

MAT 1033 Intermediate Algebra
Final Review

1. Solve for x : $2[x - 2(5 + 2x)] = 5(x - 15)$

[a] $x = 5$

[b] $x = 11$

[c] $x = -\frac{5}{11}$

[d] $x = -5$

2. Which one of the following is a factor of: $6x^2 + 13x - 5$

[a] $(3x + 1)$

[b] $(2x - 5)$

[c] $(2x - 1)$

[d] $(3x - 1)$

3. John bought a sweater on sale for 30% off the original price. If he saved \$80, what was the original price?

[a] \$267

[b] \$24

[c] \$182

[d] \$188

4. Solve for x : $\frac{3}{8} = 4x + 5$

[a] $x = -\frac{37}{32}$

[b] $x = -4$

[c] $x = -\frac{37}{8}$

[d] $x = -\frac{37}{4}$

5. A rectangle with an area of 80cm^2 has a width that is three more than one half its length. What is the width of the rectangle?

[a] 10cm

[b] 5cm

[c] 8cm

[d] 4cm

6. Solve for x : $2x^2 - x = 15$

[a] $x = \frac{5}{2}$ or $x = -3$

[b] $x = \frac{5}{2}$ or $x = 3$

[c] $x = -\frac{5}{2}$ or $x = 3$

[d] There are no real solutions

7. Determine which of the following is a solution to the system of equations:

$$x + 5y = 18$$

$$y = 2x - 3$$

[a] $x = 3$

[b] $x = -3$

[c] $y = -3$

[d] inconsistent system (no solution)

8. Simplify: $\sqrt{\frac{32x^7y^6}{2xyz^2}}$

[a] $\frac{8x^3y^2\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{z}}$

[b] $\frac{4x^3y^2\sqrt{y}}{\sqrt{z}}$

[c] $\frac{4x^3y^2\sqrt{y}}{z}$

[d] $\frac{8x^3y^2\sqrt{y}}{z}$

9. Simplify and write without negative exponents: $\frac{-5x^{\frac{1}{2}}y^{-\frac{1}{3}}}{30x^{\frac{1}{4}}y^{\frac{1}{3}}}$

[a] $\frac{-x^{\frac{1}{4}}}{6y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$

[b] $\frac{-x^{\frac{3}{4}}}{6y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$

[c] $\frac{-x^{\frac{1}{2}}}{6y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$

