

# 101 Basic

## Exponent Rules

1. The Product Rule

$$x^n \cdot x^m = x^{n+m}$$

2. The Quotient Rule

$$\frac{x^n}{x^m} = x^{n-m}$$

3. The Power Rule

$$(x^n)^m = x^{n \cdot m}$$

4. Power of Zero

$$x^0 = 1 \quad (\text{as long as } x \neq 0) \quad 0^0 \text{ is undefined}$$

5. Negative Exponents

$$x^{-n} = \frac{1}{x^n}$$

6. Fractional Exponents

$$x^{\frac{1}{n}} = \sqrt[n]{x}$$

7. Distribute an Exponent over a Product

$$(ab)^n = a^n \cdot b^n$$

8. Distribute an Exponent over a Quotient

$$\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^n = \frac{a^n}{b^n}$$

**Example.** Simplify the following expressions and write your answers without negative exponents:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a)} \frac{3x^{-2}}{x^4} &= \frac{3 \cdot \frac{1}{x^2}}{x^4} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{3}{1} \cdot \frac{1}{x^2}}{x^4} = \frac{\frac{3 \cdot 1}{1 \cdot x^2}}{x^4} = \frac{3}{x^4} \\
 &= \frac{\frac{3}{x^2}}{\frac{x^4}{1}} = \frac{3}{x^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x^4} = \frac{3 \cdot 1}{x^2 \cdot x^4} \\
 &= \boxed{\frac{3}{x^6}}
 \end{aligned}$$

*Since  $x^2 \cdot x^4 = x^{2+4} = x^6$*

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{3x^{-2}}{x^4} &= 3 \cdot \frac{x^{-2}}{x^4} = 3 \cdot x^{-2-4} \\
 &= 3 \cdot x^{-6} = 3 \cdot \frac{1}{x^6} = \boxed{\frac{3}{x^6}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{3x^{-2}}{x^4} = \frac{3}{x^4 \cdot x^2} = \boxed{\frac{3}{x^6}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(b)} \frac{4y^3}{y^{-5}} &= \frac{4y^3}{\frac{1}{y^5}} = \frac{4y^3}{\frac{1}{y^5}} \\
 &= 4y^3 \cdot y^5 = \frac{4y^3 y^5}{1} \\
 &= \frac{4y^8}{1} = \boxed{4y^8}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{4y^3}{y^{-5}} = 4y^{3-(-5)} = \boxed{4y^8}$$

\* negative exponent in numerator  
 ↪ pos exponent in denominator

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 ↪ pos exponent in numerator

you can "pass" a factor across the fraction bar by switching the sign of the exponent  $\oplus \ominus$

$$\frac{4y^3}{y^{-5}} = 4y^3 y^5 = \boxed{4y^8}$$

**Example.** Simplify the expression and write your answer without negative exponents:

$$\left(\frac{25x^4y^{-5}}{x^{-6}y^3}\right)^{3/2} = \left(\frac{25x^4x^6}{y^3y^5}\right)^{3/2} = \left(\frac{25x^{10}}{y^8}\right)^{3/2}$$

$(ab)^n = a^n b^n$   
 $\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^n = \frac{a^n}{b^n}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{25^{3/2} \cdot (x^{10})^{3/2}}{(y^8)^{3/2}} \\
 &= \frac{25^{3/2} \cdot x^{10 \cdot 3/2}}{y^{8 \cdot 3/2}} = \frac{25^{3/2} \cdot x^{15}}{y^{12}} \\
 &\quad \boxed{125x^{15} \over y^{12}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{3}{2} = 3 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 25^{3/2} &= 25^{3 \cdot 1/2} = 25^{1/2 \cdot 3} \\
 &= (25^3)^{1/2} = (25^{1/2})^3 \\
 &= (\sqrt{25})^3 = 5^3 = 125
 \end{aligned}$$

### Rules for Radicals

- $\sqrt[n]{a \cdot b} = \sqrt[n]{a} \sqrt[n]{b}$

- \*  $(a \cdot b)^{1/n} = a^{1/n} b^{1/n}$

- $\sqrt[n]{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{\sqrt[n]{a}}{\sqrt[n]{b}}$

$$\left(\frac{a}{c}\right)^{1/n} = \frac{a^{1/n}}{c^{1/n}}$$

$\checkmark \sqrt[n]{a+b} \neq \sqrt[n]{a} + \sqrt[n]{b}$   
 $\sqrt[n]{a-b} \neq \sqrt[n]{a} - \sqrt[n]{b}$

- $a^{m/n} = \sqrt[n]{a^m} = (\sqrt[n]{a})^m$

$$\sqrt{9 \cdot 16} = \sqrt{9} \cdot \sqrt{16} = 12$$

$$\sqrt[3]{\frac{64}{8}} = \frac{\sqrt[3]{64}}{\sqrt[3]{8}} = 2$$

Ex:  $\sqrt{1+1} \neq \sqrt{1} + \sqrt{1}$   
 $\sqrt{2-1} \neq \sqrt{2} - \sqrt{1}$

Example. Simplify. (Assume all variables represent positive numbers.)

pull as much as possible  
out of radical sign

$$\sqrt{60x^2y^6z^{-11}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{60x^2y^6}{z^{11}}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{2^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot x^2 y^6}{z^{11}}}$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{2^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot x^2 \cdot y^2 \cdot y^2 \cdot y^2}{z^2 \cdot z^2 \cdot z^2 \cdot z^2 \cdot z^2 \cdot z}}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 60 \\ / \quad \backslash \\ 6 \quad 10 \\ / \backslash \quad / \backslash \\ 2 \quad 3 \quad 2 \quad 5 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{2^2} \sqrt{3 \cdot 5} \sqrt{x^2} \sqrt{y^2} \sqrt{y^2} \sqrt{y^2}}{\sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{z^2} \sqrt{z}} = \frac{2 \sqrt{3 \cdot 5} \cdot x \cdot y \cdot y \cdot y}{z \cdot z \cdot z \cdot z \cdot z \cdot \sqrt{z}}$$
$$= \boxed{\frac{2\sqrt{15} \cdot x \cdot y^3}{z^5 \sqrt{z}}}$$

Example. Rationalize the denominator. (Assume  $x$  represents a positive number.)

$$\frac{3x}{\sqrt{x}} \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \\ \text{rewrite w/o } \sqrt{\phantom{x}} \end{matrix} \quad \text{in denom}$$

$$\frac{3x}{\sqrt{x}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x}} = \frac{3x\sqrt{x}}{(\sqrt{x})^2} = \frac{3x\cancel{\sqrt{x}}}{\cancel{x}} = \boxed{3\sqrt{x}}$$

1. Pull out the greatest common factor GCF : the largest thing that divides each term
- Example. Factor  $15 + 25x$

$$\text{GCF} = 5$$

$$5(3 + 5x)$$

One way to finde GCF (or ggt in germany) is to seach for the smallest power of it; here it is the  $x^2$  and  $y$

Example. Factor  $x^2y + y^2x^3$

$$\text{GCF} : x^2y$$

$$x^2y(1 + xy)$$

$$\frac{y^2x^3}{x^2y} \sim \cancel{\frac{yy\cancel{x}\cdot \cancel{x}x}{\cancel{xx}\cdot y}}$$

check:  $x^2y(1 + xy)$

$$= x^2y + x^3y^2 \quad \checkmark$$

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**2. Factor by grouping**

Example. Factor  $x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x + 12$  \* look for 4 terms

$$x^2(x+3) + 4(x+3)$$

$$(x^2 + 4)(x+3)$$



## 3. Factor quadratics

Example. Factor  $x^2 - 6x + 8$ 

$$(x \pm \quad)(x \pm \quad)$$

$$(x - 2)(x - 4)$$

check:  $x^2 - 4x - 2x + 8$   
 $x^2 - 6x + 8 \checkmark$

1	8
2	4
4	2
8	1
-1	-8
-2	1 - 4

Example. Factor  $10x^2 + 11x - 6$  use factoring by grouping

$$\begin{array}{c} -60 \\ \cancel{-4} \quad \cancel{15} \\ \cancel{11} \end{array}$$

Find two numbers that multiply  
to  $-60$  and add to  $11$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & 10x^2 - 4x + 15x - 6 \\ & 2x(5x - 2) + 3(5x - 2) \\ & (2x + 3)(5x - 2) \end{aligned}$$

-1	60
-2	30
-3	20
-4	15
-5	12

$$15 - 4 = 11$$

#### 4. Difference of squares

$$\underline{a^2 - b^2} = (a+b)(a-b)$$

Example. Factor  $x^2 - 16$

$$x^2 - 16 = x^2 - 4^2$$

$$(x+4)(x-4)$$

check:  $(a+b)(a-b) = a^2 - \cancel{ab} + \cancel{ba} - b^2$   
 $= a^2 - b^2 \quad \checkmark$

Example. Factor  $9p^2 - 1$

$$(3p)^2 - 1^2 = (3p+1)(3p-1)$$



sum of squares

$$x^2 + 4 = x^2 + 2^2 \quad \text{Does Not factor}$$

**5. Difference or sum of cubes**

$$a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$$

$$a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$

**Example.** Factor  $y^3 + 27$

$$\begin{aligned}y^3 + 3^3 &= (y + 3)(y^2 - y \cdot 3 + 3^2) \\&= (y + 3)(y^2 - 3y + 9)\end{aligned}$$

# FACTORING

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### ADDITIONAL EXAMPLES

Question. Which of these expressions DOES NOT factor?

A.  $x^2 + x$  *pull out common factor*

$$x(x+1)$$

B.  $x^2 - 25$

$$(x)^2 - (5)^2$$

$$a^2 - b^2 = (a+b)(a-b)$$

$$(x+5)(x-5)$$

*difference of squares*

C.  $x^2 + 4$

*does not factor*

D.  $\underline{x^3} + \underline{2x^2} + 3x + 6$

*factor by grouping*

$$x^2(x+2) + 3(x+2) \rightarrow (x+2)(x^2 + 3)$$

E.  $\underline{5x^2} - \underline{14x} + 8$

*factor a quadratic using grouping*

$$\underline{5x^2 - 4x} - \underline{10x + 8}$$

$$x(5x-4) - 2(5x-4)$$

$$(5x-4)(x-2)$$

check: 
$$\begin{array}{r} 26 \\ 5x^2 - 10x - 4x + 8 \\ \hline 5x^2 - 14x + 8 \end{array}$$



2 numbers  
that multiply to  
40 & add to -14

40	
-1	40
-2	-20
-4	-10

Question. Factoring by grouping is handy for factoring which of these expressions? How can you tell?

A.  $x^2 + x$

B.  $x^2 - 25$

C.  $x^2 + 4$

D.  $\underline{x^3 + 2x^2}$   $\underline{+ 3x + 6}$  ← 4 terms

E.  $5x^2 - 14x + 8$

after splitting → middle term

Question. What are some of the main techniques of factoring?

pull out common factors ←  $\checkmark$  pull out common factor first

diff of squares

factor by grouping

factor quadratics

factor sums and diff of cubes

$$a^3 - b^3 = (a-b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)$$

$$a^3 + b^3 = (a+b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$

$\checkmark$  you may need to keep factoring, using  
several of these methods

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Extra Example. Factor  $2z^2 + 3z - 14$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & \underbrace{2z^2 + 4z}_{2z(z+2)} + 7z - 14 \\ & 2z(z+2) + 7(z-2) \\ & (2z+7)(z-2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -28 \\ \cancel{-1} \cancel{3} | 7 \\ \hline -1 | 28 \\ \quad 1 | -28 \\ \hline -2 | 14 \\ \quad 2 | -14 \\ \hline \cancel{-4} | 7 \\ \quad 4 | -7 \end{array}$$

Extra Example. Factor  $-5v^2 - 45v + 50$  pull out common factor first

$$\begin{aligned} & -5(v^2 + 9v - 10) \\ & -5(v + 10)(v - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Reduce to lowest terms

Example. Simplify  $\frac{21}{45}$  by reducing to lowest terms.

$$21 = 7 \cdot 3$$

$$45 = 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$$

$$\frac{\cancel{7} \cdot \cancel{3}}{5 \cdot 3 \cdot \cancel{3}} = \frac{1}{15}$$

Example. Simplify  $\frac{3x+6}{x^2+4x+4}$  by reducing to lowest terms.

