

# Beginning Algebra

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MATH 100B

# Preface

This math book has been created by the BYU-Idaho Math Study Center for the college student who needs an introduction to Algebra. This book is the product of many years of implementation of an extremely successful Beginning Algebra program and includes perspectives and tips from experienced instructors and tutors.

Videos of instruction and solutions can be found at the following url:

<https://youtu.be/YKgyvSq42j8>

We hope that it will be helpful to you as you take Algebra this semester.

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## Section R-1 Factoring and Least Common Multiple

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

LCM and Factoring	Find Factors	Find LCM
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Order of Operations	Use the order of operations correctly	
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### Factoring

Main Topics	Examples								
<p><b>Find all Factors</b></p> <p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Start with 1 and move up finding numbers that are factors.</li> <li>2. List the numbers you have found. These are all the factors.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1: Find all factors of 48</b></p> <table border="1"> <tbody> <tr> <td> <math>1 \times 48 = 48</math>  <math>2 \times 24 = 48</math>  <math>3 \times 16 = 48</math>  <math>4 \times 12 = 48</math>  <math>6 \times 8 = 48</math>  <math>8 \times 6 = 48</math> </td> <td>           Step 1: Find all factors that multiply to be the product 48, starting with the number 1 and 48, and moving up the number line         </td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td> <b>Note: In the last row we see <math>8 \times 6 = 48</math>. The 8 has already been used in the factors, so we know that all of the factors have been found.</b> </td> </tr> <tr> <td>1, 48, 2, 24, 3, 16, 4, 12, 6, 8</td> <td>           Step 2: Now we will list all the numbers we used until we saw the repeated number, and these will be our factors         </td> </tr> <tr> <td>1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24, 48</td> <td> <b>To make them a little easier to see, we can put them in numerical order from smallest to largest</b> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	$1 \times 48 = 48$ $2 \times 24 = 48$ $3 \times 16 = 48$ $4 \times 12 = 48$ $6 \times 8 = 48$ $8 \times 6 = 48$	Step 1: Find all factors that multiply to be the product 48, starting with the number 1 and 48, and moving up the number line		<b>Note: In the last row we see <math>8 \times 6 = 48</math>. The 8 has already been used in the factors, so we know that all of the factors have been found.</b>	1, 48, 2, 24, 3, 16, 4, 12, 6, 8	Step 2: Now we will list all the numbers we used until we saw the repeated number, and these will be our factors	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24, 48	<b>To make them a little easier to see, we can put them in numerical order from smallest to largest</b>
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**Prime Factorize**

*Prime:* A number with exactly two factors.

**Steps**

1. Find a factor, break the number up.
2. Repeat until all factors are prime.

**Example 2: Find the prime factorization for 60 and 72.**

	<p>Step 1: Break up the number into two factors.</p> <p>Step 2: Repeat for each factor until prime numbers are reached.</p>	
$60 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5$		$72 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3$

**Least Common Multiple****Main Topics****Find the LCM (Observation)****Steps:**

1. Write out the multiples for 4 and 5.
2. The first number that both multiples hit is **20**.
3. The LCM of 4 and 5 is **20**.

**Examples****Example 3: Find the LCM of 4 and 5**

4	5
8	10
12	15
16	<b>20</b>
<b>20</b>	25
24	30
28	35
32	40

**Find the LCM (Prime Factorization)****Steps:**

1. Prime Factorize
2. Write the smallest number that contains all of the numbers.
3. Multiply it out = LCM.

Note: the LCM contains the largest set of each prime factor.

**Example 4:**

Prime factorization of 4

$$4 = 2 \times 2$$

Prime factorization of 6

$$6 = 2 \times 3$$

$$2 \times 2 \times 3$$

$$2 \times 2 \times 3 = 12$$

12 is the LCM of 4 and 6



**Example 5:**

Prime factorization of 40

$$40 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5$$

Prime factorization of 36

$$36 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3$$


$$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5$$

$$2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 = 360$$

360 is the LCM of 40 and 36

**Section R-1 Exercises****Find the factors for each number**

1. 30

2. 150

3. 37

4. 12

5. 75

6. 81

**Find the prime factorization of each number.**

7. 50

8. 16

9. 27

10. 100

11. 99

12. 13

**Find the least common multiple (LCM) of each set of numbers.**

13. 3, 8

14. 20, 75

15. 5, 7

16. 12, 120

17. 4, 16

18. 8, 12

19. 6, 14

20. 17, 10

21. 12, 15

22. 3, 5, 10

23. 2, 6, 9

24. 4, 8, 10

**Preparation.**

After reading some of section R.2, find:

25.  $\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{10}$

26.  $2.38 \div .75$

**Section R-1 Answers**

- |     |  |     |           |
|-----|--|-----|-----------|
| 1.  | 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30                  | 22. | 30        |
| 2.  | 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 25, 30, 50, 75, 150 | 23. | 18        |
| 3.  | 1, 37                                      | 24. | 40        |
| 4.  | 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12                          | 25. | In Class. |
| 5.  | 1, 3, 5, 15, 25, 75                        | 26. | In Class. |
| 6.  | 1, 3, 9, 27, 81                            |     |           |
| 7.  | $2 \times 5 \times 5$                      |     |           |
| 8.  | $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$             |     |           |
| 9.  | $3 \times 3 \times 3$                      |     |           |
| 10. | $2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5$             |     |           |
| 11. | $3 \times 3 \times 11$                     |     |           |
| 12. | 13   |     |           |
| 13. | 24   |     |           |
| 14. | 300  |     |           |
| 15. | 35   |     |           |
| 16. | 120  |     |           |
| 17. | 16   |     |           |
| 18. | 24   |     |           |
| 19. | 42   |     |           |
| 20. | 170  |     |           |
| 21. | 60   |     |           |

## Section R-2 Fractions and Decimals

CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

<b>LCM and Factoring</b>	Find Factors	Find LCM
<b>Fractions</b>	Addition/ Subtraction	Multiplication/ Division
<b>Decimals</b>	Addition/ Subtraction	Multiplication/ Division
<b>Rounding</b>	Nearest Place Value	
<b>Percents</b>	Change fraction and decimals to percents	Find percents of totals
<b>Exponents, Roots</b>	Expand and evaluate exponentials	Find roots that are whole numbers
<b>Order of Operations</b>	Use the order of operations correctly	
<b>Variables and Formulas</b>	Translate words to variables	Replace numbers and use formulas

## Arithmetic of Fractions

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Key Terms</b>	
Denominator	<b>Denominator</b> - The bottom of the fraction. To denominate means to name or label.
Numerator	<b>Numerator</b> - The top of a fraction. A numerator counts how many of the denominators there are. $\frac{5}{7}$ is read five sevenths.
Simplify	<b>Simplify</b> - Fractions are simplified when the numerator and denominator have no factors in common. You can also say that the fraction is <i>reduced</i> .
One	<b>One</b> - Any number divided by itself is 1. $\frac{5}{5}, \frac{7}{7}, \frac{120}{120}$
Common Denominators	<b>Common Denominators</b> - Addition and subtraction require like things. In the case of fractions, “like things” means common denominators.
Least Common Denominator (LCD)	<b>Least Common Denominator (LCD)</b> - As the name indicates, this is the lowest possible common denominator between two or more fractions. There are an infinite number of possible common denominators, but usually the easiest one to choose is the lowest or least one. *Finding the LCD is the same process as finding the LCM

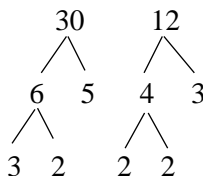
## Addition and Subtraction of Fractions

Steps

1. Get a common denominator between the fractions.
2. Add or subtract the numerators.
3. Simplify.

**Example 1: Add**  $\frac{13}{30} + \frac{7}{12}$

$$\frac{13}{30} + \frac{7}{12}$$



$$\frac{13}{30} \times \frac{2}{2} = \frac{26}{60} \quad \frac{7}{12} \times \frac{5}{5} = \frac{35}{60}$$

$$\frac{26}{60} + \frac{35}{60} = \frac{61}{60}$$

$$\frac{26}{60} + \frac{35}{60} = \frac{61}{60}$$

**Answer:**  $\frac{61}{60}$

**Example 2: Subtract**  $\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3}$

$$\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1 \times 3}{3 \times 3}$$

$$\frac{5}{9} - \frac{3}{9} = \frac{2}{9}$$

**Answer:**  $\frac{2}{9}$

Step 1: Common denominator. Let's use prime factorization to find the LCD.

Prime factorization of 30:

$$2 \times 3 \times 5$$

Prime factorization of 12:

$$2 \times 2 \times 3$$

We need a number whose factors include each of these:

$$2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 60$$

Step 2: **Add the numerators**

Step 1: The common denominator is 9,

so change the  $\frac{1}{3}$  to a  $\frac{3}{9}$ .

Step 2: **Subtract the numerators**

<p><b>Multiplication of Fractions</b></p> <p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No common denominators.</li> <li>2. Multiply numerators.</li> <li>3. Multiply denominators.</li> <li>4. Simplify.</li> </ol> <p>Note: three expressions of multiplication:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Times <math>\times</math>    <math>5 \times 3 = 15</math></li> <li>• Dot <math>\cdot</math>        <math>5 \cdot 3 = 15</math></li> <li>• Next to        <math>5(3) = 15</math></li> </ul>	<p><b>Example 3: Multiply</b> <math>\frac{5}{6} \times \frac{1}{3}</math></p> $\frac{5}{6} \times \frac{1}{3}$ <p>Step 1: For multiplication, don't worry about getting <b>common denominators</b></p> $\frac{5}{6} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{?}$ <p>Step 2: Multiply the <b>numerators</b> straight across</p> $\frac{5}{6} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{18}$ <p>Step 3: Multiply the <b>denominators</b> straight across</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>\frac{5}{18}</math></p>
<p><b>Division of Fractions</b></p> <p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Change any fractions into improper fractions.</li> <li>2. Keep it, change it, flip it.</li> <li>3. Multiply straight across.</li> <li>4. Simplify</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 4: Divide</b> <math>3\frac{4}{7} \div \frac{2}{3}</math></p> $\left(\frac{21}{7} + \frac{4}{7}\right) \div \frac{2}{3}$ <p>Step 1: Change the first term into an <b>improper fraction. (Whole numbers just get common denominators like others.)</b></p> $\frac{25}{7} \div \frac{2}{3}$ <p>Step 2: Keep the first fraction the same, <b>change the division sign to multiplication, and flip the second fraction</b></p> $\frac{25}{7} \times \frac{3}{2}$ <p>Step 3: Multiply the <b>numerators</b> and the <b>denominators</b> straight across</p> $\frac{25 \rightarrow 3}{7 \rightarrow 2} = \frac{75}{14}$ <p>Step 4: Simplify (if necessary)</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>\frac{75}{14}</math></p>

	<p><b>Example 5: Divide</b> <math>\frac{2}{5} \div 1\frac{3}{4}</math></p> $\frac{2}{5} \div \left(\frac{4}{4} + \frac{3}{4}\right)$ $\frac{2}{5} \div \frac{7}{4}$ $\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{4}{7}$ $\frac{2 \rightarrow 4}{5 \rightarrow 7} = \frac{8}{35}$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>\frac{8}{35}</math></p>	<p>Step 1: Change the first term into an <b>improper fraction</b>. (Whole numbers just get common denominators like others.)</p> <p>Step 2: Keep the first fraction the same, <b>change the division sign to multiplication</b>, and <b>flip the second fraction's numerator and denominator</b></p> <p>Step 3: Multiply the <b>numerator</b> across and the <b>denominator</b> across</p> <p>Step 4: Simplify (if necessary)</p>
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## Using a Calculator

After learning to do these by hand, and practicing a few of them, you should learn to use a calculator to do the problems as well. Most scientific calculators have a key that will allow you to input fractions as well as receive the answer as a fraction as well. Have your teacher or a tutor point out which buttons on your calculator are for fractions. Then practice it.

## Arithmetic of Decimals

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Key Terms</b></p> <p>Place Values</p> <p>Decimal</p>	<p><b>Place Values</b> - Every place on the left or right of the decimal holds a certain value. To the left of the decimal, the values are ones, tens, hundreds, thousands, and so forth. On the right of the decimal, the place values are tenths, hundredths, thousands, and so forth.</p> $3 \quad , \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 1 \quad . \quad 9 \quad 7 \quad 2$ <p style="text-align: center;"> <span style="margin-right: 100px;">thousands</span> <span style="margin-right: 50px;">hundreds</span> <span style="margin-right: 50px;">tens</span> <span style="margin-right: 50px;">ones</span> <span style="margin-right: 50px;">tenths</span> <span style="margin-right: 50px;">hundredths</span> <span>thousandths</span> </p> <p><b>Decimal</b> - Deci- is a prefix meaning 10. Since every place value is either 10 times larger or smaller than the place next to it, we call each place a decimal place.</p>

Process:

Use your calculator! If you need help using your calculator, contact your tutor and/or instructor.

## Turn a Fraction into a Decimal

Main Topics	Examples
Key Terms	<p>A fraction bar, <math>\frac{a}{b}</math> and a division sign <math>\div</math> are the same thing.</p> <p><b>Example 6:</b> Write <math>\frac{3}{8}</math> as a decimal.      <b>Example 7:</b> Write <math>\frac{5}{11}</math> as a decimal.</p> <p><math>\frac{3}{8}</math> is the same as <math>3 \div 8 = 0.375</math>      <math>\frac{5}{11}</math> or <math>5/11</math> is the same as <math>5 \div 11 = 0.45\overline{45}</math></p> <p><b>Answer: 0.375</b>      <b>Answer: 0.4545</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;">← This bar signifies a <b>repeating pattern</b></p>



## Section R-2 Exercises

### Find Factors.

R-1

1. 16

2. 48

3. 110

### Find the prime factorization.

4. 60

5. 630

6. 225

### Find the least common multiple (LCM).

7. 3 &amp; 13

8. 8 &amp; 22

9. 35 &amp; 21

10. 108 &amp; 32

11. 1500 &amp; 180

12. If two planets are aligned with the sun and one planet goes around the sun every 12 years and the other planet takes 22 years, how long will it be before they are in alignment again?

### Perform the operations by hand. Simplify.

R-2

13.  $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{3}$

14.  $8 + \frac{2}{3}$

15.  $\frac{5}{8} - \frac{1}{2}$

16.  $3\frac{6}{7} - 1\frac{2}{3}$

17.  $3 \times \frac{1}{12}$

18.  $\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{1}{6}$

19.  $\frac{5}{12} \div \frac{1}{3}$

20.  $\frac{6}{9} \div 6$

### Compute with calculator.

21.  $\frac{4}{7} + \frac{1}{9}$

22.  $\frac{14}{19} + \frac{2}{17}$

23.  $\frac{8}{13} - \frac{11}{26}$

24.  $\frac{11}{12} - \frac{1}{21}$

25.  $\frac{45}{3} \times \frac{4}{19}$

26.  $\frac{15}{23} \times \frac{11}{9}$

27.  $\frac{34}{37} \div \frac{2}{7}$

28.  $\frac{22}{33} \div \frac{17}{21}$

### Perform the indicated operation (with or without a calculator).

29.  $186.4 + 57.06$

30. 
$$\begin{array}{r} 58.93 \\ -17.986 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

31. 
$$\begin{array}{r} 2,578 \\ + 389.4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

32.  $365.8 \times 0.5$

33.  $5,968.4 \div 9$

34.  $0.07 \div 0.006$

### Write each fraction as a decimal.

35.  $\frac{4}{11}$

36.  $\frac{7}{2}$

37.  $\frac{7}{9}$

### Preparation.

After reading some of section R.3, find the following:

38. What percent did Jotham get if he had 7 out of 8 questions correct on his quiz?

39. Evaluate  $3 + 8 \times 2^4$

**Section R-2 Answers**

1. 1, 2, 4, 8, 16

2. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16, 24, 48

3. 1, 2, 5, 10, 11, 22, 55, 110

4.  $2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5$

5.  $2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7$

6.  $3 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5$

7. 39

8. 88

9. 105

10. 864

11. 4500

12. 132 years

13.  $\frac{1}{2}$

14.  $\frac{26}{3}$  or  $8\frac{2}{3}$

15.  $\frac{1}{8}$

16.  $2\frac{4}{21}$  or  $\frac{46}{21}$

17.  $\frac{1}{4}$

18.  $\frac{2}{15}$

19.  $\frac{5}{4}$  or  $1\frac{1}{4}$

20.  $\frac{1}{9}$

21.  $\frac{43}{63}$

22.  $\frac{276}{323}$

23.  $\frac{5}{26}$

24.  $\frac{73}{84}$

25.  $\frac{60}{19}$  or  $3\frac{3}{19}$

26.  $\frac{55}{69}$

27.  $\frac{119}{37}$  or  $3\frac{8}{37}$

28.  $\frac{14}{17}$

29. 243.46

30. 40.944

31. 2,967.4

32. 182.9

33.  $663.1\bar{5}$  or 663.156

34.  $11.\bar{6}$  or 11.667

35.  $.\overline{36}$

36. 3.5

37.  $.\bar{7}$

38. In Class.

39. In Class.

## Section R-3 Rounding, Percents, Exponents, Roots, and Order of Operations

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

<b>LCM and Factoring</b>	Find Factors	Find LCM
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### Rounding

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Key Terms	In <b>rounding</b> , we decide to not keep the exact number. For example: If I have \$528.37 in the bank, I might easily say that I have about \$500. I have just rounded to the nearest hundred. On the other hand, I might be a little more specific and say that I have about (still not exact) \$530. I have just rounded to the nearest ten.
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Steps:	<b>Example 1: Round \$4,278.23 to the nearest hundred</b>
1. Look at the digit to the right of where the rounding is.	<p>\$4,278.23</p> <p>\$4,300.00</p> <p>\$4,200.00</p>
2. Less than 5 goes down. 5 or greater goes up.	<p>Decide if our number is closer to the nearest hundred above the number or below the number</p> <p>Since 7 is greater than 5, we round the 2 up to a 3.</p> <p>\$4,278.23 <math>\approx</math> \$4,300.00</p> <p><b>Answer: \$4,300.00</b></p>

## Percents

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<p><b>Key Terms</b></p> <p><b>Percent</b> - The word “percent” comes from two words: PER means divide, and CENT means 100.</p> <p>When we divide by 100 and move from a percent to a decimal, the decimal moves two places to the left. Decimal to percent moves the decimal two place to the right.</p>	<p><b>Example 2: Turn the following fractions into decimals and percents.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;"> </div> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fraction</th> <th>Decimal/Number</th> <th>Percent (rounded)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>\frac{3}{8}</math></td> <td>.375</td> <td>37.5%</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{7}{10}</math></td> <td>.7</td> <td>70%</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>2\frac{1}{2}</math></td> <td>2.5</td> <td>250%</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{15}{18}</math></td> <td>.8333̄</td> <td>83.3%</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{5}{11}</math></td> <td>.4545̄</td> <td>45.5%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8</td> <td>8</td> <td>800%</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{51}{73}</math></td> <td>.698630137...</td> <td>69.9%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 10px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p><b>Turn the following percents into decimals and fractions:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">x% ⇔ Two decimals ⇔ place value</p> <math display="block">23\% = .23 = \frac{23}{100}</math> <math display="block">40\% = .4 = \frac{4}{10} = \frac{2}{5}</math> <math display="block">532.7\% = 5.327 = \frac{5327}{1000}</math> </div>		Fraction	Decimal/Number	Percent (rounded)	$\frac{3}{8}$	.375	37.5%	$\frac{7}{10}$	.7	70%	$2\frac{1}{2}$	2.5	250%	$\frac{15}{18}$	.8333̄	83.3%	$\frac{5}{11}$	.4545̄	45.5%	8	8	800%	$\frac{51}{73}$	.698630137...	69.9%
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<b>Common Mistakes</b>	1. Mistaking exponents for multiplication	Incorrect: $2^4 = 2 \times 4 = 8$
		Correct: $2^4 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 16$
	2. When we say exponential notation out loud: $2^4$	Incorrect: “Two four”
		Correct: “Two to the fourth”
	3. Exponential notation can only be used in multiplication of terms with the same base, not in addition.	Incorrect: $2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 2^4$
		Correct: $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 2^4$
<b>Evaluating Roots</b>		
A square root is the opposite of squaring (raising to the 2 <sup>nd</sup> power).	<b>Example 13: Evaluate <math>\sqrt{196}</math></b>	
	$\sqrt{196}$	Either recognize that $14 \times 14 = 196$ or
<b>Answer: 14</b>	find the $\sqrt{x}$ button on your calculator	

## Order of Operations

<b>Main Topics</b>	<b>Examples</b>									
<b>Getting the right order</b>	<b>Example 14: Simplify <math>2 + 3 \cdot 4 - 5</math></b>									
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$22 + 4$										
Answer: 26										
<b>Common Mistakes</b>	Remember that multiplication and division are on the same level, so when you see both of them, compute from left to right. Similarly, add and subtract left to right.									

## Section R-3 Exercises

Perform the indicated operation.

R-1

1. Find the prime factorization of 216.      2. LCM (75, 90)
3. In a distant solar system, two planets are aligned. One has a 15-year orbit and the other has a 54-year orbit. How many years until they are aligned again?

R-2

4.  $\frac{6}{25} + \frac{5}{8}$       5.  $\frac{3}{5} - \frac{8}{120}$       6.  $\frac{4}{25} \times \frac{5}{8}$       7.  $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{12}$

Perform the indicated operation (round to three decimal places when needed).

8.  $9.83 - 5.635$       9.  $.18 \times .63$

Convert fraction to decimal.

10.  $\frac{5}{16}$       11.  $\frac{24}{5}$

R-3

Round to the nearest tenth.

12. 42.142956      13. .47937      14. 13,693.639      15. 284.359432

Round to the nearest hundred.

16. 23,978.74      17. 5674.90      18. 149.99      19. 3,499,599.99

Write each fraction as a percent.

20.  $\frac{22}{25}$       21.  $\frac{23}{30}$       22.  $\frac{3}{50}$

Write each percent as a fraction. Simplify.

23. 175%      24. 28%      25. 60%

Find the following:

26. 24% of 92      27. 17% of 85      28. .3% of 365
29. The amount of a 7% tax on pants that cost \$25      30. The amount of a 15% tip on a \$36 meal      31. The amount saved with a 30% discount of a coat with a cost of \$85

Write the following exponents in expanded notation and evaluate.

32.  $4^3$

33.  $45^2$

34.  $7^4$

35.  $2^5$

Find the roots.

36.  $\sqrt{36}$

37.  $\sqrt{3025}$

38.  $\sqrt{256}$

39.  $\sqrt{9216}$

Follow order of operations to evaluate.

40.  $216 \cdot 6^3 \div 6^2$

41.  $\frac{30+18 \div 3}{3}$

42.  $5^2 + (11 - 6) \cdot 7$

43.  $26 - 11 + 27 \div 3$

44.  $\frac{6}{8} \cdot \frac{8}{3} + 2$

45.  $3^3 - 5 \cdot 3 + 8 \cdot 10/2$

46.  $8 \div 4 + 35 - (23 - 16) \times 4$

47.  $1 + 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 \cdot 0$

Preparation.

After reading some of section R.4, find the following if  $x = 7$  and  $a = 2$ :

48.  $3x + a^3$



## Section R-3 Answers

1.  $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$  or  $2^3 \times 3^3$
2. 450
3. 270 years
4.  $\frac{173}{200}$
5.  $\frac{8}{15}$
6.  $\frac{1}{10}$
7.  $\frac{1}{18}$
8. 4.195
9. .113
10. .3125
11. 4.8
12. 42.1
13. .5
14. 13,693.6
15. 284.4
16. 24,000
17. 5700
18. 100
19. 3,499,600
20. 88%
21.  $76.\bar{6}\%$  or 76.7%
22. 6%
23.  $1\frac{3}{4}$  or  $\frac{7}{4}$
24.  $\frac{7}{25}$
25.  $\frac{3}{5}$
26. 22.08
27. 14.45
28. 1.095
29. \$1.75
30. \$5.40
31. \$25.50
32.  $4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4$ ; 64
33. 45(45); 2025
34.  $7 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7$ ; 2401
35.  $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2$ ; 32
36. 6
37. 55
38. 16
39. 96
40. 1296
41. 12
42. 60
43. 24
44. 4
45. 52
46. 9
47. 4
48. In class.

## Section R-4 Variables and Formulas

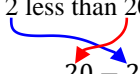
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### Variables

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Key Terms							
Variables	<b>Variables</b> - These symbols or letters, represent numbers, but the numbers can change from time to time, or vary. Thus, they are called variables.						
Substitution	<b>Substitution</b> - Stick in the number for the letter. Then do the operations.						
<p><b>Note:</b> two expressions of multiplication with variables:                  Dot: <math>5 \cdot m</math>                  Next to: <math>5m</math></p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Find <math>7b</math> if <math>b=3</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><math>7b =</math> <math>7(3) = 21</math></td> <td><b>Example 2:</b> Find <math>7b</math> if <math>b=9</math></td> <td><b>Example 3:</b> Find <math>7b</math> if <math>b=13</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>7b =</math> <math>7 \cdot 9 = 63</math></td> <td><math>7b =</math> <math>7(13) = 91</math></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	$7b =$ $7(3) = 21$	<b>Example 2:</b> Find $7b$ if $b=9$	<b>Example 3:</b> Find $7b$ if $b=13$	$7b =$ $7 \cdot 9 = 63$	$7b =$ $7(13) = 91$	
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Translation –  
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Dictionary

Note: Switch  
2 less than 20 is 18  
  
 $20 - 2 = 18$

**Example 5:**

Evaluate  $6x - 2y$  if  $x = 9$  and  $y = 11$

$$\begin{aligned} 6x - 2y &= \\ 6(9) - 2(11) &= \\ 54 - 22 &= \\ 32 & \end{aligned}$$

+	-	·	÷	=
plus	minus	times	divide	totals
add	subtract	twice	half	is
bigger than	smaller than (switch)	double	third	will be
more than	less than (switch)	triple	out of	am
increase	decrease	of	<b>quotient</b>	are
warmer	colder	percent of		<b>equals</b>
interest	discount	<b>product</b>		
gained	sale			
tip	<b>difference</b>			
<b>sum</b>				

**Example 6:**

The cost is 5 less than the product of the width and length

$$C = wl - 5$$

**Example 7:**

25% of the sum of the warmest and coldest temperatures is 5 times the quotient of my height and 4.

$$.25(w + c) = 5 \cdot \frac{h}{4}$$

## Formulas

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## Celsius to Fahrenheit

$$F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$$

F=Fahrenheit, C=Celsius

**Example 13:** If it is 4° Celsius outside, what is the temperature in Fahrenheit?

$$F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$$

$$C = 4^\circ$$

$$F = ?$$

$$F = \frac{9}{5}(4) + 32$$

$$F = 7.2 + 32$$

$$F = 39.2$$

**Answer: 39.2° F**

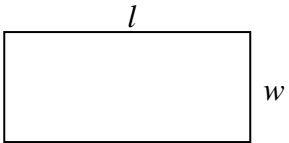
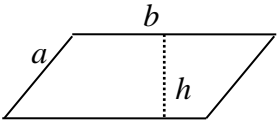
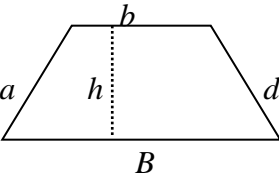
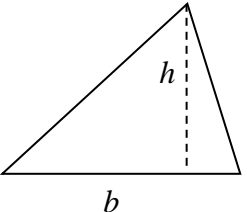
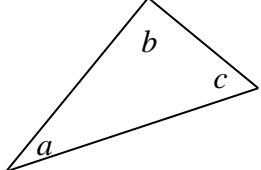
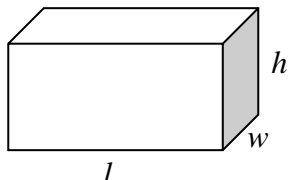
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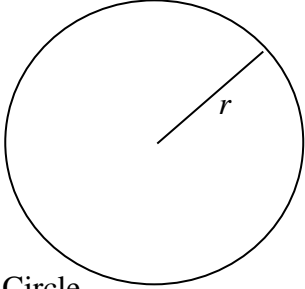
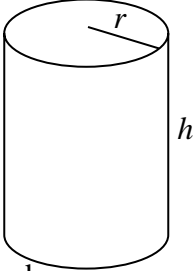
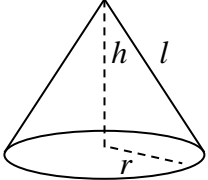
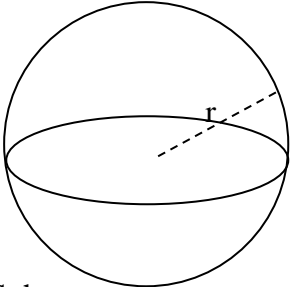
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Simplify for what we are looking for.

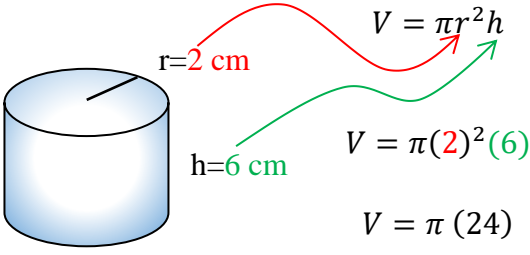

## Common Geometry Formulas

 <p>Rectangle</p>	$P = 2l + 2w$ $A = lw$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>l</math> is the length  <math>w</math> is the width  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Parallelogram</p>	$P = 2a + 2b$ $A = bh$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>a</math> is a side length  <math>b</math> is the other side length  <math>h</math> is height  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Trapezoid</p>	$P = b + a + B + d$ $A = \frac{1}{2}h(B + b)$	<p><math>P</math> is Perimeter  <math>b</math> is the little base  <math>B</math> is the big Base  <math>a</math> is a leg  <math>h</math> is height  <math>d</math> is a leg  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$P = s_1 + s_2 + s_3$ $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>h</math> is height  <math>b</math> is base  <math>A</math> is the Area  <math>s_1</math> is one side  <math>s_2</math> is a second side  <math>s_3</math> is the third side</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$a + b + c = 180$	<p><math>a</math> is one angle  <math>b</math> is another angle  <math>c</math> is another angle</p>
 <p>Rectangular Solid</p>	$SA = 2lw + 2wh + 2lh$ $V = lwh$	<p><math>l</math> is the length  <math>h</math> is the height  <math>w</math> is the width  <math>SA</math> is the Surface Area  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>

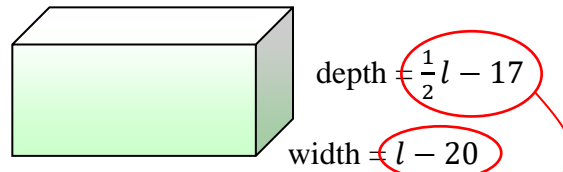
 <p>Circle</p>	$C = 2\pi r$ $A = \pi r^2$	<p><math>C</math> is the Circumference or perimeter  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>A</math> is the area inside the circle.</p>
 <p>Cylinder</p>	$LSA = 2\pi r h$ $SA = 2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$ $V = \pi r^2 h$	<p><math>LSA</math> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides  <math>h</math> is the height  <math>SA</math> is total Surface Area  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>
 <p>Cone</p>	$LSA = \pi r l$ $SA = \pi r^2 + \pi r l$ $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$	<p><math>h</math> is the height  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>l</math> is the slant height  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>SA</math> is total Surface Area  <math>LSA</math> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>
 <p>Sphere</p>	$SA = 4\pi r^2$ $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$	<p><math>r</math> is the radius  <math>SA</math> is the Surface Area  <math>V</math> is the Volume</p>

Note:  $LSA$  and  $SA$  are single quantities and do not represent  $L \cdot S \cdot A$  or  $S \cdot A$  (multiplication of individual variables). The designations in the third column identify what quantities are represented.



Main Topics	Examples
<p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Draw a picture of the situation and label.</li> <li>2. Write out the equation.</li> <li>3. Substitute.</li> <li>4. Evaluate.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 12:</b> What is the volume of a cylinder when the height is 6 cm and the radius is 2 cm? Remember that <math>V = \pi r^2 h</math>.</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center;">  <div style="margin-left: 20px;"> <p><math>V = \pi r^2 h</math>      write out formula</p> <p><math>V = \pi (2)^2 (6)</math>      substitute for r and substitute for h</p> <p><math>V = \pi (24)</math>      Evaluate</p> <p><b>Answer: 75.4 cm<sup>3</sup></b></p> </div> </div> <p><b>Example 13:</b> What is the area of your lawn if the length is 25 feet longer than the width and the width is 35 feet?</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-bottom: 10px;">  <div style="margin-left: 10px;"> <p>width = 35 ft</p> <p>length = width + 25</p> </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <div style="margin-right: 20px;"><math>A = l \cdot w</math></div> <p>Write the formula for the area of the lawn; and translate the information about the length.</p> </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <div style="margin-right: 20px;"><math>l = w + 25</math></div> <p>Substitute for <math>w</math> and substitute for <math>l</math></p> </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <div style="margin-right: 20px;"> <math>A = (width + 25)(35)</math>  <math>A = (35 + 25)(35)</math>  <math>A = (60)(35)</math> </div> <p>Simplify</p> </div> <p><b>Answer: 2100 ft<sup>2</sup></b></p>

**Example 14:** The depth of a rectangular pool is 17 feet less than half of the length and the width is 20 feet less than the length. If the pool is 54 feet long, how much water would you need to fill up a rectangular pool? Remember that  $V = lwh$ .



length = 54 feet

$$V = l(l - 20) \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot l - 17 \right)$$

$$V = 54(54 - 20) \left( \frac{1}{2} \cdot 54 - 17 \right)$$

$$V = 54(34)(10)$$

- Write out an equation of the volume in terms of what you know - in our case " $l$ ."
- Substitute for  $l$ .
- Evaluate.

**Answer:  $18360 \text{ ft}^3$**

## Units for Geometry Answers

1 – Dimensional	2 – Dimensional	3 – Dimensional
<i>length, width, radius, height, distance</i>	<i>Area</i>	<i>Volume</i>
ft, m, yd, mi, in, cm, mm, km, etc.	ft <sup>2</sup> , m <sup>2</sup> , yd <sup>2</sup> , mi <sup>2</sup> , in <sup>2</sup> , cm <sup>2</sup> , mm <sup>2</sup> , km <sup>2</sup> , etc.	ft <sup>3</sup> , m <sup>3</sup> , yd <sup>3</sup> , mi <sup>3</sup> , in <sup>3</sup> , cm <sup>3</sup> , mm <sup>3</sup> , km <sup>3</sup> , etc.

## Section R-4 Exercises

Perform the indicated operation.

R-2

1.  $7.2 + 13.258$

2.  $237.58 - 18.6794$

3.  $.298 \times 1.4$

Perform the indicated operation.

4.  $\frac{4}{5} \times \frac{15}{16}$

5.  $\frac{15}{21} \div \frac{5}{42}$

6.  $\frac{7}{120} \div \frac{21}{40}$

Evaluate.

R-3

7.  $\sqrt{196}$

8.  $65^3$

9.  $\sqrt{7^6}$

Convert to decimal notation (round to four decimal places) and then to a percent.

10.  $\frac{6}{19}$

11.  $\frac{15}{4}$

12.  $\frac{126}{3150}$

Round to the nearest hundredth.

13. 163.69387

14. .01982465

Round to the nearest thousand.

15. 235,724.98

16. 98,482.994

Evaluate.

17.  $3^4 + (5 \times (8 \div 4) - 3)$

18.  $4 \times (8 + 15 \div (26 - 23) \times 5)$

Evaluate the expression with the given variables.

R-4

19.  $4x + t$ : when  $x = 4$  and  $t = 16$

20.  $19x + 47y$ : when  $x = 4$  and  $y = 3$

21.  $x + 2y - z$ : when  $x = 18$ ;  $y = 3$ ;  $z = 20$

22.  $\frac{4}{5}x + \frac{2}{7}y$ : when  $x = 5$  and  $y = 7$

Translate the following into math.

23. John is 5 years older than Maria.

24. Kris is 17 years older than twice Charlotte's age.

25. The radius is 5 less than 4 times the height.

26. Twice the number of nickels is equal to 3 less than the number of pennies.

27. There are four times as many horses as cows.

28. The sum of the numbers of pigs and chickens is equal to 17.

29. A number increased by 30% of the number is equal to 75.

30. Twice the difference between Mark's height and Nick's is equal to 38.

**Find the missing variable. (Note: If you don't use the  $\pi$  button on your calculator for the formulas that use it, your answer may differ slightly)**

**31. For a triangle**

$$b = 4 \text{ in}$$

$$h = 7 \text{ in}$$

$$A = ?$$

**32. For a cone**

$$r = 3.8 \text{ m}$$

$$l = 5.1 \text{ m}$$

$$SA = ?$$

**33. For a sphere**

$$r = 16 \text{ cm}$$

$$V = ?$$

**34.** I have a rectangular sand box whose length is 4 more than its width. If the width is 12 ft, what is the perimeter of the sand box?

**35.** What is the volume of a cylinder whose height is 3 cm less than twice its radius? The radius is 4 cm.

**Find the missing variable.**

**36. Distance**

$$r = 75 \text{ mph}$$

$$t = 5 \text{ hrs}$$

$$d = ?$$

**37. Tax**

$$r = 6\%$$

$$P = \$29.95$$

$$T = ?$$

**38. Discount**

$$r = 30\%$$

$$P = \$48$$

$$D = ?$$

**39. Simple Interest**

$$P = \$2500$$

$$r = 3.5\%$$

$$t = 2 \text{ years}$$

$$I = ?$$

**40. Temperature**

$$F = 88^\circ$$

$$C = ?$$

**41. Temperature**

$$C = 12^\circ$$

$$F = ?$$

**Section R-4 Answers**

1. 20.458
2. 218.9006
3. 0.4172
4.  $\frac{3}{4}$
5. 6
6.  $\frac{1}{9}$
7. 14
8. 274,625
9. 343
10. .3158, 31.58%
11. 3.75, 375%
12. .04, 4%
13. 163.69
14. .02
15. 236,000
16. 98,000
17. 88
18. 132
19. 32
20. 217
21. 4
22. 6
23.  $J = 5 + M$
24.  $K = 17 + 2C$
25.  $r = 4h - 5$
26.  $2n = p - 3$
27.  $h = 4c$
28.  $p + c = 17$
29.  $n + .3n = 75$
30.  $2(M - N) = 38$
31.  $14 \text{ in}^2$
32.  $106.25 \text{ m}^2$
33.  $17157.28 \text{ cm}^3$
34. 56 ft
35.  $251.33 \text{ cm}^3$
36. 375 miles
37. \$1.80
38. \$14.40
39. \$175
40.  $31.11^\circ \text{ C}$
41.  $53.6^\circ \text{ F}$

## Chapter R Review Exercises

1. Create a visual chart of the methods, formulas, and examples from studying how to evaluate and simplify the operations used in this chapter. ([Video instruction and example](#))

R-1

2. Find the prime factorization of 132.

3. Find the LCM of 18 and 24.

4. In a distant solar system three planets are lined up. Their orbits are 12 years, 25 years, and 30 years. How long until they are lined up again?

**Perform the indicated operations.**

R-2

5. Simplify  $\frac{27}{45}$

6.  $\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{6}$

7.  $\frac{9}{10} - \frac{4}{13}$

8.  $\frac{4}{25} \div \frac{3}{5}$

9.  $\frac{13}{22} + \frac{2}{11}$

10.  $\frac{5}{7} \cdot \frac{4}{3}$

**Perform the indicated operations.**

11. 
$$\begin{array}{r} 241.32 \\ + 413.86 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

12.  $24 \div (0.8)$

13. 
$$\begin{array}{r} 112.3 \\ \times 12.1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

14.  $58.46 - 2.974$

15.  $4 \div .0002$

16.  $3.6(1.4)$

**Convert the following fractions to decimals.**

17.  $\frac{15}{24}$

18.  $\frac{16}{33}$

19.  $\frac{87}{25}$

20. Convert 0.323 to a fraction.

21. Convert 115% to decimal notation.

R-3

22. Round 385.241 to the nearest hundredth.

23. Round 385.241 to the nearest hundred.

**Change the following to percents.**

24.  $\frac{12}{15}$

25. 0.021

26. 2.16

**Write in exponential notation and evaluate.**

27.  $7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 7$

28.  $8 \cdot 8 \cdot 8$

**Evaluate.**

29. 38% of 72

30. 95% of 643

**Evaluate.**

31.  $34 \cdot 2 + 12 \div 2 + \frac{55-13}{3}$

32.  $4^2 + 3 \cdot (2 + 4) - 2 \times 7$

R-4

33. A large rug has a width of 6 ft, and its length is 1 ft less than twice the width. What is the area of the rug?

34. A fence has to go around the perimeter of a rectangular area of my lawn that measures 20 ft by 28 ft. If fencing costs \$5.10 per foot, how much will it cost to fence this part of my lawn?

35. The weather forecast in Brazil is 33° Celsius. How warm is that in degrees Fahrenheit?

**Evaluate the expression with the given variable(s).**

36.  $2\pi rh$ : when  $r = 3, h = 6$

37.  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ : when  $a = 5, b = 12$

**Translate the following into math.**

38. Bethany will be 12 years older than twice Richard's age.

39. There are twice as many students as tutors.

40. A price decreased by 19% of the price is equal to 250.

**Chapter R Review Answers**

1. Grid format, one side, full of steps and examples from this chapter. Submit.
2.  $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 11$
3. 72
4. 300 years
5.  $\frac{3}{5}$
6.  $\frac{13}{24}$
7.  $\frac{77}{130}$
8.  $\frac{4}{15}$
9.  $\frac{17}{22}$
10.  $\frac{20}{21}$
11. 655.18
12. 30
13. 1358.83
14. 55.486
15. 20,000
16. 5.04
17. .625
18.  $.48\overline{48}$
19. 3.48
20.  $\frac{323}{1000}$
21. 1.15
22. 385.24
23. 400
24. 80%
25. 2.1%
26. 216%
27.  $7^4$ , 2401
28.  $8^3$ , 512
29. 27.36
30. 610.85
31. 88
32. 20
33.  $66 \text{ ft}^2$
34. \$489.60
35.  $91.4^\circ \text{ F}$
36. 113.1
37. 13
38.  $B = 12 + 2R$
39.  $s = 2t$
40.  $P - .19P = 250$

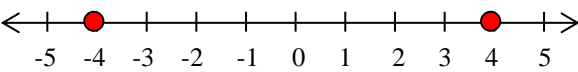






## Section 1-1 Negatives, Inequalities, Addition, Subtraction

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

Number Line	Positives	Negatives
Inequality	Greater than	Less than
Negatives	Add/Subtract	Absolute Value
Negatives	Multiplication	Division
Laws of Simplifying	Combining Like Terms	Identity/Inverse
	Associative/Commutative	Distributive

### Number Line

Main Topics	Examples
Key Terms	
Negative	<p>the negative sign means “opposite direction,” as seen on the number line below.</p>  <p>Example : <math>-\frac{7}{8}</math> is just <math>\frac{7}{8}</math> in the opposite direction.</p> <p>Addition goes to the right </p> <p>Subtraction goes to the left </p> <p>A negative sign means the other direction </p> <p><b>Example 1: Graph the points <math>-5</math>, <math>7</math>, <math>-\frac{2}{3}</math>, <math>3.7</math>, and <math>\sqrt{28}</math> on a number line.</b></p> 

### Inequalities

Main Topics	Examples				
Symbols of Inequalities	<table border="1"> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>&lt;</math> Less than</td> <td><math>&gt;</math> Greater than</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\leq</math> Less than or equal to</td> <td><math>\geq</math> Greater than or equal to</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	$<$ Less than	$>$ Greater than	$\leq$ Less than or equal to	$\geq$ Greater than or equal to
$<$ Less than	$>$ Greater than				
$\leq$ Less than or equal to	$\geq$ Greater than or equal to				
The line underneath the symbol represents when quantities could be equal or greater/less than.					

