

Assessment of Learning for Unit 6 – Combining Functions

Knowledge	Application	Thinking	Communication
/15	/10	/5	/2

- Instructions:
- Non-graphing calculators may be used but not shared. Notebooks may not be used.
 - Only methods taught in MHF4U1 will be accepted. Show all work in the space provided.
 - The use of cellphones, audio- or video-recording devices, digital music players or email or text-messaging devices during the assessment is prohibited.

Knowledge and Understanding – [15 Marks]

Multiple Choice: Place the CAPITAL letter of the correct answer on the provided line.

1. Given the functions $f(x) = 2\log_3(x+3)$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{5-x}$, then the domain of $(f \div g)(x)$ is **D**
- A. $-3 < x \leq 5$ B. $x \leq -3$ C. $x \geq 5$ D. $-3 < x < 5$
2. If $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are both odd functions, where $g(x) \neq 0$, then $h(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$ is **B**
- A. an odd function B. an even function C. neither even nor odd D. cannot be determined
3. Given the following functions, determine the following in simplest **exact** form. [10 Marks]

$f(x) = \{(-5,2), (\sqrt{2},3), (3,0), (\pi,-1), (14,\sqrt{7})\}$	$g(x) = \{(-1,\pi), (2,\sqrt{2}), (3,-1), (4,3)\}$
$h(x) = 2x^2 - 18$	$k(x) = 2\cos(2x) - 3$
$m(x) = x^2 - x - 6$	

- a. $(f \circ g)(x)$ [2] b. $f\left(k\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)\right)$ [2]
- $f \circ g = \{(-1,-1), (2,3), (4,0)\}$** **$= f(-5)$**
 $= 2$
- c. $\left(\frac{m}{h}\right)(x)$ [2] d. $(f^{-1} \times g)(x)$ [2]
- $\frac{m(x)}{h(x)} = \frac{x^2 - x - 6}{2x^2 - 18}$**
 $= \frac{(x-3)(x+2)}{2(x-3)(x+3)}$
 $= \frac{x+2}{2(x+3)}$ **$= \{(-1,\pi^2), (2,-5\sqrt{2}), (3,-\sqrt{2})\}$**
- e. Domain of $\left(\frac{g}{h}\right)(x)$ [2]
- $= \{-1, 2, 4\}$**
4. Given $f(x) = 3x$ and $g(x) = 2\sqrt{x-1}$. Find the value(s) of x that make $(f \circ g)(x) = (g \circ f)(x)$. [3 Marks]
- $(f \circ g)(x) = 6\sqrt{x-1}$**
 $(g \circ f)(x) = 2\sqrt{3x-1}$
 $6\sqrt{x-1} = 2\sqrt{3x-1}$
 $3\sqrt{x-1} = \sqrt{3x-1}$
 $9(x-1) = 3x-1$
 $6x = 8$
 $x = \frac{4}{3}$

APPLICATION – [10 Marks]

1. Let $f(x) = x^4 + bx^2 - 1$ and $g(x) = ax^2 + 2x - 1$. The functions are combined to form the new function, $h(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x)$. Points $(1, 16)$ and $(-1, -8)$ satisfy the new function. Determine the values of a and b . [5 Marks]

$$f(x)g(x) = (x^4 + bx^2 - 1)(ax^2 + 2x - 1)$$

$$h(1) = 10 \quad (b)(a+1) = 10 \quad (1)$$

$$h(-1) = -10 \quad (b)(a-3) = -10 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{(1)}{(2)} : \frac{a+1}{a-3} = -1$$

$$a+1 = -a+3$$

$$2a = 2$$

$$a = 1$$

Sub. $a = 1$ into (1): $2b = 10$

$$b = 5$$

2. Given the graph $y = k(x)$ below and the functions $m(x) = \sqrt{3-5x}$, $h(x) = \frac{7x+1}{x^2-2x-5}$

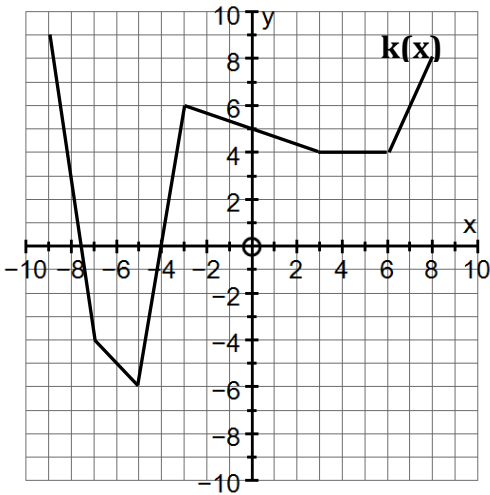
$f(x) = m(h(k(x)))$ and $n(x) = 4h(-10x) - k(k(m(x)+1))$,
determine the following

a. $f(-4)$ [3]

b. $n(-\frac{1}{5})$ [3]

$$\begin{aligned} f(-4) &= m(h(k(-4))) \\ &= m(h(0)) \\ &= m\left(\frac{-1}{5}\right) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n\left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) &= 4h(-10x) - k(k(m(x)+1)) \\ &= 4h(2) - k\left(k\left(m\left(-\frac{1}{5}\right)+1\right)\right) \\ &= 4(-3) - k(k(3)) \\ &= -12 - 4 \\ &= -16 \end{aligned}$$



Thinking – [5 Marks]

1. Solve $f(g(x)) \leq (h^{-1} \circ h)(x) - p(x)$, given $f(x) = x + 2$, $g(x) = x^2 + 5x - 18$, $h(x) = \frac{12}{x-7}$ and $p(x) = \log(10^{x^2})$. [5 Marks]

$$f(g(x)) = x^2 + 5x - 16$$

$$(h^{-1} \circ h)(x) = x$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) &= \log(10^{x^2}) \\ &= x^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(g(x)) \leq (h^{-1} \circ h)(x) - p(x)$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 16 \leq x - x^2$$

$$2x^2 + 4x - 16 \leq 0$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 8 \leq 0$$

$$(x+4)(x-2) \leq 0$$



$$\therefore x \in [-4, 2]$$

Two (2) marks will be awarded in the Communication Category for proper mathematical form and notation.