

# Chapter 5

## TRANSFORMING FUNCTIONS

### EXERCISE 5A

1  $f(x) = x$

a  $f(2x) = 2x$

b  $f(x) + 2$   
 $= x + 2$

c  $\frac{1}{2}f(x) = \frac{x}{2}$

d  $2f(x) + 3$   
 $= 2x + 3$

2  $f(x) = x^2$

a  $f(3x) = (3x)^2$   
 $= 9x^2$

b  $f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2$   
 $= \frac{x^2}{4}$

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

d  $2f(x-1) + 5$   
 $= 2(x-1)^2 + 5$   
 $= 2(x^2 - 2x + 1) + 5$   
 $= 2x^2 - 4x + 7$

3  $f(x) = x^3$

a  $f(4x)$   
 $= (4x)^3$   
 $= 64x^3$

b  $\frac{1}{2}f(2x)$   
 $= \frac{1}{2}(2x)^3$   
 $= \frac{1}{2} \times 8x^3$   
 $= 4x^3$

c  $f(x+1)$   
 $= (x+1)^3$   
 $= x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1$

d  $2f(x+1) - 3$   
 $= 2(x+1)^3 - 3$   
 $= 2(x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1) - 3$   
 $= 2x^3 + 6x^2 + 6x - 1$

4  $f(x) = 2^x$

a  $f(2x) = 2^{2x}$   
 $= 4^x$

b  $f(-x) + 1$   
 $= 2^{-x} + 1$

c  $f(x-2) + 3$   
 $= 2^{x-2} + 3$

d  $2f(x) + 3$   
 $= 2 \times 2^x + 3$   
 $= 2^{x+1} + 3$

5  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

a  $f(-x)$   
 $= \frac{1}{(-x)}$   
 $= -\frac{1}{x}$

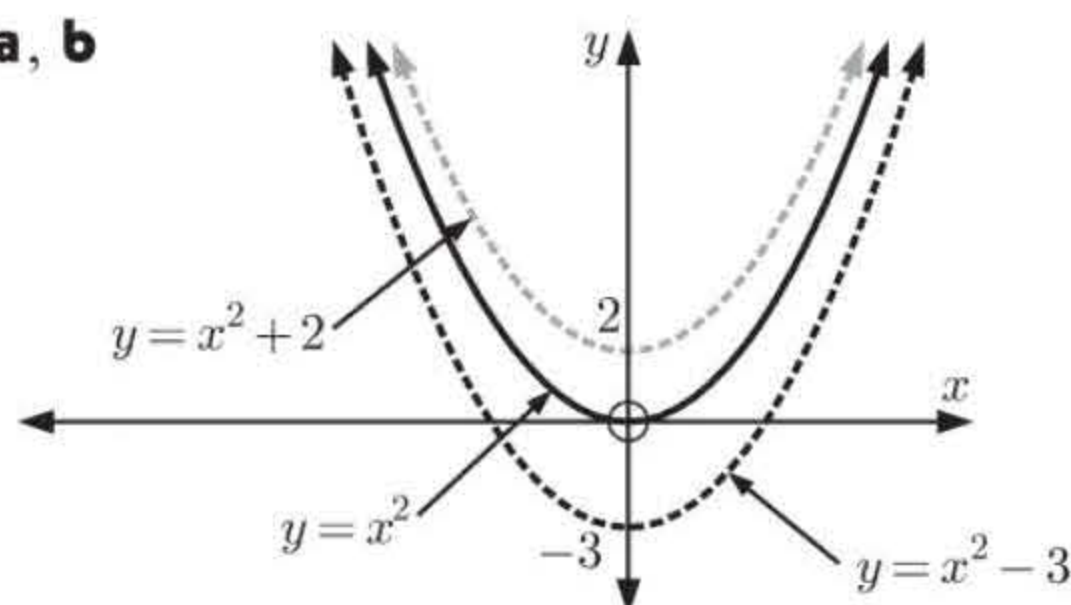
b  $f\left(\frac{1}{2}x\right)$   
 $= \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}x}$   
 $= \frac{2}{x}$

c  $2f(x) + 3$   
 $= 2\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) + 3$   
 $= \frac{2}{x} + 3$   
 $= \frac{2 + 3x}{x}$

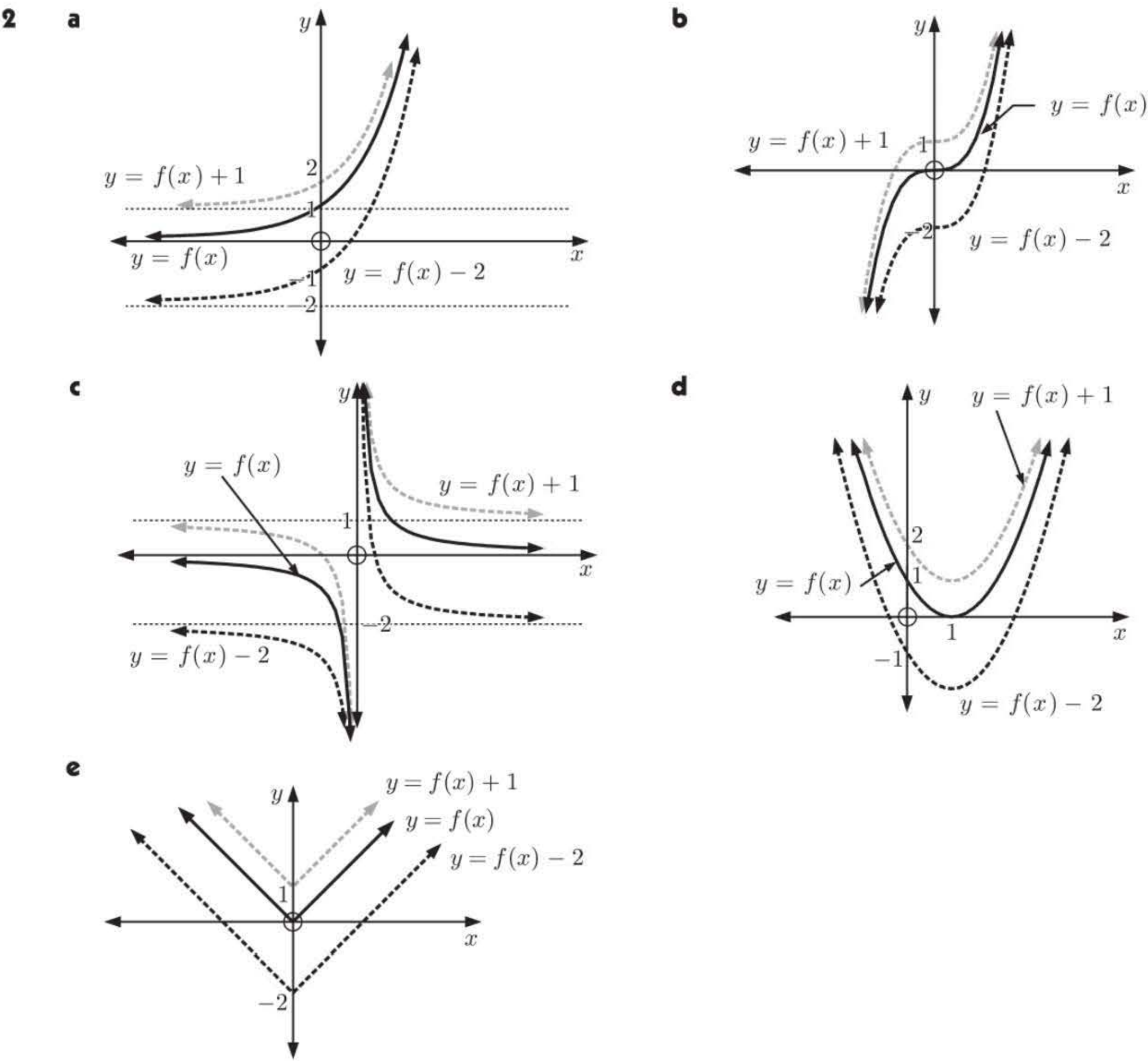
d  $3f(x-1) + 2$   
 $= 3\left(\frac{1}{x-1}\right) + 2$   
 $= \frac{3 + 2(x-1)}{x-1}$   
 $= \frac{2x + 1}{x-1}$

### EXERCISE 5B

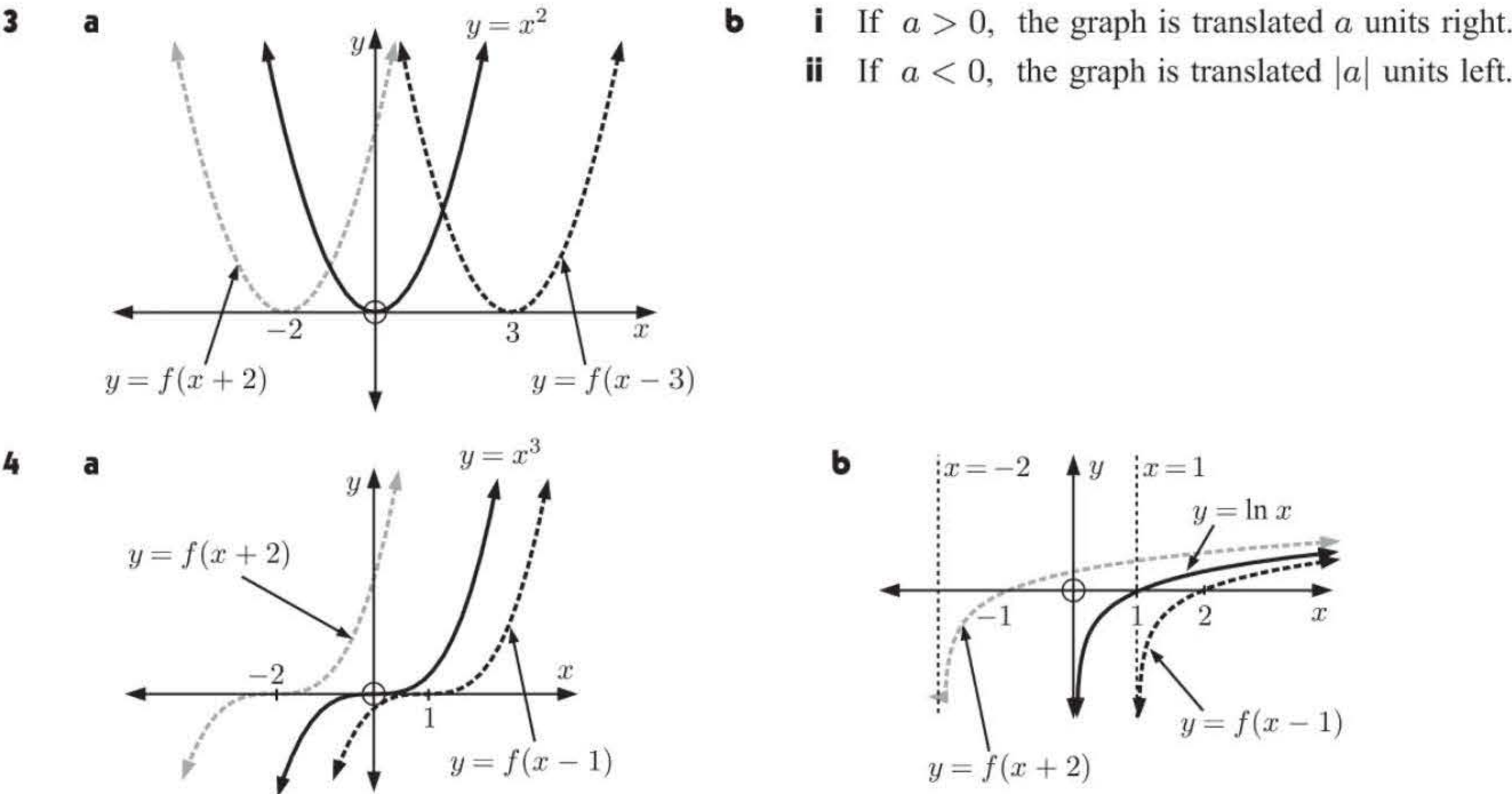
1 a, b



- c
- i If  $b > 0$ , the function is translated vertically upwards through  $b$  units.
  - ii If  $b < 0$ , the function is translated vertically downwards  $|b|$  units.



**Summary:** For  $y = f(x) + b$ ,  $y = f(x)$  is translated vertically through  $b$  units.  
If  $b > 0$  movement is vertically upwards  $b$  units.  
If  $b < 0$  movement is vertically downwards  $|b|$  units.



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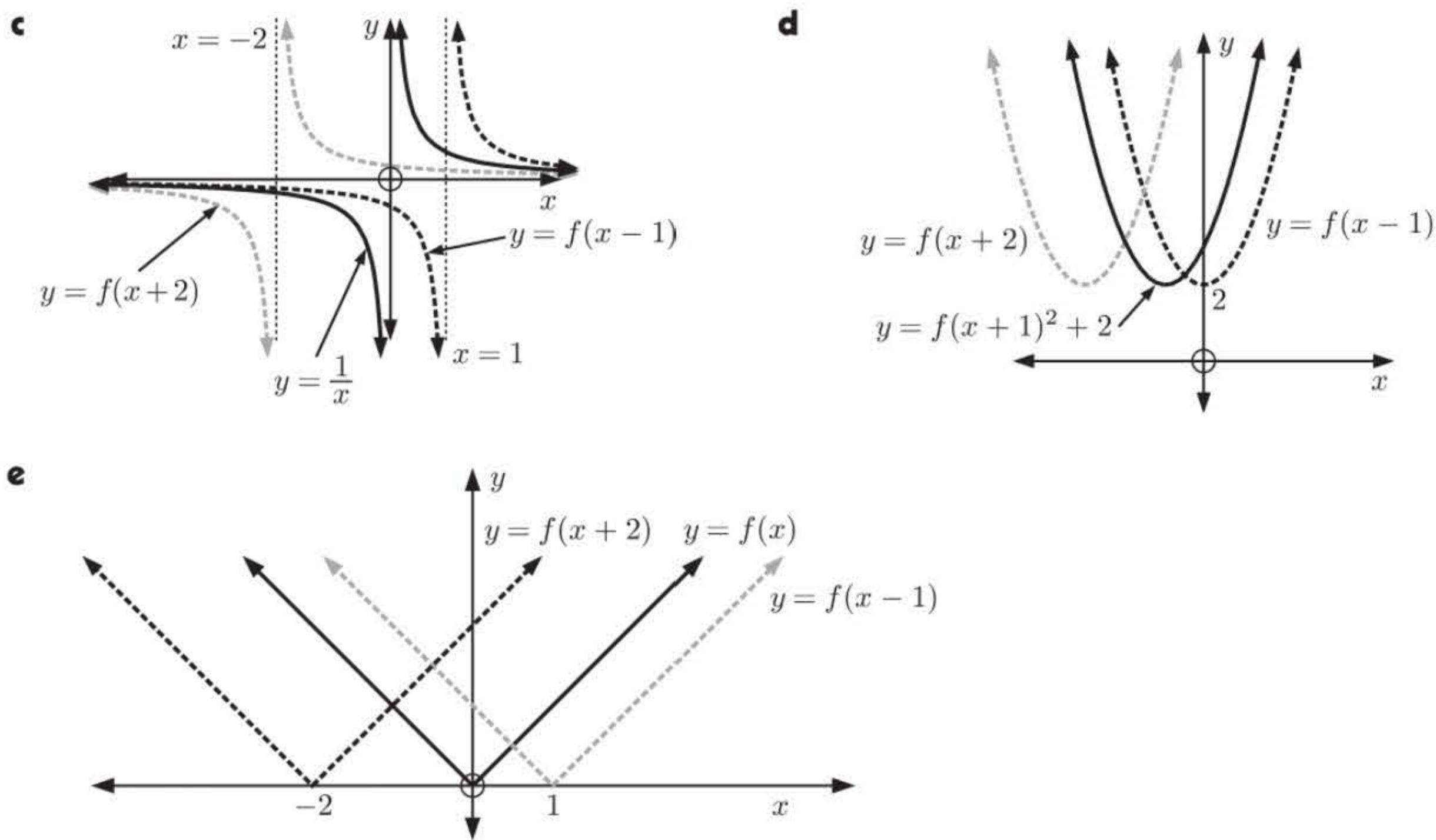
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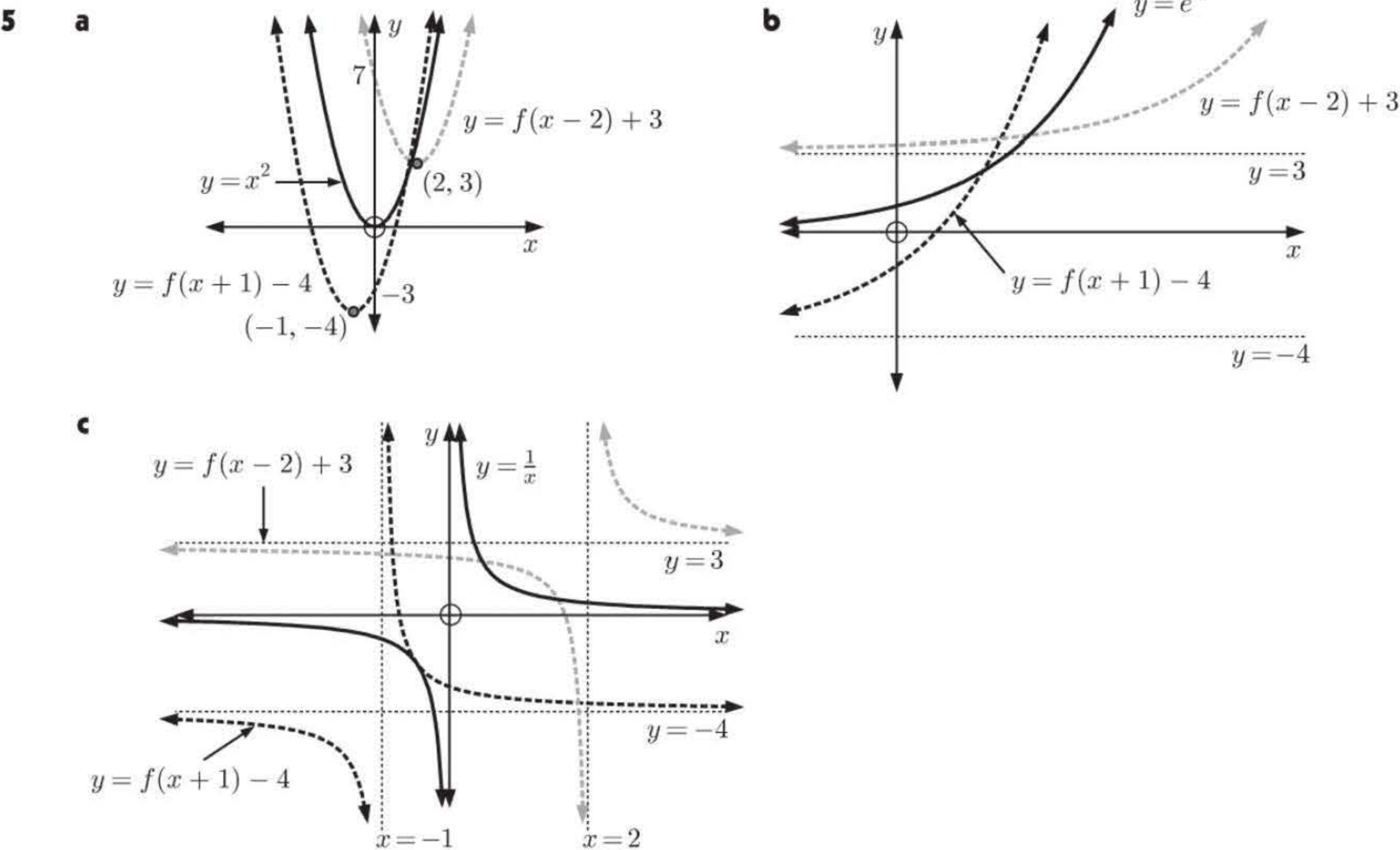
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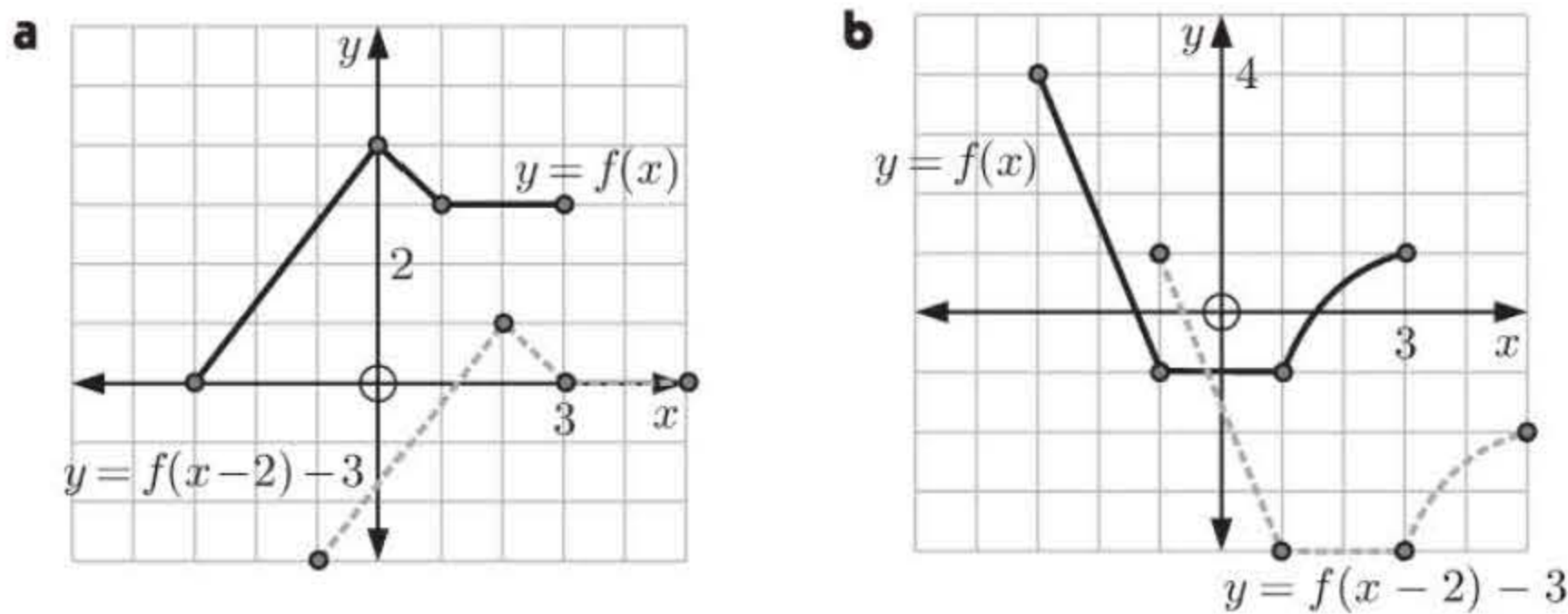




**Summary:** For  $y = f(x - a)$ ,  $y = f(x)$  is translated horizontally through  $a$  units.  
If  $a > 0$  movement is to the right. If  $a < 0$  movement is to the left.



**6** A translation of 2 units right and 3 units down or  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -3 \end{pmatrix}$ .





**7** To translate  $f(x)$  3 units right, we need to find  $f(x - 3)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore g(x) &= f(x - 3) \\ &= (x - 3)^2 - 2(x - 3) + 2 \\ &= x^2 - 6x + 9 - 2x + 6 + 2 \\ \therefore g(x) &= x^2 - 8x + 17\end{aligned}$$

**8 a** The transformation from  $f(x) = x^2$  to  $g(x) = (x - 3)^2 + 2$  is a translation of 3 units right and 2 units up.

**i**  $(0, 0)$  is translated to  $(3, 2)$ .

**ii**  $(-3, 9)$  is translated to  $(0, 11)$ .

**iii**  $f(2) = 2^2 = 4$

$\therefore (2, 4)$  is translated to  $(5, 6)$ .

