

## Question of the Day

What *is* math?

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# Features of a Function

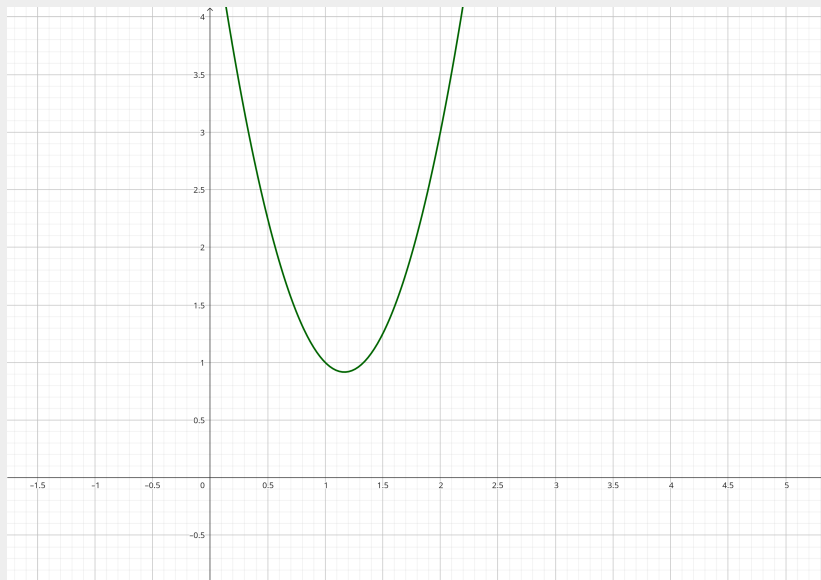
Consider the function

$$z(x) = 3x^2 - 7x + 5$$

Consider the

- Domain of  $z$ .
- Range of  $z$ .
- Does  $z$  have local maxima or minima?
- Does  $z$  have absolute maxima or minima?  
If so, what and where are they?
- On what intervals is  $z$  increasing, decreasing or constant?
- $x$ -intercepts.
- $y$ -intercepts.

# Features of a Function



Given the following quadratic function:

$$g(x) = -2x^2 + 4x + 10$$

- a. What is the domain of  $g(x)$ ?
- b. What is the  $y$ -intercept of  $g(x)$ ?
- c. What are the  $x$ -intercepts of  $g(x)$ ?
- d. Does  $g$  have an absolute maximum or absolute minimum? If so, list where it occurs and what it is.
- e. Where is  $g$  increasing; where is  $g$  decreasing; where is  $g$  constant?

# Concept Review

- What does “average” rate of change mean?
- What is a secant line between two points?

Given a graph, what does it mean to

- Shift the graph?
- Rotate the graph?
- Stretch the graph?
- Compress the graph?

- What are linear functions?
- What are quadratic functions?

# Zeroes of Quadratics

## Completing the Square

Use completing the square to find the solutions to

a.  $x^2 - 6x + 1 = 0$

b.  $2x^2 + 6x + 7 = 0$

c.  $3x^2 - 2x - 1 = 0$

## Quadratic Formula

Use the quadratic formula to find the solutions to

a.  $x^2 + 2x = 7$

b.  $3q^2 + 11 = 5q$

c.  $7t^2 = 6 - 19t$

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<sup>1</sup>Credit to Paul's Online Notes