

CAML  
MCQ #5  
Thursday, September the 18<sup>th</sup> 2025

1. What does the evaluation result of the following phrase contain?

```
let f x y =  
  match (x, y) with  
    (a, b) when a > b -> false  
  | (a, b) -> true  
  | _ -> failwith "error: invalid tuple";;
```

- (a) `val f : 'a -> 'a -> bool = <fun>`
  - (b) `val f : ('a * 'a) -> bool = <fun>`
  - (c) `Warning ... : this match case is unused.`
  - (d) `Warning ... : this pattern-matching is not exhaustive.`
  - (e) An error.
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2. What does the evaluation result of the following phrase contain?

```
let f a (b, c) = match (a, b, c) with  
  (false, _, _) -> false  
  | (true, a, b) when a = b -> true  
  | (_, _, a) -> a ;;
```

- (a) `val f : bool * bool * bool -> bool = <fun>`
  - (b) `val f : bool -> bool * bool -> bool = <fun>`
  - (c) `Warning ... : this match case is unused.`
  - (d) `Warning ... : this pattern-matching is not exhaustive.`
  - (e) An error.
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3. What does the following function displays called with `f 5`?

```
let rec f n = match n with  
  0 -> ()  
  | x when n mod 2 = 0 -> print_int n; f (n - 1)  
  | n -> f (n - 1) ; print_int n ;;
```

- (a) 53124
  - (b) 12345
  - (c) 54321
  - (d) 42135
  - (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!
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4. What does the following function calculate when called with `f n` ( $n \geq 1$ )?

```
let rec f n = match n with  
  | 0 -> 0  
  | n -> f (n - 1) + n * n ;;
```

- (a)  $2n!$
- (b)  $(2n)!$
- (c)  $\sum_{i=0}^n 2i$
- (d)  $\sum_{i=0}^n i^2$
- (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!



5. What will be the last result after successive evaluations of the following phrases?

```
let rec f x k = match x with
  | 0 -> 1
  | x -> f (x + k) k - x ;;

f (-8) 2 ;;
```

- (a) -21
- (b) -19
- (c) 19
- (d) 21
- (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!

6. What will be the last result after successive evaluations of the following phrases?

```
let rec f a b =
  if a < 0 || b < 0 then
    0
  else
    if a < b then
      f (b - a) a - 1
    else
      f a (a - b) + 1 ;;

f 15 5 ;;
```

- (a) - : int = 1
- (b) - : int = 0
- (c) - : int = -1
- (d) - : int = 10
- (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!

7. What will be the last result after successive evaluations of the following phrases?

```
let rec g n k =
  if k = 0 then
    0
  else
    if n mod 2 = 0 then
      n + g (n - 1) (k - 1)
    else
      n * g (n - 1) k ;;

g 3 1 ;;
```

- (a) - : int = 6
- (b) - : int = -10
- (c) - : int = 3
- (d) - : int = 1
- (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!



8. What will be the last result after successive evaluations of the following phrases?

```
let rec f n k =  
  if k = 0 then  
    1  
  else  
    if n mod k = 0 then  
      1 + f (n - k) k  
    else  
      f n (k - 1) ;;  
  
f 15 5 ;;
```

- (a) - : int = 3
  - (b) - : int = 1
  - (c) - : int = 0
  - (d) - : int = 4
  - (e) Nothing, the function does not terminate!
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9. For which values of n the call h n does not stop?

```
let rec h n =  
  if n = 0 then  
    h 2  
  else  
    if n mod 2 = 1 then  
      1  
    else  
      h (n - 2) + 1 ;;
```

- (a)  $n = 0$
  - (b)  $n = 1$
  - (c)  $n = 1234567890$
  - (d)  $n = 123456789$
  - (e) The function always stops.
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10. How many calls to f will be processed with f 3 (f 3 included)?

```
let rec f n =  
  if n <= 1 then  
    n  
  else  
    2 * f (n - 1) + f (n - 1) ;;
```

- (a) 3
- (b) 4
- (c) 7
- (d) 14
- (e) An infinity.



