

Section 3.5.

7 $P(x) = x^4 + 4x^2$

a) all zeros.

$$x^4 + 4x^2 = 0$$

$$x^2(x^2 + 4) = 0$$

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

$$x = 2i, -2i$$

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b) factors:

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

11. $x^4 + 2x^2 + 1$

(a) All zeros.

$$x^4 + 2x^2 + 1 = 0$$

let $u = x^2$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 + 2u + 1 = 0$$

$$u = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4}}{2} = -1$$

$$\therefore x^2 = -1$$

$$x = i, -i$$

(b) factors:

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

$$15. x^3 + 8$$

(a) all zeros

$$x^3 + 8 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 = -8$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{-8}$$

$$\therefore x = -2, 1 - \sqrt{3}i, 1 + \sqrt{3}i$$

(b) factor:

$$(x+2)(x-1+\sqrt{3}i)(x-1-\sqrt{3}i)$$

Complete factorization.

$$19. P(x) = x^2 + 25$$

$$\text{zeros: } x^2 + 25 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = -25$$

$$x = 5i, -5i$$

$$x = 5i \Rightarrow \text{of multiplicity 1}$$

$$x = -5i \text{ of multiplicity 1}$$

$$23. P(x) = x^3 + 4x$$

$$\text{zeros: } x^3 + 4x = 0$$

$$x^2(x+4) = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$x^2 = -4$$

$$x = 2i, -2i$$

$$x = 0 \text{ of multiplicity 1}$$

$$x = 2i \text{ of multiplicity 1}$$

$$x = -2i \text{ of multiplicity 1}$$

$$27. 16x^4 - 81.$$

$$16x^4 - 81 = 0.$$

$$(4x^2 + 81)(4x^2 - 81) = 0.$$

$$4x^2 + 81 = 0.$$

$$x^2 = -\frac{81}{4} \quad \therefore x = \frac{9}{2}i, -\frac{9}{2}i$$

$$4x^2 - 81 = 0.$$

$$x^2 = \frac{81}{4} \quad x = \frac{9}{2}, -\frac{9}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{9}{2}i \text{ of multiplicity } 1$$

$$-\frac{9}{2}i \text{ of multiplicity } 1$$

$$\frac{9}{2} \text{ of multiplicity } 1$$

$$-\frac{9}{2} \text{ of multiplicity } 1$$

$$31. Q(x) = x^4 + 2x^2 + 1$$

$$\text{let } u = x^2$$

$$u^2 + 2u + 1 = 0.$$

$$u = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 4}}{2} = -1$$

$$x^2 = -1 \quad \therefore x = \pm i$$

$$x = i \text{ of multiplicity } 2$$

$$x = -i \text{ of multiplicity } 2.$$

$$35 \quad x^5 + 6x^3 + 9x$$

$$x(x^4 + 6x^2 + 9) = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$\text{let } u = x^2$$

$$u^2 + 6u + 9 = 0$$

$$\frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 36}}{2} = -3$$

$$x^2 = -3$$

$$x = 0 \text{ of multiplicity } 1$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}i \text{ of multiplicity } 2$$

$$x = -\sqrt{3}i \text{ of multiplicity } 2$$

Finding polynomial with specified zeros.

39. P has degree 3 and zeros $3, 2i, -2i$

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

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

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

$$= x^3 + 4x + 3x^2 + 12$$

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43. R has degree 4 and zeros $1-2i$ and 1 with a zero of multiplicity 2.

$$x^2(x-1+2i)(x-1)$$

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

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

Finding complex zeros-

47 $P(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x + 8$

~~fact~~ $x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x + 8 = 0$

factor: $(x+2)(x^2+4) = 0$

$x = -2$

$x^2 + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 = -4$

$x = 2i, -2i$

$x = -2, 2i, -2i$

53 $2x^3 + 7x^2 + 12x + 9 = 0$

factor: $(2x+3)(x^2+2x+3) = 0$

$\Rightarrow 2x+3 = 0$

$x = -\frac{3}{2}$

$x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$

$$\frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4-12}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-8}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{2}i}{2}$$

$= \underline{\underline{-1 \pm \sqrt{2}i}}$

$x = -\frac{3}{2}, -1 + \sqrt{2}i, -1 - \sqrt{2}i$

$$57 \quad p(x) = x^5 - x^4 + 7x^3 - 7x^2 + 12x - 12$$

$$x^5 - x^4 + 7x^3 - 7x^2 + 12x - 12 = 0$$

factor by grouping:

$$(x-1)(x^2+3)(x^2+4) = 0$$

$$x=1$$

$$x^2+3=0 \Rightarrow x = +\sqrt{3}i, -\sqrt{3}i$$

$$x^2+4=0$$

$$(2) x^2 = -4 \Rightarrow x = 2i, -2i$$

$$x = 1, \sqrt{3}i, -\sqrt{3}i, 2i, -2i$$

$$63 \quad x^5 - 3x^4 + 12x^3 - 28x^2 + 27x - 9$$

$$\Rightarrow x^5 - 3x^4 + 12x^3 - 28x^2 + 27x - 9 = 0$$

factor by grouping:

$$\Rightarrow (x-1)^3(x^2+9) = 0$$

$$x^2 \neq 1 \Rightarrow (x-1)^3 = 0$$

$$x-1=0$$

$x=1$ with multiplicity of 3.

$$x^2+9=0 \Rightarrow x^2 = -9$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}i, -3i$$

$$x = 1, 3i, -3i$$