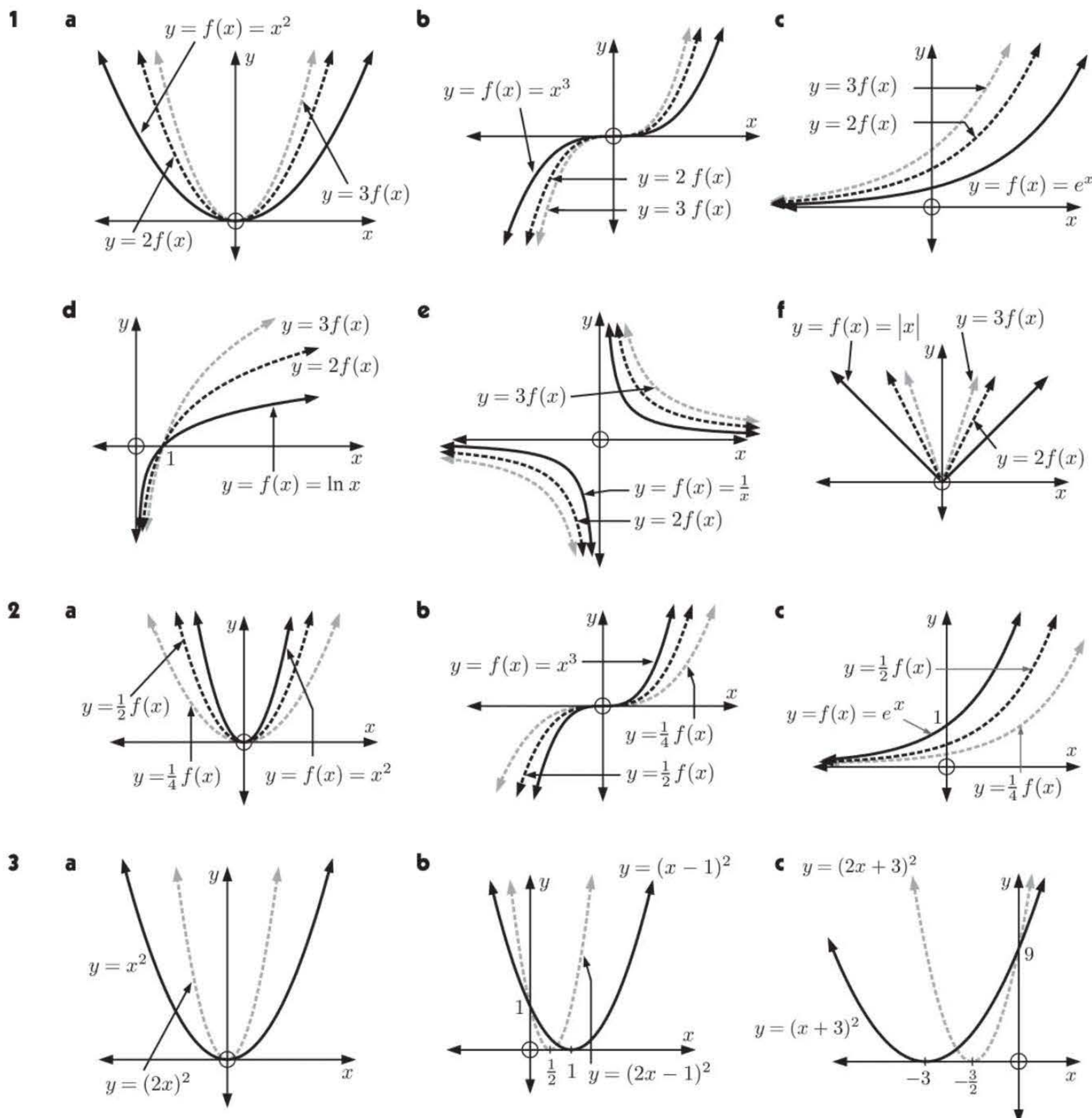
**b** The transformation from  $g(x)$  back to  $f(x)$  is a translation of  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**i**  $(1, 6)$  is translated to  $(-2, 4)$ .

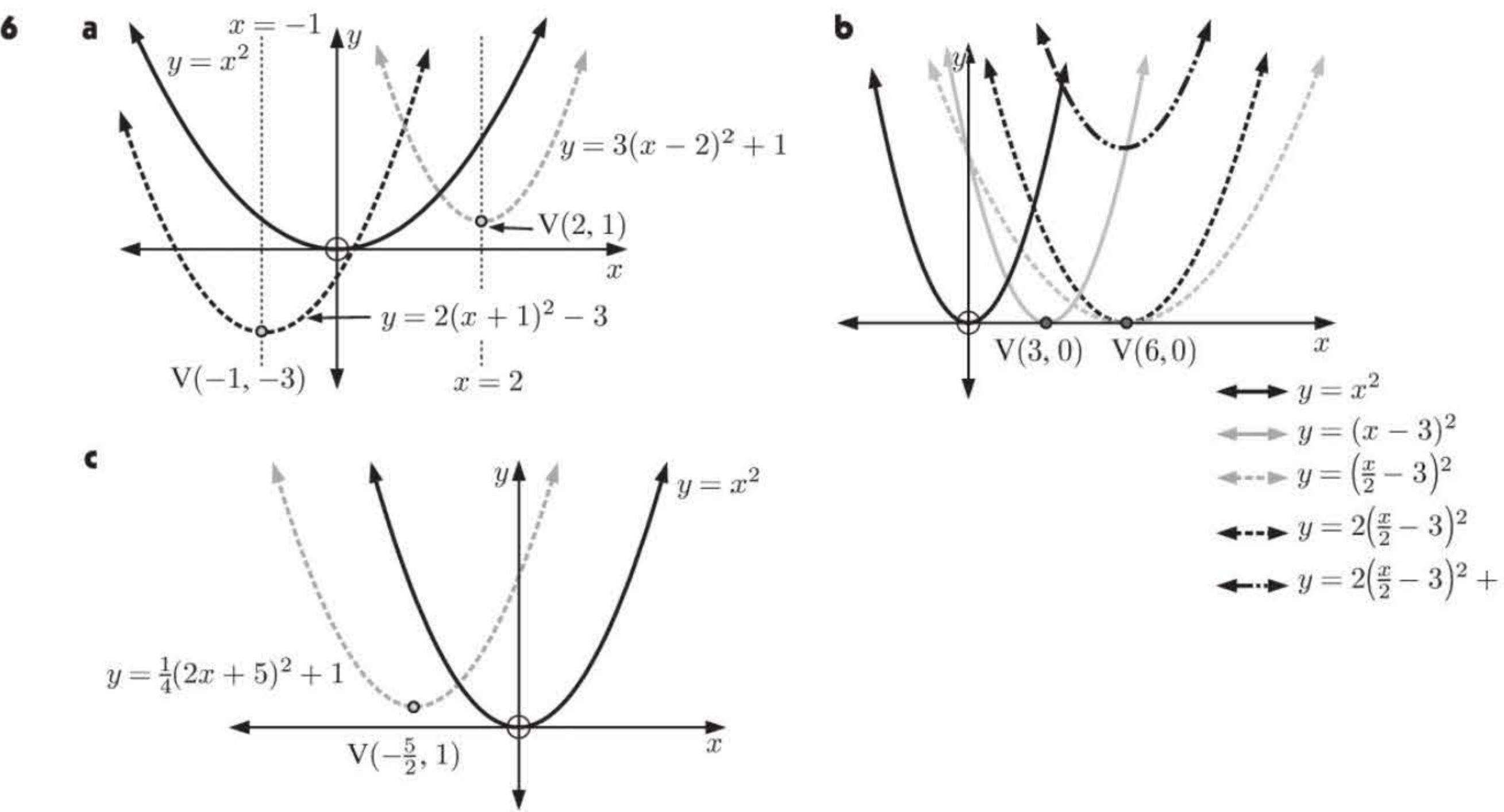
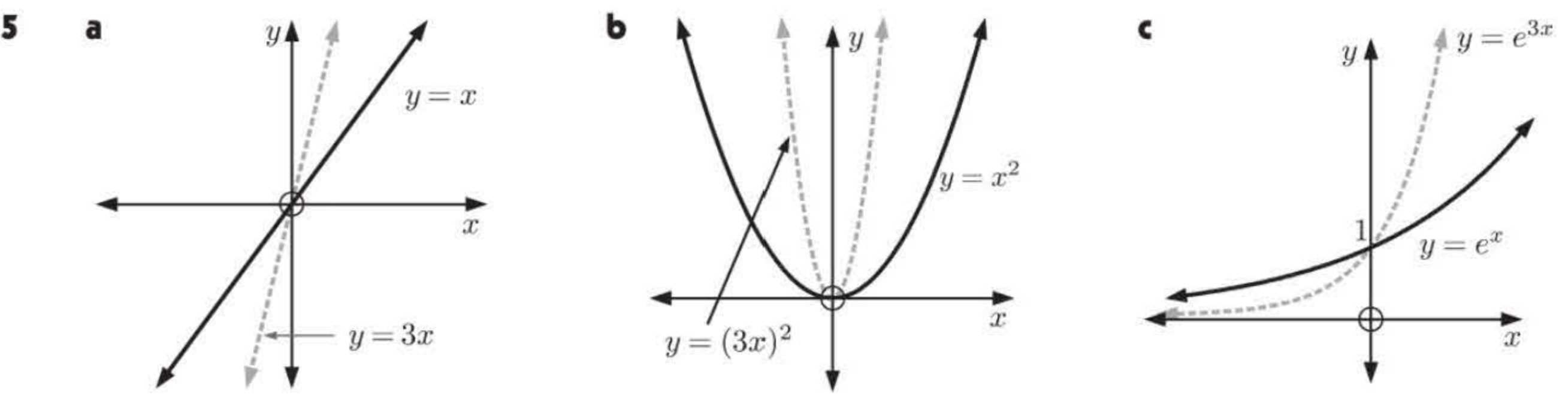
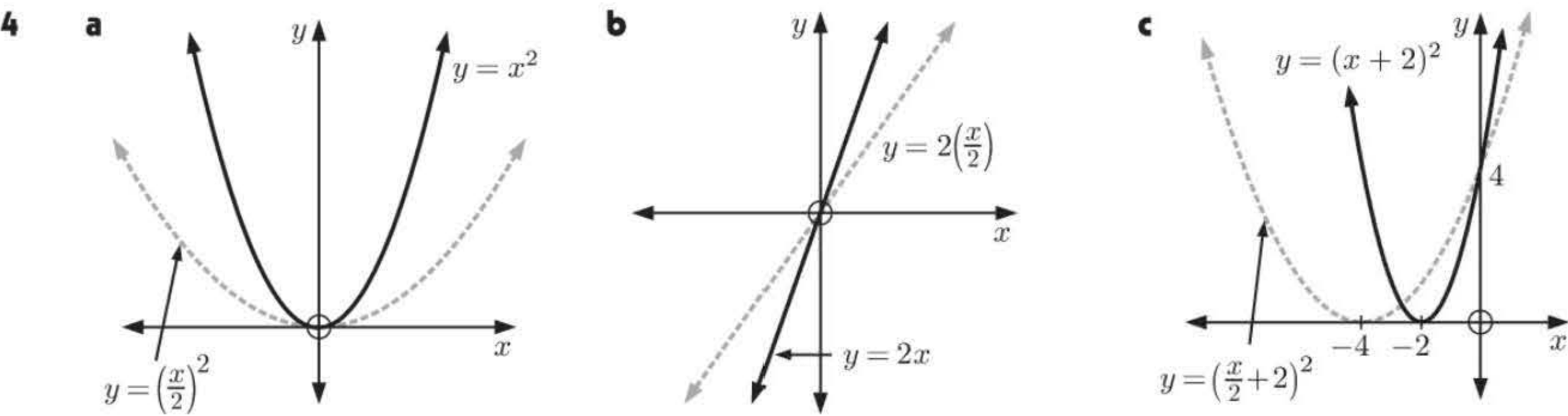
**ii**  $(-2, 27)$  is translated to  $(-5, 25)$ .

**iii**  $(1\frac{1}{2}, 4\frac{1}{4})$  is translated to  $(-1\frac{1}{2}, 2\frac{1}{4})$ .

## EXERCISE 5C







- 7**
- a** The transformation from  $y = f(x)$  to  $y = 3f(2x)$  is a horizontal stretch of factor  $\frac{1}{2}$  followed by a vertical stretch of factor 3.
- i**  $(3, -5) \rightarrow (\frac{3}{2}, -5) \rightarrow (\frac{3}{2}, -15)$   $\therefore (3, -5)$  is transformed to  $(\frac{3}{2}, -15)$
  - ii**  $(1, 2) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, 2) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, 6)$   $\therefore (1, 2)$  is transformed to  $(\frac{1}{2}, 6)$
  - iii**  $(-2, 1) \rightarrow (-1, 1) \rightarrow (-1, 3)$   $\therefore (-2, 1)$  is transformed to  $(-1, 3)$
- b** The transformation from  $y = 3f(2x)$  back to  $y = f(x)$  is a vertical stretch of factor  $\frac{1}{3}$  followed by a horizontal stretch of factor 2.
- i**  $(2, 1) \rightarrow (2, \frac{1}{3}) \rightarrow (4, \frac{1}{3})$   $\therefore (4, \frac{1}{3})$  is the point on  $y = f(x)$
  - ii**  $(-3, 2) \rightarrow (-3, \frac{2}{3}) \rightarrow (-6, \frac{2}{3})$   $\therefore (-6, \frac{2}{3})$  is the point on  $y = f(x)$
  - iii**  $(-7, 3) \rightarrow (-7, 1) \rightarrow (-14, 1)$   $\therefore (-14, 1)$  is the point on  $y = f(x)$
- 8**
- a**  $f(x) \rightarrow f(x + 1) \rightarrow f(\frac{1}{2}x + 1) \rightarrow 2f(\frac{1}{2}x + 1) \rightarrow 3 + 2f(\frac{1}{2}x + 1)$
- horizontal translation      horizontal stretch      vertical stretch      vertical translation

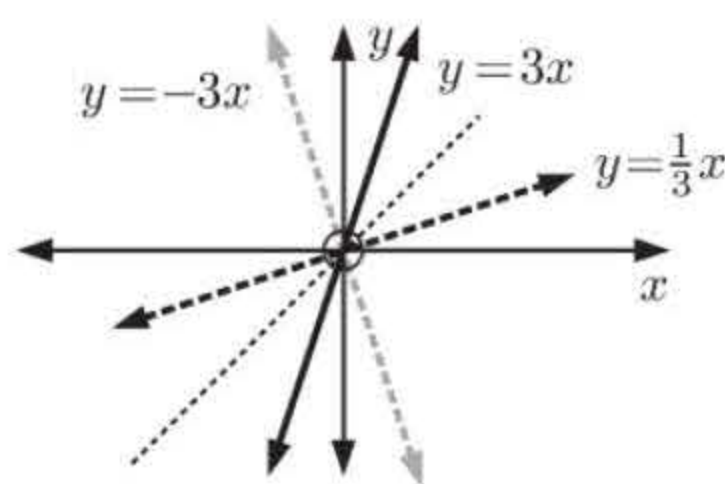


$\therefore f(x)$  is translated horizontally 1 unit left, then horizontally stretched with scale factor 2, then vertically stretched with scale factor 2, then translated 3 units upwards.

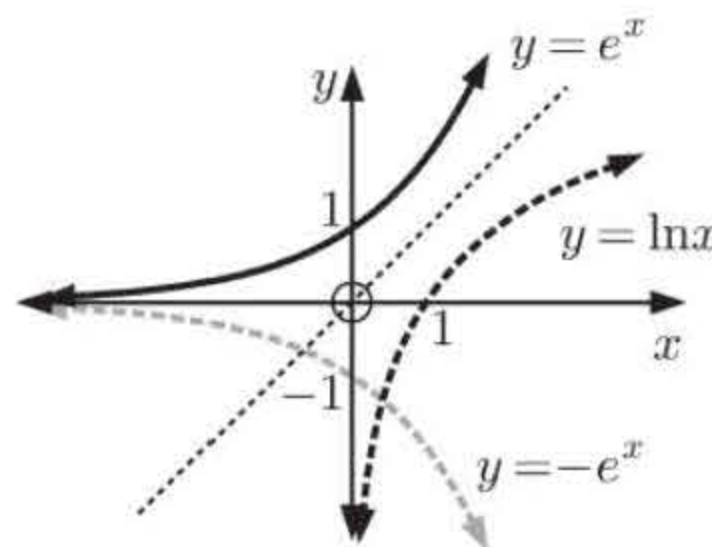
- b**
- i**  $(1, -3) \rightarrow (0, -3) \rightarrow (0, -3) \rightarrow (0, -6) \rightarrow (0, -3) \therefore (1, -3)$  is translated to  $(0, -3)$
  - ii**  $(2, 1) \rightarrow (1, 1) \rightarrow (2, 1) \rightarrow (2, 2) \rightarrow (2, 5) \therefore (2, 1)$  is translated to  $(2, 5)$
  - iii**  $(-1, -2) \rightarrow (-2, -2) \rightarrow (-4, -2) \rightarrow (-4, -4) \rightarrow (-4, -1) \therefore (-1, -2)$  is translated to  $(-4, -1)$
- c** To transform points on  $y = 3 + 2f(\frac{1}{2}x + 1)$  back to points on  $y = f(x)$ , we translate 3 units downwards, then vertically stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$ , then horizontally stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$ , then translate 1 unit right.
- i**  $(-2, -5) \rightarrow (-2, -8) \rightarrow (-2, -4) \rightarrow (-1, -4) \rightarrow (0, -4) \therefore$  the point on  $f(x)$  is  $(0, -4)$ .
  - ii**  $(1, -1) \rightarrow (1, -4) \rightarrow (1, -2) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, -2) \rightarrow (\frac{3}{2}, -2) \therefore$  the point on  $f(x)$  is  $(\frac{3}{2}, -2)$ .
  - iii**  $(5, 0) \rightarrow (5, -3) \rightarrow (5, -\frac{3}{2}) \rightarrow (\frac{5}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}) \rightarrow (\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}) \therefore$  the point on  $f(x)$  is  $(\frac{7}{2}, -\frac{3}{2})$ .

## EXERCISE 5D

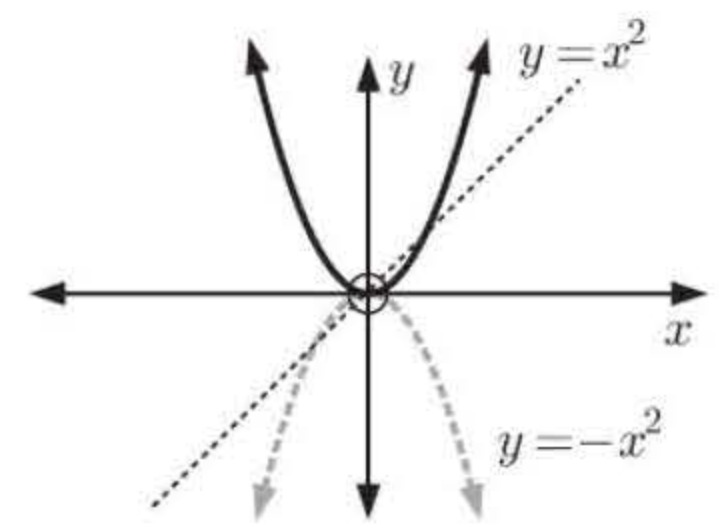
- 1 a** If  $f(x) = 3x$   
then  $-f(x) = -(3x)$   
 $= -3x$   
And  $f(x) = 3x$   
has inverse function  
 $x = 3y$   
 $\therefore y = \frac{1}{3}x$   
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{3}x$



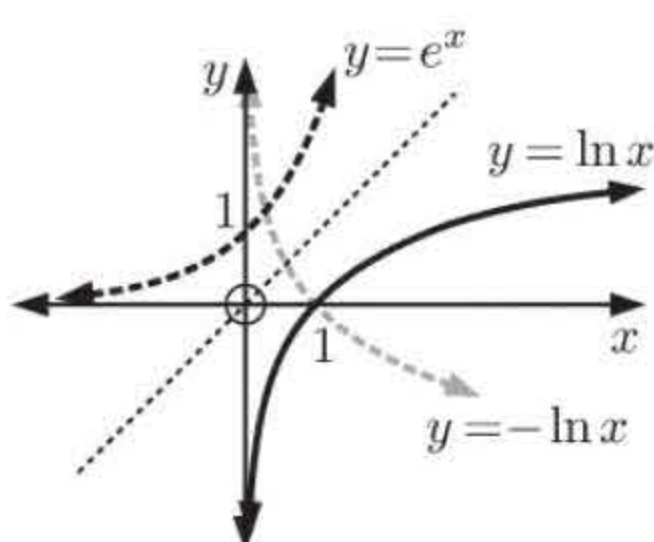
- b** If  $f(x) = e^x$   
then  $-f(x) = -(e^x)$   
 $= -e^x$   
And  $f(x) = e^x$   
has inverse function  
 $x = e^y$   
 $\therefore y = \ln x$   
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \ln x$



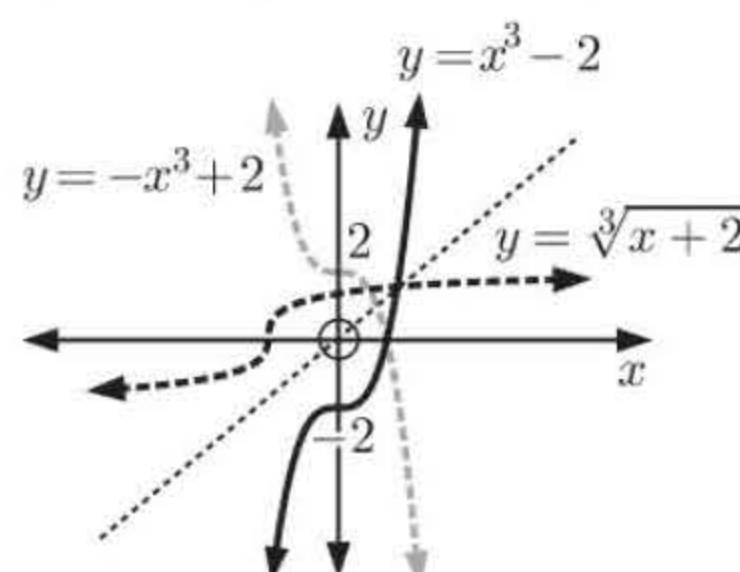
- c** If  $f(x) = x^2$   
then  $-f(x) = -(x^2)$   
 $= -x^2$   
 $f(x) = x^2$  does not have an inverse function as it does not satisfy the horizontal line test.



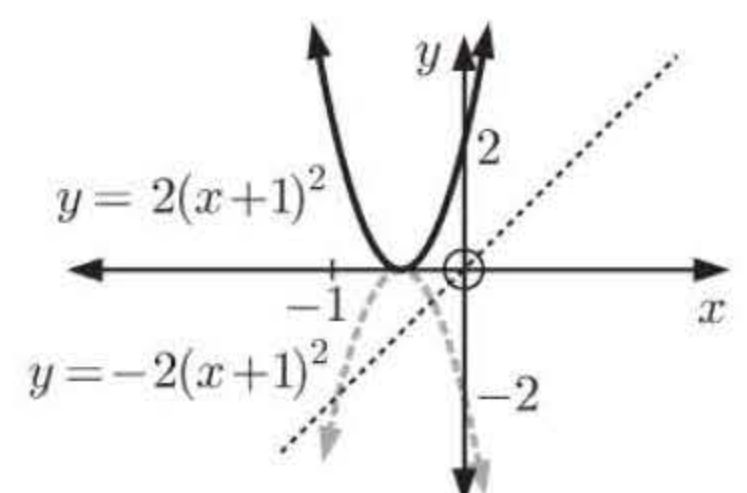
- d** If  $f(x) = \ln x$   
then  $-f(x) = -(\ln x)$   
 $= -\ln x$   
And  $f(x) = \ln x$   
has inverse function  
 $x = \ln y$   
 $\therefore y = e^x$   
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = e^x$



- e** If  $f(x) = x^3 - 2$   
then  $-f(x) = -(x^3 - 2)$   
 $= -x^3 + 2$   
And  $f(x) = x^3 - 2$   
has inverse function  
 $x = y^3 - 2$   
 $\therefore y^3 = x + 2$   
 $\therefore y = \sqrt[3]{x + 2}$   
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x + 2}$

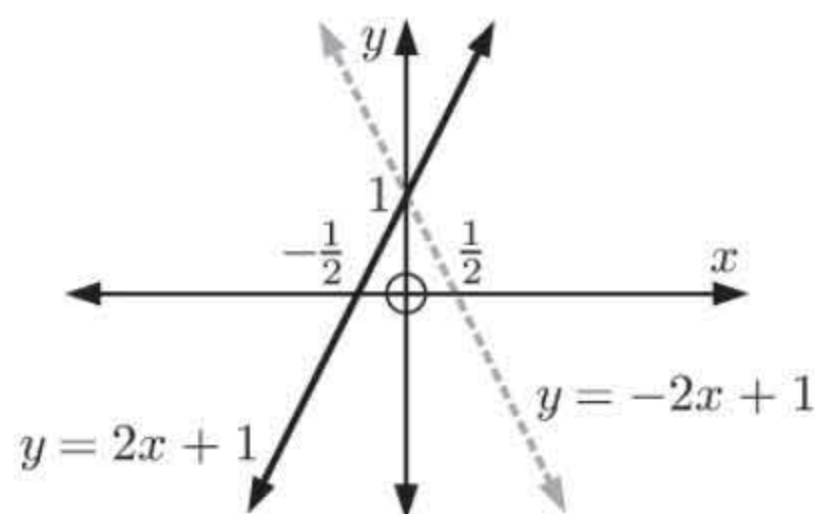


- f** If  $f(x) = 2(x + 1)^2$   
then  $-f(x) = -(2(x + 1)^2)$   
 $= -2(x + 1)^2$   
 $f(x) = 2(x + 1)^2$  does not have an inverse function as it does not satisfy the horizontal line test.

