

4.1) Cubic graphs

Worked example

Sketch the graph of:

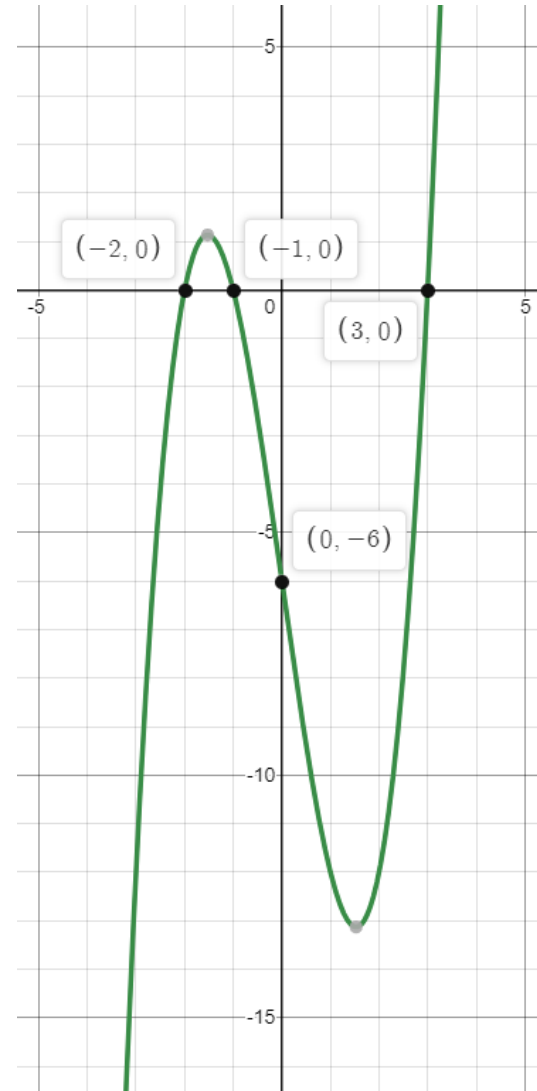
$$y = (x + 1)(x + 2)(x + 3)$$

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

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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Sketch the graph of:

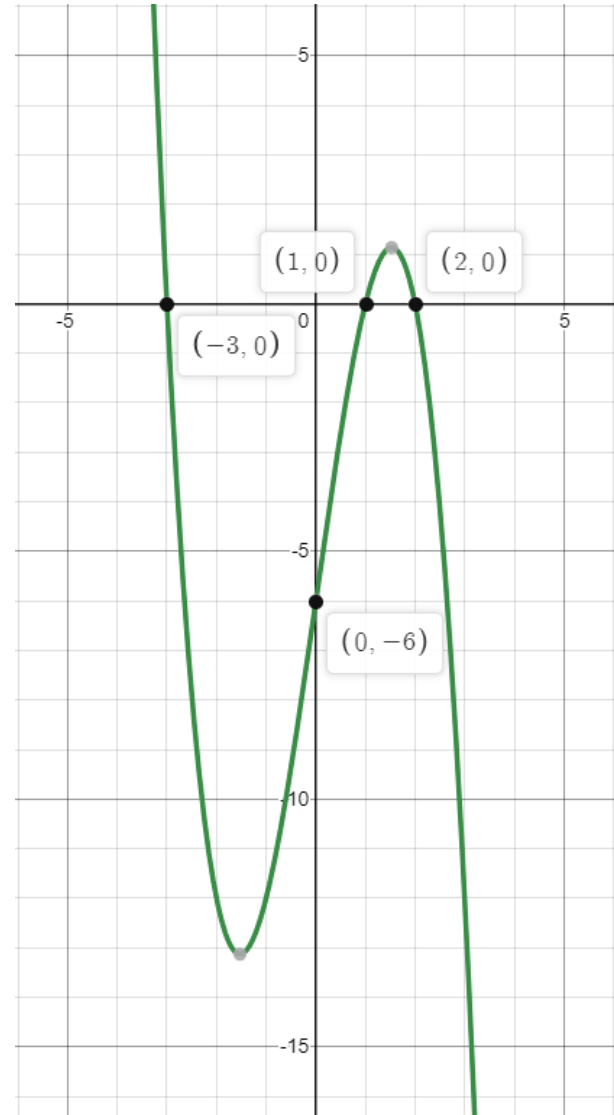
$$y = (x + 1)(x - 2)(3 - x)$$

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

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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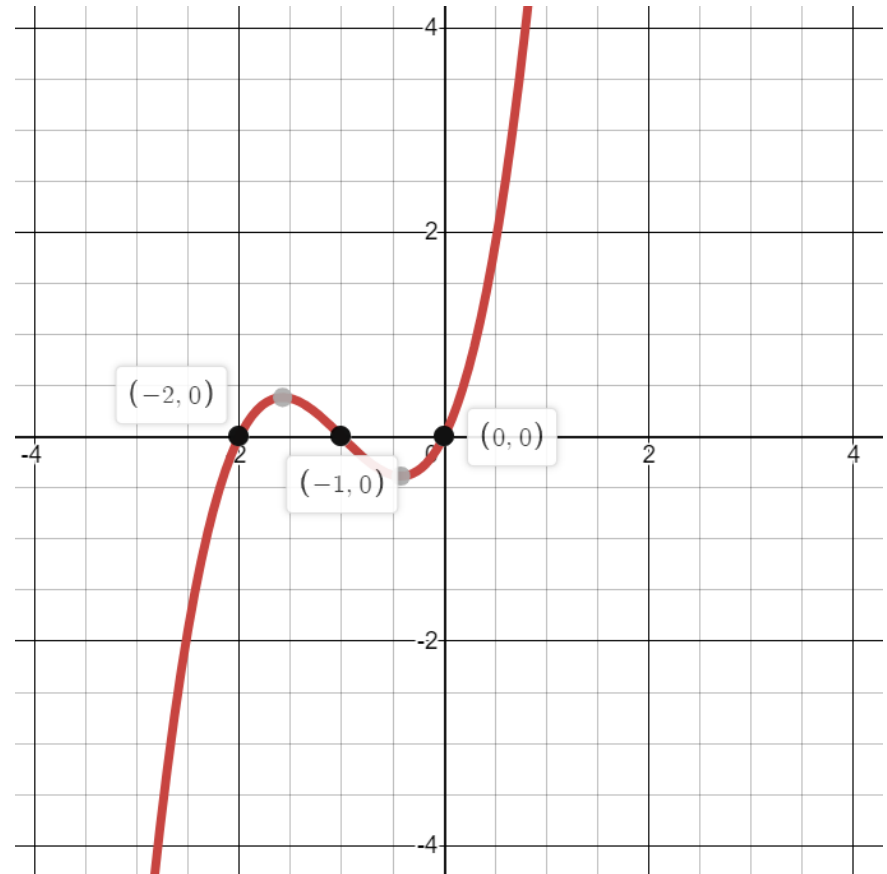
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = x(x + 3)(x + 4)$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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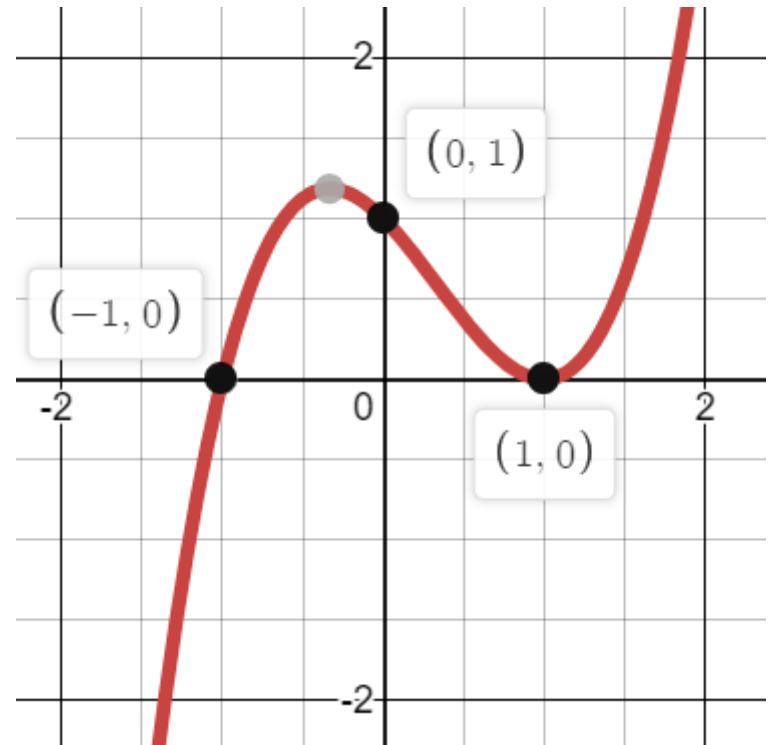
Sketch the graph of:

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

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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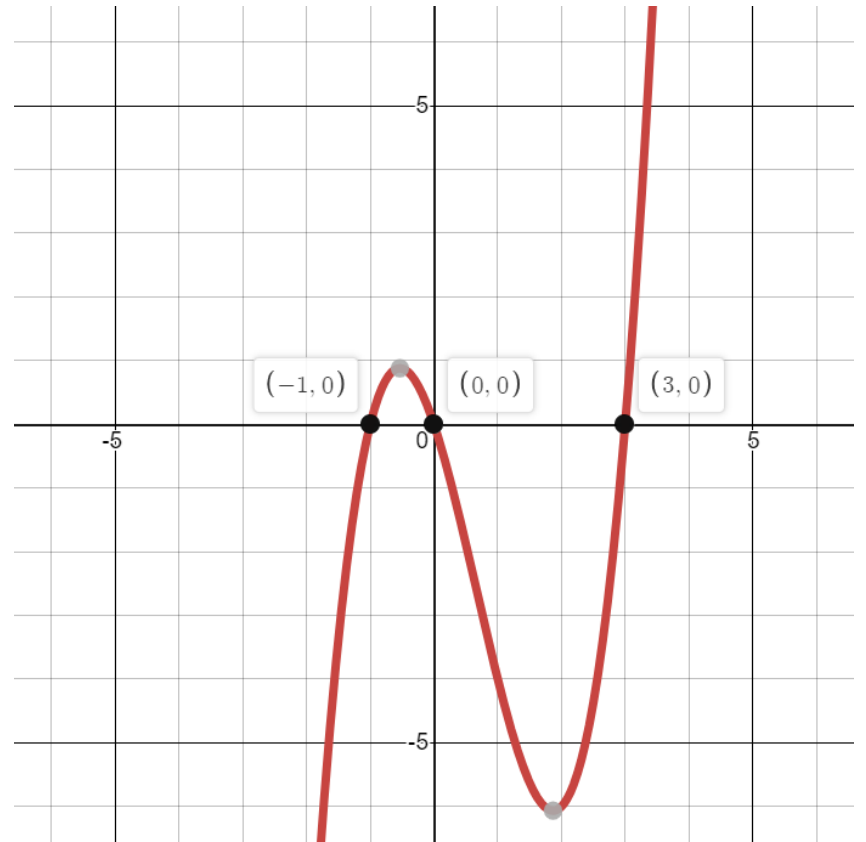
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = x^2 - 4x^2 - 5x$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

