MATH I: INTRODUCTION TO CALCULUS

OPERATIONS ON FUNCTIONS, EVEN AND ODD FUNCTIONS



COMBINE FUNCTIONS

With mathematical operators

$$(f+g)(x) = f(x) + g(x)$$
 Sum
 $(f-g)(x) = f(x) - g(x)$ Difference
 $(f \cdot g)(x) = f(x)g(x)$ Product
 $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} \text{ for } g(x) \neq 0$ Quotient

COMBINE FUNCTIONS: WITH MATHEMATICAL OPERATIONS

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$$g(x) = \frac{1}{x+2} - 3$$

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OPERATION

NEW FUNCTION

sum

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

difference

$$(x-1)^2 - \frac{1}{x+2} + 8$$

product

$$[(x-1)^2 + 5](\frac{1}{x+2} - 3)$$

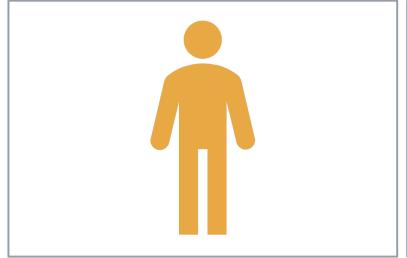
quotient

$$-\frac{[(x-1)^2+5](x+2)}{3x+5}$$

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

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{x+2} - 3$$

- $(f \circ g)(x) = ?$
- $(g \circ f)(x) = ?$
- Recall what we have encountered last class (evaluate functions)







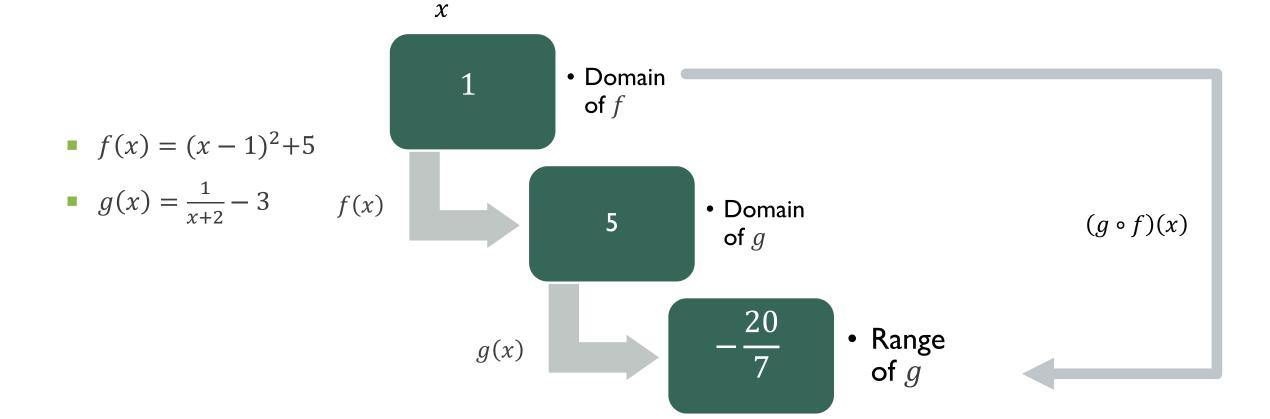
PUT ON CLOTHES

$$f(x) = (x-1)^2 + 5$$
$$g(x) = \frac{1}{x+2} - 3$$

- First put on the T-shirt, then the jacket.
- Body (x) inside, T-shirt (first function) in between, jacket (second function) outside.