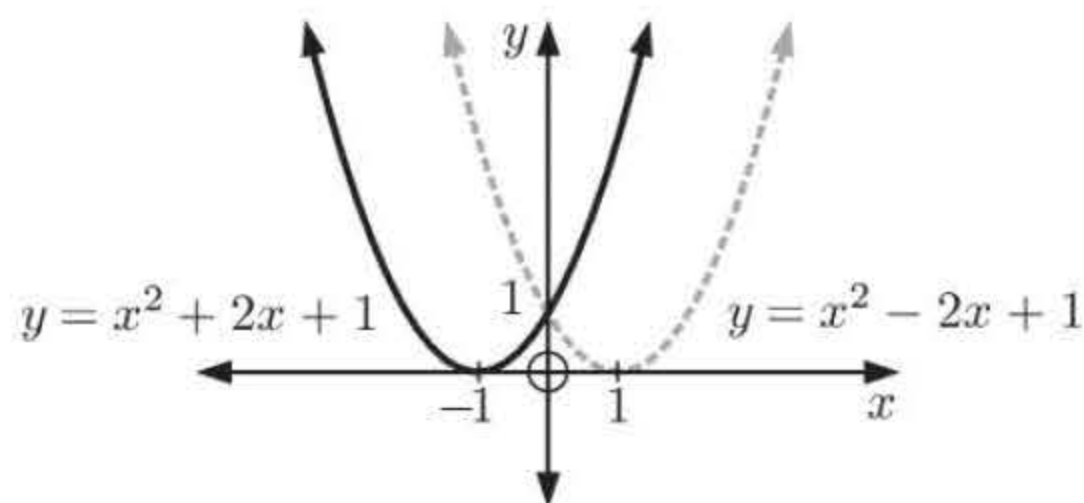




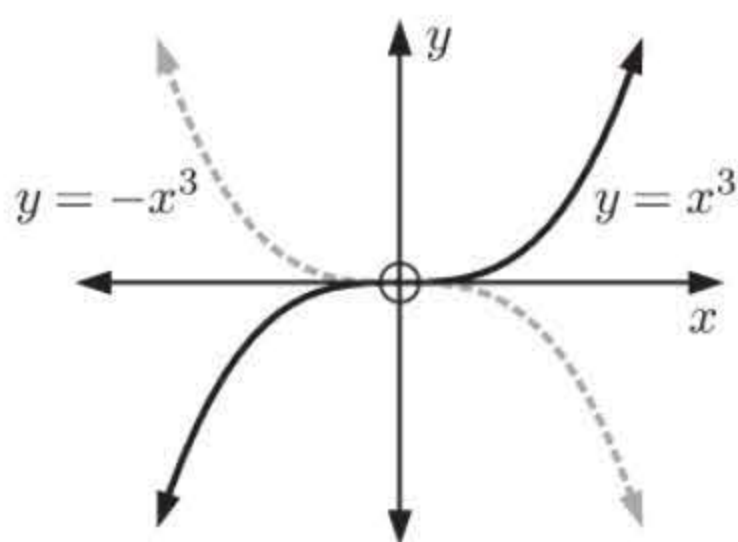
**2 a**  $f(x) = 2x + 1$   
 $\therefore f(-x) = 2(-x) + 1$   
 $= -2x + 1$



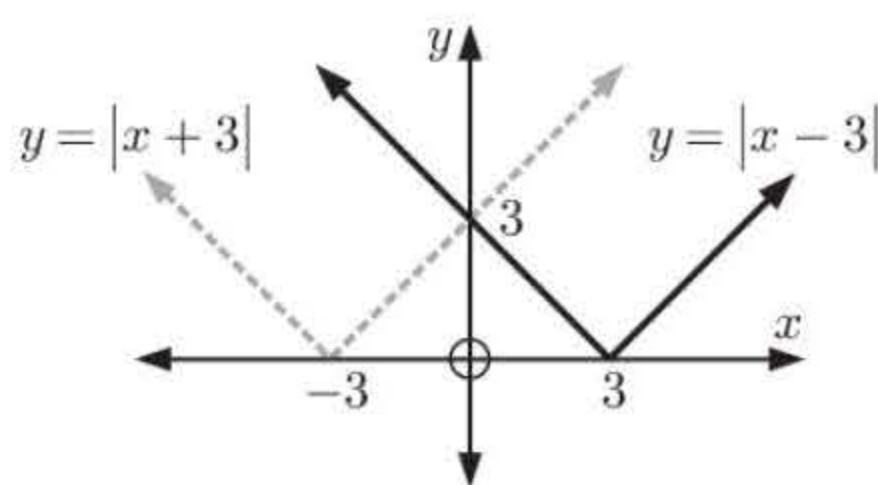
**b**  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 1$   
 $\therefore f(-x) = (-x)^2 + 2(-x) + 1$   
 $= x^2 - 2x + 1$



**c**  $f(x) = x^3$   
 $\therefore f(-x) = (-x)^3$   
 $= -x^3$



**d**  $f(x) = |x - 3|$   
 $\therefore f(-x) = |-x - 3|$   
 $= |x + 3|$



**3** If  $g(x)$  is the reflection of  $f(x)$  in the  $x$ -axis, then  $g(x) = -f(x)$   
 $\therefore g(x) = -(x^3 - \ln x)$   
 $= -x^3 + \ln x$

**4** If  $g(x)$  is the reflection of  $f(x)$  in the  $y$ -axis, then  $g(x) = f(-x)$   
 $\therefore g(x) = (-x)^4 - 2(-x)^3 - 3(-x)^2 + 5(-x) - 7$   
 $= x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 5x - 7$

**5 a** To transform  $y = f(x)$  to  $g(x) = -f(x)$ , we reflect  $y = f(x)$  in the  $x$ -axis. To do this we keep the  $x$ -coordinates the same and take the negative of the  $y$ -coordinates.

**i**  $(3, 0)$  is transformed to  $(3, 0)$

**ii**  $(2, -1)$  is transformed to  $(2, 1)$

**iii**  $(-3, 2)$  is transformed to  $(-3, -2)$

**b** To find the points on  $f(x)$  corresponding to  $g(x)$ , we again take the negative of the  $y$ -coordinates.

**i** The point transformed to  $(7, -1)$  is  $(7, 1)$ .

**ii** The point transformed to  $(-5, 0)$  is  $(-5, 0)$ .

**iii** The point transformed to  $(-3, -2)$  is  $(-3, 2)$ .

**6 a** To transform  $y = f(x)$  to  $h(x) = f(-x)$ , we reflect  $y = f(x)$  in the  $y$ -axis. To do this we keep the  $y$ -coordinates the same and take the negative of the  $x$ -coordinates.

**i**  $(2, -1)$  is transformed to  $(-2, -1)$ .

**ii**  $(0, 3)$  is transformed to  $(0, 3)$ .

**iii**  $(-1, 2)$  is transformed to  $(1, 2)$ .

**iv**  $(3, 0)$  is transformed to  $(-3, 0)$ .

**b** To find the points on  $f(x)$  corresponding to  $h(x)$ , we again take the negative of the  $x$ -coordinates.

**i** The point transformed to  $(5, -4)$  is  $(-5, -4)$ .

**ii** The point transformed to  $(0, 3)$  is  $(0, 3)$ .

**iii** The point transformed to  $(2, 3)$  is  $(-2, 3)$ .

**iv** The point transformed to  $(3, 0)$  is  $(-3, 0)$ .

**7 a** To transform  $y = f(x)$  to  $m(x) = f^{-1}(x)$ , we reflect  $y = f(x)$  in the line  $y = x$ . To do this we swap the  $x$  and  $y$ -coordinates.

**i**  $(3, 1)$  is transformed to  $(1, 3)$ .

**ii**  $(-2, 4)$  is transformed to  $(4, -2)$ .

**iii**  $(0, -5)$  is transformed to  $(-5, 0)$ .



- b**

To find the points on  $f(x)$  corresponding to  $m(x)$ , we again swap the  $x$  and  $y$ -coordinates.

**i**

The point transformed to  $(-1, 1)$  is  $(1, -1)$ .

**ii**

The point transformed to  $(6, 0)$  is  $(0, 6)$ .

**iii**

The point transformed to  $(3, -2)$  is  $(-2, 3)$ .

**8**

**a**

$f(x)$  is reflected in the  $y$ -axis to give  $y = f(-x)$ , then reflected in the  $x$ -axis to give  $y = -f(-x)$ . This has the effect of rotating the point about the origin through  $180^\circ$ .

**b**

The point  $(a, b)$  is transformed to the point  $(-a, -b)$ .  
 $\therefore (3, -7)$  is transformed to  $(-3, 7)$

**c**

The point that transforms to  $(-5, -1)$  is  $(5, 1)$ .

**9**

**a**

**i**

**ii**

**b**

**i**

**ii**

The reflection of  $y = f(x)$  in the line  $y = x$  is not  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  as  $y = f(x)$  is not a function.

EXERCISE 5E

**1**

**a**

**b**

**i, ii**

**iii, iv**

$y = x^2 - 1$  has  $x$ -intercepts  $-1$  and  $1$ , and  $y$ -intercept  $-1$ .

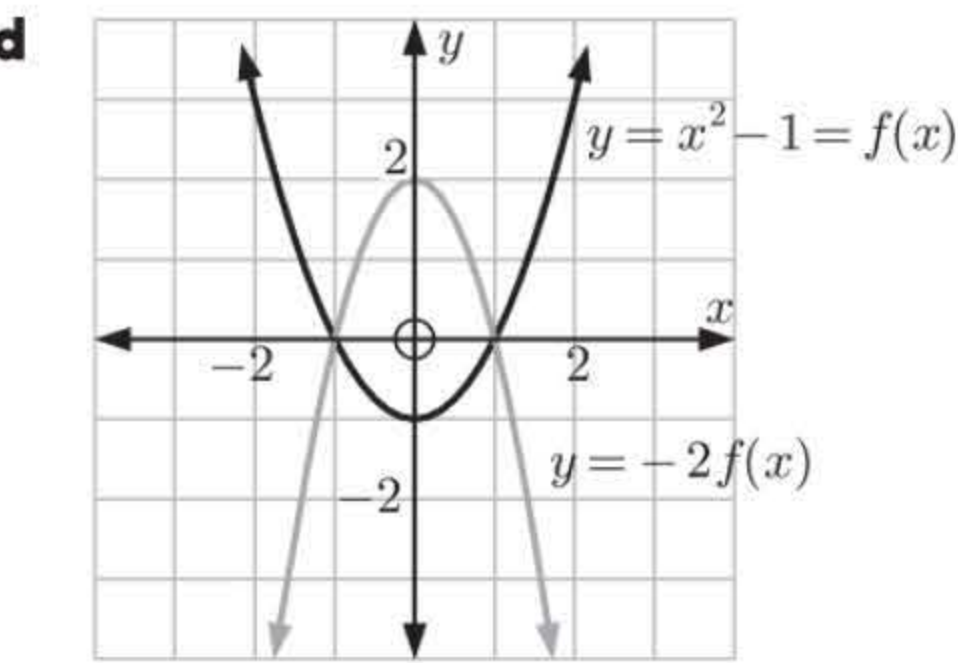


- c**

**i** a vertical translation of 3 units upwards

**iii** a vertical stretch with scale factor 2
- ii** a horizontal translation of 1 unit to the right

**iv** a reflection in the  $x$ -axis



A reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a vertical stretch with scale factor 2.

- e**  $(-1, 0)$  and  $(1, 0)$

- 2**

**a**

**i** A vertical stretch with scale factor 3.

**ii**  $g(x) = 3f(x)$

**b**

**i** A translation of 2 units downwards.

**ii**  $g(x) = f(x) - 2$

**c**

**i** A vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

**ii**  $g(x) = \frac{1}{2}f(x)$

**d**

**i** A reflection in the  $y$ -axis.

**ii**  $g(x) = f(-x)$

**3**  $y = -f(x)$  is obtained from  $y = f(x)$  by reflecting it in the  $x$ -axis.

**a**

**b**

**c**

**4**  $y = f(-x)$  is obtained from  $y = f(x)$  by reflecting it in the  $y$ -axis.

**a**

**b**

**c**

**5**  $y = 2x^4$  and  $y = 6x^4$  are ‘thinner’ than  $y = x^4$  and  $y = \frac{1}{2}x^4$  is ‘fatter’.  
 $\therefore$  **a** is **A**, **b** is **B**, **c** is **D**, and **d** is **C**.

**6**

**a**

**b**

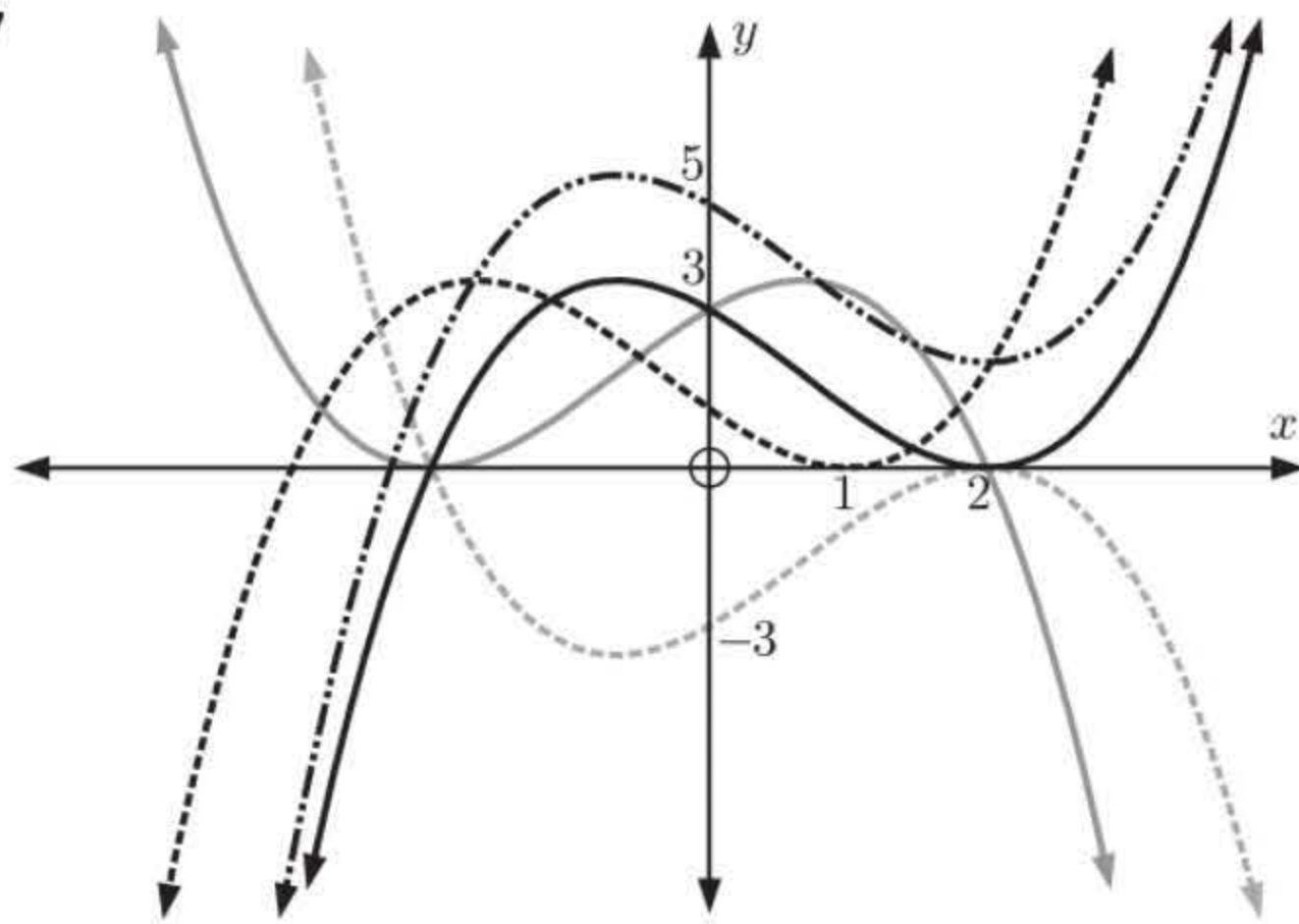
**c**

**d**

**e**

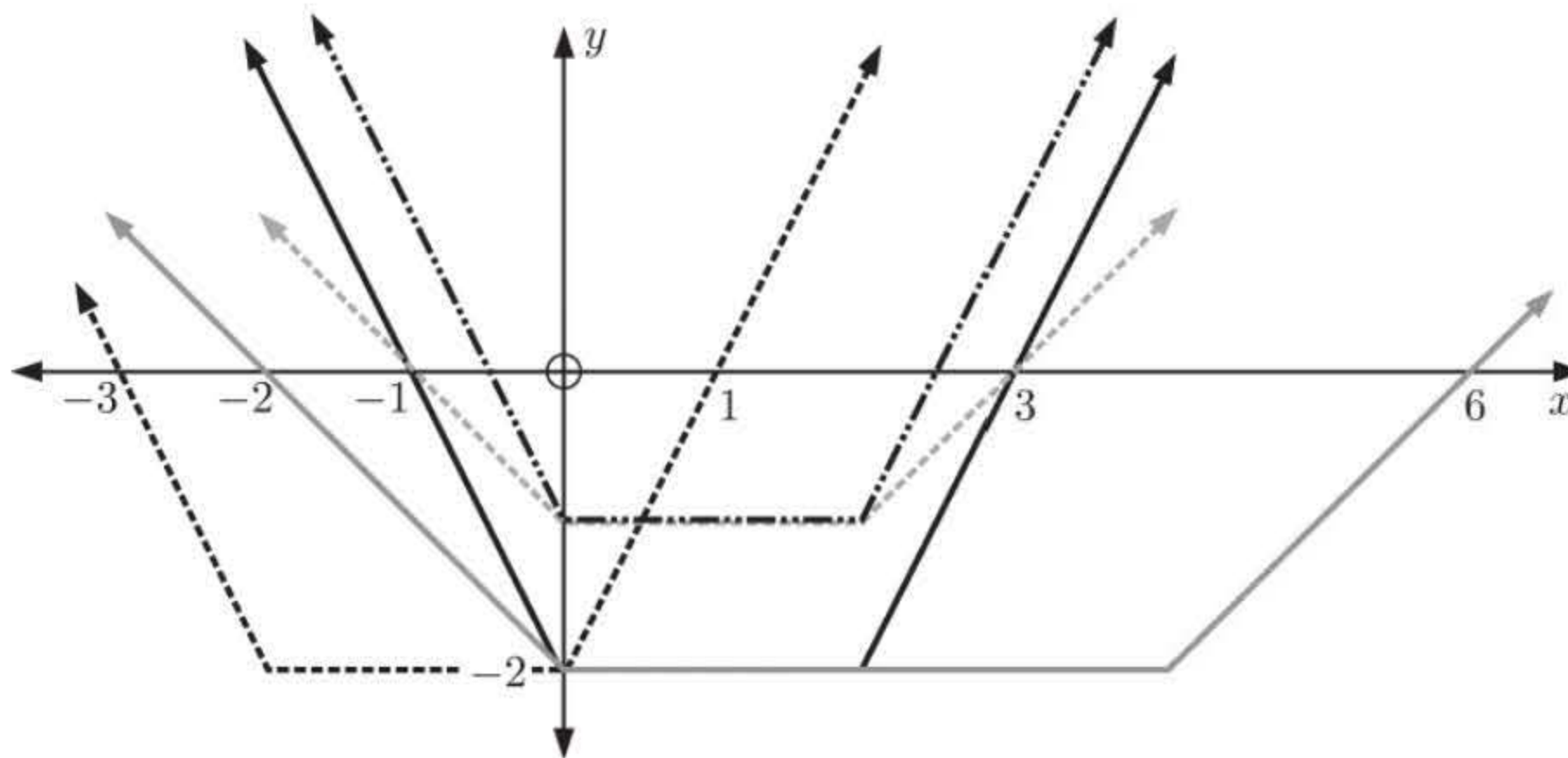


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$$\begin{aligned} \longleftrightarrow & y = g(x) \\ \dashrightarrow & y = g(x) + 2 \\ \cdots & y = -g(x) \\ \dashleftarrow & y = g(-x) \\ \dashrightarrow & y = g(x + 1) \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \longleftrightarrow & y = h(x) \\ \dashrightarrow & y = h(x) + 1 \\ \cdots & y = \frac{1}{2}h(x) \\ \dashleftarrow & y = h(-x) \\ \dashrightarrow & y = h\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

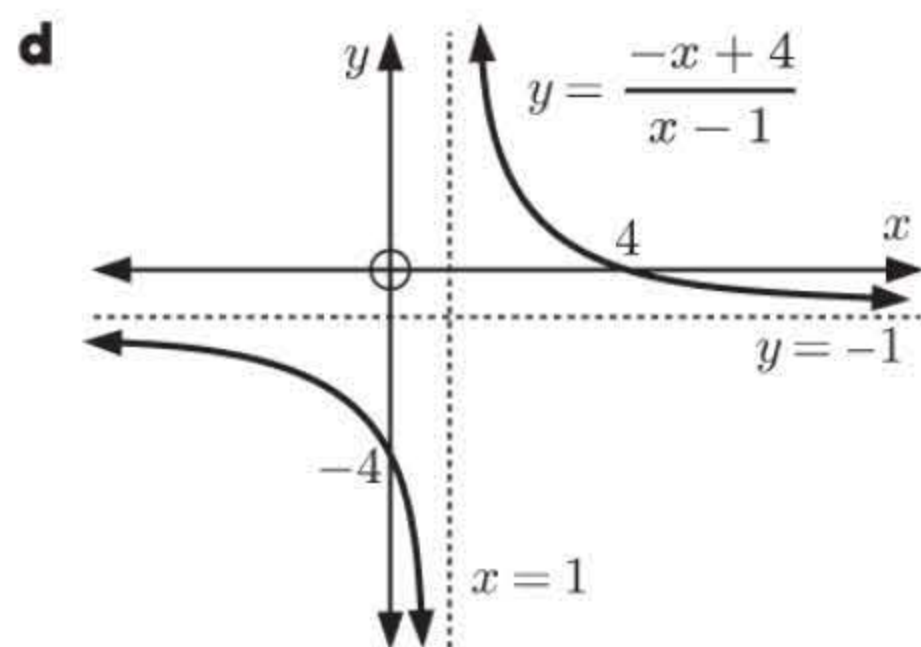
## EXERCISE 5F

- 1
  - a Under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $y = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right)$ .  $\therefore y = \frac{1}{2x}$
  - b Under a horizontal stretch with scale factor 3,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $y = \frac{1}{\left( \frac{x}{3} \right)}$ .  $\therefore y = \frac{3}{x}$
  - c Under a horizontal translation of  $-3$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $y = \frac{1}{x + 3}$ .
  - d Under a vertical translation of 4,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $y = \frac{1}{x} + 4$ .  $\therefore y = \frac{4x + 1}{x}$
- 2
  - a Under a vertical stretch with scale factor 3,  $f(x)$  becomes  $3f(x)$ .  
 $\therefore \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $3 \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{3}{x}$ .  
 Under a translation of  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $f(x)$  becomes  $f(x - 1) - 1$ .  
 $\therefore \frac{3}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{3}{x - 1} - 1$ .  
 So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $g(x) = \frac{3}{x - 1} - 1$   

$$= \frac{3 - (x - 1)}{x - 1}$$
  

$$= \frac{-x + 4}{x - 1}$$
  - b The asymptotes of  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  are  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .  
 These are unchanged by the stretch, and shifted  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  by the translation.  
 $\therefore$  the vertical asymptote is  $x = 1$  and the horizontal asymptote is  $y = -1$ .
  - c Domain is  $\{x \mid x \neq 1\}$ , range is  $\{y \mid y \neq -1\}$ .





- e** The graph is not symmetric about  $y = x$ ,  
so  $g(x)$  is not a self-inverse function.

**3 a i**  $f(x) = \frac{2x + 4}{x - 1}$   

$$= \frac{2(x - 1) + 6}{x - 1}$$
  

$$= \frac{6}{x - 1} + 2$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = \frac{6}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = \frac{6}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = 1$  and  
horizontal asymptote  $y = 2$ .

**ii**  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{6}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 6.

$\frac{6}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{6}{x - 1} + 2$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 6, followed  
by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**b i**  $f(x) = \frac{3x - 2}{x + 1}$   

$$= \frac{3(x + 1) - 5}{x + 1}$$
  

$$= -\frac{5}{x + 1} + 3$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = -1$  and  
horizontal asymptote  $y = 3$ .

**ii**  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{5}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5.

$\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x}$  under a reflection in the  $x$ -axis.

$-\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x + 1} + 3$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5, followed  
by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**c i**  $f(x) = \frac{2x + 1}{2 - x}$   

$$= \frac{-2(2 - x) + 5}{2 - x}$$
  

$$= \frac{5}{2 - x} - 2$$
  

$$= -\frac{5}{x - 2} - 2$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = 2$  and  
horizontal asymptote  $y = -2$ .

**ii**  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{5}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5.

$\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x}$  under a reflection in the  $x$ -axis.

$-\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x - 2} - 2$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5, followed  
by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{4 a i } f(x) &= \frac{2x+3}{x+1} \\
 &= \frac{2(x+1)+1}{x+1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{x+1} + 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = -1$  and horizontal asymptote  $y = 2$ .

- ii As  $x \rightarrow -1^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -1^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 2^-$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 2^+$ .