$$y = x^3 - 2x^2 - 3x$$



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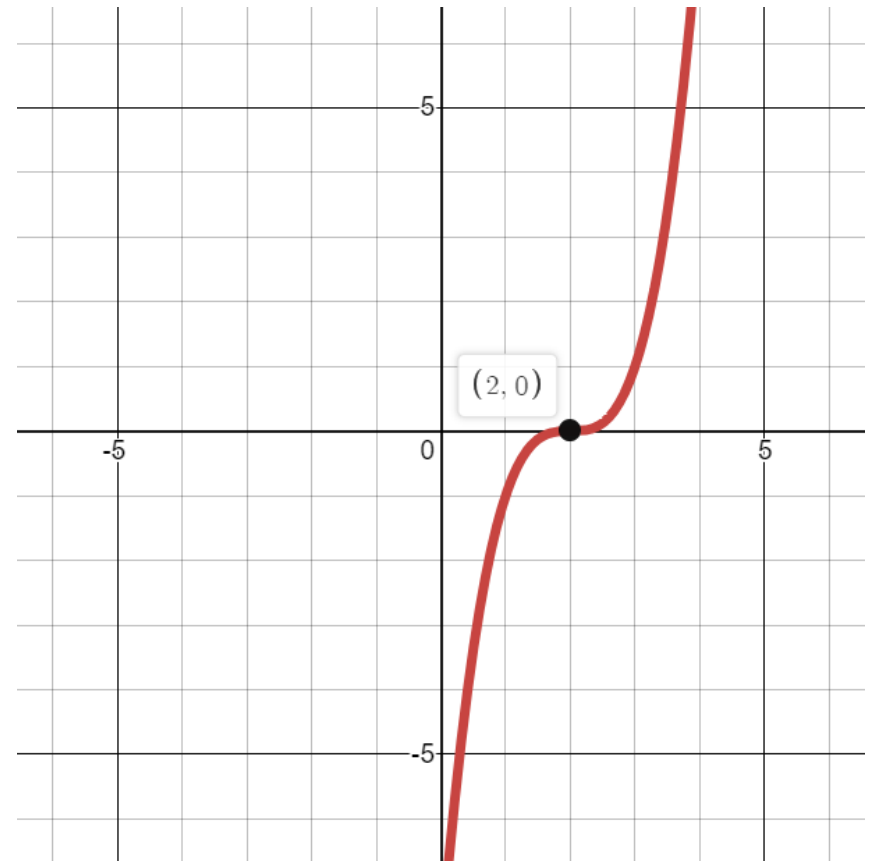
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = (x + 4)^3$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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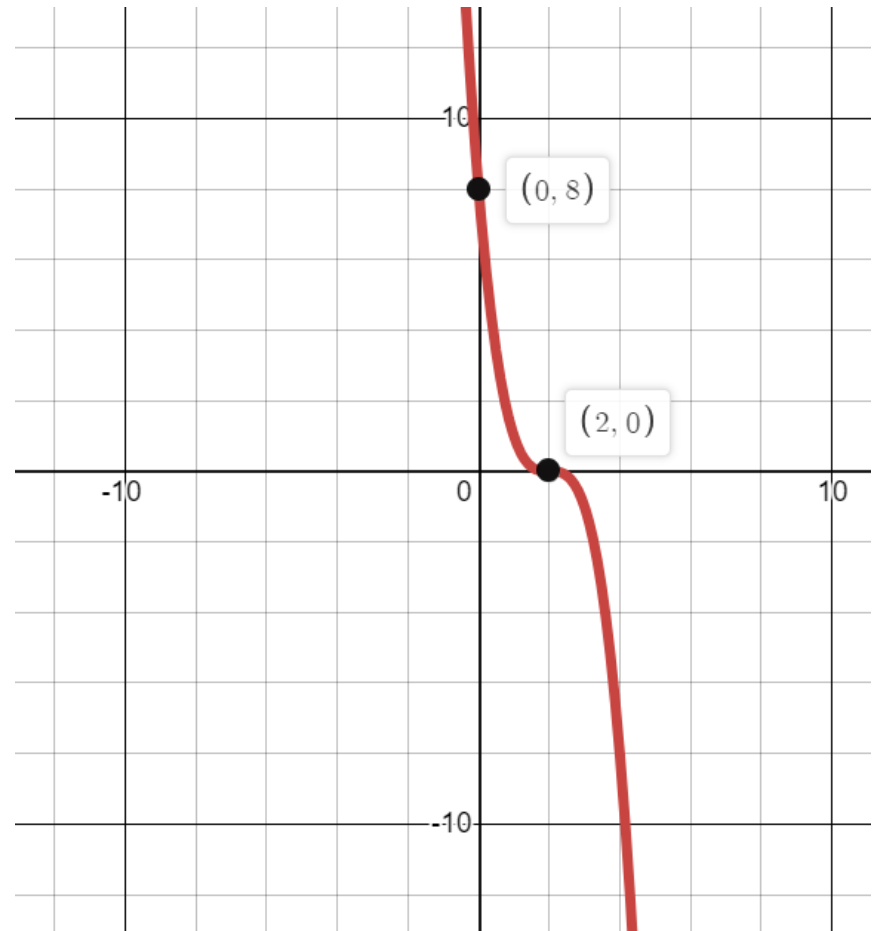
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = -(x + 4)^3$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



