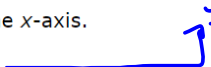


1 The solutions of the equation  $x^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$  are the  -intercepts of the graph of  $y = x^2 - 4x - 5$ .

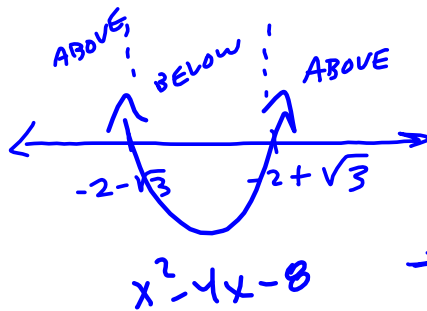
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2 The solutions of the inequality  $x^2 - 4x - 8 > 0$  are the x-coordinates of the points on the graph of  $y = x^2 - 4x - 8$  that lie  the x-axis.

Above  ABOVE 0

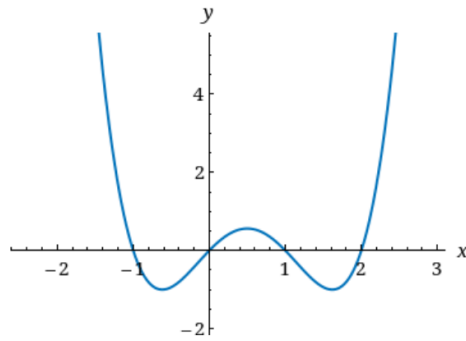
$$x^2 - 4x - 8 = x^2 - 4x + 2^2 - 4 - 8 = (x-2)^2 - 12 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow (x-2)^2 &= 12 \\ x-2 &= \pm\sqrt{12} = \pm 2\sqrt{3} \\ x &= -2 \pm \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$



So  $x^2 - 4x - 8 > 0$   
 $\rightarrow x \in (-\infty, -2 - \sqrt{3}) \cup (-2 + \sqrt{3}, \infty)$

3 The figure shows a graph of  $y = x^4 - 2x^3 - x^2 + 2x$ .

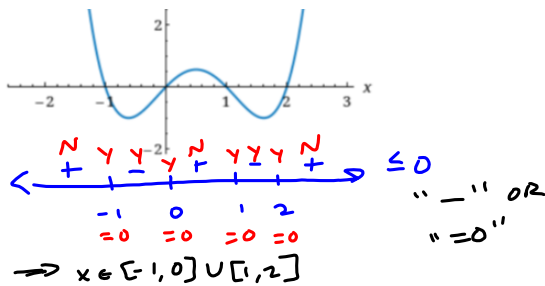


Use the graph to find the solution(s) of each of the following.

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$x = -2, 0, 1, 2$

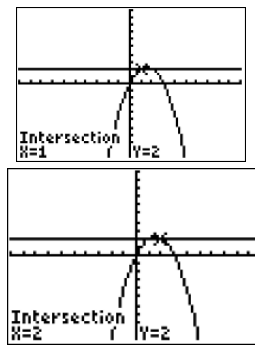
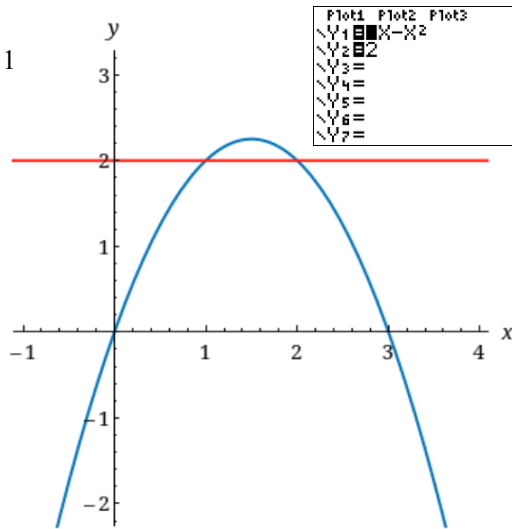
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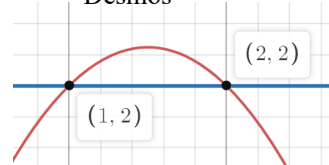
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Graphing Calculator