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Question 11

Consider the function  $f : \llbracket 0, 6 \rrbracket \longrightarrow \llbracket 0, 10 \rrbracket$  defined by the following table:

$x$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
$f(x)$	1	4	2	8	2	4	2

Then:

- a.  $f(\llbracket 0, 6 \rrbracket) = \llbracket 1, 8 \rrbracket$
- b.  $f(\llbracket 0, 6 \rrbracket) \subset \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 8\}$
- c.  $f^{-1}(\{1, 2\}) = \{0, 2\}$
- d.  $\{2, 3, 4\} \subset f^{-1}(\{2, 8\})$
- e. None of the others

Question 12

Consider the function  $f : \llbracket 0, 6 \rrbracket \longrightarrow \llbracket 0, 10 \rrbracket$  defined by the following table:

$x$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
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Then:

- a.  $f$  is injective, not surjective.
- b.  $f$  is surjective, not injective.
- c.  $f$  is bijective.
- d.  $f$  is neither injective nor surjective.



### Question 13

Let  $E$  and  $F$  be two sets and  $f : E \rightarrow F$ . The function  $f$  is injective if and only if:

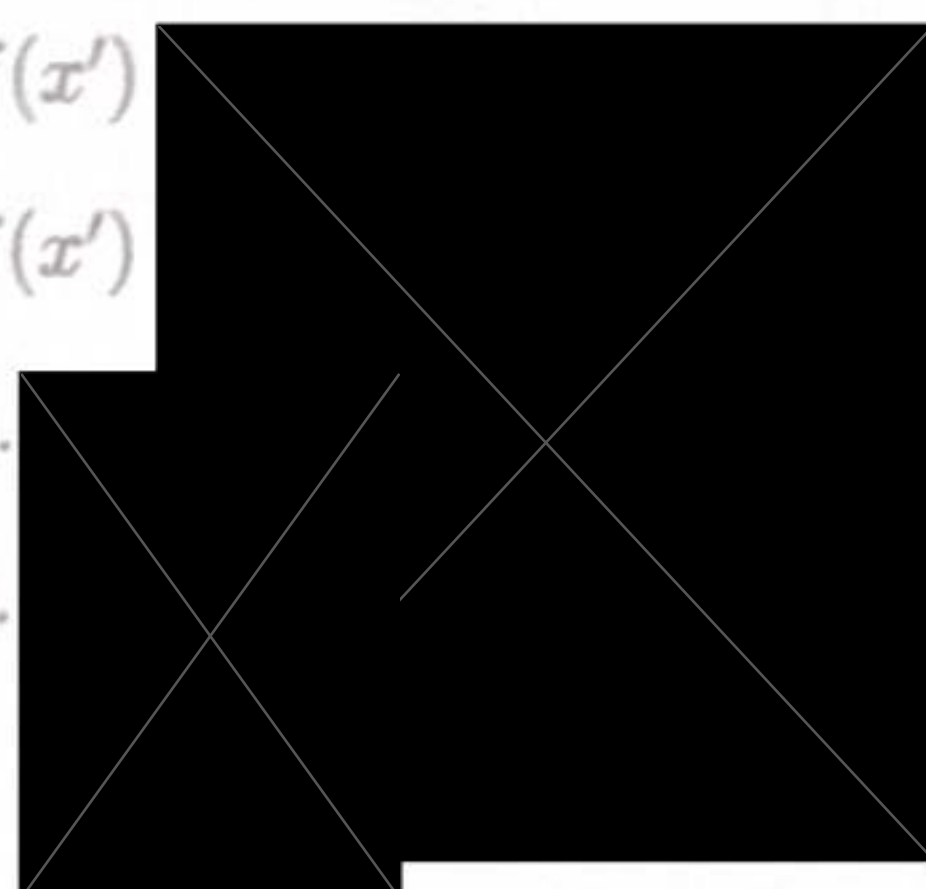
- a.  $\forall (x, x') \in E^2, x = x' \implies f(x) = f(x')$
- b.  $\forall (x, x') \in E^2, x \neq x' \implies f(x) = f(x')$
- c.  $\forall y \in F, \exists x \in E$  such that  $y = f(x)$ .
- d.  $\forall x \in E, \exists y \in F$  such that  $y = f(x)$ .
- e. None of the others