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

## Multiplying and Dividing

Example. Compute

$$\text{a) } \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{2}{5} = \frac{4 \cdot 2}{3 \cdot 5} = \frac{8}{15}$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{\frac{4}{5}}{\frac{2}{3}} = \frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{3}{2} = \frac{12}{10} = \frac{6}{5}$$

Example. Compute  $\frac{\frac{x^2+x}{x+4}}{\frac{x+1}{x^2-16}}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{x^2+x}{x+4} \cdot \frac{x^2-16}{x+1} = \frac{(x^2+x)(x^2-16)}{(x+4)(x+1)} \\
 &= \frac{x(x+1)(x+4)(x-4)}{(x+4)(x+1)} = \boxed{x(x-4)}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Adding and Subtracting

Example. Subtract  $\frac{7}{6} - \frac{4}{15} = \frac{7}{6} \cdot \frac{5}{5} - \frac{4}{15} \cdot \frac{2}{2}$

CD:  $6 \cdot 15 = 90$

LCD:  $6 = 2 \cdot 3$ ,  $15 = 3 \cdot 5$

$2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 = 30$

Example. Add  $\frac{3}{2x+2} + \frac{5}{x^2-1}$

LCD: smallest CD

$$= \frac{35}{30} - \frac{8}{30} = \frac{27}{30} = \frac{3^3}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5} = \frac{3^2}{2 \cdot 5} = \frac{9}{10}$$

LCD:  $2x+2 = 2(x+1)$   
 $x^2-1 = (x+1)(x-1)$

$2(x+1)(x-1)$

$$\frac{3}{2(x+1)} \cdot \frac{(x-1)}{(x-1)} + \frac{5}{(x-1)(x+1)} \cdot \frac{2}{2} = \frac{3(x-1)}{2(x+1)(x-1)} + \frac{5 \cdot 2}{2(x+1)(x-1)}$$

$$\frac{3(x-1) + 10}{2(x+1)(x-1)} = \frac{3x-3+10}{2(x+1)(x-1)} = \boxed{\frac{3x+7}{2(x+1)(x-1)}}$$

Example.  $w^2 = 121$

write in standard form

$$w^2 - 121 = 0$$

$$a=1 \quad b=0 \quad c=-121$$

$$aw^2 + bw + c = 0$$

factors

$$(w+11)(w-11) = 0$$

set factors = 0

$$w+11=0 \quad \vee \quad w-11=0$$

$$w = -11 \quad \text{or} \quad w = 11$$

$$w^2 = 121$$

$$w = \pm \sqrt{121}$$

$$w = \pm 11$$

Example. Find all real solutions for the equation  $y^2 = 18 - 7y$

① write in standard form

$$y^2 - 18 + 7y = 0$$

$$y^2 + 7y - 18 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \cancel{-18} \\ \cancel{9} \times \cancel{-2} \\ 1 \end{array}$$

② factor

$$(y + 9)(y - 2) = 0$$

③ set factors equal to 0 & solve

$$y + 9 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -9 \quad \text{or} \quad y = 2$$

check:

$$(-9)^2 \stackrel{?}{=} 18 - 7(-9) \quad \checkmark$$

$$2^2 \stackrel{\checkmark}{=} 18 - 7(2) \quad \checkmark$$

Example. Find all real solutions for the equation  $x(x + 2) = 7$

write eqn in standard form

$$x^2 + 2x = 7$$

$$x^2 + 2x - 7 = 0$$

use quadratic eqn

$$a = 1 \quad b = 2 \quad c = -7$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4 \cdot 1 \cdot (-7)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{32}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 4\sqrt{2}}{2} = -1 \pm 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\rightarrow -\frac{2}{2} \pm \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{2} = -1 \pm 2\sqrt{2} \quad \text{answers: } \boxed{\begin{array}{l} -1 + 2\sqrt{2} \\ -1 - 2\sqrt{2} \end{array}}$$

$$\cancel{\begin{array}{c} -1 \\ 2 \end{array}} \quad \text{:()$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 7 \\ -1 \end{array}$$

Example. Find all real solutions for the equation  $\frac{1}{2}y^2 = \frac{1}{3}y - 2$

standard form

$$\frac{1}{2}y^2 - \frac{1}{3}y + 2 = 0$$

$$6\left(\frac{1}{2}y^2 - \frac{1}{3}y + 2\right) = 6 \cdot 0$$

$$3y^2 - 2y + 12 = 0$$

quadratic formula

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$x = \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(3)(12)}}{2(3)}$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{-140}}{6}$$

no real solutions

Example. Solve:  $\frac{x}{x+3} = 1 + \frac{1}{x}$

① Find LCD

$$(x+3) \cdot x$$

② Clear the denominators

$$(x+3)x \cdot \frac{x}{x+3} = ((x+3)(x)) \left( 1 + \frac{1}{x} \right)$$

$$\cancel{(x+3)(x)} \cdot \frac{x}{\cancel{x+3}} = (x+3)(x) \cdot 1 + \cancel{(x+3)(x)} \cdot \cancel{\frac{1}{x}}$$

$$x^2 = (x+3)(x) \cdot 1 + (x+3)$$

③ Simplify & solve

$$\cancel{x^2} = \cancel{x^2} + 3x + x + 3$$

$$0 = 4x + 3$$

$$\boxed{x = -\frac{3}{4}}$$

④ plug in to check answer

$$\frac{-\frac{3}{4}}{-2q+3} ?= 1 + \frac{1}{-\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$\frac{-\frac{3}{4}}{2q} ?= 1 - \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\frac{-\frac{3}{4}}{2q} ?= -\frac{1}{3} \checkmark$$

Example. Solve:  $\frac{4c}{c-5} - \frac{1}{c+1} = \frac{3c^2 + 3}{c^2 - 4c - 5}$

① Find LCD

$$(c-5), (c+1), (c-5)(c+1)$$

LCD:  $(c-5)(c+1)$

② Clear denominators

$$\frac{4c}{c-5} - \frac{1}{c+1} = \frac{(c-5)(c+1)}{(c-5)(c+1)} \cdot \frac{(3c^2 + 3)}{(3c^2 + 3)}$$

③ Simplify

$$4c^2 + 4c - (c-5) = 3c^2 + 3$$

$$4c^2 + 4c - c + 5 = 3c^2 + 3$$
$$c^2 + 3c + 5 = 3 \Rightarrow c^2 + 3c + 2 = 0$$

$$(c+1)(c+2) = 0$$

$$c+1=0 \quad \text{or} \quad c+2=0$$

$$c=-1 \quad \text{or} \quad c=-2$$

④ Check answer:  $c = -1$  is extraneous solution  $c = -2$

Example. Find all real solutions for the equation  $x + \sqrt{x} = 12$

① Isolate the  $\sqrt{ }$  term

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x + \sqrt{x} & = & 12 \\ -x & & -x \end{array}$$

$$\sqrt{x} = 12 - x$$

② Get rid of  $\sqrt{ }$  by squaring both sides

$$(\sqrt{x})^2 = (12 - x)^2$$

$$x = (12 - x)(12 - x)$$

$$x = 144 - 12x - 12x + x^2$$

$$x = 144 - 24x + x^2$$

$$0 = 144 - 25x + x^2$$

$$x^2 - 25x + 144 = 0$$

③ solve

$$\begin{array}{r} 144 \\ -25 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$(x-9)(x-16) = 0$$

$$x-9=0 \quad \text{or} \quad x-16=0$$

$$\boxed{x=9} \quad \text{or} \quad \cancel{x=16}$$

④ check solution  
& eliminate extraneous  
solutions

-1	-144
-2	-72
-3	-48
-4	-36
-5	-25
-6	-144
-7	-72
-8	-48
-9	-36
-10	-144
-11	-72
-12	-48

$$x=9$$

$$9 + \sqrt{9} \stackrel{?}{=} 12$$

$$9 + 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 12 \quad \checkmark$$

$$x=16$$

$$16 + \sqrt{16} \stackrel{?}{=} 12$$

$$16 + 4 \stackrel{?}{=} 12 \quad \times$$

Example. Find all real solutions for the equation  $2p^{4/5} = \frac{1}{8}$

① Isolate the part of eqn that involves the fractional exponent

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 p^{4/5} = \frac{1}{8} \cdot \frac{1}{2}$$

$$p^{4/5} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$(p^{4/5})^5 = \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5$$

$$p^4 = \pm \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5$$

$$p = \pm \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^{5/4}$$

② Solve using exponent rules

$$p = \pm \left(\sqrt[4]{\frac{1}{16}}\right)^5$$

$$p = \pm \left(\frac{\sqrt[4]{1}}{\sqrt[4]{16}}\right)^5$$

$$p = \pm \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^5$$

$$p = \pm \frac{1}{32} = \pm \frac{1}{52}$$

③ Get rid of the fractional exponent

$$(p^{4/5})^5 = \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5$$

$$p^{4 \cdot 5} = \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5$$

$$p^4 = \left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5$$

$$(p^4)^{1/4} = \pm \left(\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5\right)^{1/4}$$

$$p^{4 \cdot \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$p^1 = \pm \left(\left(\frac{1}{16}\right)^5\right)^{1/4}$$

$$x^4 = 4 \quad x^3 = -8$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt[4]{4}$$

$$x = \pm 2$$

$$(-2)^4 = 4$$

$$(2)^4 = 4$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sqrt[n]{( )^m} \\ ( )^{m/n} \end{array} \right\} \text{ include } \pm$$

④ Check answers

$$p = \frac{1}{52}$$

$$p = -\frac{1}{52}$$

$$2 \left(\frac{1}{52}\right)^{4/5} = 2 \cdot \frac{1^{4/5}}{52^{4/5}} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{(\sqrt[4]{52})^4} \cdot 2 \cdot \cancel{52}^4$$

Example. Solve the equation  $5|4p - 3| + 16 = 1$

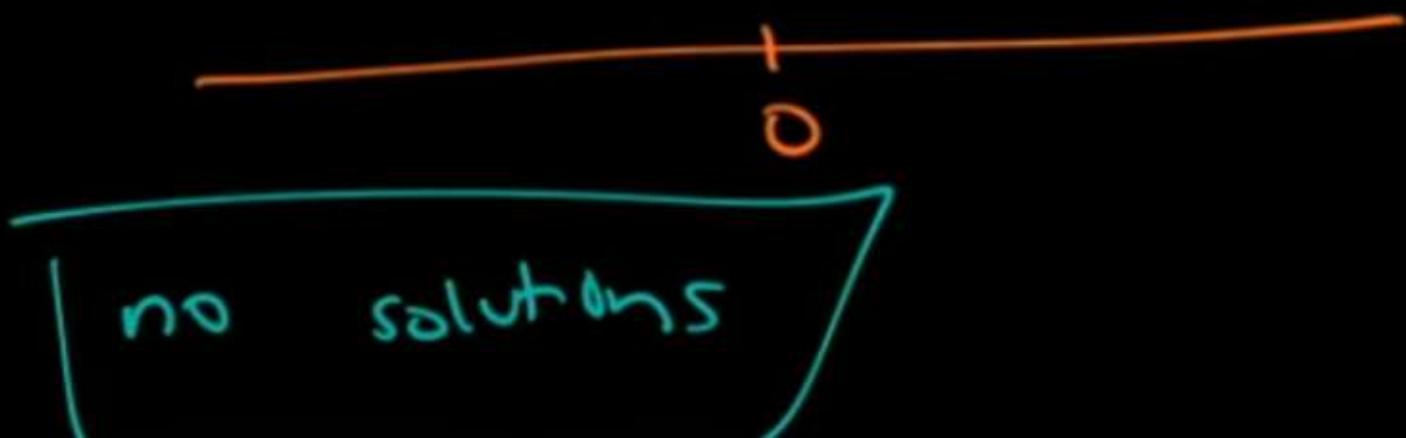
① isolate abs value part

$$5|4p - 3| + 16 = 1$$

$$5|4p - 3| = -15$$

$$|4p - 3| = -3 \times$$

② Think about distance on number line



# 102 Inequality

**Example.** Translate between inequality and interval notation.

	Inequality Notation	Interval Notation
A.	$-3 \leq x < 1$	$[-3, 1)$
B.	$x < 5$	$(-\infty, 5)$
C.	$-15 < x$	$(-15, \infty)$
D.	$4 \geq x > 0$	$(0, 4]$

~~$x < 5$~~

$x \leq 4$

~~$[4, 0)$~~

**Note.** In interval notation, the smaller number is always on the left side.

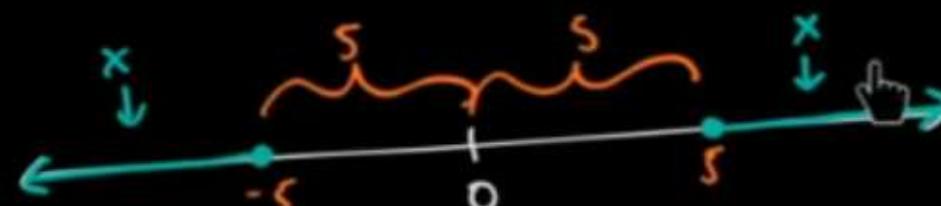


Example. What  $x$ -values satisfy  $|x| < 5$ ?



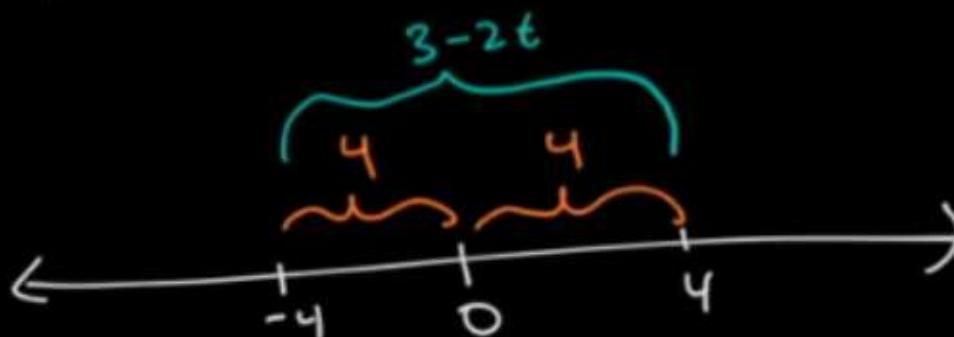
$$\begin{aligned} -5 &< x < 5 \\ (-5, 5) \end{aligned}$$

Example. What  $x$ -values satisfy  $|x| \geq 5$ ?

$$\begin{aligned} x &\leq -5 \quad \text{OR} \quad x \geq 5 \\ (-\infty, -5] \cup [5, \infty) \end{aligned}$$

