

Northern Michigan University (Marquette Co, MI)

MA111-04-26W: College Algebra (Andrew A. Poe)
Quiz 8

Name: _____
Monday 6 April 2026 2:00 P.M. EDT

Time: 15 minutes

1. Solve the following equation for x : $7^{\log_7(x+2)} = 7^2$

$$\log_7(x+2) = 2$$

$$x+2 = 49$$

$$x = 47$$

2. Using the Rational Root Theorem, find all three solutions to the following equation. (There are no square roots or imaginary numbers or anything like that in there.)

$$2x^3 + x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$$

num: ± 1
den: $\pm 1, \pm 2$ Try 1.

1	2	1	-2	-1
		2	3	1
2	3	1	0	works

1 is one solution,
other two are $-1, -\frac{1}{2}$

$$2x^2 + 3x + 1 = 0$$

$x \rightarrow 2$
 $t \rightarrow 3$

$1, 2 \Rightarrow \boxed{-\frac{1}{2}, -1}$

3. Solve the following inequality for x and put your answer in interval notation.

$$7 - 3x \leq 5$$

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$$-3x \leq -2$$

$$x \geq \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\left[\frac{2}{3}, \infty \right)$$

4. Solve the following inequality for x and put your answer in interval notation.

$$x^2 < 6x + 7$$

$$x^2 - 6x - 7 < 0$$

Solve as equations:
 $x^2 - 6x - 7 = 0$
 $x \rightarrow 7$
 $t \rightarrow -1$
 $-7, 1 \rightarrow \boxed{[-7, 1]}$

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$x \in (-7, 1)$

$0^2 < 6 \cdot 0 + 7$
 $0 < 7$
True