

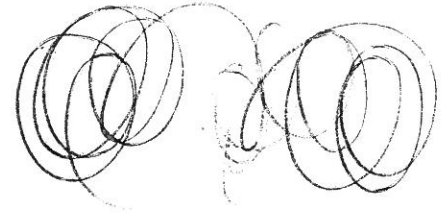
Find all real or imaginary solutions, #s 1 – 4.

1. (10 pts)  $3x + 12 = 7x - 5$

2. (5 pts)  $\frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{3}{4}$

3. (5 pts)  $7x^2 = 5$

4. (5 pts)  $9x^2 + 6x - 1 = 0$  (Leave your answer in simplified radical form.)



#s 5 – 7. Compute the discriminant for the following equations. Tell me what it says about the solutions of the equations, *without solving the equations*. How many distinct solutions, how many real zeros. If you can predict rational solutions, that's worth some extra points.

5. (5 pts)  $6x^2 - 15x - 156 = 0$

6. (5 pts)  $4x^2 - 8x + 13 = 0$

7. (5 pts)  $49x^2 + 28x + 4 = 0$

Solve by factoring: You can use a "cheat," so long as you show understanding of the connection between solutions and factors.

8. (10 pts)  $x^2 - 7x + 12 = 0$

9. (5 pts)  $6x^2 - 15x - 156 = 0$

Solve #s 10 and 11 by completing the square.

10. (5 pts)  $x^2 - 6x + 12 = 0$

11. (5 pts)  $3x^2 - 4x - 11 = 0$

Now for lines:

12. Find an equation in point-slope form through the point  $(-2, 3)$  of the line that is...

a. (5 pts) ... parallel to  $y = 5x + 177$

b. (5 pts) ... perpendicular to  $y = 5x + 177$

13. Sketch the graphs of the two lines on the same set of axes:

a. (5 pts)  $x = -3$

b. (5 pts)  $y = 5$

14. Sketch the graph of  $2x + 3y = 6$ . I'll know if you've been paying attention by the features you include and the features you don't waste our time on.

15. Solve the absolute value inequalities:

a. (10 pts)  $|3x + 5| > 7$

b. (5 pts)  $|-2x + 3| \leq 7$

c. (5 pts)  $|3x + 5| + 7 > 5$

d. (5 pts)  $|-2x + 3| + 6 < 3$



16. (5 pts) SET UP THE FOLLOWING WORD PROBLEM. Do not solve.

How much 44% alcohol solution must be added to 5 gallons of 75% alcohol solution to obtain a mixture that is 60% alcohol?

17. (5 pts) SET UP THE FOLLOWING WORD PROBLEM. Do not solve.  
Tamara can do a job in 5 hours that it takes Bill 7 hours to finish. How long does it take them to finish the job, if they work together?

## BONUS SECTION:

18. (5 pts) Suppose in the previous problem, Tamara thinks he such hot stuff that she starts work 1 hour late, and *then* joins Bill and they work together the rest of the way. How many hours do each of them work? I want the *solution*, here. Leave it as a fraction.
19. (5 pts) Sketch the graph of  $y = 12x - 7$ . I expect to see  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts.
20. (5 pts) Re-write the function  $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 12$  in the form  $f(x) = a(x - h)^2 + k$ .
21. (5 pts) Find all real and non-real solutions to the equation  $x^4 - 7x^2 + 12 = 0$ .



① 10 pts  $3x+12 = 7x-5$

$$-4x = -17$$

$$x = \frac{17}{4}$$

②  $\frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{3}{4}$  LCD = 2, 2, 3, 5

$$\frac{2x}{3} \cdot \frac{20}{20} - \frac{1}{5} \cdot \frac{12}{12} = \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{15}{15}$$

$$\frac{40x - 12}{LCD} = \frac{45}{LCD}$$

$$40x - 12 = 45$$

$$40x = 57$$

$$x = \frac{57}{40}$$

③  $7x^2 = 5$

$$x^2 = \frac{5}{7}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{5}{7}} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{5}\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}\sqrt{7}} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{35}}{7} = x$$

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(4)  $9x^2 + 6x - 1 = 0$   
 $a=9, b=6, c=-1$   
 $b^2 - 4ac = 6^2 - 4(9)(-1)$   
 $= 36 + 36$   
 $= 72$

$\sqrt{72} = 6\sqrt{2}$

$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

$= \frac{-6 \pm 6\sqrt{2}}{2(9)} = \frac{-6(1 \pm \sqrt{2})}{18} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{2}}{3}$

$x^2 + \frac{2}{3}x = \frac{1}{9}$   
 $x^2 + \frac{2}{3}x + (\frac{1}{3})^2 = \frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{9}$

$(x + \frac{1}{3})^2 = \frac{2}{9}$

$x + \frac{1}{3} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}$

$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{2}}{3}$

2 | 72  
 2 | 36  
 2 | 18  
 3 | 9  
 3

1380711875  
 - 8047378541

(5)  $6x^2 - 15x - 156 = 0$   
 $a=6, b=-15, c=-156$   
 $b^2 - 4ac = (-15)^2 - 4(6)(-156)$   
 $= 225 + 3744$   
 $= 3969 = 63^2$

