

3a)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 + 4x + 1 \\
 x-1 \overline{) \cancel{x^3} + 3x^2 - 3x - 2} \\
 \underline{-\cancel{x^3} - x^2} \phantom{- 2} \\
 4x^2 - 3x \phantom{- 2} \\
 \underline{-4x^2 + 4x} \phantom{- 2} \\
 x - 2 \\
 \underline{-x + 1} \\
 -1 \quad R
 \end{array}$$

f)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2y^3 \\
 y-3 \overline{) \cancel{2y^4} - 3y^2 + 1} \\
 \underline{-\cancel{2y^4} - 6y^3} \\
 6y^3 - 3y^2 + 1
 \end{array}$$

\* Be careful when one of the descending degrees are missing

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3f) \quad \frac{2y^3 + 6y^2 + 15y + 45}{y-3} \overline{) 2y^4 + 0y^3 - 3y^2 + 0y + 1} \\
 \underline{- 2y^4 - 6y^3} \phantom{+ 1} \\
 6y^3 - 3y^2 \phantom{+ 0y + 1} \\
 \underline{- 6y^3 - 18y^2} \phantom{+ 1} \\
 15y^2 + 0y \phantom{+ 1} \\
 \underline{15y^2 - 45y} \phantom{+ 1} \\
 45y + 1 \\
 \underline{45y - 135} \\
 136 \text{ R.}
 \end{array}$$

Using Synthetic Division;

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrr}
 3 & 2 & 0 & -3 & 0 & 1 \\
 + & \downarrow & 6 & +18 & 45 & 135 \\
 \hline
 & 2 & +6 & 15 & 45 & (136) \text{ R}
 \end{array}$$

$2y^3 + 6y^2 + 15y + 45$  Quotient

## Synthetic Division

↳ dividing polynomials but easier than long division

\* Dividing by  $(x-a)$ , 'a' then you are testing 'a' as a root.

ex. Divide  $2x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x + 15$  by  $(x+3)$ .

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} -3 & 2 & 3 & -4 & 15 \\ & \downarrow & -6 & 9 & -15 \\ \hline & 2 & -3 & 5 & 0 \end{array}$$

\*  $-3$  is a root

Quotient:  $2x^2 - 3x + 5$

$$2x^3 + 3x^2 - 4x + 15$$

divided by  $x + 3$

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrrr} -3 & 2 & 3 & -4 & 15 \\ + & \downarrow & -6 & 9 & -15 \\ \hline & 2 & -3 & 5 & \emptyset R \end{array}$$

Quotient  $2x^2 - 3x + 5$

\* Because we have  $\emptyset$  Remainder,  $-3$  is an x-intercept of the cubic.

If we want to find the other two, we can solve the quadratic.

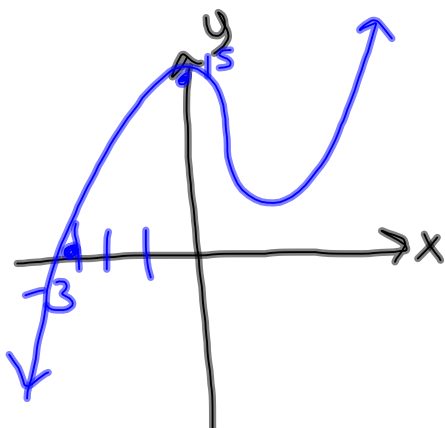
$$2x^2 - 3x + 5 = 0$$

add -3  
mult 10  
not possible

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4(2)(5)}}{2(2)}$$

$$= \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{-31}}{4} \text{ * imaginary}$$



Remainder Theorem pg. 123

When a polynomial  $P(x)$  is divided by binomial of the form  $x-a$ , the remainder is  $P(a)$ .

example: Determine the remainder when  $P(x) = x^3 - 10x + 6$  is divided by  $(x+4)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} P(-4) &= (-4)^3 - 10(-4) + 6 \\ &= -64 + 40 + 6 \\ &= -18 \end{aligned}$$

Check by Synthetic Division

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} -4 & 1 & 0 & -10 & 6 \\ & \downarrow & -4 & 16 & -24 \\ \hline & 1 & -4 & 6 & \textcircled{-18} R \end{array}$$

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#4, 6a \* 8a)