

Algebra 2 Chapter 6 Review

Name: Key Hr: _____

For numbers 1 - 8 use the polynomial $f(x) = 2x^3 - 7x^2 - 5x + 6$

1. Name the function using the degree and number of terms:

Cubic polynomial of 4 terms

2. What is the maximum number of x-intercepts?

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3. What is the end behavior of the graph?

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5. The possible rational roots of the polynomial function are:

$$\frac{\pm 1 \pm 2 \pm 3 \pm 6}{\pm 1 \pm 2} = \boxed{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \pm 6, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{3}{2}}$$

6. How many zeros does the polynomial function have? How many could be imaginary? How many real?

3 zeros
0 or 2 could be imaginary
1 or 3 could be real

7. Is $(x+1)$ a factor of the function?

$$\begin{array}{r} -1 \ 2 \ -7 \ -5 \ 6 \\ \quad -2 \ 9 \ -4 \\ \hline 2 \ -9 \ 4 \ 2 \end{array} \quad \boxed{\text{no}}$$

8. What is the value of the polynomial at $f(8)$? (use the remainder theorem, not a calculator!)

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \ 2 \ -7 \ -5 \ 6 \\ \quad 16 \ 72 \ 536 \\ \hline 2 \ 9 \ 67 \ 542 \end{array} \quad \boxed{f(8) = 542}$$

Write a function $f(x)$ in standard form with the given zeros. Don't forget conjugates if needed.

9. $-3, 7-4i, 7+4i$

$$\begin{aligned} &(x+3)(x-7+4i)(x-7-4i) \\ &(x+3)(x^2-7x-4ix-7x+49+28i+4ix-28i-16i^2) \\ &(x+3)(x^2-14x+65) \\ &x^3-14x^2+65x+3x^2-42x+195 \\ &\boxed{x^3-11x^2+23x+195} \end{aligned}$$

10. 0 with multiplicity of 2, 5 and -1.

$$\begin{aligned} &x^2(x-5)(x+1) \\ &x^2(x^2+x-5x-5) \\ &x^2(x^2-4x-5) \\ &\boxed{x^4-4x^3-5x^2} \end{aligned}$$

11. SOLVING: Find all the roots using any method. (Methods include perfect cube patterns, rational root theorem, graphing, grouping, factoring the old fashion way, etc...).

$\pm 1 \pm 2 \pm 3 \pm 4 \pm 6 \pm 12$

a) $3x^3 + 2x^2 - 37x + 12 = 0$ $\pm 1 \pm 3$
 $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \pm 4, \pm 6, \pm 12, \pm \frac{1}{3}, \pm \frac{2}{3}, \pm \frac{4}{3}$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \overline{) 3 \ 2 \ -37 \ 12} \\ \underline{3 \ 11 \ -4 \ 12} \\ 9 \ 33 \ -12 \end{array} \quad \boxed{x=3}$$

$$3x^2 + 11x - 4 = 0$$

$$(3x-1)(x+4) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x-1=0 \quad x+4=0 \\ +1 \ +1 \quad -4 \ -4 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\boxed{x = -4}$$

c) $x^4 - 19x^2 - 216 = 0$

$$(x^2+8)(x^2-27) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2+8=0 \quad x^2-27=0 \\ -8 \ -8 \quad +27 \ +27 \end{array}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{-8}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm 2i\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{27}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm 3\sqrt{3}}$$

e) $x^3 - 125 = 0$

$$(x-5)(x^2+5x+25) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x-5=0 \\ +5 \ +5 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x=5}$$

$$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{(5)^2 - 4(1)(25)}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{25-100}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{-75}}{2}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{-5 \pm 5i\sqrt{3}}{2}}$$

b) $(20x^3 - 24x^2 + 25x - 30) = 0$

$$4x^2(5x-6) + 5(5x-6) = 0$$

$$(4x^2+5)(5x-6) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4x^2+5=0 \quad 5x-6=0 \\ -5 \ -5 \quad +6 \ +6 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{4x^2}{4} = \frac{-5}{4}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{\frac{-5}{4}}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm \frac{i\sqrt{5}}{2}}$$

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{6}{5}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{6}{5}}$$

d) $x^6 - 25x^4 = 0$

$$x^4(x^2-25) = 0$$

$$x^4=0 \quad x^2-25=0$$

$$x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x = 0$$

$$\boxed{x=0}$$

$$+25 \ +25$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{25}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm 5}$$

f) $x^4 - 10x^2 + 24 = 0$

$$(x^2-6)(x^2-4) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2-6=0 \quad x^2-4=0 \\ +6 \ +6 \quad +4 \ +4 \end{array}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{6}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm\sqrt{6}}$$

