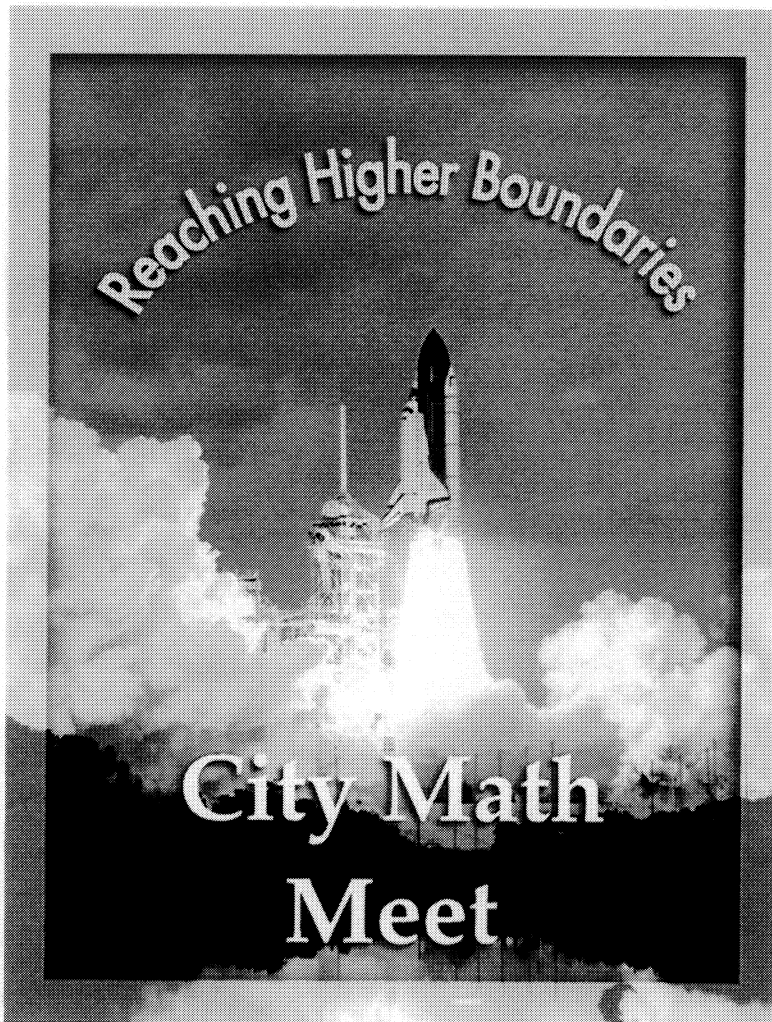


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ALGEBRA II

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ALGEBRA II TEST

1. Perform the indicated operation: $(8x^4 - 12x^3 - 2x^2 + 18x - 11) \div (2x^2 - 3)$

A. $4x^2 - 6x - 5 + \frac{4}{2x^2 - 3}$

B. $4x^2 - 6x + 5 + \frac{4}{2x^2 - 3}$

C. $4x^2 - 6x + 5 + \frac{6}{2x^2 - 3}$

D. $4x^2 - 6x + 5 - \frac{4}{2x^2 - 3}$

2. Perform the indicated operation: $\frac{6x - 2x^2 + 3c - cx}{x^2 - 9} * \frac{x^2 - x - 12}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$

A. $-\frac{2x - c}{x + 2}$

B. $-\frac{2x + c}{x - 2}$

C. $\frac{2x + c}{x - 2}$

D. $-\frac{2x + c}{x + 2}$

3. Perform the indicated operation and simplify: $\frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{3}} + \frac{2}{\sqrt[3]{81}} - \frac{3}{\sqrt[3]{24}}$

A. $\frac{5\sqrt[3]{3}}{12}$

B. $\frac{11\sqrt[3]{9}}{15}$

C. $\frac{7\sqrt[3]{9}}{18}$

D. $\frac{8\sqrt[3]{3}}{15}$

4. Anoa bought two plots of land for a total of \$110,000. When she sold the first plot, she made a profit of 20%. When she sold the second plot, she lost 10%. If her total profit is \$10,600, how much did she pay for the second plot of land?

A. \$38,000

B. \$35,000

C. \$72,000

D. \$68,000

1. Simplify $\frac{8 + \sqrt{-48}}{18}$ in simplest form.

- A. $\frac{4}{9} - \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{9}i$
- B. $\frac{4}{9} - \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{9}$
- C. $\frac{4}{9} + \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{9}i$
- D. $\frac{4}{9} + \frac{2\sqrt{3}}{9}$

2. A square lawn has an area 648 ft^2 . A sprinkler placed at the center of the lawn sprays water in a circular pattern that just covers the lawn. What is the radius of the circle?

- A. 15 ft.
- B. 18 ft.
- C. 20 ft.
- D. 21 ft.

