

## PreCalculus Review

**Sketch, then state the domain and range of the function in interval notation.  
Also, state the x and y intercepts, if any.**

1.  $f(x) = (x + 1)^3$       6.  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 2$   
2.  $f(x) = -\sqrt{x - 1} - 4$       7.  $f(x) = 2^{-x}$   
3.  $f(x) = 1 + x^{-1}$       8.  $f(x) = \frac{x - 2}{x^2 - 4}$   
4.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - x^2 & x \leq 0 \\ x + 2 & x > 0 \end{cases}$       9.  $f(x) = \frac{|x|}{x}$   
5.  $f(x) = \log_2 x$

**Solve.**

10.  $2x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$       15.  $x^2 - x - 12 = 0$   
11.  $2x^3 - 3x^2 - 11x + 6 = 0$       16.  $\sqrt{x + 10} = x - 2$   
12.  $\log_6(x + 5) + \log_6 x = 2$       17.  $\ln\sqrt{x + 1} = 1$   
13.  $x^3 - 10x - 12 = 0$       18.  $(x - 4)^{2/3} = 16$   
14.  $5^{2x-1} = \frac{1}{125}$

**Solve and graph the solution set on a number line. State the solution in interval notation.**

19.  $3x^2 + 10x - 8 \leq 0$       20.  $6x^2 + x > 1$

**Perform the indicated operation.**

21.  $\frac{3x}{x^2 + 2x} - \frac{1}{2x}$       22.  $(x^3 - x - 1) \div (x + 2)$

**Factor completely. If possible, simplify the factors.**

23.  $x^4 + 27x$       26.  $3x^{3/2} - 9x^{1/2} + 6x^{-1/2}$   
24.  $2x^3 + 5x^2 - 12x$       27.  $(x + 5)^{-1/2} - (x + 5)^{-3/2}$   
25.  $3x(x + 4) - 5(x + 4)^2$

**Find  $f(3)$ ,  $f(-3)$  and  $f(-x)$ . Is the function even, odd, or neither?**

28.  $f(x) = x^5 + x^3 - x$       30.  $f(x) = x\sqrt{x^2 + 2}$   
29.  $f(x) = |x| - 1$

**Let  $f(x) = 2x - 1$  and  $g(x) = 1/x$ . Find each value.**

31.  $f(g(7))$       32.  $g(f(7))$       33.  $\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h}$       34.  $\frac{g(x + h) - g(x)}{h}$

**Use the given conditions to write an equation for each line in point-slope and slope-intercept form.**

35. A line with slope  $1/3$  passing through  $(3,5)$
36. A line passing through the points  $(2,-3)$  and  $(-1, 4)$
37. A line perpendicular to a line passing through  $(3,-4)$  and  $(5, 2)$
38. A line with x-intercept  $-1/2$  and y-intercept  $4$ .

**Solve each system.**

$$\begin{array}{ll} 39. \quad 3x - 2y = -5 \\ \quad 4x + y = 8 & 40. \quad 3x = 4y + 1 \\ & 3y = 1 - 4x \end{array}$$

**Expand each logarithm. When possible, evaluate logarithmic expressions.**

$$41. \quad \log \frac{\sqrt{xy^3}}{100z^3} \qquad 42. \quad \ln \sqrt[5]{e^3 x^2 y^4}$$

**Condense each logarithm. When possible, evaluate logarithmic expressions.**

$$43. \quad \log_2 96 - \log_2 3 \qquad 44. \quad \ln(x^2 - 9) - \ln(x + 3) + 3 \ln x$$

**Find the exact value of each expression.**

$$\begin{array}{ll} 45. \quad \sec \frac{5\pi}{4} & 49. \quad \cot^{-1} 1 \\ 46. \quad \csc \frac{5\pi}{3} & 50. \quad \sin^{-1} \left( -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \\ 47. \quad \tan \frac{5\pi}{6} & 51. \quad \cos \left( \tan^{-1} \frac{3}{4} \right) \\ 48. \quad \cos^{-1} \left( -\frac{1}{2} \right) & 52. \quad \csc \left( \cot^{-1} \sqrt{3} \right) \end{array}$$

**Solve each equation over the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$**

$$\begin{array}{ll} 53. \quad 2\sin^2 x - \sin x - 1 = 0 & 55. \quad \sin 2x = \cos x \\ 54. \quad \sin^2 x + \cos x + 1 = 0 & 56. \quad \csc 2x + 2 = 0 \end{array}$$

**Simplify each trigonometric expression.**

$$57. \quad \frac{\tan \theta \cos \theta}{\sin \theta \sec \theta} \qquad 58. \quad \sin^3 \theta + \sin \theta \cos^2 \theta$$

**Sketch the function over the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$  and state the domain.**

$$59. \quad f(x) = \sin \frac{\pi x}{2} - 1 \qquad 60. \quad f(x) = 2 \sec x$$