

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ **SOLUTION**

There are 30 questions. Some are multiple choice and some are free response.

Each question is worth 4 points, totalling 120 points.

Any points over 100 and up to 110 will count as extra credit.

For multiple-choice questions, just circle your answer.

For free-response questions, SHOW ALL WORK to receive credit.

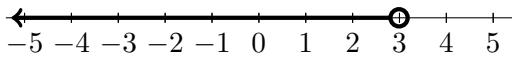
1. Solve the inequality and express the answer on the number line provided

$$6x - 14 + 2(x - 5) < 0.$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} 6x - 14 + 2(x - 5) &< 0 \\ 6x - 14 + 2x - 10 &< 0 \quad (\text{distribute}) \\ 8x - 24 &< 0 \quad (\text{combine like terms}) \\ 8x &< 24 \quad (+24 \text{ to both sides}) \\ x &< 3 \quad (\div 8 \text{ on both sides}) \end{aligned}$$

The solution is therefore



2. Simplify:  $\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{16} =$

**Solution:** The common denominator is 48:

$$\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{16} = \frac{6}{48} + \frac{4}{48} - \frac{3}{48} = \boxed{\frac{7}{48}}$$

3. Evaluate the expression:

$$9 + 3 \cdot 7 - (8 + 3 \cdot 6) =$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} 9 + 3 \cdot 7(8 + 3 \cdot 6) &= 9 + 21(8 + 18) = \\ 30 - 26 &= \boxed{4} \end{aligned}$$

4. Circle the graph of the solution to the inequality:

$$-1 - (-2 + x) \leq 3x + 21$$

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} -1 - (-2 + x) &\leq 3x + 21 \\ -1 + 2 - x &\leq 3x + 21 \quad (\text{distribute}) \\ 1 - x &\leq 3x + 21 \quad (\text{combine like terms}) \\ -x &\leq 3x + 20 \quad (-1 \text{ from both sides}) \\ -4x &\leq 20 \quad (-3x \text{ from both sides}) \\ x &\geq -5 \quad (\div(-4) \text{ and swap inequality}) \end{aligned}$$

5. Solve for  $y$  and circle the answer:

$$z = 4x + 9y.$$

(a)  $y = \frac{z}{9} - 4x$

(b)  $y = \frac{z + 4x}{9}$

(c)  $y = \frac{z - 4x}{9}$

(d)  $y = 9(z - 4x)$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} z &= 4x + 9y \\ z - 4x &= 9y \quad (-4x \text{ both sides}) \\ \frac{z - 4x}{9} &= y \quad (\div 9 \text{ both sides}) \end{aligned}$$

6. Solve for  $x$ .

$$\frac{10}{3}x + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{37}{6}$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{10}{3}x + \frac{1}{6} &= \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{37}{6} \\ \frac{20}{6}x + \frac{1}{6} &= \frac{14}{6}x + \frac{37}{6} \quad (\text{common denominator}) \\ 20x + 1 &= 14x + 37 \quad (\text{remove denominators}) \\ 20x &= 14x + 36 \quad (-1 \text{ both sides}) \\ 6x &= 36 \quad (-14x \text{ both sides}) \\ x &= 6 \quad (\div 6x \text{ both sides}) \end{aligned}$$

Solution:  $x = 6$

7. Divide or state that the division is undefined:  
(Note: Your answer must be a fraction.)

$$-\frac{3}{2} \div \left(-\frac{9}{4}\right) = \boxed{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$15 \div \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = \boxed{-10}$$

**Solution:**

$$(a) -\frac{3}{2} \div \left(-\frac{9}{4}\right) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{9} = \boxed{-\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$(b) 15 \div \left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = -15 \cdot \frac{2}{3} = \boxed{-10}$$

8. Find

$$38 - (-30) + (-15) - 63.$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} 38 - (-30) + (-15) - 63 &= 38 + 30 + (-15) - 63 \\ &= 68 + (-15) - 63 \\ &= 53 - 63 \\ &= \boxed{-10}. \end{aligned}$$

