

**MATH 351: RIEMANN SURFACES AND DESSINS D'ENFANTS  
HOMEWORK #16**

**Problem 16.1.** Let  $f : \mathbb{P}^1 \rightarrow \mathbb{P}^1$  be the morphism defined by  $f(z) = 2z^3 + 3z^2$ . What is the degree of  $f$ ? Find all points  $p \in \mathbb{P}^1$  where  $f$  is ramified, and their image  $f(p) = q \in \mathbb{P}^1$ . *[Hint: Remember the first lecture, and don't forget about ramification at  $\infty$ ...]*