

**Mathematics 3201**  
**Unit 5: Polynomial Functions and 4.5 Solving Rational Equations**  
**Review**

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**Section 1: Multiple Choice.**

1. What is the leading coefficient of the polynomial:  $y = -2x^2 + 5x - 3$ ? 1. \_\_\_\_\_

- A)  $-3$                       B)  $-2$                       C)  $5$                       D)  $x$

2. What is the end behaviour of the graph of:  $y = -3x^3 + 4x + 5$ ? 2. \_\_\_\_\_

- A) Q2 to Q1                      B) Q3 to Q1                      C) Q2 to Q4                      D) Q3 to Q4

3. What is the maximum number of turning points a cubic polynomial have? 3. \_\_\_\_\_

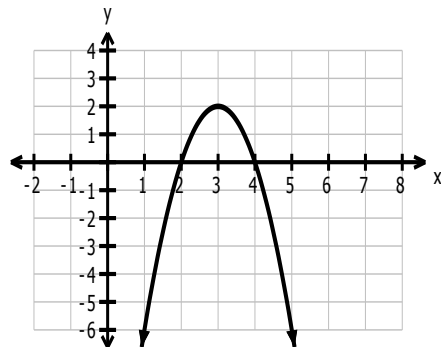
- A)  $0$                       B)  $1$                       C)  $2$                       D)  $3$

4. What is the domain of  $y = 3x - 1$ ? 4. \_\_\_\_\_

- A)  $\{x | x \geq -1, x \in R\}$                       B)  $\{x | x \in R\}$                       C)  $\{y | y \geq -1, y \in R\}$                       D)  $\{y | y \in R\}$

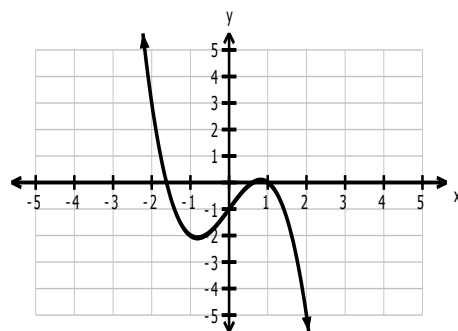
5. What is the range of the function graphed below? 5. \_\_\_\_\_

- A)  $\{x | x \geq 3, x \in R\}$   
 B)  $\{x | x \leq 3, x \in R\}$   
 C)  $\{y | y \geq 2, y \in R\}$   
 D)  $\{y | y \leq 2, y \in R\}$



6. What is the equation of the following graph? 6. \_\_\_\_\_

- A)  $y = x^3 + 2x - 1$   
 B)  $y = -x^3 + 2x - 1$   
 C)  $y = x^3 + 2x + 1$   
 D)  $y = x^3 + 2x + 1$

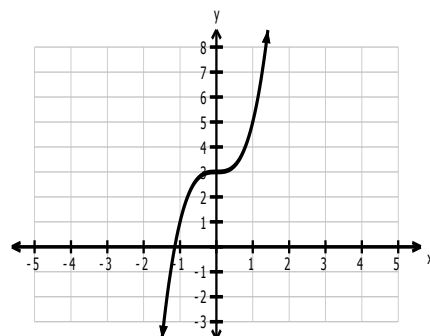


7. What is the y-intercept of  $y = 2x^2 + 3x - 5$ ? 7. \_\_\_\_\_

- A)  $-5$                       B)  $2$                       C)  $3$                       D) none

8. What is the constant term for the following graph? 8. \_\_\_\_\_

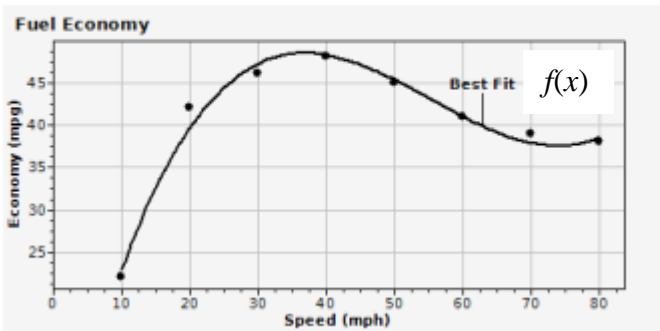
- A)  $-1$   
 B)  $0$   
 C)  $1$   
 D)  $3$