2 real (RATIONAL!) solns

(6)  $4x^2 - 8x + 13 = 0$   
 $a=4, b=-8, c=13$   
 $b^2 - 4ac = (-8)^2 - 4(4)(13)$   
 $= 64 - 208$   
 $= -144$

2 nonreal solns

$$(7) \quad 49x^2 + 28x + 4 = 0$$

$$a = 49, b = 28, c = 4$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = (28)^2 - 4(49)(4)$$

$$= 784 - 784 = 0$$

One (repeated) real (rational!) soln

$$(8) \quad x^2 - 7x + 12$$

$$= (x-4)(x-3) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \{3, 4\}$$

$$(9) \quad 6x^2 - 15x - 156$$

$$= 6x^2 + 24x - 39x - 156$$

$$= 6x(x+4) - 39(x+4)$$

$$= (x+4)(6x-39) = 0 = 3(x+4)(2x-13)$$

$$\Rightarrow x = -4 \quad 6x = 39$$

$$x = \frac{39}{6} = \frac{13}{2}$$

$$x \in \left\{ -4, \frac{13}{2} \right\}$$

Dylan

$$2 \overline{)156}$$

$$2 \overline{)78}$$

$$3 \overline{)39}$$

$$13$$

$$2 \overline{)6}$$

$$3$$

$$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 13$$

$$24$$

$$39$$

Dylan!

is better

$$2x^2 - 5x - 52 = 0$$

$$2x^2 - 13x + 8x - 52 = 0$$

$$x(2x-13) + 4(2x-13) = 0$$

$$(2x-13)(x+4) = 0$$

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$$x^2 - 6x + 12 = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x = -12$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 3^2 = -12 + 9$$

$$(x-3)^2 = -3$$

$$x-3 = \pm i\sqrt{3}$$

$$x = 3 \pm i\sqrt{3}$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = 16 - (3)(4) = 16 - 12 = 4$$

Q

11

$$3x^2 - 4x - 11 = 0$$

$$3\left(x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{11}{3}\right) = 0$$

$$x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{11}{3} = 0$$

$$x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x = \frac{11}{3}$$

$$x^2 - \frac{4}{3}x + \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{11}{3} + \frac{4}{9} = \frac{33+4}{9}$$

$$\left(x - \frac{2}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{37}{9}$$

$$x - \frac{2}{3} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{37}}{3}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{37}}{3}$$

$$2.694254177$$
  
$$-1.30920843$$

Q

(12) (a)  $y = 5(x+2) + 3$

$$y = m(x - x_1) + y_1$$

$$m_{||} = m$$

$$m_{\perp} = -\frac{1}{m}$$

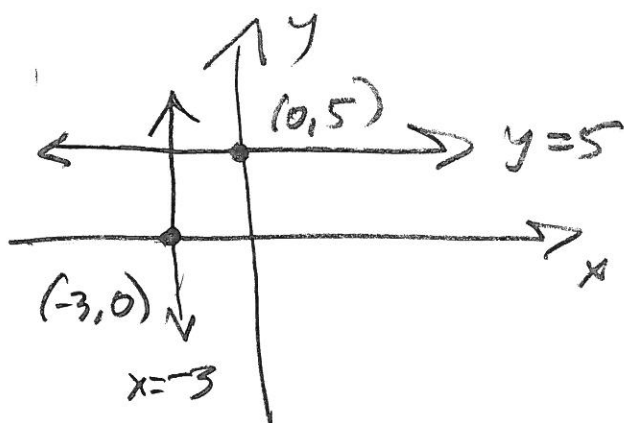
(b)  $y = -\frac{1}{5}(x+2) + 3$

Because students don't know when to quit?

(a)  $5x + 13 = y$

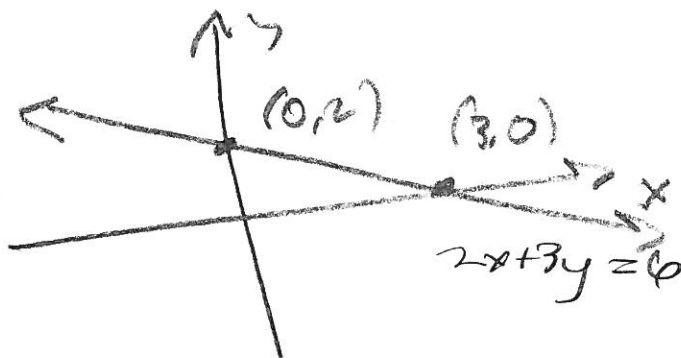
(b)  $y = -\frac{1}{5}x + \frac{13}{5}$

(13)



(14)  $2x + 3y = 6$

x	y
0	2
3	0



(15) (2) (10pts)

