

$$(x - (3 - 7i))(x - (3 + 7i))$$

$$= (x - 3 + 7i)(x - 3 - 7i) \quad \checkmark$$

$3 - 7i$  is a  
 $3 + 7i$  conjugate  
pairs.

$$= x^2 - 3x - 7ix - 3x + 9 + 21i + 7ix - 21i - 49i^2$$

$$= x^2 - 6x + 9 + 49$$

$$= x^2 - 6x + 58$$

$$\begin{aligned} (a-b)(a+b) &= a^2 - b^2 \\ (a-bi)(a+bi) &= a^2 + b^2 \end{aligned}$$

$(3-2i)(5+i)$

$$x^2 - (3+7i)x - (3-7i)x + (3-7i)(3+7i)$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 7ix - 3x + 7ix + 9 + 49$$

etc.

Multiply and Simplify

$$(2 \cdot x - 3 + I) \cdot (2 \cdot x - 3 - I)$$

Write a polynomial, in factored form, of minimal degree that has the following zeros, with the corresponding multiplicities.

$$x = 13, m = 3;$$

$$(x-13)^3 (x+5)(x - (-7+2i))$$

$$x = -5, m = 1;$$

$$x = -7 + 2i, m = 1$$

Write a polynomial, in factored form, of minimal degree that has the following zeros, with the corresponding multiplicities, and real coefficients. Why is your answer to this one different than the one before?

$$x = 13, m = 3;$$

$$(x-13)^3 (x+5)(x - (-7+2i))(x - (-7-2i))$$

$$x = -5, m = 1;$$

$$x = -7 + 2i$$

Conjugate Pairs Theorem

Write a polynomial, in factored form, of minimal degree that has the following zeros, with the corresponding multiplicities, and real coefficients. Also make it have a leading coefficient of 377.

$$x = 13, m = 3;$$

$$377 (x-13)^3 (x+5)(x - (-7+2i))(x - (-7-2i))$$

$$x = -5, m = 1;$$

$$x = -7 + 2i$$

What does Descartes have to say about this polynomial?

$$2x^5 - 8x^4 + x^3 + 19x^2 - 7x - 15 = f(x)$$

3 or 1 positive zeros

$$f(-x) = -2x^5 - 8x^4 - x^3 + 19x^2 + 7x - 15$$

2 or 0 negative zeros.  
Which would you check first?

Check the positives, first,  
No guarantee there are ANY negative roots.

$$\begin{aligned} (-x)^4 &= x^4 \\ (-x)^{3+5} &= -x^{3+5} \\ (-1)^{3+5} &= -1 \\ (-1)^{5+8} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

What are the possible rational zeros of this polynomial?

$$2x^5 - 8x^4 + x^3 + 19x^2 - 7x - 15$$

Rational Zeros  
Theorem

p's  $15 = 3 \cdot 5$

q's 2

$$\pm 1, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm 3, \pm \frac{3}{2}, \pm 5, \pm \frac{5}{2}, \pm 15, \pm \frac{15}{2}$$

Show that  $x = 7$  is an upper bound on real zeros of the polynomial.

$$2x^5 - 8x^4 + x^3 + 19x^2 - 7x - 15$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 43 \\ \underline{7} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \overline{) 2 \quad -8 \quad 1 \quad 19 \quad -7 \quad -15} \\ \underline{14 \quad 42 \quad \text{BIG BIGGER Huge}} \\ 2 \quad 6 \quad 43 \quad \text{BIG BIGGISH Huge} \end{array}$$

Proof:  $\rightarrow$  All positives

$$f(x) = (x-7)(2x^4 + 6x^3 + 43x^2 + \text{Big } x + \text{Bigger}) + \text{Huge}.$$

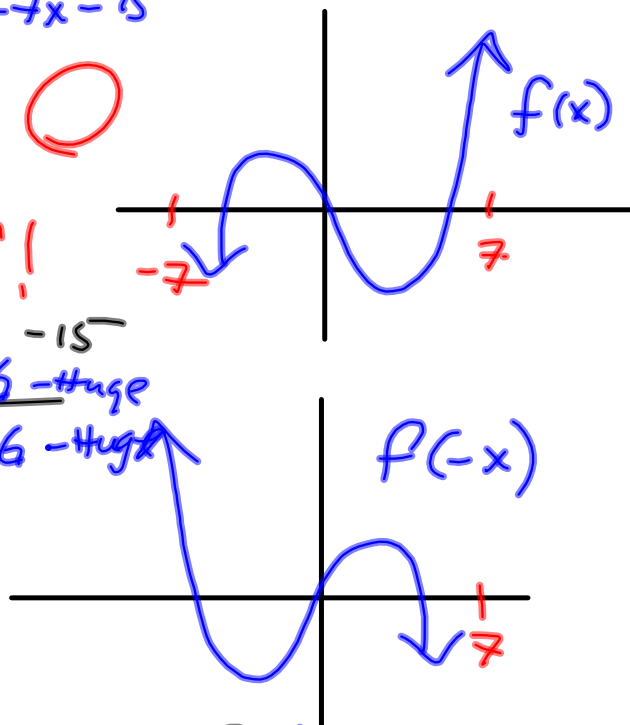
is positive, if  $x$  is bigger than 7.

