Classwork Graphs of Higher Degree Polynomials

Please work all problems on a separate sheet of paper.

In exercises 1 – 11, sketch the graph of the polynomial function & determine the end behavior, x-intercept(s) and their multiplicity, and the y-intercept.

1.
$$f(x) = (x+4)(x+2)(x-1)$$

2.
$$f(x) = -x(x-2)(x+1)^2$$

3.
$$f(x) = x^3 + x^2 - 2x$$

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

5.
$$f(x) = x^3(x+2)^2(x-1)$$

6.
$$f(x) = -2x^4 + 2x^3$$

7.
$$f(x) = -x^3 - 4x^2$$

8.
$$f(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x$$

9.
$$f(x) = x^4 - 4x^3 + 4x^2$$

10.
$$f(x) = x^4 - 5x^2 + 4$$

11.
$$f(x) = (x+1)(2x-1)^2$$