



MATH 140: WEEK-IN-REVIEW 8 (CHAPTER 5.2) * a_0 any real #

$f(x) = a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$ * $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$
non-negative integer

1. Determine if the given function is a polynomial function. If the answer is yes, state the degree, leading term, leading coefficient, and constant term.

(a) $f(x) = 5x^{-1} - 7^x + 12x^{2.6}$ X not a polynomial

* $5x^{-1} \rightarrow$ negative power

* $7^x \rightarrow$ variable power

* $12x^{2.6} \rightarrow$ power not a positive integer

(b) $g(r) = 9^8 + \sqrt[3]{10} r^2 - 4r^3 + \frac{3}{4}r$ ✓ polynomial

* degree: 3

* leading term: $-4r^3$

* leading coefficient: -4

* constant term: $9^8 = 43046721$

2. Describe the end behavior of each polynomial function. Draw a quick sketch of the end behavior.

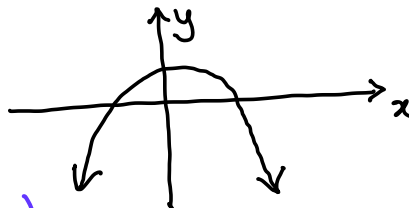
(a) $f(x) = -23x^6 + 50x^3 - 7x + 1045$

* leading term: $-23x^6$

* degree: 6 (even)

* leading coefficient: -23 (negative)

$f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$ or as $x \rightarrow -\infty$



(b) $g(x) = 15x^4 - 19 + 3x^9 - 6x^2$

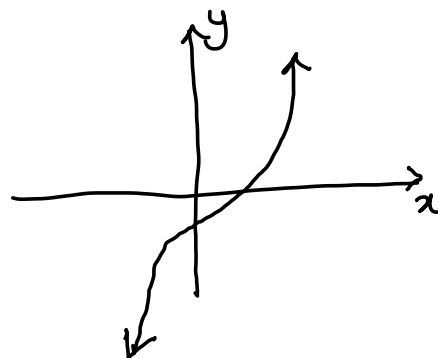
* leading term: $3x^9$

* degree: 9 (odd)

* leading coefficient: 3 (positive)

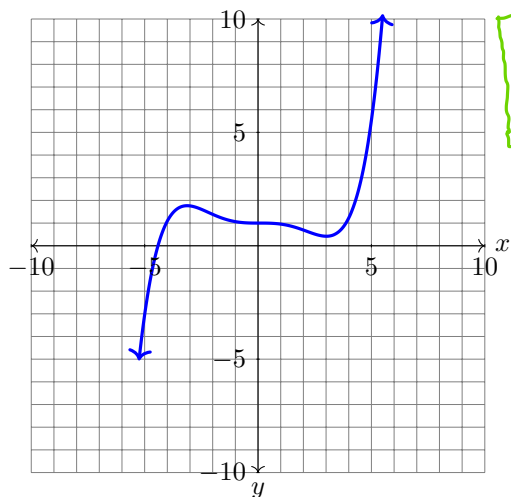
$f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$

$f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ as $x \rightarrow -\infty$





3. Describe the end behavior symbolically for the polynomial function, $f(x)$, graphed below.



* $f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$
* $f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ as $x \rightarrow -\infty$

* odd degree polynomial

* leading coefficient : positive

4. State the domain of each polynomial function. * all polynomials have domain $(-\infty, \infty)$

(a) $h(x) = 6x^{15} + 9x^2 - 30x$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ since $h(x)$ is a polynomial

(b) $g(r) = 15r^3 - r^4 + 5r^2 - 120$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ since $g(r)$ is a polynomial



5. Determine all exact real zeros, the x -intercept(s), and y -intercept of each given polynomial function, if possible.

(a) $f(x) = 7(3x + 4)(7 - 5x)$

y-intercept: $(0, f(0)) = (0, 196)$

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= 7(3 \cdot 0 + 4)(7 - 5 \cdot 0) \\ &= 7 \cdot 4 \cdot 7 \\ &= 196 \end{aligned}$$

x-intercepts: * ordered pairs *

$(-\frac{4}{3}, 0)$ and $(\frac{7}{5}, 0)$

(b) $g(x) = 10x^3 + 15x^2 - 30x = 5x(2x + 3)(x - 2)$

y-intercept: $(0, g(0)) = (0, 0)$

$g(0) = 5 \cdot 0 (2 \cdot 0 + 3)(0 - 2) = 0$

x-intercepts

$(0, 0)$, $(-\frac{3}{2}, 0)$, $(2, 0)$

(c) $h(r) = 5r^2 - r^3 + 4r - 20$

y-intercept: $(0, h(0)) = (0, -20)$

$h(0) = 5 \cdot 0^2 - 0^3 + 4 \cdot 0 - 20$

x-intercepts

$(5, 0)$, $(-2, 0)$, $(2, 0)$

(d) $k(x) = (x^2 + 5)(x^2 - 9)$

y-intercept: $(0, k(0)) = (0, -45)$

$k(0) = (0^2 + 5)(0^2 - 9) = (5)(-9) = -45$

Real zeros: Solve $k(x) = 0$ for x

$(x^2 + 5)(x^2 - 9) = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 + 5 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 = -5$ x no real solns

