

NAME: This is a sample final to be used for practice. This is *not a template* for the Final that will be given in class. Many of the questions on the Final will look quite different than those appearing here.

Let  $f$  &  $g$ , be functions with inverses  $f^{-1}$  and  $g^{-1}$  respectively.

T F  $(x + 3)^2 = x^2 + 9$

T F  $(f \circ g)(x) = (g \circ f)(x)$

T F  $(\frac{f}{g})(x) = (\frac{g}{f})(x)$

T F  $\sqrt{(x^2)} = x$  for all real numbers  $x$ .

T F If 2 is a root of  $g$ , then  $g(2) = 0$ .

T F  $\ln \frac{x}{y} = \ln x - \ln y$  for all positive numbers  $x$  and  $y$ .

T F  $\log(\log(10)) = 0$ .

T F  $f(f^{-1}(54)) = 54$

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Right answers will *not* get credit without supporting work. Note “undefined” and “no solution” are possible answers.

1. Find all  $x$  such that

$$2(5 - (8 - x)^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} - 1 = 0$$

.

2. Perform the operation

$$\frac{\frac{2}{x^2} - x}{x - 2} + \frac{3x - 5}{(x + 4)(x - 4)} \qquad \frac{1 + 3i}{-6i + 2}$$

3. Given  $m(x) = \frac{2x + 3}{x - 5}$ , and  $n(x) = \sqrt{4x - 8}$ ,

(a) The inverse to the function  $m$  exists. Find  $m^{-1}$ .

(b) If  $p(x) = 3m(x + 1)$ , find the domain and rule of  $p$ .

(c) Find the domain and rule of  $m \circ n$ .

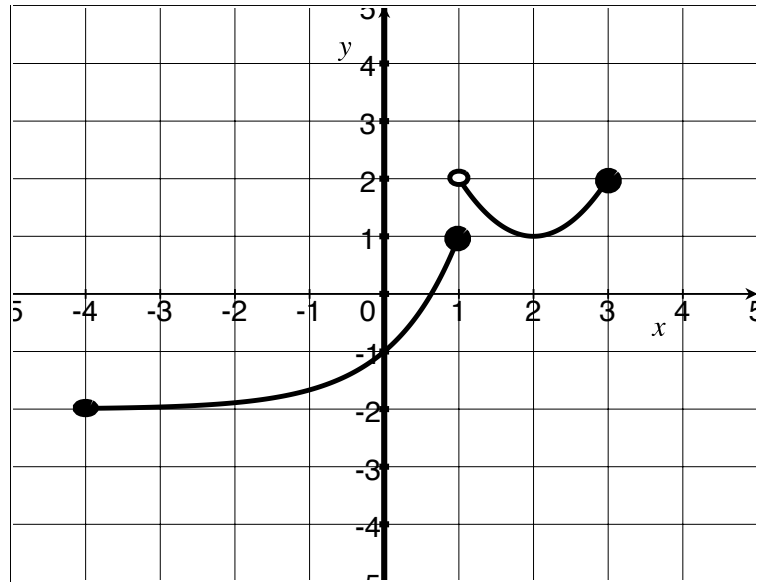
(d) Find the domain and rule of  $\frac{n}{m}$ .

4. Let the following be the graph of  $g$  comprised of a parabola and an exponential function that have been shifted (not stretched).

(a) What is the domain of  $g$ ?

(b) What is the range of  $g$ ?

(c) Use the graph above to *estimate* all  $x$  value(s) so that  $g(x) = 1$ ?

