

Pre-Calculus First Semester Review

Non-Calculator

For the following:

- (a) Identify the parent
- (b) Describe the transformation.
- (c) Sketch the graph.

[1.5] 1. $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+2} - 3$

- a) _____
 b) _____

[1.4] 2. $f(x) = -2|x+3| + 1$

- a) $y = |x|$
 b) $(x-3, -2y+1)$

$0,0 \rightarrow (-3, 1)$
 $(-1, 1) \rightarrow (-4, -1)$
 $(1, 1) \rightarrow (-2, -1)$

[1.5] 3. $f(x) = -2(x+1)^2 + 4$

- [2.1]
 a) $y = x^2$
 b) $(x-1, -2y+4)$

Vertex: $(-1, 4)$

Axis of symmetry: $x = -1$

$-2, 4 \rightarrow (-3, -4)$
 $-1, 1 \rightarrow (-2, 2)$
 $0, 0 \rightarrow (-1, 4)$
 $1, 1 \rightarrow (0, 2)$
 $2, 4 \rightarrow (1, -4)$

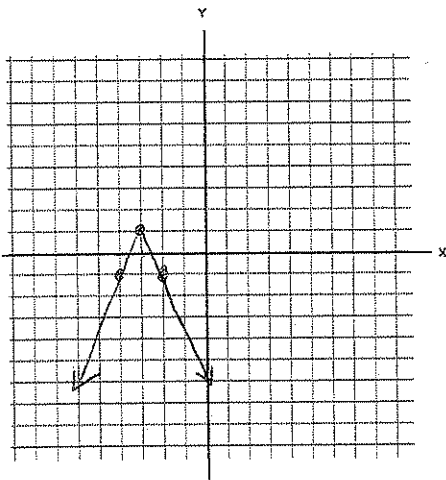
[1.5] 4. $f(x) = x^2 + 8x + 11$

- [2.1]
 a) $y = x^2$
 b) _____

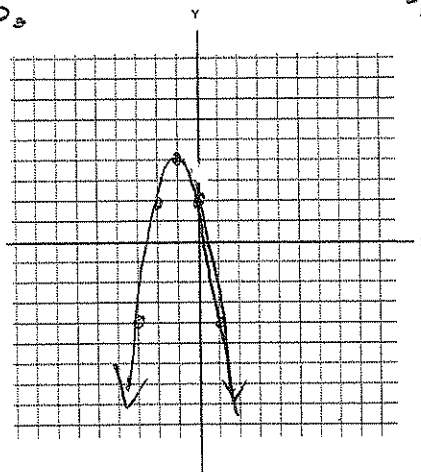
Vertex: $x = \frac{-b}{2a} = -4$ $y = (-4)^2 + 8(-4) + 11 = -5$
 $(-4, -5)$

Axis of symmetry: $x = -4$

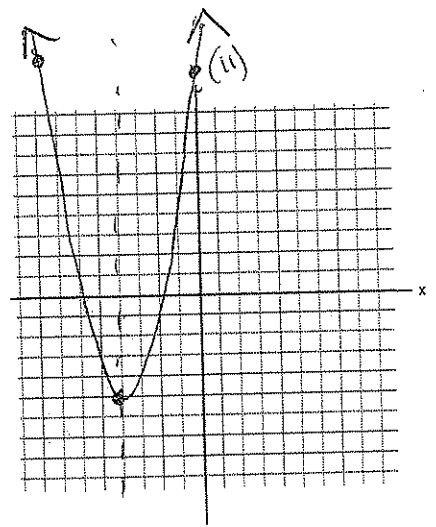
2.



3.



4.



Solve. Check for extraneous roots.

