



Year 12 Mathematics Specialist 2017

Test Number 2: Functions and Graph Sketching

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Name: _____ **Solutions** _____ Teacher: DDA

Marks: 20

Time Allowed: 22 minutes

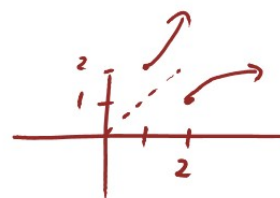
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Question 1

[3 marks]

If $f(x) = 1 + \sqrt{x-2}$ determine the formula for $f^{-1}(x)$ the inverse of $f(x)$, and state its domain and range.

$$\begin{aligned}x &= 1 + \sqrt{y-2} \\x-1 &= \sqrt{y-2} \\(x-1)^2 &= y-2 \\y &= (x-1)^2 + 2 \\\therefore f^{-1}(x) &= (x-1)^2 + 2 \quad \checkmark; \quad x \geq 1\end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Domain} &= \{x: x \in \mathbb{R}; x \geq 1\} \quad \checkmark \\ \text{Range} &= \{y: y \in \mathbb{R}; y \geq 2\} \quad \checkmark\end{aligned}$$

Question 2

[3 marks]

State the domain and range of $g \circ f(x)$ if $f(x) = 5\sqrt{x}$ and $g(x) = x^2 + x$.

$$g \circ f = g(5\sqrt{x}) = (5\sqrt{x})^2 + 5\sqrt{x} \\ = 25x + 5\sqrt{x} \quad \checkmark$$

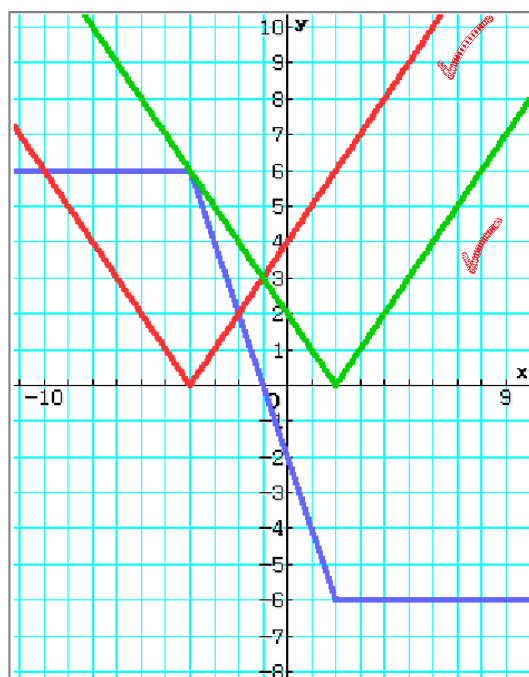
$$\text{Domain} = \{x: x \in \mathbb{R}; x \geq 0\} \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{Range} = \{y: y \in \mathbb{R}; y \geq 0\} \quad \checkmark$$

Question 3

[2, 2, 2, 1 = 7 marks]

- a) On the graph below accurately draw: $y = |x-2|$ and $y = |x+4|$
 b) Using these, or otherwise, draw $y = |x-2| - |x+4|$
 c) Express this as a piecewise function $f(x)$.



$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 6 & x < -4 \\ -2x - 2 & -4 \leq x \leq 2 \\ -6 & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

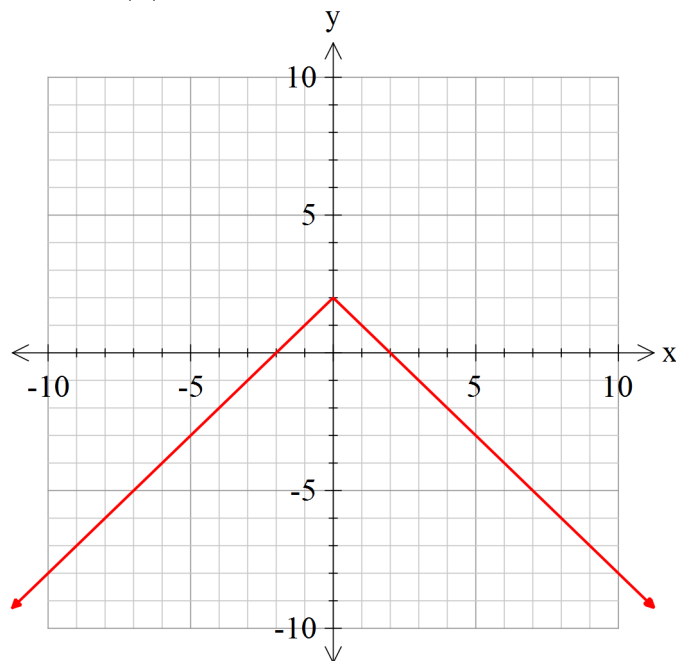
- d) Use your graph to find the values of x which satisfy: $|x-2| - |x+4| \geq 3$