3. If $(3x - 2)^2 + 3(3x - 2) = 4$, then what would be the sum of its roots?

- A. $-\frac{1}{2}$
- B. $\frac{1}{3}$
- C. $\frac{2}{3}$
- D. $-\frac{2}{5}$

4. If $-2x + 8 = 3x + 8$, then what would be the value of $3x$?

- A. -6
- B. 12
- C. 15
- D. -9

5. Solve $6x^2 + 7x < 20$ writing the solution in interval notation.

- A. $(-\frac{4}{3}, \frac{5}{2})$
- B. $(-\infty, -\frac{4}{3}) \cup (\frac{5}{2}, \infty)$
- C. $(-\infty, -\frac{5}{2}) \cup (\frac{4}{3}, \infty)$
- D. $(-\frac{5}{2}, \frac{4}{3})$

6. Solve $|2x - 9| \geq 7$ writing the solution in interval notation.

- A. (1, 8)
- B. [1, 8]
- C. $(-\infty, 1] \cup [8, \infty)$
- D. $(-\infty, 1) \cup (8, \infty)$

11. If $f(x) = -8x + 3$ and $g(x) = 3x + 7$, find $(f \circ g)(a - 2)$.

- A. $-24a - 11$
- B. $-24a + 64$
- C. $-24a + 52$
- D. $-24a - 5$

12. Find the equation of the line passing through $(-4, 7)$ and perpendicular to $5x + 3y - 4 = 0$.

- A. $5x + 3y = 1$
- B. $5x - 3y = -41$
- C. $3x + 5y = 23$
- D. $3x - 5y = -47$

13. Decide whether $x^2 - y = 4$ is symmetric with respect to the

- A. x - axis
- B. y - axis
- C. origin
- D. none of these

14. What is the maximum number of negative real zeros for $f(x) = 5x^4 + 7x^3 - 3x^2 + 4x - 7$.

- A. 4
- B. 3
- C. 1
- D. 2

15. What is the Least Upper Bound for the zeros of $f(x) = 4x^4 - 3x^3 - 8x^2 + 2x + 5$?

- A. 4
- B. 2
- C. 3
- D. 1

16. Which equation is a vertical asymptote of $\frac{8x^2 - 2x - 3}{10x^2 + 11x - 6}$?

- A. none
- B. $x = \frac{3}{2}$
- C. $x = \frac{2}{5}$
- D. $y = \frac{3}{4}$

17. Which equation is the inverse of $4x - 7y + 8 = 0$?

- A. $y = \frac{7}{4}x - 2$
- B. $y = \frac{4}{7}x + \frac{8}{7}$
- C. $y = \frac{4}{7}x - 2$
- D. $y = \frac{7}{4}x + 2$

18. The force of the wind blowing on a vertical surface varies jointly as the area of the surface and the square of the velocity. If a wind of 30 mph exerts a force of 45 lb on a surface of $\frac{1}{2}$ ft², how much force will a wind of 60 mph place on a surface of $\frac{1}{4}$ ft²?

- A. 80 lb
- B. 135 lb
- C. 60 lb
- D. 90 lb

19. If $25^{2x+3} = 125^{x-1}$, what would be the value of $2x$?

- A. -12
- B. 8
- C. -18
- D. 14

20. Solve $5x = 8^{\log_8 15}$

- A. 3
- B. 5
- C. 2
- D. 4

21. Solve $\log_3 x + \log_3 (x - 2) = \log_3 35$ for the variable x .

- A. 4
- B. 7
- C. 9
- D. 6

22. Solve $8e^{2x+1} = 25$ for the variable x .

- A. 0.0842
- B. 0.0681
- C. 0.0819
- D. 0.0697

23. How long will it take any quantity of iodine 131 to decay to 60% of its initial amount, knowing that it decays according to the function $A(t) = A_0 e^{-.087t}$, where t is time in days?

- A. 5.87 days
- B. 4.62 days
- C. 6.35 days
- D. 3.19 days

24. If $4x + 3y = 19$ and $3x + 2y = 12$, then what is the value of $x + y$?

- A. 11
- B. 4
- C. 7
- D. 6

25. Solve $3x + 5y + z - 4 = 0$, $2x - 3y + 2z + 2 = 0$, and $x - y + 3z - 12 = 0$ for the value of y .
- A. 2
B. 6
C. -4
D. -1
26. Given the system of equations $2x + 3y - 4z + 7 = 0$, $x - 4y - z + 6 = 0$, and $3x - 2y + 3z + 5 = 0$, what is element a_{13} in D_z according to Cramer's rule?
- A. -4
B. -7
C. -1
D. -5
27. Solve $\begin{vmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ -2 & x \end{vmatrix} = 22$ for the variable x .
- A. -2
B. 6
C. -3
D. 4
28. Find the partial fraction decomposition for $\frac{3}{2x(4x-1)}$.
- A. $\frac{3}{2x} + \frac{6}{4x-1}$
B. $\frac{3}{2x} + \frac{-6}{4x-1}$
C. $\frac{-3}{2x} + \frac{6}{4x-1}$
D. $\frac{-3}{2x} + \frac{-6}{4x-1}$
29. Solve $2x^2 - y^2 = -2$ and $x + y = 3$ for the value(s) of y .
- A. 1, -7
B. 2, 10
C. -7, 2
D. 1, 10
30. The hypotenuse of a right triangle is 3 m longer than twice the length of the shortest leg. Find the length of the other leg if it is 1 m shorter than the hypotenuse.
- A. 5
B. 4
C. 12
D. 13

