

Warmup

2.6 44) $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$

$g(x) = \frac{x}{x+2}$

a) Find $(f \circ g)(x)$, and the domain of $f \circ g$.

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = f\left(\frac{x}{x+2}\right) = \frac{2}{\left(\frac{x}{x+2}\right)}$$

$$= 2 \div \frac{x}{x+2} = 2 \cdot \frac{x+2}{x} = \frac{2x+4}{x} = \frac{2x}{x} + \frac{4}{x} = 2 + \frac{4}{x}$$

$$\text{Domain} = \{x \mid x \neq -2 \text{ and } x \neq 0\}$$

b) Find $(g \circ f)(x)$ and the domain of $g \circ f$.

$$g(f(x)) = g\left(\frac{2}{x}\right) = \frac{\frac{2}{x}}{\frac{2}{x} + 2} \cdot \frac{x}{x} = \frac{2}{2 + 2x} = \frac{2 \cdot 1}{2(1+x)}$$

$$\text{domain of } g \circ f = \{x \mid x \neq 0 \text{ and } x \neq -1\} = \frac{1}{1+x}$$

49) $F(x) = (x-9)^5$ write F as $f \circ g$ for some f, g .

Let $g(x) = x-9$ and $f(x) = x^5$

Crazy answer: Let $g(x) = \frac{x}{17}$ and $f(x) = (17x-9)^5$

$$\text{check the crazy answer: } f(g(x)) = f\left(\frac{x}{17}\right) = \left[17 \cdot \left(\frac{x}{17}\right) - 9\right]^5 = (x-9)^5$$

"Trivial" answer: Let $f(x) = x$
and $g(x) = (x-9)^5$.

2.7 One-to-one functions and their inverses

A function
Defn: f is one-to-one if

$f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$ whenever $x_1 \neq x_2$, for all x_1, x_2 in the domain of f .

Logically Equivalent: That is, if $x_1 \neq x_2$ then $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$

Equivalent If $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ then $x_1 = x_2$.

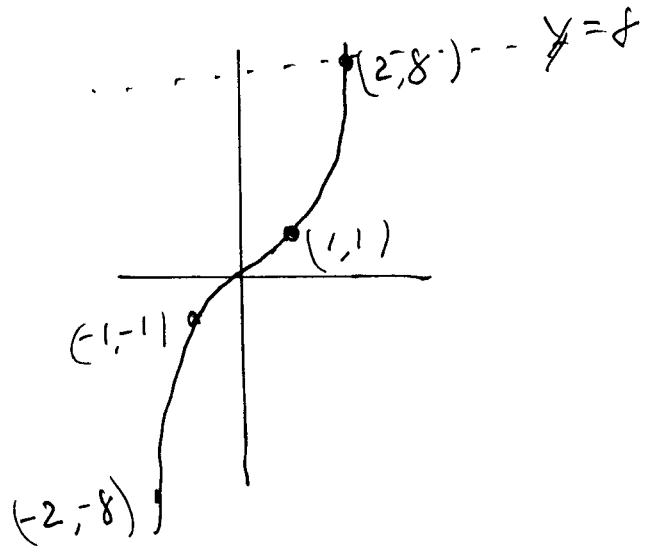
Graphical interpretation: The graph passes the horizontal line test.

Tabular interpretation: There are no repeated numbers in the second column.

ex: (one-to-one) $y = x^3$

x	x^3
-3	-27
-2	-8
-1	-1
0	0
1	1
2	8
3	27
4	64

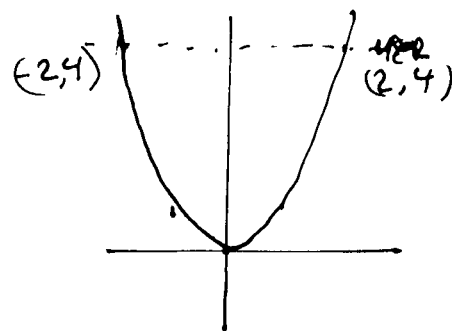
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ex: (Not one-to-one) $y = x^2$

x	x^2
-2	4
-1	1
0	0
1	1
2	4

Repeated "4"s



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Defn: Let f be a one-to-one function.

