

Use synthetic division to find the quotient.

1.  $\frac{x^4 - 5x^3 + 7x^2 - 8x + 1}{x - 2}$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrr} 2 & 1 & -5 & 7 & -8 & 1 \\ & \downarrow & 2 & -6 & 2 & -12 \\ \hline & 1 & -3 & 1 & -6 & -11 \end{array}$$

$$x^3 - 3x^2 + x - 6 + \frac{-11}{x-2}$$

2.  $\frac{3x^3 - 2x + 1}{x + 3}$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} -3 & 3 & 0 & -2 & 1 \\ & \downarrow & -9 & 27 & -75 \\ \hline & 3 & -9 & 25 & -74 \end{array}$$

$$3x^2 - 9x + 25 + \frac{-74}{x+3}$$

Use long division to find the quotient.

3.  $5x^3 - 7x^2 + 2x - 4 \div x^2 - 1$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 0x - 1 \overline{) 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 2x - 4} \\ \underline{-5x^3 + 0x^2 + 5x} \phantom{-4} \\ -7x^2 + 7x - 4 \\ \underline{+7x^2 - 0x + 7} \\ 7x - 11 \end{array}$$

$$5x - 7 + \frac{7x - 11}{x^2 - 1}$$

5. Use Pascal's Triangle to expand:  $(2x - 3y)^4$

$$\begin{aligned} & 1(2x)^4 \\ & - 4(2x)^3(3y) \\ & + 6(2x)^2(3y)^2 \\ & - 4(2x)(3y)^3 \\ & + (3y)^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$16x^4 - 48x^3y + 72x^2y^2 - 36xy^3 + 81y^4$$

4.  $3x^4 + 8x^3 - 2x^2 - x + 3 \div 3x + 2$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^3 + 2x^2 - 2x + 1 \\ 3x + 2 \overline{) 3x^4 + 8x^3 - 2x^2 - x + 3} \\ \underline{-3x^4 + 2x^3} \phantom{-x + 3} \\ 6x^3 - 2x^2 - x + 3 \\ \underline{-6x^3 + 4x^2} \phantom{-x + 3} \\ -6x^2 - x + 3 \\ \underline{+6x^2 + 4x} \phantom{+ 3} \\ -3x + 3 \\ \underline{-3x + 2} \\ 1 \end{array}$$

$$x^3 + 2x^2 - 2x + 1 + \frac{1}{3x + 2}$$

$$\frac{+7x^2 - 0x + 7}{7x - 11}$$

$$\frac{-6x^3 + 4x^2}{-6x^2 + 6x^2}$$

$$\boxed{5x - 7 + \frac{7x - 11}{x^2 - 1}}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 1(2x)^4 \\ - 4(2x)^3(3y) \\ 6(2x)^2(3y)^2 \\ - 4(2x)(3y)^3 \\ 1(3y)^4 \end{array} = \boxed{16x^4 - 96x^3y + 216x^2y^2 - 216xy^3 + 81y^4}$$

$$\boxed{x^3}$$

6. Use Pascal's Triangle to expand:  $(8 - x)^3$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1(8)^3 \\ - 3(8)^2(x) \\ 3(8)(x)^2 \\ - 1(x)^3 \end{array} = \boxed{512 - 192x + 24x^2 - x^3}$$

7. Find the coefficient of  $a^3b^4$  in the expansion of  $(4a + b)^7$ .

$${}^7C_4 \quad \underline{35} (4a)^3 b^4 = 2240 a^3 b^4 \quad \textcircled{2240}$$

8. Consider the expansion of  $(x + 3)^{10}$ .

(a) Write down the number of terms in this expansion.  $\textcircled{11}$

(b) Find the term containing  $x^2$ .

$${}^{10}C_8 \quad \underline{45} (x)^2 (3)^8 = \textcircled{295245 x^2}$$

9. Find the coefficient of  $x^4$  in the expansion of  $(2 - x)^6$ .

$${}^6C_4 \quad \underline{15} (2)^2 (x)^4 \quad 60x^4 \quad \textcircled{60}$$

10. Find the coefficient of  $x^5$  in the expansion of  $(3x - 2)^8$ .

$${}^8C_3 \quad -\underline{56} (3x)^5 (2)^3 = -108864 x^5 \quad \textcircled{-108864}$$

11. Determine the constant term in the expansion of  $\left(\frac{2}{x^2} + x\right)^9$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^9 \\ & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^8 (x) \\ & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^7 (x)^2 \\ & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^6 (x)^3 \\ & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^5 (x)^4 \\ & \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^4 (x)^5 \end{aligned}$$

$${}^9C_6 \quad \underline{84} \left(\frac{2}{x^2}\right)^3 (x)^6 = 84 \left(\frac{8}{x^6}\right) x^6 = \underline{672}$$

12. Find the coefficient of  $a^8 b^4$  in the expansion of  $(a+b)^{12}$ .

$${}^{12}C_4 \quad \underline{495} (a)^8 (b)^4 = \underline{495}$$

13. Find the term containing  $x^{10}$  in the expansion of  $(5 + 2x^2)^7$ .

$${}^7C_5 \quad \underline{21} (5)^2 (2x^2)^5 = \underline{16800 x^{10}}$$

14. Given that  $(2 - \sqrt{5})^3 = p + q\sqrt{5}$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are integers, find

