

### Quiz: Exponents and radicals

*Do these problems without a calculator. Answer in the space provided.*

Simplify, leaving no negative or fractional exponents.

1.  $3x^{-2}y \times 2x^3y^{-1}$

2.  $\sqrt{a^4b}$

3.  $x^{\frac{1}{2}} \times \left(\frac{y}{z^3}\right)^2$

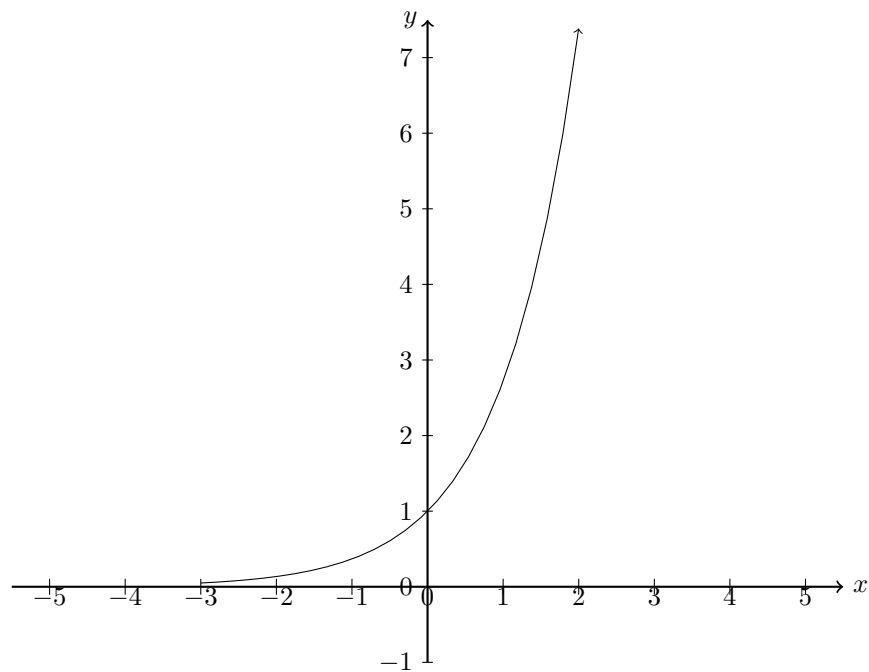
4.  $(a^6b^2)^{\frac{1}{3}} \div a^{-1}b$

