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Questions on SPUR Objectives  
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SKILLS Objective A

In 1-3, an equation of the form  $f(x) = k$  is given. a. Identify the function  $f$  and find an equation for its inverse  $f^{-1}$ . b. Solve the equation by applying  $f^{-1}$  to both sides.

1.  $3^x = 2187$   
 $f(x) = 3^x; f^{-1}(x) = \log_3 x$   
 $x = 7$

2.  $\sqrt[3]{x+2} = 1$   
 $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x+2}; f^{-1}(x) = x^3 - 2$   
 $x = -1$

3.  $x^3 - 6 = 21$   
 $f(x) = x^3 - 6; f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x+6}$   
 $x = 3$

PROPERTIES Objective D

In 4 and 5, equations for two functions are given. Show that the functions are inverses.

4.  $f(x) = 2^x + 1, g(x) = \log_2(x-1)$   
 $f(g(x)) = f(\log_2(x-1)) = 2^{\log_2(x-1)} + 1 = x - 1 + 1 = x; g(f(x)) = g(2^x + 1) = \log_2(2^x + 1 - 1) = x$

5.  $p(x) = -4x + 12, q(x) = \frac{x+12}{-4}$   
 $p(q(x)) = p(\frac{x+12}{-4}) = -4(\frac{x+12}{-4}) + 12 = x - 12 + 12 = x; q(p(x)) = q(-4x + 12) = \frac{-4x + 12}{-4} = \frac{4x}{4} = x$

6. Suppose  $(p, b)$  is on the graph of the function  $h$ . Name a point on the graph of  $h^{-1}$ .  $(b, p)$

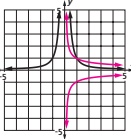
7. Over what domain is the inverse of the absolute value function also a function?  
**Answers vary. Sample: the set of negative real numbers**

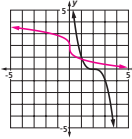
USES Objective J

8. Suppose a bookstore is having a sale where every fifth book you buy is free. Let  $p$  be the function mapping the number of books you buy onto your final cost. Is the inverse of  $p$  a function? Explain your answer. **No; Answers vary. Sample: Four books and five books cost the same amount, so the inverse maps that cost onto more than one number**

REPRESENTATIONS Objective L

In 9 and 10, a function is graphed. Sketch a graph of its inverse and tell if it is a function.

9.  **no**

10.  **yes**

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SKILLS Objective A

1. Fill in the missing steps to solve  $\sqrt{2x+5} = 2x+3$ , and tell whether each step is reversible.

Step

$2x+5$

$2x+5, 12x$

$4x^2+10x+4$

$2x+1; 2x+4$

$x = -\frac{1}{2}; x = -2$

Reversible?

**no**

**yes**

**yes**

**yes**

**yes**

Check:  $\sqrt{2(-\frac{1}{2})+5} = 2(-\frac{1}{2})+3$ , so  $-\frac{1}{2}$  is a solution.  
 $\sqrt{2(-2)+5} \neq 2(-2)+3$ , so  $-2$  is not a solution.

In 2 and 3, find all real solutions to the equation.

2.  $\frac{1}{2x+4} = \frac{1}{x^2-2x-8}$   
 $x = 6$

3.  $\log_5 x^2 = \log_5(x+2)$   
 $x = -1$  and  $x = 2$

PROPERTIES Objective F

4. True or False.

a. Multiplying both sides of an equation by an expression is always reversible. **False**

b. Multiplying both sides of an equation by a constant is always reversible. **False (cannot multiply by 0)**

USES Objective I

5. The center pole of a tent is placed on a 4-foot tall pedestal and held up by three ropes that run from the top of the pole to points on the ground that are 6 feet from the base of the pole. Each rope is 1.5 times as long as the pole. Find the height of the pole by solving  $1.5h = \sqrt{6^2 + (h+4)^2}$  for  $h$ .  
 $h = 10.4; 10.4 \text{ ft}$

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SKILLS Objective D

In 1-6, find exact solutions to the equation using chunking, factoring, or both.