Method 1



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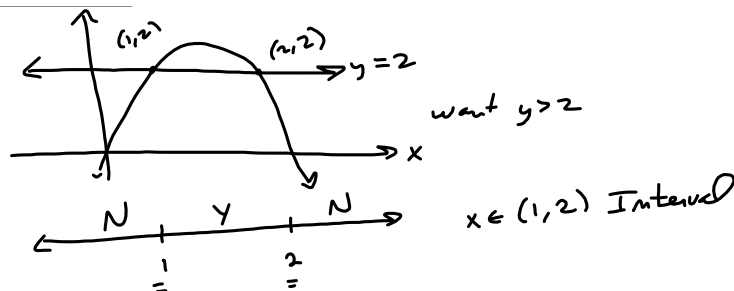


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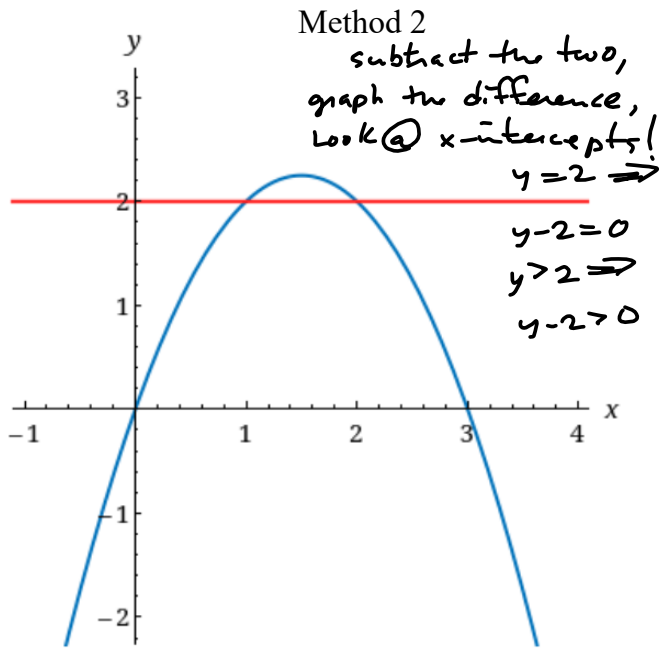
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$x = 1, 2$

(b) The inequality  $3x - x^2 > 2$  (Enter your answer using interval notation.)



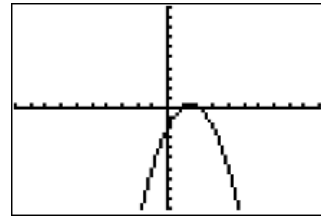
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Using "VARS" key.

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Plot1 Plot2 Plot3
Y1=3X-X^2
Y2=2
Y3=Y1-Y2
Y4=
Y5=
Y6=
Y7=
    
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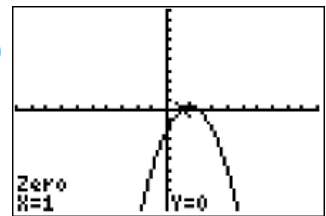
Or just subtract the 2

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Plot1 Plot2 Plot3
Y1=3X-X^2-2
Y2=
Y3=
Y4=
Y5=
Y6=
Y7=
    
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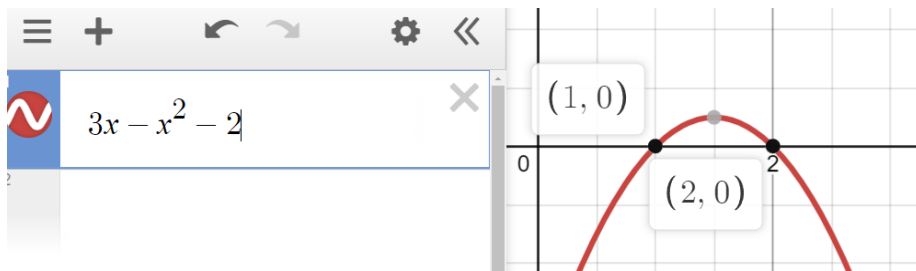
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Here we used "ZERO" in CALC menu, instead of "INTERSECT."

etc



Just find the x-intercepts

An equation is given.

