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Sections 1-17, including SL Center

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1. Let  $f(x)$  be a polynomial with real coefficients, for which both  $2 + i$  and  $3 - 5i$  are zeros. In addition to these two zeros, what other zeros do we know that  $f(x)$  has?

- (a)  $\sqrt{5}$  and  $\sqrt{34}$       (b)  $2 - i$  and  $3 + 5i$       (c)  $-2 - i$  and  $-3 + 5i$       (d)  $-2 + i$  and  $-3 - 5i$   
 (e) 5 and 34      (f)  $2 + 5i$  and  $3 - i$       (g)  $3 + i$  and  $2 - 5i$       (h)  $1 + 2i$  and  $5 - 3i$   
 (i)  $\frac{1}{2} + i$  and  $\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{5}i$       (j) None of the above

2. Solve the inequality:  $\frac{(x - 3)(x + 2)}{x + 4} \leq 0$

- (a)  $(-3, 2) \cup [4, \infty)$       (b)  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (2, 4]$   
 (c)  $[-3, 2] \cup (4, \infty)$       (d)  $(-\infty, -3] \cup [2, 4)$   
 (e)  $[-4, -2) \cup (3, \infty)$       (f)  $(-\infty, -4] \cup (-2, 3)$   
 (g)  $(-4, -2] \cup [3, \infty)$       (h)  $(-\infty, -4) \cup [-2, 3]$   
 (i)  $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, -2] \cup [3, \infty)$       (j) None of the above

3. Sam likes to change the decorations in his office. He owns 3 paintings, 4 vases and 5 clocks. In how many different ways can he choose 2 paintings, 2 vases and 1 clock to put in his office?

- (a) 4      (b) 5      (c) 14      (d) 23      (e) 60      (f) 90      (g) 150      (h) 360      (i) 17,280  
 (j) None of the above

4. Consider the polynomial  $x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 6$ . Find all of its real zeros, and add them up. The sum is:

- (a)  $-4$  or less      (b)  $-3$       (c)  $-2$       (d)  $-1$       (e) 0      (f) 1      (g) 2      (h) 3      (i) 4 or more  
 (j) The equation has no real zeros.

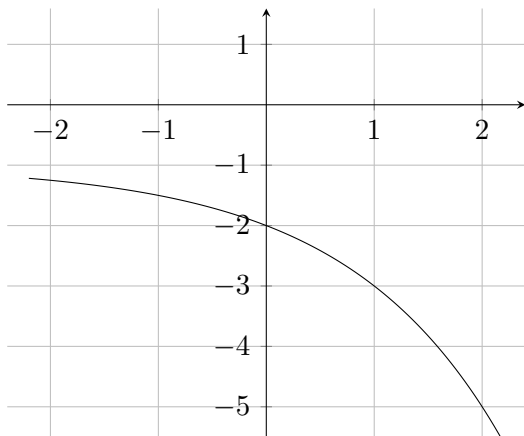
5. Find the domain of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{\log_3(-4x)}$ .

- (a)  $(-\infty, 0)$       (b)  $(0, \infty)$       (c)  $(4, \infty)$       (d)  $(-\infty, -4)$       (e)  $(-\infty, -\frac{1}{4})$   
 (f)  $(\frac{3}{4}, \infty)$       (g)  $(-\infty, -\frac{3}{4})$       (h)  $(3^4, \infty)$       (i)  $(3^{-4}, \infty)$       (j) None of the above

6. If  $x$  is the solution to  $(\frac{1}{2})^{3-x} = 4^{x-1}$ , then  $x$  is:

- (a)  $\frac{7}{3}$       (b)  $\frac{11}{9}$       (c)  $\frac{5}{2}$       (d)  $\frac{5}{3}$       (e)  $-\frac{5}{3}$       (f)  $-1$       (g)  $\frac{15}{4}$       (h)  $-2$       (i) 2  
 (j) None of the above

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

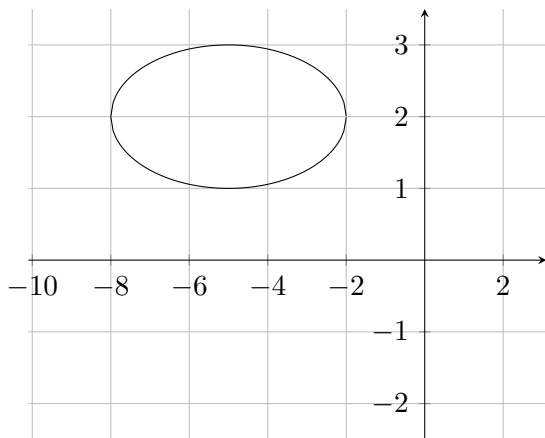


- (a)  $f(x) = -1 - 3^x$       (b)  $f(x) = 1 - 2^{-x}$       (c)  $f(x) = -1 + 2^{-x}$   
 (d)  $f(x) = -1 - 3^{-x}$       (e)  $f(x) = -1 - 2^x$       (f)  $f(x) = -1 - 2^{-x}$   
 (g)  $f(x) = 1 + 3^x$       (h)  $f(x) = 1 - 3^{-x}$       (i)  $f(x) = 1 - 2^x$   
 (j) None of the above

