

# March Regional Algebra II Team Test

## Question # 1

Given:  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 \\ 4 & -5 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 0 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 4 \\ 3 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -5 & 2 \\ 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$D = \det \begin{pmatrix} -5 & 4 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Find:  $\det(A + B + DC)$

## Question # 2

Let

A = the sum of the first 10 prime numbers

B = the sum of the first 4 triangular numbers

C = the product of the first 6 Fibonacci numbers

D = the sum of the first 8 positive odd integers

Find the simplified value of the expression

$$\frac{B+C}{A-D}$$

## Question # 3

At the FAMAT state convention a relay team consists of a geometry seat, an algebra II seat, a precalculus seat, and a calculus seat. An algebra II student can be in any seat. A precalculus student can only be in the precalculus or the calculus seat. A calculus student can only be in the calculus seat. If a school brings 4 algebra II, 4 precalculus, and 4 calculus students to the convention, how many different relay teams can they form? (Note: a team is different if it does not have the same person in each seat.)

## Question # 4

Let A, B, and C be, respectively, the solution sets for equations I, II, and III below.

If  $X = A \cup B \cup C$ , find the product of all elements in set X.

I:  $|3x + 2| = 4x + 5$

II:  $\frac{x}{x-3} + \frac{1}{x+1} = \frac{12}{x^2 - 2x - 3}$

III:  $x - \sqrt{10 - 3x} = 2$

## Question # 5

Given:  $f(x) = |x|$   $g(x) = \log_{10} x$

$$h(x) = x^2 - 4$$

$$A = \text{domain of } f(g(h(x)))$$

$$B = \text{range of } f(g(h(x)))$$

Find:  $A \cap B$

## Question # 6

Given:

$$A = \text{constant term in } \left(x^2 + \frac{2}{x}\right)^9$$

$$B = \text{sum of coefficients in } (x + y)^6$$

Find:  $\frac{A}{B}$

## Question # 7

At the awards ceremony today, you and exactly 3 other students from your school are among 15 students that get called up to receive Algebra II individual awards.

Given:

A = number of ways awards can be given out to the 15 individuals

B = number of ways awards can be given out if you receive 1<sup>st</sup> place

C = number of ways awards can be given out if the top 4 individuals are from your school

D = number of ways awards can be given out if the top 2 individuals are from your school

Find:  $\frac{AD}{BC}$

## Question # 8

Find the sum of the integers in the solution of the system:

$$x^2 - 4x < -2$$

$$\log_{10} \left( \frac{x-2}{2} \right) \leq 0.$$

## Question # 9

What is the area in the x-y plane of the solution to the system:

$$-3x + 11y < 30$$

$$|x - 5| - 1 < y$$

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## Question # 10

Given:  $f(x) = (\log_2 x)^3$        $g(x) = 4^{\frac{x-3}{2}}$

$$A = f(32) \quad B = f^{-1}(27)$$

$$C = g(-4) \quad D = g^{-1}(8)$$

Find:  $\frac{AD}{BC}$

## Question # 11

The  $n$ th term of a real sequence is denoted by  $a_n$ .

Given:  $a_1 = 2$        $a_4 = 16$

$A = a_{10}$  if the sequence is arithmetic

$B = a_{10}$  if the sequence is geometric

$$C = \sum_{n=1}^{10} a_n \text{ if the sequence is arithmetic}$$

$$D = \sum_{n=1}^{10} a_n \text{ if the sequence is geometric}$$

Find:  $A + B + C + D$

## Question # 12

Find:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{790} i^n$$

## Question # 13

Given:  $f(x) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{1+x}}{\frac{1}{1+x}}$

If  $A = \sum_{x=1}^{40} f(x)$  and  $B =$  the  $x$ -intercept of  $f(x)$ ,

Find the value of  $A(B + 3)$

## Question # 14

Find: 
$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & i & i^2 & i^3 \\ i^4 & i^5 & i^6 & i^7 \\ i^8 & i^9 & i^{10} & i^{11} \\ i^{12} & i^{13} & i^{14} & i^{15} \end{vmatrix}$$

## Question # 15

Planets follow elliptical paths where the center of the star they orbit is at a focus of the ellipse.

$A =$  minimum distance from the star to the planet if the planet's orbit has a semimajor axis of 10

$B =$  maximum distance from the star to the planet in  $A$

$C =$   $x$ -coordinate of the star if the paths of two planets that orbit the same star in the same plane are described by

$$9x^2 + 25y^2 - 18x - 200y + 184 = 0 \text{ and}$$

$$25x^2 + 9y^2 - 250x + 400 = 0$$

Find:  $A + B + C$