

baseline data

Determine whether the statement is true or false.

1) $24 \leq 9$

\leftarrow less than

\leq less than or equal

$>$ greater than

\geq greater than or equal

24 is less than or equal
to $9 \rightarrow \text{FALSE}$

Evaluate the algebraic expression for the given value or values
of the variable(s).

2) $9x - 7; x = -2$

USE $()$ for variable.

Replace $()$ w/ -2

$9(-2) - 7 = \underline{-25}$

Evaluate the exponential expression.

3) $(-4)^3$

The exponent is on
the $()$ which includes
the $-$ sign.

$$(-4)^3 = -4 \cdot -4 \cdot -4 = \underline{-64}$$

4) -5^4

The exponent is only
on the base 5 , Not -5 .

$$-(5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5) = \underline{-625}$$

5) 9^0 All bases raised to
the zero power equal 1 .

$$9^0 = \underline{1}$$

6) 3^{-4} All negative exponents mean
1 over the positive exponent $\rightarrow \frac{1}{3^4} = \frac{1}{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3} = \underline{\frac{1}{81}}$

Evaluate the rational exponent expression.

7) $25^{1/2}$

For fraction exponents
The numerator is power
and the denominator is
the root.
 $25^{\frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow \sqrt{25}$
OR $\sqrt{25} = 5$

Simplify by reducing the index of the radical.

8) $\sqrt[15]{x^9}$

See above, 9 is the
numerator and 15
is the denominator.

$$\begin{aligned} x^{\frac{9}{15}} &= x^{\frac{3}{5}} \\ \frac{9}{15} \div 3 &= \frac{3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

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Evaluate the expression or indicate that the root is not a real number.

9) $-\sqrt{529}$

Keep in front of
final answer.

$$-\sqrt{529} = -23$$

10) $\sqrt{-81}$ Since $\sqrt{ }$ means

? * ? = -81 and No
Real number times
itself equals a negative
→ No Real Answer

11) $\sqrt{64+36}$ Simplify under
radical sign, then take
the square root.

$$\sqrt{64+36} = \sqrt{100} = 10$$

12) The formula $C = \frac{5}{9}(F - 32)$ expresses the

relationship between Fahrenheit temperature, F, and Celsius temperature, C. Use the formula to convert 113°F to its equivalent temperature on the Celsius scale.

Replace F with 113.

$$C = \frac{5}{9}((113) - 32)$$

$$C = \frac{5}{9}(81) = 45$$

Perform the indicated operations. Write the resulting polynomial in standard form.

$$13) (9x^6 + 13x^5 + 6) - (2x^6 - 16x^5 - 5)$$

when subtract is
before a (), rewrite
all terms in () with
opposite signs before
combining terms.

$$\begin{aligned} & 9x^6 + 13x^5 + 6 - 2x^6 + 16x^5 + 5 \\ & = (7x^6 + 29x^5 + 11) \end{aligned}$$

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Find the product.

$$14) (x + 4)(x + 9)$$

From Algebra 1

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$$F \quad x \cdot x = x^2$$

$$O \quad x \cdot 9 = 9x$$

$$I \quad 4 \cdot x = 4x > 13x$$

$$L \quad 4 \cdot 9 = 36$$

$$\underline{x^2 + 13x + 36}$$

OR

$$15) (3x - 5)(x + 6)$$

USE A GRID.
(Box)

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} 3x - 5 & & \\ \hline x & 3x^2 & -5x \\ \hline 6 & 18x & -30 \end{array}$$

$$(3x^2 + 13x - 30)$$

Factor out the greatest common factor.

$$16) 2x + 6$$

Since no variable in second term factor
Greatest common factor of 2 and 6 (which is 2)

$$\begin{array}{r} \underline{2 \cdot x} + \underline{2 \cdot 3} \\ 2(x+3) \end{array}$$

$$17) 5x^2 - 35x$$

Since variable in both terms, factor number and variable.

$$\begin{array}{r} \underline{5 \cdot x \cdot x} - \underline{5 \cdot x \cdot 7} \\ 5x(x-7) \end{array}$$

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Solve the linear equation.

$$18) 5x - 3 = 42$$

To solve, add 3
Divide by 5

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x - 3 = 42 \\ +3 \quad +3 \\ \hline 5x = 45 \\ \hline 5 \quad 5 \\ x = 9 \end{array}$$

$$19) 9x - (3x - 1) = 2$$

Distribute subtraction
First, collect terms.

$$\begin{array}{r} 9x - 3x + 1 = 2 \\ 6x + 1 = 2 \\ 6x = 1 \\ x = \frac{1}{6} \end{array}$$

$$20) 3x - 1 = 5 - 9x$$

To solve first
collect variables
on one side.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 1 = 5 - 9x \\ +9x \quad \quad \quad +9x \\ \hline 12x - 1 = 5 \end{array}$$

$$12x = 6$$

$$x = \frac{6}{12} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

Always reduce
fractions to lowest
terms.

