

- 1 Find the first three terms, in ascending powers, of the product. (Do not compute the entire product!)

$$(1 + 4x + 2x^2 + 2x^3)(3 + 3x + 5x^2)$$

a. $\frac{32x^3 +}{16x^4 + 10x^5}$

b. $\frac{16x^3 +}{10x^4 + 4x^5}$

c. $\frac{16x^3 + 5x^4 +}{10x^5}$

d. $\frac{32x^5 +}{50x^4 + 64x^3}$

- 2 Use the formula for the cube of a binomial to expand the product.

$$(1 + 5x)^3$$

- 3 Use the formula for the cube of a binomial to expand the product.

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

- 4 Factor completely.

$$8x^3y^6 + 27$$

Select a correct answer.

a. $\frac{(4xy^2 + 12)(9x^3y^6 - 4xy^2 + 4)}$

b. $\frac{4x^3 + 6x^2 + 9x + 7}$

c. $\frac{(2xy^6 + 6)(4x^3y^{12} - 4xy^4 + 9)}$

d. $\frac{(2xy^2 + 3)(4x^2y^4 - 6xy^2 + 9)}$

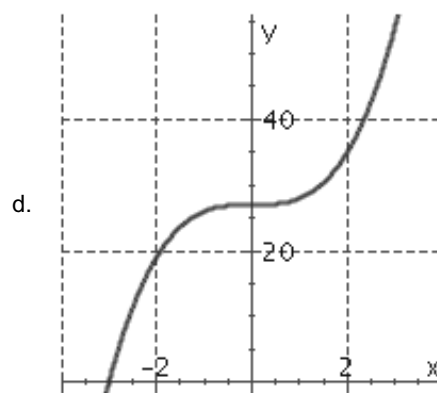
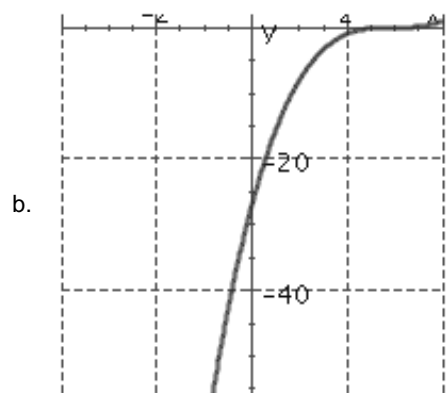
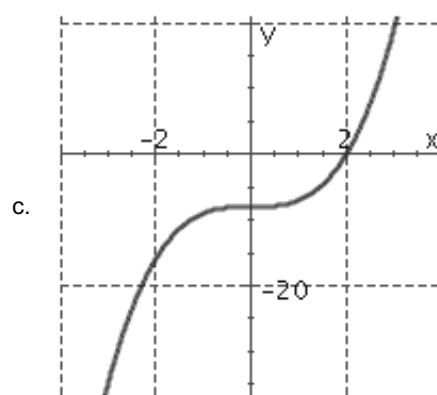
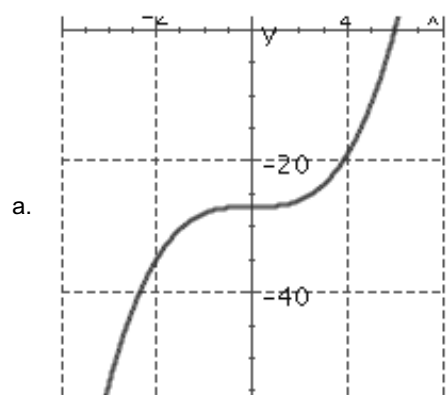
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5 Graph the cubic (third – degree) polynomial.

