# Advanced Algebra and Functions

# Sample Questions

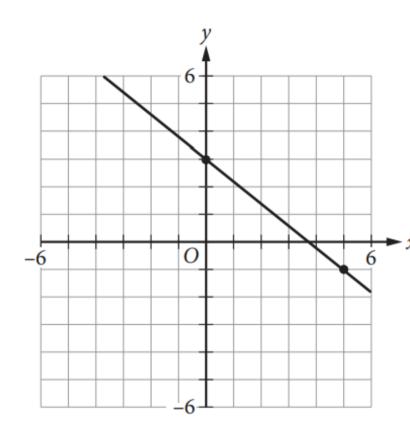
Some questions are skipped as they are outside the context of this class

#### Use function notation to find outputs (237-249 range)

- 1. Function g is defined by g(x) = 3(x + 8). What is the value of g(12)?
  - A. -4
  - B. 20
  - C. 44
  - D. 60

# Find equation of line perpendicular (237-249 range)

2.



Which of the following is an equation of the line that passes through the point (0, 0) and is perpendicular to the line shown above?

A. 
$$y = \frac{5}{4} x$$

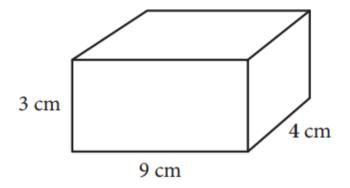
B. 
$$y = \frac{5}{4} x + 3$$

C. 
$$y = -\frac{4}{5} x$$

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#### Find surface area of prisms (236 and below range)





The surface area of a right rectangular prism can be found by finding the sum of the area of each of the faces of the prism. What is the surface area of a right rectangular prism with length 4 centimeters (cm), width 9 cm, and height 3 cm? (Area of a rectangle is equal to length times width.)

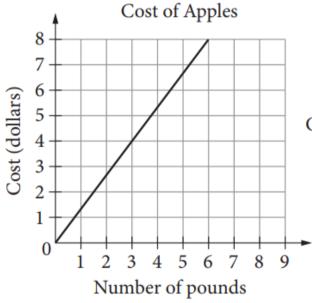
- A.  $75 \text{ cm}^2$
- B.  $108 \text{ cm}^2$
- C. 120 cm<sup>2</sup>
- D. 150 cm<sup>2</sup>

#### **Multiply polynomials (237-249 range)**

- 4. Which of the following expressions is equivalent to  $(x + 7)(x^2 3x + 2)$ ?
  - A.  $x^3 3x^2 + 2x + 14$
  - B.  $x^3 + 4x^2 19x + 14$
  - C.  $x^3 3x + 14$
  - D.  $x^2 2x + 9$

#### **Interpet linear contexts (236 and below range)**

5.



Cost of Pears:  $C = \frac{7}{5}p$ 

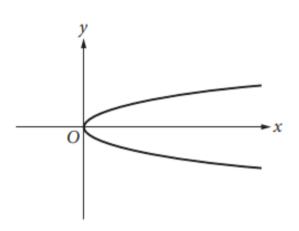
The graph above shows the cost, in dollars, of apples as a function of the number of pounds of apples purchased at a particular grocery store. The equation above defines the cost *C*, in dollars, for *p* pounds of pears at the same store. Which of the following statements accurately compares the cost per pound of apples and the cost per pound of pears at this store?

- A. Apples cost approximately \$0.07 less per pound than pears do.
- B. Apples cost approximately \$0.04 less per pound than pears do.
- C. Apples cost approximately \$0.73 less per pound than pears do.
- D. Apples cost approximately \$0.62 more per pound than pears do.