[d] $\frac{-x^{\frac{3}{4}}}{6y^{\frac{2}{3}}}$

10. Simplify the complex fraction: $\frac{\frac{x+8}{5}}{\frac{x-8}{x}}$

[a] $\frac{x(x-8)}{5(x+8)}$

[b] $\frac{5(x+8)}{x(x-8)}$

[c] $\frac{x(x+8)}{5(x-8)}$

[d] $\frac{5(x-8)}{x(x+8)}$

11. Solve using any method: $6x^2 - 11x - 10 = 0$

[a] $x = \frac{5}{2}, -\frac{2}{3}$

[b] $x = \frac{1 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{4}$

[c] $x = -\frac{5}{2}, \frac{2}{3}$

[d] $x = \frac{2 \pm 3i}{4}$

12. Simplify (write in lowest terms): $\frac{x^2 - 7x + 12}{x^2 - 16}$

[a] $\frac{x-3}{x+4}$

[b] $\frac{x+3}{x-4}$

[c] $\frac{x-3}{x-4}$

[d] $\frac{3}{4}$

13. Simplify: $\sqrt{32x^3y} - x\sqrt{18xy}$

[a] $-5x\sqrt{xy}$

[b] $x\sqrt{2xy}$

[c] $-x\sqrt{2xy}$

[d] $4x\sqrt{2xy} - 3\sqrt{2xy}$

14. Solve for Q : $\frac{PQ - W}{3} = R$

[a] $Q = \frac{R + 3W}{3P}$

[b] $Q = \frac{3R + W}{P}$

[c] $Q = \frac{W - 3R}{P}$

[d] $Q = \frac{\frac{1}{3}R + W}{P}$

15. Solve for x : $\frac{5}{x+5} - \frac{3}{x-5} = \frac{10}{x^2 - 25}$

[a] $x = 25$

[b] $x = 5$

[c] $x = -20$

[d] There are no solutions

16. Simplify: $\sqrt[4]{\frac{32t^6}{u^4v^8}}$

[a] $2tuv^2\sqrt[4]{2t^2}$

[b] $\frac{2t^4\sqrt[4]{2t^2}}{uv^2}$

[c] $\frac{2t^4\sqrt[4]{2t^2}}{\sqrt{uv^2}}$

[d] $\frac{2t^4\sqrt[4]{2t^2u}}{v}$

17. Add: $\frac{3}{x^2 + xy} + \frac{7}{xy + y^2}$

[a] $\frac{7x + 3y}{xy(x + y)}$

[b] $\frac{3y - 7x}{xy(x + y)}$

[c] $\frac{10xy}{xy(x + y)}$

[d] $\frac{10}{(x + y)}$

18. Identify the domain of the function: $f(x) = \frac{x-5}{2x+3}$

[a] $x =$ all real numbers except $-\frac{2}{3}$

[b] $x =$ all real numbers except $-\frac{2}{3}$ and 5

[c] $x =$ all real numbers except $-\frac{3}{2}$ and 5

[d] $x =$ all real numbers except $-\frac{3}{2}$

19. Identify the range of the function: $f(x) = (x + 2)^2$

[a] all real numbers

[b] $y \geq 0$

[c] $y \geq -2$

[d] $y \leq 0$

20. Write the equation for the line passing through the point $(4, -2)$ with a slope of $\frac{1}{3}$.

[a] $x + 3y = 10$

[b] $x - 3y = -10$

[c] $x - 3y = 10$

[d] $x + 3y = -10$

21. Write with positive exponents: $\left(\frac{3xy^{-4}}{2x^0y^2}\right)^{-3}$