The inverse function f^{-1} (terrible notation, not to be confused with "reciprocal") is defined by:

$$f^{-1}(y) = x \quad \text{means} \quad f(x) = y.$$

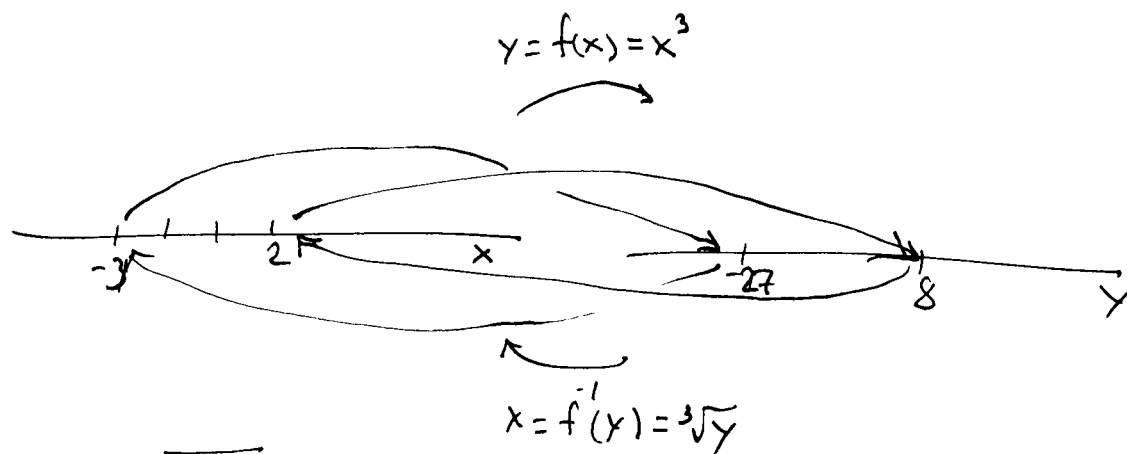
ex: $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$ means $f(x) =$
 $\sqrt[3]{y} = x$ means $x^3 = y$

Inverse function property: If f is one-to-one and f^{-1} is its inverse

$$(1) \quad f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$$

$$(2) \quad f(f^{-1}(x)) = x$$

ex:



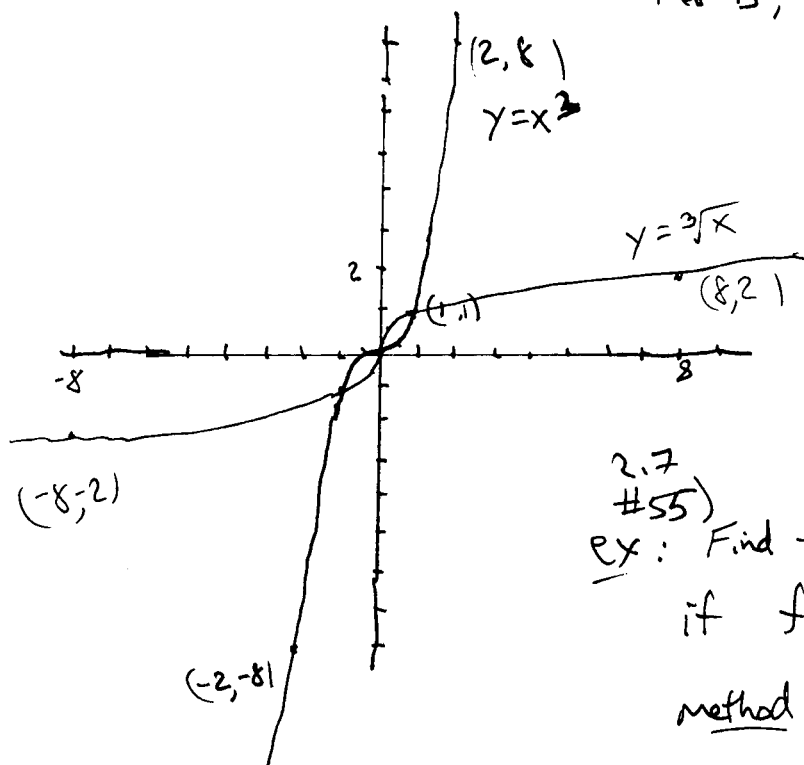
ex: (1) $\sqrt[3]{x^3} = x$

(2) $(\sqrt[3]{y})^3 = y$

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Graph of inverse functions: swap x-and y-coordinates

that is, reflect across the $y=x$ line.



