

Directions: Answer the following question(s).

1 Which expression is equivalent to  $(3x^2 + 6x - 5) + (-x^2 + 4)$ ?

- A.  $2x^2 + 6x - 1$
- B.  $2x^2 + 6x - 9$
- C.  $3x^4 + 6x - 1$
- D.  $4x^2 + 6x - 1$

2 Which expression is the product of  $(3x - 2)(x^2 - 2x + 3)$ ?

- A.  $3x^3 - 2x^2 - 6$
- B.  $3x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x - 6$
- C.  $3x^3 - 8x^2 + 13x - 6$
- D.  $3x^3 - 8x^2 + 4x + 3$

3 Which expression is equivalent to  $(2x^2y)^3(3x^2y^3)$ ?

- A.  $24x^8y^6$
- B.  $24x^{12}y^9$
- C.  $18x^{12}y^9$
- D.  $18x^8y^6$

4 Which polynomial expresses the difference of the two polynomials below?

$$(7k^2 + 9k - 8) - (-2k^2 - 12k + 1)$$

- A.  $9k^2 + 21k - 9$
- B.  $9k^2 + 21k - 7$
- C.  $9k^2 - 3k - 9$
- D.  $9k^2 - 3k - 7$

5 When  $(x + 2)^6$  is written as a polynomial, what is the coefficient of the term containing  $x^4$ ?

- A. 6
- B. 15
- C. 60
- D. 120

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$$\frac{x^2 - 5x + 6}{x^2 + 2x - 15} =$$

- A.  $\frac{x+2}{x-5}$
- B.  $\frac{-5x+6}{2x-15}$
- C.  $\frac{x-2}{x+5}$
- D.  $\frac{x-1}{x-3}$

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Which expression is equivalent to  $\frac{6x^2 - 3x}{3x}$ ?

- A.  $2x - 1$
- B.  $2x$
- C.  $6x^2 - 1$
- D.  $6x^2$

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Jeremiah divided the two polynomials shown.

$$\frac{4x^2 + 10x - 36}{x + 2}$$

What is the quotient?

- A.  $4x + 2 + \frac{-32}{x+2}$
- B.  $4x + 2 + \frac{-40}{x+2}$
- C.  $4x + 18$
- D.  $4x - 18$

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- 9 Employees of a local car dealership receive a choice of two incentives when buying a car. They can have a discount of 6% or receive \$2,000 off the price of the car. All employees must then pay 6% sales tax. The following functions model the price of the car after each incentive as well as the price of the car after sales taxes.

6% discount  $f(x) = 0.94x$

\$2,000 off  $g(x) = x - 2000$

Sales tax  $h(x) = 1.06x$

Using the function composition of the sales tax function and one of the incentives, which composition will produce the lowest price on a car priced at \$30,000?

- A.  $f(h(x))$
- B.  $h(f(x))$
- C.  $g(h(x))$
- D.  $h(g(x))$

- 10 If  $f(x) = 3x - 2$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 5$ , what is  $g(f(2))$ ?

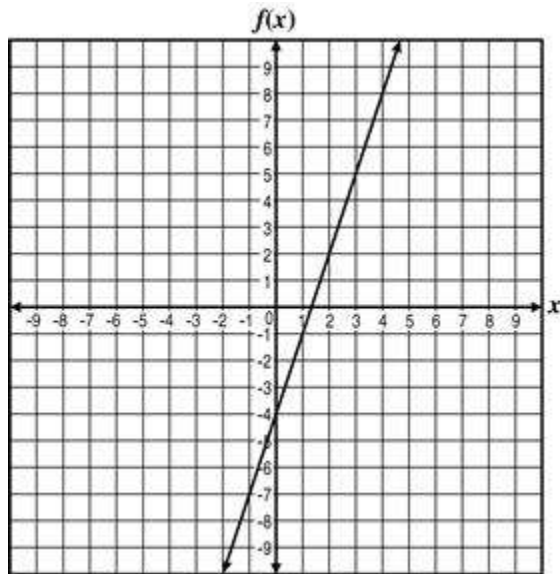
- A. 11
- B. 3
- C. -4
- D. -5

- 11 In the two functions  $f$  and  $g$ ,  $f \circ g$  and  $g \circ f$  are both equivalent to  $x$ . Which of the following statements must be TRUE?

- A. The two functions are inverses of each other.
- B. The two functions are reflections of each other.
- C. The two functions are reciprocals of each other.
- D. The two functions are translations of each other.

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- 12 The graph of the function  $f(x) = 3x - 4$  is shown on the grid below.



Which value appears to represent  $f^{-1}(x)$  when  $x = -1$ ?

- A. -7
- B. -1
- C. 1
- D. 7

- 13 The table below shows several values for the function  $g(x)$ .

$x$	$g(x)$
-3	-54
-2	-16
-1	-2
0	0
1	2
2	16
3	54

If  $g(x)$  is a one-to-one function, what is the value of  $g^{-1}(-2)$ ?

- A. -16
- B. -1
- C. 1
- D. 16

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14 What is the inverse of  $f(x) = 5x + 6$ ?

A.  $f^{-1}(x) = -5x - 6$

B.  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-6}{5}$

C.  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-5}{6}$

D.  $f^{-1}(x) = 6x + 5$

15 Jesse would like to determine if the following are inverse functions.

$$f(x) = 3x - 4 \qquad g(x) = 4 - 3x$$

**Which option proves that these two functions are NOT inverses of each other?**

A.  $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{3x-4}{4-3x} = -1$        $\frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \frac{4-3x}{3x-4} = -1$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{B. } f(x) - g(x) = 3x - 4 - (4 - 3x) & g(x) - f(x) = 4 - 3x - (3x - 4) \\ & = 4 - 3x - 3x + + 4 \\ & = 8 - 6x \\ & = 6x - 8 \end{array}$$

C.  $f(x) + g(x) = 3x - 4 + 4 - 3x = 0$       $g(x) + f(x) = 4 - 3x + 3x - 4 = 0$

D.  $f(g(x)) = 3(4 - 3x) - 4$      $g(f(x)) = 4 - 3(3x - 4)$   
 $= 12 - 9x - 4$      $= 4 - 9x + 12$   
 $= 8 - 9x$      $= 16 - 9x$

**16** The dimensions of a box are  $x$  units,  $x + 1$  units, and  $2x$  units.

- Write an expression that represents the volume of the box, in cubic units.
- Simplify the expression completely.
- Write an expression that represents the total surface area of the box, in square units.
- Simplify the expression completely.

Directions: Answer the following question(s).

- 17 Evan deposits \$ 500 in a savings account that earns interest. Let  $f(t) = 500$  and  $g(t) = 1.05^t$ , where  $t$  represents the time, in years, since the account was opened.

Which expression models the amount of interest, in dollars, earned on the account as a function of time?

- A.  $f(t) \cdot g(t)$
- B.  $g(t) - f(t)$
- C.  $f(t) + f(t) \cdot g(t)$
- D.  $f(t) \cdot g(t) - f(t)$