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To be successful in Mth 111 you should be able to ...

Prerequisite Material

1. Solve a linear equation algebraically.
2. Solve a quadratic equation algebraically. (QF is adequate)
3. Graph a line from its equation.
4. Find the equation of a line from two points.
5. Find the equation of a line from a graph of the line.
6. Find the equation of a line using regression.

Functions I (include algebraic form, graphic form, tabular form)

1. Explain the concept of a function. i.e. What is a function?
2. Determine if a relationship is a function. i.e. vertical line test
3. Understand function notation in algebraic, graphic and tabular sense.
4. Evaluate functions with change of variable, at a value, with new expression. e.g. $f(x) \rightarrow f(t), f(2), f(a + b)$
5. Give the domain and range of a function from its algebraic, graphic or tabular form.
6. Give increasing or decreasing intervals.
7. Find local maximums or minimums.
8. Find the roots (zeros) of a function.
9. Graph piecewise functions.
10. Rewrite a piecewise graph in algebraic format.
11. Rewrite an implicit function in explicit form. i.e. $F(x,y) = 0 \rightarrow y = f(x)$.
12. Graph a function in a 'friendly' window (appropriate window).
13. Simplify the different quotient. i.e. Simplify $\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h}$
14. Compute the average rate of change. (i.e. avg slope)
15. Transform a function graphically. i.e. $y = f(x)$ vs. $y = a f(b(x \pm h)) \pm k$

Mathematical Models

1. Interpret a mathematical model in algebraic or graphic form.
2. Identify the independent vs. the dependent variable.

Quadratics

1. Graph a quadratic and identify the four critical points: roots, vertex and y-intercept.
2. Switch between the key quadratic forms:

$$y = ax^2 + bx + c \leftrightarrow y = a(x - h)^2 + k \leftrightarrow y = a(x - r_1)(x - r_2)$$
3. Find the equation of a quadratic from:

(a) two roots and a third point (b) vertex and a third point., (c) three random points.

Functions II (include algebraic form, graphic form, tabular form)

1. Perform various operations among functions. e.g. $f(x) + g(x)$, $[f(x)][g(x)]$, $f(g(x))$, $f^2(x)$, etc.
2. Find the inverse of a function algebraically.
3. Find the inverse of a function graphically.
4. Determine if the inverse of a function is a function. i.e. Vertical/Horizontal Line test.
5. Show that $f(x) \circ f^{-1}(x) = f^{-1}(x) \circ f(x) = x$ algebraically.
6. Distinguish between $f^{-1}(x)$ vs. $[f(x)]^{-1}$

Solving Equations Using the Graphing Calculator

1. Solve $f(t) = g(t)$ by the intersection method.
2. Solve $f(t) = 0$ by the root method.

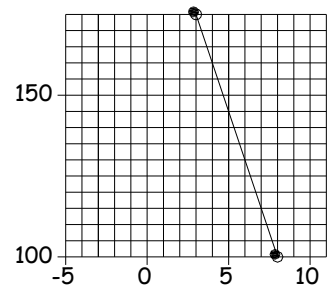
Exponents and Exponential Equations (include algebraic form, graphic form, tabular form)

1. Apply the Rules of Exponents to simplify expressions. e.g. $(3x^2)^3 = 3^3 x^6$
2. Interpret an exponential model in algebraic or graphic form.
 - a. Interpret $P(t) = P_0e^{-kt}$
 - b. Interpret $P(t) = P_0e^{rt}$
 - c. Interpret $y = a b^t$
3. Solve exponential equations algebraically. e.g. Solve for x : $3 e^{mx+b} = 10$

Logarithms and Logarithmic Equations (include algebraic form, graphic form, tabular form)

1. Apply the Rules of Logarithms to simplify expressions. e.g. $\ln(4x) - \ln x = \ln 4$
2. Solve logarithmic equations algebraically. e.g. Solve for x : $\ln(mx + b)^2 = 10$

1) Use the indicated points to find the equation of this line in slope-intercept form.



2) Find the equation of the line that passes through the midpoint of the line segment shown here and is perpendicular to this line segment.

3) Solve for x and check your answer: $3 - \frac{x - 1}{2} = \frac{x}{4}$

4) Solve for x and check your answer: $\frac{2x - 4}{3} - 5 = 12 - \frac{7x - 3}{2}$

5) Solve for y: $10 - \frac{2x - 5y}{3} = 12 - 5 \frac{3y - 8x}{2}$

6) Solve for x: $\frac{3x^2}{2} - \frac{5}{4} = \frac{5 - 7x}{4}$

7) For $f(x) = 1 - 3x^2$, compute and simplify the difference quotient $\frac{f(x + h) - f(x)}{h}$

8) For $f(t) = t^2$, simplify $4 [f(x - 1)] + 10$

9) $f(x) = xe^{(2x)}$ Simplify the following: (a) $f(3t) =$ (b) $f(a + b) =$

10) Simplify to an equivalent expression.

