

## 7.2 Quadratics + it's many forms

Vertex form:  $y = a(x-h)^2 + k$

vertex:  $(h, k)$

min/max:  $a > 0$  min  
 $a < 0$  max

line of symmetry:  $x = h$

x-intercept: substitute  $y = 0$   
solve for  $x$ : Use sq root method.

y-intercept: substitute  $x = 0$   
Use Order of Operations.

Ex |  $y = (x-4)^2 - 8$

Ex |  $y = -\frac{1}{2}(x+6)^2 - 10$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid y = 3(x+9)^2 - 18 \quad \underline{\text{Ex}} \mid y = \frac{2}{3}(x-7)^2 - 5$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid y = 2(x+12)^2 - 72$$

# 7.3 Completing the Square:

Standard Form:  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

Vertex Form:  $y = a(x-h)^2 + k$

① Put ( )'s around  $(ax^2 + bx)$

② Factor out "a" from inside the ( )'s

③ Take  $\frac{1}{2}$  of b; square it; put it inside ( )'s

$$y = a\left(x^2 + bx + \frac{(b)^2}{4}\right) + c - \frac{(b)^2}{4} \cdot a$$

$$y = a\left(x + \frac{b}{2}\right) + \frac{c - \frac{(b)^2}{4} \cdot a}{a}$$

④ multiply "a" by  $\left(\frac{b}{2}\right)^2$ ; add opposite sign to "c"

⑤ Solve For: vertex, min/max, line of sym,  
x-int, y-int

Ex |  $y = x^2 - 20x + 19$

Ex |  $y = x^2 + 14x + 29$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid y = 4x^2 + 24x - 31$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid y = \frac{5}{6}x^2 - 35x + 486$$

# 7.1 + 7.2 Polynomial Degree + Finite Differences and Equivalent Quadratic Forms.

Writing Polynomial Eqns:

① 1<sup>st</sup> degree: Use  $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$

② 2<sup>nd</sup> degree: Use  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

step 1: Substitute (3) x's + (3) corres y's

step 2: Use  $A^{-1}B$  to solve for a, b, and c.

Ex

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
y	-6	-10	-20	-36	-58	-86	-120

Ex

x	1	2	3	4	5	6
y	7	3	1	1	3	7

Ex

x	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5
y	-30	-28.5	-26	-22.5	-18	-12.5	-6	1.5	10	19.5

Ex | -6 -10 -20 -36 -58 -86 -120

Ex | 7 3 1 1 3 7

Ex | -30 -28.5 -26 -22.5 -18 -12.5 -6 1.5 10 19.5

7.2 General/Standard Form:  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

Vertex Form:  $y = a(x-h)^2 + k$

Factored:  $y = a(x-p)(x-q)$

## 7.4 Solving Quadratics

Solve using:

- ① Factor
- ② Square Root
- ③ Quadratic Formula
- ④ Complete the Square

Ex |  $2x^2 - 4x = 21$

Ex |  $2x^2 - 6x = 176$

Ex |  $(x-18)^2 = 1521$

Evaluate: Find exact ans.

$$\frac{-8 + \sqrt{8^2 - 4(2)(2)}}{2(2)}$$



Write in Factored form

Ex)  $y = x^2 - 6x - 40$

Ex)  $y = 4x^2 - 8x - 60$

Write quad eqn in general/standard form

①  $y = a(x - r_1)(x - r_2)$

② substitute

③ find 'a' if necessary

④ multiply

Ex |  $a=3$     x-int:  $-6$  and  $5$

Ex | x-int:  $10$  and  $-4$     y-int:  $6$

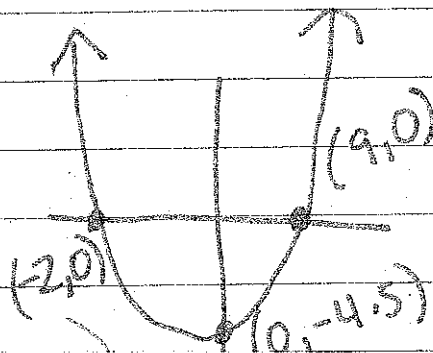
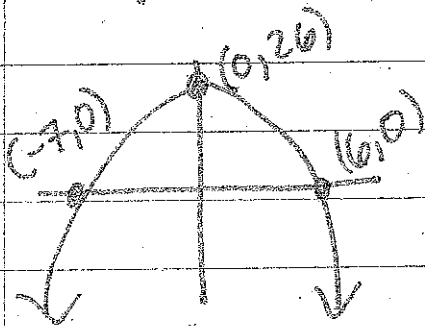
Ex | x-int:  $2.7$     y-int:  $-3.24$

## 7.6 Factoring Polynomials

Find  $x$  &  $y$  intercepts

Ex)  $y = (x-9)(x+8)$  Ex)  $y = -(x+13)^2$  Ex)  $y = .45(x-10)(x+15)$

Write the factored form of the quad function  
Vertical scale factor: Use matrix eqn.  
to find  $a$ .



