

Name: SOLUTIONS Date: 12/1/2017Chapter 10, Sections 1,2
Chapter 11, Sections 1-5

Instructions: You must solve each question completely, explaining your reasoning. Partial credit will be awarded for answers that are incorrect, but show progress towards a correct solution. You will not receive credit if you do not clearly show how you are obtaining your answers. Grading will be based on the solution and your write-up. Do all the work on the exam.

1. (12 Points) The profit earned by a producer to manufacture and sell n units of a good is given by $P(n) = 14n - 3038$. The average profit for n units is given by $A(n) = \frac{P(n)}{n}$.

A) Compute $A(1)$, $A(217)$, $A(284)$.

Sol: $A(1) = (14(1) - 3038)/1 = \boxed{-3024}$
 $A(217) = (14(217) - 3038)/217 = \boxed{0}$
 $A(284) = (14(284) - 3038)/284 = \boxed{3.30}$

B) Interpret the economic significance of each the values in part (A).

The average profit for manufacturing & selling 1 unit is \$-3024 (loss).
 The average profit per unit for manufacturing & selling 217 units is \$0 (Break-even).
 The average profit per unit for manufacturing & selling 284 units is \$3.30.

C) What trend do you notice in the values of $A(n)$ as n gets large? Explain this trend in economic terms.

Sol: as $n \rightarrow \infty$, $A(n) \rightarrow 14$.

As more units are manufactured & sold, the average profit per unit levels off to \$14 since that is the long behavior of $A(n)$.

2. (10 points) Let $P = 30 \ln(t)$ give the annual profit of a company (in thousands of dollars) t years after its formation.

What is $P^{-1}(80)$? Round to the nearest whole number and include units. Explain what this expression means in the context of this problem.

Sol: $P = 30 \ln t$
 $80 = 30 \ln t$
 $\frac{80}{30} = \ln t$

$e^{\frac{80}{30}} = t$
 $t = 14.392$
 $\boxed{t = 14 \text{ yrs}}$

The annual profit of a company is \$80,000, 14 years after its formation.

3. (10 points) List a set functions $(g(x), h(x), p(x))$ that is a decomposition of $f(x) = \cos^6(\ln x)$ in the form of $g(h(p(x)))$.

Sol.
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$$f(x) = \cos^6(\ln x)$$

$$g(x) = x^6$$

$$h(x) = \cos x$$

$$p(x) = \ln x$$

Verify: $g(h(p(x))) = g(h(\ln x)) = g(\cos(\ln x))$

$$= \cos^6(\ln x) \quad \Downarrow$$

4. (10 points) Write a possible formula for a rational function, $f(x)$, with zeros at $x = -5$, $x = 2$, vertical asymptotes at $x = 11$, $x = -13$, and a horizontal asymptote at $y = 2$.

Sol.
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denominator

Long-run behavior.

numerator

$$f(x) = k \cdot \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$$

$$f(x) = k \cdot \frac{(x+5)(x-2)}{(x-11)(x+13)} ; \quad k=2 \text{ (since } y=2 \text{ is the H.A.)}$$

Thus,

$$f(x) = 2 \frac{(x+5)(x-2)}{(x-11)(x+13)}$$

5. (20 points) Given the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+6} - \frac{x}{x-3}$.

A) Rewrite the function $f(x) = \frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$, a ratio of polynomials (Get a common denominator and subtract).

Sol. $f(x) = \frac{1(x-3) - x(x+6)}{(x+6)(x-3)} = \frac{-x^2 - 5x - 3}{x^2 + 3x - 18} = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)}$

$= \frac{x-3 - x^2 - 6x}{x^2 + 3x - 18}$

B) Find any vertical asymptotes

Sol. V.A. = set the denominator to zero.

$$(x+6)(x-3) = 0$$

$$\boxed{x = -6}; \boxed{x = 3}$$

C) Find any horizontal asymptotes.

