

Unit 1 Review (Precalculus topics) – **NO CALCULATORS**

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Please show work so we can see how you find your solutions.

Function Notation and Composition of Functions:#1. Let  $f(x) = x - 2$  and  $g(x) = x^3$ . Find  $g(f(4))$ .  $f(4) = (4) - 2 = 2$ 

$$g(2) = (2)^3 = \boxed{8}$$

#2. Express the function  $F(x) = \tan^3(x)$  in the form  $f(g(x))$ .

$$= (\tan x)^3$$

$$f(x) = \underline{x^3}$$

$$g(x) = \underline{\tan x}$$

#3. If  $f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x$ , write  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$  in simplest form.

$$\frac{[2(x+h)^2 - 5(x+h)] - [2(x)^2 - 5(x)]}{h}$$

$$\frac{2(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - 5x - 5h - 2x^2 + 5x}{h}$$

$$\frac{2x^2 + 4xh + 2h^2 - 5x - 5h - 2x^2 + 5x}{h}$$

$$= \frac{4xh + 2h^2 - 5h}{h(1)} = \boxed{4x + 2h - 5}$$

#4. Use the table to find the value of the function or composition at the given  $x$ .

$x$	-3	-1	0	3	5	7
$f(x)$	3	4	-1	-2	-1	5
$g(x)$	5	17	0	4	-3	-1

$$g(-1) = \underline{17}$$

$$f(g(5)) = \underline{3}$$
  
 $f(-3)$

$$f(f(7)) = \underline{-1}$$
  
 $f(5)$

✓ stretched x3  
left 2

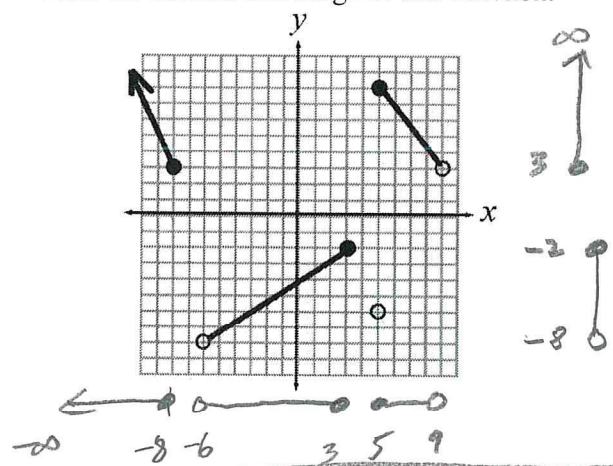
$y = \ln x$   
(+y)0

#5. **Multiple Choice:** Relative to the graph  $y = \cos x$ , the graph of  $y = 3 \ln(x+2)$  is changed in what way?

- A) Shifted 2 units downward
- B) Compressed horizontally by a factor of 3
- C) Shifted 2 units to the right
- D) Stretched vertically by a factor of 3
- E) Shifted 2 units upward
- F) Shifted 2 units to the right and stretched 3 times vertically
- G) Shifted 2 units to the left and stretched 3 times vertically**
- H) Shifted 2 units to the left

Domain/Range and Interval notation:

#6. State the domain and range of this function:



range:  $(-\infty, -2] \cup [3, \infty)$

Domain:  $(-\infty, -8] \cup (-6, 3] \cup (5, 9)$

#7. **Multiple Choice:** The function  $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x-5} + \sqrt{(x-3)(x+2)}$  has as its domain all values of x such that

- A)  $(-\infty, 2) \cup (2, 3) \cup (3, 5)$
- B)  $[3, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$
- C)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup [5, \infty)$
- D)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (3, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$
- E)  $[3, 5]$
- F)  $(3, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$
- G)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (5, \infty)$
- H)  $(-\infty, 0) \cup [3, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$

$\div 0$  at  $x=5$   
 $\sqrt{0}$  at  $x=3, x=-2$

x	-3	-2	0	3	4	5	6
$f(x)$	$\frac{(-)}{(-)} + \sqrt{(-)(-)}$	$\frac{(-)}{(-)} + \sqrt{(-)(0)}$	$\frac{(-)}{(-)} + \sqrt{(-)(+)}$	$\frac{(+)}{(-)} + \sqrt{(0)(+)}$	$\frac{(+)}{(-)} + \sqrt{(+) (+)}$	$\frac{(+)}{(0)} + \sqrt{(+) (+)}$	$\frac{(+)}{(+)} + \sqrt{(+) (+)}$
Result	$(+) + \sqrt{+}$	$(+) + \sqrt{0}$	$(+) + \sqrt{-}$	$(-) + \sqrt{0}$	$(-) + \sqrt{+}$	$\div 0$	$(+) + \sqrt{+}$
Valid?	✓	✓	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓

domain:  $(-\infty, -2] \cup [3, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$

(none of the choices match this :))

