

Math 156 PRECALCULUS  
Fall 2015

**Quiz 6 – Version A**

Thursday, October 22, 2015

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

This quiz has 6 problems worth a total of 30 points. It is TWO SIDED.

1. (5 points) Let  $f(x) = 5x^2 + 2x - 1$ .

(a) Express  $f$  in standard form.

(b) Find the vertex of  $f$ .

2. (6 points) Given  $f(x) = -4(x + 5)^2 + 9$ , a quadratic function in standard form, answer the questions below.

(a) Find the  $y$ -intercept(s) of  $f$ , or state that none exist.

(b) Find the  $x$ -intercept(s) of  $f$ , or state that none exist.

(c) Find the range of  $f(x)$ .

3. (6 points) Let  $g(x) = \frac{8x^3}{x^3+6x^2+8x}$ .

(a) Find all horizontal asymptotes, if any exist.

(b) Find all vertical asymptotes, if any exist.

(c) Find all  $y$ -intercepts, if any exist.

4. (4 points) Solve the inequality  $\frac{x-3}{2x+5} \geq 1$ .

5. (5 points) For  $P(x) = \frac{-1}{6}(x+2)(x-1)^2(x-3)$ . Sketch the graph of  $P(x)$ . Label any  $x$ - or  $y$ -intercepts and exhibit the proper end behavior.

6. (4 points) Find the quotient,  $Q(x)$ , and remainder,  $R(x)$ , of  $\frac{x^4+4x^3-8x^2+15}{x^2-3}$  using long division. **Make sure you identify them!**