

# Functions

→ No. of functions from A to B is  $\{n(B)\}^{n(A)}$

Here A is domain, B is codomain.

Range of a function  $f$  denoted by  $f(A)$  &  $f(A) \subseteq B$ .

→ One-one function (Injection):

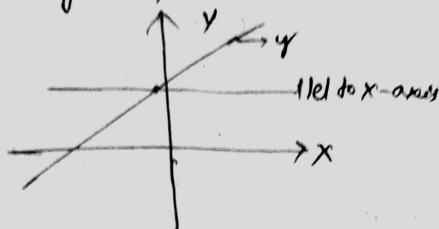
A function  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is  $f(a_1) = f(a_2)$  then  $a_1 = a_2$ .

no. of one-one functions of  $n(A)=1$ ,  $n(B)=n$   $1 \leq n$  is  $nP_1$ .

$1 > n$  one-one function are 0.

Horizontal line test - line  $\parallel$  to x-axis meets graph at 1 point strictly  $\uparrow$  & strictly  $\downarrow$  functions.

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



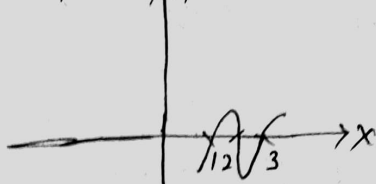
no. of one-one function from A to A

if  $n(A) = n$  is  $n!$ .

→ Many-one functions

Horizontal line test - line  $\parallel$  to x-axis meets graph at more than 1 point.

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = (x-1)(x-2)(x-3)$



all even functions are many-one.

all periodic functions are many-one.

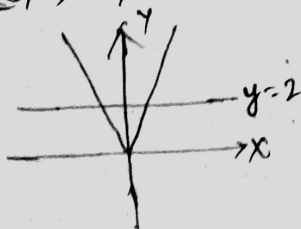
→ Onto function (surjection):

Codomain = range  $f(A) = B$

if  $n(A) \geq n(B)$  then no. of onto functions =  $n! - nC_1(n-1)! + nC_2(n-2)! - nC_3(n-3)! + \dots + (-1)^{n-1} nC_{n-1}$ .

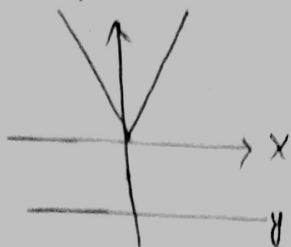
$\Rightarrow n(A) < n(B)$  then no. of onto is zero.

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow [0, \infty), f(x) = |x|$



## Into function:

$f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = |x|$  is into function



Range  $\neq$  codomain

## Bijection:

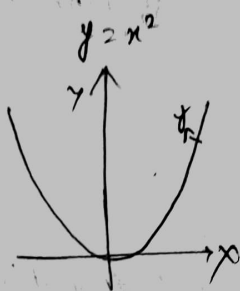
i)  $A, B$  are finite set then  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is a bijection then  $n(A) = n(B)$

ii) no. of bijections if  $n(A) = n(B) = n$  is  $(n(A))!$

Constant function: no. of const. functions from  $A$  to  $B$  is  $n(B)$ .

## Even function:

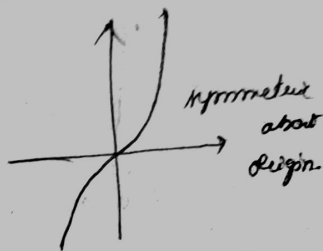
$$f(-x) = f(x) \quad \forall x \in A$$



symmetric about y-axis

## Odd function:

$$f(-x) = -f(x)$$



Modulus function:  $|x| = \begin{cases} -x & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ x & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$

$|x| \Rightarrow \text{domain} = \mathbb{R}$   
range  $= [0, \infty)$

$$[x] + [-x] = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{I} \\ -1 & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{I} \end{cases}$$

Periodic function:  $f(x)$  is periodic if  $f(x+T) = f(x)$

$T$  is period of  $f(x)$  here  $T$  is least true integer

$$kx - [kx] = 1/k$$

Range: Range of  $ax^2 + bx + c = y$  is  $\left[ \frac{4ac - b^2}{4a}, \infty \right)$  if  $a > 0$  or  $\left( -\infty, \frac{4ac - b^2}{4a} \right]$  if  $a < 0$ .

Function	Condition to find out domain
$1/f(x)$	$f(x) \neq 0$
$\sqrt{f(x)}$	$f(x) \geq 0$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{f(x)}}$	$f(x) > 0$
$\sqrt[3]{f(x)}$	$f(x)$ is real number
$a^{f(x)}$	$f(x)$ is real number
$\log_{g(x)} f(x)$	$f(x) > 0, g(x) > 0, g(x) \neq 1$

Explicit function:  $y = f(x)$  is said to explicit fun<sup>n</sup> of  $x$  if dependent variable  $y$  can be expressed in terms of independent variable  $x$ .