#8. Multiple Choice: Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+2}$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^2-9}$ . Find the domain of  $(fg)(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x)$

A)  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (3, \infty)$

E)  $(-\infty, -3] \cup [3, \infty)$

B)  $(2, \infty)$

F)  $[2, \infty)$

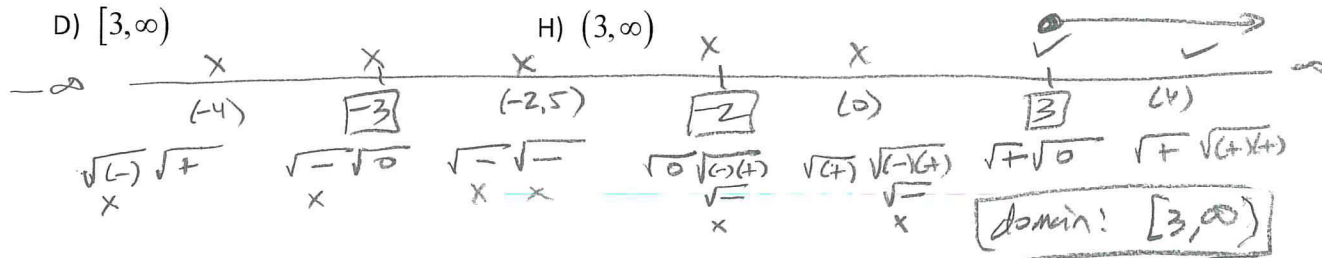
C)  $(-\infty, -2)$

G)  $(-\infty, -2]$

D)  $[3, \infty)$

H)  $(3, \infty)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\sqrt{x+2} \sqrt{x^2-9} \\ &\sqrt{x+2} \sqrt{(x-3)(x+3)} \\ &x = -2, x = 3, x = -3 \end{aligned}$$



Factoring and Completing the Square:

#9. Factor completely:  $x^2 + x - 42$

$$(x+7)(x-6)$$

M	A
-42	1
(-7)(6)	1 ✓
(-7)(6)	-1

#10. Factor completely:  $5x^2 - 13x + 6$

$$\begin{aligned} &\frac{(5x-10)}{5} \cdot \frac{(5x-3)}{1} \\ &(x-2)(5x-3) \end{aligned}$$

M	A
30	-13
(10)(3)	✓
(-10)(-3)	✓

#11. Factor completely:  $3x^4 - 48x^2 = 3x^2(x^2 - 16)$

$$= 3x^2(x-4)(x+4)$$

#12. Complete the square to write the equation in the form of a circle:  $x^2 + y^2 + 4x - 8y + 19 = 0$

$$(x^2 + 4x + 4) + (y^2 - 8y + 16) = -19 + 4 + 16$$

$$(x+2)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 1$$

Exponent Rules and Logarithms:

#13. Write in simplest form:  $3a^2 4b^{-4} a^6 b^4 c^3 = 12 a^8 b^0 c^3 = \boxed{12 a^8 c^3}$

#14. Write in simplest form without using a fraction or negative exponents:  $\frac{2e^{-3x}}{5e^{-7x}} = \frac{2e^{7x}}{5e^{4x}} = \boxed{\frac{2}{5} e^{4x}}$   
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 Cant avoid this fraction

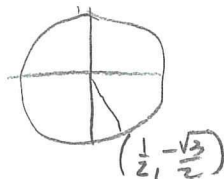
#15. Simplify the logarithmic expression into one logarithm:  $4 \log_3(x) + \log_3(y) - 3 \log_3(z) + \frac{1}{2} \log_3(x)$   
 $\log_3(x^4) + \log_3(y) - \log_3(z^3) + \log_3(x^{1/2})$   
 $\log_3\left(\frac{x^4 y x^{1/2}}{z^3}\right) = \boxed{\log_3\left(\frac{x^4 y \sqrt{x}}{z^3}\right)}$

#16. Expand the logarithmic expression to the sum and/or difference of factors of logarithms with no exponents.

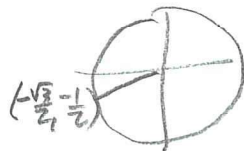
$\ln\left(\frac{5y^4}{x^6}\right) = \ln(5) + \ln(y^4) - \ln(x^6)$   
 $\boxed{= \ln(5) + 4 \ln(y) - 6 \ln(x)}$

Unit Circle Trigonometry and Basic Trig Identities:

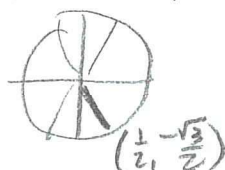
#17. Evaluate (answer in exact form, no decimals):  $\cos\left(\frac{-\pi}{3}\right) = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$