8. The equation  $\log_3(x) + \log_3(x - 2) = \log_3(2x - 3)$  has some number of solutions. Of the solutions, the *largest* one is:

- (a)  $-3$  or less    (b)  $-2$     (c)  $-1$     (d)  $0$     (e)  $1$     (f)  $2$     (g)  $3$     (h)  $4$     (i)  $5$  or more  
 (j) The equation has no solutions

9. Find the equation of the ellipse shown in the graph.



- (a)  $(x - 5)^2 + 3(y + 2)^2 = 3$       (b)  $9(x - 5)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 9$   
 (c)  $(x + 5)^2 + 3(y - 2)^2 = 3$       (d)  $9(x + 5)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 1$   
 (e)  $9(x - 5)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 1$       (f)  $(x - 2)^2 + 3(y + 5)^2 = 3$   
 (g)  $3(x + 5)^2 + (y - 2)^2 = 3$       (h)  $(x + 5)^2 + 9(y - 2)^2 = 9$   
 (i)  $(x - 2)^2 + 9(y + 5)^2 = 9$       (j) None of the above

10. Susan is depositing \$9 into a savings account. The account pays an interest rate of 5%, compounded quarterly. In 7 years, how much money will be in the savings account?

- (a)  $9 / (1 + \frac{5}{4})^{28}$     (b)  $9 (1 + \frac{0.05}{4})^{28}$     (c)  $9 (1 + 0.05)^7$     (d)  $9 / (1 + 5)^7$   
(e)  $9 / (1 + 0.05)^{28}$     (f)  $9 (1 + \frac{5}{4})^{28}$     (g)  $9 / (1 + \frac{0.05}{4})^7$     (h)  $9 (1 + \frac{0.05}{4})^7$   
(i)  $9 / (1 + 0.35)^4$     (j) None of the above

11. Which of the following types of figures is represented by the equation  $4x^2 - 3y + 8x = 1$ ?

- (a) Ellipse    (b) Hyperbola    (c) Line    (d) Parabola    (e) None of these

12. Consider the hyperbola  $y^2/9 - x^2/4 = 1$ . Which of the following is a correct description of its asymptote(s)?

- (a) (0, 3) and (0, -3)    (b) (2, 0) and (-2, 0)    (c) (0, 0)    (d)  $(0, \sqrt{13})$  and  $(0, -\sqrt{13})$   
(e)  $y = \pm \frac{3}{2}x$     (f)  $y = \pm \frac{2}{3}x$     (g)  $y = \pm \frac{9}{4}x$     (h)  $y = \pm \frac{4}{9}x$   
(i) None of the above

13. Riley rolls a die. The probability that the die shows either a 3, or an even number, is:

- (a) 0    (b) 1/6    (c) 1/3    (d) 1/3    (e) 2/3    (f) 5/6    (g) 1    (h) None of the above

14. Thomas tosses a coin on Monday, rolls a die on Tuesday, and tosses a coin on Wednesday. The probability that he gets 'heads' on Monday, either a 1 or a 6 on Tuesday, and 'tails' on Wednesday, is:

- (a) 1/24    (b) 1/16    (c) 1/12    (d) 1/8    (e) 1/6    (f) 3/16    (g) 1/4    (h) 3/8  
(i) 3/7    (j) None of the above

15. Solve the system of equations below.

$$\begin{aligned} 3x + 2y &= -3 \\ 2x - y &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

The correct value of  $y$  is:

- (a) -4 or less    (b) -3    (c) -2    (d) -1    (e) 0    (f) 1    (g) 2    (h) 3    (i) 4    (j) 5 or more

16. Let  $H(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x - 1}{x + 2}$ . Then  $H$  has an oblique asymptote at:

- (a)  $y = x + \frac{3}{2}$     (b)  $y = x - 1$     (c)  $y = x + 1$     (d)  $y = x + 2$     (e)  $y = -3$     (f)  $y = x$   
(g)  $y = x + 3$     (h)  $y = 1$     (i)  $H(x)$  does not have an oblique asymptote  
(j)  $H(x)$  has an oblique asymptote, but none of the above is correct

17. Consider the sequence  $\{a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots\} = \{3, 2, \frac{4}{3}, \frac{8}{9}, \dots\}$ . Find a formula for the  $n$ -th term of the sequence.

