

Instructions: Show all work. Use exact answers unless otherwise asked to round.

1. Find $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$ for $f(x) = 2x - 7$, $g(x) = x^2 + 1$, and state the domain of each.

$$f \circ g = 2(x^2 + 1) - 7 = 2x^2 + 2 - 7 = 2x^2 - 5$$

$$g \circ f = (x^2 + 1)^2 + 1 = x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 + 1 = x^4 + 2x^2 + 2$$

domain for both is $(-\infty, \infty)$

2. Find the inverse function $f^{-1}(x)$ for the function $f(x) = \frac{3x-2}{x+1}$. What is the domain and range of the function and its inverse?

original

$$D: (-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, \infty)$$

$$R: (-\infty, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$$

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

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

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

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

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

inverse:

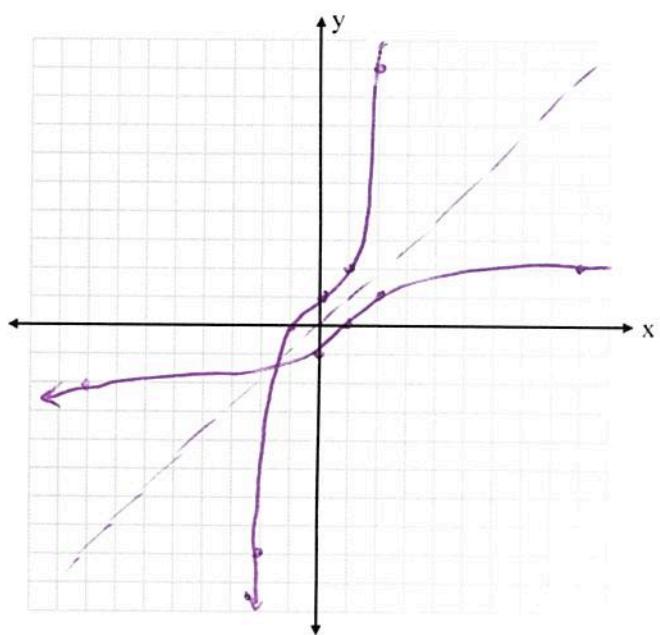
$$D: (-\infty, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$$

$$R: (-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, \infty)$$

3. Find the inverse function of $f(x) = x^3 + 1$. Sketch the graph of f and f^{-1} on the same graph. Plot the line of symmetry.

$$\begin{aligned} y-1 &= x^3 \\ \sqrt[3]{y-1} &= x \end{aligned}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-1}$$



4. Solve the equations.

a. $2x + 1 = \sqrt{3 - 3x}$

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

$$4x^2 + 4x + 1 = 3 - 3x$$

$$4x^2 + 7x - 2 = 0$$

~~(4x-1)(x+2) = 0~~

$$x = \frac{1}{4}, -2$$

b. $5 - (4 - 2x)^{2/3} = 1$

$$(4 - 2x)^{2/3} = -4$$

$$(4 - 2x)^{2/3} = 4$$

$$(4 - 2x)^2 = 64$$

$$4 - 2x = \pm 8 ?$$

$$\{ -2, 6 \}$$

$$2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + 1 = \frac{3}{2} \quad \sqrt{3 - 3\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)} = \sqrt{\frac{9}{4}} = \frac{3}{2} \quad \checkmark$$

$$2(-2) + 1 = -4 + 1 = -3$$

$$\sqrt{3 - 3(-2)} = \sqrt{3 + 6} = \sqrt{9} = 3 \quad \times$$

Signs don't make

$$4 - 2x = 8$$

$$-2x = 4$$

$$x = -2$$

$$4 - 2x = -8$$

$$-2x = -12$$

$$x = 6$$

$$5 - (4 - 2(-2))^{2/3} =$$

$$5 - (4 + 4)^{2/3} =$$

$$5 - 8^{2/3} = 5 - 4 = 1$$

$$5 - (4 - 2(6))^{2/3} =$$

$$5 - (-8)^{2/3} =$$

$$5 - 4 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

5. Find the degree of the polynomial $p(x) = -x^2(3 - 5x)(x^2 + x + 4)$. Also find the leading term, the leading coefficient, the constant term and the end behavior of the polynomial.

$$-x^2(-5x)(x^2) = 5x^5$$

full, positive leading coeff.

as $x \rightarrow -\infty$, $y \rightarrow -\infty$

as $x \rightarrow \infty$, $y \rightarrow \infty$

6. For the polynomial in #5, create a sign chart of the real zeros and create a rough sketch of the graph.

$$3 - 5x = 0$$

$$3 = 5x$$

$$x = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$x^2 + x + 4 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4(1)(4)}}{2}$$

Complex