Sol. H.A. $\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{-x^2 - 5x - 3}{x^2 + 3x - 18} = \frac{\text{degree} = 2}{\text{degree} = 2} = -\frac{1}{1} = -1$

Thus, $\boxed{y = -1}$

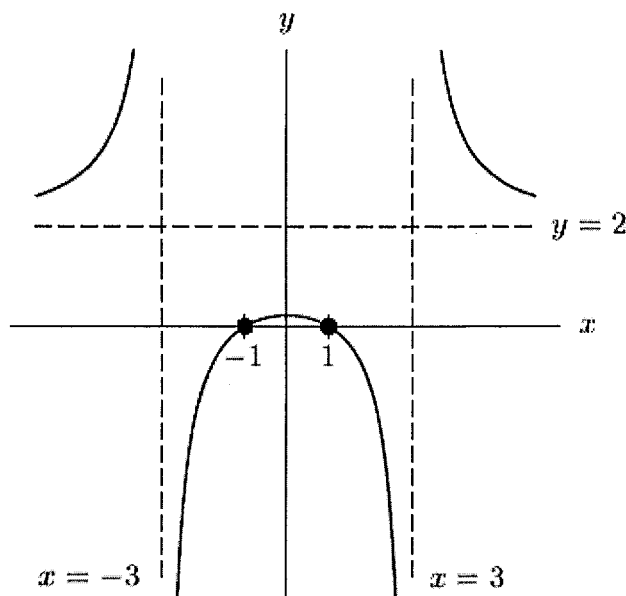
D) Describe the long term behavior of the graph.

Sol. Long-run behavior of $f(x) = \frac{\text{leading coeff. term of } P(x)}{\text{leading coeff. term of } Q(x)}$

$= \frac{-x^2}{x^2} = \boxed{-1}$

Thus, as $x \rightarrow \infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow -1$
as $x \rightarrow -\infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow -1$

6. (12 points) The graph of $f(x) = \frac{16}{x^2 - 9} + 2$ is shown below.



A) State the domain of $f(x)$. What are the vertical asymptotes?

Sol. DOMAIN: $(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$
VERTICAL Asymptotes: $x = -3$; $x = 3$

B) Does $f(x)$ have an inverse over the domain you stated in part A? Explain your reasoning.

Sol. No, $f(x)$ does not have an inverse over the domain stated in part (A) because it fails H.L.T.

C) Define (Restrict) a new domain and find the inverse of $f(x) = \frac{16}{x^2 - 9} + 2$.

Sol. New Domain: $[0, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

$$y = \frac{16}{x^2 - 9} + 2$$

$$x = \frac{16}{y^2 - 9} + 2$$

$$x - 2 = \frac{16}{y^2 - 9}$$

$$y^2 - 9 = \frac{16}{x - 2}$$

$$y^2 = \frac{16}{x - 2} + 9$$

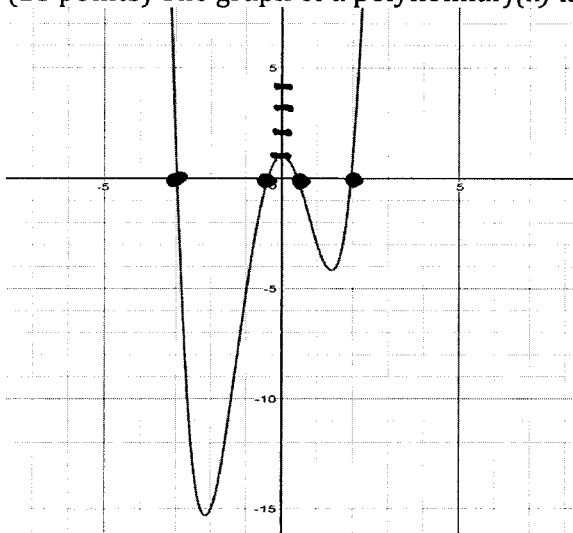
$$y = \sqrt{\frac{16}{x - 2} + 9}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{16}{x - 2} + 9}$$

7. (8 points) Suppose f and g are invertible functions such that $f(-12) = -9$, $f(-13) = -4$, $f(-14) = -7$, $g(-2) = -12$, $g(-7) = -4$, and $g(-4) = -9$. Find $f^{-1}(g(f(-13)))$.