Example. Solve  $|3 - 2t| < 4$

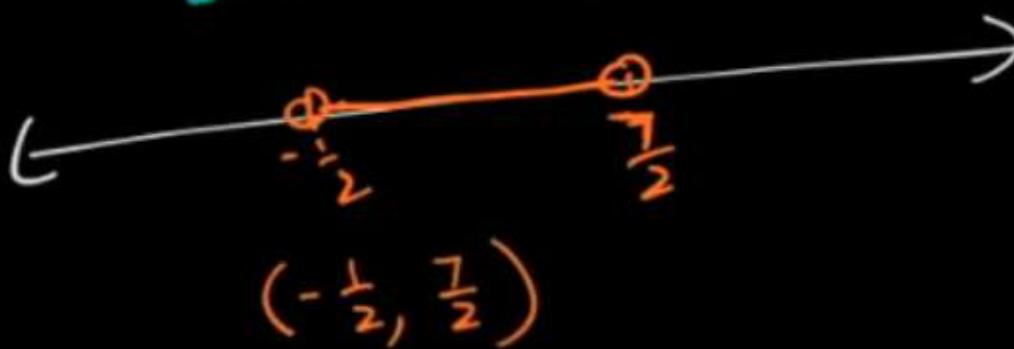


$$-4 < 3 - 2t < 4$$

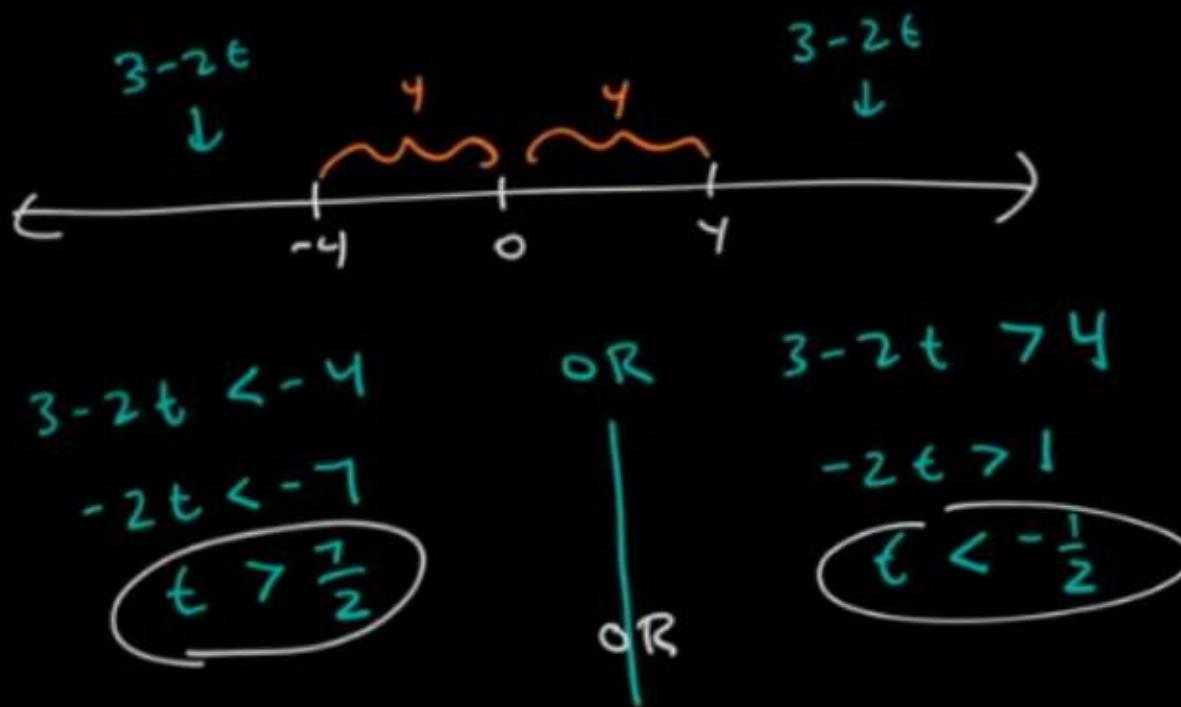
$$-7 < -2t < 1$$

$$-\frac{7}{2} > t > \frac{1}{2}$$

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



Example. Solve  $|3 - 2t| > 4$



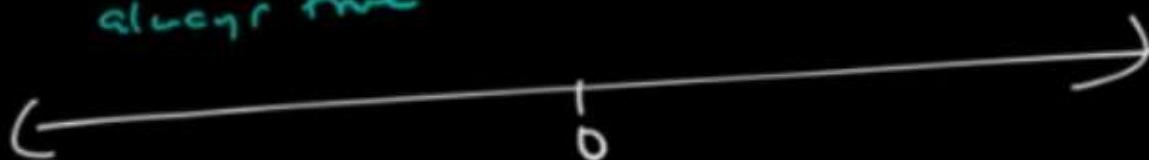
$$(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}) \cup (\frac{7}{2}, \infty)$$

Example. Solve  $2|4x + 5| + 7 \geq 1$

$$2|4x + 5| \geq -6$$

$$|4x + 5| \geq -3$$

↑  
always true



$$(-\infty, \infty)$$

all real numbers

Example. Solve:  $-5(x + 2) + 3 > 8$

$$-5x - 10 + 3 > 8$$

$$-5x - 7 > 8$$

$$-5x > 15$$

$$x < \frac{15}{-5}$$

$$\boxed{x < -3}$$

! If you multiply or divide an inequality by a negative number, then you need to reverse the inequality.

$$\begin{aligned} -x &< -5 \\ x &> 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\xleftarrow{-3} \quad \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}}$$

$$(-\infty, -3)$$

Example. Solve:  $3x - 4 \leq x - 8$  OR  $6x + 1 > 10$

$$3x - 4 \leq x - 8$$

$$3x \leq x - 4$$

$$2x \leq -4$$

$$x \leq -2$$

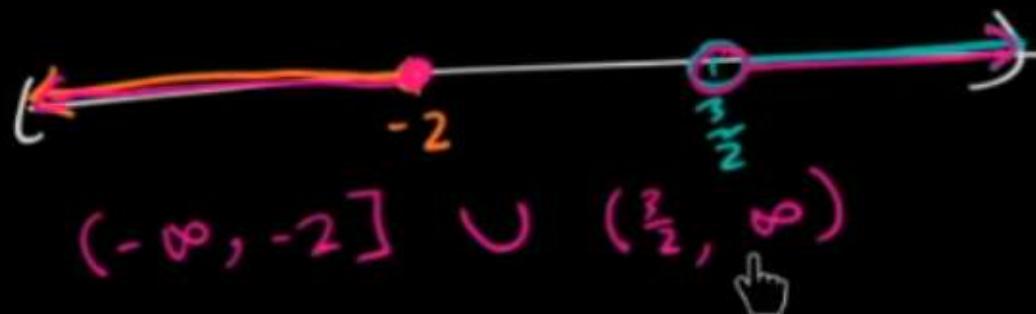
OR

$$6x + 1 > 10$$

$$6x > 9$$

$$x > \frac{9}{6}$$

$$x > \frac{3}{2}$$



Solve:  $-\frac{2}{3}y > -12$  AND  $-4y + 2 > 5$

$$\begin{array}{c|c} y < -12 \cdot -\frac{3}{2} & -4y > 3 \\ y < 18 & y < \frac{3}{-4} \\ \text{AND} & y < -\frac{3}{4} \end{array}$$



$$(-\infty, -\frac{3}{4})$$

Example. Solve:  $-3 \leq 6x - 2 < 10$

$$\begin{array}{l} -3 \leq 6x - 2 \quad \text{AND} \quad 6x - 2 < 10 \\ \vdots \\ -\frac{1}{6} \leq x \quad \text{AND} \quad x < 2 \\ -\frac{1}{6} \leq x < 2 \end{array}$$

$$-3 \leq 6x - 2 < 10$$

$$-1 \leq 6x < 12$$

$$-\frac{1}{6} \leq x < 2$$



$$[-\frac{1}{6}, 2)$$

Example. Solve  $x^2 < 4$

$$\begin{array}{c} \cancel{x^2 = 4} \\ \cancel{x = 2} \\ \cancel{x = -2} \\ x < 2 \end{array}$$

Ex:  $x = -10$  satisfies  $x < 2$   
 but doesn't satisfy  $x^2 < 4$  since  $(-10)^2 = 100 \not< 4$

① Move all terms to one side, with 0 on other side

$$x^2 < 4$$

$$x^2 - 4 < 0$$

② Solve the equation

$$x^2 - 4 = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x+2) = 0$$

$$x-2=0 \quad x+2=0$$

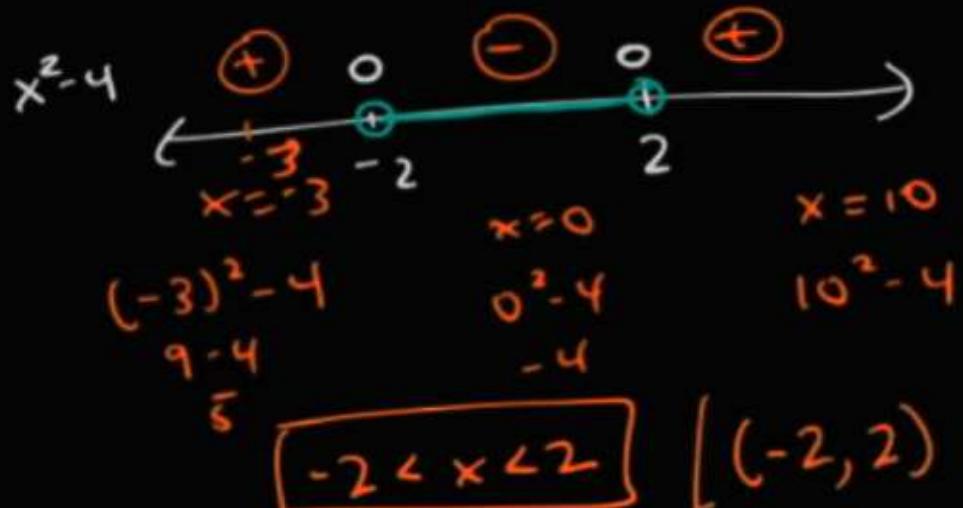
$$x=2 \quad x=-2$$

$$x^2 = 4$$

$$x = 2$$

$$x = -2$$

③ Plot solution to equation



Example. Solve  $x^3 \geq 5x^2 + 6x$

① Move all terms to one side

$$x^3 - 5x^2 - 6x \geq 0$$

② Solve equation by factoring

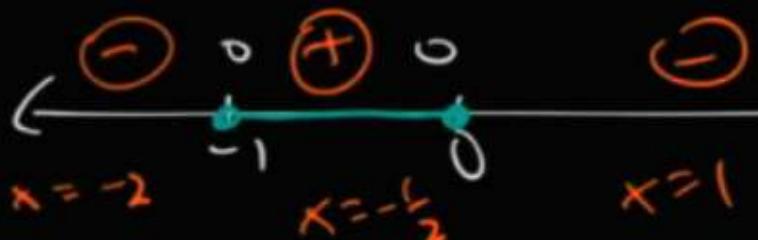
$$x^3 - 5x^2 - 6x = 0$$

$$x(x^2 - 5x - 6) = 0$$

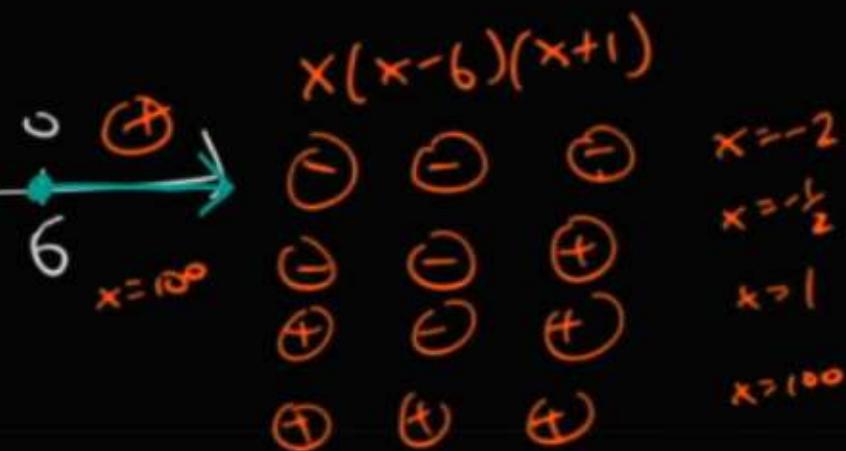
$$x(x-6)(x+1) = 0$$

$$x=0 \quad x=6 \quad x=-1$$

③ Write solution to eqn on number line



$$[-1, 0] \cup [6, \infty)$$



$$x \geq 0$$

Example. Solve  $\frac{x^2 + 6x + 9}{x - 1} \leq 0$

① Move all terms to one side ✓

② Solve equation

$$\frac{x^2 + 6x + 9}{x - 1} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 6x + 9 &< 0 \\ (x+3)^2 &= 0 \\ x &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

③ Find where rational expression DNE

$$x - 1 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

④ Pull all these values on number line

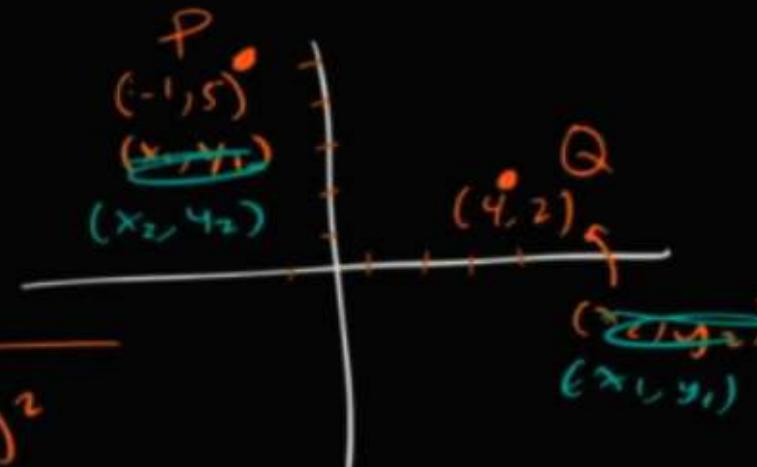


$$x < 1$$

$$(-\infty, 1)$$

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**Example.** Find the distance between the points  $P(-1, 5)$  and  $Q(4, 2)$ .



