

## Test 2

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Solution 2/27/14

**MULTIPLE CHOICE.** Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

Find the power function that the graph of  $f$  resembles for large values of  $|x|$ .

1)  $f(x) = -x^2(x+9)^3(x^2-1)$

A)  $y = x^7$

B)  $y = -x^7$

C)  $y = x^2$

D)  $y = x^3$

1) B

$$y \sim -x^2 \cdot x^3 \cdot x^2 \sim -x^7$$

Find the real zeros of the function. List the  $x$ -intercepts of the graph of the function.

2)  $f(x) = 4(x+1)^2 + 15(x+1) + 9$

A)  $x = -\frac{7}{16}, x = -3$

B)  $x = \frac{1}{2}, x = 2$

C)  $x = -\frac{7}{4}, x = -4$

D)  $x = -\frac{3}{4}, x = -4$

2) C

$$f(x)=0; (x+1)=y \rightarrow 4y^2+15y+9=0$$

Find the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts of  $f$ .

3)  $f(x) = (x+5)(x-4)(x+4)$

A)  $x$ -intercepts:  $-5, -4, 4$ ;  $y$ -intercept:  $80$

C)  $x$ -intercepts:  $-5, -4, 4$ ;  $y$ -intercept:  $-80$

B)  $x$ -intercepts:  $-4, 4, 5$ ;  $y$ -intercept:  $80$

D)  $x$ -intercepts:  $-4, 4, 5$ ;  $y$ -intercept:  $-80$

3) C

$$(4y+3)(y+3) \quad y=-3 \quad x=-4$$

$$\alpha y = -3/4 \quad x = -7/4$$

$$x\text{-int } -5, -4, 4 \quad y\text{-int } -80$$

Find the zeros of the quadratic function by completing the square. List the  $x$ -intercepts of the graph of the function.

4)  $f(x) = x^2 - \frac{5}{2}x + \frac{25}{16}$

A)  $x = -\frac{5}{4}, x = \frac{5}{4}$

B)  $x = \frac{5}{4}, x = -\frac{5}{4}$

C)  $x = \frac{5}{4}, x = \frac{5}{4}$

D)  $x = -\frac{5}{4}, x = -\frac{5}{4}$

4) C

$$f(x) = x^2 - \frac{5}{2}x + \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^2 + \frac{25}{16} - \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^2 = \left(x - \frac{5}{4}\right)^2$$

Find the zeros of the quadratic function using the Square Root Method. List the  $x$ -intercepts of the graph of the function.

5)  $h(x) = (x+5)^2 - 49$

A)  $x = -12$

B)  $x = -12, x = 2$

C)  $x = 2$

D)  $x = -7, x = 7$

5) B

$$x+5 = \pm 7 \quad x = -5 \pm 7 \quad \begin{matrix} -12 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$$

For the polynomial, list each real zero and its multiplicity. Determine whether the graph crosses or touches the  $x$ -axis at each  $x$ -intercept.

6)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^4(x^2-3)(x-3)$

A) 0, multiplicity 4, crosses  $x$ -axis;  
3, multiplicity 1, touches  $x$ -axis

C) 0, multiplicity 4, crosses  $x$ -axis;  
3, multiplicity 1, touches  $x$ -axis;  
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D) 0, multiplicity 4, touches  $x$ -axis;  
3, multiplicity 1, crosses  $x$ -axis

6) B

List the potential rational zeros of the polynomial function. Do not find the zeros.

7)  $f(x) = 6x^4 + 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 2$

- A)  $\pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{3}{2}, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \pm 6$

- C)  $\pm \frac{1}{6}, \pm \frac{1}{3}, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm 1, \pm 2$

B)  $\pm \frac{1}{6}, \pm \frac{1}{3}, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{2}{3}, \pm 1, \pm 2$

$$\text{D)} \pm \frac{1}{6}, \pm \frac{1}{3}, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{2}{3}, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3$$

7) 13

**Solve the problem.**

- 8) As part of a physics experiment, Ming drops a baseball from the top of a 330-foot building. To the nearest tenth of a second, for how many seconds will the baseball fall? (Hint: Use the formula  $h = 16t^2$ , which gives the distance  $h$ , in feet, that a free-falling object travels in  $t$  seconds.)

- A) 1.1 sec

- B) 82.5 sec

- (C) 4.5 sec

- D) 20.6 sec

$$330 = 16t^2 \quad \therefore \frac{330}{16} = t^2 \quad \therefore t = \frac{\sqrt{330}}{2}$$

Use the Factor Theorem to determine whether  $x - c$  is a factor of  $f$ . If it is, write  $f$  in factored form, that is, write  $f$  in the form  $f(x) = (x - c)(\text{quotient})$ .