Sol. $f^{-1}(g(f(-13))) = f^{-1}(g(-4)) = f^{-1}(-9) = \boxed{-12}$

8. (18 points) The graph of a polynomial $f(x)$ is shown.



- A) What is the y-intercept of $f(x)$?

Sol. $(0, 1)$

- B) What are the zeros of $f(x)$? State which of these are multiple zeros and whether their multiplicities are even or odd. Give reasons for your conclusions.

Sol. $(-3, 0); (-\frac{1}{2}, 0); (\frac{1}{2}, 0); (2, 0) \Rightarrow$ All single zeros because the graph crosses the x-axis @ $x = -3; -\frac{1}{2}; \frac{1}{2}; 2$. odd multiplicity.

- C) What is the long run behavior of $f(x)$?

Sol. Long-run behavior: $\frac{2}{3}x^4$ & as $x \rightarrow \infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$
as $x \rightarrow -\infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$.

- D) Find a possible formula for $f(x)$. Do not multiply the factors.

Sol. $f(x) = k(x+3)(x+\frac{1}{2})(x-\frac{1}{2})(x-2)$

$1 = k\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)$
 $k = \frac{2}{3}$

$1 = k(0+3)(0+\frac{1}{2})(0-\frac{1}{2})(0-2)$

$1 = k(3)(\frac{1}{2})(-\frac{1}{2})(-2)$

Thus,
 $f(x) = \frac{2}{3}(x+3)(x+\frac{1}{2})(x-\frac{1}{2})(x-2)$

Bonus If $\frac{3\pi}{2} < \theta < 2\pi$ and $\sin(\theta) = \frac{-4}{7}$, find $\sin(2\theta)$, $\cos(2\theta)$, and $\tan(2\theta)$ exactly.

Double Angle Formulas

$$\sin 2\theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$= 2\cos^2 \theta - 1$$

$$= 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta$$

$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 - \tan^2 \theta}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(2\theta) &= 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta \\ &= 2 \left(\frac{-4}{7} \right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{33}}{7} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \boxed{-\frac{8\sqrt{33}}{49}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(2\theta) &= 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta \\ &= 1 - 2 \left(\frac{-4}{7} \right)^2 \\ &= 1 - 2 \left(\frac{16}{49} \right) \end{aligned}$$

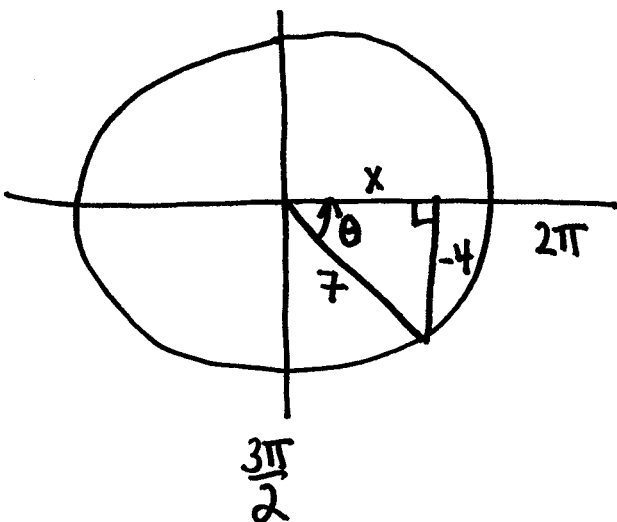
$$= 1 - \frac{32}{49}$$

$$= \frac{49}{49} - \frac{32}{49} = \boxed{\frac{17}{49}}$$

$$\tan(2\theta) = \frac{\sin(2\theta)}{\cos(2\theta)}$$

$$= \frac{-\frac{8\sqrt{33}}{49}}{\frac{17}{49}} = \boxed{-\frac{8\sqrt{33}}{17}}$$

Sol.



$$(x)^2 + (-4)^2 = (7)^2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 + 16 = 49 \\ -16 \quad -16 \end{array}$$

$$x^2 = 33$$

$$\boxed{x = \sqrt{33}}$$