Extra help:


The symbol always points to the smaller number.

The lines are farther apart on the BIGGER side

“The alligator eats the bigger number.”

Mnemonic helps:

<ess    >reater

smaller  **BIGGER**

You can always flip the sign as long as the numbers on either side are flipped too! So:

$$7 > -8 \text{ is the SAME as } -8 < 7$$

**Example 2:**

**Write an inequality that has the same meaning as  $38 > 14$ .**

$38 > 14$	
$14 < 38$	flip the sign and the numbers; 38 stays bigger
<b>Answer: <math>14 &lt; 38</math></b>	

## Absolute Value

Main Topics	Examples									
Key Terms	<b>Absolute Value</b> - Means to find how far away a number is from zero, like on a number line.									
Absolute Value Symbol is $  \quad  $ .	<b>Find the absolute value of the following</b>									
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## Adding/Subtracting Negatives

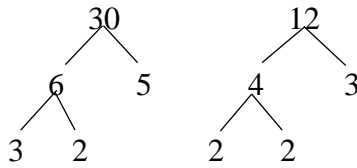
Main Topics	Examples		
Opposite Signs Subtract and the Stronger Wins  Note: Subtraction is the same as adding a negative.	<b>Example 6:</b>	<b>Example 7:</b>	<b>Example 8:</b>
	$7 - 11$	$-3 + 8$	$-12 + 3$
	$7 - 11 = -4$	$-3 + 8 = 5$	$-12 + 3 = -9$
	Subtract to get 4 and the negative is stronger	Subtract to get 5 and the positive is stronger	Subtract to get 9 and the negative is stronger
Numbers with Same Signs will add in that same direction	<b>Example 9:</b>	<b>Example 10:</b>	<b>Example 11:</b>
	$-7 - 11$	$-3 - 8$	$12 + 3$
	$-7 - 11 = -18$	$-3 - 8 = -11$	$12 + 3 = 15$
	Add in the negative direction	Add in the negative direction	Add in the positive direction
Subtracting a Negative is Addition	<b>Example 12:</b>	<b>Example 13:</b>	<b>Example 14:</b>
	$-7 - (-11)$	$-3 - (-8)$	$12 - (-3)$
	$-7 - (-11) =$	$-3 - (-8) =$	$12 - (-3) =$
	$-7 + 11 = 4$	$-3 + 8 = 5$	$12 + 3 = 15$
	Change to a plus, then subtract	Change to a plus, then subtract	Change to a plus, then add

## Examples with Fractions

**Example 15: Add**  $\frac{13}{30} + \left(-\frac{7}{12}\right)$

$$\frac{13}{30} + \left(-\frac{7}{12}\right)$$

$$\frac{13}{30} - \frac{7}{12}$$



$$\frac{13}{30} \times \frac{2}{2} = \frac{26}{60} \quad \frac{7}{12} \times \frac{5}{5} = \frac{35}{60}$$

$$\frac{26}{60} - \frac{35}{60} = -\frac{9}{60}$$

$$\frac{26}{60} - \frac{35}{60} = -\frac{9}{60}$$

$$\frac{-9}{60} \div \frac{3}{3} = \frac{-3}{20}$$

**Answer:**  $-\frac{3}{20}$

Step 1: Common denominator.  
Let's use prime factorization to find the LCD.

Prime factorization of 30:  $2 \times 3 \times 5$   
Prime factorization of 12:  $2 \times 2 \times 3$   
We need a number whose factors include each of these:  
 $2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 60$

Step 2: Now that the denominators are the same, **subtract the numerators.**

Step 3: Keep the denominator

Step 4: Simplify.

**Example 16: Subtract**  $-\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3}$

$$-\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3}$$

Common denominator. Change the  $\frac{1}{3}$  to have a denominator of 9 by multiplying by  $\frac{3}{3}$ .

$$-\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{3}{3}\right)$$

The common denominator is now 9

$$-\frac{5}{9} - \frac{3}{9}$$

Add the **numerators**; keep the **denominator**.

$$\frac{-5}{9} + \frac{-3}{9} = \frac{-8}{9}$$

Simplify if necessary.

**Answer:**  $-\frac{8}{9}$

**Common Mistakes**

Do two negatives make a positive?

**False in Addition and Subtraction** - With addition and subtraction negatives and positives work against each other in a tug of war. Whichever one is stronger will win.

Examples:

Debt is negative and income is positive. If there is more debt than income, the net result is debt.	
If we are \$77 in debt and get income of \$66 then we have a net debt of \$11: $-77 + 66 = -11$	If we have \$77 and \$66 of debt, then the net is a positive \$11: $77 - 66 = 11$
Falling is negative and rising is positive.	
An airplane rises 307 feet and then falls 23 feet, then the result is a rise of 284 feet: $307 - 23 = 284$	If, however, the airplane falls 307 feet and then rises 23 feet, then the result is a fall of 284 feet: $-307 + 23 = -284$

## Section 1-1 Exercises

Perform the indicated operation.

R-3

1.  $3^3 - 2 \cdot 4 + \sqrt{81} \cdot 10 \div 2$

2. 17% of 84

Evaluate each formula with the given variables.

R-4

3. Evaluate  $\frac{5x + 2}{t}$   
when  $x = 6$  and  $t = 4$

4. For a cone

$r = 4.6$  m

$l = 5.3$  m

SA = ?

5. I have a rectangular sand box whose length is 4 more than three times its width. If the width is 13 ft, what is the area covered by the sand box?

Translate into math.

6. Bill is 5 years older than twice the sum of Jenny's and Penny's ages.
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7. Dave's income is 25 dollars less than 3 times Rebecca's.
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8. There are 8 times as many bunnies as turtles.

1-1

9. Locate 7, -2.3, 4, -8,
- $\pi$
- ,
- $\frac{9}{5}$
- , and
- $-\frac{3}{4}$
- on a number line.



For each pair of numbers write the correct inequality between them.

10.  $-2$  \_\_\_  $1.5$

11.  $-3$  \_\_\_  $-7$

12.  $27$  \_\_\_  $13$

Write an inequality that has the same meaning.

13.  $6 \geq 1.5$

14.  $2,349 < 4,991$

15.  $-16 > x$

Find the absolute value.

16.  $|-17|$

17.  $|8 - 14|$

18.  $|3(4 - 2)|$

Perform the indicated operation by hand, and then check your answers with your calculator.

19.  $-3 + 5$

20.  $-4 - 7$

21.  $5 - 18 - 3$

22.  $5 - (-18) + (-17)$

23.  $6 + (-15) - 12 - (-5)$

24.  $-\frac{5}{8} + \frac{1}{4}$

25.  $-\frac{3}{20} - \frac{13}{16}$

26.  $-5.7 - (-14.8)$

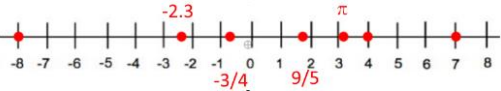
27.  $15 - 18.4$

28. At 6:00am in Rexburg it was  $-13^{\circ} F$ . By the warmest part of the day, the temperature had risen 38 degrees. By 8:00pm it has cooled down 12 degrees. What was the temperature at 8:00pm?
29. Clifford is on a bridge 47 feet above the Salmon River. The fish are 15 feet below the surface of the water. How much fishing line does he need to let out to reach them?

**Preparation.**

30. Read some of 1.2 and then evaluate  $-2(-3)(-4)$

## Section 1-1 Answers

- |     |   |     |                  |
|-----|---|-----|------------------|
| 1.  | 64  | 16. | 17               |
| 2.  | 14.28   | 17. | 6                |
| 3.  | 8   | 18. | 6                |
| 4.  | $143.07 m^2$  | 19. | 2                |
| 5.  | $559 ft^2$  | 20. | -11              |
| 6.  | $B = 5 + 2(J + P)$  | 21. | -16              |
| 7.  | $D = 3R - 25$   | 22. | 6                |
| 8.  | $b = 8t$  | 23. | -16              |
| 9.  |  | 24. | $-\frac{3}{8}$   |
| 10. | $-2 < 1.5$  | 25. | $-\frac{77}{80}$ |
| 11. | $-3 > -7$   | 26. | 9.1              |
| 12. | $27 > 13$   | 27. | -3.4             |
| 13. | $1.5 \leq 6$  | 28. | $13^\circ F$     |
| 14. | $4,991 > 2,349$   | 29. | $62 ft$          |
| 15. | $x < -16$   | 30. | In class         |



## Section 1-2 Negatives in Multiplication and Division

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Main Topics	Examples			
<b>Multiplying or Dividing Opposite Signs Gives a Negative</b>	<b>Example 1:</b>	<b>Example 2:</b>	<b>Example 3:</b>	
	$7(-11)$	$-3 \cdot 8$	$\frac{12}{7} \times \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)$	
	$7(-11) = -77$	$-3 \cdot 8 = -24$	$\frac{12}{7} \times \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) = -\frac{36}{35}$	
	<b>Example 4:</b>	<b>Example 5:</b>	<b>Example 6:</b>	
$33 \div (-11)$	$-32 \div 8$	$\frac{3}{8} \div \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right)$		
$33 \div (-11) = -3$	$-32 \div 8 = -4$	$\frac{3}{8} \cdot \left(-\frac{6}{1}\right) = -\frac{18}{8} = -\frac{9}{4}$		
<b>Multiplying or Dividing two negatives will be positive</b>	<b>Example 7:</b>	<b>Example 8:</b>	<b>Example 9:</b>	
	$-7(-11)$	$-3 \cdot (-8)$	$-\frac{12}{7} \times \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)$	
	$-7(-11) = 77$	$-3 \cdot (-8) = 24$	$-\frac{12}{7} \times \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right) = \frac{36}{35}$	
	<b>Example 10:</b>	<b>Example 11:</b>	<b>Example 12:</b>	
$-33 \div (-11)$	$-32 \div -8$	$-\frac{3}{8} \div \left(-\frac{1}{6}\right)$		
$-33 \div (-11) = 3$	$-32 \div -8 = 4$	$-\frac{3}{8} \times \left(-\frac{6}{1}\right) = \frac{9}{4}$		
<b>Division by Zero is impossible (undefined)</b>	<b>Example 13:</b>		<b>Example 14:</b>	
	$\frac{0}{10} = 0$	$-\frac{0}{15} = 0$	$\frac{13}{0}$ is undefined	$-\frac{3}{0}$ is undefined

## Common Mistakes

Main Topics	Examples												
<p><b>Common Mistakes –</b> Two negatives make a positive.</p>	<p><b>True in Multiplication and Division</b> - Since a negative sign simply means other direction, when we switch direction twice, we are headed back the way we started.</p> <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <tr> <td><b>Example 15:</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><math>-(-5) = 5</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Example 16:</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><math>-(-2)(-1)(-3)(-5) = - - - - -30 = -30</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Example 17:</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><math>-(-40 \div -8) = -(- - 5) = -5</math></td> </tr> </table> <p><b>False in Addition and Subtraction</b> - With addition and subtraction negatives and positives work against each other in a sort of tug of war. Whichever one is stronger will win.</p> <table border="1" style="margin: 10px auto;"> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Falling is negative and rising is positive.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>An airplane rises 307 feet and then falls 23 feet, then the result is a rise of 284 feet:</td> <td>If, however, the airplane falls 307 feet and then rises 23 feet, then the result is a fall of 284 feet:</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;"><math>307 - 23 = 284</math></td> <td style="text-align: center;"><math>-307 + 23 = -284</math></td> </tr> </table> <p>Other Examples: Debt is negative and income is positive. Discount is negative and markup or sales tax is positive. Warmer is positive and colder is negative.</p> <p>Whichever is greater will give you the sign of the net result.</p>	<b>Example 15:</b>	$-(-5) = 5$	<b>Example 16:</b>	$-(-2)(-1)(-3)(-5) = - - - - -30 = -30$	<b>Example 17:</b>	$-(-40 \div -8) = -(- - 5) = -5$	Falling is negative and rising is positive.		An airplane rises 307 feet and then falls 23 feet, then the result is a rise of 284 feet:	If, however, the airplane falls 307 feet and then rises 23 feet, then the result is a fall of 284 feet:	$307 - 23 = 284$	$-307 + 23 = -284$
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## Section 1-2 Exercises

Evaluate each formula with the given variables.

R-4

1. Evaluate  $\frac{3m^2 + 2}{n}$   
when  $m = -4$  and  $n = 10$

2. For a cylinder  
 $r = 4$  m  
 $h = 5.7$  m  
 $SA = ?$

3. I have a rectangular sandbox whose length is 2 more than three times its width. If the width is 13 ft, what is the area of the sand box?

**Translate into math.**

4. Chelsea is 5 years older than twice the difference between Kaitlyn's and Becca's ages.  
5. Dave's speed is 15 miles per hour less than 4 times Rebecca's.  
6. A population increased by 23% of the population to a level of 13,204.

**Find the absolute value.**

1-1

7.  $|-27|$

8.  $|18 - 14|$

9.  $|80 \div (4 - 12)|$

**Perform the indicated operation.**

10.  $-4 - 17$

11.  $5 + 18 - 3$

12.  $-6 + (-15) + 12 - (-5)$

13.  $-\frac{5}{9} - \frac{1}{3}$

14.  $-5.7 - (-24.8)$

15.  $-25 - 18.4$

16. Rick went bungee jumping. After jumping off the bridge, he fell 83 feet before the bungee cords pulled him back up. On the first recoil he ascended 42 feet before starting to fall again. On his final bounce, he finally came to rest 14 feet lower than that. How far below the bridge did he come to rest?

17. A kite is flying above a tree when the string of the kite gets caught on a branch of the tree. There is 15 feet of string below where the string is caught and 37 feet from the tree branch up to the kite. How many total feet of string is extended?

**Perform the indicated operation by hand, and then check your answers with your calculator.**

1-2

18.  $-5(3)$

19.  $3 \cdot (-11)$

20.  $(-42) \div 6$

21.  $-28 \div (-7)$

22.  $-(6 \cdot 4)$

23.  $-16 \div (-2)$

24.  $-7(-3) \cdot (-1)$

25.  $6 - 5(-9.7)$

26.  $-(-8)(-6)$

27.  $-\frac{5}{8} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)$

28.  $\frac{7}{40} \div \left(-\frac{3}{10}\right)$

29.  $-\frac{5}{44} \div \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)$

30.  $0 \div 7$

31.  $-\frac{13}{0}$

32.  $15 \div 0$

33.  $\frac{0}{296}$

**Preparation.**

34. Read some of 1.3 and then simplify the following: a)  $2x + 4x$  b)  $8 - 4 + 3y + 8y$

**Section 1-2 Answers**

- |     |                                    |     |                 |
|-----|------------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| 1.  | 5                                  | 18. | -15             |
| 2.  | $243.79 m^2$                       | 19. | -33             |
| 3.  | $533 ft^2$                         | 20. | -7              |
| 4.  | $C = 5 + 2(K - B)$                 | 21. | 4               |
| 5.  | $D = 4R - 15$                      | 22. | -24             |
| 6.  | $p + .23p = 13,204$                | 23. | 8               |
| 7.  | 27                                 | 24. | -21             |
| 8.  | 4                                  | 25. | 54.5            |
| 9.  | 10                                 | 26. | -48             |
| 10. | -21                                | 27. | $\frac{5}{24}$  |
| 11. | 20                                 | 28. | $-\frac{7}{12}$ |
| 12. | -4                                 | 29. | $\frac{5}{11}$  |
| 13. | $-\frac{8}{9}$                     | 30. | 0               |
| 14. | 19.1                               | 31. | Undefined       |
| 15. | -43.4                              | 32. | Undefined       |
| 16. | $-55ft$ or $55ft$ below the bridge | 33. | 0               |
| 17. | 52 ft                              | 34. | In class.       |

## Section 1-3 Laws of Simplifying

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### Laws of Simplifying

Main Topics	Examples
Key Terms Simplify	<b>Simplify</b> – No “=” signs (or >, <, etc) -To change the form of a number to the standard way that one usually accepts and uses numbers
Solve	<b>Solve</b> – Uses “=” signs (or >, <, etc), find out what $x$ equals

Name	What it does	Operation	Examples
<b>Commutative</b>	Switch order	<i>Addition</i>	$5 + 7 = 7 + 5$ $2x + 3y = 3y + 2x$
		<i>Multiplication</i>	$7xtyz = x7tzy$
<b>Associative</b>	Move parentheses.	<i>Addition</i>	$7 + (5 + 1) = (7 + 5) + 1$ $(x + 5) + 9 = x + (5 + 9)$
		<i>Multiplication</i>	$7 \cdot (3 \cdot 2) = (7 \cdot 3) \cdot 2$
<b>Associative and Commutative together allow us to move stuff around and (if we take care of multiplication before addition) add things up in any order we desire.</b>			
<b>Identity</b>	The invisible number	<i>Additive: 0</i>	$6 + 0 = 6$ $x + 0 = x$
		<i>Multiplicative: 1</i>	$6 \cdot 1 = 6$ $57y \cdot 1 = 57y$ $\frac{7}{7}, \frac{3}{3}, \text{ and } \frac{x}{x} \text{ are all examples of 1.}$ $\frac{3}{8} \cdot \frac{x}{x} = \frac{3x}{8x}$

<b>Inverse</b>	Cancels, or undoes the number	<i>Additive Inverse:</i> opposite	$6 + (-6) = 0$ $3t + (-3t) = 0$ $-17 + 17 = 0$
		<i>Multiplicative Inverse:</i> reciprocal	$5 \cdot \frac{1}{5} = 1$ $-17p \cdot \frac{1}{-17p} = 1$ $\frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = 1$
Distributive	Jump numbers into parentheses	<i>Both</i>	$6(43) = 6(40 + 3) =$ $6(40) + 6(3)$ $240$ $7(2x - 5) = 14x - 35$

## Factoring

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Key Terms</b> Common Factor	<p><b>Common Factor</b> – a factor that two or more terms have in common</p> <p><b>Example 1:</b> Two terms: 24 and 36.            Factors of 24 are <math>\boxed{1}, \boxed{2}, \boxed{3}, \boxed{4}, \boxed{6}, 8, \boxed{12}, 24</math>            Factors of 36 are <math>\boxed{1}, \boxed{2}, \boxed{3}, \boxed{4}, \boxed{6}, 9, \boxed{12}, 18, 36</math>            The numbers in boxes are the common factors between 24 and 36</p>
Greatest Common Factor	<p><b>Greatest Common Factor</b> - This is the biggest factor that all terms share in common.</p> <p><b>Example 2:</b> The Greatest Common Factor of 24 and 36 is <b>12</b>, because it is a factor that they share and it is also the greatest</p>
Factor	<p>To <b>factor</b> an expression just means to pull out the greatest common factor of each term in the expression. <b>It's like the distributive property in reverse.</b></p>

<p><b>Steps to Factor:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify the factors of the terms (and their coefficients).</li> <li>2. Choose the greatest common factor.</li> <li>3. Rewrite the expression having factored.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Factor <math>20x+48</math></p> <p>Factors of 20: 1,2,4,5,10,20 Factors of 48: 1,2,3,4,6,8,12,16,24,48</p> <p>Factors of 20: 1,2,4,5,10,20 Factors of 48: 1,2,3,4,6,8,12,16,24,48</p> $20x + 48$ $4(5x + 12)$ <p><b>Answer: <math>4(5x+12)</math></b></p> <p><b>Example 4:</b> Factor <math>3x+6</math></p> <p>Factors of 3: 1,3 Factors of 6: 1,2,3,6</p> $\frac{3x}{3} + \frac{6}{3}$ $3(x+2)$ <p><b>Answer: <math>3(x+2)</math></b></p> <p>List the factors of each number</p> <p>Identify the <b>factors in common</b>, and choose the <b>greatest</b></p> <p>Undistribute the 4</p> <p>-Find the greatest common factor</p> <p>-Divide each term by the greatest common factor</p> <p>-Write the expression with the common factor on the outside of the parentheses and the “left-overs” inside</p>
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## Simplifying with Variables

<p>Key Terms</p> <p>Like things</p>	<p><b>Like things</b> – in addition and subtraction we must only deal with like things.</p> <p>Adding and subtracting like terms works the same way with variables as it does with sheep, penguins, fractions with common denominators, and other quantities with like terms.</p> <p><b>Example 5:</b> 5 sheep + 2 sheep = 7 sheep.</p> <p><b>Example 6:</b> 5 sheep + 2 penguins = ? We really can't add them together, because they aren't like things.</p> <p><b>Example 7:</b></p> $\frac{1}{3} \text{ cups of flour} + \frac{2}{3} \text{ cups of flour} = \frac{3}{3} \text{ or } 1 \text{ cup of flour.}$
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**Example 8:** Simplify  $3x+9x-7y$

$$\underbrace{3x + 9x} - 7y$$

$$12x - 7y$$

**Answer:**  $12x - 7y$

Combine like terms

**Example 9:** Simplify  $3(2a-4b) + 5(2b)$

$$3(2a - 4b) + 5(2b)$$

$$6a - \underbrace{12b + 10b}$$

$$6a - 2b$$

**Answer:**  $6a - 2b$

Distributive property and multiplication

Combine like terms

**BIG Example 10:**

Simplify

$$2\{2 - [3(6x - 2) + 2] + [2(6 + x) - 3x]\}$$

$$2\{2 - [18x - 6 + 2] + [12 + 2x - 3x]\}$$

$$2\{2 - 18x + 6 - 2 + 12 + 2x - 3x\}$$

$$4 - 36x + 12 - 4 + 24 + 4x - 6x$$

$$-38x + 36$$

Distribute the parentheses

Next, distribute to clear the brackets

Now distribute the braces

Combine like terms



## Section 1-3 Exercises

**Translate into math.**

R-4

1. The number of quarters plus twice the number of nickels is equal to 4 less than the number of dimes.

**Find the absolute value.**

1-1

2.  $|28 - 34|$

3. The elevation of Jericho is -846 ft. Jerusalem has an elevation of 2428 ft. If Ben travels from Jericho to Jerusalem, how much total vertical elevation will he have gained?

**Perform the indicated operation.**

1-2

4.  $-9 - 15 + 12 - (-5)$

5.  $-\frac{7}{12} \div \left(-\frac{3}{8}\right)$

**Use the commutative properties of addition and multiplication to rewrite each expression.**

1-3

6.  $3 + x$

7.  $27 \cdot 36$

8.  $x \cdot 15$

9.  $17x - 23y$

**Use the associative properties of addition and multiplication to rewrite each expression.**

10.  $(5 + 2t) + 7p$

11.  $5(3x)$

**Create each fraction with a denominator of  $15x$ .**

12.  $\frac{4}{5x}$

13.  $\frac{7}{15}$

14.  $-\frac{2}{3}$

**Find the additive inverses of each number.**

15. 7

16. -4

17.  $-\frac{7}{3}$

18. .05

**Find the multiplicative inverses of each number.**

19. 7

20. -4

21.  $-\frac{7}{3}$

22. .05

**Use the distributive property.**

23.  $3(x + 7)$

24.  $-2(x + 5)$

25.  $4(2x - 7y + 3)$

**Factor.**

26.  $10y + 5$

27.  $20t - 24s$

28.  $4a - 6b + 12c$

Combine like terms and simplify.

29.  $8a + 25a$

30.  $21m^2 + 85 - 15m^2 + 16$

31.  $x - 37y + 16x + 13y$

32.  $2(5x + 6) + 3x$

33.  $2(11z - 2a) + 27a - 3z$

34.  $-\left(\frac{1}{3}a + \frac{2}{5}\right) + 2$

35.  $2^3 - 5(3x + 8) - 10$

36.  $23 + 5t + 7y - t - y - 27$

37.  $2\{[6 - 3(2x - 3)] - [2(-x + 1) - 3(-5)]\}$

38.  $-4\{[3(x - 2) + 7] - [4(3x + 2) + 3]\}$

39.  $7\{2 - [3(11 - 2x) + 1] - 8(2x - 4)\}$

**Section 1-3 Answers**

1.  $q + 2n = d - 4$
2. 6
3. 3274 ft
4. -7
5.  $\frac{14}{9}$  or  $1.\bar{5}$
6.  $x + 3$
7.  $36 \cdot 27$
8.  $15x$
9.  $-23y + 17x$
10.  $5 + (2t + 7p)$
11.  $(5 \cdot 3)x$  or  $15x$
12.  $\frac{12}{15x}$
13.  $\frac{7x}{15x}$
14.  $-\frac{10x}{15x}$
15. -7
16. 4
17.  $\frac{7}{3}$
18. -.05
19.  $\frac{1}{7}$
20.  $-\frac{1}{4}$
21.  $-\frac{3}{7}$
22. 20
23.  $3x + 21$
24.  $-2x - 10$
25.  $8x - 28y + 12$
26.  $5(2y + 1)$
27.  $4(5t - 6s)$
28.  $2(2a - 3b + 6c)$
29.  $33a$
30.  $6m^2 + 101$
31.  $17x - 24y$
32.  $13x + 12$
33.  $23a + 19z$
34.  $-\frac{1}{3}a + \frac{8}{5}$
35.  $-15x - 42$
36.  $4t + 6y - 4$
37.  $-8x - 4$
38.  $36x + 40$
39.  $-70x$

## Chapter 1 Review Exercises

1. Make a Visual Chart of the rules, processes, and topics of Chapter 1. It should be in a grid format on one side of a page and have plenty of illustrative examples.

**Evaluate.**

R-3

2.  $15 \div 3 + (7 - 3 \times 6)$

3.  $(3^4 - 27 \div 3) \div 2 + 4 \cdot (-3 \cdot 2)$

**Evaluate the expression with the given variable(s).**

4.  $5r + 7r^2$ ; when  $r = -3$

5.  $\frac{6a}{b}$ ; when  $a = 3$ ,  $b = 4$

6. Roy earns  $m$  amount of money per month. Jessica earns  $2m - 360$ . How much does Jessica earn if Roy earns \$700 per month?

**Translate the following into math.**

R-4

7. Frank is 23 years less than twice Julie's age.

8. There are three times as many kittens as puppies.

9. A price increased by 7% of the price is equal to \$363.80.

**Change these fractions into decimals.**

10.  $-\frac{7}{3}$

11.  $\frac{-1}{-20}$

**Write an inequality that has the same meaning.**

1-1

12.  $-1 \leq 5.9$

13.  $m < 99$

14.  $-16 > -120$

**Find the absolute value.**

15.  $|14|$

16.  $|5 - 7.3|$

17.  $|3(1 - 6)|$

**Perform the indicated operations.**

1-2

18.  $5 - (-3) + (-17)$

19.  $3 + (-15) - 12 - (-5)$

20.  $-\frac{1}{8} + \frac{3}{4}$

21.  $-\frac{2}{7} - \frac{3}{14}$

22.  $-4.21 - 3.2$

23.  $8.1 - (-9.1)$

24.  $-3.8(-4) \cdot 7$

25.  $\frac{3^2 - (4+9) \cdot 3}{2(3-8)}$

26.  $-27 \div (-.003)$

**27.** One of the stock market indices started the week at 2,901 points. During Monday, it lost 130 points. Tuesday it gained 57 points. Wednesday it gained 110. How many total points did it have after closing on Wednesday?

**28.** An anchor dropped from a large cruise ship starts at 22 feet above sea level and the ocean floor is 57 feet below sea level, how much chain must be let out?

**Write an equivalent fraction for each of the following with a denominator of 36x.**

**29.**  $\frac{5}{36}$

**30.**  $\frac{5}{12}$

**31.**  $\frac{2}{3x}$

**Multiply.**

1-3

**32.**  $5(x - 2y)$

**33.**  $m(3 + 5t)$

**Factor.**

**34.**  $3ty - 2t$

**35.**  $20 + 5b + 15c$

**Simplify by collecting like terms.**

**36.**  $4t - 3[2(8 - t) + 5]$

**37.**  $-12(x - 5) + 7(4x + 3)$

**38.**  $2\{[3(x + 2) + 4x] - [5 + 2(x - 4)]\}$

**39.**  $7\{2m + 3[5 + 3(m - 7)]\}$

**Chapter 1 Review Answers**

1. Submit the complete, one-page chart.
2. -6
3. 12
4. 48
5.  $\frac{9}{2}$  or 4.5
6. \$1040
7.  $F = 2J - 23$
8.  $k = 3p$
9.  $P + .07P = 363.80$
10.  $-2.\bar{3}$
11. .05
12.  $5.9 \geq -1$
13.  $99 > m$
14.  $-120 < -16$
15. 14
16. 2.3
17. 15
18. -9
19. -19
20.  $\frac{5}{8}$
21.  $-\frac{1}{2}$
22. -7.41
23. 17.2
24. 106.4
25. 3
26. 9,000
27. 2,938
28. 79 ft
29.  $\frac{5x}{36x}$
30.  $\frac{15x}{36x}$
31.  $\frac{24}{36x}$
32.  $5x - 10y$
33.  $3m + 5mt$
34.  $t(3y - 2)$
35.  $5(4 + b + 3c)$
36.  $10t - 63$
37.  $16x + 81$
38.  $10x + 18$
39.  $77m - 336$

## Section 2-1 The 3-Step Process to Solving

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

	GOAL: Get x alone (x will represent any variable)
	1. SIMPLIFY
2.3	A) Distribute Across ( )
2.5	B) Get rid of fractions (multiply all by LCD)
2.3	C) Combine “Like terms” and get all x’s on the same side
2.1	2. ADDITION PRINCIPLE
2.1	3. MULTIPLICATION PRINCIPLE
2.2	Applications: Shapes, Formulas, Solving for a Variable
2.4	Applications: Substitution and Percents
2.6	Inequalities
2.7	Inequalities and Applications

### Basics

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<b>Answer: <math>x = 5</math></b>											
Equation:	A mathematical sentence. It must have an equal sign and an expression on each side.										
	$1 + 3 = 4; x = 5; \text{ or } x + 7 = 10$										
Solution:	Any number when replaced for the variable that makes an equation true. Example: $x = 3$ is the “SOLUTION” for the equation $x+7 = 10$										
Solve:	Find all the “SOLUTIONS” for an equation.										

Checking a solution

1. Plug into the equation.
2. Simplify.
3. If the result is a true statement, the number is a solution.

**Example 1:**

Is  $x = 5$  a solution to the equation:  $x - 15 = -10$ ?

$$5 - 15 = -10 \quad \text{Plug in 5 into the equation}$$

$$5 + (-15) = -10 \quad \text{Simplify}$$

$$-10 = -10 \quad \text{It is a true statement}$$

**Answer:  $x = 5$  is a solution**

**Example 2:**

Is  $x = -4$  a solution to the equation:  $5x + 23 = 43$ ?

$$5(-4) + 23 = 43 \quad \text{Plug } -4 \text{ into the equation.}$$

$$-20 + 23 = 43 \quad \text{Simplify combining like terms.}$$

$$3 = 43 \quad \text{It is a false statement.}$$

**Answer:  $-4$  is not a solution.**

**The Balance Rule**

## Balance Rule of Solving

Whatever I do to one side of the equal sign, I must do the exact same to the other side to maintain equality.

## Equivalent Equations:

Equivalent is a big word for equal or SAME. Thus, equivalent equations have the same solutions.

## Examples

**Example 3:**

$23 = 23$	
$2(23) = 2(23)$	Multiplying <u>each side</u> by 2.
$46 = 46$	
$46 - 4 = 46 - 4$	Subtract 4 from <u>each side</u> .
$42 = 42$	
$42 \div 7 = 42 \div 7$	Divide <u>each side</u> by 7.
$6 = 6$	The equation stays balanced.

**Example 4:** Use the BALANCE RULE to keep the equations below equivalent or the SAME.

$36 = 36$	$-4$ is subtracted from the left side
$36 = 36$	
$-4 \quad -4$	We must do the same thing (in blue) to the other side
$32 = 32$	The equation is balanced



**Example 5:** Use the BALANCE RULE to keep the equations below equivalent or the SAME.

$x - 7 = 14$ $+7$	$+7$ is added to the right side
$x - 7 = 14$ $+7 \quad +7$	We must do the same thing (in blue) to the other side
$x = 21$	The equation is balanced

**Example 6:** Use the BALANCE RULE to keep the equations below equivalent or the SAME.

$\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{21}{7}$	7 is divided to the left side
$\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{21}{7}$ $7 \quad 7$	We must do the same thing (in blue) to the other side
$x = 3$	The equation is balanced

### 3-Step Process to solving: The Addition Principle

The Addition Principle	Examples												
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**Note:** International students may be familiar with moving the number to the opposite side of the equation with the inverse operation. This is called “transposition”, was used in the U.S. for decades, and is equivalent to what is being taught here.

**Example 8:** Solve  $-4.3 = y - 7.7$

$-4.3 = y - 7.7$	$7.7$ is being subtracted from $y$
$-4.3 = y - 7.7$ $+7.7 \quad +7.7$	Do the opposite ( <b>add 7.7</b> ) to both sides.
$3.4 = y + 0$ $3.4 = y$	<u>Check</u> , is 3.4 the solution to the equation: $-4.3 = y - 7.7$ ?
$-4.3 = 3.4 - 7.7$	Plug in the answer into the original equation
$-4.3 = -4.3$	<b>True</b> , 3.4 is a Solution
<b>Answer: <math>y = 3.4</math></b>	

**Example 9:** Solve  $-\frac{3}{4} + x = \frac{5}{8}$

$-\frac{3}{4} + x = \frac{5}{8}$	$-\frac{3}{4}$ is being added to $x$
$-\frac{3}{4} + x = \frac{5}{8}$ $+\frac{3}{4} \quad +\frac{3}{4}$	Do the opposite (subtract) to both sides. $-(-\frac{3}{4}) = +\frac{3}{4}$
$0 + x = \frac{11}{8}$  $x = \frac{11}{8}$	Simplify  <u>Check</u> , is $\frac{11}{8}$ the solution to the equation $-\frac{3}{4} + x = \frac{5}{8}$ ?
$-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{11}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$	Plug in the answer into the original equation
$\frac{5}{8} = \frac{5}{8}$	<b>True</b> , $\frac{11}{8}$ is a Solution
<b>Answer: <math>x = \frac{11}{8}</math></b>	

### 3-Step Process to solving: The Multiplication Principle

Multiplication Principle	Examples
<p><b>To Get <math>x</math> alone...</b></p> <p>2) Identify what is being multiplied or divided to your variable.</p> <p>3) Do the opposite (operation) to <b>both sides</b> of the equation.</p>	<p><b>Example 10:</b> Solve <math>3x = 15</math></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <math display="block">3x = 15</math> <p style="text-align: right;">3 is being multiplied to <math>x</math></p> <math display="block">\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{15}{3}</math> <p style="text-align: right;">Do the opposite (divide) to both sides.</p> <math display="block">x = 5</math> <p style="text-align: right;">Simplify</p> </div> <p><b>Answer: <math>x = 5</math></b></p>
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**SOLVING: Using Both Addition and Multiplication Principles Together**

Addition & Multiplication Principles	Examples												
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## Section 2-1 Exercises

**Find the Volume of a rectangular solid when the width, height and length are given.**

Formula is  $V = lwh$

R-4

1.  $l = 4$  in  
 $w = 2.5$  in  
 $h = 3$  in  
 $V =$

2.  $l = 7$  ft  
 $w = 4$  ft  
 $h = 2.8$  ft  
 $V =$

3.  $l = 7.2$  m  
 $w = 9$  m  
 $h = 3$  m  
 $V =$

**Find the Area of a trapezoid when the bases and height are given.**

Formula is  $A = \frac{1}{2}h(B+b)$

4.  $B = 15$   
 $b = 10$   
 $h = 7$   
 $A =$

5.  $B = 21$   
 $b = 11$   
 $h = 3$   
 $A =$

6.  $B = 19$   
 $b = 6$   
 $h = 10$   
 $A =$

**Identify the property that is illustrated by each statement.**

1-3

7.  $(8 + 5) + 3 = 3 + (8 + 5)$     8.  $(3xy)7x = (3yx)7x$     9.  $(8ab)7c = 8(ab7)c$

**Simplify.**

10.  $2s(t - 7) - 6t(s + 3)$     11.  $3(x^2 - 5n) + 3n - 7x^2$     12.  $6kj - 7k + 8kj + 11$

2-1

**Check to see if the specified number is a solution for the given equation.**

13. 13;  $y + 24 = 37$     14. 19;  $p + 14 = 32$     15. 24;  $t - 34 = 58$     16. 45;  $x - 21 = 24$   
 Is 13 a solution for  $y + 24 = 37$ ?    Is 19 a solution for  $p + 14 = 32$ ?  
 $y + 24 = 37?$      $14 = 32?$

**Solve.**

17.  $x + 4 = 13$

18.  $13 + t = 27$

19.  $y + 17 = -12$

20.  $y + \frac{2}{7} = 6$

21.  $x + \frac{9}{2} = 4$

22.  $8 = x - \frac{5}{8}$

23.  $p - 16.2 = 11.2$

24.  $-6.1 + x = -6.7$

25.  $-4.2 + z = -3.1$

26.  $-y = 15$

27.  $45 = -x$

28.  $-p = -34$

29.  $\frac{8}{3}y = 16$

30.  $-\frac{x}{4} = \frac{1}{6}$

31.  $\frac{7}{4} = -\frac{x}{5}$

32.  $\frac{4}{5}p = -5.6$

33.  $-\frac{4}{3}z = -15.3$

34.  $\frac{-x}{14} = 6$

Use both the addition and multiplication principles together to solve the following.

35.  $12x + 7 = 31$

36.  $4y + 18 = 30$

37.  $5z + 21 = 56$

38.  $5x - 5 = 20$

39.  $3y - 7 = 27$

40.  $-8x - 10 = 62$

41.  $-4x - 12 = 18$

42.  $2.7m + 12.13 = 20.5$

43.  $-3.5x + 2.4 = 24.1$

**Preparation:** Read some of 2.2 and then

44. Solve for p:

$$3p + 7 = 15$$

45. Solve for p:

$$mp + t = q$$

**Section 2-1 Answers**

1.  $30 \text{ in}^3$
2.  $78.4 \text{ ft}^3$
3.  $194.4 \text{ m}^3$
4. 87.5
5. 48
6. 125
7. Commutative property of addition
8. Commutative property of multiplication
9. Associative property of multiplication
10.  $-4st - 14s - 18t$
11.  $-4x^2 - 12n$
12.  $14kj - 7k + 11$
13. Yes
14. No
15. No
16. Yes
17.  $x = 9$
18.  $t = 14$
19.  $y = -29$
20.  $y = 5\frac{5}{7}$  or  $\frac{40}{7}$
21.  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$  or  $-.5$
22.  $x = 8\frac{5}{8}$  or  $\frac{69}{8}$  or 8.625
23.  $p = 27.4$
24.  $x = -0.6$
25.  $z = 1.1$
26.  $y = -15$
27.  $x = -45$
28.  $p = 34$
29.  $y = 6$
30.  $x = -\frac{2}{3}$
31.  $x = -\frac{35}{4}$  or  $-8\frac{3}{4}$
32.  $p = -7$
33.  $z = 11.475$
34.  $x = -84$
35.  $x = 2$
36.  $y = 3$
37.  $z = 7$
38.  $x = 5$
39.  $y = \frac{34}{3}$  or  $11\frac{1}{3}$
40.  $x = -9$
41.  $x = -7.5$  or  $-\frac{15}{2}$
42.  $m = 3.1$
43.  $x = -6.2$
44. In class
45. In class.