9. From which quadrants does the graph of  $y = -4x^2 - 7$  extend? 9. \_\_\_\_\_

- A) Q2 to Q1                      B) Q3 to Q4                      C) Q3 to Q1                      D) Q2 to Q4

10. What is the degree of  $y = 2x^3 - 4x^2 + 7x - 3$ ? 10. \_\_\_\_
- A) 0                                      B) 1                                      C) 2                                      D) 3
11. What is the maximum number of  $x$ -intercepts for  $y = 3x - 5$ ? 11. \_\_\_\_
- A) 0                                      B) 1                                      C) 2                                      D) 3
12. Which function passes through the point  $(2, -10)$ ? 12. \_\_\_\_
- A)  $f(x) = -x^3 + x - 4$       B)  $f(x) = -x^3 + x - 10$
- C)  $f(x) = x^3 + x - 4$       D)  $f(x) = x^3 + x - 10$
13. Given the scatter plot and the curve of best fit of the polynomial  $f(x)$ , 13. \_\_\_\_  
 what is the value of  $f(30)$ ?



- A) 13  
 B) 32  
 C) 47  
 D) 58

**Section 2: Constructed Response.**

1. Determine the following characteristics of each function:

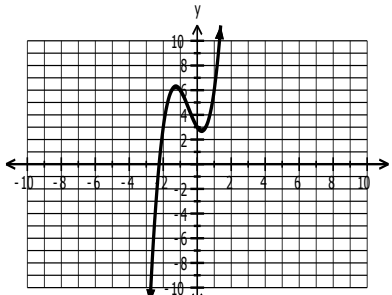
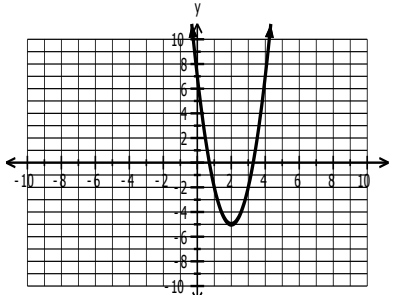
Characteristics	$f(x) = 3x^3 - 4x^2 + 2x - 1$	$f(x) = -2(x - 3)^2 + 3$
Number of possible $x$ -intercepts		
$y$ -intercept		
Domain		
Range		
Number of possible turning points		
End behaviour		

2. Sketch a possible graph of polynomial functions that satisfy each set of characteristics:
- A) Quadratic, one  $x$ -intercept, negative Leading coefficient                                      B) Two turning points (one in Q2 and Q4), positive leading coefficient and constant term of -4

C) Degree 2, one turning point which is a maximum, constant term of 3

D) Degree 1, positive leading coefficient and y-intercept of -2

3. Determine the following characteristics for the following polynomials:

Characteristics		
Degree		
Sign of Leading Coefficient		
Constant term of function		
End behaviour		
y-intercept		
Domain		
Range		

4. Write an equation for a polynomial function that satisfies each set of characteristics:

A) Degree 1, decreasing function, y-intercept of -2	B) One turning point, max value, y-intercept of 3
C) Cubic extending from Q2 to Q4, y-intercept of 0	D) Extending from Q2 to Q1, y-intercept of 5, no x-intercept or turning point

5. Sketch two possible graphs that are different, yet both are cubic functions with positive leading coefficients and negative  $y$ -intercepts. Explain why the graphs you sketched are different.

6. The table below shows the birthrate in Canada per 1000 people.

Number of years after 1975	0	5	10	15	16	17	18	19
Birthrate (per 1000 people)	15.3	15.5	14.9	14.3	14.1	13.6	13.3	12.9

When a linear regression is performed on this data, the equation  $y = -0.13x + 15.81$  is obtained.

- a) What does the  $-0.13$  represent in this equation?
- b) Assuming this trend continues, what will the birthrate in Canada be in 2020?
- c) In what year will the birthrate be 11.2?
7. Two hoses together can fill a pool in 2 hours. If only hose A is used, the pool fills in 3 hours. How long would it take to fill the pool if only hose B is used?