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Instructions: Please complete the following problems.

Problem 1. Divide using long division: $(x^4 - 2x^2 + 1) \div (x^2 - 2x + 1)$

Problem 2. Divide using long division: $(4x^4 + 4x^2 - x) \div (2x^2 - 1)$

Problem 3. Divide using synthetic division: $(x^3 + x^2 - 13x + 2) \div (x - 2)$

Problem 4. Use synthetic division to factor the polynomial $x^3 + x^2 - 2$ given that x = 1 is a zero.

Problem 5. When can you use synthetic division versus long division?

Problem 6. Find the remainder of $(x^3 - 3x^2 + 8x - 6) \div (x - 2)$

Problem 7. Is x - 3 a factor of $2x^3 - 12x - 17$? How do you know?

Problem 8. Find the possible rational zeros of $f(x) = x^{19} + 14x - 4$

Problem 9. Find the possible rational zeros of $f(x) = 4x^{27} + 12x^{10} - x + 6$.

Problem 10. Factor $f(x) = x^4 - x^3 - 7x^2 + x + 6$