$$\sqrt{x^2} = \sqrt{4}$$

$$\boxed{x = \pm 2}$$

12. Multiply $3 - \sqrt{6}$ by its conjugate and simplify.

$$(3 - \sqrt{6})(3 + \sqrt{6})$$

$$9 + 3\sqrt{6} - 3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{36}$$

$$9 - 6$$

$$\boxed{3}$$

13. Write an equation in standard form that has the solutions $3 \pm \sqrt{6}$. $3 + \sqrt{6}$, $3 - \sqrt{6}$

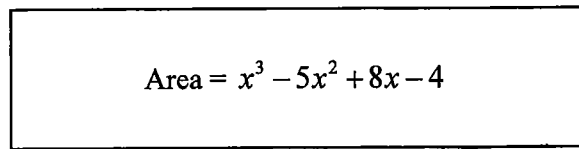
$$(x - 3 - \sqrt{6})(x - 3 + \sqrt{6}) = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3x + \sqrt{6}x - 3x + 9 - 3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{6}x + 3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{36} = 0$$

$$\boxed{x^2 - 6x + 3 = 0}$$

14. Write an expression to represent the base of the rectangle shown below. Hint: How do you find area of a rectangle...now work backwards!

Height: $x - 2$



Base = $x^2 - 3x + 2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \overline{) 1 - 5 \ 8 \ -4} \\ \underline{2 \ -6 \ 4} \\ 1 \ -3 \ 2 \ 0 \end{array}$$

$$x^2 - 3x + 2$$

15. A polynomial equation has roots -2 , $2+i$ and $1-3i$. What is the least possible degree of the polynomial?
 $2-i$ $1+3i$

$$\boxed{5^{\text{th}} \text{ degree}}$$

16. Using the equation answer true or false and explain why: $f(x) = 10x^3 - 2x^2 + 5x - 12$

a. 4 is a **possible root** of the equation.

True, because 4 is a factor of 12 and 1 is a factor of 10 so by using the Rational Root Theorem you get $\frac{4}{1}$ or 4 as a possible root.

b. 4 is one of the roots of the equation.

$$\begin{array}{r} 4 \overline{) 10 \ -2 \ 5 \ -12} \\ \underline{40 \ 152 \ 628} \\ 10 \ 38 \ 157 \ 616 \end{array}$$

False, when using synthetic division to divide 4 into the polynomial you get a remainder other than zero which means 4 is not a root

17. Divide $(4x^3 + 10x - 5) \div (x - 3)$ using synthetic division.

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \overline{) 4 \ 0 \ 10 \ -5} \\ \underline{12 \ 36 \ 138} \\ 4 \ 12 \ 46 \ 133 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{4x^2 + 12x + 46, R \ 133}$$

18. Divide $3x^5 - 4x^3 + x - 10$ by $x^2 - 3$ using long division.

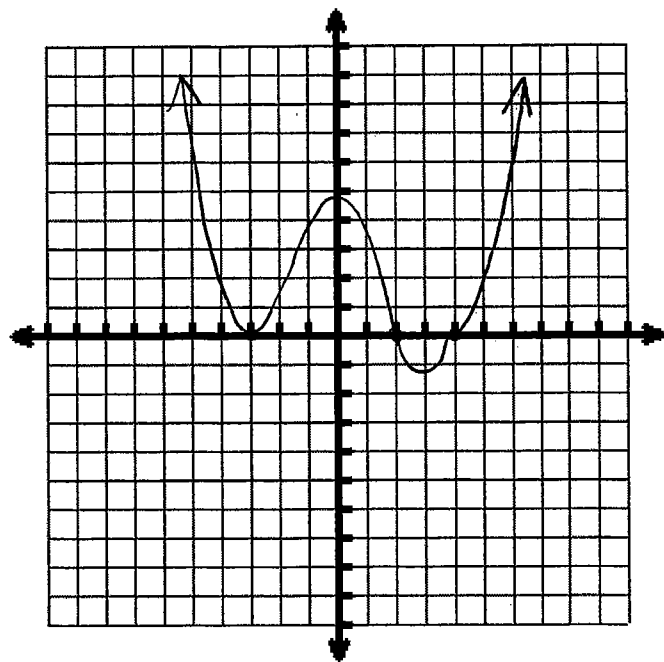
$$\begin{array}{r}
 3x^3 + 5x \\
 x^2 - 3 \overline{) 3x^5 - 4x^3 + x - 10} \\
 \underline{-3x^5 + 9x^3} \\
 5x^3 + x - 10 \\
 \underline{-5x^3 + 15x} \\
 16x - 10
 \end{array}$$

$$3x^3 + 5x, R 16x - 10$$

19. Graph a 6th degree polynomial function with a positive leading coefficient given its zeros are 2 with a multiplicity of one, 4 with a multiplicity of three, and -3 with a multiplicity of two.

$$(x-2)(x-4)^3(x+3)^2$$

End Behavior: $\uparrow \uparrow$



Graph the polynomial. Find the x-intercepts, y-intercept, end behaviors and multiplicities.