## Section 2-2 Applications and Formulas

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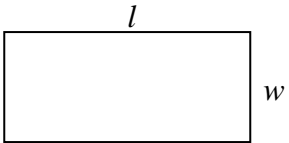
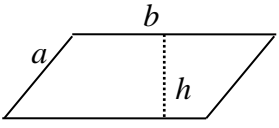
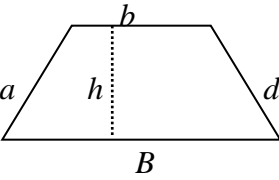
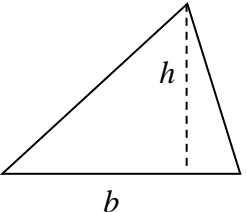
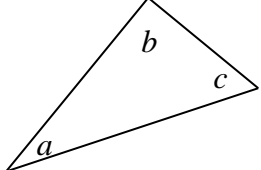
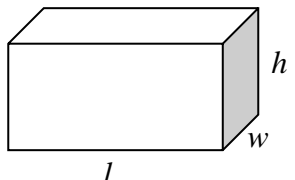
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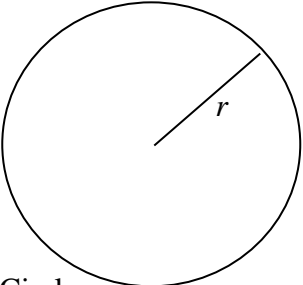
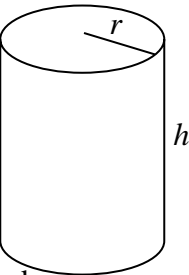
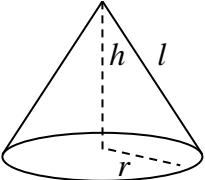
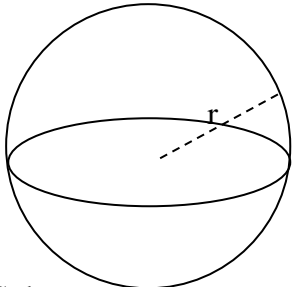
## D.U.P.E. Process for word problems with translation &amp; formulas

Main Topics	Examples
D. U. P. E.	<p><b>Data</b> – Find the information (numbers, formulas, relationships, etc.).</p> <p><b>Unknown</b> - What value are you finding? Assign it a <b>variable</b>.</p> <p><b>Plan</b> – Think: “How can I use the data to make an equation?”</p> <p><b>Equation</b> – Make an equation from your plan. Then solve it!</p>
<p><b>Goal: Solve for m</b></p> <p>D- Data.</p> <p>U-Unknown.</p> <p>P- Plan (translating).</p> <p>E-Equation.</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Seven less than 3 times what number is 41?</p> <p>7, 3, 41 are the numbers involved. Let <math>m</math> be the number we don’t know.</p> <p>Seven less than 3 times what number is 41?</p> $3m - 7 = 41$ $3m - 7 = 41$ $3m = 48$ $m = 16$ <p><b>Answer: 16</b></p>
<p>D- Data.</p> <p>U-Unknown.</p> <p>P- Plan (use formula).</p> <p>E-Equation.</p>	<p><b>Example 2:</b> Stacey traveled 81 miles while going 27 mph. Using the formula <math>rt=d</math>, determine the time that she traveled.</p> $d=81 \text{ miles}$ $r=27 \text{ mph}$ $t=?$ $rt=d$ $(27)t=(81)$ $\div 27 \quad \div 27$ $t=3$ <p><b>Answer: 3 hours</b></p>



## Common Geometry Formulas

 <p>Rectangle</p>	$P = 2l + 2w$ $A = lw$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>l</math> is the length  <math>w</math> is the width  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Parallelogram</p>	$P = 2a + 2b$ $A = bh$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>a</math> is a side length  <math>b</math> is the other side length  <math>h</math> is height  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Trapezoid</p>	$P = b + a + B + d$ $A = \frac{1}{2}h(B + b)$	<p><math>P</math> is Perimeter  <math>b</math> is the little base  <math>B</math> is the big Base  <math>a</math> is a leg  <math>h</math> is height  <math>d</math> is a leg  <math>A</math> is the Area</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$P = s_1 + s_2 + s_3$ $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$	<p><math>P</math> is the Perimeter  <math>h</math> is height  <math>b</math> is base  <math>A</math> is the Area  <math>s_1</math> is one side  <math>s_2</math> is a second side  <math>s_3</math> is the third side</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$a + b + c = 180$	<p><math>a</math> is one angle  <math>b</math> is another angle  <math>c</math> is another angle</p>
 <p>Rectangular Solid</p>	$SA = 2lw + 2wh + 2lh$ $V = lwh$	<p><math>l</math> is the length  <math>h</math> is the height  <math>w</math> is the width  <math>SA</math> is the Surface Area  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>

 <p>Circle</p>	$C = 2\pi r$ $A = \pi r^2$	<p><math>C</math> is the Circumference or perimeter  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>A</math> is the area inside the circle.</p>
 <p>Cylinder</p>	$LSA = 2\pi r h$ $SA = 2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$ $V = \pi r^2 h$	<p><math>LSA</math> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides  <math>h</math> is the height  <math>SA</math> is total Surface Area  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>
 <p>Cone</p>	$LSA = \pi r l$ $SA = \pi r^2 + \pi r l$ $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$	<p><math>h</math> is the height  <math>r</math> is the radius of the circle  <math>l</math> is the slant height  <math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159 . . . (it has a button on your calculator)  <math>SA</math> is total Surface Area  <math>LSA</math> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides  <math>V</math> is Volume</p>
 <p>Sphere</p>	$SA = 4\pi r^2$ $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$	<p><math>r</math> is the radius  <math>SA</math> is the Surface Area  <math>V</math> is the Volume</p>

Main Topics	Examples
	<b>Example 3:</b> If the angles of a triangle are $66^\circ$ , $x$ , and $2x$ , solve for $x$ .
D- Data.	$66^\circ$ is the angle we know
U-Unknown.	$x$ = what we are trying to find
P- Plan(use the formula for a triangle).	<i>angles add to 180</i>
E-Equation.	$66 + x + 2x = 180$
Solve as before.	$66 + 3x = 180$
	$66 + 3x = 180$
	$3x = 114$
	$x = 38$
	If $x = 38$ , then $2x = 78$ .
	<b>Answer:</b> The three angles are $66^\circ$ , $38^\circ$ , and $78^\circ$ .
	<b>Example 4:</b> Using the formulas for a cylinder find the missing variable:
D- Data.	$r = 9cm$ $h = ?$ $V = 356 cm^3$
U-Unknown.	$r = 9cm$
P- Plan(use the formula for volume).	$V = 356 cm^3$
E-Equation.	$h =$ height that we are trying to find
Solve as before.	$V = \pi r^2 h$
	$356 = \pi(81)h$
	$356 = 254.47h$
	$\frac{356}{254.47} = \frac{254.47h}{254.47}$
	$1.4 = h$
	<b>Answer: height is 1.4 cm</b>

## Solving for Variable

Steps	Examples										
<p><b>Original Problem</b></p> <p>Divide both sides by <math>r</math></p>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Solve <math>rt=d</math> for <math>t</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td><math>rt = d \text{ for } t</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>\frac{rt}{r} = \frac{d}{r}</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>t = \frac{d}{r}</math></td></tr> <tr><td><b>Answer:</b> <math>t = \frac{d}{r}</math></td></tr> </table>	$rt = d \text{ for } t$	$\frac{rt}{r} = \frac{d}{r}$	$t = \frac{d}{r}$	<b>Answer:</b> $t = \frac{d}{r}$						
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<p><b>Original Problem</b></p> <p>Subtract “<math>c</math>” from both sides</p> <p>Divide both sides by “<math>b</math>”</p>	<p><b>Example 6 :</b> Solve <math>y - c = bx</math> for <math>x</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td><math>y - c = bx</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>\frac{y - c}{b} = \frac{bx}{b}</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>\frac{y - c}{b} = x</math></td></tr> <tr><td><b>Answer:</b> <math>x = \frac{y - c}{b}</math></td></tr> </table> <p><b>Example 7:</b> Solve <math>-3m - 4pt = 7</math> for <math>m</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td><math>-3m - 4pt = 7 \text{ for } m</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>-3m = 7 + 4pt</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>\frac{-3m}{-3} = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}</math></td></tr> <tr><td><math>m = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}</math></td></tr> <tr><td><b>Answer:</b> <math>m = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}</math></td></tr> </table>	$y - c = bx$	$\frac{y - c}{b} = \frac{bx}{b}$	$\frac{y - c}{b} = x$	<b>Answer:</b> $x = \frac{y - c}{b}$	$-3m - 4pt = 7 \text{ for } m$	$-3m = 7 + 4pt$	$\frac{-3m}{-3} = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}$	$m = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}$	<b>Answer:</b> $m = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}$	<p>Note that the answer could also be written as <math>x = \frac{-c + y}{b}</math>.</p> <p>Note that the answer could also be written as <math>m = -\frac{7 + 4pt}{3}</math> or <math>m = \frac{-7 - 4pt}{3}</math> or <math>m = -\frac{7}{3} - \frac{4pt}{3}</math></p>
$y - c = bx$											
$\frac{y - c}{b} = \frac{bx}{b}$											
$\frac{y - c}{b} = x$											
<b>Answer:</b> $x = \frac{y - c}{b}$											
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<b>Answer:</b> $m = \frac{7 + 4pt}{-3}$											

## Section 2-2 Exercises

Check to see if the specified number is a solution for the given equation.

2-1

1. 4;  $7y + 13 = 15$

2. 9;  $99 - 3p = 72$

3. -21;  $y + 4 = y + 4$

Solve.

4.  $t - 15 = 43$

5.  $y - 22 = 23$

6.  $p - 12 = -21$

7.  $\frac{8}{9} + y = \frac{13}{6}$

8.  $8.1 = 4.2 + x$

9.  $12.6 = z - 13.3$

10.  $\frac{2}{5}x = \frac{1}{10}$

11.  $-\frac{4}{9}y = \frac{1}{3}$

12.  $-\frac{5}{7} = -\frac{15}{14}z$

13.  $3.6y = 18$

14.  $94.8 = 23.7x$

15.  $-2.1z = 12.6$

16.  $7y + 7 = 35$

17.  $2z + 13 = 3$

18.  $4y + 25 = 13$

19.  $21 - x = 13$

20.  $9 - 5y = 27$

21.  $-14 - 6y = 17$

2-2

22. 27 is 6 more than 3 times a number. What is the number?

23. 18 less than 5 times a number is 52. What is the number?

24. A triangle has angles that measure  $x$ ,  $3x$ , and  $72^\circ$ . Solve for  $x$  and find the angle measures.

25. If a cone has a Lateral Surface Area of  $250 \text{ ft}^2$ , a radius of 8ft, what is the slant height of the cone?

26. If a cylinder has a volume of  $538 \text{ cm}^3$  and a radius of 6 cm, how tall is it?

27. Find the missing variable for a rectangle:

$$P = 39 \text{ ft}$$

$$w = 7.2 \text{ ft}$$

$$l =$$

28. Find the missing variable for a cylinder:

$$SA = 800 \text{ in}^2$$

$$h =$$

$$r = 9 \text{ in}$$

**Solve for the specified variable.**

29.  $y = mx + b$  for  $b$

31.  $A = 2\pi rh$  for  $h$

33.  $3m - 8qt = 14$  for  $m$

35.  $C = \frac{5}{9}(F - 32)$  for  $F$

30.  $5m - 7 = r$  for  $m$

32.  $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$  for  $b$

34.  $19 = 3pqr$  for  $r$

36.  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$  for  $h$

**Preparation.**

37. After reading some from Section 2.3, try to solve this equation for  $x$ .

$$x + \cancel{2} = 9 + \cancel{2}$$

38. Solve the following for  $x$ :

$$5x + 9y + 10p = 9y + 15 + 10p$$

## Section 2-2 Answers

1. No
2. Yes
3. Yes
4.  $t = 58$
5.  $y = 45$
6.  $p = -9$
7.  $y = \frac{23}{18}$
8.  $x = 3.9$
9.  $z = 25.9$
10.  $x = \frac{1}{4}$
11.  $y = -\frac{3}{4}$
12.  $z = \frac{2}{3}$
13.  $y = 5$
14.  $x = 4$
15.  $z = -6$
16.  $y = 4$
17.  $z = -5$
18.  $y = -3$
19.  $x = 8$
20.  $y = -\frac{18}{5}$
21.  $y = -\frac{31}{6}$  or  $-5\frac{1}{6}$  or  $-5.1\bar{6}$
22. 7
23. 14
24.  $x = 27$ ; angles  $27^\circ$ ,  $81^\circ$ ,  $72^\circ$
25.  $9.95 \text{ ft}$
26.  $4.76 \text{ cm}$
27.  $12.3 \text{ ft}$
28.  $5.15 \text{ in}$
29.  $b = y - mx$
30.  $m = \frac{r+7}{5}$
31.  $h = \frac{A}{2\pi r}$
32.  $b = \frac{2A}{h}$
33.  $m = \frac{14+8qt}{3}$
34.  $r = \frac{19}{3pq}$
35.  $F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$
36.  $h = \frac{3V}{\pi r^2}$
37. In class.
38. In class.

Answers for numbers 29-36 are acceptable if expressed in a different but equivalent form.

## Section 2-3 3-Step Process to Solving

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	GOAL: Get x alone (x will represent any variable)
	1. SIMPLIFY
2.3	A) Distribute Across ( )
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## Combine “like terms” and get all x’s on one side

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>GOAL: Get x alone</b> (x will represent any variable)</p> <p>1. Simplify A) Distribute across ( ). B) Get rid of fractions (multiply all by LCD). C) Combine “like terms” and get all x’s on the same side.</p> <p>2. Addition Principle.</p> <p>3. Multiplication Principle.</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Solve <math>9(x + 2) - 4x = 28 + x + 2</math></p>
	$9(x + 2) - 4x = 28 + x + 2$ <p style="text-align: right; color: red;">First distribute into the parentheses</p> $9x + 18 - 4x = 28 + x + 2$
	$(9x) + 18 - (4x) = 28 + x + 2$ <p style="text-align: right; color: blue;">Combine all of the like terms on each side of the equation</p> $5x + 18 = 30 + x$
	$5x + 18 = 30 + x$ $-x \quad -x$ <p style="text-align: right; color: orange;">Get all of the x’s on one side of the equation</p> $4x + 18 = 30$
	$4x + 18 = 30$ $-18 \quad -18$ <p style="text-align: right; color: green;">Subtract 18 from both sides</p> $4x = 12$
	$4x = 12$ $\div 4 \quad \div 4$ <p style="text-align: right; color: purple;">Divide both sides of the equation by 4 to get the x alone</p> $x = 3$
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Answer: <math>x = 3</math></b></p>



<b>Example 2:</b> Solve $24 - 2(3x - 4) = -4$	
$24 - 2(3x - 4) = -4$ $24 - 6x + 8 = -4$	First distribute into the parentheses
$24 - 6x + 8 = -4$ $32 - 6x = -4$	Combine all of the like terms on each side All terms with x-s are already on the same side.
$32 - 6x = -4$ $(-32) \quad (-32)$ $-6x = -36$	Subtract 32 from both sides.
$-6x = -36$ $\div (-6) \quad \div (-6)$ $x = 6$	Divide both sides of the equation to get the x alone
<b>Answer: <math>x = 6</math></b>	

### Distribute across Parentheses

Main Topics	Examples	
1. Simplify. A) Distribute across ( ). B) Get rid of fractions (multiply all by LCD). C) Combine "like terms" and get all x's on the same side. 2. Addition Principle. 3. Multiplication Principle.	<b>Example 3:</b> Simplify: $4[6(1 + x) - 3x] = 6 - 2(5 - x)$ $4[6(1 + x) - 3x] = 6 - 2(5 - x)$ $4[6 + 6x - 3x] = 6 - 10 + 2x$	
	$24 + 24x - 12x = 6 - 10 + 2x$ $24 + 12x = -4 + 2x$	Combine like terms
	$24 + 12x = -4 + 2x$ $-2x \quad -2x$ $10x + 24 = -4$	Get all of the x's on one side
	$10x + 24 = -4$ $-24 \quad -24$	Subtract 24 from both sides
	$10x = -28$ $\div 10 \quad \div 10$ $x = -2.8$	Divide by the number attached to the x
	<b>Answer: <math>x = -2.8</math></b>	

## Special Cases

Main Topics	Examples
<p>If equation becomes a statement that is true all the time, the answer is all real numbers.</p> <p>There are an infinite number of solutions.</p>	<p><b>Example 4:</b> Solve <math>2x + 1 = 2x + 1</math></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <math display="block">\begin{array}{r} \cancel{2x} + 1 = \cancel{2x} + 1 \\ -2x \quad -2x \\ 1 = 1 \end{array}</math> <p style="text-align: right; color: red;">Get all x's on one side</p> <p style="text-align: right;">The x's all vanished!</p> </div> <p>Solution is <b>all real numbers</b> if you get something like:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><math>0 = 0</math> <math>5 = 5</math> <math>-3 = -3</math></p> <p><b>Answer: All Real Numbers</b></p>
<p>If the equation is an untrue statement then the answer is no solution.</p>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Solve <math>2x + 1 = 2x - 5</math></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <math display="block">\begin{array}{r} \cancel{2x} + 1 = \cancel{2x} - 5 \\ -2x \quad -2x \\ 1 = -5 \end{array}</math> <p style="text-align: right; color: red;">Get all x's on one side</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Again, the x's all vanished.</p> </div> <p>There is <b>no solution</b> if you get something like:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><math>0 = 1</math> <math>5 = 7</math> <math>-3 = 2</math></p> <p><b>Answer: No Solution</b></p>

## Section 2-3 Exercises

Solve.

Solve for specified variable.

1.  $\frac{x}{-6} = -3$

2.  $13.7 - 3.4t = -18.9$

3.  $-17 - 7m = -18$

4.  $\frac{3}{7}t + 1 = -11$

5.  $9 = 3x + 17$

6.  $\frac{5x+7}{4} = 13$

7.  $8t + 3t + 14t - 17 = -17$

8.  $94.8 = 23.7x - 13.5$

9.  $p = fx + bn$  for  $f$

10.  $F = \frac{xf-xz}{2}$  for  $f$

11.  $M = 5t - 3p$  for  $t$

12.  $LSA = \pi rl$  for  $r$

13.  $E = Q - \frac{T_1}{T_2}$  for  $Q$

14.  $\frac{3s-4g}{7} = c$  for  $g$

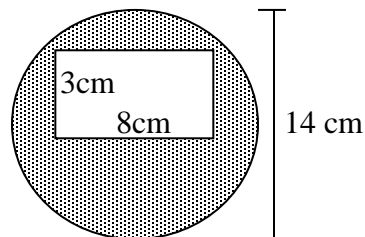
15. 48 is 9 more than 3 times a number. What is the number?

16. 18 less than 7 times a number is 80. What is the number?

17. If two angles of a triangle are  $70^\circ$  and  $48^\circ$ , what is the measure of the third angle?

18. What is the width of a rectangle that has an area of  $390\text{in}^2$  and a length of  $20\text{in}$ ?

19. Find the area of the shaded region:



20. What is the slant height of a cone that has radius of 7m and a surface area of  $700\text{m}^2$ ?

21. What is the width of a rectangular solid that has a volume of  $238\text{mm}^3$ , a length of 17mm and a height of 2mm?

22. If a cone has a volume of  $338\text{cm}^3$  and a radius of 6 cm, how tall is it?

23. Find the missing variable for a parallelogram:

$$A = 64\text{ in}^2$$

$$h =$$

$$b = 12.6\text{ in}$$

**Solve.**

**24.**  $5p + 12 = 33 - p$

**25.**  $7n + 18 = 5(n - 2)$

**26.**  $5x - 10 = 5x + 7$

**27.**  $x - 7 = 15x$

**28.**  $2x - 4(x - 3) = -2x + 12$

**29.**  $.07x = 13 - .12x$

**30.**  $.7(3x - 2) = 3.5x + 1$

**31.**  $.3x - 9 + 2x = 4x - 3$

**32.**  $.4y = 78 + .4y$

**33.**  $7(x - 5) - 3x = 4x - 35$

**34.**  $9x - 4(x - 3) = 15x$

**35.**  $2x - 3x + 7x = 9x + 8x$

**Preparation.**

**36.** Find the final price of an object that is \$200 but has 15% off.

**37.** Find the final amount of a savings account that as \$170 and then has 15% added to it.

**38.** After reading some of Section 2-4, try to find out what the original price of an object was if the final price after 15% off was \$85.

**Section 2-3 Answers**

1.  $x = 18$
2.  $t = 9.59$
3.  $m = \frac{1}{7}$
4.  $t = -28$
5.  $x = -\frac{8}{3}$
6.  $x = 9$
7.  $t = 0$
8.  $x = 4.57$
9.  $f = \frac{p-bn}{x}$
10.  $f = \frac{2F+xz}{x}$
11.  $t = \frac{M+3p}{5}$
12.  $r = \frac{LSA}{\pi l}$
13.  $Q = E + \frac{T_1}{T_2}$
14.  $g = \frac{7c-3s}{-4}$  or  $\frac{3s-7c}{4}$
15.  $x = 13$
16.  $x = 14$
17.  $62^\circ$
18.  $19.5 \text{ in}$
19.  $129.9 \text{ cm}^2$
20.  $24.83 \text{ m}$
21.  $7 \text{ mm}$
22.  $h = 8.97 \text{ cm}$
23.  $h = 5.08 \text{ in}$
24.  $p = \frac{7}{2}$  or  $3.5$
25.  $n = -14$
26. No solution
27.  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$
28. All real numbers
29.  $68.42$
30.  $x = -\frac{12}{7}$  or  $-1.71$
31.  $x = -3.53$
32. No solution
33. All real numbers
34.  $x = \frac{6}{5}$  or  $1.2$
35.  $x = 0$
36. In class.
37. In class.
38. In class.

## Section 2-4 Applications: Substitution and Percents

CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

	GOAL: Get x alone (x will represent any variable)
	1. SIMPLIFY
2.3	A) Distribute Across ( )
2.5	B) Get rid of fractions (multiply all by LCD)
2.3	C) Combine “Like terms” and get all x’s on the same side
2.1	2. ADDITION PRINCIPLE
2.1	3. MULTIPLICATION PRINCIPLE
2.2	Applications: Shapes, Formulas, Solving for a Variable
2.4	Applications: Substitution and Percents
2.6	Inequalities
2.7	Inequalities and Applications

## D.U.P.E. Process for word problems with substitution

Main Topics	Examples
<b>D. U. P. E.</b>	<p><b>Data</b> – Find the information (numbers, formulas, relationships, etc.).</p> <p><b>Unknown</b> - What value are you finding? Assign it a <b>variable</b>.</p> <p><b>Plan</b> – Think: “How can I use the data to make an equation?”</p> <p><b>Equation</b> – Make an equation from your plan. Then solve it!</p>
Steps	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Two numbers add to 15, and the second is 7 bigger than the first. What are the two numbers?</p>
1. D -What numbers are important?	<p>1. The two numbers both add to 15, and one is 7 bigger than the other</p>
2. U- What variables will we use?	<p>2. <math>f</math> will represent the <b>first</b> number and <math>s</math> will represent the <b>second</b> number</p>
3. P- Substitute.	<p>3. Substitute <math>f + 7</math> in for <math>s</math></p>
4. E - Write the equation to solve.	<p>4. Write the equation to solve</p>
	<p>Solve for <math>f</math></p>
	<p>Now that you know the first number <math>f</math>, you can find the second number <math>s</math> using the equations you wrote at the very beginning.</p>
	<p><b>Answer: 4 and 11</b></p>

## Steps

1. D -What numbers are important?
2. U- What variables will we use?
3. P- Substitute.
4. E - Write the equation to solve.

**Example 2:** A man cuts a 65-inch board so that one piece is four times bigger than the other. What are the lengths of the two pieces?

$x + y = 65$ $y = 4x$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. They equal 65 inches total, and one is 4 times the other</li> <li>2. <math>x</math> will represent the one piece, and <math>y</math> will represent the other piece</li> </ol>
$x + y = 65$ $y = 4x$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Substitute <math>4x</math> in for <math>y</math></li> </ol>
$x + 4x = 65$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Write the equation to solve</li> </ol>
$x + 4x = 65$ $5x = 65$ $x = 13$	Solve the equation
$x + y = 65$ $13 + y = 65$ $y = 52$	Now that you know how long one piece $x$ is, you can solve for the other piece $y$ by using the equations you wrote at the very beginning.
<b>Answer: 13 inches &amp; 52 inches</b>	

**Example 3:** If a rectangle's length is 5 more than 3 times the width, and the perimeter is 58 mm, what are the dimensions of the rectangle?

$2w + 2l = 58$ $l = 3w + 5$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <math>l</math> will represent the length, and <math>w</math> will represent the width</li> <li>2. 58 millimeters total, and the length is 3 times the width plus 5</li> </ol>
$2w + 2l = 58$ $l = 3w + 5$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Substitute <math>3w + 5</math> in for <math>l</math></li> </ol>
$2w + 2(3w + 5) = 58$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>4. Write the equation to solve</li> </ol>
$2w + 6w + 10 = 58$ $8w + 10 = 58$ $8w = 48$ $w = 6$	Solve the equation
$2w + 2l = 58$ $2(6) + 2l = 58$ $12 + 2l = 58$ $2l = 46$ $l = 23$	Solve for the other variable
<b>Answer: width is 6 mm, length is 23 mm</b>	

Steps	<p><b>Example 4:</b> I have created a triangular garden such that the largest side is 8m less than twice the smallest side, and the medium side is 12m longer than the smallest side. If the total perimeter of the garden is 104m, what are the lengths of the three sides?</p>	
1. D -What numbers are important?	$s + m + l = 104$ $l = 2s - 8$ $m = s + 12$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>104m total</li> <li><math>l</math> for largest, <math>m</math> for medium, and <math>s</math> for smallest</li> </ol>
2.U- What variables will we use?	$s + m + l = 104$ $m = s + 12$ $l = 2s - 8$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Substitute the values for <math>l</math> and <math>m</math></li> </ol>
3.P- Substitute.	$s + (s + 12) + (2s - 8) = 104$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write the equation to solve</li> </ol>
4.E - Write the equation to solve.	$s + (s + 12) + (2s - 8) = 104$ $4s + 4 = 104$ $4s = 100$ $s = 25$	Solve the equation
	$m = s + 12$ $m = 25 + 12$ $m = 37$	Plug in to find the other variables
	$l = 2s - 8$ $l = 2(25) - 8$ $l = 50 - 8$ $l = 42$	
	<p><b>Answer: smallest is 25m, medium is 37m, largest is 42m</b></p>	
Steps	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Three consecutive integers add to 39. What are they?</p>	
1.D -What numbers are important?	$x + y + z = 39$ $y = x + 1$ $z = x + 2$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The three numbers add to 39. The word <i>consecutive</i> tells us that each number is 1 more than the one before it, which is where the other two equations come from</li> <li><math>x</math> is the first number, <math>y</math> is the second, <math>z</math> is the third</li> </ol>
2.U- What variables will we use?	$x + y + z = 39$ $y = x + 1$ $z = x + 2$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Substitute the values for <math>y</math> and <math>z</math></li> </ol>
3.P- Substitute.	$x + (x + 1) + (x + 2) = 39$	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write the equation to solve</li> </ol>
4.E - Write the equation to solve.	$x + x + 1 + x + 2 = 39$ $3x + 3 = 39$ $3x = 36$ $x = 12$	Solve the equation
	<p><b>Answer: 12, 13, &amp; 14</b></p>	



<p>Steps</p> <p>1.D -What numbers are important?</p> <p>2.U- What variables will we use?</p> <p>3.P- Substitute.</p> <p>4.E - Write the equation to solve.</p>	<p><b>Example 6:</b> Three consecutive even integers add to 72. What are they?</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <math>x + y + z = 72</math>  <math>y = x + 2</math>  <math>z = x + 4</math> </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <p>1. The three numbers add to 72. The words <i>consecutive even</i> tells us that each number is 2 more than the one before it, which is where the other two equations come from</p> <p>2. <math>x</math> is the first number, <math>y</math> is the second, <math>z</math> is the third</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <math>x + y + z = 72</math>  <math>y = x + 2</math>  <math>z = x + 4</math> </td> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <p>3. Substitute the values for <math>y</math> and <math>z</math></p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <math>x + (x + 2) + (x + 4) = 72</math>  <math>x + x + 2 + x + 4 = 72</math>  <math>3x + 6 = 72</math>  <math>3x = 66</math>  <math>x = 22</math> </td> <td style="vertical-align: top;"> <p>4. Write the equation to solve</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Solve the equation</p> </td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"> <p><b>Answer: 22, 24, 26</b></p> </td> </tr> </table>	$x + y + z = 72$ $y = x + 2$ $z = x + 4$	<p>1. The three numbers add to 72. The words <i>consecutive even</i> tells us that each number is 2 more than the one before it, which is where the other two equations come from</p> <p>2. <math>x</math> is the first number, <math>y</math> is the second, <math>z</math> is the third</p>	$x + y + z = 72$ $y = x + 2$ $z = x + 4$	<p>3. Substitute the values for <math>y</math> and <math>z</math></p>	$x + (x + 2) + (x + 4) = 72$ $x + x + 2 + x + 4 = 72$ $3x + 6 = 72$ $3x = 66$ $x = 22$	<p>4. Write the equation to solve</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Solve the equation</p>	<p><b>Answer: 22, 24, 26</b></p>	
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## Simple Percent Problems

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Remember this:</p> <p>“of” means “times”.</p> <p>“what” means “x”.</p> <p>“is” means “=”.</p>	<p><b>Percent:</b> per = divide, cent = 100</p> <p>0.73 = 73%      0.2 = 20%      1 = 100%</p> <p>2.3 = 230%      2.14 = 214%</p>
	<p><b>Example 7:</b> What is 26% of \$40?</p> <p>What is 26% of \$40      Set up an equation. Remember “what” means “x”, “is” means “=”, and “of” means times</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;"> <math>x = .26 \cdot 40</math>  <math>x = .26 \times 40</math>  <math>x = 10.4</math> </p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;"><b>Answer: 10.4</b></p> <p><b>Example 8:</b> 118.08 is what percent of 246?</p> <p>118.08 is what percent of 246      Set up an equation. Remember “what” means “x”, “is” means “=” and “of” means times</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;"> <math>118.08 = x \cdot 246</math>  <math>118.08 = x \cdot 246</math>  <math>\div 246 \quad \div 246</math>  <math>.48 = x</math>  <math>x = .48</math> </p> <p style="margin-left: 20px; color: orange;">Turn the answer into a percent by moving the decimal two places to the right</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;"><b>Answer: 48%</b></p>

**Example 9:** 136 is 16% of what?

136 is 16% of what

$$136 = .16 \cdot x$$

$$136 = \cancel{.16} \cdot x$$

$$\div .16 \quad \div .16$$

$$850 = x$$

Set up an equation.

Remember “what” means  
“x”, “is” means “=” and “of”  
means times

Solve the equation

**Answer: 850**

## Forward Percent Problems

Main Topics	Examples																																													
	<p><b>Example 10:</b> If you want to buy a \$759 computer with 8% sales tax, how much tax will you end up paying?</p> <table> <tr> <td><math>r = 8\%</math></td> <td>D – Data</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>P = \\$759</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>T = ?</math></td> <td>U – Unknown</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>T = rP</math></td> <td>P – Plan</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>T = (.08)(759)</math></td> <td>E – Equation</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>T = 60.72</math></td> <td>Solve as before</td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Answer: You would pay \$60.72 in sales tax</b></p> <p><b>Example 11:</b> How much will Alice save on a pair of shoes that are worth \$92 but are on sale for 20% off?</p> <table> <tr> <td><math>r = 20\%</math></td> <td>D – Data</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>P = \\$92</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>D = ?</math></td> <td>U – Unknown</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>D = rP</math></td> <td>P – Plan</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>D = (.20)(92)</math></td> <td>E – Equation</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>D = 18.40</math></td> <td>Solve as before</td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Answer: Alice will save \$18.40</b></p> <p><b>Example 12:</b> The original price of a TV was \$75, and it has a 6% sales tax. What is the final price of the TV?</p> <table> <tr> <td><math>P = 75</math></td> <td>D – Data</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>r = .06</math></td> <td></td> <td>Or in other words:</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>F = ?</math></td> <td>U – Unknown</td> <td><math>75 + 0.06(75)</math> Add the</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>F = P + rP</math></td> <td>P – Plan</td> <td>amount of tax</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>75 + .06(75)</math></td> <td>E – Equation</td> <td><math>75 + 4.5</math> to the original</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>75 + 4.5</math></td> <td>Solve as</td> <td><math>79.5</math> price</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>79.5</math></td> <td>before</td> <td>Solve</td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Answer: The final price is \$79.50</b></p>	$r = 8\%$	D – Data	$P = \$759$		$T = ?$	U – Unknown	$T = rP$	P – Plan	$T = (.08)(759)$	E – Equation	$T = 60.72$	Solve as before	$r = 20\%$	D – Data	$P = \$92$		$D = ?$	U – Unknown	$D = rP$	P – Plan	$D = (.20)(92)$	E – Equation	$D = 18.40$	Solve as before	$P = 75$	D – Data		$r = .06$		Or in other words:	$F = ?$	U – Unknown	$75 + 0.06(75)$ Add the	$F = P + rP$	P – Plan	amount of tax	$75 + .06(75)$	E – Equation	$75 + 4.5$ to the original	$75 + 4.5$	Solve as	$79.5$ price	$79.5$	before	Solve
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$F = P + rP$	P – Plan	amount of tax																																												
$75 + .06(75)$	E – Equation	$75 + 4.5$ to the original																																												
$75 + 4.5$	Solve as	$79.5$ price																																												
$79.5$	before	Solve																																												

## Backward Percent Problems

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Percent Change Formula</b></p> $P \pm rP = F$ <p>or</p> $P(1 \pm r) = F$ <p><math>P</math> = Principal (original) amount  <math>r</math> = rate (percent as a decimal)  <math>F</math> = (Final amount)  <math>\pm</math> means that you use + for percent <u>increases</u> and - for percent <u>decreases</u>.</p>	<p><b>Example 13:</b> Henry purchased a picture frame. After a 15% discount its cost was \$30.60. What was the original price?</p> $P - .15P = 30.60$ <p><math>r = .15</math>  <math>P</math> is what we don't know  <math>F=30.60</math></p> $P - .15P = 30.60$ <p>Solve the equation for P</p> $.85P = 30.60$ <p>Combine like terms</p> $.85P = 30.60$ $\div .85 \quad \div .85$ $x = 36$ <p><b>Answer: Original cost was \$36.</b></p> <p><b>Example 14:</b> How many people lived in a town last year if 19,980 people live there this year and it grew 8% from last year?</p> $x + .08x = 19,980$ <p>Add the amount of growth to last year's population (x) and set it equal to this year's population</p> $x + .08x = 19,980$ <p>Solve the equation for x</p> $1.08x = 19,980$ $\div 1.08 \quad \div 1.08$ $x = 18,500$ <p><b>Answer: Last year the town's population was 18,500</b></p>

## Reverse Averages

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Average: Add up then divide by number of entries.</p>	<p><b>Example 15:</b> Mindy has earned 79, 85, 92, and 88 on her first four tests. What will she need to get on her 5<sup>th</sup> test in order to have an average of 87?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>79, 85, 92, 88</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>T = ?</math></p> $\frac{79 + 85 + 92 + 88 + T}{5} = 87$ $\frac{344 + T}{5} = 87$ $5 \cdot \frac{344 + T}{5} = 87 \cdot 5$ $344 + T = 435$ $T = 91$ <p><b>Answer: Mindy needs a score of 91 to get an average of 87.</b></p> <p style="color: red;">Write down what information we have been given—scores of her first four tests.</p> <p style="color: blue;">Pick a variable for the score on the 5<sup>th</sup> test.</p> <p style="color: green;">Plug all the information that we already know.</p> <p style="color: orange;">Simplify</p> <p style="color: red;">Multiply both sides by 5 to clear out the division.</p>

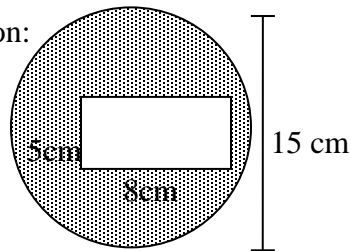
## Section 2-4 Exercises

2-2

1. 45 is 12 more than 3 times a number. What is the number?

2. 25 less than 7 times a number is 108. What is the number?

3. Find the area of the shaded region:



4. If a parallelogram has an area of  $258.9 \text{ cm}^2$  and a base of  $23.2 \text{ cm}$ , how tall is it?

5. Find the missing variable for a trapezoid:

$$A = 68 \text{ ft}^2$$

$$b =$$

$$h = 4 \text{ ft}$$

$$B = 21 \text{ ft}$$

2-3

Solve.

6.  $7p + 13 = 33 - 4p$

7.  $5n + 48 = 7n - 2(n - 2)$

8.  $5x - 10 = 7(x - 2)$

9.  $3x - 7 = 12x$

10.  $5x - 7(x + 3) = -2x - 21$

11.  $.06x = 15 - .18x$

12.  $.8(7m - 2) = 9.5m + 1$

13.  $.2q - 7 + 2q = 3q - 5$

14.  $12t = 45 + .4t$

15.  $6(x - 5) - x = 5x - 20$

16.  $9x - 2(x - 3) = 15x + 7$

17.  $5x - 13x + x = 7x + 8x$

2-4

18. Two numbers add to 251 and the second is 41 bigger than the first. What are the two numbers?

19. Jack earned 68, 75, and 82 on his first three tests. What does he need on his 4<sup>th</sup> test to average 79?

20. I have created a triangular garden such that the largest side is 8m less than twice the smallest and the medium side is 12m larger than the smallest side. If the total perimeter of the garden is 108m, what are the lengths of the three sides?

- 21.** If a rectangle's length is 5 more than 3 times the width and the perimeter is 58 mm what are the dimensions of the rectangle?
- 22.** Two consecutive integers add to 123, what are they?
- 23.** Three consecutive odd integers add to 93. What are they?
- 24.** Cindy has 7 quiz scores of 87, 76, 88, 92, 93, 88, and 85. What does she need to get on her 8<sup>th</sup> quiz to get an average of 88?

**25.** 18 is what percent of 58?

**26.** What is 87% of 54?

**27.** 34 is 56% of what?

**28.** 119 is 8% of what?

**29.** 23 is what percent of 74?

**30.** Original Price: \$92.56  
Tax: 7.3%  
Final Price:

**31.** Original Price:  
Discount: 40%  
Final Price: \$43.90

**32.** Original Price:  
Tax: 5%  
Final Price: \$237.50

**33.** Original Price: \$58.50  
Discount: 30%  
Final Price:

- 34.** If the population of a town grew 21% up to 15,049 people, what was the population last year?
- 35.** If the price of an object dropped 25% down to \$101.25, what was the original price?

### Preparation.

**36.** After reading some from Section 2.5, Try to solve this equation.

$$\frac{x}{7} + \frac{13}{7} = \frac{15}{7} - \frac{2x}{7}$$

**37.** Solve.

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{13}{3} = \frac{15}{3} - \frac{2x}{3}$$

**Section 2-4 Answers**

1.  $x = 11$
2.  $x = 19$
3.  $136.71 \text{ cm}^2$
4.  $11.16 \text{ cm}$
5.  $13\text{ft} = b$
6.  $p = \frac{20}{11}$
7. No solution
8.  $x = 2$
9.  $x = -\frac{7}{9}$
10. All numbers
11.  $x = 62.5$
12.  $m = -\frac{2}{3}$
13.  $q = -2.5$
14.  $t = 3.879$
15. No solution
16.  $x = -\frac{1}{8}$
17.  $x = 0$
18. 105, 146
19. 91
20. 26m, 38m, 44m
21.  $w = 6\text{mm}$ ,  $l = 23\text{mm}$
22. 61 & 62
23. 29, 31, & 33
24. 95
25. 31%
26. 46.98
27. 60.7
28. 1487.5
29. 31%
30. \$99.32
31. \$73.17
32. \$226.19
33. \$40.95
34. 12,437
35. \$135
36. In class
37. In class

## Section 2-5 The 3-Step Process to Solving

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## STEP 1—Simplify the Equation: Fractions, Parentheses, Like Terms

Main Topic	Examples														
<p><u>Getting Rid of Fractions</u></p> <p>1) Determine the LCD.</p> <p>2) Multiply everything by the LCD to remove fractions.</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Solve <math>\frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{11}{3}</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><math>\frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{11}{3}</math></td> <td>First find the LCD.</td> </tr> <tr> <td> <math display="block">\begin{array}{ccc} \swarrow &amp; \swarrow &amp; \swarrow \\ 6 &amp; 4 &amp; 3 \\ \swarrow &amp; \swarrow &amp; \swarrow \\ 2 &amp; 2 &amp; 1 \end{array}</math> </td> <td><math>(2)(2)(3) = \mathbf{12, LCD}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>12 \cdot \frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} \cdot 12 = \frac{11}{3} \cdot 12</math></td> <td>Multiply everything by 12.</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>Simplify.</td> </tr> <tr> <td> <math display="block">\begin{array}{r} 10x + 3 = 44 \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline 10x = 41 \\ /10 \quad /10 \end{array}</math> </td> <td>Subtract 3 from both sides</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>x = \frac{41}{10}</math></td> <td>Divide by 10.</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td><b>Answer:</b> <math>x = \frac{41}{10}</math></td> </tr> </table>	$\frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{11}{3}$	First find the LCD.	$\begin{array}{ccc} \swarrow & \swarrow & \swarrow \\ 6 & 4 & 3 \\ \swarrow & \swarrow & \swarrow \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{array}$	$(2)(2)(3) = \mathbf{12, LCD}$	$12 \cdot \frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} \cdot 12 = \frac{11}{3} \cdot 12$	Multiply everything by 12.		Simplify.	$\begin{array}{r} 10x + 3 = 44 \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline 10x = 41 \\ /10 \quad /10 \end{array}$	Subtract 3 from both sides	$x = \frac{41}{10}$	Divide by 10.		<b>Answer:</b> $x = \frac{41}{10}$
$\frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{11}{3}$	First find the LCD.														
$\begin{array}{ccc} \swarrow & \swarrow & \swarrow \\ 6 & 4 & 3 \\ \swarrow & \swarrow & \swarrow \\ 2 & 2 & 1 \end{array}$	$(2)(2)(3) = \mathbf{12, LCD}$														
$12 \cdot \frac{5}{6}x + \frac{1}{4} \cdot 12 = \frac{11}{3} \cdot 12$	Multiply everything by 12.														
	Simplify.														
$\begin{array}{r} 10x + 3 = 44 \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline 10x = 41 \\ /10 \quad /10 \end{array}$	Subtract 3 from both sides														
$x = \frac{41}{10}$	Divide by 10.														
	<b>Answer:</b> $x = \frac{41}{10}$														



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2. ADDITION PRINCIPLE

3. MULTIPLICATION PRINCIPLE

**Example 2:** Solve  $\frac{2}{7} - \frac{3}{4}x = \frac{1}{2}$

$\begin{array}{c} 7 \quad 4 \quad 2 \\   \quad \wedge \quad   \\ 7 \quad 2 \quad 2 \quad 2 \\ 2 \times 2 \times 7 = 28 \end{array}$	Find the LCD by making a factor tree of the denominators.
$\frac{2}{7} \times 28 - \frac{3}{4}x \times 28 = \frac{1}{2} \times 28$	Multiply everything by 28.
$8 - 21x = 14$	Simplify. Shazaam! No more fractions.
$\begin{array}{r} 8 - 21x = 14 \\ -8 \quad -8 \end{array}$	Subtract 8 from both sides.
$\begin{array}{r} -21x = 6 \\ /-21 \quad /-21 \end{array}$	Divide both sides by -21
$x = -\frac{6}{21}$	
$x = -\frac{2}{7}$	Simplify
<b>Answer: <math>x = -\frac{2}{7}</math></b>	

**Example 3:** Solve  $\frac{2}{3}x - 2 = \frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{2}{3}x \times 6 - 2 \times 6 = \frac{1}{2} \times 6$	Multiply every by LCD of 6.
$\begin{array}{r} 4x - 12 = 3 \\ +12 \quad +12 \end{array}$	Shazaam! No fractions. Add 12 to both sides.
$\begin{array}{r} 4x = 15 \\ /4 \quad /4 \end{array}$	Divide both sides 4.
$x = \frac{15}{4}$	
<b>Answer: <math>x = \frac{15}{4}</math></b>	

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**Example 4:** Solve  $\frac{3}{10}x - \frac{2}{5}(x - 3) = \frac{3}{2}x + 3$

$\frac{3}{10}x - \frac{2}{5}(x - 3) = \frac{3}{2}x + 3$	Distribute across parentheses.
$\overset{(10)}{\frac{3}{10}}x - \overset{(10)}{\frac{2}{5}}x + \overset{(10)}{\frac{6}{5}} = \overset{(10)}{\frac{3}{2}}x + 3$	Multiply every by LCD of 10.
$3x - 4x + 12 = 15x + 30$	Simplify. No fractions 😊.
$-x + 12 = 15x + 30$ $+x \quad +x$	Combine like terms on both sides. Add x to get the x-s on one side.
$12 = 16x + 30$ $-30 \quad -30$	Subtract 30 from both sides.
$-18 = 16x$ $/16 \quad /16$	Divide both sides by 16.
$x = -\frac{9}{8}$	
<b>Answer: <math>x = -\frac{9}{8}</math></b>	

**Example 5:** Solve  $\frac{2x-5}{3} = \frac{4x-1}{2}$

$\frac{2x}{3} - \frac{5}{3} = \frac{4x}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$	Grouping over a fraction acts as a parentheses. Break up into individual fractions. Same as distributing.
$\overset{(6)}{\frac{2x}{3}} - \overset{(6)}{\frac{5}{3}} = \overset{(6)}{\frac{4x}{2}} - \overset{(6)}{\frac{1}{2}}$	Multiply every by LCD of 6.
$4x - 10 = 12x - 3$	Simplify. No fractions 😊.
$4x - 10 = 12x - 3$ $-4x \quad -4x$	Combine like terms on both sides. Subtract 4x to get the x-s on one side.
$-10 = 8x - 3$ $+3 \quad +3$	Add 3 to both sides.
$-7 = 8x$ $-\frac{7}{8} = x$	Divide both sides by 8.
<b>Answer: <math>x = -\frac{7}{8}</math></b>	

## Section 2-5 Exercises

2-2

1. 35 less than 7 times a number is 98. What is the number?