$x^2 - 9 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 = 9 \Rightarrow x = \pm 3$

Real zeros: Solve $f(x) = 0$ for x

$7(3x + 4)(7 - 5x) = 0$

$\Rightarrow 7 = 0$ X

$3x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{-4}{3} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{4}{3}$ ✓

$7 - 5x = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{-5x}{-5} = \frac{-7}{-5} \Rightarrow x = \frac{7}{5}$ ✓

Real zeros: Solve $g(x) = 0$ for x

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

* $5x = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0$ ✓

* $2x + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{2x}{2} = \frac{-3}{2} \Rightarrow x = -\frac{3}{2}$ ✓

* $x - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow x = 2$ ✓

constant term

Real zeros: * factor *

$h(r) = 5r^2 - r^3 + 4r - 20$

$= -r^3 + 5r^2 + 4r - 20$

$= -r^2(r - 5) + 4(r - 5)$

$= (r - 5)(4 - r^2)$

Solve $h(r) = 0$ for r :

$(r - 5)(4 - r^2) = 0 \Rightarrow r - 5 = 0 \Rightarrow r = 5$

$4 - r^2 = 0 \Rightarrow (2 - r)(2 + r) = 0$

$\Rightarrow r = \pm 2$



6. Determine the vertex, axis of symmetry, domain, range, x -intercept(s), y -intercept, maximum value and minimum value for each quadratic function, if they exist. * general form

(a) $f(x) = 3x^2 + 9x$

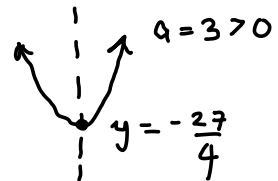
$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$

Vertex: $(h, k) = \left(-\frac{b}{2a}, f\left(-\frac{b}{2a}\right)\right)$, $h = \frac{-9}{2 \cdot 3} = -\frac{9}{6} = -\frac{3}{2}$, $k = 3\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + 9\left(-\frac{3}{2}\right) = -\frac{27}{4}$
 $= \left(-\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{27}{4}\right)$

Axis of symmetry: $x = -\frac{3}{2}$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ polynomial

Range: $\left[-\frac{27}{4}, \infty\right)$



y-intercept: $(0, f(0)) = (0, 0)$

Max: NONE

Real zeros: * factor or use quadratic formula *

Min: $y = -\frac{27}{4}$

$3x^2 + 9x = 3x(x+3) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{3x}{3} = \frac{0}{3} \Rightarrow x = 0$

$x+3=0 \Rightarrow x = -3$

x-ints: $(0, 0)$ and $(-3, 0)$

(b) $g(x) = 4x^2 - 3x + 1$

Vertex: $x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-(-3)}{2 \cdot 4} = \frac{3}{8}$, $y = g\left(\frac{3}{8}\right) = 4\left(\frac{3}{8}\right)^2 - 3\left(\frac{3}{8}\right) + 1 = \frac{7}{16}$

$\left(\frac{3}{8}, \frac{7}{16}\right)$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ polynomial

Axis of symmetry: $x = \frac{3}{8}$

Range: $\left[\frac{7}{16}, \infty\right)$

Max: none

Min: $y = \frac{7}{16}$

y-int: $(0, g(0)) = (0, 1)$ constant term

Real zeros: * quadratic formula if difficult to factor *

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{-(-3) \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - (4)(4)(1)}}{2 \cdot 4}$$

No x-intercepts

$$= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 16}}{8} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{-7}}{8}$$

no real solns
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no real zeros



(c) $h(x) = 16 - 25x^2 = -25x^2 + 0x + 16$

Vertex: $x = -\frac{b}{2a} = 0$, $y = 16 - 25 \cdot 0 = 16$

$(0, 16)$

Axis of symmetry: $x = 0$ (y-axis)

Real zeros: $16 - 25x^2 = 0$

* factor or use Quadratic formula x
 $(4 - 5x)(4 + 5x) = 0$

$4 - 5x = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{4}{5} = \frac{5x}{5} \Rightarrow \frac{4}{5} = x$

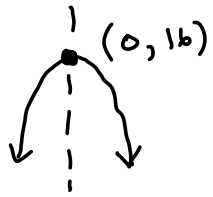
$4 + 5x = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{4}{-5} = \frac{-5x}{-5} \Rightarrow -\frac{4}{5} = x$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $(-\infty, 16]$

