

## 5A-1

1)  $(X + 4)(X + 3)$

2)  $(X + 1)(X + 2)$

3)  $(X - 2)(X + 3)$

4)  $(X - 6)(X - 5)$

5)  $(X - Y)(X + Y)$

6)  $(A - 9)(A + 9)$

7)  $(2X + 3)(X - 1)$

8)  $(3X + 2)(X + 5)$

9)  $(5X - 1)(X + 3)$

10)  $(4X + 1)(X + 5)$

11)  $2(X^2 + 6X + 8) = 2(X + 2)(X + 4)$

12)  $X(X^2 + 6X + 9) = X(X + 3)(X + 3)$

13)  $(A^2 - 9)(A^2 + 9) = (A - 3)(A + 3)(A^2 + 9)$

14)  $(X^2 - 16)(X^2 - 1) = (X - 4)(X + 4)(X - 1)(X + 1)$

15)  $3X^2 + 10X + 8 = 0$

$(3X + 4)(X + 2) = 0$

$3X + 4 = 0 \quad X + 2 = 0$

$3X = -4 \quad X = -2$

$X = -4/3$

$3(-4/3)^2 + 10(-4/3) + 12 = 4$

$3(16/9) - 40/3 + 12 = 4 \checkmark$

$3(-2)^2 + 10(-2) + 12 = 4$

$3(4) - 20 + 12 = 4 \checkmark$

16)  $(X - 7)(X + 7) = 0$

$X - 7 = 0 \quad X + 7 = 0$

$X = 7 \quad X = -7$

$(7)^2 - 49 = 0$

$0 = 0 \checkmark$

$(-7)^2 - 49 = 0$

$0 = 0 \checkmark$

17)  $2X^4 - 72X^2 = 0 \Rightarrow 2X^2(X^2 - 36) = 0$

$2X^2(X - 6)(X + 6) = 0$

$X - 6 = 0 \quad X + 6 = 0$

$X = 6 \quad X = -6$

$2X^2 = 0, X = 0$

$2(6)^4 = 72(6)^2$

$2(1296) = 72(36) \checkmark$

$2(-6)^4 = 72(-6)^2$

$2(1296) = 72(36) \checkmark$

$2(0)^4 = 72(0)^2$

$0 = 0 \checkmark$

18)  $X^4 - 26X^2 + 25 = 0$

$(X^2 - 1)(X^2 - 25) = 0$

$(X - 1)(X + 1)(X - 5)(X + 5) = 0$

$X = 1, X = -1, X = 5, X = -5$

$(1)^4 - 26(1)^2 + 27 = 2$

$1 - 26 + 27 = 2 \checkmark$

$(5)^4 - 26(5)^2 + 27 = 2$

$625 - 650 + 27 = 2 \checkmark$

## 5A-2

1)  $(X + 4)(X - 3)$

2)  $(X - 4)(X - 6)$

3)  $(X - 9)(X + 1)$

4)  $(X + 5)(X + 2)$

5)  $(5A - 5B)(5A + 5B)$  May be reduced to  $25(A - B)(A + B)$

6)  $(2X - 8)(2X + 8)$  or  $4(X^2 - 16) = 4(X - 4)(X + 4)$

7)  $(3A + B)(A + B)$

8)  $2(3X + 2)(X - 1)$

9)  $(2X - 5)(X + 3)$

10)  $(3X - 4)(X + 8)$

11)  $2X(X^2 + 6X + 8) = 2X(X + 2)(X + 4)$

12)  $3(A^2 - 7A + 6) = 3(A - 1)(A - 6)$

13)  $(X^4 - 1)(X^4 + 1) = (X - 1)(X + 1)(X^2 + 1)(X^4 + 1)$

14)  $(X^2 - 9)(X^2 - 100) = (X - 3)(X + 3)(X - 10)(X + 10)$

15)  $2X(3X^2 + 5X + 2) = 0$

$2X(3X + 2)(X + 1) = 0$

$3X + 2 = 0 \quad X + 1 = 0$

$3X = -2 \quad X = -1$

$X = -2/3 \quad 2X = 0, X = 0$

$6(-2/3)^3 + 10(-2/3)^2 = -4(-2/3)$

$6(-8/27) + 10(4/9) = 8/3$

$-16/9 + 40/9 = 8/3 \checkmark$

$6(-1)^3 + 10(-1)^2 = -4(-1)$

$-6 + 10 = 4 \checkmark$

$6(0)^3 + 10(0)^2 = -4(0) \checkmark$

16)  $2(X^2 - 4X - 12) = 0$

