

$$(b) g(x) = x - \frac{x^5 - 7}{x^2}$$

$$g'(x) = 1 - \frac{5x^4 \cdot x^2 - 2x(x^5 - 7)}{x^4}$$

$$g'(7^{1/5}) = 1 - \frac{5 \cdot 7^{6/5}}{7^{2/5}} = 1 - 5 \cdot 7^{2/5}$$

$$|g'(7^{1/5})| > 1$$

not convergent

(c) Newton's method

$$(d) g(x) = x - \frac{x^5 - 7}{12}$$

$$g'(x) = 1 - \frac{5x^4}{12}$$

$$|g'(7^{1/5})| = \left| 1 - \frac{5 \cdot 7^{4/5}}{12} \right| = 0.9763$$

converges slower than (c)

(c), (d)