

# Practice Test 11/14/19

College Precalculus

MAC 1140 Chapters 9 & 11

Name: Solutions / Corrections

**SHOW WORK ON ALL PROBLEMS!**

1. Write the first three terms of the binomial notation for  $(2x - y)^{13}$ :

$$\sum_{r=0}^{13} \binom{13}{r} (2x)^{13-r} (-y)^r = 1(2x)^{13} + \binom{13}{1}(2x)^{12}(-y) + \binom{13}{2}(2x)^{11}(-y)^2$$

$$= [8192x^{13} - 53,248x^{12}y + 159,744x^{11}y^2] + \dots$$

$$\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

2. Write the binomial expansion for  $(x^2 + 2y)^4$ :

$$\sum_{r=0}^{4} \binom{4}{r} (x^2)^{4-r} (-y)^r = 1(x^2)^4 + 4(x^2)^3(-y) + 6(x^2)^2(-y)^2 + 4(x^2)(-y)^3 + 1(-y)^4$$

$$(x^8 + 8x^6y + 24x^4y^2 + 32x^2y^3 + 16y^4)$$

Write a formula for the  $n$ th term of each infinite sequence. Do not use a recursion formula.

3. 3, -5, 7, -9, ...

$$a_n = (-1)^{n+1}(2n+1)$$

4. 21, 18, 15, 12, ...

$$a_n = 21 + (n-1)(-3)$$

$$a_n = 24 - 3n$$

Charles' parents deposited \$1,000 on his 1<sup>st</sup> birthday. They deposited money in this account each year on his birthday increasing the amount by \$200 each year.

5. Write in summation notation the formula depicting the amount Charles' parents deposited from his 1<sup>st</sup> birthday to his 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{18} [1000 + 200(n-1)]$$

6. What is the total amount of money Charles' parents deposited?

$$\sum_{n=1}^{18} [1000 + 200(n-1)] = 48,600 \quad \text{OR if your calculator doesn't have } \Sigma \text{ notation}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & 1000 + 1200 + 1400 + 1600 + 1800 + 2000 + 2200 + 2400 + 2600 + 2800 + 3000 + 3200 + 3400 + \\ & 3600 + 3800 + 4000 + 4200 + 4400 = \$48,600 \end{aligned}$$

7. Solve using Cramer's Rule.

$$\begin{array}{l} 2x - y + z = 9 \\ x + y + z = 4 \\ -3x - 2y - z = -13 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} 2 \quad -1 \quad 1 \quad 9 \\ 1 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 4 \\ -3 \quad -2 \quad 1 \quad -13 \end{array}$$

8. Solve using Gaussian Elimination.

$$\begin{array}{l} 2x + 5y = 2 \\ -x - 3y = -2 \end{array}$$

See next pages for solutions to 7. and 8.

$$7.) \begin{array}{c} (x) (y) (z) \# \\ \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ -3 & -2 & -1 & -13 \end{vmatrix} \end{array} D = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -3 & -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + -3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$2(-1+2) - 1(1+2) - 3(-1-1)$$

$$2 - 3 + 6 = 5$$

$$D_x = \begin{vmatrix} 9 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 1 \\ -13 & -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 9 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - 4 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + -13 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$9(-1+2) - 4(1+2) - 13(-1-1)$$

$$9 - 12 + 26 = 23$$

$$D_y = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 9 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & 1 \\ -3 & -13 & -1 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 4 & 1 \\ -13 & -1 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ -13 & -1 \end{vmatrix} + -3 \begin{vmatrix} 9 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$2(-4+13) - 1(-9+13) - 3(9-4)$$

$$18 - 4 - 15 = -1$$

$$D_z = \begin{vmatrix} 2 & -1 & 9 \\ 1 & 1 & 4 \\ -3 & -2 & -13 \end{vmatrix} = 2 \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 4 \\ -2 & -13 \end{vmatrix} - 1 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 9 \\ -2 & -13 \end{vmatrix} + -3 \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 9 \\ 1 & 4 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= 2(-13+8) - 1(13+18) - 3(-4-9)$$

$$-10 - 31 + 39 = -2$$

$$x = \frac{D_x}{D} \quad y = \frac{D_y}{D} \quad z = \frac{D_z}{D}$$

$$x = \frac{23}{5} \quad y = -\frac{1}{5} \quad z = -\frac{2}{5}$$

Check for #7
 $2\left(\frac{23}{5}\right) - \left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) + \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right) = 9 \quad \checkmark$

$\frac{23}{5} - \frac{1}{5} - \frac{2}{5} = 4 \quad \checkmark$ 
 $-3\left(\frac{23}{5}\right) - 2\left(-\frac{1}{5}\right) - \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right) = -13 \quad \checkmark$

$$\left( \frac{23}{5}, -\frac{1}{5}, -\frac{2}{5} \right)$$

$$8.) \begin{array}{l} 2x + 5y = 2 \\ -x - 3y = -2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rrr} 2 & 5 & 2 \\ -1 & -3 & -2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ -1 & -3 & -2 \end{array} (R_2 + R_1 \rightarrow R_1)$$

$$\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & -2 \end{array} (R_2 + R_1 \rightarrow R_2)$$

$$\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} (-1 \cdot R_2 \rightarrow R_2) \quad \begin{array}{r} -2(0+2) \\ 0-2-4 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & -4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rrr} 1 & 0 & -4 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 \end{array} (-2 \cdot R_2 + R_1 \rightarrow R_1)$$

$$x = -4 \quad y = 2$$

$$\boxed{(-4, 2)}$$

check:

$$2(-4) + 5(2) \stackrel{?}{=} 2 \quad -(-4) - 3(2) \stackrel{?}{=} -2$$

$$-8 + 10 = 2 \quad 4 - 6 = -2$$

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