[P3] 8. $2(5-2y) - 3(1-y) \geq y+1$

$$10 - 4y - 3 + 3y \geq y+1$$

$$-2y \geq -6$$

$$y \leq 3$$

$(-\infty, 3]$

[P5] 10. $|2x-5| > 4.2$

$$2x-5 > 4.2 \quad 2x-5 < -4.2$$

$$2x > 9.2 \quad 2x < .8$$

$$x > 4.6 \quad x < .4$$

$(-\infty, .4) \cup (4.6, \infty)$

[P5] 12. $\frac{x^2+3x}{x+1} + \frac{x+1}{x-2} = \frac{15}{x^2-x-2}$

[2.7]

$$(x-2)3x + (x+1)5 = 15$$

$$3x^2 - 6x + 5x + 5 = 15$$

$$3x^2 - x - 10 = 0$$

$$(3x+5)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = -5/3, 2$$

2 is an extraneous root

[P5] 14. $-3 \leq 1-2x < 7$

$$-4 \leq -2x < 6$$

$$2 \geq x > -3$$

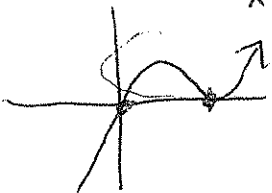
$(-3, 2]$

[2.8] 16. $x^3 - 2x^2 + x \geq 0$

$$x(x^2 - 2x + 1) \geq 0$$

$$x(x-1)(x-1) \geq 0$$

$$x = 0, 1 \text{ (mult 2)}$$



section $\geq x=0$

is $[0, \infty)$

[P3] 9. $\frac{x-2}{3} + \frac{x+5}{2} = \frac{1}{3}$

$$2x - 4 + 3x + 15 = 2$$

$$5x = -9$$

$x = -9/5$

[P5] 11. $|-x+4| - 3 \leq 7$

$$|-x+4| \leq 10$$

$$-x+4 \leq 10$$

$$-x \leq 6$$

$$x \geq -6$$

$$-x+4 \geq -10$$

$$-x \geq -14$$

$$x \leq 14$$

$[-6, 14]$

[P5] 13. $4x^2 - 7x + 5 = 0$

$$x = \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{49 - 4(4)(5)}}{2(4)}$$

$$= \frac{7 \pm \sqrt{-31}}{8}$$

$$x = \frac{7 \pm i\sqrt{31}}{8}$$

no real roots

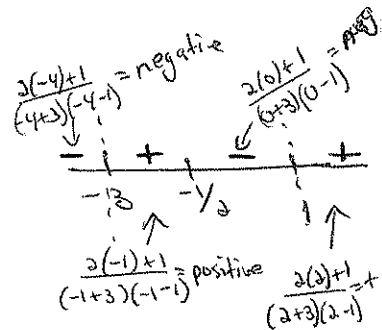
[2.8] 15. $\frac{2x+1}{(x+3)(x-1)} \leq 0$

asymptote $= x = -3, x = 1$

$$2x+1 = 0$$

$$x = -1/2$$

$(-\infty, -3) \cup [-1/2, 1)$



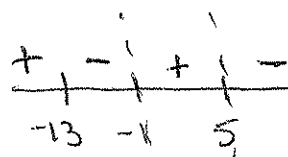
[2.8] 17. $\frac{x^5-2}{x+1} - \frac{3}{x-5} > 0$

$$2(x-5) - 3(x+1) = 0$$

$$2x - 10 - 3x - 3 = 0$$

$$-13 = x$$

asymptote $\rightarrow x = -1, x = 5$



$(-\infty, -13) \cup (-1, 5)$

[P1] Simplify. Express your answer without negative exponents.

$$18. \frac{(uv^{-2})^{-3}}{u^{-5}v^2} = \frac{u^{-3 \cdot 6} v^6}{u^{-5} v^2} = \frac{u^{18} v^6}{u^{-5} v^2} = \frac{u^{23} v^4}{uv}$$

$$19. \frac{4a^3b}{a^2b^3} \cdot \frac{3b^2}{2a^2b^4} = \frac{6}{ab^4}$$

[P4] 20. Write a general form equation of a line a) parallel to and b) perpendicular to $5x - y = 7$ and passing through the point $(3, -4)$.

$$y = 5x - 7 \\ \text{slope} = 5$$

a) parallel slope = 5

$$y + 4 = 5(x - 3) \\ \boxed{y = 5x - 19}$$

b) perp slope = $-\frac{1}{5}$

$$y + 4 = -\frac{1}{5}(x - 3) \\ y + 4 = -\frac{1}{5}x + \frac{3}{5} \\ 5y + 20 = -x + 3 \rightarrow \boxed{x + 5y = -17}$$

[1.2] Find the domain. Express the answer in interval notation.

