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Course: MAC 1105 College Algebra *\* Practice Test \** Assignment: Test #3, Module 3 (3.1 – 3.6)

Part 1

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Given:  $\{(7, 2), (9, 3), (3, 8), (5, 9), (3, 1)\}$

1. (a) Is the given relation also a function? State YES or **No** and WHY or WHY NOT – BE SPECIFIC.

*The points (3, 8) & (3, 1) have one x going to 2 different ys.*

(b) List the elements of the domain:  $\{7, 9, 5, 3\}$

(c) List the elements of the range:  $\{1, 2, 3, 8, 9\}$

2. Evaluate the following function at for  $x = \overset{(81)}{\cancel{436}}$  and for  $x = x + h$ . All answers must be simplified.

$$g(x) = 2\sqrt{x} - 3x$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(81) &= 2\sqrt{81} - 3(81) \\ &= 2(9) - 3(81) \\ &= 18 - 243 \\ &= -225 \end{aligned}$$

(a)  $g(81) = \underline{-225}$

(b)  $g(x + h) = \underline{2\sqrt{x+h} - 3x - 3h}$

3. Determine the difference quotient  $\left(\frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h}\right)$  for  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x$   $\frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h} = \underline{2x+h-3}$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+h) &= (x+h)^2 - 3(x+h) \\ &= x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 3x - 3h \end{aligned}$$

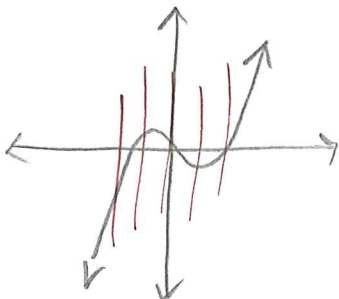
$$\frac{2xh + h^2 - 3h}{h}$$

$$\frac{(x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 3x - 3h) - (x^2 - 3x)}{h}$$

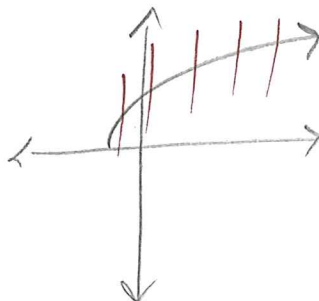
$$2x + h - 3$$

4. Use the Vertical Line Test to determine if the following graphs are functions. State YES or NO in the blanks provided.

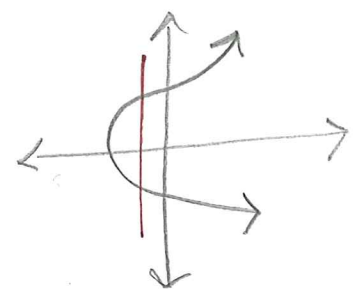
(a) Yes



(b) Yes



(c) No



5. Find the x-intercept(s) and the y-intercept of the function. If the intercepts do not exist, write **NONE**.

*Write as ordered pairs.*

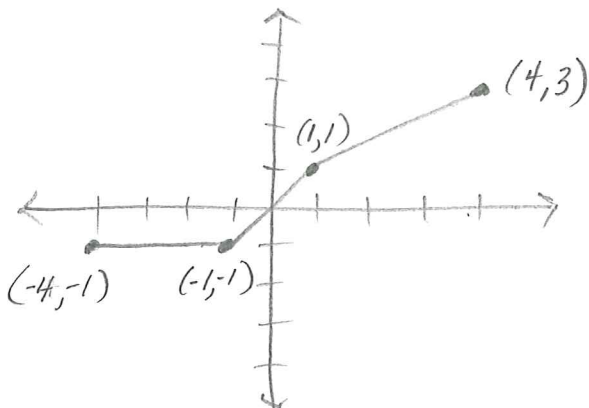
y-intercept  
 $(x=0)$   
 $f(0) = 0^2 - 2(0) - 3$   
 $f(0) = -3$   
 $(0, -3)$

x-intercept  
 $f(x) = 0$   
 $x^2 - 2x - 3 = 0$   
 $(x-3)(x+1) = 0$   
 $x = 3, -1$        $(3, 0)$  &  $(-1, 0)$

