

Practice Test #2

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1) Simplify the following using scientific notation:

$$(8.76 \times 10^9)(6.52 \times 10^{-3})/13.27 \times 10^5$$

- 4.3×10^1
- 0.43×10^1
- 43×10^{-1}
- 43.06×10^{-2}

2) Simplify the following using scientific notation:

$$(83.9 \times 10^{12})(2.87 \times 10^{-3})/3.76 \times 10^2$$

- 0.6404×10^{-1}
- 6.404×10^{18}
- 64.04×10^{-1}
- 6.404069148×10^8

3) Sort the following fractions in ascending order:

$$7/8, 9/10, 16/20$$

- $9/10, 7/8, 16/20$
- $7/8, 9/10, 16/20$
- $16/20, 7/8, 9/10$
- $7/8, 16/20, 9/10$

4) Divide these fractions and choose the correct answer from the options listed below.

$$2^{1/3} / 7^{3/8} \text{ (this is 2 and one third divided by 7 and three eighths)}$$

- $65/177$
- $56/177$
- $177/56$
- $177/65$

5) An investor invests \$2,500 into a mutual fund and earns 5.75% on the principle for each of three years. How much interest has accrued at the end of the period?

- \$413.25
- \$4,132.50
- \$431.25
- \$571.00

6) Use order of operations to solve for the following:

$$3(4-7)^2 + 10/5$$

- 29
- 83
- 18.2
- 6
- 5

7) Disregard this problem.

8) Solve for n.

$$n + 28 = -84$$

- 56
- 56
- 112
- 112

9) Solve using the substitution method.

$$y = 3x - 2$$
$$3x + 4y = 22$$

- $x=3$
 $y=5$
- $x=5$
 $y=3$
- $x=2$
 $y=4$
- $x=4$
 $y=2$

10) If a class has 10 men and 14 women, what is the ratio of men to the class?

- 10:14
- 14:10
- 14:24
- 10:24

11) If rope costs \$3.20 per yard, or \$0.15 per inch, which is the better deal?

NOTE: 1 yard equals 3 feet equals 36 inches

- 15 cents per inch
- \$3.20 per yard

- Both are the same.
- Information provided is not enough to determine an answer.

12) Which of the following ratio pairs forms a proportion?

- $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{15}{26}$
- $\frac{17}{20} = \frac{51}{60}$
- $\frac{3}{8} = \frac{65}{160}$
- $\frac{4}{7} = \frac{12}{28}$

13) The line connecting points (3,-6) and (-9,2) has slope:

- $-\frac{2}{3}$
- $\frac{2}{3}$
- $-\frac{8}{10}$
- $\frac{8}{12}$

14) A line with the coordinates (7,y) and (-2,-4) has slope $\frac{3}{4}$. What is the value of y?

- 2.75
- 6
- 6
- 2.75

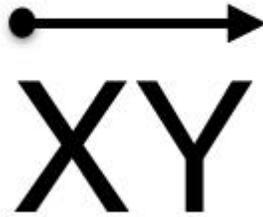
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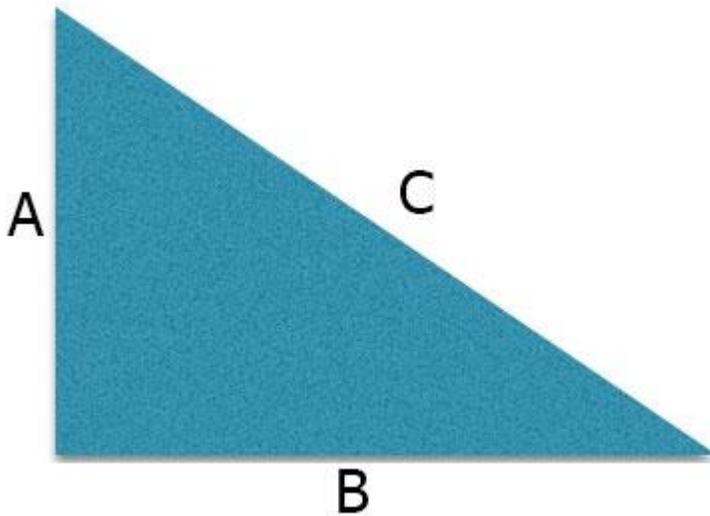
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Solve for b:

$$\begin{aligned} a &= 14 \\ b &= ? \\ c &= 50 \end{aligned}$$

- b=44
- b=50
- b=48
- b=-48

18) Two supplementary angles have measures of $9x$ degrees and $3x$ degrees. What is the measure of the longer angle?

- 180 degrees
- 45 degrees
- 135 degrees
- 15 degrees

19) Determine the coordinates for the midpoint of a segment with the following endpoints: $(12, -8)$ and $(8, -4)$.

- $(-10, 6)$
- $(6, -10)$
- $(-6, -10)$
- $(10, -6)$

20) A triangle has an area of 110 square inches and a base of 15 inches. Which answer best pinpoints the height?

- 14 inches
- 18 inches

- 18.66 inches
- 14.66 inches

21) A great circle of a sphere lies on its surface and contains its center. What is the circumference of a great circle of a sphere that has a surface area that measures 1,476 square centimeters?

NOTE: π (or Pi) equals 3.14.

- Approximately 68.1
- 74.5
- 86.1
- 54.7

22) What is the mean of this data set?

8, 47, 13, 17, 26, 32

- 23.83
- 23.79
- 23.62
- 24

23) What is the median of this data set?

17, 42, 53, 97, 102, 82

- 76.5
- 53
- 67.5
- 42

24) There are three books sold in different quantities. A \$10 book sells six copies. A \$5 book sells five copies. A \$2 book sells three copies. What is the median price of the

book?

- \$6.50
- \$6.20
- \$5.00
- \$5.25

25) Identify mode for the following data:

2, 2, 2, 2, 7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 9, 9, 9, 11, 11, 13, 12, 9, 9, 9, 2, 7, 7, 7

- 2
- 7
- 11
- 9

26) Solve using the substitution method:

NOTE: Round long decimals to the nearest one hundredth.

$$y = 3x - 87$$
$$3x + 2y = 21$$

- $x = -21.67$
 $y = 21.99$
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 $y = -21.67$

27) If the product of 6 and an integer, n , is increased by 13, the result is -14. What is the value of n ?

- 4.5
- 4.5
- 162
- 148

28) Solve for the positive value of c.

$$9c^2 - 11 = 718$$

- 6
- 9
- 11
- 4

29) Solve for x:

$$-5x - 5 > 15$$

- $x > -4$
- $x < -4$
- $x = -4$
- $x = -4$

30) Solve for x:

$$-2(5 - 3x) = 12 - 3(5 - x)$$

- $\frac{7}{6}$
- $-\frac{7}{6}$
- $\frac{7}{3}$
- $-\frac{7}{3}$