1.  $x^3 = 0$  or  $x = -4$  or  $x = 1$

2.  $(2y-4)(y^2-1)(3y^2-y) = 0$   
 $y = 2$  or  $y = 1$  or  $y = -1$  or  $y = 0$  or  $y = \frac{1}{3}$

3.  $\sin a + 2 = (\sin a + 2)^2 - 6$   
 $a = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k, \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}$

4.  $e^{2x} - 4e^{2x} + 4e^x = 0$   
 $z = \ln 2$

5.  $\log_4(p^2) + 5 = (\log_4 p)^2 - 5$   
 $p = 1024$  or  $p = \frac{1}{16}$

6.  $2 \cos^2 t = -13 \sin t - 5$   
 $t = \frac{7\pi}{6} + 2\pi k$  or  $t = -\frac{\pi}{6} + 2\pi k, \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}$

USES Objective I

7. You are running the marathon and currently in second place. The leader is 200 ft from the finish line and running at a constant rate of 14 ft/sec. You are 320 ft from the finish line and running at 13.5 ft/sec, but start accelerating at a rate of 0.5 ft/sec<sup>2</sup>.

a. Write expressions for  $\ell(t)$  and  $d(t)$ , the leader's distance and your distance from the finish line, respectively, after  $t$  seconds.  
 $\ell(t) = 200 - 14t; d(t) = 320 - (13.5t + 0.5t^2)$

b. Solve the equation  $d(t) - \ell(t) = 0$  and explain what the answer means in context.  
 $t = -15$  or  $t = 16$ ; We are the same distance from the finish line after 16 seconds.

c. Did you win the marathon? Explain. **No; When  $t = 16$ ,  $d(t) = \ell(t) = -24$ , so I catch up after we pass the finish line.**

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REPRESENTATIONS Objective M

In 1-5, give an equation for the graph of  $y = 2x^2 - 3$  under the given transformation.

1.  $T_{-1,4}: y-4 = 2(x+1)^2-3$

2.  $S_{\frac{1}{3},3}: y = 2(\frac{x}{3})^2-3$

3.  $S_{\frac{1}{2},-2}: y-4 = 2(4x)^2-3$

4.  $T_{2.5,5}: y-5 = 2(x-2.5)^2-3$

5.  $T: (x,y) \rightarrow (x-1, 15y+4): y-4 = 2(x+1)^2-3$

6. At the right is the graph of  $y = g(x)$ . On the same axes, sketch the graph of

a.  $y = g(x-1) + 4$

b.  $\frac{y}{2} = g(\frac{x}{3})$

7. Explain how the zeros of the given function can be estimated from the graph of  $q(x) = x^4 + 9x + 2$ .

a.  $p$  with  $p(x) = (x+17)^4 + 9(x+17) + 2$   
**subtract 17 from the zeros of  $q$  (which can be estimated from the graph) estimate the zeros of  $q$  from the graph and divide by 2**

b.  $h$  with equation  $h(x) = 16x^4 + 18x + 2$   
**estimate the zeros of  $q$  from the graph, subtract 17, and divide by 2**

c.  $m: x \rightarrow (2x+17)^4 + 9(2x+17) + 2$   
**estimate the zeros of  $q$  from the graph, subtract 17, and divide by 2**

8. At the right is the graph of the function  $f$ , where  $f(x) = \sin(x^2) + \ln(2x) - \frac{1}{3}x$ . **Answers vary.**

a. Use the graph to estimate three zeros of  $f$ . **Samples: 0.5, 24.5, and 26**

b. Use your answer to Part a to estimate three zeros of  $h: x \rightarrow \sin(3x-4)^2 + \ln(2(3x-4)) - \frac{1}{3}(3x-4)$ . **1.5, 9.5, and 10**

9. Explain how the graph of  $y = 3(x+3)^2$  is related to the graph of the squaring function. **The graph of  $y = 3(x+3)^2$  is the graph of the squaring function shifted three units left and stretched vertically by a factor of 3.**

10. Explain how the graph of  $y = \frac{2}{3}|2x|$  is related to the graph of the absolute value function. **The graph of  $y = \frac{2}{3}|2x|$  is the graph of the absolute value function stretched vertically by a factor of  $\frac{2}{3}$  and shrunk horizontally by a factor of  $\frac{1}{2}$ .**

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