

1. Either  $x=0$  or  $y=0$ .
2.  $\{3\}$
3.  $\{2\}$
4.  $\{0, 9\}$
5.  $\left\{\pm \frac{7}{3}\right\}$
6.  $\{0, \pm 5\}$
7.  $\{6, 1\}$
8.  $\{2, 1/2\}$
9.  $\{\pm 2, \pm 4\}$
10.  $\{\pm 2, -3\}$
11.  $f(x) = x^2 - x - 6$
12.  $\{7\}$
13.  $(3x+4)(9x^2 - 12x + 16)$
14.  $21x^2 + 2xy - 8y^2$

**1-8 HW Answer Key**

Requiz by end of week

Wednesday Open House 6-8pm

Thursday Quiz 2 (Days 4-9)

Next Wednesday Test

Tues 9/24 1st Math League  
Meeting in LGR 2:30pm

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1. If  $xy=0$ , what can you say about  $x$  and/or  $y$ .

Either  $x=0, y \geq 0$  or both are zero.

Find the roots of each equation by factoring.

Short P15  
 2.  $x^2 - 6x - 9 = 0$        $P=9$   
 $(x-3)(x-3) = 0$        $S=-6$   
 $x-3=0 | x=3$        $-3, -3$   
 $x=3$   
 $\{3\}$

GCF  
 4.  $m^3 - 9m^2 = 0$   
 $m^2(m-9) = 0$   
 $m^2=8 | m-9=0$   
 $m=8 | m=9$   
 $\{0, 9\}$

GCF/100%  
 6.  $4x^3 - 100x = 0$   
 $4x(x^2 - 25) = 0$   
 $4x(x+5)(x-5) = 0$   
 $4x=0 | x+5=0 | x-5=0$   
 $x=0 | x=-5 | x=5$   
 $\{0, \pm 5\}$

Short X  
 7.  $f(x) = x^2 - 7x + 6$   
 $x^2 - 7x + 6 = 0$        $P=-6$   
 $(x-6)(x-1) = 0$        $S=-7$   
 $x-6=0 | x-1=0$   
 $x=6 | x=1$   
 $\{1, 6\}$

GCF/Start P15  
 3.  $5x^2 + 20 = 20x$   
 $5x^2 - 20x + 20 = 0$   
 $5 | 5x^2 - 20x + 20 = 0$   
 $x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0$        $P=4$   
 $(x-2)(x-2) = 0$        $S=-4$   
 $x-2=0 | x=2$   
 $x=2$   
 $\{2\}$

5.  $9x^2 - 49 = 0$   
 $(3x-7)(3x+7) = 0$   
 $3x-7=0 | 3x+7=0$   
 $3x=7 | 3x=-7$   
 $x=\frac{7}{3} | x=-\frac{7}{3}$   
 $\{ \pm \frac{7}{3} \}$

Using P15  
 8.  $g(x) = 2x^2 - 5x + 2$        $P=4$   
 $2x^2 - 5x + 2 = 0$        $S=-5$   
 $2x^2 - 4x - 1x + 2 = 0$   
 $2x(x-2) - 1(x-2) = 0$   
 $(x-2)(2x-1) = 0$   
 $x-2=0 | 2x-1=0$   
 $x=2 | x=\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\{2, \frac{1}{2}\}$

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*Short P/S 100 TS*

9.  $f(t) = t^4 - 20t^2 + 64$

$$\begin{array}{l} t^4 - 20t^2 + 64 = 0 \\ (t^2 - 4)(t^2 - 16) = 0 \\ (t+2)(t-2)(t+4)(t-4) = 0 \\ t+2=0 \quad | \quad t-2=0 \quad | \quad t+4=0 \quad | \quad t-4=0 \\ t=-2 \quad | \quad t=2 \quad | \quad t=-4 \quad | \quad t=4 \\ \{ -2, -4, 2, 4 \} \end{array}$$

10.  $g(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0 \\ x^2(x+3) - 4(x+3) = 0 \\ (x+3)(x^2 - 4) = 0 \\ (x+3)(x+2)(x-2) = 0 \\ x+3=0 \quad | \quad x+2=0 \quad | \quad x-2=0 \\ x=-3 \quad | \quad x=-2 \quad | \quad x=2 \\ \{ -3, -2, 2 \} \end{array}$$

11. Write a quadratic function in standard form with zeros 3 and -2.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x-3)(x+2) \\ f(x) &= (x-3)(x+2) \\ f(x) &= x^2 - 3x + 2x - 6 \\ f(x) &= x^2 - x - 6 \end{aligned}$$

12. What is the solution of  $(y-7)^2 = 0$ ?

$$\begin{array}{l} (y-7)(y-7) = 0 \\ y=7 \quad | \quad y=7 \\ \{ 7 \} \end{array}$$

13. Factor  $27x^3 + 64$ .

$$\begin{array}{l} 27x^3 + 64 = (3x+4)(9x^2 - 12x + 16) \\ a = 3x \\ b = 4 \end{array}$$

14. Simplify  $(7x-4y)(3x+2y)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} &= 21x^2 + 14xy - 12xy - 8y^2 \\ &= 21x^2 + 2xy - 8y^2 \end{aligned}$$

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## 1-9: More Finding Roots And Zeros

**Warm-up:** Can you correctly complete the following statement without looking at yesterday's notes? Check with a neighbor before checking yesterday's notes.

