

Writing Equations of Lines

Find the eq of the line given: $f(1)=3$

$$\underline{(1,3)} \quad \underline{(3,7)} \quad f(3)=7$$

$$m = \frac{7-3}{3-1} = \frac{4}{2} = 2$$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - 3 = 2(x - 1)$$

$$y - 3 = 2x - 2$$

$$y = 2x + 1$$

Quadratic Equations:

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Standard Form: ↓

$$y = ax^2 + bx + c$$

Graphing or Vertex Form: ↓

$$\rightarrow y = a(x - h)^2 + k \swarrow$$

vertex: (h,k)

axis of symmetry $x=h$

how do you change from standard to vertex form???

$$y = x^2 + 4x - 7$$

$$\frac{4}{2} = 2^2 = 4$$

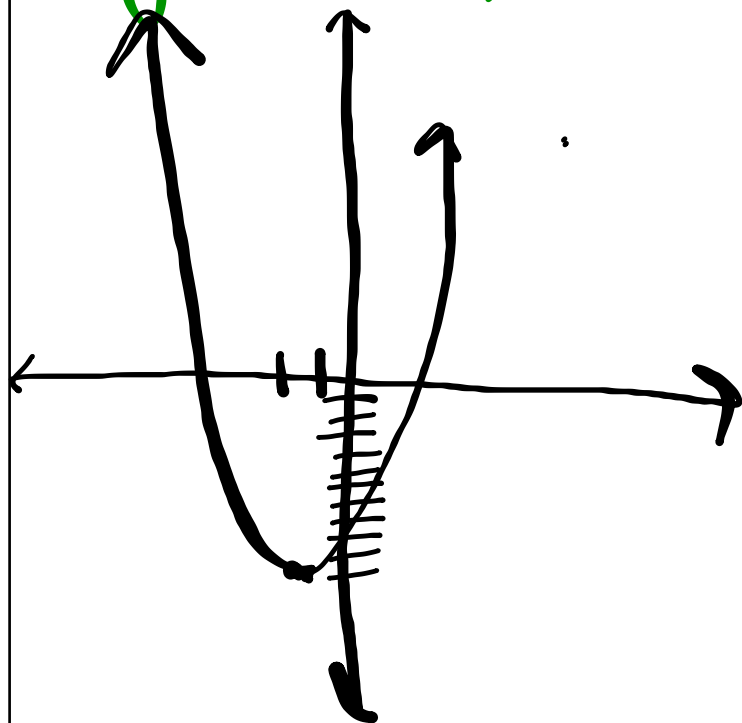
$$y + 7 + \underline{4} = x^2 + \underline{4}x + \underline{4}$$

$$y + 11 = (x + 2)^2$$

$$y = (x + 2)^2 - 11$$

$$V: (-2, -11)$$

$$a: x = -2$$



$$y = 3x^2 + 4x - 2$$

Write the eq. of the parabola w/ vertex $(-2, -3)$ & point $(-4, -5)$

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

$$-5 = a(-4+2)^2 - 3$$

$$-5 = a(-2)^2 - 3$$

$$-5 = 4a - 3$$

$$\frac{-2}{4} = \frac{4a}{4}$$

$$a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}(x+2)^2 - 3$$

End Behavior (polynomial)

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End Behavior is determined by the degree of the polynomial and the coefficient of the leading term. The mathematical notation is written using limits.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) =$$

← left end

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) =$$

← right end

Odd Degree: the left & right ends go in opp. directions

(+) coeff.

(-) coeff.

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \infty$$

Even Degree: both ends go in the same direction

(+) coeff.

(-) coeff.

both up

both down

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = -\infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty$$



Find the zeros of: $y = 3x^3 - 5x^2 + 2x$

Given the zeros, write a polynomial equation of given degree:

~~degree 5, zeros: 0, 2, -5~~
 $x(x-2)(x+5)^2$

degree 4, zeros: -2, 2

degree 4, zeros: -5, 0, 5

multiplicity

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The **power** of the factor determines the nature of the intersection at the point $x = a$.
(This is referred to as the **multiplicity**.)