$$x \leq -2.5$$

Question 4

[2 marks]

Sketch the graph $y = -|x| + 2$



✓ inverted

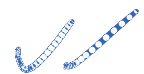
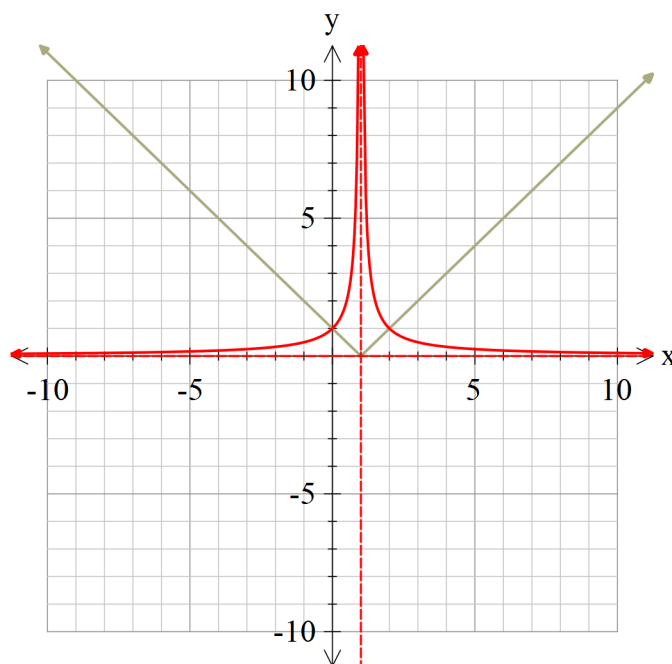
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assuming otherwise O.K.

Question 5

[2, 1 = 3 marks]

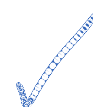
Sketch the graph of $f(x) = \frac{1}{|x-1|}$. Write the domain of $f(x)$.



Must show

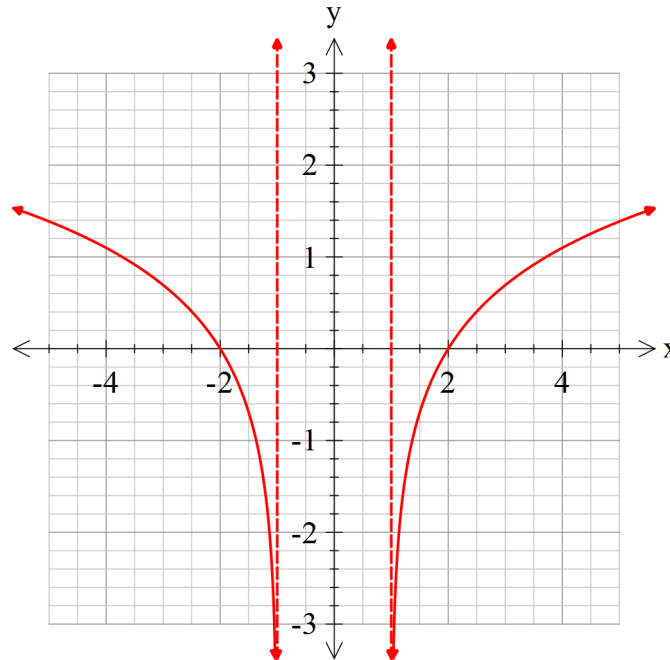
- $(1, 1) \neq (-1, 1)$
- Asymptote
- Behaviour $x \rightarrow 1$
- Behaviour $x \rightarrow \pm\infty$

Domain = $\{x: x \in \mathbb{R}; x \neq 1\}$



Question 6**[2 marks]**

Sketch the graph of $y = f(|x|)$ given that $f(x) = \ln(x-1)$ as shown on the graph below.