5

$y = 7x^3 - 7x^2$ ;  $[-2, 2]$  by  $[-1, 1]$

$7x^3 - 7x^2 = 7x^2(x-1) = 0 \Rightarrow x \in \{0, 1\}$

(a) Use a graphing device to graph the equation in the given viewing rectangle. Find the x- and y-intercepts from the graph and confirm your answers algebraically (from the equation). (If an answer does not exist, enter DNE.)

x-intercept (smaller x-value)  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

x-intercept (larger x-value)  $(x, y) = (1, 0)$

y-intercept  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

(b) If the graph appears to be symmetric, confirm that the equation satisfies the corresponding symmetry property. (Select all that apply.)

- The graph is symmetric with respect to the x-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the y-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the origin.

The graph is not symmetric with respect to the x-axis, y-axis, or the origin.

Try  $y = 7x^3 - 7x$   
 $7(-x)^3 - 7(-x) = -7x^3 + 7x = -(7x^3 - 7x) = -y$

Check for symmetry

$y = 7x^3 - 7x^2$

swap x for "-x"

$7(-x)^3 - 7(-x)^2 = -7x^3 - 7x^2 \neq y \text{ or } -y$   
 No symmetry

Symmetric thru origin  
 ODD

$y = 7x^4 - 7x^2$

$7(-x)^4 - 7(-x)^2$

$= 7x^4 - 7x^2$

$= y$

symmetric w.r.t  
 y-axis

EVEN

6

An equation is given.

$y = x^4 - 2x^3$ ;  $[-2, 3]$  by  $[-3, 3]$

$x^3(x-2)$

(a) Use a graphing device to graph the equation in the given viewing rectangle. Find the x- and y-intercepts from the graph and confirm your answers algebraically (from the equation). (If an answer does not exist, enter DNE.)

x-intercept (smaller x-value)  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

x-intercept (larger x-value)  $(x, y) = (2, 0)$

y-intercept  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

(b) If the graph appears to be symmetric, confirm that the equation satisfies the corresponding symmetry property. (Select all that apply.)

- The graph is symmetric with respect to the x-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the y-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the origin.
- The graph is not symmetric with respect to the x-axis, y-axis, or the origin.

7 An equation is given.  
 $y = -\frac{8}{x^2+1}$ ;  $[-5, 5]$  by  $[-9, 1]$

(a) Use a graphing device to graph the equation in the given viewing rectangle. Find the x- and y-intercepts from the graph and confirm your answers algebraically (from the equation). (If an answer does not exist, enter DNE.)

$\frac{8}{x^2+1} = 0 \Rightarrow 8=0 \Rightarrow \text{No REAL SOLN!}$

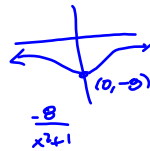
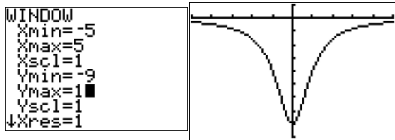
x-intercept  $(x, y) = (\text{DNE})$

y-intercept  $(x, y) = (0, 8)$   
 $x=0: -\frac{8}{0^2+1} = \frac{8}{1} = 8 \rightarrow -8!$

(b) If the graph appears to be symmetric, confirm that the equation satisfies the corresponding symmetry property. (Select all that apply.)

- The graph is symmetric with respect to the x-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the y-axis.
- The graph is symmetric with respect to the origin.
- The graph is not symmetric with respect to the x-axis, y-axis, or the origin.

$y = -\frac{8}{x^2+1}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{-8}{(-x)^2+1} = \frac{-8}{x^2+1} = y$   
 So symmetric wrt y-axis



8 An equation is given.  
 $y = \sqrt[3]{1-x^2}$ ;  $[-5, 5]$  by  $[-5, 3]$

(a) Use a graphing device to graph the equation in the given viewing rectangle. Find the x- and y-intercepts from the graph and confirm your answers algebraically (from the equation). (If an answer does not exist, enter DNE.)

x-intercept (smaller x-value)  $(x, y) = (\quad)$   
 x-intercept (larger x-value)  $(x, y) = (\quad)$   
 y-intercept  $(x, y) = (\quad)$

(b) If the graph appears to be symmetric, confirm that the equation satisfies the corresponding symmetry property. (Select all that apply.)

