

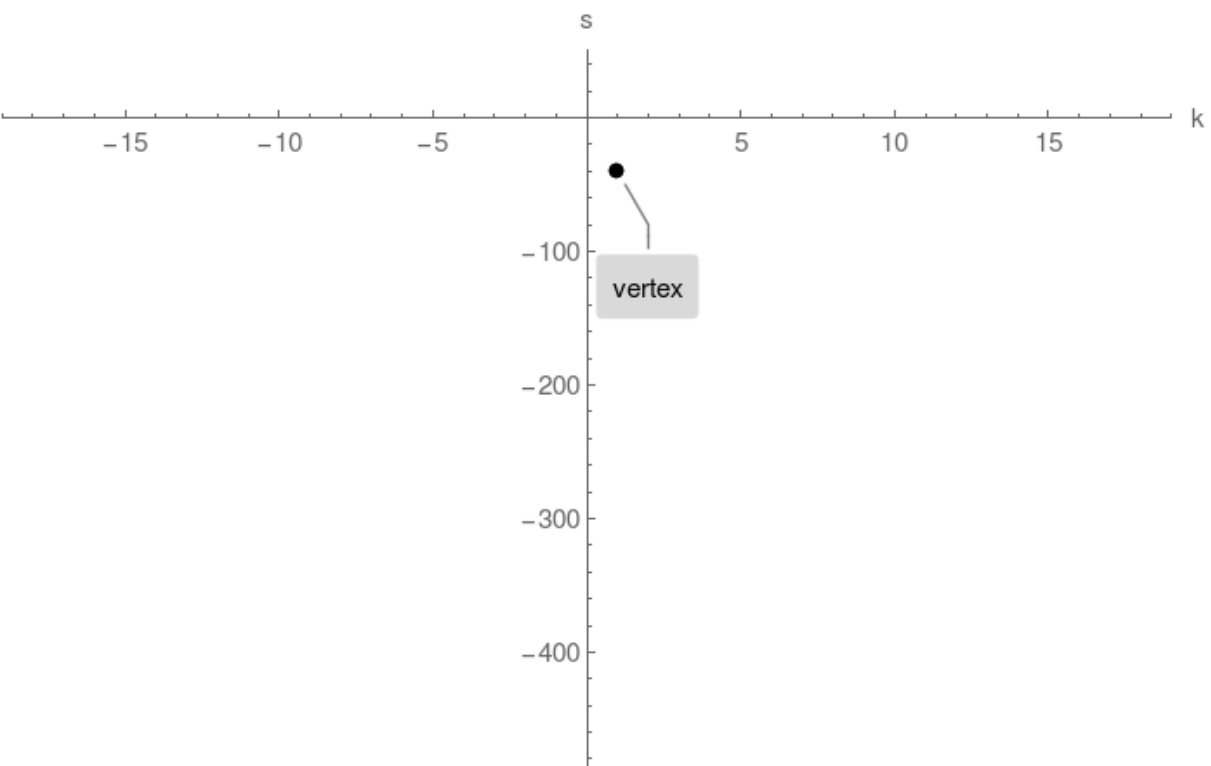
Example 2. No horizontal intercepts found

Plot $s(k) = -k^2 + 2k - 41$

Step 1.

Compute vertex and plot single point:

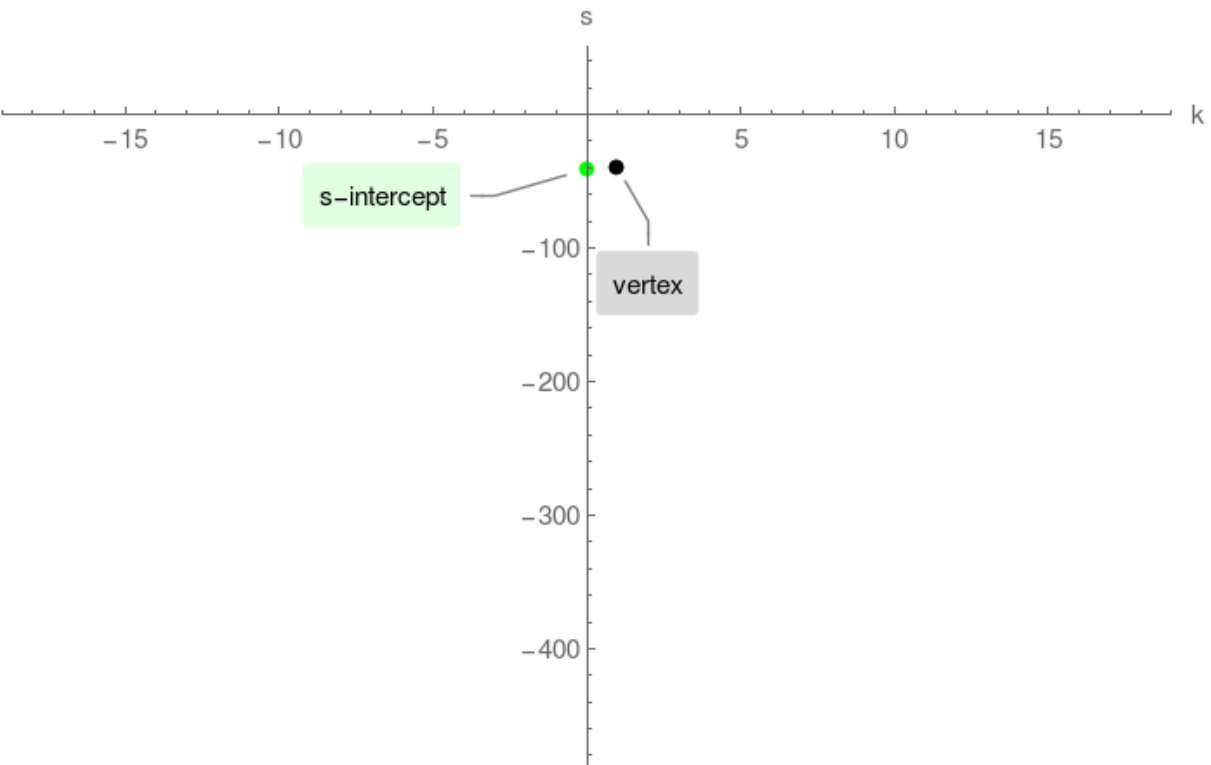
vertex = (1, -40)



Step 2.

Compute s-intercept and plot single point:

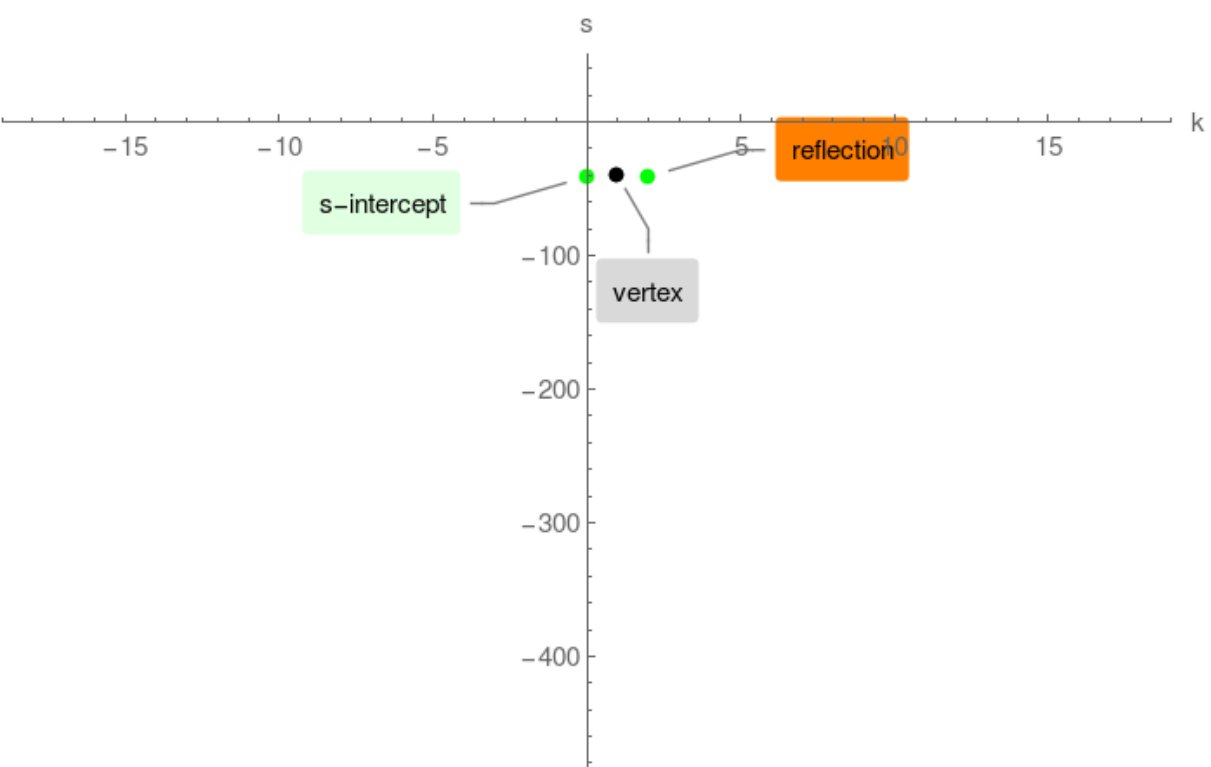
s-intercept = (0, -41)