2. The perimeter of a rectangle is 702 cm. The length is 71 cm longer than the width. What are the dimensions?

2-3

Solve.

3.  $7p + 12 = 33 - 4p$

4.  $3n + 48 = 7 - 2(n - 2)$

5.  $5x - 10 = 5(x - 2)$

6.  $3x - 7 = 15x$

7.  $5x - 7(x + 3) = -2x + 12$

8.  $.09x = 13 - .18x$

9.  $.8(3x - 2) = 9.5x + 1$

10.  $.2x - 7 + 2x = 3x - 5$

11.  $12m = 70 + .4m$

12.  $5(x - 5) - x = 4x - 20$

13.  $9x - 4(x - 3) = 15x + 7$

14.  $8x - 12x + x = 9x + 8x$

2-4

15. I have three colors of paint: blue, green, and yellow. The number of gallons of blue paint is 5 more than twice the number of green. The number of gallons of yellow paint is 3 less than 7 times the number of green. All together I have 82 gallons of paint. How many of each color are there?

16. 85 is what percent of 39?

17. 85 is 54% of what?

18. What is 19% of 2,340?

19. What is 23% of 79?

20. 119 is 18% of what?

21. 43 is what percent of 174?

22. Original Price: \$72.56

Tax: 7.3%

Final Price:

23. Original Price:

Discount: 30%

Final Price: \$49.70

24. Original Price:

Tax: 5%

Final Price: \$339.50

25. Original Price: \$55.50

Discount: 40%

Final Price:

26. If the population of a town grew 31% up to 17,049. What was the population last year?

27. If the price of an object dropped 35% down to \$101.25, what was the original price?

**Solve.**

2-5

28.  $\frac{4}{5}x = 2x - \frac{5}{3}$

29.  $\frac{2}{3}x - 6 = 3 + \frac{1}{2}x$

30\*.  $7/3t - 5 = 19$

31.  $-\frac{3}{8}(x - 7) = 5 + 3x$

32.  $\frac{3}{5}x - \frac{2}{5}(x - 3) = \frac{1}{5}x + 3$

33.  $\frac{3x+2}{7} = \frac{4x-1}{5}$

34.  $.9(-4x - 5) = 2.5x + 6$

35.  $.0005x + .0045 = .004x$

36.  $\frac{x+7}{4} = 8 - \frac{5}{6}x$

**Preparation.**

37. Solve.

a.  $3x - 7 = 17$

b.  $3x - 7 < 17$

c.  $3x - 7 > 17$

\*Remember that the “/” means the same as the  $\div$  symbol.

**Section 2-5 Answers**

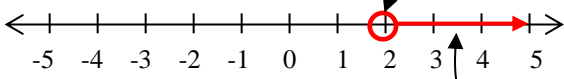
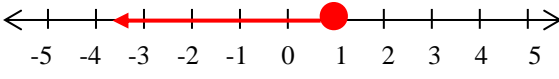
1. 19
2.  $w = 140\text{cm}$ ,  $l = 211\text{cm}$
3.  $p = \frac{21}{11}$
4.  $n = -\frac{37}{5}$  or  $-7.4$
5. All numbers
6.  $x = -\frac{7}{12}$
7. no solution
8.  $x = 48.15$
9.  $x = -0.366$
10.  $x = -2.5$
11.  $m = 6.03$
12. no solution
13.  $x = \frac{1}{2}$
14.  $x = 0$
15. 21 gal – blue, 8gal – green,  
53gal – yellow
16. 218%
17. 157.4
18. 444.6
19. 18.17
20. 661.1
21. 24.7%
22. \$77.86
23. \$71.00
24. \$323.33
25. \$33.30
26. 13,015
27. \$155.77
28.  $x = \frac{25}{18}$
29.  $x = 54$
30.  $t = \frac{72}{7}$
31.  $x = -\frac{19}{27}$
32. No solution
33.  $x = \frac{17}{13}$
34.  $x = -\frac{105}{61}$
35.  $x = \frac{9}{7}$
36.  $x = \frac{75}{13}$
37. In class.

## Section 2-6 Inequalities

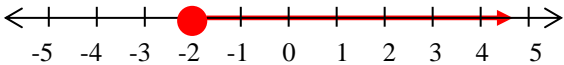
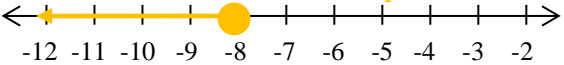
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### Graphing Inequalities

Main Topic	Examples
<p><math>&gt;</math> or <math>&lt;</math> are open circles.</p> <p><math>\leq</math> or <math>\geq</math> are closed circles.</p> <p>Note:  <math>1 \geq x</math> has the same graph as Example 2.</p>	<p><b>Example 1</b></p> <p><i>Graph <math>x &gt; 2</math></i></p>  <p>The open circle means that 2 is NOT included (since “x” cannot be equal to 2).</p> <p>The arrow means that everything above is included in the solution.</p> <p><b>Example 2:</b></p> <p><i>Graph <math>x \leq 1</math></i></p>  <p>Notice that the circle is filled in because “x” can be equal to 1.</p>

## Solving Inequalities

Main Topic	Examples
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solve like equations (3-Step Process).</li> <li>Switch direction if multiply or divide by negative.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Solve and graph <math>5x - 18 \geq -28</math></p> $5x - 18 \geq -28$ <p>No parentheses, no fractions, only one term with x.</p> $5x - 18 \geq -28$ $+18 \quad +18$ <p>Add 18 to both sides.</p> $5x \geq -10$ $5x \geq -10$ $/5 \quad /5$ <p>Divide to get x all alone.</p> $x \geq -2$ <p>Graph the solution.</p>  <p><b>Example 4:</b> Solve and graph <math>4x + 2 - 5x \geq 10</math></p> $4x + 2 - 5x \geq 10$ <p>Combine all like terms</p> $2 - x \geq 10$ $2 - x \geq 10$ $-2 \quad -2$ <p>Subtract 2 from both sides.</p> $-x \geq 8$ $-x \geq 8$ <p>Divide to get x all alone.</p> $\div (-1) \div (-1)$ <p>Switch the direction of the inequality sign if we divide by a negative number.</p> $x \leq -8$ <p>Graph the answer.</p> 

**Example 5:** Solve and graph  $2(3 + 4y) - 9 \geq 45$

$$2(3 + 4y) - 9 \geq 45$$

$$6 + 8y - 9 \geq 45$$

$$6 + 8y - 9 \geq 45$$

$$8y - 3 \geq 45$$

$$8y - 3 \geq 45$$

$$+3 \quad +3$$

$$8y \geq 48$$

$$\div 8 \quad \div 8$$

$$y \geq 6$$

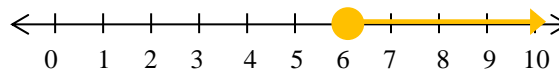
Distribute into the parentheses.

Combine all like terms.

Add 3 to both sides.

Divide to get y all alone.

**Don't** switch the sign because we **did not** divide by a negative number.



Graph the answer.

**Example 6:** Solve and graph  $\frac{3}{5}(x + 4) < \frac{7}{2}x + 1$

$$\frac{3}{5}(x + 4) < \frac{7}{2}x + 1$$

$$\frac{3}{5}x + \frac{12}{5} < \frac{7}{2}x + 1$$

$$\stackrel{(10)}{3}x + \stackrel{(10)}{12} < \stackrel{(10)}{7}x + \stackrel{(10)}{1}$$

$$6x + 24 < 35x + 10$$

$$-6x \quad -6x$$

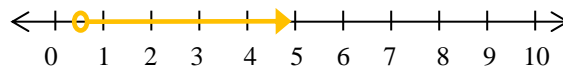
$$24 < 29x + 10$$

$$-10 \quad -10$$

$$14 < 29x$$

$$/29 \quad /29$$

$$\frac{14}{29} < x$$



Distribute into the parentheses.

Multiply by LCD of 10 to clear fractions.

Get all of the x-s on one side.

Subtract 10 from both sides.

Divide to get y all alone.

**Don't** switch the sign because we **did not** divide by a negative number.

Graph the answer.



## Section 2-6 Exercises

Solve for the specified variable.

2-2

1.  $\frac{2s-at^2}{2t} = V$  for  $s$

2.  $r = \frac{l}{pt}$  for  $p$

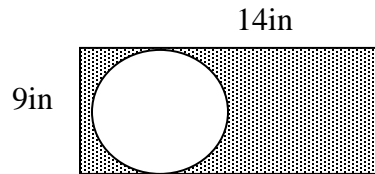
3.  $d = \frac{LP}{F}$  for  $F$

4.  $\frac{9s-5g}{11} = c$  for  $s$

5. 84 is 6 more than 3 times a number. What is the number?

6. A stick that is 438cm long is cut into two pieces. The first is 74 bigger than the second. What are the lengths of the two pieces?

7. Find the area of the shaded region:



8. If a rectangle's length is 7 more than 4 times the width and the perimeter is 194 mm, what are the dimensions of the rectangle?

9. Find the missing variable for a rectangle:

$$P = 48.3 \text{ ft}$$

$$w = 7.2 \text{ ft}$$

$$l =$$

10. Find the missing variable for a circle:

$$C = 800 \text{ in}$$

$$r =$$

Solve.

2-3

11.  $7p + 12 = 13 - 7p$     12.  $4n + 68 = 7 - 2(n - 2)$     13.  $7x - 10 = 5(x - 2)$

14.  $9x - 4 = 15x$     15.  $8x - 7(x + 3) = x - 21$     16.  $.18x = 13 - .20x$

2-4

17. 219 is 28% of what?

18. 27 is what percent of 74?

19. Original Price: \$192.56  
Tax: 7.3%  
Final Price:

20. Original Price:  
Discount: 35%  
Final Price: \$43.90

**21.** If the price of a meal after a 20% tip was \$28.80? What was the price of the meal before the tip was added?

**22.** If the price of an object dropped 15% down to \$59.50, what was the original price?

**Solve.**

2-5

**23.**  $\frac{7}{3}t - 2 = 19 + 5t$       **24.**  $-\frac{3}{4}(x - 4) = 5 + 2x$       **25.**  $\frac{1}{6}x - 4 = 3 + \frac{3}{10}x$

**26.**  $\frac{5}{2}(-4x - 2) = \frac{3}{4}x + 6$       **27.**  $\frac{x-5}{3} = \frac{5x+8}{6}$       **28.**  $\frac{x+7}{14} = 6 - \frac{3}{7}x$

**Solve and graph.**

2-6

**29.**  $3t + 5 > 12$       **30.**  $4m + 2 \leq -18$       **31.**  $3(x + 4) - 6x \geq 5(x - 2)$

**32.**  $-7p + 3 < 24$       **33.**  $\frac{3}{5}(n + 4) - 2 \geq \frac{3}{2}n$       **34.**  $3m < -21$

**35.**  $\frac{3}{4}(x - 5) \geq \frac{7}{2}x + 1$       **36.**  $3a + 5a \leq 7a - 8a$       **37.**  $5y - 7 \geq \frac{2}{3}y + 4$

**Preparation.**

**Solve the following.**

**38.** At a family reunion, Logan reserves a table at a dinner and a show event. There is a \$50 reservation fee for the show, plus a fee of \$15 per person for the dinner. If he has a budget of \$450, how many people can come to the dinner?

**39.** On his first two tests, Josh received scores of 85 and 89. If he wants at least a 90 for the average of his first three tests, what possible scores could he get on his third test?

## Section 2-6 Answers

1.  $s = \frac{2vt+at^2}{2}$

2.  $p = \frac{l}{rt}$

3.  $F = \frac{LP}{d}$

4.  $s = \frac{11c+5g}{9}$

5. 26

6. 182cm, 256cm

7.  $62.38 \text{ in}^2$

8. 18mm X 79mm

9.  $l = 16.95 \text{ ft}$

10.  $127.3 \text{ in}$

11.  $p = \frac{1}{14}$

12.  $n = -9.5$

13.  $x = 0$

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

15. All numbers

16.  $x = 34.21$

17. 782.1

18. 36.5%

19. \$206.62

20. \$67.54

21. \$24

22. \$70

23.  $t = -\frac{63}{8}$  or -7.875

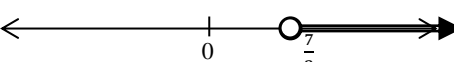
24.  $x = -\frac{8}{11}$  or -0.73

25.  $x = -52.5$

26.  $x = -\frac{44}{43}$  or -1.02

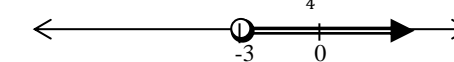
27.  $x = -6$


28.  $x = 11$

29.  $t > \frac{7}{3}$  

30.  $m \leq -5$  

31.  $x \leq \frac{11}{4}$  

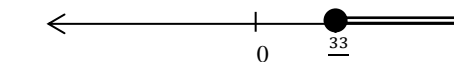
32.  $p > -3$  

33.  $n \leq \frac{4}{9}$  

34.  $m < -7$  

35.  $x \leq -\frac{19}{11}$  

36.  $a \leq 0$  

37.  $y \geq \frac{33}{13}$  

38. In class.

39. In class.

## Section 2-7 Word Problems: Inequalities

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

	GOAL: Get x alone (x will represent any variable)
	1. SIMPLIFY
2.5	A) Get rid of fractions (multiply all by LCD)
2.3	B) Distribute Across ( )
2.3	C) Combine “Like terms” and get all x’s on the same side
2.1	2. ADDITION PRINCIPLE
2.1	3. MULTIPLICATION PRINCIPLE
2.2	Applications: Shapes, Formulas, Solving for a Variable
2.4	Applications: Substitution and Percents
2.6	Inequalities
2.7	Inequalities and Applications

### INEQUALITY WORD PROBLEMS: TRANSLATION

COMMON PHRASES	EXAMPLE	TRANSLATION
at least / minimum	The minimum speed is 35 mph.	$S \geq 35$
at most	You can have at most 15 in the group.	$P \leq 15$
cannot exceed / maximum	The weight cannot exceed 2000lbs.	$W \leq 2000$
must exceed	The cost must exceed \$10	$C > 10$
less than	He has less than a 95%	$x < 95\%$
more than	We have more than \$1000 in our account.	$M > \$1000$
between	His age is somewhere between 25 and 30 years old.	$25 < A < 30$
no more than	There can be no more than 10 people on the boat.	$P \leq 10$
no less than	You should walk no less than 5 miles a day.	$d \geq 5$

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Power of “at least” horsepower.</p> <p>Power <math>\geq</math> 10 horsepower</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> In order for my model rocket to work it needs to put out a power of at least 10 horsepower</p> <p>Determine the key phrase that will help us to figure out which inequality sign to use</p> <p>Translate it into an inequality sign</p> <p><b>Answer: Power <math>\geq</math> 10 horsepower</b></p>

<p>Thickness of penny is “between” 1.8 and 2mm.</p> $1.8\text{mm} < T < 2\text{mm}$ <p>Note that it could also be</p> $1.8\text{mm} \leq T \leq 2\text{mm}$	<p><b>Example 2:</b> The required thickness of penny is between 1.8 and 2mm.</p> <p>Determine the key phrase that will help us to figure out which inequality sign to use</p> <p>Translate it into an inequality sign</p> <p><b>Answer: <math>1.8\text{mm} &lt; T &lt; 2\text{mm}</math></b></p>
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<p>Speed “limit” of 45mph.</p> $\text{Speed} \leq 45\text{mph}$ <p><b>SOLVING PROBLEMS</b></p> <p>Set up an inequality with the information we are given.</p> <p>Solve the equation we just came up with</p> <p>Check to see if the answer makes sense</p>	<p>Examples</p> <p><b>Example 3:</b> Glen Road has a speed limit of 45mph.</p> <p>Determine the key phrase that will help us to figure out which inequality sign to use</p> <p>Translate it into an inequality sign</p> <p><b>Answer: speed <math>\leq</math> 45mph</b></p> <p><b>Example 4:</b> A box that weighs 5 lbs can hold up to 25 books that each weighs 2.5 lbs. Due to recent back surgery I can only carry at most 48 lbs. If I want to move the box, how many books can the box have in it?</p> <p>The weight of the box (5lbs) plus 2.5 lbs for every book (x) can be at most 48 lbs.</p> $5 + 2.5x \leq 48$ $\begin{array}{r} 5 + 2.5x \leq 48 \\ -5 \qquad -5 \end{array}$ $2.5x \leq 43$ $\div 2.5 \quad \div 2.5$ <p>Can we have 17.2 books? No, so we need to change it to 17</p> $x \leq 17$ <p>We also note that a negative number of books would make no sense, so we have to have at least 0.</p> <p><b>Answer: <math>0 \leq \text{Books} \leq 17</math></b></p>
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**Example 5:** In order for David to reach his saving goal he needs to earn at least \$109,200 in commission this year. He earns 15% commission from all of his sales. If he has already earned \$89,700 in commission this year, how much more in sales does he need this year in order to reach his goal?

Set up an inequality with the information we are given.

Solve the inequality we just came up with

Check to see if the answer makes sense

Note that solving these problems using equations and then adding the inequality sign when the answer is obtained is acceptable.

David's sales amount last year (\$89,700) needs to increase by 15% of x to be at least \$109,200
$89,700 + .15x \geq 109,200$
$89,700 + .15x \geq 109,200$ $\quad -89,700 \quad -89,700$
$.15x \geq 19,500$ $\quad \div .15 \quad \div .15$ $x \geq 130,000$
Can we have 130,000 dollars? Yes, our answer works
$x \geq 130,000$
<b>Answer: sales <math>\geq</math> \$130,000</b>

Main Topics	Examples								
<p><b>Set Notation</b></p> <p>{ } means "set of".</p> <p>x   means "x such that".</p> <p><math>\{x   x &gt; 5\}</math></p> <p>The set of all x such that x &gt; 5.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Inequality</th> <th>Set Notation</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>x &gt; 5</math></td> <td><math>\{x   x &gt; 5\}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>x \leq -7</math></td> <td><math>\{x   x \leq -7\}</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>-2 &lt; x \leq \frac{7}{2}</math></td> <td><math>\{x   -2 &lt; x \leq \frac{7}{2}\}</math></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Inequality	Set Notation	$x > 5$	$\{x   x > 5\}$	$x \leq -7$	$\{x   x \leq -7\}$	$-2 < x \leq \frac{7}{2}$	$\{x   -2 < x \leq \frac{7}{2}\}$
Inequality	Set Notation								
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$x \leq -7$	$\{x   x \leq -7\}$								
$-2 < x \leq \frac{7}{2}$	$\{x   -2 < x \leq \frac{7}{2}\}$								

## Section 2-7 Exercises

Translate the following statements into an equation and solve.

2-5

1. 56 is what percent of 448?      2. What is 15% of 0.0012?      3. 421 is 105.25% of what?

4. While studying the weather patterns in Omaha, Jackson recorded that between the months of March and May the average temperature highs rose by 25%. If the average temperature in May is 78°F, what was the average temperature in March?

5. While running her latest marathon, Erika lost 2% of her body weight in sweat. After drinking water after the race, she regained 90% of the weight that she lost. If she originally weighed 120 pounds, how much did she weigh after drinking?

Solve the following inequalities, and write the answer in set notation.

2-6

6.  $14h + (-7.2) < -220$       7.  $8k - \frac{3}{4} \geq 10k$       8.  $0.5(8r + 22) \leq 2r + 11$
9.  $\frac{75}{3} > \frac{15b-30}{3}$       10.  $12.7p + 4.5 + 1.3p \geq -31.9$

Write the following statements as an inequality and graph.

2-7

11. It is at most 5° outside.      12. The show will begin in less than 5 minutes.
13. 60 inches is the minimum height to enter.      14. The road is between 5 and 8 miles away.
15. The speed limit is 45 miles per hour.      16. I have more than 3 years until graduation.

Solve the following word problems by writing them in an inequality.

17. On his first two tests, Josh received scores of 88 and 92. If he wants at least an average of 93, what does his score on the third test have to be?

18. An elevator can hold up to 3,300 pounds. If each person on the elevator weighs an average of 165 pounds, how many people can ride at one time? (When you state your answer, remember that we can't have a negative number of people.)

**19.** At a family reunion, Logan reserved a table at a dinner and a show event. There was a \$50 reservation fee for the show, plus a fee of \$15 per person for the dinner. If he had a budget of \$450, how many people can come to the dinner? (When you state your answer, remember that we can't have a negative number of people.)

**20.** In order to qualify for financial aid, Sheyla needs to take at least 30 credits combined between two semesters. If she took 16 credits last semester, how many more credits does she need to take this semester to qualify for aid?

**21.** Patty wants to know how long she can talk to her grandma on a long-distance phone call with the \$2.20 she has. If it costs \$0.50 to place a call and \$0.10 per minute, how long can she talk?

**22.** The width of a rectangle is fixed at 6 meters. For what lengths will the area be more than  $96m^2$ ?



## Section 2-7 Answers

1. 12.5%

2. 0.00018

3. 400

4.  $62.4^\circ \text{F}$

5. 119.76 pounds

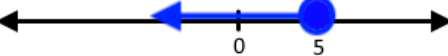
6.  $\{h|h < -15.2\}$

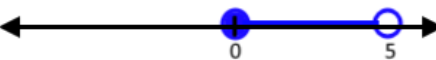
7.  $\{k|k \leq -0.375\}$

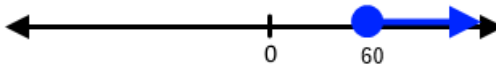
8.  $\{r|r \leq 0\}$

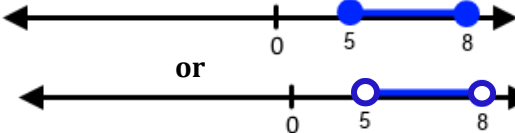
9.  $\{b|b < 7\}$

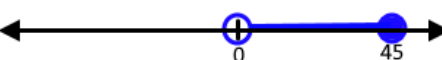
10.  $\{p|p \geq -2.6\}$

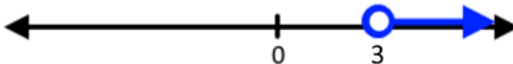
11.  $\text{Temperature} \leq 5^\circ$  A number line with arrows at both ends. It has tick marks at 0 and 5. A solid blue circle is placed at 5, and a blue line segment extends to the left from 5, ending in an arrowhead.

12.  $0 \leq \text{Show begins} < 5 \text{ min.}$  A number line with arrows at both ends. It has tick marks at 0 and 5. A solid blue circle is at 0 and an open blue circle is at 5. A blue line segment connects them, with arrowheads at both ends.

13.  $\text{height} \geq 60 \text{ inches}$  A number line with arrows at both ends. It has tick marks at 0 and 60. A solid blue circle is at 60, and a blue line segment extends to the right from 60, ending in an arrowhead.

14.  $5 \text{ mi} \leq \text{road} \leq 8 \text{ mi}$   
or  $5 \text{ mi} < \text{road} < 8 \text{ mi}$   
or Two number lines are shown. The top one has tick marks at 0, 5, and 8. It has solid blue circles at 5 and 8, and a blue line segment between them with arrowheads at both ends. The bottom one has tick marks at 0, 5, and 8. It has open blue circles at 5 and 8, and a blue line segment between them with arrowheads at both ends. The word "or" is centered between the two lines.

15.  $0 < \text{speed} \leq 45 \text{ mph}$  A number line with arrows at both ends. It has tick marks at 0 and 45. An open blue circle is at 0 and a solid blue circle is at 45. A blue line segment connects them, with arrowheads at both ends.

16.  $\text{years} > 3$  A number line with arrows at both ends. It has tick marks at 0 and 3. An open blue circle is at 3, and a blue line segment extends to the right from 3, ending in an arrowhead.

17.  $\text{grade} \geq 99$

18.  $0 \leq \text{people} \leq 20$

19.  $0 \leq \text{people} \leq 26$  or  $0 \leq P < 27$

20.  $\text{credits} \geq 14$

21.  $0 < \text{time} \leq 17 \text{ minutes}$

22.  $\text{length} > 16 \text{ meters}$

## Chapter 2 Review Exercises

1. Create a visual chart of all of the methods, formulas, and examples from studying how to solve these linear equations and inequalities.

Solve.

2-1

2.  $-\frac{2}{9}m = 24$

3.  $9\left(\frac{8-6x}{4} + 6\right) + 5 = -31$

4.  $\frac{8x-5}{3} = 33$

Solve for the specified variable.

5.  $Rd = pM(f + t)$  for  $t$

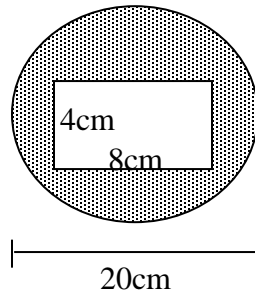
6.  $d = \frac{pM(f-t)}{R}$  for  $R$

2-2

7. 13.2 less than 7 times a number is 18.8. What is the number?

8. Two numbers add to 336 and the first is 24 bigger than the second. What are the two numbers?

9. Find the area of the shaded region:



10. I have created a triangular garden such that the largest side is 6m less than twice the smallest and the medium side is 15m larger than the smallest side. If the total perimeter of the garden is 105m, what are the lengths of the three sides?

11. If a parallelogram has an area of  $158.9 \text{ cm}^2$  and a base of 23.2 cm, how tall is it?

12. A triangle has angles of  $g - 3$ ,  $2g + 8$ , and  $3g - 17$ . Solve for  $g$  and find the measures of the angles.

Solve.

2-3

13.  $7p + 12 = 12 + 7p$

14.  $9n + 48 = 7n - 2(n - 2)$

15.  $7x + 18 = 9(x - 3)$

16. Rick has taken 4 tests. His scores are 83, 92, 94, and 85. What does he need to get on his 5<sup>th</sup> test for his average to be 90?

2-4

17. 45 is what percent of 39?

18. 25 is 44% of what?

19. What is 59% of 2,340?

20. Original Price:

Tax: 5%

Final Price: \$359.50

21. Original Price: \$55.50

Discount: 20%

Final Price:

22. If the population of a town grew 11% up to 17,046. What was the population last year?

23. If the price of an object dropped 15% down to \$62.90, what was the original price?

**Solve.**

2-5

24.  $\frac{7}{3}t - 8 = 4 + 7t$

25.  $-\frac{3}{7}(m - 12) = 3m + 6$

26.  $\frac{5}{6}x - 8 = 7 + \frac{7}{8}x$

27.  $.13(-2x + 2) = .05x + 7$

28.  $\frac{x-7}{4} = \frac{5x+3}{10}$

**Solve and graph.**

2-6

29.  $3t + 5 > 15$

30.  $4m + 30 \leq -18$

31.  $3(x + 2) - 6x \geq 5(x - 2)$

32.  $-7p + 3 < -10$

33.  $\frac{3}{5}(n + 6) - 2 \geq \frac{3}{2}n$

34.  $7m < -21$

35.  $\frac{3}{4}(x - 5) \geq \frac{7}{2}x + 15$

36.  $3a + 5a > 7a - 8a$

37.  $5y - 15 \geq \frac{2}{3}y + 4$

**Solve. Write your answer as an inequality. Then graph the solution.**

2-7

38. A copy job to run a pamphlet costs \$7 for a setup fee and then \$2.21 for each copy. How many copies can be run if the budget is \$175? (Include in the answer the idea that a negative number of copies cannot be made.)

39. An envelope has to have a maximum area of  $18 \text{ in}^2$ . What can the length be if the width is  $3\frac{1}{4} \text{ in}$ ? (Include the idea that a length cannot be negative.)

## Chapter 2 Review Answers

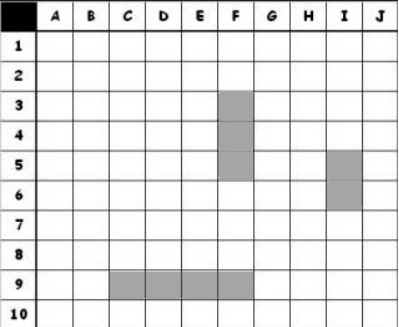
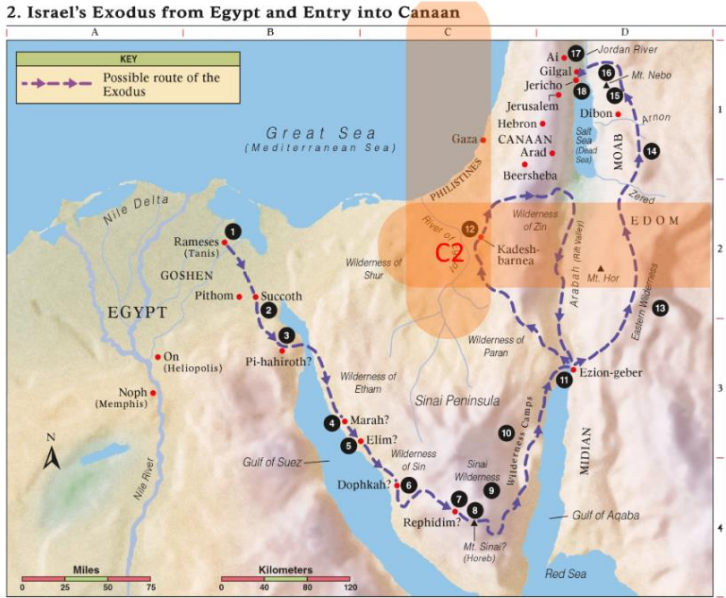
1. It better be good.
2.  $m = -108$
3.  $x = 8$
4.  $x = 13$
5.  $t = \frac{Rd - pMf}{pM}$  or  $t = \frac{Rd}{pM} - f$
6.  $R = \frac{pM(f-t)}{d}$  or  $R = \frac{pMf - pMt}{d}$
7.  $\frac{32}{7}$  or 4.57
8. 156, 180
9. 282.16cm<sup>2</sup>
10. 24m, 39m, 42m
11. 6.85cm
12.  $g = 32$  angles are  $29^\circ, 72^\circ, 79^\circ$
13. All numbers
14.  $n = -11$
15.  $x = \frac{45}{2}$  or 22.5
16. 96
17. 115.4%
18. 56.82
19. 1380.6
20. \$342.38
21. \$44.40
22. 15,357
23. \$74
24.  $t = -\frac{18}{7}$
25.  $m = -\frac{1}{4}$
26.  $x = -360$
27.  $x = -21.74$
28.  $x = -\frac{41}{5}$  or -8.2
29.  $\{t | t > \frac{10}{3}\}$
30.  $\{m | m \leq -12\}$
31.  $\{x | x \leq 2\}$
32.  $\{p | p > \frac{13}{7}\}$
33.  $\{n | n \leq \frac{16}{9}\}$
34.  $\{m | m < -3\}$
35.  $\{x | x \leq -\frac{75}{11}\}$
36.  $\{a | a > 0\}$
37.  $\{y | y \geq \frac{57}{13}\}$
38.  $0 \leq \text{pamphlets} \leq 76$
39.  $0 < \text{length} \leq 5.5$

# Section 3-1 Coordinates and Graphing Lines

## CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

3-1: Coordinates	Graphing Lines
3-2: Intercepts	Vertical and Horizontal Lines
3-3: Slope	
3-4: Graphing with slope	Equation shortcuts
3-5: Writing Equations of Lines	Prediction

## Graphs

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Coordinate Axes</b>	Alphabetical Ordinates <i>A, B, C, D, E ...</i>
Ordinates	Numerical Ordinates <i>1, 2, 3, 4, 5...</i>
Games	<p>Battleship:</p> <p>Coordinates C9, D9, E9, F9 indicate the placement of a ship.</p> 
Maps	<p>Maps:</p> <p>Kadesh-Barnea is found at C2 on this LDS Study Helps</p> <p><b>2. Israel's Exodus from Egypt and Entry into Canaan</b></p> 

Cartesian Coordinates	<p>In 1637, Rene Descartes published the idea of using pairs of numerical ordinates in equations with variables to describe geometric objects such as lines and circles.</p> <p>The first ordinate <math>x</math> and the second ordinate <math>y</math> give us <math>(x, y)</math>. We now call this the Cartesian (named after Descartes) Coordinate System.</p>

## Finding Points

Main Topics	Examples										
Two Points	<p>One point can have many lines going through it, but once you find a 2<sup>nd</sup> point, there is only one line.</p>										
Pick 'n Stick	<p><b>Example 1: Fill in the table for</b></p>										
<p>To organize the points we make, we can outline the points on the graph by using a table.</p>	$y = \frac{1}{4}x - 2$ <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>x</th> <th>y</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>4</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>0</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	x	y	4		0			0		3
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Solution:	<p>when <math>x = 4</math> we have <math>y = \frac{1}{4}(4) - 2</math> which means <math>y = -1</math>.</p> <p>when <math>x = 0</math> we have <math>y = \frac{1}{4}(0) - 2</math> which means <math>y = -2</math>.</p> <p>when <math>y = 0</math> we have <math>0 = \frac{1}{4}(x) - 2</math> which means <math>x = 8</math>.</p> <p>when <math>y = 3</math> we have <math>3 = \frac{1}{4}(x) - 2</math> which means <math>x = 20</math>.</p>										
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x	y										
4	-1										
0	-2										
8	0										
20	3										

Pick any number for either variable, substitute that number in, and solve for the other variable. Though you only need two, you could get billions. Here are just a few.

**Example 2:**

$$3x + 4y = 7$$

x	y
2	
	0
	1
	5
0	

Solution:

x	y
2	$\frac{1}{4}$
$\frac{7}{3}$	0
1	1
$-\frac{13}{3}$	5
0	$\frac{7}{4}$

$3x + 4y = 7$

x	y
2	
	0
	1
	5
0	

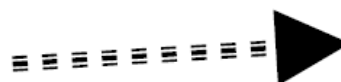
$3(2) + 4y = 7$   
 $4y = 1$   
 $y = \frac{1}{4}$

$3(0) + 4y = 7$   
 $4y = 7$   
 $y = \frac{7}{4}$

$3x + 4(0) = 7$   
 $3x = 7$   
 $x = \frac{7}{3}$

$3x + 4(1) = 7$   
 $3x = 3$   
 $x = 1$

$3x + 4(5) = 7$   
 $3x = -13$   
 $x = -\frac{13}{3}$

**Graphing**

- Pick a number.

- Stick in (substitute) for x or y.

- Solve for the partner.

- Connect points.

**Example 2:** Graph  $2x + 3y = 7$ 

x	y
2	
	0

$$2(2) + 3y = 7$$

$$4 + 3y = 7$$

$$3y = 3$$

$$y = 1$$

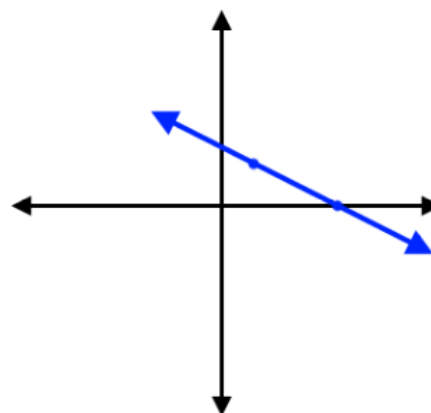
$$(2, 1)$$

$$2x + 3(0) = 7$$

$$2x = 7$$

$$x = \frac{7}{2}$$

$$\left(\frac{7}{2}, 0\right)$$



**Example 3:** Graph  $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 4$

x	y
0	
5	

$$y = \frac{2}{3}(0) - 4$$

$$y = 0 - 4$$

$$y = -4$$

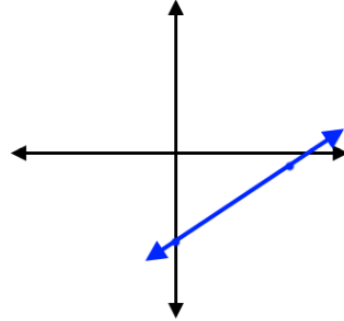
$$(0, -4)$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}(5) - 4$$

$$y = \frac{10}{3} - 4$$

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

$$\left(5, -\frac{2}{3}\right)$$





## Section 3-1 Exercises

2-4

1. Three types of bears are in a national park. The number of grizzly bears is 4 more than twice the number of black bears, and the number of panda bears is 50 more than the number of black bears. There are a total of 874 bears in the park. How many of each kind are there?

2. An international phone call costs 35¢ to connect and 12¢ for every minute of the call. How long can a person talk for \$3.60?

3. A 52m rope is cut so that one piece is 18m longer than the other. What are the lengths of the pieces?

4. Original Price: \$292.50  
Discount: 20%  
Final Price:

5. Original Price:  
Discount: 40%  
Final Price: \$73.90

**Solve and graph (on a number line).**

2-7

6.  $5(x-2) > 7x + 8$

3-1

**Fill out the table for each of the following:**

7.  $x + y = 9$

x	y
5	
-4	
	3
	0
	7

8.  $2x - y = 5$

x	y
2	
0	
-1	
	0
	4

9.  $5x + 4y = 9$

x	y
1	
0	
-3	
	0
	5

10.  $x - 7y = 13$

x	y
	1
	3
2	
0	
	-1

**Graph the following lines, and label three points (your points may be different than mine).**

11.  $3x + y = 10$

12.  $y = 2x$

13.  $x - 4y = 7$

14.  $2x + y = 3$

15.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x + 4$

16.  $6x - 5y = 12$

17.  $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$

18.  $5x + 2y = 6$

**Preparation.**

19. After reading a bit of section 3.2, try to find the x-intercept and y-intercept of  $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 5$ .

