

Assignment ZeroProductProperty due 09/10/2022 at 11:15pm EDT

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**Problem 1. (1 point)** CUNY/CityTech/CollegeAlgebra\_Trig/setZeroProductProperty/ZPP-fundamental.pgIf we are told that  $AB = 0$ , then what can we infer?

By the zero product property we know:

\_\_\_ = 0 OR \_\_\_ = 0

**Hint:** (Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2)

Remember that the zero product property states:

“If the product of two values is zero, then at least one of the values must be zero.”

Correct Answers:

- A
- B

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**Problem 2. (1 point)** CUNY/CityTech/CollegeAlgebra\_Trig/setZeroProductProperty/ZPP-binomials.pgIf we are told that  $(x - 7)(x - 8) = 0$ , then what can we infer?

By the zero product property we know:

\_\_\_ = 0 OR \_\_\_ = 0

And therefore we know that:

 $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  OR  $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$ **Hint:** (Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2)

Remember that the zero product property states:

If  $AB = 0$ , then either  $A = 0$  or  $B = 0$ .

How does the zero product property apply to this problem?

Correct Answers:

- $x - 7$
- $x - 8$
- 7
- 8

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**Problem 3. (1 point)** CUNY/CityTech/CollegeAlgebra\_Trig/setZeroProductProperty/ZPP-binomials-medium.pg

If we are told that  $(2x - 7)(3x - 4) = 0$ , then what can we infer?

By the zero product property we know:

\_\_\_ = 0 OR \_\_\_ = 0

And therefore we know that:

$x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  OR  $x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$

- Do not use decimal approximations in your answer.
- Use fractions instead.

**Hint:** (*Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2*)

Remember that the zero product property states:

If  $AB = 0$ , then either  $A = 0$  or  $B = 0$ .

How does the zero product property apply to this problem?

*Correct Answers:*

- $2x - 7$
- $3x - 4$
- $\frac{7}{2}$
- $\frac{4}{3}$

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**Problem 4. (1 point)** CUNY/CityTech/CollegeAlgebra\_Trig/setZeroProductProperty/ZPP-standard-basic.pg

We want to solve the equation

$$x^2 - 14x + 45 = 0$$

First, factor  $x^2 - 14x + 45$ : \_\_\_\_\_

By the zero product property we know:

$$\text{---} = 0 \text{ OR } \text{---} = 0$$

And therefore we know that:

$$x = \text{---} \text{ OR } x = \text{---}$$

- Do not use decimal approximations in your answer.
- Use fractions instead.

**Hint:** (*Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2*)

Remember that the zero product property states:

If  $MN = 0$ , then either  $M = 0$  or  $N = 0$ .

How does the zero product property apply to this problem?

Perhaps you should factor the polynomial first...

*Correct Answers:*

- $(x-9)(x-5)$
- $x-5$
- $x-9$
- 5
- 9

We want to solve the equation

$$3x^2 - 17x - 28 = 0$$

First, factor  $3x^2 - 17x - 28$ : \_\_\_\_\_

By the zero product property we know:

$$\underline{\hspace{1cm}} = 0 \text{ OR } \underline{\hspace{1cm}} = 0$$

And therefore we know that:

$$x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \text{ OR } x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$$

- Do not use decimal approximations in your answer.
- Use fractions instead.

**Hint:** (*Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2*)

Remember that the zero product property states:

If  $MN = 0$ , then either  $M = 0$  or  $N = 0$ .

How does the zero product property apply to this problem?

Perhaps you should factor the polynomial first...

*Correct Answers:*

- $(x - 7)(3x + 4)$
- $3x + 4$
- $x - 7$
- $\frac{4}{3}$
- $7$

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**Problem 6. (1 point)** CUNY/CityTech/CollegeAlgebra\_Trig/setZeroProductProperty/ZPP-standard-hard.pg

We want to solve the equation

$$10x^2 + 13x - 3 = 0$$

First, factor  $10x^2 + 13x - 3$ : \_\_\_\_\_

By the zero product property we know:

$$\underline{\hspace{1cm}} = 0 \text{ OR } \underline{\hspace{1cm}} = 0$$

And therefore we know that:

$$x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \text{ OR } x = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$$

- Do not use decimal approximations in your answer.
- Use fractions instead.

**Hint:** (*Instructor hint preview: show the student hint after the following number of attempts: 2*)

Remember that the zero product property states:

If  $MN = 0$ , then either  $M = 0$  or  $N = 0$ .

How does the zero product property apply to this problem?

Perhaps you should factor the polynomial first...

*Correct Answers:*

- $(2x + 3)(5x - 1)$
- $5x - 1$
- $2x + 3$
- $\frac{1}{5}$
- $\frac{3}{2}$