Worked example

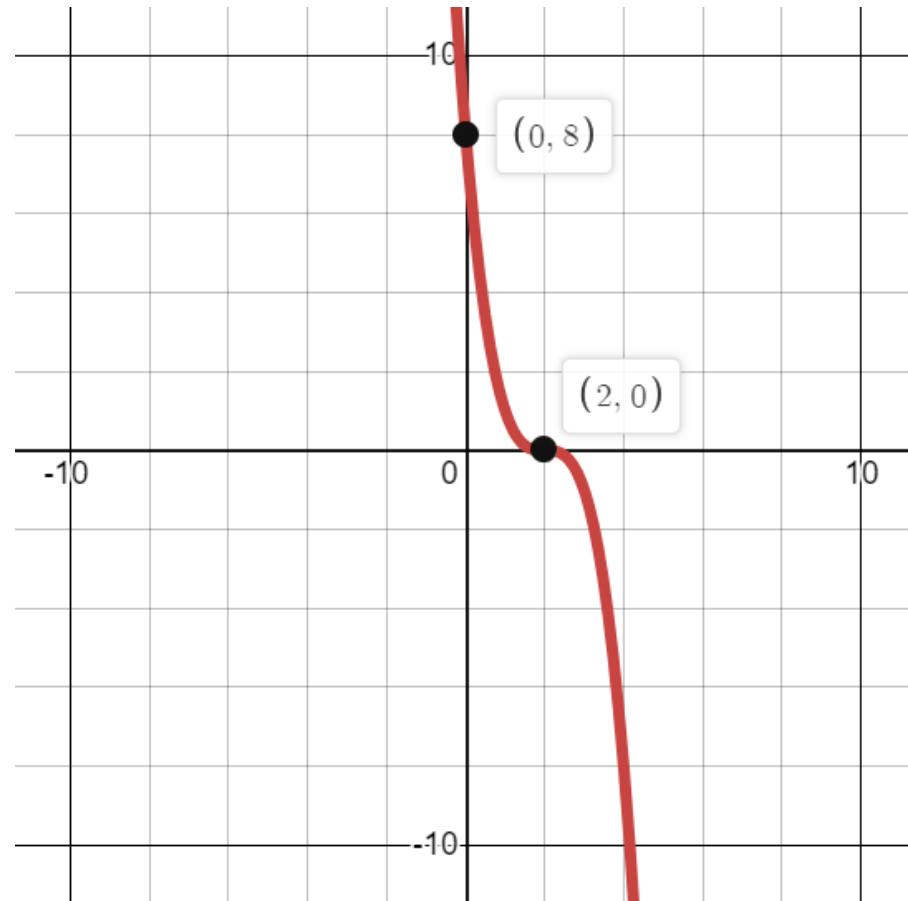
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = (4 - x)^3$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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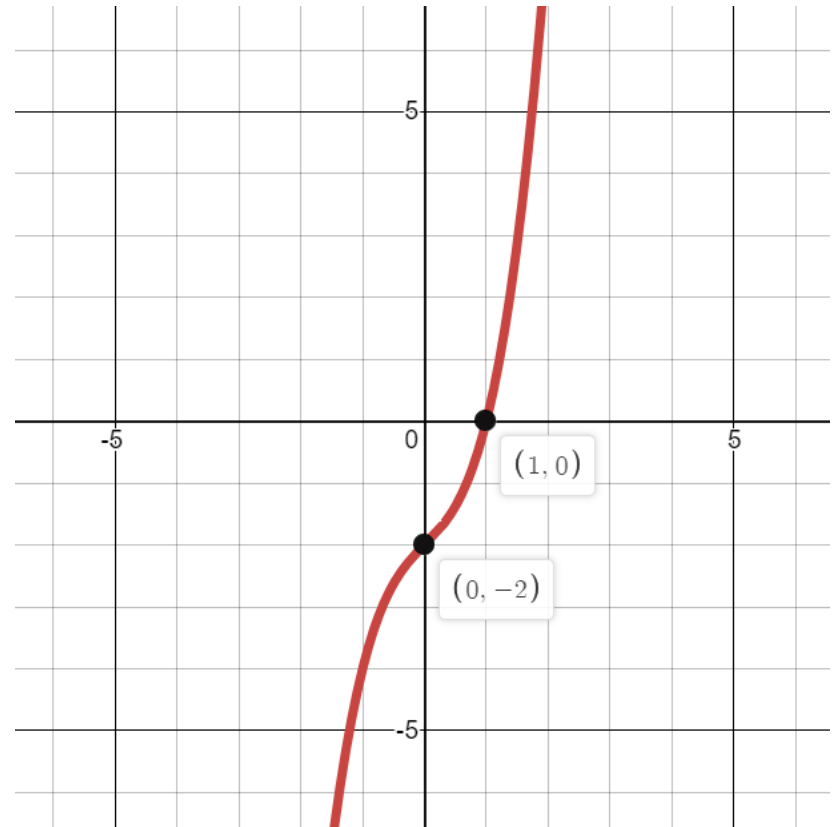
Sketch the graph of:

$$y = (x + 2)(x^2 + 2x + 4)$$

Your turn

Sketch the graph of:

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



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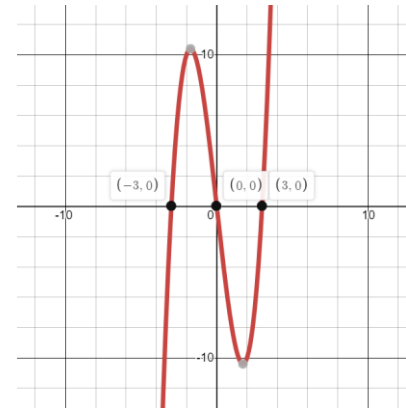
$$y = x^3 - 16x$$

$$y = x^3 - 16x^2$$

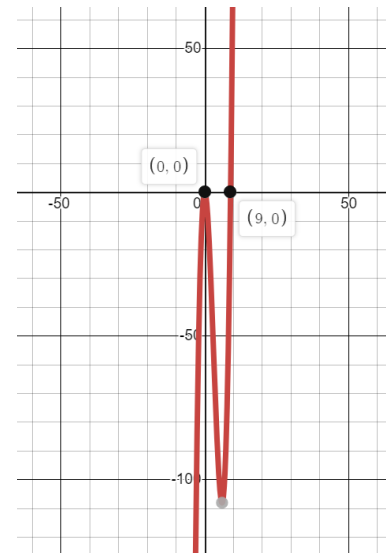
Your turn

Sketch the graphs of:

