## Concepts on Test \#4 - Math 311 Spring 2012

Integer Addition
Same Signs
Add numbers (ignore signs) \& Keep common sign
Different Signs
Subtract Big \# - Small \# \& Keep sign of Big \#

## Real Number Addition

Rules of Integer Addition Used on
Fractions
Decimals
Ex 1: Add
a) $-594+-783$
b) $-1 / 5+-5 / 7$
c) $-0.154+-9.84$
Ex 2: Add
a) $-57+192$
b) $1 \frac{2}{5}+-5 \frac{1}{3}$
c) $4.2+-1.97$

## Integer Subtraction

Change Subtraction to Addition
Copy $1^{\text {st }} \#$ and add the opposite of the $2^{\text {nd }} \#$

## Real Number Subtraction

Rules of Integer Subtaction Used on
Fractions
Decimals
Ex 3: Subtract
a) $-278-312$
b) $7 / 8-1 \frac{5}{12}$
c) $-14.87-(-209.6)$

Multiply/Divide Integers \& Real Numbers
$+\bullet+=+$ or $+\div+=+$

- • $=+$ or $-\div-=+$
$+\cdot-=-$ or $+\div-=-$
$-\cdot+=-$ or $-\div+=-$
Apply to Integers, Fractions \& Decimals
Ex 4: Divide
a) $-27 \div 5$
b) $-2 \frac{1}{3} \div-3$
c) $5.1 \div-0.3$

Solving Algebraic Equations Using Multiplication Property
Involving Whole Numbers
Involving Fractions
Involving Decimals
Involving Integers
Involving Real Numbers
Ex 5: Solve
a) $-5 x=-175$
b) $-2 / 3 x=17 / 15$
c) $0.02 \mathrm{x}=2.7$

## Solving Algebraic Equations Using the Addition Property

Involving Whole Numbers
Involving Fractions
Involving Decimals
Involving Integers
Involving Real Numbers
Ex 6: Solve
a) $\mathrm{x}+54=-112$
b) $x+-5 / 7=2 \frac{6}{35}$
c) $\mathrm{x}-0.5=1.75$

## Solving Algebraic Equations Using BOTH Addition \& Multiplication Property

Involving Whole Numbers
Involving Fractions
Involving Decimals
Involving Integers
Involving Real Numbers
Ex 7: Solve
a) $2 x+19=215$
b) $1 \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{x}-1=2 / 3$
c) $0.5 x+-1.28=-5.8$

Ex 8: Check your solution to Ex 7 c ):
Check your solution to Ex 6 b):
$0.5 x+-1.28=-5.8$
$x+-5 / 7=26 / 35$

## Order of Operations

PEMDAS
Parentheses - (), [], $\}, \| \mid, \sqrt{ }$, fraction bar
Exponents
Multiply \& Divide in left to right order
Add \& Subtract in left to right order
Ex 9: Simplify
a) $\sqrt{16+9} \div 5 \cdot(-2)+1$
b) $(2-5)^{3} \div 3-6$
c) $\frac{-|14-15|+|20 \div-5 \cdot 4|}{15 \div[(5-6) \cdot 3]+5}$

## Properties of the Real Numbers

Commutative Property of Addition
This is how we add $5+2$ and get the same answer as $2+5$
Commutative Property of Mutliplication
This is how we multiply $7 \cdot 8$ and get the same answer as $8 \cdot 7$
Associative Property of Addition
This is how we add $(2+5)+8$ as opposed to $2+(5+8)$ and still get the same answer Associative Property of Multiplication
This is how we multiply $(2 \cdot 5) \cdot 8$ as opposed to $2 \cdot(5 \cdot 8)$ and still get the same answer Distributive Property
Multiplication Distributes over Addition 2 $(x+3)=2 \cdot x+2 \cdot 3$
Multiplication Property of Zero
Zero times anything is Zero
Division by Zero
Anything divided by zero is undefined

# Zero divided by Anything 

Zero divided by anything is zero
Inverse Property of Addition
This is how we achieve zero to make something go away in moving around equal sign $-2+2=0$ Inverse Property of Multiplication
This is how we achieve one to make a remove a numeric coefficient in an equation $5 \cdot 1 / 5=1$
Identity Property of Addition
This is how we make magic happen after using the addition property of equality $0+4=4$
Identity Property of Multiplication
This is how we make magic happen after using the multiplication property of equality $1 \cdot x=x$
Ex 10: Name the property
a) $7 x+3+3 x=7 x+3 x+3$
b) $2 \cdot 3 x=(2 \cdot 3) x$
c) $(7+3) x=7 x+3 x$
d) $\mathrm{a}\lceil 0$
e) $0 x=0$
f) $5+-5=0$

## Expressions vs Equations

Simplify vs Solve
Simplify an algebraic expression
Solve an algebraic equation
Find a value that makes a truth value of "true" when each expression is evaluated
Ex 11: Which can be solved?
a) $2 x-5$
or
b) $2 x-5=1$

## Evaluation of an Algebraic Expression

Put in values for variable(s)
Follow order of operations to get to a single number
Ex 12: Evaluate each of the following when $x=2, y=-3 \& z=-1$
a) $x \div z+(y+z) \quad$ b) $x / z+y / z \quad$ (use fractions to simplify)

## Simplifying Algebraic Expressions

Distinguishing like terms
Combining like terms
Applying addition/subtraction of whole \#'s, integers, fractions, decimals \& real \#'s
Ex 13: Simplify
a) $2 x+5 x$
b) $2 / 3 x+5 \frac{1}{3}+2 \frac{1}{3} x-1 / 3$
c) $2(0.25 x+1)-0.75 x-0.2$
d) $5-2(x+3)-5 x$

## Types of Polynomials

Monomial
Binomial
Trinomial
Ex 20: Give an example of a:
a) monomial
b) binomial
c) polynomial

## Degrees of Terms \& Polynomials

Degree of a Term - Sum of all exponents in a term
Constant Degree is Zero
Used to Order a Polynomial - Highest to lowest degree to order
Degree of Polynomial - Degree of highest degreed term
Ex 17: What are the degrees of the terms in your answer to Ex 16 c)?
Ex. 18: Give the ordered polynomial for $\quad 5 x^{2}-7+2 x$
Ex 19: What is the degree of the polynomial $x^{2}-5 x^{3}+2$ ?

## Adding \& Subtracting Polynomials

Combining like terms
Columns
Ex 14: Add/Subtract
a) $\left(2 x^{2}+3 x-5\right)+\left(3 x-5+2 x^{2}\right)$
b) $\left(5 x^{2}-7+2 x\right)-\left(x^{2}-5 x^{3}+2\right)$

## Multiplying a Monomial x Monomial

Product Rule for Exponents
Copy like base \& add exponents
Apply Commutative \& Associative Property
Application of product rule
Ex 15: Multiply/Simplify
a) $x^{2} \cdot x^{5}$
b) $\left(2 x^{2} y\right)\left(3 x^{3} y^{2}\right)$
c) $(1 / 2 x y)\left(2 / 3 x^{2} y^{3}\right)$

## Multiplying a Monomial x Polynomial

Distributive Property
Apply Monomial x Monomial
Ex 16: Multiply/Simplify
a) $5(x+5)$
b) $2 x\left(x^{2}+2 x-5\right)$
c) $3 x^{2} y\left(2 x^{2}-3 y+2 x y-5\right)$