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

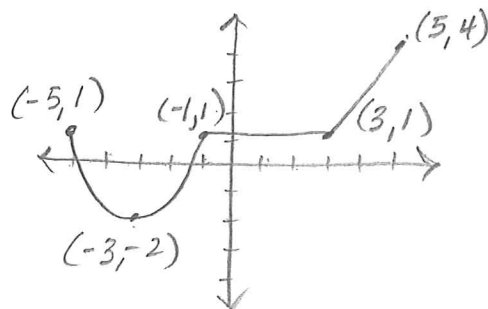
(a) x-intercepts:  $(3, 0)$  &  $(-1, 0)$       (b) y-intercept:  $(0, -3)$

6. Use the graph below given to determine the domain and range of the function.



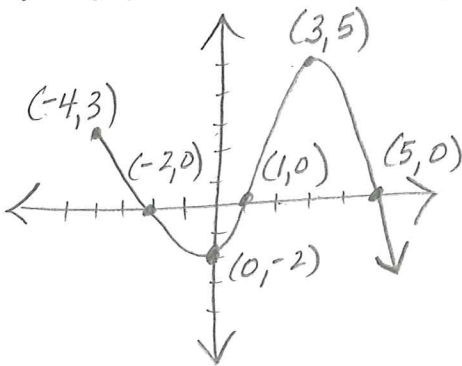
(a) Domain:  $[-4, 4]$       (b) Range:  $[-1, 3]$

7. Determine the interval(s) for which the graphed function below is (a) increasing, (b) decreasing and (c) constant. Write your answer using interval notation. If the function does not increase, does not decrease, or is not constant, then write your answer as "never increasing", or "never decreasing" or "never constant".



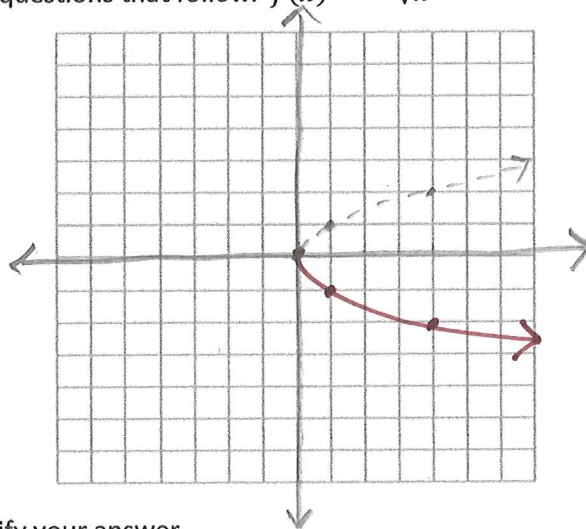
(a)  $(-3, -1), (3, 5)$       (b)  $(-5, -3)$       (c)  $(-1, 3)$

8. Use the given graph to answer the following questions. If an answer doesn't exist, write "NONE".



- (a) The value(s) of  $x$  where the function has a relative minimum. 0
- (b) The value(s) of  $x$  where the function has a relative maximum. 3
- (c) The relative minimum value(s) -2
- (d) The relative maximum value(s) 5

9. Sketch the graph of the function and answer the questions that follow.  $f(x) = -\sqrt{x}$



a. Is the function even, odd or neither. Verify your answer.

$$f(x) = -\sqrt{x} \quad f(x) \neq f(-x) \rightarrow \text{not even}$$

$$f(-x) = -\sqrt{-x} \quad f(-x) \neq -f(x) \rightarrow \text{not odd}$$

$$-f(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad \therefore \text{neither}$$

b. For what values of  $x$  is the function increasing, decreasing or constant? Answer in Interval Notation.

