

Algebra 2 Hustle Solutions

15	12	$x^3 - 7x + 6$	-1, 4	4
26	2π	-1, 1	$\sqrt{5}$	12
3	$2a^2$	$\frac{4}{7}$	0	50
$\frac{x}{1-x}$	21	2	$\frac{38}{3}$	12
6	$(-\infty, 3) \cup (5, \infty)$	-1	2001001	$-\frac{39}{17}$

1. $f(x - 1)$ shifts the roots to the right 1 unit so your new roots are 3 and 5 which makes their product 15.

$$2. \sqrt{2x} = 4 \rightarrow x = 8 \Rightarrow \sqrt{2x} + x = 4 + 8 = 12$$

$$3. f(x + 2) = (x + 2)^3 - 6(x + 2)^2 + 5(x + 2) + 12 = x^3 - 7x + 6$$

$$4. x^2 - 3x + 2 - 6 = 0 \rightarrow x^2 - 3x - 4 = 0 \text{ Factoring, } (x - 4)(x + 1) = 0 \rightarrow x = 4, -1$$

5. The sum of the roots is zero because the roots are opposites of each other.

$$\text{Therefore, } \frac{-2R+8}{6} = 0 \rightarrow R = 4$$

$$6. pq = 9, p^2 + q^2 = 8 \rightarrow p^2 + 2pq + q^2 = 26$$

7. $y = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$ is a semi-circle of radius 2 around the origin. Hence, the area is $\frac{2^2\pi}{2} = 2\pi$

8. $\log x^2 = 0$ to get the x-intercept of the original. The domain of f is all nonzero reals and the x intercepts are 1 and -1. The y-intercepts of the inverse, which is not a function are 1 and -1.

$$9. \left(a + \frac{1}{a}\right)^2 = 9 \rightarrow a^2 + \frac{1}{a^2} = 7. \text{ So, } \left(a - \frac{1}{a}\right)^2 = a^2 - \frac{1}{a^2} - 2 = 7 - 2 = 5. \text{ Thus, } \left|a - \frac{1}{a}\right| = \sqrt{5}.$$

$$10. 2(x + 2)(x + 5) - 4(Ax + B) + C(x^2 + x - 2) = (5x + 14)(x - 1) \\ 2x^2 + 14x + 20 - 4Ax - 4B + Cx^2 + Cx - 2C = 5x^2 + 9x - 14.$$

Matching up corresponding parts, $A = 2, B = 7,$ and $C = 3.$ Therefore the sum is 12.

11. The equation has two vertical asymptotes at $x = 8$ and $x = -3,$ and a horizontal asymptote at $y = 0.$ Thus, 3 asymptotes.

12. The graph is a square with a side length of $a\sqrt{2}.$ Hence, the area is $2a^2.$

13. Infinite geometric series. First term is 1, common ratio is $-\frac{3}{4}.$ Hence, the sum is $\frac{1}{1+\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{4}{7}.$

$$14. -8 + 12m^2 - 2m + 4 = 0 \rightarrow 12m^2 - 2m - 4 = 0 \rightarrow 6m^2 - m - 2 = 0$$

$$(3m - 2)(2m + 1) = 0 \rightarrow m = \frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{2}$$

15. In total, they are moving towards each other at 60 feet per minute. This covers a 3000 foot distance in $\frac{3000}{60} = 50$ minutes

16. Switch the roles of the variables to obtain $x = \frac{y}{y+1} \rightarrow xy + x = y$. Solving for y , $xy - y = -x \rightarrow y = \frac{x}{1-x}$

17.
$$\begin{aligned} x + y - z &= 7 \\ x + y + z &= 5 \end{aligned} \rightarrow x + y = 6, \text{ then } z = -1. \text{ Substituting back into the}$$

$$(x - y)^3 + (y - z)^3 = (x - z)^3$$

 system we find that $x = 7$ and $y = -1$. Therefore, $3x + y - z = 21$.

18. $3(x + 1)^2 + 3\left(y - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = \frac{107}{12} + \frac{36}{12} + \frac{1}{12} \rightarrow (x + 1)^2 + \left(y - \frac{1}{3}\right)^2 = 4$. Therefore the radius is 2.

19. If $x + 5 = 2x - 7 \rightarrow x = 12$. If $-x - 5 = 2x - 7 \rightarrow x = \frac{2}{3}$. Hence, $12 + \frac{2}{3} = 12\frac{2}{3}$ or $\frac{38}{3}$.

20. Completing the square yields $\frac{(y-3)^2}{9} - \frac{(x+5)^2}{36} = 1$. The conjugate axis has length $2b$, where $b = \sqrt{36} = 6$. Hence, it has length 12.

21. Using log properties, we obtain $(x - 2)(2x - 3) = x^2$. Expanding, $2x^2 - 7x + 6 = x^2$, so $x^2 - 7x + 6 = 0$. Factoring, $(x - 6)(x - 1) = 0 \rightarrow x \in \{1, 6\}$. But, 1 is extraneous, as the argument of a log cannot be negative therefore the answer is 6.

22. The factor 2^x does not affect the domain. The domain of $\log(x^2 - 8x + 15)$ is $x \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $x^2 - 8x + 15 > 0$. Factoring, $(x - 3)(x - 5) = 0 \rightarrow x = 3, 5$. Checking intervals, when $x > 5$, this product is positive, as is when $x < 3$. The interval between results in a negative product. Hence, the domain is $(-\infty, 3) \cup (5, \infty)$.

23. Adding both equations together, we have $a^2 - 8a + b^2 + 10b = -41$. Completing the square for both variables yields $a^2 - 8a + 16 + b^2 + 10b + 25 = 0$, or $(a - 4)^2 + (b + 5)^2 = 0$. For the sum to be 0, both terms must be 0. Hence, $a = 4, b = -5$, and $a + b = -1$.

24. Using Remainder Theorem, we evaluate $f(-1)$. Doing so results in $f(-1) = (1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + \dots + 2000) + 1$. Hence, the remainder is $\frac{2000 \cdot 2001}{2} + 1 = 2001001$.

$$25. x = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 6 & 9 \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} -1 & -2 \\ -4 & 9 \end{vmatrix}} = -\frac{39}{17}$$