

Warm Up

1) Find all the zeros of $x^3 - 3x^2 - 8x - 10 = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} P: 10 \rightarrow 1, 2, 5, 10 \\ Q: 1 \\ \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 5, \pm 10 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} x=5 \\ \hline 1 & -3 & -8 & -10 \\ \downarrow & 5 & 10 & 10 \\ 1 & 2 & 2 & 0 \end{array}$$

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

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

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

$$-1 \pm i \quad \leftarrow \frac{-2 \pm 2i}{2}$$

2) Find a 3rd degree polynomial equation that has the given roots: 3 and $-4i$, $4i$

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

$$(x-3)(x^2 + 16) = x^3 - 3x^2 + 16x - 48$$

3) Find all the zeros by factoring: $x^4 - 7x^2 + 10 = 0$

$$(x^2 - 5)(x^2 - 2) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ x = \pm \sqrt{5} \quad x = \pm \sqrt{2} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{19} \quad & 1 \quad 3i, -3i \\ & (x-1)(x-3i)(x+3i) \\ & (x-1)(x^2+9) \end{aligned}$$

(25) $12x^3 - 32x^2 + 25x - 6$

$$12x^2 - 14x + 4 = 0$$

$$2(6x^2 - 7x + 2) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \text{Solutions: } x = -3, x = -4 \\
 \text{Factored form: } 3x(2x+1) - 2(2x+1) \\
 \text{Equation: } (2x+1)(3x-2) = 0
 \end{array}$$

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

6.6 Fundamental Theorem of Algebra

1) Find all the roots of $x^4 + 2x^3 - x^2 - 8x - 12 = 0$

$$P: 12 \rightarrow 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12 \quad -2, 2$$

$$Q: 1$$

$$\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \\ \pm 4, \pm 6, \pm 12$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -2 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & -1 & -8 & -12 \\ \downarrow & -2 & 0 & 2 & 12 \\ \hline 2 & \hline 1 & 0 & -1 & -6 & 0 \\ \downarrow & 2 & 4 & 6 \\ \hline 1 & 2 & 3 & 0 \end{array}$$

Remember: (Always check to see if you can factor first!)

LIST p/q \Rightarrow GRAPH \Rightarrow

TEST \Rightarrow KNOCK DOWN TO QUADRATIC \Rightarrow

SOLVE

$$x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$$

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

$$\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 12}}{2}$$

$$\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-8}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 2i\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$2, -2, -1+i\sqrt{2} \quad -1-i\sqrt{2}$$

$$-1 - i\sqrt{2}$$

2) Find all the roots of $x^3 + 3x^2 + x + 3 = 0$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline & & \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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LIST p/q \Rightarrow **GRAPH** \Rightarrow

TEST \Rightarrow **KNOCK DOWN TO QUADRATIC** \Rightarrow

SOLVE

$$x^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$x^2 = -1$$

$$x = \pm i$$

Homework

HW6.6 p. 343 #9 - 16 all,
#32 - 36