

**Algebra 1 Quick Quiz**

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1. Three expressions are shown below.

- I.  $(x^3)^3$
- II.  $x^4 \cdot x^5$
- III.  $x^{10} \cdot x^{-1}$

Which expressions are equivalent for all positive values of  $x$ ?

- (1) I and II, only
- (2) I and III, only
- (3) II and III, only
- (4) I, II, and III

2. Jim uses the equation  $A = P(1 + 0.05)^t$  to find the amount of money in an account,  $A$ , of an investment,  $P$ , after  $t$  years. For this equation, which phrase describes the yearly rate of change?

- (1) decreasing by 5%
- (2) decreasing by 0.05%
- (3) increasing by 5%
- (4) increasing by 0.05%

3. What are the zeros of  $m(x) = x(x^2 - 16)$ ?

- (1)  $-4$  and  $4$ , only
- (2)  $-8$  and  $8$ , only
- (3)  $-4$ ,  $0$ , and  $4$
- (4)  $-8$ ,  $0$ , and  $8$

4. For which function is the value of the  $y$ -intercept the *smallest*?

$x$	$f(x)$
$-4$	$5$
$-2$	$4$
$0$	$3$
$2$	$2$
$4$	$1$

(1)

$$g(x) = |x| + 4$$

(2)

$x$	$h(x)$
$-1$	$3$
$0$	$2$
$1$	$3$
$2$	$6$
$3$	$11$

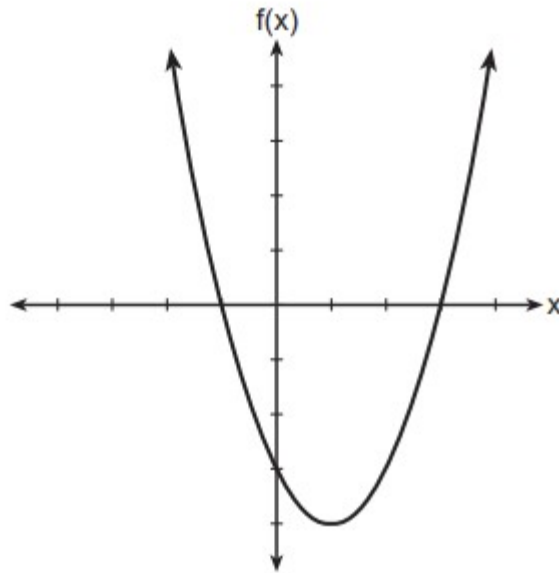
(3)

$$k(x) = 5^x$$

(4)

5.

The function  $f$  is graphed on the set of axes below.



What is a possible factorization of this function?

(1)  $f(x) = (x - 1)(x + 3)$

(3)  $f(x) = (x + 1)(x - 4)$

(2)  $f(x) = (x + 1)(x - 3)$

(4)  $f(x) = (x - 1)(x + 4)$

6.

The range of  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 5$  is the set of all real numbers

(1) less than or equal to  $-6$

(2) greater than or equal to  $-6$

(3) less than or equal to  $-1$

(4) greater than or equal to  $-1$

7.

Tables of values for four functions are shown below.

x	f(x)
0	6
1	7
2	10
3	15
4	22

x	h(x)
0	1
1	2
2	4
3	8
4	16

x	g(x)
0	0
1	-2
2	-2
3	0
4	4

x	j(x)
0	2
1	5
2	8
3	11
4	14

Which table best represents an exponential function?

(1)  $f(x)$ (3)  $h(x)$ (2)  $g(x)$ (4)  $j(x)$ 

8.

If  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x$ , then which statement is true?

(1)  $f(1) = f(-1)$ (3)  $f(1) = f(2)$ (2)  $f(2) = f(-2)$ (4)  $f(-1) = f(-2)$ 

9.

Jack started a new fitness program. The first day he did 10 push-ups. The program required him to increase the number of push-ups each day by doing 9 less than twice the number from the previous day. Which recursive formula correctly models Jack's new program, where  $n$  is the number of days and  $a_n$  is the number of push-ups on the  $n$ th day?

(1)  $a_1 = 10$ (3)  $a_1 = 10$ 

$$a_n = 2a_{n-1} - 9$$

$$a_n = 2(n-1) - 9$$

(2)  $a_1 = 10$ (4)  $a_1 = 10$ 

$$a_n = 9 - 2a_{n-1}$$

$$a_n = 9 - 2(n-1)$$

10.

Which equation is equivalent to  $x^2 - 6x + 4 = 0$ ?

(1)  $(x - 3)^2 = -4$

(3)  $(x - 3)^2 = 6$

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

(4)  $(x - 3)^2 = 9$

Bonus

11.

Classify the expression  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{144}} + \frac{\sqrt{169}}{3}$  as rational or irrational. Explain your reasoning.