

# 6.6

## Exercise Set

FOR EXTRA HELP



**Concept Reinforcement** Use the words from the following list to label the numbered expressions from the division shown.

dividend, divisor, quotient, remainder

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \textcircled{1} x + 2 \\
 \textcircled{2} x - 3 \overline{) x^2 - x + 9} \textcircled{3} \\
 \underline{-(x^2 - 3x)} \\
 2x + 9 \\
 \underline{-(2x - 6)} \\
 15 \textcircled{4}
 \end{array}$$

1. Quotient
2. Divisor
3. Dividend
4. Remainder

Divide and check.

5.  $\frac{32x^5 - 24x}{8} \quad 4x^5 - 3x$
6.  $\frac{12a^4 - 3a^2}{6} \quad 2a^4 - \frac{1}{2}a^2$
7.  $\frac{u - 2u^2 + u^7}{u} \quad 1 - 2u + u^6$
8.  $\frac{50x^5 - 7x^4 + x^2}{x} \quad 50x^4 - 7x^3 + x$
9.  $(15t^3 - 24t^2 + 6t) \div (3t) \quad 5t^2 - 8t + 2$
10.  $(20t^3 - 15t^2 + 30t) \div (5t) \quad 4t^2 - 3t + 6$
11.  $(24t^5 - 40t^4 + 6t^3) \div (4t^3) \quad 6t^2 - 10t + \frac{3}{2}$
12.  $(18t^6 - 27t^5 - 3t^3) \div (9t^3) \quad 2t^3 - 3t^2 - \frac{1}{3}$
13.  $(15x^7 - 21x^4 - 3x^2) \div (-3x^2) \quad -5x^5 + 7x^2 + 1$
14.  $(16x^6 + 32x^5 - 8x^2) \div (-8x^2) \quad -2x^4 - 4x^3 + 1$
15.  $\frac{8x^2 - 10x + 1}{2x} \quad 4x - 5 + \frac{1}{2x}$
16.  $\frac{9x^2 + 3x - 2}{3x} \quad 3x + 1 - \frac{2}{3x}$
17.  $\frac{9r^2s^2 + 3r^2s - 6rs^2}{-3rs} \quad -3rs - r + 2s$

$$18. \frac{4x^4y - 8x^6y^2 + 12x^8y^6}{4x^4y} \quad 1 - 2x^2y + 3x^4y^5$$

$$19. (10x^5y^2 + 15x^2y^2 - 5x^2y) \div (5x^2y) \quad \square$$

$$20. (12a^3b^2 + 4a^4b^5 + 16ab^2) \div (4ab^2) \quad \square$$

$$21. (x^2 + 10x + 21) \div (x + 7) \quad x + 3$$

$$22. (y^2 - 8y + 16) \div (y - 4) \quad y - 4$$

$$23. (a^2 - 8a - 16) \div (a + 4) \quad a - 12 + \frac{32}{a + 4}$$

$$24. (y^2 - 10y - 25) \div (y - 5) \quad y - 5 + \frac{-50}{y - 5}$$

$$25. (2x^2 + 11x - 5) \div (x + 6) \quad \square$$

$$26. (3x^2 - 2x - 13) \div (x - 2) \quad \square$$

**Aha!**  $(y^2 - 25) \div (y + 5) \quad y - 5$

$$28. (a^2 - 81) \div (a - 9) \quad a + 9$$

$$29. \frac{a^3 + 8}{a + 2} \quad a^2 - 2a + 4$$

$$30. \frac{t^3 + 27}{t + 3} \quad t^2 - 3t + 9$$

$$31. \frac{t^2 - 13}{t - 4} \quad t + 4 + \frac{3}{t - 4}$$

$$32. \frac{a^2 - 21}{a - 5} \quad a + 5 + \frac{4}{a - 5}$$

$$33. \frac{2t^3 - 9t^2 + 11t - 3}{2t - 3} \quad t^2 - 3t + 1$$

$$34. \frac{8t^3 - 22t^2 - 5t + 12}{4t + 3} \quad 2t^2 - 7t + 4$$

$$35. (5x^2 - 14x) \div (5x + 1) \quad \square$$

$$36. (3x^2 - 7x) \div (3x - 1) \quad \square$$

$$37. (t^3 + t - t^2 - 1) \div (t + 1) \quad t^2 - 2t + 3 + \frac{-4}{t + 1}$$

$$38. (x^3 + x - x^2 - 1) \div (x - 1) \quad x^2 + 1$$

$$39. (t^4 + 4t^2 + 3t - 6) \div (5 + t^2) \quad t^2 - 1 + \frac{3t - 1}{t^2 + 5}$$

$$40. (t^4 - 2t^2 + 4t - 5) \div (t^2 - 3) \quad t^2 + 1 + \frac{4t - 2}{t^2 - 3}$$

$$41. (4x^4 - 3 - x - 4x^2) \div (2x^2 - 3) \quad \square$$

$$42. (x + 6x^4 - 4 - 3x^2) \div (1 + 2x^2) \quad 3x^2 - 3 + \frac{x - 4}{2x^2 + 1}$$

$\square$  Answers to Exercises 19, 20, 25, 26, 35, 36, and 41 are on p. IA-14.