20. **Solve for y in each of these equations:**

a)  $2x + y = 7$

b)  $5x + 3y = 6$

c)  $2x - 7y = 11$

Section 3-1 Answers

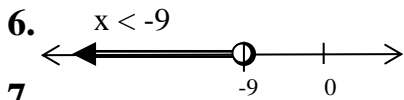
1. 205 Black, 414 Grizzly, 255 Panda

2. 27 minutes

3. 17m, 35m

4. \$234

5. \$123.17



7.

x	y
5	4
-4	13
6	3
9	0
2	7

8.

x	y
2	-1
0	-5
-1	-7
$\frac{5}{2}$	0
$\frac{9}{2}$	4

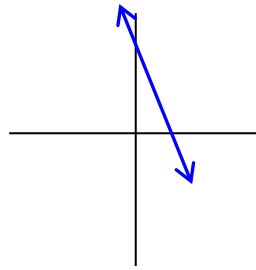
9.

x	y
1	1
0	$\frac{9}{4}$
-3	6
$\frac{9}{5}$	0
$-\frac{11}{5}$	5

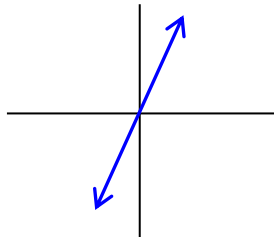
10.

x	y
20	1
34	3
2	$\frac{11}{7}$
0	$\frac{13}{7}$
6	-1

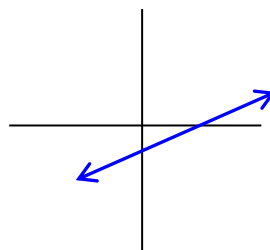
11. (0,10) (3,1) (-1,13)



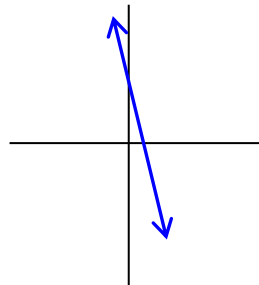
12. (0,0) (1,2) (2,4)



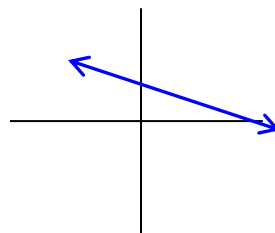
13. (7,0) (3,-1) (0,- $\frac{7}{4}$ )



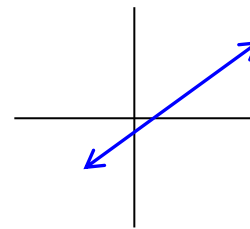
14. (0,3) (1,1) (2,-1)



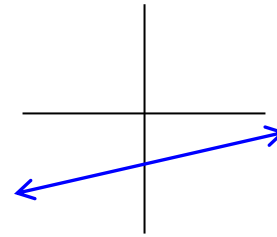
15. (0,4) (7,1) (14,-2)



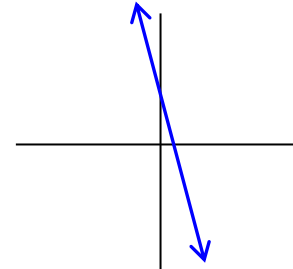
16. (2,0) (0,- $\frac{12}{5}$ ) (7,6)



17. (0,-4) (2,-3) (4,-2)



18. (0,3) (2,-2) ( $\frac{6}{5}$ ,0)



19. In class.

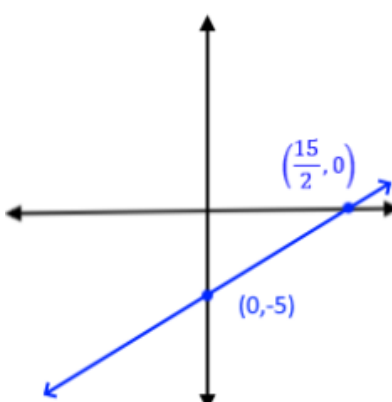
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## Section 3-2 Intercepts, Vertical, Horizontal

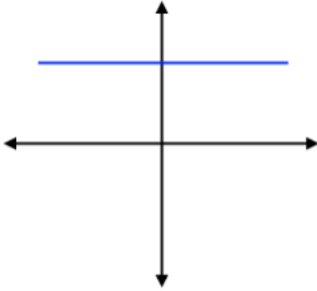
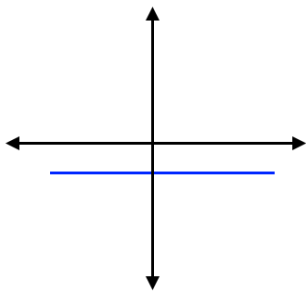
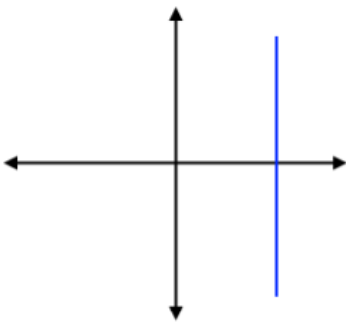
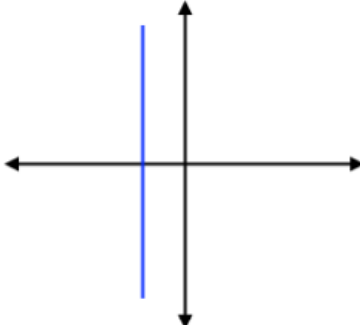
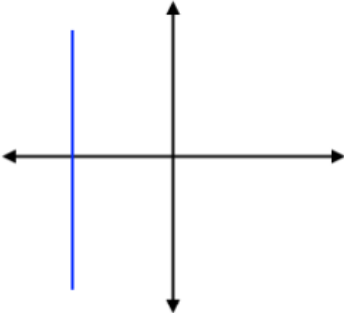
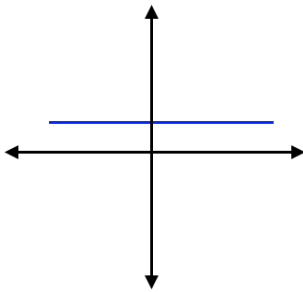
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### Intercepts

Main Topics	Examples			
<p><b>Intercepts</b></p> <p><math>x</math> – intercept when <math>y</math> is 0. ( , 0)</p> <p><math>y</math> – intercept when <math>x</math> is 0. (0, )</p> <p>Why do we call them intercepts? In math, the word “intercept” means “to cross”. A point (0, ) is on the <math>y</math>-axis.</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Find the <math>x</math>-intercept of <math>2x - 7y = 12</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Stick 0 in for <math>y</math></i></p> $2x - 7 \cdot 0 = 12$ $2x = 12$ $x = 6$ <p><b>The <math>x</math>-intercept is (6, 0)</b></p>	<p><b>Example 2:</b> Find the <math>y</math>-intercept of <math>2x - 7y = 12</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Stick 0 in for <math>x</math></i></p> $2 \cdot 0 - 7y = 12$ $-7y = 12$ $y = -\frac{12}{7}$ <p><b>The <math>y</math>-intercept is <math>(0, -\frac{12}{7})</math></b></p>		
	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Graph the following line and label the <math>x</math>- and <math>y</math>- intercept.</p> $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 5$ <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td> <p><math>y</math>-intercept: <i>stick in 0 for <math>x</math></i></p> <math display="block">y = \frac{2}{3}(0) - 5</math> <math display="block">= -5</math> <p>(0, -5)</p> </td> <td> <p><math>x</math>- intercept: <i>stick in 0 for <math>y</math></i></p> <math display="block">0 = \frac{2}{3}x - 5</math> <math display="block">5 = \frac{2}{3}x</math> <math display="block">\frac{15}{2} = x \quad (\frac{15}{2}, 0)</math> </td> </tr> </table>	<p><math>y</math>-intercept: <i>stick in 0 for <math>x</math></i></p> $y = \frac{2}{3}(0) - 5$ $= -5$ <p>(0, -5)</p>	<p><math>x</math>- intercept: <i>stick in 0 for <math>y</math></i></p> $0 = \frac{2}{3}x - 5$ $5 = \frac{2}{3}x$ $\frac{15}{2} = x \quad (\frac{15}{2}, 0)$	
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## Vertical and Horizontal Lines

Main Topics	Examples	
<p><b>Horizontal</b></p> <p>All points (including the y-intercept) have the same y value.</p>	<p><b>Example 3:</b> <math>y = 7</math></p> 	<p><b>Example 4:</b> <math>y = -2</math></p> 
<p><b>Vertical</b></p> <p>All points (including the x-intercept) have the same x value.</p>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> <math>x = 7</math></p> 	<p><b>Example 6:</b> <math>x = -2</math></p> 
<p>Some require you to solve the equation, then graph.</p>	<p><b>Example 7:</b></p> $-2x = 12$ $x = -6$ 	<p><b>Example 8:</b></p> $5y + 6 = 16$ $5y = 10$ $y = 2$ 

### Section 3-2 Exercises

1. Three types of trees are in a local park. The number of aspens is 5 more than three times the number of oaks, and the number of maples is 20 less than the number of oaks. There are a total of 850 trees in the park. How many of each kind are there?

2. Original Price: \$49.50  
Discount: 20%  
Final Price:

3. Original Price:  
Discount: 40%  
Final Price: \$53.70

**Solve and graph (on a number line).**

2-6

4.  $6(x-2) > 7x + 8$

**Fill out the table for each of the following:**

3-1

5.  $2x + y = 9$

x	y
5	
-4	
	3
	0
	7

6.  $2x - 3y = 5$

x	y
2	
0	
-1	
	0
	4

**Graph the following lines, and label three points (your points may be different than mine).**

7.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x + 4$

8.  $6x - 5y = 12$

**Find the x and y intercepts for each line. Then graph.**

3-2

9.  $5x + 2y = 20$

10.  $y = 2x - 10$

11.  $4x - y = 8$

12.  $x + y = 7$

13.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x - 6$

14.  $2x - 6y = 18$

**Graph the following lines, and label three points (your points may be different than mine).**

15.  $x = 5$

16.  $y = 4$

17.  $3x = -6$

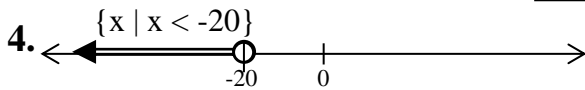
18.  $2y + 1 = -15$

**Preparation.**

19. After reading a bit of section 3-3, try to find the slope between (4,1) and (7,11).

Section 3-2 Answers

- 1. 173 Oaks, 524 Aspen, 153 Maple
- 2. \$39.60
- 3. \$89.50



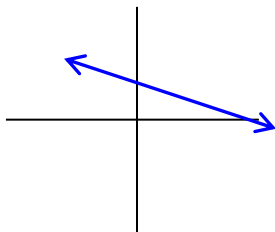
5.

x	y
5	-1
-4	17
3	3
$\frac{9}{2}$	0
1	7

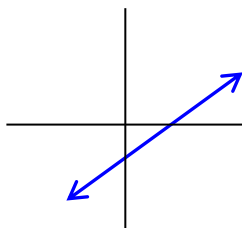
6.

x	y
2	$-\frac{1}{3}$
0	$-\frac{5}{3}$
-1	$-\frac{7}{3}$
$\frac{5}{2}$	0
$\frac{17}{2}$	4

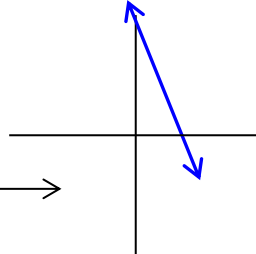
7. (0,4) (7,1) (14,-2)



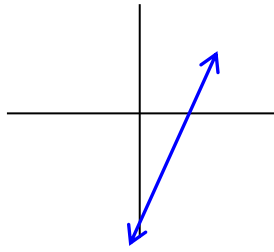
8. (2,0) (0,-12/5) (7,6)



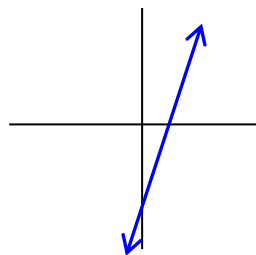
9. (4,0) (0,10)



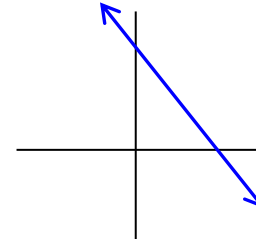
10. (5,0) (0,-10)



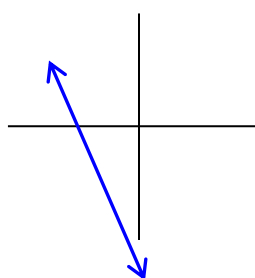
11. (2,0) (0,-8)



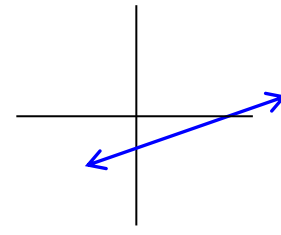
12. (7,0) (0,7)



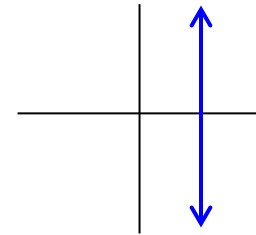
13. (-14,0) (0,-6)



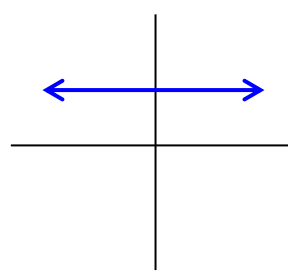
14. (9,0) (0,-3)



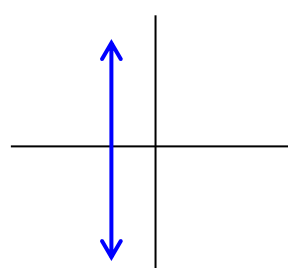
15. (5,0) (5,1) (5,-4)



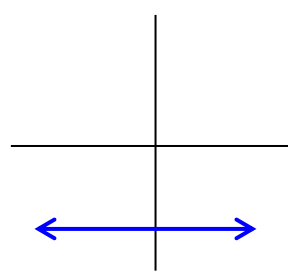
16. (0,4) (2,4) (7,4)



17. (-2,0) (-2,2) (-2,-8)



18. (0,-8) (5,-8) (-11,-8)



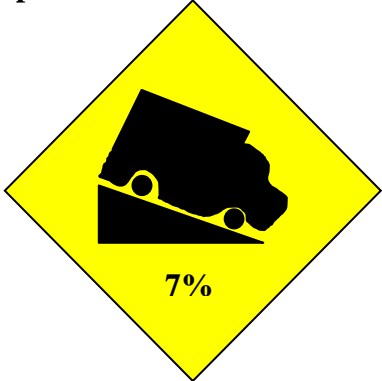
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## Section 3-3 Slope

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### Definitions

Main topic:	Example:
<p><b>SLOPE:</b> Represented by the letter “m”. It is referred to as the <b>rate of change</b>.</p> $\text{Slope} = \frac{\text{Vertical Change}}{\text{Horizontal Change}}$	<p><b>Example 1: Road Grade or Steepness</b></p> $7\% = \frac{7}{100} = \frac{7 \text{ feet of rise}}{100 \text{ feet of run}}$ 

### CALCULATING SLOPE

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Formula for slope:</b></p> $m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}$	<p><b>Find the slope between each set of points:</b></p> <p><b>Example 2:</b></p> $(4, 3) \text{ \& } (-2, 1) \quad \frac{3 - 1}{4 - (-2)} = \frac{2}{6} = \frac{1}{3}$ <p><b>Example 3:</b></p> $(1, 7) \text{ \& } (-2, 1) \quad \frac{7 - 1}{1 - (-2)} = 2$ <p><b>Example 4:</b></p> $(5, -3) \text{ \& } (-2, 1) \quad \frac{-3 - 1}{5 - (-2)} = -\frac{4}{7}$

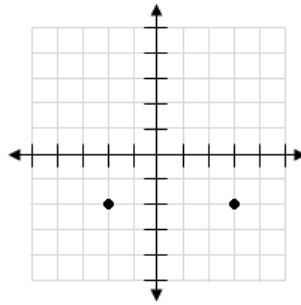
**Example 5:**

$$(5, -3) \text{ \& } (5, 1) \quad \frac{-3 - 1}{5 - 5} = -\frac{4}{0} \quad \textit{undefined}$$

**Example 6:**

$$(1, 7) \text{ \& } (-2, 7) \quad \frac{7 - 7}{1 - (-2)} = \frac{0}{3} = 0$$

All horizontal lines will  
have a slope of 0.

**Example 7:**

Slope of the line

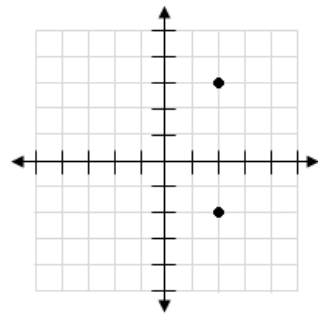
$$y = -2$$

Use points: (3, -2) and (-2, -2).

Plug in the formula:  $m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}$ 

$$m = \frac{-2 - (-2)}{3 - (-2)} = \frac{0}{5} = 0$$

All vertical lines have  
undefined slope

**Example 8:**

Slope of the line

$$x = 2$$

Use points: (2, -2) and (2, 3).

Plug in the formula:  $m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}$ 

$$m = \frac{-2 - 3}{2 - 2} = \frac{-5}{0} = \text{UNDEFINED}$$

(Division by zero is undefined.)



## Trends with Slope

Main Topics	Examples
<p>1. <b>Bigger numbers</b> for slope correspond to <b>steeper lines</b>.</p> <p>2. <b>Positive slopes head up</b> as you go to the right.</p> <p>3. <b>Negative slopes will head down</b> as you go to the right.</p> <p>Common Mistake: A vertical line and horizontal line are often mistaken as having no slope. A <b>vertical line</b> has <b>undefined slope</b> and a <b>horizontal line</b> has a <b>slope of zero</b>.</p>	

## Special slope relationships

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Parallel Slope: When lines have the <b>same slope, or steepness</b>, then they <b>never intersect</b>. They are parallel with each other.</p>	<p><b>Example 9:</b> Slope: <math>m = \frac{3}{4}</math> Parallel Slope: <math>\frac{3}{4} \rightarrow</math> they have the <b>same slope</b>. Perpendicular Slope: <math>-\frac{4}{3} \rightarrow</math> the slopes are <b>negative reciprocals</b>.</p>
<p>Perpendicular Slope: When 2 lines <b>intersect each other at a 90° angle</b>. The <b>slopes of the two lines</b> are always <b>negative reciprocals</b>.</p>	<p><b>Example 10:</b> Slope: <math>m = 1</math>      Parallel Slope: <math>1</math>      Perpendicular Slope: <math>-1</math></p> <p><b>Example 11:</b> Slope: <math>m = \frac{5}{8}</math>      Parallel Slope: <math>\frac{5}{8}</math>      Perpendicular Slope: <math>-\frac{8}{5}</math></p> <p><b>Example 12:</b> Slope: <math>m = 0</math>      Parallel Slope: <math>0</math>      Perpendicular Slope: <b>undefined</b></p>

## Section 3-3 Exercises

2-4

1. Solve for  $m$ :  $-5x + 2m = 13$

2. Solve for  $y$ :  $3x - 11y = 5$

3. If grading in a class is set up so that 10% is attendance, 10% is tutoring, 30% homework, and 50% tests, what is a student's grade if he has 80% attendance, 50% tutoring, 50% homework and 80% on tests?

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6. Four consecutive odd integers add up to 328. What are the four numbers?

Fill out the table for each of the following:

3-1

7.  $2x + y = 9$

x	y
5	
-4	
	3
	0
	7

8.  $y = 5x + 2$

x	y
2	
0	
-1	
	0
	4

Find the  $x$  and  $y$  intercepts. Then graph.

3-2

9.  $3x + 2y = 10$

10.  $y = 2x - 7$

11.  $y = \frac{1}{2}x$

12.  $4x + y = 8$

13.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x - 9$

14.  $2x - 5y = 12$

Graph the following lines, and label three points (your points may be different than mine).

15.  $x = 4$

16.  $y = 3$

Find the slope between each pair of points.

3-3

17.  $(5, -2)$   $(7, 3)$

18.  $(4, 1)$   $(-5, 6)$

19.  $(5, -1)$   $(-3, -8)$

20.  $(7, 3)$   $(-2, 3)$

21.  $(-5, 2)$   $(4, -3)$

22.  $(-6, 1)$   $(-6, 5)$

23. A road rises 400 feet over a horizontal distance of 6,000 feet. What is the slope (or grade) of the road?

For each slope, write down the parallel and perpendicular slopes.

24.  $m = 4$

25.  $m = -\frac{3}{8}$

26. Explain the difference between a slope of zero and an undefined slope.

Preparation. 27. Find two points of each line and then use those points to find the slope.

$$y = \frac{7}{3}x - 8$$

$$y = \frac{3}{5}x + 4$$

## Section 3-3 Answers

1.  $m = \frac{13+5x}{2}$  or  $m = \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{13}{2}$

2.  $y = \frac{3}{11}x - \frac{5}{11}$  or  $y = \frac{5-3x}{-11}$

3. 68%

4. \$314

5. \$134.36

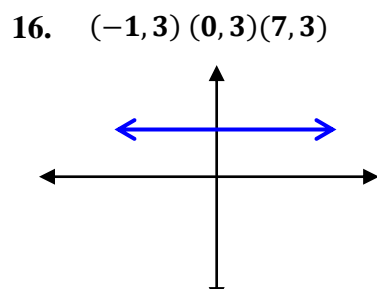
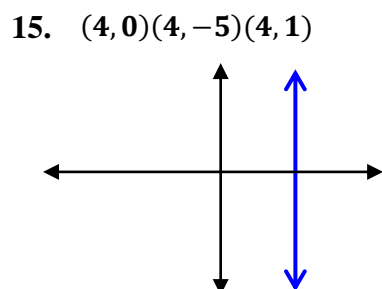
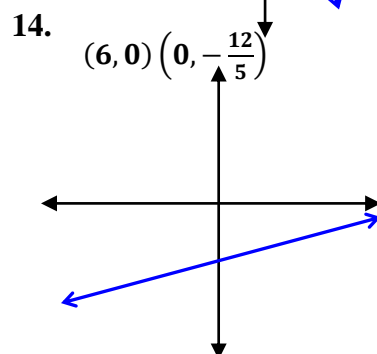
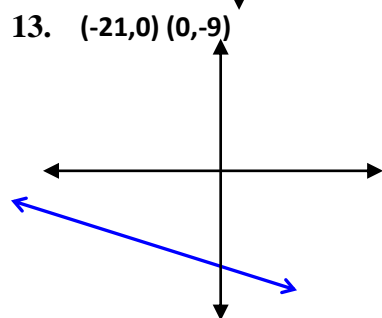
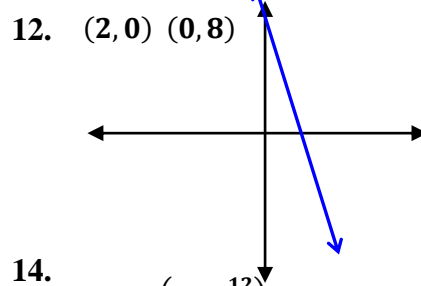
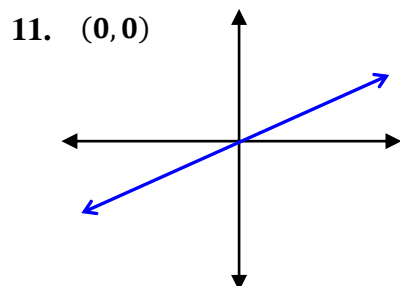
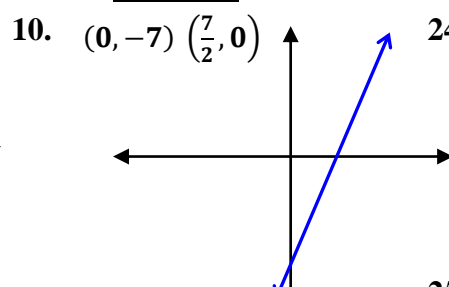
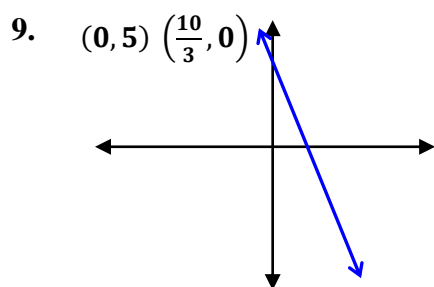
6. 79, 81, 83, 85

7. 

x	y
5	-1
-4	17
3	3
$\frac{9}{2}$	0
1	7

8. 

x	y
2	12
0	2
-1	-3
$-\frac{2}{5}$	0
$\frac{2}{5}$	4



17.  $m = \frac{5}{2}$

18.  $m = -\frac{5}{9}$

19.  $m = \frac{7}{8}$

20.  $m = 0$

21.  $m = -\frac{5}{9}$

22.  $m = \text{undefined}$

23.  $m = \frac{1}{15}$  or 6.7% road grade

24. Parallel:  $m = 4$   
Perpendicular:  $m = -\frac{1}{4}$

25. Parallel:  $m = -\frac{3}{8}$   
Perpendicular:  $m = \frac{8}{3}$

26. Undefined is vertical  
Straight up and down  
0 is horizontal  
Straight across

27. In class

## Section 3-4 Slope-Intercept Form

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3-3: Slope	Parallel and Perpendicular
3-4: Graphing with slope	Slope Intercept and equation shortcuts
3-5: Writing Equations of Lines	Prediction

## Slope from Slope-Intercept Form

Main Topics	Examples
Key Terms	
Slope	<p><b>Slope</b></p> $m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2} \quad m = \frac{y \text{ change}}{x \text{ change}} \quad m = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} \quad m = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$
Slope-intercept form	<p><b>Slope-Intercept Form</b> <math>y = mx + b</math>.</p> <p>m is the slope b is the y-intercept</p>
Steps to convert into slope-intercept form:	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Convert this equation into slope-intercept form: <math>3x + 4y = 8</math></p> $\begin{array}{l} \cancel{3x} + 4y = 8 \\ -\cancel{3x} \quad -\cancel{3x} \\ 4y = -3x + 8 \\ \cancel{4y} = -3x + 8 \\ \div 4 \quad \div 4 \quad \div 4 \\ y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 2 \end{array}$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 2</math></p>

**Example 2:** Convert this equation into slope-intercept form:

$$x - 2y = 3$$

$$\cancel{x} - 2y = 3$$

$$-2y = -x + 3$$

$$-2y = -x + 3$$

$$-2y = -x + 3$$

$$(\div -2) (\div -2) (\div -2)$$

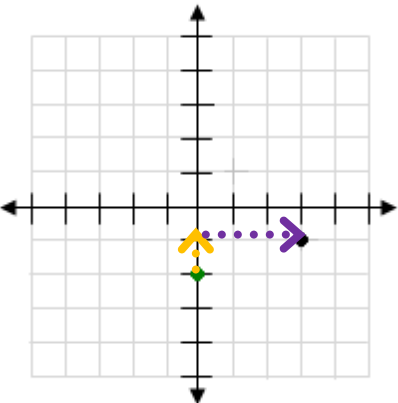
$$y = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{2}$$

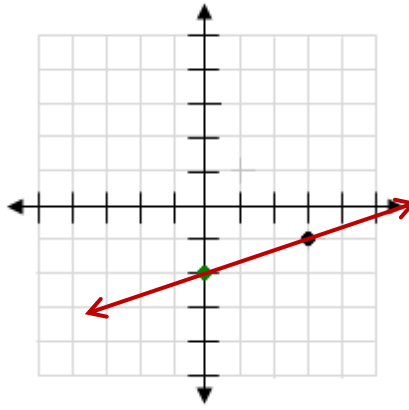
**Answer:**  $y = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{3}{2}$

Get the y's alone on one side.

Divide every term by the number attached to the y.

## Graphing with Slope and Y-intercept

Main Topics	Examples
	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Graph the equation: <math>y = \frac{1}{3}x - 2</math></p> <p><math>m = \frac{1}{3}</math> y intercept = (0, -2)</p>  <p>Determine the slope and the y intercept from the equation.</p> <p>Plot the y intercept .</p> <p>Trace out the next point by following the slope. In this example go up 1 and over 3.</p>



Connect the two dots we just made.

**Example 4:** Graph the equation:  $4x + y = 3$

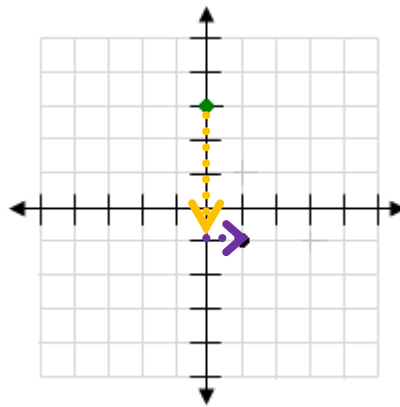
$$y = -4x + 3$$

Solve for y.

$$m = -4$$

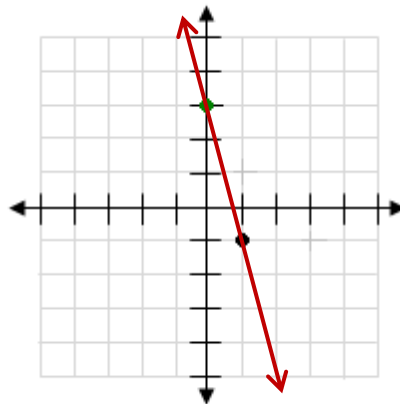
$$y \text{ intercept} = (0, 3)$$

Determine the slope and the y intercept from the equation.



Plot the y intercept.

Trace out the next point by following the slope. In this example go down 4 and over 1.



Connect the two dots we just made.

## Section 3-4 Exercises

1. Three types of horses are in a local ranch. The number of Arabians is 8 more than twice the number of quarter-horses, and the number of Clydsdales is 50 more than the number of Quarter-horses. There are a total of 282 horses at the ranch. How many of each kind are there?

2. What is the radius of a cone that has Lateral Surface Area of  $197.92 \text{ in}^2$  and a slant height of 9 in?

3. Solve and graph the solution:  $3x - 1 > \frac{5}{2}x + 9$

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Fill out the table for each of the following:

3-1

6.  $2x - 3y = 9$

x	y
5	
-4	
	3
	0
	7

7.  $y = \frac{7}{2}x + 2$

x	y
2	
0	
-1	
	0
	4

Graph the following lines, and label x and y intercepts (need the same points as my answers).

3-2

8.  $5x + 2y = 10$

9.  $y = \frac{4}{7}x - 6$

10.  $y = \frac{8}{3}x + 1$

11.  $x = 10$

12.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x + 4$

13.  $7x - y = 14$

Find the slope between each pair of points.

3-3

14. (8,-2) (7,3)

15. (8,1) (-5,6)

16. (-3,-1) (-3,-8)

17. (7,9) (-2,3)

18. (-5,6) (4,6)

19. If a road rises 300 feet over a horizontal distance of 3600 feet, what is the road grade?

Find the slope and the y-intercept. Then graph the lines.

3-4

20.  $y = 6x + 10$

21.  $y = 4x + 3$

22.  $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$

23.  $x = -6$

24.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x - 2$

25.  $3x - 4y = 12$

26.  $y = -\frac{5}{3}x + \frac{10}{3}$

27.  $x + 4y = -9$

28.  $y = 7$

29. What is the slope of a line parallel to  $y = \frac{5}{3}x + 2$ ?

30. What is the slope of a line perpendicular to  $y = 5$ ?

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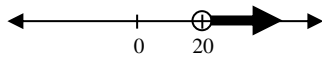
31. Write the equations of three lines that have a slope of  $\frac{2}{7}$ .

Section 3-4 Answers

1. 56 Quarter-horses, 106 Clydesdales, 120 Arabian

2. radius = 7 in

3.  $x > 20$



4. \$416.05

5. \$69.07

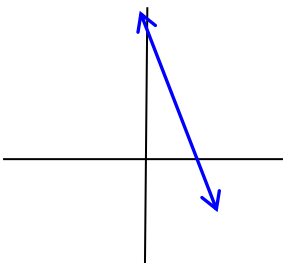
6.

x	y
5	$\frac{1}{3}$
-4	$-\frac{17}{3}$
<b>9</b>	3
$\frac{9}{2}$	0
<b>15</b>	7

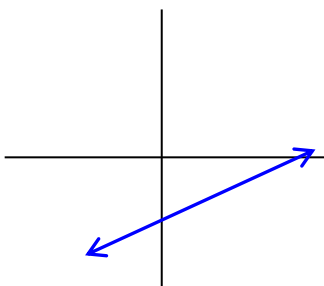
7.

x	y
2	<b>9</b>
0	<b>2</b>
-1	$-\frac{3}{2}$
$-\frac{4}{7}$	0
$\frac{4}{7}$	4

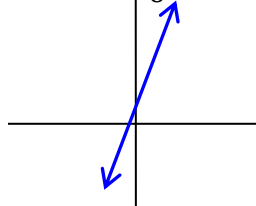
8. (0,5) (2,0)



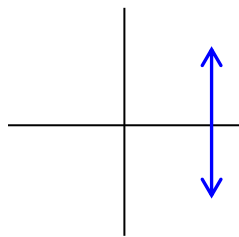
9. (0,-6) ( $\frac{21}{2}, 0$ )



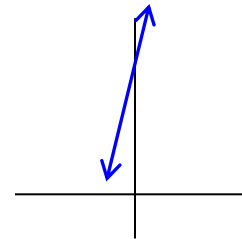
10. (0,1) ( $-\frac{3}{8}, 0$ )



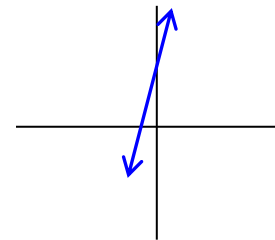
11. (10,0) no y-int



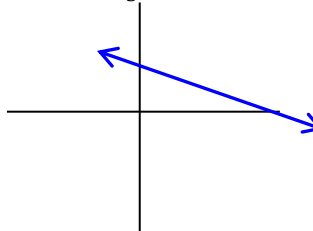
20. (0,10);  $m = 6$



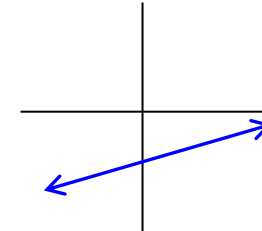
21. (0,3);  $m = 4$



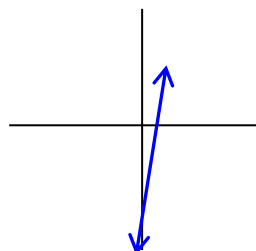
12. (0,4) ( $\frac{28}{3}, 0$ )



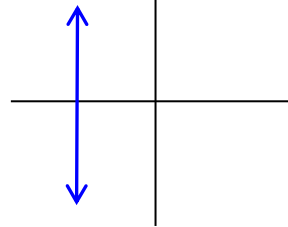
22. (0,-4);  $m = \frac{1}{2}$



13. (2,0) (0,-14)



23. (-6,0);  $m = \text{undefined}$   
There is no y-intercept



14.  $m = -5$

15.  $m = -\frac{5}{13}$

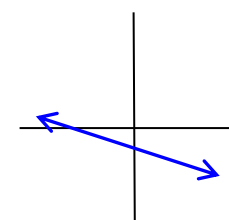
16.  $m = \text{undefined}$

17.  $m = \frac{2}{3}$

18.  $m = 0$

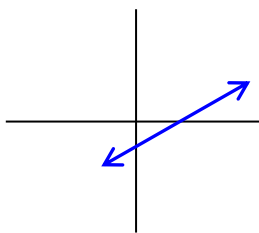
19.  $m = \frac{1}{12}$  or 8.3%

24. (0,-2);  $m = -\frac{3}{7}$

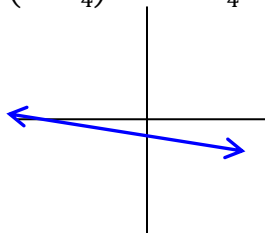




**25.**  $(0, -3); m = \frac{3}{4}$

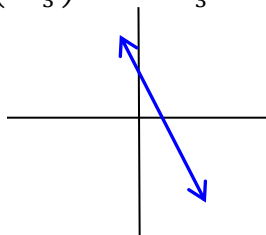


**27.**  $(0, -\frac{9}{4}); m = -\frac{1}{4}$

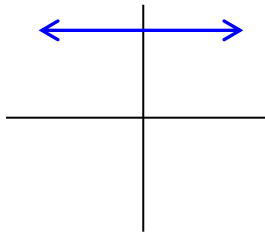


**29.**  $m = \frac{5}{3}$

**26.**  $(0, \frac{10}{3}); m = -\frac{5}{3}$



**28.**  $(0, 7); m = 0$

**30.** Slope is undefined.**31.** In class

## Section 3-5 Writing Equations

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## Writing Equations

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Given slope and one point</b> Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write in slope-intercept form           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fill in slope (<math>m</math>) in <math>y = mx + b</math>.</li> <li>Fill in <math>x</math> and <math>y</math> using one point.</li> <li>Solve for <math>b</math>.</li> <li>Re-write with only <math>x</math> and <math>y</math> as variables.</li> </ol> </li> </ol> <p><b>Given two points</b> Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use the points to find the slope.</li> <li>Write in slope-intercept form           <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fill in slope (<math>m</math>) in <math>y = mx + b</math>.</li> <li>Fill in <math>x</math> and <math>y</math> using one point.</li> <li>Solve for <math>b</math>.</li> <li>Re-write with only <math>x</math> and <math>y</math> as variables.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Write the equation of a line that goes through the point <math>(-3, 4)</math> and has a slope of <math>-\frac{2}{3}</math>.</p> $y = mx + b$ $4 = \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)(-3) + b$ $4 = 2 + b$ $b = 2$ $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2</math></p> <p><b>Example 2:</b> Write the equation of a line that goes through the points: <math>(-2, -2)</math> and <math>(8, 4)</math>.</p> $m = \frac{-2-4}{-2-8} = \frac{-6}{-10} = \frac{3}{5}$ $m = \frac{3}{5}$ $y = mx + b$ $4 = \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)(8) + b$ $4 = \frac{24}{5} + b$ $b = -\frac{4}{5}$ $y = \frac{3}{5}x + \frac{-4}{5}$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>y = \frac{3}{5}x - \frac{4}{5}</math></p>

## Writing Equations of Horizontal Lines

**Slick note:** All horizontal lines have equations that look like

$$y =$$

And since the point in Example 3 has a y value of 5, the whole line must be

$$y = 5$$

## Writing Equations of Vertical Lines

**Slick note:** All vertical lines have equations that look like

$$x =$$

And since the point in Example 4 has an x value of  $-3$ , the whole line must be

$$x = -3$$

### Example 3:

Write the equation of the line with slope,  $m = 0$  (horizontal), that goes through the point  $(-3, 5)$ .

$$y = mx + b$$

$$5 = (0)(-3) + b$$

$$5 = 0 + b$$

$$b = 5$$

$$y = 0x + 5$$

$$\text{Answer: } y = 5$$

Plug one of the points and the slope into equation.

Solve for b.

Write the final equation with slope and with y-intercept.

### Example 4:

Write the equation of the line with undefined slope (vertical), and goes through the point  $(-3, 5)$ .

$$y = mx + b$$

$$5 = (\text{undefined})(-3) + b$$

Plug one of the points and the slope into equation.

We are stuck! And we cannot complete this problem with  $y = mx + b$ .

## Predict Values

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Use the points to write the equation.</li> <li>2. Plug in the new value.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Two points on a line are (0, 7) and (6, 2). Follow this same pattern and predict the y-value when x=9.</p> $m = \frac{7 - 2}{0 - 6} = -\frac{5}{6}$ <p>Calculate the slope from the two given points. Remember: <math>m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}</math></p> <p>Plug one of the points and the slope into equation.</p> $y = mx + b$ $7 = \left(-\frac{5}{6}\right)(0) + b$ $7 = b$ <p>Solve for b.</p> $y = -\frac{5}{6}x + 7$ <p>Write the final equation with slope and with y-intercept.</p> $y = -\frac{5}{6}(9) + 7$ $y = -\frac{15}{2} + 7 = -\frac{1}{2}$ <p>Plug in x = 9</p> <p><b>Answer: <math>\left(9, -\frac{1}{2}\right)</math></b></p> <p><b>Example 6:</b> The target heart rate of a person 20 years old is 150 beats per minute (20,150). The target heart rate of an 80-year old is 105 beats per minute (80,110). Use this information to write an equation of a line and predict the target heart rate for a 30-year old.</p> $m = \frac{150 - 110}{20 - 80} = -\frac{40}{60} = -\frac{2}{3}$ <p>Calculate the slope from the two given points. Remember: <math>m = \frac{y_1 - y_2}{x_1 - x_2}</math></p> <p>Plug one of the points we have been given.</p> $y = mx + b$ $150 = \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)(20) + b$ $163.3 = b$ <p>Solve for b.</p> $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 163.3$ <p>Write out the final equation with the slope and with the y-intercept filled in.</p> $y = -\frac{2}{3}(30) + 163.3$ $y = -20 + 163.3 = 143.3$ <p>Plug in x = 30</p> <p><b>Answer: 143.3 beats per minute</b></p>

## Section 3-5 Exercises

Fill out the table for each of the following:

3-1

1.  $2x - 5y = 11$

x	y
5	
-4	
	3
	0
	7

2.  $y = \frac{7}{2}x + 6$

x	y
2	
0	
-1	
	0
	4

Graph the following lines, and label x and y intercepts.

3-2

3.  $4x - 2y = 10$

4.  $y = -\frac{5}{3}x - 6$

5.  $y = 5x$

Find the slope between each pair of points.

3-3

6. (3,-2) (7,3)

7. (9,1) (-7,6)

8. (5,-1) (-3,-8)

9. (-2,9) (-2,3)

10. (-5,2) (5,6)

11. (19,1) (6,1)

12. Explain the difference between a slope of zero and an undefined slope.

Graph the following lines giving one point and the slope (your point may be different than mine).

3-4

13.  $-3x + 4y = 10$

14.  $y = 2x - 7$

15.  $y = \frac{2}{5}x - 4$

16.  $y = 17$

17.  $y = -\frac{3}{7}x - 2$

18.  $2x - 6y = 12$

19. Fill out the Slope Monster (on the next page). Record the time it takes you to complete it.

Write the equations of the lines with the slopes and points:

3-5

20. Write an equation of the line that has slope  $m = -3$  and goes through the point (-4,6).

21. Write an equation of the line that at has slope  $m = \frac{5}{8}$  and goes through the point (3,6).

22. Write an equation of the line that has slope  $m = 0$  and goes through the point (1,-3).

23. Write an equation of the line that is vertical and goes through the point (2, -4)

24. Write an equation of the line that goes through (0,1) and (5,-3).

25. Write an equation of the line that goes through (1,7) and (3,11).

26. Two points on a line are (4,7) and (1,-2). Write the equation of the line and then find the y value when  $x = 9$ ?

27. The number of lung transplants in year 2 after they were possible was 113. In year 12 after they were possible, there were 248. Using the points (2,113) and (12,248). Find the equation of the line and predict how many were performed in year 16.

## Slope Monster

Instructions: For each equation, fill in the slope of that equation and either the slope that is perpendicular to that line or parallel to it. Time yourself and write down how long it took you to complete the whole chart.

Equation	Slope	Perpendicular Slope	Equation	Slope	Parallel Slope
$2x + 5y = 7$			$4x - y = 7$		
$y = \frac{5}{9}x - 4$			$y = 2.387x - 4$		
$5x - 3y = 7$			$8x - 3y = 12$		
$y = \frac{5}{3}x + 4$			$-4x + 7y = 19$		
$x = 13$			$x = -19$		
$y = \frac{8}{3}x - 8$			$y = \frac{8}{7}x - 4$		
$y = 5x - 8$			$y = -3x - 8$		
$y = \frac{7}{9}x + 4$			$-10x + 6y = 4$		
$y = -3$			$y = 15$		
$y = -\frac{3}{11}x - 4$			$y = \frac{6}{11}x - 4$		
$7x - 3y = 7$			$2x - 8y = 17$		
$y = \frac{2}{9}x - 4$			$y = \frac{5}{2}x + 6$		
$5x - 3y = 7$			$y = -.06x + 4$		
$4x + 7y = 19$			$2x - 9y = 19$		
$x = -3$			$x = 7$		

Time to complete: \_\_\_\_\_

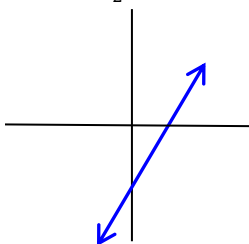
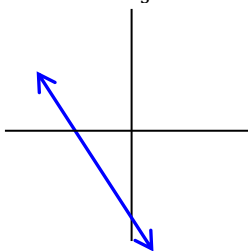
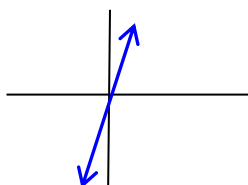
## Section 3-5 Answers

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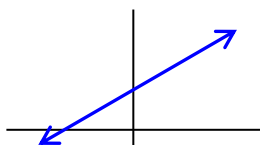
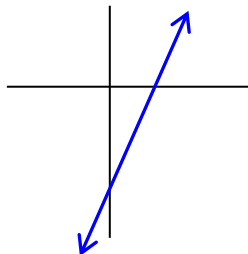
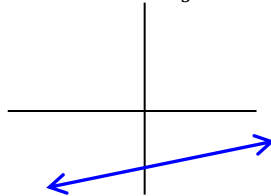
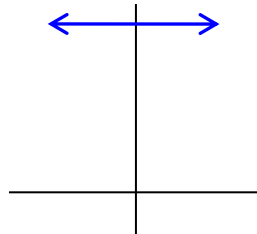
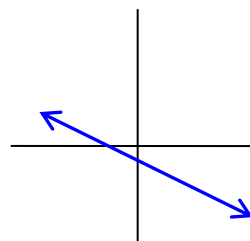
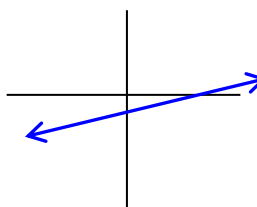
x	y
5	$-\frac{1}{5}$
-4	$-\frac{19}{5}$
<b>13</b>	3
$\frac{11}{2}$	0
<b>23</b>	7

2.

x	y
2	<b>13</b>
0	<b>6</b>
-1	$\frac{5}{2}$
$-\frac{12}{7}$	0
$-\frac{4}{7}$	4

3.  $(0,-5)$   $(\frac{5}{2},0)$ 4.  $(0,-6)$   $(-\frac{18}{5},0)$ 5.  $(0,0)$  is both intercepts.  
Graph any other point.  
 $(1,5)$ 

6.  $m = \frac{5}{4}$   
 7.  $m = -\frac{5}{16}$   
 8.  $m = \frac{7}{8}$   
 9.  $m = \text{undefined}$   
 10.  $m = \frac{2}{5}$   
 11.  $m = 0$   
 12. Undefined is vertical  
0 is horizontal

13.  $(0, \frac{5}{2})$   $m = \frac{3}{4}$ 14.  $(0,-7)$   $m = 2$ 15.  $(0,-4)$   $m = \frac{2}{5}$ 16.  $(0,17)$   $m = 0$ 17.  $(0,-2)$   $m = -\frac{3}{7}$ 18.  $(0,-2)$   $m = \frac{1}{3}$ 

19. Correct it in class.

20.  $y = -3x - 6$ 21.  $y = \frac{5}{8}x + \frac{33}{8}$ 22.  $y = -3$ 23.  $x = 2$ 24.  $y = -\frac{4}{5}x + 1$ 25.  $y = 2x + 5$ 26.  $y = 3x - 5$   
 $y = 22$   $(9,22)$ 27.  $y = 13.5x + 86$   
302 transplants  $(16, 302)$

## Chapter 3 Review Exercises

1. Create a visual chart of all of the methods, formulas, and examples of finding points and intercepts, graphing lines, finding slope, and writing equations of lines.