$2(X - 6)(X + 2) = 0$

$X - 6 = 0 \quad X + 2 = 0$

$X = 6 \quad X = -2$

$2(6)^2 - 8(6) - 14 = 10$

$2(36) - 48 - 14 = 10 \checkmark$

$2(-2)^2 - 8(-2) - 14 = 10$

$2(4) + 16 - 14 = 10 \checkmark$

17)  $X^3 - 100X = 0$

$X(X^2 - 100) = 0$

$X(X - 10)(X + 10) = 0$

$X - 10 = 0 \quad X + 10 = 0$

$X = 10 \quad X = -10$

$X = 0$

$(10)^3 - 50(10) = 50(10)$

$1000 - 500 = 500 \checkmark$

$(-10)^3 - 50(-10) = 50(-10)$

$-1000 + 500 = -500 \checkmark$

$(0)^3 - 50(0) = 50(0)$

$0 - 0 = 0 \checkmark$

18)  $A^2 - 16A + 28 = 0$

$(A - 2)(A - 14) = 0$

$A - 2 = 0 \quad A - 14 = 0$

$A = 2 \quad A = 14$

$-8 = (2)^2 - 16(2) + 20$

$-8 = 4 - 32 + 20 \checkmark$

$-8 = (14)^2 - 16(14) + 20$

$-8 = 196 - 224 + 20 \checkmark$

5B-1

$$1) \frac{2(X+2)}{(X-1)(X+2)} + \frac{6(X-1)}{(X+2)(X-1)} + \frac{3}{(X+2)(X-1)} =$$

$$\frac{2X+4+6X-6+3}{X^2+X-2} = \frac{8X+1}{X^2+X-2}$$

$$2) \frac{X+2}{X-2} - \frac{X+2}{X+2} = \frac{(X+2)(X+2) - (X+2)(X-2)}{(X+2)(X-2)}$$

$$= \frac{(X+2) - (X-2)}{X-2} = \frac{4}{X-2}$$

$$3) \frac{3(A+1)}{A(A+1)} + \frac{5(A)}{(A+1)(A)} = \frac{3A+3+5A}{A^2+A}$$

$$\frac{8A+3}{A^2+A}$$

$$4) \frac{3X}{X+3} - \frac{2X}{X+2} = \frac{3X(X+2) - 2X(X+3)}{(X+3)(X+2)}$$

$$\frac{3X^2+6X-2X^2-6X}{X^2+5X+6} = \frac{X^2}{X^2+5X+6}$$

$$5) \frac{7(X-3)}{(X+2)(X-3)} + \frac{-4(X+2)}{(X-3)(X+2)} - \frac{2X+1}{(X+2)(X-3)} =$$

$$\frac{7X-21-4X-8-2X-1}{(X+2)(X-3)} = \frac{X-30}{X^2-X-6}$$

$$6) \frac{2X}{(X-2)(X+2)} + \frac{8X(X-2)}{(X+2)(X-2)} - \frac{4(X+2)}{(X-2)(X+2)} =$$

$$\frac{2X+8X^2-16X-4X-8}{(X-2)(X+2)} = \frac{8X^2-18X-8}{X^2-4}$$

$$7) \frac{\frac{2}{X} - \frac{4X}{X+3}}{\frac{X+3}{4X} - \frac{4X}{X+3}} = \frac{8X}{X(X+3)} = \frac{8}{X+3}$$

$$8) \frac{\frac{4}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}{\frac{18}{3} - \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{5}{2} \times \frac{3}{16}}{\frac{18}{3} - \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{15}{32}$$

$$9) \frac{\frac{2A}{A-4} - \frac{3}{A-1}}{\frac{4A-4}{A-1} + \frac{1}{A-1}} = \frac{\frac{2A-3}{A-1} \cdot \frac{A-1}{4A-3}}{\frac{4A-3}{A-1} + \frac{1}{A-1}} =$$

$$\frac{2A^2-5A+3}{4A^2-3A}$$

$$10) \frac{\frac{X^2+7X+12}{X^2+X-12} - \frac{X^2-9}{X^2+3X+2}}{\frac{X^2+3X+2}{X^2-9} - \frac{X^2-9}{X^2+3X+2}} =$$