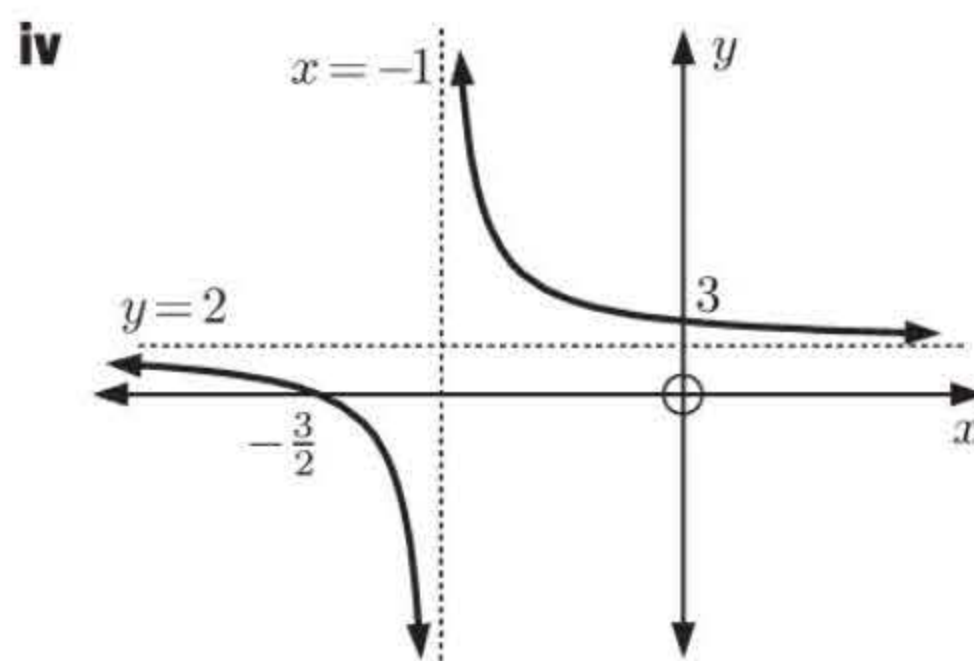
- iii When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{1} + 2 = 3$ .  
 $\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is 3.

When  $y = 0$ ,  $2x + 3 = 0$   
 $\therefore x = -\frac{3}{2}$   
 $\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept is  $-\frac{3}{2}$ .

- v  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{1}{x+1} + 2$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

- vi To transform  $y = f(x)$  into  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , we need to reverse the process in v.  
 We need a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .



$$\text{b i } f(x) = \frac{3}{x-2}$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = \frac{3}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = \frac{3}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = 2$  and horizontal asymptote  $y = 0$ .

- ii As  $x \rightarrow 2^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow 2^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 0^-$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 0^+$ .

- iii When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \frac{3}{-2} = -1\frac{1}{2}$ .  
 $\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is  $-1\frac{1}{2}$ .

When  $y = 0$ ,  $\frac{3}{x-2} = 0$

which is not possible

$\therefore$  no  $x$ -intercept.

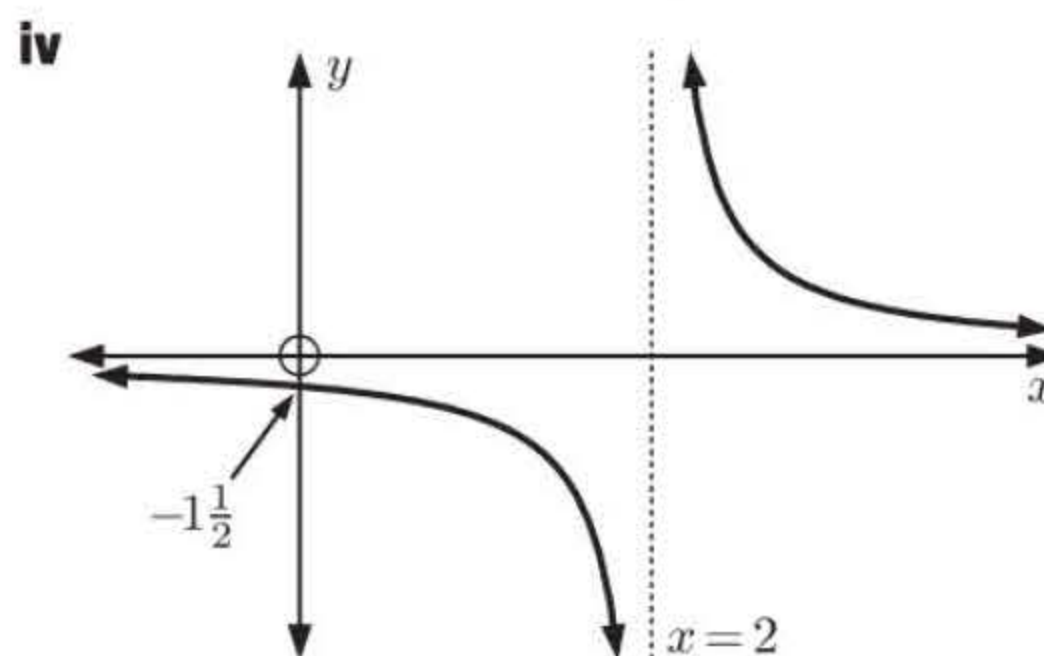
- v  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{3}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 3.

$\frac{3}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{3}{x-2}$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 3, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

- vi To transform  $y = f(x)$  into  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , we need to reverse the process in v.

We need a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , followed by a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{3}$ .





$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{c} \quad \text{i} \quad f(x) &= \frac{2x-1}{3-x} \\
 &= \frac{-2(3-x)+5}{3-x} \\
 &= \frac{5}{3-x} - 2 \\
 &= -\frac{5}{x-3} - 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = -\frac{5}{x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = 3$  and horizontal asymptote  $y = -2$ .

- ii As  $x \rightarrow 3^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow 3^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow -2^+$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow -2^-$ .

iii When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \frac{-5}{-3} - 2 = -\frac{1}{3}$ .

$\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is  $-\frac{1}{3}$ .

When  $y = 0$ ,  $2x - 1 = 0$   
 $\therefore x = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept is  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

v  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{5}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5.

$\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x}$  under a reflection in the  $x$ -axis.

$-\frac{5}{x}$  becomes  $-\frac{5}{x-3} - 2$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 5, followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ .

vi To transform  $y = f(x)$  into  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , we need to reverse the process in v.

We need a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ , followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{5}$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{d} \quad \text{i} \quad f(x) &= \frac{5x-1}{2x+1} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{5}{2}x - \frac{1}{2}}{x + \frac{1}{2}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{5}{2}(x + \frac{1}{2}) - \frac{7}{4}}{x + \frac{1}{2}} \\
 &= -\frac{\frac{7}{4}}{x + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{5}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = -\frac{7}{4x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = -\frac{7}{4x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = -\frac{1}{2}$  and horizontal asymptote  $y = 2\frac{1}{2}$ .

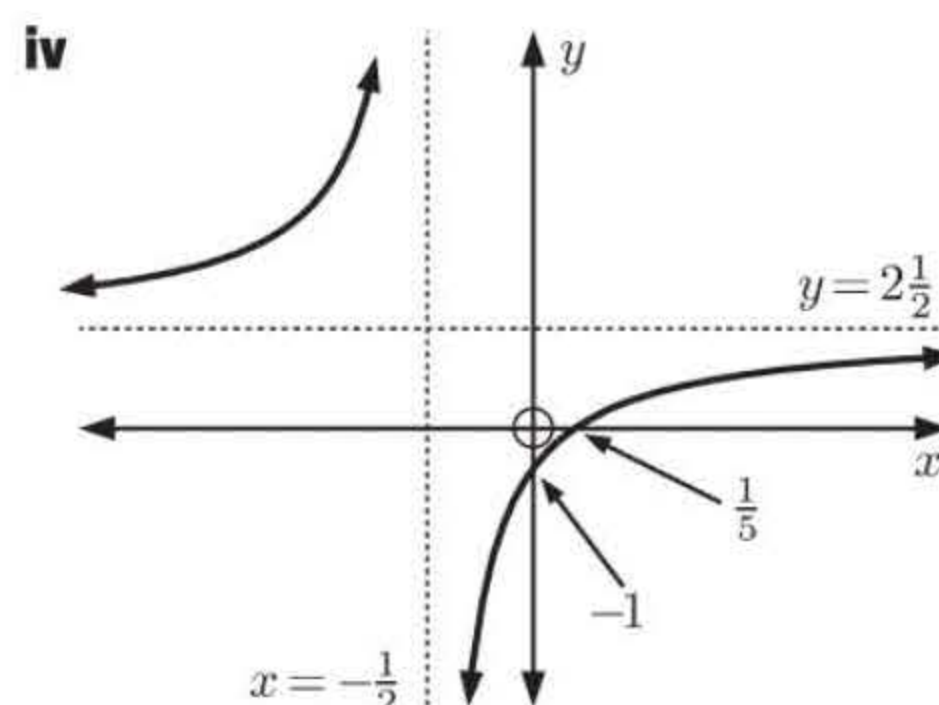
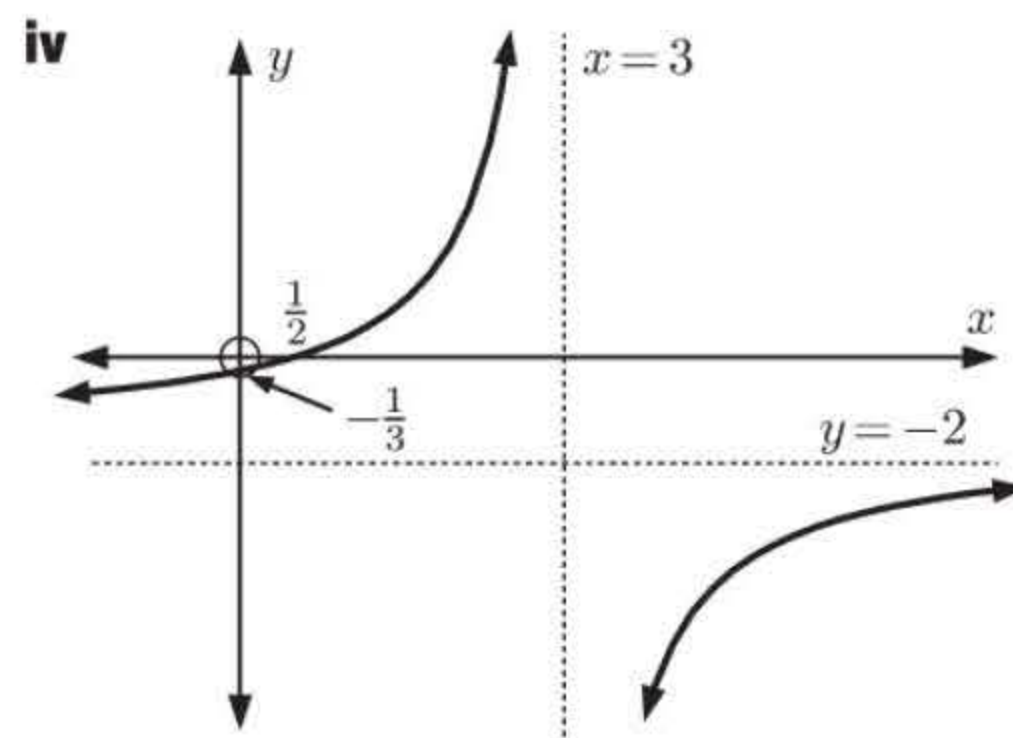
- ii As  $x \rightarrow -\frac{1}{2}^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\frac{1}{2}^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 2\frac{1}{2}^+$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 2\frac{1}{2}^-$ .

iii When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = \frac{-1}{1} = -1$ .

$\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is  $-1$ .

When  $y = 0$ ,  $5x - 1 = 0$   
 $\therefore x = \frac{1}{5}$

$\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept is  $\frac{1}{5}$ .





**v**  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{7}{4x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{7}{4}$ .  
 $\frac{7}{4x}$  becomes  $-\frac{7}{4x}$  under a reflection in the  $x$ -axis.  
 $-\frac{7}{4x}$  becomes  $-\frac{7}{4x + \frac{1}{2}} + \frac{5}{2}$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{7}{4}$ , followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ .

**vi** To transform  $y = f(x)$  into  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , we need to reverse the process in **v**.  
We need a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{5}{2} \end{pmatrix}$ , followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{4}{7}$ .

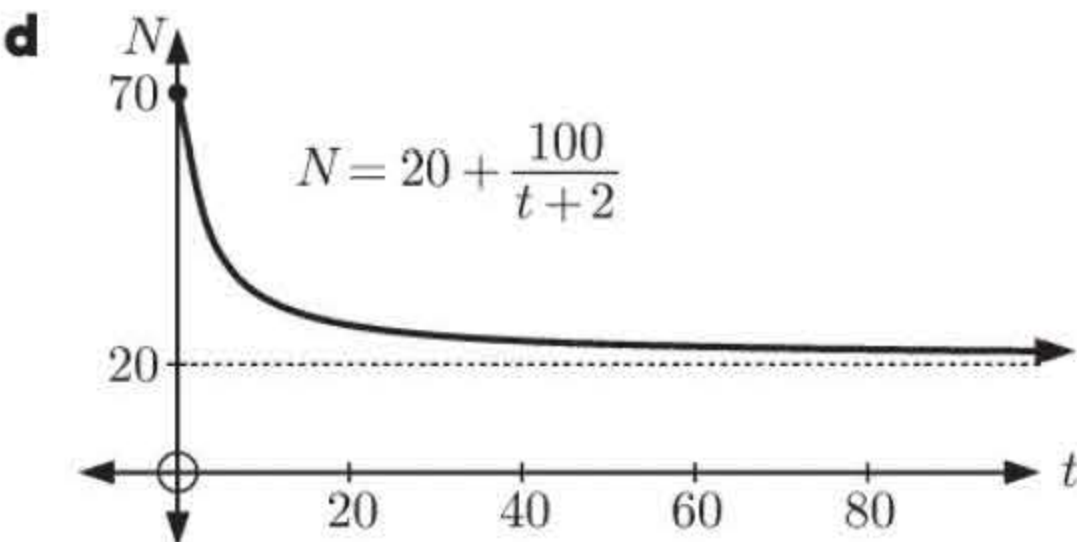
**5**  $N = 20 + \frac{100}{t + 2}$  weeds per hectare

**a** When  $t = 0$ ,  
 $N = 20 + \frac{100}{2}$   
 $= 20 + 50$   
 $= 70$  weeds/ha

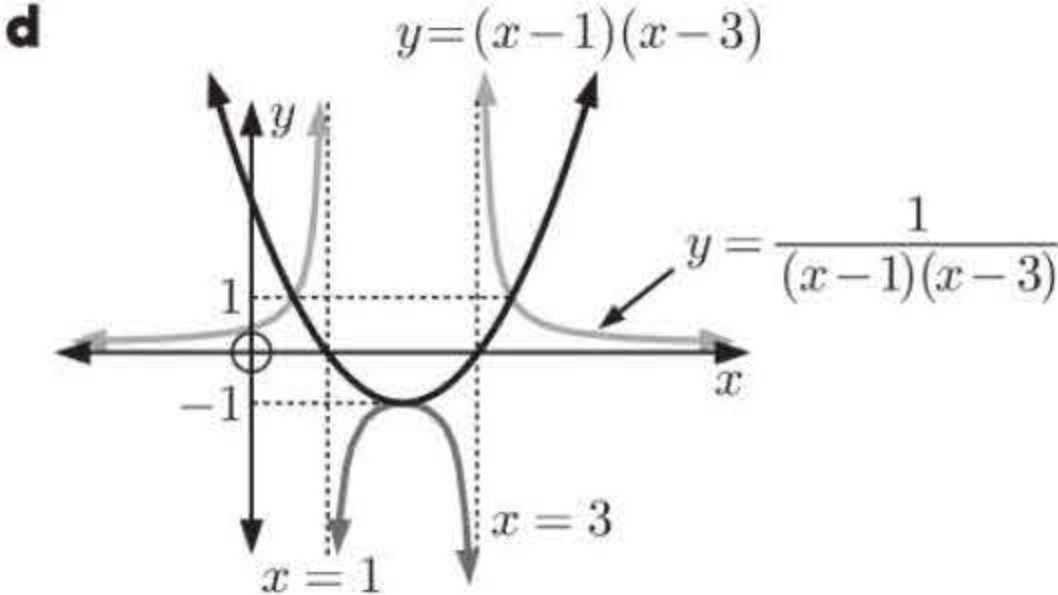
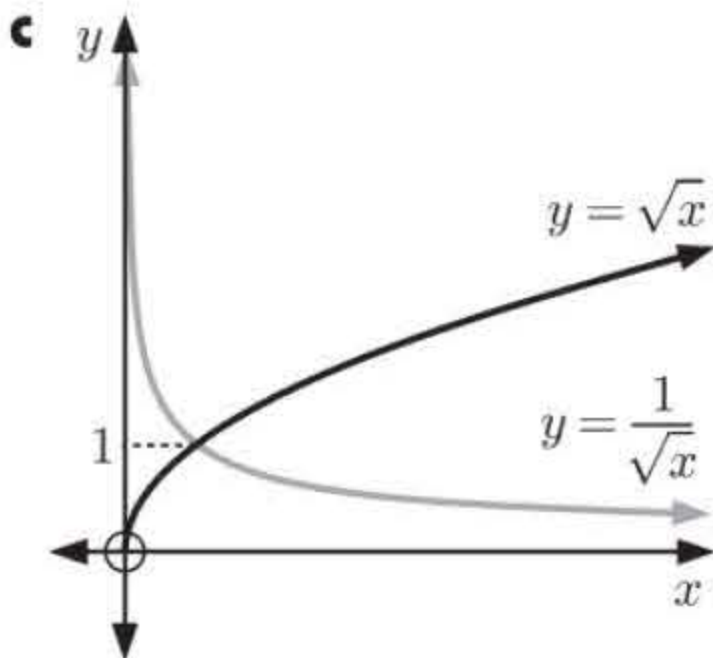
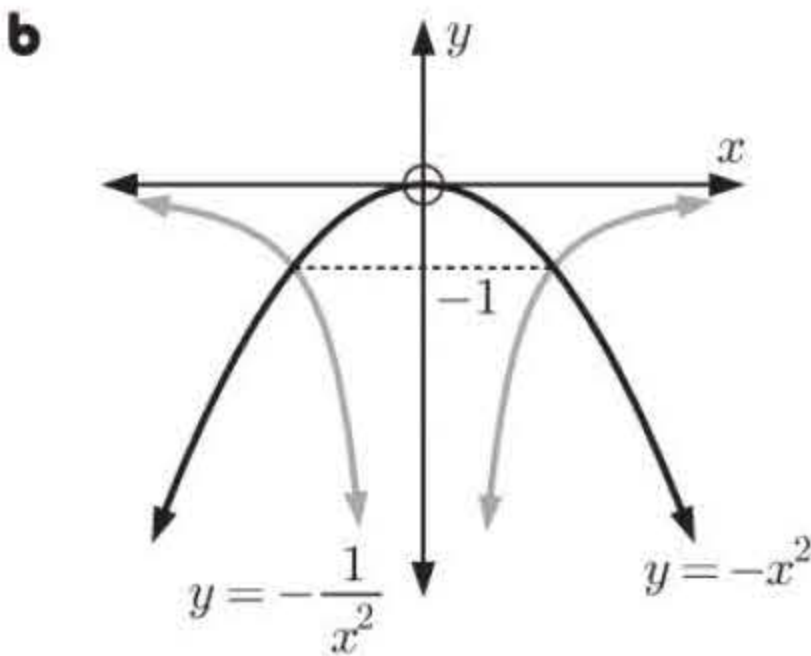
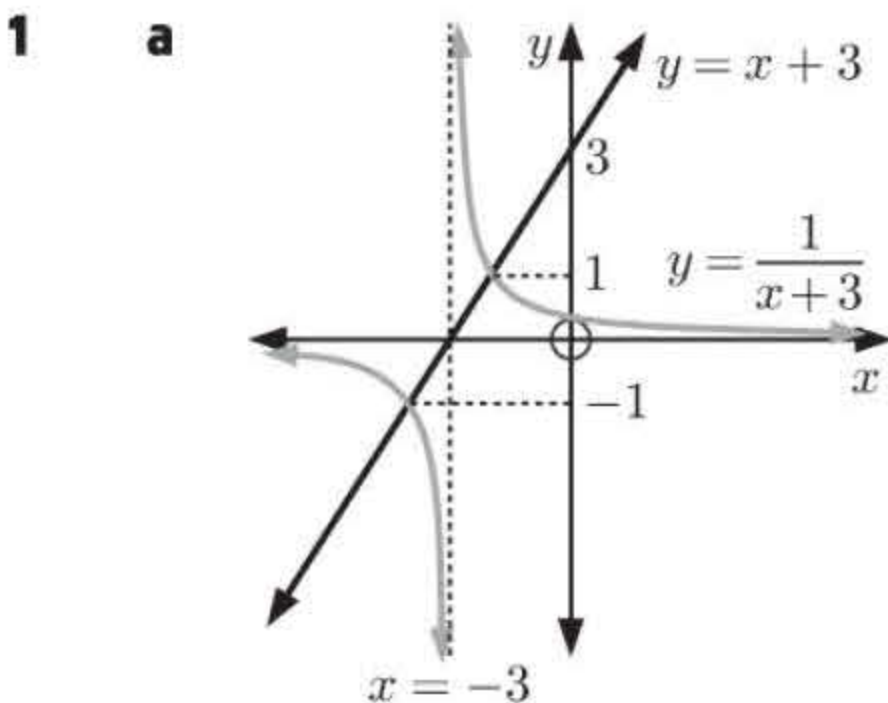
**b** When  $t = 8$ ,  
 $N = 20 + \frac{100}{10}$   
 $= 20 + 10$   
 $= 30$  weeds/ha

**c** When  $N = 40$ ,  
 $20 + \frac{100}{t + 2} = 40$   
 $\therefore \frac{100}{t + 2} = 20$   
 $\therefore t + 2 = 5$   
 $\therefore t = 3$  days

**e** No, the number of weeds per hectare will approach 20 (from above), so at least 20 weeds will remain..



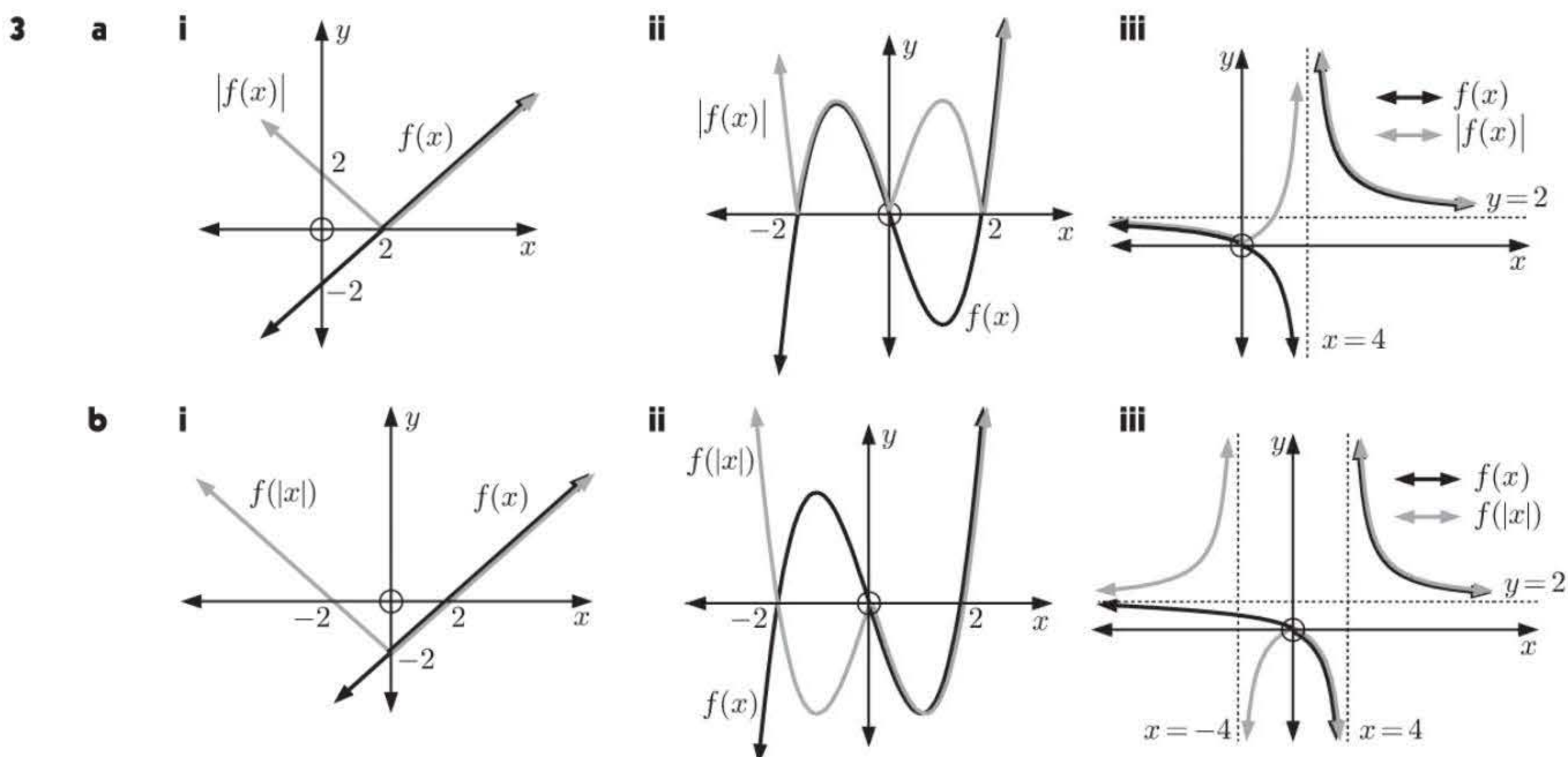
EXERCISE 5G











**4** To transform  $f(x)$  to  $|f(x)|$ , the point  $(a, b)$  on  $f(x)$  is transformed to  $(a, |b|)$ .

**a**  $(3, 0)$  is transformed to  $(3, 0)$

**b**  $(5, -2)$  is transformed to  $(5, 2)$

**c**  $(0, 7)$  is transformed to  $(0, 7)$

**d**  $(2, 2)$  is transformed to  $(2, 2)$

**5 a** For any point  $(a, b)$ ,  $a \geq 0$ , on  $f(x)$ ,  $(a, b)$  is also a point on  $f(|x|)$ , and  $(a, b)$  is also transformed to  $(-a, b)$ .

