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MATH 110 - College Algebra

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Instructions:

- Calculators and notes are not allowed.
 - Do not write on this exam.
 - Mark the correct answer on the bubble sheet provided.
 - There is only one correct answer for each multiple choice question.
 - There is no time limit.
 - Please do not talk about the test with other students until after October 10.
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(1) Which of the following is NOT a polynomial?

(a) $\sqrt{2}x^2 + \pi x - 7$

(d) $x^{-1} + 2x^{\frac{1}{2}} - 3x^{\frac{3}{2}}$

(b) 3

(e) $x^4 + 1$

(c) $x^3 - 8x$

(f) $x^2 + 2x + 1$

(2) What is the degree of the following polynomial: $P(x) = 5(x - 2)^2(x + 4)^7(x + 1)$?

(a) 9

(b) 10

(c) 11

(d) 12

(e) 13

(f) 14

(3) Which statement is FALSE about the polynomial $P(x) = -3(x + 1)^2(x - 4)$:

- (a) Its smallest zero has multiplicity 2.
- (b) It has a maximum of 2 turning points.
- (c) It has degree 3.
- (d) It has a zero at $x = 1$.
- (e) It touches, but does not cross the x-axis at $x = -1$.
- (f) It crosses the x-axis at $x = 4$.

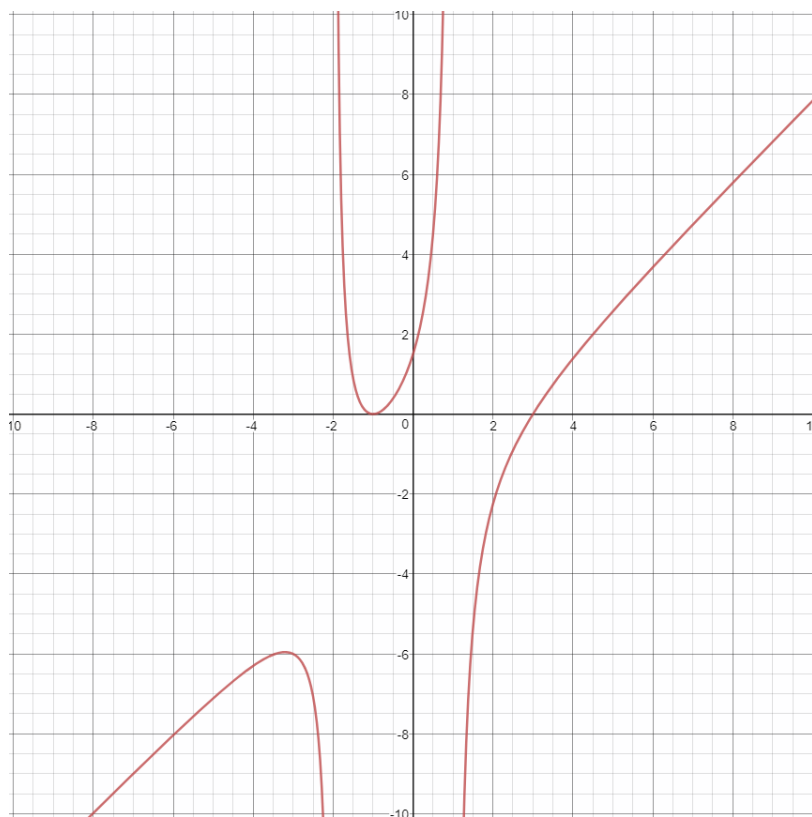
(4) What is the domain of $R(x) = \frac{x^2 + 8x + 16}{2x^2 - 2x - 4}$?

- (a) $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, -1) \cup (-1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$
- (b) $(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, \infty)$
- (c) $(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$
- (d) $(1, 2)$
- (e) $(-4, 2)$
- (f) $(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$

(5) List all of the asymptotes of $R(x) = \frac{-5x}{x - 2}$:

- (a) Vertical: $x = 2$; Horizontal: $y = -5$
- (b) Vertical: $x = -5$; Horizontal: $y = 2$
- (c) Vertical: $x = 0$; Horizontal: $y = 2$
- (d) Vertical: $x = -5$; Oblique: $y = 2x$
- (e) Vertical: $x = 2$; Oblique: $y = -5x$
- (f) Vertical: $x = 2$; Oblique: $y = x$

(6) Given the following graph, find a rational function that has the given graph.