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

$$11) \frac{\frac{XY}{Y} - \frac{5}{Y}}{\frac{XY}{Y} + \frac{4}{Y}} = \frac{\frac{XY-5}{Y} \cdot \frac{Y}{XY+4}}{\frac{XY+4}{Y} \cdot \frac{Y}{XY+4}} =$$

$$\frac{XY-5}{XY+4}$$

$$12) \frac{\frac{X^2+X-6}{X^2-11X+30} - \frac{X^2-10X+24}{X^2-7X+10}}{\frac{X^2-7X+10}{X^2-10X+24} - \frac{X^2-10X+24}{X^2-7X+10}} =$$

$$\frac{(X-2)(X+3) - (X-5)(X-4)}{(X-5)(X-6) - (X-2)(X-5)} = \frac{X^2-X-12}{X^2-10X+25}$$

5B-2

$$1) \frac{10(X-4)}{(X+4)(X-4)} + \frac{3(X+4)}{(X-4)(X+4)} - \frac{2}{(X+4)(X-4)} =$$

$$\frac{10X-40+3X+12-2}{(X+4)(X-4)} = \frac{13X-30}{X^2-16}$$

$$2) \frac{A+B}{A-B} + \frac{2A}{B} = \frac{B(A+B) + 2A(A-B)}{B(A-B)} =$$

$$\frac{AB+B^2+2A^2-2AB}{B(A-B)} = \frac{2A^2-AB+B^2}{AB-B^2}$$

$$3) \frac{15(X-1)}{X(X-1)} + \frac{20(X)}{(X-1)(X)} = \frac{15X-15+20X}{X^2-X} =$$

$$\frac{35X-15}{X^2-X}$$

$$4) \frac{4X}{X+1} - \frac{3Y}{X+1} = \frac{4X-3Y}{X+1}$$

$$5) \frac{4(B-5)}{(B-4)(B-5)} + \frac{(5)(B-4)}{(B-5)(B-4)} + \frac{B-5}{(B-5)(B-4)} =$$

$$\frac{4B-20+5B-20+B-5}{(B-5)(B-4)} = \frac{10B-45}{B^2-9B+20}$$

$$6) \frac{2X+3}{(2X)(2X+3)} + \frac{2X(2X)}{(2X+3)(2X)} + \frac{3(2X+3)}{(2X)(2X+3)} =$$

$$\frac{2X+3+4X^2+6X+9}{(2X)(2X+3)} = \frac{4X^2+8X+12}{4X^2+6X}$$

$$\frac{2(2X^2+4X+6)}{2(2X^2+3X)} = \frac{2X^2+4X+6}{2X^2+3X}$$

$$7) \frac{\frac{A}{A+B} - \frac{AB}{A+B}}{\frac{A+B}{AB} - \frac{AB}{A+B}} = \frac{A^2B}{B(A+B)} = \frac{A^2}{A+B}$$

$$8) \frac{\frac{9}{3} - \frac{1}{3}}{\frac{25}{5} + \frac{3}{5}} = \frac{\frac{8}{3} \times \frac{5}{28}}{\frac{28}{5} + \frac{3}{5}} = \frac{10}{21}$$

$$9) \frac{\frac{4X}{X} + \frac{1}{X}}{\frac{5X+5}{X+1} + \frac{X}{X+1}} = \frac{\frac{4X+1}{X} \cdot \frac{X+1}{6X+5}}{\frac{6X+5}{X+1} + \frac{X+1}{6X+5}} =$$

$$\frac{4X^2+5X+1}{6X^2+5X}$$

$$10) \frac{\frac{X^2+4X-5}{X^2-3X-18} - \frac{X^2-8X+12}{X^2+6X+5}}{\frac{X^2+6X+5}{X^2-8X+12} - \frac{X^2-8X+12}{X^2+6X+5}} =$$

$$\frac{(X-1)(X+5) - (X-2)(X-6)}{(X+3)(X-6) - (X+5)(X+1)} = \frac{X^2-3X+2}{X^2+4X+3}$$