- (a)  $a_n = \frac{2n+1}{n}$       (b)  $a_n = 2 + (n-2)^2$       (c)  $a_n = 4 - n$       (d)  $a_n = 3(\frac{2}{3})^{n-1}$   
(e)  $a_n = \frac{n+2}{n}$       (f)  $a_n = 2 + (n-1)^2$       (g)  $a_n = 3 - n$       (h)  $a_n = 3(\frac{2}{3})^n$   
(i) None of the above

18. Jill has an avocado, an apple, a banana, a pear and a peach. On Monday, on Tuesday and on Wednesday she will eat 1 piece of fruit for lunch. In how many ways can she choose a different piece of fruit for each day?

- (a) 6      (b) 10      (c) 12      (d) 20      (e) 24      (f) 27      (g) 36      (h) 60      (i) 125  
(j) None of the above

19. If  $2^x - 7 + x = 0$  then  $x$  is in the interval: (*Hint: Use the Intermediate Value Theorem*)

- (a)  $[-2, -1]$       (b)  $[-1, 0]$       (c)  $[0, 1]$       (d)  $[1, 2]$       (e)  $[2, 3]$   
(f)  $[3, 4]$       (g)  $[4, 5]$

20. Let  $37 = 4^a$ . An equivalent algebraic expression is:

- (a)  $a = \log_4(37)$       (b)  $4 = \log_{37}(a)$       (c)  $37 = \log_a(4)$   
(d)  $a = \log_{37}(4)$       (e)  $37 = \log_4(a)$       (f)  $4 = \log_a(37)$       (g) None of the above

21. The population of bluefin tuna in a highly fished section of the Atlantic Ocean is currently 100 animals. It is decaying exponentially, with a decay rate of  $-4$  per year. In other words,  $N(t) = 100e^{-4t}$ , where  $t$  is measured in years. How long will it take for the population of bluefin tuna in this section to reach  $1/5$  of its current population?

- (a)  $t = 4 \ln(\frac{1}{5})$       (b)  $t = \frac{1}{4} \ln(\frac{1}{5})$       (c)  $t = \ln(\frac{5}{4})$       (d)  $t = \frac{1}{5} \ln(\frac{1}{4})$   
(e)  $t = \frac{1}{4} \ln(5)$       (f)  $t = \frac{1}{5} \ln(4)$       (g)  $t = 5 \ln(4)$       (h)  $t = 4 \ln(5)$   
(i)  $t = 5 \ln(\frac{1}{4})$       (j) None of the above

22. A parabola has vertex  $(-3, 0)$  and focus  $(-3, 5)$ . The equation of the parabola is:

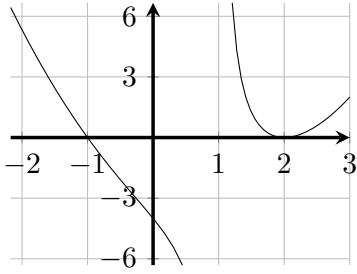
- (a)  $y = \frac{1}{20}(x+3)^2$       (b)  $y = \frac{1}{5}(x-3)^2$       (c)  $y = 4(x+3)^2$       (d)  $y = \frac{4}{5}(x+3)^2$   
(e)  $y = 20(x-3)^2$       (f)  $x = \frac{1}{20}y^2 + 3$       (g)  $x = \frac{1}{20}y^2 - 3$       (h)  $x = \frac{1}{5}y^2 + 3$   
(i)  $x = \frac{4}{5}y^2 - 3$       (j) None of the above

23. Find the sum of the series  $5 + 4\frac{2}{3} + 4\frac{1}{3} + \dots + 1 = \sum_{n=1}^{13} (5\frac{1}{3} - \frac{n}{3})$ .