(a) Combine factors and convert to all positive exponents.

$$\frac{(a^2x^{-3})^3 (ax^4)^2}{(a^{-4}x^0)^2} =$$

(b) Simplify to $a^n a^m$

$$a^{mx + b} =$$

(c) Simplify to x^n

$$f(x) = x^4; f^3(x^2) =$$

- 11) A bacteria population at 12:00 was 100. 5 hours later the population had increased to 140.
- Using $P(t) = P_0 e^{kt}$ with 12:00 corresponding to $t = 0$, determine P_0 .
 - Determine k accurate to 4 significant digits.
 - Using your model what will be the population in 15 hours?
 - In how many hours will the population reach 250,000?
- 12) Mathematics often requires solving complex equations where algebraic methods are insufficient. e.g. This equation would be rather difficult to solve algebraically: $xe^x = 2x^3(x + 1)$

Outline a procedure for solving such equations, then give all solutions to the equation (there are three)!

13) $f(x) = 3x^2 - 12$; $g(t) = \sqrt{t+1}$

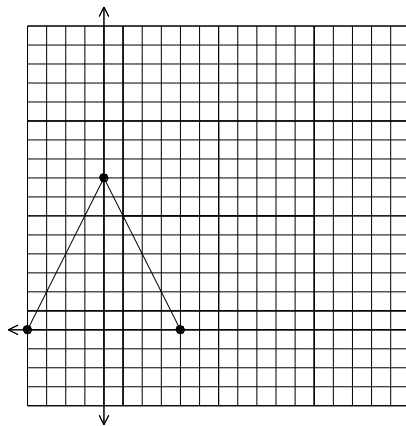
(a) Compute $f(g(x))$

(b) Compute $f^2(x)$

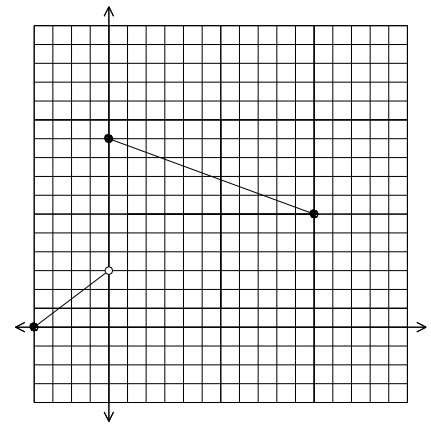
(c) Compute $[g(3)/f(2)]^2$

14) Find the inverse of the following function: $f(x) = -3x/4 + 24$

- 15) $f(x)$ is shown. (a) Describe $2f(x - 8) - 4$ then sketch the result. (b) Describe $8 - f(x)$ then sketch the result. (c) Describe $f(\frac{x-4}{3})$ then sketch the result.



- 16) $g(x)$ is shown. Find $g^{-1}(x)$ in 2 ways. (a) Draw the inverse and compute the algebraic form. (b) compute the algebraic form for $g(x)$ and compute the inverse from that.



- 17) Find the average rate of change from $x = -2$ to $x = 6$ for $y = (\frac{1}{4})(x + 4)(x)(x - 8)$. Hint: Use the Table feature of you TI. What does this number represent?

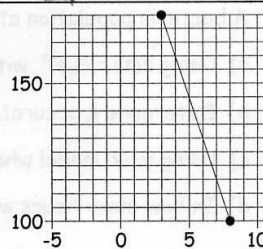
- 18) Find the parabola that passes through $(-6, 0)$ and has a vertex at $(8, 6)$

KEY

- 1) Use the indicated points to find the equation of this line in slope-intercept form.

$(3, 175) (8, 100)$

$y = -15x + 220$



- 2) Find the equation of the line that passes through the midpoint of the line segment shown here and is perpendicular to this line segment.

$mp = \left(\frac{3+8}{2}, \frac{175+100}{2} \right) m = \frac{1}{15}$
 $\left(\frac{11}{2}, \frac{175}{2} \right)$

$y = \frac{1}{15}x + \frac{1307}{15}$

- 3) Solve for x: $3 + \frac{-x+1}{2} = \frac{x}{4}$

$4 \cdot 3 + \cancel{4} \cdot \frac{-x+1}{2} = \frac{x}{\cancel{4}}$

$12 + 2 - 2x = x$
 $14 = 3x$

$x = \frac{14}{3}$ ✓

- 4) Solve for x and check your answer:

$\frac{2x-4}{3} - 5 = 12 + \frac{-7x+3}{2}$

$\frac{2x-4}{3} + 6(-5) = 6 \cdot 12 + \frac{3-7x}{2}$

$25x = 119$

$x = \frac{119}{25}$ ✓

- 5) Solve for y: $10 + \frac{-2x+5y}{3} = 12 + \frac{3y-8x}{2}$

$6 \cdot 10 + \frac{5y-2x}{3} = 6 \cdot 12 + \frac{3y-8x}{2}$

$55y = 124x + 12$

$y = \frac{124x + 12}{55}$

- 6) Solve for x: $\frac{3x^2}{2} - \frac{5}{4} = \frac{5-7x}{4}$

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$6x^2 + 7x - 10 = 0$

$x = -2, \frac{5}{6}$

- 7) For $f(x) = 1 - 3x^2$, compute and simplify the difference quotient $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

$\frac{[1 - 3(x+h)^2] - [1 - 3x^2]}{h} = \frac{1 + (-3)(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - 1 + 3x^2}{h} = \frac{(-6x - 3h)h}{h} = -6x - 3h$

- 8) For $f(t) = t^2$, simplify $4[f(x-1)] + 10$

$4[(t-1)^2] + 10 = 4t^2 - 8t + 4 + 10 = 4t^2 - 8t + 14$

- 9) $f(x) = xe^{2x}$ Simplify the following: (a) $f(3t) =$

$3te^{6t}$

(b) $f(a+b) = (a+b)e^{2a+2b}$ or

$(a+b)e^{2a} \cdot e^{2b}$

- 10) Simplify to an equivalent expression.

(a) Combine factors and convert to all positive exponents.

$\frac{(a^2x^{-3})^3 (ax^4)^2}{(a^{-4}x^0)^2} \cdot a^{16} / x$

(b) Simplify to a^nb^m

$(a^3b^4)^2 (a^3b^2)^4 = a^{18}b^{16}$

(c) Simplify to x^n

$f(x) = x^4; f^3(x^2) = [(x^2)^4]^3 = x^{24}$

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 - Determine k accurate to 4 significant digits. $140 = 100 e^{k \cdot 5}$ $k \approx 0.06729$
 - Using your model what will be the population in 15 hours? ~ 274
 - In how many hours will the population reach 250,000? 116.3 hrs
- 12) Mathematics often requires solving complex equations where algebraic methods are insufficient. e.g. This equation would be rather difficult to solve algebraically: $x e^x = 2x^3(x+1)$

Outline a procedure for solving such equations, then give all solutions to the equation!

Left Hand Side $\rightarrow y_1$ Find intersections
 Right Hand Side $\rightarrow y_2$ x -values = solutions

$$x \approx 0, 0.7834, 6.413$$

Graph

13) $f(x) = 3x^2 - 12$, $g(t) = \sqrt{t+1}$

- (a) Compute $f(g(x))$ (b) Compute $f^2(x)$ (c) Compute $[g(3)/f(2)]^2$

$$3(\sqrt{t+1})^2 - 12 = \boxed{3t-9}$$

$$(3x^2-12)^2 = 9x^4 - 72x^2 + 144$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{4}}{3 \cdot 2^2 - 12} = \boxed{\phi}$$

- 14) Find the inverse of the following function: $f(x) = -3x/4 + 24$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{4x-96}{-3} = -\frac{4x+96}{3}$$

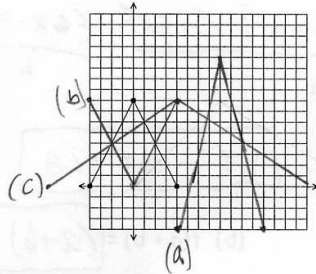
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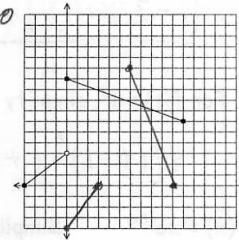
(a) $\rightarrow 8, \uparrow \times 2, \downarrow 4$

(b) $\uparrow 8, \uparrow \times$

(c) $\rightarrow 4, \leftarrow \times 3$



$$g^{-1}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{4}{3}x - 4, & 0 \leq x < 3 \\ -\frac{11x}{4} + 27.5, & 6 \leq x \leq 10 \end{cases}$$



- 17) Find the average rate of change from $x=-2$ to $x=6$ for $y = (\frac{1}{4})(x+4)(x)(x-8)$. What does this number represent? Hint: Use Tables

$$\begin{matrix} (-2, 10) \\ (6, -30) \end{matrix} \quad m = \frac{-30-10}{6-(-2)} = \boxed{-5}$$

slope from $x=-2$ to $x=6$ on curve.

- 18) Find the parabola that passes through $(-6, 0)$ and has a vertex at $(8, 6) = (h, k)$

$$y = a(x-8)^2 + 6 \quad a = -\frac{3}{98}$$

$$0 = a(-6-8)^2 + 6$$

$$y = \frac{-3}{98}(x-8)^2 + 6$$