**i**  $(0, 3)$  is transformed to  $(0, 3)$

**ii**  $(1, 3)$  is transformed to  $(1, 3)$  and  $(-1, 3)$

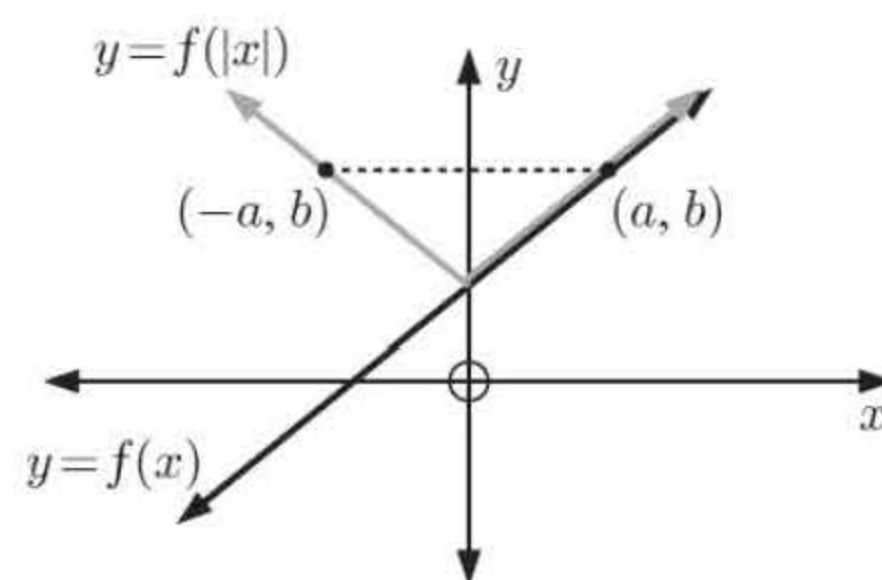
**iii**  $(7, -4)$  is transformed to  $(7, -4)$  and  $(-7, -4)$

**b** The point  $(a, b)$  on  $f(|x|)$  has been transformed by the point  $(|a|, b)$  on  $f(x)$ .

**i**  $(0, 3)$  has been transformed from  $(0, 3)$

**ii**  $(-1, 3)$  has been transformed from  $(1, 3)$

**iii**  $(10, -8)$  has been transformed from  $(10, -8)$



## REVIEW SET 5A

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

**a**  $f(3)$   
 $= 3^2 - 2(3)$   
 $= 9 - 6$   
 $= 3$

**b**  $f(2x)$   
 $= (2x)^2 - 2(2x)$   
 $= 4x^2 - 4x$

**c**  $f(-x)$   
 $= (-x)^2 - 2(-x)$   
 $= x^2 + 2x$

**d**  $3f(x) - 2$   
 $= 3(x^2 - 2x) - 2$   
 $= 3x^2 - 6x - 2$

**2**  $f(x) = 5 - x - x^2$

**a**  $f(-1) = 5 - (-1) - (-1)^2$   
 $= 5 + 1 - 1$   
 $= 5$

**b**  $f(x-1) = 5 - (x-1) - (x-1)^2$   
 $= 5 - x + 1 - [x^2 - 2x + 1]$   
 $= 6 - x - x^2 + 2x - 1$   
 $= -x^2 + x + 5$

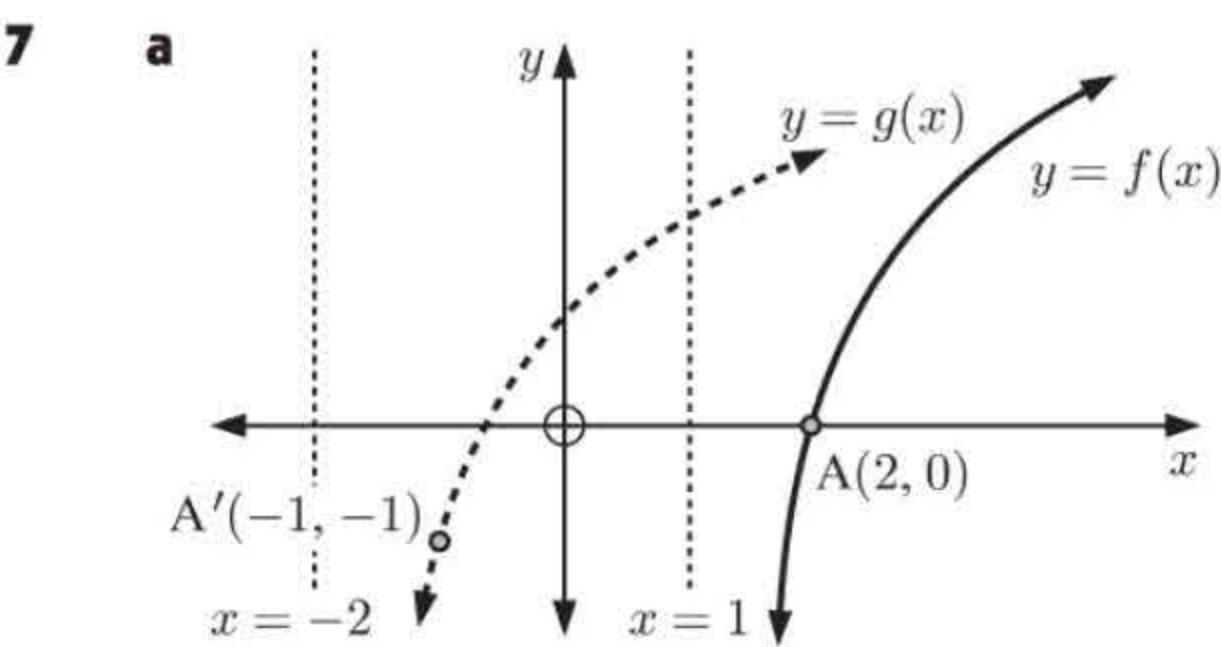
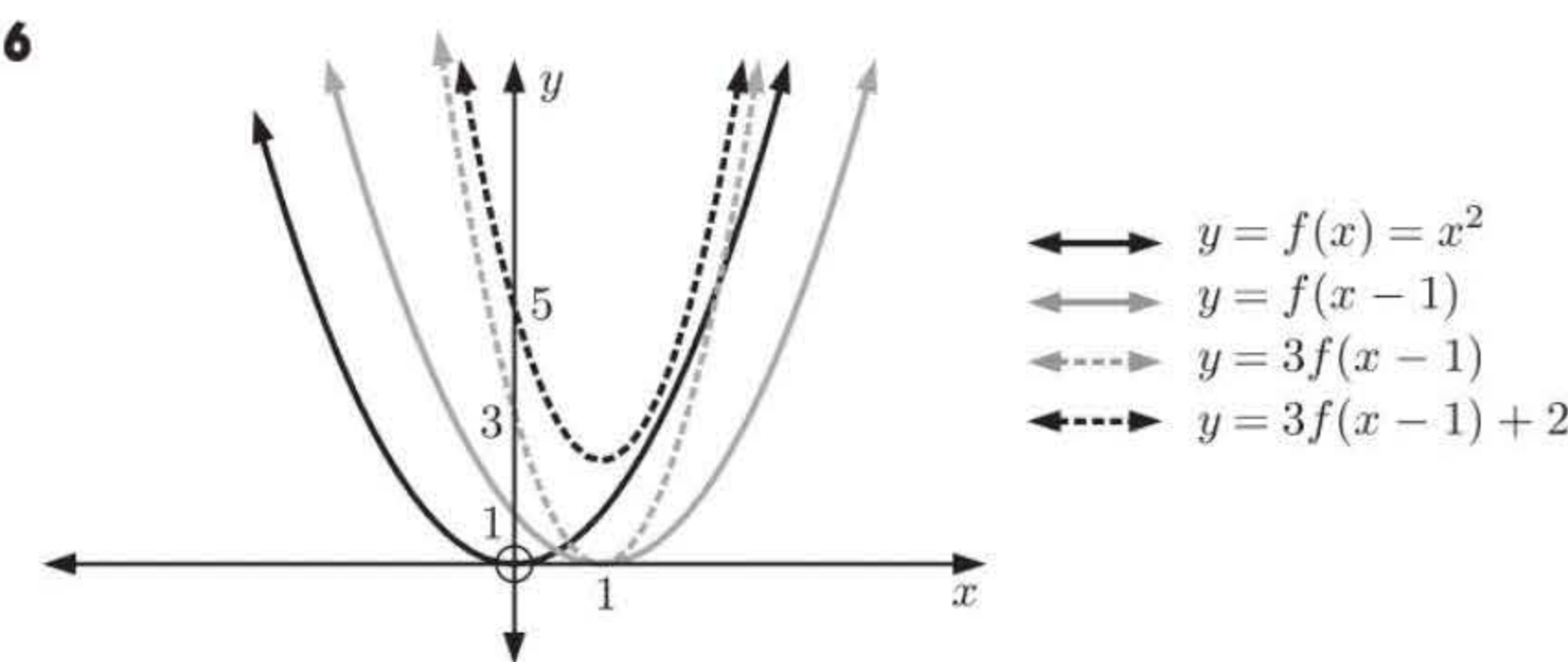
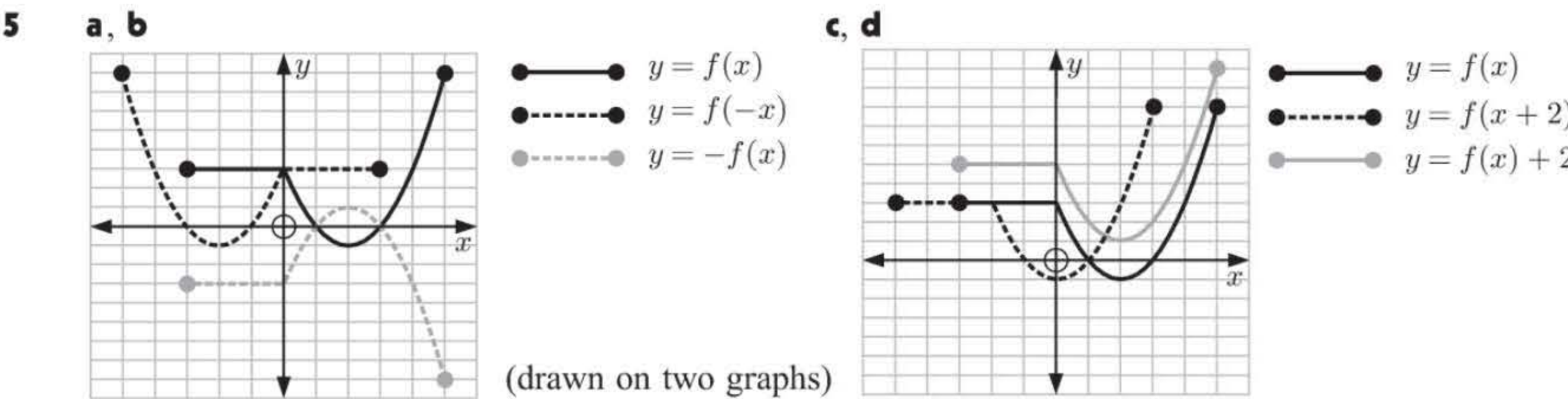
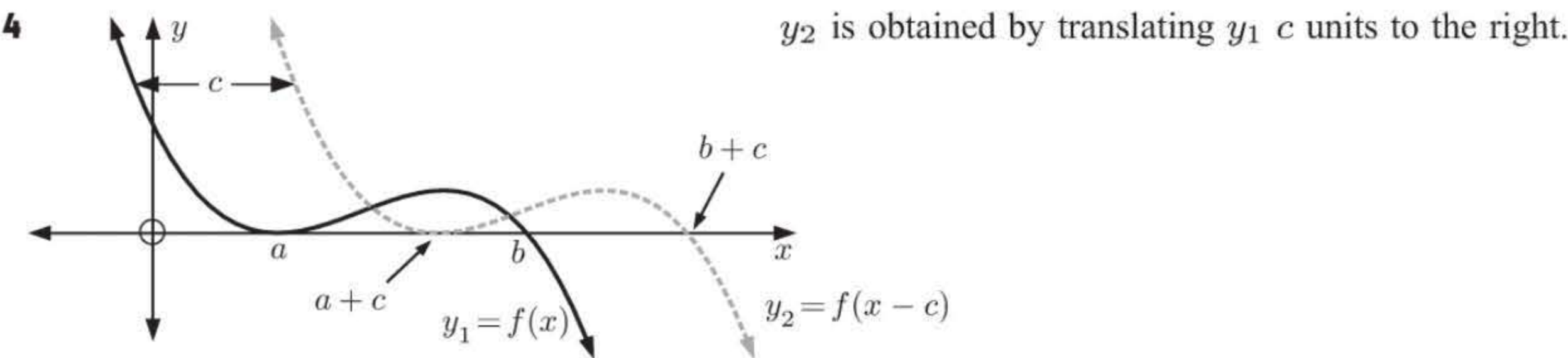
**c**  $f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = 5 - \left(\frac{x}{2}\right) - \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^2$   
 $= 5 - \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{4}x^2$

**d**  $2f(x) - f(-x)$   
 $= 2(5 - x - x^2) - [5 - (-x) - (-x)^2]$   
 $= 10 - 2x - 2x^2 - [5 + x - x^2]$   
 $= 10 - 2x - 2x^2 - 5 - x + x^2$   
 $= -x^2 - 3x + 5$



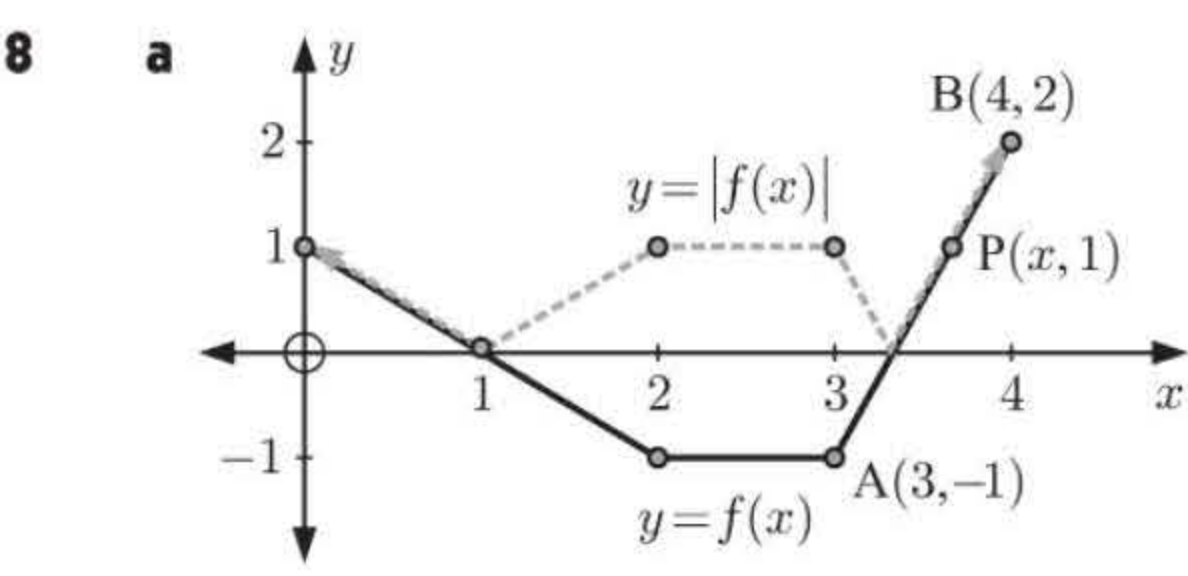
3  $f(x) = 3x^3 - 2x^2 + x + 2$

If  $g(x)$  is  $f(x)$  translated  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ , then 
$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= f(x - 1) - 2 \\ &= 3(x - 1)^3 - 2(x - 1)^2 + (x - 1) + 2 - 2 \\ &= 3(x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 1) - 2(x^2 - 2x + 1) + x - 1 \\ &= 3x^3 - 9x^2 + 9x - 3 - 2x^2 + 4x - 2 + x - 1 \\ &= 3x^3 - 11x^2 + 14x - 6 \end{aligned}$$



**b**  $f(x + 3) - 1$  is a translation of  $f(x)$  by  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .  
 $\therefore$  vertical asymptote is at  $x = 1 - 3 = -2$ .

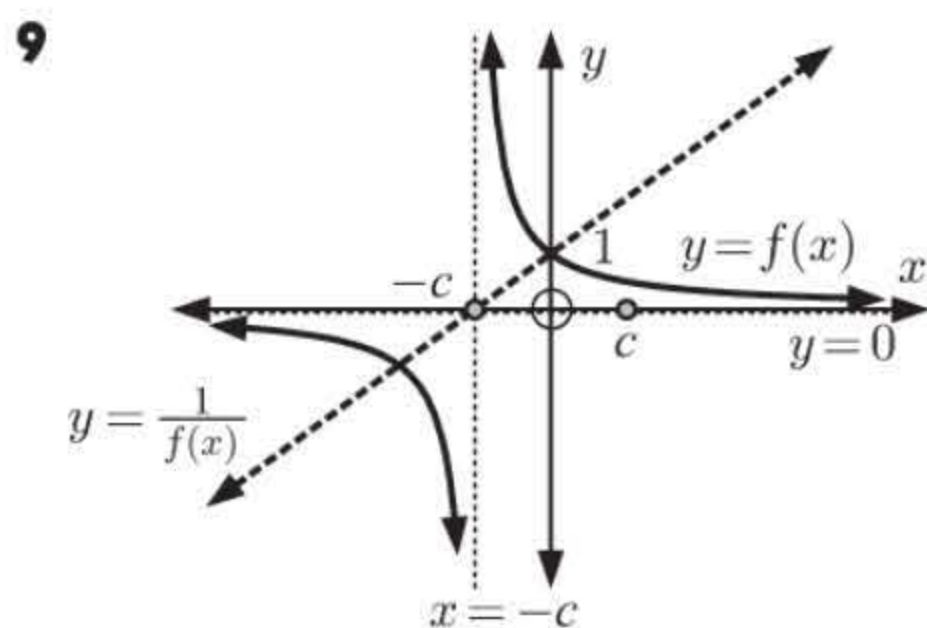
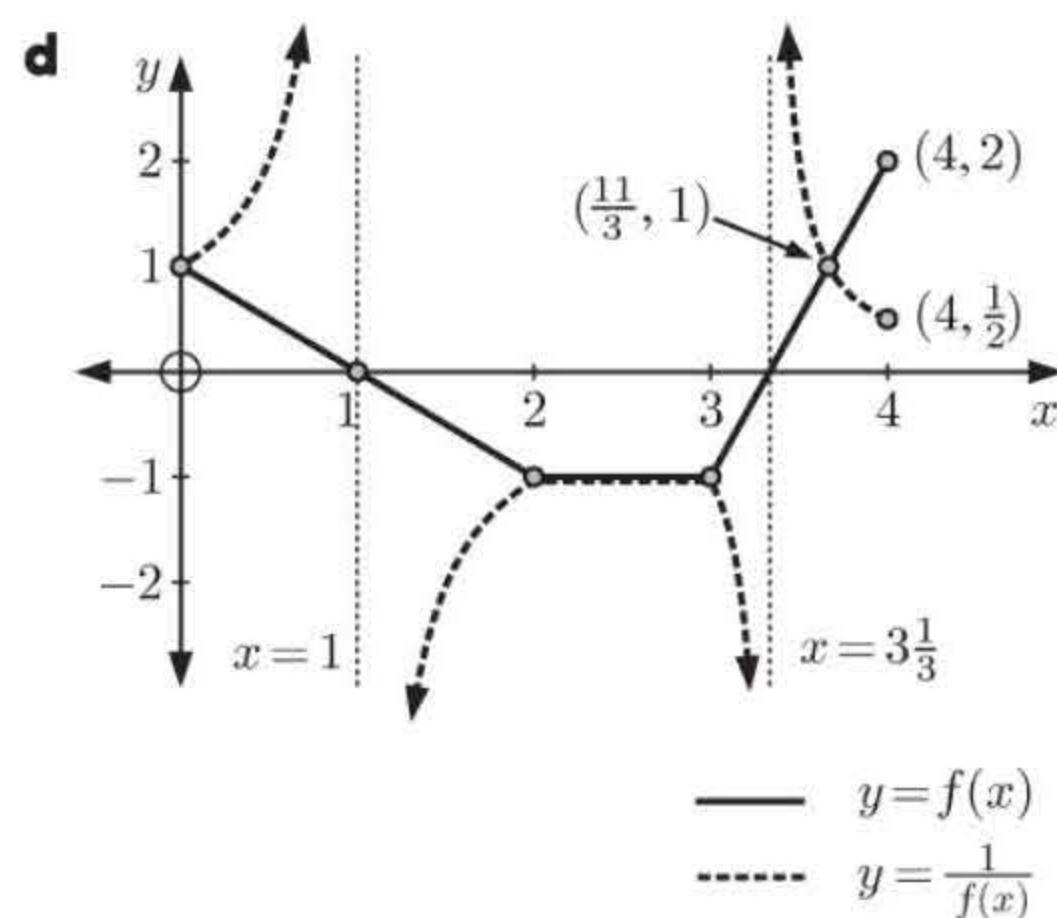
**c**  $A(2, 0)$  translated by  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  gives  $(2 - 3, 0 - 1)$  which is  $A'(-1, -1)$ .



**b** When  $x = 0$ ,  
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{f(x)} &= \frac{1}{f(0)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$
  
 $\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept of  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is 1.

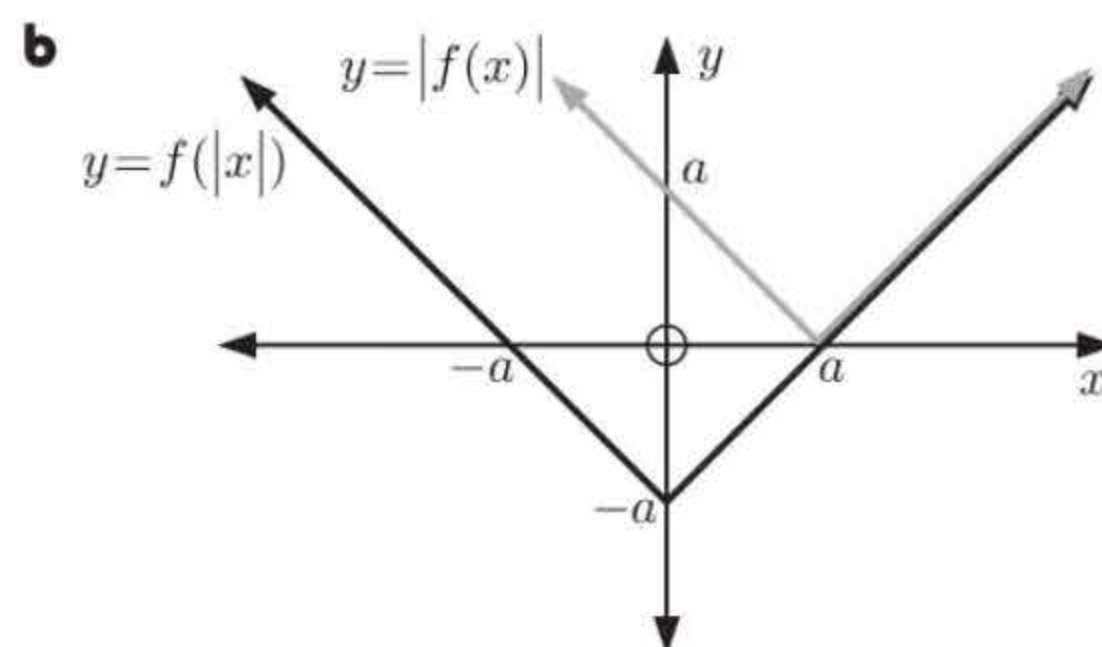


- c** Invariant points for  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  occur  
 when  $f(x) = \pm 1$ .  
 $f(x) = -1$  for all  $x \in [2, 3]$   
 $f(x) = 1$  when  $x = 0$  and at point P.  
 To find the point P where  $f(x) = 1$ ,  
 note that the gradient of  $[AB] = \frac{2 - (-1)}{4 - 3} = 3$ ,  
 so  $\frac{2 - 1}{4 - x} = 3$   
 $\therefore 1 = 12 - 3x$   
 $\therefore 3x = 11$   
 $\therefore x = \frac{11}{3}$   
 $\therefore f(x)$  is invariant for  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  at  $(0, 1)$ ,  $(\frac{11}{3}, 1)$ ,  
 and all the points on  $y = -1$ ,  $x \in [2, 3]$ .