$$y = x^3 - 27$$



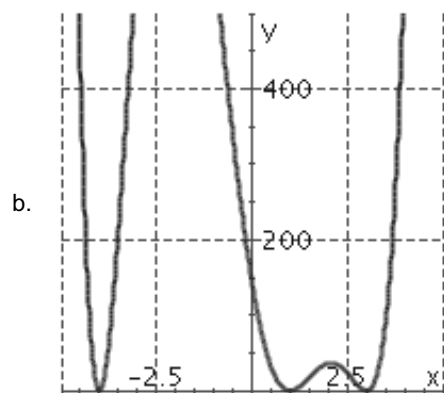
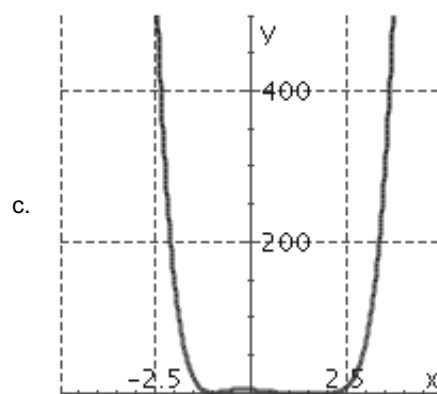
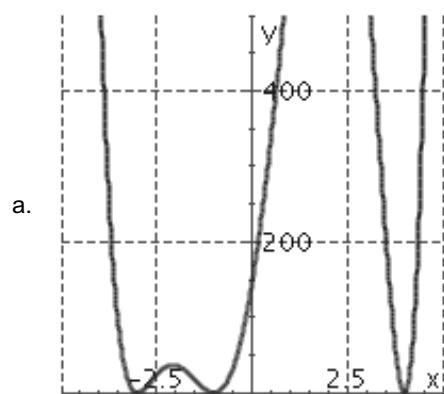
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6 Sketch a rough graph of the polynomial function by hand.

$$q(x) = (x - 4)^2(x + 1)^2(x + 3)^2$$

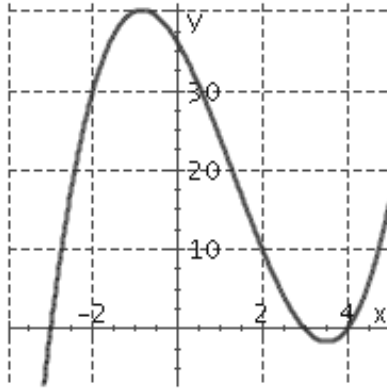


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7 Find the equation in factored form of the polynomial graphed below.



a. $y = (x + 4)(x + 3)(x + 3)$

b. $y = (x + 4)(x + 1)(x + 2)$

c. $y = (x - 4)(x - 3)(x + 3)$

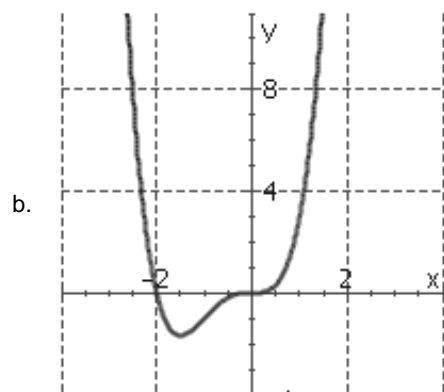
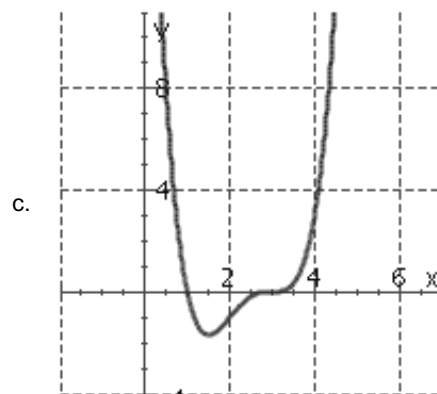
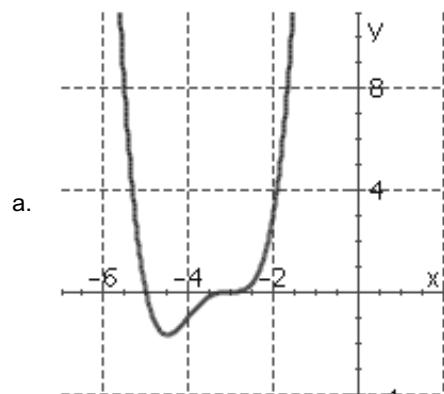
d. $y = (x - 4)(x - 1)(x - 2)$