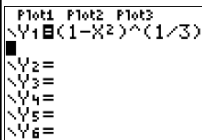
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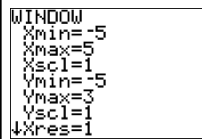
x-axis symmetry is going to be relatively rare, as our focus is on y as a function of x. That means y all by itself and some expression with x in it.

Basically no x-axis symmetry unless you see  $|y|$  or  $y^2$  or  $y^4$  etc

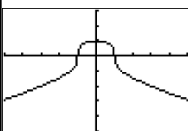
Calculator:  
The Y= button



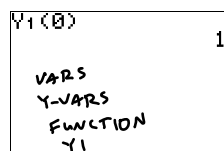
Set the WINDOW



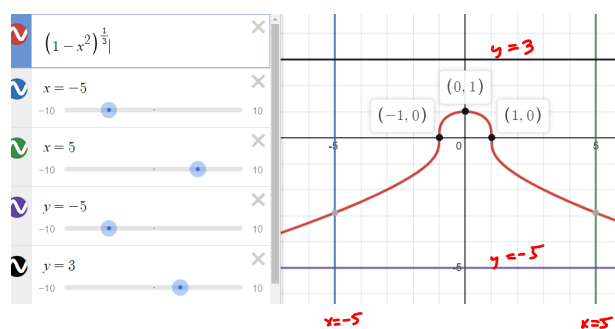
GRAPH



Then calculate ZEROS and use VARS key to find Y(0) for the y-intercept.



DESMOS



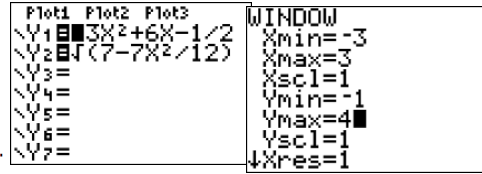
Found x-intercepts by clicking on them!

Do the given graphs intersect in the indicated viewing rectangle? If so, how many points of intersection are there?

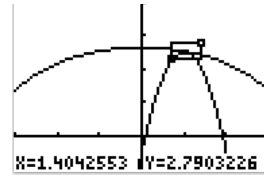
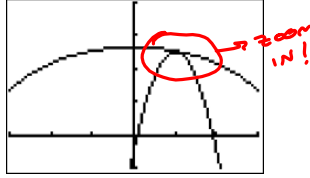
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$$y = -3x^2 + 6x - \frac{1}{2}, y = \sqrt{7 - \frac{7}{12}x^2}; \quad [-3, 3] \text{ by } [-1, 4]$$

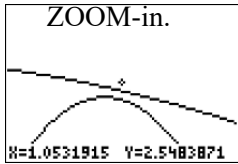
- Yes, they have one point of intersection.
- Yes, they have two points of intersection.
- Yes, they have three points of intersection.
- No, they do not intersect in the given viewing rectangle.



On my calculator, the viewing window doesn't give enough detail to be sure. I zoomed-in on the relevant spot.



Nope. Not after ZOOM-in.



10 Solve the equation both algebraically and graphically. (Round graphical solution(s) to two decimal places. Enter your answers as comma-separated lists. If there is no real solution, enter NO REAL SOLUTION.)

$$\frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{2x} = 7$$

M1:

Graph  
 $Y_1 = \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{2x} = 4/x + 1/(2x)$

calculator sees  $1/2x$  as  $\frac{1}{2}x = \frac{x}{2}$   
 we want  $\frac{1}{2x}$

$Y_2 = 7$   
 & find intersection

Did we capture ALL SOLNS?  
 Zoom out a few times.

$$\frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{2x} = 7$$

$LCO = 2x$

$$\frac{4}{x} \cdot \frac{2}{2} + \frac{1}{2x} = \frac{7}{1} \cdot \frac{2x}{2x}$$

$$\frac{8+1}{2x} = \frac{14x}{2x}$$

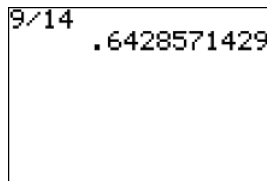
$$\frac{9}{2x} - \frac{14x}{2x} = 0$$

$$\frac{-14x+9}{2x} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -14x + 9 = 0$$

