

Math 124E - Summer 2020 - Final Exam  
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| 1   | /20   | 9     | /8    |
| 2   | /4    | 10    | /14   |
| 3   | /8    | 11    | /6    |
| 4   | /4    | 12    | /6    |
| 5   | /4    | 13    | /3    |
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1. Solve each of the following equations. (4 points each)

(a)  $\frac{3}{4x + 12} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{2}{x + 3}$

(b)  $\sqrt{-9x + 28} + 4 = x$

$$(c) 3(x + 4)^2 = 60$$

$$(d) 3x^2 + 6x = 1$$

(e)  $9x^3 + 16 = 36x^2 + 4x$

2. Without graphing, determine whether the function is even, odd or neither. Then determine whether the function's graph is symmetric with respect to the  $x$ -axis,  $y$ -axis, the origin, or none of these. **Explain your answer!** (4 points)

$$y = \frac{x^3 + x}{x^2 - 1}$$

3. Use the graph to find the following.



- (a) The intervals on which  $f$  is increasing. (2 points)
- (b) The intervals on which  $f$  is decreasing. (2 points)
- (c) The number at which  $f$  has a relative maximum. (1 points)
- (d) The left-most relative minimum of  $f$ . (1 points)
- (e)  $f(3)$  (1 points)
- (f) The largest value of  $x$  for which  $f(x) = 10$ . (1 points)

