

**4.4** Extra Practice

In Exercises 1–14, factor the polynomial completely.

1.  $20x^3 - 220x^2 + 600x$

2.  $m^5 - 81m$

3.  $27a^3 + 8b^3$

4.  $5t^6 + 2t^5 - 5t^4 - 2t^3$

5.  $y^4 - 13y^2 - 48$

6.  $5p^3 + 5p - 5p^2 - 5$

7.  $810k^4 - 160$

8.  $a^5 + a^3 - a^2 - 1$

9.  $2x^6 - 8x^5 - 42x^4$

10.  $5z^3 + 5z^2 - 6z - 6$

11.  $12x^2 - 22x - 20$

12.  $3m^2 - 48m^6$

13.  $4x^3 - 4x^2 + x$

14.  $5m^4 - 70m^3 + 245m^2$

In Exercises 15–17, show that the binomial is a factor of the polynomial. Then factor the polynomial completely.

15.  $f(x) = x^3 - 13x - 12; x + 1$

16.  $f(x) = 6x^3 + 8x^2 - 34x - 12; x - 2$

17.  $f(x) = 2x^4 - 12x^3 + 6x^2 + 20x; x - 5$

18. Factor each polynomial completely.

a.  $5a^2c - 3a^2d - 5b^2c + 3b^2d$

b.  $x^{2n} + 6x^n + 9$

19. What is the value of  $k$  such that  $x - 6$  is a factor of  $f(x) = 3x^3 - 17x^2 - kx + 18$ ? Justify your answer.

**4.5** Extra Practice

In Exercises 1–6, solve the equation.

1.  $36r^3 - r = 0$

2.  $20x^3 + 80x^2 = -60x$

3.  $3m^2 = 75m^4$

4.  $-13y^2 + 36 = -y^4$

5.  $2x^3 - x^2 - 2x = -1$

6.  $-20c^2 + 50c = 8c^3 - 125$

In Exercises 7–10, find the zeros of the function. Then sketch a graph of the function.

7.  $f(x) = x^4 - x^3 - 12x^2$

8.  $f(x) = -4x^3 + 12x^2 - 9x$

9.  $f(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 - 6x - 24$

10.  $f(x) = x^4 - 18x^2 + 81$

11. Find all the real solutions of  $x^3 - 8x^2 - 21x + 108 = 0$ .

12. Find all the real zeros of  $f(x) = 3x^4 + 11x^3 - 40x^2 - 132x + 48$ .

13. Write a polynomial function  $g$  of least degree that has rational coefficients, a leading coefficient of 1, and the zeros  $-5$  and  $4 + \sqrt{2}$ .

14. All the possible rational solutions and actual rational solutions of the equation below are shown. Complete the equation.

**Possible:**  $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \pm 6, \pm \frac{1}{2}, \pm \frac{3}{2}$

**Actual:**  $-3, \frac{1}{2}$

$$(x + \underline{\quad})(x + \underline{\quad})(x^2 + \underline{\quad}) = 0$$

## 4.6 Extra Practice

In Exercises 1 and 2, identify the number of solutions of the polynomial equation. Then find all the solutions.

1.  $2x^3 - 11x^2 - 2x + 2 = 0$

2.  $x^4 + x^3 + 3x^2 + 9x = 54$

In Exercises 3–6, find all the zeros of the polynomial function.

3.  $h(x) = x^4 - 3x^3 + 6x^2 + 2x - 60$

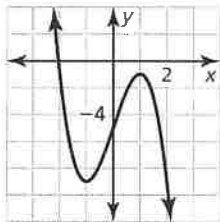
4.  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - 15x + 125$

5.  $g(x) = x^4 - 48x^2 - 49$

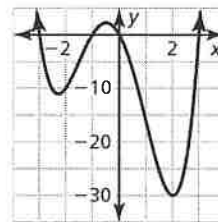
6.  $h(x) = -5x^3 + 9x^2 - 18x - 4$

In Exercises 7 and 8, determine the number of imaginary zeros for the function with the given degree and graph. Explain your reasoning.

7. Degree: 3



8. Degree: 4



In Exercises 9–12, write a polynomial function  $f$  of least degree that has rational coefficients, a leading coefficient of 1, and the given zeros.

9.  $-4, 1, 7$

10.  $10, -\sqrt{5}$

11.  $8, 3, -i$

12.  $0, 2 - \sqrt{2}, 2 + 3i$

In Exercises 13 and 14, determine the possible numbers of positive real zeros, negative real zeros, and imaginary zeros for the function.

13.  $g(x) = x^5 - 3x^4 - 7x^2 + 9$

14.  $g(x) = x^6 + 2x^5 + x^4 - 3x^3 - 5x^2 + x - 8$

15. Three zeros of  $f(x) = x^4 - x^3 - 4x^2 - 16x - 320$  are 5,  $4i$ , and  $-4i$ . Is the fourth zero *real* or *imaginary*? Explain your reasoning.