BRONX COMMUNITY COLLEGE of the City University of New York

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS & COMPUTER SCIENCE

MATH 05 (JP) Spring 2015 FOURTH EXAMINATION (DAY) 2 HOURS

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Directions: You *must* show all your work in the provided space for full credit. Simplify your answer whenever possible. Be certain to indicate your final answers clearly. Each problem is worth 4 points.

1. Evaluate: (a) $\frac{5}{6}((-5)^2 - (-5))$ (b) $2(-3+2)^2$ (c) $\frac{1}{5} - (\frac{1}{3} - 1)$

2. Evaluate the expression $3x^2 + 2x - 10$ for x = -2.

3. Solve for *x*: 3(4-x) = 5(x-2)

4. Solve for *y*: 5y - 7x = 35

5. Solve: 8x - 3 < 2x + 9 and (*a*) graph the solution set, (*b*) express the solution set in interval notation.



6. Sketch the graph of 3x + 2y = -12. Show the *x* and *y* intercepts.



- **7.** Suppose (1, 4) and (4, -5) are points on a straight line.
- a) Find the slope of the line through these points.
- b) Find an equation for the line through these points.

8. Solve for *x*: $\begin{cases} -2x + 5y = 1 \\ x - 3y = -1 \end{cases}$

9. Write in Scientific Notation: (a)
$$7 \times 10^{-6} \times 6 \times 10^{13}$$
 (b) $\frac{45 \times 10^7}{100 \times 10^3}$

10. Simplify: $(3x^2 - 12x - 10) - (x^2 - 10x + 4)$

11. Simplify:
$$\frac{-8x^4 + 4x^3 - 24x^2}{4x^2}$$

12. Factor completely: $(a)20x^2 - 9x$ $(b)2x^2 - x - 6$

13. Factor completely: $(a)4x^2 - 49$ $(b)4x^3 - 25x$

14. The sum of three consecutive numbers is 312. Find the smallest of the three.

15. Simplify the radicals:
$$(i)\sqrt{6}(3\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{6})$$
 $(ii)\sqrt{18} - \sqrt{50}$

16. Multiply and simplify: (ii) $(2x + 1)(x^2 + 2x - 3)$ (ii) $(3x + 1)^2$

17. Solve for t: (z - t + 2)/3 = y

18. Find all solutions of the equation: $24x^2 - 6x = 0$

19. If the price of an item goes up from \$70 to \$84. What was the percent of increase?

20. Find the equation of the horizontal line passing through the point (-4, 5).

21. Factor: $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 8x - 12$.

22. Simplify: $(\frac{x^4y^2}{xy^{-1}})^2$.

23. Find all solutions to the quadratic equation: $4x^2 - 8x - 5 = 0$

24. Sketch the region determined by the inequality $3x + 2y \ge -12$.



25. If the cost of 5 pounds of a product is \$12. What is the cost of 6 pounds? Write your answer as a mixed number.