

End Behaviour: (long term behaviour)

In general:

↙ highest exponent

If "n" is even and:

$$y = x^2, y = x^4, y = x^6$$

"a" is positive (\mathbb{R}_x)



} Start high
end high

"a" is negative (\mathbb{R}_x)



$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{as } x \rightarrow -\infty \\ y \rightarrow -\infty \end{array} \right\}$$

} Start I/III
ends III

Start QII
end QIV

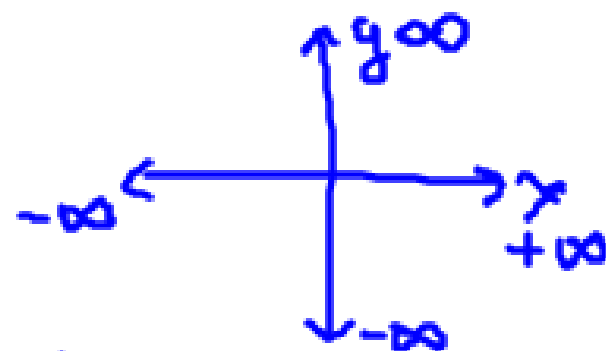
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$$y \rightarrow +\infty$$

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$$y \rightarrow +\infty$$



If "n" is odd and



"a" is positive

(Start low
end high) (start QII
end QI) $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{as } x \rightarrow -\infty \\ y \rightarrow -\infty \\ \text{as } x \rightarrow +\infty \\ y \rightarrow +\infty \end{array} \right.$

"a" is negative

R_x



Starts high
ends low

Start QII
end QIV

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Chapter 3.1 Day 2

- The graph of a polynomial function

- is continuous

- has only smooth turns

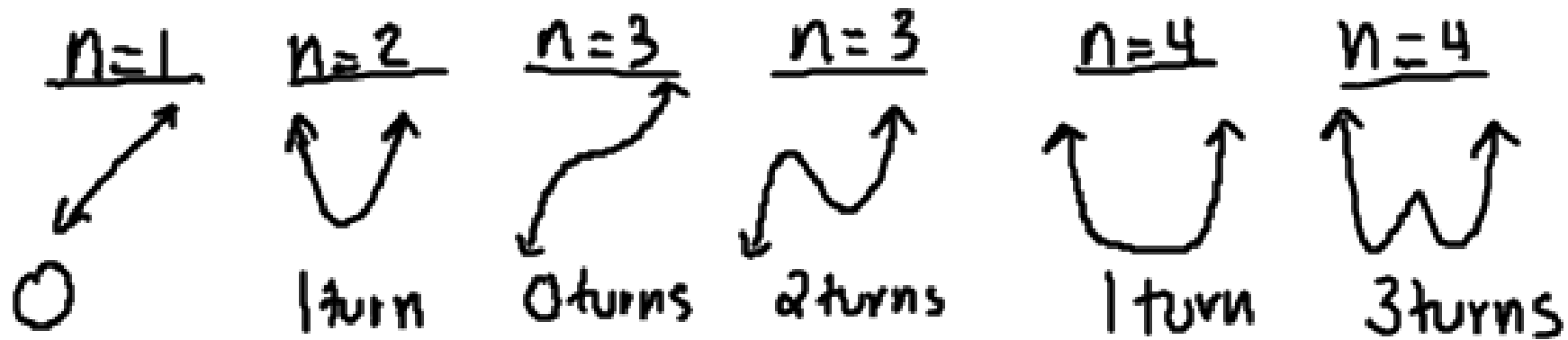
→ never had to lift
the pencil

$$D: \{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$$



nothing sharp

- A function of degree n has at most $(n-1)$ turns (\neq vertices)



Even function: has to have at least 1 turn

odd function: doesn't have to have any turns

- The leading coefficient will affect the polynomial

- The constant term is the y- intercept of the polynomial

$$y = 6x^2 - 5x + 3$$

(0,3)

$$y = -x^3 + x^{15} + 0$$

(0,0)

x-intercepts

n is even

→ don't have to have an x-int



→ can have up to "n" x-int

n is odd

- have to have at least one x-int

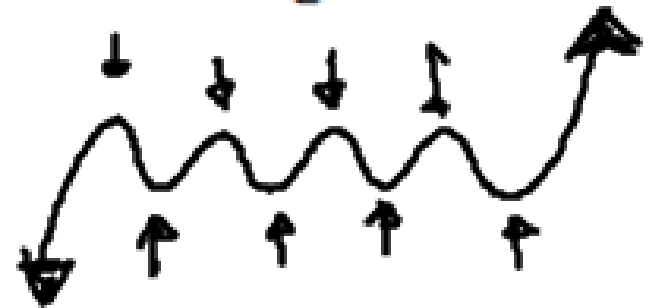


→ can have up to "n" x-int.

