

## MATH 9 - Unit 5 Quiz - Version 1

Name: Solutions

Perimeter: Addition of all sides

Simplest form: Simplified (all like terms paired up)

To SUBTRACT, change the signs of all terms on the polynomial that follows the subtraction sign:  
This is called "ADDING THE OPPOSITE"

## Multiple Choice (2 points each)

Identify the choice that best completes the statement or answers the question.

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1. Identify the polynomial that is "like" (equivalent to, the same to)  $4 - 6v - 7v^2$ .

i)  $7v^2 + 6v - 4$

ii)  $4 + 7v^2 - 6v$

iii)  $-7v^2 - 6v + 4$

iv)  $-7v^2 - 4 + 6v$

a. iv

b. ii

c. i

d. iii

$4 = \text{constant that's positive}$   
 $-6v = \text{negative}$   
 $-7v^2 = \text{negative}$

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2. Combine like terms (Simplify).

$$3x + 8 + 7x - 2 = 3x + 7x + 8 - 2 = 10x + 6$$

a.  $10x + 6$

b.  $11x + 5$

c.  $16x$

d.  $10x - 6$

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3. Simplify:  $6x + 8x - 2x + 4x + 5$

$$6x + 8x = 14x \quad -2x + 4x = 2x \Rightarrow 14x + 2x + 5 = 16x + 5$$

a.  $16x + 5$

b.  $8x + 9$

c.  $12x + 9$

d.  $16x^4 + 5$

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4. Add:  $(-3x - 7) + (5 - 2x)$

$$-3x - 7 + 5 - 2x = -3x - 2x - 7 + 5 = -5x - 2$$

a.  $-5x - 2$

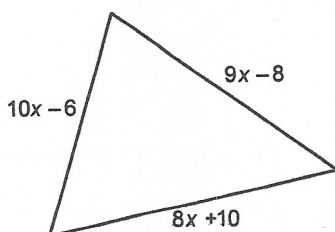
b.  $-5x + 12$

c.  $-5x + 2$

d.  $5x + 2$

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5. Write the perimeter of this triangle as a polynomial in simplest form.



$$\begin{aligned}
 &= (10x - 6) + (9x - 8) + (8x + 10) \\
 &= 10x - 6 + 9x - 8 + 8x + 10 \\
 &= 10x + 9x + 8x - 6 - 8 + 10 = 27x - 4
 \end{aligned}$$

a.  $27x - 24$

b.  $27x + 4$

c.  $27x + 24$

d.  $27x - 4$

D

6. Add:  $(-4x^2 + 3 - 7x) + (7 + x^2 + 10x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -4x^2 + 3 - 7x + 7 + x^2 + 10x = -4x^2 + x^2 \\
 &\quad - 7x + 10x + 3 + 7 \\
 &= -3x^2 + 3x + 10
 \end{aligned}$$

a.  $-3x^2 - 3x + 10$

b.  $-5x^2 - 3x + 10$

c.  $-5x^2 + 3x + 10$

d.  $-3x^2 + 3x + 10$

B

7. Subtract:  $(6x - 3) - (11x - 8)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 6x - 3 - 11x + 8 = 6x - 11x - 3 + 8 \\
 &= -5x + 5
 \end{aligned}$$

a.  $-5x + 11$

b.  $-5x + 5$

c.  $-5x - 5$

d.  $-5x - 11$

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8. Which of the following expressions are monomials with degree 2?

- i)  $2x^2 + 2x$
- ii)  $2x^2$
- iii)  $x^2$
- iv)  $2x$

• Monomial is one term  
• Degree is the exponent

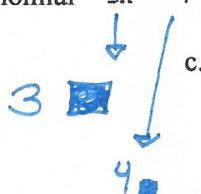
- a. ii and iii      b. ii and iv      c. iii and iv      d. i and ii

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9. A large white square represents an  $x^2$ -tile, a large black square represents a  $-x^2$ -tile, a small white square represents a 1-tile, and a small black square represents a -1-tile.

How would you model the polynomial  $-3x^2 - 4$  with algebra tiles?

a.



d.



b.



$$3 \text{ } \square + 4 \square$$

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10. Add the polynomials.

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x - 6 \\ + -8x + 11 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

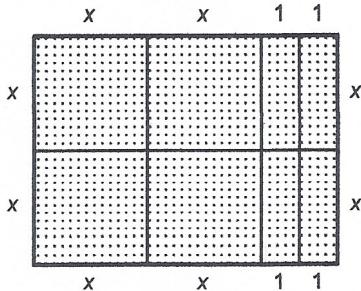
$$4x - 8x = -4x$$

$$-6 + 11 = +5$$

- a.  $4x + 5$       b.  $4x - 5$       c.  $-4x - 5$       d.  $-4x + 5$

### Short Answer (3 points each)

11. Write a polynomial to represent the perimeter of the rectangle.



Perimeter is the sum of all sides :

$$x + x + 1 + 1 + x + x + 1 + 1 + x + x + x + x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{group the } x &= x + x + x + x + x + x + x + x \\ \text{group the numbers} &= 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = \underbrace{8x + 4} \end{aligned}$$

12. A large white square represents an  $x^2$ -tile, a large black square represents a  $-x^2$ -tile, a white rectangle represents an  $x$ -tile, and a black rectangle represents a  $-x$ -tile.