5. Let  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} - 16$  and  $g(x) = (x - 4)^4$

(a) Find  $(f \circ g)(x)$

(b) Find  $f^{-1}(x)$

6. The function  $f(x) = e^x$  is shown on the graph. Sketch  $g(x) = -f(x - 4) + 3$ . Plot and label the asymptotes.



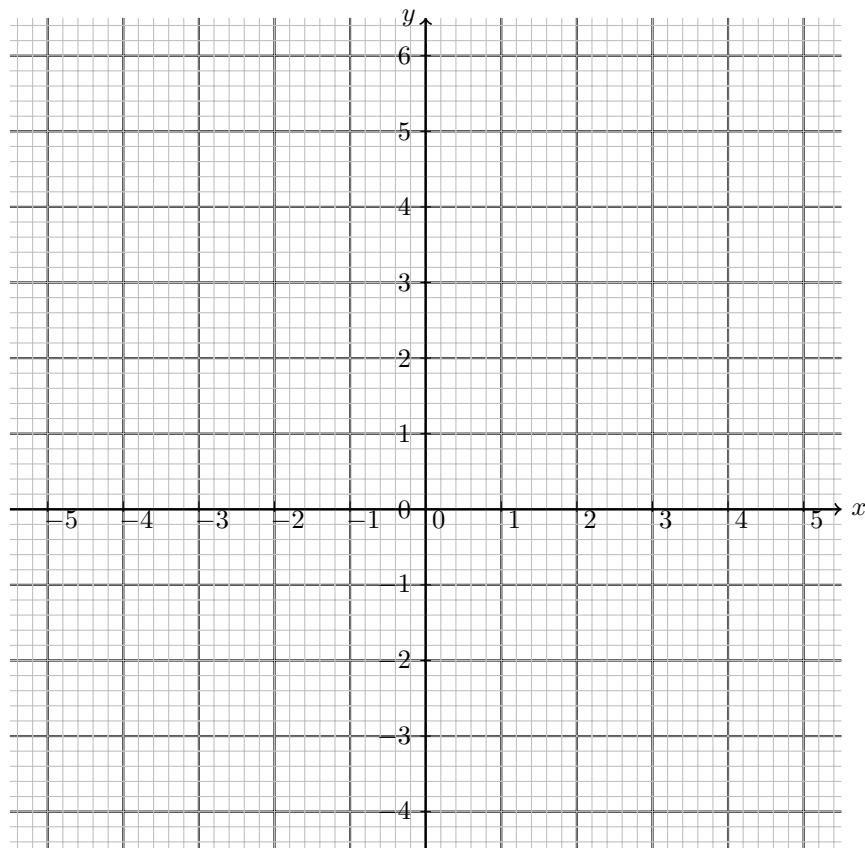
7.  $(\frac{1}{x^{-2}} - 4)^2 \times \frac{1}{5}x^{-4}y^3$
8.  $\frac{x^2\sqrt{12x^6}}{xy\sqrt[5]{32x^{-5}}}$
9.  $a^3b^{-3} \div a^{-4}b^{\frac{1}{2}}$
10.  $\frac{6}{5}(x^{-2}y)^2 \times \frac{1}{3}(x^4y^{-1})$
11.  $25^{\frac{3}{2}}$
12.  $\sqrt[3]{\frac{16a^9b^{-3}}{z^{-4}}}$
13.  $\sqrt{20}$
14.  $\sqrt{12x^4}$
15.  $4\sqrt{x} - 3\sqrt{x}$
16.  $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{ab^2} + \frac{3}{2}b\sqrt{a}$
17.  $x^2\sqrt{xy^3} + 3y\sqrt{xy}$
18.  $(x^2 + x - 5)(x - 1)$
19.  $(2x^2 - 4x + 1)(3x - 1)$
20. Let  $f(x) = (4x + 8)^2 - 3x$  and  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}x - 2$ . Find  $(f \circ g)(x)$

Express each item as fractions with rational denominators.

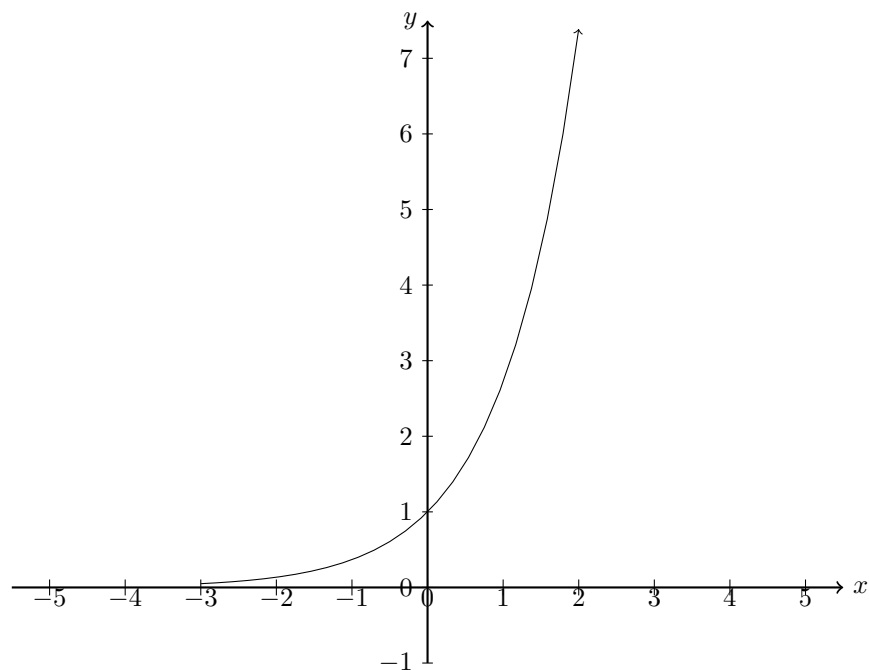
21.  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
22.  $\frac{1-x}{\sqrt{x}}$
23.  $\frac{7}{3+\sqrt{5}}$
24.  $\frac{x^2-3}{x-\sqrt{3}}$