21. $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 3}$ Domain = \mathbb{R}

$$x^2 + 3 \geq 0 \\ x^2 \geq -3 \\ \text{all real \#s} \\ (-\infty, \infty)$$

22. $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x-5}$ $x \geq 0$
 $x \neq 5$

$$\boxed{[0, 5) \cup (5, \infty)}$$

[1.3] Prove algebraically whether the function is even, odd, or neither.

23. $f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x$

$$f(-x) = 3(-x)^3 - 2(-x) \\ = -3x^3 + 2x \\ \underline{f(-x) \neq f(x) \rightarrow \text{not even}} \\ -f(x) = -(3x^3 - 2x) \\ = -3x^3 + 2x \\ -f(x) = f(-x) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{ODD}}$$

24. $f(x) = -2x^4 - 4x + 7$

$$f(-x) = -2(-x)^4 - 4(-x) + 7 \\ = -2x^4 + 4x + 7 \\ \underline{f(-x) \neq f(x) \rightarrow \text{not even}} \\ -f(x) = -(-2x^4 - 4x + 7) \\ = 2x^4 + 4x - 7 \\ -f(x) \neq f(-x) \rightarrow \text{not odd}$$

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[1.4] Given $f(x) = (x-4)^2$, $g(x) = 2x - 3$ and $h(x) = \sqrt{x+5}$ Find and simplify the answer.

25. $f \circ h(4)$

$$h(4) = \sqrt{4+5} = 3 \\ f(h(4)) \\ f(3) = (3-4)^2 = (-1)^2 = \boxed{1}$$

26. $g(f(x))$

$$2(f(x)) - 3 \\ = 2(x-4)^2 - 3 \\ = 2(x^2 - 8x + 16) - 3 = \boxed{2x^2 - 16x + 29}$$

27. $f + g$

$$(x-4)^2 + 2x - 3 \\ = x^2 - 8x + 16 + 2x - 3 \\ = \boxed{x^2 - 6x + 13}$$

28. fg

$$(x-4)^2 (2x-3) \\ = (x^2 - 8x + 16)(2x-3) \\ = 2x^3 - 16x^2 + 32x - 3x^2 + 24x - 48 \\ = \boxed{2x^3 - 19x^2 + 56x - 48}$$

[1.4] 29. Given: $f(x) = x^3 + 2$. Find $f^{-1}(x)$.


$$\begin{aligned} y &= x^3 + 2 \\ x &= y^3 + 2 \\ x - 2 &= y^3 \end{aligned} \quad y = \sqrt[3]{x-2} \quad \rightarrow \quad f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-2}$$

[1.4] 30. Prove that f and g are inverses of each other.


$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= 2x + 8 & g(x) &= \frac{x-8}{2} \\ f(g(x)) &= 2\left(\frac{x-8}{2}\right) + 8 & g(f(x)) &= \frac{2x+8-8}{2} \\ &= x-8+8 & &= \frac{2x}{2} \\ &= x & &= x \end{aligned}$$

$$f(g(x)) = g(f(x)) = x$$

[2.3] Describe the end behavior of the polynomial using **limit** notation.

31. $f(x) = -2x^3 + 4x^2 + 1$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) &= -\infty \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) &= \infty \end{aligned}$$

32. $f(x) = 3x^4 + x^2 - 5$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) &= \infty \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) &= \infty \end{aligned}$$

[2.3] Find the zeros of the function algebraically.

33. $f(x) = 3x^2 + 2x - 5$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= (3x+5)(x-1) \\ 3x+5 &= 0 & x-1 &= 0 \\ x &= -5/3 & x &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

34. $f(x) = x^3 - 36x$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= x(x^2 - 36) \\ 0 &= x(x-6)(x+6) \\ x &= 0, \pm 6 \end{aligned}$$

[2.4] Find the zeros of the function and write the function as a product of linear and irreducible quadratic factors all with real coefficients.

