

Math 110, Sections 7-17, 22-23 including SL Center (College Algebra)

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**Midterm Exam 3 Fall 2014,
October 30 - November 5, 2014**

1. Evaluate $(f \circ g)(3)$ using the values in the given table.

x	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
f(x)	-9	-7	-5	-3	-1	1	3
g(x)	3	2	1	0	-1	-2	-3

- a) -3
d) 3

- b) -1
e) 0

- c) 1
f) -9

2. Find the domain of $f \circ g$ if

$$f(x) = \log_2(x) \quad \text{and} \quad g(x) = 4 - x.$$

- a) $(-\infty, \infty)$
d) $[0, \infty)$

- b) $(-\infty, 4]$
e) $(-\infty, 4)$

- c) $(0, \infty)$
f) $(-\infty, 0)$

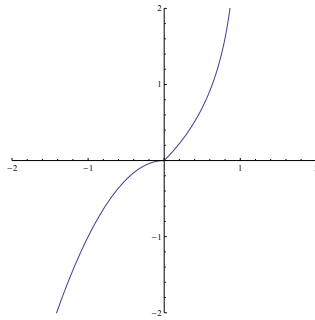
3. The following function is one-to-one. Find its inverse.

$$f(x) = \frac{6x + 5}{2 - x}$$

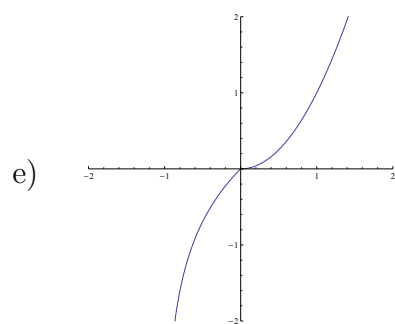
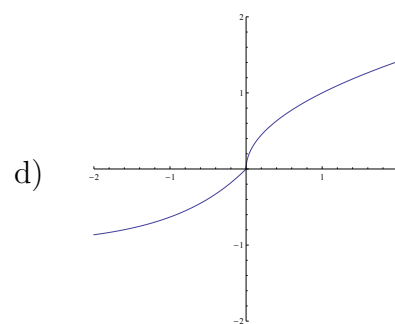
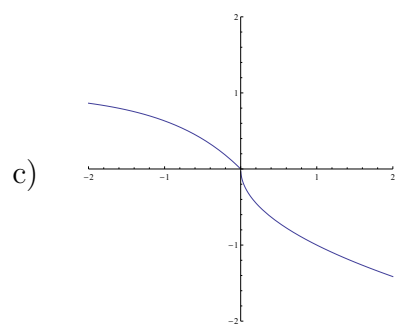
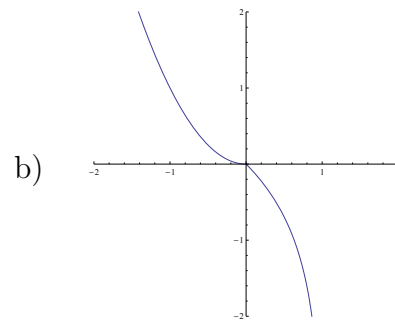
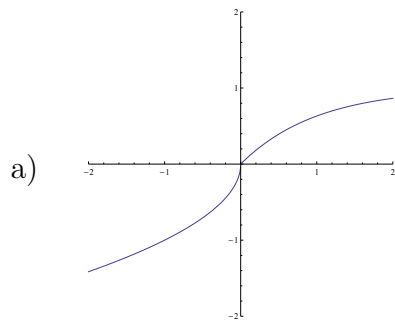
- a) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x - yx - 5}{6}$
c) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2 - x}{6x + 5}$
e) $f^{-1}(x) = 3x - \frac{5}{x - 2}$

- b) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x - 5}{6 + x}$
d) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2 - 6x}{x + 5}$
f) None of the above

4. The graph of $f(x)$ is given here:



Which of the following is the graph of $f^{-1}(x)$?



f) None of the above

5. The equation

$$\left(\frac{e^x}{e^5}\right)^x = e^6$$

has two solutions. What is the sum of these two solutions?