#18. Evaluate (answer in exact form, no decimals):  $\cot\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = \frac{\cos\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)}{\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right)} = \frac{-\sqrt{3}/2}{-1/2} = \boxed{\sqrt{3}}$

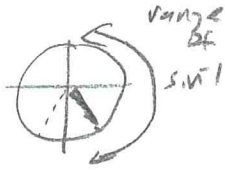


#19. Evaluate (answer in exact form, no decimals):  $\csc\left(\frac{5\pi}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{3}\right)} = \frac{1}{(-\sqrt{3}/2)} = \boxed{-\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}}$



#20. Evaluate (answer in exact form, no decimals):  $\sin^{-1}\left(\frac{-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right) = \boxed{\frac{-\pi}{3}}$

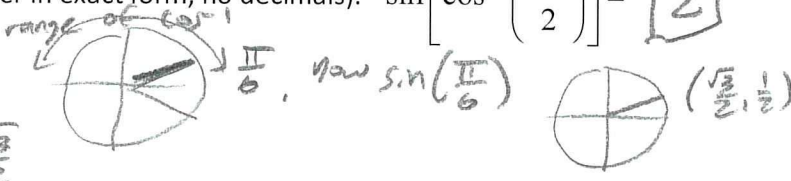
angle where  $y = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$



#21. Evaluate (answer in exact form, no decimals):  $\sin\left[\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)\right] = \boxed{\frac{1}{2}}$

$\cos^{-1}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)$  angle where  $x = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

range of  $\cos^{-1}$   $\frac{\pi}{6}$ , now  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$



#22. Simplify fully:  $\frac{3\sin^3\theta}{\cos\theta} + 3\sin\theta\cos\theta = \frac{3\sin^3\theta}{\cos\theta} + \frac{3\sin\theta\cos^2\theta}{\cos\theta} = \frac{3\sin^3\theta + 3\sin\theta\cos^2\theta}{\cos\theta}$

$= \frac{3\sin\theta(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta)}{\cos\theta} = \frac{3\sin\theta}{\cos\theta} = \boxed{3\tan\theta}$

$(\sin^2\theta + \cos^2\theta = 1)$        $\frac{\sin\theta}{\cos\theta} = \tan\theta$

Solving equations:

#23. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $\frac{x^2 - 4}{3} = \frac{x}{4}$

$4(x^2 - 4) = 3x$   
 $4x^2 - 16 = 3x$   
 $4x^2 - 3x - 16 = 0$

not factorable, use quadratic formula:

$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{-(-3) \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4(4)(-16)}}{2(4)} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 + 256}}{8}$

$= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{265}}{8}$

$x = \frac{3 + \sqrt{265}}{8}, x = \frac{3 - \sqrt{265}}{8}$

$\frac{3 \cdot 16}{16} = \frac{48}{16} = 3$   
 $\frac{16}{256} = \frac{1}{16}$

#24. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $4x^2 + x - 3 = 0$

$(4x+4)(4x-3) = 0$

	M	A
	-12	1
(-4)(3)		-1
(4)(-3)		1

$(x+1)(4x-3) = 0$

$\boxed{x = -1}$        $4x - 3 = 0, 4x = 3, \boxed{x = \frac{3}{4}}$

#25. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $e^{2x+6} = 4$

$\ln(e^{2x+6}) = \ln(4)$   
 $2x+6 = \ln(4)$   
 $2x = \ln(4) - 6$

$x = \frac{\ln(4) - 6}{2}$

#26. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $\ln(3x-1) = 5$

$$e^{\ln(3x-1)} = e^5$$

$$3x-1 = e^5$$

$$3x = e^5 + 1$$

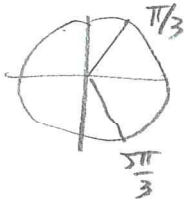
$$\boxed{x = \frac{e^5 + 1}{3}}$$

#27. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $4\cos(\theta) - 2 = 0$  ( $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ )

$$4\cos\theta = 2$$

$$\cos\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\theta = \frac{\pi}{3}, \theta = \frac{5\pi}{3}}$$



#28. Solve the equation (Exact answers only):  $2\sin^2(\theta) + 3\sin(\theta) - 2 = 0$  ( $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$ )

$$u = \sin\theta$$

$$2u^2 + 3u - 2 = 0$$

$$\frac{(2u+4)(2u-1)}{2} = 0$$

$$(u+2)(2u-1) = 0$$

$$(\sin\theta + 2)(2\sin\theta - 1) = 0$$

$$\sin\theta + 2 = 0$$

$$\sin\theta = -2$$

N/A

$$2\sin\theta - 1 = 0$$

$$2\sin\theta = 1$$

$$\sin\theta = \frac{1}{2}$$

u	A
-4	3
(4)(1)	3 ✓
(-4)(1)	-3

$$\boxed{\theta = \frac{\pi}{6}, \theta = \frac{5\pi}{6}}$$

