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Math 1151, Lecture 20      Diagnostic Test      September 7, Friday, 2007.  
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1. (40 pts.) If Mary ate  $\frac{3}{8}$  - th of a pizza and Mathew ate  $\frac{2}{5}$  - th of a pizza, then how much of the pizza is left? Please give the exact answer as a fraction and note that most calculators give a decimal number which is only close to the exact fraction.

2. (40 pts.) Factor,

$$x^2 - 9.$$

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3. (40 pts), Multiply.

$$(x^5y^{-3})(x^{-2}y^2).$$

4. (40 pts), Simplify.

$$\frac{1}{\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b}}.$$

In other words, write this composite fraction as a simple fraction.