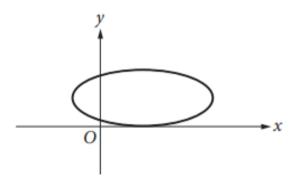
# State whether a graph is a function (237-249 range)

6. Which of the following is the graph of a function where y = f(x)?

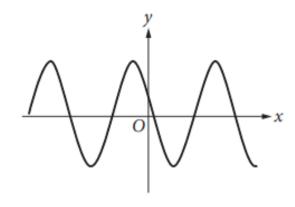
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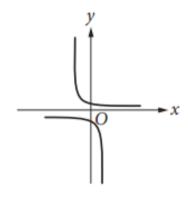
В.



C.



D.



# Factor Quadratics (237-249 range)

- 7. Which of the following expressions is equivalent to  $3x^2 + 6x 24$ ?
  - A. 3(x+2)(x-4)
  - B. 3(x-2)(x+4)
  - C. (x+6)(x-12)
  - D. (x-6)(x+12)

# Evaluate an expression (236 and below range)

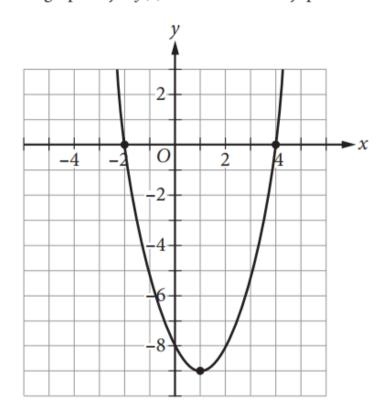
9. 
$$x^2 + 5x - 9 = 5$$

Which of the following values of *x* satisfies the equation above?

- A. 7
- B. 3
- C. -2
- D. -7

# Make connections between graphs and equations for a quadratic (250-262 range)

10. The graph of y = f(x) is shown in the *xy*-plane below.



Which of the following equations could define f(x)?

A. 
$$f(x) = x^2 - 2x - 8$$

B. 
$$f(x) = -x^2 + 2x - 8$$

C. 
$$f(x) = (x-2)(x+4)$$

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$$f(x) = (x - 2)(x + 4)$$
  
D.  $f(x) = -(x - 1)^2 - 9$ 

# State domain and range for a quadratic (237-249 range)

- 11. Which of the following best describes the range of  $y = -2x^4 + 7$ ?
  - A.  $y \le -2$
  - B.  $y \ge 7$
  - C.  $y \le 7$
  - D. All real numbers

#### Solve factored quadratics (237-249 range)

- 12. For which of the following equations is x = 6 the only solution?
  - A.  $(6x)^2 = 0$
  - B.  $(x-6)^2=0$
  - C.  $(x+6)^2 = 0$
  - D. (x-6)(x+6) = 0

#### Use function notation with functions as inputs (250-262 range)

13. If 
$$f(x) = x^2 + 3x + 1$$
, what is  $f(x + 2)$ ?

A. 
$$x^2 + 3x + 3$$

B. 
$$(x+2)^2 + 3(x+2) + 1$$

C. 
$$(x+2)(x^2+3x+1)$$

D. 
$$x^2 + 3x + 9$$

# Solve radical equations (237-249 range)

- 14. What, if any, is a real solution to  $\sqrt{5x+1} + 9 = 3$ ?
  - A.  $-\frac{1}{5}$
  - B. 7
  - C.  $\frac{143}{5}$
  - D. There is no real solution.

#### Solve rational equations (237-249 range)

- 15. If  $x \neq -2$  and  $x \neq -\frac{3}{2}$ , what is the solution to  $\frac{5}{x+2} = \frac{x}{2x-3}$ ?
  - A. 3 and 5
  - B.  $2 \text{ and } -\frac{3}{2}$
  - C.  $-2 \text{ and } \frac{3}{2}$
  - D. -3 and -5

# Write simple trig ratios (250-262 range)

- 20. In triangle *ABC*, angle *C* is a right angle. If  $\cos A = \frac{5}{8}$ , what is the value of  $\cos B$ ?
  - A.  $\frac{3}{8}$
  - B.  $\frac{5}{8}$
  - C.  $\frac{\sqrt{39}}{8}$
  - D.  $\frac{\sqrt{89}}{8}$