Increasing None decreasing  $(0, \infty)$  constant None

c. What is the domain and range of the function? Answer in Interval Notation.

Domain  $[0, \infty)$  Range  $(-\infty, 0]$

10. Graph the piecewise-defined function given below, then answer the following questions.

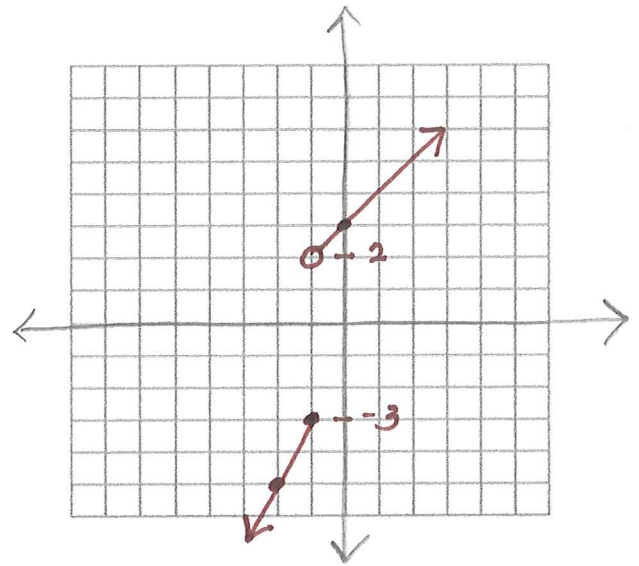
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x - 1 & \text{if } x \leq -1 \\ x + 3 & \text{if } x > -1 \end{cases}$$

$$f(x) = 2x - 1$$

$$f(x) = x + 3$$

x	y
-1	-3
-2	-5

x	y
-1	2 (open dot)
0	3



Evaluate:

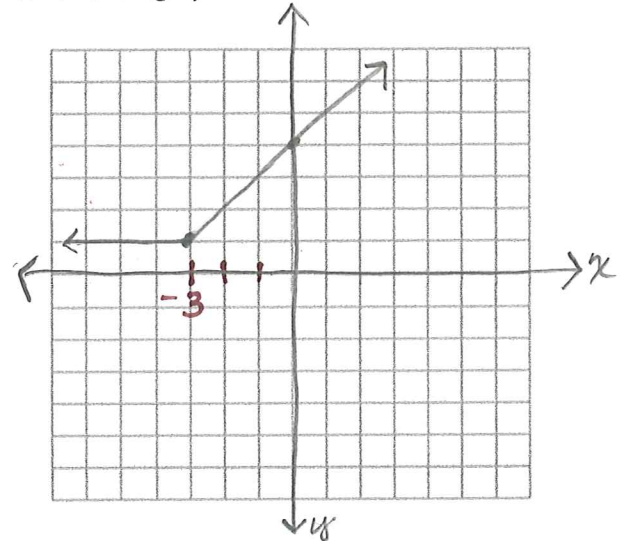
(a)  $f(1) = 4$  (b)  $f(-1) = -3$  (c)  $f(2) = 5$

(d) What is the domain of the function?  $(-\infty, \infty)$

(e) What is the range of the function?  $(-\infty, -3] \cup (2, \infty)$

11. Give the rule (write the equations) that describes the piecewise-defined function graphed below.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x < -3 \\ x + 4 & \text{if } x \geq -3 \end{cases}$$