Show that  $-7$  is a lower bound on real zeros.

$$f(-x) = -2x^5 - 8x^4 - x^3 + 19x^2 + 7x - 15$$

Want to show  $x=7$  is bound on  $f(-x)$ !

$$\begin{array}{r} 7 \overline{) -2 \quad -8 \quad -1 \quad +19 \quad 7 \quad -15} \\ \underline{-14 \quad -144 \quad -\text{BIG} \quad -\text{BIG} \quad -\text{Huge}} \\ -2 \quad -22 \quad -145 \quad -\text{BIG} \quad -\text{BIG} \quad -\text{Huge} \end{array}$$



This says

$$(x-7)(-2x^4 - 22x^3 - 145x^2 - \text{BIG } x - \text{BIG}) - \text{HUGE}$$

So anything bigger than 7 is gonna make this negative. never zero.

$x = -7$  is a lower bound on  $f(x)$ , b/c  
 $x = 7$  is an upper bound on  $f(-x)$ .

Find all real zeros of the polynomial and factor over the real numbers.

$$2x^5 - 8x^4 + x^3 + 19x^2 - 7x - 15$$

$$\dots \pm 1, \pm 3$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \overline{) 2 \quad -8 \quad 1 \quad 19 \quad -7 \quad -15} \\ \underline{\phantom{3} 6 \quad -6 \quad -5 \quad 12 \quad 15} \\ -1 \overline{) 2 \quad -2 \quad -5 \quad 4 \quad 5 \quad 0} \quad \text{Yes!} \\ \underline{\phantom{-1} -2 \quad 4 \quad 1 \quad -5} \\ -1 \overline{) 2 \quad -4 \quad -1 \quad 5 \quad 0} \quad \text{Nice.} \\ \underline{\phantom{-1} -2 \quad 6 \quad -5} \\ \underline{\phantom{-1} 2 \quad -6 \quad 5 \quad 0} \quad \text{Sweet!} \end{array}$$

$$a=2, b=-6, c=5$$

$$b^2 - 4ac = (-6)^2 - 4(2)(5) = 36 - 40 = -4$$

No real zeros for  $2x^2 - 6x + 5$  is irreducible over the reals.

$(x+1)^2(x-3)(2x^2-6x+5)$  is factored over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

Find *all* zeros of the polynomial and factor over the complex numbers.

$$2x^5 - 8x^4 + x^3 + 19x^2 - 7x - 15$$

$(x+1)^2(x-3)(2x^2-6x+5)$  is factored over  $\mathbb{R}$ .

$a=2, b=-6, c=5$  → Break this down, to finish.

$$b^2 - 4ac = (-6)^2 - 4(2)(5) = 36 - 40 = -4$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2(2)} = \frac{6 \pm 2i}{4} = \frac{2(3 \pm i)}{2(2)} \\ &= \frac{3 \pm i}{2} \end{aligned}$$

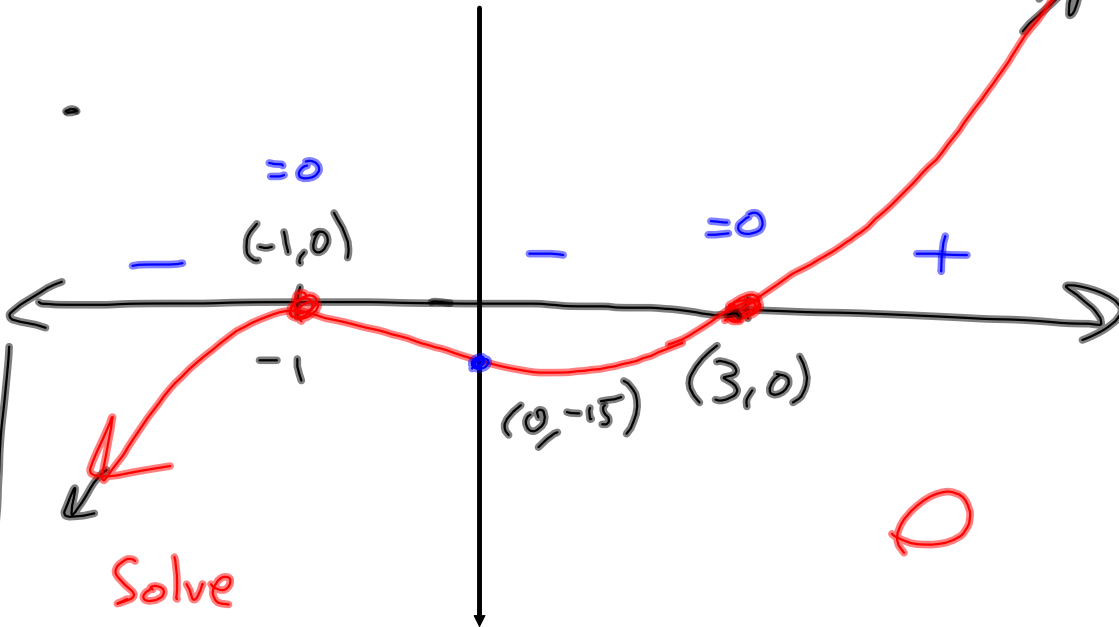
So,  $f(x) =$

$$2(x+1)^2(x-3)\left(x - \left(\frac{3+i}{2}\right)\right)\left(x - \left(\frac{3-i}{2}\right)\right)$$

$$(x+1)^2(x-3)(2x^2-6x+5)$$

Graph it!

$$2x^5 \text{ ---}$$



Solve

$$(x+1)^2(x-3)(2x^2-6x+5) \leq 0$$

$$(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, 3] = (-\infty, 3]$$

$$\dots < 0$$

$$(-\infty, -1) \cup (-1, 3)$$

$$\dots > 0$$

$$(3, \infty)$$

$$\dots \geq 0$$

$$\{-1\} \cup [3, \infty)$$