9)  $f(x) = x^4 + 11x^3 + 3x^2 + 28x - 55$ ;  $c = -11$

- A) No

B) Yes;  $f(x) = (x - 11)(x^3 + 3x + 5)$

D) Yes;  $f(x) = (x + 11)(x^3 + 3x - 5)$

9) D

C) Yes;  $f(x) = (x + 11)(x^3 + x - 5)$

-11	11	3	28	-55
-11	4	-33	55	
1	0	3	-5	0

yes

Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to determine whether the polynomial function has a zero in the given interval.

10)  $f(x) = 10x^3 - 8x^2 + 2x + 1; [-1, 0]$

- A)  $f(-1) = -19$  and  $f(0) = 1$ ; yes

- C)  $f(-1) = 19$  and  $f(0) = 1$ ; no

B)  $f(-1) = -19$  and  $f(0) = -1$ ; no

D)  $f(-1) = 19$  and  $f(0) = -1$ ; yes

10) A

**SHORT ANSWER.** Write the word or phrase that best completes each statement or answers the question.

Find the real zeros, if any, of each quadratic function using the quadratic formula. List the x-intercepts, if any, of the graph of the function. Show Work for Full Credit.

11)  $H(x) = 4x^2 - 11x - 3$

11)  $\boxed{-\frac{1}{4}, 3}$

$$X = \frac{11 \pm \sqrt{121 - 4(4)(-3)}}{8} = \frac{11 \pm \sqrt{121 + 48}}{8} = \frac{11 \pm \sqrt{169}}{8} \begin{cases} \frac{11+13}{8} = \boxed{3} \\ \frac{11-13}{8} = \boxed{-\frac{1}{4}} \end{cases}$$

Use factoring to find the zeros of the quadratic function. List the x-intercepts of the graph of the function. Show Work for Full Credit.

12)  $h(x) = x^2 + 6x - 40$

12)  $-10,4$

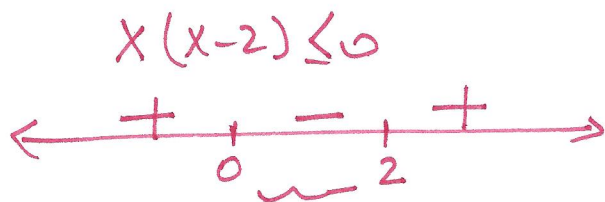
$$h(x) = (x+10)(x-4)$$

$$x = -10, 4$$

Solve the inequality. Show Work for Full Credit.

13)  $x^2 - 2x \leq 0$

13)  $[0, 2]$



Find the vertex and axis of symmetry of the graph of the function.

14)  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 3$

14)  $x = -1$  axis of symmetry.

$= (x^2 + 2x + 1) - 3 - 1$

$f(x) = (x+1)^2 - 4$

Vertex  $(-1, -4)$

Analyze the graph of the given function  $f$  as follows:

(a) Determine the end behavior: find the power function that the graph of  $f$  resembles for large values of  $|x|$ .

(b) Find the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts of the graph.

(c) Determine whether the graph crosses or touches the  $x$ -axis at each  $x$ -intercept.

(d) Use the information obtained in (a) - (c) to draw a complete graph of  $f$  by hand. Label all intercepts and turning points.

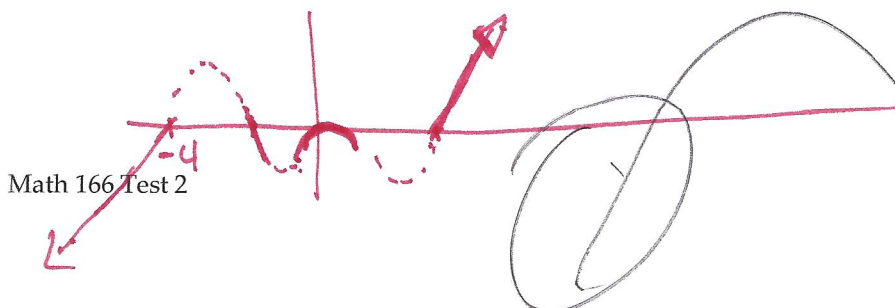
15)  $f(x) = x^2(x^2 - 4)(x + 4)$

15) \_\_\_\_\_

a) as  $x \rightarrow \infty$   $f(x) \sim x^5 \rightarrow \infty$   
as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$

b)  $x$ -int  $0, 2, -2, -4$   
 $y$ -int  $0$

c) at  $0$  touch at  $x = 2, -2$  and  $-4$  crosses.





