

Mathematics 52

Study Guide 2

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Note: This study guide contains practice questions that are very useful for your preparation for the second exam in Elementary Algebra.

Problem 1: Determine whether the following is TRUE or FALSE and if it is false EXPLAIN why:

- a. Linear inequality is a mathematical expression that has an equal sign only. *linear Equations*  
False
- b. Suppose that a solution for a linear inequality is  $-2 < \psi \leq 1$ , then this solution in the interval notation can be written as  $\{\psi | -2 < \psi \leq 1\}$ . *Set-Builder Notation*  
False
- c. Given that  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  are non-vertical lines. If  $l_1 \parallel l_2$ , then  $m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$ .  *$m_1 = m_2$*   
False
- d. Given that  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  are non-vertical lines. If  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  make an angle of  $90^\circ$ , then  $m_1 = m_2$ .  *$m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$*   
False
- e. It is possible to derive the slope-point form of equation of line using the slope formula by considering the slope passes through  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x, y)$ .  
True
- f.  $(apple + tomato)^2 = (apple)^2 + 2(tomato)(tomato) + (tomato)^2$   
 $= (apple)^2 + 2(apple)(tomato) + (tomato)^2$   
False
- g.  $(2 pumpkins - 3 sweet potatoes)^2 = (4 pumpkins)^2 -$   
 $(24 pumpkins)(sweet potatoes) + 9(sweet potatoes)^2$   
False



False

h.  $(2x + 4)^2 = 4(x + 2)^2$

$(2x + 4)^2 = 4x^2 + 16x + 16$

True

i.  $(z^2 - 25)^{-2} = \frac{1}{((z-5)(z+5))^2}$

$\frac{1}{(z^2 - 25)^2} = \frac{1}{((z-5)(z+5))^2}$

True

j.  $\frac{1^{1,000,000,000}}{0^0} = 1$

$\frac{1}{1} = 1$

d.  $\frac{x^3 z^2 m^2 y \sqrt{xz}}{y m^2 x^2}$

e.  $\frac{\Sigma^2 \Pi}{\Psi^5 \Lambda \Sigma} = \frac{\Sigma^1 \Pi}{\Psi^5 \Lambda}$

Problem 2: Answer each of the following:

a.  $\frac{1}{2^{-3}} = \frac{1}{2^{-3}} = 2^3 = 8$

b.  $\frac{2^0 - 1}{2^{2-2}} = \frac{1-1}{2^0} = \frac{0}{1} = 0$

c.  $(-5^0) \cdot (1) = 1 \cdot 1 = 1$

d.  $x^3 y^{-1} z^2 m^2 y m^{-2} x^{-2} = x z^2$

e.  $\frac{\Psi^{-5} \Lambda^{-1} \Sigma^2}{\Lambda^1 \Sigma^1 \Pi^{-1}} = \frac{\Sigma^1 \Pi}{\Psi^5 \Lambda^2}$

f.  $0^{-3} = \frac{1}{0^3} = \frac{1}{0}$  Undefined

g. What is the name of zero slope? Horizontal slope

h. What is the name of undefined slope? Vertical slope

i.  $5 \times 5 \times \dots \times 5 = 5^n$

j.  $6^{-1} = \frac{1}{6}$



Problem 3: Add the following:

$$\text{a. } + \frac{(2x^7 + 4x^2 - 2x^0 + 2x^3 + 5x^6)}{(2x^0 - 12x^2 + 5x^8 + 4x^3 + 10x^2)}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} + 2x^7 + 5x^6 + \quad + 2x^3 + 4x^2 \quad - 2x^0 \\ \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad \quad + 4x^3 - 2x^2 \quad + 2x^0 \\ \hline 5x^8 \end{array}$$

$$5x^8 + 2x^7 + 5x^6 + 6x^3 + 2x^2 + 0$$

The answer is as follows:-

$$\underline{\underline{(5x^8 + 2x^7 + 5x^6 + 6x^3 + 2x^2)}}$$



Problem 4: Subtract the following:

$$\begin{array}{r} (-2x^5 + 3x^2 - 2x^0 + 1x^5 + 5x^6) \\ - (12x^0 - 12x^2 + 0x^7 + 3x^2 + 8x^4) \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x^6 - x^5 + 3x^2 - 2x^0 \\ + 8x^4 - 9x^2 - 12x^0 \\ \hline 0x^7 \end{array}$$

$$5x^6 - x^5 - 8x^4 + 6x^2 + 10x^0$$

$$= \boxed{5x^6 - x^5 - 8x^4 + 6x^2 + 10}$$

← Answer



Problem 5: Multiply the following:

$$\begin{array}{r} (2x^2 + 2x^1 - 12x^0) \\ \times \\ (x^2 + x + 1) \end{array}$$

$$= (2x^2 + 2x - 12) \cdot (x^2 + x + 1)$$

$$= 2x^4 + \underline{2x^3} + \underline{2x^2} + \underline{2x^3} + \underline{2x^2} + 2x - 12x^2 - 12x - 12$$

$$= \boxed{2x^4 + 4x^3 + 8x^2 - 10x - 12} \leftarrow \text{Answer}$$



Problem 6: Divide the following using both long division and synthetic division methods:

call it  $A(x) \rightarrow x^3 - 1$   
 call it  $B(x) \leftarrow x - 1$

$\deg(A(x)) \geq \deg(B(x))$   
 $3 \geq 1$   
 ✓ good!

Long Division

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 + x + 1 \\
 \hline
 x - 1 \overline{) x^3 + 0x^2 + 0x - 1} \\
 \underline{\ominus x^3 \oplus x^2} \phantom{- 1} \\
 x^2 + 0x - 1 \\
 \underline{\ominus x^2 \oplus x} \phantom{- 1} \\
 x - 1 \\
 \underline{\ominus x \oplus 1} \\
 \hline
 \boxed{0} \rightarrow \text{remainder}
 \end{array}$$

Solution is:  $\frac{0}{x-1}$   
 $(x^2 + x + 1) + \frac{0}{x-1}$   
 $= \boxed{x^2 + x + 1}$

Synthetic Division

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \overline{) 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ -1} \\
 \downarrow 1 \ 1 \ 1 \\
 \hline
 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ \boxed{0} \rightarrow \text{remainder}
 \end{array}$$

Solution is  $\boxed{x^2 + x + 1}$



$$\textcircled{d} (5z+2) = -4 \quad \text{or} \quad -5z-2 = -4$$

$$5z = -4 - 2$$

$$5z = -6$$

$$z = \frac{-6}{5}$$

Problem 7: Solve each of the following:

$$-5z = -4 + 2$$

$$-5z = -2$$

$$z = \frac{2}{5}$$

← solution

$$\textcircled{a} 3z + 5 < -2 + 12z$$

$$\textcircled{b} -10z + 12 \leq -2 - 2z$$

$$\textcircled{c} -12\delta^0 + 11^{\sqrt[3]{8}} < \left( \frac{-31200.43}{-340123.2} \right)^{0+1-1} + 10\delta + \frac{2}{2^{-1}}\delta$$

$$\textcircled{d} |5z + 2| = -4$$

$$\textcircled{e} |5\varepsilon^{0-1+2} + 2\varepsilon^0 - 1| \geq -4^0 + \frac{1}{2^{-2}}$$

$$\textcircled{f} (|5y + 12| + |5y - 5^2 + 15y^0|) \leq -4$$

$$\textcircled{g} \frac{|25\tau+5|}{-2|25\tau+5|} = -4$$

$$\textcircled{a} 3z + 5 < -2 + 12z$$

$$2 + 9 < 12z - 3z$$

$$\frac{7}{9} < \frac{9z}{9} \Rightarrow z > \frac{7}{9} \quad \leftarrow \text{solution}$$