Functions have zeros or x-intercepts, while equations have roots or solutions.

Explain the special role of the number zero in factoring and solving an equation.

If an equation has all factors set = to 0, then we know at least one of the factors must be = 0. We can set each factor = 0 to solve the equation.

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## Zeros, Roots and X-Intercepts

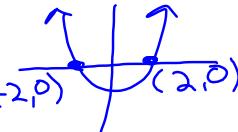
1a. Graph  $f(x) = x^2 - 4$  on your calculator.

The X-intercepts are where the function crosses the x-axis.

How many of them are there? 2  $(-2, 0)$   $(2, 0)$

State them as full points.  $(-2, 0)$   $(2, 0)$

Sketch the function to the side and label the x-intercepts.  $(-2, 0)$   $(2, 0)$



b. These are also the zeros of the function.

Find the zeros graphically on your calculator by using  $2^{\text{nd}}\text{-Trace-Zero}(2)$

The zeros are  $\pm 2$  and are at the same point as the x-intercepts.

The zeros or x-intercepts always have the same y-coordinate of 0.

Integer value zeros can be seen in your calculator table by looking for y = 0.

c. Algebraically find the zeros of this same function by factoring means:

We set  $f(x)$  or  $y$  equal to 0.

Then we find the zeros by factoring and solving the equation to find the roots.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= x^2 - 4 \\ x^2 - 4 &= 0 \\ (x-2)(x+2) &= 0 \\ x = 2 & \quad x = -2 \quad \{ -2, 2 \} \end{aligned}$$

d. We've already checked our zeros graphically by sketching and labeling above.

Check your zeros algebraically by substituting them into the equation in part c.

check  $x = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 4 &= 0 \\ (2)^2 - 4 &= 0 \\ 4 - 4 &= 0 \\ 0 &= 0 \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

check  $x = -2$

$$\begin{aligned} (-2)^2 - 4 &= 0 \\ 4 - 4 &= 0 \\ 0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

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Tip for finding pair of numbers that give correct product/sum:

Enter the following into  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  on calculator:  $Y_1 = \text{prod}/x$

$$Y_2 = \text{prod}/x + x$$

Go to the table and find the sum in  $Y_2$  column. The pair of numbers you want are the corresponding  $X$  and  $Y_1$ .

Example:  $x^2 - 19x + 48$

Prod = 48, Sum = -19

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Plot1	Plot2	Plot3	
$\blacksquare Y_1 \blacksquare 48/x$			
$\blacksquare Y_2 \blacksquare 48/x+x$			
$\blacksquare Y_3 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_4 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_5 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_6 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_7 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_8 =$			
$\blacksquare Y_9 =$			

X	Y1	Y2	
-5	-9.6	-14.6	
-4	-12	-16	
-3	-16	-19	
-2	-24	-28	
-1	-48	-49	
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1	48	49	
2	24	26	
3	16	19	
4	12	16	
5	9.6	14.6	

$$Y_2 = -19$$

From the table you can see the correct numbers are -3, -16

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For the following:

- Algebraically find the zeros of the function.
- Check graphically on your calculator by sketching the function and labeling the x-intercepts/zeros.
- Check algebraically by substituting your solutions into the equation.

2a.  $f(x) = 2x^2 + x - 15$

$$\cancel{2x^2+x-15=0}$$

$$2x^2 + 6x - 5x - 15 = 0$$

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

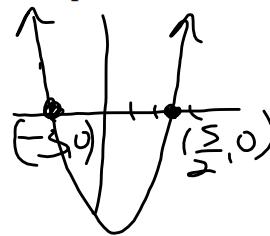
$$(x+3)(2x-5) = 0$$

$$x = -3 \quad | \quad 2x = 5$$

$$x = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\{-3, \frac{5}{2}\}$$

b. Graphic check



c. Algebraic check

$$2(-3)^2 + (-3) - 15 = 0$$

$$2(9) - 18 = 0$$

$$18 - 18 = 0 \checkmark$$

$$2(\frac{5}{2})^2 + (\frac{5}{2}) - 15 = 0$$

$$2(\frac{25}{4}) + \frac{5}{2} - 15 = 0$$

$$\frac{25}{2} + \frac{5}{2} - 15 = 0$$

$$\frac{30}{2} - 15 = 0$$

$$15 - 15 = 0$$

$$0 = 0 \checkmark$$

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

$$\cancel{x^3 - 2x^2 - x + 2 = 0}$$

$$x^2(x-2) - 1(x-2) = 0$$

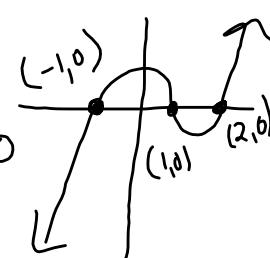
$$(x-2)(x^2-1) = 0$$

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

$$x = 2 \quad | \quad x = -1 \quad | \quad x = 1$$

$$\{-2, \pm 1\}$$

b. Graphic check



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Find the roots of the following equations by factoring. No checks.