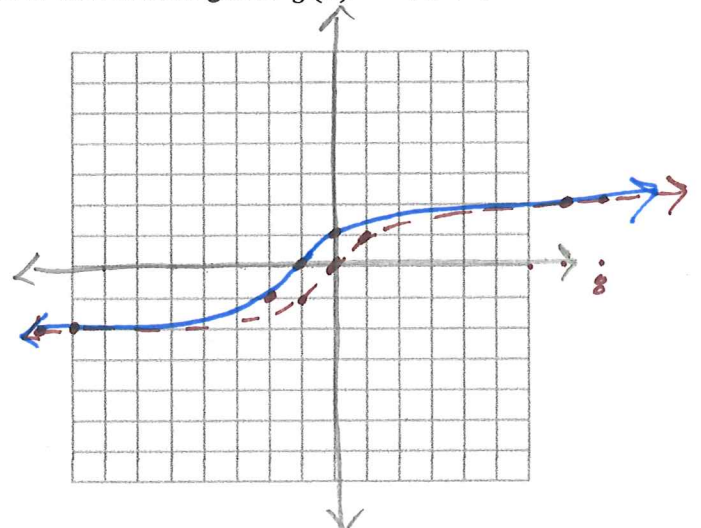


12. Use the graph of a known basic function to sketch the graph of the function given.  $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x+1}$

parent function

$$y = \sqrt[3]{x}$$

x	y
0	0
1	1
8	2
-1	-1
-8	-2





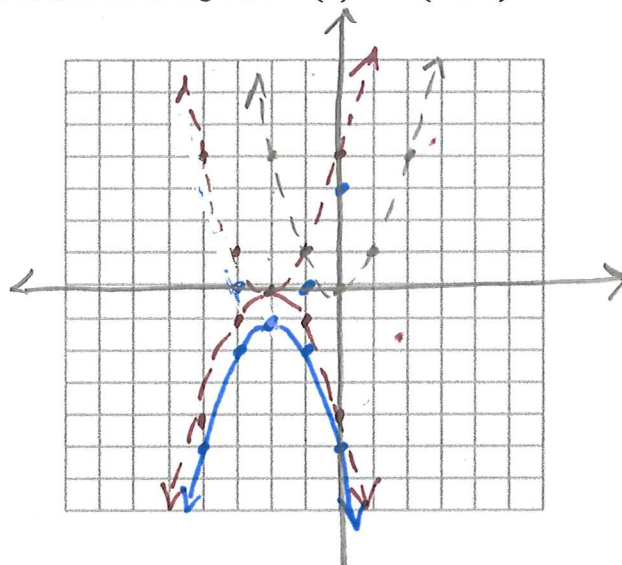
13. Use the graph of a known basic function to sketch the graph of the function given.  $h(x) = -(x + 2)^2 - 1$

1<sup>st</sup> move 2 left  
 2<sup>nd</sup> reflect over x-axis  
 3<sup>rd</sup> move 1 down

parent function  
 $y = x^2$

x	y
0	0
1	1
2	4
-1	1
-2	4

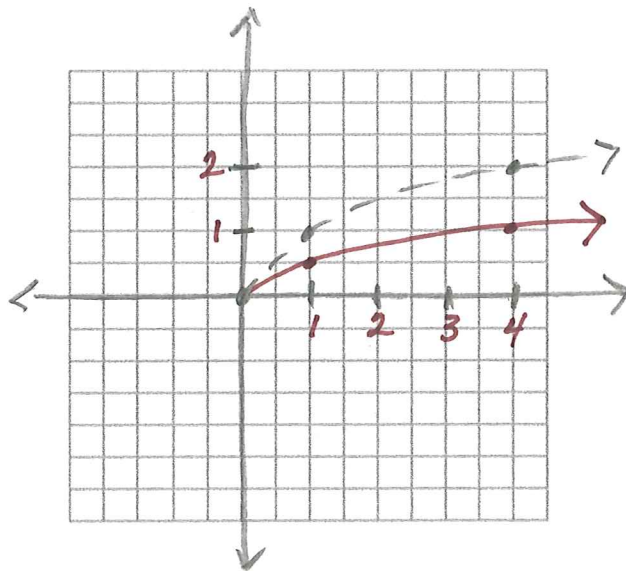
The final graph is in blue.