- a**  $f(x) = \frac{c}{x + c}$  has a VA  $x = -c$   $\{f(x)$  is undefined $\}$   
 and a HA  $y = 0$   $\{ \text{as } |x| \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow 0 \}$   
 $f(0) = \frac{c}{0 + c} = 1 \therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is 1  
 There are no  $x$ -intercepts  $\{ \frac{c}{x + c} \neq 0 \text{ for } c > 0 \}$
- b**  $\frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{x + c}{c}$   
 $\frac{1}{f(0)} = \frac{0 + c}{c} = 1 \therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept of  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is 1  
 $\frac{1}{f(x)} = 0$  when  $x + c = 0$  or  $x = -c$   
 $\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept of  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is  $-c$ .

- 10 a**  $f(x) = x - a$ ,  $a > 0$   
 $\therefore |f(x)| = |x - a|$  and  $f(|x|) = |x| - a$



- c** Using the graph in **b**,  $|x - a| = |x| - a$  when  $x \geq a$ .  
 or solving algebraically:  
 For  $x < 0$  and  $a > 0$ ,  $|x - a| = a - x$  and  $|x| = -x$   
 If  $|x - a| = |x| - a$  then  $a - x = -x - a$   
 $\therefore 2a = 0$   
 $\therefore a = 0$  which is not true.

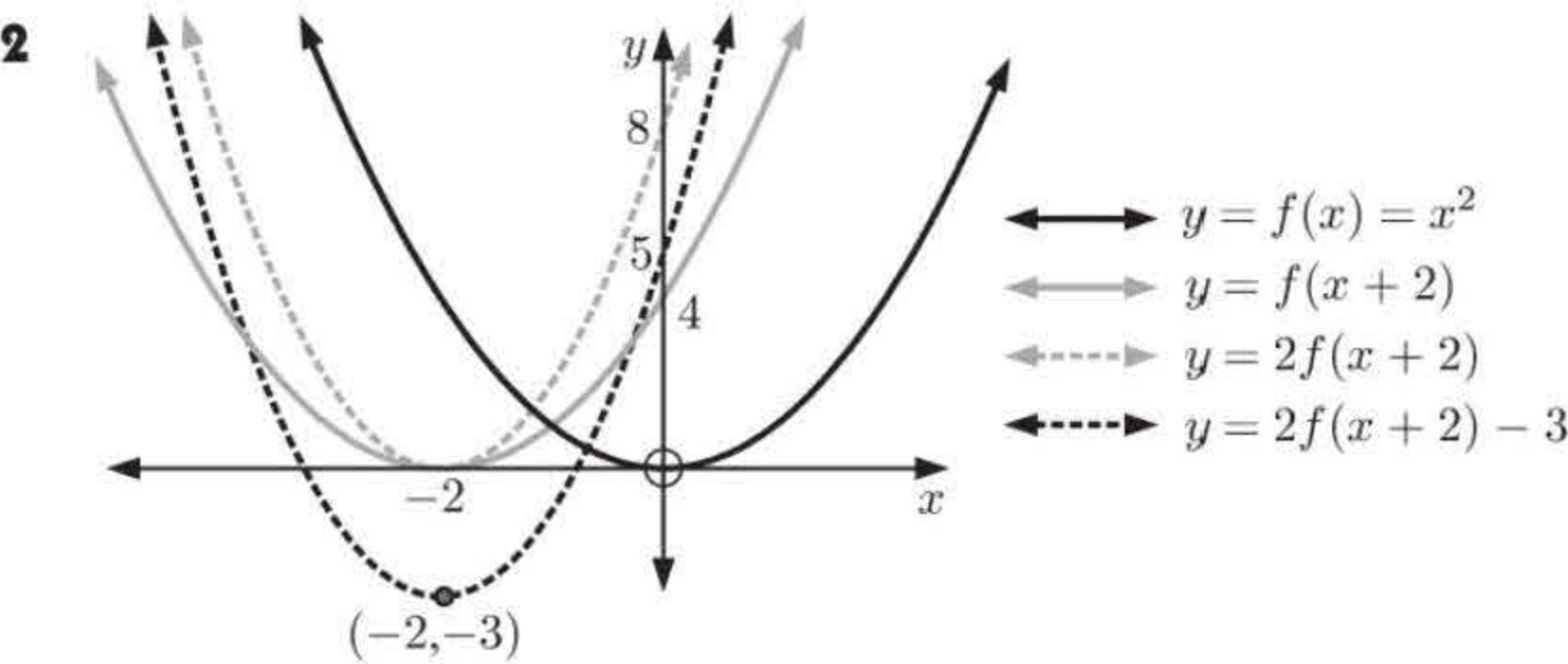
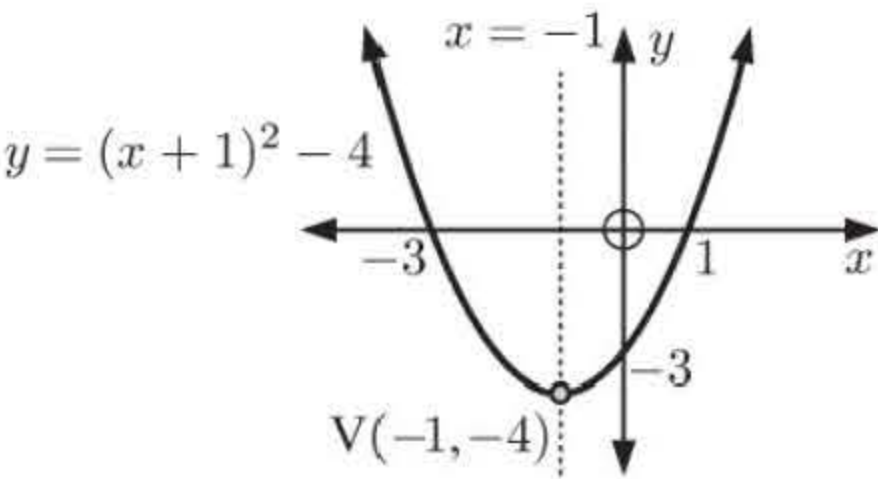


For  $0 \leq x < a$  and  $a > 0$ ,  $|x - a| = a - x$  and  $|x| = x$   
If  $|x - a| = |x| - a$  then  $a - x = x - a$   
 $\therefore 2x = 2a$   
 $\therefore x = a$  which is not true.

For  $x \geq a$  and  $a > 0$ ,  $|x - a| = x - a$  and  $|x| = x$   
If  $|x - a| = |x| - a$  then  $x - a = x - a$  which is true.  
So, for  $a > 0$ ,  $|x - a| = |x| - a$  is true for all  $x \geq a$ .

REVIEW SET 5B

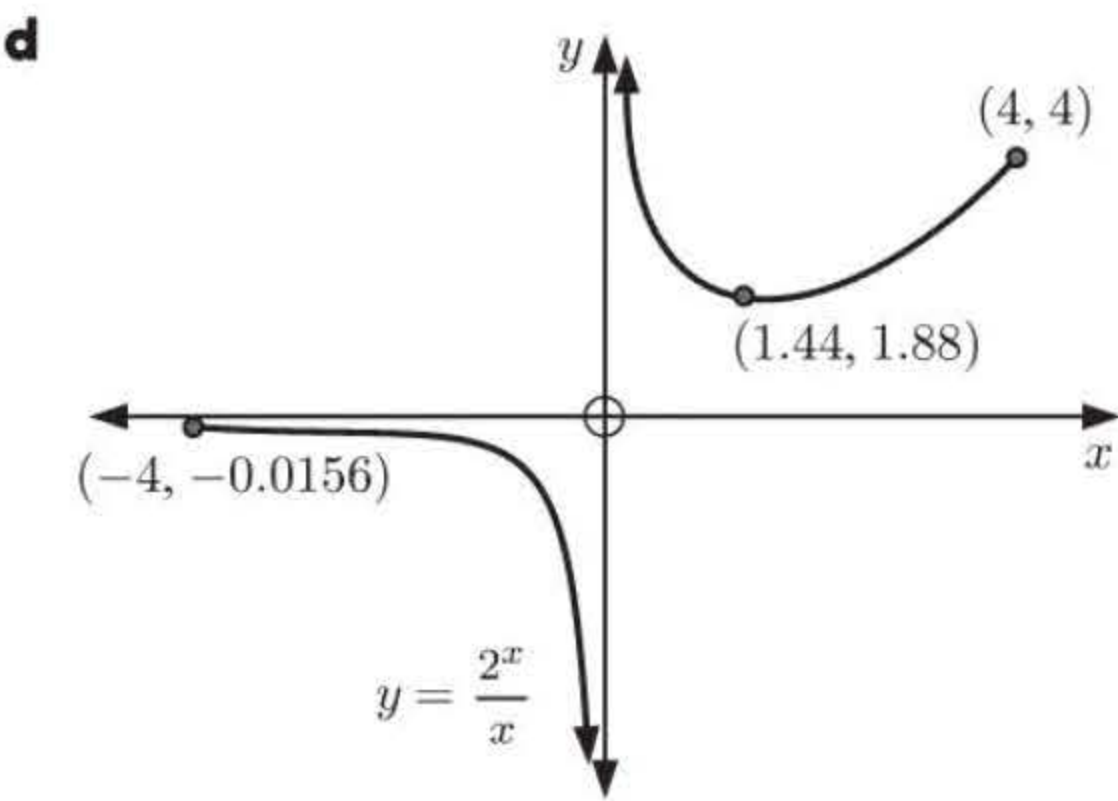
- 1** When  $y = 0$ ,  $(x + 1)^2 - 4 = 0$   
 $\therefore (x + 1)^2 = 4$   
 $\therefore x + 1 = \pm 2$   
 $\therefore x = 2 - 1$  or  $-2 - 1$   
 $\therefore x = 1$  or  $-3$   
 $\therefore$   $x$ -intercepts are  $1, -3$   
 $y = (x + 1)^2 - 4$  is obtained from  $y = x^2$  under a translation of  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -4 \end{pmatrix}$ .  
 $y = x^2$  has its vertex at  $(0, 0)$ , so the vertex of  $y = (x + 1)^2 - 4$  must be  $(-1, -4)$ .  
So, the graph of  $y = f(x)$  is:
- When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 1^2 - 4 = -3$   
 $\therefore$   $y$ -intercept is  $-3$



- 3** **a** The function does not have any axes intercepts.

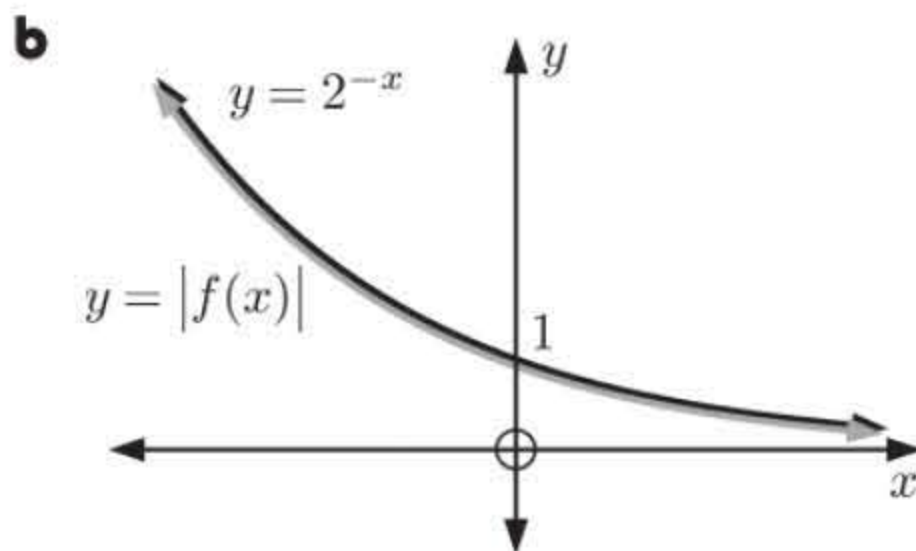
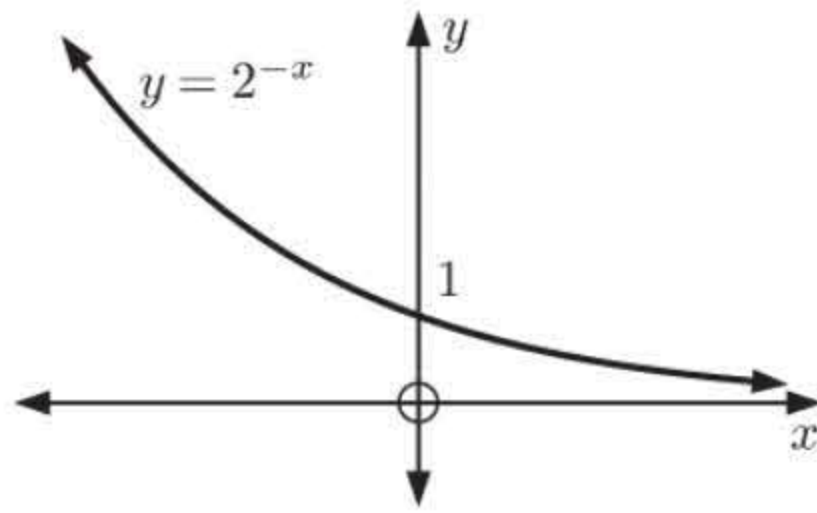
**b** As  $x \rightarrow 0^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$   
As  $x \rightarrow 0^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$   
 $\therefore$  the vertical asymptote is  $x = 0$ .  
As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$   
As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow 0^-$   
 $\therefore$  the horizontal asymptote is  $y = 0$ .

**c** There is a local minimum at  $(1.44, 1.88)$ .





- 4 a Graph  $y = f(x)$  using a graphics calculator:



- i  $x \rightarrow \infty$  means  $x$  is very large and positive.  
We see the graph approaching the  $x$ -axis.  
 $\therefore y \rightarrow 0 \therefore$  **true.**
- ii  $x \rightarrow -\infty$  means  $x$  is very large and negative.  
We see the graph heading for  $\infty$ .  $\therefore$  **false.**
- iii When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 2^0 = 1 \neq \frac{1}{2} \therefore$  **false.**
- iv The graph is above the  $x$ -axis for all  $x$ .  
 $\therefore 2^{-x} > 0$  for all  $x \therefore$  **true.**

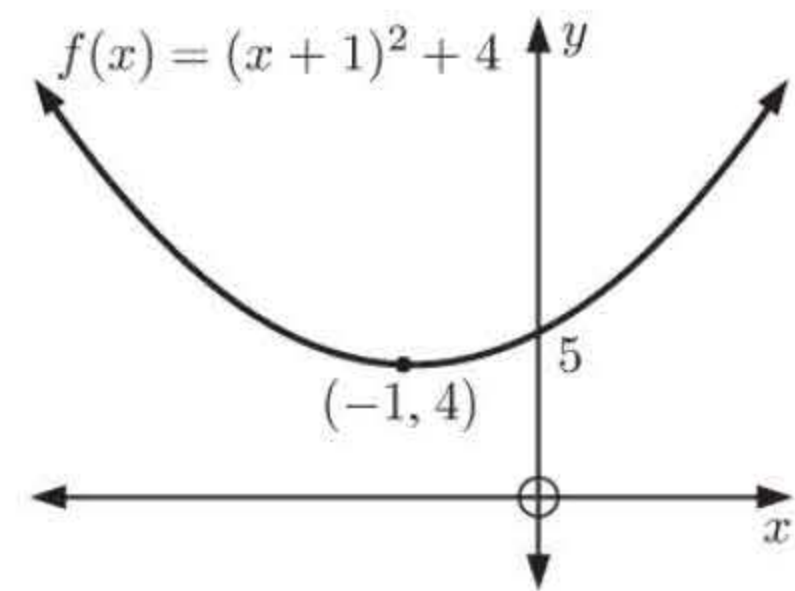
- c  $y = |f(x)|$  has horizontal asymptote  $y = 0$ .

- 5 a  $f(x) = (x+1)^2 + 4$  is translated by  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$  to get  $g(x)$ .

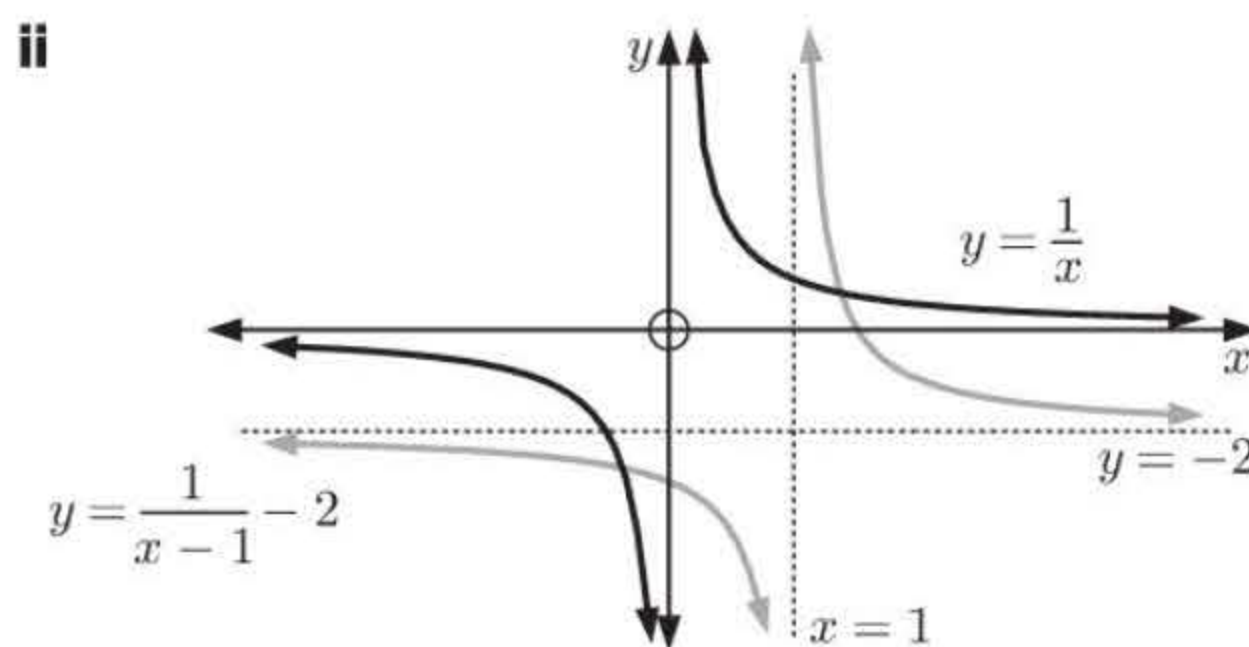
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore g(x) &= f(x-2) + 4 \\ &= [(x-2)+1]^2 + 4 + 4 \\ &= (x-1)^2 + 8 \end{aligned}$$

- c  $g(x)$  is  $f(x)$  translated by  $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$ , so the minimum value of  $g(x)$  is  $4 + 4 = 8$ .  
 $\therefore$  the range of  $g(x)$  is  $\{y \mid y \geq 8\}$ .

- b We graph the function using technology, and from this we can see that the range is  $\{y \mid y \geq 4\}$ .



- 6 a i Under translation  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $y = \frac{1}{x-1} - 2$



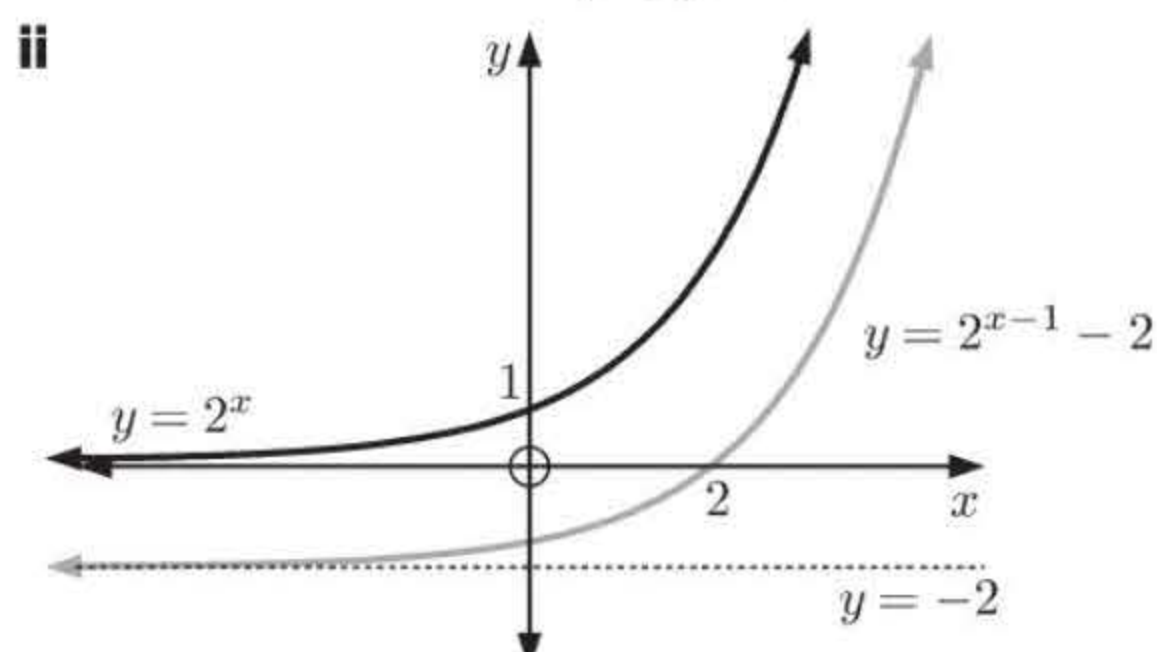
For  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , V.A. is  $x = 0$ ,  
H.A. is  $y = 0$ .

For  $y = \frac{1}{x-1} - 2$ , V.A. is  $x = 1$ ,  
H.A. is  $y = -2$ .

- iii For  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , domain is  $\{x \mid x \neq 0\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y \neq 0\}$ .

For  $y = \frac{1}{x-1} - 2$ , domain is  $\{x \mid x \neq 1\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y \neq -2\}$ .

- b i Under translation  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,  $y = 2^x$  becomes  $y = 2^{x-1} - 2$



For  $y = 2^x$ , H.A. is  $y = 0$ ,  
no V.A.

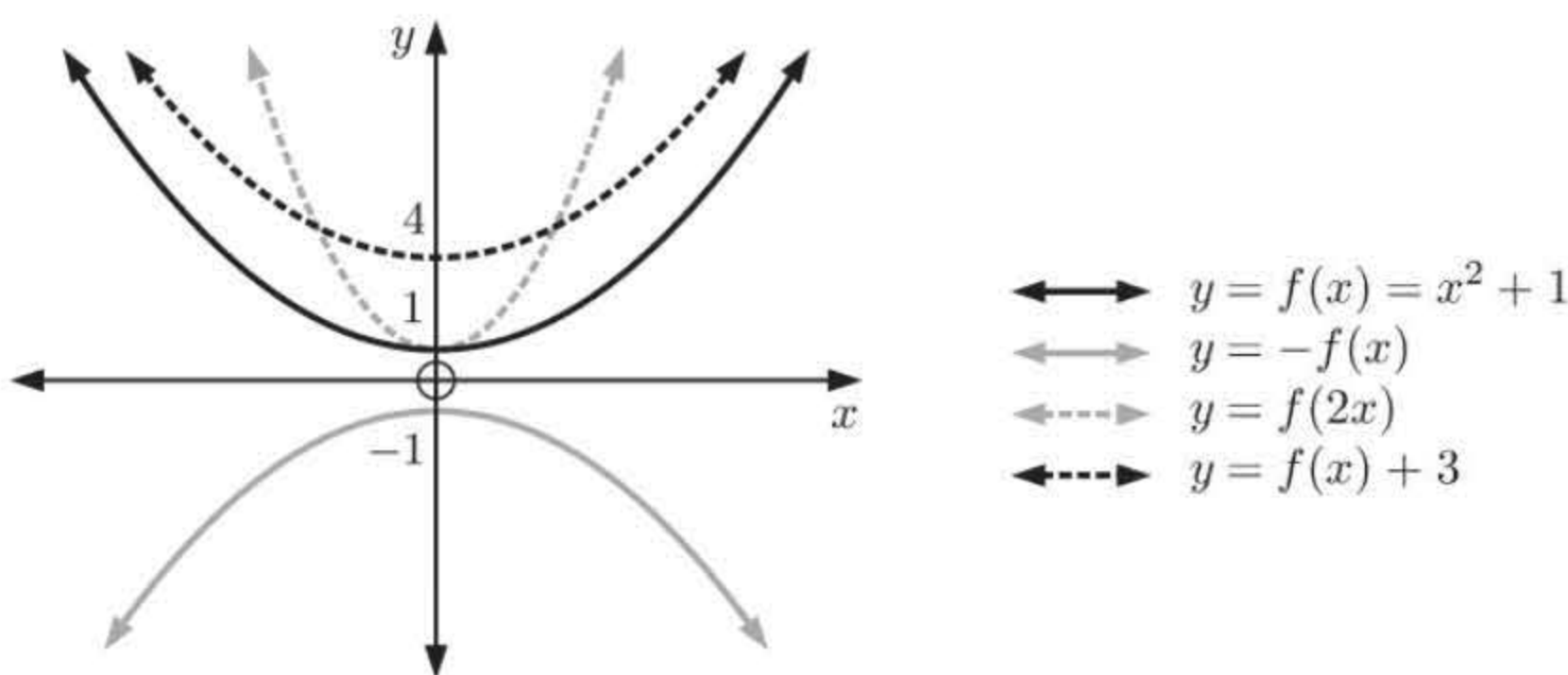
For  $y = 2^{x-1} - 2$ , H.A. is  $y = -2$ ,  
no V.A.