### Question 14

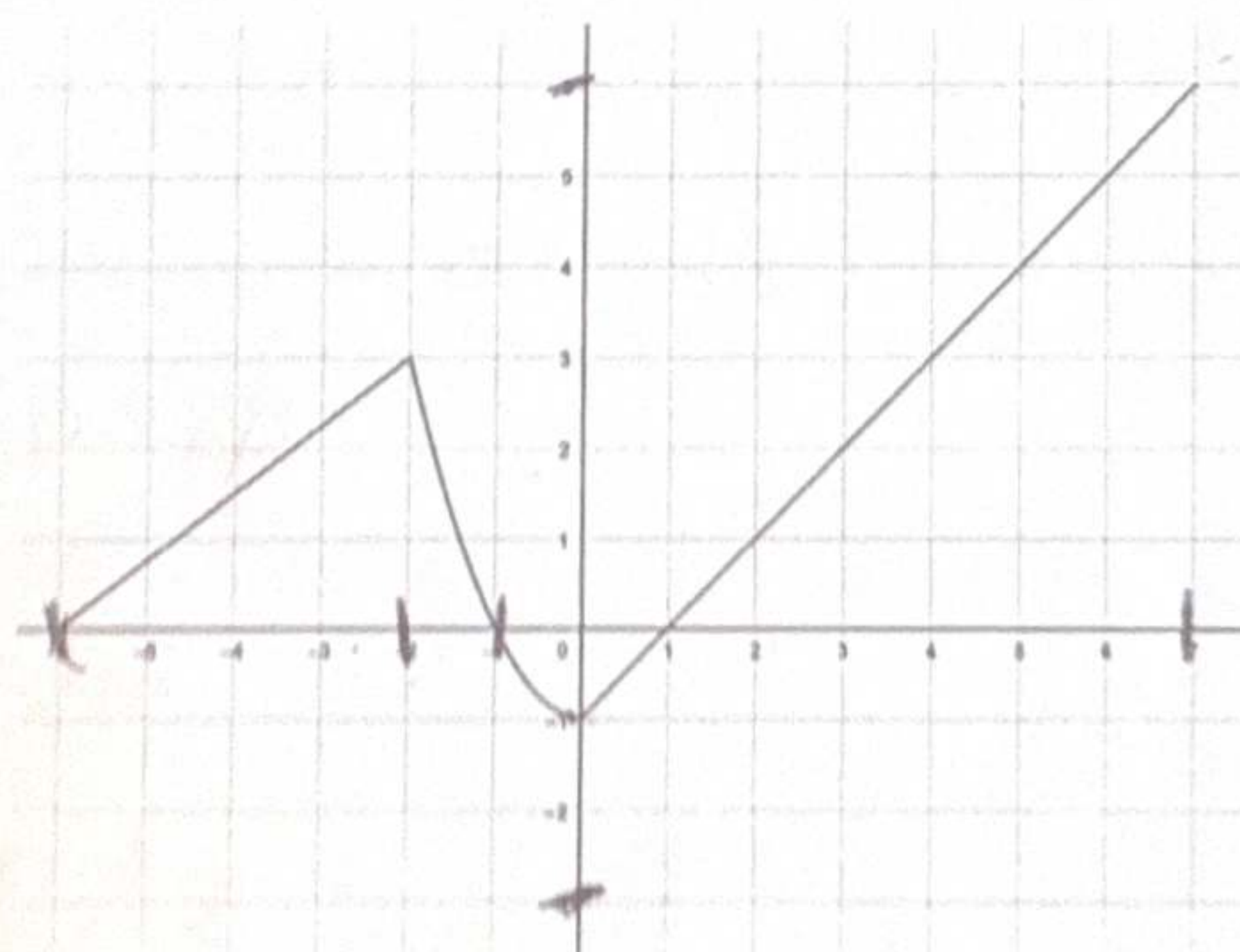
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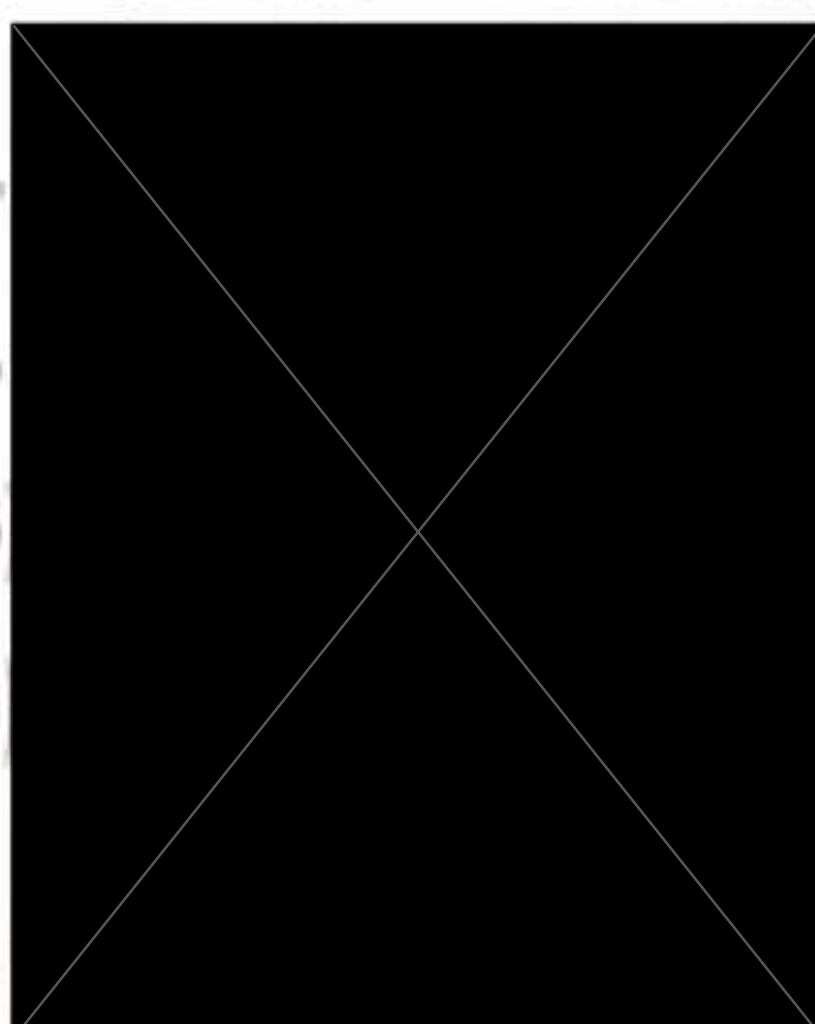