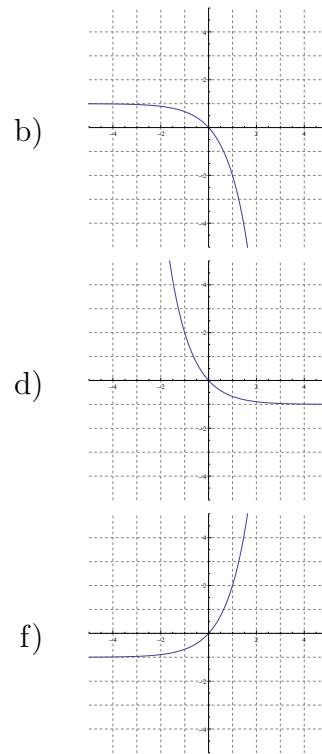
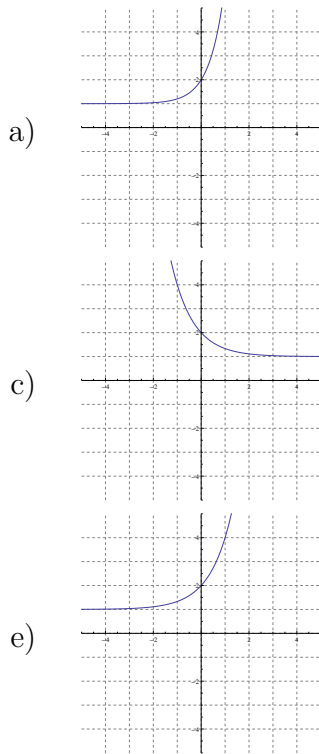
a) 1
d) -2

b) 6
e) 5

c) -5
f) 17

6. Which of the following is the graph of the function below?

$$f(x) = 3^x + 1$$



7. If $f(x) = 3^x$ what is $f^{-1}(x)$?

- a) $\log_3 x$
 c) $\frac{\ln 3}{\ln x}$
 e) $\log x$

- b) $\ln x^3$
 d) $\log_3 \frac{1}{x}$
 f) None of the above

8. Simplify the expression.

$$\log_8(49) \log_7(9) \log_3(8)$$

- a) 10
 c) $\frac{1}{4} \ln 20$
 e) $\ln 4$

- b) $\ln 84$
 d) 4
 f) $\ln \frac{20}{3}$

9. Solve the equation

$$e^{6x} = 8.$$

Give your answer in simplest form.

- a) $\frac{4}{3}$
 d) $\frac{2}{3} \ln 2$

- b) $\ln \frac{4}{3}$
 e) $\frac{1}{2} \ln 2$

- c) $\ln 4$
 f) $\ln 48$

10. Write as a single logarithm.

$$\log_5(90) - (\log_5(3) + \log_5(10))$$

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| a) $\log_5 \frac{200}{3}$ | b) $\log_5 \frac{1}{6}$ | c) $\log_5 \frac{10}{3}$ |
| d) $\log_5 3$ | e) $\log_5 270$ | f) None of the above |

11. How many years would it take for an investment to **double** if it is in an account that earns an annual interest rate of 10% compounded continuously?

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| a) $\frac{1}{5} \ln 1$ | b) $.1 \ln 2$ | c) $10 \ln 2$ |
| d) $\frac{1}{2} \ln 10$ | e) $\frac{1}{10} \ln 5$ | f) None of the above |

12. Write the expression as a single logarithm.

$$\log_3(x - 5) + 2 \log_3(x + 1) - \log_3(x^2 - 4x - 5)$$

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| a) $\log_3(x - 5)^2$ | b) $\log_3(x - 5)$ |
| c) $\log_3(x + 1)$ | d) $\log_3 \frac{1}{x + 1}$ |
| e) $\log_3((x + 1)^2(x - 5)(x^2 - 4x - 5))$ | f) None of the above |