31. Perform the indicated operation: $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 & 7 \\ 2 & 0 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 0 & 5 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

A. No solution

B. $\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 8 \\ 7 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & -6 \\ -2 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 3 \\ 4 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$

32. Find the inverse of $\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ 7 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

A. Does not exist

B. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

C. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 1 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

D. $\begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ -7 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$

33. Find the vertex for $x = y^2 - 8y + 12$.

A. $(-4, 4)$

B. $(2, 4)$

C. $(-1, -4)$

D. $(-4, 2)$

34. Give the equation of the directrix for $(y + 4)^2 = 20(x - 2)$.

A. $y = -3$

B. $x = -3$

C. $x = 2$

D. $y = -2$

35. Write an equation for the parabola having a vertex at $(6, 5)$ and a focus at $(6, 8)$.

A. $(x - 6)^2 = 12(y - 5)$

B. $(x + 6)^2 = 12(y + 5)$

C. $(x + 6)^2 = 16(y + 8)$

D. $(x - 6)^2 = 16(y - 5)$

36. Write an equation for a hyperbola with center at $(6, -5)$; with a vertical conjugate axis of length 14; and $c = 9$.

A. $\frac{(x-6)^2}{32} + \frac{(y+5)^2}{49} = 1$
B. $\frac{(x+6)^2}{32} - \frac{(y-5)^2}{49} = 1$
C. $\frac{(x-6)^2}{32} - \frac{(y+5)^2}{49} = 1$
D. $\frac{(y+5)^2}{32} - \frac{(x-6)^2}{49} = 1$

37. Write an equation for an ellipse with center at $(-2, 3)$; focus at $(-2, -2)$; and vertex at $(-2, 9)$.

A. $\frac{(y-3)^2}{11} + \frac{(x+2)^2}{36} = 1$
B. $\frac{(x+2)^2}{36} + \frac{(y-3)^2}{11} = 1$
C. $\frac{(y-3)^2}{36} + \frac{(x+2)^2}{11} = 1$
D. $\frac{(x+2)^2}{11} + \frac{(y-3)^2}{36} = 1$

38. What is the radius of the circle $x^2 + y^2 + 10x - 4y + 13 = 0$?

- A. 4
B. 2
C. 6
D. 5

39. Identify the conic $3y^2 - 6x + 4y - 2 = 0$.

- A. Circle
B. Parabola
C. Ellipse
D. Hyperbola

40. Find the 50th term of the arithmetic sequence 3, 9, 15, ...

- A. 303
B. 286
C. 315
D. 297

31. Evaluate $\sum_{i=2}^6 (4i - 2)$

- A. 70
- B. 35
- C. 56
- D. 48

32. Find the sum of the first 40 terms of the arithmetic sequence 45, 39, 33,...

- A. -3120
- B. -1858
- C. -2880
- D. -2468

33. Find the seventh term of the geometric sequence 4, 28, 196,...

- A. 470856
- B. 503246
- C. 459896
- D. 470596

34. Find the sum of the first six terms of the geometric sequence having $a_1 = 17$ and $r = -4$.

- A. -13923
- B. -12846
- C. -14822
- D. -13640

35. A ball is dropped from a height of 12 feet and bounces $\frac{2}{3}$ of its height. How far will the ball travel before it comes to rest?

- A. 50 feet.
- B. 60 feet
- C. 70 feet
- D. 72 feet

36. Expand $(3x - y)^4$.

- A. $81x^4 - 108x^3y + 54x^2y^2 - 10xy^3 + y^4$
- B. $81x^4 - 108x^3y + 56x^2y^2 - 12xy^3 + y^4$
- C. $81x^4 - 108x^3y + 54x^2y^2 - 12xy^3 + y^4$
- D. $81x^4 - 108x^3y + 54x^2y^2 - 22xy^3 + y^4$

37. Find the fourth term of $(5x - 2y)^7$.

- A. $175000x^4y^3$
- B. $262500x^3y^4$
- C. $262500x^3y^4$
- D. $-175000x^4y^3$

48. If a bag contains 5 yellow, 3 white, and 9 blue marbles, how many samples of four can be drawn if the color does not matter?
- A. 2380
 - B. 2248
 - C. 2398
 - D. 2268
49. Two marbles are drawn at random from a box containing 6 red, 4 green, and 8 yellow marbles. What is the probability that both of the marbles are not green?
- A. $\frac{87}{162}$
 - B. $\frac{91}{153}$
 - C. $\frac{7}{9}$
 - D. $\frac{76}{137}$
50. A bag contains 9 red, 4 yellow, and 11 green marbles. If a marble is drawn at random, what are the odds in favor of not picking a yellow marble?
- A. 1 to 1
 - B. 5 to 1
 - C. 4 to 11
 - D. 9 to 4