

Quiz 4A: Chapter 4

1. 1st Graph.

Roots: $x = -2$, $x = 1$, $x = 4$

Degree: 3

Standard form: $y = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$

Points $(-2, 0)$, $(1, 0)$, $(4, 0)$, $(3, -10)$

$$0 = -8a + 4b - 2c + d$$

$$0 = a + b + c + d$$

$$0 = 64a + 16b + 4c + d$$

$$-10 = 27a + 9b + 3c + d$$

$$a = \frac{-4b - d + 2c}{8} \Rightarrow 0 = -\left(\frac{-4b - d + 2c}{8}\right) + b + c + d$$

$$0 = 64\left(\frac{4b + d - 2c}{8}\right) + 16b + 4c + d$$

$$-10 = 27\left(\frac{4b + d - 2c}{8}\right) + 9b + 3c + d$$

Solving for a , b , c , d

$$a = 1, b = -3, c = -6, d = 8$$

$$\therefore y = x^3 - 3x^2 - 6x + 8$$

2nd Graph

Roots: $x = -5$, $x = -\frac{3}{16}$, $x = \frac{1}{8}$, $x = \frac{5}{16}$

Degree: 4

Standard form: $y = ax^4 + bx^3 + cx^2 + dx + e$

Points: $(-5, 0)$, $(-\frac{3}{16}, 0)$, $(\frac{1}{8}, 0)$, $(\frac{5}{16}, 0)$, $(0, 30)$

$$0 = 625a - 125b + 25c - 5d + e$$

$$0 = \frac{81}{65536}a - \frac{27}{4096}b + \frac{9}{256}c - \frac{3}{16}d + e$$

$$0 = \frac{1}{4096}a + \frac{1}{512}b + \frac{1}{64}c + \frac{1}{8}d + e$$

$$0 = \frac{625}{65536}a + \frac{125}{4096}b + \frac{25}{256}c + \frac{5}{16}d + e$$

$$30 = e$$

Solving for a , b and c ;

$$a = \frac{4096}{5} \approx 819$$

$$b = \frac{19456}{5} \approx 3891$$

$$c = -\frac{5296}{5} \approx -1059$$

$$d = -170$$

$$e = 30$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{5} (4096x^4 + 19456x^3 - 5296x^2 - 34x + 6)$$

2. height : (x) Now = $3x$
width : $(x+1)$ Now = $(x+3)$
length : $(x+2)$ Now = $(x+4)$

Original volume:

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

New volume : $3x(x+3)(x+4) = 3x^3 + 21x^2 + 36x$

$$\Rightarrow 3x(x+3)(x+4) - x(x+1)(x+2) = 552$$

$$3x^3 + 21x^2 + 36x - (x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x) = 552$$

$$2x^3 + 18x^2 + 34x = 552$$

$$2x^3 + 18x^2 + 34x - 552 = 0$$

Factor $2x^3 + 18x^2 + 34x - 552$:

$$2(x^3 + 9x^2 + 17x - 276) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 + 9x^2 + 17x - 276 \text{ is divisible by } x-4$$

Applying synthetic division: $\frac{x^3 + 9x^2 + 17x - 276}{x-4} = x^2 + 13x + 69$

$$= 2(x-4)(x^2 + 13x + 69) = 0$$

$$x = 4 \quad \dots (i)$$

$$x^2 + 13x + 69 = 0 \quad \dots (ii) \text{ (gives imaginary roots)}$$

using the 1st solution, $x = 4$

Height = 4cm

Width = 5cm

length = 6cm

$$3. -4x^4 + 5x^3 = 0$$

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

$$x^3 = 0 \quad ; \quad x = 0$$

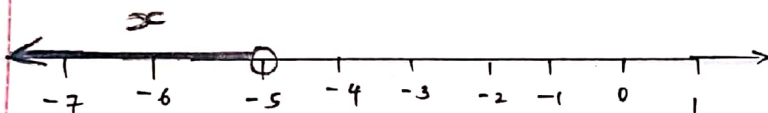
$$-4x + 5 = 0$$

$$-4x = -5$$

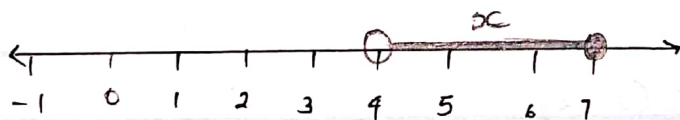
$$x = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$x = 0, \quad x = \frac{5}{4}$$

$$4. \quad x < -5$$



$$(b) \quad -4 < x \leq 7$$



$$5. (a) \quad -3(x+4) < -21$$

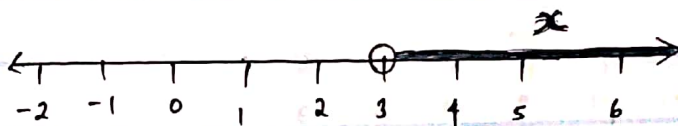
$$-3x - 12 < -21$$

$$-3x < -21 + 12 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -3x < -9$$

$$x > 3$$

Interval notation: $(3, \infty)$

Number line:



$$(b) 4(x-6) + 8 \geq 3 - 3(x-6)$$

$$4x - 24 + 8 \geq 3 - 3x + 18$$

$$4x - 16 \geq -3x + 21$$

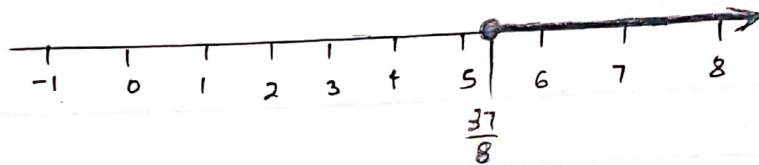
$$7x \geq 37$$

$$x \geq \frac{37}{7}$$

$$\frac{37}{7} \approx 5.3$$

Interval notation: $[\frac{37}{8}, \infty)$

Number line:



$$(6) x^2 - x - 6 \leq 0$$

Factor $x^2 - x - 6$

$$x^2 + 2x - 3x - 6$$

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

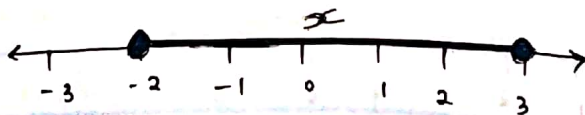
$$x - 3 \leq 0$$

$$x \leq 3$$

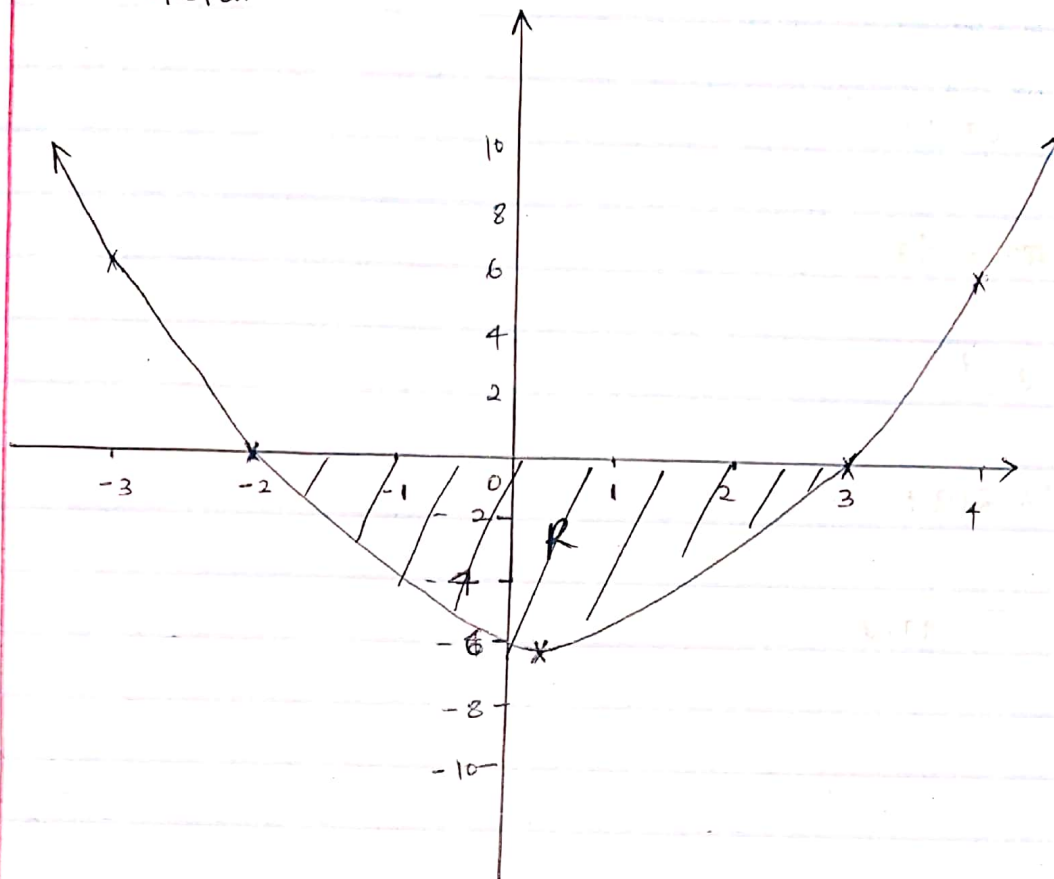
$$x + 2 \leq 0$$

$$x \leq -2$$

Solution $-2 \leq x \leq 3$



Sketch



7. (a) Positive: $(-3.75, -0.2) \cup (2.5, \infty)$
Negative: $(-\infty, -3.75) \cup (-0.2, 2.5)$

(b) Positive: $(-2.5, -20)$
Negative: $(2.5, 0)$
Zero: $(2.5, -30)$

8. $P(x) = 3(x-30)^3 + 20000, 0 \leq x \leq 50$

(a) Rate between 1996 and 2012

$$P(1996) = 3(26-30)^3 + 20,000$$
$$= 29808$$

$$P(2012) = 3(42-30)^3 + 20,000$$
$$= 35184$$

$$2012 - 1996 = 16$$

$$\text{Rate} = \frac{35184 - 29808}{16} = 336$$

(b)

$$\frac{dp}{dx} = 9(x-30)^2$$

$$2013 - 1970 = 43$$

$$= 9(43-30)^3$$

$$= 9 \times 2197$$

$$= 19773$$