$$11) \frac{\frac{3Y}{3} - \frac{2}{3}}{\frac{4Y}{4} - \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{\frac{3Y-2}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{4Y-1}}{\frac{4Y-1}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{4Y-1}} =$$

$$\frac{12Y-8}{12Y-3}$$

$$12) \frac{\frac{X^4-16}{X^2-5X+4} - \frac{X^2+3X-28}{X^2-4}}{\frac{X^2-4}{X^2+3X-28} - \frac{X^2+3X-28}{X^2-4}} =$$

$$\frac{(X^2-4)(X^2+4) - (X-4)(X+7)}{(X-4)(X-1) - (X^2-4)} = \frac{X^3+7X^2+4X+28}{X-1}$$

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1)  $(X+4)(X+5)$

2)  $(X-4)(X-5)$

3)  $(X+6)(X-6)$

4)  $(2X+1)(2X+3)$

5)  $(3X+2)(2X-1)$

6)  $(X-5)(X+4)$

7)  $10X^2(2X^2+X-3) = 10X^2(2X+3)(X-1)$

8)  $(X^2-4)(X^2+4) = (X+2)(X-2)(X^2+4)$

$$9) \begin{array}{l} X^2 - X - 6 = 0 \\ (X-3)(X+2) = 0 \\ X = 3 \quad X = -2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (3)^2 - (3) - 6 = 0 \\ 9 - 3 - 6 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ (-2)^2 - (-2) - 6 = 0 \\ 4 + 2 - 6 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$10) \begin{array}{l} X^2 + 4X - 12 = 0 \\ (X+6)(X-2) = 0 \\ X = -6 \quad X = 2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (-6)^2 + 4(-6) - 12 = 0 \\ 36 - 24 - 12 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ (2)^2 + 4(2) - 12 = 0 \\ 4 + 8 - 12 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$11) \frac{(X-1)5}{(X-1)X} - \frac{4(X)}{(X-1)(X)} =$$

$$\frac{5X - 5 - 4X}{(X-1)(X)} = \frac{X-5}{(X-1)(X)}$$

$$12) \frac{(X-3)3}{(X-3)(X+2)} - \frac{6(X+2)}{(X-3)(X+2)} + \frac{4X}{X^2 - X - 6} =$$

$$\frac{3X - 9 - 6X - 12 + 4X}{X^2 - X - 6} = \frac{X - 21}{X^2 - X - 6}$$

$$13) \frac{1 + \frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{\frac{4}{3}}{\frac{2}{3}} = 2$$

$$14) \frac{\frac{4}{3X} \cdot \frac{X}{X-5}}{\frac{X-5}{X} \cdot \frac{X}{X-5}} = \frac{4}{3(X-5)} = \frac{4}{3X-15}$$

15)  $3\sqrt{16} = 3 \cdot 4 = 12$

16)  $6\sqrt{100}\sqrt{3} = 6 \cdot 10\sqrt{3} = 60\sqrt{3}$

17)  $\frac{7\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}\sqrt{5}} = \frac{7\sqrt{5}}{5}$

18)  $\frac{2\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}\sqrt{7}} + \frac{8\sqrt{11}}{\sqrt{11}\sqrt{11}} =$

$$\frac{2\sqrt{7}(11)}{7(11)} + \frac{8\sqrt{11}(7)}{11(7)} =$$

$$\frac{22\sqrt{7} + 56\sqrt{11}}{77}$$

$$19) \frac{\frac{3}{51 \times 10^3} \cdot \frac{1}{6 \times 10^2}}{\frac{1}{17 \times 10^2} \cdot \frac{1}{12 \times 10^{-3}}} =$$

$$\frac{3 \times 10^5}{2 \times 10^{-1}} = 1.5 \times 10^6$$

20)  $\frac{(X+4)}{(X+2)(X+4)} = \frac{1}{X+2}$

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1)  $(X+4)(X-1)$

2)  $(X-5)(X+3)$

3)  $(X+5)(X+2)$

4)  $(X+10)(X+7)$

5)  $(X-6)(X-7)$

6)  $(5X-4)(X+1)$

7)  $(3X-2)(X+5)$

8)  $(3X-1)(3X+1)$

$$9) \begin{array}{l} X^2 + 13X + 42 = 0 \\ (X+6)(X+7) = 0 \\ X = -6 \quad X = -7 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (-6)^2 + 13(-6) + 42 = 0 \\ 36 - 78 + 42 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ (-7)^2 + 13(-7) + 42 = 0 \\ 49 - 91 + 42 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$10) \begin{array}{l} X^2 - 9 = 0 \\ (X+3)(X-3) = 0 \\ X = -3 \quad X = 3 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} (-3)^2 - 9 = 0 \\ 9 - 9 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ (3)^2 - 9 = 0 \\ 9 - 9 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$11) \frac{2X(X)}{Y(X)} - \frac{3(Y)}{X(Y)} + \frac{4(X)}{Y(X)} =$$