4.  $4x^2 = 36$

$$4x^2 - 36 = 0$$

$$4(x^2 - 9) = 0$$

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

$$\cancel{x+3=0} \quad | \quad \cancel{x-3=0} \quad \{ \begin{matrix} x = -3 \\ x = 3 \end{matrix} \}$$

5.  $4x^2 = 7$

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

$$x^2 = \frac{7}{4}$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{\frac{7}{4}}$$

$$x = \pm \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}$$

$$\{ \begin{matrix} x = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{2} \\ x = -\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2} \end{matrix} \}$$

Find the zeros of the following functions by factoring. No checks.

6.  $f(x) = 4x^7 - 28x^6 + 48x^5$

$$4x^7 - 28x^6 + 48x^5 = 0$$

$$4x^5(x^2 - 7x + 12) = 0$$

$$4x^5(x-3)(x-4) = 0$$

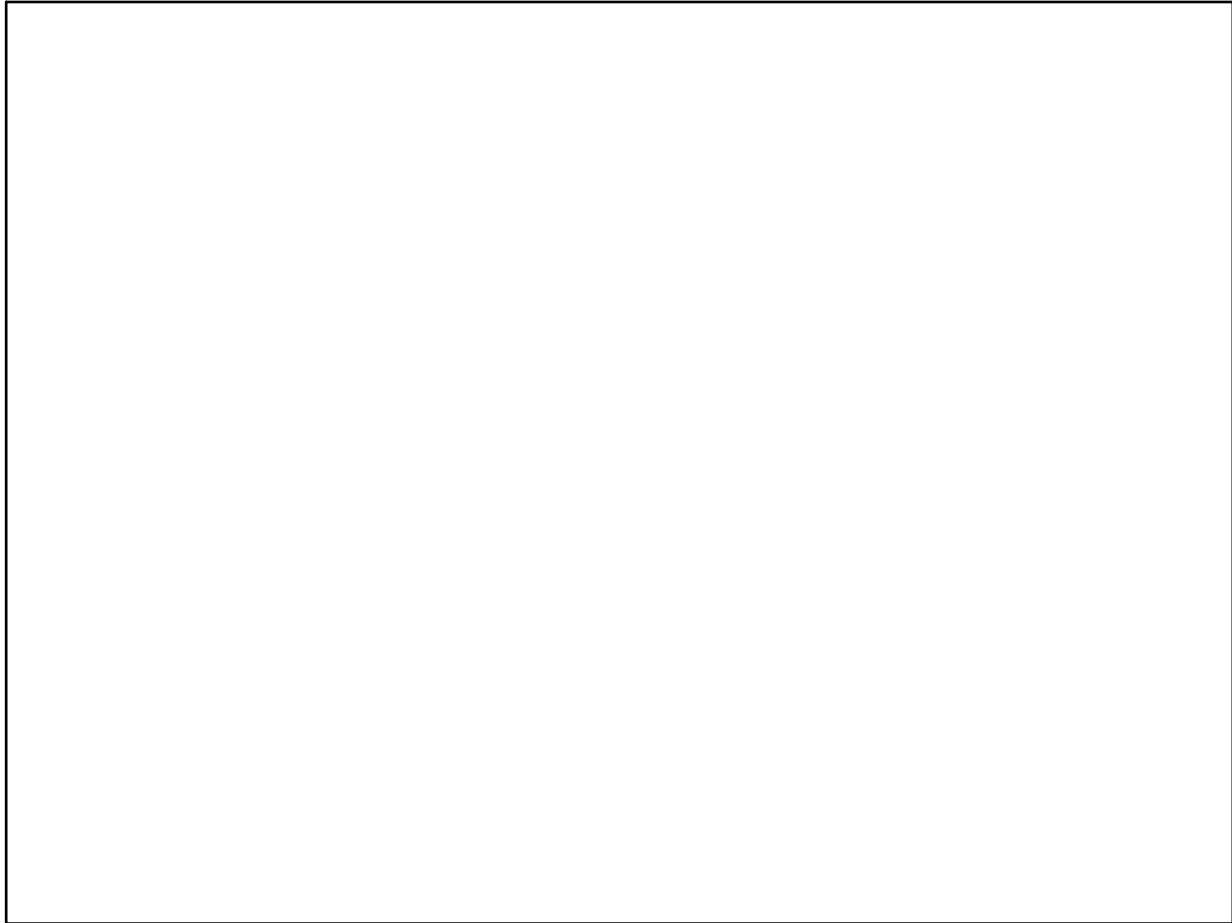
$$\cancel{4x^5=0} \quad | \quad x = 3 \quad | \quad x = 4$$

$$x = 0$$

$$\{ 0, 3, 4 \}$$

7.  $f(t) = t^3 - 10t^2 + 21t$

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