← solution

$$\textcircled{b} -10z + 2z \leq -2 - 12$$

$$-8z \leq -14 \Rightarrow z \geq \frac{14}{8} = \frac{7}{4}$$

$$z \geq \frac{7}{4}$$

$$\textcircled{c} -12 + 12| \leq 1 + 10\delta + 4\delta$$

$$-12 + 12| - 1 < 14\delta \Rightarrow \frac{108}{14} < \frac{14\delta}{14} \Rightarrow \frac{54}{7} < \delta$$

$$\frac{54}{7} < \delta$$

← solution

7a



$$\textcircled{e} |5\varepsilon + 2 - 1| \geq 1 + 4$$

$$|5\varepsilon + 1| \geq 5$$

$$(5\varepsilon + 1) \geq 5$$

$$5\varepsilon \geq 4$$

$$\boxed{\varepsilon \geq \frac{4}{5}}$$

or

$$-5\varepsilon - 1 \geq 5$$

$$-5\varepsilon \geq 5 + 1$$

$$\underline{-5\varepsilon} \geq \underline{6}$$

$$\boxed{\varepsilon \leq -\frac{6}{5}}$$

Solution

$$\textcircled{f} |5y + 12| + |5y - 25 + 15| \leq -4$$

$$\underline{(5y + 12)} + \underline{(5y - 25 + 15)} \leq -4$$

$$10y + 2 \leq -4$$

$$10y \leq -4 - 2$$

$$10y \leq -6$$

$$y \leq \frac{-6}{10}$$

$$\boxed{y \leq -\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$-5y - 12 - 5y + 25 - 15 \leq -4$$

$$-10y - 2 \leq -4$$

$$-10y \leq -4 + 2$$

$$-10y \leq -2$$

$$y \geq \frac{-2}{-10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y \geq \frac{1}{5}}$$

or

Solution



$$\textcircled{2} \frac{|25\tau + 5|}{-2|25\tau + 5|} = -4$$

$$\begin{matrix} ?? & & !! \\ \boxed{-2} & = & \boxed{-4} \end{matrix}$$

No solution  
for this question



Problem 8: Find the slope of the line that passes through each pair of points:

Part a:  $(-6, 5)$  and  $(6, 2)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{2 - 5}{6 - (-6)} = \frac{-3}{12} = \frac{-1}{4}$$

Part b:  $(-1, -5)$  and  $(0, 0)$

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{0 - (-5)}{0 - (-1)} = \frac{5}{1} = 5$$

Problem 9: Find the equation of the line with given properties:

a. A line passes through  $(0, -2)$  and is perpendicular to the line:

$$l_2: 6x^0 + 12x^1 - 13y^0 + 5y^1 = -12$$

b. A line passes through  $(1, -2)$  and has a horizontal slope.

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

$$y + 2 = 0(x - 1)$$

$$y + 2 = 0$$

$$y = -2$$

$$l_2: 6 + 12x - 13 + 5y = -12$$

$$12x - 7 + 5y = -12 \Rightarrow 5y = -12 + 7 - 12x$$

$$5y = -\frac{12x}{5} - \frac{5}{5} \Rightarrow y = -\frac{12}{5}x - 1$$

$$m_2 = -\frac{12}{5}$$

Since  $l_1 \perp l_2$ , then  $m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$  so  $m_1 = \frac{5}{12}$

$$\frac{5}{12} \cdot -\frac{12}{5} = -1$$

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

$$y + 2 = \frac{5}{12}(x - 0) \Rightarrow y + 2 = \frac{5}{12}x \Rightarrow y = \frac{5}{12}x - 2$$

the equation of the line



Problem 10: Graph the following:

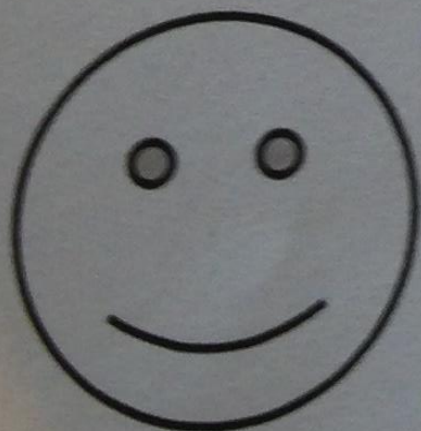
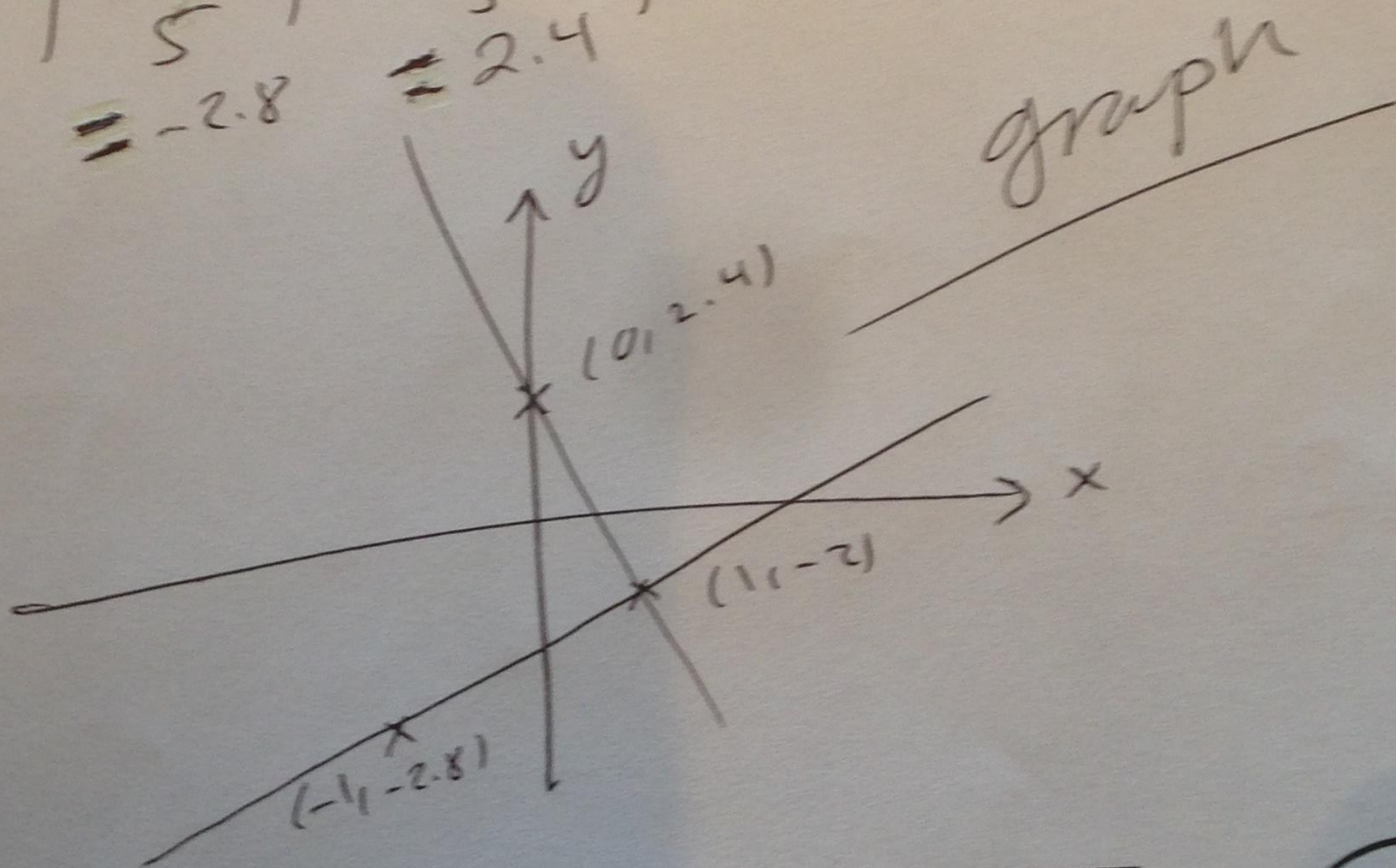
$$\frac{5y^2 + 25y}{(y+5)} = 2x - 12$$

$$\frac{5y(y+5)}{(y+5)} = 2x - 12$$

$$5y = 2x - 12 \Rightarrow$$

$$y = \frac{2x}{5} - \frac{12}{5}$$

x	-1	0	1
y	$-\frac{14}{5}$ $\approx -2.8$	$-\frac{12}{5}$ $\approx 2.4$	-2



We always learn from the challenging  
math problems.

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Good Luck in Exam 2

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