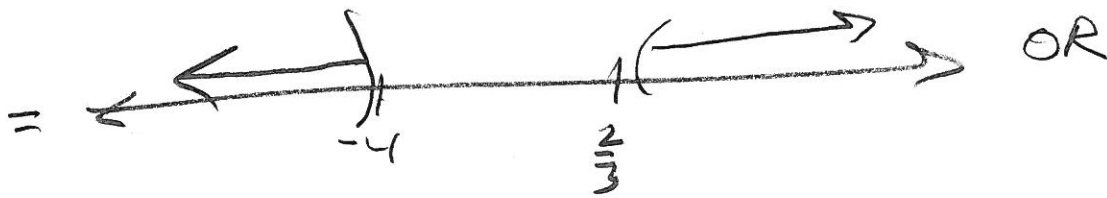
$$|3x+5| > 7$$

$$3x+5 > 7 \quad \text{OR} \quad 3x+5 < -7$$

$$3x > 2$$

$$3x < -12$$

$$\left\{ x \mid x > \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{OR} \quad x < -4 \right\}$$



$$= (-\infty, -4) \cup (\frac{2}{3}, \infty)$$

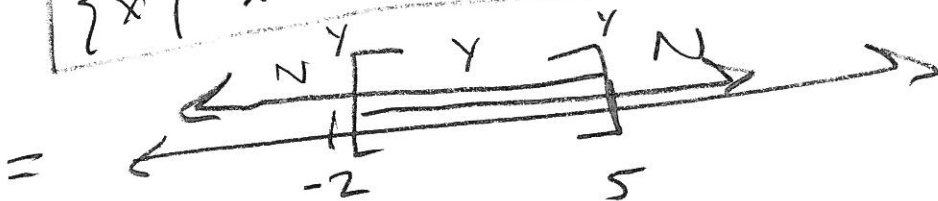
(b)  $| -2x+3 | \leq 7$

$$-2x+3 \leq 7 \quad \text{AND} \quad -2x+3 \geq -7$$

$$-2x \leq 4$$

$$-2x \geq -10$$


$$\left\{ x \mid x \geq -2 \quad \text{AND} \quad x \leq 5 \right\}$$



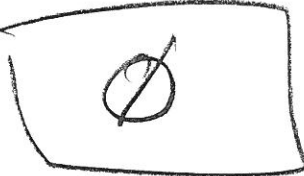
$$= [-2, 5]$$



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(15) cont'd (c)  $|3x+5|+7 > 5$  ALWAYS 

$$|3x+5| > -2 \quad \boxed{(-\infty, \infty)} = \{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

(d)  $|1-2x+3|+6 < 3$   
 $|1-2x+3| < -3$   NEVER!

(16) Let  $x =$  amt of 44% alcohol (gal)  
Then  $\boxed{.44x + .75(5) = .6(x+5)}$

(17) Let  $x =$  the amt of time it takes  
to do the job together (hrs)  
Then  $\boxed{\frac{1}{5}x + \frac{1}{7}x = 1}$

BONUS

(10)

Let  $x$  = the amt of time Tamara spends on the job.

Then  $x+1$  = the amt of time Bill spends

$$\text{d) } \frac{1}{5}x + \frac{1}{7}(x+1) = 1 \quad \text{LCD} = 5 \cdot 7$$

$$\frac{x}{5} + \frac{x+1}{7} = 1$$

$$\frac{7x + 5(x+1)}{\text{LCD}} = \frac{35}{\text{LCD}}$$

$$7x + 5x + 5 = 35$$

$$12x + 5 = 35$$

$$12x = 30$$

$$x = \frac{30}{12} = \frac{15}{6} = \frac{5}{2} = x$$

$$\Rightarrow x+1 = \frac{5}{2} + \frac{2}{2} = \frac{7}{2} = x+1$$

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(19)

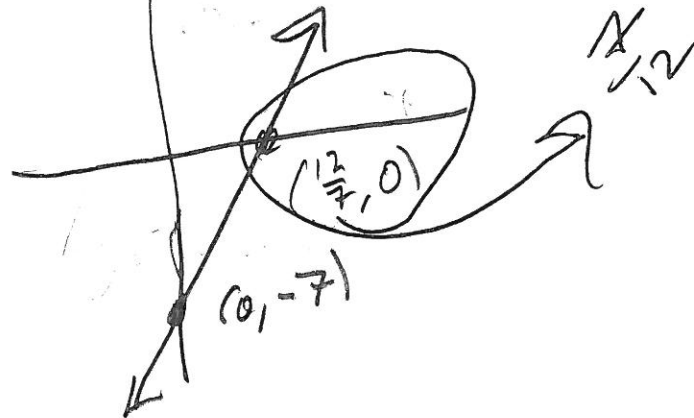
$$y = 12x - 7$$

x	y
0	-7 FREE
12	0

$$12x - 7 = 0$$

$$12x = 7$$

$$x = \frac{7}{12}$$



(20)

$$f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 12$$

$$= x^2 - 6x + 12$$

$$= x^2 - 6x + 3^2 + 12 - 9$$

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

(21)

$$x^4 - 7x^2 + 12 = 0$$

$$(x^2 - 3)(x^2 - 4) = 0$$

$$(x - \sqrt{3})(x + \sqrt{3})(x - 2)(x + 2) = 0$$

$$x \in \{ \pm\sqrt{3}, \pm 2 \}$$