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MA 103 KATIRAIIE QUIZ #4 Form A SECTIONS (4.1, 4.2, 5.1) Spring 2007

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\*\*\* RETAIN ALL GRADED PAPERS FOR YOUR RECORDS \*\*\*

1. A student takes out two loans to help pay for college. One loan is at 7.5% simple interest, and the other is at 9.5% simple interest. The total amount borrowed is \$3500, and the interest after 1 year for both loans is \$302.50. Find the amount of each loan.

(Hint: 7.5% = 0.075 and 9.5% = 0.095 Now Set up a system of equations, and Multiply one of the equations by 1000 to get rid of decimals.)

$$\begin{cases} X + y = 3500 \\ 0.075X + 0.095y = 302.50 \end{cases} \xrightarrow{-75} \begin{cases} X + y = 3500 \\ 75X + 95y = 302500 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \cancel{75X} - 75y = -262500 \\ 75X + 95y = 302500 \end{cases}$$

$$20y = 40000$$

$$y = 2000$$

$$\text{and } x = 1500$$

Answer:

\$1500 was borrowed at 7.5% interest  
\$2000 was borrowed at 9.5% interest

2. A boat travels downstream 150 miles in 5 hours. The return trip takes 7 hours and 30 minutes. Find the speed of the boat without a current and the speed of the current

let speed of boat =  $x$       speed of current =  $y$

Distance = speed \* time

$$150 = (x + y)(5) \implies \begin{cases} 30 = x + y \\ 20 = x - y \end{cases}$$

$$150 = (x - y)(7.5)$$

$$50 = 2x$$

$$25 = x \text{ mph}$$

$$\text{and } y = 5 \text{ mph}$$

So, speed of boat is 25mph and speed of current is 5mph

- 3a) Write a polynomial that gives the sum of the areas of a square with sides of length  $x$  and a circle with radius  $x$ .

$$A = x^2 + \pi x^2$$

- b) Find the combined area when  $x = 10$  inches.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 10^2 + \pi(10)^2 = 100 + 100\pi \text{ inch}^2 \\ &= 414.16 \approx 414 \text{ inch}^2 \end{aligned}$$

4. A number minus twice a second number equals 7.  
The Sum of the two numbers is 16.  
Find the two numbers.

$$\begin{cases} x - 2y = 7 \\ 2x + y = 16 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} x - 2y = 7 \\ \underline{2x + 2y = 32} \\ 3x = 39 \\ \boxed{x = 13} \end{array} \quad \text{and } \boxed{y = 3}$$

$(13, 3)$

5. The sum of two numbers is 25, and their difference is 11. Find the two numbers.

$$\begin{cases} x + y = 25 \\ x - y = 11 \end{cases}$$

$$2x = 36$$

$$x = 18$$

$$y = 7$$

Final Answer  
 $(18, 7)$

$$y = -2x - 1$$

$$2x - (-2x - 1) = -3$$

$$2x + 2x + 1 = -3$$

$$4x = -4$$

$$\boxed{x = -1}$$

$$y = -2(-1) - 1 = +2 - 1 = 1$$

$$\boxed{(-1, 1)}$$

$$\begin{cases} 2x - y = 5 \\ x + y = 16 \end{cases}$$

$$3x = 21$$

$$\boxed{x = 7}$$

$$2(7) - y = 5$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 14 - y = 5 \\ -14 \quad -14 \end{array}$$

$$-y = -9$$

$$\boxed{y = 9}$$

solution

2)

$$-2 \begin{cases} 2x + y = 2 \\ 4x + 2y = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$-4x - 2y = -4$$

$$4x + 2y = 4$$

$$0 = 0$$

Many solutions

#4

$$\begin{cases} x + y = 3500 \\ 0.08x + 0.09y = 294 \end{cases}$$

$$0.08x + 0.09y = 294$$

$$y = -x + 3500$$

$$0.08x + 0.09(-x + 3500) = 294$$

$$0.08x - 0.09x + 315 = 294$$

$$-0.01x = -21 \quad \boxed{x = 2100}$$

$$y = 3500 - 2100 = 1400$$

#1)

$$y = -3x + -1$$

$$4x - (-3x - 1) = -6$$

$$4x + 3x + 1 = -6$$

$$7x = -7$$

$$x = -1$$

$$y = -3(-1) + -1 = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$(-1, 2)$$

#2)

$$2x - 4y = 5$$

$$2(-x + 2y) = 9$$

$$2x - 4y = 5$$

$$-2x + 4y = 18$$

$$0 = 23$$

NO Solution

$$\begin{cases} x + y = 18 \\ x - y = 6 \end{cases}$$

$$2x = 24$$

$$x = 12$$

$$12 + y = 18$$

$$y = 6$$

#4) let  $x = \text{speed of Boat}$   
 $y = \text{speed of current}$

$$5(x + y) = 150$$

$$7.5(x - y) = 150$$

$$\begin{cases} 5x + 5y = 150 & (x + y = 30) \cdot 7.5 \\ 7.5x - 7.5y = 150 & 7.5x - 7.5y = 150 \end{cases}$$

$$7.5x + 7.5y = 225$$

$$7.5x - 7.5y = 150$$

$$15x = 375$$

$$x = 25 \text{ mph}$$

$$x + y = 30$$

$$25 + y = 30 \Rightarrow y = 5 \text{ mph}$$