

Unit 4

State how many complex zeros the function has and identify as real and non-real.

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

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C: 2 & \swarrow & R: 0 \\ & \downarrow & \\ & I: 2 & \end{array}$$

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

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C: 4 & \Rightarrow & R: 2 \\ & \downarrow & \\ & I: 2 & \end{array}$$

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

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C: 3 & \swarrow & R: 1 \\ & \downarrow & \\ & I: 2 & \end{array}$$

4. $f(x) = x^5 - 2x^2 - 3x + 6$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} C: 5 & \Rightarrow & R: 1 \\ & \downarrow & \\ & I: 2 & \end{array}$$

Write a polynomial in factored form given the following zeros.

5. $x = 1, 3i, -3i$

$$(x-1)(x-3i)(x+3i)$$

6. $x = 3, -2$ (mult of 2), $4i, -4i$

$$(x-3)(x+2)^2(x-4i)(x+4i)$$

Use the given zero to find all the zeros of the function.

7. $-4; x^3 + 4x^2 + 25x + 100$

$$\begin{array}{r} \downarrow \\ -4 | \begin{array}{rrrr} 1 & 4 & 25 & 100 \\ \downarrow & -4 & 0 & -100 \\ 1 & 0 & 25 & \underline{100} \\ a & b & c & \end{array} \end{array}$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

8. $2; x^4 - x^3 - x^2 - x - 2$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{use a calc.} \\ \downarrow \\ 2 | \begin{array}{rrrrr} 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 & -2 \\ \downarrow & 2 & 2 & 2 & 2 \\ 1x^3 + 1x^2 + 1x + 1 & & & & \underline{10} \\ \downarrow & -1 & 0 & -1 & \\ 1x^2 + 0x + 1 & & & & \underline{10} \\ a & b & c & & \end{array} \end{array}$$

9. $3i, f(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 9x + 9$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3i | \begin{array}{rrrr} 1 & 1 & 9 & 9 \\ \downarrow & 3i & 3i-9 & -9 \\ 1 & 1+3i & 3i & \underline{10} \\ x^2 & x & & \end{array} \end{array}$$

Unit 5

Convert the radical to exponent form and vice versa:

10. $(\sqrt[3]{x})^4$

$$\boxed{x^{\frac{4}{3}}}$$

11. $x^{\frac{8}{3}}$

$$\boxed{\sqrt[3]{x^8}}$$

Powers in the sky!
Roots in the ground!

Solve the following equations, check for extraneous solutions:

$$12. \sqrt{x-1} = 5^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-1 &= 25 \\ +1 &+1 \\ \hline x &= 26 \end{aligned}$$

Check: $\sqrt{26-1} = 5$
 $\sqrt{25} = 5 \checkmark$

$$14. ((x+4)^{\frac{1}{2}})^2 = 6^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x+4 &= 36 \\ -4 &-4 \\ \hline x &= 32 \end{aligned}$$

Check: $(32+4)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 6$
 $(36)^{\frac{1}{2}} = 6$
 $6 = 6 \checkmark$

$$13. (x-6)^2 = \sqrt{18-3x}^2$$

$$(x-6)(x-6) = 18-3x$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 12x + 36 &= 18-3x \\ +3x &+3x \\ \hline x^2 - 9x + 18 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$15. ((x-6)^{\frac{1}{2}})^2 = (x-2)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-6 &= (x-2)(x-2) \\ -x+6 &= x^2 - 4x + 4 \\ 0 &= x^2 - 5x + 10 \end{aligned}$$

No Solution

Not Factorable

Check:
 $6-6 = \sqrt{18-3(6)}$
 $0 = \sqrt{18-18}$
 $0 = 0$
 $0 = 0 \checkmark$

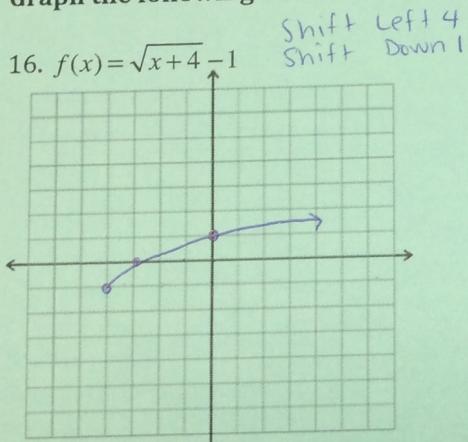
$$3-6 = \sqrt{18-3(3)}$$

$$-3 = \sqrt{18-9}$$

$$-3 = \sqrt{9}$$

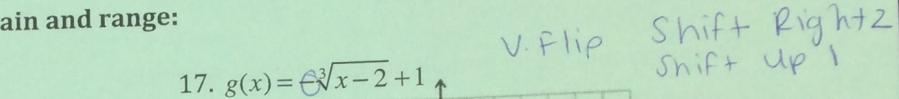
$$-3 = 3 \times$$

Graph the following and state the domain and range:



Domain: $[-4, \infty)$

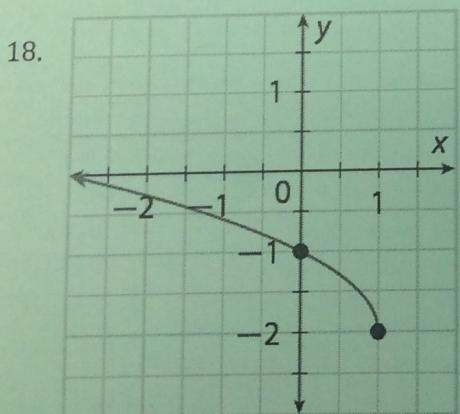
Range: $[-1, \infty)$



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

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

Write the equation for the following graphs:

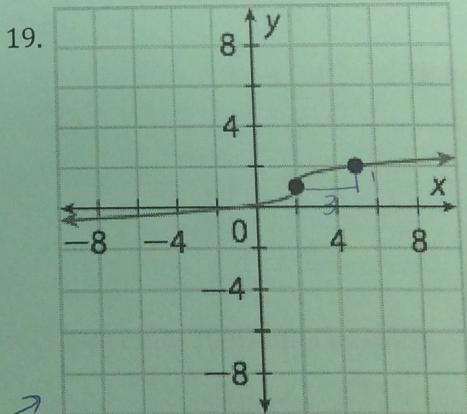


Shifts: Down 2, Right 1

Flip: Horizontal

$$f(x) = \sqrt{-(x-1)} - 2$$

careful w/ the scale!



Shifts: Right 2, Up 1

Stretch: H. Stretch by 3

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

Unit 6

Perform the following operations. List excluded values.

20. Divide $\frac{x+2}{x-4} \div \frac{x}{3x-12}$ $(x \neq 4, 0)$

$$\frac{x+2}{x-4} \cdot \frac{3(x-4)}{x} = \boxed{\frac{3(x+2)}{x}}$$

22. Add $\frac{1}{x^2+x} + \frac{(3-x)}{x}$, $(3+x)$

LCD: $(3+x)(x)$ $(x \neq -3, 0)$

$$\frac{x}{x(3+x)} + \frac{(3-x)(3+x)}{x(3+x)} = \boxed{\frac{-x^2+x+9}{x(3+x)}}$$

21. Multiply $\frac{(x-5)(x+1)}{3x-15} \cdot \frac{4}{(x-3)(x+1)}$ $(x \neq 5, 3, -1)$

$$\frac{(x-5)(x+1)}{3(x-5)} \cdot \frac{4}{(x-3)(x+1)} = \boxed{\frac{4}{3(x-3)}}$$

23. Subtract $\frac{4}{(x+1)(x-1)} - \frac{(x+2)(x+1)}{(x-1)(x+1)}$

LCD: $(x+1)(x-1)$ $(x \neq -1, 1)$

$$\frac{4}{(x+1)(x-1)} - \frac{(x+2)(x+1)}{(x+1)(x-1)} = \boxed{\frac{-x^2-3x+2}{(x+1)(x-1)}}$$

Solve the following rational equations. Be cautious of extraneous solutions.

24. $\frac{(x-3)2x}{(x-3)x-1} + \frac{1}{x-3} = \frac{2}{(x-1)(x-3)}$

LCD: $(x-1)(x-3)$ $\frac{-6}{-6} + \frac{1}{1} = -5$
 $(x \neq 1, 3)$ $\frac{-6}{-6} + \frac{1}{1} = -5$

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

$$\begin{matrix} 2x^2 - 6x + x - 1 = 2 \\ -2 \quad -2 \end{matrix}$$

$$2x^2 - 5x - 3 = 0$$

$$(2x^2 - 6x) + (x - 3) = 0$$

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

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

$$x = 3, -\frac{1}{2}$$

25. $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-5}$

26. It takes 1.5 hours for Tim to mow the lawn. Linda can mow the same lawn in 2 hours. How long will it take John and Linda, working together, to mow the lawn?

T + L = Together

job
time

$$\frac{2(x)}{2x} \frac{1}{1.5} + \frac{1.5(x)}{1.5x} \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{2(1.5)}{2 \cdot 1.5}$$

LCD: $1.5(2)x$
 $3x$

$$2x + 1.5x = 3$$

$$\frac{3.5x}{3.5} = \frac{3}{3.5}$$

$$x = \frac{3}{3.5} = 0.86 \text{ hrs}$$

Find the inverse of the following:

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

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

$$\begin{matrix} xy + 1x = 2y - 3 \\ -2y \quad -2y \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} xy - 2y + x = -3 \\ -x \quad -x \end{matrix}$$

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

$$y \cancel{(x+2)} = -x - 3$$

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

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

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

28. $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-5}$

$$\begin{matrix} x = \sqrt[3]{y} & -5 \\ +5 & +5 \\ \hline (x+5)^3 & = \sqrt[3]{y}^3 \end{matrix}$$

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

$$f^{-1}(x) = (x+5)^3$$