PRACTICE EXAM 4 - MATH 111

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Read each problem very carefully before starting to solve it. Each question is worth 3 points. It is necessary to show your work. Correct answers without explanations are worth 0 points. GOOD LUCK!!

- 1. (a) Using the values at the points x = -1, x = 0 and x = 1, make a rough sketch of the graph of the function $f(x) = (\frac{1}{3})^x$.
 - (b) Use the graph of f together with transformations to obtain the graph of $g(x) = 2(\frac{1}{3})^{x-1} 2$.
- 2. The peak of the amount of a painkiller in the bloodstream is 500mg 30 minutes after the painkiller is taken and it is decaying exponentially with half-life 2 hours.
 - (a) Find an equation expressing the amount y(t) of the painkiller in the bloodstream t hours after its peak.
 - (b) Find how much painkiller is in the bloodstream 5 hours after the peak time.
- 3. Solve the following exponential equations:

(a)
$$5^{x^2}(\frac{1}{25})^{20} = 5^{-x}(\frac{1}{125})^{\frac{2x}{3}}$$

- (b) $3^{2x-1} = 5^{2-x}$
- 4. (a) Roughly sketch the graph of $f(x) = \log_2 x$.
 - (b) Using the graph of f and transformations sketch the graph of the function $g(x) = 3 \log_2 x + 1$.
- 5. Find the domain of the function $f(x) = \log_{2005} \frac{x^2 3x 4}{x + 2}$.
- 6. Solve the following logarithmic equations:
 - (a) $2\ln(x-3) = \ln(x+5) + \ln 4$
 - (b) $\log_2(\log_2(\log_2 x)) = 1$