9. Solve:  $3(7x + 1) = 4(5x + 1) + 14$ .

**Circle the answer.**

(a)  $\frac{9}{20}$

(b)  $-13$

(c)  $15$

(d)  $\frac{21}{41}$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}3(7x + 1) &= 4(5x + 1) + 14 \\21x + 3 &= 20x + 4 + 14 \quad (\text{distribute}) \\21x + 3 &= 20x + 18 \quad (\text{combine like terms}) \\21x &= 20x + 15 \quad (-3 \text{ from both sides}) \\x &= \boxed{15} \quad (-20x \text{ from both sides})\end{aligned}$$

11. Solve the equation  $8x - 7 = 2x - 3$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}8x - 7 &= 2x - 3 \\8x - 7 &= 2x - 3 \quad (+7 \text{ to both sides}) \\6x &= 4 \quad (-2x \text{ from both sides}) \\x &= \frac{4}{6} \quad (\div 6 \text{ on both sides}) \\x &= \boxed{\frac{2}{3}} \quad (\text{Simplify.})\end{aligned}$$

10. Simplify:  $\frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{7}{16} =$

**Solution:**  $\frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{7}{16} = \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{7}{4} = \boxed{\frac{7}{20}}$

12. Use the formula  $F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$  for converting degrees Celsius into degrees Fahrenheit to find the Fahrenheit measure of the Celsius temperature  $C = 25$ . **Circle the answer.**

(a) 77

(b) 37

(c) 51.4

(d) 257

**Solution:** When  $C = 25$ ,

$$F = \frac{9}{5} \cdot 25 + 32 = 9 \cdot 5 + 32 = 45 + 32 = \boxed{77}$$

**13.** Simplify the expression  $\left(\frac{10x^4y^3}{5x^6y^{-3}}\right)^4$

**Solution:**

$16x^{-8}y^{24}$  or  $\frac{16y^{24}}{x^8}$

- 14.** For the polynomial  $x^2 + x^5 - 3x - 5$ ,
- Determine the coefficient and the degree of each term.

**Solution:**

Term	Coefficient	Degree
$x^2$	1	2
$x^5$	1	5
$-3x$	-3	1
-5	-5	0

b)

The degree of the polynomial is  $[\underline{5}]$ ,

The leading term is  $[\underline{x^5}]$ ,

The leading coefficient is  $[\underline{1}]$ .

**15.** Simplify the expression  $(3x^6y^3)(7x^{15}y^{11})$

**Solution:**

$21x^{21}y^{14}$

- 16.** Given the function  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 5x - 2$ , calculate the following values:

**Solution:**

- $f(0) = [\underline{-2}]$

- $f(2) = [\underline{20}]$

- $f(-2) = [\underline{0}]$

- $f(x+1) = [\underline{3(x+1)^2 + 5(x+1) - 2}]$

- $f(-x) = [\underline{3x^2 - 5x - 2}]$

17. Subtract:  $(6x^2 + 4x - 4) - (-7x^2 - 4x - 5)$

**Solution:**  $13x^2 + 8x + 1$ .

18. Add:  $(7x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 2) + (5x^3 - 7x^2 + x - 6)$

**Solution:**  $12x^3 - 11x^2 + 5x - 8$

19. Find the  $x$  and  $y$  intercepts of the graph of the equation  $y = x + 6$ .

**Solution:**

The  $x$  intercept is:  $-6$

The  $y$  intercept is:  $6$

20. Simplify the numerical expression

$$\left(\frac{10}{11}\right)^0.$$

**Solution:**  $1$ .

**21.** Multiply:  $(6x - 6)(x^2 + 2x + 3)$

**Circle the answer**

**Solution:**

(a)  $6x^3 + 6x^2 + 6x - 18$

(b)  $6x^3 + 18x^2 + 18x - 18$

(c)  $6x^3 + 18x^2 + 6x - 18$

(d)  $6x^3 + 6x^2 + 18x - 18$

**22.** Square the binomial:  $(x - 5)^2$ .

**Solution:**  $x^2 - 10x + 25$ .

**23.** Simplify the expression  $\frac{30x^{14}y^{17}z^{17}}{6x^9y^{12}z^{14}}$

**Solution:**

$5x^5y^5z^3$ .

