

MAT1033C Intermediate Algebra  
Chapter 8 Test Review  
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**MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.**

**Solve the equation.**

1)  $x^2 - 3 = 0$  1) \_\_\_\_\_

A)  $\frac{3}{2}$

B)  $-\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{3}$

C)  $\sqrt{3}$

D) 9

2)  $x^2 + 49 = 0$

A) -7, 7

B) -7i, 7i

C) 7

D) 2401

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3)  $3x^2 - 33 = 0$

A) 12

B) -11, 11

C)  $-\sqrt{11}, \sqrt{11}$

D) 16.5

3) \_\_\_\_\_

**Solve the equation.**

4)  $x^2 + 16x + 47 = 0$

A)  $-8 - \sqrt{17}, -8 + \sqrt{17}$

B)  $-16 + \sqrt{47}$

C)  $8 - \sqrt{47}, 8 + \sqrt{47}$

D)  $8 + \sqrt{17}$

4) \_\_\_\_\_

5)  $x^2 + 5x - 5 = 0$

A)  $\frac{-5 - 3\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{-5 + 3\sqrt{5}}{2}$

B)  $-5 - 3\sqrt{5}, -5 + 3\sqrt{5}$

C)  $\frac{-5 - 3\sqrt{5}}{2}$

D)  $\frac{5 + 3\sqrt{5}}{2}$

5) \_\_\_\_\_

6)  $9x^2 + 36x + 32 = 0$

A)  $-\frac{4}{9}, -\frac{8}{9}$

B)  $-\frac{8}{9}, \frac{40}{9}$

C)  $-\frac{4}{3}, -\frac{8}{3}$

D)  $\frac{4}{3}, \frac{8}{3}$

6) \_\_\_\_\_

**Use the quadratic formula to solve the equation.**

7)  $2x^2 - 7x - 9 = 0$

A)  $\frac{2}{9}, 1$

B)  $\frac{2}{9}, -1$

C)  $\frac{2}{9}, 0$

D)  $\frac{9}{2}, -1$

7) \_\_\_\_\_

8)  $6x^2 = -10x - 1$

A)  $\frac{-10 - \sqrt{19}}{6}, \frac{-10 + \sqrt{19}}{6}$

B)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{19}}{12}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{19}}{12}$

C)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{19}}{6}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{19}}{6}$

D)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{31}}{6}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{31}}{6}$

8) \_\_\_\_\_

9)  $2x^2 + 10x + 7 = 0$

A)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{39}}{2}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{39}}{2}$

C)  $\frac{-10 - \sqrt{11}}{2}, \frac{-10 + \sqrt{11}}{2}$

B)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{11}}{2}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{11}}{2}$

D)  $\frac{-5 - \sqrt{11}}{4}, \frac{-5 + \sqrt{11}}{4}$

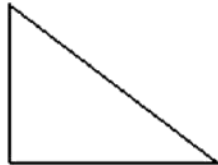
9) \_\_\_\_\_

**Solve.**

- 10) Because of the increase in traffic between Springfield and Orangeville, a new road was built to connect the two towns. The old road goes south  $x$  miles from Springfield to Freeport and then goes east  $x + 5$  miles from Freeport to Orangeville. The new road is 7 miles long and goes straight from Springfield to Orangeville. Find the number of miles that a person saves by driving the new road over the old one.

10) \_\_\_\_\_

Springfield



Freeport

Orangeville

A)  $(\sqrt{73} - 7)$  mi

B)  $(\sqrt{73} + 7)$  mi

C)  $\left(\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{73}}{2}\right)$  mi

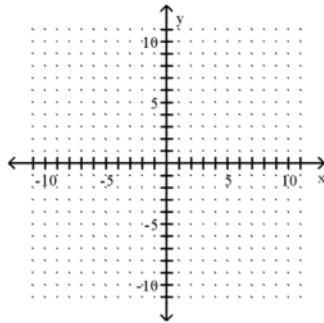
D)  $\left(-\frac{5}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{73}}{2}\right)$  mi

**SHORT ANSWER. Show all your work and circle your final answer.**

**Graph the function. Identify the vertex and axis of symmetry.**

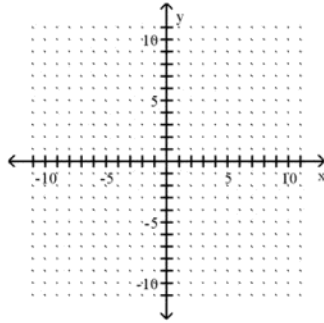
11)  $f(x) = -x^2 + 5$

11) \_\_\_\_\_



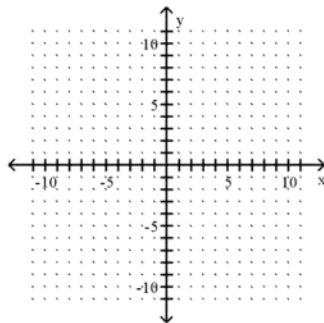
12)  $f(x) = -3(x - 3)^2 + 4$

12) \_\_\_\_\_



13)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{5}(x + 4)^2 - 1$

13) \_\_\_\_\_



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Solve.

- 14) An arrow is fired into the air with an initial velocity of 128 feet per second. The height in feet of the arrow  $t$  seconds after it was shot into the air is given by the function  $h(t) = -16t^2 + 128t$ . Find the maximum height of the arrow. 14) \_\_\_\_\_

A) 448 ft      B) 64 ft      C) 256 ft      D) 768 ft

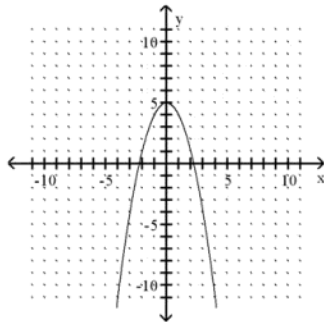
- 15) The hypotenuse of a right triangle is 15 feet long. One leg of the triangle is 5 feet longer than the other leg. Find the perimeter of the triangle. 15) \_\_\_\_\_

A)  $\left(-\frac{5}{2} + \frac{5\sqrt{17}}{2}\right)$  ft      B)  $(5\sqrt{17} - 15)$  ft      C)  $\left(\frac{5}{2} + \frac{5\sqrt{17}}{2}\right)$  ft      D)  $(5\sqrt{17} + 15)$  ft

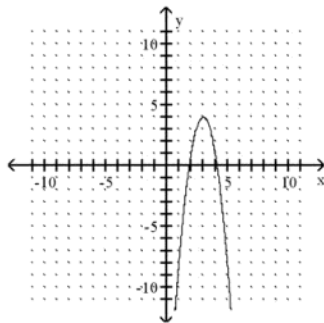
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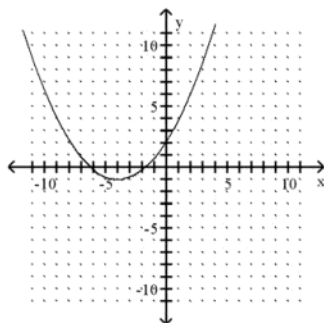
- 1) B
- 2) B
- 3) C
- 4) A
- 5) A
- 6) C
- 7) D
- 8) C
- 9) B
- 10) A
- 11) vertex (0, 5); axis  $x = 0$



- 12) vertex (3, 4); axis  $x = 3$



- 13) vertex (-4, -1); axis  $x = -4$



- 14) C

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15) D