of an exponential function is given below. Determine which equation represents the graph.



a.  $y = 0.45^x$

d.  $y = 1.1^x$

b.  $y = 2.8^x$

e.  $y = 1.5^x + 1$

c.  $y = 0.31^x$

7. A rectangular field bordered on one side by a river is divided into two equal corrals by three wooden fences (of equal length perpendicular to the river). A stone wall is parallel to the river and connects to the wooden fences to form the corrals. The area of the field is 350 square feet. It costs \$12 per linear foot for the wooden fences and \$25 per linear foot for the stone wall. Express the cost to enclose the field,  $C$ , as a function of its dimension  $x$ , the length of the wooden fence.

a.  $C(x) = 24x + 25y$

d.  $C(x) = \frac{14}{x} + 36x$

b.  $C(x) = 36x + \frac{25}{x}$

e.  $C(x) = \frac{375}{x} + 12x$

c.  $C(x) = 36x + \frac{8750}{x}$

8. Determine the equation of the quadratic function with vertex  $(-5, 7)$  and another point at  $(-8, -2)$ .

a.  $f(x) = 1(x+5)^2 + 7$

b.  $f(x) = \frac{5}{9}(x+8)^2 - 2$

c.  $f(x) = \frac{-9}{169}(x-5)^2 + 7$

d.  $f(x) = \frac{-5}{169}(x+5)^2 + 7$

e.  $f(x) = -1(x+5)^2 + 7$

9. Given the following polynomial function,

$P(x) = -2(x+4)(x+2)^2(x-2)$ , determine which of the following statements is/are true.

I. For  $P(x)$ , as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $P(x) \rightarrow \infty$ .

II.  $P(x)$  has x-intercepts at  $x = -4$ ,  $x = -2$ , and  $x = 2$ .

III.  $P(x)$  has a y-intercept at  $(0, 64)$ .

IV.  $P(x) \geq 0$  on the interval  $[-4, 2]$

a. All are true

d. I, II and III are true

b. None are true

e. II, III and IV are true

c. II and III are true

10. If  $f$  and  $g$  are inverse functions, then  $(f \circ g)(x) = (g \circ f)(x) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ .

a.  $-x$

b.  $0$

c.  $\frac{1}{x}$

d.  $x$

e.  $1$

11. Given the function  $f(x) = \frac{x-5}{x^2-3x-10}$ , determine which of the following is/are true.

I. The y-intercept is  $\left(0, \frac{1}{2}\right)$

II. The horizontal asymptote is  $y=0$ .

III. The vertical asymptote(s) are  $x=5$  and  $x=-2$

- a. None are true
- b. I and II are true
- c. II and III are true
- d. All are true
- e. I and III are true

12. Determine the solution set of  $\frac{(x-8)}{x+3} \leq 0$ .

- a.  $(-3, 8]$
- b.  $(-\infty, -3) \cup [8, \infty)$
- c.  $(-3, \infty)$
- d.  $(3, 8]$
- e.  $(-\infty, 3) \cup [8, \infty)$

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**Questions 13-15 are free response. Pages 7 and 8 should be turned in with your answer sheet. Show all work for full credit.**

**13. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+7}$ ,  $x \geq -7$ .**

**a. Determine the equation of  $f^{-1}(x)$ . To receive full credit, show all your work or provide a complete explanation. [6 points]**

**b. Express the domain and range of  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ . [4 points]**

$f$

$f^{-1}$

**Domain:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Range:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

14. A breeder of horses wants to form a rectangular grazing area along a river. The river will serve as one side and 460 yards of fencing are available. Determine the largest possible area that the breeder can enclose. [10 points]

15. Determine the equation of the rational function,  $f(x)$ , which fits the following criteria. [ 8 points]

❖ Vertical Asymptotes at  $x = 5$  and  $x = -2$

❖ Horizontal Asymptote at  $y = 2$

❖ x-intercepts at  $-1$  and  $1$

$$f(x) = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$$

Multiple Choice Key  
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1. C
2. D
3. A
4. B
5. E
6. B
7. C
8. E
9. E
10. D
11. B
12. A