**24.** Write in scientific notation:

63400000

**Solution:**

$6.34 \times 10^7$

**25.** Divide and write in scientific notation:

$$\frac{1.2 \times 10^3}{4.8 \times 10^7}$$

**Circle the answer**

**Solution:**

(a)  $2.5 \times 10^{-5}$

(b)  $0.25 \times 10^{-4}$

(c)  $4 \times 10^{10}$

(d)  $4 \times 10^{-5}$

**26.** Write in scientific notation.

0.0039

**Solution:**

$3.9 \times 10^{-3}$

**27.** Write in decimal notation

**Solution:**

$5.4 \times 10^{-4} =$  0.00054

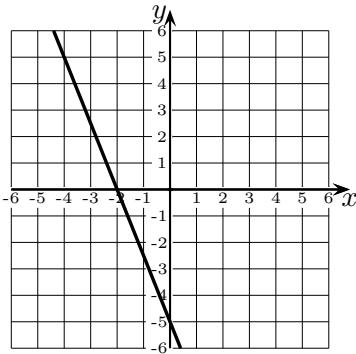
**28.** Multiply the polynomials:  $(x - 1)(x + 3)$

**Solution:**  $x^2 + 2x - 3$

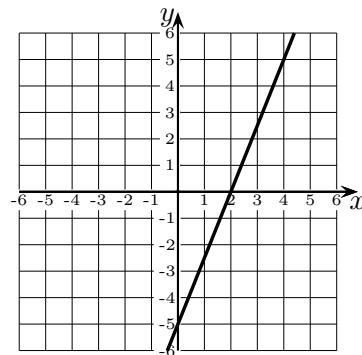
29. Which of the following is the graph of the equation  $10x - 4y = 20$ ? (Circle the answer).

**Solution:**

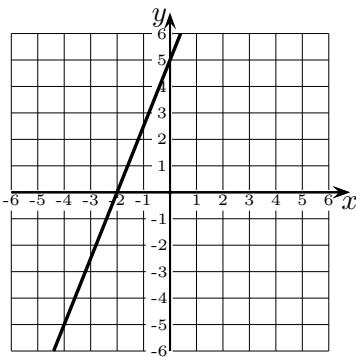
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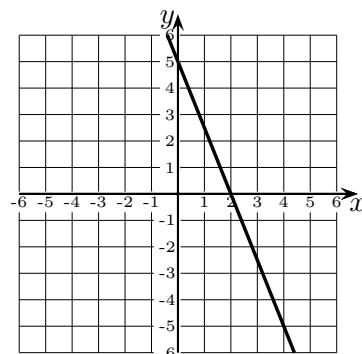
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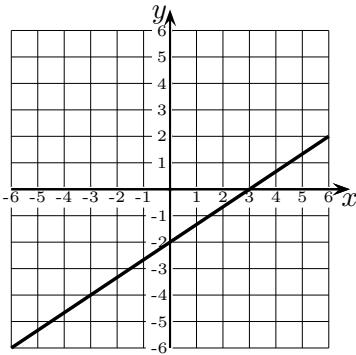
(d)



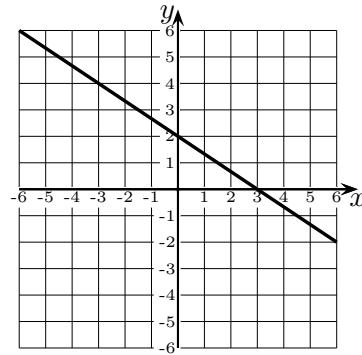
30. Which of the following is the graph of the equation  $2x - 3y = -6$ ? (Circle the answer).

**Solution:**

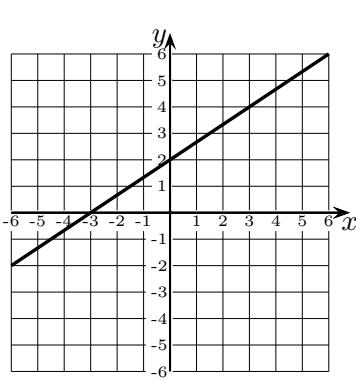
(a)



(c)



(b)



(d)

