Quiz #0 (Diagnostic Quiz), 8/23 Math 156 (Calculus I), Fall 2022

This quiz is designed to check your background in high school algebra. It will not be graded.

1. Simplify the following expressions:

(a)
$$(-3)^4$$

(b)
$$3^{-4}$$

(c)
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2. Solve the following equations:

(a)
$$\frac{2x}{x+1} = \frac{2x-1}{x}$$
 (b) $x^2 - x - 12 = 0$

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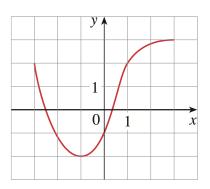
3. Decide whether each of these identities is true or false:

(a)
$$(p+q)^2 = p^2 + q^2$$
 (b) $\sqrt{ab} = \sqrt{a}\sqrt{b}$

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4. Find the equation of a line that passes through point (2, -5) and is parallel to line 2x - 4y = 3.

5. Consider the function f graphed below:



(a) State the value of f(-1).

(b) Estimate the values of x for which f(x) = 0.

(c) What are the domain and the range of f?

6. Convert from degrees to radians (for (a) and (b)) or radians to degrees (for (c)):

(a)
$$300^{\circ}$$
 (b) -18° (c) $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

(c)
$$\frac{5\pi}{6}$$

7. Find the exact value of these evaluations of trigonometric functions (assume input is radians):

(a)
$$\tan(\pi/3)$$

(b)
$$\sin(7\pi/6)$$