Fill out the table for each of the following.

3-1

2.  $2x + 3y = 4$

x	y
	4
	$\frac{10}{3}$
-1	
2	
	-2

3.  $9x - 5y = -160$

x	y
-40	
	32
	71.78
90	
	212

Find the  $x$ -intercept and  $y$ -intercept of each of the lines.

3-2

4.  $y = .25x - 4$

5.  $7x - 2y = -3$

6.  $x - y = -2$

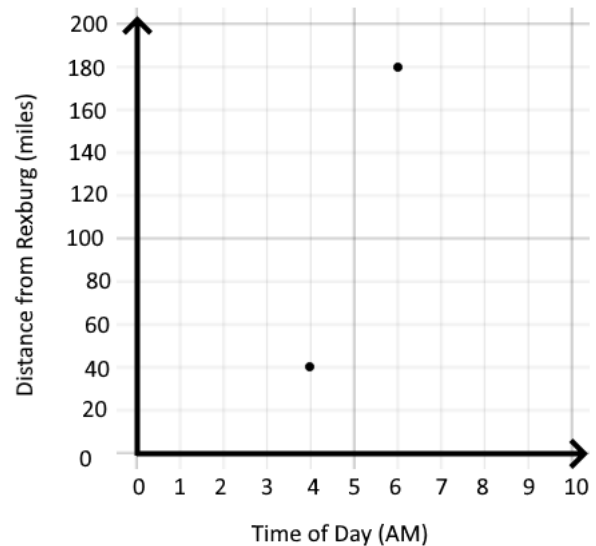
Graph each line and find the slope.

7.  $y = -3$

8.  $2x + 5 = 12$

3-3

9. The following graph shows two points for an early morning car trip from Rexburg to Salt Lake. Using the two points, find the average rate of speed of the car.



Find the slope between each pair of points.

10.  $(-3, \frac{2}{3})$   $(0, \frac{2}{3})$

11.  $(2, -3)$   $(-6, -7)$



Find the slope and y-intercept for each line. Then graph the line.

3-4

12.  $y = \frac{4}{3}x + 1$

13.  $y = \frac{-7}{6}x - 2$

14.  $4x - 3y = 2$

15.  $5x - 9y = -18$

16.  $y = 3x + 4$

17.  $y = \frac{-9}{10}x - 1$

Write the equation of the line with the given characteristics.

3-5

18.  $m = \frac{5}{6}$ , goes through (1,3)

19.  $m = -5$ , goes through (2,8)

20.  $m = 0$ , goes through (2, -4)

21. Parallel to  $y = -2x + 11$ ,  
goes through (-4,2)

22. Perpendicular to  $y = \frac{3}{2}x - 11$ ,  
goes through (7,8)

23. vertical line going through (4,2)

24. contains (0,7) and (3,8)

25. contains (8,3) and (-6,3)

26. Write the equation of the line that represents the target heart rate (y) when compared to age (x) given the points (12, 156) and (48, 129). Then use that line to predict the target heart rate for someone age 72.

**Chapter 3 Review Answers**

1. Make it good.

2.

x	y
-4	4
-3	$\frac{10}{3}$
-1	2
2	0
5	-2

3.

x	y
-40	-40
0	32
22.1	71.78
90	194
100	212

4. (16,0) (0,-4)

5.  $(-\frac{3}{7}, 0)$   $(0, \frac{3}{2})$

6. (-2,0) (0,2)

9. 70 mph

10.  $m = 0$

11.  $m = \frac{1}{2}$

18.  $y = \frac{5}{6}x + \frac{13}{6}$

19.  $y = -5x + 18$

20.  $y = -4$

21.  $y = -2x - 6$

22.  $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{38}{3}$

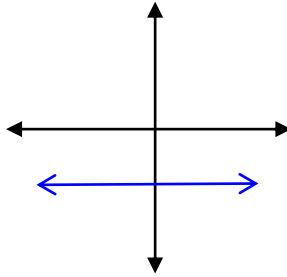
23.  $x = 4$

24.  $y = \frac{1}{3}x + 7$

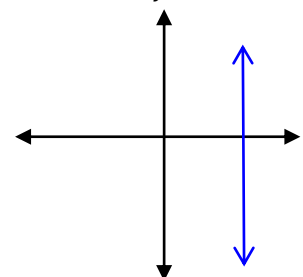
25.  $y = 3$

26.  $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 165$   
111 beats per minute

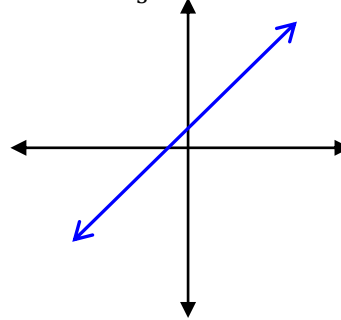
7.  $m = 0$



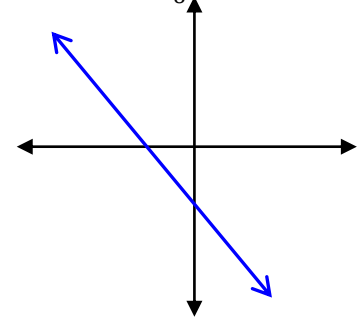
8.  $m$  is undefined



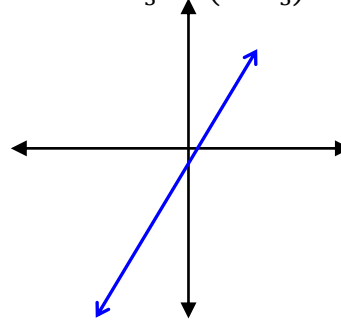
12.  $m = \frac{4}{3}$  (0,1)



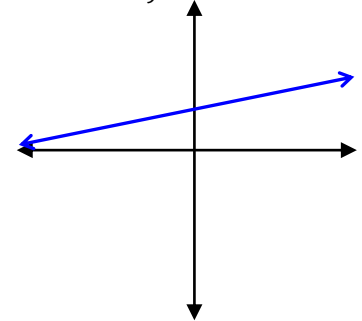
13.  $m = -\frac{7}{6}$  (0,-2)



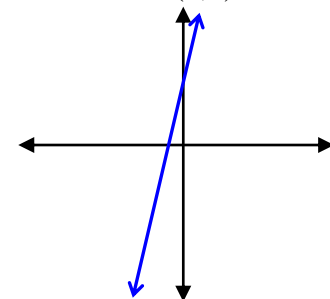
14.  $m = \frac{4}{3}$   $(0, -\frac{2}{3})$



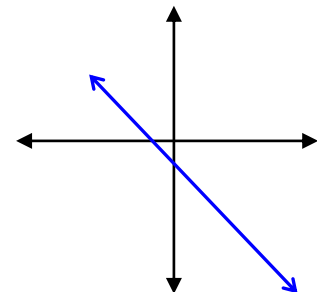
15.  $m = \frac{5}{9}$  (0,2)



16.  $m = 3$  (0,4)



17.  $m = -\frac{9}{10}$  (0,-1)



## Section 4-1 Exponents and Rules

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

4-1: Exponents and Rules	Scientific Notation
4-2: Polynomial Intro	Term, Coefficient, Degree,
Polynomial Addition	Polynomial Subtraction
4-3: Polynomial Multiplication	
4-4: Polynomial Division	

### Exponent Review

Main Topics	Examples					
<b>EXPONENTS</b>	<div style="text-align: right; margin-bottom: 10px;"> <math>2^4</math> ← The little number up high is the <b>exponent</b>.            ↑         </div> <p>The bigger portion down low is the <b>base</b>. The base can consist of numbers and/or variables.</p> <p><b>Example:</b> <math>2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 128</math> is the same as <math>2^7 = 128</math></p> <p><b>Example 12: Evaluate <math>7^4</math></b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;"> <math display="block">  \begin{aligned}  7^4 &amp;= 7 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &amp;= 49 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &amp;= 343 \times 7 \\  &amp;= 2401 \\  \text{Answer: } &amp;2401  \end{aligned}  </math> </td> <td style="padding: 5px; vertical-align: middle;">Set up the bases, and then multiply each couple in turn</td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Example:</b> We know that <math>2^7 = 128</math>, so to work it backwards, we say:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>2 = \sqrt[7]{128}</math> or if 128 was cut into 7 equal parts multiplied together, then those parts would all be 2's.</p> <p><b>Example 13: Evaluate <math>\sqrt{196}</math></b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px; text-align: center;"><math>\sqrt{196}</math></td> <td rowspan="2" style="padding: 5px;">Either recognize that <math>14 \times 14 = 196</math> or find the <math>\sqrt{x}</math> button on your calculator</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px; text-align: center;"><b>Answer: 14</b></td> </tr> </table>	$  \begin{aligned}  7^4 &= 7 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &= 49 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &= 343 \times 7 \\  &= 2401 \\  \text{Answer: } &2401  \end{aligned}  $	Set up the bases, and then multiply each couple in turn	$\sqrt{196}$	Either recognize that $14 \times 14 = 196$ or find the $\sqrt{x}$ button on your calculator	<b>Answer: 14</b>
$  \begin{aligned}  7^4 &= 7 \times 7 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &= 49 \times 7 \times 7 \\  &= 343 \times 7 \\  &= 2401 \\  \text{Answer: } &2401  \end{aligned}  $	Set up the bases, and then multiply each couple in turn					
$\sqrt{196}$	Either recognize that $14 \times 14 = 196$ or find the $\sqrt{x}$ button on your calculator					
<b>Answer: 14</b>						
<b>ROOTS</b>						

## Exponents

Rule	Examples
<p><b>One</b> Anything to the power of one = itself <math>a^1 = a</math></p>	$7^1 = 7$ $x^1 = x$
<p><b>Multiplication</b> When expressions with the same base are multiplied, the exponents add. <math>a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}</math></p>	$x^2 \cdot x^3 = x^5$ $x^3 x^7 = x^{10}$
<p><b>Power</b> When we raise a power to a power, the exponents multiply. <math>(a^m)^n = a^{m \cdot n}</math></p>	$(x^2)^3 = x^6$
<p><b>Division</b> Exponents being divided with the same base are subtracted. (if <math>a \neq 0</math>) <math>\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}</math></p>	$\frac{x^5}{x^3} = x^{5-3} = x^2$
<p><b>Negative</b> All negative exponents can be converted to a positive exponent by simply taking the reciprocal. (if <math>a \neq 0</math>) <math>a^{-m} = \frac{1}{a^m}</math>  AND <math>\frac{1}{a^{-m}} = a^m</math></p>	$3^{-4} = \frac{1}{3^4} = \frac{1}{81}$ $4x^{-3} = \frac{4}{x^3}$  $\frac{7}{y^{-4}} = \frac{7}{1/y^4} = 7y^4$
<p><b>Zero exponent</b> Anything to the power of zero = 1 (if <math>a \neq 0</math>) <math>a^0 = 1</math></p>	$7^0 = 1$ $\frac{x^3}{x^3} = x^{3-3} = x^0 = 1$
<p><b>Parentheses</b> Exponent applies to everything inside <math>(ab)^n = a^n b^n</math>    <math>\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^n = \frac{a^n}{b^n}</math></p>	$(2x^4)^5 = 32x^{20}$ $\left(\frac{3}{y}\right)^4 = \frac{81}{y^4}$

**Examples:**

Using the Laws of Exponents, simplify the following:

<b>PROBLEM</b>	<b>SOLUTION</b>	<b>LAW(S) USED</b>
$5^1$	5	One Rule
$x^1$	$x$	One Rule
$(2x)^0$	1	Zero Rule
$8^3 \cdot 8^{19}$	$8^{3+19} = 8^{22}$	Multiplication Rule
$x^2 \cdot x^7$	$x^{2+7} = x^9$	Multiplication Rule
$4^{-2}$	$4^{-2} = \frac{1}{4^2} = \frac{1}{16}$	Negative Exponent Rule
$d^{-3} \cdot d^8$	$d^{-3+8} = d^5$ OR $\frac{d^8}{d^3} = d^{8-3} = d^5$	Multiplication Rule or Negative Exponent and Division Rules
$\frac{x^{16}}{x^{16}}$	$x^{16-16} = x^0 = 1$	Division & Zero Rules
$\frac{b^7}{b^5}$	$b^{7-5} = b^2$	Division Rule
$\frac{p^{-2}}{p^{-5}}$	$p^{-2-5} = p^3$ OR $\frac{p^5}{p^2} = p^{5-2} = p^3$	Division Rule or Negative Exponent Rule, then Division Rule
$\frac{x^2}{x^3}$	$\frac{1}{x^{3-2}} = \frac{1}{x^1} = \frac{1}{x}$ OR $x^{2-3} = x^{-1} = \frac{1}{x}$	Division & One Rule or Division, Negative Exponent, & One Rules
$(3x^3)^2$	$3^{1 \cdot 2} x^{3 \cdot 2} = 3^2 x^6 = 9x^6$	Parentheses & Power Rule
$(2x^2y^3z^4)^3$	$2^{1 \cdot 3} x^{2 \cdot 3} y^{3 \cdot 3} z^{4 \cdot 3} =$ $2^3 x^6 y^9 z^{12} = 8x^6 y^9 z^{12}$	Parentheses & Power Rule
$(5x^2y^{-3})^2$	$5^{1 \cdot 2} x^{2 \cdot 2} y^{-3 \cdot 2} =$ $5^2 x^4 y^{-6} = \frac{25x^4}{y^6}$	Power Rule & Negative Exponent Rule

## Scientific Notation

Main Topics	Examples
Sci. Not. $\Rightarrow$ Decimal Multiply or divide by 10.  Standard Scientific Notation leaves one digit left of the decimal.	<b>Example 1:</b> $2.53 \times 10^8$ move decimal 8 places 253,000,000  <b>Example 2:</b> $4.6 \times 10^{-7}$ move 7 places other direction .00000046  All these are the same number: $253 \times 10^6$ $25.3 \times 10^7$ $2.53 \times 10^8$ $.253 \times 10^9$  Note that you can always move the decimal <b>left</b> if you move the exponent <b>up</b> and the number will remain unchanged.
Multiplying and Dividing Scientific Notation by hand <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Powers of 10 follow the rules of exponents.</li> </ul>	<b>Example 3:</b> $3.1 \times 10^4 \cdot 4 \times 10^8$ $= 12.4 \times 10^{12}$ Add exponents for powers of 10 $= 1.24 \times 10^{13}$ Move decimal left for standard notation  <b>Example 4:</b> $\frac{7 \times 10^4}{3.5 \times 10^8}$ $= 2 \times 10^{-4}$ Subtract exponents for powers of 10
Calculator Common buttons for scientific notation are <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><math>\times 10^{\wedge}</math></li> <li>EE</li> </ul>	Become familiar with how your calculator displays and inputs numbers in scientific notation.  Most calculators will allow you to change the mode, so that all answers, even something like $3 \times 5 = 15$ , will be given in scientific notation: $3 \times 5 = 1.5 \times 10^1$ .

## Section 4-1 Exercises

Find the equation of the given line.

3-5

1.  $m = -\frac{3}{4}$  and goes through (0,2)      2.  $m = \frac{3}{5}$  and goes through (2,5)

Use positive exponents to express the following.

4-1

3.  $\frac{1}{k^{-9}}$       4.  $a^5b^{-3}c^{-2}$       5.  $\frac{z^{-1}}{x^{-3}y^{-12}}$

Use negative exponents to express the following.

6.  $\frac{1}{x^2}$       7.  $\frac{3}{B^5}$       8.  $\frac{1}{4^2}$

Simplify each expression.

9.  $t^4 \cdot t^5$       10.  $\frac{p^8}{p^3}$       11.  $x^9x^{-2}$   
 12.  $(y^5)^6$       13.  $(5r^3)^2$       14.  $2a^4 \cdot 9a^2$   
 15.  $(g^{-8})^7$       16.  $\frac{Q^{-8}}{Q^{-12}}$       17.  $\frac{m^5}{m^{-2}}$   
 18.  $\frac{8x^7}{2x^{10}}$       19.  $\frac{8x^{10}}{2x^7}$       20.  $3^5 \cdot 3^3$   
 21.  $\left(\frac{2}{c^8}\right)^{-3}$       22.  $\left(\frac{m^4}{n^{-3}}\right)^2$       23.  $\left(\frac{6k^{-5}j^3}{k^5j^2}\right)^{-4}$   
 24.  $5^{-2}$       25.  $\frac{17^{38}}{17^{40}}$       26.  $\left(\frac{5x^3y^8}{x^{14}y^{-3}}\right)^{-2}$

Convert into decimal notation.

27.  $5.30 \times 10^9$       28.  $3.14 \times 10^{-11}$

Convert into scientific notation.

29. 2,000,000      30. .000082

Multiply. Write the answer in scientific notation.

31.  $4.2 \times 10^{12} \cdot 1.8 \times 10^{-4}$       32.  $3.02 \times 10^{-8} \cdot 7.3 \times 10^{-5}$

Divide. Write the answer in scientific notation.

33.  $\frac{8 \times 10^7}{4 \times 10^5}$       34.  $\frac{5.7 \times 10^{-7}}{3 \times 10^4}$       35.  $\frac{2.7 \times 10^{13}}{9 \times 10^{-5}}$

Preparation

36. After reading some of 4.2, classify each of the following as a monomial, binomial, trinomial.  
 a)  $x + 3m$       b)  $x + 2y + z$       c)  $5x^2yz$

## Section 4-1 Answers

1.  $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 2$  or  $3x + 4y = 8$
2.  $y = \frac{3}{5}x + \frac{19}{5}$  or  $3x - 5y = -19$
3.  $k^9$
4.  $\frac{a^5}{b^3c^2}$
5.  $\frac{x^3y^{12}}{z}$
6.  $x^{-2}$
7.  $3B^{-5}$
8.  $4^{-2}$
9.  $t^9$
10.  $p^5$
11.  $x^7$
12.  $y^{30}$
13.  $25r^6$
14.  $18a^6$
15.  $\frac{1}{g^{56}}$
16.  $Q^4$
17.  $m^7$
18.  $\frac{4}{x^3}$
19.  $4x^3$
20.  $3^8$  or 6561
21.  $\frac{c^{24}}{8}$
22.  $m^8n^6$
23.  $\frac{k^{40}}{1296j^4}$  or  $\frac{k^{40}}{6^4j^4}$
24.  $\frac{1}{25}$  or .04
25.  $\frac{1}{289}$
26.  $\frac{x^{22}}{25y^{22}}$
27. 5,300,000,000
28. .000 000 000 031 4
29.  $2 \times 10^6$
30.  $8.2 \times 10^{-5}$
31.  $7.56 \times 10^8$
32.  $2.2046 \times 10^{-12}$
33.  $2 \times 10^2$
34.  $1.9 \times 10^{-11}$
35.  $3 \times 10^{17}$
36. In class.



## Section 4-2 Introduction to Polynomials, Add and Subtract

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

4-1: Exponents and Rules	Scientific Notation
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4-4: Polynomial Division	

### Polynomials and Terms

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Polynomial</b>	“Poly” means many, and “nomial” means number or term, so a polynomial is something with many terms.
<b>Term</b>	<p>Terms are separated by plus (+) and minus (-) signs. Hence <math>7x - 5y</math> has two terms, and <math>x^2 + 5x - 6</math> has three terms</p> <p>The sign before the term always goes with it. Hence the two terms in <math>7x - 5y</math> are <math>7x</math> and <math>-5</math>, and the three terms in <math>x^2 + 5x - 6</math> are <math>x^2</math>, <math>5x</math>, and <math>-6</math>.</p>

The family of polynomials includes the monomials, binomials, and trinomials. Monomials, binomials, and trinomials are all polynomials with either one, two, or three terms respectively:

<u>MONOMIAL</u>	<u>BINOMIAL</u>	<u>TRINOMIAL</u>
Mono = One Nomial = Term(s) “One Term”	Bi = Two Nomial = Term(s) “Two Terms”	Tri = Three Nomial = Term(s) “Three Terms”

### Polynomials

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Polynomial Parts</b> <b>Coefficient:</b> Number in each term.  <b>Degree of Term:</b> Exponent (total of exponents) on variable of the term.	<b>Example 1:</b> <b>List the terms, coefficients and degrees of each term. Then find the degree of the polynomial.</b> $-3x^5y^2 + 2x^4 + 5$ <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Three terms = trinomial</i></p> Leading term: $-3x^5y^2$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Leading coefficient: -3</li> <li>• Degree: 7</li> </ul>

<p><b>Degree of Polynomial:</b> Largest degree of all terms.</p>	<p>Second term: <math>2x^4</math></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coefficient: 2</li> <li>• Degree: 4</li> </ul> <p>Last term (Constant term): 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coefficient: 5</li> <li>• Degree: 0</li> </ul> <p>Degree of polynomial: 7</p>
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## Polynomial Etiquette: Descending Order

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Descending Order</b> largest to smallest degree.</p>	<p>It is common practice, though not right or wrong, to write all answers to polynomial problems in <b>descending order</b>.</p> <p><b>Example 2:</b> Write in descending order.</p> $4x^5 - 3x - 10 + 9xy^2 - 7xy + 2x^7$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>2x^7 + 4x^5 + 9xy^2 - 7xy - 3x - 10</math></p> <p><b>Example 3:</b> Write in descending order.</p> $2x^3 - 12x + 9x^4 - 7$ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>9x^4 + 2x^3 - 12x - 7</math></p>

## Evaluating Polynomials

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Everywhere there's an <math>x</math> you'll <b>substitute</b> in a <math>-1\dots</math></p> <p>You'll now <b>simplify</b> by applying the order of operations:</p>	<p><b>Example 4:</b> Evaluate the polynomial <math>2x^2 - 3x + 5</math>, when <math>x = -1</math></p> $2x^2 - 3x + 5$ $2(-1)^2 - 3(-1) + 5$ $2(1) - 3(-1) + 5$ $2 + 3 + 5$ $10$

**Example 5:**Evaluate the polynomial  $x^2 - 2xy + 3y^2$ , when  $x = 2$  and  $y = -1$ 

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^2 - 2xy + 3y^2 \\
 & (2)^2 - 2(2)(-1) + 3(-1)^2 \\
 & 4 - 2(2)(-1) + 3(1) \\
 & 4 + 4 + 3 \\
 & 11
 \end{aligned}$$

**LIKE TERMS****Example 6:**Simplify:  $5x^2 + 11x - 7 - 4x + 12 + 3x^2$ **Identify.**

$$\boxed{5x^2} + \boxed{11x} - \boxed{7} - \boxed{4x} + \boxed{12} + \boxed{3x^2}$$

**Collect.**

$$\boxed{5x^2} + \boxed{3x^2} + \boxed{11x} - \boxed{4x} - \boxed{7} + \boxed{12}$$

**Combine.**

$$8x^2 + 7x + 5$$

**Example 7:**Simplify:  $2xy^2 - 5xy + 3y^2 + 7xy^2 + 8y^2 - 2xy$ 

$$\boxed{2xy^2} - 5xy + \boxed{3y^2} + \boxed{7xy^2} + \boxed{8y^2} - 2xy$$

$$\boxed{2xy^2} + \boxed{7xy^2} - 5xy - 2xy + \boxed{3y^2} + \boxed{8y^2}$$

$$9xy^2 - 7xy + 11y^2$$

**Polynomial Addition and Subtraction**

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Addition</b> Combine like terms.	<b>Example 8:</b> $(5x^4 - 3x^2 + 10) + (9x^4 + 4x^2 - 3)$ $5x^4 - 3x^2 + 10 + 9x^4 + 4x^2 - 3$ $5x^4 - \boxed{3x^2} + \boxed{10} + 9x^4 + \boxed{4x^2} - \boxed{3}$ $14x^4 + x^2 + 7$

	<p><b>Example 9:</b></p> $(3q^2 + 7q^3 - q) + (8q - 6q^3)$ $q^3 + 3q^2 + 7q$
<p><b>Subtraction</b> Distribute the negative. Combine like terms.</p>	<p><b>Example 10:</b></p> $(5x^4 - 3x^2 - 10) - (9x^4 + 4x^2 - 3)$ $5x^4 - 3x^2 - 10 - 9x^4 - 4x^2 + 3$ $5x^4 \boxed{-3x^2} \boxed{-10} + 9x^4 \boxed{-4x^2} \boxed{+3}$ $-4x^4 - 7x^2 - 7$ <p><b>Example 11:</b></p> $(5p^3 - 7p + 2) - (5p - 9p^3 - 3)$ $5p^3 - 7p + 2 - 5p + 9p^3 + 3$ $14p^3 - 12p + 5$
<p><b>Common Mistake</b> Confusing the rules of exponents with combining like terms.</p>	<p><b>Example 12:</b></p> $3x^6 + 5x^6 = 8x^6 \quad \text{not} \quad 3x^6 + 5x^6 = 8x^{12}$ <p>Correct. <span style="border: 1px solid red; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;"><del>Incorrect.</del></span></p>

## Section 4-2 Exercises

Simplify.

4-1

1.  $(5a)^{-3}$

2.  $(2x^{-3}y^{-8})^6$

3.  $\left(\frac{9k^{-5}k^3}{h^7}\right)^{-2}$

4. Express in scientific notation: 15,966,000,000,000

5. Express in decimal form:  $2.97 \times 10^{-9}$

Perform the indicated operation.

6.  $5.3 \times 10^{-4} \cdot 1.01 \times 10^8$

7.  $\frac{1.8 \times 10^{-8}}{6 \times 10^{-6}}$

8.  $\frac{9.9 \times 10^{-7}}{3.3 \times 10^4}$

Classify the following as monomials, binomials, trinomials. (If none of them, write “polynomial”)

4-2

9.  $x^2 - 10x + 25$

10.  $18a^4b^3yz^9$

11.  $-2a(b^6c) - xy$

12.  $a^4 + a^2b^2 + ab^2 - b^3 + 5$

Identify each term. Name the coefficient and degree of each term, as well as the degree of the polynomial.

13.  $9 + 3k$

14.  $x^2 + 8x + 16$

15.  $13x^3 + x^2 + 5x + 3$

16.  $-14b - 2b^7 + 3$

Write in descending order.

17.  $s + 7 + 3s^2$

18.  $3x^2 + 5 + x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x$

Evaluate.

19.  $x^2 - 10x + 25$   
when  $x = 4$

20.  $3a^4 + 4a^2 - 10a - 19$   
when  $a = -5$

21.  $a^4 + a^2b^2 + ab^2 - b^3 + 5$   
when  $a = -1$  and  $b = 3$

22.  $x^3 - 3x^2y + xy^2 + y$   
when  $x = 2$  and  $y = -4$

Simplify. Write your answer in descending order.

23.  $5x^2 + 3x + x - 9$

24.  $4x - 6x^5 + 17x + 15x^5 + 3x - x^3$

25.  $b^{19} - 4b^{14} + 5b^{20} - 2b^{14}$

26.  $(4k - 12k) + 5k^2 - 4$

27.  $-x^8 - 5xy + 4xy^2 - 9x^3y + x^8$

28.  $\frac{7}{2}y^2 + x^4 - \frac{3}{2}y^2 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + 7y$

**Add the polynomials.**

29.  $(3x - 2) + (x + 5)$

30.  $(4a) + (2a - 5)$

31.  $(-7x^2 + 5y - 17) + (3x^2 - 4x + 12y)$

32.  $(5x^4 - x^3 + 3x^2 - 5) + (4x^4 + 4x^3 + x)$

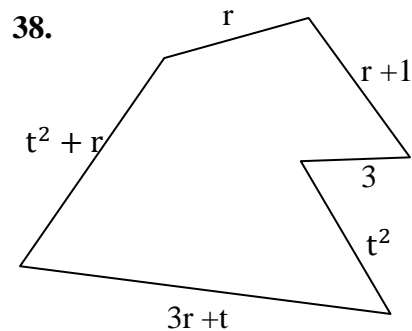
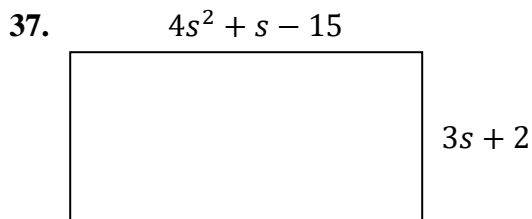
**Subtract the polynomials.**

33.  $(5x + 2) - (4x + 3)$

34.  $(3x^2 - x + 7) - (9x^2 + x + 8)$

35.  $(4y^7 + x^2 + 6y) - (6y^7 - 5y^5 + 11x^2 - y + 17)$

36.  $(6a^3 - b^3 + b^2) - (-a^3 + 2b^3 - b^2)$

**Find a polynomial that describes the perimeter of these shapes.****Preparation:**

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39. Match the following three equations with the property that is being used.

a.  $9(x - 2) = 9x - 18$

Commutative Addition

b.  $3ab + 4t = 4t + 3ab$

Associative Multiplication

c.  $2(x5) = (2x)5$

Distributive

## Section 4-2 Answers

1.  $\frac{1}{125a^3}$
2.  $\frac{64}{x^{18}y^{48}}$
3.  $\frac{h^{14}k^4}{81}$
4.  $1.5966 \times 10^{13}$
5. .00000000297
6.  $5.353 \times 10^4$
7.  $3 \times 10^{-3}$
8.  $3 \times 10^{-11}$
9. Trinomial
10. Monomial
11. Binomial
12. Polynomial
13. 9: coefficient = 9, degree = 0  
 $3k$ : coefficient = 3, degree = 1  
 degree of polynomial = 1
14.  $x^2$ : c = 1, d = 2  
 $8x$ : c = 8, d = 1  
 $16$ : c = 16, d = 0  
 degree of polynomial = 2
15.  $13x^3$ : c = 13, d = 3  
 $x^2$ : c = 1, d = 2  
 $5x$ : c = 5, d = 1  
 $3$ : c = 3, d = 0  
 degree of polynomial = 3
16.  $-2b^7$ : c = -2, d = 7  
 $-14b$ : c = -14, d = 1  
 $3$ : c = 3, d = 0  
 degree of polynomial = 7
17.  $3s^2 + s + 7$
18.  $x^4 + 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x + 5$
19. 1
20. 2006
21. -21
22. 84
23.  $5x^2 + 4x - 9$
24.  $9x^5 - x^3 + 24x$
25.  $5b^{20} + b^{19} - 6b^{14}$
26.  $5k^2 - 8k - 4$
27.  $-9x^3y + 4xy^2 - 5xy$
28.  $x^4 + \frac{1}{3}x^3 + 2y^2 + 7y$
29.  $4x + 3$
30.  $6a - 5$
31.  $-4x^2 - 4x + 17y - 17$
32.  $9x^4 + 3x^3 + 3x^2 + x - 5$
33.  $x - 1$
34.  $-6x^2 - 2x - 1$
35.  $-2y^7 + 5y^5 - 10x^2 + 7y - 17$
36.  $7a^3 - 3b^3 + 2b^2$
37.  $8s^2 + 8s - 26$
38.  $2t^2 + t + 6r + 4$
39. In class.

## Section 4-3 Polynomial Multiplication

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**Type 1: Monomials  $\times$  Monomials**

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Steps</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Multiply numbers with numbers (coefficients).</li> <li>2. Multiply like variables with like variables (x's with x's, y's with y's).</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Multiply <math>(4x)(5x)</math></p> $4 \cdot x \cdot 5 \cdot x$ $4 \cdot 5 \cdot x \cdot x$ $20x^2$ <p><b>Example 2:</b> Multiply <math>(-4x^5)(6x^2)</math></p> $(-4)(6) x^5 \cdot x^2$ $-24x^{5+2}$ $-24x^7$ <p><b>Answer: <math>-24x^7</math></b></p> <p><b>Example 3:</b> Multiply <math>(4xy^2)(-2x^3y)</math></p> $(4)(-2) x \cdot x^3 y^2 \cdot y$ $-8x^{1+3}y^{2+1}$ $-8x^4y^3$ <p><b>Answer: <math>-8x^4y^3</math></b></p> <p><b>Example 4:</b> Multiply <math>(-2y^2)(6y^3)(-4y^5)</math></p> $(-2)(6)(-4) y^2 \cdot y^3 \cdot y^5$ $48y^{2+3+5}$ $48y^{10}$ <p><b>Answer: <math>48y^{10}</math></b></p>



## Type 2: Monomials $\times$ Polynomial

Main Topics	Examples																													
<p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Multiply the <b>monomial</b> (the distributor) times each term in the <b>polynomial</b>.</li> <li>2. Format it such that you have: <b>(mono)</b><math>\times</math><b>(term)</b> + <b>(mono)</b><math>\times</math><b>(term)</b> + ... keeping the sign of each term with it in the parentheses.</li> <li>3. Combine like terms and simplify.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Multiply <math>3x(5x - 4)</math></p> <table border="1"> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>3x(5x - 4)</math></td> <td>Distribute the <b>monomial</b> to the <b>polynomial</b>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>(3x)(5x) + (3x)(-4)</math></td> <td>Multiply <b><math>3x</math></b> to each term in the <b>polynomial</b>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>3 \cdot 5 x \cdot x + 3(-4) x</math></td> <td rowspan="2">Now handle each <b>(mono)</b><math>\times</math><b>(term)</b>. Simplify if needed.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>15x^2 - 12x</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Answer: <math>15x^2 - 12x</math></b></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Example 6:</b> Multiply <math>-4x(-x - 4)</math></p> <table border="1"> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>-4x(-x - 4)</math></td> <td>Distribute the <b><math>(-4x)</math></b>, not just the <b><math>(4x)</math></b>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>(-4x)(-x) + (-4x)(-4)</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>(-4)(-1)x \cdot x + (-4)(-4) x</math></td> <td>Multiply numbers times numbers and like terms times like terms.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>4x^2 + 16x</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Answer: <math>4x^2 + 16x</math></b></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Example 7:</b> Multiply <math>2x^2(3x^2 - 6x + 8)</math></p> <table border="1"> <tbody> <tr> <td><math>2x^2(3x^2 - 6x + 8)</math></td> <td><b>mono</b> <math>\times</math> <b>(any polynomial)</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>(2x^2)(3x^2) + (2x^2)(-6x) + (2x^2)(8)</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>(2)(3) x^2 \cdot x^2 + (2)(-6) x^2 \cdot x + (2)(8) x^2</math></td> <td>Multiply numbers times numbers and like terms times like terms.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>6x^4 - 12x^3 + 16x^2</math></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Answer: <math>6x^4 - 12x^3 + 16x^2</math></b></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	$3x(5x - 4)$	Distribute the <b>monomial</b> to the <b>polynomial</b> .	$(3x)(5x) + (3x)(-4)$	Multiply <b><math>3x</math></b> to each term in the <b>polynomial</b> .	$3 \cdot 5 x \cdot x + 3(-4) x$	Now handle each <b>(mono)</b> $\times$ <b>(term)</b> . Simplify if needed.	$15x^2 - 12x$	<b>Answer: <math>15x^2 - 12x</math></b>		$-4x(-x - 4)$	Distribute the <b><math>(-4x)</math></b> , not just the <b><math>(4x)</math></b> .	$(-4x)(-x) + (-4x)(-4)$		$(-4)(-1)x \cdot x + (-4)(-4) x$	Multiply numbers times numbers and like terms times like terms.	$4x^2 + 16x$		<b>Answer: <math>4x^2 + 16x</math></b>		$2x^2(3x^2 - 6x + 8)$	<b>mono</b> $\times$ <b>(any polynomial)</b>	$(2x^2)(3x^2) + (2x^2)(-6x) + (2x^2)(8)$		$(2)(3) x^2 \cdot x^2 + (2)(-6) x^2 \cdot x + (2)(8) x^2$	Multiply numbers times numbers and like terms times like terms.	$6x^4 - 12x^3 + 16x^2$		<b>Answer: <math>6x^4 - 12x^3 + 16x^2</math></b>	
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### Type 3: Binomials $\times$ Binomials

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### Type 4: Any Polynomial $\times$ Any Polynomial

Main Topics	Examples
SUPER Distribute	<b>Example 10: Multiply</b>
$(x - 2)(x^2 - 5x + 6)$ $x(x^2 - 5x + 6) - 2(x^2 - 5x + 6)$ $(x)(x^2) + (x)(-5x) + (x)(6) + (-2)(x^2) + (-2)(-5x) + (-2)(6)$ $x^3 - 5x^2 + 6x - 2x^2 + 10x - 12$ $x^3 - 7x^2 + 16x - 12$ <p><b>Answer: <math>x^3 - 7x^2 + 16x - 12</math></b></p>	<p>Everything in the 1<sup>st</sup> ( ) goes to Everything in the 2<sup>nd</sup> ( ) Follow <b>(mono)<math>\times</math>(term)</b> +...format Multiply the <b>(mono)<math>\times</math>(mono)</b>'s Use symbol method for like terms Combine like terms</p>
<p><b>Slick Note:</b> You could stack them so the like terms are above each other:</p> $\begin{array}{r} 2x^4 + 10x^3 - 2x^2 \\ -5x^3 - 25x^2 + 5x \\ \hline 2x^4 + 5x^3 - 26x^2 + 10x - 1 \end{array}$	<p><b>Example 11:</b></p> $(2x^2 - 5x + 1)(x^2 + 5x - 1)$ $(2x^2 - 5x + 1)(x^2 + 5x - 1)$ $2x^2(x^2 + 5x - 1) - 5x(x^2 + 5x - 1) + 1(x^2 + 5x - 1)$ $2x^4 + 10x^3 - 2x^2 - 5x^3 - 25x^2 + 5x + x^2 + 5x - 1$ $2x^4 + 5x^3 - 26x^2 + 10x - 1$ <p><b>Answer: <math>2x^4 + 5x^3 - 26x^2 + 10x - 1</math></b></p>
<p><b>(Binomial)<sup>2</sup></b></p>	<p><b>Example 12:</b></p> $(x + 3)^2$ $(x + 3)(x + 3)$ $x^2 + 3x + 3x + 9$ $x^2 + 6x + 9$ <p><b>Example 13:</b></p> $(3x - y)^2$ $(3x - y)(3x - y)$ $9x^2 - 3xy - 3xy + y^2$ $9x^2 - 6xy + y^2$

### Common Mistake

This mistake is called the *Freshman's Dream*.

People often take  $(x + 3)^2$  and incorrectly say the answer is  $x^2 + 9$

1. They apply the Law of Exponent Power Rule from Section 4.1 which states that everything in the parentheses receives the power. This is only true for monomials, and we have a binomial.
2. When they do this they just square the  $x$  and square the 3 to get  $x^2 + 9$  ---**an incorrect answer**
3. It is critical to remember that anything being squared is really that thing times itself, i.e.

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

Even the Power Rule is just a short cut around this fact,

$$\text{i.e. } (3x)^2 = (3x)(3x).$$

### Section 4-3 Exercises

Simplify.

4-1

$$1. \frac{kx^2gf^{-1}}{x^{-3}f^2} \qquad 2. \left(\frac{1}{4a^2b^{-3}}\right)^{-1}$$

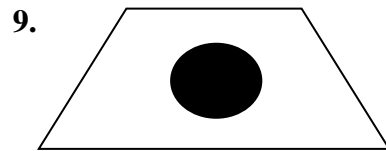
Perform the indicated operation. Write your answer in both scientific notation and decimal form.

$$3. 1.23 \times 10^{-3} \cdot 4.36 \times 10^4 \qquad 4. \frac{4.36 \times 10^3}{5.02 \times 10^{-2}} \qquad 5. \frac{6.02 \times 10^{23}}{4.8 \times 10^{25}}$$

Identify each term. Name the coefficient and degree of each term, as well as the degree of the polynomial.

$$6. 4q^3 - 2q^2 + 3q - 2 \qquad 7. 3p^2 + 4p \qquad 8. 3j^3 - 5$$

The area of the black circle is  $6y^2 - 2y + 3$ . The area of the trapezoid is  $-2y^2 + 4y + 11$ . Find the area of the white section between the black circle and the outer trapezoid.



Perform the indicated operations.