8 Given that

$$f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3$$

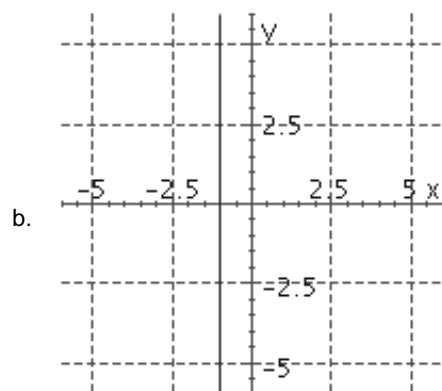
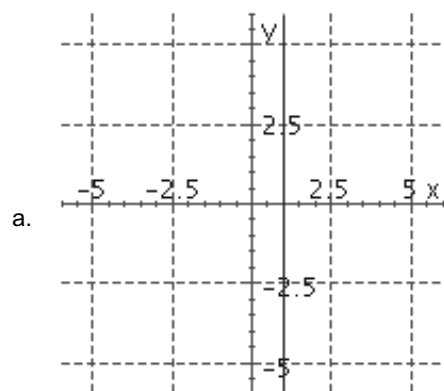
Graph the function.

$$y = f(x + 3)$$



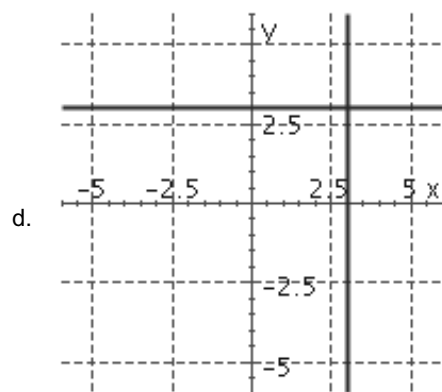
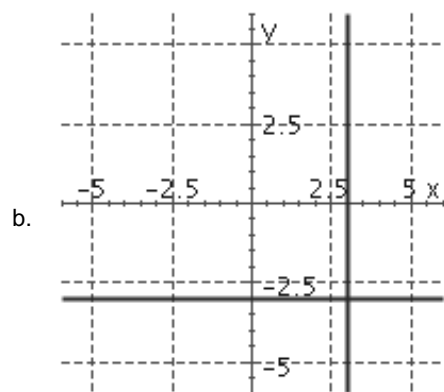
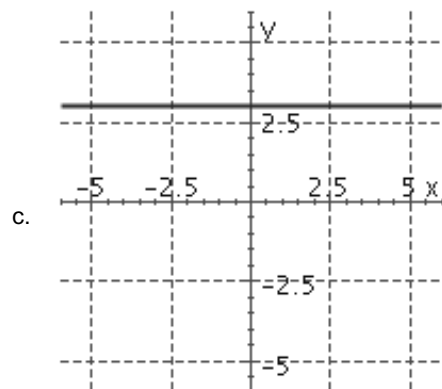
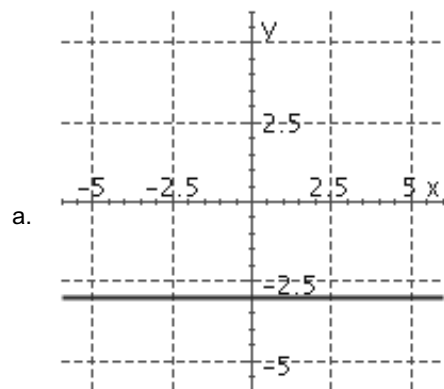
9 Select the correct vertical asymptote(s) for the following function