[a] $\frac{8y^{18}}{27}$

[b] $\frac{-8y^{18}}{27x^3}$

[c] $\frac{3y^{18}}{2x^3}$

[d] $\frac{8y^{18}}{27x^3}$

22. Solve: $-3 < \frac{3}{4}x + 2 \leq 5$

[a] $\frac{1}{3} < x \leq -\frac{7}{3}$

[b] $-\frac{7}{3} < x < \frac{1}{3}$

[c] $-\frac{20}{3} \geq x > 4$

[d] $-\frac{20}{3} < x \leq 4$

23. Write the equation for the line passing through points $(-2,3)$ and $(1,4)$.

[a] $y = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{11}{3}$

[b] $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{11}{3}$

[c] $y = \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{11}{3}$

[d] $y = -\frac{1}{3}x - \frac{11}{3}$

24. Write the equation for the line that is *parallel* to $3x - 2y = 5$ and passes through point $(0,3)$.

[a] $y = \frac{3}{2}x$

[b] $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 3$

[c] $y = \frac{3}{2}x + 3$

[d] $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$

25. Solve: $\frac{x}{3x+6} + \frac{3}{x} = 0$

[a] $\{-6, 3\}$

[b] $\{3, 6\}$

[c] $\{-6, -3\}$

[d] $\{-3, 6\}$

26. Write the equation for the line that is *perpendicular* to $y = -\frac{1}{3}x - 1$ and passes through point $(5,1)$.

[a] $3x + y = 14$

[b] $3x + y = 16$

[c] $x - 3y = 2$

[d] $3x - y = 14$

27. Solve for x : $\sqrt{x+1}-1=x$

[a] $x = -1, 0$

[b] $x = -1$

[c] $x = 0, 1$

[d] There are no solutions

28. Simplify: $\frac{x-2}{3x-6} + \frac{x-1}{x^2-4}$

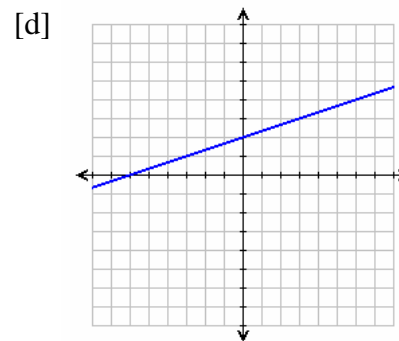
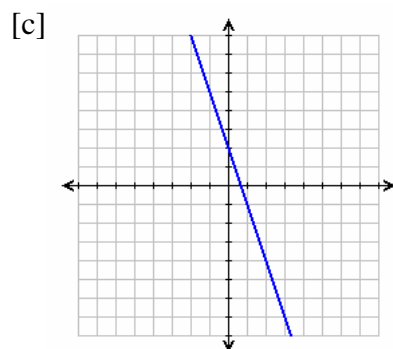
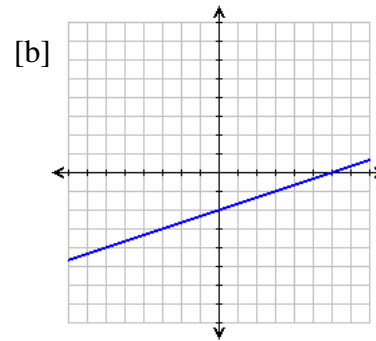
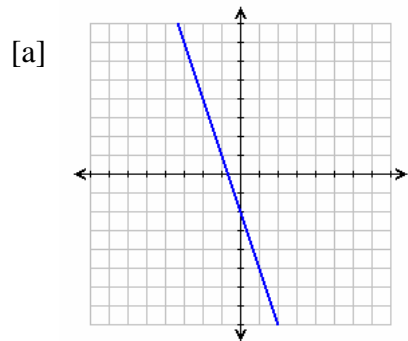
[a] $\frac{3x}{3(x^2-4)}$

[b] $\frac{x^2+3x-7}{3(x+2)}$

[c] $\frac{x^2+3x-7}{3(x^2-4)}$

[d] $\frac{x^2+x-5}{x^2-4}$

29. Choose the correct graph for: $9x+3y=6$



30. Solve: $\frac{4}{7}(x+4) > \frac{1}{7}(x+4)$

[a] $x < -4$

[b] $x < 4$

[c] $x > 4$

[d] $x > -4$

31. Given $f(x) = 2x^2 - 3x + 4$, find $f(2)$.

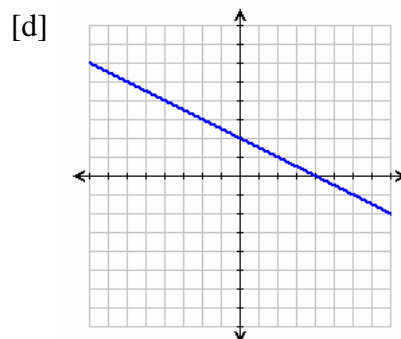
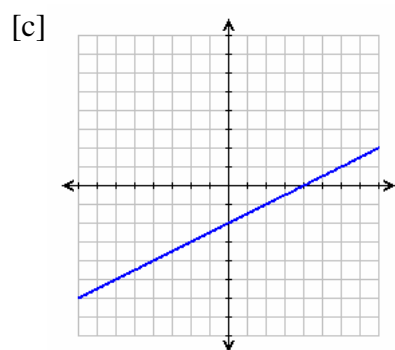
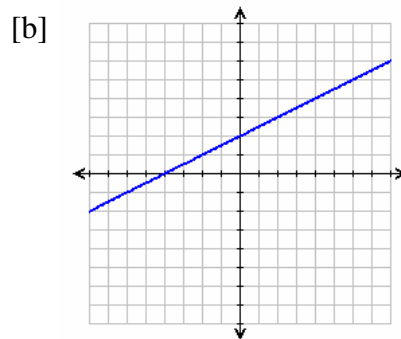
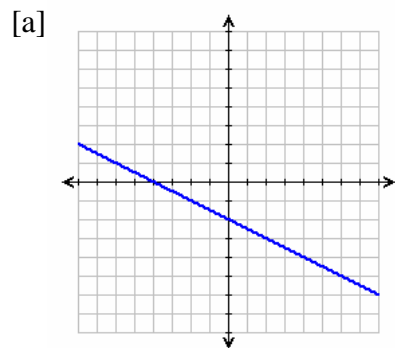
[a] $f(2) = -2$

