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Algebra II Honors - 3.3 Practice

1. Given:  $f(x) = -8x^3 - 32x^2 - 42x - 18$

a) If  $(x+1)$  is a factor , find all zeros.

b) Find the quotient of  $f(x)$  and  $(x-1)$ . Verify the remainder is correct.

c) Write  $f(x)$  as:  $d(x)q(x) + r(x)$

d) Sketch  $f(x)$ .

2. Find  $f(\sqrt{2})$  , given  $f(x) = x^4 - 3x^3 + x - 1$  , using synthetic division .

3. Divide using long division.

$$\frac{x^4 + 9x^3 - 5x^2 - 36x + 4}{x^2 - 4}.$$

Explain why and how synthetic division could be used to divide the above.

4. Divide:  $\frac{x^{3n} - 3x^{2n} + 5x^n - 6}{x^n - 2}$

5. Given:  $f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 + 13x^2 - 36x + 36$ .
- If "2" is a double zero, find all other zeros and factor f(x).
  - Sketch f(x).