Write the polynomial sum modelled by this set of tiles.



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

13. The polynomial  $5w + 11$  represents the cost, in dollars, of shipping a parcel with mass  $w$  kg by ground. The polynomial  $9w + 14$  represents the cost of shipping a parcel with mass  $w$  kg by air.

- a) Write a polynomial for the **difference** (subtraction) in the costs of the two methods of shipping. (THAT IS, the cost of shipping by air MINUS the cost of shipping by ground)

$$(9w + 14) - (5w + 11) \quad \text{Add the opposite:}$$

$$9w + 14 + (-5w) + (-11) = 9w - 5w + 14 - 11 = \underbrace{4w + 3}_{\text{Simplifying}}$$

- b) How much more does it cost to ship a 15-kg parcel by air? (Hint: Replace  $w$  with the weight given).

How much more means the difference, which you just calculated  $\Rightarrow 4w + 3 = 4(15) + 3 = \$63$

14. Subtract:  $(5y^2 - 5x^2 + 3x - 8) - (2y^2 - 9x^2 - 7x - 7)$

## Add the Opposite

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (5y^2 - 5x^2 + 3x - 8) + (-2y^2 + 9x^2 + 7x + 7) \\
 = & 5y^2 - 5x^2 + 3x - 8 - 2y^2 + 9x^2 + 7x + 7 \\
 = & \underbrace{5y^2 - 2y^2}_{3y^2} - \underbrace{5x^2 + 9x^2}_{4x^2} + \underbrace{3x + 7x}_{10x} - \underbrace{8 + 7}_{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Problem

15. Write a polynomial with the given variable, degree, coefficient, and number of terms.

(6 points or 2 points each)

- a) Variable:  $p$ ; degree: 2; coefficients: 2, -4; number of terms: 2

$$2p^2 - 4p \text{ or } -4p^2 + 2p$$

- b) Variable:  $c$ ; degree: 1; coefficient: 6; number of terms: 1

$$6c$$

- c) Variable:  $t$ ; degree 2, coefficients: -3, 7; number of terms: 3; constant: 5

$$-3t^2 + 7t + 5 \text{ or } 7t^2 - 3t + 5$$

16. The box below contains the terms in a polynomial.

Group like terms, then simplify.

	-2		8	
$-5x$				
	$3x^2$			
	$-4x$	$-4x^2$		$5x$
$3x^2$			$-2x$	
9		$3x$		$x^2$
$-7x$				$5x$
	$6x^2$		-5	
				$-3x^2$

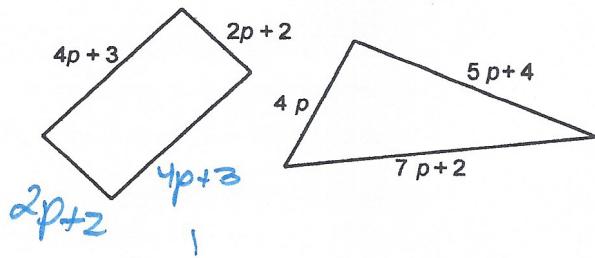
$$= 3x^2 - 3x^2 + 6x^2 + 3x^2 - 4x^2 + x^2 \\ + 10x^2 - 4x^2 = \boxed{6x^2}$$

$$= -5x - 4x - 7x + 3x - 2x + 5x + 5x - 13x \\ + 8x = \boxed{-5x}$$

$$9 - 2 + 8 - 5 = 17 - 7 = \boxed{+10}$$

$$\underbrace{6x^2}_{(6x^2)} - \underbrace{5x}_{(5x)} + \boxed{+10}$$

17. a) Write a simplified polynomial for the perimeter of each shape below. (Be careful to add a total of 4 sides for the rectangle, and 3 sides for the triangle!)



$$\text{Rectangle: } (4p+3) + (2p+2) + (4p+3) + (2p+2) \\ = 12p + 10$$

$$\text{Triangle: } (4p) + (5p+4) + (7p+2) \\ = 4p + 5p + 4 + 7p + 2 \\ = 4p + 5p + 7p + 4 + 2 = 16p + 6$$

- b) Subtract the perimeter of the rectangle from the perimeter of the triangle.

$$(16p + 6) - (12p + 10) = (16p + 6) + (-12p - 10) \\ = 16p + 6 - 12p - 10 = \boxed{4p - 4}$$

- c) If  $p = 4$ , which shape has the greater perimeter? (That is, in each perimeter polynomial on a), substitute  $p$  with 4)

$$\text{Triangle} = 16p + 6 = 16(4) + 6 = 64 + 6 = \boxed{70}$$

$$\text{Rectangle} = 12p + 10 = 12(4) + 10 = 48 + 10 = \boxed{58}$$

The greatest perimeter belongs to the triangle