[b] $f(2) = 2$

[c] $f(2) = 6$

[d] $f(2) = 5$

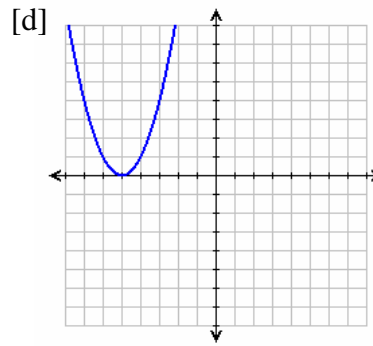
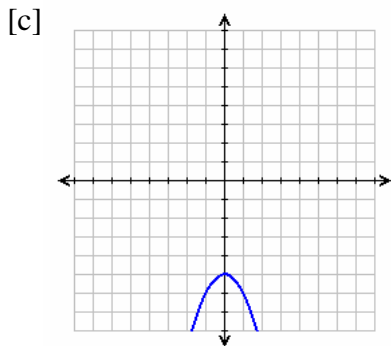
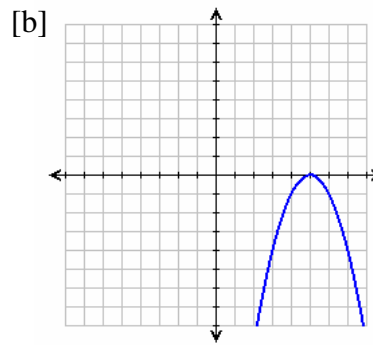
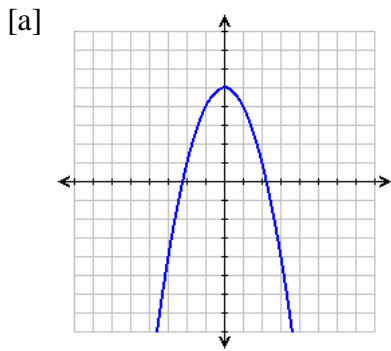
32. Choose the correct graph for: $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 2$



33. Tasty Bakery sells two kinds of muffins: Chocolate Chip Muffins at 45¢ each and Cranberry Muffins at 40¢ each. Sean buys some of each kind of muffins. If his bill is \$6.30 for 15 muffins, how many Chocolate Chip Muffins did he buy?

- [a] 9
- [b] 7
- [c] 6
- [d] 5

34. Choose the correct graph for: $y = -x^2 - 5$



35. Divide: $\frac{5x^2 - 20}{4x - 8} \div \frac{5x^2 + 20x + 20}{2x^2 + 14x + 20}$

- [a] $\frac{x+5}{2}$
- [b] $2(x+5)$
- [c] $\frac{25(x+2)^2}{8(x+5)}$
- [d] $\frac{5(x+5)}{2}$

36. Divide and write in $a + bi$ form: $\frac{6 + 2i}{1 + i}$

- [a] 4
- [b] $2 - 2i$
- [c] $3 + i$
- [d] $4 - 2i$

37. Solve for x : $\sqrt{10 - 5x} - x = -2$

- [a] $x = 2, 7$
- [b] $x = -3, 2$
- [c] $x = 2$
- [d] There are no solutions

38. The cost of producing n items is given as $C(n) = n^2 - 3n - 18$. Find n when the cost is \$10.

- [a] $n = -218$
- [b] $n = 6$
- [c] $n = 7$
- [d] $n = -180$

39. The sum of two integers is eleven. One less than twice the larger number is five times the smaller number. What is the larger number?