20. $f(x) = x(x-2)^2(x+4)^3$

$$0 = x(x-2)^2(x+4)^3$$

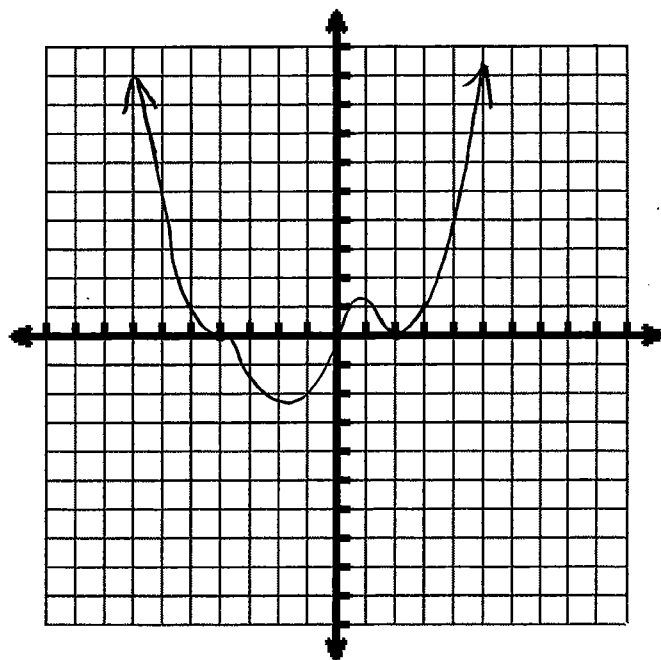
x-intercepts: 0

2 mult. 2

-4 mult. 3

y-intercept: (0, 0)

End Behavior: $\uparrow \uparrow$



21. Graph by finding x-intercepts, y-intercepts, end behavior and multiplicities.

$$f(x) = x^6 - 4x^5 - 5x^4$$

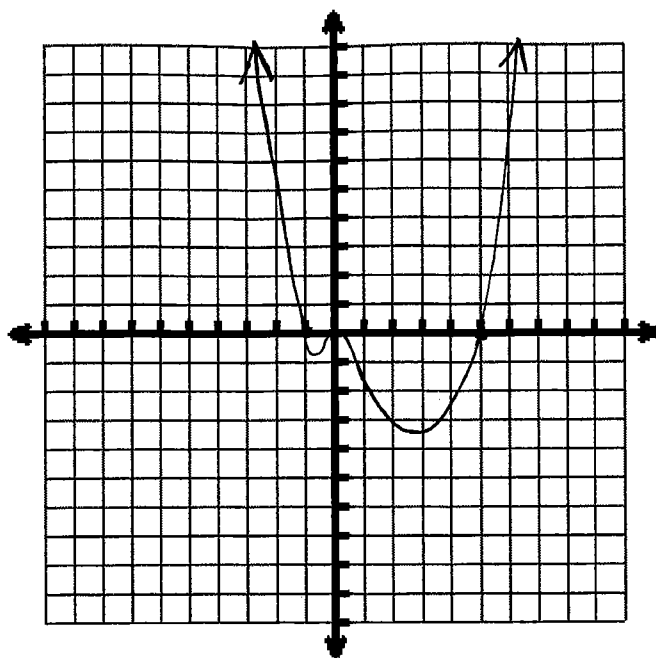
$$0 = x^4(x^2 - 4x - 5)$$

$$0 = x^4(x-5)(x+1)$$

x-intercepts: 0 mult. 4
5
-1

y-intercept: (0, 0)

End Behavior: $\uparrow\uparrow$



22. Using the equation $g(x) = x^5 - 144x^3$, list combinations of possible types of solutions.

5 real and 0 imaginary
3 real and 2 imaginary
1 real and 4 imaginary

23. Complete the rational root theorem to completely solve this equation.

$$h(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 - 49x - 66$$

a. List the possible roots.

$$\frac{\pm 1 \pm 2 \pm 3 \pm 6 \pm 11 \pm 22 \pm 33 \pm 66}{\pm 1} = \boxed{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \pm 6, \pm 11, \pm 22, \pm 33, \pm 66}$$

b. Use any method to find the one that works and test it here.

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} 6 & 1 & 4 & -49 & -66 \\ & & 6 & 60 & 66 \\ \hline & 1 & 10 & 11 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$\boxed{x = 6}$$

c. Use the equation left over in part b and solve it.

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 10x + 11 &= 0 \\ x &= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{(10)^2 - 4(1)(11)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{100 - 44}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{56}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-10 \pm \sqrt{4 \cdot 14}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-10 \pm 2\sqrt{14}}{2} \\ &= \boxed{-5 \pm \sqrt{14}} \end{aligned}$$

d. Write all 3 solutions here,

$$\boxed{6}, \boxed{-5 + \sqrt{14}}, \text{ \& } \boxed{-5 - \sqrt{14}}$$