

If  $x > 0$ ,  $|x| = x$

if  $x < 0$ ,  $|x| = -x$

$$\textcircled{1} * |x| = \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{2} * |x| = \sqrt{x^2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} * |x| = \max\{x, -x\}$$

(complex)

diff of

$f(|x|)$  vs  $|f(x)|$

$$x \rightarrow |x| \rightarrow f(x)$$

$$\hookrightarrow f(|x|)$$

$$\hookrightarrow x \rightarrow f(x)$$

$$\hookrightarrow |f(x)|$$

Complex numbers does not mean complicated.

Complex is more like an "apartment complex"



distance =

$$\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

so, for  $|(\bar{x}, \bar{y})|$

$$= \sqrt{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{y}^2}$$

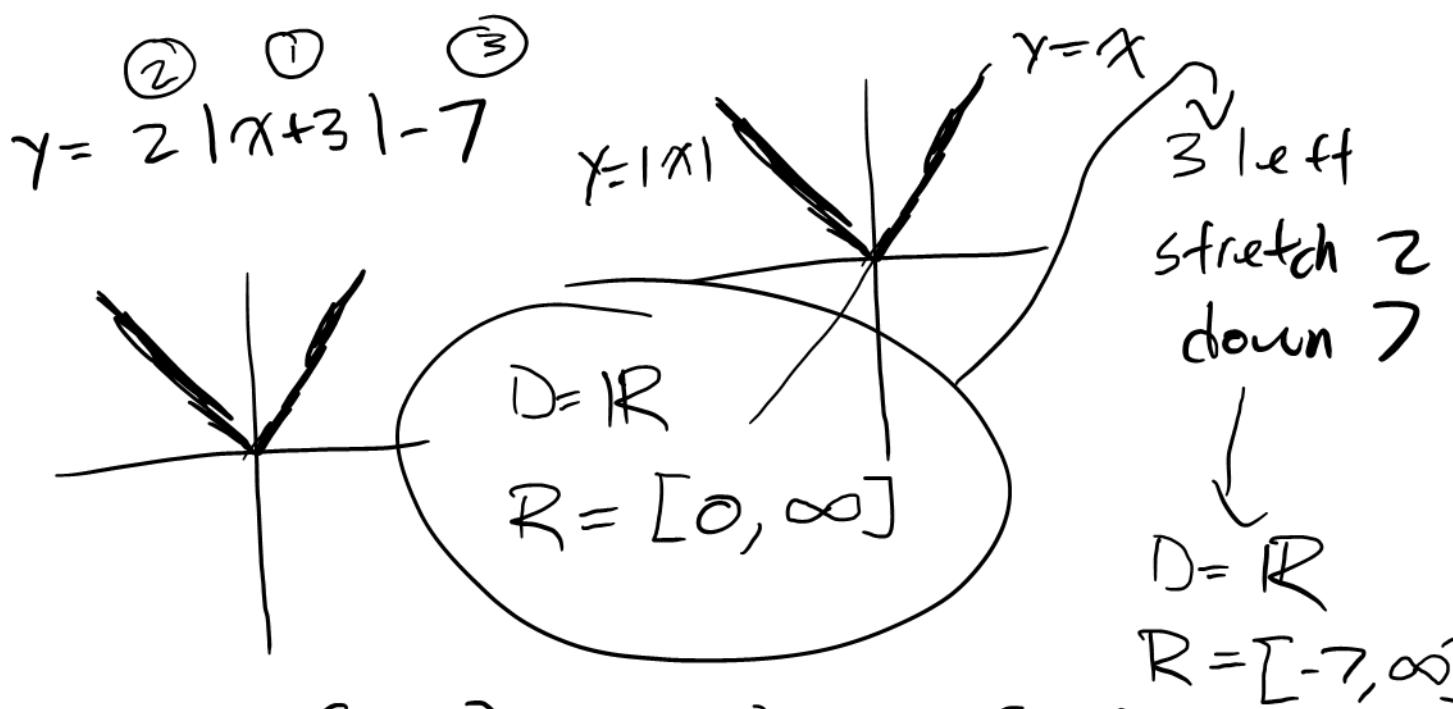
$$\boxed{|(\bar{x}, \bar{y}, \bar{z}, \bar{w}, \bar{t})| = \sqrt{\bar{x}^2 + \bar{y}^2 + \bar{z}^2 + \bar{w}^2 + \bar{t}^2}}$$

Math in university:

Calculus, Linear Algebra

vectors

dimensions



$I = (a, b)$ ,  $f(x)$  is a function on  $I$

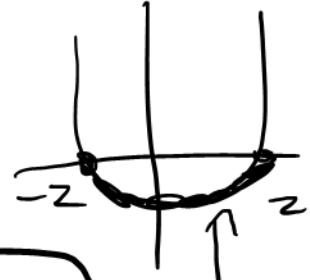
Positive on an interval: (above  $x$  axis)  
 $f(x) > 0$  for  $x \in (a, b)$

Negative on an interval

"Non-negative" and "Non-positive"

$\geq 0$      $\leq 0$

$f(x)$  is nonnegative  
on  $[-2, 2]$



Increasing function:

for  $x_1 < x_2$ ,  $f(x_1) < f(x_2)$

As inputs move, outputs increase

negative  
on int.

Same for decreasing

local maximum:  $f(x)$  has a local max at c

every point on a horizontal  
line is a local maximum  
and min

Local maximum:  $f(x)$  has a local maximum at  $x=c$ , if  
 $f(c) \geq f(x)$  for all  $x$  "near" c

End behaviour: refers to what happens to the function  
for extremely large positive and negative values of x

as  $x$  goes to + inf or  $x$  goes to - inf

# Inequalities

e.g.

$$-1 \leq \frac{3-5x}{4} \leq 3 \quad \text{solve for } x$$

✓ Positive quantities

Negative quantities

$$x > y$$

$$\frac{1}{x} > \frac{1}{y}$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} -4 &\leq 3-5x \leq 12 \\ -12 &\leq -5x+3 \leq 4 \\ -9 &\leq -5x \leq 1 \\ -\frac{9}{5} &\leq x \leq \frac{1}{5} \\ \therefore x &\in \left[-\frac{9}{5}, \frac{1}{5}\right] \end{aligned}$$

multiple cases

$$\text{Case 1: } x-2 > 0$$

$$x > 1, x > 2$$

$$x > 2 \quad \text{or} \quad x < 0$$

$$\text{Case 2: } x-2 < 0$$

$$x < 0, x < 2$$

$$f(x) = a_n \prod_{k=1}^n (x - r_k)$$

$\prod$  - "P<sub>i</sub>" = product  
Product notation

$$\text{eg. } f(x) = 3(x-2)^2(x+3)^3$$

The roots of  $f(x)$  are 2 and -3

We say 2 is a root of order 2  
and (-3) order 3

The order is the degree of term  
 $(x-r)$  written in factored form

$$f(2)=0$$

(cancel  $x-2$ )

$$3(x-2)(x+3)^3 \quad 2 \text{ is still a zero}$$

repeat