For Exercises 43–50,  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are as given. Find a simplified expression for  $F(x)$  if  $F(x) = (f/g)(x)$ . (See Example 6.) Be sure to list all restrictions on the domain of  $F(x)$ .

43.  $f(x) = 6x^2 - 11x - 10$ ,  $g(x) = 3x + 2$

44.  $f(x) = 8x^2 - 22x - 21$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{2x-5}{4x+3}$ ,  $x \neq -\frac{3}{4}$

45.  $f(x) = 8x^3 - 27$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{2x-3}{4x^2+6x+9}$ ,  $x \neq \frac{3}{2}$

46.  $f(x) = 64x^3 + 8$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{4x+2}{16x^2-8x+4}$ ,  $x \neq -\frac{1}{2}$

47.  $f(x) = x^4 - 24x^2 - 25$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{x^2-25}{x^2+1}$ ,  $x \neq -5$ ,  $x \neq 5$

48.  $f(x) = x^4 - 3x^2 - 54$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{x^2-9}{x^2+6}$ ,  $x \neq -3$ ,  $x \neq 3$

49.  $f(x) = 8x^2 - 3x^4 - 2x^3 + 2x^5 - 5$ ,  
 $g(x) = x^2 - 1$ ,  $2x^3 - 3x^2 + 5$ ,  $x \neq -1$ ,  $x \neq 1$

50.  $f(x) = 4x - x^3 - 10x^2 + 3x^4 - 8$ ,  
 $g(x) = x^2 - 4$ ,  $3x^2 - x + 2$ ,  $x \neq -2$ ,  $x \neq 2$

**TV** 51. Explain how factoring could be used to solve Example 6.

**TV** 52. Explain how to construct a polynomial of degree 4 that has a remainder of 3 when divided by  $x + 1$ .

### SKILL REVIEW

Review graphing equations and inequalities (Sections 2.2, 2.3, and 4.5).

Graph on a plane.

53.  $3x - y = 9$  [2.3]      54.  $5y = -15$  [2.3]

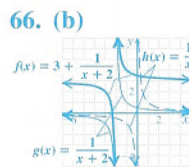
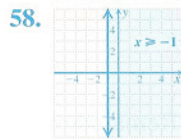
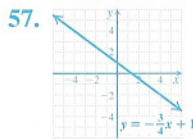
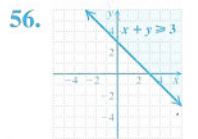
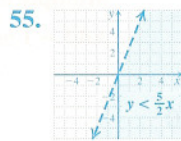
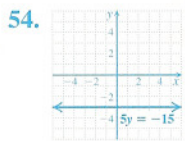
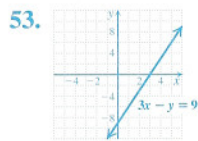
55.  $y < \frac{5}{2}x$  [4.5]      56.  $x + y \geq 3$  [4.5]

57.  $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 1$  [2.2]      58.  $x \geq -1$  [4.5]

### SYNTHESIS

**TV** 59. Explain how to construct a polynomial of degree 4 that has a remainder of 2 when divided by  $x + c$ .

**TV** 60. Do addition, subtraction, and multiplication of polynomials always result in a polynomial? Does division? Why or why not?



(c) The graph of  $g$  is the graph of  $h$  shifted left 2 units. The graph of  $f$  is the graph of  $g$  shifted up 3 units.

Divide.

61.  $(4a^3b + 5a^2b^2 + a^4 + 2ab^3) \div (a^2 + 2b^2 + 3ab)$

62.  $(x^4 - x^3y + x^2y^2 + 2x^2y - 2xy^2 + 2y^3) \div (x^2 - xy + y^2)$

63.  $(a^7 + b^7) \div (a + b)$

64. Find  $k$  such that when  $x^3 - kx^2 + 3x + 7k$  is divided by  $x + 2$ , the remainder is 0.

65. When  $x^2 - 3x + 2k$  is divided by  $x + 2$ , the remainder is 7. Find  $k$ .

66. Let

$$f(x) = \frac{3x + 7}{x + 2} \cdot 3 + \frac{1}{x + 2}$$

a) Use division to find an expression equivalent to  $f(x)$ . Then graph  $f$ .

b) On the same set of axes, sketch both  $g(x) = 1/(x + 2)$  and  $h(x) = 1/x$ .

c) How do the graphs of  $f$ ,  $g$ , and  $h$  compare?

**TV** 67. D'Andre incorrectly states that

$$(x^3 + 9x^2 - 6) \div (x^2 - 1) = x + 9 + \frac{x + 4}{x^2 - 1}$$

Without performing any long division, how could you show D'Andre that his division cannot possibly be correct?

**TV** 68. Use a graphing calculator to check Example 5. Perform the check using

$$y_1 = (9x^2 + x^3 - 5)/(x^2 - 1),$$

$$y_2 = x + 9 + (x + 4)/(x^2 - 1), \text{ and}$$

$$y_3 = y_2 - y_1.$$

### Try Exercise Answers: Section 6.6

9.  $5t^2 - 8t + 2$     17.  $-3rs - r + 2s$     21.  $x + 3$

23.  $a - 12 + \frac{32}{a + 4}$     39.  $t^2 - 1 + \frac{3t - 1}{t^2 + 5}$

43.  $2x - 5$ ,  $x \neq -\frac{2}{3}$