35. $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - x - 2$, given that $x = 2$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} 2 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -2 \\ & & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ \hline & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1-4(1)(1)}}{2(1)}, \quad \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

no more real roots

roots $\rightarrow 2, \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$

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

36. $f(x) = x^4 + 3x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 4$, given that $x = 1$ and $x = -4$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrr} 1 & 1 & 3 & -3 & 3 & -4 \\ & & 1 & 4 & 2 & 4 \\ \hline -4 & 1 & 4 & 1 & 4 & 0 \\ & & -4 & 0 & -4 & \\ \hline & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array}$$

roots $\rightarrow 1, -4, \pm i$

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

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + x &= 0 \\ x^2 &= -1 \\ x &= \pm i \end{aligned}$$

[2.7] Find (if it exists) the a) asymptotes b) intercepts and c) domain of the function. Sketch the graph by hand.

37. $g(x) = \frac{4x-5}{x-3}$

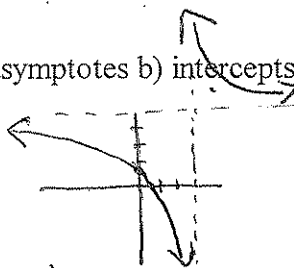
a) asy $\rightarrow x=3$ and $y=4$

b) x int $\rightarrow 4x-5=0$
 $x = 4/5$

y int $\rightarrow \frac{4(0)-5}{0-3} = \frac{5}{3}$

c) $(-\infty, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

$g(4) = \frac{11}{1} = 11$



38. $g(x) = \frac{2x^2}{x^2-x-6} = \frac{2x^2}{(x-3)(x+2)}$

a) asy $\rightarrow x=3$ and $x=-2$
and $y = \frac{2x^2}{x^2} = 2$

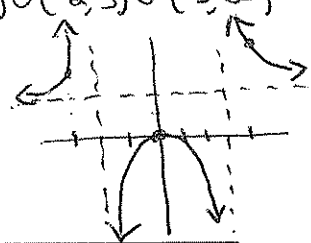
b) x int $\rightarrow 2x^2=0 \rightarrow x=0$

y int $\rightarrow y = \frac{2(0)^2}{0^2-0-6} = 0$

c) $(-\infty, -2) \cup (-2, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

$g(-3) = \frac{18}{6} = 3$

$g(4) = \frac{16}{3} = 5\frac{1}{3}$



[2.5] 40. Write in $a + bi$ form: $\frac{2+4i(3+2i)}{3-2i(3+2i)}$

$= \frac{6+4i+12i+8i^2}{9-4i^2} = \frac{-2+16i}{13} = \frac{-2}{13} + \frac{16i}{13}$

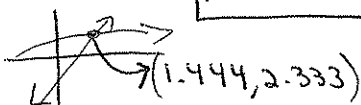
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[1.1] Solve by graphing.

41. $3x-2 = \sqrt{x+4}$

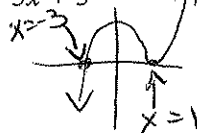
$x = 1.444$

$Y_1 = 3x-2$
 $Y_2 = \sqrt{x+4}$



42. $0 = x^3 + x^2 - 5x + 3$

$x = 1, -3$



[1.2] 43. Find all a) local maxima and minima and b) identify intervals on which the function is increasing, decreasing, or constant.

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

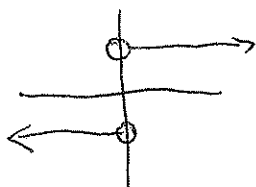
a) $12.236 \rightarrow$ local max
 $-3.051 \rightarrow$ local min

b) increasing $(-\infty, -2.23) \cup (.897, \infty)$
decreasing $(-2.23, .897)$

[1.2] Graph the function and tell whether or not it has a point of discontinuity at $x=0$. If there is a discontinuity, tell whether it is removable or non-removable.