$$\frac{2X^2 - 3Y + 4X}{XY}$$

$$12) \frac{5(X)}{(X-4)(X)} - \frac{9(X-4)}{X(X-4)} + \frac{8X}{X^2 - 4X} =$$

$$\frac{5X - (9X - 36) + 8X}{X^2 - 4X} = \frac{4X + 36}{X^2 - 4X}$$

$$13) \frac{2 + \frac{1}{2}}{5 - \frac{1}{8}} = \frac{\frac{5}{2}}{\frac{39}{8}} = \frac{20}{39}$$

$$14) \frac{\frac{(7)X}{(7)} - \frac{1}{7}}{\frac{1}{7} - \frac{X(7)}{(7)}} = \frac{\frac{7X-1}{7}}{\frac{1-7X}{7}} = \frac{7X-1}{1-7X} = -1$$

15)  $\frac{\sqrt{6}}{3}$

16)  $\frac{1\sqrt{6}}{5\sqrt{6}\sqrt{6}} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{5(6)} = \frac{\sqrt{6}}{30}$

17)  $7\sqrt{16}\sqrt{5} = 7(4)\sqrt{5} = 28\sqrt{5}$

$$18) \frac{5\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}\sqrt{10}} + \frac{4\sqrt{13}}{\sqrt{13}\sqrt{13}} = \frac{5\sqrt{10}}{10} + \frac{4\sqrt{13}}{13} =$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{10}(13)}{2(13)} + \frac{4\sqrt{13}(2)}{13(2)} =$$

$$\frac{13\sqrt{10} + 8\sqrt{13}}{26}$$

$$19) \frac{(14 \times 10^4)(27 \times 10^3)}{(72 \times 10^1)} =$$

$$\frac{9 \times 10^7}{10^1} = 9 \times 10^6$$

20)  $\frac{(X+3)(X-3)}{(X+3)(X+3)} = \frac{X-3}{X+3}$

5E

1)  $(X + 6)(X - 4)$

2)  $(X + 9)(X + 1)$

3)  $(X - 5)(X - 2)$

4)  $(8 - X)(8 + X)$

5)  $(2X - 5)(X - 6)$

6)  $(3X - 1)(X + 3)$

7)  $(4X - 3)(X - 4)$

8)  $(X - 3)(X + 2)$

$$9) \begin{array}{l} 2X^2 - 18X + 36 = 0 \quad 2(6)^2 - 18(6) + 36 = 0 \\ 2(X^2 - 9X + 18) = 0 \quad 72 - 108 + 36 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ 2(X - 6)(X - 3) = 0 \\ X = 6 \quad X = 3 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2(3)^2 - 18(3) + 36 = 0 \\ 18 - 54 + 36 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$10) \begin{array}{l} 9X^2 - 24X + 16 = 0 \quad 9(4/3)^2 - 24(4/3) + 16 = 0 \\ (3X - 4)(3X - 4) = 0 \quad 16 - 32 + 16 = 0 \quad 0 = 0 \quad \checkmark \\ X = 4/3 \end{array}$$

11) 
$$\frac{(Y)(X - 3)}{(Y) 2X} - \frac{X - 2(X)}{2Y(X)} =$$

$$\frac{Y(X - 3) - X(X - 2)}{2XY} = \frac{XY - 3Y - X^2 + 2X}{2XY}$$

12) 
$$\frac{8X - 2}{X^2 + 5X + 6} - \frac{(X + 2)(X + 2)}{(X + 3)(X + 2)} =$$

$$\frac{8X - 2 - X^2 - 4X - 4}{X^2 + 5X + 6} = \frac{-X^2 + 4X - 6}{X^2 + 5X + 6}$$