$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{(4 - (-1))^2 + (2 - 5)^2}$$

$$d = \sqrt{5^2 + (-3)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 9}$$

$$= \sqrt{34}$$

$$d = \sqrt{(-1 - 4)^2 + (5 - 2)^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{(-5)^2 + 3^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 + 9}$$

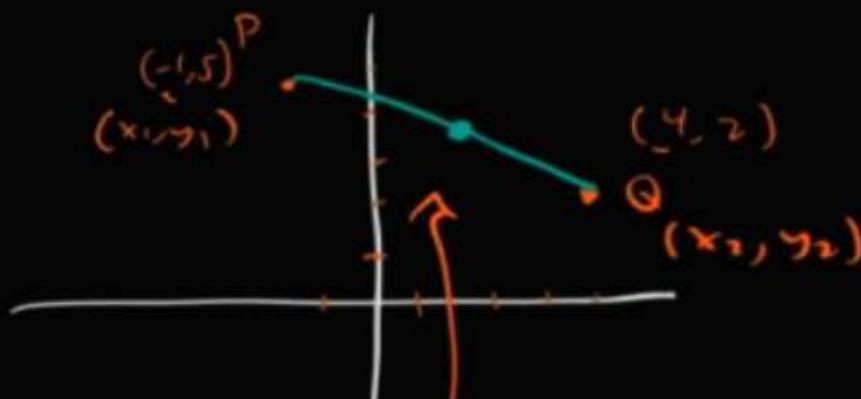
$$= \sqrt{34}$$

Example. Find the midpoint of the segment between the points  $P(-1, 5)$  and  $Q(4, 2)$ .

$$\left( \frac{x_1 + x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{-1 + 4}{2}, \frac{5 + 2}{2} \right)$$

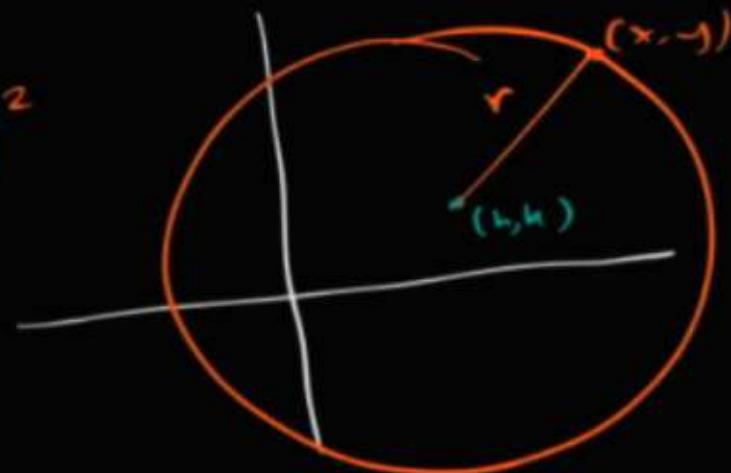
$$\left( \frac{3}{2}, \frac{7}{2} \right)$$



Note. The equation of a circle with radius  $r$  centered at the point  $(h, k)$  is given by:

$$\text{dist} = r = \sqrt{(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2}$$
$$r^2 = (\sqrt{(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2})^2$$
$$(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$

radius  $r$ , center  $(h, k)$



Ex Find the equation of a circle of radius 6, center

$$(0, -3)$$

$\curvearrowleft$   
 $r = 6$        $(h, k)$

$$(x-0)^2 + (y-(-3))^2 = 6^2$$

$$\underline{x^2 + (y+3)^2 = 36}$$

**Example.** Does this equation represent a circle? If so, what is the center and what is the radius?

$$(x - 5)^2 + (y + 6)^2 = 5$$

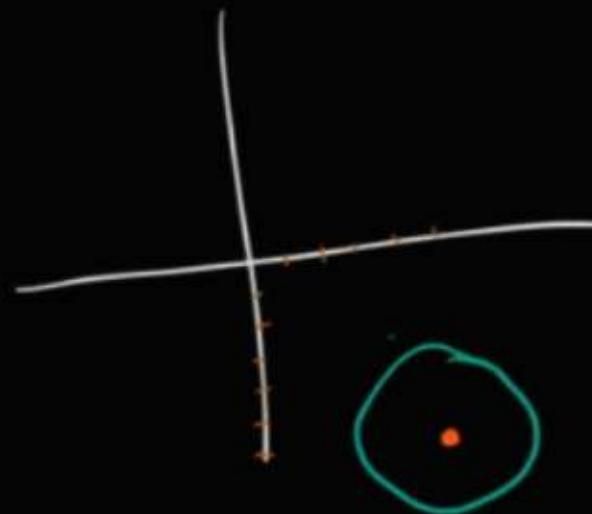
$$(x - h)^2 + (y - k)^2 = r^2$$

$$\text{let } h = 5 \quad y = -6 \quad 5 = r^2 \\ \Rightarrow r = \sqrt{5}$$

(5, -6)

center

↗  
radius



**Example.** Does this equation represent a circle? If so, what is the center and what is the radius?

$$9x^2 + 9y^2 + 72x - 18y + 36 = 0$$



$$x^2 + y^2 + 8x - 2y + 4 = 0$$

$$x^2 + 8x + y^2 - 2y = -4$$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16 + y^2 - 2y = -4 + 16$$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16 + y^2 - 2y + 1 = -4 + 16 + 1$$

$$(x+4)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 13$$

$$(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$

$$(x-h)^2 = (x-h)(x-h)$$

$$= x^2 - hx - hx + h^2$$

$$= x^2 - 2hx + h^2$$

$$\left(\frac{8}{2}\right)^2 = 4^2 = 16$$

$$\left(\frac{-2}{2}\right)^2 = 1$$

center:  $(-4, -1)$

radius:  $\sqrt{13}$

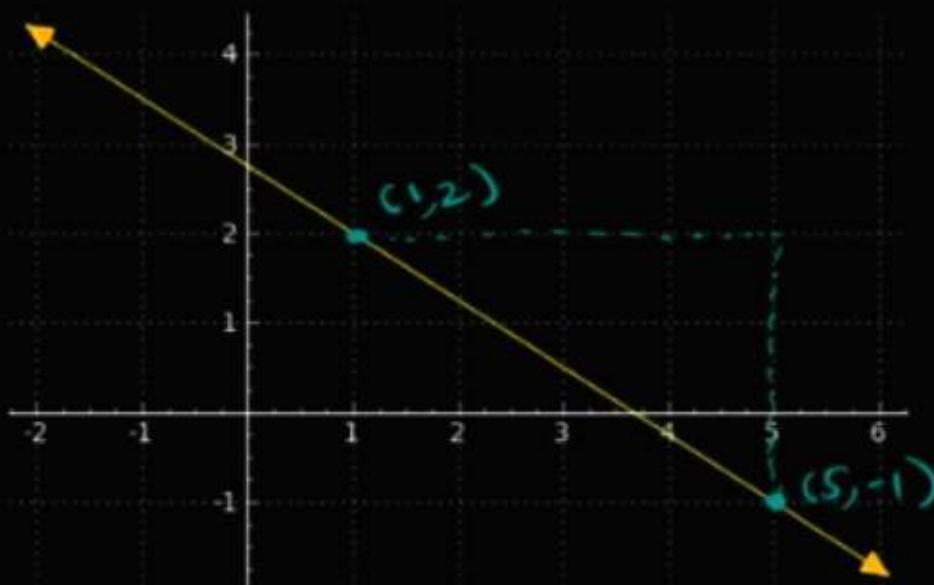
completing the square

$Ax^2 + Ay^2 + Bx + Cy + D = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} & (x+4)(x+4) \\ &= x^2 + 4x + 4x + 16 \\ &= x^2 + 8x + 16 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (y-1)(y-1) \\ & y^2 - y - y + 1 \\ & y^2 - 2y + 1 \end{aligned}$$

Example. Find the equation of this line.



$$y = mx + b$$

↑      ↑  
slope    y-intercept

$$\text{slope} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

use  $(x_1, y_1)$  &  $(x_2, y_2)$   
represent points on  
the line

$$\text{slope} = \boxed{\frac{-3}{4}}$$

OR  $\frac{-1 - 2}{5 - 1} = \frac{-3}{4}$        $m = -\frac{3}{4}$

$$y = mx + b \Rightarrow y = -\frac{3}{4}x + b$$

plug in pt:  $(1, 2)$  for  $x$  &  $y$

$$2 = -\frac{3}{4} \cdot 1 + b \Rightarrow 2 = -\frac{3}{4} + b \Rightarrow 2 + \frac{3}{4} = b$$

$$b = \frac{8}{4} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{11}{4}$$

$$\boxed{y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{11}{4}}$$

Example. Find the equation of the line through the points  $(1, 2)$  and  $(4, -3)$ .

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-3 - 2}{4 - 1} = \frac{-5}{3}$$

method 1

$$y = mx + b$$

$$y = -\frac{5}{3}x + b$$

$$2 = -\frac{5}{3} \cdot 1 + b$$

$$y = -\frac{5}{3}x + \frac{11}{3}$$

slope-intercept form

use one pt  $(1, 2)$

$$\Rightarrow b = 2 + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{6}{3} + \frac{5}{3} = \frac{11}{3}$$

point slope form

use  $(x_0, y_0)$  is a pt on line  
m is slope

method 2

$$y - y_0 = m(x - x_0)$$

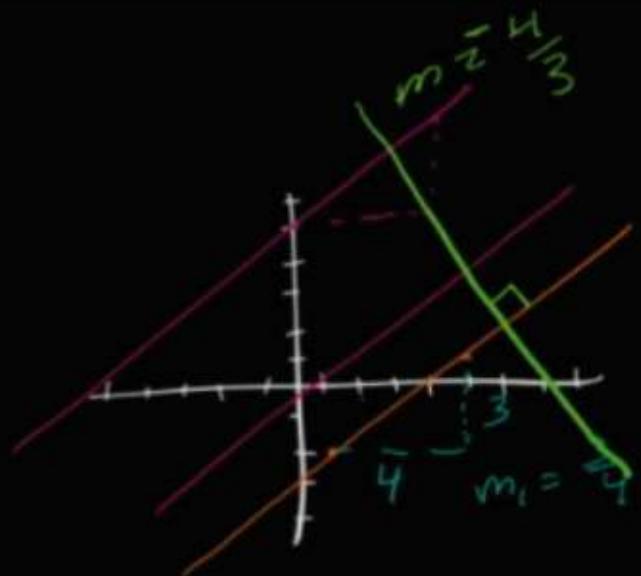
$$m = \frac{-3 - 2}{4 - 1} = -\frac{5}{3}$$

plug in d  $\boxed{(1, 2)}$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{5}{3}(x - 1)$$

$$y - 2 = -\frac{5}{3}x + \frac{5}{3}$$

$$y = -\frac{5}{3}x + 2 + \frac{5}{3} \Rightarrow \boxed{y = -\frac{5}{3}x + \frac{11}{3}}$$



## Parallel and Perpendicular Lines

parallel lines have  
the same slope

perpendicular lines  
have opposite reciprocal  
slopes

$m_1$	$m_2$ opposite reciprocal
2	$-\frac{1}{2}$
$-\frac{1}{3}$	3
$\frac{7}{2}$	$-\frac{2}{7}$

**Example.** Find the equation of a line that is parallel to the line  $3y - 4x + 6 = 0$  and goes through the point  $(-3, 2)$ .

$$3y - 4x + 6 = 0$$

$$3y = 4x - 6$$

$$y = \frac{4}{3}x - \frac{6}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{4}{3}x - 2$$

$$m_1 = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$m_2 = \frac{4}{3}$$

new line

$$y = \frac{4}{3}x + b$$

$$2 = \frac{4}{3}(-3) + b$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = -\frac{12}{3} + b \Leftrightarrow 2 = -4 + b$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 6$$

$$y = \frac{4}{3}x + 6$$

**Example.** Find the equation of a line that is perpendicular to the line  $6x + 3y = 4$  and goes through the point  $(4, 1)$ .

$$6x + 3y = 4$$

$$3y = -6x + 4$$

$$y = -\frac{6}{3}x + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$y = -2x + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$m_1 = -2$$

$$m_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

pass through  $(4, 1)$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x + b$$

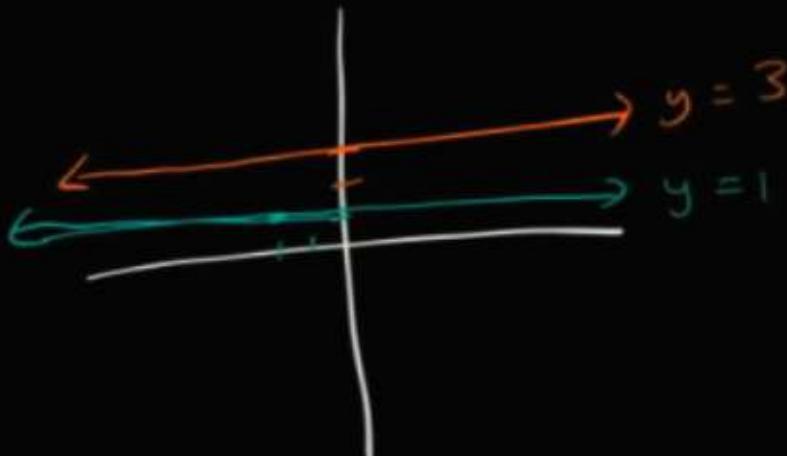
$$1 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 + b \Rightarrow$$

$$1 = 2 + b \Rightarrow b = -1$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x - 1$$

