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Practice CRT Test
Intermediate Algebra

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Key

1. Solve $\sqrt{x-2} + 3 = 7$. (Hint: step 1 is to subtract three, step 2 square both sides of equal sign.)

- a. $x=98$
- b. $x=12$
- c. $x=102$
- d. $x=18$

2. Simplify $\sqrt{12x^2}$.

- a. $4x\sqrt{3}$
- b. $2x\sqrt{3}$
- c. $2x\sqrt{3x}$
- d. $4x^2\sqrt{3x}$

3. Nyles has \$300.00 in the bank and his job pays \$10.50/hr. Which function describes his situation?

- a. $N(h) = 300 + 10.5h$
- b. $N(h) = 300h + 10.5h$
- c. $N(h) = 300h + 10.5$
- d. $N(h) = 300 + 10.5$

4. Solve $\sqrt[3]{x+1} = 2$. Hint: the first step is to “undo” the cube root!

- a. 1
- b. 3
- c. 5
- d. 7

5. Find $[f(g(x))]$ with $f(x) = x + 1$ and $g(x) = 2x + 1$.

- a. $3x + 2$
- b. $2x + 2$
- c. $3x + 3$
- d. $2x + 3$

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6. Find $f(g(-2))$ with $f(x) = x + 1$ and $g(x) = 2x^2 + 1$.

- a. -2
- b. -6
- c. 7
- d. 10

7. Find $f(x) - g(x)$ when $f(x) = 2x + 6$ and $g(x) = -x + 1$.

- a. $3x + 5$
- b. $3x + 7$
- c. $x + 5$
- d. $x + 7$

8. Simplify $\left(\frac{3x^2}{y^3}\right)^2$

- a. $\frac{3x^4}{y^5}$
- b. $\frac{9x^4}{y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$
- c. $\frac{3x^4}{y^6}$
- d. $\frac{9x^4}{y^6}$

9. Write this fraction without negative exponents:

$$\frac{x^2 y^{-4}}{z^{-5}}$$

- a. $x^2 y^4 z^5$

- c. $\frac{x^2 z^5}{y^4}$

- b. $\frac{x^2 y^4}{z^5}$

- d. $\frac{y^4 z^5}{x^2}$

10. Expand $(\sqrt{x} + 4)^2$

- a. $x + 16$
- b. $x + \sqrt{x} + 16$
- c. $x + 8\sqrt{x} + 16$
- d. $\sqrt{x} + 8\sqrt{x} + 4$

This means multiply
 $(\sqrt{x} + 4)(\sqrt{x} + 4)$

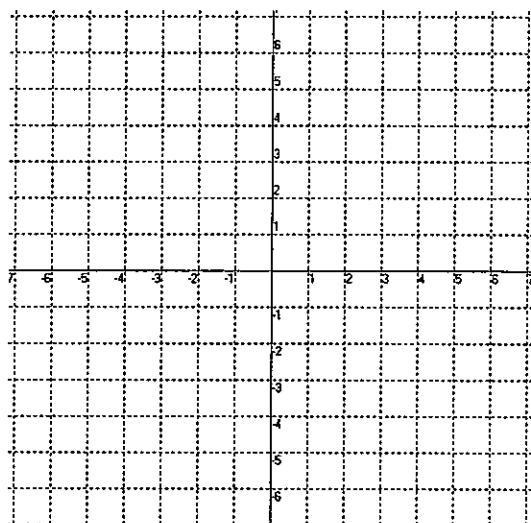
11. Solve: $3|x+10|=60$

- a. $x = -30, 10$
- b. $x = 10$
- c. $x = -70, 50$
- d. No Solution

12. Solve: $|x+2| < 3$

- a. $x < 3$
- b. $-5 < x < 1$
- c. $x < -5 \text{ or } x > 1$
- d. $-3 \leq x \leq 3$

13a. Graph (not multiple choice): $y = -(x+4)^2 + 4$



13b. Find the zeros (or roots) using algebra!