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f\left(\frac{1}{x+2} - 3\right) = \left(\frac{1}{x+2} - 4\right)^2 + 5$$

$$(g \circ f)(x) = g((x-1)^2 + 5) = \frac{1}{(x-1)^2 + 7} - 3$$

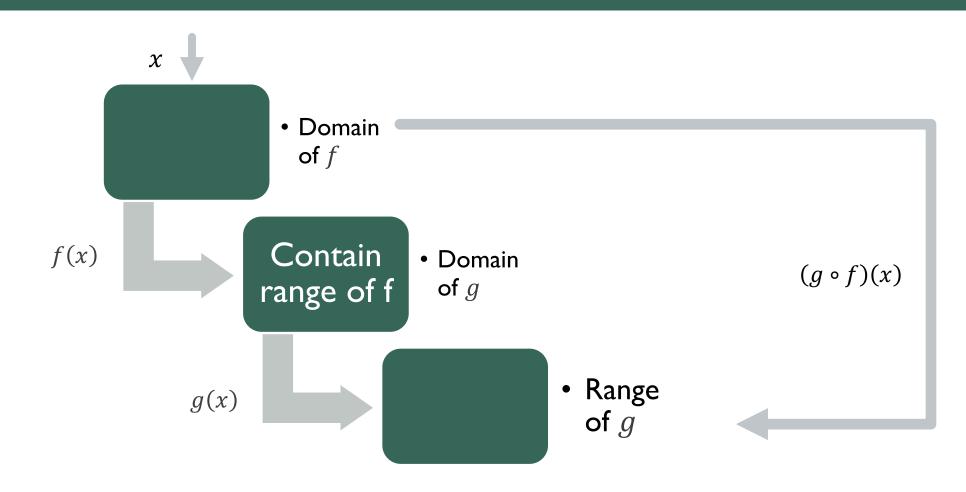


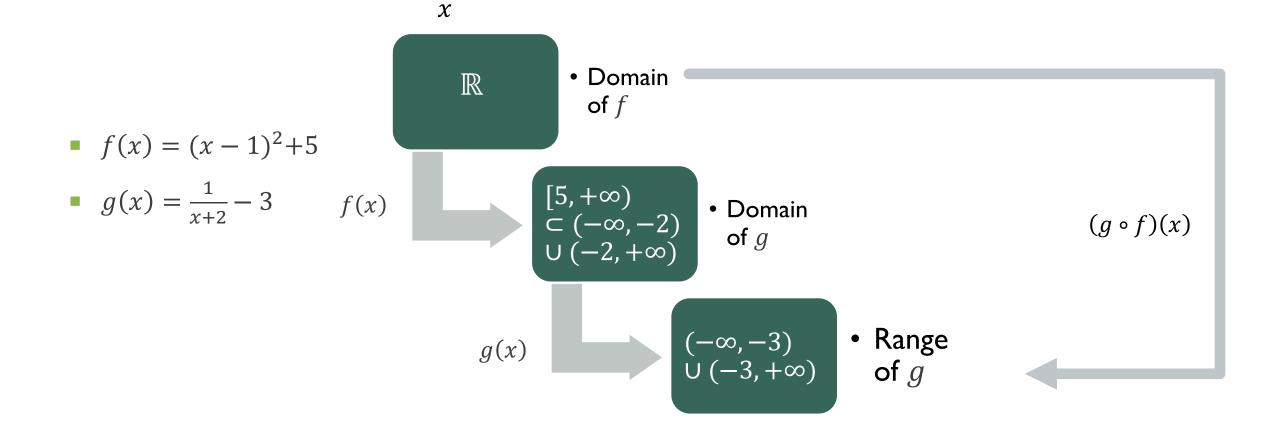
DEFINITION

Consider the function f with domain A and range B, and the function g with domain D and range E. If B is a subset of D, then the **composite function** $(g \circ f)(x)$ is the function with domain A such that

$$(g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x)).$$

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Lumos fact file



TYPE

Charm

INCANTATION

Lumos

PURPOSE

To light up dark places at the flick of a wand

AN APPLICATION OF FUNCTION COMPOSITION

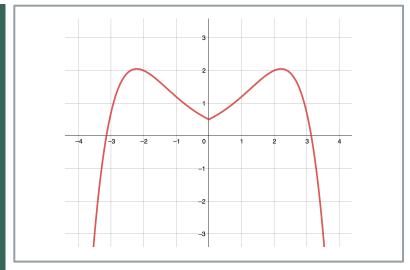
THE SHAPE OF THE LIGHT IS A CIRCLE, WITH RADIUS R.