13) 
$$\frac{4 + \frac{1}{4}}{6 \cdot 1 \frac{2}{3}} = \frac{\frac{17}{4} \cdot \frac{3}{13}}{\frac{18}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{12}} = \frac{51}{52}$$

14) 
$$\frac{\frac{5X}{2} + \frac{2}{2}}{\frac{(3X)2X}{(3X)} - \frac{4}{3X}} = \frac{\frac{5X + 2}{2} \cdot \frac{3X}{6X^2 - 4}}{\frac{6X^2 - 4}{3X} \cdot \frac{3X}{6X^2 - 4}}$$

$$= \frac{15X^2 + 6X}{12X^2 - 8}$$

15) 
$$\frac{4 \sqrt{20} \sqrt{5}}{5 \sqrt{10}} = 4 \sqrt{5}$$

16) 
$$\frac{2 \sqrt{10}}{10 \sqrt{10}} = \frac{2 \sqrt{10}}{10 \sqrt{10}} = \frac{\sqrt{10}}{5}$$

17)  $9\sqrt{4}\sqrt{10} = 9(2)\sqrt{10} = 18\sqrt{10}$

18) 
$$\frac{6\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}\sqrt{7}} + \frac{9\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}\sqrt{5}} =$$

$$\frac{6\sqrt{7}(5)}{7(5)} + \frac{9\sqrt{5}(7)}{5(7)} =$$

$$\frac{30\sqrt{7} + 63\sqrt{5}}{35}$$

19) 
$$\frac{\frac{2}{(26 \times 10^3)} \cdot \frac{2}{(4 \times 10^{-5})}}{\frac{(18 \times 10^5)}{1} \cdot \frac{(2 \times 10^8)}{1}} =$$

$$\frac{4 \times 10^{-2}}{1 \times 10^{13}} = 4 \times 10^{-15}$$

20) 
$$\frac{(X + 2)(X + 5)}{(X + 2)(X + 2)} = \frac{X + 5}{X + 2}$$

6A

1)  $4^3 = 64$

2)  $X^2$

3)  $2^2 = 4$

4)  $16^{3/4} = 8$

5)  $\frac{1}{9}$

6)  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3 = \frac{8}{27}$

7)  $2^3 = 8$

8)  $X^B$

9) 6

10)  $9^2 = 81$

11)  $(X^{1/2})^{1/2} = X^{1/4}$

12)  $[(125)^{1/3}]^2 = 5^2 = 25$

13)  $(B^5)^{1/3} = B^{5/3}$

14)  $(64^{1/3})^{1/2} = 4^{1/2} = 2$

15)  $(36^{1/2})^3 = 6^3 = 216$

16)  $(25^{1/2})^{1/2} = 5^{1/2} \text{ or } \sqrt{5}$

17)  $[(64)^{1/6}]^{-3} = 64^{-1/2} = \frac{1}{8}$

18)  $(81^{1/4})^{1/2} = 3^{1/2} \text{ or } \sqrt{3}$

19)  $[(A^{16})^{1/2}]^{1/2} = A^4$

20)  $(8^{1/3})^5 = 2^5 = 32$

6B

1)  $2^4 = 16$

2)  $2^{1/6}$

3)  $X^{3/4}$

4)  $(-3)^{2/3} = 9^{1/3}$

5)  $\frac{1}{2}$

6)  $\frac{2}{3}$

7)  $3^4 = 81$

8)  $B^2$

9)  $5^{-1} = \frac{1}{5}$

10)  $9^{1/2} = 3$

11)  $[(X^4)^{1/2}]^{1/2} = X$

12)  $[(64)^{1/3}]^4 = 4^4 = 256$

13)  $(8^5)^{1/3} = 8^{5/3} = 2^5 = 32$

14)  $(16^{1/4})^{1/2} = 2^{1/2} \text{ or } \sqrt{2}$

15)  $(49^{1/2})^2 = 49$

16)  $(A^8)^{1/4} = A^2$

17)  $[(216)^{1/3}]^{-2} = 6^{-2} = \frac{1}{36}$

18)  $(100^{1/2})^{1/2} = 10^{1/2} \text{ or } \sqrt{10}$

19)  $(81^{1/2})^{1/2} = 9^{1/2} = 3$

20)  $(32^{1/5})^4 = 2^4 = 16$