$x = -2, -6$

14. Solve: $|x| + 5 = 0$

- a. $x = 5$
- b. $x = \pm 5$
- c. $x = 10$
- d. No Solution

15. For which of the following angles is the tangent ratio undefined?

- a. 0°
- b. 30°
- c. 60°
- d. 90°

16. In which two quadrants is the sine ratio negative?

- a. I and IV
- b. II and III
- c. II and IV
- d. III and IV

17. Give the exact value of $\cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right)$

a. $-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

b. $-\frac{1}{2}$

c. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

d. $\frac{1}{2}$

18. Solve: $\tan x = 1$

a. $x = 30^\circ$

b. $x = 45^\circ$

c. $x = 60^\circ$

d. $x = 90^\circ$

19. Given an angle θ in a right triangle, $\cot \theta = \frac{3}{1}$, find $\cos \theta$.

a. 3

b. $\sqrt{10}$

c. $\frac{3\sqrt{10}}{10}$

d. $\frac{\sqrt{10}}{3}$

20. Give the exact value of $\sec\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right)$

a. 2

b. $\frac{1}{2}$

c. $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

d. $\frac{2\sqrt{3}}{3}$

21. Solve the equation by factoring: $14x^2 - 28x = 0$

a. $x = 0$ or $x = 4$

b. $x = 2$ or $x = 4$

c. $x = 0$ or $x = 2$

d. $x = -2$ or $x = 4$

22. Write the expression in factored form: $2x^2 - 5x - 3$

a. $(2x-1)(x+3)$

b. $(2x+3)(x-1)$

c. $(2x-3)(x+1)$

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

23. Write the expression in factored form: $4x^2 - 9$?

a. $(2x-9)(2x+1)$

b. $(2x-3)(2x+3)$

c. $(4x-3)(x+3)$

d. $(4x+1)(x-9)$

24. Solve the equation by factoring. $x^2 + 7x - 18 = 0$

a. $x = 2$ or $x = 9$

b. $x = -2$ or $x = -9$

c. $x = 2$ or $x = -9$

d. $x = -2$ or $x = 9$

25. Solve the equation by factoring. $x^2 - 3x = 4$

a. $x = 1$ or $x = 4$

b. $x = -1$ or $x = -4$

c. $x = 1$ or $x = -4$

d. $x = -1$ or $x = 4$

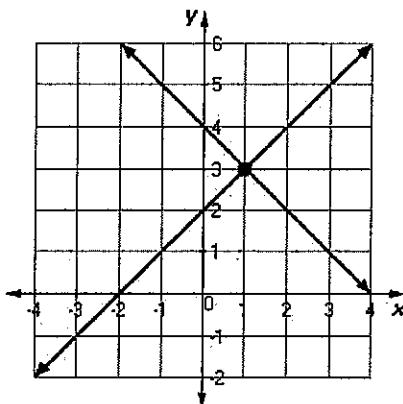
26. Identify the solution of the system graphed below.

a. $x = 2, y = 4$

b. $x = 1, y = 3$

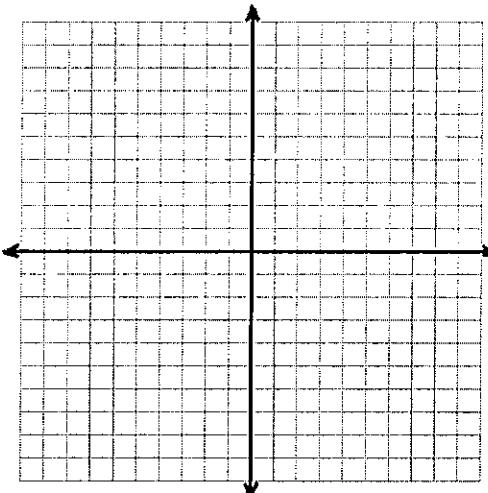
c. $x = -2, y = 4$

d. $x = 3, y = 1$



27. Solve the system by graphing.

$$\begin{cases} y = -x + 5 \\ y = 2x - 1 \end{cases}$$



a. $x = 2, y = 3$

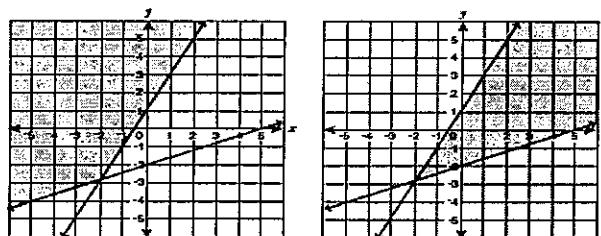
b. $x = 3, y = 2$

c. $x = 4, y = 1$

d. $x = 1, y = 4$

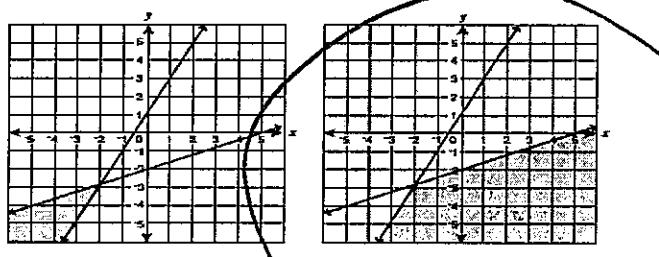
28. Identify the solution to the system of inequalities.

$$\begin{cases} y \leq 2x + 1 \\ y \leq \frac{2}{5}x - 2 \end{cases}$$



A

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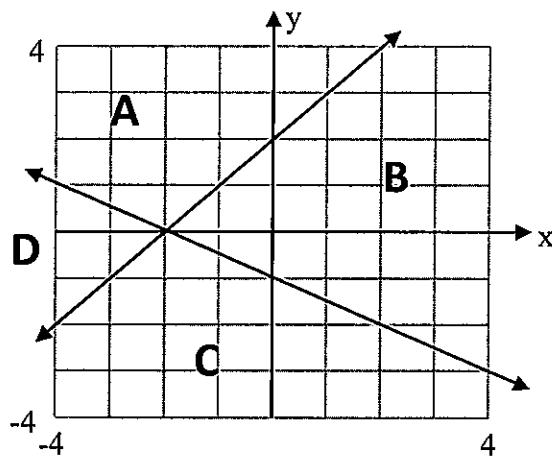