### Question 15

Consider the function  $f : [-6, 7] \rightarrow [-3, 6]$  defined by the following graph:



- a.  $f$  is injective from  $[-6, 7]$  to  $[-3, 6]$ .
- b.  $f$  is injective from  $[-2, 7]$  to  $[-3, 6]$ .
- c.  $f$  is surjective from  $[-6, 7]$  to  $[-3, 6]$ .
- d.  $f$  is surjective from  $[-1, 7]$  to  $[-1, 6]$ .
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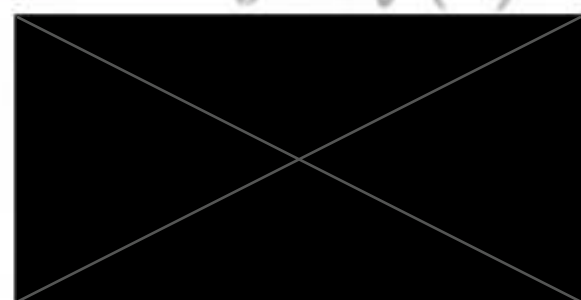




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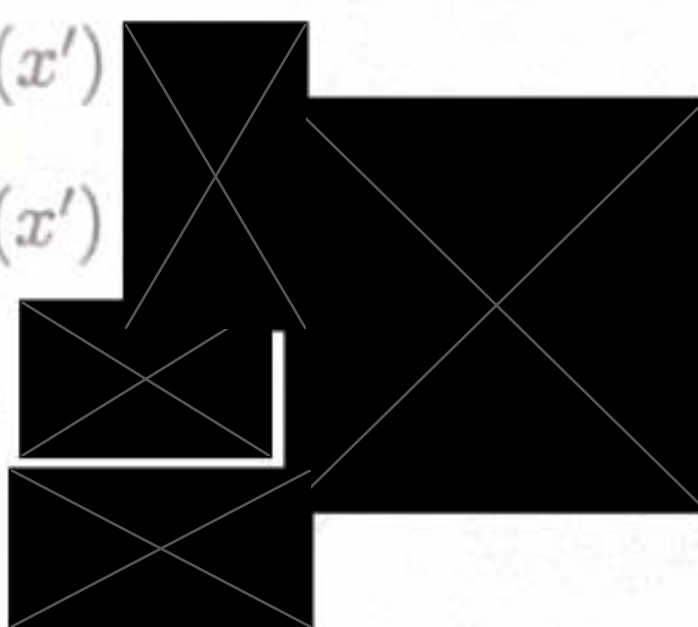
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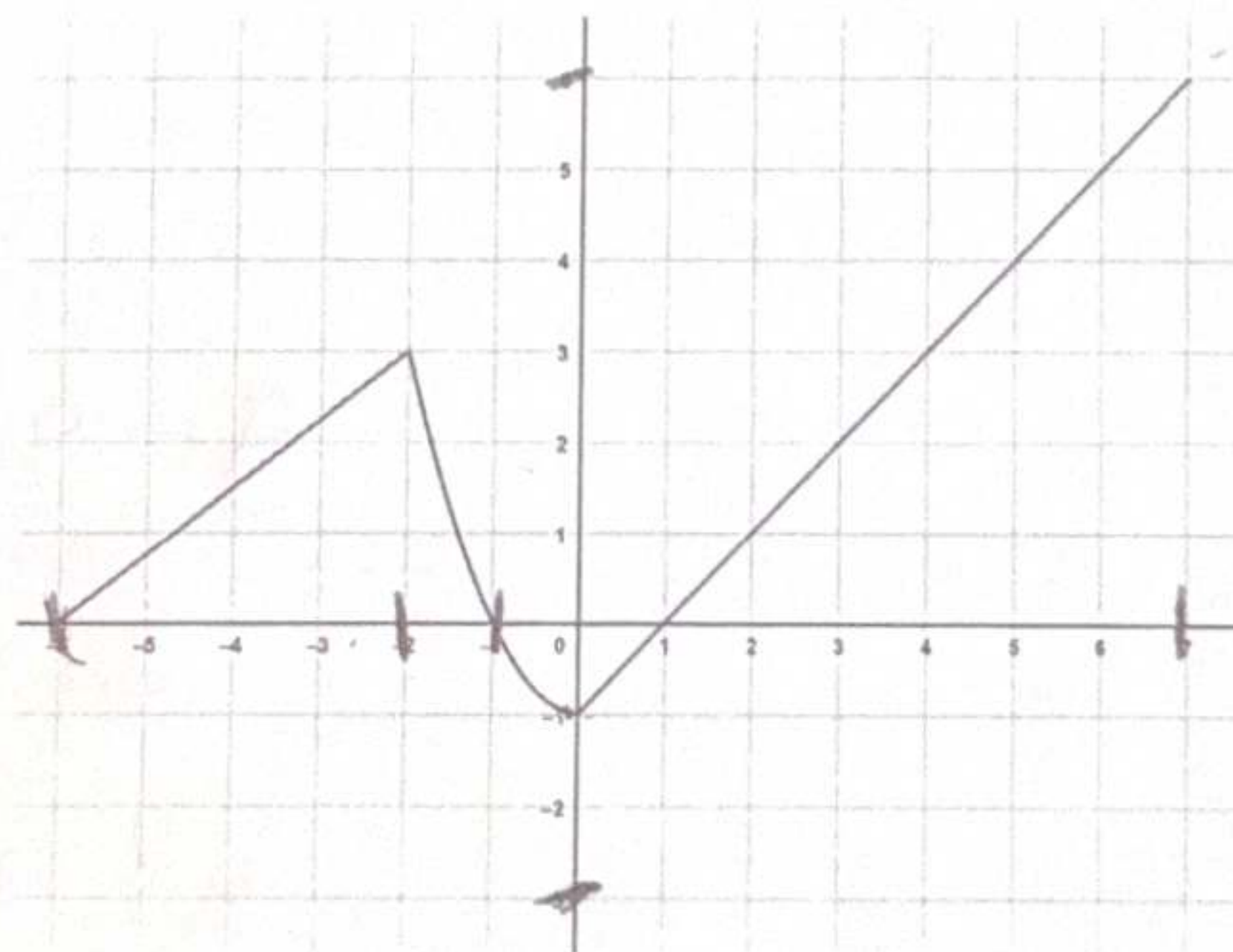
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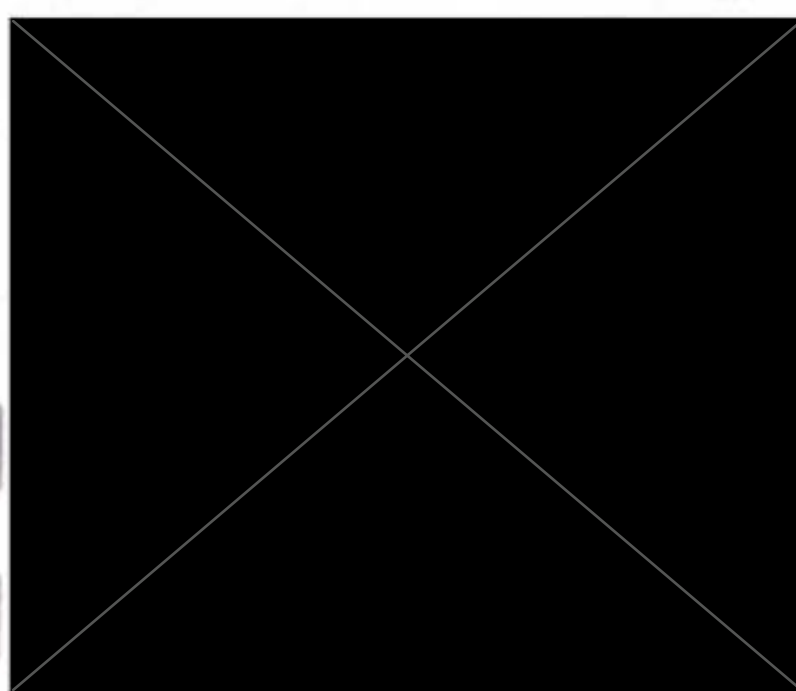