Straight intersection:

$(x - a)^1$ The power of the zero is 1.

Tangent intersection :

$(x - a)^{\text{even}}$ The power of the zero is even.

Inflection intersection: (like a slide through)

$(x - a)^{\text{odd}}$ The power of the zero is odd.

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

Zero: 3 mult: 2

Zero: -2 mult: 1

Graph and decide end behavior

a) $f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - 11x - 12$



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} f(x) = -\infty$$

b) $g(x) = 2x^4 + 2x^3 - 22x^2 - 18x - 35$



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = \infty$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} g(x) = \infty$$

Practice:

Sketch the graph of:

$$y = x^2 (x+5)^3 (x+1)^2$$

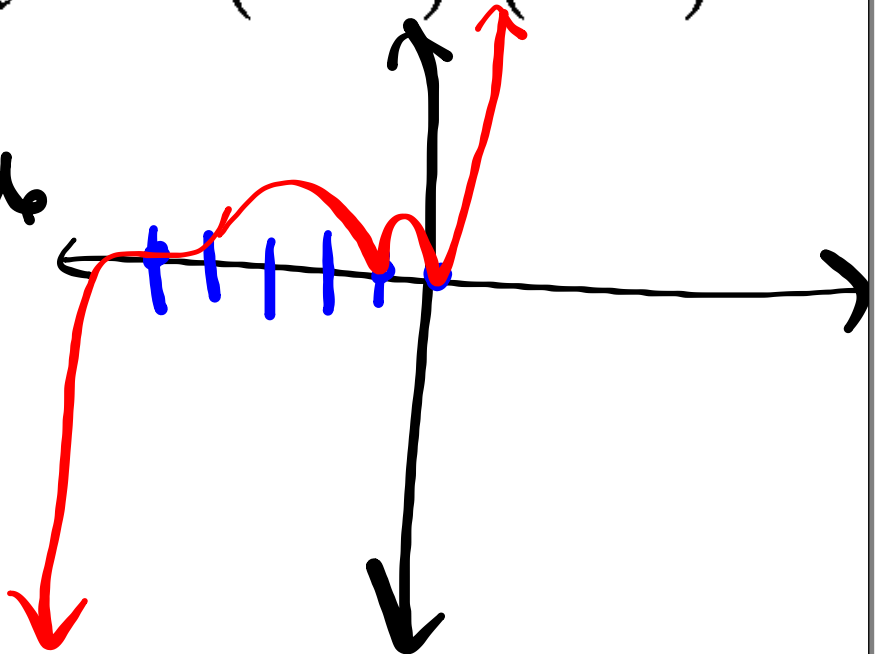
0 : 2 - Bounce

-5 : 3 - hug/slide

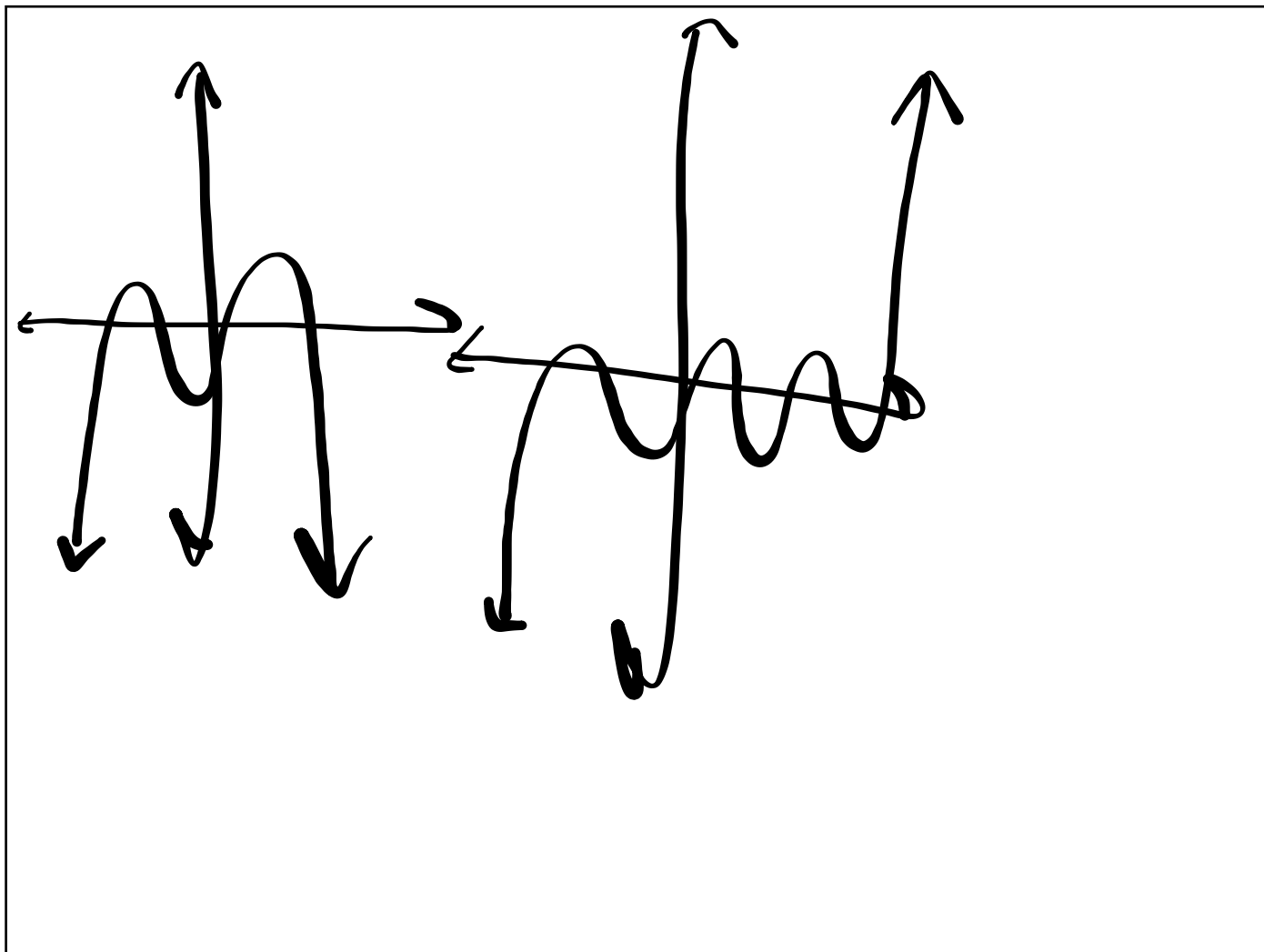
-1 : 2 - Bounce

D: 7

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$$y = -5x^2 (x-2)^2 (x+4)^2$$



Use the Remainder & Factor Thm. to find if the first polynomial is a factor of the second: (there are 2 ways)

$$x - 3 ; x^3 - x^2 - x - 15$$



Rational Root Theorem:

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if all coefficients are integers and the constant is not 0,
then all possible rational roots are:

$$x = \pm \frac{\text{factors of constant}}{\text{factors of leading coefficient}}$$

or $x = \pm \frac{p}{q}$ when

p = factors of constant

q = factors of leading coefficient

Prove all the zeros of $2x^4 - 7x^3 - 8x^2 + 14x + 8$ must lie in the interval $[-2, 5]$

Find all the zeros of: $2x^4 - 7x^3 - 8x^2 + 14x + 8$

1. Rational Roots Theorem
2. Graph to find zeros
3. Synthetically Divide
4. Divide until Quadratic
5. Solve the Quadratic

