

*Directions:*

*Show all work on a separate piece of paper. Place your final answer on this sheet.*

1. Given  $g(x) = \frac{3}{x-1}$

a. Evaluate and simplify completely

i)  $g(-2) =$       ii)  $g(0) =$       iii)  $g(1) =$       iv)  $g(4) =$       v)  $g(x+3) =$

b. Solve algebraically for exact  $x$

i)  $g(x) = 5$   
 $x =$

ii)  $g(x+2) = 4$   
 $x =$

iii)  $g(x) + 2 = 4$   
 $x =$

2. Simplify the difference quotient for the following functions [different quotient  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ ]

a)  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 3$        $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} =$

b)  $f(x) = x^3 - 5$        $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} =$

c)  $f(x) = \frac{4}{x}$        $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} =$

3. Simplify the following completely with a common denominator. Your final answer will not contain any negative exponents.

a)  $\frac{4x}{x-1} - \frac{5x+2}{2x} =$

b)  $\frac{(b+2)^x}{(b+2)^{4x-2}} =$

c)  $\frac{1+2t}{\sqrt{t+3}} + 2\sqrt{t+3} =$

d)  $\frac{(x^2+1)\frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} - \sqrt{x}(2x)}{(x^2+1)^2} =$

e)  $\frac{2}{x+5} - \frac{3}{x-5} =$

f)  $\frac{4(z+2)^{1/2} - 2z(z+2)^{-1/2}}{z+2} =$

g)  $\frac{a^n 3^{n+1}}{3^n a^{n+1}} =$

h)  $e^x e^{1-x} =$

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

j)  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{1-z^2}} - 3\sqrt{1-z^2} =$

$$k) \frac{2x \cdot (x^2 + 5)^{1/2} - x^2 (x^2 + 5)^{-1/2} \cdot 2x}{x^2 + 5} =$$

$$l) \frac{\frac{1}{(x+h)^2} - \frac{1}{x^2}}{h} =$$

$$m) \frac{\frac{1}{x} - \frac{1}{y}}{\frac{1}{x^2} - \frac{1}{y^2}} =$$

$$n) \frac{3}{\frac{3}{x-1} - 1} =$$

4. Solve algebraically for the exact solution(s). Solve for the indicated variable. Assume all other variables are constants.

$$x = \text{_____} \quad e^{5x} + e^{5x} = 1$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \frac{1+ax}{x-2} = 4b$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \log(x) + \log(x-21) = 2$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \frac{a}{x} + \frac{b}{2x} = 1$$

$$y = \text{_____} \quad 6y^{-2} + y = 0$$

$$t = \text{_____} \quad 10te^{3t} + 2t^2e^{3t} = 0$$

$$p = \text{_____} \quad \frac{(p-1)(p^2-11)}{(p-2)(p+3)} = 0$$

$$t = \text{_____} \quad 3^t = 12(.8)^t$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \ln(t+2) - \ln(t) = \ln(7)$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \sqrt{x-1} - 10 = 2$$

$$y = \text{_____} \quad x^2y - x^3 = 2(2y+3)$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad (3-x)^3 = -13$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad 3(ax+1) - 2x = 4(a-ax)$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad 9xe^{ax} - 3x^2e^{ax} = 0$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad (x+1)(x+3) = 15$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \ln(\ln(x)) = 1$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \log(x) - \log(x-1) = 1$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad A(.83)^x = B(b)^x$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \frac{3x}{5} - \frac{2}{x} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad (x-4)(x+2) = 7$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad \log(x+4) = 2 - \log(x+1)$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad 4xe^x - 3e^x = 0$$

$$x = \text{_____} \quad 4(x+1)^2 - 5 = 0$$

$$y = \text{_____} \quad \frac{5y-2}{y-2} = 0$$

$$z = \text{_____} \quad 0 = 4z^3 + 6z^2 - 24z - 36$$

$$y = \text{_____} \quad \frac{1-4y}{1+2y} + 2 = 0$$

$$t = \text{_____} \quad t^2 - t - 6 = 14$$

$$t = \text{_____} \quad 2t - (3t+4) = 5(t+2)$$

$$y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad x^2 + \frac{2y}{x} = y + 3$$

$$y = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad Ax + By + C = 0$$

$$t = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad t^3 - 16t^{-1} = 0$$

$$t = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad \ln(t+2) - \ln(t) = \ln(\pi)$$

$$p = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad \frac{3p^2 + p - 2}{p - 7} = 0$$

$$R = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad \frac{1}{R} = \frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}$$

5. Determine if each statement is **Correct** or **Incorrect**. Circle the correct answer.

**C I**  $\sqrt{x^2 + 121} = x + 11$

**C I**  $\sqrt{4} = \pm 2$

**C I**  $\frac{x+3}{3} = \frac{x+3}{9}$

**C I**  $\frac{w+1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$  for  $w \neq -1$

**C I**  $\ln(e^x e^y) = x + y$

**C I**  $e^{\ln(x)+5} = xe^5$

**C I**  $\ln(M) - \ln(B) = \frac{\ln(M)}{\ln(B)}$

**C I**  $\ln(\sqrt{a}) = \frac{1}{2}\ln(a)$

**C I**  $2^{x+y} = 2^x + 2^y$

**C I**  $\log(ab^t) = t\log(ab)$

**C I**  $\ln(e^x + e^y) = x + y$

**C I**  $\sqrt[3]{r^3 - 64} = r - 4$

**C I**  $\frac{x^{-1} + 2}{x} = \frac{2}{x^2}$

**C I**  $\frac{x^2 + 3x + 1}{x^2} = 3x + 1$

**C I**  $e^{-3^2} = e^9$

**C I**  $8(2t+1)^3 = (4t+2)^3$

**C I**  $(e^x)^2 = e^{2x}$

**C I**  $\frac{1}{x-4} = \frac{-1}{4-x}$

**C I**  $(x+1)^2 + 2(x+1) = (x+1)(x+3)$

**C I**  $\frac{1}{3t^4} = (3t)^{-4}$

**C I**  $\ln(1) = e$

**C I**  $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{(z-8)^2}} = (z-8)^{-2/3}$

**C I**  $\frac{1}{a^{-1} + b^{-1}} = \frac{ab}{a+b}$

**C I**  $2^t = t\ln(2)$

**C I**  $\frac{1}{x+2} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{2}$

**C I**  $\frac{\log(x)}{\log(t)} = \frac{\ln(x)}{\ln(t)}$

**C I**  $\frac{Ax^2 + B}{x} = Ax + B$

**C I**  $\log(x+y) = \log(x)\log(y)$

**C I**  $e^{4\ln(x)} = 4x$

**C I**  $(1+y)^3 = 1+y^3$

**C I** If  $f(x) = 5^x$ , then  $f(x+4) = 5^x + 4$