

Exam 1 solutions

$$\begin{aligned} 1. a \quad & \frac{1}{\frac{1}{6}x^3y} \cdot \frac{1}{6^2x^{10}y^{-4}z^{-2}} \\ & = \frac{6}{x^3y} \cdot \frac{y^4z^2}{6^2x^{10}} \\ & = \boxed{\frac{y^3z^2}{6x^{13}}} \end{aligned}$$

$$b. \quad 64^{-1/3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{64}} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{63} + \sqrt{28} \\ & = 3\sqrt{7} + 2\sqrt{7} \\ & = 5\sqrt{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{(5\sqrt{7})^2} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{25 \cdot 7} = \boxed{\frac{1}{700}}$$

$$2. \quad 3(x^2 - 4x + 4 - 4) + 7$$

$\downarrow \quad \quad \quad \uparrow$
 $(\frac{-4}{2})^2 = (-2)^2$

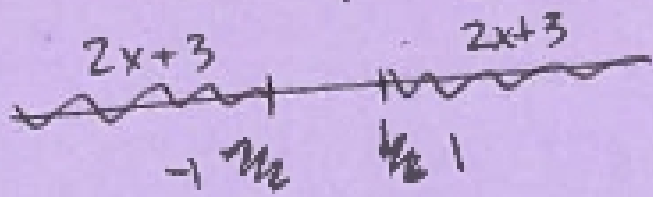
$$= 3(x^2 - 4x + 4) - 12 + 7$$

$$= \boxed{3(x-2)^2 - 5}$$

$$3. \quad 2|2x+3| + 4 > 6$$

$$\frac{2|2x+3|}{2} > \frac{2}{2}$$

$$|2x+3| > 1$$



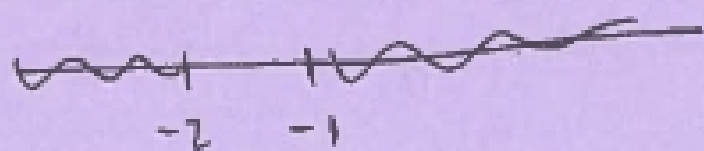
$$2x+3 < -1 \quad \text{OR} \quad 2x+3 > 1$$

$$2x < -4$$

$$2x > -2$$

$$x < -2$$

$$x > -1$$



$$\boxed{(-\infty, -2) \cup (-1, \infty)}$$

$$4. \quad 2-x = \sqrt{2x+31}$$

$$(2-x)^2 = 2x+31 \quad \star$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 - 4x + x^2 = 2x + 31 \\ -31 \quad -2x \quad \quad -2x - 31 \\ \hline x^2 - 6x - 27 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$(x+3)(x-9) = 0 \quad \begin{array}{l} x = -3 \\ x = 9 \end{array}$$

check:

$$5 = \sqrt{-6+31} \quad \checkmark$$

$$-7 = \sqrt{18+31} \quad \text{no}$$

$$\boxed{x = -3}$$

$$5. a. \quad g(-1) = -(-1)^2 - 2|1-(-1)|$$

$$= -1 - 2|2|$$

$$= -5$$

$$g(2) = -(2)^2 - 2|1-2|$$

$$= -4 - 2|-1|$$

$$= -6$$

$$2g(-1) - g(2) = 2(-5) - (-6)$$

$$= -10 + 6 = \boxed{-4}$$

$$b. \quad \frac{f(x+1) - f(x)}{2}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{(x+1)2}{2} = \boxed{x+1}$$

