



Whittier Tech

Honors Pre-Calculus
Summer Project

In exercises #1-10, use any method to solve the quadratic equation.

$$1. \quad 15 + x - 2x^2 = 0$$

$$2. \quad 2x^2 - x - 28 = 0$$

$$3. \quad 6 = 3x^2$$

$$4. \quad 16x^2 = 25$$

$$5. \quad (x + 4)^2 = 18$$

$$6. \quad (x - 8)^2 = 15$$

$$7. \quad x^2 - 12x + 30 = 0$$

$$8. \quad x^2 + 6x - 3 = 0$$

$$9. \quad -2x^2 - 5x + 27 = 0$$

$$10. \quad -20 - 3x + 3x^2 = 0$$

In exercises #11-24, find all solutions of the equation. Check your solutions in the original equation.

$$11. \quad 5x^4 - 12x^3 = 0$$

$$12. \quad 4x^3 - 6x^2 = 0$$

$$13. \quad x^4 - 5x^2 + 6 = 0$$

$$14. \quad 9x^4 + 27x^3 - 4x^2 - 12x = 0$$

$$15. \quad \sqrt{x+4} = 3$$

$$16. \quad \sqrt{x-2} - 8 = 0$$

$$17. \quad \sqrt{2x+3} + \sqrt{x-2} = 2$$

$$18. \quad 5\sqrt{x} - \sqrt{x-1} = 6$$

$$19. \quad (x-1)^{\frac{2}{3}} - 25 = 0$$

$$20. \quad (x+2)^{\frac{3}{4}} = 27$$

$$21. \quad |x-5| = 10$$

$$22. \quad |2x+3| = 7$$

$$23. \quad |x^2 - 3| = 2x$$

$$24. \quad |x^2 - 6| = x$$

In exercises #25 and 26, find (a) $(f + g)(x)$, (b) $(f - g)(x)$, (c) $(fg)(x)$, and (d) $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x)$. What is the domain of $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)$?

25. $f(x) = x^3 + 3, \quad g(x) = 2x - 1$

26. $f(x) = x^2 - 4, \quad g(x) = \sqrt{3 - x}$

In exercises #27 and 28, find (a) $f \circ g$ and (b) $g \circ f$. Find the domain of each function and each composite function.

27. $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x - 3, \quad g(x) = 3x + 1$

28. $f(x) = x^3 - 4, \quad g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x + 7}$

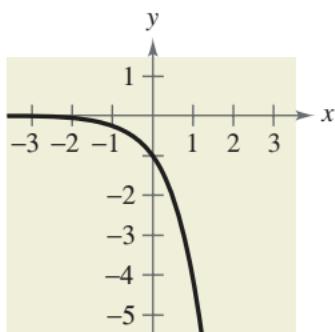
In exercises #29 and 30, find the inverse function of f informally. Verify that $f(f^{-1}(x)) = x$ and $f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$.

29. $f(x) = x - 7$

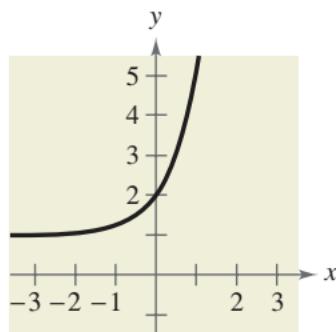
30. $f(x) = x + 5$

In exercises #31-34, match the function with its graph. [The graphs are labeled (a), (b), (c), and (d).]

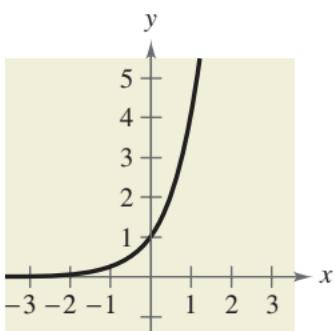
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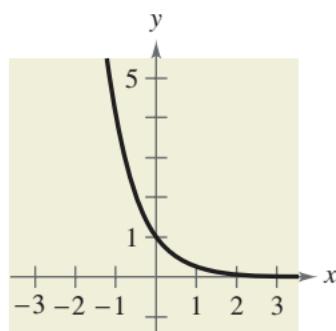
(b)



(c)



(d)



31. $f(x) = 4^x$

33. $f(x) = -4^x$

32. $f(x) = 4^{-x}$

34. $f(x) = 4^x + 1$

In exercises #35-39, use the graph of f to describe the transformation that yields the graph of g .

31. $f(x) = 5^x; \quad g(x) = 5^{x-1}$

32. $f(x) = 4^x, \quad g(x) = 4^x - 3$

33. $f(x) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^x, \quad g(x) = -\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{x+2}$

34. $f(x) = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^x, \quad g(x) = 8 - \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^x$

In exercises #40 and 41, use the One-to-One Property to solve the equation for x .

40. $3^{x+2} = \frac{1}{9}$

41. $\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{x-2} = 81$

In exercises #42 and 43, write the exponential equation in logarithmic form.

42. $4^3 = 64$

43. $25^{\frac{3}{2}} = 125$

In exercises #44 and 45, use the One-to-One Property to solve the equation for x .

44. $\log_4(x + 7) = \log_4 14$

45. $\log_8(3x - 10) = \log_8 5$

In exercises #46-49, evaluate the logarithm using the change-of-base formula. Round the results to three decimal places.

46. $\log_4 9$

47. $\log_{12} 200$

48. $\log_{\frac{1}{2}} 5$

49. $\log_3 0.28$

In exercises #50-53, write the complex number in standard form.

50. $6 + \sqrt{-4}$

51. $3 - \sqrt{-25}$

52. $i^2 + 3i$

53. $-5i + i^2$

In exercises #54-59, perform the operation and write the result in standard form.

$$54. \quad (7 + 5i) + (-4 + 2i)$$

$$55. \quad \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i \right) - \left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i \right)$$

$$56. \quad 5i(13 - 8i)$$

$$57. \quad (1 + 6i)(5 - 2i)$$

$$58. \quad (10 - 8i)(2 - 3i)$$

$$59. \quad i(6 + i)(3 - 2i)$$

In exercises #60 and 61, write the quotient in standard form.

$$60. \quad \frac{6+i}{4-i}$$

$$61. \quad \frac{3+2i}{5+i}$$

In exercises #62 and 63, perform the operation and write the result in standard form.

$$62. \quad \frac{4}{2-3i} + \frac{2}{1+i}$$

$$63. \quad \frac{1}{2+i} - \frac{5}{1+4i}$$