4-2

$$10. -2x + (3x - 4) \qquad 11. -(3x + 4) - (2x^2 + x)$$

$$12. 3z^3 - (2z^2 + 7z^3) + \frac{1}{2}z^2$$

$$13. 3m(k^2 - 2m^2 + 1)$$

4-3

$$14. (3s - 1)(s + 4) \qquad 15. (s^2 - 2)(s + 2)$$

$$16. (a + b)(2a^2 + a - 3) \qquad 17. (c^2 - 2c + 1)(2c^2 + c - 3)$$

Perform the indicated operations.

$$18. (x - 3)(x + 3)$$

$$19. (2x + 1)(2x - 1)$$

$$20. (3mn - 1)(3mn + 1)$$

$$21. (3a + 4b)(3a - 4b)$$

$$22. (k^3 - 3)(k^3 + 3)$$

$$23. (3x + 1)^2$$

$$24. (2x - 1)^2$$

$$25. (k + 2)^2$$

$$26. (z^2 - 1)^2$$

$$27. (k^3 + 2m)^2$$

Preparation: After reading some of 4.4, simplify the following.

$$28. \frac{(8y^2 + 4)}{2}$$

$$29. (6x^3 - 2x^2 + x) \div x$$

## Section 4-3 Answers

1.  $\frac{kx^5g}{f^3}$
2.  $\frac{4a^2}{b^3}$
3.  $5.3628 \times 10^1$ , 53.628
4.  $8.685 \times 10^4$ , 86852.59
5.  $1.254 \times 10^{-2}$ , .01254
6.  $4q^3$ : coefficient = 4, degree = 3;  
 $-2q^2$ : coefficient = -2, degree = 2  
 $3q$ : coefficient = 3, degree = 1  
 $-2$ : coefficient = -2, degree = 0  
 degree of polynomial = 3
7.  $3p^2$ : c = 3, d = 2  
 $4p$ : c = 4, d = 1  
 degree of polynomial = 2
8.  $3j^3$ : c = 3, d = 3  
 $-5$ : c = -5, d = 0  
 degree of polynomial = 3
9.  $-8y^2 + 6y + 8$
10.  $x - 4$
11.  $-2x^2 - 4x - 4$
12.  $-4z^3 - \frac{3}{2}z^2$
13.  $-6m^3 + 3mk^2 + 3m$
14.  $3s^2 + 11s - 4$
15.  $s^3 + 2s^2 - 2s - 4$
16.  $2a^3 + a^2 - 3a + 2a^2b + ab - 3b$
17.  $2c^4 - 3c^3 - 3c^2 + 7c - 3$
18.  $x^2 - 9$
19.  $4x^2 - 1$
20.  $9m^2n^2 - 1$
21.  $9a^2 - 16b^2$
22.  $k^6 - 9$
23.  $9x^2 + 6x + 1$
24.  $4x^2 - 4x + 1$
25.  $k^2 + 4k + 4$
26.  $z^4 - 2z^2 + 1$
27.  $k^6 + 4k^3m + 4m^2$
28. In class.
29. In class.

## Section 4-4 Polynomial Division

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

1: Exponents and Rules	Scientific Notation
2: Polynomial Intro	Term, Coefficient, Degree,
Polynomial Addition	Polynomial Subtraction
3: Polynomial Multiplication	
4: Polynomial Division	

### Type 1: Polynomials $\div$ Monomials

Main Topics	Examples																				
<p>Steps:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b>.</li> <li>Simplify each new term of <math>\left(\frac{\text{monomial}}{\text{monomial}}\right)</math> dividing numbers with numbers and like variables with like variables. Use the law of exponents.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Divide <math>\frac{35x^5 - 20x^3}{5x^3}</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><math>\frac{35x^5}{5x^3} - \frac{20x^3}{5x^3}</math></td> <td>Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{35}{5}x^{5-3} - \frac{20}{5}x^{3-3}</math></td> <td>Simplify each new term. Divide numbers with numbers and like variables with like variables.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>7x^2 - 4x^0</math></td> <td>Using the quotient rule (4.1) we subtract top-bottom exponents</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>7x^2 - 4</math></td> <td>The zero rule says <math>x^0 = 1</math> and we know anything times 1 = 's itself</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"><b>Answer: <math>7x^2 - 4</math></b></td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Example 2:</b> Divide: <math>(24a^6 - 48a^5 + 10a^4) \div (4a^4)</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td><math>\frac{24a^6}{4a^4} - \frac{48a^5}{4a^4} + \frac{10a^4}{4a^4}</math></td> <td>Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b>.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>\frac{24}{4}a^{6-4} - \frac{48}{4}a^{5-4} + \frac{10}{4}a^{4-4}</math></td> <td>Simplify each new term.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>6a^2 - 12a^1 + \frac{5}{2}a^0</math></td> <td>Reduce them as much as possible.</td> </tr> <tr> <td><math>6a^2 - 12a + \frac{5}{2}</math></td> <td>In simplifying, use the zero and one rule for exponents if needed.</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"><b>Answer: <math>6a^2 - 12a + \frac{5}{2}</math></b></td> </tr> </table>	$\frac{35x^5}{5x^3} - \frac{20x^3}{5x^3}$	Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b>	$\frac{35}{5}x^{5-3} - \frac{20}{5}x^{3-3}$	Simplify each new term. Divide numbers with numbers and like variables with like variables.	$7x^2 - 4x^0$	Using the quotient rule (4.1) we subtract top-bottom exponents	$7x^2 - 4$	The zero rule says $x^0 = 1$ and we know anything times 1 = 's itself	<b>Answer: <math>7x^2 - 4</math></b>		$\frac{24a^6}{4a^4} - \frac{48a^5}{4a^4} + \frac{10a^4}{4a^4}$	Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b> .	$\frac{24}{4}a^{6-4} - \frac{48}{4}a^{5-4} + \frac{10}{4}a^{4-4}$	Simplify each new term.	$6a^2 - 12a^1 + \frac{5}{2}a^0$	Reduce them as much as possible.	$6a^2 - 12a + \frac{5}{2}$	In simplifying, use the zero and one rule for exponents if needed.	<b>Answer: <math>6a^2 - 12a + \frac{5}{2}</math></b>	
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**Example 3:** Divide  $\frac{15x^{10}y^7 - 8x^6y^3 + 18x^4y - 3x^2y}{3x^2y}$

$\frac{15x^{10}y^7}{3x^2y} - \frac{8x^6y^3}{3x^2y} + \frac{18x^4y}{3x^2y} - \frac{3x^2y}{3x^2y}$	Place the <b>monomial</b> under each term in the <b>polynomial</b> .
$\frac{15}{3}x^{10-2}y^{7-1} - \frac{8}{3}x^{6-2}y^{3-1} + \frac{18}{3}x^{4-2}y^{1-1} - \frac{3}{3}x^{2-2}y^{1-1}$	Simplify each new term.
$5x^8y^6 - \frac{8}{3}x^4y^2 + 6x^2y^0 - 1x^0y^0$	Not all fractions reduce completely
$5x^8y^6 - \frac{8}{3}x^4y^2 + 6x^2 - 1$	Use the Zero and One Rule
<b>Answer:</b> $5x^8y^6 - \frac{8}{3}x^4y^2 + 6x^2 - 1$	

### Long Division (for more than 1 term)

Main Topics	Examples
<b>Long-hand</b>	<p><b>Example 5:</b> Divide <math>(8x^3 - 34x^2 + 43x - 77) \div (2x - 7)</math></p> $  \begin{array}{r}  4x^2 - 3x + 11 \\  2x - 7 \overline{) 8x^3 - 34x^2 + 43x - 77} \\  \underline{8x^3 - 28x^2} \phantom{+ 43x - 77} \\  -6x^2 + 43x \phantom{- 77} \\  \underline{-6x^2 + 21x} \phantom{- 77} \\  22x - 77 \\  \underline{22x - 77} \\  0  \end{array}  $ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>4x^2 - 3x + 11</math></p>
<b>Special Consideration</b> Add in missing terms	<p><b>Example 6:</b> Divide <math>(12x^3 - 5x - 33) \div (2x - 3)</math></p> $  \begin{array}{r}  6x^2 + 9x + 11 \\  2x - 3 \overline{) 12x^3 + 0x^2 - 5x - 33} \\  \underline{12x^3 - 18x^2} \phantom{- 5x - 33} \\  18x^2 - 5x \phantom{- 33} \\  \underline{18x^2 - 27x} \phantom{- 33} \\  22x - 33 \\  \underline{22x - 33} \\  0  \end{array}  $ <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>6x^2 + 9x + 11</math></p>



## Section 4-4 Exercises

Simplify.

4-1

1.  $a^2e^3i^{-2}o^0u^{-2}a^3e^{-4}i^{-2}o^{-2}u^4$

2.  $e^2i^{-3}e^4i^{-2}o^3$

3.  $\frac{r^2a^{-3}ce^2}{c^4ar^{-1}}$

Simplify. Write your answer in descending order.

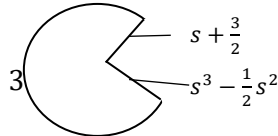
4.  $\frac{3}{(s+1)^{-2}}$

5.  $-j + 4j^2 - 3j - 1 + \frac{1}{j^{-1}}$

Find a polynomial that describes the perimeter of the shape.

4-2

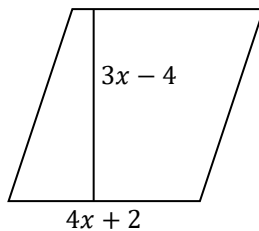
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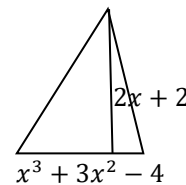
Find a polynomial that describes the area of these shapes.

4-3

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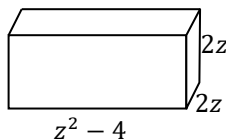


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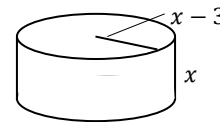


Find a polynomial that describes the volume of these shapes.

9.



10.



Perform the indicated operations

11.  $4x + 2x^2 + x - 2x^2 + 5x - 3x^2$

12.  $z^3 + 4z^2 - 12z - (-z^3 + z - 3z^2)$

13.  $4y + 3y^2x + y(4yx + 5)$

14.  $-12m(6m^3 - 8m^2 + m - 12)$

15.  $8g(3h^3 + 9h - 12)$

16.  $(3p + 4)(p - 4)$

17.  $(7a^2 + 3)(2a^2 + 3a + 6)$

18.  $\left(\frac{1}{2}b + 1\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}b - 1\right)$

19.  $(8f^2 + 6)(8f^2 - 6)$

20.  $(m^2n^2 + 1)(m^2n^2 - 1)$

21.  $(7x + 1)^2$

22.  $(w^2x^2 - y^2z^2)^2$

Perform the indicated operations.

4-4

23.  $9m^4 \div (3m)$

24.  $(6x^2 + 12x) \div (3x)$

25.  $(2x^2y + 3xy + y^2 - 2) \div (2x)$

26.  $(-56y^4 + 44y^3 + 64y^2 - 16y) \div (8y)$

27.  $(4b^{13} - 9b^8 - 3b^5) \div (3b^3)$

28.  $(-6y^5 - 3y^3 + y) \div (2y)$

29.  $(18x^2 - 23x - 6) \div (2x - 3)$

30.  $(18x^3 - 5x + 2) \div (3x + 2)$

## Section 4-4 Answers

1.  $\frac{a^5 u^2}{ei^4 o^2}$
2.  $\frac{e^6 o^3}{i^5}$
3.  $\frac{r^3 e^2}{a^4 c^3}$
4.  $3s^2 + 6s + 3$
5.  $4j^2 - 3j - 1$
6.  $s^3 - \frac{1}{2}s^2 + s + \frac{9}{2}$
7.  $12x^2 - 10x - 8$
8.  $x^4 + 4x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 4$
9.  $4z^4 - 16z^2$
10.  $\pi(x^3 - 6x^2 + 9x)$  or  
 $\pi x^3 - 6\pi x^2 + 9\pi x$
11.  $-3x^2 + 10x$
12.  $2z^3 + 7z^2 - 13z$
13.  $7y^2x + 9y$
14.  $-72m^4 + 96m^3 - 12m^2 + 144m$
15.  $24gh^3 + 72gh - 96g$
16.  $3p^2 - 8p - 16$
17.  $14a^4 + 21a^3 + 48a^2 + 9a + 18$
18.  $\frac{1}{4}b^2 - 1$
19.  $64f^4 - 36$
20.  $m^4n^4 - 1$
21.  $49x^2 + 14x + 1$
22.  $w^4x^4 - 2w^2x^2y^2z^2 + y^4z^4$
23.  $3m^3$
24.  $2x + 4$
25.  $xy + \frac{3}{2}y + \frac{y^2}{2x} - \frac{1}{x}$
26.  $-7y^3 + \frac{11}{2}y^2 + 8y - 2$
27.  $\frac{4}{3}b^{10} - 3b^5 - b^2$
28.  $-3y^4 - \frac{3}{2}y^2 + \frac{1}{2}$
29.  $9x + 2$
30.  $6x^2 - 4x + 1$

## Chapter 4 Review Exercises

1. Create a visual chart of all the methods, formulas, and examples of how to work with exponents and polynomials.

Simplify or evaluate.

4-1

2.  $3^2 \cdot 3^{-4}$

3.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2$

4.  $\frac{m^{-2}a^2t^{-3}h^{-3}}{h^2a^{-7}p^2p^{-3}y^2}$

5.  $\frac{g^4m^3}{(a^{-2}gm^2)^{-1}}$

6.  $\left(\frac{4xy^3}{3x^2y^{-5}z^3}\right)^{-2}$

7.  $\left(\frac{2a^{-5}b^4c^{-1}}{a^{-2}b^9}\right)^4$

Perform the operation and write your answer in scientific form. Round to three decimal places.

8.  $\frac{6.3781 \times 10^3}{1.989 \times 10^{30}}$

9.  $\frac{1.51 \times 10^{-7}}{5.002 \times 10^{-5}}$

Evaluate the polynomials at the given values.

4-2

10.  $a^2 - 3a + 2$ , for  $a = 5$

11.  $x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x$ , for  $x = -3$

Add or subtract the polynomials. Write answer in descending order.

12.  $(-3y^2 + 7) + (y^2 + 2y - 6)$

13.  $(4x^3 - 1 + x + 3x^2) + (x^2 - x + 5)$

14.  $(3j^4 - j + 2j^2) - (-j^2 + 4j + j^4)$

15.  $(-3p - 9p^2) - (-12p^2 - 5p + 4)$

Perform the indicated operations.

4-3

16.  $(3x)(x - 5)$

17.  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}a\right)(4a^2 + 6a - 2)$

18.  $(5d^2 - 1)(3d + 1)$

19.  $(6e + 4)(-5e + 3)$

20.  $(g - 7)(g + 6)$

21.  $(hi + 2)(i - 3h)$

22.  $(j + 2k)(k^2 - 2j)$

23.  $(2l - 3)(2l + 3)$

24.  $(4m^3 - 2)(4m^3 + 2)$

25.  $(n^6 + 3y^3)(n^6 - 3y^3)$

26.  $(5p^2 + 1)^2$

27.  $(-q + 2)^2$

28.  $(2r + 2s)^2$

29.  $(t + 3)(t^2 - 3t - 4)$

30.  $(u^2 + u^3)(u^3 - u^2 + u - 1)$

31.  $(2x^4 + 7x^3 - x)(x^2 + 3x + 2)$

Divide the polynomials.

4-4

32.  $(-80w^6 + 35w^5 - 50w^4) \div (10w^4)$

33.  $(33x^3 - 18x^2 + 3x) \div (3x)$

34.  $(24y^3 - 2y^2) \div (2y)$

35.  $(8abz^3 - 2jz^4 + z^5) \div (z^3)$

**Chapter 4 Review Answers**

1. Make it neat, thorough, and organized.
2.  $\frac{1}{9}$
3.  $\frac{4}{9}$
4.  $\frac{a^9p}{m^2t^3h^5y^2}$
5.  $\frac{g^5m^5}{a^2}$
6.  $\frac{9x^2z^6}{16y^{16}}$
7.  $\frac{16}{a^{12}b^{20}c^4}$
8.  $3.207 \times 10^{-27}$
9.  $3.019 \times 10^{-3}$
10. 12
11. 3
12.  $-2y^2 + 2y + 1$
13.  $4x^3 + 4x^2 + 4$
14.  $2j^4 + 3j^2 - 5j$
15.  $3p^2 + 2p - 4$
16.  $3x^2 - 15x$
17.  $-2a^3 - 3a^2 + a$
18.  $15d^3 + 5d^2 - 3d - 1$
19.  $-30e^2 - 2e + 12$
20.  $g^2 - g - 42$
21.  $hi^2 - 3h^2i + 2i - 6h$
22.  $2k^3 + jk^2 - 4jk - 2j^2$
23.  $4l^2 - 9$
24.  $16m^6 - 4$
25.  $n^{12} - 9y^6$
26.  $25p^4 + 10p^2 + 1$
27.  $q^2 - 4q + 4$
28.  $4r^2 + 8rs + 4s^2$
29.  $t^3 - 13t - 12$
30.  $u^6 - u^2$
31.  $2x^6 + 13x^5 + 25x^4 + 13x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x$
32.  $-8w^2 + \frac{7}{2}w - 5$
33.  $11x^2 - 6x + 1$
34.  $12y^2 - y$
35.  $8ab - 2jz + z^2$

## Section 5-1 Factoring: Method 1 and 2 (GCF and Grouping)

### CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

<b><u>THE 5 METHODS of FACTORING</u></b>	
<b><u>Method</u></b>	<b><u>Type of Polynomial used on:</u></b>
1: Greatest Common Factor (GCF)	All
2: Grouping	4 Terms
3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$	Trinomials, where $a = 1$
4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$ <i>ac - method</i>	Trinomials, where $a \neq 1$
5: Special Cases	Binomials & Perfect Squares

### WHEN TO TRY EACH METHOD:

<b>Polynomial</b>	<b>Factoring Methods Possible</b>
$y^3 + 4y^2 + 2y + 8$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 2: Grouping
$x^2 + 6x + 9$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$
$16x^2 - 16x + 4$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$
$54x^3 - 6x$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 5: Special Cases (because it's a binomial)
$x^2 - 5x + 6$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$
$2c^3 + 8c^2 - 6c - 12$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 2: Grouping
$36a^2 - 25$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 5: Special Cases (because it's a binomial)
$35x^3 + 42x^2 - 14x - 77xy - 14y + 7$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor (only method because it has 6 terms)
$6y^2 + 25y + 25$	Method 1: Greatest Common Factor Method 4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$

**PRIME:** A polynomial that cannot be factored is called **prime**. (Just like a number that cannot be factored.)

## Method 1 – Greatest Common Factor

Main Topics	Examples
<p><b>Greatest Common Factor</b> Largest number that will go into all terms</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Identify the GCF of the following: 18, 30, 42</p> <p>Factors of 18: 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 18            Factors of 30: 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30            Factors of 42: 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 14, 21, 42</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>GCF = 6</b></p> <p><b>Example 2:</b> Identify the GCF of the following:  <math>10x^2y, 20x^2, 35x^2y^2</math></p> <p>Factors of 10: 1, 2, 5, 10            Factors of 20: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20            Factors of 35: 1, 5, 7, 35</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>x<sup>2</sup> is also common</i>  <b>GCF = 5x<sup>2</sup></b></p> <p><b>Example 3:</b>            These are prime polynomials.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>2x + 7</math>      <math>4x - 19</math>      <math>9y^2 + 20</math></p>
<p><b>Prime</b> Can't be factored</p>	<p><b>Example 4:</b> Factor</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>3a - 6b</math></p> <p>GCF = 3</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>3(a - 2b)</math></p> <p><b>Example 5:</b> Factor</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>4x - 5xy</math></p> <p>GCF = x</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>x(4 - 5y)</math></p> <p><b>Example 6:</b> Factor</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>15x^3 - 5x^2 + 30xy</math></p> <p>GCF = 5x</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>5x(3x^2 - x + 6y)</math></p> <p><b>Example 7:</b> Factor</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>21x^2y + 35xy^2 - 7xy</math></p> <p>GCF = 7xy</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>7xy(3x + 5y - 1)</math></p>
<p><b>Steps</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Identify GCF.</li> <li>2. Un-Distribute.             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Place GCF outside.</li> <li>b. Divide each term by GCF.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>	

## Method 2 – Grouping – 4 terms

Main Topics	Examples
<p>Steps</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Chop the 4 terms in half Separate into two binomials.</li> <li>2. Pull GCF out of each half.</li> <li>3. Pull out identical pieces from both halves.</li> </ol> <p>Use Method 1 first if possible.</p> <p>Then use Grouping on remaining 4 terms.</p>	<p><b>Example 7: Factor</b></p> $x^3 + 4x^2 + 3x + 12$ $\underbrace{x^3 + 4x^2}_{x^2(x+4)} + \underbrace{+3x + 12}_{+3(x+4)}$ $(x+4)(x^2 + 3)$ <p><b>Example 8: Factor</b></p> $2x^3 + 10x^2 - 3x - 15$ $\underbrace{2x^3 + 10x^2}_{2x^2(x+5)} - \underbrace{3x - 15}_{-3(x+5)}$ $(x+5)(2x^2 - 3)$ <p><b>Example 9: Factor</b></p> $7xy + 28x + y + 4$ $\underbrace{7xy + 28x}_{7x(y+4)} + \underbrace{+y + 4}_{+(y+4)}$ $(y+4)(7x + 1)$ <p><b>Example 10: Factor</b></p> $2x^3y + 16x^2y + 6xy + 48y$ <p>GCF = 2y</p> $2y(x^3 + 8x^2 + 3x + 24)$ $\underbrace{x^3 + 8x^2}_{x^2(x+8)} + \underbrace{3x + 24}_{+3(x+8)}$ $(x+8)(x^2 + 3)$ <p><b>Answer: <math>2y(x+8)(x^2 + 3)</math></b></p>

## Section 5-1 Exercises

Perform the indicated operations.

4-3

1.  $3a(4b^2 - a)$

2.  $(x + 4)^2$

3.  $(x + 1)(x^2 - 3x - 4)$

4.  $(-x + 1)(3x - 7)$

4-4

5.  $(-4m^3 - 16m^2 + 6m) \div (-2m)$

Identify which method(s) you should try in factoring the following polynomials (refer back to the beginning of section 5-1).

5-1

6.  $3x^2 + x$

7.  $x^2 - 4x + 4$

8.  $5c^3 + 10c^2 - 2c - 6$

9.  $14x^3 + 7x^2 - 21x$

10.  $a^2b - bc + 3bc^2 - c^2$

11.  $-4t^2 - 5tr$

Identify the greatest common factor between the terms.

12. 18, 24, 48

13.  $3x, 9x^2, 6$

14.  $-14s^3, -7s$

15.  $a^2b, -bc, 3bc^2$

16.  $125x^3, 50x^2, 10x$

17.  $y^4, 4y^3, 2y^2, 8y$

Factor the following by pulling out the greatest common factor if there is one. If not, the expression is prime.

18.  $9k + 3$

19.  $-18y^5 - 6y$

20.  $2x^4 - 3y^2 + 7y$

21.  $-z^2 - 7a - 2$

22.  $-12a^3b + 8a^2b^2 - 16ab^2$

23.  $19xy^2 - 38xy + 57y$

24.  $2a^2x^4 + 6a^2x^3 - 10ax^3$

25.  $-39s^5 - 18s^3 - 81s$

Factor the following by grouping if possible.

26.  $3x^3 - 9x^2 + 4x - 12$

27.  $-2x^3 - 2x^2 - 3x - 3$

28.  $4x^3 - 20x^2 - 6x + 10$

29.  $x^3 + 5x^2 - 2x - 10$

30.  $a^2x + 5a^2 + bx + 5b$

31.  $8x^3 + 18x^2 - 20xy - 45y$

32.  $x^3 + 3x^2 - 12x - 36$

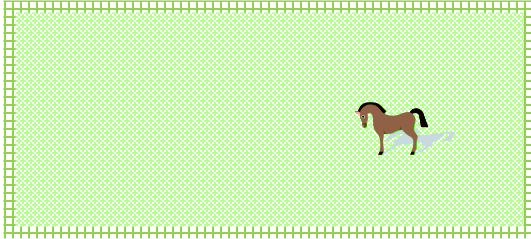
33.  $-4d^3 + 2d^2y - 6dy + 3y^2$

34.  $x^3 + x^2 - x - 1$



**Story Problem.**

35. This pasture has an area described by the polynomial,  $10x^3 + 4x^2 - 15x - 6$ . Its length and width are described by binomials. Find a pair of binomials that will give the given area.

**Preparation.**

36. Multiply the following.

*a.*  $(x + 7)(x + 5)$

*b.*  $(x + 2)(x + 8)$

*c.*  $(x + 9)(x + 3)$

*d.*  $(x + 5)(x + 4)$

37. Given binomials like those in #36, notice that all the answers simplified to trinomials. Describe how to obtain the middle term of those trinomials.

**Section 5-1 Answers**

1.  $12ab^2 - 3a^2$
2.  $x^2 + 8x + 16$
3.  $x^3 - 2x^2 - 7x - 4$
4.  $-3x^2 + 10x - 7$
5.  $2m^2 + 8m - 3$
6. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 5: *Special Cases*
7. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 3:  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a = 1$
8. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 2: *Grouping*
9. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 4:  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 1$
10. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 2: *Grouping*
11. Method 1: *Greatest Common Factors*  
Method 5: *Special Cases*
12. 6
13. 3
14.  $-7s$
15.  $b$
16.  $5x$
17.  $y$
18.  $3(3k + 1)$
19.  $-6y(3y^4 + 1)$  or  $6y(-3y^4 - 1)$
20. *prime*
21.  $-1(z^2 + 7a + 2)$
22.  $-4ab(3a^2 - 2ab + 4b)$  or  $4ab(-3a^2 + 2ab - 4b)$
23.  $19y(xy - 2x + 3)$
24.  $2ax^3(ax + 3a - 5)$
25.  $-3s(13s^4 + 6s^2 + 27)$
26.  $(x - 3)(3x^2 + 4)$
27.  $(x + 1)(-2x^2 - 3)$
28.  $2(2x^3 - 10x^2 - 3x + 5)$   
*Not factorable by grouping*
29.  $(x^2 - 2)(x + 5)$
30.  $(a^2 + b)(x + 5)$
31.  $(2x^2 - 5y)(4x + 9)$
32.  $(x^2 - 12)(x + 3)$
33.  $(-2d + y)(2d^2 + 3y)$
34.  $(x + 1)(x^2 - 1)$
35. *side 1:*  $(2x^2 - 3)$   
*side 2:*  $(5x + 2)$
36. In class.
37. In class.

## Section 5-2 Factoring: Trinomial Fast

CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

<u>THE 5 METHODS of FACTORING</u>	
<u>Method</u>	<u>Type of Polynomial used on:</u>
1: Pull out the Greatest Common Factor (GCF)	All
2: Grouping	4 Terms
3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$	Trinomials, where $a = 1$
4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$ <i>ac - method</i>	Trinomials, where $a \neq 1$
5: Special Cases	Binomials & Perfect Squares

Method 3 -  $x^2 + bx + c$  – Trinomial Fast

Main Topics	Examples																
<p><b>Steps</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Write in descending order.</li> <li>Find factors of <math>c</math>,</li> <li>That add to <math>b</math>.</li> <li><math>(x \quad)(x \quad)</math>.</li> </ol> <p>Note that negatives can work.</p>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Factor <math>x^2 + 12x + 35</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td colspan="2"><math>c = 35</math></td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>35</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>7</td></tr> </table> <p><math>(x + 5)(x + 7)</math></p>	$c = 35$		1	35	5	7										
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	1	35															
5	7																
<p><b>Example 2:</b> Factor <math>x^2 - 12x + 35</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td colspan="2"><math>c = 35</math></td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>35</td></tr> <tr><td>-5</td><td>-7</td></tr> </table> <p><math>(x - 5)(x - 7)</math></p>	$c = 35$		1	35	-5	-7	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Factor <math>x^2 - 18x + 56</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td colspan="2"><math>c = 56</math></td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>56</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>28</td></tr> <tr><td>-4</td><td>-14</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>8</td></tr> </table> <p><math>(x - 4)(x - 14)</math></p>	$c = 56$		1	56	2	28	-4	-14	7	8
$c = 35$																	
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7	8																

Remember:

Step 1: Write in descending order.

In Ex 5 and Ex 6, we see that the numbers must multiply to  $c$  exactly (including the sign) and add to  $b$  exactly (including the sign).

**Example 4:** Factor

$$x^2 - 56 + x^2$$

$$x^2 + x - 56$$

$c = -56$	
1	56
2	28
4	14
-7	+8

$$(x - 7)(x + 8)$$

**Example 5:** Factor

$$x^2 + 13x - 30$$

$c = -30$	
1	30
-2	+15
3	10
5	6

$$(x - 2)(x + 15)$$

**Example 6:** Factor

$$x^2 - 13x + 30$$

$c = 30$	
1	30
2	15
-3	-10
5	6

$$(x - 3)(x - 10)$$

**Example 7:** Factor

$$x^2 - 10x - 24$$

$c = -24$	
1	24
+2	-12
3	8
4	6

$$(x + 2)(x - 12)$$

## Watch Out

Main Topics	Examples										
<p>Don't forget Method 1 – GCF, first.</p>	<p><b>Example 8:</b> Factor <math>5x^3 - 10x^2 - 120x</math>            GCF = <math>5x</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><math>5x(x^2 - 2x - 24)</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><math>c = -24</math></td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>24</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>12</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>8</td></tr> <tr><td>+4</td><td>-6</td></tr> </table> <p style="text-align: right;"><math>(x - 6)(x + 4)</math></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Final Answer:</i> <math>5x(x - 6)(x + 4)</math></p>	$c = -24$		1	24	2	12	3	8	+4	-6
$c = -24$											
1	24										
2	12										
3	8										
+4	-6										
<p>A polynomial that looks like <math>x^4 + bx^2 + c</math> can use this method as well.</p>	<p><b>Example 9:</b> Factor <math>x^4 + 25x^2 + 24</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;"><math>c = 24</math></td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>24</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>12</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>8</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>6</td></tr> </table> <p style="text-align: right;"><math>(x^2 + 1)(x^2 + 24)</math></p>	$c = 24$		1	24	2	12	3	8	4	6
$c = 24$											
1	24										
2	12										
3	8										
4	6										

## Section 5-2 Exercises

Identify the greatest common factor between the terms.

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1. 24, 96, 336      2. 120, 480, 960      3. 77, 154, 968  
 4.  $-13b^2, -12ab, -25b^2$     5.  $12a^2, 16a^2, 96a^2$     6.  $14m^2n, 28mn^2, 77m^2$

Factor the following by pulling out the greatest common factor if possible.

7.  $-3x^2 + 6x^2y - 27x^3$       8.  $7xy^2 - 2xy + 4x^2y + 2x^2y^2$   
 9.  $12p^{24} + 56p^2 - 48s$       10.  $3r^2 + 27r^3 - 33r^4$

Factor the following by grouping if possible.

11.  $28x^3 - 12x^2 + 7x - 3$       12.  $6x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x + 1$   
 13.  $x^3 - 3x^2 + x - 3$       14.  $16x^3 + 52x^2 - 52x - 169$   
 15.  $2a^2x - 2a^2y + 3bx - 3by$     16.  $2x^3 + 2x^2y - 3x - 3y$   
 17.  $x^3 - 3x^2 - 9x + 27$       18.  $x^4 + 4x^3 + 2x + 8$

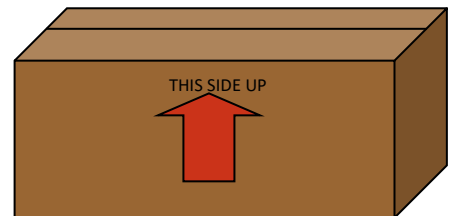
Factor the following using the  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a = 1$  method.

5-2

19.  $x^2 + 2x - 24$       20.  $x^2 + 11x + 18$   
 21.  $x^2 - 8x + 15$       22.  $x^2 - x - 20$   
 23.  $x^2 + 16x + 63$       24.  $x^2 - 4x - 60$   
 25.  $3x^2 + 27x + 24$       26.  $x^2 - 7x - 60$   
 27.  $x^2 + 6x - 27$       28.  $7x^2 - 7x - 14$

Story problem.

29. This box's volume is described by the polynomial  $4x^3 - 12x^2 - 72x$ . Its height is described by a monomial and its length and width are described by binomials. Find a solution set using prime factors.



Preparation: The following are trinomials in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  where  $a \neq 1$ .

30. Multiply the following polynomials together.

- a.  $(3x + 5)(2x + 7)$     b.  $(5x - 1)(4x + 3)$     c.  $(8x + 1)(2x + 1)$

**Section 5-2 Answers**

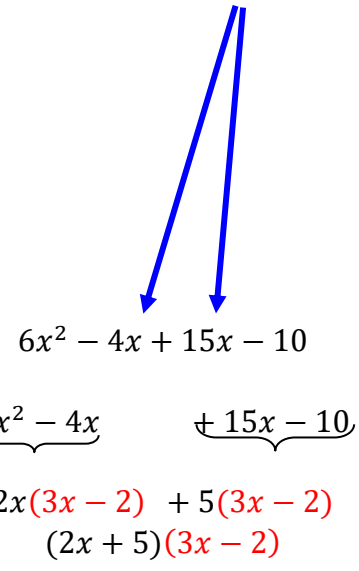
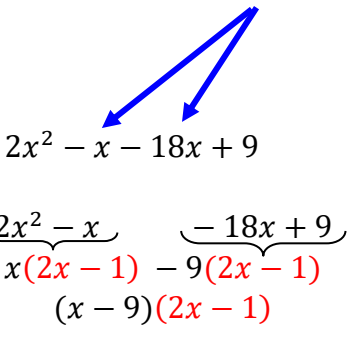
1. 24
2. 120
3. 11
4.  $-b$  or  $b$
5.  $4a^2$
6.  $7m$
7.  $-3x^2(1 - 2y + 9x)$  or  $3x^2(-1 + 2y - 9x)$
8.  $xy(7y - 2 + 4x + 2xy)$
9.  $4(3p^{24} + 14p^2 - 12s)$
10.  $3r^2(1 + 9r - 11r^2)$
11.  $(7x - 3)(4x^2 + 1)$
12.  $(3x^2 + 1)(2x + 1)$
13.  $(x^2 + 1)(x - 3)$
14.  $(4x^2 - 13)(4x + 13)$
15.  $(2a^2 + 3b)(x - y)$
16.  $(2x^2 - 3)(x + y)$
17.  $(x^2 - 9)(x - 3)$
18.  $(x^3 + 2)(x + 4)$
19.  $(x + 6)(x - 4)$
20.  $(x + 9)(x + 2)$
21.  $(x - 3)(x - 5)$
22.  $(x - 5)(x + 4)$
23.  $(x + 9)(x + 7)$
24.  $(x - 10)(x + 6)$
25.  $3(x + 8)(x + 1)$
26.  $(x - 12)(x + 5)$
27.  $(x + 9)(x - 3)$
28.  $7(x - 2)(x + 1)$
29. height:  $4x$   
length and width:  $(x + 3)$  and  $(x - 6)$
30. In class

## Section 5-3 Factoring: ac-method

CHAPTER OVERVIEW ([Video Instruction and Solutions Link](#))

<b>THE 5 METHODS of FACTORING</b>	
<b>Method</b>	<b>Type of Polynomial used on:</b>
1: Pull Out the Greatest Common Factor (GCF)	All
2: Grouping	4 Terms
3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$	Trinomials, where $a = 1$
4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$ <i>ac - method</i>	Trinomials, where $a \neq 1$
5: Special Cases	Binomials & Perfect Squares

**Method 4 -  $ax^2 + bx + c$  - ac method**

Main Topics	Examples																						
<p><b>Steps</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Write in descending order.</li> <li>2. Find factors of ac,</li> <li>3. That split b.</li> <li>4. 4 - terms ... <i>Grouping!</i></li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Factor <math>6x^2 + 11x - 10</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td colspan="2"><math>ac = -60</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1</td> <td>60</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>30</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>-4</td> <td>+15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>12</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6</td> <td>10</td> </tr> </table>  $6x^2 - 4x + 15x - 10$ $\underbrace{6x^2 - 4x} + \underbrace{15x - 10}$ $2x(3x - 2) + 5(3x - 2)$ $(2x + 5)(3x - 2)$ <p><b>Example 2:</b> Factor <math>2x^2 - 19x + 9</math></p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td colspan="2"><math>ac = 18</math></td> </tr> <tr> <td>-1</td> <td>-18</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2</td> <td>9</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>6</td> </tr> </table>  $2x^2 - x - 18x + 9$ $\underbrace{2x^2 - x} + \underbrace{-18x + 9}$ $x(2x - 1) - 9(2x - 1)$ $(x - 9)(2x - 1)$	$ac = -60$		1	60	2	30	3	20	-4	+15	5	12	6	10	$ac = 18$		-1	-18	2	9	3	6
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3	20																						
-4	+15																						
5	12																						
6	10																						
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-1	-18																						
2	9																						
3	6																						



**Example 3:** Factor  $6y^2 + 25y + 25$ 

$ac = 150$	
1	150
2	75
3	50
5	30
6	25
+10	+15

$$6y^2 + 25y + 25$$

$$6y^2 + 10y + 15y + 25$$

$$\underbrace{6y^2 + 10y} \quad \underbrace{+ 15y + 25}$$

$$2y(3y + 5) + 5(3y + 5)$$

$$(2y + 5)(3y + 5)$$

**Note:** If there are two variables, write in descending order with respect to one of them.

**Example 4:** Factor  $12x^2 - 13xy - 4y^2$ 

$ac = -48$	
1	48
2	24
+3	-16
4	12
6	8

$$12x^2 - 13xy - 4y^2$$

$$12x^2 + 3xy - 16xy - 4y^2$$

$$\underbrace{12x^2 + 3xy} \quad \underbrace{- 16xy - 4y^2}$$

$$3x(4x + y) - 4y(4x + y)$$

$$(3x - 4y)(4x + y)$$

**Example 5:** Factor  $-28x - 60 + 8x^2$ 

Rewrite in descending order.

$$8x^2 - 28x - 60$$

Don't forget to check Method 1  
– GCF on all polynomials.

GCF = 4

$ac = -30$	
1	30
2	15
+3	-10
5	6

$$4(2x^2 - 7x - 15)$$

$$2x^2 + 3x - 10x - 15$$

$$\underbrace{2x^2 + 3x} \quad \underbrace{- 10x - 15}$$

$$x(2x + 3) - 5(2x + 3)$$

$$\text{Answer: } 4(x - 5)(2x + 3)$$

### Section 5-3 Exercises

Identify the greatest common factor between the terms.

5-1

1. 14, 49, 112

2.  $15x, 39xy, 52x$

3.  $45j^2k, -80j^2k^3, 105k^2$

Factor the following by pulling out the greatest common factor.

4.  $49x^5 + 21x^3 - 14x^2$

5.  $24x^3y^3 + 96x^2y^3 - 72x^3y^2$

6.  $15x^2y^3z^2 - 12x^2y^3z + 9x^2y^3$

7.  $18p^3 - 6p^2 + 14p^4 + 2rs$

Factor the following by grouping if possible.

8.  $8x^3 + 2x^2 - 12x - 15$

9.  $3x^3 - 15x^2 + 5x - 25$

10.  $2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x + 3$

11.  $x^3 + x^2 - x - 1$

Factor the following using the  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a = 1$  method.

5-2

12.  $x^2 - 5x - 84$

13.  $x^2 - x - 6$

14.  $x^2 - 2x - 35$

15.  $x^2 - 15x + 54$

16.  $x^2 - 18x + 81$

17.  $x^2 - 8x - 33$

Factor the following using the  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 1$  method.

5-3

18.  $10x^2 - 7x - 6$

19.  $8x^2 + 2x - 3$

20.  $3 + 16x + 5x^2$

21.  $2m^2 + 11m + 12$

22.  $2x^2 - 5x - 25$

23.  $6x^2 + 25xy + 14y^2$

24.  $2s^2 - 21s + 40$

25.  $-6 + 16x^2 + 20x$

26.  $5x^2 - 14xy - 3y^2$

27.  $7y^2 - 30y + 8$

Preparation: Multiply.

4-3

28.  $(x - 5)(x + 5)$

29.  $(a + b)^2$

**Section 5-3 Answers**

1. 7
2.  $x$
3.  $5k$
4.  $7x^2(7x^3 + 3x - 2)$
5.  $24x^2y^2(xy + 4y - 3x)$
6.  $3x^2y^3(5z^2 - 4z + 3)$
7.  $2(9p^3 - 3p^2 + 7p^4 + rs)$
8. *Not factorable by Grouping*
9.  $(3x^2 + 5)(x - 5)$
10.  $(x^2 + 1)(2x + 3)$
11.  $(x^2 - 1)(x + 1)$
12.  $(x - 12)(x + 7)$
13.  $(x - 3)(x + 2)$
14.  $(x - 7)(x + 5)$
15.  $(x - 9)(x - 6)$
16.  $(x - 9)(x - 9)$  or  $(x - 9)^2$
17.  $(x - 11)(x + 3)$
18.  $(5x - 6)(2x + 1)$
19.  $(2x - 1)(4x + 3)$
20.  $(5x + 1)(x + 3)$
21.  $(2m + 3)(m + 4)$
22.  $(2x + 5)(x - 5)$
23.  $(3x + 2y)(2x + 7y)$
24.  $(2s - 5)(s - 8)$
25.  $2(4x - 1)(2x + 3)$
26.  $(5x + y)(x - 3y)$
27.  $(y - 4)(7y - 2)$
28. In class.
29. In class.


