8-1 Solving Inequalities Solving Inequalities for Polynomials

1. Find Boundary Points

2. Find Solution Intervals

Make a sign chart to be more efficient and use <u>multiplicity rules</u> and <u>end behavior</u> models.

Determine the x-values that cause the polynomial to be a)zero b)positive c)negative

$$f(x) = (x+7)(x+4)(x-6)^2$$

-10 -9 -8 -7 -6 -5 -4 -3 -2 -1 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

1. Find where the polynomial is zero, positive, or negative

$$f(x) = (x+3)(x+1)^2(x-4)^2$$

Solve the Polynomial Inequality

$$x^3 - 4x^2 - x + 4 \le 0$$

Sign chart

Solve the Polynomial Inequality

$$x^4 - 4x^3 - 7x^2 + 22x + 24 \le 0$$