6. $t+9=0$ would be bad
 $t=-9$ BAD

$$\boxed{(-\infty, -9) \cup (-9, \infty)}$$

$$7. \quad \frac{x+12}{x+2} - x \geq 0$$

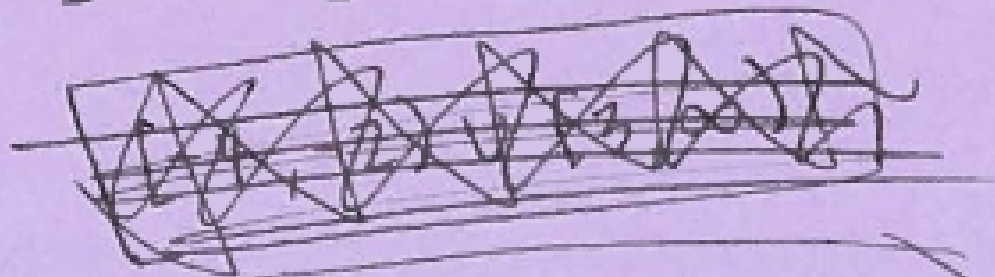
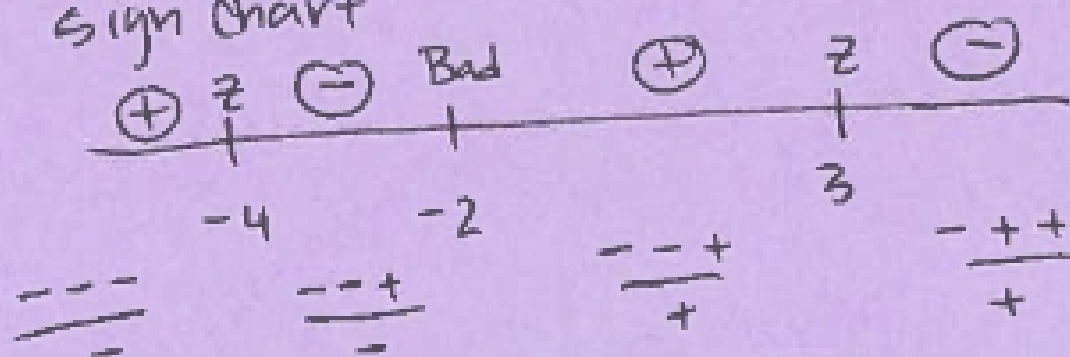
$$\frac{x+12}{x+2} - \frac{x(x+2)}{x+2} \geq 0$$

$$\frac{x+12 - x^2 - 2x}{x+2} \geq 0$$

$$-\frac{(x^2 - x - 12)}{x+2} \geq 0$$

$$-\frac{(x-3)(x+4)}{x+2} \geq 0$$

Sign chart



$$\boxed{(-\infty, -4] \cup (-2, 3]}$$

$$8. \frac{q(-4) - q(-1)}{-4 - (-1)}$$

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

$$= \frac{16 - 12 - (-2)}{-3} = \frac{6}{-3} = -2$$

$$9. \quad x, x+2, x+4$$

$$2x^2 + (x+2)^2 = 2(x+4)^2 - 39$$

$$2x^2 + x^2 + 4x + 4 = 2x^2 + 16x + 32 - 39$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -2x^2 \quad -16x + 7 \quad -2x^2 - 16x + 7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$x^2 - 12x + 11 = 0$$

$$(x-11)(x-1) = 0$$

$$x=11, x=1$$

1, 3, 5 and 11, 13, 15

$$10. \quad f \text{ odd so } f(-x) = -f(x)$$

$$\text{then } g(-x) = 2f(-x) - \sqrt[3]{-x}$$

$$= -2f(x) - (-\sqrt[3]{x})$$

$$= -(2f(x) - \sqrt[3]{x})$$

$$= -g(x)$$

$\sqrt[3]{x}$ is odd

So g is odd

$$11. \quad u = x^2 + x$$

$$u^2 - 8u + 12 = 0$$

$$(u-6)(u-2) = 0$$

$$u=6 \quad u=2$$

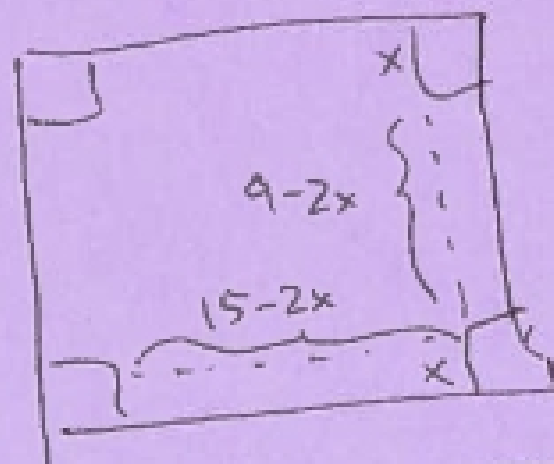
$$x^2 + x = 6 \quad x^2 + x = 2$$

$$x^2 + x - 6 = 0 \quad x^2 + x - 2 = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x+3) \quad (x+2)(x-1)$$

$$x = 2, -3 \quad x = -2, 1$$

Bonus



$$V(x) = x(9-2x)(15-2x)$$