

- Let $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 1}{(x - 3)(x + 2)}$. Determine the vertical asymptotes of the graph of f .

THE DENOMINATOR IS ZERO WHEN $x = 3$ OR $x = -2$.

NEITHER OF THESE x -VALUES MAKE THE NUMERATOR

ZERO :

$$(3)^2 + 1 = 10$$

$$(-2)^2 + 1 = 5$$

THE VERTICAL ASYMPTOTES ARE $x = 3$ AND $x = -2$.