- iii

For  $y = 2^x$ , domain is  $\{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y > 0\}$ .
- For  $y = 2^{x-1} - 2$ , domain is  $\{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y > -2\}$ .

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- a

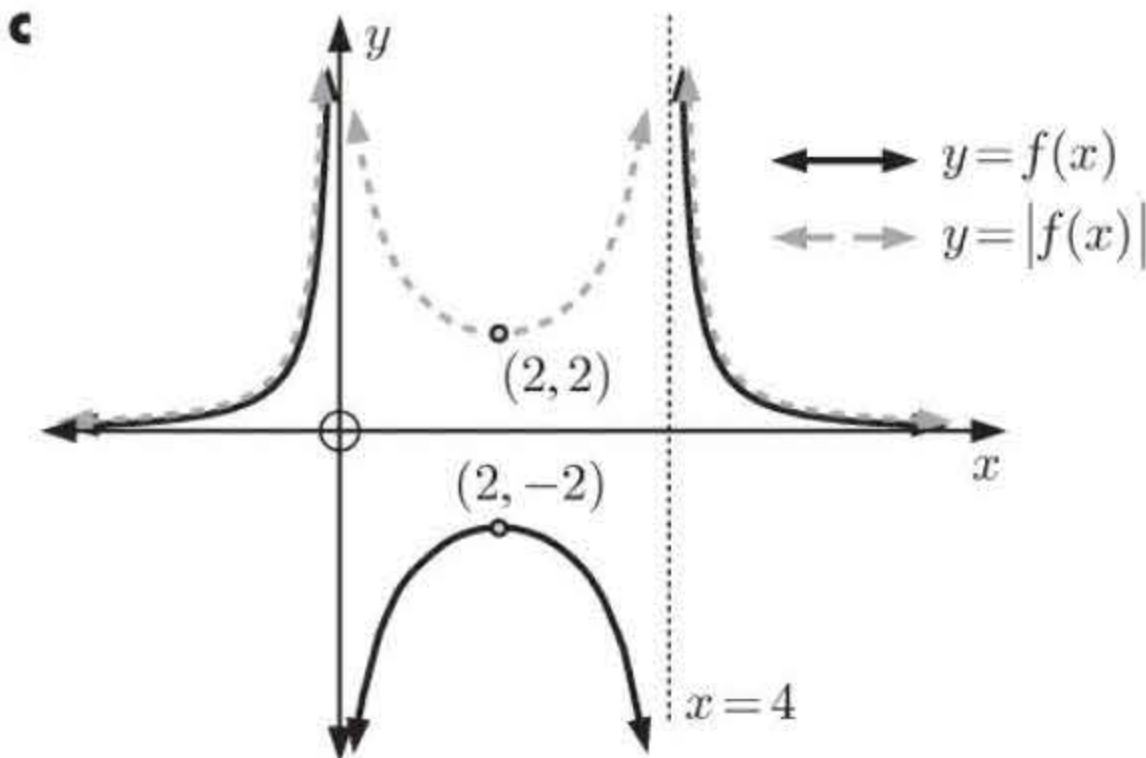
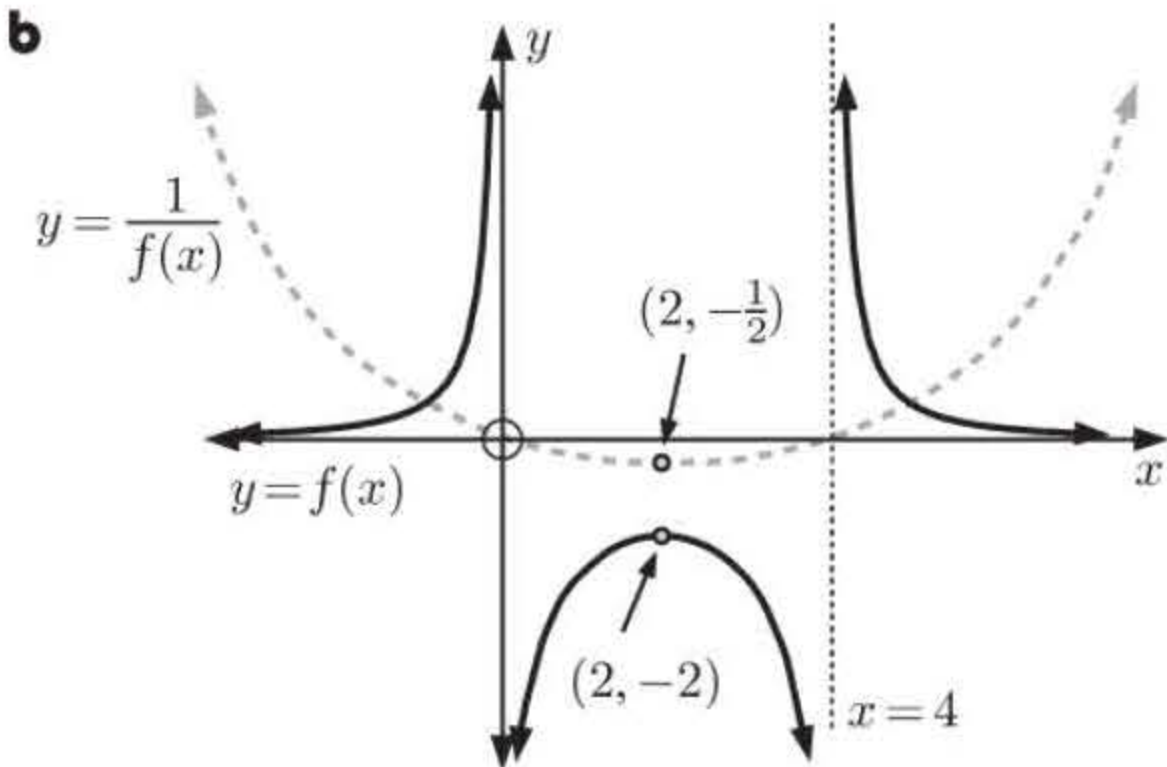
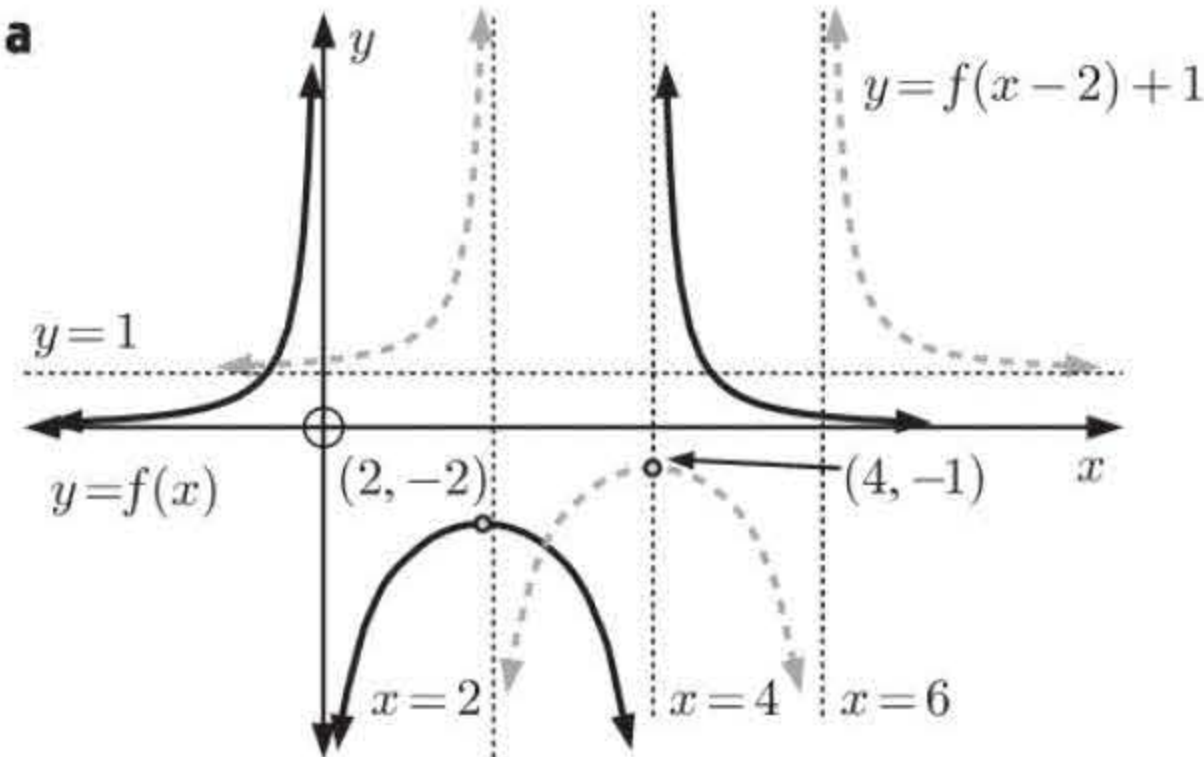
$f(x) = x + 2$   
stretching  $f(x)$  vertically with scale factor 2 becomes  $2f(x) = 2x + 4$   
stretching the function horizontally with scale factor  $\frac{1}{2}$  becomes  $2f(2x) = 2(2x) + 4 = 4x + 4$   
translating  $\frac{1}{2}$  horizontally and  $-3$  vertically, the function becomes  $4(x - \frac{1}{2}) + 4 - 3 = 4x - 2 + 1$   
 $\therefore F(x) = 4x - 1$
- b

$(1, 3) \rightarrow (1, 6) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, 6) \rightarrow (1, 6) \rightarrow (1, 3)$   
 $\therefore (1, 3)$  is an invariant point under the transformation.
- c

$(0, 2) \rightarrow (0, 4) \rightarrow (0, 4) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, 4) \rightarrow (\frac{1}{2}, 1) \therefore (0, 2)$  transforms to  $(\frac{1}{2}, 1)$ .  
 $(-1, 1) \rightarrow (-1, 2) \rightarrow (-\frac{1}{2}, 2) \rightarrow (0, 2) \rightarrow (0, -1) \therefore (-1, 1)$  transforms to  $(0, -1)$ .
- d

When  $x = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $F(x) = 4(\frac{1}{2}) - 1 = 1 \therefore (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  lies on  $F(x)$ .  
When  $x = 0$ ,  $F(x) = 4(0) - 1 = -1 \therefore (0, -1)$  lies on  $F(x)$ .

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$$\begin{aligned}
 10 \quad a \quad f(x) &= \frac{2x-3}{3x+5} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{2}{3}x-1}{x+\frac{5}{3}} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{2}{3}(x+\frac{5}{3})-\frac{19}{9}}{x+\frac{5}{3}} \\
 &= -\frac{\frac{19}{9}}{x+\frac{5}{3}} + \frac{2}{3}
 \end{aligned}$$

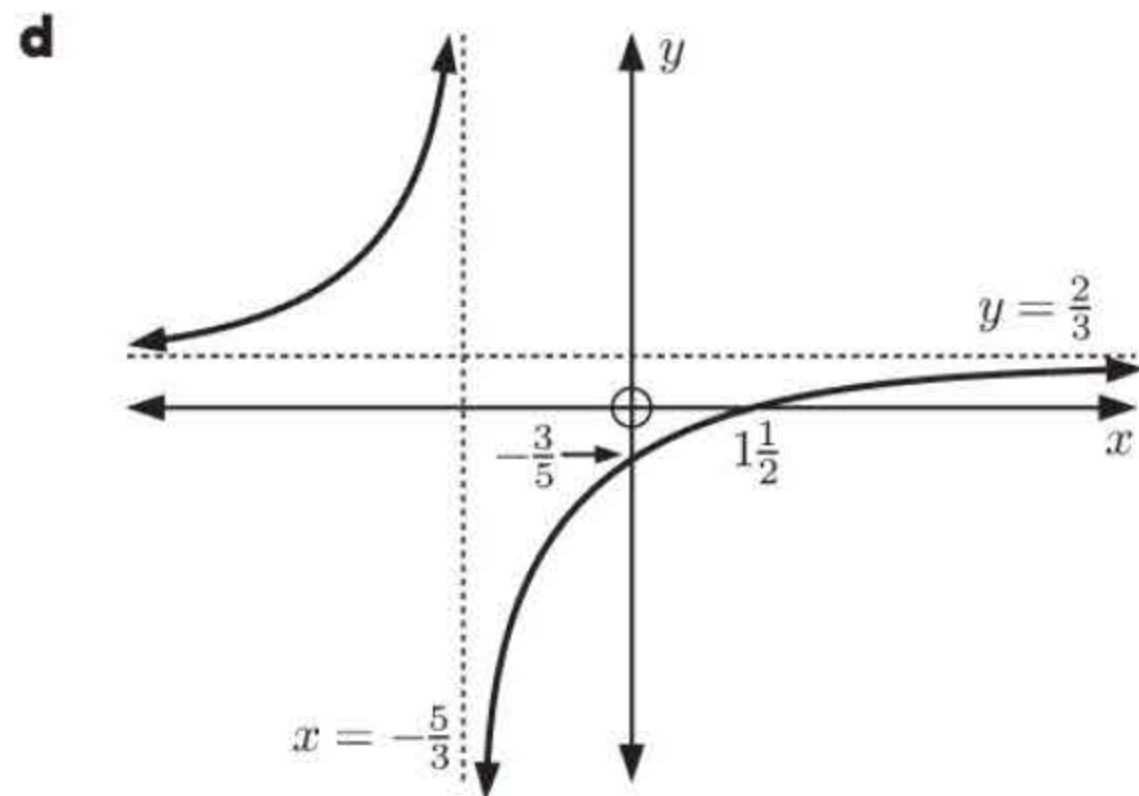
$y = f(x)$  is a translation of  $y = -\frac{19}{9x}$  through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{5}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$ .

Now  $y = -\frac{19}{9x}$  has asymptotes  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

$\therefore y = f(x)$  has vertical asymptote  $x = -\frac{5}{3}$  and horizontal asymptote  $y = \frac{2}{3}$ .

- b** As  $x \rightarrow -\frac{5}{3}^-$ ,  $y \rightarrow \infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\frac{5}{3}^+$ ,  $y \rightarrow -\infty$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^+$ .  
 As  $x \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $y \rightarrow \frac{2}{3}^-$ .

- c** When  $x = 0$ ,  $y = -\frac{3}{5}$ .  
 $\therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept is  $-\frac{3}{5}$ .  
 When  $y = 0$ ,  $2x - 3 = 0$   
 $\therefore x = \frac{3}{2}$ .  
 $\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept is  $\frac{3}{2}$ .



- e**  $\frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{19}{9x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{19}{9}$ .

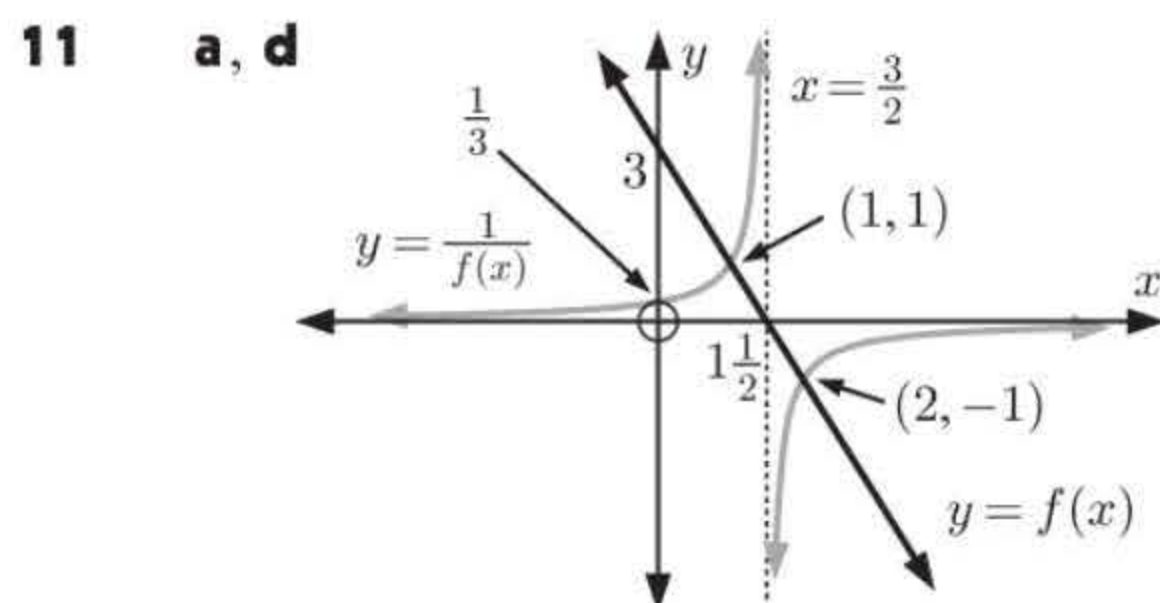
$\frac{19}{9x}$  becomes  $-\frac{19}{9x}$  under a reflection in the  $x$ -axis.

$-\frac{19}{9x}$  becomes  $-\frac{19}{9(x+\frac{5}{3})} + \frac{2}{3}$  under a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{5}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$ .

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  is transformed to  $y = f(x)$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{19}{9}$ , followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} -\frac{5}{3} \\ \frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$ .

- f** To transform  $y = f(x)$  into  $y = \frac{1}{x}$ , we need to reverse the process in **v**.

We need a translation through  $\begin{pmatrix} \frac{5}{3} \\ -\frac{2}{3} \end{pmatrix}$ , followed by a reflection in the  $x$ -axis, followed by a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{9}{19}$ .



$f(0) = -2(0) + 3 = 3 \therefore$  the  $y$ -intercept of  $f(x)$  is 3

$f(x) = 0$  when  $-2x + 3 = 0$

$$\therefore x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$\therefore$  the  $x$ -intercept of  $f(x)$  is  $\frac{3}{2}$ .

- b** The invariant points for  $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$  occur when  $f(x) = \pm 1$

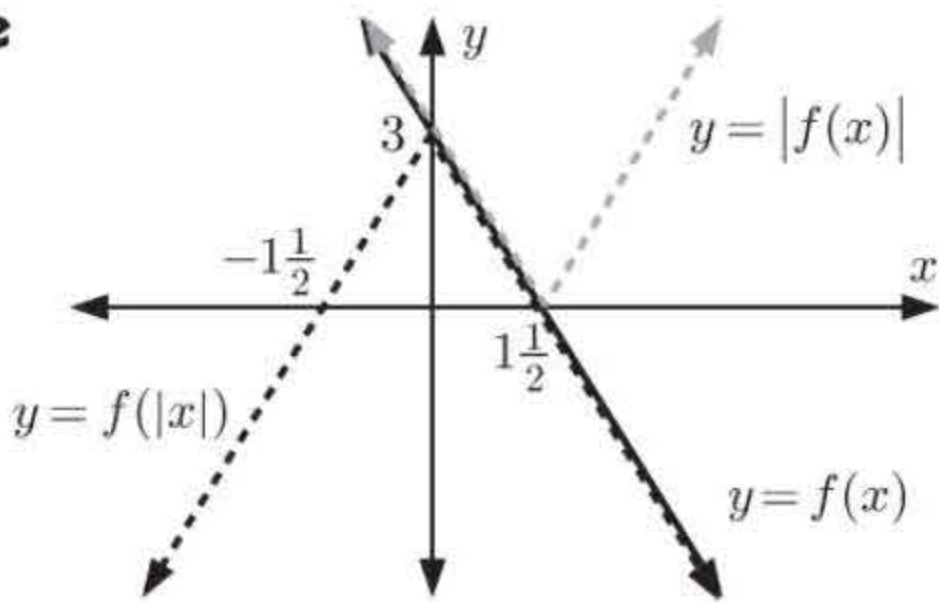
$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) = 1 \quad \text{when} \quad -2x + 3 &= 1 \\
 \therefore 2x &= 2 \\
 \therefore x &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) = -1 \quad \text{when} \quad -2x + 3 &= -1 \\
 \therefore 2x &= 4 \\
 \therefore x &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  the invariant points are  $(1, 1)$  and  $(2, -1)$ .



- c**  $\frac{1}{f(x)}$  is undefined when  $f(x) = 0$   
 $\therefore$  the vertical asymptote of  $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$  is  $x = \frac{3}{2}$   
The  $y$ -intercept of  $y = \frac{1}{f(x)}$  is  $\frac{1}{f(0)} = \frac{1}{3}$



REVIEW SET 5C

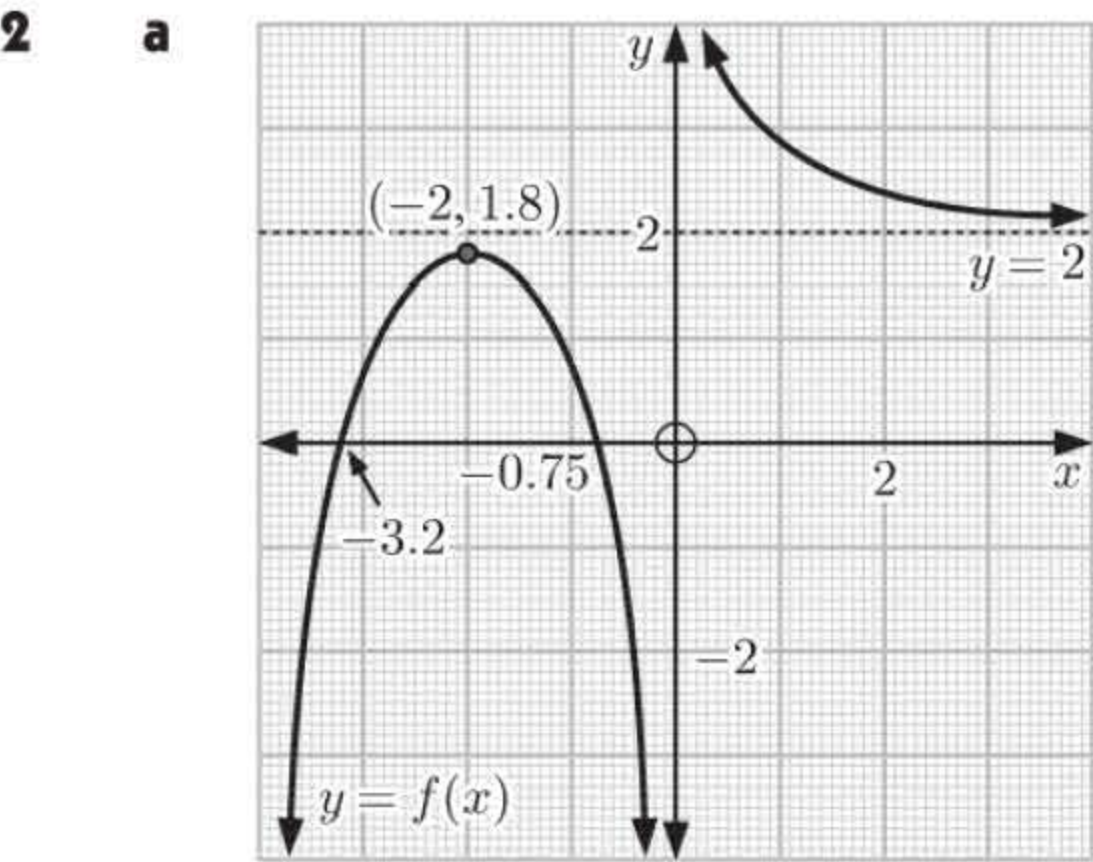
**1**  $f(x) = \frac{4}{x}$

**a**  $f(-4)$   
 $= \frac{4}{-4}$   
 $= -1$

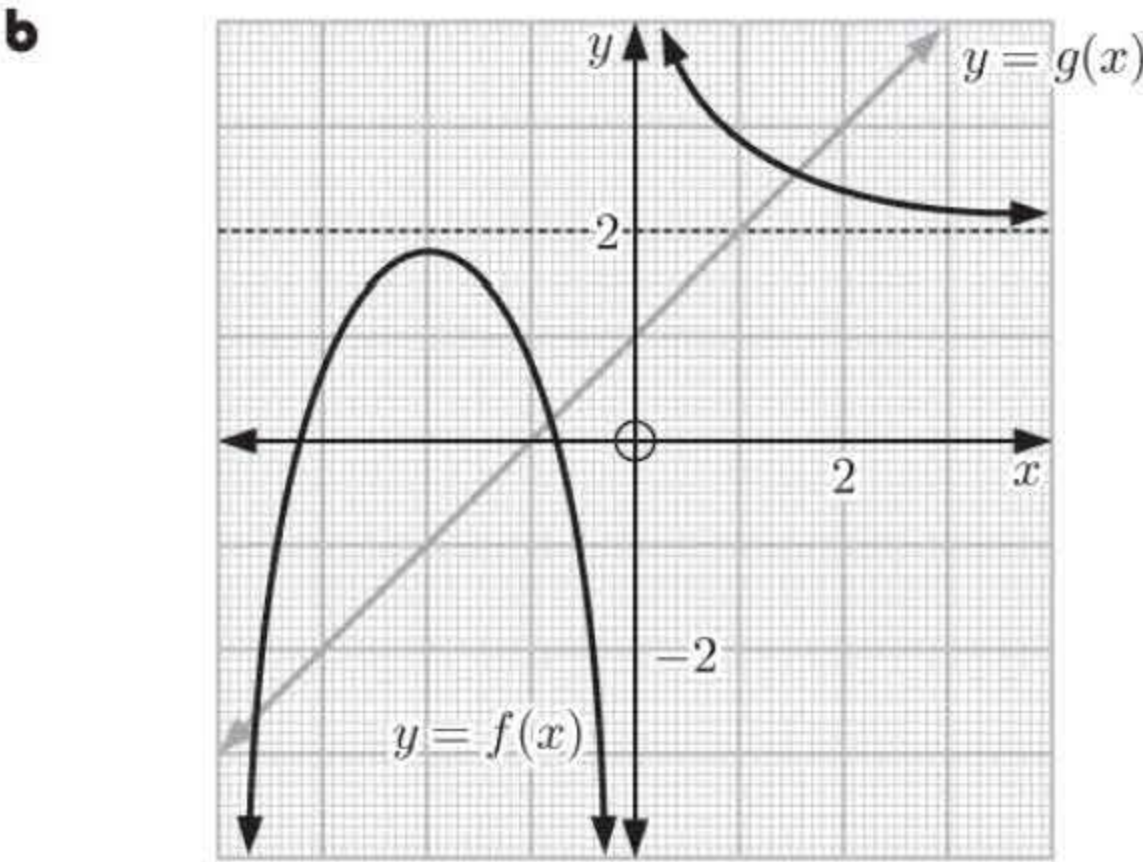
**b**  $f(2x)$   
 $= \frac{4}{2x}$   
 $= \frac{2}{x}$

