

- What is the domain of the function defined by the equation  $y = \frac{3x^2 - 1}{x^2 - 9}$ ?  
(a)  $(-\infty, \infty)$  (b)  $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{3}) \cup (\frac{1}{3}, \infty)$  (c)  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (3, \infty)$   
(d)  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$  (e)  $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{3}) \cup (-\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{3}) \cup (\frac{1}{3}, \infty)$  (f)  $(3, \infty)$
- If  $b$  and  $c$  are real numbers so that the polynomial  $x^2 + bx + c$  has  $2 - 2i$  as a zero, find  $b + c$ .  
(a)  $-6$  (b)  $5$  (c)  $3$  (d)  $6i$  (e)  $6$  (f)  $4$
- Let  $H(x) = \frac{4x^3 - 6x^2}{2x^2 - x + 1}$ . Then  $H$  has an oblique asymptote at:  
(a)  $y = 3x - 2$  (b)  $y = 2x - 2$  (c)  $y = 3x$  (d)  $y = 2x + 1$  (e)  $y = 3x + 2$  (f)  $y = 3x + 3$
- Solve the inequality:  $\frac{x^2 - 4}{x^2 + 4x} \leq 0$   
(a)  $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-2, 0) \cup (2, \infty)$  (b)  $(-\infty, -4] \cup (-2, 0] \cup (2, \infty)$  (c)  $(-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$   
(d)  $(-4, -2) \cup (0, 2)$  (e)  $(-4, -2] \cup (0, 2]$  (f)  $[-4, -2] \cup [0, 2]$
- Solve the inequality:  $\frac{-3}{x^2 - 1} \geq 3$ .  
(a)  $(-1, 1)$  (b)  $(-1, 0]$  (c)  $[0, 1)$   
(d)  $[-1, 0]$  (e)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$  (f)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup [0, \infty)$
- Which of  $(x - 3)$ ,  $(x - 2)$ , and  $(x + 2)$  are factors of  $x^4 - x^3 - 11x^2 + 9x + 18$ ?  
(a) All three are factors. (b) Only  $(x - 3)$  and  $(x + 2)$  (c) Only  $(x - 3)$  and  $(x - 2)$   
(d) Only  $(x - 2)$  and  $(x + 2)$  (e) Only  $(x - 3)$  (f) Only  $(x + 2)$
- Given that 1 and -1 are zeros of the polynomial  $p(x) = x^4 + 5x^3 + 5x^2 - 5x - 6$ , find the sum of the other two zeros.  
(a)  $-2$  (b)  $5$  (c)  $0$  (d)  $-5$  (e)  $2$  (f)  $1$
- Given  $x = 2 + i$  is a solution to  $x^4 - 8x^3 + 22x^2 - 24x + 5 = 0$ . The real solutions to this equation are  $x = 2 \pm \sqrt{b}$  where  $b =$   
(a)  $1$  (b)  $2$  (c)  $3$  (d)  $5$  (e)  $6$  (f)  $7$

9. Find the domain of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{3}{x} - 3x}$ .

- (a)  $(-\infty, -1) \cup (0, 1)$     (b)  $(0, 3]$     (c)  $x \neq 0$     (d)  $(-\infty, -1)$     (e)  $(-\infty, -1] \cup (0, 1]$

10. Consider the function  $f(x) = \frac{4x+3}{x+1}$ . If  $g$  is the inverse function to  $f$ , then  $g(5) =$

- (a) 1    (b) -2    (c) 3    (d) 4    (e) -5    (f) 6

11. If  $x$  is the solution to  $9^{4x-3} = 27^x$ , then  $x$  is between

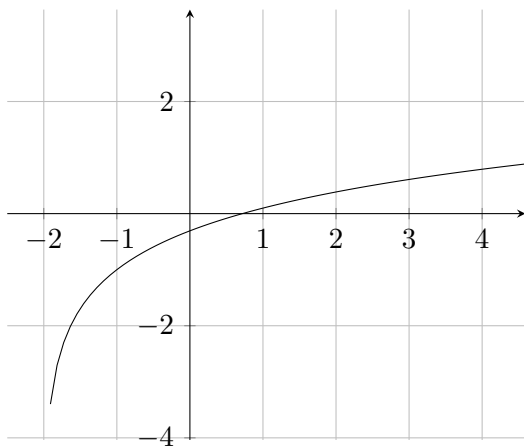
- (a) 0 and 1    (b) 1 and 2    (c) 2 and 3    (d) 3 and 4    (e) 4 and 5    (f) 5 and 6

12. Find  $\log_{10}(25\sqrt{2}) + \log_{10}(4\sqrt{5})$ .

- (a)  $1/2$     (b)  $3/2$     (c)  $5/2$     (d)  $7/2$     (e)  $9/2$     (f)  $11/2$

13. Select the function that best describes the given graph.

- (a)  $f(x) = \ln(x-1) + 1$     (b)  $f(x) = \ln(x) + 2$     (c)  $f(x) = \ln(x+2) - 1$   
(d)  $f(x) = \ln(x+2) + 2$     (e)  $f(x) = \ln(x+3) + 1$