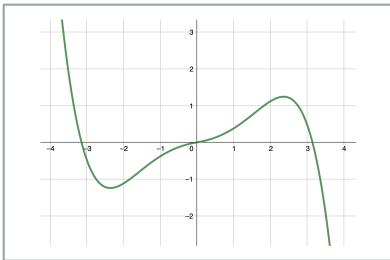
THE RADIUS R IS A FUNCTION OF TIME (THE CHARM WILL BE INVALID GRADUALLY).

FIGURE OUT THE AREA OF THE LIGHT

- $R(t) = 100 t^2, 0 \le t \le 10$
- $S(R) = \pi R^2$
- What is the area of the light as a function of the time?
 - $(S \circ R)(t) = \pi (100 t^2)^2$





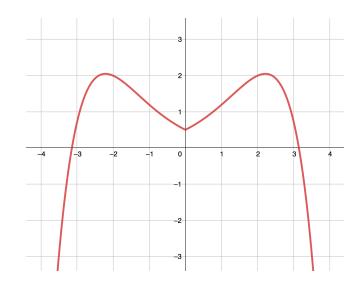


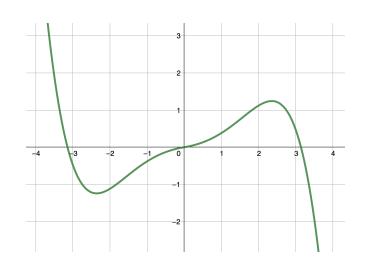
SYMMETRY OF FUNCTION

- Symmetry about the y-axis
- Symmetry about the origin

EVEN AND ODD FUNCTIONS

- Even functions:
 - f(x) = f(-x)
 - Symmetry about the y-axis
- Odd functions:
 - -f(x) = f(-x)
 - Symmetry about the origin





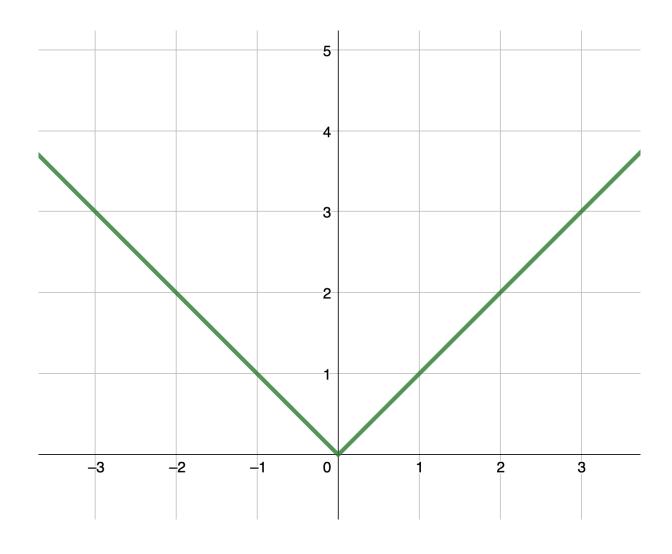
AND ODD FUNCTIONS

Absolute value function

$$f(x) = |x| =$$

$$\begin{cases} -x, x \le 0 \\ x, x > 0 \end{cases}$$

even or odd?



FIND THE EVEN AND THE ODD FUNCTIONS!