Max: $y = 16$

Min: NONE



x-int(s)

$(-\frac{4}{5}, 0)$ and $(\frac{4}{5}, 0)$

(d) $j(x) = 5x^2 - \frac{17}{2}x + \frac{3}{2}$

Vertex: $x = -\left(-\frac{17}{2}\right) = \frac{17}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{10} = \frac{17}{20}$, $y = 5\left(\frac{17}{20}\right)^2 - \frac{17}{2}\left(\frac{17}{20}\right) + \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{169}{80}$

$(\frac{17}{20}, -\frac{169}{80})$

Axis of symmetry: $x = \frac{17}{20}$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$, Range: $[-\frac{169}{80}, \infty)$

Max: NONE, Min: $y = -\frac{169}{80}$

Real zeros

$x = \frac{17}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{17}{2}\right)^2 - (4)(5)\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)} = \frac{17 \pm \sqrt{\frac{169}{4}}}{10} = \frac{17 \pm \frac{13}{2}}{10} = \frac{15}{10}, \frac{2}{10} = \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{5}$

x-ints: $(\frac{3}{2}, 0)$ and $(\frac{1}{5}, 0)$

y-int: $(0, \frac{3}{2})$

(e) $k(x) = 4x^2 - 20x + 25$

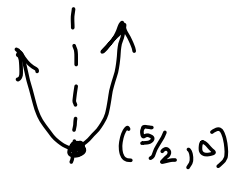
Vertex: $x = -\frac{(-20)}{2 \cdot 4} = \frac{20}{8} = \frac{5}{2}$, $y = 4\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)^2 - 20\left(\frac{5}{2}\right) + 25 = 0$

$(\frac{5}{2}, 0)$

Axis of symmetry: $x = \frac{5}{2}$

Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $[0, \infty)$



Real zeros:

$x = \frac{20 \pm \sqrt{400 - 400}}{8} = \frac{5}{2}$ * only one root

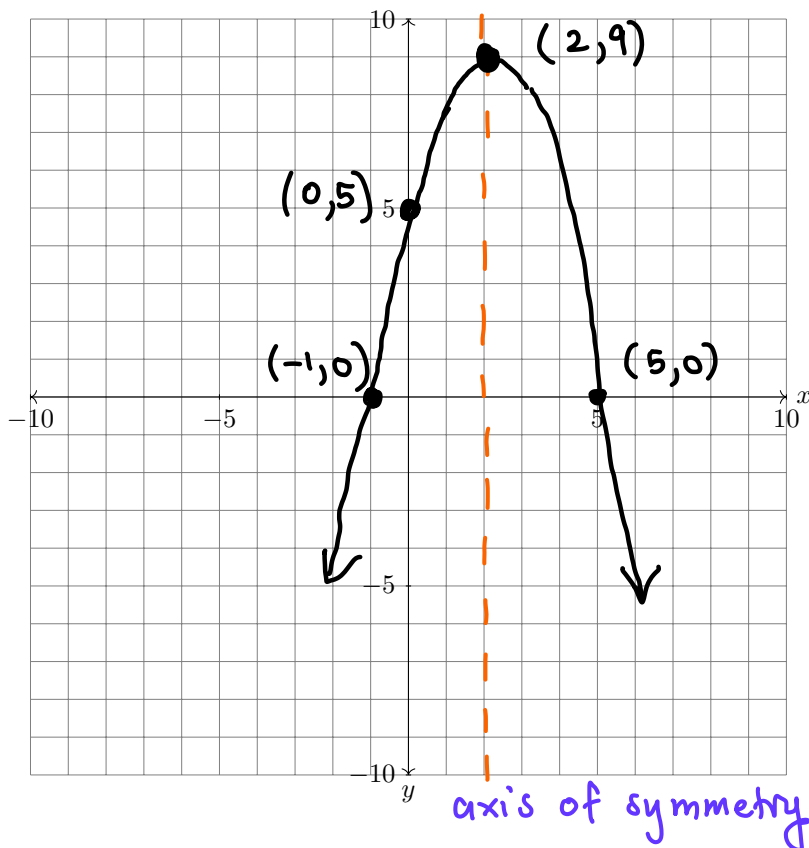
x-int: $(\frac{5}{2}, 0)$

y-int: $(0, 25)$



(f) Graph the quadratic function with the following properties

- i. As $x \rightarrow -\infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ and as $x \rightarrow \infty$, $h(x) \rightarrow -\infty$
- ii. $f(x)$ has real zeros at $x = -1, 5$.
- iii. There is a maximum value of 9.
- iv. The graph has a y -intercept of $(0, 5)$.





7. Use the given revenue function, $R(x)$, and cost function, $C(x)$, where x is the number of items made and sold, to determine each of the following. Assume both revenue and cost are given in dollars.