## Product of factors

EX  $x^2 - 19$

EX  $x^2 + 22$

EX  $x^4 - 17x^2 + 16$

EX  $x^3 + 2x^2 - 13x + 10$  (use calc)

## Sketch

a) quad function no real zero,  
axis of sym.  $x = -3$

b) cubic function, two real zeros  
and a positive y-int.

Long Division: use when divisor has an exponent or the lead term has a coefficient other than 1.

- ① set up division: fill in missing terms with zeros.
- ② identify the controller: lead term on divisor
- ③ divide: distribute over the divisor
- ④ subtract: change to addition distribute the neg. through
- ⑤ Repeat
- ⑥ Write answer.

Synthetic division  $(x \pm C)$

- ① set up
- ② change sign on C #
- ③ put coefficients of poly. on top row. fill in missing terms.
- ④ Drop lead
- ⑤ multiply and add
- ⑥ Write answer one degree lower than original problem.

$$x^2 + 2x - 5 \sqrt{4x^5 + 8x^4 - 11x^3 + 12x^2 - 61x + 32}$$

$$8x - 13 \sqrt{48x^5 - 54x^4 - 95x^3 + 107x^2 - 66x + 65}$$

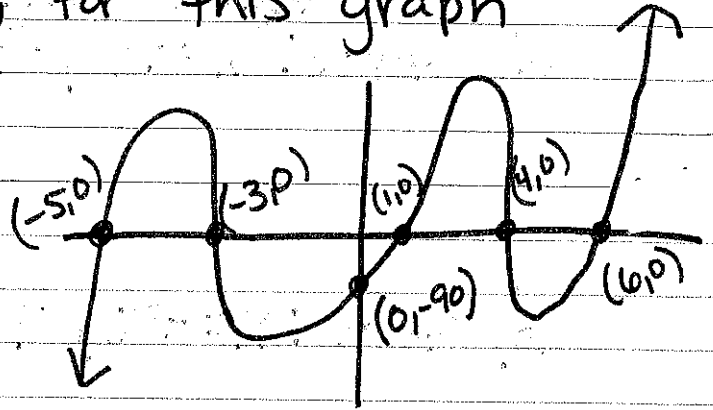
$$(11x^4 - 8x^2 + 7) \div (x - 2)$$

$$(3x^5 + 4x^4 - 6x + 15) \div (x + 4)$$

## 7.7 Higher-Degree Polynomials

Answer the following for this graph

- Identify the zeros
- Find the y-int
- What is the lowest possible degree?
- Write the equation in factored form.



- Write a polynomial with these features:
- a linear function whose graph has x-int of 4.
  - A quad function whose graph has only one x-int, 4.
  - a cubic function whose graph has only one x-int, 4.



Write the lowest-degree poly with the given info, then give the lowest degree possible.

a) zeros:  $x = \frac{1}{3}, -\frac{2}{5}, 0$      $y$ -int:  $0$

b) zeros:  $x = -5i, -1$  (triple root),  $4$      $y$ -int:  $-100$

# Worksheet

## 9.4 Notes

To find remainder  $P(x) \div (x-c)$

① Divide  
or

② Evaluate  $P(c)$

Ex)  $(x^4 + 5x^3 - 5x^2 + 45x - 126)$  at  $x=3$   
 $x=-7$

Find the missing factors: <sup>Calc</sup> Divide

Ex)  $x^3 + 13x^2 + 34x - 48 = (x+6)(?)(?)$

Ex)  $5x^3 - 58x^2 + 111x + 54 = (x-9)(?)(?)$

$V = 6x^3 + 49x^2 - 106x + 40$  find the  
width + height if the length =  
 $= x+10$

## List of possible Rational Roots (Calc table)

- 1) put equation in descending order
- 2)  $p$  # last number or coefficient on last term
- 3)  $q$  # coefficient on lead term
- 4) List factors of  $p$  # use  $\pm$
- 5) List factors of  $q$  #
- 6) List of possible rational zeros (roots)  
 $\pm p/q$