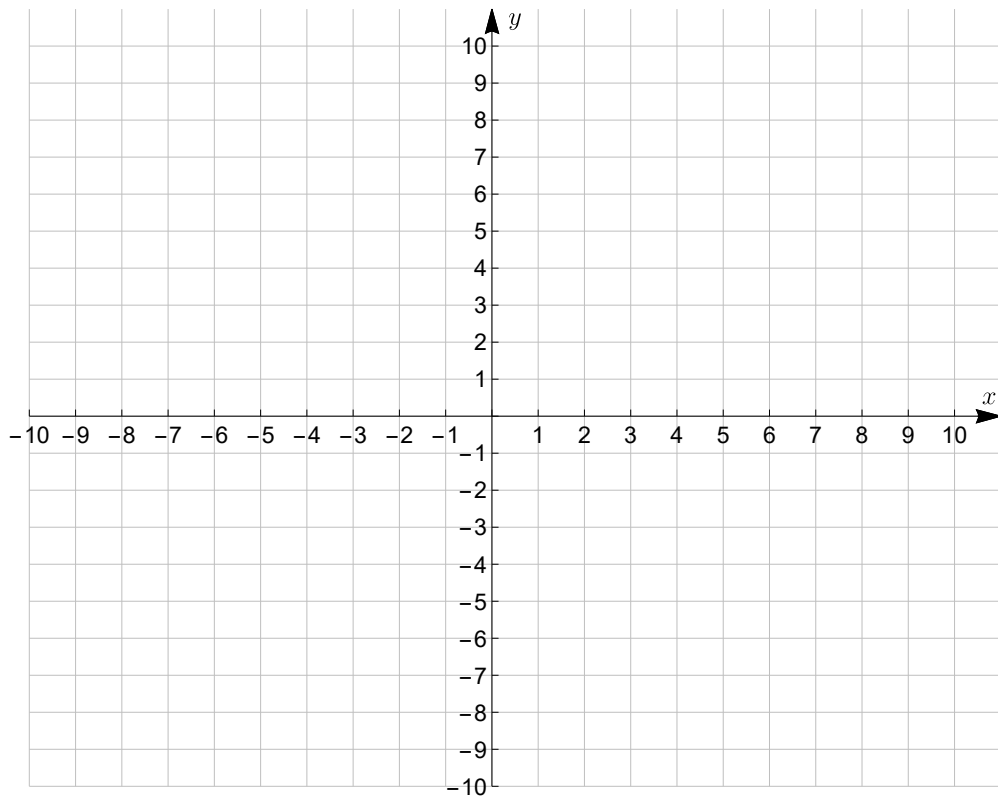
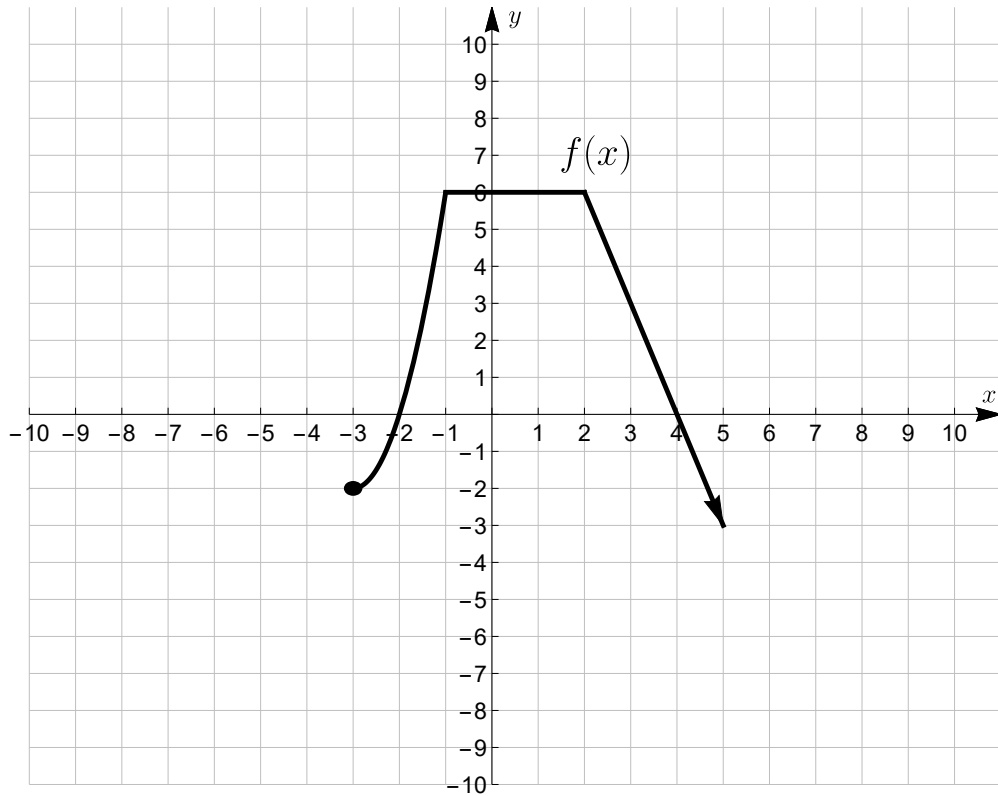
4. Find and simplify the difference quotient  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ ,  $h \neq 0$  for the given function. (4 points)