14. Use the graph of a known basic function to sketch the graph of the function given.  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{x}$

Then fill in the blanks below.

The graph of  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{x}$  is a vertical  
 (a) compression of the  
 basic function  $g(x) =$  (b)  $\sqrt{x}$  by  
 a factor of (c)  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

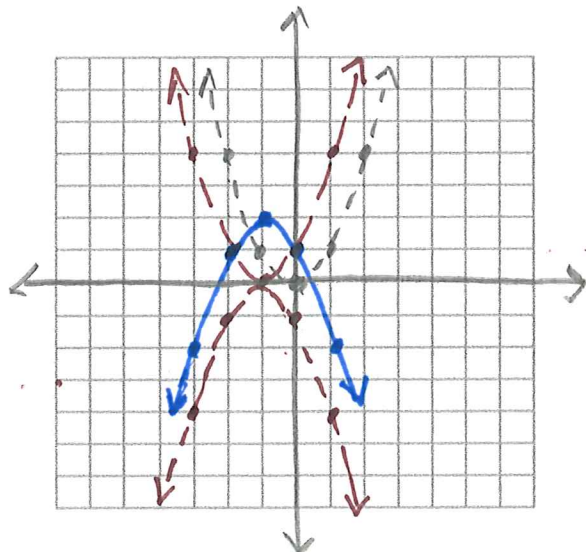


15. Use the graph of a known basic function and a combination of transformations to sketch the function.

$h(x) = -(x + 1)^2 + 2$

1<sup>st</sup> left 1 unit  
 2<sup>nd</sup> reflect over x-axis  
 3<sup>rd</sup> up 2 units

The final graph is in blue.



16. For the pair of functions defined, find  $f-g$  and  $\frac{f}{g}$ . Give the domain of each.

$$(x^2 - 3x + 7) - (7x + 10)$$

$$f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 7, \quad g(x) = 7x + 10$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 3x + 7}{7x + 10} \quad x \neq -\frac{7}{10}$$

(a)  $(f-g)(x) = \underline{x^2 - 10x - 3}$

(b)  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = \underline{\frac{x^2 - 3x + 7}{7x + 10} \quad x \neq -\frac{7}{10}}$

Domain:  $\underline{(-\infty, \infty)}$

Domain:  $\underline{(-\infty, -\frac{7}{10}) \cup (-\frac{7}{10}, \infty)}$

17. Given  $f(x) = -\frac{10}{x-2}$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x+13}$  Evaluate  $(f \circ g)(3)$ . <sup>Write</sup> ~~Type~~ an exact answer using radicals as needed.

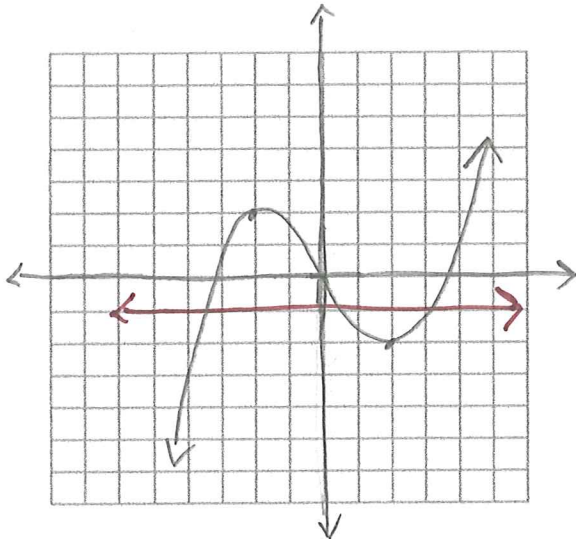
$$\begin{aligned} g(3) &= \sqrt{3+13} \\ &= \sqrt{16} \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(4) &= \frac{-10}{4-2} \\ &= \frac{-10}{2} \\ &= -5 \end{aligned}$$

$$(f \circ g)(3) = -5$$

18. Is the graph of the function below a one-to-one function?

YES or No (Circle one). State WHY or WHY NOT.



