Secondary III 2-1 HW
Operations with Polynomials

Name: Selected Answers

1. Write the polynomial $-23x^7 + x^9 - 6x^3 + 10 + 2x^2$ in standard form, and then identify the degree and leading coefficient.

Standard Form: $x^9 - 23x^7 - 6x^3 + 2x^2 + 10$

Degree: 9
Leading Coefficient: 1

**Add the polynomials.**

2. $(82x^8 + 21x^2 - 6) + (18x + 7x^8 - 42x^2 + 3)$

3. $(15x - 121x^{12} + x^9 - x^7 + 3x^2) + (x - 68x^2 - x^9)$

$\boxed{-121x^{12} - 59x^2 + 15x}$

7. $(x^4 - 7x^3 + 2 - x) + (2x^3 - 3) + (1 - 5x^3 - x^4 + x)$

**Subtract the polynomials.**

8. $(-2x + 23x^5 + 11) + (5 + 9x^3 - 5x)$

$23x^5 + 9x^3 - 3x + 6$

$\boxed{23x^5 + 9x^3 - 3x + 6}$

11. $(9x - 12x^3) - (5x^3 + 7x - 2)$

13. $(10x^2 - x + 4) - (5x + 7) + (6x - 11)$

Find the polynomial that models the problem and use it to estimate the quantity.

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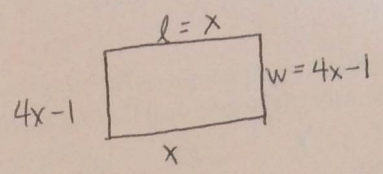
**16.** Cho is making a garden, where the length is $x$ feet and the width is $4x - 1$ feet. He wants to add garden stones around the perimeter of the garden once he is done. If the garden is 4 feet long, how many feet will Cho need to cover with garden stones?




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

$10x-2$ $\quad x=4 \quad 10(4)-2=$ **38 feet**

**18. Business** From data gathered in the period 2008–2012, the yearly amount of U.S. exports can be modeled by the function $E(x) = -228x^3 + 2552.8x^2 - 6098.5x + 11{,}425.8$, where $x$ is the number of years after 2008 and $E(x)$ is the amount of exports in billions of dollars. The yearly amount of U.S. imports can be modeled by the function $I(x) = -400.4x^3 + 3954.4x^2 - 11{,}128.8x + 17{,}749.6$, where $x$ is the number of years after 2008 and $I(x)$ is the amount of imports in billions of dollars. Estimate the total amount the United States imported and exported in 2012.

**22. Explain the Error** Colin simplified $(16x + 8x^2y - 7xy^2 + 9y - 2xy) - (-9xy + 8xy^2 + 10x^2y + x - 7y)$. His work is shown below. Find and correct Colin's mistake.

$(16x + 8x^2y - 7xy^2 + 9y - 2xy) - (-9xy + 8xy^2 + 10x^2y + x - 7y)$
$= (16x + \boxed{8x^2y} - 7xy^2 + 9y - 2xy) + (9xy - 8xy^2 - 10x^2y - x + 7y)$
$= (16x - x) + (8x^2y - 7xy^2 - 8xy^2 - 10x^2y) + (9y + 7y) + (-2xy + 9xy)$
$= 15x - 17x^2y^2 + 16y + 7xy$

$x^2y$ and $xy^2$ are not like terms

$8x^2y - 10x^2y = -2x^2y \qquad -7xy^2 - 8xy^2 = -15xy^2$

$\boxed{15x - 2x^2y - 15xy^2 + 16y + 7xy}$

**1.** The dimensions for a rectangular prism are $x + 5$ for the length, $x + 1$ for the width, and $x$ for the height. What is the volume of the prism?

Perform the following polynomial multiplications.

**5.** $(2x + 5y)(3x^2 - 4xy + 2y^2)$

$6x^3 - 8x^2y + 4xy^2$
$+15x^2y - 20xy^2 + 10y^3$

$\boxed{6x^3 + 7x^2y - 16xy^2 + 10y^3}$

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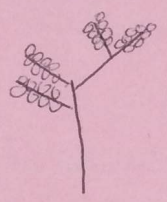
**6.** $(x^3 + x^2 + 1)(x^2 - x - 5)$

**10.** **Biology** A biologist has found that the number of branches on a certain rare tree in its first few years of life can be modeled by the polynomial $b(y) = 4y^2 + y$. The number of leaves on each branch can be modeled by the polynomial $l(y) = 2y^3 + 3y^2 + y$, where $y$ is the number of years after the tree reaches a height of 6 feet. Write a polynomial describing the total number of leaves on the tree.

branches

leaves



Branches x leaves $= (4y^2+y)(2y^3+3y^2+y)$

$= 8y^5 + 12y^4 + 4y^3$
$\quad + 2y^4 + 3y^3 + y^2$

$\boxed{8y^5 + 14y^4 + 7y^3 + y^2}$

**Verify the given polynomial identity.**

**12.** $(x + y + z)^2 = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + 2xy + 2xz + 2yz$

$(x+y+z)(x+y+z) =$

Review

Name and write an equation to represent each parent function. (1-1 Notes)

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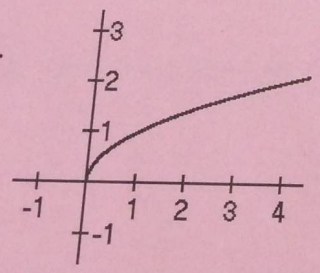
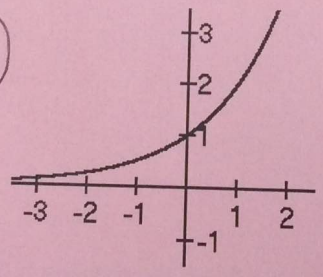


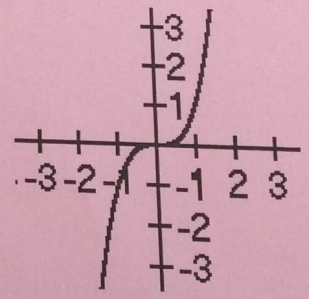

Name:
Equation:

b.




Name: Exponential
Equation: $f(x) = 2^x$

c.

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