

63.  $\frac{|x|}{x^3 y^2}$

65.  $\frac{3\sqrt{x^2}}{|x^2|}$

67.  $\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{8}} \sqrt{|x^3 y|}$

69.  $\frac{2x\sqrt{x}}{y}$

71. 0

73.  $(x - 2|y|)\sqrt{x}$

75. &lt;

77. =

79. &gt;

81. &lt;

83.  $\approx 3.48$  sec

85. If  $n$  is even, then there are two real  $n$ th roots of  $a$  (when  $a > 0$ ):  $\sqrt[n]{a}$  and  $-\sqrt[n]{a}$ .

## Appendix A.2 (pp. 802–808)

1.  $3x^2 + 2x - 1$ ; degree 2

3.  $-x^7 + 1$ ; degree 7

5. no

7. yes

9.  $4x^2 + 2x + 4$

11.  $3x^3 - x^2 - 9x + 3$

13.  $2x^3 - 2x^2 + 6x$

15.  $-12u^2 + 3u$

17.  $-15x^3 - 5x^2 + 10x$

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

21.  $3x^2 + x - 10$

23.  $9x^2 - y^2$

25.  $9x^2 + 24xy + 16y^2$

27.  $8w^3 - 12w^2v + 6wv^2 - v^3$

29.  $4x^6 - 9y^2$

31.  $x^3 + 2x^2 - 5x + 12$

33.  $x^4 + 2x^3 - x^2 - 2x - 3$

35.  $x^2 - 2$

37.  $u - v$ ,  $u \geq 0$  and  $v \geq 0$

39.  $x^3 - 8$

41.  $5(x - 3)$

43.  $yz(z^2 - 3z + 2)$

45.  $(z + 7)(z - 7)$

47.  $(8 + 5y)(8 - 5y)$

49.  $(y + 4)^2$

51.  $(2z - 1)^2$

53.  $(y - 2)(y^2 + 2y + 4)$

55.  $(3y - 2)(9y^2 + 6y + 4)$

57.  $(1 - x)(x^2 + x + 1)$

59.  $(x + 2)(x + 7)$

61.  $(z - 8)(z + 3)$

63.  $(2u - 5)(7u + 1)$

65.  $(3x + 5)(4x - 3)$

67.  $(2x + 5y)(3x - 2y)$

69.  $(x - 4)(x^2 + 5)$

71.  $(x^2 - 3)(x^2 + 1)$

73.  $(c + 3d)(2a - b)$

75.  $x(x^2 + 1)$

77.  $2y(3y + 4)^2$

79.  $y(4 + y)(4 - y)$

81.  $y(y + 1)(5 - 2y)$

83.  $2(5x + 4)(5x - 2)$

85.  $2(2x + 5)(3x - 2)$

87.  $(2a - b)(c + 2d)$

89.  $(x - 3)(x + 2)(x - 2)$

91.  $(2ac + bc) - (2ad + bd) = c(2a + b) - d(2a + b) = (2a + b)(c - d)$

## Appendix A.3 (pp. 808–813)

1.  $\frac{5}{3}$

3.  $\frac{30}{77}$

5.  $\frac{5}{6}$

7.  $\frac{1}{10}$

9. all real numbers

11.  $[4, \infty)$

13.  $x \neq 0$  and  $x \neq -3$

15.  $x \neq 2$  and  $x \neq 1$

17.  $x \neq 0$

19.  $8x^2$

21.  $x^2$

23.  $x^2 + 7x + 12$

25.  $x^3 + 2x^2$

27.  $(x - 2)(x + 7)$  cancels out during simplification. The restriction indicates that the values 2 and 7 were not valid in the original expression.

29. No factors were removed from the expression. We can see by inspection that 2 and 5 are not valid values for  $x$ .

31.  $(x - 3)$  ends up in the numerator of the simplified expression; the restriction reminds us that it is not allowed to have zero in the denominator, so that 3 is not allowed.

33.  $\frac{6x^2}{5}, x \neq 0$

35.  $\frac{x^2}{x - 2}, x \neq 0, 2$

37.  $-\frac{z}{z + 3}, z \neq -3$

38.  $\frac{x + 3}{x - 4}, x \neq -3, 4$