13. Find the solution set to the following equation:

$$9^x = 2(3^x) + 3.$$

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| a) $\{1, 3\}$ | b) $\{-1, 3\}$ |
| c) $\{1, \log_3 - 1\}$ | d) $\{1\}$ |
| e) $\{3\}$ | f) $\{0\}$ |
| g) No solution | |

14. Find $(f \circ g)(x)$ if

$$f(x) = \frac{3x + 1}{2x - 3} \quad \text{and} \quad g(x) = \frac{x - 1}{x + 2}.$$

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| a) $(f \circ g)(x) = -\frac{4x - 1}{x + 8}$ | b) $(f \circ g)(x) = -\frac{3x - 1}{(x + 2)^2}$ |
| c) $(f \circ g)(x) = -\frac{(3x + 1)(x - 1)}{(2x - 3)(x + 2)}$ | d) $(f \circ g)(x) = -\frac{(3x + 1)(x + 2)}{(2x - 3)(x - 1)}$ |
| e) $(f \circ g)(x) = -\frac{x^2 - 1}{(2x - 3)(x + 2)}$ | f) None of the above |

15. Find the equation of a parabola for which the directrix is $y = 2$ and the **focus** is $(3, 0)$.

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| a) $(y - 1)^2 = 4(x - 3)$ | b) $(x - 3)^2 = (y - 1)$ | c) $(x - 3)^2 = -4(y - 1)$ |
| d) $(x + 3)^2 = 4(y + 1)$ | e) $(y - 3)^2 = 8(x - 1)$ | f) $(x - 3)^2 = -8(y - 1)$ |

16. Find the domain of the following function:

$$f(x) = \ln\left(\frac{x+3}{x-1}\right).$$

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| a) $(-\infty, -3) \cup (1, \infty)$ | b) $(-3, 1)$ |
| c) $\left(-\infty, \frac{1}{-3}\right) \cup (1, \infty)$ | d) $\left(\frac{1}{-3}, 1\right)$ |
| e) $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$ | f) None of the above |

17. Find the solution set to the following equation:

$$\ln(x+5) + \ln(2x+1) = \ln(x^2 + 12x + 11).$$

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| a) $\{-3, 2\}$ | b) $\{-2, 3\}$ | c) $\{1, 4\}$ |
| d) $\{-4, 1\}$ | e) $\{3\}$ | f) $\{-4\}$ |

18. Find the *focus* of the parabola

$$-8(x-2) = y^2 - 2y + 1.$$

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| a) $(0, 1)$ | b) $(4, 1)$ | c) $(-4, -1)$ |
| d) $(2, 3)$ | e) $(-6, 1)$ | f) None of the above |

19. A rare strain of bacteria grows according to the law of uninhibited growth. Initially, there are 100 bacteria. After 5 hours, the bacteria count is 1700. Give the equation that models the population N of the bacteria as a function of time t in hours.

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| a) $N(t) = 1700e^{\frac{t}{5}}$ | b) $N(t) = 100e^{\frac{t}{5}}$ | c) $N(t) = 100e^{t\frac{\ln 17}{5}}$ |
| d) $N(t) = \frac{1700}{5}e^{\frac{t}{100}}$ | e) $N(t) = 100e^{\frac{17t}{5}}$ | f) None of the above |

20. Solve the following equation:

$$5^x = 34.$$

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| a) $\ln 34$ | b) $\ln 34 + \ln 5$ | c) $\ln \frac{34}{5}$ |
| d) $\frac{\ln 34}{\ln 5}$ | e) $(\ln 34)(\ln 5)$ | f) None of the above |

Solution:

1. f
2. e
3. b
4. a
5. e
6. e
7. a
8. d
9. e
10. d
11. c
12. c
13. d
14. a
15. c
16. a
17. e
18. a
19. c
20. d