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Pre-Calculus Chapter 0.5 Practice Test

1.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Calculate the distance between the given points.

a) (-4, 5) and (-9, -7)

$x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2$

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-9 - (-4))^2 + (-7 - 5)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-9 + 4)^2 + (-12)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-5)^2 + (-12)^2}$$

$$\sqrt{25 + 144}$$

$$\sqrt{169}$$

$$\boxed{13}$$

b) (0, -7) and (-4, -5)

$x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2$

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-4 - 0)^2 + (-5 - (-7))^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (-5 + 7)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16 + (2)^2}$$

$$\sqrt{16 + 4}$$

$$\sqrt{20}$$

$$\boxed{2\sqrt{5}}$$

2.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Find the midpoint of the segment joining the two points.

a) (-3, -1) and (-7, 2)

$x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2$

$$\left( \frac{x_2 + x_1}{2}, \frac{y_2 + y_1}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{-7 + (-3)}{2}, \frac{2 + (-1)}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{-10}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right) \boxed{\left( -5, \frac{1}{2} \right)}$$

b) (-5, 12) and (7, 16)

$x_1, y_1 \quad x_2, y_2$

$$\left( \frac{x_2 + x_1}{2}, \frac{y_2 + y_1}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{7 + (-5)}{2}, \frac{16 + 12}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{2}{2}, \frac{28}{2} \right)$$

$$\boxed{(1, 14)}$$

3.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Find the x- and y-intercepts and graph the corresponding lines.

a)  $y = -3x + 2$

x-intercept  $x = \frac{2}{3}$

$$y = 0$$

$$0 = -3x + 2$$

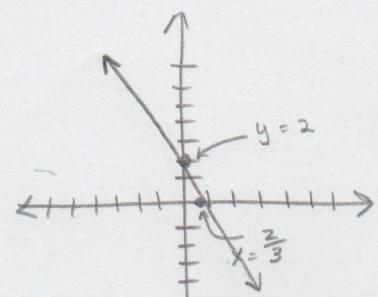
$$-2 = -3x$$

$$\frac{-2}{-3} = \frac{-3x}{-3}$$

y-intercept  
 $x = 0$

$$y = -3(0) + 2$$

$$y = 2$$



b)  $y = x^2 + 6x - 27$

$$0 = x^2 + 6x - 27$$

$$x^2 + 6x = 27$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 36$$

x-intercept  
 $y = 0$

$$0 = x^2 + 6x - 27$$

$$0 = (x+9)(x-3)$$

$$(x+9) = 0 \quad (x-3) = 0$$

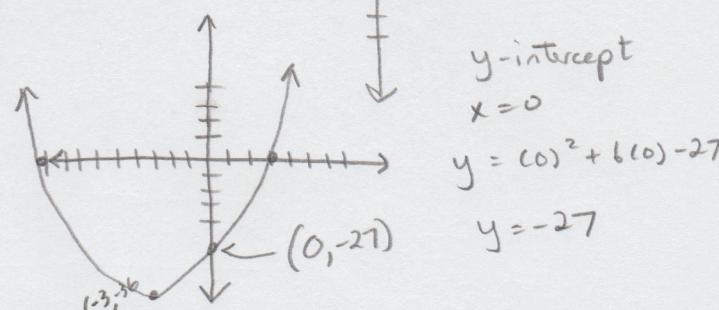
$$-9 -9$$

$$x = -9 \quad x = 3$$

vertex:  
 $(-3, -36)$

$$(x+3)^2 = 36$$

$$(x+3)^2 - 36 = 0$$



4.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Write the equation of the circle in standard form.

a) Center  $(6, -7)$

$$r = 8$$

$$\frac{(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2}{(x-6)^2 + (y+7)^2 = 64} \quad (h, k) = \text{center}$$

$$\boxed{(x-6)^2 + (y+7)^2 = 64}$$

b) Center  $(-4, -1)$

$$r = 3\sqrt{5}$$

$$(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$

$$\frac{(x+4)^2 + (y+1)^2 = (3\sqrt{5})^2}{(x+4)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 45} = 9 \cdot 5 = 45$$

$$\boxed{(x+4)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 45}$$

5.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) State the center and radius of the circle with the given equation.

a)  $(x + 3)^2 + (y - 7)^2 = 81$   $(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$   
 $(h, k) = (-3, 7)$   $\sqrt{81} = r$   
radius = 9

b)  $(x + 1)^2 + (y + 2)^2 = 8$   $(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$   
center:  $(-1, -2)$   
radius =  $\sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$

6.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Find the center and radius of the circle.