## Section 5-4 Factoring: Special Cases

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3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$	Trinomials, where $a = 1$
4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$ <i>ac - method</i>	Trinomials, where $a \neq 1$
5: Special Cases	Binomials & Perfect Squares

**2-Terms, Difference of Squares**

Squares	Squares of numbers to recognize:
	$1^2 = 1$ $8^2 = 64$ $2^2 = 4$ $9^2 = 81$ $3^2 = 9$ $10^2 = 100$ $4^2 = 16$ $11^2 = 121$ $5^2 = 25$ $12^2 = 144$ $6^2 = 36$ $13^2 = 169$ $7^2 = 49$ $14^2 = 196$
Difference means subtraction.	<p><b>Example 1:</b> Factor</p> $25x^2 - 16$ $25x^2 = (5x)^2 \quad 16 = 4^2$ $(5x + 4)(5x - 4)$ <p><b>Example 2:</b> Factor</p> $49x^2 - 9$ $49x^2 = (7x)^2 \quad 9 = 3^2$ $(7x + 3)(7x - 3)$
$A^2 - B^2 =$ $(A + B)(A - B)$	

<p>Difference of squares:</p> $A^2 - B^2 = (A + B)(A - B)$	<p><b>Example 3:</b> Factor</p> $121x^2 - 36y^2$ $121x^2 = (11x)^2 \quad 36y^2 = (6y)^2$ $(11x + 6y)(11x - 6y)$ <p><b>Example 4:</b> Factor</p> $4x^2 - 81y^2$ $4x^2 = (2x)^2 \quad 81y^2 = (9y)^2$ $(2x + 9y)(2x - 9y)$ <p><b>Example 5:</b> Factor</p> $100t^2 - 1$ $100t^2 = (10t)^2 \quad 1 = (1)^2$ $(10t + 1)(10t - 1)$ <p><b>Example 6:</b> Factor</p> $y^4 - 1$ $y^4 = (y^2)^2 \quad 1 = (1)^2$ $(y^2 + 1)(y^2 - 1)$ <p style="text-align: right;">   another difference of squares         </p> <p><b>Answer:</b> <math>(y^2 + 1)(y + 1)(y - 1)</math></p>
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### Sum of Squares is Prime

<p>Sum means addition.</p> $A^2 + B^2 \text{ is prime.}$ <p>(cannot be factored)</p> <p>Why? Look at the possibilities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <math>(A + B)(A - B) = A^2 - B^2</math></li> <li>• <math>(A + B)(A + B) = A^2 + 2AB + B^2</math></li> <li>• <math>(A - B)(A - B) = A^2 - 2AB + B^2</math></li> </ul> <p>None work.</p>	<p><b>Example 7:</b> Factor</p> $x^2 + 9$ <p>Prime.</p> <p><b>Example 8:</b> Factor</p> $25x^2 + 64$ <p>Prime.</p> <p><b>Example 9:</b> Factor</p> $36x^2 + 49$ <p>Prime.</p>
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## Perfect square trinomial

Identify a perfect square

<u>POLYNOMIAL</u>	Checklist to recognize a <b>Perfect Square Trinomial.</b>				<u>Perfect Square Trinomials</u>
	Tri-nomial	Ends = Perfect Squares	Middle term = $2AB$	Last term is positive	
$16y^2 + 24y + 9$	✓	✓	✓	✓	YES
$16y^2 + 25y + 9$	✓	✓	NO	✓	NO
$4x^2 + 12x + 9$	✓	✓	✓	✓	YES
$4x^2 + 12x - 9$	✓	✓	✓	NO	NO
$x^2 - 20x + 100$	✓	✓	✓	✓	YES
$x^2 + 20x - 100$	✓	✓	✓	NO	NO
$x^2 + 25x + 100$	✓	✓	NO	✓	NO
$x^2 + 20x + 96$	✓	NO	NO	✓	NO

**Factor a perfect square**

$$A^2 + 2AB + B^2 = (A + B)(A + B) = (A + B)^2$$

**Note:** If you find a trinomial isn't a perfect square, try Method 3 or 4 to see if it will factor another way.

**Example 10:** Factor

$$16x^2 + 88x + 121$$

$$16x^2 = (4x)^2 \quad 121 = (11)^2 \quad 88 = 2(4)(11)$$

$$(4x + 11)^2$$

**Example 11:** Factor

$$25x^2 - 90x + 81$$

$$25x^2 = (5x)^2 \quad 81 = (-9)^2 \quad -90 = 2(5)(-9)$$

$$(5x - 9)^2$$

**Example 12:** Factor

$$9x^2 - 42x + 49$$

$$9x^2 = (3x)^2 \quad 49 = (-7)^2 \quad -42 = 2(3)(-7)$$

$$(3x - 7)^2$$

## Section 5-4 Exercises

Factor the following by pulling out the greatest common factor if possible.

5-1

1.  $8x^6 - 48x^3 + 64x^4$

2.  $3j^2kb^3 - 2j^3k^5b^2 + 5j^3k^2b - 7j^3k^3b^3$

Factor the following by grouping if possible.

5-1

3.  $12k^3b + 15kb + 8k^2 + 10$

4.  $84m^3n^2 + 35m^2n^2 - 12m - 5$

Factor the following using the  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a = 1$  method.

5-2

5.  $x^2 - 2x - 63$

6.  $x^2 + 20x + 75$

Factor the following using the  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 1$  method.

5-3

7.  $12x^2 + 7x - 10$

8.  $-14x^2 + 17x + 6$

Story problem.

9. An alien spaceship has traveled  $10x^2 + 19x - 15$  miles from their home planet. Their speed and time can both be represented by binomials. Find two suitable binomials that will represent them. (Recall that  $d = rt$ , and you have been given distance.)



Determine if the following are differences of squares, then factor. If unfactorable, explain why.

5-4

10.  $x^2 - 36$

11.  $16y^4 + 9$

12.  $4x^2 - 9$

13.  $54x^2 - 24$

14.  $-25 + 4y^2$

15.  $25g^8 - 81$

16.  $27 - 3m^2$

17.  $y^5 + 4y$

18.  $2x^2 - 1$

19.  $16x^2 - 49$

Determine if the following are perfect square trinomials. If they are, factor using method 5. If they are not or you are unsure, use method 3 or 4.

20.  $x^2 + 10x + 25$

22.  $3x^2 + 5x - 2$

24.  $9y^4 - 66y^2 + 121$

26.  $4x^2 - 16x + 16$

21.  $4x^2 - 12x + 9$

23.  $6x^2 - 84x + 294$

25.  $2m^2 + 16m + 32$

27.  $4x^2 + 30x - 100$

**Preparation:** The following polynomials have been factored already. Determine if they are completely factored. If not, finish factoring the polynomials.

28.  $4(x^2 - 6x + 9)$

30.  $3(m - 8)^2$

29.  $(x^2 + 4)(x^2 - 4)$

31.  $7(100y^4 - 16)$



**Section 5-4 Answers**

1.  $8x^3(x^3 + 8x - 6)$
2.  $j^2kb(3b^2 - 2jk^4b + 5jk - 7jk^2b^2)$
3.  $(3kb + 2)(4k^2 + 5)$
4.  $(7m^2n^2 - 1)(12m + 5)$
5.  $(x - 9)(x + 7)$
6.  $(x + 5)(x + 15)$
7.  $(3x - 2)(4x + 5)$
8.  $(-2x + 3)(7x + 2)$  or  $(-7x - 2)(2x - 3)$  or  $-(2x - 3)(7x + 2)$
9. rate:  $(2x + 5)$  time:  $(5x - 3)$  or  
rate:  $(5x - 3)$  time:  $(2x + 5)$
10.  $(x + 6)(x - 6)$
11. Prime. (It is prime because a *sum* of squares is not factorable.)
12.  $(2x + 3)(2x - 3)$
13.  $6(3x + 2)(3x - 2)$
14.  $(2y + 5)(2y - 5)$
15.  $(5g^4 + 9)(5g^4 - 9)$
16.  $3(3 + m)(3 - m)$
17.  $y(y^4 + 4)$
18. Prime. (It is prime because 2 is not a perfect square.)
19.  $(4x + 7)(4x - 7)$
20.  $(x + 5)^2$
21.  $(2x - 3)^2$
22.  $(x + 2)(3x - 1)$
23.  $6(x - 7)^2$
24.  $(3y^2 - 11)^2$
25.  $2(m + 4)^2$
26.  $4(x - 2)^2$
27.  $2(2x - 5)(x + 10)$
28. In class.
29. In class.
30. In class.
31. In class.

## Section 5-5 Factoring (All together)

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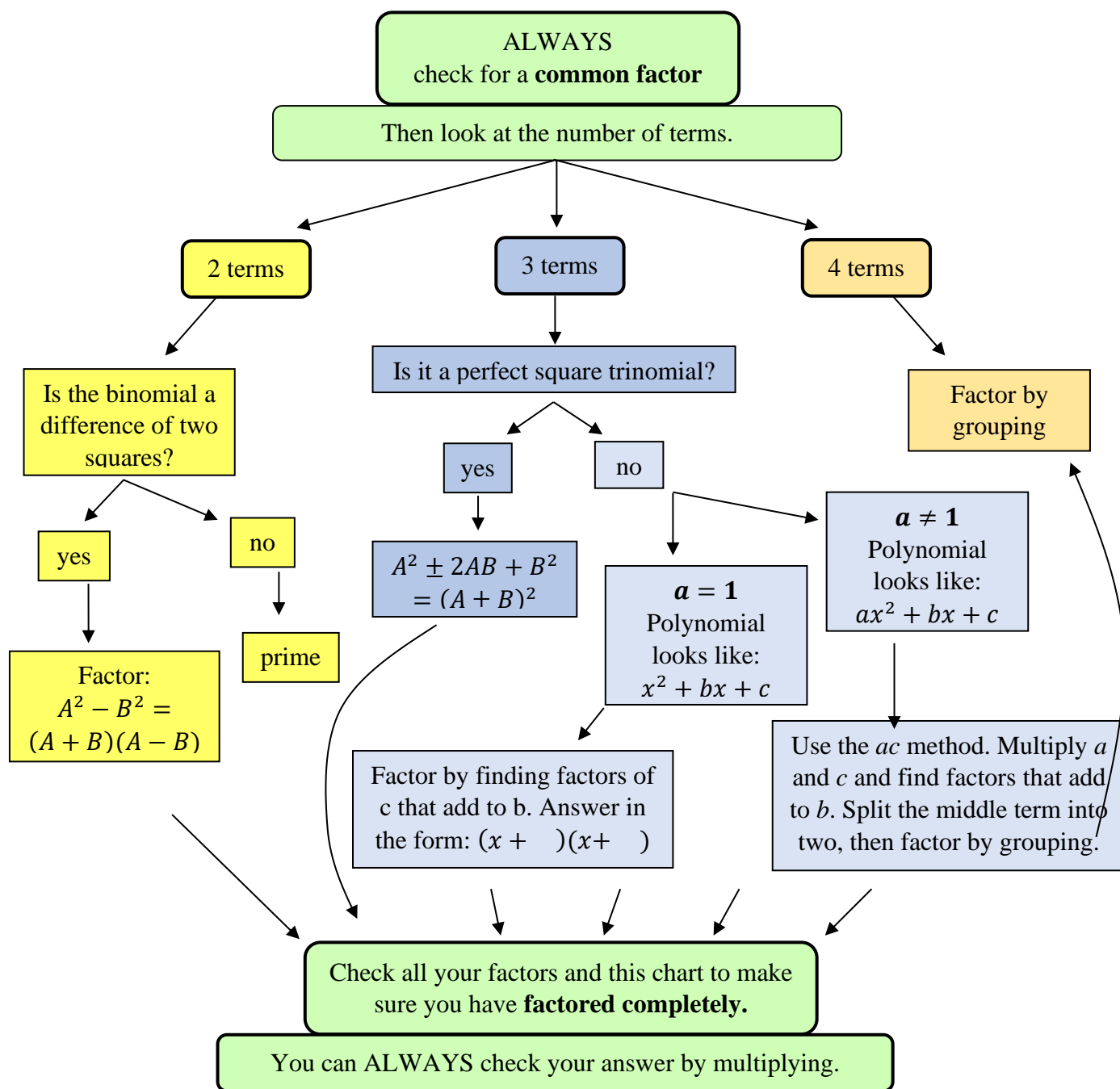
## REVIEW FROM SECTION 5-1: WHEN TO TRY EACH METHOD:

<b>Polynomial</b>	<b>Factoring Methods Possible</b>
$y^3 + 4y^2 + 2y + 8$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 2: Grouping
$x^2 + 6x + 9$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$
$16x^2 - 16x + 4$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$
$54x^3 - 6x$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 5: Special Cases (because it's a binomial)
$x^2 - 5x + 6$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 3: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a = 1$
$2c^3 + 8c^2 - 6c - 12$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 2: Grouping
$36a^2 - 25$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 5: Special Cases (because it's a binomial)
$35x^3 + 42x^2 - 14x - 77xy - 14y + 7$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor (only method because it has 6 terms)
$6y^2 + 25y + 25$	Method 1: Pull out Greatest Common Factor Method 4: $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where $a \neq 1$

Notice that you may be using a couple of different methods on each problem.

We have learned several methods of factoring, and each method is used in different circumstances. If you are unsure what to do when factoring a polynomial, this chart will be helpful.

### Steps to Factoring Polynomials



## Factoring All Together

**Example 1:** Factor:  $2x^2 + 36x + 154$

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|--|--|
| Check for a common factor.                               | • $2(x^2 + 18x + 77)$  |
| How many terms?  | • Three terms  |
| Is it a perfect square trinomial?                        | • Not a perfect square trinomial   |
| What is the first coefficient? ( $a = 1$ or $a \neq 1$ ) | • $a = 1$ , polynomial looks like $x^2 + bx + c$ .   |
| Factor – find factors of $c$ that add to $b$ .           | • $c = 77 = \mathbf{11} \times \mathbf{7}$ ; $b = 18 = \mathbf{11} + \mathbf{7}$<br>Factored form: $(x + 11)(x + 7)$ |
| Check – can any of the factors be factored?              | • No, all factors are now prime.   |

**Answer:**  $2(x + 11)(x + 7)$

**Example 2:** Factor:  $36y^2 - 36y + 9$

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| Check for a common factor.                            | • $9(4y^2 - 4y + 1)$  |
| How many terms?                                       | • Three terms   |
| Is it a perfect square trinomial?                     | • Yes, it follows the form $A^2 + 2AB + B^2$<br>where $A = 2y$ and $B = -1$ |
| Factor knowing that $A^2 \pm 2AB + B^2 = (A + B)^2$ . | • $9(2y - 1)^2$   |
| Check – can any of the factors be factored?           | • The factors are 9 and $(2y - 1)$ .<br>• $(2y - 1)$ is prime.              |

**Answer:**  $9(2y - 1)^2$

**Example 3:** Factor:  $36x^3 + 72x^2 - x - 2$

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| Check for a common factor.   | • Nope  |
| How many terms?  | • Four terms – Grouping<br>$36x^3 + 72x^2 - x - 2$<br>$36x^2(x + 2) - 1(x + 2)$<br>$(36x^2 - 1)(x + 2)$ |
| Look harder. Is there more that can be done?<br>Yes. The first binomial is a difference of squares | • $(36x^2 - 1)(x + 2)$  |
| Factor knowing that $A^2 - B^2 = (A + B)(A - B)$ .   | • $(36x^2 - 1)(x + 2)$<br>• $(6x + 1)(6x - 1)(x + 2)$   |
| Check – can any of the factors be factored?  | • Nope. We are now done   |

**Answer:**  $(6x + 1)(6x - 1)(x + 2)$

## Section 5-5 Exercises

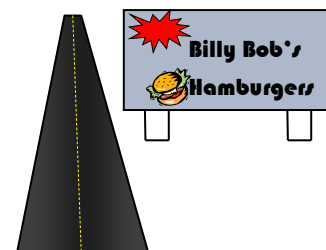
Factor the following. If non-factorable label as prime.

5-5

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|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1. $1 - y^2$                      | 2. $2x^2 - 8x + 8$              |
| 3. $13x + 2 + 18x^2$              | 4. $81 + x^4$                   |
| 5. $-2s^2 + 21s - 40$             | 6. $6x^2 + 25xy + 14y^2$        |
| 7. $-5x + 2x^4 + 2x^2 - 5x^3$     | 8. $x^2 - y^2$                  |
| 9. $16b^2 - 9b$                   | 10. $4x^2 + 30x - 100$          |
| 11. $28x^2 + 65x + 28$            | 12. $4a^5 + 16$                 |
| 13. $x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 12$        | 14. $r^3 + r^2 - 4r - 4$        |
| 15. $2x^3y + 4x^2y - 30xy$        | 16. $16z^3 + 48z^2 + 36z + 108$ |
| 17. $4x^5 + 12x^4 - 4x^3 + 12x^2$ | 18. $3x^2 + 5x - 17$            |
| 19. $x^8 - 81$                    | 20. $12x^3y - 27xy^3$           |
| 21. $x^2 - 3x - 18$               | 22. $y^8 - k^{12}$              |
| 23. $16a^2 + 40a + 25$            | 24. $z^4 + 8z^2 + 16$           |
| 25. $2\pi r^2 - 2\pi$             | 26. $9x^2 + 3x$                 |
| 27. $4b^2 + 256$                  | 28. $18x^3 + 54x^2 + 6x + 18$   |

### Story Problems.

29. A billboard along the side of I-15 has an area represented by the polynomial  $9y^8 - 100$ . Find 2 binomials that represent the length and width of billboard. Recall that  $Area = (length) \times (width)$ .



30. A telephone booth with a square bottom has a volume of  $175x^3 + 140x^2 + 28x$ . Its height is represented by a monomial and its length and width by binomials. Find a monomial and two binomials that will represent these three dimensions.



### Preparation:

31. Solve the following equations for the variable:

a.  $x^2 = 4$

b.  $25 - y^2 = 0$

**Section 5-5 Answers**

1.  $(1 + y)(1 - y)$
2.  $2(x - 2)^2$
3.  $(2x + 1)(9x + 2)$
4. Prime
5.  $(-2s + 5)(s - 8)$  or  $(2s - 5)(-s + 8)$
6.  $(3x + 2y)(2x + 7y)$
7.  $x(x^2 + 1)(2x - 5)$
8.  $(x + y)(x - y)$
9.  $b(16b - 9)$
10.  $2(2x - 5)(x + 10)$
11.  $(4x + 7)(7x + 4)$
12.  $4(a^5 + 4)$
13.  $(x + 2)(x - 2)(x + 3)$
14.  $(r - 2)(r + 2)(r + 1)$
15.  $2xy(x - 3)(x + 5)$
16.  $4(4z^2 + 9)(z + 3)$
17.  $4x^2(x^3 + 3x^2 - x + 3)$
18. Prime
19.  $(x^4 + 9)(x^2 + 3)(x^2 - 3)$
20.  $3xy(2x - 3y)(2x + 3y)$
21.  $(x + 3)(x - 6)$
22.  $(y^4 + k^6)(y^2 + k^3)(y^2 - k^3)$
23.  $(4a + 5)^2$
24.  $(z^2 + 4)^2$
25.  $2\pi(r + 1)(r - 1)$
26.  $3x(3x + 1)$
27.  $4(b^2 + 64)$
28.  $6(3x^2 + 1)(x + 3)$
29. *side 1:*  $3y^4 + 10$   
*side 2:*  $3y^4 - 10$
30. *height:*  $7x$   
*base length:*  $5x + 2$   
*base width:*  $5x + 2$
31. In class.

## Section 5-6 Solving Polynomial Equations

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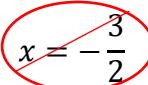
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Polynomial  
Equations

### Polynomial Equations

Main Topics	Examples								
<p>Multiplication with 0</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Easiest multiplication ever</li> <li>If the answer is 0, then one of the factors has to be 0.</li> </ul>	$5 \cdot 0 = 0 \quad 73 \cdot 0 = 0 \quad 0 \cdot (-371) = 0 \quad 0 \cdot x = 0$  $3x = 0 \quad 57y = 0 \quad 97(m - 7) = 0$  $x = 0 \quad y = 0 \quad m - 7 = 0$ $m = 7$  $(x - 3)(2x + 5)(x + 7)(3x - 11) = 0$  $x - 3 = 0 \quad 2x + 5 = 0 \quad x + 7 = 0 \quad 3x - 11 = 0$  $x = 3 \quad x = -\frac{5}{2} \quad x = -7 \quad x = \frac{11}{3}$								
<p>Factor to Solve</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Get = 0.</li> <li>Factor.</li> <li>Set each factor = 0.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 1:</b></p> $2x^2 - 10x = 0$ $2x(x - 5) = 0$ $2x = 0 \quad x - 5 = 0$ $x = 0 \quad x = 5$  <p><b>Example 2:</b></p> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">-18</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">18</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> <td style="text-align: center;">-9</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">6</td> </tr> </table> $x^2 - 7x = 18$  $x^2 - 7x - 18 = 0$  $(x - 9)(x + 2) = 0$	-18		1	18	2	-9	3	6
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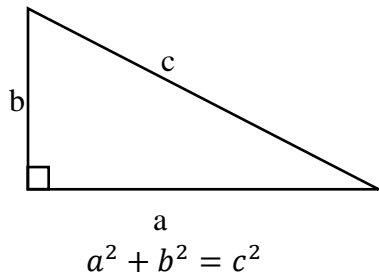
## Word Problems

<b>Main Topics</b>	<b>Examples</b>
<p><b>Formulas</b></p> <p>Plug in the given data.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Get = 0.</li> <li>2. Factor.</li> <li>3. Set each factor = 0.</li> </ol>	<p><b>Example 6:</b> The profit of a small company when they make <math>x</math> thingamabobs is <math>P = 2x^2 - 17x</math>. How many will they need to make to get a profit of \$30?</p> $30 = 2x^2 - 17x$ $0 = 2x^2 - 17x - 30$ $0 = 2x^2 - 20x + 3x - 30$ $0 = 2x(x - 10) + 3(x - 10)$ $0 = (2x + 3)(x - 10)$ <div style="text-align: center;">  <math>x = -\frac{3}{2}</math> </div> $x = 10$



**Shapes** – Use the formulas from section R-4 or in the appendix.

Pythagorean Theorem:



**Answer: They must make 10 to have a profit of \$30.**

**Example 7:** A box has a height of 3 in. Its length is two inches longer than its width. If it has a total surface area of  $222 \text{ in}^2$ , what are the dimensions?

$$h = 3 \quad l = w + 2$$

$$SA = 2hl + 2lw + 2hw$$

$$222 = 2 \cdot 3(w + 2) + 2(w + 2)w + 2 \cdot 3w$$

$$222 = 6w + 12 + 2w^2 + 4w + 6w$$

$$0 = 2w^2 + 16w - 210$$

$$0 = 2(w^2 + 8w - 105)$$

$$0 = 2(w + 15)(w - 7)$$

$$w = -15 \quad w = 7$$

**Answer: The dimensions are 3 in, 7 in, and 9 in.**

**Example 8:** Jessie is mowing her back yard that is in the shape of a right triangle. The shortest side is 7 meters shorter than the second side, and the hypotenuse is 13 meters long. What are the lengths of the sides?

$$b = a - 7 \quad c = 13$$

$$a^2 + (a - 7)^2 = 13^2$$

$$a^2 + a^2 - 14a + 49 = 169$$

$$2a^2 - 14a - 120 = 0$$

$$2(a^2 - 7a - 60) = 0$$

$$2(a - 12)(a + 5) = 0$$

$$a - 12 = 0 \quad a + 5 = 0$$

$$a = 12 \quad a = -5$$

$$b = a - 7 = 5$$

	-60
1	60
2	30
3	20
4	15
5	-12
6	10

**Answer: The sides are 12 m, 5 m, and 13 m.**

## Section 5-6 Exercises

Factor the following.

5-5

1.  $4x^2 + 36x$

2.  $r^2 - 64$

3.  $x^2 + 4x + 4$

4.  $5x^2 - 4x - 1$

5.  $x^2 - 25$

6.  $x^3 + 5x^2 - 9x - 45$

7.  $-6 + 16a^2 + 20a$

8.  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x$

9.  $2x^3 + x^2 - 98x - 49$

10.  $x^2 + 16x + 63$

11.  $25x^2 - 100x + 100$

12.  $x^2 + 8x - 48$

The following are identical to the previous twelve problems, except that they are now equations. Now that you have factored them, solve for the variable.

5-6

13.  $4x^2 + 36x = 0$

14.  $r^2 - 64 = 0$

15.  $x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$

16.  $5x^2 - 4x - 1 = 0$

17.  $x^2 - 25 = 0$

18.  $x^3 + 5x^2 - 9x - 45 = 0$

19.  $-6 + 16x^2 + 20x = 0$

20.  $x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x = 0$

21.  $2x^3 + x^2 - 98x - 49 = 0$

22.  $x^2 + 16x + 63 = 0$

23.  $25x^2 - 100x + 100 = 0$

24.  $x^2 + 8x - 48 = 0$

Factor the following and solve for the variable.

25.  $4x^2 + 16x + 16 = 0$

26.  $x^2 = 9$

27.  $x^2 - 14x + 14 = -35$

28.  $y^2 + 16 = 0$

29.  $3x^2 - 36 = 3x$

30.  $x^2 - 169 = 0$

31.  $4x^2 + 36x - 15 = 25$

32.  $x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$

33.  $100x^2 + 80x + 16 = 0$

34.  $x^2 - 4 = 0$

35.  $6x^2 = -36x - 54$

36.  $x^2 - x - 20 = 0$

Story Problems.

37. The energy of an object is dependent on its mass and can be described by the following equation:  $E = 2m^2 - 12m$ , where  $E$  stands for energy and  $m$  stands for mass. If the energy of the object is 14 units, what is the mass of the object?

38. The area of a window is  $192 \text{ in}^2$ . The width of the window is four inches more than half the length of the window. What are the dimensions of the window?

- 39.** A cone has a surface area of  $36\pi \text{ cm}^2$  and a slant height of 9 cm. What is the radius of the cone? (See section 2.2 for formulas)
- 40.** Jefferson's back yard is in the shape of a right triangle. One leg of the triangle is seven feet longer than the other, with a hypotenuse of 17 feet. What are the lengths of the two legs?
- 41.** Carl is building a right triangle hot tub that has a leg ten feet more than twice the other leg. The hypotenuse is 25 feet. What are the lengths of the two legs?

**Section 5-6 Answers**

1.  $4x(x + 9)$
2.  $(r + 8)(r - 8)$
3.  $(x + 2)^2$
4.  $(5x + 1)(x - 1)$
5.  $(x + 5)(x - 5)$
6.  $(x + 5)(x - 3)(x + 3)$
7.  $2(4a - 1)(2a + 3)$
8.  $x(x - 2)(x - 1)$
9.  $(2x + 1)(x - 7)(x + 7)$
10.  $(x + 9)(x + 7)$
11.  $25(x - 2)^2$
12.  $(x + 12)(x - 4)$
13.  $x = -9, 0$
14.  $r = -8, 8$
15.  $x = -2$
16.  $x = -\frac{1}{5}, 1$
17.  $x = -5, 5$
18.  $x = -5, -3, 3$
19.  $a = -\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{4}$
20.  $x = 0, 1, 2$
21.  $x = -7, -\frac{1}{2}, 7$
22.  $x = -9, -7$
23.  $x = 2$
24.  $x = -12, 4$
25.  $x = -2$
26.  $x = -3, 3$
27.  $x = 7$
28. *No solution*
29.  $x = -3, 4$
30.  $x = -13, 13$
31.  $x = -10, 1$
32.  $x = -3, -2, 2$
33.  $x = -2/5$
34.  $x = -2, 2$
35.  $x = -3$
36.  $x = -4, 5$
37.  $m = 7$
38.  $l = 16$  in,  $w = 12$  in
39.  $r = 3$  cm
40. 8 feet, 15 feet
41. 7 feet, 24 feet

## Chapter 5 Review Exercises

1. Create a visual chart of all of the methods, formulas, and examples from studying how to factor polynomials.

Identify the greatest common factor between the terms.

5-1

2. 112, 148, 246    3.  $3j^2, 5j^2aj^3, 4j^3y$     4.  $12m^4n^2p^4, 24m^3n^3p^4, 30m^3n^2p^5$

Factor the following by grouping.

5.  $6x^3 + 10x^2 + 3x + 5$

6.  $21x^3 - 14x^2 - 12x + 8$

7.  $5ax^3 + 20a^2x^2 + 3x + 12a$

8.  $28x + 7x^3 + 4 + x^2$

Factor the following using method 3 or method 4.

5-2,3

9.  $2x^2 + 3x + 1$

10.  $3x^2 - 12x - 63$

11.  $2x^2 + 32x + 96$

12.  $14x^2 + 29x - 15$

13.  $-4x^2 - 24x + 108$

14.  $7x^2 - 35x + 42$

Factor the following using method 5.

5-4

15.  $-x^2 + 64$

16.  $x^2 + 2x + 1$

17.  $49x^2 - 28x + 4$

18.  $x^4y^2 - 9z^2$

19.  $-16x^2 - 4$

20.  $8y^2 + 72y + 162$

Factor the following.

5-5

21.  $18x^2 + 24x + 8$

22.  $x^2 + 7x - 18$

23.  $-18x^3 + 15x^2 + 24x - 20$

24.  $-20x^2 - 19x - 3$

25.  $-3a^2xy + 3b^2xy$

26.  $x^2 - 15x + 56$

27.  $x^2 - 23x + 132$

28.  $x^2 - 4x - 45$

29.  $14x^3 + 16x^2 + 35x + 40$

30.  $-4x^2 + 52x - 168$

31.  $24m^3 - 6m^2n - 63mn^2$

32.  $49x^2 - 121$

33.  $35x^4y^2 + 42x^4y + 15x^3y^2 + 18x^3y$

34.  $4x^2 - 36xy + 81y^2$

**Solve for the variable by factoring.**

5-6

35.  $x^2 - 13x + 22 = -20$

36.  $-6x^2 - 11x + 10 = 0$

37.  $-5x^3 - 10x^2 = 5x$

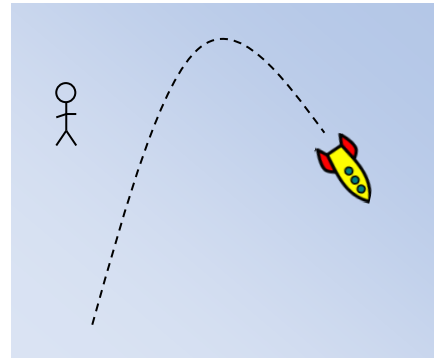
38.  $4x^3 + 16x^2 - x - 4 = 0$

39.  $100 - x^2 = -21$

40.  $4x^3 + 4x^2 - 25x = 25$

**Story Problems.**

41. Henry stands on a platform and shoots a rocket in his 10<sup>th</sup> grade science class. He found that the motion of the rocket can be described by the equation  $y = 60 + 28x - x^2$ , where  $y$  is the vertical distance and  $x$  is the horizontal distance traveled. If this trajectory equation were to be graphed, find **the x-intercepts** of the equation. (Fun fact: The positive x-intercept is how far away from the platform the rocket hits the ground!)



42. A triangle has an area of 14 square inches. The height of the triangle is three inches more than the base. What are the base and height of the triangle?

43. Jill has a small treasure box that is 6 inches long. It can hold a volume of 72 inches cubed, and the width of the box is 5 inches less than twice the height of the box. What are the dimensions of the box?

44. Jessie is mowing her back yard that is in the shape of a right triangle. The shortest side is 7 meters shorter than the second side, and the hypotenuse is 13 meters long. What are the lengths of the two sides?

### Chapter 5 Review Answers

1. This is your last one; make it good
2. 2
3.  $j^2$
4.  $6m^3n^2p^4$
5.  $(2x^2 + 1)(3x + 5)$
6.  $(7x^2 - 4)(3x - 2)$
7.  $(5ax^2 + 3)(x + 4a)$
8.  $(x^2 + 4)(7x + 1)$
9.  $(x + 1)(2x + 1)$
10.  $3(x - 7)(x + 3)$
11.  $2(x + 4)(x + 12)$
12.  $(2x + 5)(7x - 3)$
13.  $-4(x - 3)(x + 9)$  or equivalent
14.  $7(x - 3)(x - 2)$
15.  $(8 + x)(8 - x)$
16.  $(x + 1)^2$
17.  $(7x - 2)^2$
18.  $(x^2y + 3z)(x^2y - 3z)$
19.  $-4(4x^2 + 1)$ , not a special case
20.  $2(2y + 9)^2$
21.  $2(3x + 2)^2$
22.  $(x + 9)(x - 2)$
23.  $(-3x^2 + 4)(6x - 5)$
24.  $-1(5x + 1)(4x + 3)$  or equivalent
25.  $-3xy(a + b)(a - b)$  or equivalent
26.  $(x - 7)(x - 8)$
27.  $(x - 11)(x - 12)$
28.  $(x - 9)(x + 5)$
29.  $(2x^2 + 5)(7x + 8)$
30.  $-4(x - 7)(x - 6)$
31.  $3m(4m - 7n)(2m + 3n)$
32.  $(7x - 11)(7x + 11)$
33.  $x^3y(7x + 3)(5y + 6)$
34.  $(2x - 9y)^2$
35.  $x = 6, 7$
36.  $x = -\frac{5}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$
37.  $x = -1, 0$
38.  $x = -4, -\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}$
39.  $x = -11, 11$
40.  $x = -\frac{5}{2}, -1, \frac{5}{2}$
41.  $(-2, 0), (30, 0)$
42. base = 4 inches, height = 7 inches
43. height = 4 inches, width = 3 inches
44. 5 meters, 12 meters

## Beginning Algebra Final Review Exercises

Find the prime factorization for each number.

Ch. R/1

1. 27

2. 360

Find the lowest common multiple for each set of numbers.

3. 72, 16

4. 12, 15, 30

Evaluate.

5.  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$  when  $r = 4$  in.,  $h = 3$  in.

6.  $3x^2 - 12x - 6$ , when  $x = -2$

7.  $\left| -\frac{12}{4} \right|$

8.  $-\frac{4}{18} - \left( -\frac{2}{9} \right)$

Simplify.

9.  $2[3(y + 2) - 2(4y - 5)] - 14$

10.  $\frac{20(8-3)-4|3-10|}{-10(-2)^2-2(5+2)}$

Solve.

Ch. 2

11.  $2 - 5(x + 5) = 3(x - 2) - 1$

12.  $\frac{5}{3} + \frac{2}{3}x = 6$

13.  $-5x + 7 = 5x - 10(x + 1)$

14.  $6x - 10 \leq 7x + 5$

15. 2 is what percent of 40?

16. Solve for  $c$  in  $x = \frac{a+b+c}{3}$

17. Selene wants to buy a paddleboard for \$468. The tax will be 8%. How much will she pay total?

18. The interior angles of a certain triangle have the following relationship: the second angle is three times the first angle and the third angle is  $15^\circ$  less than the first angle. Find the measure of all three angles.

Graph the following linear equations.

Ch. 3

19.  $y = 2x - 4$

20.  $6x - 2y = 18$

21.  $2x + 6 = 14$

22.  $y = -2.5$

Write the equations of the lines with the following characteristics.

23.  $m = -1$ , goes through  $(-2, 5)$

24. Goes through  $(2, 1)$  and  $(4, 0)$



Write the following numbers in Scientific Notation.

Ch. 4

25. 678,100,000

26. 0.000036

Simplify.

27.  $3^{-8} \cdot 3^7$

28.  $\left(\frac{2a^2}{3b^4}\right)^{-2}$

29.  $\left(\frac{4x^4y}{8x^{-3}yz^2}\right)^3$

30.  $\frac{g^4m^3}{a^{-2}gm^7}$

Evaluate.

31. Evaluate  $3x^3 - x^2 - x + 9$  when  $x = -2$ .

Multiply.

32.  $(6x - 2y)(5x^2 - 3y)$

33.  $(5x^3 - 7x)^2$

34.  $(t + 3)(t^2 - 3t - 4)$

35.  $(2h + 3)(2h - 3)$

Divide.

36.  $(18x^6 - 27x^5 - 3x^3) \div (9x^3)$

Factor Completely.

Ch. 5

37.  $x^6 - x^5 - 30x^4$

38.  $m^2 + 5m + mt + 5t$

39.  $16x^8 - 81$

40.  $12a^2 + 84ab + 147b^2$

Solve.

41.  $3x^2 + 8x = 9 + 2x$

42. The height of a sail on a sailboat is 3 feet greater than the length of its "foot" (the base of the sail). The hypotenuse of the triangle formed by the sail is 15 feet long. Find the height of the sail and the length of its foot.

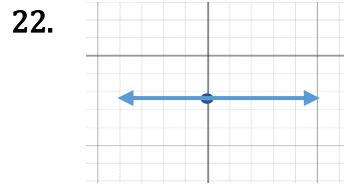
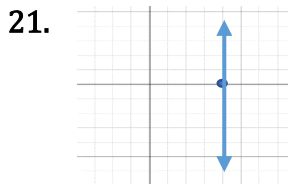
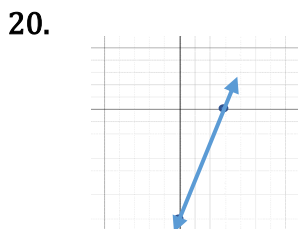
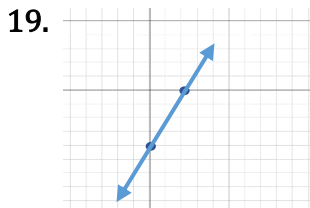
43. A rectangular picture is three times as long as it is wide. The area of the picture is 588 in.<sup>2</sup> Find the dimensions of the picture.

44. The product of two consecutive integers is 55 more than their sum. Find the integers. (Hint: There will be two sets of integers in the answer – negative integers and positive integers.)

45. What are the x-intercepts of the graph of  $y = x^2 + x - 12$ ?

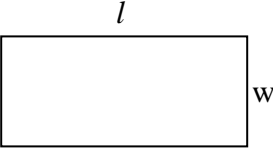
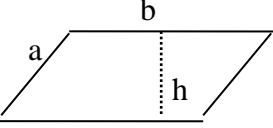
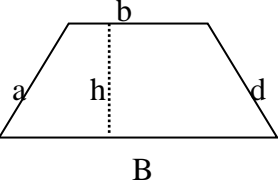
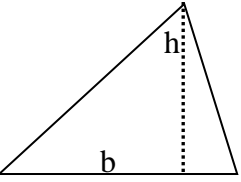
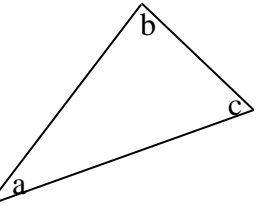
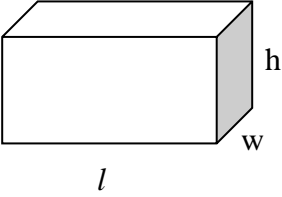
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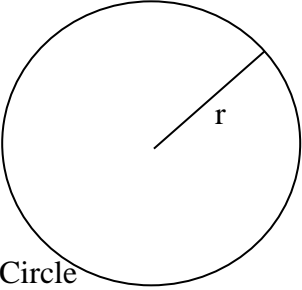
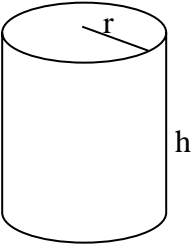
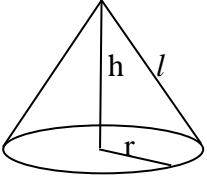
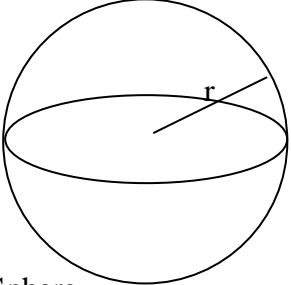
1.  $27=3^3$
2.  $360 = 2^3 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5$
3. 144
4. 60
5.  $50.27 \text{ in}^3$ .
6. 30
7. 3
8. 0
9.  $-10y + 18$
10.  $-\frac{4}{3}$
11.  $x = -2$
12.  $x = \frac{13}{2}$  or 6.5
13. No Solution
14.  $x \geq -15$
15. 5%
16.  $c = 3x - a - b$
17. \$505.44
18. 1st: 39, 2nd: 117, 3rd: 24



23.  $y = -x + 3$
24.  $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 2$
25.  $6.781 \times 10^8$
26.  $3.6 \times 10^{-5}$
27.  $\frac{1}{3}$
28.  $\frac{9b^8}{4a^4}$
29.  $\frac{x^{21}}{8z^6}$
30.  $\frac{g^3a^2}{m^4}$
31. -17
32.  $30x^3 - 18xy - 10x^2y + 6y^2$
33.  $25x^6 - 70x^4 + 49x^2$
34.  $t^3 - 13t - 12$
35.  $4h^2 - 9$
36.  $2x^3 - 3x^2 - \frac{1}{3}$
37.  $x^4(x - 6)(x + 5)$
38.  $(m + 5)(m + t)$
39.  $(2x^2 - 3)(2x^2 + 3)(4x^4 + 9)$
40.  $3(2a + 7b)^2$
41.  $x = -3, 1$
42. foot = 9 ft., height = 12 ft.
43. width = 14 in., length = 42 in.
44. Negative integers: -7, -6  
Positive integers: 8, 9
45. (-4, 0) and (3, 0)

## Shape Formulas

 <p>Rectangle</p>	$P = 2l + 2w$ $A = lw$	<p><b>P</b> is the Perimeter  <b>l</b> is the length  <b>w</b> is the width  <b>A</b> is the Area</p>
 <p>Parallelogram</p>	$P = 2a + 2b$ $A = bh$	<p><b>P</b> is the Perimeter  <b>a</b> is a side length  <b>b</b> is the other side length  <b>A</b> is the Area</p>
 <p>Trapezoid</p>	$P = b + a + B + d$ $A = \frac{1}{2}h(B + b)$	<p><b>P</b> is Perimeter  <b>b</b> is the little base  <b>B</b> is the Big base  <b>a</b> is a leg  <b>d</b> is a leg  <b>A</b> is the Area</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$P = s_1 + s_2 + s_3$ $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$	<p><b>P</b> is the Perimeter  <b>S<sub>1</sub></b> is the 1st side, etc  <b>A</b> is the Area</p>
 <p>Triangle</p>	$a + b + c = 180$	<p><b>a</b> is one angle  <b>b</b> is another angle  <b>c</b> is another angle</p>
 <p>Rectangular Solid</p>	$SA = 2lw + 2wh + 2lh$ $V = lwh$	<p><b>l</b> is the length  <b>h</b> is the height  <b>w</b> is the width  <b>SA</b> is the Surface Area  <b>V</b> is Volume</p>

 <p>Circle</p>	$C = 2\pi r$ $A = \pi r^2$	<p><b>C</b> is the Circumference or Perimeter</p> <p><math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159... it has a button on your calculator</p> <p><b>r</b> is the radius of the circle</p> <p><b>A</b> is the area inside the circle</p>
 <p>Cylinder</p>	$LSA = 2\pi r h$ $SA = 2\pi r h + 2\pi r^2$ $V = \pi r^2 h$	<p><b>LSA</b> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides</p> <p><b>h</b> is the height</p> <p><b>SA</b> is total Surface Area</p> <p><math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159... it has a button on your calculator</p> <p><b>r</b> is the radius of the circle</p> <p><b>V</b> is Volume</p>
 <p>Cone</p>	$LSA = \pi r l$ $SA = \pi r^2 + \pi r l$ $V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$	<p><b>h</b> is the height</p> <p><b>r</b> is the radius of the circle</p> <p><b>l</b> is the slant height</p> <p><math>\pi</math> is a number, about 3.14159... it has a button on your calculator</p> <p><b>SA</b> is total Surface Area</p> <p><b>LSA</b> is Lateral Surface Area = Area just on the sides</p> <p><b>V</b> is the Volume</p>
 <p>Sphere</p>	$SA = 4\pi r^2$ $V = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$	<p><b>r</b> is the radius</p> <p><b>SA</b> is the Surface Area</p> <p><b>V</b> is the Volume</p>