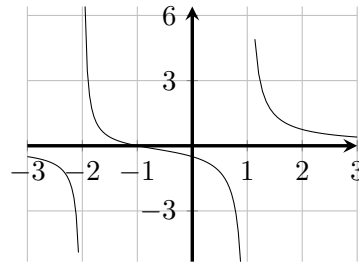
- (a) 26      (b)  $\frac{65}{2}$       (c) 36      (d) 39      (e) 42      (f) 52      (g) 60      (h) 78      (i) 84  
(j) None of the above

24. Which of the following is the graph of  $f(x) = \frac{(x-2)(x+1)}{x-1}$  ?

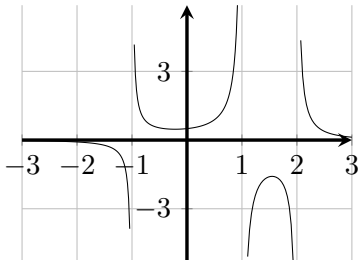
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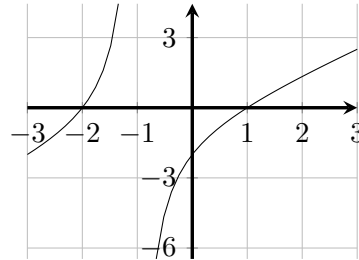
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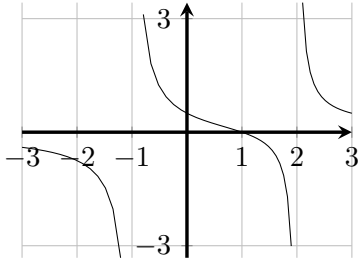
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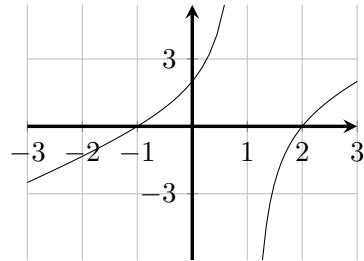
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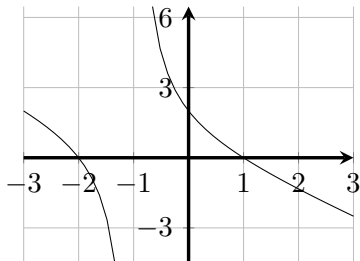
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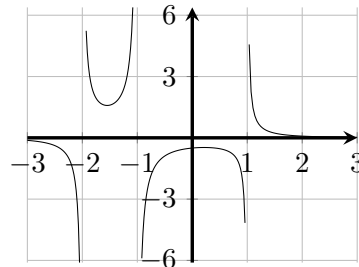
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(g)



(h)



25. Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$ , and  $C = \{1, 3, 5\}$ . The set  $(A \cup B) \cap C$  is:

(a)  $\{2, 4, 5\}$

(b)  $\{1, 3\}$

(c)  $\{3, 5\}$

(d)  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

(e)  $\{3\}$

(f)  $\{1, 2, 3, 5\}$

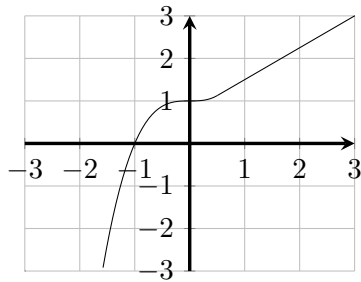
(g)  $\{2, 3, 4\}$

(h)  $\{1, 2, 5\}$

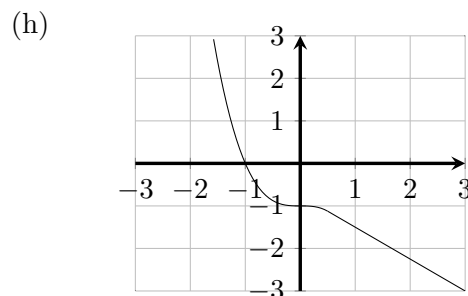
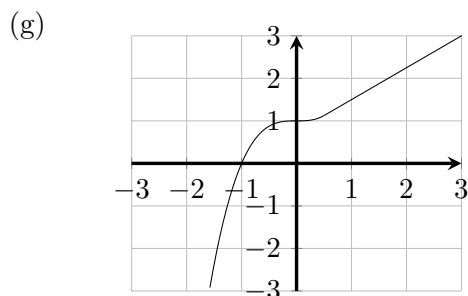
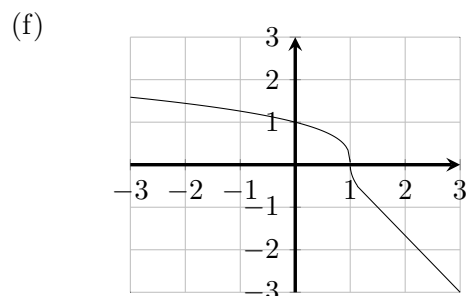
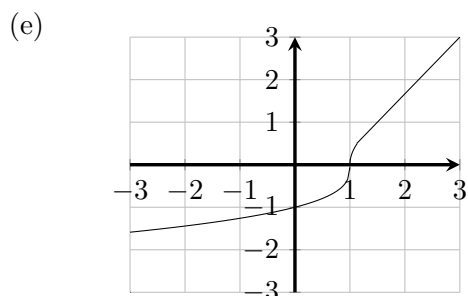
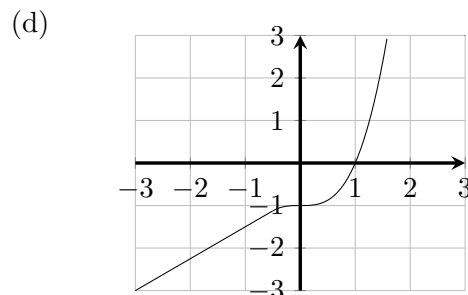
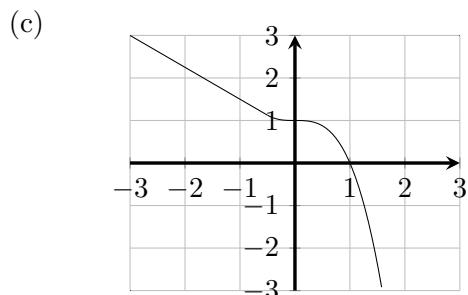
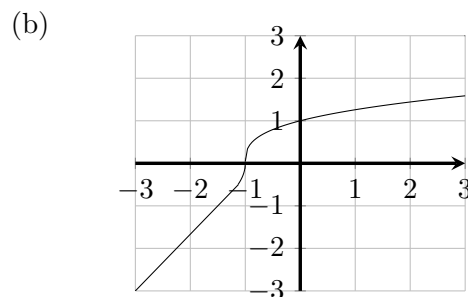
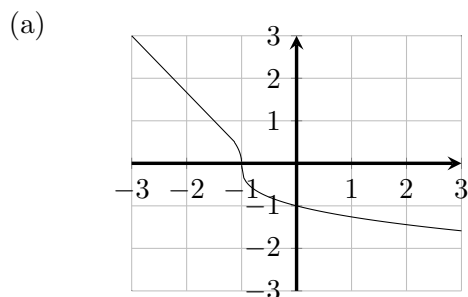
(i)  $\{2, 3, 5\}$

(j) None of the above

26. Below is a graph of the function  $y = f(x)$ .



Which of the following is the graph of  $y = f^{-1}(x)$ , the inverse function of  $f(x)$ ?



27. Solve the system of equations below.

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + 2y &= -3 \\ 2x^2 - y^2 &= -2\end{aligned}$$

This system of equations might have more than one solution. Among all of the solutions, the largest value of  $y$  that appears is:

- (a)  $-3$  or less (b)  $-2$  (c)  $-1$  (d)  $0$  (e)  $1$  (f)  $2$  (g)  $3$  (h)  $4$  (i)  $5$  or more  
(j) The equation has no solutions

28. Consider the function  $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{1/x + 1}$ . The inverse function of  $f(x)$  is  $f^{-1}(x) =$

- (a)  $1/(x + 1)^3$  (b)  $1/(x - 1)^3$  (c)  $1/(x^3 + 1)$  (d)  $1/(x^3 - 1)$   
(e)  $1/x^3 - 1$  (f)  $1/x^3 + 1$  (g)  $1/(\sqrt[3]{x} - 1)$  (h)  $1/(\sqrt[3]{x} + 1)$   
(i)  $2/x^3$  (j) None of the above

29. The functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are defined by the following table:

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

Evaluate  $(f \circ g)(-2)$ .

- (a)  $-3$  (b)  $-2$  (c)  $-1$  (d)  $0$  (e)  $1$  (f)  $2$  (g)  $3$

30. The polynomial  $f(x)$  has real coefficients and has zeros  $-2$  and  $1 + 3i$ . Then  $f(x) =$

- (a)  $x^2 + 5x + 6$  (b)  $x^2 + x - 2$  (c)  $x^2 - x - 6$  (d)  $x^2 - 2x + 10$   
(e)  $x^3 - x^2 + 8x + 10$  (f)  $x^3 + 6x + 20$  (g)  $x^3 + 2x^2 - 9x - 18$  (h)  $x^3 + 5x + 18$   
(i)  $x^3 - x^2 + 7x + 9$  (j) None of the above

## Answers

1. b
2. h
3. f
4. a
5. e
6. f
7. e
8. g
9. h
10. b
11. d
12. e
13. e
14. c
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16. c
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