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Instructions: Please complete the following problems.

Problem 1. True or False: A rational function always has a horizontal asymptote.

**Problem 2.** Find the domain:  $f(x) = \frac{3x-2}{x^2-3x+2}$ 

**Problem 3.** Find the VA(s):  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 6x + 8}{x^2 - x - 12}$ 

Problem 4. What are the differences between finding the domain and VA?

**Problem 5.** Find the HA:  $f(x) = \frac{x+1}{x^3-5}$ 

**Problem 6.** Find the HA:  $f(x) = \frac{2x+1}{3x-5}$ 

**Problem 7.** Find the HA:  $f(x) = \frac{2x^2 + 1}{x - 5}$ 

**Problem 8.** True or False: The following rational expression has a slant asymptote:  $f(x) = \frac{3x^4 + x}{x^2 + 3x - 5}$ 

**Problem 9.** Find the SA:  $f(x) = \frac{x^3 - 1}{x^2}$ 

**Problem 10.** Graph:  $f(x) = \frac{-2x+2}{x-2}$ Hint: Find the domain, VA, HA, x and y intercepts, number line test, and then graph.

**Problem 11.** Graph:  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{(x-2)(x+3)}$ Hint: Find the domain, VA, HA, x and y intercepts, number line test, and then graph.

**Problem 12.** The NLT when graphing a rational function tests whether the function is above or below what?