- The number of items sold when revenue is maximized.
- The maximum revenue.
- The number of items sold when profit is maximized.
- The maximum profit.
- The break-even quantity/quantities.



(a) $R(x) = -0.5x^2 + 100x$ and $C(x) = 40x + 1600$

(i) $x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{100}{2(-0.5)} = \frac{100}{1} = \boxed{100 \text{ items}}$ max revenue

(ii) $R(100) = -0.5(100^2) + (100)(100) = (0.5)(100^2) = \boxed{\$5000}$

(iii) $P(x) = R(x) - C(x) = -0.5x^2 + 100x - 40x - 1600$
 $= -0.5x^2 + 60x - 1600$

* find x to maximize profit *

$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{60}{2(-0.5)} = \frac{60}{1} = \boxed{60 \text{ items}}$

(iv) $P(60) = -0.5(60^2) + 60(60) - 1600$
 $= 0.5(60^2) - 1600$
 $= 1800 - 1600$
 $= \boxed{\$200} \rightarrow \text{max profit}$

(v) $P(x) = 0$ at break-even pnts

$x = \frac{-60 \pm \sqrt{60^2 - (4)(-0.5)(-1600)}}{2(-0.5)} = \frac{-60 \pm 20}{-1}$

$= 60 \pm 20$

$= \boxed{80, 40}$ * break-even quantities



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- The maximum revenue.
- The number of items sold when profit is maximized.
- The maximum profit.
- The break-even quantity/quantities.

(b) $R(x) = -4x^2 + 300x$ and $C(x) = 28x + 500$

(i) $x = -\frac{300}{2(-4)} = \frac{300}{8} = \boxed{37.5}$ * round to 38 if item is a whole

(ii) $R(37.5) = -4(37.5)^2 + 300(37.5) = \boxed{\$5625}$

(iii) $P(x) = R(x) - C(x) = -4x^2 + 300x - 28x - 500$
 $= -4x^2 + 272x - 500$

* to maximize profit *

$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{272}{2(-4)} = \frac{272}{8} = 34$ items

(iv) $P(34) = -4(34^2) + 272(34) - 500 = \boxed{\$4124}$

(v) $P(x) = 0$

$-4x^2 + 272x - 500 = 0$

$x = \frac{-272 \pm \sqrt{272^2 - (4)(-4)(-500)}}{2(-4)}$

$x \approx 1.8908$ or $x \approx 66.109$ * round-off if item is a whole

$x = 2$ or $x = 66$ * approximate break-even quantities



8. The demand function for a calculator is given by $p(x) = -\frac{1}{20}x + 100$ where $p(x)$ is the price in dollars. The fixed costs are \$1,280 and the variable costs are \$80 per calculator made.

(a) Determine the cost, revenue and profit as functions of the number of calculators made and sold.

$$C(x) = 80x + 1280$$

↑ ↑
variable fixed
costs costs

$$R(x) = px = \left(-\frac{1}{20}x + 100\right)x$$
$$= -\frac{1}{20}x^2 + 100x$$

$$P(x) = R(x) - C(x) = -\frac{1}{20}x^2 + 100x - 80x - 1280$$

$$P(x) = -\frac{1}{20}x^2 + 20x - 1280$$

(b) How many calculators must be sold to maximize profit?

$$x = \frac{-20}{\left(2 \cdot -\frac{1}{20}\right)} = \frac{20}{\left(\frac{1}{10}\right)} = (20)(10) = 200$$

* 200 calculators must be sold to maximize profit

(c) What is the maximum profit?

$$P(200) = -\frac{1}{20}(200)^2 + 20(200) - 1280$$
$$= \$720$$



9. The cost of manufacturing collectible bobble head figurines is given by $C(x) = 30x + 350$, where x is the number of collectible bobble head figurines produced. If each figurine has a price-demand function of $p(x) = -1.2x + 360$, in dollars, determine

(a) the company's profit function.

$$R(x) = px - (-1.2x + 360)x$$
$$= -1.2x^2 + 360x$$

$$P(x) = R(x) - C(x)$$
$$= -1.2x^2 + 360x - 30x - 350$$

$$P(x) = -1.2x^2 + 330x - 350$$

- (b) how many figurines must be sold in order to maximize revenue?

$$x = \frac{-360}{(2)(-1.2)} = \frac{360}{2.4} = 150$$

* 150 figurines must be sold to maximize revenue *

- (c) how many figurines must be sold in order to maximize profit?

$$x = \frac{-330}{(2)(-1.2)} = \frac{330}{2.4} = 137.5 \quad * \text{round up to } 138 *$$

* Approximately 138 figurines must be sold to maximize profit

- (d) at what price per figurine will the maximum profit be achieved?

* plug into price equation *

$$p(138) = -1.2(138) + 360 = \$194.40$$