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Question 7

[1 mark]

Circle all of the choices A-E which are true of the following statement.

A function can be identified as one-to-one if, for all values in the domain,

A $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$.

B $\frac{dy}{dx} > 0$.

C $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} > 0$.

Need both

D $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} < 0$.

E $\frac{dy}{dx} < 0$.

Question 8

[1, 2 = 3 mark]

Is the function $f(x) = (x-1)^3 + x^2$ one-to-one?

Justify your answer.

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= 3(x-1)^2 + 2x = 3(x^2 - 2x + 1) + 2x \\ &= 3x^2 - 6x + 3 + 2x \\ f'(x) &= 3x^2 - 4x + 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta &= b^2 - 4ac \\ &= 16 - 4(9) \\ &= 16 - 36 \\ &= -20 \end{aligned}$$

\therefore no real solns.

$a > 0 \therefore \uparrow$

$\therefore f'(x) > 0$ always

*✓ justification for **

$\therefore f(x)$ is one-to-one. *✓*

Question 9

[1, 1, 3, 3, 2 = 10 marks]

Given $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1}$

a) Find the following:

i) Intercepts: $(0, -3)$

no x-intercepts.

ii) Vertical asymptotes:

when $x - 1 = 0$
i.e. $x = 1$

iii) Behaviour of $f(x)$ as $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$ (including any oblique asymptotes):

$$\begin{array}{r} x-1 \overline{) x^2 - 2x + 3} \\ \underline{x^2 - x} \\ -x + 3 \\ \underline{-x + 1} \\ 2 \end{array}$$

or

$$\text{propFrac}\left(\frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1}\right)$$

$$x + \frac{2}{x - 1} - 1$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1} = x - 1 + \frac{2}{x - 1}$$

\therefore As $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$, $f(x) \rightarrow x - 1$

Oblique asymptote at $y = x - 1$

iv) Stationary points (accurate to 1 d.p.):

diff $\left(\frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1}\right)$

solve $\left(\frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{(x - 1)^2}\right)$
 $\{x = -\sqrt{2} + 1, x = \sqrt{2} + 1\}$

$$\frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1} \Big|_{x = -\sqrt{2} + 1}$$

$$\frac{-\sqrt{2} \cdot ((\sqrt{2} - 1)^2 + 2 \cdot (\sqrt{2} - 1) + 3)}{2}$$

simplify (

$$-2 \cdot \sqrt{2}$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1} \Big|_{x = \sqrt{2} + 1}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2} \cdot ((\sqrt{2} + 1)^2 - 2 \cdot (\sqrt{2} + 1) + 3)}{2}$$

simplify (

$$2 \cdot \sqrt{2}$$

when $f'(x) = 0$

$$f'(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x - 1}{(x - 1)^2} = 0$$

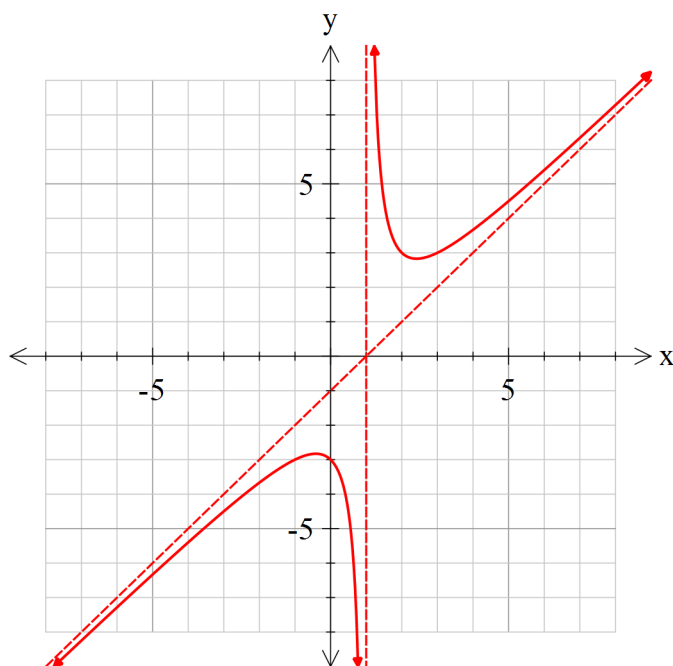
$$\Rightarrow x = 1 \pm \sqrt{2}$$

pts: $(1 + \sqrt{2}, 2\sqrt{2})$ or $(2.4, 2.8)$

Approx $(1 - \sqrt{2}, -2\sqrt{2})$ or $(-0.4, -2.8)$

$f'(x)$ needed

b) Hence, sketch the graph of $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 2x + 3}{x - 1}$.



