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**Complete the following table using each polynomial function:**

Function	Degree	End Behavior	Domain
1. $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 8x + 12$		As $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	
2. $f(x) = 3x^3 - 12x + 4$		As $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	
3. $f(x) = -2x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 2$		As $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	
4. $f(x) = x^4 + 5x^3 + 5x^2 - x - 6$		As $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	
5. $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 5x^2 - 6x$		As $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty f(x) \rightarrow \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	

**Use the equations to answer the following:**

Function	Degree	Max # of Extrema
6. $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 8x + 12$		
7. $f(x) = 3x^3 - 12x + 4$		
8. $f(x) = -2x^3 + 4x^2 + x - 2$		
9. $f(x) = x^4 + 5x^3 + 5x^2 - x - 6$		
10. $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 5x^2 - 6x$		

## Algebra II

## Polynomials

## Homework

**Determine the end behavior and maximum number of extrema (u-turns) w/o calculator:**

$$f(x) = -8x^5 - 7x^3 + 3x - 7$$

11.  $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ extrema \_\_\_\_\_  
 $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

$$f(x) = 12 - 3x^3 + 5x^3 - 7x^4$$

12.  $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ extrema \_\_\_\_\_  
 $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

$$f(x) = 1 - 3x - 2x^2 - 5x^3 + 7x^4 - 12x^5$$

13.  $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ extrema \_\_\_\_\_  
 $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

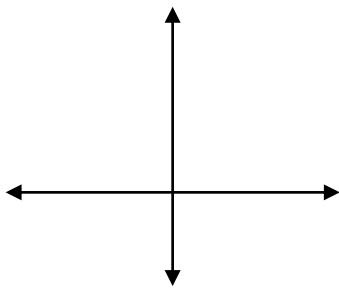
$$f(x) = -7x^3 + 343$$

14.  $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ extrema \_\_\_\_\_  
 $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

**Find the number of zeros, y-int, & end behavior. Sketch the graph:**

15.  $x^4 - 13x^2 + 36 = 0$

given zeros: -3, -2, 2, 3



# of Zeros: \_\_\_\_\_

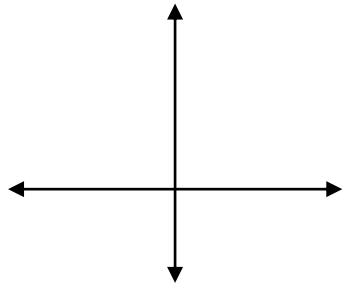
 $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

Y-Int: \_\_\_\_\_

max # of extrema \_\_\_\_\_

16.  $x^3 - x^2 - 16x + 16 = 0$

given zeros: -4, 1, 4



# of Zeros: \_\_\_\_\_ Y-Int: \_\_\_\_\_

 $x \rightarrow +\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_ $x \rightarrow -\infty$   $f(x) \rightarrow$  \_\_\_\_\_

max # of extrema \_\_\_\_\_