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ex: Find the ~~inverse~~ equation of the inverse of f
if $f(x) = 4 + \sqrt[3]{x}$.

method: $y = 4 + \sqrt[3]{x}$ Solve for x :

$$y - 4 = -4 + 4 + \sqrt[3]{x}$$

$$y - 4 = \sqrt[3]{x}$$

$$(y - 4)^3 = (\sqrt[3]{x})^3$$

$$(y - 4)^3 = x \quad \text{Now swap } x \text{ and } y:$$

$$(x - 4)^3 = y \quad \text{so}$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = (x - 4)^3$$

What about square roots? Or arcsine?

Defn:

$$y = \sqrt{x}$$

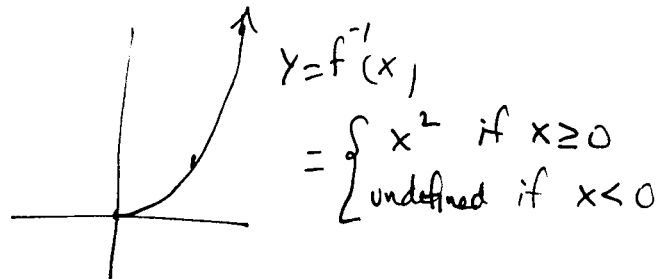
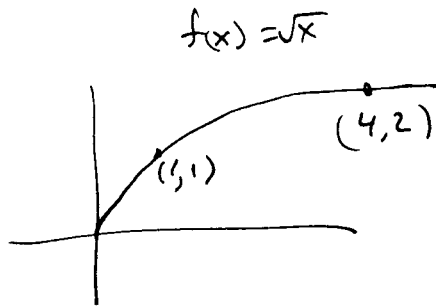
means

$$(1) y^2 = x$$

(i.e. y is a square root of x)

and (2)

$$y \geq 0 \quad (\text{i.e. } y \text{ is the positive square root})$$



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$$f(x) = \sqrt{2x-1}$$

Find the equation of $f^{-1}(x)$.

$$y = \sqrt{2x-1}$$

This means:

$$(1) y^2 = 2x-1 \quad \text{and} \quad (2) y \geq 0$$

Solve for x : $y^2 + 1 = 2x - 1 + 1$ and $y \geq 0$

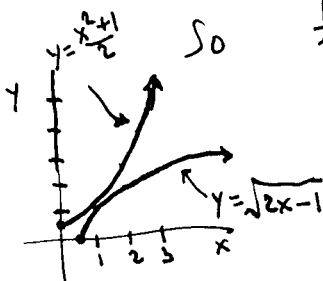
$$y^2 + 1 = 2x \quad \text{and} \quad y \geq 0$$

$$\frac{y^2 + 1}{2} = \frac{2x}{2} \quad \text{and} \quad y \geq 0$$

$$\frac{y^2 + 1}{2} = x \quad \text{and} \quad y \geq 0$$

Swap x and y : $\frac{x^2 + 1}{2} = y$ and $x \geq 0$

So $f^{-1}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^2 + 1}{2} & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ \text{undefined} & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$



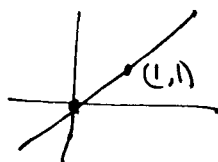
3.1 Quadratic functions

Vocabulary:

<u>degree</u>	<u>name</u>	<u>example</u>
0	zero constant function	$f(x) = 5$
1	linear function	$f(x) = 2x - 1$
2	quadratic function	$f(x) = x^2 - 8x + 15 = (x-3)(x-5)$
3	cubic function	$f(x) = x^3 - 4x = x(x-2)(x+2)$
4	quartic function (etc.)	$f(x) = -2x^4 + 7x^3 + 2x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x + 17$ or $g(x) = x^4 - 16$ $= (x^2 - 4)(x^2 + 4)$ $= (x-2)(x+2)(x^2 + 4)$ or $h(x) = (x-2)^2(x+2)^2$ $= (x^2 - 4)^2 = x^4 - 8x^2 + 16$