**c**  $f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$   
 $= \frac{4}{\frac{x}{2}}$   
 $= 4 \times \frac{2}{x}$   
 $= \frac{8}{x}$

**d**  $4f(x+2) - 3$   
 $= 4\left(\frac{4}{x+2}\right) - 3$   
 $= \frac{16}{x+2} - 3$   
 $= \frac{16 - 3(x+2)}{x+2} = \frac{10 - 3x}{x+2}$

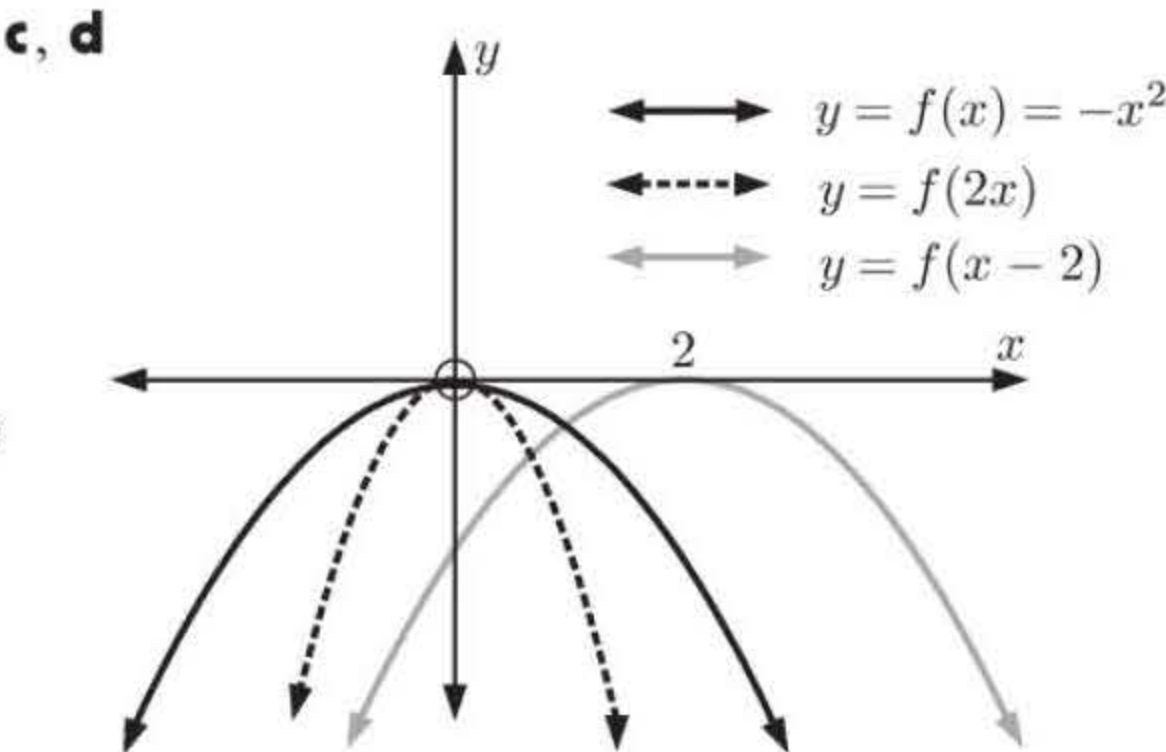
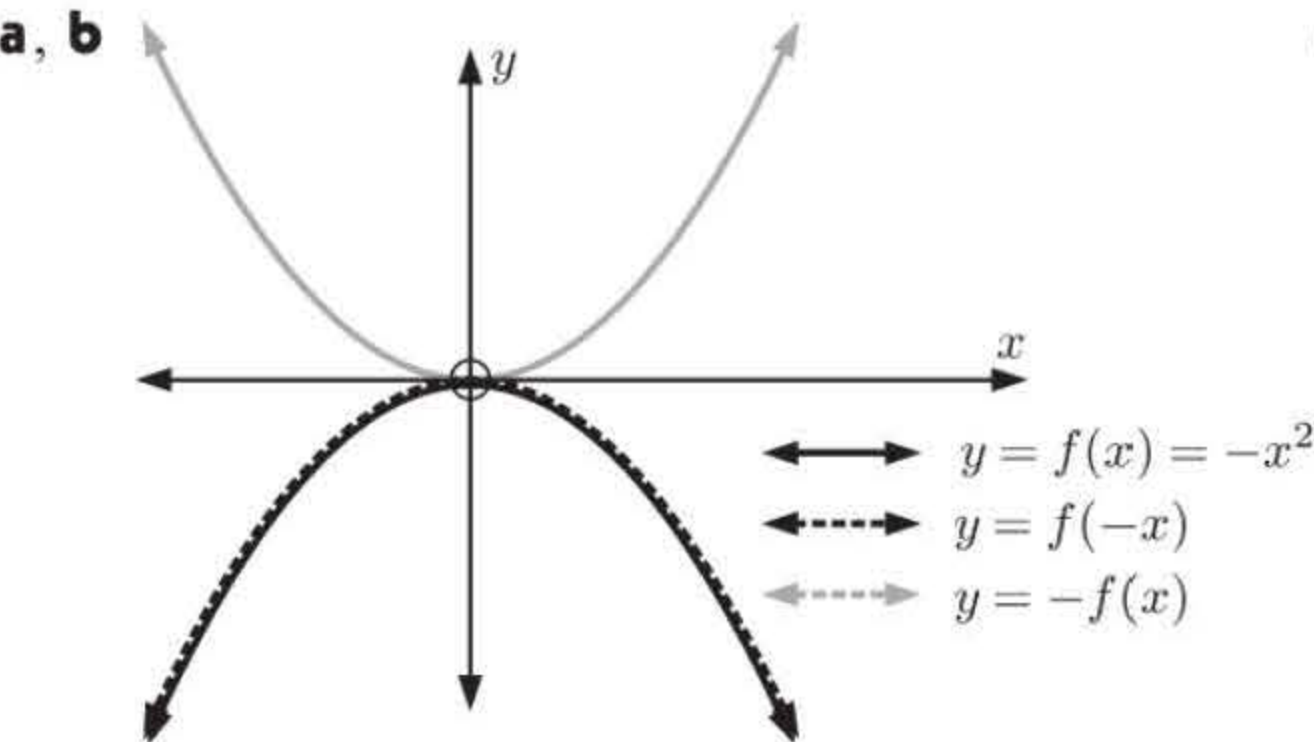


- i** The coordinates of the turning point are  $(-2, 1.8)$ .
- ii** The equation of the vertical asymptote is  $x = 0$ .
- iii** The equation of the horizontal asymptote is  $y = 2$ .
- iv** The  $x$ -intercepts are  $-3.2$  and  $-0.75$ .

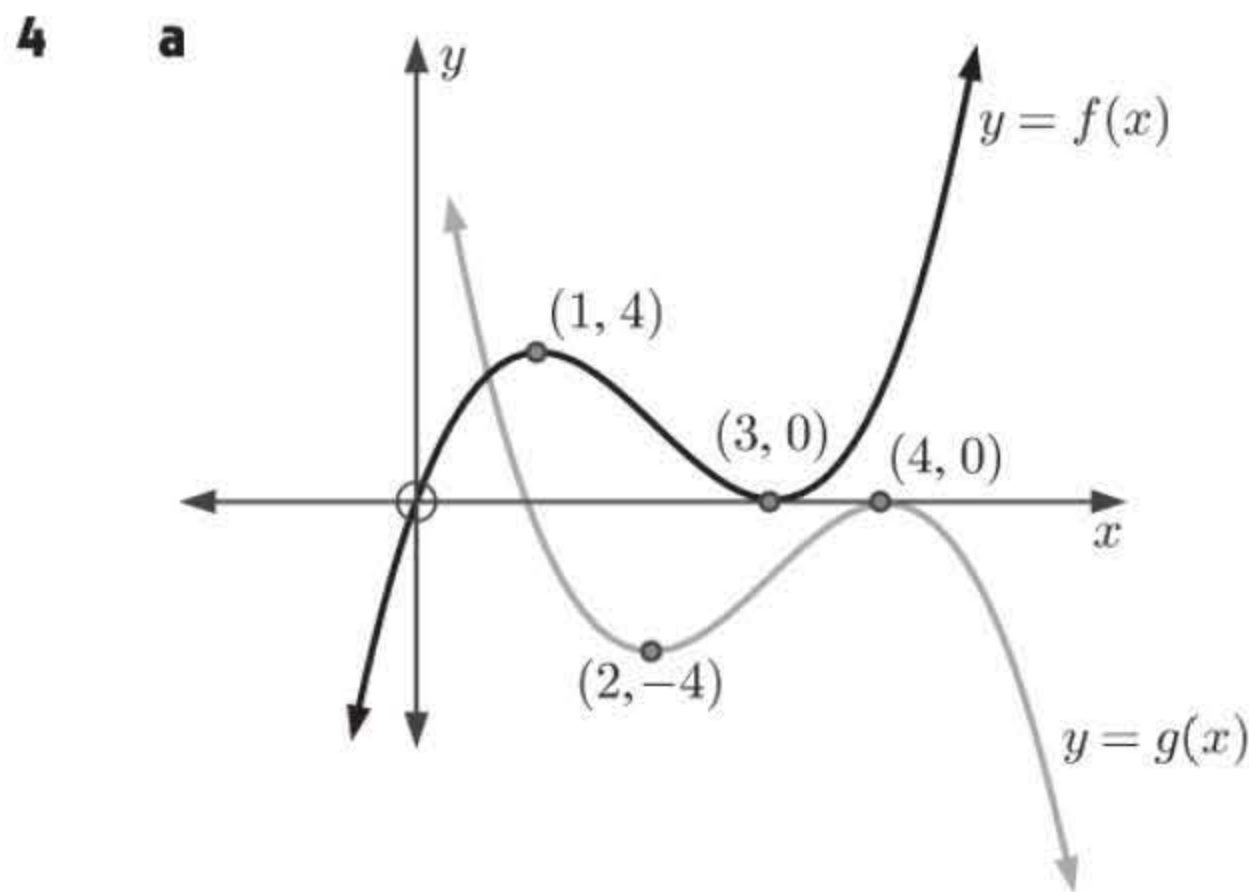


The coordinates of the points of intersection are  $(-3.65, -2.65)$ ,  $(-0.8, 0.2)$ , and  $(1.55, 2.55)$ .

- 3** So that you can see the answers more easily, they have been drawn on two graphs.

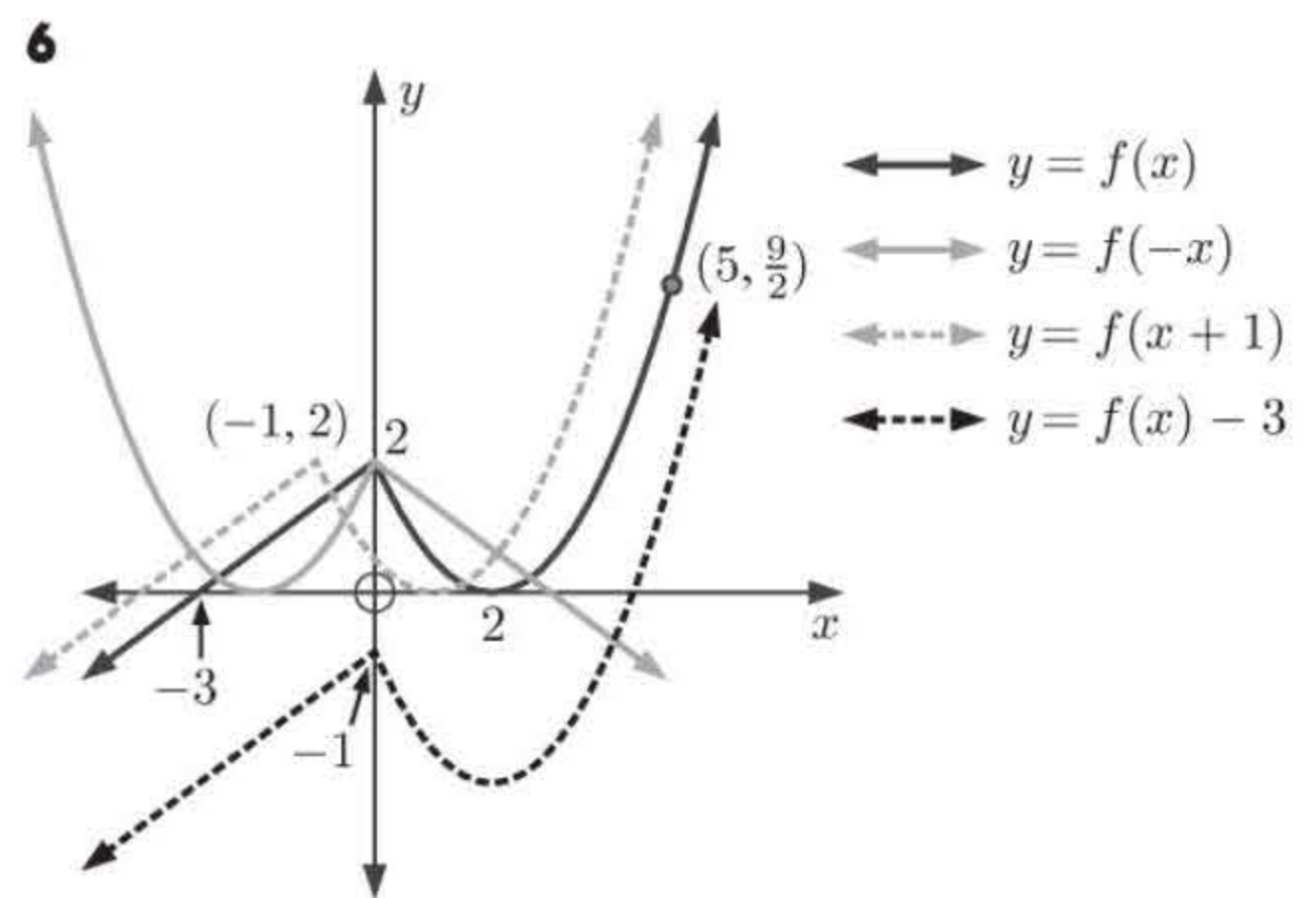






- b**  $g(x)$  is obtained from  $f(x)$  by a translation of  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$  and then a reflection in the  $x$ -axis. So, to get the turning point coordinates we add 1 to the  $x$ -coordinate and find the negative of the  $y$ -coordinate.  
 $(1, 4) \mapsto (2, -4)$  and  $(3, 0) \mapsto (4, 0)$ .  
 So, the turning points of  $g(x)$  are  $(2, -4)$  and  $(4, 0)$ .

- 5**  $f(x) = x^2$  is first reflected in the  $x$ -axis to become  $-f(x) = -x^2$   
 The function is then translated by  $\begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  to become  
 $-f(x+3) + 2 = -(x+3)^2 + 2$   
 $= -(x^2 + 6x + 9) + 2$   
 $\therefore g(x) = -x^2 - 6x - 7$



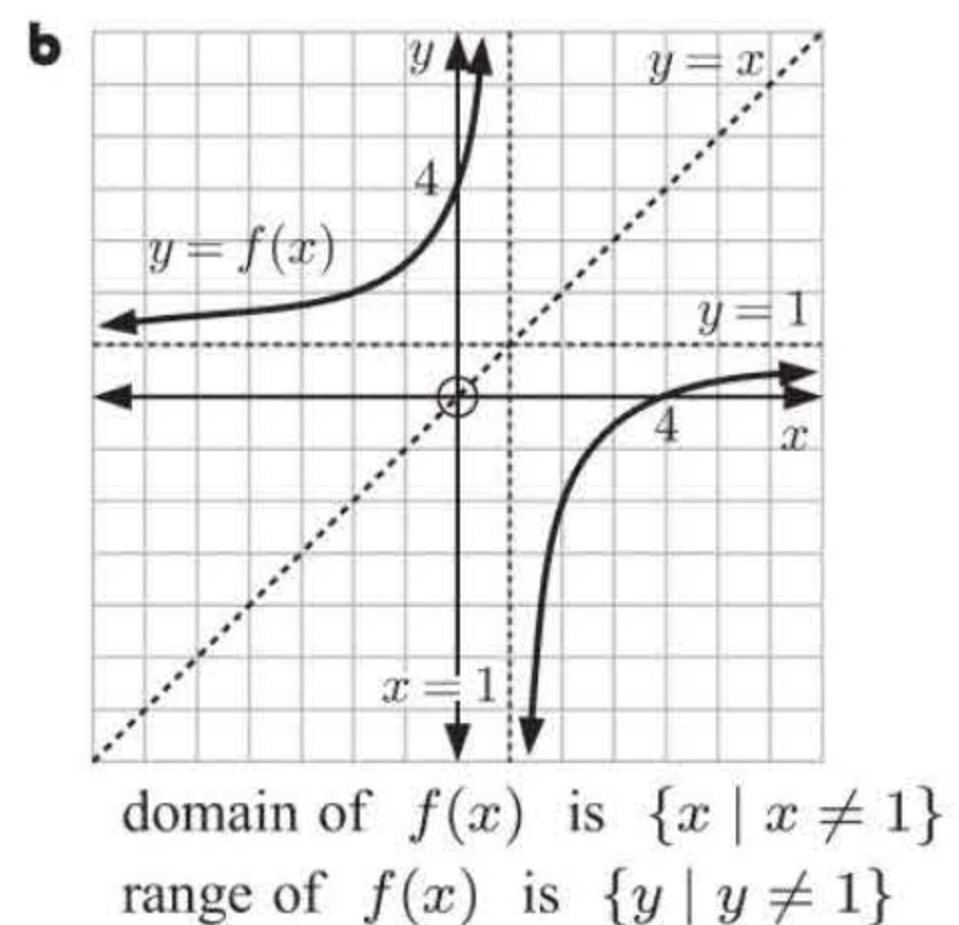
- 7**  $f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - x + 4$   
 $g(x) = f(x+1) + 3$   
 $= [(x+1)^3 + 3(x+1)^2 - (x+1) + 4] + 3$   
 $= x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1 + 3(x^2 + 2x + 1) - x - 1 + 4 + 3$   
 $= x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1 + 3x^2 + 6x + 3 - x - 1 + 4 + 3$   
 $= x^3 + 6x^2 + 8x + 10$

- 8 a**  $f(x) = 3x + 2$   
**i** A translation of 2 units to the left gives  $y = f(x+2)$   
 $= 3(x+2) + 2$   
 $= 3x + 8$   
**ii** A translation of 6 units upwards gives  $y = f(x) + 6$   
 $= 3x + 2 + 6$   
 $= 3x + 8$

- b**  $f(x) = ax + b$  translated  $k$  units to the left gives  
 $y = f(x+k)$   
 $= a(x+k) + b$   
 $= ax + ak + b$   
 $= (ax + b) + ka$   
 $= f(x) + ka$

which is  $f(x)$  translated  $ka$  units upwards.

- 9 a**  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  under a reflection in the  $y$ -axis becomes  $y = \frac{1}{(-x)} = -\frac{1}{x}$   
 $y = -\frac{1}{x}$  under a vertical stretch with scale factor 3 becomes  $y = 3\left(-\frac{1}{x}\right) = -\frac{3}{x}$   
 $y = -\frac{3}{x}$  under a translation of  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$  becomes  $y = \frac{-3}{x-1} + 1$





- c** Yes, since it is a one-to-one function (passes both the vertical and horizontal line tests).

**d**  $f(x) = y = \frac{-3}{x-1} + 1$

$\therefore$  inverse function is  $x = \frac{-3}{y-1} + 1$

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

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

$\therefore y = \frac{-3}{x-1} + 1$

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

$\therefore$  it is a self-inverse function.

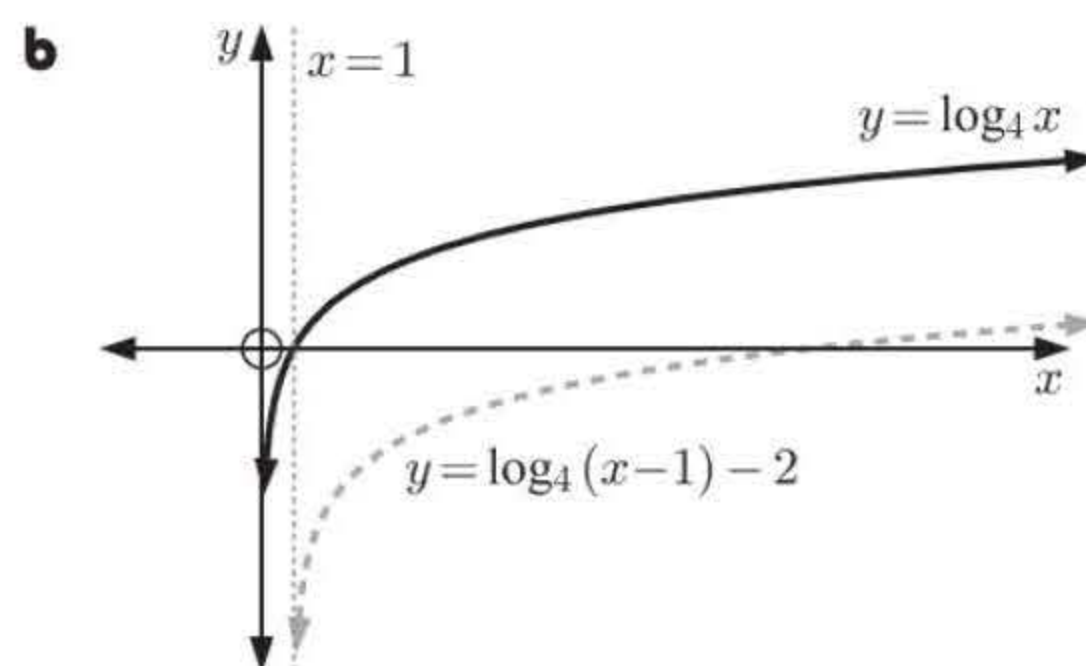
Also, the graph of  $f(x)$  is symmetrical about the line  $y = x$ .

- 10 a** Under translation  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix}$ ,

$$y = \log_4 x$$

becomes  $y = \log_4(x-1) - 2$

- c** For  $y = \log_4 x$ , VA is  $x = 0$ , no HA.  
For  $y = \log_4(x-1) - 2$ , VA is  $x = 1$ , no HA.



- d** For  $y = \log_4 x$ ,  
domain is  $\{x \mid x > 0\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .
- For  $y = \log_4(x-1) - 2$ ,  
domain is  $\{x \mid x > 1\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y \in \mathbb{R}\}$ .

- 11 a** Under a vertical stretch with scale factor  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $f(x)$  becomes  $\frac{1}{3}f(x)$ .

$\therefore \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $\frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{1}{x} \right) = \frac{1}{3x}$

Under a reflection in the  $y$ -axis,  $f(x)$  becomes  $f(-x)$ .

$\therefore \frac{1}{3x}$  becomes  $\frac{1}{3(-x)} = \frac{-1}{3x}$

Under a translation of 2 units to the right,  $f(x)$  becomes  $f(x-2)$ .

$\therefore \frac{-1}{3x}$  becomes  $\frac{-1}{3(x-2)} = \frac{-1}{3x-6}$

So,  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  becomes  $g(x) = \frac{-1}{3x-6}$ .

- b** The asymptotes of  $y = \frac{1}{x}$  are  $x = 0$  and  $y = 0$ .

These are unchanged by the stretch and the reflection, and shifted 2 units to the right by the translation.

$\therefore$  the vertical asymptote is  $x = 2$  and the horizontal asymptote is  $y = 0$ .

- c** Domain is  $\{x \mid x \neq 2\}$ ,  
range is  $\{y \mid y \neq 0\}$ .