Required:

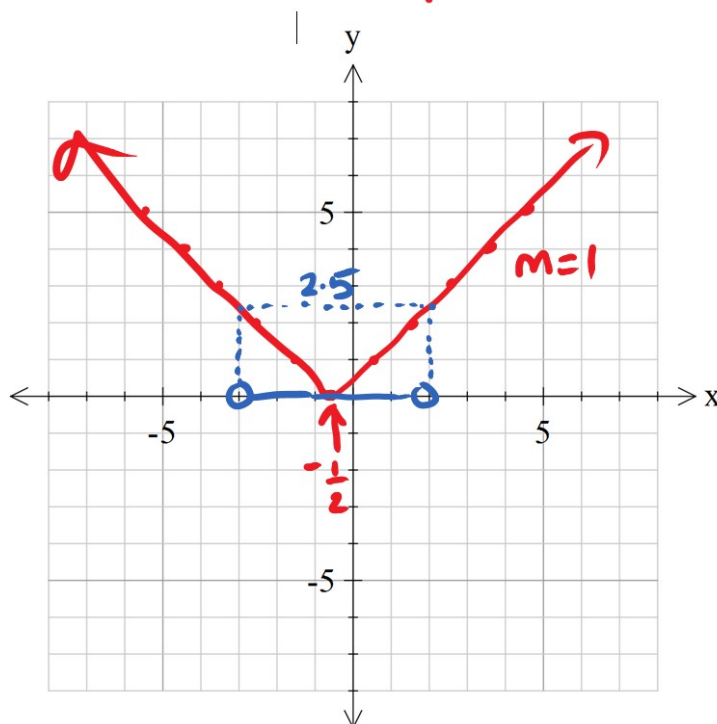
- y-int
- 2 asymptotes
- TPs
- Sketched in with arrows

Question 10

[3 marks]

If the number line drawn below represents the solution to the equation $|x+k|-2 \blacksquare p$, where \blacksquare represents an inequality symbol find the values of p and k and also determine which symbol \blacksquare represents.

$$|x+k| \blacksquare p+2$$



$$k = \frac{1}{2}$$

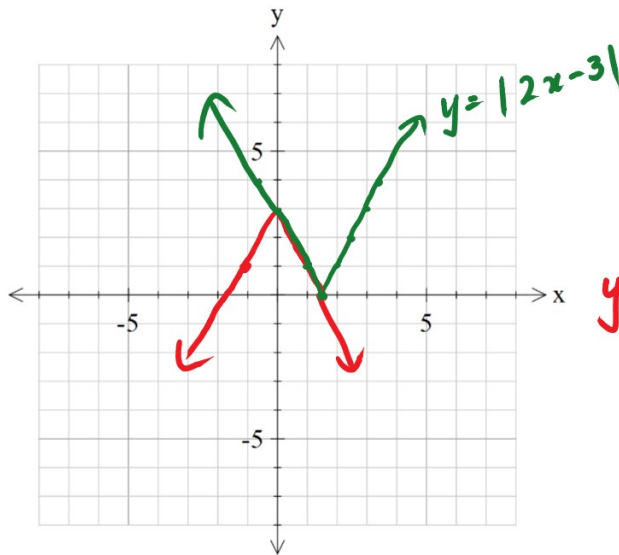
$$p = 0.5$$

\blacksquare is $<$

Question 11**[3 marks]**

Given that $a|x|+b=|2x-3|$ is true for $0 \leq x \leq 1.5$ only, what are the values of a and b ?

You may wish to use the grid below.



$$y = -|2x| + 3$$
$$= -2|x| + 3$$

$$a = -2$$
$$b = 3$$

