

NAME: Solution

MAC 1147 Section 3077

Quiz Two

Please show all of your work in a NEAT and ORGANIZED fashion.

1. (3 points) Find all solutions (if any) to the following equation:

$$(x+2)(x-2)\left(\frac{x}{x+2} + \frac{1}{x-2}\right) = \left(\frac{x^2}{x^2-4}\right)(x+2)(x-2), \quad x \neq -2, 2$$

$$x(x-2) + x+2 = x^2$$

$$\cancel{x^2} - 2x + \cancel{x} + 2 = \cancel{x^2}$$

$$-x + 2 = 0$$

$$x = 2$$

But $x=2$ is an extraneous solution, So the equation has no solutions.

2. (3 points) Solve the following quadratic equation by completing the square:

$$2x^2 + 12x - 16 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 6x - 8 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 3^2 = 8 + 3^2$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9 = 17$$

$$(x+3)^2 = 17$$

$$x+3 = \pm\sqrt{17}$$

$$x = -3 \pm \sqrt{17}$$

3. (3 points) Solve the following inequality, and graph the solution set:

$$\left|\frac{2}{5}x - 1\right| \leq 3$$

$$-3 \leq \frac{2}{5}x - 1 \leq 3$$

$$-2 \leq \frac{2}{5}x \leq 4$$

$$\frac{5}{2}(-2) \leq x \leq \frac{5}{2}(4)$$

$$-5 \leq x \leq 10$$

