

Name Solution

1) Find the inverse of the following functions (2.5 points each)

a) $f(x) = 2x - 5$

step I) $y = 2x - 5$

step II) solve for X $2x = y + 5$
 $x = \frac{y+5}{2}$

step III) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+5}{2}$

b) $g(x) = 4x$

$y = 4x$

$4x = y$

$x = \frac{y}{4}$

$g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x}{4}$

2) Solve $2x^2 + 4x = 7$ by completing square method. (3 points)

$2(x^2 + 2x) = 7$

$2(x^2 + 2x + 1) = 7 + 2$

$x^2 + 2x + 1 = \frac{9}{2}$

$(x+1)^2 = \frac{9}{2}$

$x+1 = \pm \sqrt{\frac{9}{2}}$

$x+1 = \pm \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

$x = -1 \pm \frac{3}{\sqrt{2}}$

$x = -1 \pm \frac{3\sqrt{2}}{2}$ OR $\frac{-2 \pm 3\sqrt{2}}{2}$

3) Solve $x(-3x+4) = 2$, using the quadratic formula. (3 points)

$-3x^2 + 4x - 2 = 0$ $a = -3$ $b = 4$ $c = -2$

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

$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4(-3)(-2)}}{2(-3)} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 24}}{-6}$

$= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-8}}{-6} = \frac{-4 \pm 2\sqrt{2}i}{6} = \frac{2}{3} \pm \frac{\sqrt{2}i}{3}$

4) Solve $2x^2 = x + 4$, using the quadratic formula.

(3 points)

$$2x^2 - x - 4 = 0 \quad a = 2 \quad b = -1 \quad c = -4$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{(-1)^2 - 4(2)(-4)}}{2(2)} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1 + 32}}{4} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{33}}{4}$$

5) Write $y = x^2 + 4x + 1$ in vertex form. Identify the vertex.

(3 points)

$$y = x^2 + 4x + 1$$
$$= x^2 + 4x + 4 + 1 - 4$$

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

$$\text{Vertex} = (-2, -3)$$

6) Find the vertex and the axis of symmetry for the graph of

(3 points)

$$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2x - 5$$

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = \frac{-2}{2(-\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{-2}{-1} = 2$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}(2)^2 + 2(2) - 5 = -3$$

$$\text{Vertex} = (2, -3)$$

$x = 2$ axis of symmetry