

MT-150 Unit 4 Assignment.

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Directions: Complete the assignment in black ink. Do not write on the margins. Show your work. Fax all the pages of your completed assignment for grading in a single fax.

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1. [4 points]  $f(x) = -3x^2 + 12x - 8$ , find the vertex and x-intercepts of the quadratic equation.

**Vertex** \_\_\_\_\_

**x-intercepts** \_\_\_\_\_

2. [6 points] Graph the functions  $f(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 14$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 9x + 20$ . Use the graphs to answer the following questions.

- a) On what interval(s) is  $f(x)$  increasing?

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

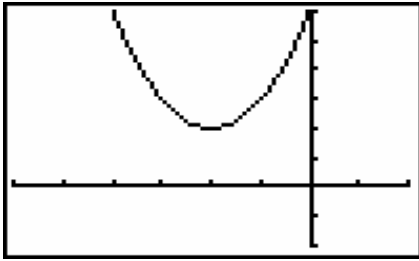
- b) What are zeros of  $g(x)$ .

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

- c) Find x-values where the graphs of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  intersect.

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

3. [2 points] Use the graph of  $y = x^2$ , to find a formula for the function  $y = f(x)$  whose graph is given below:



**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

4. [4 points] A company that produces computers terminals analyzes production and finds that they should make a profit  $P(x)$  in dollars for selling  $x$  terminals per month, where  $P(x) = -0.1x^2 + 160x - 20000$ .

a) Find using calculator how many terminals should be sold per month for the maximum profit. (make your window  $x$  min 0,  $x$  max 1500,  $y$  min -21300,  $y$  max 50000)

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

b) The maximum profit

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

5. [4 points] Algebraically find all the real zeros of the polynomial function.  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 4$ . List the multiplicities of each zeros. Show your work.

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

6. [2 points] Determine the left and right behavior of the graph:

$$f(x) = -x^5 + 2x^2 - 1.$$

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

7. [2 points] Given  $f(x) = x^4 - 3x^3 + x^2 - 6x - 5$ , determine the possible number of negative real zeros.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

8. [3 points] Use synthetic division to find  $f(3)$ :  $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^2 - x - 1$ . Show your work.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

9. [3 points] Factor the polynomial  $x^3 - 4x^2 - 7x + 10$  completely if -2 is a zero.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

10. [2 points] Find a polynomial function with the given zeros: -2, -2, 1, 3.

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

11. [2 points] Reduce:  $\frac{x^2 - 8x + 12}{5x - 30}$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

12. [2 points] Multiply, then simplify:  $\frac{2-x}{x^2+4} \cdot \frac{x+2}{x^2+5x-14}$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

13. [2 points] Divide, then simplify:  $\frac{x+y}{x^3-x^2} \div \frac{x^2+y^2}{x^2-x}$ .

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

14. Solve for x:  $\frac{2x-5}{x-3} = \frac{4x+1}{2x}$ .

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

15. [4 points] Vincent's boat will go 13 miles per hour in still water. If he can go 13 miles downstream in the same amount of time as it takes to go 8 miles upstream, then what is the speed of the current?

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

16. [8 points] For the function  $f(x) = \frac{x}{16x^2 - 9}$

a. Find the x-intercept(s).

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

b. Find the y-intercept(s).

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

c. Find the equation of the horizontal asymptote(s).

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_

d. Find the equation of the vertical asymptote(s).

**Answer** \_\_\_\_\_