$$-x^2$$

$$2x^{3} + x$$

 $\frac{1}{x}$

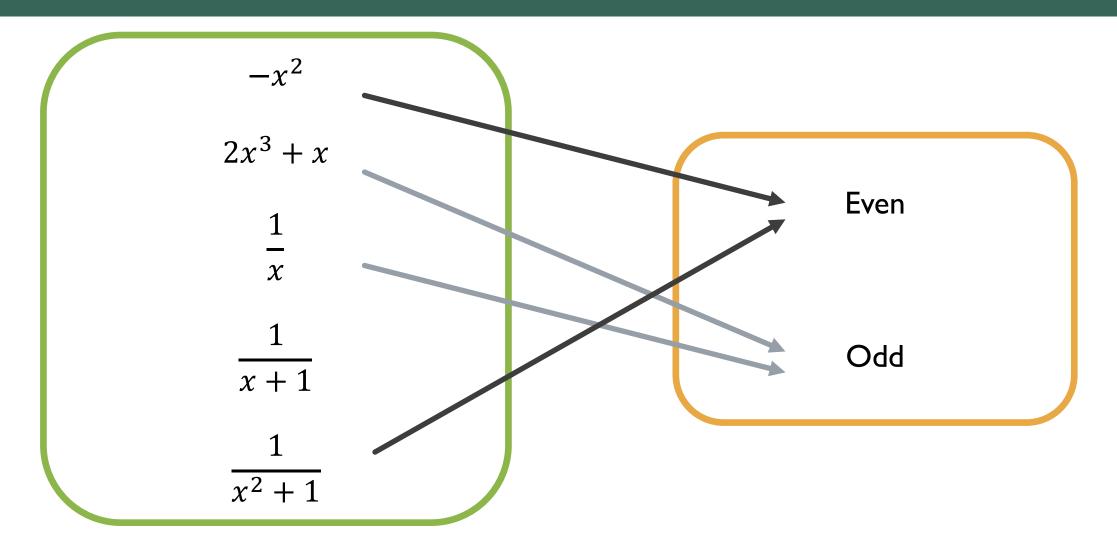
$$\frac{1}{x+1}$$

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

Even

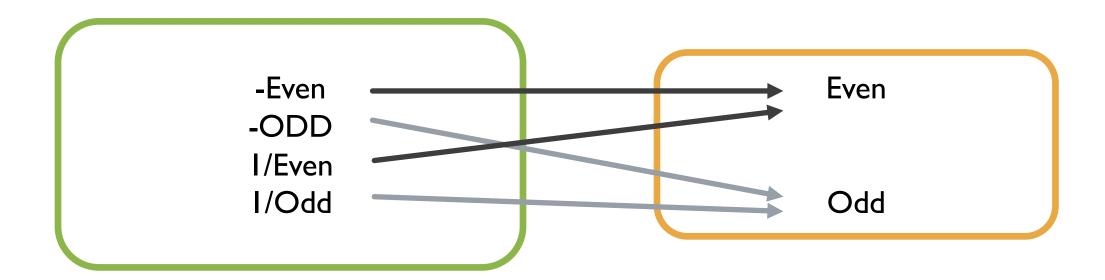
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FIND THE EVEN AND THE ODD FUNCTIONS!



WHAT YOU HAVE FOUND?

- Even functions: f(x) = f(-x)
- Odd functions: -f(x) = f(-x)



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Even + Even

Even + Odd

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Even - Even

Even - Odd

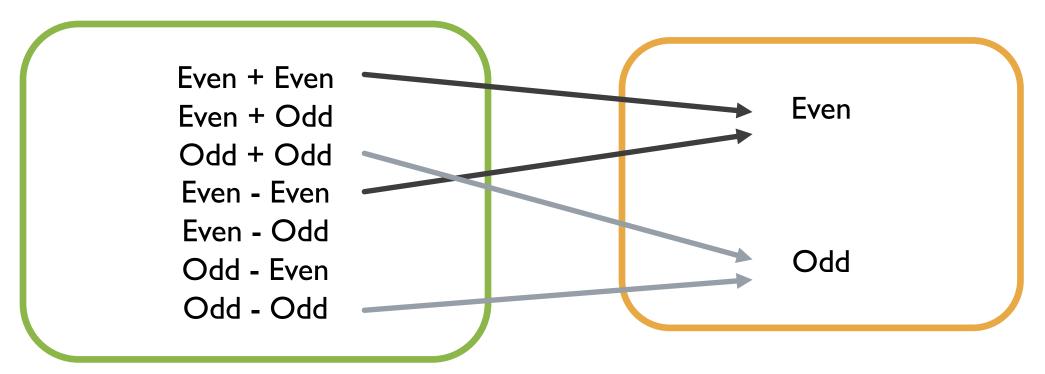
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bbO - bbO

