

Algebra 2
Practice Test – Unit 2

Name _____

For questions 1 – 4, simplify each expression.

1. $\sqrt[3]{x^2} \cdot \sqrt[5]{x^3}$

1. _____

2. $\frac{\sqrt[3]{32m^{14}}}{\sqrt[3]{4m^2}}$

2. _____

3. $\frac{7^{-5} \cdot \sqrt[4]{162n^{21}}}{7^{-6} \cdot \sqrt[4]{2n}}$

3. _____

4. $\frac{1}{\left(27^{\frac{1}{3}} m^{\frac{3}{4}}\right)^{-4}}$

4. _____

5. Which of the following expressions is equivalent to $4m^2$

5. _____

a. $\frac{2^{-4} \cdot \sqrt[4]{m^{16}}}{2^{-6} \cdot \sqrt[4]{m^8}}$

b. $\frac{\left(2m^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^5}{8m^{\frac{7}{6}}}$

c. $\frac{\sqrt[4]{32m^{10}}}{8 \cdot \sqrt[4]{2m^4}}$

d. $\frac{1}{\left(64^{\frac{1}{3}} m\right)^{-2}}$

6. Let $f(x) = 6x - 11$ and $g(x) = x^2 - 8x + 15$.

a. $(f + g)(x)$

a. _____

b. $(f - g)(x)$

b. _____

c. $(fg)(x)$

c. _____

d. $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x)$

d. _____

7. Let $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 10$ and $g(x) = 2x - 1$.
Find $f(g(x))$.

7. _____

8. Let $f(x) = 15x^{\frac{3}{4}}$ and $g(x) = \frac{5}{x}$. Find $g(f(x))$.

8. _____

a. $g(f(x)) = \frac{\sqrt[4]{15x}}{5x}$

b. $g(f(x)) = \frac{15 \cdot \sqrt[4]{15x}}{x}$

c. $g(f(x)) = \frac{75 \cdot \sqrt[4]{x^2}}{x}$

d. $g(f(x)) = \frac{\sqrt[4]{x}}{3x}$

9. Find the inverse of $g(x) = \frac{1}{4}x - 3$. 9. _____

10. Find the inverse of $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^5 + 7$. 10. _____

11. Determine whether $f(x) = x - 2$ and $g(x) = -x + 2$ are inverse functions. 11. _____

- a. $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are inverse functions because $f(x) - g(x) = 0$
- b. $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are inverse functions because $f(g(x)) = x$
- c. $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are inverse functions because $f(g(x)) = -x$
- d. $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are not inverse functions because $f(g(x))$ does not equal x

12. Simplify: $\log_4 64 + \log(10^{11}) - \ln(e^5) - \log_6 216$ 12. _____

13. Solve: $2.75^{4x-8} = \left(\frac{121}{16}\right)^{3x+5}$ 13. _____

14. Solve: $\log_4(-x) = 2 - \log_4(x+10)$ 14. _____

ANSWER KEY

1. $x^{\frac{19}{15}}$

2. $2m^4$

3. $21n^5$

4. $81m^3$

5. A

6. a) $x^2 - 2x + 4$

b) $-x^2 + 14x - 26$

c) $6x^3 - 59x^2 + 178x - 165$

d. $\frac{6x-11}{x^2-8x+15}, x \neq 5,3$

7. $4x^2 - 10x + 14$

8. D

9. $y = 4x + 12$

10. $y = \sqrt[5]{3x - 21}$

11. D

12. 6

13. -9

14. -8 and -2