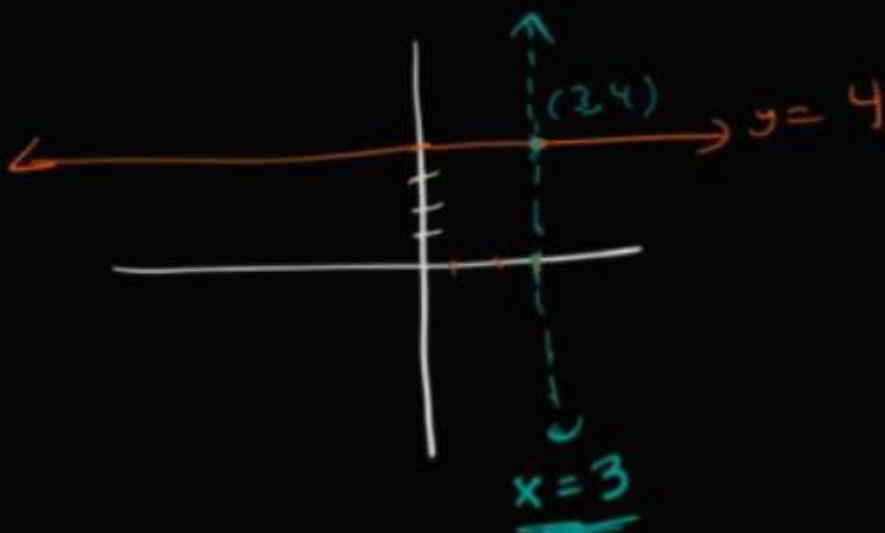
**Example.** Find the equation of the line that is parallel to  $y = 3$  and goes through the point  $(-2, 1)$ .

$$\boxed{y = 1}$$

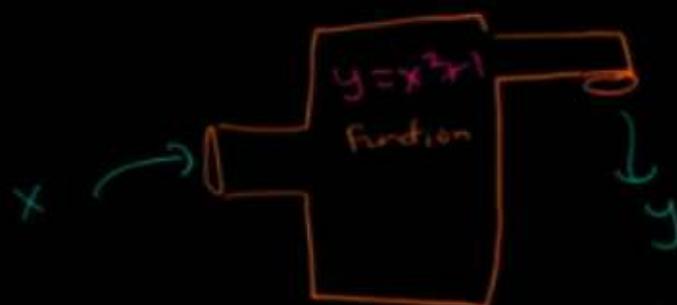


**Example.** Find the equation of the line that is perpendicular to  $y = 4$  and goes through the point  $(3, 4)$ .

$$\boxed{x = 3}$$



**Definition.** A function is correspondence between input numbers (x-values) and output numbers (y-value) that sends each input number (x-value) to exactly one output number (y-value).



Sometimes, a function is described with an equation.

**Example.**  $y = x^2 + 1$ , which can also be written as  $f(x) = x^2 + 1$

What is  $f(2)$ ?

$f(5)$ ?

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

$$f(5) = 5^2 + 1 = 26$$

✓  $f(x)$  is  
function notation  
NOT multiplication

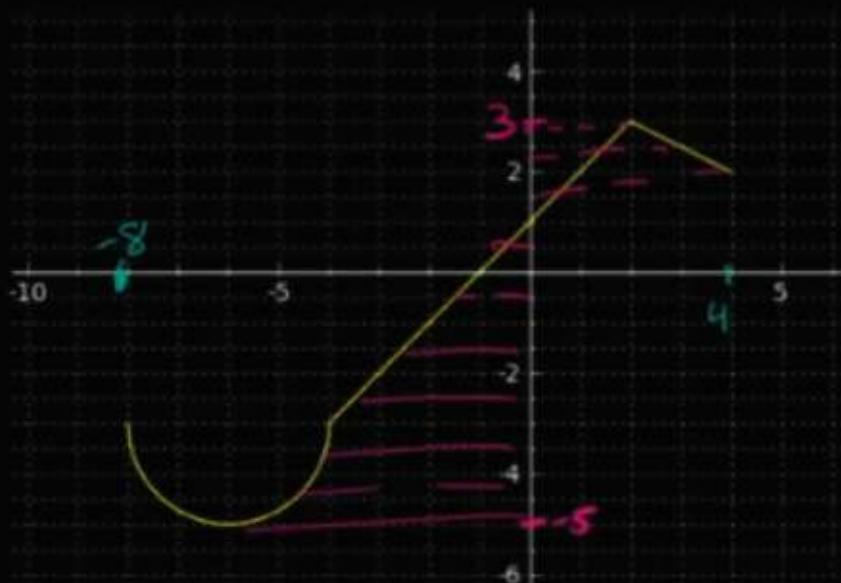
What is  $f(a + 3)$ ?

$$f(a+3) = (a+3)^2 + 1 = a^2 + 6a + 9 + 1 = a^2 + 6a + 10$$

✓  $f(a+3) \neq a + 3^2 + 1$

**Definition.** The domain of a function is all possible x-values. The range is the y-values.

**Example.** What is the domain and range of the function  $g(x)$  graphed below?



domain for  $g(x)$   
 $-8 \leq x \leq 4$   
 $[-8, 4]$

range for  $g(x)$   
 $-5 \leq y \leq 3$   
 $[-5, 3]$

Example. What are the domains of these functions?

A.  $g(x) = \frac{x}{x^2 - 4x + 3}$

Need  $x^2 - 4x + 3 \neq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 - 4x + 3 &= 0 \\(x-3)(x-1) &= 0 \\x = 3 \text{ or } x &= 1\end{aligned}$$

exclude these values



To find domain:

- 1) Exclude  $x$ -values that make denominator 0
- 2) Exclude  $x$ -values that make an expression inside a  $\sqrt{\quad}$  negative

Domain:  $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

B.  $f(x) = \sqrt{3 - 2x}$

exclude  $3 - 2x < 0$

include  $3 - 2x \geq 0$

$$\begin{aligned}3 &\geq 2x \\x &\leq \frac{3}{2}\end{aligned}$$

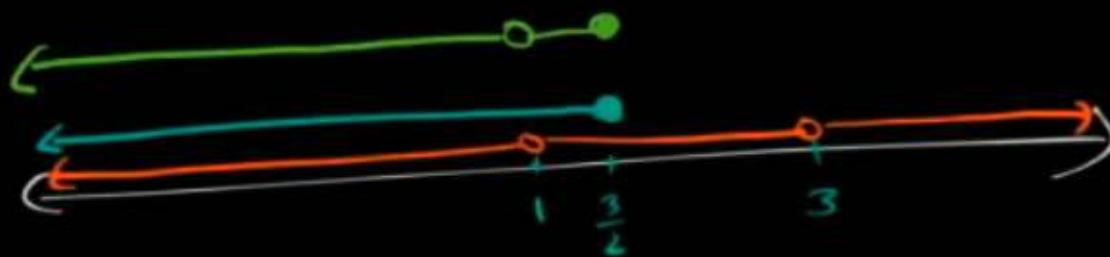


domain:

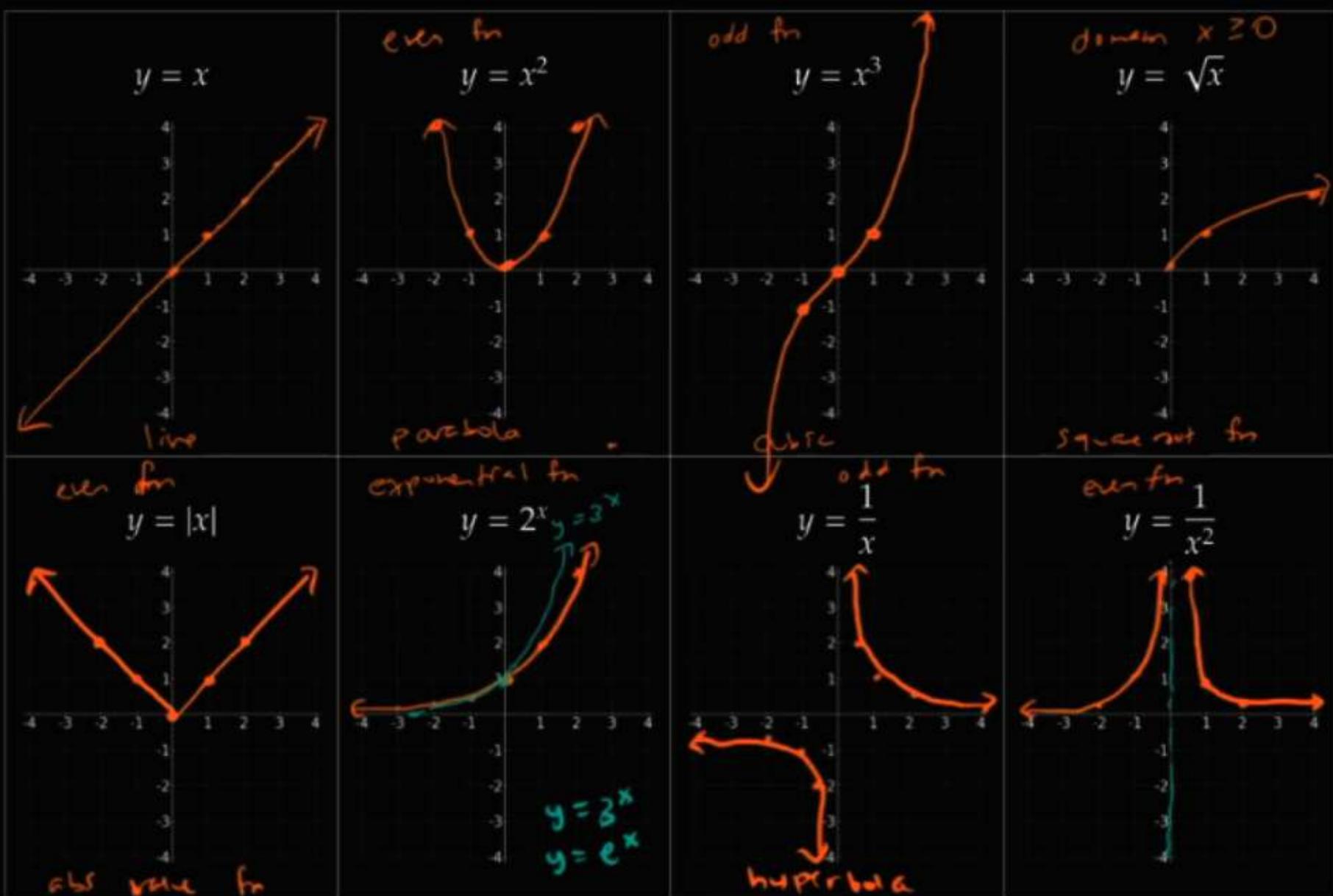
$$(-\infty, \frac{3}{2}]$$

$$C. h(x) = \frac{\sqrt{3-2x}}{x^2 - 4x + 3}$$

Need  $x^2 - 4x + 3 \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow x \neq 3 \text{ and } x \neq 1$   
 AND  
 Need  $3-2x \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow x \leq \frac{3}{2}$



$$(-\infty, 1) \cup \left(1, \frac{3}{2}\right]$$



$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline x & y \\ \hline 0 & 2^0 = 1 \\ 1 & 2^1 = 2 \\ 2 & 2^2 = 4 \\ -1 & 2^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \\ \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline x & y \\ \hline 3 & 2^3 = 8 \\ -2 & 2^{-2} = \frac{1}{2^2} = \frac{1}{4} \\ -3 & 2^{-3} = \frac{1}{2^3} = \frac{1}{8} \\ \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \left(\frac{1}{(-1)}\right)^2 = 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{(2)}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2^2} = \frac{1}{4} = 4 \\ \left(\frac{1}{(-2)}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{2^2} = \frac{1}{4} = 4 \\ \end{array}$$

## Review of Function Notation

**Example.** Rewrite the following, if  $g(x) = \sqrt{x}$ .

- a)  $g(x) - 2 = \sqrt{x} - 2$  ← -2 is on outside of fn
- b)  $g(x - 2) = \sqrt{x-2}$  ← -2 is on inside of fn
- c)  $g(3x) = \sqrt{3x}$  ← multiply by 3 on inside of fn
- d)  $3g(x) = 3\sqrt{x}$  ← multiply by 3 on outside of fn
- e)  $g(-x) = \sqrt{-x}$  ← negative sign on inside of fn

**Example.** Rewrite the following in terms of  $g(x)$ , if  $g(x) = \sqrt{x}$ .

- f)  $\sqrt{x} + 17 = g(x) + 17$  ← add 17 on outside of fn
- g)  $\sqrt{x+12} = g(x+12)$  ← add 12 on inside of fn
- h)  $-36 \cdot \sqrt{x} = -36g(x)$  ← multiply by -36 on outside of fn
- i)  $\sqrt{\frac{1}{4}x} = g(\frac{1}{4}x)$  ← multiply by  $\frac{1}{4}$  on the inside of fn

Example. Graph

- $y = \sqrt{x}$

- $y = \sqrt{x} - 2$

- $y = \sqrt{x - 2}$

- $\leftarrow -2$  on outside of fn

- $\leftarrow -2$  on inside of fn

$x$	$\sqrt{x}$	$\sqrt{x} - 2$
0	0	-2
1	1	-1
4	2	0

$x$	$x - 2$	$\sqrt{x - 2}$
2	0	0
3	1	1
6	4	2



Rules for transformations:

$$y = \sqrt{x} - 2$$

- Numbers on the *outside* of the function affect the y-values and result in vertical motions. These motions are in the direction you expect.

$$y = \sqrt{x-2}$$

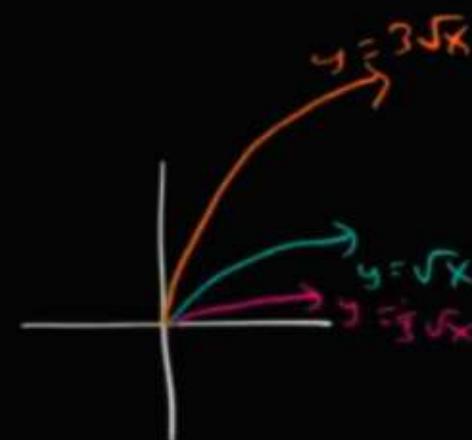
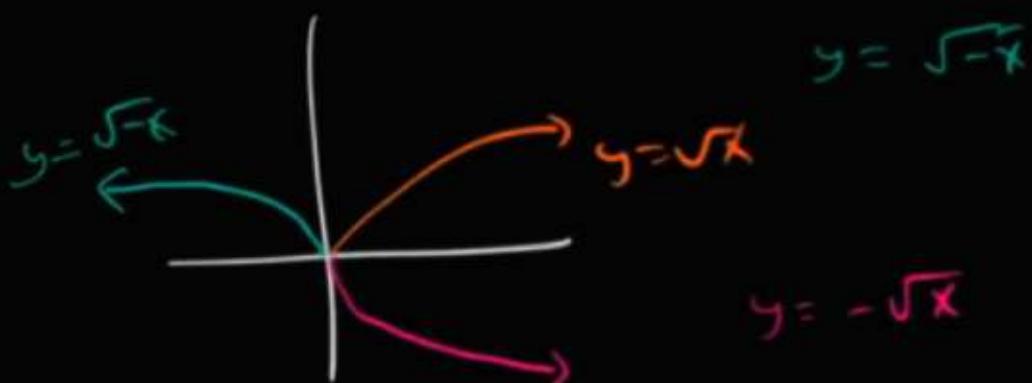
- Numbers on the *inside* of the function affect the x-values and result in horizontal motions. These motions go in the opposite direction from what you expect.