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- d.  $f$  is surjective from  $[-1, 7]$  to  $[-1, 6]$ .
- e. None of the others





Question 16

Select the correct answer(s):

- a. The definition domain of  $x \mapsto \arctan(x)$  is  $]0, +\infty[$

b.  $\arctan(0) = 0$

c.  $\arctan(1) = 0$

d. To find  $\arctan(x)$ , you search the unique  $y \in ]0, 2\pi[$  such that  $x = \tan(y)$

e. None of the others

Question 17

Consider a set  $E$  and a relation  $\mathcal{R}$  defined over  $E$ . Select the correct definition(s):

- a.  $\mathcal{R}$  is reflexive if:  $\forall x \in E, x \mathcal{R} x$

b.  $\mathcal{R}$  is symmetric if:  $\forall (x, y) \in E^2, x \mathcal{R} y$  and  $y \mathcal{R} x$

c.  $\mathcal{R}$  is antisymmetric if:  $\forall (x, y) \in E^2, x \mathcal{R} y, y \mathcal{R} x$  and  $x = y$

d.  $\mathcal{R}$  is transitive if:  $\forall (x, y, z) \in E^3, x \mathcal{R} y$  and  $y \mathcal{R} z \implies x \mathcal{R} z$

e. None of the others

Question 18

Consider the relation  $\mathcal{R}$  defined over  $E = \mathbb{R}$  by:  $\forall (x, y) \in E^2, x \mathcal{R} y \iff x^2 - y^2 = x - y$ . Then:

- a.  $3 \mathcal{R} -2$

b.  $-2 \mathcal{R} 2$

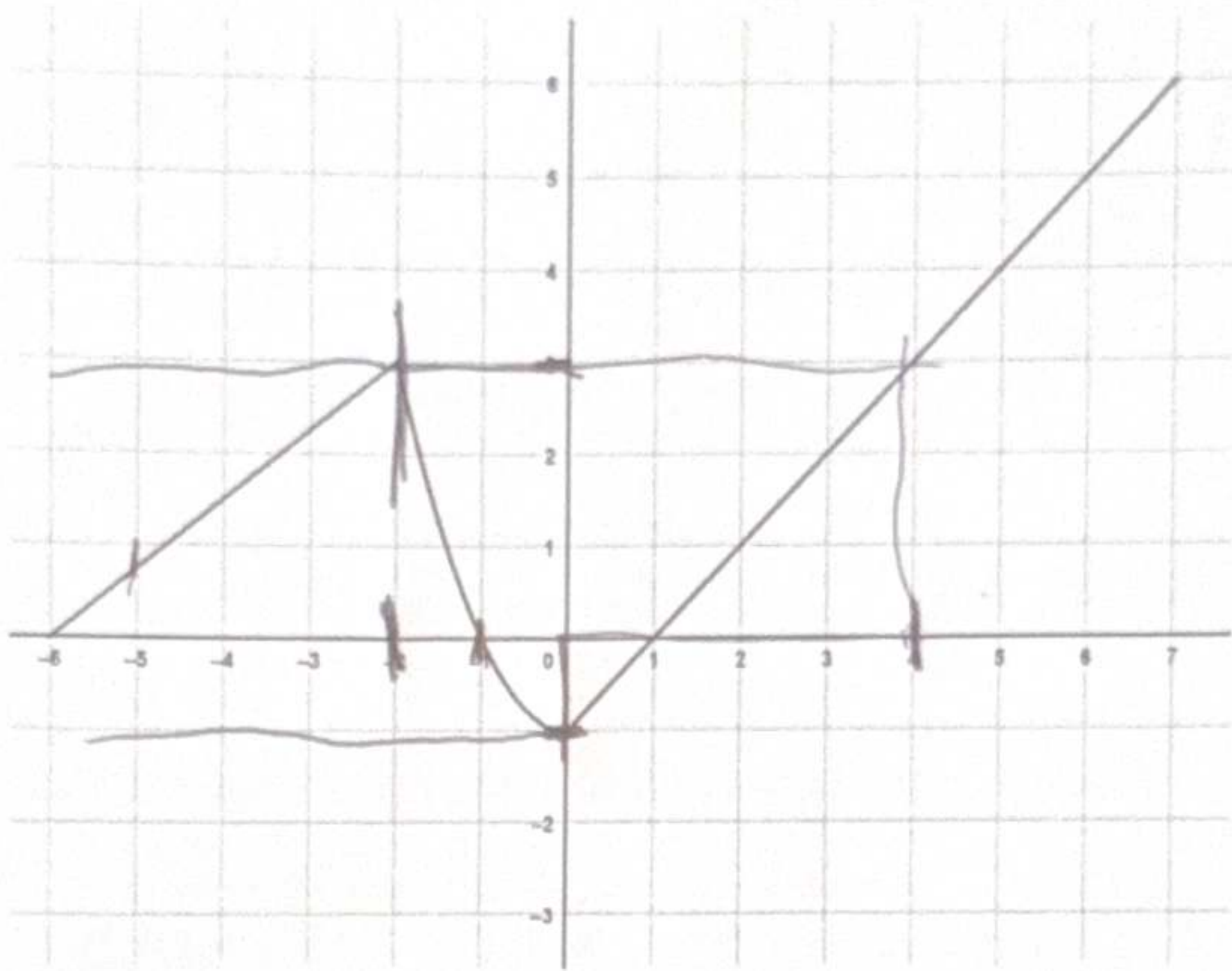
c.  $\mathcal{R}$  is reflexive.

d. None of the others



Question 19

Consider the function  $f$  defined on  $[-6, 7]$  by the following graph:



Then:

- a.  $f^{-1}(\{0\}) = \{-1\}$
- b.  $f(\{-1\}) = \{0\}$
- c.  $f^{-1}([-1, 3]) = [-2, 4]$
- d.  $f^{-1}([-2, -1]) = \emptyset$
- e. None of the others

Question 20

For all real numbers  $a > 0$  and  $b > 0$ , the fraction  $F = \frac{\frac{1}{a}}{\frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{a}}$  is equal to:

- a.  $\frac{b+a}{a}$
- b.  $b+1$
- c.  $\frac{1}{a+1}$
- d.  $\frac{b}{a+b}$
- e. None of the others



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10	C	20	D