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B)  $y = x^2$

C)  $y = x^3$

D)  $y = -x^7$

1)

D

$$f(x) \sim -x^2 x^3 x^2 = -x^7$$

Find the real zeros of the function. List the  $x$ -intercepts of the graph of the function.

2)  $f(x) = 2(x+1)^2 + 7(x+1) + 5$

A)  $x = -\frac{5}{2}, x = -2$

B)  $x = 2, x = 0$

C)  $x = -\frac{7}{2}, x = -2$

D)  $x = -\frac{7}{4}, x = -1$

2)

C

$$y = (x+1)$$

$$2y^2 + 7y + 5 = 0 \therefore (2y+5)(y+1) = 0$$

$$y = -1 \quad y = -\frac{5}{2}$$

Find the  $x$ - and  $y$ -intercepts of  $f$ .

3)  $f(x) = (x+5)(x-3)(x+3)$

A)  $x$ -intercepts:  $-5, -3, 3$ ;  $y$ -intercept:  $45$

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4)  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x + \frac{5}{4}$

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D)  $x = \frac{5}{2}, x = \frac{1}{2}$

4)

C

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5)  $h(x) = (x+4)^2 - 36$

A)  $x = -6, x = 6$

B)  $x = 2$

C)  $x = -10$

D)  $x = -10, x = 2$

5)

D

For the polynomial, list each real zero and its multiplicity. Determine whether the graph crosses or touches the  $x$ -axis at each  $x$ -intercept.

6)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2(x^2 - 5)(x - 6)$

- A) 0, multiplicity 2, touches  $x$ -axis;  
 6, multiplicity 1, crosses  $x$ -axis;  
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7) B

**Solve the problem.**

- 8) As part of a physics experiment, Ming drops a baseball from the top of a 315-foot building. To the nearest tenth of a second, for how many seconds will the baseball fall? (Hint: Use the formula  $h = 16t^2$ , which gives the distance  $h$ , in feet, that a free-falling object travels in  $t$  seconds.)

- A) 19.7 sec

- B) 78.8 sec

- C) 1.1 sec

- D) 4.4 sec

$$16t^2 = 315$$

$$t^2 = \frac{315}{16} \therefore t = \frac{\sqrt{315}}{4} = 4.4 \text{ sec}$$

Use the Factor Theorem to determine whether  $x - c$  is a factor of  $f$ . If it is, write  $f$  in factored form, that is, write  $f$  in the form  $f(x) = (x - c)(\text{quotient})$ .

9)  $f(x) = x^4 + 6x^3 + 5x^2 + 27x - 18; c = -6$

- A) No

C) Yes;  $f(x) = (x + 6)(x^3 + x - 3)$

B) Yes;  $f(x) = (x + 6)(x^3 + 5x - 3)$

D) Yes;  $f(x) = (x - 6)(x^3 + 5x + 3)$

9) B

Use the Intermediate Value Theorem to determine whether the polynomial function has a zero in the given interval.

10)  $f(x) = 3x^3 - 8x^2 - 10x - 1; [3, 4]$

- A)  $f(3) = -22$  and  $f(4) = 23$ ; yes

- C)  $f(3) = 22$  and  $f(4) = -23$ ; yes

B)  $f(3) = -22$  and  $f(4) = -23$ ; no

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$$23 \pm \sqrt{(23)^2 - 4(4)(-6)}$$



11)  $x = -\frac{1}{4}, x = 6$

Use factoring to find the zeros of the quadratic function. List the x-intercepts of the graph of the function. Show Work for Full Credit.

$$12) h(x) = x^2 + 3x - 10$$

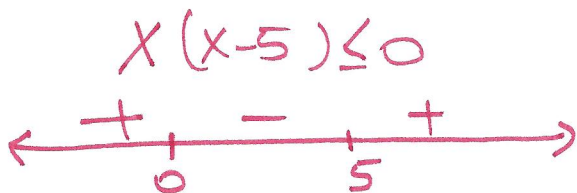
$$(x+5)(x-2)=0$$

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14)  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 8$

14)  $X = -1$  axis of Sym  
Vertex  $(-1, -9)$

$f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1 - 8 - 1$

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b, c)  $x$ -int  $0$  touch,  $2$  crosses,  $-2$  crosses,  $-4$  crosses.  
 $y$ -int  $0$