a)  $x^2 + y^2 + 8x + 2y - 28 = 0$   
 $(\frac{8}{2})^2$   $x^2 + 8x + 16$   $y^2 + 2y + 1$   $= 28 + 16 + 1 = 45$   
 $(x+4)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 45$   
center  $(-4, -1)$  radius  $\sqrt{45} = 3\sqrt{5}$

b)  $x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 10y + 2 = 0$   
 $(\frac{-2}{2})^2$   $x^2 - 2x + 1$   $(\frac{-10}{2})^2$   $y^2 - 10y + 25 = -2 + 1 + 25$   
 $(x-1)^2 + (y-5)^2 = 24$   
center:  $(1, 5)$   
radius:  $\sqrt{24} = 2\sqrt{6}$

7.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Find the slope of the line that passes through the given point.

a)  $(11, -3)$  and  $(-2, 6)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{slope} &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{6 - (-3)}{-2 - 11} = \frac{9}{-13} \end{aligned}$$

b)  $(-1, -4)$  and  $(4, 6)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{slope} &= \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \\ &= \frac{6 - (-4)}{4 - (-1)} = \frac{10}{5} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

8.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Write the equation in slope-intercept form. Identify the slope and the y-intercept.

a)  $3x - 5y = 15$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} +5y & +5y \\ 3x & = 5y + 15 \\ -15 & -15 \\ \hline 5y & = 3x - 15 \\ \hline 5 & 5 & 5 \end{array}$$

slope-intercept form =  $y = mx + b$

$$\boxed{y = \frac{3}{5}x - 3}$$

b)  $8 = 4x - 16y$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} +16y & +16y \\ 8 & -8 \\ \hline 16y & = 4x - 8 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \frac{16y}{16} & = \frac{4x - 8}{16} \\ \hline y & = \frac{x}{4} - \frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

9.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Write the equation of the line in both point-slope and slope-intercept form.

a) Slope:  $m = -6$  y-intercept:  $(0, 9)$

$$\begin{aligned}y - 9 &= -6(x - 0) \\y - 9 &= -6x \\+9 &\quad +9\end{aligned}$$

Point-slope

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 9 = -6(\bar{x} - 0)$$

Slope-intercept

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -6x + 9$$

b) Slope:  $m = 0$  y-intercept:  $(0, -4)$

$$y + 4 = 0(x - 0)$$

$$y = -4$$

$$\begin{aligned}y + 4 &= 0 \\y &= -4\end{aligned}$$

10.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Write the equation of the line that passes through the given point. Express the equation in slope-intercept form.

a) Slope:  $m = -\frac{1}{3}$   
 $(-6, 9)$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 9 = -\frac{1}{3}(x + 6) \quad y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 7$$

$$\begin{aligned}y - 9 &= -\frac{1}{3}x + 2 \\+9 &\quad +9\end{aligned}$$

b) Slope:  $m = 4$   
 $(-2, 8)$

$$y - 8 = 4(x + 2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}y - 8 &= 4x + 8 \\+8 &\quad +8\end{aligned}$$

$$y = 4x + 16$$

- 11.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Find the equation of the line that passes through the given point and also satisfies the additional piece of information.

a) (1, 4); perpendicular to  $6x + 14y = 7$

$$\text{slope} = -\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = -\left(\frac{6}{14}\right) = -\frac{3}{7}$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 4 = \frac{7}{3}(x - 1)$$

perpendicular lines  
opposite inverse  
 $-\left(\frac{7}{-3}\right) = \frac{7}{3}$

b) (3, 5); parallel to  $3x - 8y = 20$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 5 = \frac{3}{8}(x - 3)$$

$$\text{slope} = -\left(\frac{A}{B}\right) = -\left(\frac{3}{-8}\right) = \frac{3}{8}$$

parallel lines have  
some slopes.

- 12.) (4 pts each) Write an equation that describes the variation.

a) P varies inversely with  $r^2$

$$P = \frac{k}{r^2}$$

- 13.) (8 pts tot, 4 pts each) Write an equation that describes the variation.

a) y varies inversely with both x and z;  $y = 32$ ,  $x = 4$ ,  $z = 0.05$

$$y = \frac{k}{xz} \quad 32 = \frac{k}{(4)(0.05)}$$

$$0.2(32) = \left(\frac{k}{0.2}\right) 0.2$$

$$k = 6.4$$

$$y = \frac{6.4}{xz}$$

b) V varies directly with h;  $V = 18$ ,  $h = 8$

$$V = kh$$

$$18 = k(8)$$

$$\frac{18}{8} = \frac{8k}{8}$$

$$\frac{9}{4} = k$$

$$V = \frac{9h}{4}$$