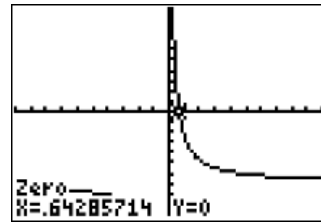
$$-14x = -9$$

$$x = \frac{9}{14} \approx .6428571429 \approx .64$$



M2

GRAPH  
 $Y_1 = \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{2x} - 7$   
 & find x-intercepts



$$x \approx .64285714$$

$$\approx .64$$

Clear Fractions Method

$$\left( \frac{4}{x} + \frac{1}{2x} = 7 \right) 2x$$

$$\frac{4 \cdot 2x}{x} + \frac{1 \cdot 2x}{2x} = 7 \cdot 2x$$

$$8 + 1 = 14x$$

$$14x = 9$$

$$x = \frac{9}{14} \approx .64$$

**11** Solve the equation both algebraically and graphically. (Round graphical solution(s) to two decimal places. Enter your answers as comma-separated lists. If there is no real solution, enter NO REAL SOLUTION.)

$$\frac{7}{x+2} - \frac{9}{2x} = \frac{8}{2x+4}$$

algebraically  $x =$

graphically  $x =$

$$\frac{7}{\frac{1}{2}+2} - \frac{9}{2(\frac{1}{2})} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{9}{2(\frac{1}{2})+4}$$
  

$$\frac{7}{\frac{5}{2}} - \frac{9}{1} = \frac{7}{\frac{5}{2}} - 1$$
  

$$= \frac{7 \cdot 2}{5} - 1 = \frac{14}{5} - \frac{5}{5} = \frac{9}{5}$$
  

$$\stackrel{?}{=} \frac{9}{5+4} = \frac{9}{9} \text{ No.}$$
  

$$\frac{7}{-6+2} - \frac{9}{2(-6)} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{8}{2(-6)+4}$$
  

$$-\frac{7}{4} + \frac{3}{2} = -1 \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{8}{-12+4} = \frac{8}{-8} = -1$$
  
 Yes!

$$\text{LCD} = (x+2)(2)(x) = 2x(x+2)$$
  

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

$$\left(\frac{7}{x+2}\right)\left(\frac{2x}{2x}\right) - \left(\frac{9}{2x}\right)\left(\frac{x+2}{x+2}\right) = \left(\frac{8}{2(x+2)}\right)\left(\frac{x}{x}\right)$$

$$\frac{14x - 9 - 18}{\text{LCD}} = \frac{14x - 27}{\text{LCD}} = \frac{8x}{\text{LCD}} \implies$$

$$14x - 27 = 8x$$

$$6x = 27$$

$$x = \frac{27}{6} = \frac{9}{2} = x$$

$$\frac{14x - 9x - 18}{\text{LCD}} = \frac{5x - 18}{\text{LCD}} = \frac{8x}{\text{LCD}}$$

$$5x - 18 = 8x$$

$$-3x = 18$$

$$x = -\frac{18}{3} = -6$$

**12** Solve the equation both algebraically and graphically. (Round graphical solution(s) to two decimal places. Enter your answers as comma-separated lists. If there is no real solution, enter NO REAL SOLUTION.)

$$x^2 + 4 = 0$$

algebraically  $x =$

graphically  $x =$

- 13** Solve the equation both algebraically and graphically. (Round graphical solution(s) to two decimal places. Enter your answers as comma-separated lists. If there is no real solution, enter NO REAL SOLUTION.)

$$x^2 + 5 = 4x$$

algebraically  $x =$

graphically  $x =$

- 14** Solve the equation graphically in the given interval. State each answer rounded to two decimals. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list.)

$$x^2 - 0.5x + 0.04 = 0; \quad [-2, 2]$$

$x =$



**15** Solve the equation graphically in the given interval. State each answer rounded to two decimals. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list.)

$$x^3 - 12x^2 + 47x - 60 = 0; \quad [-1, 6]$$

**16** Solve the equation graphically in the given interval. State each answer rounded to two decimals. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list.)

$$x - \sqrt{x + 3} = 0; \quad [-1, 5]$$

Solve the equation graphically in the given interval. State each answer rounded to two decimals. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list.)

