

**Math 120  
Exam #4  
Spring '08**

**Show all work** (and answers) on the blank paper provided. Write nothing on this paper other than your name.

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1) The quadratic function  $f(x) = -3x^2 - 12x - 1$  represents a parabola. Obtain vertex form, and give the vertex, axis, domain, and range.

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2) Divide using synthetic division:  $\frac{x^3 + x^2 - 11x - 10}{x - 3}$

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3) Using synthetic division and appropriate theorems, find all rational zeros of  $f(x) = 8x^4 - 14x^3 - 29x^2 - 4x + 3$ .

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4) For  $f(x) = 2x^3 - 9x^2 - 6x + 5$ , list all possible rational zeros, find all rational zeros, and factor  $f(x)$  into linear factors.

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5) Find a polynomial function  $f$  of degree 4 with real coefficients such that 3, 1, and  $-1 - 3i$  are zeros and  $f(2) = -36$ .

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6) Find a polynomial function  $f$  of least degree having only real coefficients and the zeros  $1 + i$  and 4 (multiplicity 2).

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7) Solve each equation.

a.  $4^{3-y} = 16^y$

b.  $\frac{1}{5} = c^{-5}$

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9a 10

8) Find the future value if \$35,000 is invested at 8.9% compounded quarterly for 7 years. (Use the formula  $A = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{m}\right)^{mt}$ ).

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9) Solve each equation.

a.  $x = \log_6 \frac{1}{216}$

b.  $\frac{2}{3} = \log_x \sqrt[3]{16}$

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10) Rewrite  $\log_9 \frac{13r^2}{h}$  as an expression consisting of  $\log_9 13$ ,  $\log_9 r$ , &  $\log_9 h$ .

total 130

curve

11) Rewrite  $5 \log_5 a - 7 \log_5 c^4$  as a single logarithm with coefficient 1.

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**EXTRA:** Graph  $f(x) = \frac{2x}{x^2 - 1}$  using the step-by-step procedure outlined in either the textbook or the online notes.