- Adding results in a shift (translations)

- Multiplying results in a stretch or shrink     $y = 3\sqrt{x}$

$$y = \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{x}$$

- A negative sign results in a reflection



**Example.** Consider  $g(x) = \sqrt{x}$ . How do the graphs of the following functions compare to the graph of  $y = \sqrt{x}$ ?

a)  $y = \sqrt{x} - 4$       move it down by 4 units



b)  $y = \sqrt{x+12}$       move graph left by 12 units       $y = \sqrt{x+12}$



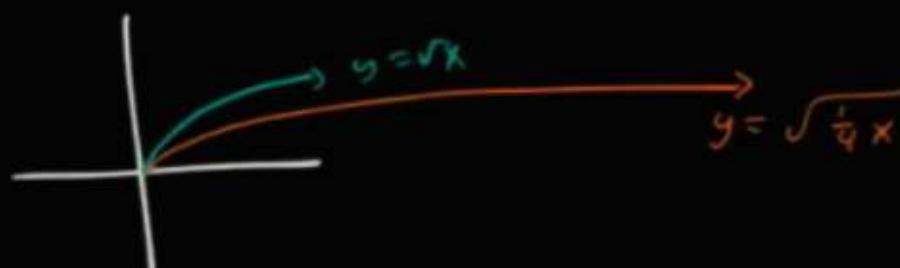
c)  $y = -3 \cdot \sqrt{x}$

stretch vertically by  
3 & reflect vertically  
(across x-axis)



d)  $y = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}x}$

stretch horizontally by  
factor of 4



$$y = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}x}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{4}} \sqrt{x}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{x}$$

$$y = \sqrt{x}$$

$$y = x^2$$

$$y = |x|$$

## Transformations of Functions

- numbers in outside  $\leftrightarrow$  y-values  $\leftrightarrow$  vertical motions
- a number on inside  $\leftrightarrow$  x-values  $\leftrightarrow$  horizontal motions
- adding/subtraction  $\leftrightarrow$  translations (shifts)
- multiplying/dividing  $\leftrightarrow$  stretches + shrink
- negative sign  $\leftrightarrow$  reflection

$$y = 3\sqrt{x} + 2$$

Example. Which of these equations represent quadratic functions?

- $g(x) = -5x^2 + 10x + 3$

yes

$$g(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$$

$$a = -5 \quad b = 10 \quad c = 3$$

- $f(x) = x^2 + 0 \cdot x + 0$

yes

$$a = 1 \quad b = 0 \quad c = 0$$

- $y = 3x - 2$

No, linear

Standard form

$$y = ax^2 + bx + c$$

Vertex form

$$y = a(x - h)^2 + k$$

- $y = 2(x - 3)^2 + 4$

$$y = 2(x - 3)(x - 3) + 4$$

$$y = 2(x^2 - 3x - 3x + 9) + 4$$

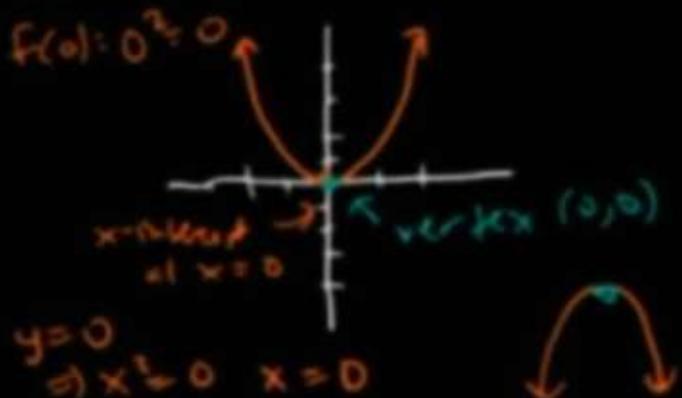
$$y = 2x^2 - 12x + 18 + 4$$

$$y = 2x^2 - 12x + 22$$

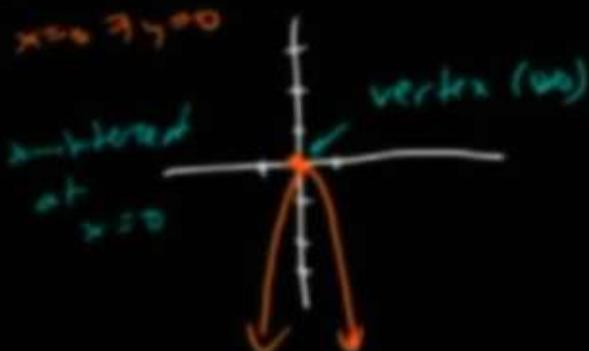
yes

Example. Graph the following functions. For each graph label the vertex and the x-intercepts.

A.  $f(x) = x^2$



B.  $y = -3x^2$

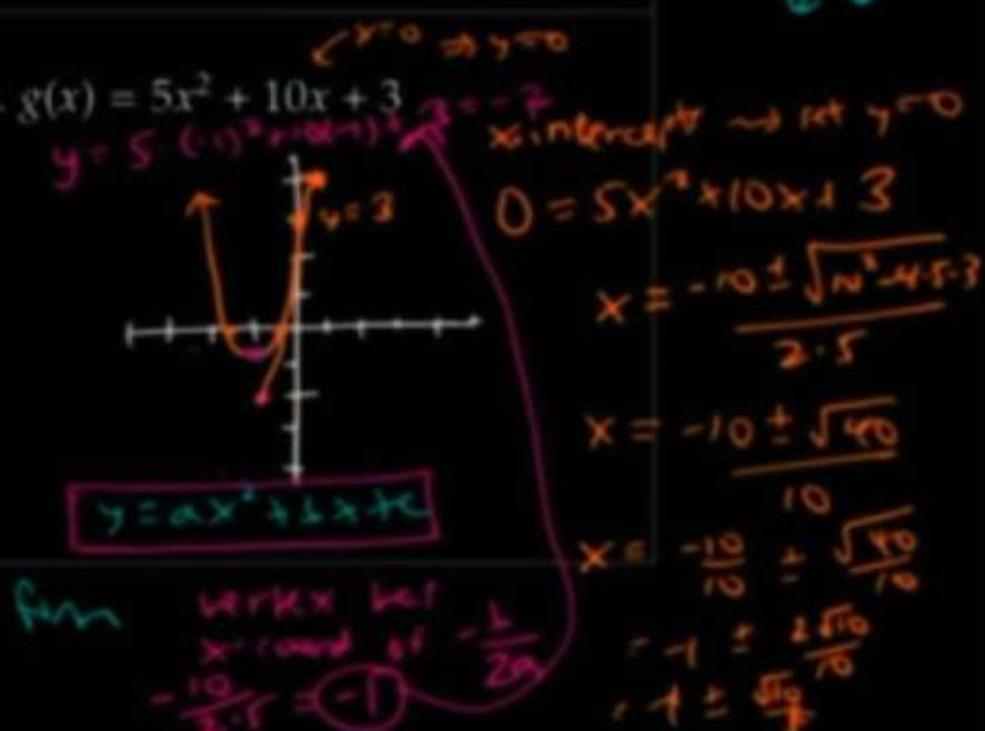


C.  $y = 2(x - 3)^2 + 4$



$y = a(x - h)^2 + k$  ← vertex form  
vertex at  $(h, k)$

D.  $g(x) = 5x^2 + 10x + 3$



$y = ax^2 + bx + c$

If  $a > 0$   
parabola opens  
upward  
↑

If  $a < 0$   
parabola  
opens downward  
↓

## Summary

To graph a quadratic function  $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$

- The graph has the shape ~~of a parabola~~ 

- The parabola opens up if  $a > 0$  and down if  $a < 0$

- To find the x-intercepts ... set  $y = 0$   
i.e.  $f(x) = 0$  and solve for  $x$

- To find the vertex ~~read off~~ as  $(h, k)$

$$y = a(x-h)^2 + k$$

- To find additional points on the graph ...  
plugging

or use vertex formula  
x-coord of vertex

$$= -\frac{b}{2a}$$

$$y = a(x-h)^2 + k$$

y-coord uses, plus  $-h$   
x-coord

Example. Convert this quadratic function to standard form:  $f(x) = -4(x - 3)^2 + 1$

$$\begin{aligned}f(x) &= -4(x - 3)(x - 3) + 1 \\&= -4(x^2 - 6x + 9) + 1 \\&= -4x^2 + 24x - 36 + 1 \\f(x) &= \boxed{-4x^2 + 24x - 35}\end{aligned}$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c$$

Example. Convert this quadratic function to vertex form:  $g(x) = 2x^2 + 8x + 6$

vertex formula:  
 $x\text{-coord. of vertex: } \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-8}{2(2)} = -2$

$$g(x) = a(x - h)^2 + k$$

vertex:  $(h, k)$

$y\text{-coord. of vertex: } g(-2) = 2(-2)^2 + 8(-2) + 6 = -2$

vertex:  $(-2, -2)$

$$g(x) = a(x - (-2))^2 + (-2)$$

$$g(x) = a(x + 2)^2 - 2$$

$$g(x) = 2(x + 2)^2 - 2$$

$$\begin{aligned}&\leadsto g(x) = 2(x^2 + 4x + 4) - 2 \\&= 2x^2 + 8x + 6\end{aligned}$$

Example. Find the x-intercepts and the vertex for  $y = 3x^2 + 7x - 5$ .

x-intercepts

$$0 = 3x^2 + 7x - 5$$

$$x = \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{7^2 - 4(3)(-5)}}{2(3)}$$

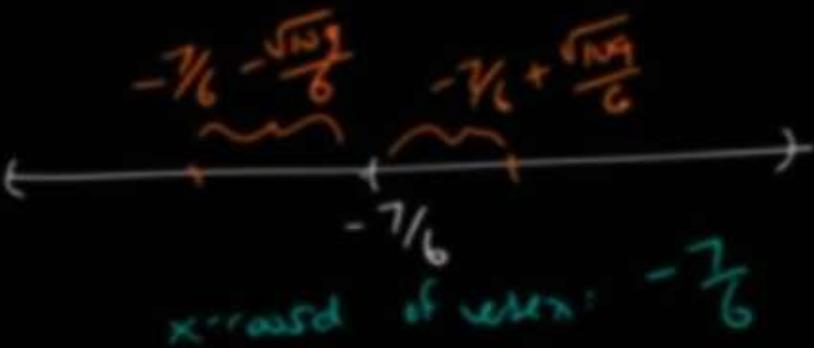
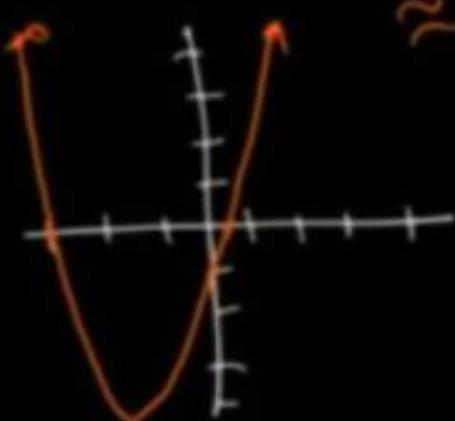
$$x = \frac{-7 \pm \sqrt{109}}{6}$$

$$x = -\frac{7}{6} + \frac{\sqrt{109}}{6}, \quad x = -\frac{7}{6} - \frac{\sqrt{109}}{6}$$

$$\approx -\frac{7}{6} + \frac{10}{6}$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\approx -3$$



Definition. The degree of the polynomial is the largest exponent.

$$y = 5x^4 - 21x^3 - 17x + 2 \leftarrow \text{degree is } 4$$

The leading term is the term with the largest exponent

$$y = 2 + 17x - 21x^3 + 5x^4 \text{ leading term is } 5x^4$$

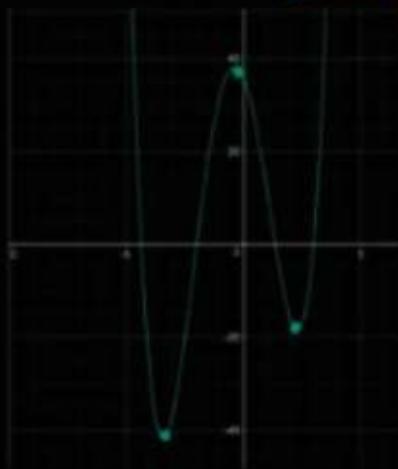
Definition. The leading coefficient is the number in the leading term  
 5 is leading coeff, since leading term is  $5x^4$