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$$21) \frac{x}{3} = \frac{x}{5} + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{To solve, clear} \\ \text{denominators (multiply} \\ \text{all terms by all denominators).} \\ \hline \frac{x}{3} = \frac{x}{5} + \frac{7}{3} \\ \frac{x}{3} = \frac{x}{5} + \frac{7}{3} \\ 5x = 3x + 35 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x = 3x + 35 \\ -3x \quad -3x \\ \hline 2x = 35 \\ x = \underline{\underline{\frac{35}{2}}} \end{array}$$

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Solve the absolute value equation or indicate that the equation has no solution.

$$22) |x| = 7$$

Absolute Value is

7 to the right of zero is 7.

7 to the left of zero is -7.

$$|x|=7 \rightarrow x=\{-7, 7\}$$



means the right (+) and Left (-) distance from zero. This means There will be two (2) Answers.

$$23) |x - 9| = 3$$

3 to right and left of zero (+3, -3)

$$\begin{aligned} x-9 &= +3 \\ x &= 12 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-9 &= -3 \\ x &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

$$x = \{6, 12\}$$

Solve the formula for the specified variable.

$$24) A = \frac{1}{2}bh \quad \text{for } b$$

clear denominator \rightarrow multiply by denominator.

$$\begin{aligned} 2(A = \frac{1}{2}bh) \\ 2A = bh \end{aligned}$$

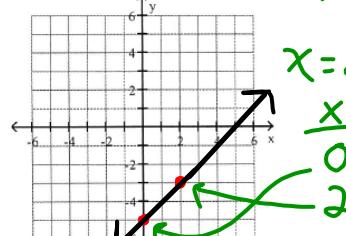
$$\frac{2A}{h} = b$$

25) $y = x - 5$

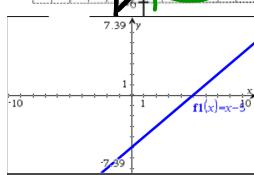
To Graph any line, must have two points (Any two points).

Choose any x , calculate the y for that x .

Examples: $x=0 \rightarrow y=0-5=-5$



$$x = 2 \rightarrow y = 2 - 5 = -3$$



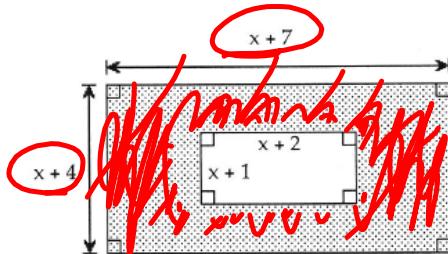
$$\begin{array}{c|c} x & y \\ \hline 0 & -5 \\ 2 & -3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} x \\ y \\ \hline 0 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} x \\ y \\ \hline 0 \\ 2 \\ -5 \end{array}$$

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26) Write a polynomial in standard form that represents the area of the shaded region.



$$\begin{aligned}
 & (x+4)(x+7) \text{ gives total area. must take out (Subtract) the non-shaded area which is } (x+2)(x+1) \\
 & (x+4)(x+7) - (x+2)(x+1) \\
 & = x^2 + 11x + 28 - (x^2 + 3x + 2) \\
 & = x^2 + 11x + 28 - x^2 - 3x - 2 \\
 & = \boxed{8x + 26}
 \end{aligned}$$

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1) B

2) -39

3) -216

4) -9

5) 1

6) $\frac{1}{25}$

7) 8

8) $\sqrt[5]{x^3}$ OR ~~$x^{3/5}$~~

9) -21

10) Not a real number

11) 13

12) 5°C

13) $6x^6 + 14x^4 - 16$

14) $x^2 + 12x + 32$

15) $4x^2 - 41x - 84$

16) $3(x - 9)$

17) $5x(x + 4)$

18) {9}

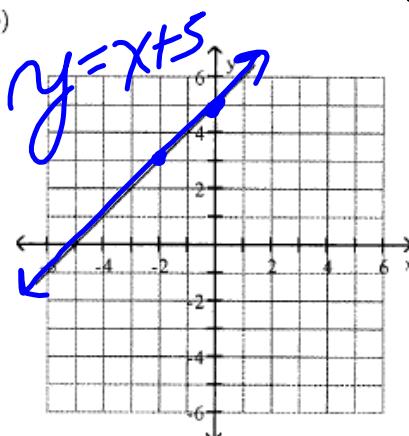
19) $\left\{\frac{1}{3}\right\}$

20) $\left\{-\frac{5}{4}\right\}$

21) $\left\{-\frac{32}{5}\right\}$

22) $\{-3, 3\}$
23) {2, 16}
24) $h = \frac{2A}{b}$

25)



26) $3x + 14$