Review: Linear functions

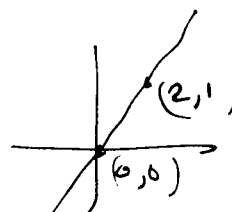
$$y = x$$



multiply

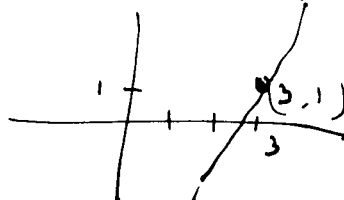
Replace x with $2x$

$$y = 2x$$



Replace x with $(x-3)$
and y with $(y-1)$

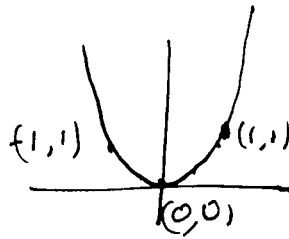
$$y-1 = 2(x-3)$$



Notice this is point-slope form of a line.

Review: Quadratic function

$$y = x^2$$

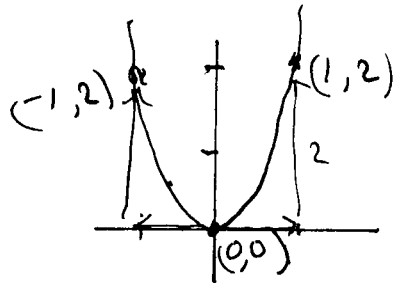


multiply by 2

$$y = 2x^2$$

note: we replace y with $\frac{y}{2}$

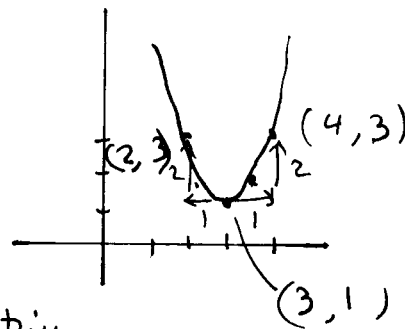
$$\frac{y}{2} = x^2 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 2x^2$$



Replace x with $x-3$ and y with $y-1$:

$$y-1 = 2(x-3)^2$$

$$\text{or } y = 2(x-3)^2 + 1$$



standard form of a quadratic function
(or vertex form)

$$y = a(x-h)^2 + k$$

(h,k) = vertex

open up if $a > 0$

ex: Graph $y = -3(x-2)^2 + 5$

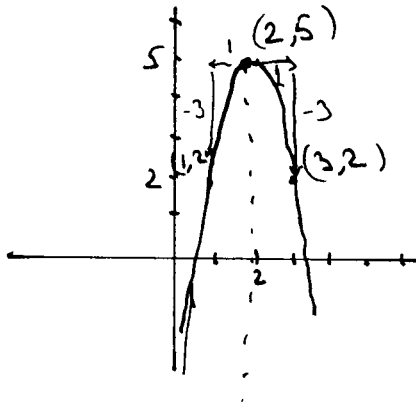
$$a = -3$$

$$h = 2$$

$$k = 5$$

vertex = $(2, 5)$

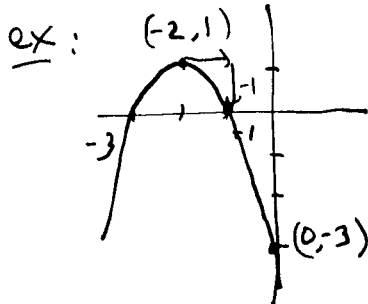
open down



x	y
1	2
2	5
3	2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if } x=3, \quad y &= -3(3-2)^2 + 5 \\ &= -3 + 5 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Given this graph, find the equation.



$$y = -1 \cdot (x+2)^2 + 1$$

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

That is, $\begin{aligned} a &= -1 \\ h &= -2 \\ k &= 1 \end{aligned}$