Definition. The constant term is the term with no x's in it  
 constant term is 2

Example. For  $p(x) = 5x^3 - 3x^2 - 7x^4 + 2x + 18$ , what is the

- degree? 4
- leading term?  $-7x^4$
- leading coefficient? -7
- constant term? 18

**Definition.** In the graph of  $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 15x^2 - 12x + 36$  below, the marked points are called ... *turning points*



OR

local extreme points

OR

local maximum and minimum points

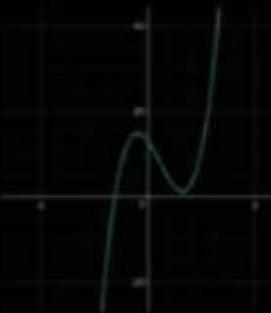
degree 4  
3 turning pts

Compare the degrees of the polynomials to the number of turning points:

$$f(x) = -2x^2 + 2x + 8 \quad f(x) = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 7x + 13 \quad f(x) = x^4 + 6x^2 - 17$$



degree 2  
1 turning pt



degree 3  
2 turning pts



degree 4  
1 turning pt

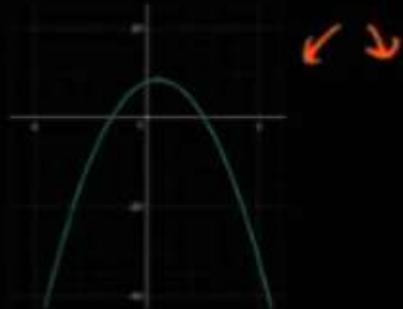
Fact:

# turning pts  $\leq$  degree - 1

**Definition.** The **end behavior** of a function is how the “ends” of the function look as  $x \rightarrow \infty$  and  $x \rightarrow -\infty$ .

Consider the end behavior for these polynomials:

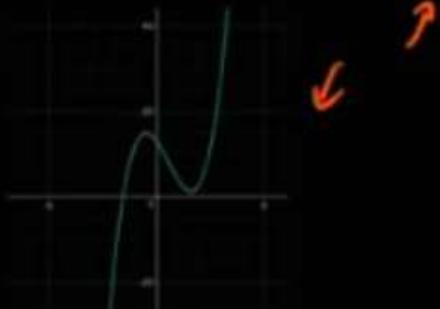
$$f(x) = -2x^2 + 2x + 8$$



$$f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 15x^2 - 12x + 36$$



$$f(x) = 3x^3 - 5x^2 - 7x + 13$$



$$f(x) = -x^3 + 12x$$

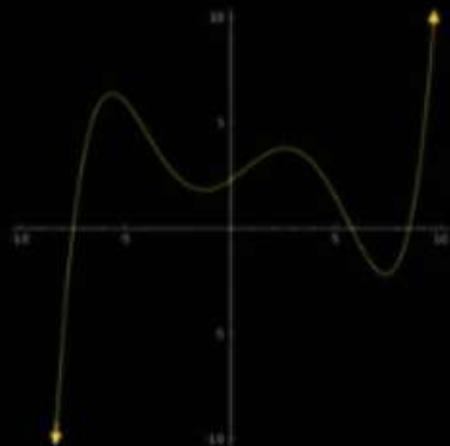


leading coefft

	even	odd	
positive	↗ ↗	↖ ↗	negative
	↙ ↘	↖ ↘	

$$\begin{array}{ll} y = x^2 & y = -x^2 \\ y = x^3 & y = -x^3 \end{array}$$

Example. What can you tell about the equation for the polynomial graphed below?



degree is odd

leading coeff is pos

degree  $\geq 5$

# turns  $\leq$  degree - 1

4  $\leq$  degree - 1

degree  $\geq 5$

degree could be 5, 7, 9, ...



Fact. In the graph of  $y = a \cdot b^x$ :

- The parameter  $a$  gives the y-intercept.
- The parameter  $b$  tells how the graph is increasing or decreasing.
- If  $b > 1$ , the graph is increasing.
- If  $b < 1$ , the graph is decreasing.
- The closer  $b$  is to the number 1, the flatter the graph.

So, for example, the graph of  $y = 0.25^x$  is (circle one) flatter / more steep than the graph of  $y = 0.4^x$ .



Fact. The graph of an exponential function  $y = a \cdot b^x$

- has a horizontal asymptote at the line  $y = 0$ .
- has domain  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .
- has range  $(0, \infty)$ ; if  $a > 0$   
 $(-\infty, 0)$ ; if  $a < 0$



Note. The most famous exponential function in the world is  $f(x) = e^x$ . This function is sometimes written as  $f(x) = \exp(x)$ . The number  $e$  is Euler's number, and is approximately 2.71828182845904523...

**Example.** The United Nations estimated the world population in 2010 was 6.79 billion, growing at a rate of 1.1% per year. Assume that the growth rate stays the same. Write an equation for the population at  $t$  years after the year 2010.

	$1.1\%$ $\rightarrow 0.011$	
# years since 2010	world population in billions	initial population
0	6.79	
1	$6.79 + 0.011 \cdot 6.79 \rightarrow 6.79(1 + 0.011) = 6.79(1.011)$	
2	$6.79 \cdot (1.011)^2$	growth factor
⋮		
$t$	$6.79 \cdot (1.011)^t$	
$P(t) = 6.79(1.011)^t$		
world population in billions		
$t = \text{time in years since 2010}$		
in year 2050		
$P(40) = 6.79 \cdot (1.011)^{40}$		
$= 10.5 \text{ billion}$		

exponential growth  $\rightarrow$  increasing

exponential decay  $\rightarrow$  decreasing  $\downarrow$

### APPLICATIONS OF EXPONENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Example. Seroquel is metabolized and eliminated from the body at a rate of 11% per hour. If 400 mg are given, how much remains in the body after 24 hours?

Time in hours since dose	# mg of Seroquel
0	400
1	$400 - 0.11 \cdot 400 = 400(1 - 0.11) = 400 \cdot 0.89$
2	$400 \cdot 0.89 \cdot 0.89 = 400 \cdot 0.89^2$
:	
t	$400 \cdot (0.89)^t$

'initial amount'

.6

T

'scale factor'

$$f(t) = 400 \cdot (0.89)^t$$

$$\begin{aligned}f(24) &= 400 \cdot (0.89)^{24} \\&= 24.4 \text{ mg}\end{aligned}$$

$f(t)$  = # mg of seroquel in body

t = # hours since dose

To find the growth factor  $b$ ,  
 start with % increase or decrease  
 ↓  
 write it as a decimal  
 ↓  
 add or subtract from 1

## Applications of Exponential Functions

$$f(t) = A \cdot b^t$$

↗      ↗  
 initial    growth factor

%	r	b
+ 3%	0.03	$1 + 0.03 = 1.03$
+ 1.1%	0.011	$1 + 0.011 = 1.011$
- 11%	-0.11	$1 - 0.11 = 0.89$

$$b = 1 + r$$

↗  
 % change written as decimal

if quantity is increasing, base  $b > 1$ , if quantity is decreasing, then  $b < 1$

**Example.** An antique car is worth \$50,000 now and its value increases by 7% each year. Write an equation to model its value  $x$  years from now.

$$\text{after 1 year, its value is } 50,000 + 0.07 \cdot 50,000 = 50,000(1+0.07)$$

$$50,000(1.07)$$
  

$$\text{after 2 years, value is } 50,000(1+0.07)^2$$

$$50,000(1.07)^2$$

↙ multiply  
 again by  
 initial value 1.07

$$\text{after } x \text{ years}$$

$v(x) = 50,000(1.07)^x$

$v(x) = A \cdot b^x = A(1+r)^x$ 

↗ constant factor  
 written as decimal

↗ initial value  
 ↗ % increase

**Example.** My Toyota Prius is worth \$3,000 now and its value decreases by 5% each year. Write an equation to model its value  $x$  years in the future.

$$\text{after 1 year, value } 3,000 - 0.05 \cdot 3,000 \rightarrow 3,000(1-0.05)$$

$$3,000(0.95)$$
  

$$\text{after 2 years value } 3,000(0.95)^2$$

$$\text{after } x \text{ years, value } 3,000(0.95)^x$$

$v(x) = 3,000(0.95)^x$

$v(x) = A \cdot b^x = A(1-r)^x$ 

↗ initial value  
 ↗ growth factor  
 $1 - 0.05$

↗ % decrease  
 written as decimal

Example. The number of bacteria in a petri dish is modeled by the equation

$$f(x) = 12 \cdot (1.45)^x$$

where  $f(x)$  represents the number of bacteria in thousands, and  $x$  represents the number of hours since noon.

- What was the number of bacteria at noon?  $12$  thousand
- By what percent is the number of bacteria increasing every hour?  $45\%$

$$f(x) = 12 \cdot (1.45)^x$$

$$f(x) = A \cdot b^x$$

$$f(x) = A \cdot (1+r)^x$$

$$A = 12 \leftarrow 12 \text{ thousand}$$

$$b = 1.45 \leftarrow \text{growth factor}$$

$$r = 0.45 \leftarrow 45\% \text{ increase}$$



**Example.** You take out a loan for \$1,200 at an annual interest rate of 6%, compounded monthly. If you pay back the loan with interest as a lump sum, how much will you owe after 3 years?

6% annual interest rate, compounded monthly

compounding 12 times per year

$\frac{6}{12}$ % interest each time interest is added  
0.5% interest decimal  $\rightarrow$  0.005

time in years	# months
0	0
1	12
2	24
3	36
$t$	$12t$

money
1,200
$1,200 \cdot (1.005)^{12}$
$1,200 \cdot (1.005)^{24}$
$1,200 \cdot (1.005)^{36}$
$1,200 \cdot (1.005)^{12t}$

$$P(t) = 1200(1.005)^{12t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} t &= \# \text{ years} \\ P(3) &= 1200(1.005)^{12 \cdot 3} \\ &= 1436.02 \end{aligned}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A = \text{initial amount} \\ r = \text{annual interest rate} \\ \text{compounded} \\ n \text{ times per year} \\ P(t) = A \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt} \end{array} \right.$$

Compound interest formula

Example. You invest \$4000 in an account that gives 2.5% interest compounded *continuously*. How much money will you have after 5 years?

$$P(t) = A \cdot e^{rt}$$

T annual interest rate, written as a decimal  
 initial amount 0.025  
 t = time in years

$$e = 2.718 \dots \quad e = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left(1 + \frac{1}{n}\right)^n$$

$$P(t) = 4000 \cdot e^{0.025t}$$

$$P(5) = 4000 \cdot e^{0.025 \cdot 5} = 4532.59$$

$$2\% \rightarrow 0.02$$

Summary:

- Let  $r$  represent ... *the annual interest rate, written as a decimal*
- Let  $t$  represent ... *the number of years*
- Let  $A$  represent the initial amount of money ...

Annual interest:

$$P(t) = A \cdot (1+r)^t,$$

Compound interest, compounded  $n$  times per year:

$$P(t) = A \left(1 + \frac{r}{n}\right)^{nt}$$

Compound interest, compounded continuously.

$$P(t) = A e^{rt}$$

Definition.  $\log_a b = c$  means  $a^c = b$ .

*base*

$\log_a b = c$  means  $a^c = b$   
 $\log_a b$  or  $c$  is the power to you raise  $a$  to get  $b$ .

You can think of logarithms as exponents:  $\log_a b$  is the exponent (or "power") that you have to raise  $a$  to, in order to get  $b$ . The number  $a$  is called the *base* of the logarithm. The base is required to be a positive number.

Example.

$\log_2 8 = 3$  because  $2^3 = 8$

$\log_2 y = \square$  means  $2^\square = y$

Example. Evaluate the following expressions by hand by rewriting them using exponents instead of logs:

a)  $\log_2 16 = \underline{4}$

$$2^{\boxed{4}} = 16$$

b)  $\log_2 2 = \underline{1}$

$$2^{\boxed{1}} = 2$$

c)  $\log_2 \frac{1}{2} = \underline{-1}$

$$2^{\boxed{-1}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

d)  $\log_2 \frac{1}{8} = \underline{-3}$

$$2^{\boxed{-3}} = \frac{1}{8}$$

e)  $\log_2 1 = \underline{0}$

$$2^{\boxed{0}} = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{8} = \frac{1}{2^3} = 2^{-3}$$

Example. Evaluate the following expressions by hand by rewriting them using exponents instead of logs:

a)  $\log_{10} 1,000,000 = \underline{6}$

$$1,000,000 = 10^6$$

$$10^{\boxed{6}} = 10^6$$

b)  $\log_{10} 0.001 = \underline{\log_{10} 10^{-3} = -3}$

$$10^{\boxed{-3}} = 10^{-3}$$

c)  $\log_{10} 0 = \underline{\text{DNE}}$

$$10^{\boxed{0}} = 0$$

d)  $\log_{10} -100 = \underline{\text{DNE}}$

$$10^{\boxed{-100}} = -100$$

Note. It is possible to take the log of numbers that are  $> 0$  but not of numbers that are  $\leq 0$ . In other words, the domain of the function  $f(x) = \log_a(x)$  is:  $(0, \infty)$ .

Note.  $\ln x$  means  $\log_e x$ , and is called the **natural log**.

$$e \approx 2.718 \dots$$

$\log x$ , with no base, means  $\log_{10} x$  and is called the **common log**.

You can find  $\ln x$  and  $\log x$  for various values of  $x$  using the buttons on your calculator.