(a) $R(x) = \frac{(x+3)(x-1)^2}{(x+1)(x-2)}$

(b) $R(x) = \frac{(x-3)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+2)}$

(c) $R(x) = \frac{(x-3)^2(x+1)}{(x-1)^2(x+2)}$

(d) $R(x) = \frac{(x+3)(x-1)}{(x+1)(x-2)}$

(e) $R(x) = \frac{(x-3)(x+1)^2}{(x-1)(x+2)}$

(f) $R(x) = \frac{(x+3)^2(x-1)}{(x+1)^2(x-2)}$

- (7) What are the domain and range of the function in Problem (6)?
- Domain and Range are all real numbers
 - Domain = All real numbers, Range = $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$
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 - Domain = $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$, Range = All real numbers
- (8) What are the x and y intercepts of $f(x) = 6x^3 + 18x^2 + 12x$
- x-intercepts: $-2, -1, 0$; y-intercept: 0
 - x-intercepts: $0, 1, 2$; y-intercept: 0
 - x-intercepts: $-2, -1, 0$; y-intercept: None
 - x-intercepts: $0, 1, 2$; y-intercept: None
 - x-intercepts: $6, 12$; y-intercept: 18
 - x-intercepts: $6, 18$; y-intercept: 12
- (9) Find the oblique asymptote for $R(x) = \frac{x^3 - 5}{x^2 + 4x + 5}$
- $y = x + 4$
 - $y = x + 5$
 - $y = x - 5$
 - $y = x - 4$
 - $y = x$
 - $y = -x$
- (10) Solve the inequality $x^3 > x$.
- $(-\infty, -1) \cup (0, 1)$
 - $(-1, 0) \cup (1, \infty)$
 - $(0, \infty)$
 - $(-\infty, -1) \cup (1, 2)$
 - $(-2, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$
 - $(-\infty, 0)$

(11) Solve the inequality $\frac{x^2 - 1}{x^2 + 10x + 24} \leq 0$.

- (a) $(-\infty, -6) \cup [1, \infty)$
- (b) $[-1, 1] \cup [4, 6]$
- (c) $(-6, -4) \cup [-1, 1]$
- (d) $(-\infty, -6) \cup [4, 6]$
- (e) $(-1, 1) \cup (4, \infty)$
- (f) $(-\infty, -6) \cup (-4, -1) \cup (1, \infty)$

(12) Solve the inequality $\frac{x^2 + 2}{x} > 3$.

- (a) $(1, 2)$
- (b) $(-\infty, 0) \cup (1, 2)$
- (c) $(0, 1) \cup (2, \infty)$
- (d) $(0, 1)$
- (e) $(2, \infty)$
- (f) $(-\infty, 0)$

(13) Use the Remainder Theorem to find the remainder of $f(x) = x^3 - 4x + 7$ divided by $x + 2$.

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| (a) 7 | (c) 9 | (e) 11 |
| (b) 8 | (d) 10 | (f) 12 |

(14) List all the possible rational zeroes of the polynomial $P(x) = 2x^5 - 12x^3 + x^2 - 5$.

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| (a) ± 1 | (c) $\pm 1, \pm 5, \pm \frac{1}{2}$ | (e) $\pm \frac{5}{2}$ |
| (b) $\pm 1, \pm 5$ | (d) $\pm 1, \pm 5, \pm \frac{5}{2}$ | (f) $\pm 1, \pm 5, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{5}{2}$ |

(15) Find all the real zeros of $f(x) = x^3 - 4x^2 - 11x - 6$

- (a) $-11, -4$ (c) -11 (e) $-1, 6$
(b) -4 (d) -1 (f) 6

(16) On which interval does the Intermediate Value Theorem guarantee a zero for the polynomial $P(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 12x - 8$?

- (a) $[-5, -3]$ (d) $[-3, -1]$
(b) $[5, 7]$ (e) $[-1, 1]$
(c) $[3, 5]$ (f) $[1, 3]$

(17) Find the complex zeroes of $x^2 + 4x + 5$.

- (a) $-1 \pm 3i$ (d) $-2 \pm i$
(b) $-3 \pm i$ (e) $-1 \pm i$
(c) $-1 \pm 2i$ (f) $-2 \pm 2i$

(18) If we are given a degree 3 polynomial with real coefficients and the following zeroes: $2, 5 - i$; what are the remaining zeroes?

(a) -2

(c) -5

(e) $-2, 5 + i$

(b) $5 + i$

(d) $2 + i$

(f) $-5, -2 + i$

(19) Find a polynomial with degree 3 that has the following zeroes: $2 + i, -3$.

(a) $x^3 + 7x^2 - x + 5$

(d) $x^3 - x^2 + x - 1$

(b) $x^3 - 4x + 5$

(e) $x^3 + 3$

(c) $x^3 - x^2 - 7x + 15$

(f) $x^3 - 9x^2 + 3x - 2$

(20) Consider the zeroes of $x^3 - 64$ that are complex numbers but are not real numbers. Find the sum of these numbers.

(a) -4

(c) 2

(e) i

(b) 4

(d) -2

(f) $-i$

ANSWER KEY

(1) D
(2) B
(3) D
(4) C
(5) A

(6) E
(7) F
(8) A
(9) D
(10) B

(11) C
(12) C
(13) A
(14) F
(15) E

(16) F
(17) D
(18) B
(19) C
(20) A