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$2 + \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{4 + x^2}; [-1, 5]$  *0 = x works.*

$\sqrt{x^2 + 4} = \sqrt{x} + 2$

*Square*  
 $x^2 + 4 = x^2 + 2(2\sqrt{x}) + 2^2 = x + 4\sqrt{x} + 4$

$x^2 - x = 4\sqrt{x}$   
*square*

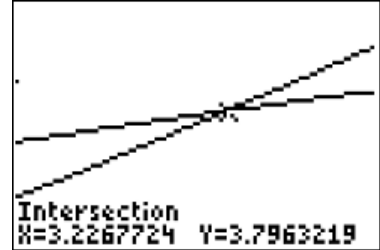
$(x^2 - x)^2 = (x(x-1))^2 = x^2(x-1)^2 = x^2(x^2 - 2x + 1) = 16x$

$x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 = 16x$

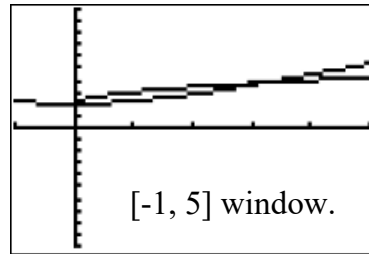
$x^4 - 2x^3 + x^2 - 16x = 0$

$x(x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 16) = 0$

*Meh  
 messy  
 cubic formula  
 Does exist.  
 x=0 works?*



There's also an intersection at (0, 2)



Solve the equation graphically in the given interval. State each answer rounded to two decimals. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list.)

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$3x^{1/2} + 3x^{1/3} - 3x = 0; [-1, 5]$

$x^{1/2} + x^{1/3} - x = 0$

$\Rightarrow x^{1/2} (x^{1/6 - 1/3} + 1 - x^{1/3}) = 0$

$x = 0$  or  $x^{1/6} - x^{1/3} + 1 = 0$

$u = x^{1/6}$   
 $\Rightarrow x^{1/6} = (x^{1/6})^4 = u^4$

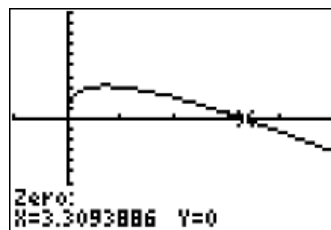
This one is out of reach, algebraically.

So  $u - u^4 + 1 = 0$   
 $-u^4 + u + 1 = 0$   
 $u^4 - u - 1 = 0$

*Not much fun.  
 Need grapher.*

$D = [0, \infty)$

$D(x^{1/2}) = [0, \infty) = D(\sqrt{x})$



$x \approx 3.31,$   
 $x = 0$

19 Use the graphical method to solve the equation. (Enter your answers as a comma-separated list. Round your answers to two decimal places. If there is no real solution, enter NO REAL SOLUTION.)

$$\sqrt{3x+4} + 2 = x$$

$$\sqrt{3x+4} = x-2$$

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

$$x^2 - 7x = 0$$

$$x(x-7) = 0$$

$$x = 0 \text{ or } x = 7$$

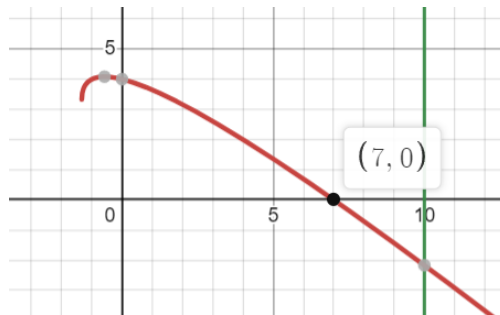
$$\sqrt{4} + 2 = 2 + 2 = 4 \neq 7$$

$$\sqrt{3(7)+4} + 2 =$$

$$\sqrt{25} + 2 = 5 + 2 = 7 \checkmark$$

$x = 7$   $x = 0$  is extraneous.

Graphical:  
Find x-nts of  
 $y = \sqrt{3x+4} + 2 - x$



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