$$y = x^3 - 9x$$



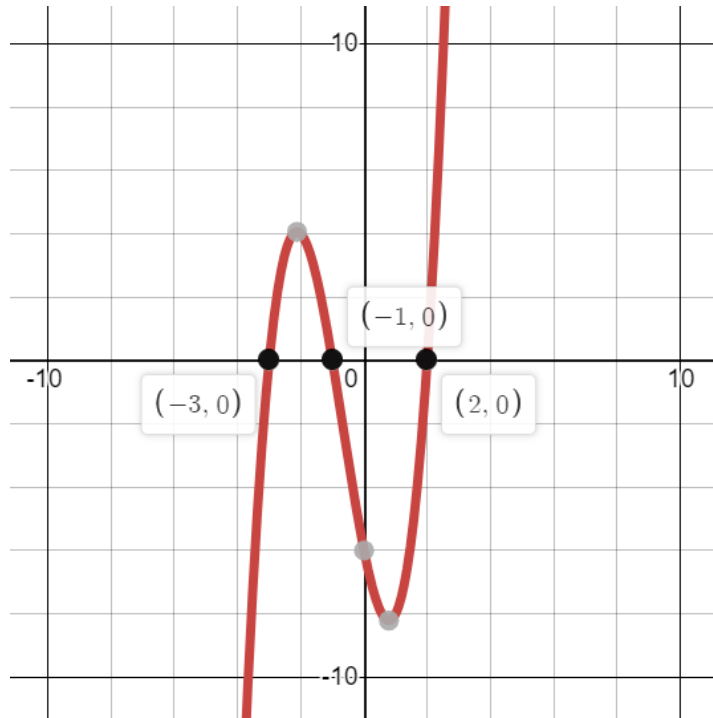
$$y = x^3 - 9x^2$$



Worked example

The graph of $y = ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d$ is shown where $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$.

