

1. Find the domain of  $f$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{x-3}{x^2 - 4}$$

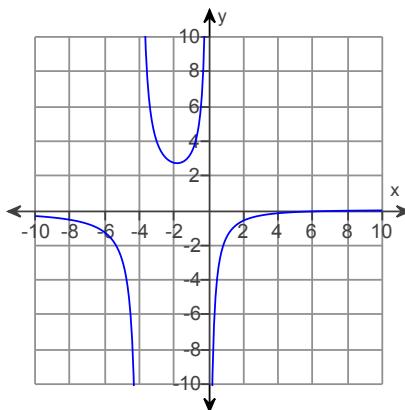
- A.  $\{x \mid x \neq \pm 2\}$
- B.  $\{x \mid x \neq -3\}$
- C.  $\{x \mid x \neq 3\}$
- D.  $\{x \mid x \neq -2\}$

2. Find the domain of  $f$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{x-3}{(x-8)(x+1)}$$

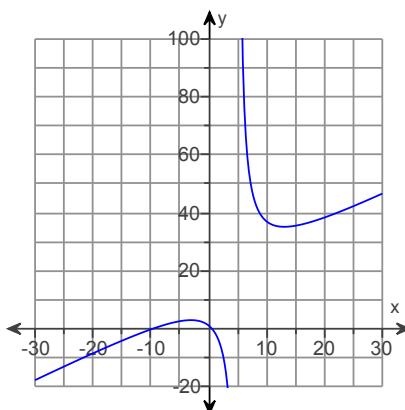
- A.  $\{x \mid x \neq -3\}$
- B.  $\{x \mid x \neq 8, x \neq -1\}$
- C.  $\{x \mid x \neq 3\}$
- D.  $\{x \mid x \neq -8, x \neq 1\}$

3. Identify any vertical asymptotes in the graph.



- A.  $x = 4$
- B.  $x = 0, x = -4$
- C.  $x = -4$
- D.  $x = 9$

4. Identify any horizontal asymptotes in the graph.



- A. None
- B.  $y = 5$
- C.  $y = 1$
- D.  $y = -9$

5. Find any vertical asymptotes.

$$h(x) = \frac{(x - 4)(x + 9)}{x^2 - 4}$$

- A.  $x = 4, x = -9$
- B. None
- C.  $x = -4, x = 9$
- D.  $x = 2, x = -2$

6. Find any vertical asymptotes.

$$f(x) = \frac{6x^3 + 6x - 3}{x^2 + 8x - 9}$$

- A.  $y = 1, y = -9$
- B.  $y = 6$
- C.  $x = 1, x = -9$
- D.  $x = -1, x = 9$

7. Find the horizontal asymptote of the given function.

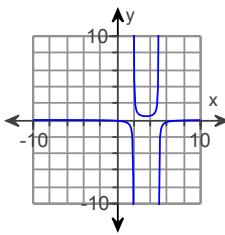
$$g(x) = \frac{x + 7}{x^2 - 3}$$

- A.  $y = -7$
- B.  $y = 3$
- C.  $y = 0$
- D. None

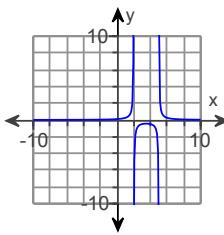
8. Match  $f(x)$  with its graph without using a calculator.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{(x - 2)(x - 5)}$$

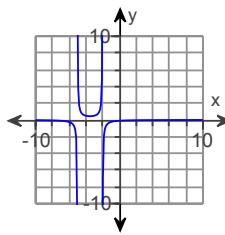
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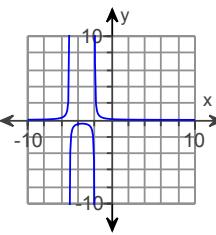
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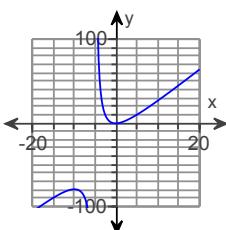
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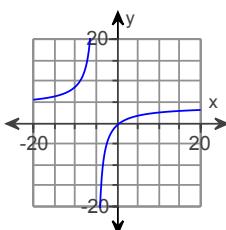
9. Sketch the graph of the rational function.

$$f(x) = \frac{4x^2 - 3}{x + 5}$$

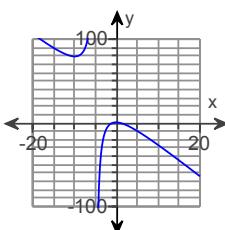
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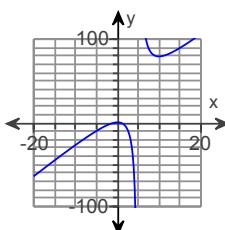
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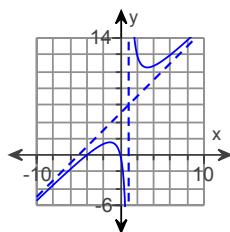
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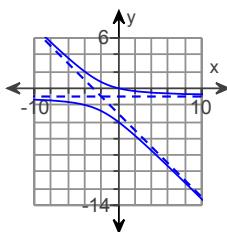
10. Sketch the graph of the rational function.