Vertices

- Maximum number will be one less than the degree

8 vertices
minimum degree 9



n is even	n is odd
has to have at least 1 vertex	may not have a vertex

Sketch:

$$y = (x-1)(x+2)(x-3)$$

- degree: 3
- leading coefficient: 1
 $a > 0$ (No R_x)

• End behaviour
Start low
End high

• y-int ($x=0$)

$$\begin{aligned} y &= (0-1)(0+2)(0-3) \\ &= (-1)(2)(-3) \\ &= 6 \end{aligned}$$

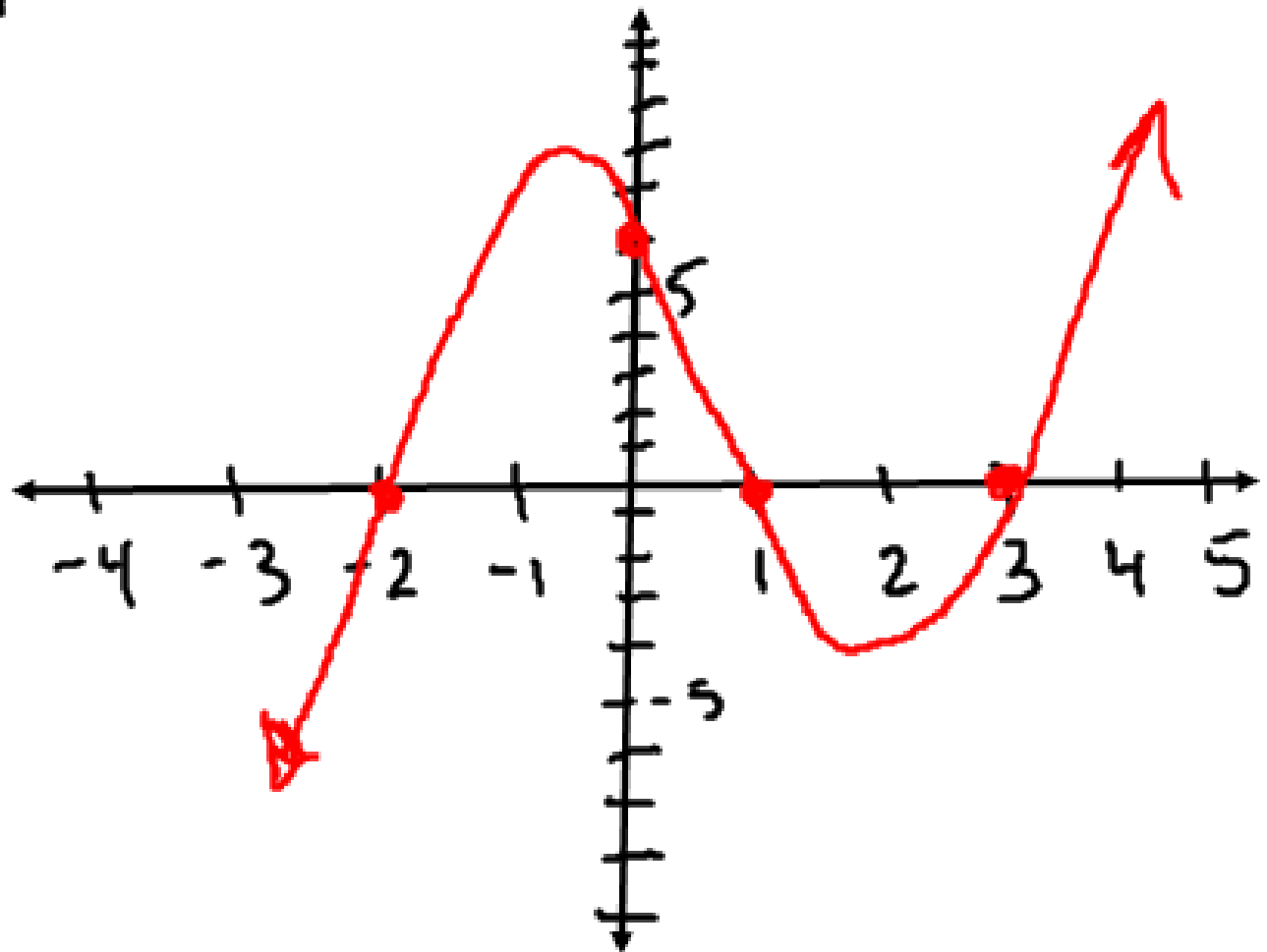
$(0, 6)$

