

Warm up



NO CALCULATOR

1) Describe the end behavior using limits: $f(x) = \frac{-3}{x-4}$

2) Find the domain of the following rational function:

$$p(x) = \frac{3x+2}{x^2-16}$$

ABC

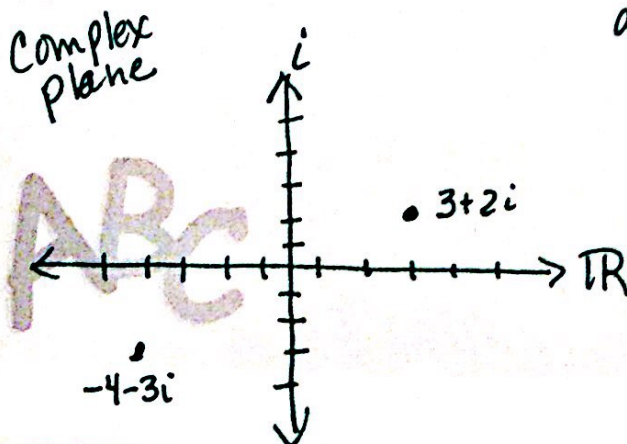
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Fundamental Theorem of Algebra

FTOA - If $p(x)$ is a polynomial of degree "n" then $p(x)$ has at most n complex zeros.

* The number of "turns" or ~~extrema~~ ^{extrema} is $(n-1)$.

Complex Zero - all Real and imaginary zeros
 $a \pm bi$



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...sooooo if you have an odd polynomial

definitely have at least 1 ^{positive or} neg real solution.

if you have an even polynomial

No guarantee of
real solutions.

ABC

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Special Products

Write an equation whose zeros are $-2, -1, 3$

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

zeros: $3, 2+i, 2-i$

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

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

Not a special product

Ans

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

$$x = 2$$

$$\frac{-2 - 2}{x - 2} = 0$$

Write an equation with 2 roots

Give an equation that has roots 3 and $2+i$, $2-i$

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

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

x	-2	-i
x	x^2	$-2x$
-2	4	$2i$
i	$-2i$	$(-i)^2 = 1$

$$y = (x-3)(x^2 - 4x + 5)$$