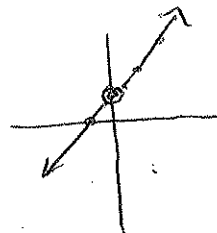
44. $f(x) = \frac{|x|}{x}$

yes, discontinuous @ $x=0$
non-removable



45. $h(x) = \frac{x^2+x}{x} = \frac{x(x+1)}{x} = x+1$

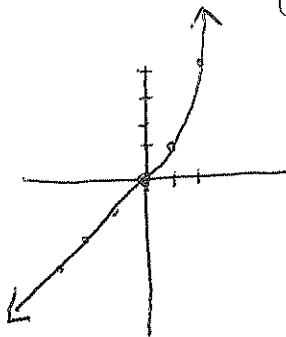
yes, discontinuous @ $x=0$



removable

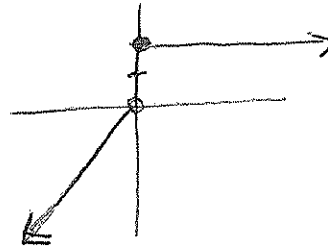
[1.3] Sketch the graph of the piecewise-defined function. State whether the function is continuous or discontinuous at $x = 0$.

46. $f(x) = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ x^2 & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$



continuous @ $x=0$

47. $f(x) = \begin{cases} -|x| & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 2 & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$



discontinuous
@ $x=0$

[2.1] 51. Write an equation for the linear function f with $f(-3) = -2$ and $f(4) = -8$. Express your answer in general form.

$(-3, -2)$ $(4, -8)$ $m = \frac{-6}{7}$

$y + 2 = -\frac{6}{7}(x + 3)$

$y + 2 = -\frac{6}{7}x - \frac{18}{7}$

$7y + 14 = -6x - 18$

$6x + 7y = -32$

[2.1] 53. The table below gives the weight and pulse rate of selected mammals.

a) Write a power regression equation and state the power and constant of variation.

Mammal	Body Weight	Pulse Rate (beats/min)
Rat	0.2	420
Guinea Pig	0.3	300
Rabbit	2	205
Small Dog	5	120
Large Dog	30	85
Sheep	50	70
Human	70	72

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$y = 231.2x^{-.297}$

b) Use the regression equation to determine the pulse rate of a human weighing 12 pounds.

$Y_1(12) = 110.563 \text{ bts/min}$

[2.4] Divide. Write a summary statement in polynomial form. Determine if the first polynomial is a factor of the second polynomial.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 54. \quad 2x+1; 6x^3-5x^2+9 \\
 \quad 3x^2-4x+2 + \frac{7}{2x+1} \\
 2x+1 \overline{) 6x^3-5x^2+0x+9} \\
 \underline{6x^3+3x^2} \\
 -8x^2+0x \\
 \underline{+8x^2+4x} \\
 4x+9 \\
 \underline{4x+2} \\
 7
 \end{array}$$

(7) no, not a factor

$$55. x-5; x^3-4x^2-7x+10$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 5 \overline{) 1} \quad -4 \quad -7 \quad 10 \\
 \phantom{5 \overline{) 1}} \quad 5 \quad 5 \quad -10 \\
 \hline
 1 \quad 1 \quad -2 \quad 0
 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{x^3-4x^2-7x+10}{x-5} = x^2+x-2$$

yes it is a factor

$$\frac{6x^3-5x^2+9}{2x+1} = 3x^2-4x+2 + \frac{7}{2x+1}$$

[2.4 & 2.6] Find a polynomial equation with the given zeros. Express answers in standard form.

$$56. \quad \frac{1}{3}, -2, 5$$

$$(x+2)(x-5)(3x-1)$$

$$(x^2-3x-10)(3x-1)$$

$$\boxed{3x^3-10x^2-27x+10}$$

$$57. \text{ a) } -1, 2-i$$

$$(x+1)(x-2-i)(x-2+i)$$

$$(x+1)(x^2-2x+ix-2x+4-2i-ix+2i-i^2)$$

$$(x+1)(x^2-4x+5)$$

$$\boxed{x^3-3x^2+x+5}$$

$$\text{ b) } 3, 4i$$

$$(x-3)(x+4i)(x-4i)$$

$$(x-3)(x^2-16i^2)$$

$$(x-3)(x^2+16)$$

$$\boxed{x^3-3x^2+16x-48}$$