$$f(x) = 4x^2 + 2x$$

5. Use the given conditions to write an equation for the line in slope-intercept form. (4 points)

Passing through  $(7, -6)$  and  $(5, 2)$

6. Use the graph of  $y = f(x)$  to graph the function  $g(x) = f\left(-\frac{1}{2}x\right) + 3$ . (6 points each)



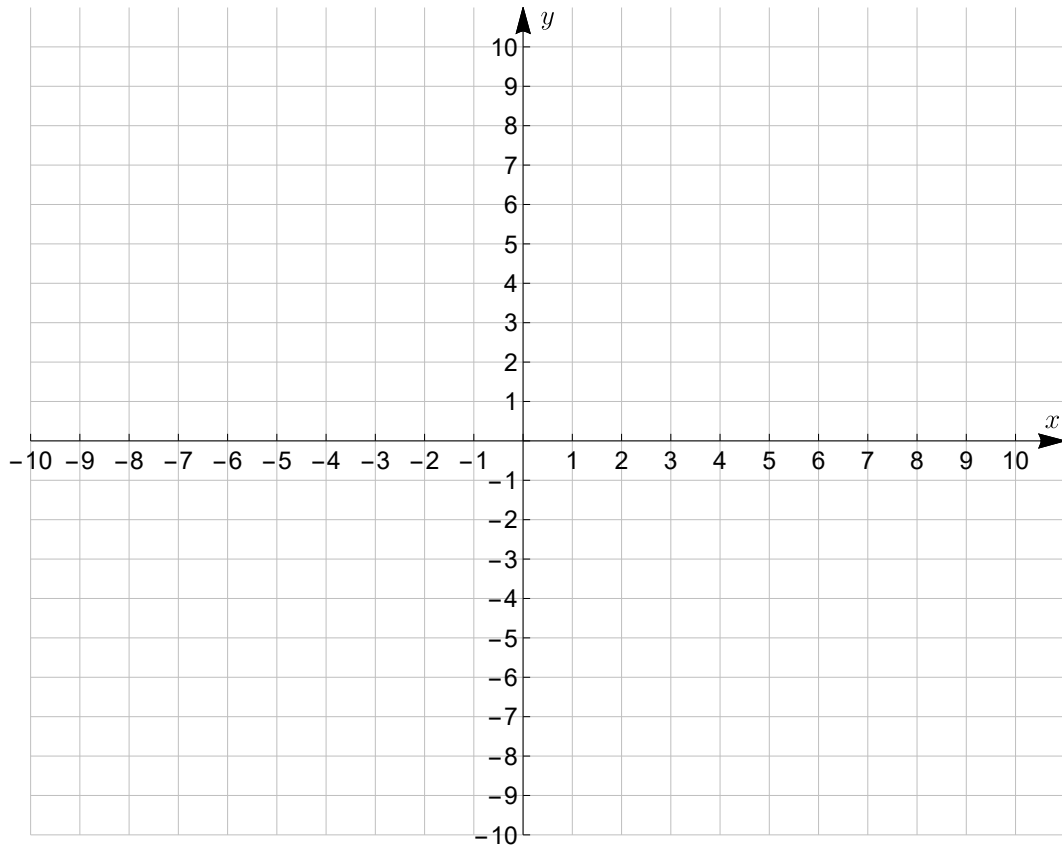
7. For  $f(x) = 2x - 5$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + x - 4$ , find the following functions.  
(3 points each)

(a)  $(f \circ g)(x)$

(b)  $(g \circ f)(-1)$

8. Use transformations of the graph of  $f(x) = e^x$  to graph the given function. (5 points)

$$f(x) = e^{x-4} + 5$$



9. (a) Write as a sum/difference of logarithms. Express exponents as factors. Simplify as much as possible. (4 points)

$$\log_5 \left( \frac{w^3 y^5}{x^2 z} \right)$$

- (b) Write as a single logarithm. Simplify as much as possible. (4 points)

$$4 \log_2 x - \log_2 (x + 4) - \log_2 (3x - 1)$$

10. (a) Solve the following equation. Provide the exact value. (4 points)

$$4^{2x-3} = \frac{1}{8}$$

(b) Solve the following equation. Provide the exact value and a decimal approximation rounded to two decimal places. (5 points)

$$3^{4x+5} = 6$$

- (c) Solve the following equation. Provide the exact value and a decimal approximation rounded to two decimal places. (5 points)

$$3 \ln(2x + 1) - 7 = -10$$

11. A bird species in danger of extinction has a population that is decreasing exponentially ( $A = A_0e^{kt}$ ). Six years ago the population was at 1800 and today only 1000 of the birds are alive. Once the population drops below 200, the situation will be irreversible. When will this happen? (6 points)

12. Solve the following system of equations by either the method of addition or the method of substitution. (6 points)

$$3x + 4y + 2z = -1$$

$$x + y + z = 0$$

$$x + 2y - 3z = 5$$

13. Perform the indicated sum. (3 points)

$$\sum_{i=2}^5 (3i^2 - 5)$$

14. Use the appropriate sum formula to find the indicated sum. (3 points each)

(a) Find  $3 + 7 + 11 + 15 + \cdots + 299$ , a sum which has 75 terms..

(b) Find  $3 + 6 + 12 + \cdots + 1536$ , a sum which has 10 terms.