MATH 075 Readiness Check

Work through the questions below to see if you are prepared for taking Math 075. The answer key is at the back of this worksheet.

- If you get at least 18 questions correct, and it takes you less than 2 hours to complete, you are probably ready for Math 075.
- If you get less than 18 questions correct or it takes you more than 2 hours to complete these exercises, then you are not ready for Math 075 and should do one of the following:
 - Take Math 052 or 053. These are self-paced and continuous entry courses so if there's room you can usually register at any time of the year; or
 - > Write a placement test to determine your best starting point.

No calculators.

- 1. Subtract: $3\frac{1}{4} 2\frac{5}{12}$
- 2. Divide: $\frac{7}{15} \div \left(-\frac{2}{5}\right)$
- 3. Evaluate: $\frac{2}{3}\left(4-\frac{1}{4}\right)$
- 4. Reduce the fraction $\frac{192}{120}$
- 5. Evaluate 5.24-3.78
- 6. Find the perimeter *P* and area *A* of a 2.80 cm by 1.70 cm rectangle.
- 7. Find the area of the triangle. All units are in metres.



- 8. Evaluate: 3 |-8+17|
- 9. Simplify: $\frac{-24x}{-8x}$
- 10. Simplify: $\frac{x}{0.5}$
- 11. Simplify: $\frac{1}{3}a \frac{3}{4}b + \frac{5}{6}a \frac{1}{5}b$

12. True or false? Justify your answer.

i)
$$\frac{a+b}{c} = \frac{a}{c} + \frac{b}{c}$$

ii)
$$\frac{a+b}{b} = a?$$

- 13. Solve for *a*: a 6 = 15 + 4a
- 14. Solve for *t*: $\frac{t}{3} = \frac{-6}{5}$
- 15. Solve for w: $23 \frac{1}{4}w = -5$
- 16. Money is invested in a savings account at 2.5% simple interest. After one year, \$30.00 in interest is earned.

What principal was invested?

17. Evaluate:
$$\frac{7^3 \cdot 7^5}{7^6}$$

18. Simplify: $(2p^4)^3$

19. Simplify and write your answer with positive exponents: $\frac{1}{x^{-6}}$

20. Solve the inequality and graph it on a number line $3x+13 \le 5x+21$

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-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	

- 21. Simplify: $5a(a^2-3b-7)$
- 22. Simplify: (x-5)(x-3)

23. Factor: 6*w*−24*wt*

24. Factor: $x^2 - 5x - 84$

1. $\frac{5}{6}$ 2. $\frac{-7}{6}$ 3. $\frac{5}{2}$ 4. $\frac{8}{5}$ 5. 1.46

6..
$$P = 9cm$$
 $A = 4.76cm^2$ 7. $126m^2$ 8. 27
9. 3 10. $2x$ 11. $\frac{7}{6}a - \frac{19}{20}b$ 12. i) True ii) False

- 13. a = -7 14. $t = \frac{-18}{5}$ 15. w = 112 16. \$1200 17. 49 18. $8p^{12}$ 19. x^6
- 20. $x \ge -4$ -5 -4 -3 -2 -1 0 1 2 3 4 5
- 21. $5a^3 15ab 35a$
- 22. $x^2 8x + 15$
- 23. 6w(1-4t)
- 24. (x-12)(x+7)