14.  $\log_3 30$  is between

- (a) 0 and 1    (b) 1 and 2    (c) 2 and 3    (d) 3 and 4    (e) 4 and 5

15. Use properties of logarithms to find the exact value of the expression

$$\log_3 16 \cdot \log_5 27 \cdot \log_2 25$$

- (a) 16    (b) 2    (c) 4    (d) 24    (e) 5    (f) 32

16. Recall that “log” means logarithm base 10. If  $a = \log 4$  and  $b = \log 20$ , then  $b - a =$

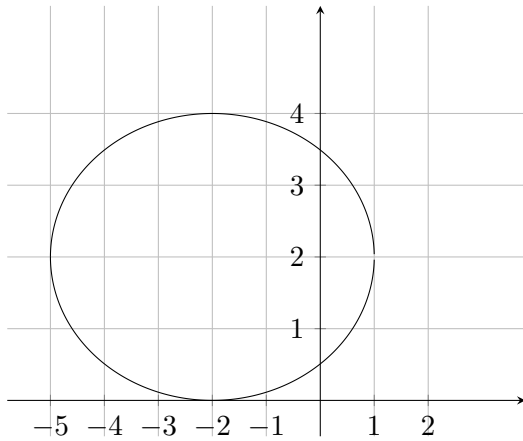
- (a)  $\log 1$     (b)  $\log 2$     (c)  $\log 3$     (d)  $\log 4$     (e)  $\log 5$     (f)  $\log 6$

17. How many years would it take an amount of money to quadruple if it is invested at 10% compounded continuously?

- (a)  $\ln 4$       (b)  $10 \ln 2$       (c)  $10 \ln 4$       (d)  $4 \ln 3$       (e)  $5 \ln 2$       (f)  $3 \ln 2$

18. Find the foci of the given ellipse.

- (a)  $(-2, 2)$  and  $(0, 2)$       (b)  $(-3, 2)$  and  $(1, 2)$   
 (c)  $(-2 - \sqrt{5}, 2)$  and  $(-2 + \sqrt{5}, 2)$       (d)  $(-1 - \sqrt{3}, 2)$  and  $(-1 + \sqrt{3}, 2)$   
 (e)  $(-1 - \sqrt{5}, 2)$  and  $(-1 + \sqrt{5}, 2)$       (f)  $(-1 - \sqrt{21}, 2)$  and  $(-1 + \sqrt{21}, 2)$



19. Which of the following conics is represented by the equation

$$x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 2y = 2x^2 - y^2 + y + 2$$

- (a) Circle      (b) Ellipse      (c) Parablola      (d) Hyperbola      (e) None of these

20. Find the asymptotes of the hyperbola  $4y^2 - 25x^2 = 9$ .

- (a)  $y = \pm \frac{5}{2}x$       (b)  $y = \pm \frac{1}{3}x$       (c)  $y = \pm \frac{2}{5}x$       (d)  $y = \pm \frac{1}{9}x$       (e)  $y = \pm 9x$       (f)  $y = \pm \sqrt{2}x$

21. Solve the system of equations for  $x$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + y + 3z &= -2 \\ x + y + 2z &= 0 \\ 2x + y + 4z &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

- (a)  $x = 1$       (b)  $x = 2$       (c)  $x = 3$       (d)  $x = 4$       (e)  $x = -3$

22. If  $\frac{10x - 17}{2x^2 - 9x - 5} = \frac{A}{x - 5} + \frac{B}{2x + 1}$ , then

- (a)  $B = 4$       (b)  $B = -1$       (c)  $B = 0$       (d)  $B = 2$       (e)  $B = 3$

23. Find the infinite geometric sum  $4 - 2 + 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \cdots$ . The sum is
- (a) 1            (b)  $\frac{3}{2}$             (c) 8            (d)  $\frac{8}{3}$             (e) 12
24. Write  $2.\overline{07}$  as a fraction in simplest form. What is the denominator of your fraction?
- (a) 11            (b) 99            (c) 13            (d) 33            (e) 15
25. Find the coefficient of  $x^6$  in  $(x^2 - 2)^4$ .
- (a) 6            (b) -6            (c) -8            (d) -15            (e) 20            (f) -20
26. Find the constant term in the expansion of  $\left(x^3 - \frac{1}{x^2}\right)^5$ .
- (a) 6            (b) -6            (c) 15            (d) -15            (e) 20            (f) -10
27. A coed indoor soccer team has 7 boys and 5 girls. How many ways can the coach choose a starting team of 3 boys and 3 girls?
- (a) less than 100            (b) between 100 and 200            (c) between 200 and 300  
(d) between 300 and 400            (f) over 400
28. How many different 3-letter passwords can be made from the word *DONKEYS* if each letter can appear just once in a password.
- (a) 210            (b) 400            (c) 60            (d) 80            (e) 120            (f) 240
29. A pair of fair dice is rolled. What is the probability that the sum of the numbers is even?
- (a)  $\frac{5}{12}$             (b)  $\frac{4}{9}$             (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$             (d)  $\frac{5}{9}$             (e)  $\frac{7}{12}$
30. Three people randomly choose one of eight flavors of ice cream. The probability that at least two of them choose the same flavor is closest to
- (a) 0.22    (b) 0.11    (c) 0.44    (d) 0.77    (e) 0.66    (f) 0.33

1. d
2. f
3. b
4. e
5. a
6. c
7. d
8. c
9. e
10. b
11. b
12. c
13. c
14. d
15. d
16. e
17. c
18. c
19. d
20. a
21. e
22. a
23. d
24. b
25. c
26. f
27. d
28. a
29. c
30. f