- [a] 15
- [b] 8
- [c] 9
- [d] 3

40. It takes Danny three times as long to mow a field as it takes his father. Together they can mow the same field in four hours. How long does it take Danny working alone?

- [a] 3hrs
- [b] 5hrs, 20min
- [c] 16hrs
- [d] 6hrs, 10min

41. Jerry has thirty coins consisting of quarters and some dimes. Their total value is \$4.95. How many of the coins are quarters?

[a] 17

[b] 11

[c] 19

[d] 13

42. Solve using the *quadratic formula*: $4x^2 = 2x - 11$

[a] $x = \frac{1 \pm 2\sqrt{11}}{4}$

[b] $x = \frac{1 \pm 2i\sqrt{43}}{4}$

[c] $x = \frac{2 \pm i\sqrt{43}}{4}$

[d] $x = \frac{1 \pm i\sqrt{43}}{4}$

43. A small plane went 240 miles in 3 hours flying against the wind and the same amount of time to go 300 miles with the wind. What was the speed of the plane without the wind?

[a] 10mph

[b] 80mph

[c] 95mph

[d] 90mph

44. John used 5 gallons of blue paint and 8 gallons of white paint on his house. Kim used only 3 gallons of blue, but 11 gallons of white at the same prices per gallon as John's paint. If John spent \$197 and Kim spent \$205, how much was the blue paint per gallon?

[a] \$20.46

[b] \$14

[c] \$11.94

[d] \$17

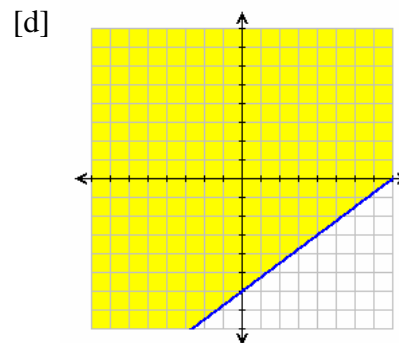
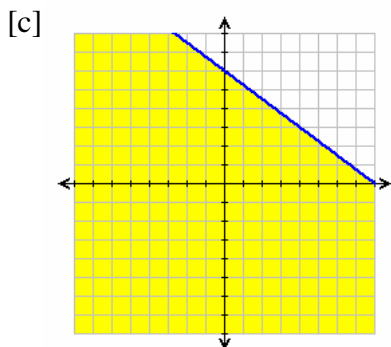
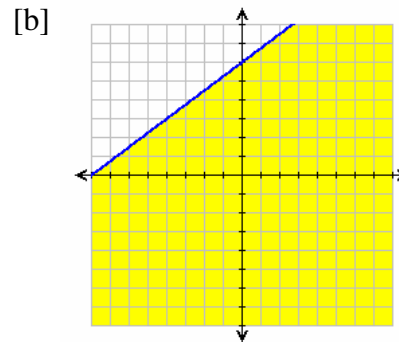
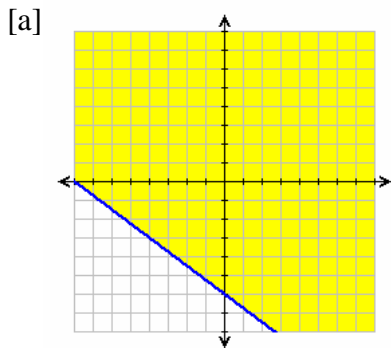
45. Determine $f(-4)$ for: $f(x) = 3x + 5$

- [a] -7
- [b] 3
- [c] $3x + 1$
- [d] -3

46. Which of the following equations gives the solutions of $3x^2 + 12x - 15 = 0$ when using the method of *completing the square*:

- [a] $(x + 3)^2 = 5$
- [b] $(x + 2)^2 = 9$
- [c] $(3x + 6)^2 = 15$
- [d] $(3x + 6)^2 = 51$

47. Graph: $y \leq \frac{3}{4}x + 6$



48. Solve: $\frac{1}{2} - 3x = 1$

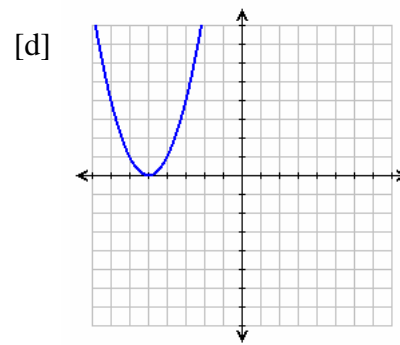
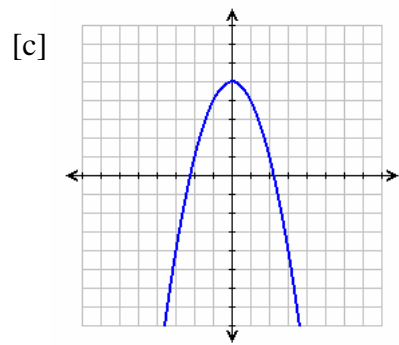
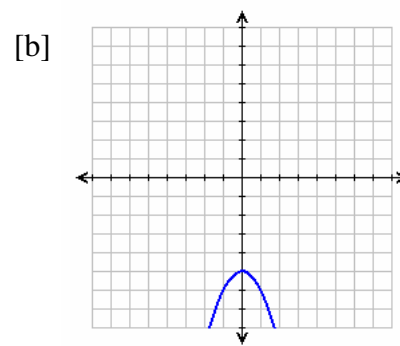
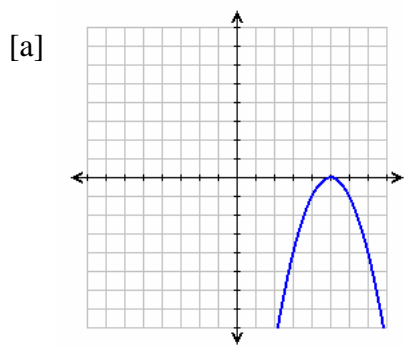
[a] $-\frac{1}{6}$