$$\underline{x\text{-int}(y=0)}$$

$$0 = (x-1)(x+2)(x-3)$$

$$x=1 \quad x=-2 \quad x=3$$

$$(1, 0) \quad (-2, 0) \quad (3, 0)$$

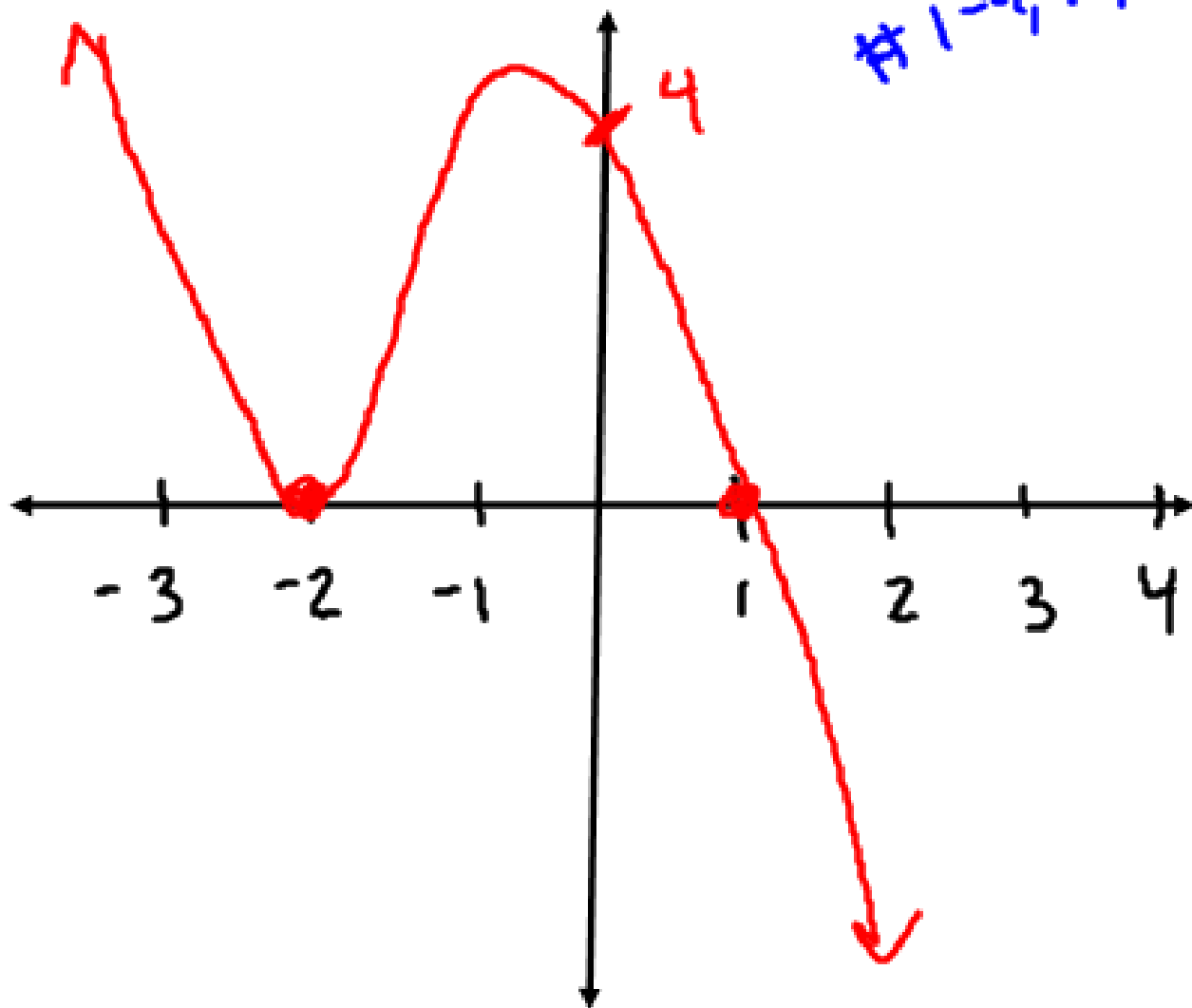


$$-(x-1)(x+2)^2 \leftarrow \text{Bounce}$$

$$y = -(x-1)(x+2)(x+2)$$

HW: pg 14
1-4, 11, 12

- degree 3
- leading coeff: -1
 $a < 0$ R_x
- End behaviour
Start high
end low



- y-int
 $y = -(-1)(2)(2)$
 $= 4$
 $(0, 4)$
- x-int
 $(1, 0), (-2, 0), (-2, 0)$
bounce

HW: pg 114 #1-4,11,12