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In this paper, we consider a generalized monomial  $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$  that satisfies the additional equation f(x)f(y) = 0 for the pairs  $(x,y) \in D$ , where  $D \subset \mathbb{R}^2$  has a positive planar Lebesgue measure. We prove that f(x) = 0 for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Using analogous arguments, we establish a related statement about the signs of such functions: if a generalized monomial f of an even degree is non-negative on a measurable subset of reals with positive Lebesgue measure, then  $f(x) \geq 0$  for every real number x. Finally, we extend our results to almost monomial functions.

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