

Practice for Semester 1 Exam - Quadratics & Functions Date_____ Period_____

Solve each equation.

1) $x^2 + x = 6$

2) $-7x^2 = 504$

Find the discriminant of each quadratic equation then state the number and type of solutions.

3) $8n^2 + 8n + 6 = 4$

4) $-9k^2 - 6k - 19 = -10$

Solve each equation.

5) $6m^2 - 3m = 14$

6) $6n^2 = 2n + 7$

7) $5r^2 = -1 - 4r$

8) $2x^2 + 3 = -2x$

Perform the indicated operation.

9) $f(n) = 3n$
 $g(n) = n^3 + 2$
Find $(f + g)(n)$

10) $g(t) = 4t - 1$
 $h(t) = t^2 + 2t$
Find $(g - h)(t)$

Find the inverse of each function.

11) $f(x) = \frac{x - 5}{3}$

12) $f(x) = -4x + 4$

Determine if the given functions are inverses, use the composition of the two functions.

13) $g(x) = -x + 4$
 $f(x) = -x + 4$

14) $g(x) = -\frac{5}{3}x + 5$
 $f(x) = 4x - 5$

Answers to Practice for Semester 1 Exam - Quadratics & Functions

- 1) $\{-3, 2\}$
- 2) $\{6i\sqrt{2}, -6i\sqrt{2}\}$
- 3) 0; one real solution
- 4) -288; two imaginary solutions
- 5) $\left\{\frac{3 + \sqrt{345}}{12}, \frac{3 - \sqrt{345}}{12}\right\}$
- 6) $\left\{\frac{1 + \sqrt{43}}{6}, \frac{1 - \sqrt{43}}{6}\right\}$
- 7) $\left\{\frac{-2 + i}{5}, \frac{-2 - i}{5}\right\}$
- 8) $\left\{\frac{-1 + i\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{-1 - i\sqrt{5}}{2}\right\}$
- 9) $n^3 + 3n + 2$
- 10) $-t^2 + 2t - 1$
- 11) $f^{-1}(x) = 3x + 5$
- 12) $f^{-1}(x) = -\frac{1}{4}x + 1$
- 13) Yes
- 14) No