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D

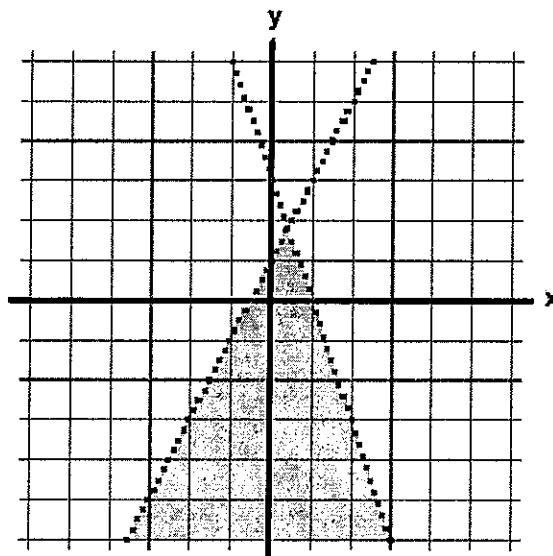
29. Which region, if shaded, satisfies the system of inequalities?

$$\begin{cases} y \geq x + 2 \\ y \leq -\frac{1}{2}x - 1 \end{cases}$$



- a. Region A
- b. Region B
- c. Region C
- d. Region D

30. Identify the system represented by the graph below.



a.
$$\begin{cases} y \leq 2x+1 \\ y \leq -3x+3 \end{cases}$$

b.
$$\begin{cases} y > 2x+1 \\ y < -3x+3 \end{cases}$$

c.
$$\begin{cases} y > 2x+1 \\ y > -3x+3 \end{cases}$$

d.
$$\begin{cases} y < 2x+1 \\ y < -3x+3 \end{cases}$$

31. Identify the equation which matches the table.

x	y
-2	8
-1	6
0	4
1	2

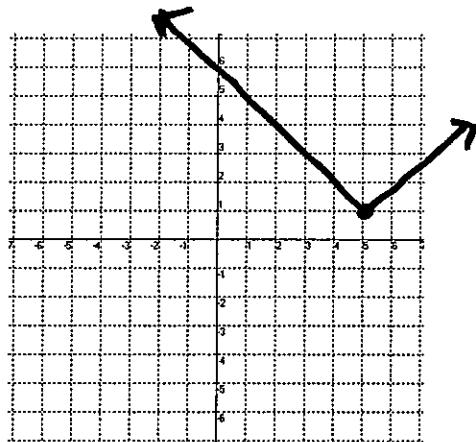
a) $y = 3x - 2$

b) $y = -2x + 4$

c) $y = 8 - 1x$

d) $y = -2x + 8$

32. Graph: $y = |x - 5| + 1$



33. Given a table, write the equation:

x	y
0	2
1	5

$y =$

Simplifying Algebraic Expressions

34. Simplify: $8a + 4a - 2a =$ 10a

35. Simplify: $4 + 8y - (2y - 8) =$

36. Simplify: $3x^2 + 7x + 2x =$ 3x² + 9x

Using the Distributive Property

37. Distribute: $3(5x + 10) =$

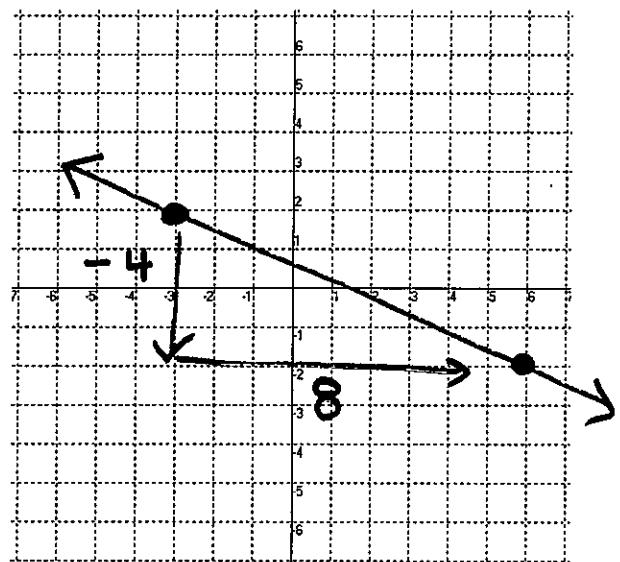
38. Distribute: $5(8 - 3a^2) =$ 40 - 15a²

39. Distribute: $-2(5x - 4) =$

Finding the equations of a line

40.

a) Plot the point $(5, -2)$ on the graph.



b) Plot the point $(-3, 2)$ on the graph.

c) What is the slope between the points?

$$-\frac{4}{8} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

d) Write the equation in point-slope form: $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

$$y - (-2) = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 5)$$

e) Identify the y -intercept (Hint: set x equal to zero and solve)

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$$(0, \frac{1}{2})$$

f) Write the equation in slope-intercept form: $y = mx + b$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$$