[b] $\frac{3}{2}$

[c] $\frac{1}{6}$

[d] $\frac{2}{3}$

49. Choose the correct graph for: $y = -x^2 + 5$



50. Solve for x : $(2x - 4) - 3(4x + 1) + 2(x + 3) = 0$

[a] $x = \frac{1}{8}$

[b] $x = -8$

[c] $x = -\frac{1}{8}$

[d] $x = 8$

51. Solve for x : $x^2 - 5x = -4$

[a] $\{1, 4\}$

[b] $\{-4, 1\}$

[c] $\{-4, -1\}$

[d] $\{-1, 4\}$

52. Simplify: $x\sqrt{32x^2} + x^2\sqrt{8}$

[a] $6x\sqrt{2}$

[b] $6x^2\sqrt{2}$

[c] $6x^2$

[d] $6\sqrt{2x^2}$

53. Perform the indicated operation: $\frac{2}{1+i}$

[a] $1+i$

[b] $\frac{2}{1+i}$

[c] $1-i$

[d] $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}i$

54. Find the equation of the line that passes through the points $(2, 0)$ and $(0, 3)$.

[a] $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 3$

[b] $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 2$

[c] $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$

[d] $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 3$

55. Find the equation of the line that contains the point $(2, -1)$ and has slope $\frac{1}{2}$.

[a] $x - 2y = 0$

[b] $x - 2y = 2$

[c] $2x + y = -2$

[d] $x - 2y = 4$

56. Find the equation of the line that is perpendicular to $x + 2y = 1$ and passes through the point $(0, 3)$.

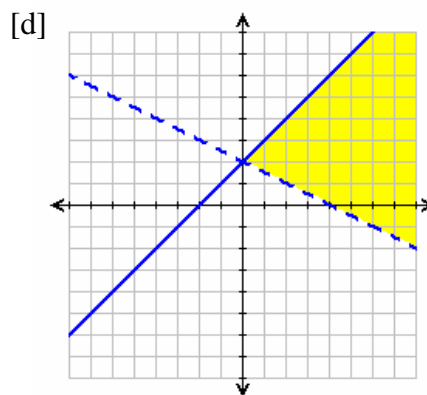
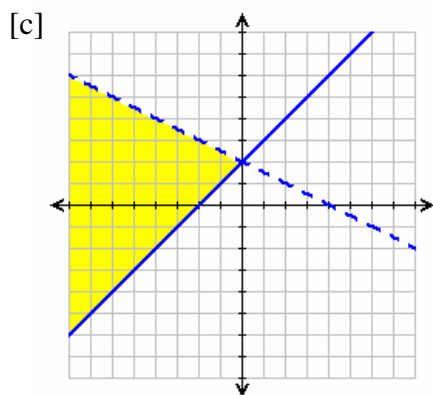
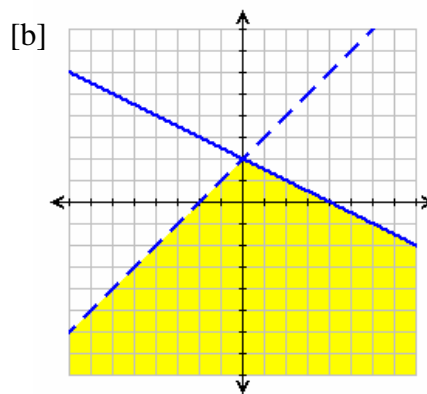
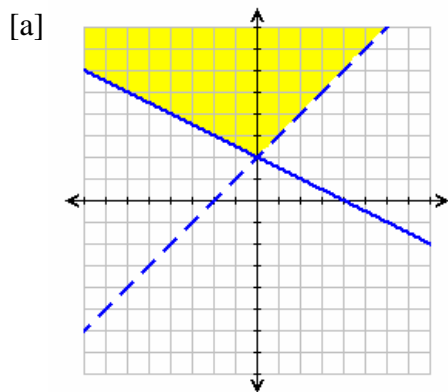
[a] $y = 2x + 3$

[b] $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 3$

[c] $y = -2x + 3$

[d] $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 3$

57. Graph the solution for this system: $y - 2 \geq x$
 $x + 2y < 4$



58. Solve: $\sqrt{2x+5} = x+1$

[a] $\{-2, 0\}$

[b] $\{2\}$

[c] $\{0, 2\}$

[d] $\{-2, -2\}$

59. Identify a factor of: $6x^2 + 13x - 5$

[a] $(3x+1)$

[b] $(3x-5)$

[c] $(3x-1)$

[d] $(2x-5)$

60. Evaluate: $(-3)^2(8-5) \div 3 + 6$

[a] 15

[b] -15

[c] 3

[d] -3

61. Solve for x : $ax + by = cx + d$

[a] $\frac{by + d}{a - c}$

[b] $\frac{d - by}{a - c}$

[c] $\frac{by - d}{a - c}$

[d] Cannot be solved for x

ANSWER KEY

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| 1. a | 22. d | 43. d |
| 2. d | 23. a | 44. d |
| 3. a | 24. c | 45. a |
| 4. a | 25. c | 46. b |
| 5. c | 26. d | 47. b |
| 6. c | 27. a | 48. a |
| 7. a | 28. c | 49. c |
| 8. c | 29. c | 50. c |
| 9. c | 30. d | 51. a |
| 10. c | 31. c | 52. b |
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| 17. a | 38. c | 59. c |
| 18. d | 39. b | 60. a |
| 19. b | 40. c | 61. b |
| 20. c | 41. d | |
| 21. d | 42. d | |