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

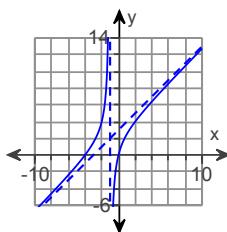
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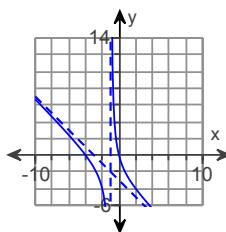
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D.



11. Solve the equation.

$$\frac{-7}{x+8} = -\frac{3}{8}$$

A.  $-\frac{43}{8}$

B.  $\frac{80}{3}$

C.  $\frac{32}{3}$

D.  $\frac{43}{3}$

12. Solve the rational equation.

$$\frac{x+1}{2} = \frac{x+2}{3}$$

A. -1

B. -3

C. 3

D. 1

13. Solve the rational equation.

$$\frac{1}{x+6} + \frac{2}{x+3} = -\frac{3}{x^2 + 9x + 18}$$

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- A. 3
  - B. 0
  - C. -6
  - D. no real solutions
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14. Solve the polynomial inequality.

$$(x+3)(x-3)^2 > 0$$

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- A.  $(-3, \infty)$
  - B.  $(-\infty, \infty)$
  - C.  $(-3, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$
  - D.  $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, \infty)$
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15. Solve the polynomial inequality.

$$x^3 + 10x^2 + 29x \leq -20$$

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- A.  $(-\infty, -5] \cup [-4, -1]$
  - B.  $(-\infty, 1] \cup [4, 5]$
  - C.  $[-5, -4] \cup [-1, \infty)$
  - D.  $(-\infty, -5) \cup (-4, -1)$
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16. Solve the rational inequality.

$$\frac{5}{(x+5)^2} < 0$$

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- A.  $(-\infty, \infty)$
  - B. No solution
  - C.  $(-\infty, -3)$
  - D.  $(0, \infty)$
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17. Solve the rational inequality.

$$3 + \frac{23}{x} - \frac{8}{x^2} \leq 0$$


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- A.  $\left[ -8, \frac{1}{3} \right]$
  - B.  $\left[ \frac{1}{3}, 8 \right]$
  - C.  $(-\infty, -8] \cup \left[ \frac{1}{3}, \infty \right)$
  - D.  $[-8, 0) \cup \left( 0, \frac{1}{3} \right]$
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18. Evaluate the expression by hand.

$$64^{-3/2}$$


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- A.  $-\frac{1}{512}$
  - B.  $\frac{1}{512}$
  - C.  $-512$
  - D.  $512$
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19. Evaluate the expression by hand.

$$8^{-4/3}$$


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- A.  $\frac{1}{16}$
  - B.  $\frac{1}{64}$
  - C.  $32$
  - D.  $128$
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20. Use positive rational exponents to rewrite the expression.

$$\frac{\sqrt[4]{y+1}}{\sqrt[3]{y+1}}$$


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- A.  $(y+1)^{5/6}$
  - B.  $\frac{1}{(y+1)^{1/6}}$
  - C.  $(y+1)^{3/2}$
  - D.  $(y+1)^{1/6}$
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21. Use radical notation to rewrite.

$$a^{-1/2}b^{3/4}$$

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A.  $\frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt[3]{b^4}}$

B.  $\frac{\sqrt[3]{b^4}}{\sqrt{a}}$

C.  $\frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt[4]{b^3}}$

D.  $\frac{\sqrt[4]{b^3}}{\sqrt{a}}$

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22. Solve the equation.

$$\sqrt{3x+1} = 3 + \sqrt{x-4}$$

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A. -1

B. 5, 8

C. -5, -8

D. No solution

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23. Solve the equation.

$$\sqrt{x+6} + \sqrt{2-x} = 4$$

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A. -2,  $\sqrt{31}$

B. 2, -2

C. 0

D. -2

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24. Use  $f(x) = x^3$  and  $g(x) = x + 3$  to evaluate  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(-3)$ .

A. 1

B. -27

C. Undefined

D. 0

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25. Find  $(g - f)(x)$ .

$$f(x) = 5x + 6; g(x) = 2x^2$$

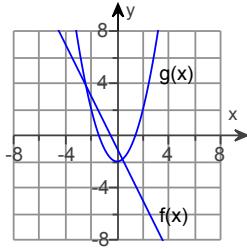
- A.  $2x^2 - 5x - 6$
- B.  $2x^2 - 5x + 6$
- C.  $3x^3 + 4x^2$
- D.  $5x + 6 - 2x^2$

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

$$f(x) = 9x^2 - 4x; g(x) = x^2 - 2x - 8$$

- A.  $\frac{9-x}{8}$
- B.  $\frac{9x}{x+1}$
- C.  $\frac{9x-4}{-2}$
- D.  $\frac{9x^2-4x}{x^2-2x-8}$

27. Evaluate  $(fg)(-2)$ .



- A. 6
- B. 0
- C. -6
- D. 4

28.