(a)  $p = 38$   
(b)  $q = -17$

$$\begin{aligned} & 1(2)^3 \\ & - 3(2)^2(\sqrt{5}) \\ & 3(2)(\sqrt{5})^2 = 8 - 12\sqrt{5} + 30 - 5\sqrt{5} \\ & - 1(\sqrt{5})^3 = 38 - 17\sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

15. (a) Expand  $(e + \frac{2}{e})^4$  in terms of e.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 (e)^4 \\ 4 (e)^3 (\frac{2}{e}) \\ 6 (e)^2 (\frac{2}{e})^2 \\ 4 (e) (\frac{2}{e})^3 \\ 1 (\frac{2}{e})^4 \end{array} = e^4 + 8e^2 + 24 + \frac{32}{e^2} + \frac{16}{e^4}$$

(b) Express  $(e + \frac{2}{e})^4 + (e - \frac{2}{e})^4$  as the sum of three terms.

$$e^4 + \cancel{8e^2} + 24 + \frac{\cancel{32}}{e^2} + \frac{16}{e^4} + e^4 - \cancel{8e^2} + 24 - \frac{\cancel{32}}{e^2} + \frac{16}{e^4}$$

$$2e^4 + 48 + \frac{32}{e^4}$$

16. (a) Expand  $(x - 3)^4$  and simplify your result.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 (x)^4 \\ -4 (x)^3 (3) \\ 6 (x)^2 (3)^2 \\ -4 (x) (3)^3 \\ 1 (3)^4 \end{array} = x^4 - 12x^3 + 54x^2 - 108x + 81$$

(b) Find the term in  $x^3$  in  $(2x + 5)(x - 3)^4$ .

	$x^4$	$-12x^3$	$54x^2$	$-108x$	$81$
$2x$	$8x^5$	$-24x^4$	$108x^3$	$-216x^2$	$162x$
$5$	$5x^4$	$-60x^3$	$270x^2$	$-540x$	$405$

$$48x^3$$

Find the inverse of the following functions.

17.  $f(x) = 8x - 9$

$$x = 8y - 9$$

$$x + 9 = 8y$$

$$\frac{x+9}{8} = y$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+9}{8}$$

18.  $g(x) = 5(x - 15)$

$$x = 5(y - 15)$$

$$\frac{x}{5} = y - 15$$

$$\frac{x}{5} + 15 = y$$

$$g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x}{5} + 15$$

19.  $h(x) = 6x + 24$

$$x = 6y + 24$$

$$x - 24 = 6y$$

$$\frac{x-24}{6} = y$$

$$h^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-24}{6} \text{ or } \frac{x}{6} - 4$$

20.  $j(x) = (x - 9)^2 + 1$

$$x = (y - 9)^2 + 1$$

$$x - 1 = (y - 9)^2$$

$$\sqrt{x-1} = y - 9$$

$$\sqrt{x-1} + 9 = y$$

$$j^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x-1} + 9$$

21.  $k(x) = \sqrt{2x - 5} - 3$

$$x = \sqrt{2x - 5} - 3$$

$$x + 3 = \sqrt{2x - 5}$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 2x - 5$$

$$(x+3)^2 + 5 = 2x$$

$$\frac{(x+3)^2 + 5}{2} = x$$

$$k^{-1}(x) = \frac{(x+3)^2 + 5}{2}$$

22.  $m(x) = 4x^2 - 1$

$$x = 4y^2 - 1$$

$$x + 1 = 4y^2$$

$$\frac{x+1}{4} = y^2$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{x+1}{4}} = y$$

$$m^{-1}(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x+1}}{2}$$

Perform the following operations for the functions:

$$f(x) = 2x - 3$$

$$g(x) = 2x^2 - 7x + 4$$

$$j^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x-1} + 1$$

$$k^{-1}(x) = \frac{(x+3)^2 + 5}{2}$$

$$m^{-1}(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x+1}}{2}$$

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$$f(x) = 2x - 3$$

$$g(x) = 2x^2 - 7x + 4$$

23.  $f(g(x))$

$$2(2x^2 - 7x + 4) - 3$$

$$4x^2 - 14x + 8 - 3$$

$$f(g(x)) = 4x^2 - 14x + 5$$

	$2x$	$-3$
$2x$	$4x^2$	$-6x$
$-3$	$-6x$	$9$

24.  $g(f(x))$

$$2(2x-3)^2 - 7(2x-3) + 4$$

$$2(4x^2 - 12x + 9) - 14x + 21 + 4$$

$$8x^2 - 24x + 18 - 14x + 25$$

$$g(f(x)) = 8x^2 - 38x + 43$$

25.  $f(f(x))$

$$2(2x-3) - 3$$

$$4x - 6 - 3$$

$$f(f(x)) = 4x - 9$$

26.  $g(g(x))$

$$2(2x^2 - 7x + 4)^2 - 7(2x^2 - 7x + 4) + 4$$

$2x^2$	$4x^4$	$-14x^3$	$8x^2$
$-7x$	$-14x^3$	$49x^2$	$-28x$
$4$	$8x^2$	$-28x$	$16$

$$2(4x^4 - 28x^3 + 65x^2 - 56x + 16) - 14x^2 + 49x - 28 + 4$$

$$8x^4 - 56x^3 + 130x^2 - 112x + 32 - 14x^2 + 49x - 28 + 4$$

$$g(g(x)) = 8x^4 - 56x^3 + 116x^2 - 63x + 8$$