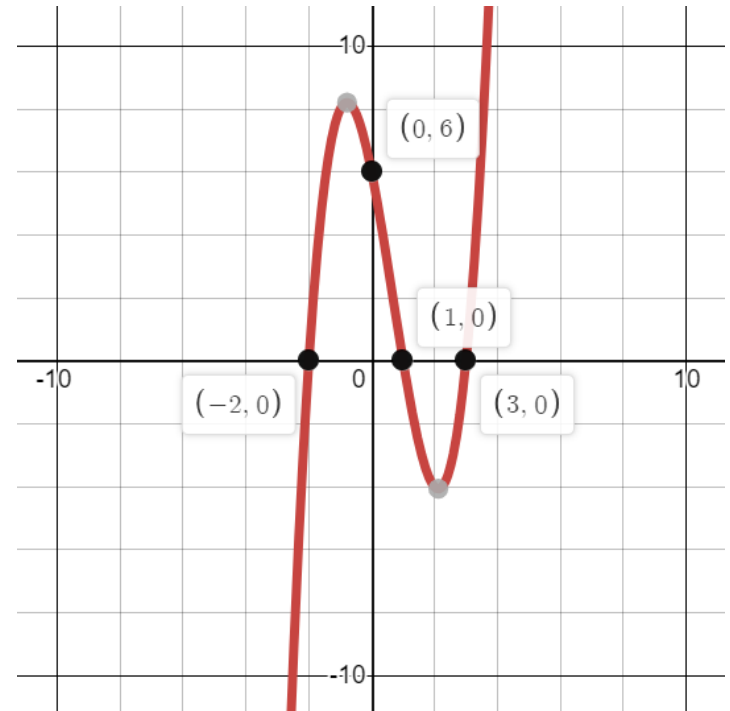
Find the value of a, b, c and d



Your turn

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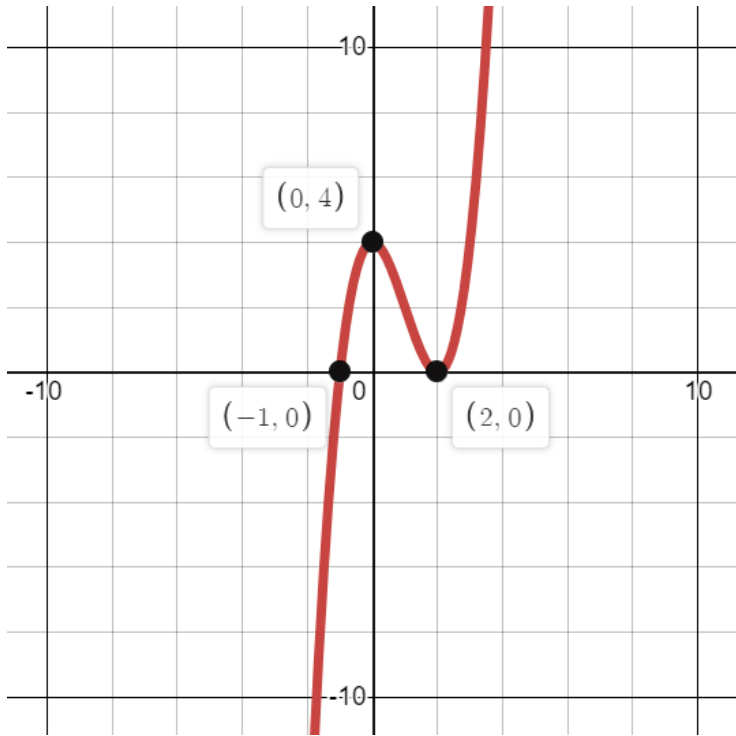


$$a = 1, b = -2, c = -5, d = 6$$

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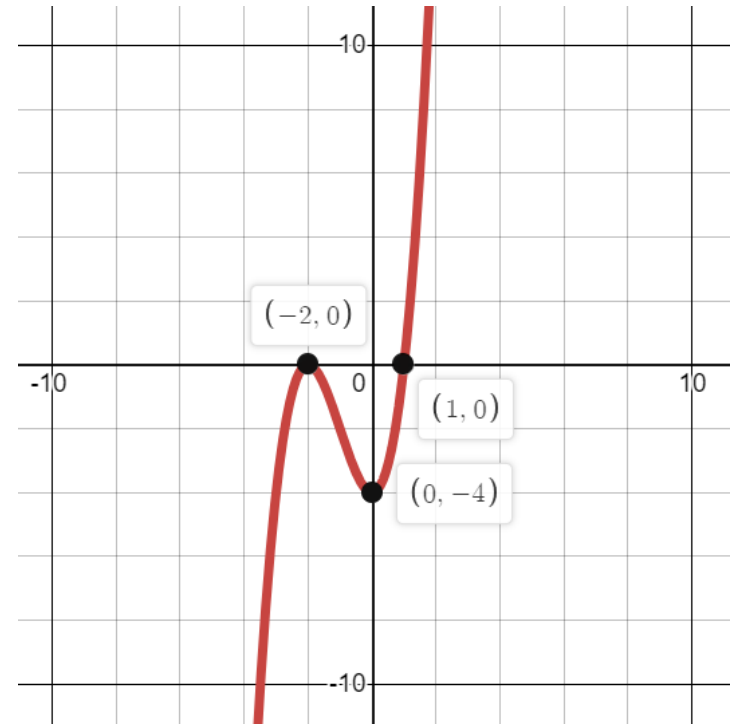
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Your turn

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Find the value of a, b, c and d



$$a = 1, b = 3, c = 0, d = -4$$

Worked example

A curve is a positive cubic, touches the x -axis at 3 and crosses the x -axis at -2 .
Write a possible equation for the curve.

Your turn

A curve is a positive cubic, touches the x -axis at 3 and crosses the x -axis at -2 .
Write a possible equation for the curve.

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