

ALGEBRA 2 PRACTICE TEST 2

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Directions: Complete as many problems as you can in the 30 minutes allotted to you. No calculators!

1. Which is the largest number?
 (A) $-37\frac{2}{3}$ (B) -37.6 (C) -37.12 (D) $-37\frac{17}{24}$ (E) $-37\frac{33}{48}$
2. $16.\overline{745}$ is an element of what set(s) of numbers?
 I. Irrational II. Rational III. Real
 (A) I (B) II (C) III (D) I and III (E) II and III
3. Simplify $(a^{y+4})^2$
 (A) a^{2y+8} (B) $a^{y^2+8y+16}$ (C) a^{y^2+16} (D) a^{y^2+8} (E) a^{y+6}
4. Which point does not satisfy the linear equation $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 3$?
 (A) $(-6, 7)$ (B) $(0, 3)$ (C) $(12, -5)$ (D) $(-9, -6)$ (E) $(3, 1)$
5. Evaluate $g - h(-g - h)$ if $g = -5$ and $h = -2$.
 (A) -49 (B) -21 (C) -19 (D) 1 (E) 9
6. In k more years, Sue will be h years old. How old was Sue j years ago?
 (A) $h - k - j$ (B) $k - h - j$ (C) $h + k - j$ (D) $h - k + j$ (E) $h - k$
7. If $x^{\frac{3}{4}}y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 16$, find the value of $\frac{1}{\frac{3}{x^4}}$ when $y^{\frac{2}{3}}$ equals 2.
 (A) $\frac{1}{14}$ (B) $\frac{1}{8}$ (C) 8 (D) 14 (E) 32
8. $4a^2 - \frac{3}{a}$ is equivalent to which of the following?
 (A) a (B) a^2 (C) $3\frac{2}{3}a$ (D) $4a - 3$ (E) $\frac{4a^3 - 3}{a}$
9. Given $\frac{40\%}{x} + \frac{40\%}{x} = 80$. Find x .
 (A) 0.0025 (B) 0.005 (C) 0.01 (D) 0.1 (E) 1
10. If $m = -3k^4 - 2k^3 + 4k^2 + 1$ and $n = 6k^4 - 8k^3 - 10k^2 - 5$, find the value of $m - n$.
 (A) $-9k^4 + 6k^3 - 6k^2 + 6$ (B) $-9k^4 - 10k^3 - 6k^2 - 4$ (C) $-9k^4 - 10k^3 + 14k^2 + 6$
 (D) $-9k^4 + 6k^3 + 14k^2 + 6$ (E) $-9k^4 + 6k^3 + 14k^2 - 4$
11. If $[(x - y)^{0.25}]^4 - 7 = -28.12$, find the value of $3 + [(x - y)^{0.25}]^4$.
 (A) -38.12 (B) -32.12 (C) -24.12 (D) -21.12 (E) -18.12
12. Find the value of $(\sqrt[3]{-x^2 - 4x})^3$ if $2 - x = 4$.
 (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 4 (D) 10 (E) 12
13. Solve $\frac{u_1 w_1}{v_1} = \frac{u_2 w_2}{v_2}$ for v_2 .
 (A) $\frac{u_2 v_1 w_2}{u_1 w_1}$ (B) $\frac{u_1 w_1}{u_2 v_1 w_2}$ (C) $\frac{u_1 v_1 w_1}{u_2 w_2}$ (D) $\frac{u_2 w_2}{u_1 v_1 w_1}$ (E) $\frac{u_1 v_1 u_2}{w_1 w_2}$
14. If $v = -0.5$, then which of the following is true?
 (A) $\frac{1}{v^8} < \frac{1}{v^9} < \frac{1}{v^{10}}$ (B) $\frac{1}{v^{10}} < \frac{1}{v^9} < \frac{1}{v^8}$ (C) $\frac{1}{v^{10}} < \frac{1}{v^8} < \frac{1}{v^9}$ (D) $\frac{1}{v^9} < \frac{1}{v^8} < \frac{1}{v^{10}}$ (E) $\frac{1}{v^9} < \frac{1}{v^{10}} < \frac{1}{v^8}$

15. If $\frac{12}{4x^2-9} = 6$, then $\frac{(2x-3)(2x+3)}{12} + 7 =$
- (A) $1\frac{1}{6}$ (B) $7\frac{1}{6}$ (C) 9 (D) 11 (E) 13
16. If $(a^2 + c^2) + d = e + f$, then $\frac{(a^2 + c^2)^2}{5} =$
- (A) $\frac{(e+f-d)^2}{5}$ (B) $\frac{(e+f-d)^2}{25}$ (C) $\frac{(e+f+d)^2}{5}$ (D) $\frac{(e+f)^2}{5d}$ (E) $\frac{(e+f)^2}{25d^2}$
17. Given $\frac{-1}{x-3} = \frac{1}{y+2}$, what is the value of $x-1$?
- (A) $-y+4$ (B) $y+4$ (C) $y-1$ (D) $-y$ (E) y
18. If $16 - 8\sqrt[3]{\frac{g+h}{j+k}} = 4\sqrt[3]{\frac{g+h}{j+k}} - 8$, then $\sqrt[3]{\frac{g+h}{j+k}} - 6 =$
- (A) $-5\frac{1}{3}$ (B) -4 (C) 0 (D) 2 (E) 6
19. Find the value of x if $\frac{\left(\frac{x^2-x-6}{x-3}\right)^4}{\left(\frac{x^2-3x-10}{x-5}\right)^3} = 6$ where $x \neq -2, 3, 5$.
- (A) -3 (B) 1 (C) 0 (D) 4 (E) 5
20. What fraction of $4x^6$ is $2x^2$?
- (A) $\frac{2}{x^4}$ (B) $\frac{2}{x^4}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2x^4}$ (D) $\frac{1}{2x^{-4}}$ (E) $2x^4$
21. Solve $2x = \frac{5+6x}{3}$ for x .
- (A) -5 (B) 0 (C) 1 (D) 5 (E) does not exist
22. If $x = \frac{m^{-4}b^5}{c^{-2}}$ and $c = \frac{m^{-2}}{b^4}$, then $x =$
- (A) $m^{-8}b^{-3}$ (B) b^{-3} (C) $m^{-8}b^{13}$ (D) b^{13} (E) $m^{-8}b^{-11}$
23. Given $6+2-d+b=2$ and $8+d+2=5-g$, find the value of $\frac{(g+b)^2}{2}$.
- (A) 12.5 (B) 18 (C) 32 (D) 50 (E) 60.5
24. If the mixed fraction $a\frac{b}{c}$ is greater than the mixed fraction $x\frac{y}{c}$, find the value of $a\frac{b}{c} - x\frac{y}{c}$.
- (A) $\frac{acb-xy}{c}$ (B) $\frac{xc+y-ac+b}{c}$ (C) $\frac{xc+y-ac-b}{c}$ (D) $\frac{ac+b-xy}{c}$ (E) $\frac{ac+b-xy}{c}$
25. If golf balls cost y dollars each, how many can you buy if you have x cents?
- (A) $\frac{100x}{y}$ (B) $\frac{x}{y}$ (C) $\frac{y}{x}$ (D) $\frac{y}{100x}$ (E) $\frac{x}{100y}$

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| 6. A | 7. B | 8. E | 9. C | 10. D |
| 11. E | 12. C | 13. A | 14. D | 15. B |
| 16. A | 17. D | 18. B | 19. D | 20. C |
| 21. E | 22. A | 23. E | 24. E | 25. E |