

Quiz 6

Math 111

Name: Key

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

1. [5] Solve for x in the following:

$$2^{4x-1} = 3^{1-x}$$

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

(+1)

$$(4x-1)\ln 2 = (1-x)\ln 3$$

correctly w/ "(-)" (+1) tried prop (+1)

$$4x\ln 2 - \ln 2 = \ln 3 - x\ln 3$$

$$4x\ln 2 + x\ln 3 = \ln 3 + \ln 2$$

solved for x (+2)

$$x = \frac{\ln 3 + \ln 2}{4\ln 2 + \ln 3}$$

2. [5] Solve for x in the following:

$$\log(x-16) = 2 - \log(x-1)$$

$$\log(x-16) + \log(x-1) = 2$$

$$\log(x-16)(x-1) = 2$$

$$(x-16)(x-1) = 10^2$$

$$x^2 - 17x + 16 = 100$$

$$x^2 - 17x - 84 = 0$$

$$(x-21)(x+4) = 0$$

(+1) prop log used correctly / exp proposed

(+1) using exp function.

(+2) algebra

$$\Rightarrow x = 21 \text{ or } x = -4$$

not in the domain (+1)

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 \\ -16 \\ \hline 84 \\ 84 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

3. [2] Determine whether each of the following expressions are polynomials.

$$x^3 + 3x^2 + \pi^x$$

$$(x^2 + 5)(3x^2 - 2)$$

nope.
(+1)

yup.
(+1)

4. [2] Find the remainder when $x^{10} + x^8$ is divided by $x - 1$.

using that thm...

remainder is $(1)^{10} + (1)^8 = 1 + 1 = 2$

5. [6] Use the fact that $(x - 1)$ is a factor of $x^3 + x^2 - 37x + 35$ to find all the roots of

$$f(x) = x^3 + x^2 - 37x + 35$$

note: this problem was based off of 4.2 #73 but the numbers were not cooked enough.

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 2x - 35 \quad R_0 \\ x-1 \overline{) x^3 + x^2 - 37x + 35} \\ \underline{-(x^3 - x^2)} \\ 2x^2 - 37x + 35 \\ \underline{-(2x^2 - 2x)} \\ -35x + 35 \\ \underline{-(-35x + 35)} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$f(x) = (x-1)(x^2 + 2x - 35)$$

$$= (x-1)(x+7)(x-5) \quad \text{factored (+1)}$$

So the roots are:

$$1, -7, 5$$

gave the roots. (+1)

Knew to divide (+1).

divided (+3)