

# Quiz 5

## Math 111

Name: *Key*

Show *all* your work algebraically for each and simplify. No credit is given without supporting work.

1. [4] Use algebra to find the inverse of the given one-to-one function.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2x+1}$$

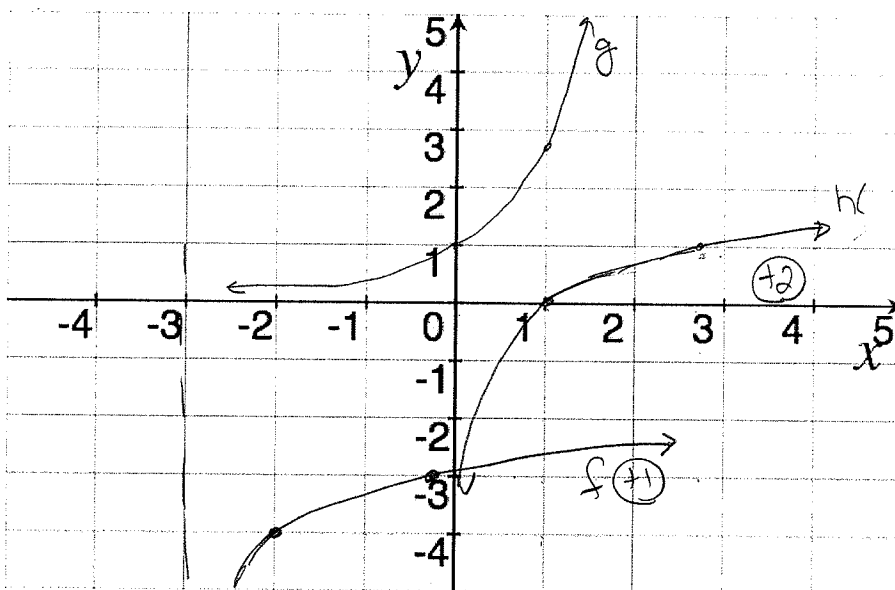
(+2)  $\frac{1}{2g(x)+1} = x$

$$1 = 2xg(x) + x$$

solving for  $g(x)$  - -

$$\frac{1-x}{2x} = g(x) \quad (+1)$$

2. [6] List the transformations needed to transform the graph of  $h(x) = \ln x$  into the graph of  $f(x) = \ln(x+3) - 4$ . Graph both  $h$  and  $f$ . Be sure to identify which one is which. Recall that  $e$  is approximately 2.718.



$e^x = g(x)$

vert shift down  
by 4 units  
horiz shift left  
by 3 units  
(+3)

3. Define  $f(x) = 1/x$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 2x - 5$ .

(a) [2] Find the rule of the function  $f - g$ .

$$\frac{1}{x} - (x^2 + 2x - 5)$$

param  $\oplus$   
sub  $\oplus$

(b) [2] Find the domain of the function  $f - g$ .

Domain of  $f$ :  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$  } partial  
Domain of  $g$ :  $\mathbb{R}$  } +1

$\Rightarrow$  Domain of  $f - g$  are all  $x$  so that  $x \neq 0$

4. Define  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2x+1}$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 1$

(a) [2] Find the rule of the function  $f \circ g$ .

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = f(x^2 - 1) = \frac{1}{2(x^2 - 1) + 1} = \frac{1}{2x^2 - 1}$$

(b) [2] Find the domain of the function  $f \circ g$ .

all  $x$  so that  $2(x^2 - 1) + 1 \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 \neq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 2 + 1 \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \neq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x^2 - 1 \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \neq \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

5. [2] Compute the following:

(a)  $\log_2 16 = ?$

$$2^? = 16 = 2 \cdot 2^3 = 2^4$$

$$\text{so } ? = 4$$

(b)  $\log 10,000$

$$\log 10,000 = \log 10^4 = 4$$