Ex |  $f(x) = x^5 - 7x^4 + 8x^3 - 5x^2 + 12x - 32$   
(leave 5 lines)

Ex |  $g(x) = 3x^4 + 10x^3 - 14x + 10$   
(leave 5 lines)

Ex |  $h(x) = 8x^3 + 3x^2 - 18x - 24$   
(leave 5 lines)

Solve higher (greater than 2) order polynomials

- ① make list
- ② put eq in  $Y_1$
- ③ table set  
Start: 0  
 $\Delta$ TBL:  $1/a$  or  $1/q$
- ④ Table: find all the roots you can
  - a) If Roots = Degree, you're finished
  - b) If Roots < Degree, synthetically divide until you have a 2<sup>nd</sup> degree equation.
    - 1) quad formula
    - 2) complete square
    - 3) sq root property

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x + 12$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid g(x) = x^3 - 5x^2 + 9x - 45$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid g(x) = 12x^5 - 67x^4 + 39x^3 + 96x^2 + 2x - 12$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid h(x) = 6x^3 + 17x^2 + 6x - 8$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid f(x) = x^4 - 21x^2 - 100$$

## 9.4 Worksheet Directions

1-6  $\rightarrow$  Use the best choice:

Synthetic or long  
Write your ans. like normal

7-9  $\rightarrow$  Just write the final ans  
from the syn. division.

10-13  $\rightarrow$  Synthetic division

14-17  $\rightarrow$  Plug in the # and give ans. for  
 $f(x)$ .

18-21  $\rightarrow$  Use synthetic for the first zero,  
the use trinomial factoring.

22-25  $\rightarrow$  follow directions

9.6

Number of Solutions = Degree

Ex]  $x^4 + 5x^3 - 7x^2 + 10x = 19$

1-4

Ex]  $-8x^5 + 13x^3 + 6x - 2 = 0$

To determine if  $x$  is a zero

① Synthetically divide: zero remainder  
or

② Remainder Theorem: Substitute for  $x$ : evaluate

5-8

Ex]  $f(x) = x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 - 32x - 240, x = -4i$

Ex]  $g(x) = x^4 + 7x^3 - 6x^2 + 14x - 16, x = 2$

Zeros  $\rightarrow$  factors ①  $x =$

② move across =

9-12

Ex]  $-6, 9, -3$

Ex]  $0, 4, 6i, -6i$

Write a polynomial function (Standard form)  
from zeros

13-16

①  $x =$

② move across =

③ multiply (always multiply conjugates)

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid -5, 1, 6$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid 0, 3, 4i, -4i$$

x-int  $\rightarrow$  factors: Same as zeros  $\rightarrow$  factors

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid (-7, 0)(1, 0)(4, 0) \quad \underline{\text{Ex}} \mid (0, 0)(2, 0)(-8, 0)$$

Polynomial function given x-int: same as  
... from zeros

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid (-9, 0)(0, 0) \quad \underline{\text{Ex}} \mid (-4, 0)(1, 0)(4, 0)$$

Write polynomial function as product of  
linear (1<sup>st</sup> degree) factors.

- ① calc: roots
- ② syn: divide
- ③ factor: or solve
- ④ write as factors

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid x^3 - 2x^2 + 25x - 50$$

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \mid 3x^4 - 5x^3 + 11x^2 - 15x + 6$$

Irrational and Complex Solutions  
come in conjugate pairs.

If  $3+7\sqrt{21}$  is a solution, then  
\_\_\_\_\_ is a solution.

If  $2-5i$  is a solution, then \_\_\_\_\_  
is a solution.

If 7 is a solution, then is  $-7$  a solution?

Find the missing zeros

Ex | 6<sup>th</sup> degree, zeros at 20, -3,  $4+9i$ ,  $-5-7\sqrt{2}$

Ex | 3<sup>rd</sup> degree, zeros at  $6-i$ , 8

List <sup>all</sup> possible rational roots

Ex |  $f(x) = 6x^4 + 11x^2 - 24$

Ex |  $g(x) = x^9 - 3x^7 + 5x^3 - 50$



Find all the Zeros

$$\text{Ex}_1) f(x) = 4x^5 - 43x^4 + 61x^3 + 290x^2 - 92x - 40$$

$$\text{Ex}_2) g(x) = 2x^3 - 11x^2 + 174x + 90$$