

Name: _____

Date: _____

Scaffolded Practice: Graphing Rational Functions

For problems 1–3, determine the equation of the vertical asymptote in each rational function.

1. $f(x) = \frac{x + 2}{x + 3}$

2. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x + 2}{x - 2}$

3. $f(x) = \frac{x - 4}{x^2 + 5x + 6}$

For problems 4–7, determine the equation of the horizontal asymptote for each rational function, if one exists.

4. $f(x) = \frac{x + 2}{x + 3}$

5. $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x + 2}{x + 2}$

continued

Name: _____

Date: _____

$$6. f(x) = \frac{x - 4}{x^2 + 5x + 6}$$

$$7. f(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 1}{x^2 - 2x - 35}$$

For each of the rational functions shown, determine the zero(s) and y-intercept.

$$8. f(x) = \frac{x + 2}{x + 3}$$

$$9. f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3x + 2}{x - 2}$$

$$10. f(x) = \frac{x - 4}{x^2 + 5x + 6}$$