Step 3.

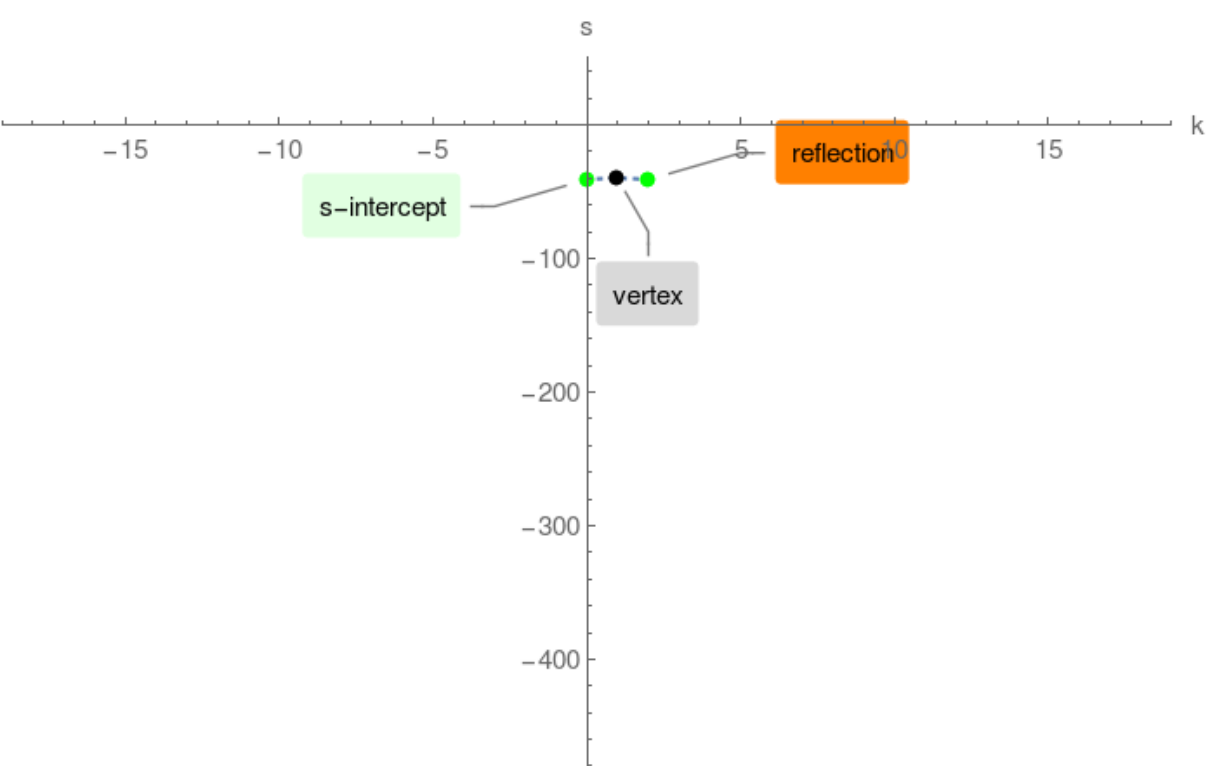
Compute s-intercept reflected against vertex,

reflection = (2, -41)



Step 4.

connect the above computed points:



Step 5.

Extend the parabola beyond the range of intercepts