Ex: (i)  $e^y - e^{-y} = 2x \Rightarrow e^{2y} - 2xe^y - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow e^y = \frac{2x \pm \sqrt{4x^2 + 4}}{2}$

(ii)  $y = x - \cos x$

$e^y = x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}$

$y = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1})$

Implicit function:  $y = f(x)$  is said to implicit of  $x$  if  $y$  can't be written in terms of  $x$  only.

Ex: (i)  $ax^2 + 2hxy + by^2 + 2gx + 2fy + c = 0$

(ii)  $xy = \sin(x+y)$

Properties of modulus:

if (i)  $|f(x)| = a$  then  $f(x) = \pm a$

(ii)  $|f(x)| \geq a$  then  $f(x) \leq -a$  (or)  $f(x) \geq a$

(iii)  $|f(x)| \leq a$  then  $-a \leq f(x) \leq a$

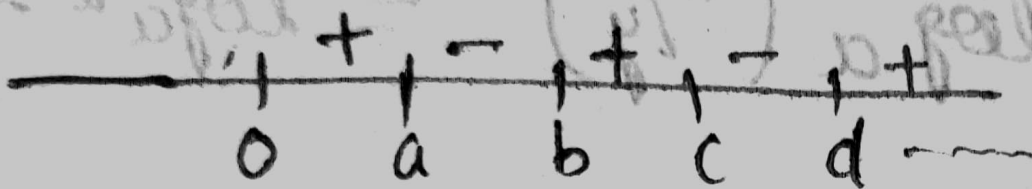
(iv)  $a \leq |f(x)| \leq b \Rightarrow x \in [-b, -a] \cup [a, b]$

(v)  $|x+y| = |x| + |y|$  if  $x, y$  have same sign & either of  $x, y$  is zero &  $xy \geq 0$

(vi)  $|x-y| = |x| - |y| \Rightarrow x \geq 0, y \geq 0$  and  $|x| \geq |y|$ ; or  $x \leq 0, |x| \geq |y|$   $y \leq 0$ .

# Wavy curve method

$$(x-a)(x-b)(x-c) \geq 0$$



sub nos b/w 0 & a in above

if (+) keep it as

if negative (-ve)

for

$$(0, a) \cup (b, c) \cup (d, \infty)$$

$$(b, c) \cup (c, d)$$

$$\sin^{-1}(f(x)) \text{ is } \sin^{-1}(f(x))$$

$$-1 \leq f(x) \leq 1$$

$$\sec^{-1}(f(x)) \text{ is } \sec^{-1}(f(x))$$

$$f(x) \leq -1 \text{ or } f(x) \geq 1$$

$$f \circ g, g \circ f$$

$$f \cap g, f \cup g$$

$$x + \frac{1}{x} \text{ for } x > 0 \text{ we have } AM \geq GM$$

Functional equations

$$i) f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y) \text{ then } f(x) = kx$$

$$ii) f(x+y) = f(x)f(y) \text{ then } f(x) = k^x$$

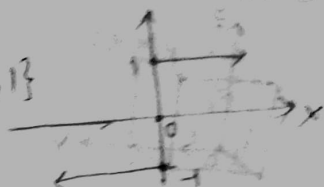
$$iii) f(xy) = f(x) + f(y) \text{ then } f(x) = k \log_a x$$

$$iv) f(x) + f(1/x) = f(x)f(1/x) \text{ then } f(x) = 1 \pm x^n$$

$$v) f(x+y) + f(x-y) = 2f(x)f(y) \text{ then } f(x) = \frac{x^2 + k^2}{2}$$

$$vi) f(x+y) = f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow f(x) = k$$

$$\rightarrow \text{sgn}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{Range} = \{-1, 0, 1\}$$



$$i) \text{sgn}(kx) = \text{sgn}(x), k \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$ii) |x| \text{sgn}(x) = x$$

$$iii) x \text{sgn}(x) = |x|^2$$

$$iv) x \text{sgn}(x) \cdot \text{sgn}(x) = x$$

$$\rightarrow \text{period of } f(x+a) + f(x+b) = \text{const is } 2|b-a|$$

$$\text{Ex: } f(x) + f(x+5) = 12 \Rightarrow 2|5-0| = 10$$

$$\rightarrow \text{period of } f(x+a) + f(x-a) = f(x) \text{ is } 6|a|$$

$$\rightarrow (x-a)(x-b) \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \geq a \text{ or } x \leq b \text{ then } x \in (-\infty, b] \cup [a, \infty)$$

$$(x-a)(x-b) > 0 \Rightarrow x > a \text{ or } x < b \text{ then } x \in (-\infty, b) \cup (a, \infty)$$

$$(x-a)(x-b) < 0 \Rightarrow b < x < a \text{ then } x \in (b, a)$$

$$(x-a)(x-b) \leq 0 \Rightarrow b \leq x \leq a \text{ then } x \in [b, a]$$

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range

$$[1, 1]$$

$$[-1, 1]$$

$$R$$

$$R_0$$

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