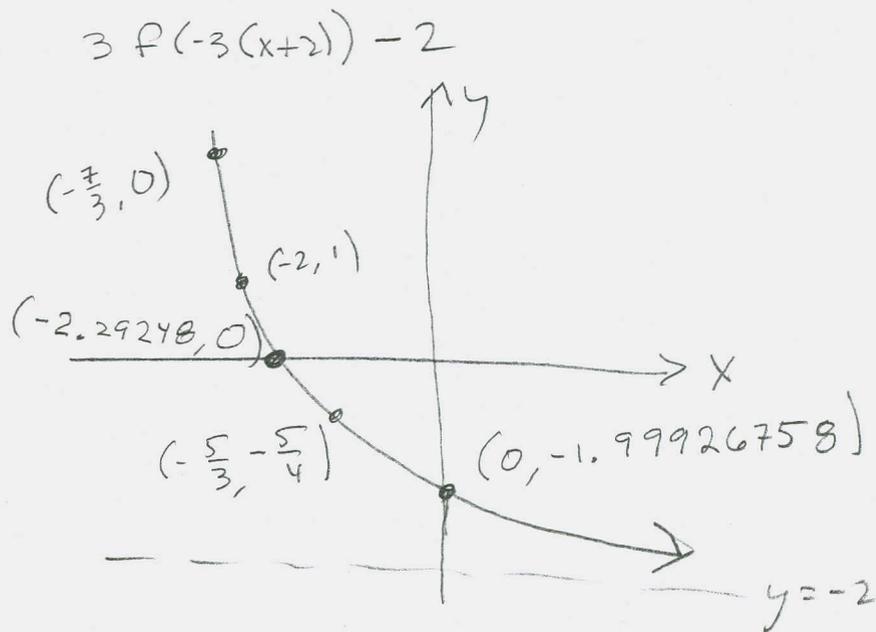
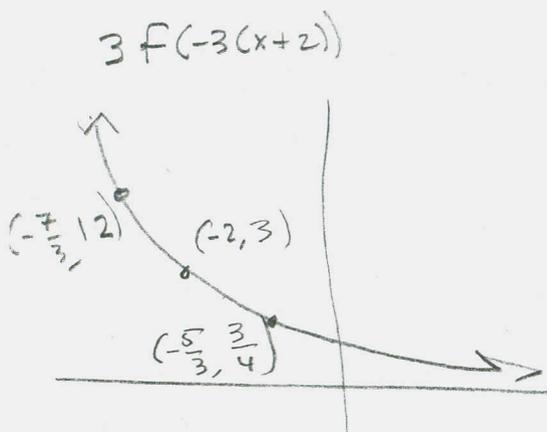
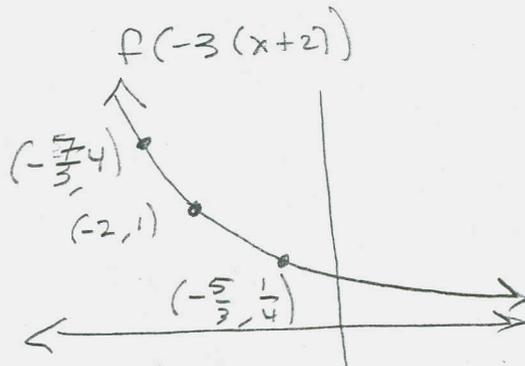
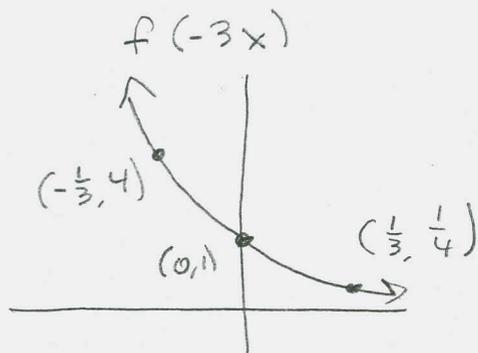
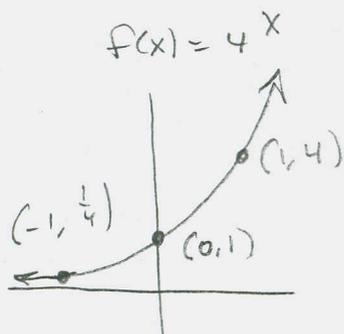


$$-3x - 6 = -3(x + 2)$$

(10 pts bonus) Sketch the graph of $g(x) = 3 \cdot 4^{-3x-6} - 2$ by transforming the basic function $f(x) = 4^x$, as demonstrated on many occasions in lecture.

(5 pts bonus) Find the x-intercept, accurate to 5 decimal places in the x-coordinate. Label it clearly on your final sketch.



$$3 \cdot 4^{-3x-6} - 2 = 0$$

$$3 \cdot 4^{-3x-6} = 2$$

$$4^{-3x-6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$-3x - 6 = \log_4\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

$$-3x = \log_4\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) + 6$$

$$x = -\log_4\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) - 2$$

$$= -\frac{\ln(2/3)}{\ln(4)} - 2$$

$$\approx -2.29248125$$