Math 126: Introductory Quiz

Write neat, concise, and accurate solutions to each of the problems. No electronic devices are allowed.

1. Evaluate 64.4×2.25 .

2. Express 400/17 as a decimal, correct to the nearest hundredth.

3. Express $3 \cdot \frac{20 \cdot 21 \cdot 41}{6} + 4 \cdot \frac{20 \cdot 21}{2} - 4 \cdot 20$ as an integer.

4. Find the sum $\frac{7}{6} + \frac{4}{5}$.

5. 120 is 80% of what number?

6. List the numbers 274, 0.4389×274 , and $274 \div 0.8722$ in increasing order.

7. Find the perimeter and area of a rectangle that has a length of $18\frac{2}{3}$ feet and a width of 7.5 feet.

8. Let $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 - \frac{5}{2}x^2 + 4x$. Compute f(4) - f(1).

9. Express $\frac{4}{x+1} + \frac{3}{2x-5}$ as a single fraction.

10. Give the values of $\sin(\pi/3)$, $\cos(\pi/2)$, and $\tan(\pi/4)$.

11. Use the technique of completing the square to find the vertex of the parabola $y = x^2 - 6x + 20$.

12. Find all values of x that satisfy the equation $x^3 = 13x$.

13. Find all values of x that satisfy the equation $x^2 - 4x = 11$.

14. Find all values of x that satisfy the equation $\sqrt{x^2 - 9} = 4$.

15. Find the quotient when $x^3 - 4x^2 + 7x - 6$ is divided by x - 2.

16. Evaluate $\lim_{x \to \infty} \frac{x^3 - 4x + 7}{8 + 5x^2 - 3x^3}$.

17. Find f'(x) if $f(x) = xe^{2x^2}$.

18. Find g'(x) if $g(x) = \ln(x^2 + 3x + 5)$.

19. Find F'(2) for the function $F(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 - 1}$.

20. Answer true or false for each of the statements.

a.
$$(a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

b.
$$x^{-2} = \sqrt{x}$$

c.
$$\sqrt{y^2} = y$$

d.
$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = x + y$$

e.
$$\frac{a^2+b}{ac} = \frac{a+b}{c}$$

$$f. \ \frac{x-y}{z} = \frac{x}{z} - \frac{y}{z}$$

21. Sketch a graph of each of the four functions whose equations are given.