25. Let  $f(x) = x^2 - 5x + 4$  and  $g(x) = x - 1$

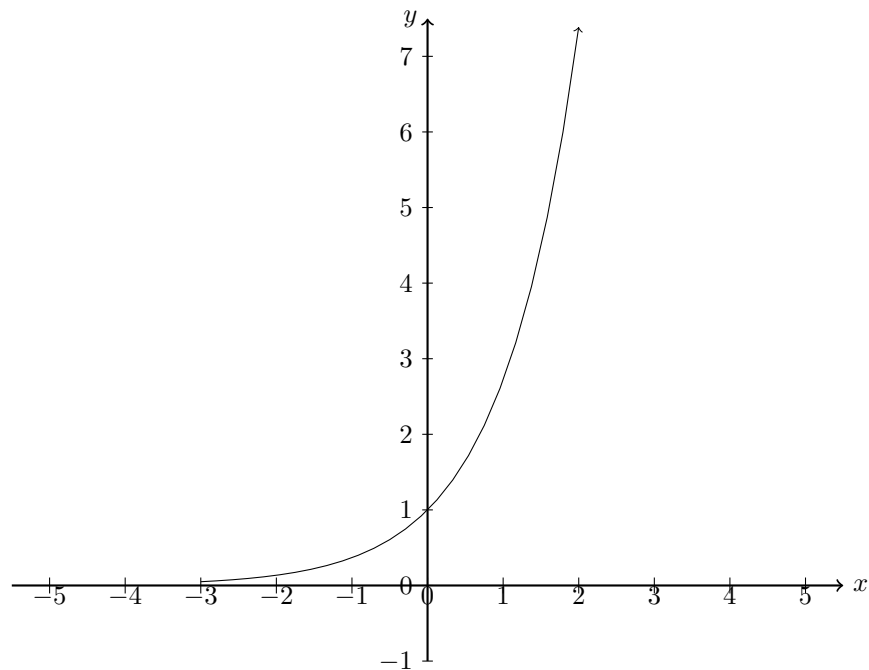
- (a) Rewrite  $f$  in vertex form and state the vertex as an ordered pair.
- (b) Factor the function  $f$  and write down its roots.
- (c) Graph the function  $f$ , labeling it. Mark the intercepts and graph the axis of symmetry as a dotted line, labeling it with its equation.
- (d) Graph  $g$  and label it with its name or equation.
- (e) Mark the intersections of  $f$  and  $g$  as ordered pairs.
- (f) Select one of the solutions and show that it satisfies the system by substituting it into both functions.



26. The function  $f(x) = e^x$  is shown on the graph. Sketch  $g(x) = f(x - 3)$ .



27. The function  $f(x) = e^x$  is shown on the graph. Sketch  $g(x) = f(-x) + 2$ . Plot and label the asymptote.



28. Graph the function  $f(x) = x^2 - 4$  over the domain  $x \geq 0$  on the grid below.

(a) Label the  $y$ -intercept as an ordered pair.

(b) Label the point representing the solution to the equation  $f(x) = 0$  as an ordered pair.

(c) Write down the value of  $f^{-1}(-3)$  and label the point  $(f^{-1}(-3), -3)$ .

(d) Graph the inverse function,  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