Find  $g(7)$  when  $g(x) = \frac{x+4}{x+9}$ .

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- A.  $\frac{3}{16}$
  - B.  $-\frac{11}{2}$
  - C.  $\frac{11}{16}$
  - D.  $-\frac{11}{16}$
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29.

Find  $(f \circ g)(2)$  when  $f(x) = 3x + 9$  and  $g(x) = \frac{2}{x}$ .

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- A. 15
  - B. 12
  - C.  $\frac{2}{15}$
  - D. 16
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30. Find  $(f \circ g)(4)$  when  $f(x) = 2x + 5$  and  $g(x) = 5x + 7$ .

- A. 351
  - B. 40
  - C. 59
  - D. 72
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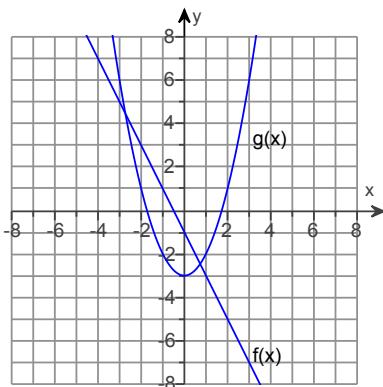
Given  $f(x) = \frac{x-8}{9}$  and  $g(x) = 9x + 8$ , find  $(g \circ f)(x)$ .

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- A.  $x - \frac{8}{9}$
  - B.  $x + 16$
  - C.  $9x + 64$
  - D.  $x$
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32. Use the graph to evaluate the expression.

$$(f \circ g)(2)$$



- A. -5
- B. -4
- C. 0
- D. -3

33. Find the functions  $f$  and  $g$  so that  $F(x) = (f \circ g)(x)$ .

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 9}$$

- A.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 - 9$
- B.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{9}$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 - 9$
- C.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$ ;  $g(x) = -\frac{1}{9}$
- D.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$ ;  $g(x) = x - 9$

34. Find the functions  $f$  and  $g$  so that  $F(x) = (f \circ g)(x)$ .

$$F(x) = (-7x + 13)^4$$

- A.  $f(x) = -7x^4$ ;  $g(x) = x + 13$
- B.  $f(x) = x^4$ ;  $g(x) = -7x + 13$
- C.  $f(x) = -7x + 13$ ;  $g(x) = x^4$
- D.  $f(x) = (-7x)^4$ ;  $g(x) = 13$

1. A.  $\{x \mid x \neq \pm 2\}$

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2. B.  $\{x \mid x \neq 8, x \neq -1\}$

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3. B.  $x = 0, x = -4$

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4. A. None

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5. D.  $x = 2, x = -2$

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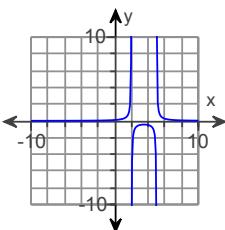
6. C.  $x = 1, x = -9$

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7. C.  $y = 0$

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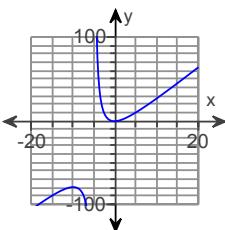
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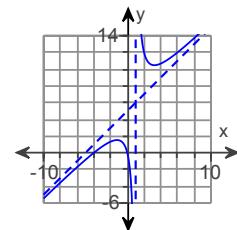
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A.

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11. C.  $\frac{32}{3}$

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12. D. 1

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13. D. no real solutions

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14. C.  $(-3, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

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15. A.  $(-\infty, -5] \cup [-4, -1]$

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16. B. No solution

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17. D.  $[-8, 0) \cup \left(0, \frac{1}{3}\right]$

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18. B.  $\frac{1}{512}$

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19. A.  $\frac{1}{16}$

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20. D.  $(y+1)^{1/6}$

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21. D.  $\frac{4\sqrt[4]{b^3}}{\sqrt{a}}$

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22. B. 5, 8

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23. D. -2

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24. C. Undefined

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25. A.  $2x^2 - 5x - 6$

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26. D.  $\frac{9x^2 - 4x}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$

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27. A. 6

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28. C.  $\frac{11}{16}$

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29. B. 12

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30. C. 59

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31. D. x

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32. D. - 3

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33. A.  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ ;  $g(x) = x^2 - 9$

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34. B.  $f(x) = x^4$ ;  $g(x) = -7x + 13$