It fails the horizontal line test.

19. Determine whether  $f$  and  $g$  are inverse functions by evaluating  $(f \circ g)(x)$  and  $(g \circ f)(x)$ .

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{3}x - 5 \quad \text{and} \quad g(x) = \frac{3x-15}{2}$$

(a) What is  $(f \circ g)(x)$ ?  $\underline{x - 10}$

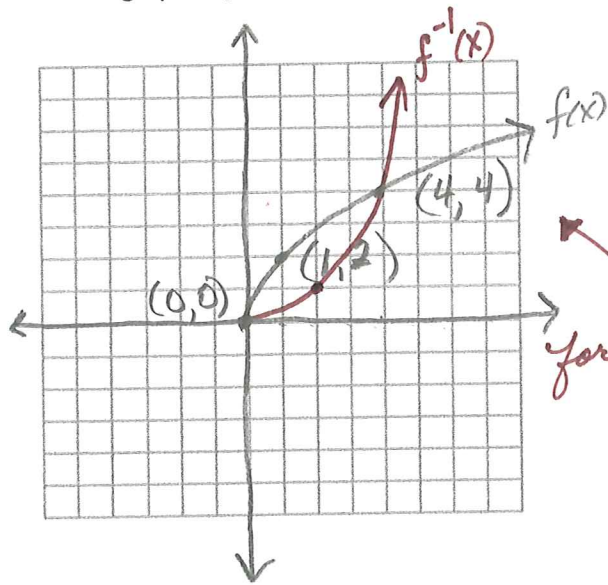
$$\begin{aligned} (f \circ g)(x) &= \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{3x-15}{2} \right) - 5 \\ &= x - 5 - 5 \\ &= x - 10 \end{aligned}$$

(b) What is  $(g \circ f)(x)$ ?  $\underline{x - 15}$

$$\begin{aligned} (g \circ f)(x) &= \frac{3 \left( \frac{2}{3}x - 5 \right) - 15}{2} \\ &= \frac{2x - 15 + 15}{2} = \frac{2x - 30}{2} = x - 15 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Are  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  inverse functions? YES or NO (Circle one)

20. Use the graph of  $f$  to sketch the graph of  $f^{-1}$ .



for  $f^{-1}$  switch the ordered pairs

- (0,0)
- (2,1)
- (4,4)

Find  $f^{-1}(x) = \underline{3x - 6}$

Simplify your answer. Use integers or fractions as needed.

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x + 2$$

$$x = \frac{1}{3}y + 2$$

$$x - 2 = \frac{1}{3}y$$

$$3(x - 2) = y$$

$$\boxed{3x - 6 = f^{-1}(x)}$$

22. Evaluate  $(g \circ f)(11)$  given that  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+5}$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 2$ .

$$f(11) = \sqrt{11+5} = 4$$

$$g(11) = 11^2 + 2 = 123$$

$$(g \circ f)(11) = 123 \cdot 4 = \boxed{492}$$

23. Write an equation for the inverse of the given one-to-one function.  $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{3x-8}$  Simplify your answer.

Use integers or fractions as needed.  $g^{-1}(x) = \underline{\frac{x^3+8}{3}}$

$$y = \sqrt[3]{3x-8}$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{3y-8}$$

$$x^3 = 3y - 8$$

$$x^3 + 8 = 3y$$

$$\frac{x^3 + 8}{3} = y = g^{-1}(x)$$

24. Given the graph of  $f(x)$  below, graph  $f(x-2) + 3$  on the same coordinate grid.

inverse ordered pairs

- |            |            |
|------------|------------|
| $(-5, -3)$ | $(-3, -5)$ |
| $(-2, 1)$  | $(1, -2)$  |
| $(2, 1)$   | $(1, 2)$   |
| $(4, 3)$   | $(3, 4)$   |