$$y = \frac{1}{x + 1}$$



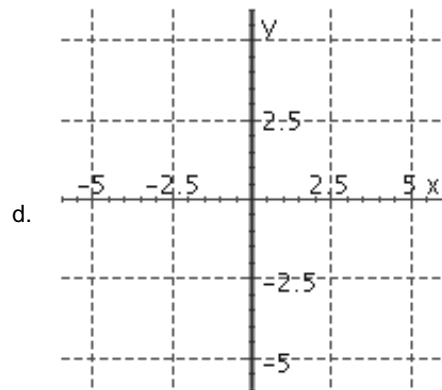
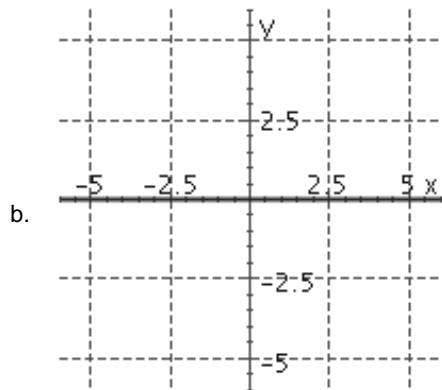
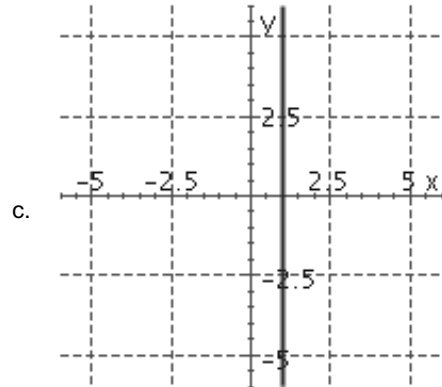
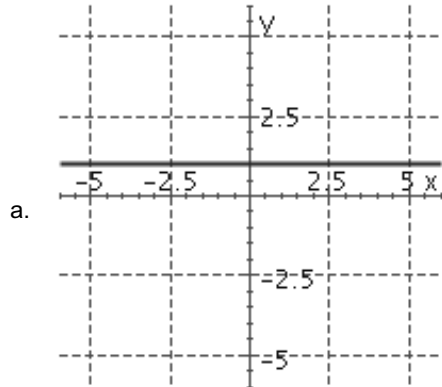
10 Select the correct horizontal and vertical asymptotes for the following function

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



11 Select the correct horizontal and vertical asymptotes for the following function

$$y = \frac{x^2 + 5}{x^2 + 1}$$

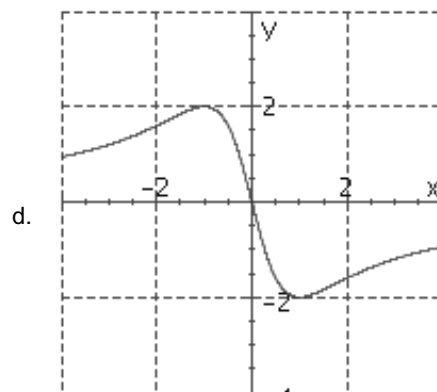
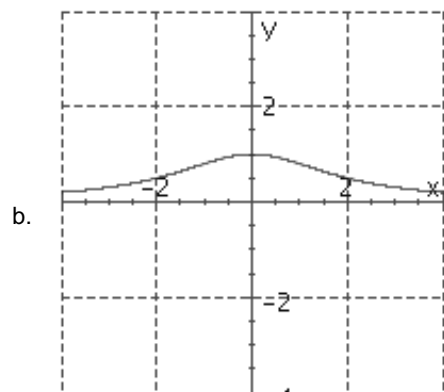
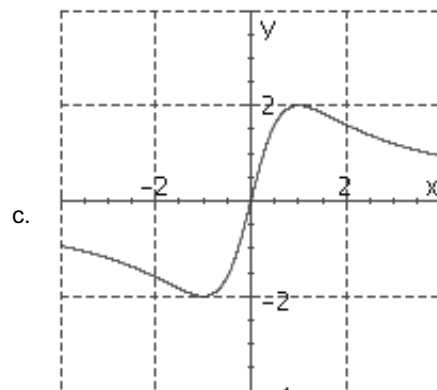
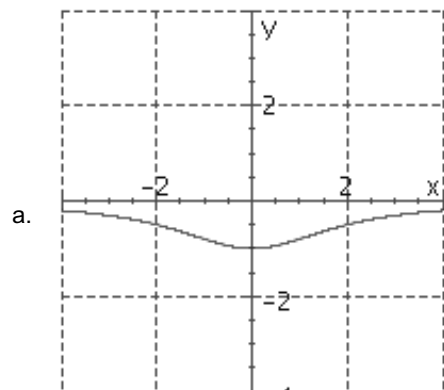


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12 Graph the curve known as Newton's Serpentine: $y = \frac{4x}{x^2 + 1}$



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| 1. a | 2. $1+15x+75x^2+125.0000x^3$ | 3. $1+3x^2+3x^4+x^6$ | 4. d | 5. a | 6. a |
| 7. c | 8. a | 9. b | 10. c | 11. a | 12. c |