

Algebra 1

Topic: Using Intercept Form

Instructions

Solve the following problems. Graph each quadratic function, label the vertex, axis of symmetry, and x-intercepts. Describe the domain and range of the function.

Practice Problems

1. Graph the quadratic function. Label the vertex, axis of symmetry, and x-intercepts. Describe the domain and range.

(i)
$$f(x) = (x+3)(x-5)$$

(iv)
$$p(x) = (x+2)(x+3)$$

(ii)
$$g(x) = (x-4)(x+2)$$

(v)
$$q(x) = 5(x+1)(x+2)$$

(iii)
$$h(x) = (x+6)(x-1)$$

(vi)
$$r(x) = (x-5)(x+1)$$

2. Graph the quadratic function. Label the vertex, axis of symmetry, and x-intercepts. Describe the domain and range.

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(i)
$$f(x) = x^2 - 9$$

(iv)
$$p(x) = -2x^2 - 4x + 30$$

(ii)
$$g(x) = 3x^2 - 48$$

(v)
$$q(x) = -5x^2 + 5x$$

(iii)
$$h(x) = x^2 + 9x + 14$$

(vi)
$$r(x) = x^2 + 6x - 27$$

3. In the following problems, find the zero(s) of the function.

(i)
$$f(x) = (x+4)(x-2)$$

(ii)
$$g(x) = -2(x-2)(x-10)$$

(iii)
$$h(x) = x^2 + 5x - 24$$

(iv)
$$p(x) = x^2 - 17x + 52$$

(v)
$$q(x) = (x+6)(x-4)$$

Multiple-Choice Questions

1. What is the vertex of the function f(x) = (x+3)(x-5)?

A.
$$(-3,5)$$

C.
$$(1, -5)$$

B.
$$(3, -5)$$

D.
$$(1,5)$$

2. What is the axis of symmetry for the function g(x) = (x-4)(x+2)?

A.
$$x = 4$$

C.
$$x = -1$$

B.
$$x = -2$$

D.
$$x = 0$$

3. What is the range of the function h(x) = (x+6)(x-1)?

A.
$$y \ge 0$$

C.
$$y > 2$$

B.
$$y \le 0$$

D.
$$y \leq 2$$

4. What is the transformation of the function p(x) = (x+2)(x+3) compared to $f(x) = x^2$?

5. What is the x-intercept of the function q(x) = (x-1)(x+4)?

A.
$$x = 1 \text{ and } x = -4$$

C.
$$x = 1 \text{ and } x = 4$$

B.
$$x = -1 \text{ and } x = 4$$

D.
$$x = -1$$
 and $x = -4$

6. What is the axis of symmetry for the function r(x) = (x-5)(x+2)?

A.
$$x = -5$$

C.
$$x = 2$$

B.
$$x = 5$$

D.
$$x = -2$$

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