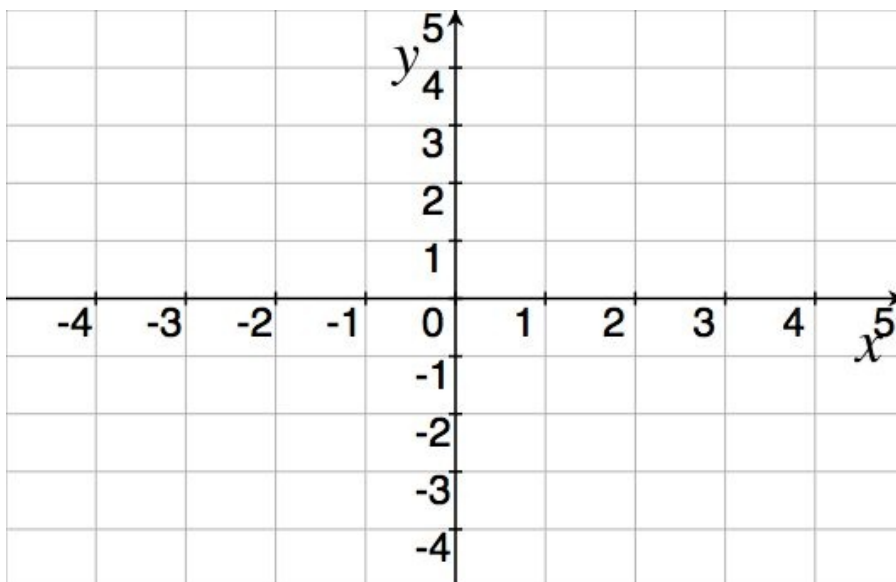


(d) Write down the piece-wise defined rule for  $g$ .

(e) Draw the graph of  $-2g(x - 1)$

5. Define  $f$  by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{x+2} & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x^2 + 1 & \text{if } 0 < x \leq 2 \\ \log_2(x - 1) & \text{if } 2 < x \leq 4 \end{cases}$$



(a) Graph  $f$  on the axes above.

(b) Find the following if possible:

$$f(1)$$

$$\frac{4}{f(2)} + f(3)$$

$$f(0)$$

$$f\left(\frac{-1}{4}\right)$$

Domain of  $f$

6. Find all of the exact values  $x$  that satisfy the following:

$$5^{5x}25^{x^2} = 125$$

$$5^{4x-1} = 7^x$$

7. Find all exact values for  $x$  that satisfy the following:

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

$$\frac{15}{3 + 2 \cdot 5^x} = 4$$

8. Assume  $c$ ,  $d$ , and  $z$  are all greater than zero and simplify:

$$\frac{\sqrt{c^2 d^6}}{\sqrt{4c^3 d^{-4}}}$$

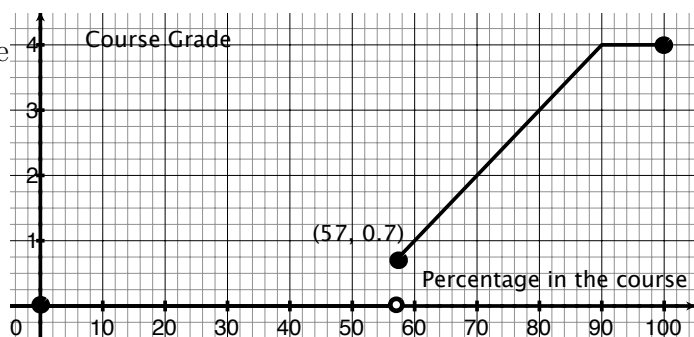
$$2 - \log_5(25z)$$

9. Given  $f(3) = 0$  find the other roots of  $f(x) = x^4 - 3x^3 - 25x^2 + 75x$

10. Now that finals are next week, James T. Kirk would like to know if it is still possible to earn a 2.0. He has looked at the gradebook on MyMathLab and has computed the averages listed below.

Find what grade he needs to get on the final to receive a 2.0 in the course. In case you don't remember, the weights specified in the syllabus and the graph of the function  $f$  that takes your class percentage  $x$  and returns your score on a 4. scale are also provided.

|              | weight | James' ave |
|--------------|--------|------------|
| Mini-Quizzes | 5%     | 95%        |
| WebAssign    | 10%    | 10%        |
| WrittenHW    | 15%    | 0%         |
| Quizzes      | 15%    | 70%        |
| 2 Exams      | 30%    | 100%       |
| Final        | 25%    |            |



11. A rancher with 180 meters of fencing intends to enclose a rectangular region along a river (which serves as a natural boundary requiring no fence).
- (a) Find the area of the region as a function of the width.
- (b) Find the maximum area that can be enclosed.
12. Suppose a radioactive isotope is such that one-fifth of the atoms in a sample decay after three years. Find the half-life of this isotope
13. Recall  $[H^+]$  is the concentration of hydrogen ions in solution  $X$  measured in moles per liter (denoted  $M$ ). Then pH level of solution  $X = -\log[H^+]$ . How many times more concentrated is  $[H^+]$  of acid rain with a pH value of 3 to ordinary rain with a pH value of 6?