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Even × Odd

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Even / Even (if exist)

Even / Odd (if exist)

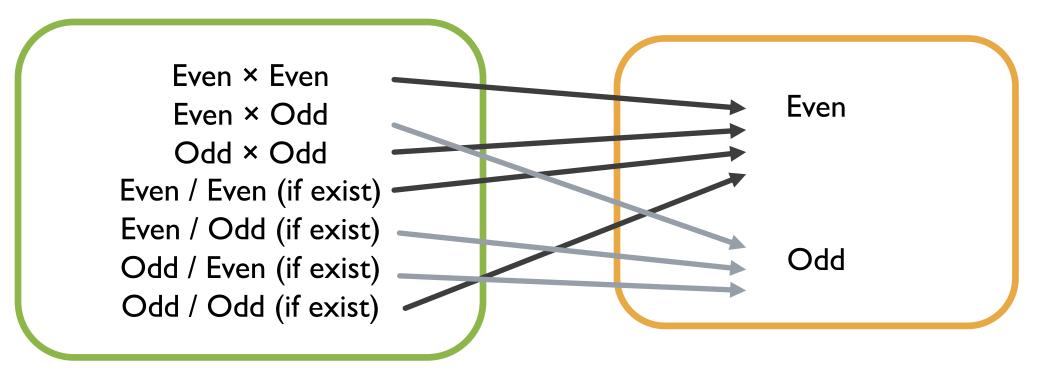
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RECALL FUNCTION COMPOSITION

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- $(g \circ f)(x)$

Even • Even

Even • Odd

Odd • Even

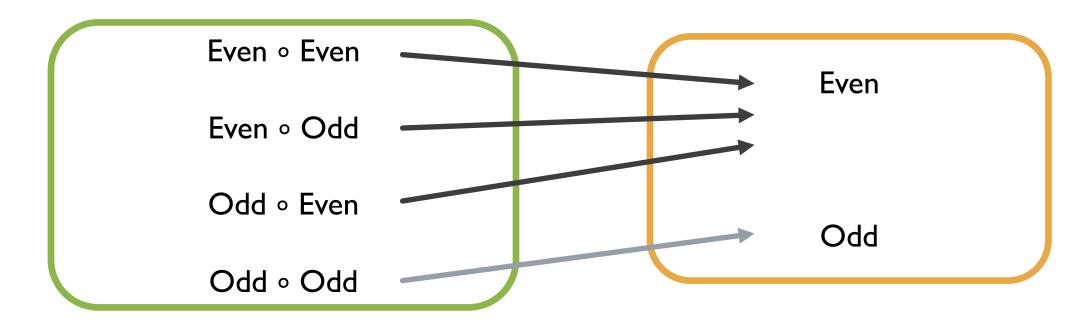
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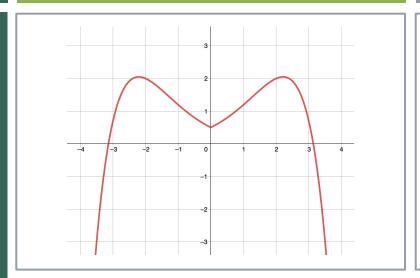
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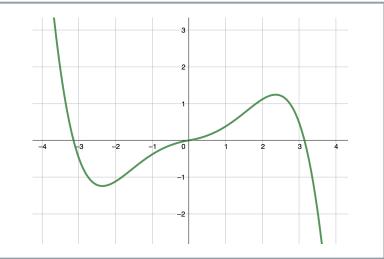
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LOOK BACK ON THE TWO EXAMPLES





- Even function: $e^{|x|}$ and $\cos(x)$
- Odd function: sin(x)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2}e^{|x|}\cos(\frac{x}{2})$$

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{6}e^{|x|}\sin(x)$$