Example. Rewrite using exponents.

a)  $\log_3 \frac{1}{9} = -2$        $3^{-2} = \frac{1}{9}$

b)  $\log_{10} 13 = 1.11394$        $10^{1.11394} = 13$

c)  $\ln \frac{1}{e} = -1$        $e^{-1} = \frac{1}{e}$

Example. Rewrite the following using logs. Do not solve for any variables.

a)  $3^u = 9.78$

$$\log_3 9.78 = u$$

$$\log_a b = c$$

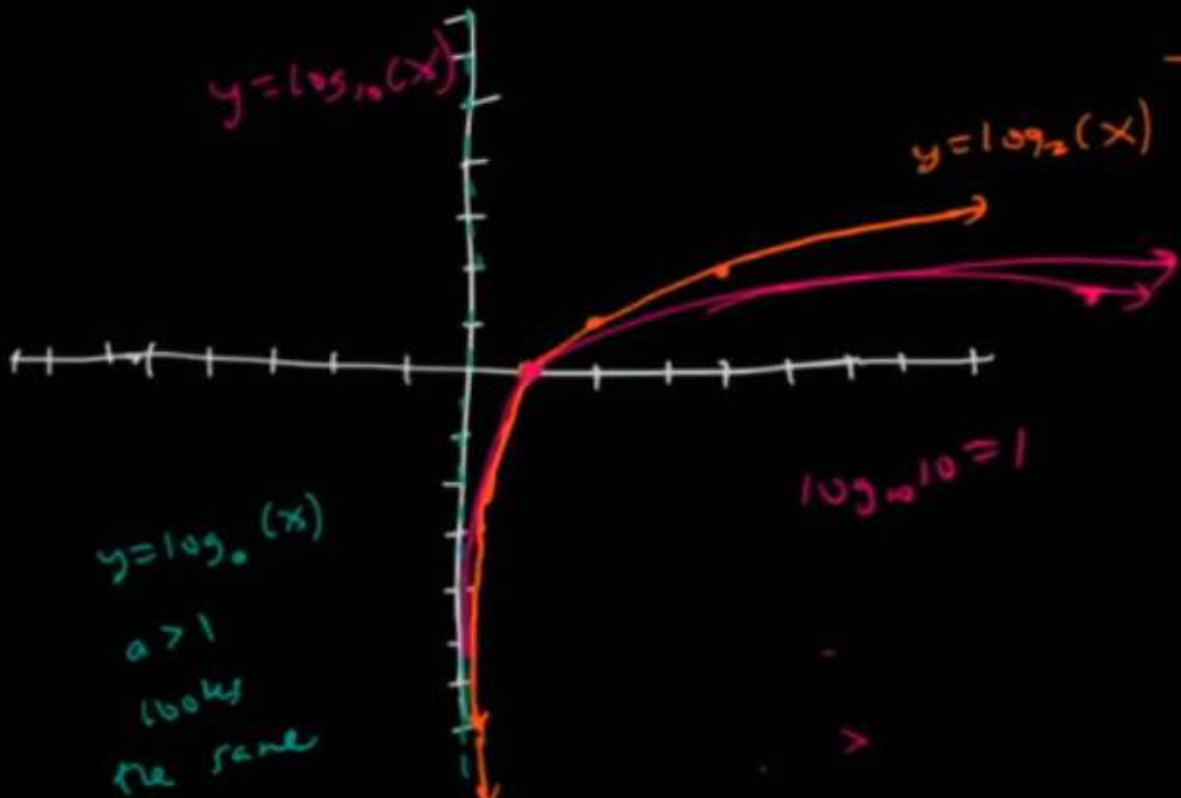
base  
↓  
 $a^c = b$

b)  $e^{3x+7} = 4 - y$

$$\log_e 4-y = 3x+7$$

$$\ln(4-y) = 3x+7$$

Example. Graph  $y = \log_2(x)$  by plotting points.



$x$	$y$
$\frac{1}{8}$	$\log_2\left(\frac{1}{8}\right) = -3$
$\frac{1}{4}$	$\log_2\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = -2$
$\frac{1}{2}$	$\log_2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = -1$
1	$\log_2(1) = 0$
2	$\log_2(2) = 1$
4	$\log_2(4) = 2$
8	$\log_2(8) = 3$
16	$\log_2(16) = 4$

✓ 1) Domain:  $x > 0$

$$(0, \infty)$$

✓ 2) Range: all real #'s

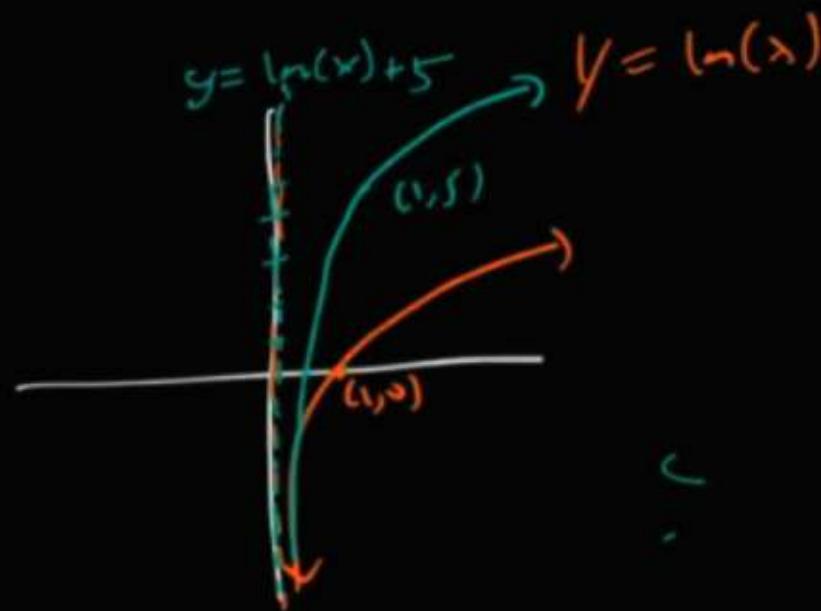
$$(-\infty, \infty)$$

✓ 3) Vertical asymptote at  $y$ -axis  
i.e. at the line  $x=0$

$$-4 \rightarrow \log_2(-4) \text{ DNE}$$

$$0 \rightarrow \log_2(0) \text{ DNE}$$

Example. Graph  $y = \ln(x) + 5$ . Find the domain, range, and asymptotes.



	$y = \ln(x)$	$y = \ln(x) + 5$
Domain	$(0, \infty)$	$(0, \infty)$
Range	$(-\infty, \infty)$	$(-\infty, \infty)$
VA.	$x = 0$	$x = 0$



Example. Evaluate:

a)  $\underline{\log_{10} 10^3} = 3 \quad \log(10^3)$

b)  $\underline{\log_e e^{4.2}} = 4.2 \quad \ln(e^{4.2})$

c)  $10^{\log_{10} 1000} = 1000$

d)  $e^{\log_e 9.6} = 9.6$

→ Log Rule: For any base  $a$ ,  $\underline{\log_a a^x} = X$

What power do we raise  $a$  to  
to get  $a^x$        $a^{\boxed{X}} = a^x$

→ Log Rule: For any base  $a$ ,  $a^{\underline{\log_a x}} = X$

$\log_a x$  means the power we raise  $a$  to  
to get  $x$ . Raise  $a$  to that power, & get  $x$ .

An exponential fn and a log fn with the same  
base UNDO EACH OTHER.

**Note.** Recall some of the exponent rules.

$$1. \quad 2^0 = 1$$

$$2. \text{ Product rule: } 2^m \cdot 2^n = 2^{m+n}$$

$$3. \text{ Quotient rule: } \frac{2^m}{2^n} = 2^{m-n}$$

$$4. \text{ Power rule: } (2^m)^n = 2^{m \cdot n}$$

**Note.** The exponent rules hold for any base, not just base 2.

If we multiply two numbers,  
we add the exponents.

If we divide two numbers,  
we subtract the exponents.

If we take a power to a power,  
we multiply the exponents.

The corresponding logarithm rules are:

$$1. \log_2 1 = 0$$

$$2. \text{ Product rule: } \log_z(xy) = \log_z(x) + \log_z(y)$$

$$3. \text{ Quotient rule: } \log_z\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_z(x) - \log_z(y)$$

$$4. \text{ Power rule: } \log_z(x^n) = n \cdot \log_z(x)$$

$$= \log_z(x) \cdot n$$

The log of the product  
is the sum of the logs.

The log of the quotient  
is the difference of the logs.

When you take the log of  
an expression with an exponent,  
you can bring down the  
exponent and multiply.

**Note.** The logarithm rules hold for any base, not just base 2.

Exponent Rule	Log Rule	Name of Log Rule
$a^0 = 1$	$\log_a 1 = 0$	-
$a^m \cdot a^n = a^{m+n}$	$\log_a(x \cdot y) = \log_a(x) + \log_a(y)$	Product Rule
$\frac{a^m}{a^n} = a^{m-n}$	$\log_a\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_a(x) - \log_a(y)$	Quotient Rule
$(a^m)^n = a^{mn}$	$\log_a(x^n) = n \cdot \log_a(x)$	Power Rule

**Example.** Rewrite as a single log:

a)  $\log_5 a - \log_5 b + \log_5 c$

$$= \log_5 \frac{a}{b} + \log_5 c$$

$$= \log_5 \left( \frac{a}{b} \cdot c \right)$$

$$= \log_5 \left( \frac{ac}{b} \right)$$

b)  $\ln(x+1) + \ln(x-1) - 2 \ln(x^2-1)$

$$\ln((x+1)(x-1)) - 2 \ln(x^2-1)$$

$$\ln((x+1)(x-1)) - \ln(x^2-1)^2$$

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

$$\ln \left( \frac{(x^2-1)}{(x^2-1)^2} \right)$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{1}{x^2-1} \right)$$

$$1) \log_a 1 = 0$$

$$2) \log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y \quad \text{Log Rules}$$

$$3) \log_a \frac{x}{y} = \log_a x - \log_a y$$

$$4) \log_a x^m = m \log_a x$$

⚠ There is no log  
rule for  
 $\log_a(x+y)$

$$\log_a(x+y) \neq \log_a(x) + \log_a(y)$$

no rule to rewrite this  
 $a^m + a^n$

Example. Solve:  $2^{2x-3} = 5^{x-2}$

$$\log 2^{2x-3} = \log 5^{x-2}$$

$$(2x-3) \log 2 = (x-2) \log 5$$

$$2x \log 2 - 3 \log 2 = x \log 5 - 2 \log 5$$

$$2x \log 2 - x \log 5 = -2 \log 5 + 3 \log 2$$

$$x(2 \log 2 - \log 5) = -2 \log 5 + 3 \log 2$$

$$x = \frac{(-2 \log 5 + 3 \log 2)}{(2 \log 2 - \log 5)}$$

$$= 5.106$$

- ① Isolating tricky parts
- ② Take log of both sides
- ③ Use log rules to bring down the exponents
- ④ Distribute.
- ⑤ Group x terms on one side, other terms on the other
- ⑥ Isolate x by factoring it out & dividing

Example. Solve:  $5 \cdot e^{-0.05t} = 3 \cdot e^{0.2t}$

$$e^{-0.05t} = \frac{3}{5} e^{0.2t}$$

① Isolate tricky parts / simplify

② Take  $\ln$  of both sides

③ Use log rules to  
ultimately bring down  
exponents

$$\ln e^{-0.05t} = \ln \left( \frac{3}{5} e^{0.2t} \right)$$

$$-0.05t \ln e = \ln \frac{3}{5} + \ln e^{0.2t}$$

$$-0.05t \ln e = \ln \frac{3}{5} + 0.2t \ln e$$

$$\ln e = \log_e e = 1$$

④ Distribute (not needed)

⑤ Bring terms with  $t$  to one side, terms without  $t$  to other side

⑥ Isolate  $t$  by factoring  
out  $t$  & dividing

$$-0.05t = \ln \frac{3}{5} + 0.2t$$

$$-0.05t - 0.2t = \ln \frac{3}{5}$$

$$t(-0.05 - 0.2) = \ln \frac{3}{5}$$

$$t = \frac{\ln \left( \frac{3}{5} \right)}{-0.05 - 0.2}$$

$$t = -2.0433$$

Example. Solve:  $2 \ln(2x+5) - 3 = 1$

$$2 \ln(2x+5) = 4$$

$$\ln(2x+5) = 2$$

$$e^{\ln(2x+5)} = e^2$$

$$2x+5 = e^2$$

$$2x = e^2 - 5$$

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

check:

$$2 \ln\left(2\left(\frac{e^2 - 5}{2}\right) + 5\right) - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$2 \ln(e^2 - 5 + 5) - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$2 \ln(e^2) - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

① Isolate the tricky part

② Take  $e$  to the power of both sides

$$e^{\ln A} = e^{\log_e A} = A$$

③ Finish solving for  $x$

④ Check answer  
may get extraneous  
solutions

$$2 \ln(e^2) - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$2 \cdot 2 - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$4 - 3 \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \quad \checkmark$$

Example. Solve:  $\log(x+3) + \log(x) = 1$

Alternative method ① Isolate the trick part  
use log rules (can't do it like)

$$\begin{aligned} 10^{\log(x+3) + \log(x)} &= 10^1 & \log((x+3)(x)) = 1 \\ 10^{\log((x+3)(x))} &= 10^1 & \text{② Take } 10 \text{ to the power of both sides} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 10^{\log(x+3)} \cdot 10^{\log(x)} &= 10 & (x+3)(x) = 10 \\ (x+3)(x) &= 10 & \text{③ Finish solving} \\ && \text{④ Check solutions} \end{aligned}$$

$$x^2 + 3x = 10$$

$$x^2 + 3x - 10 = 0$$

$$(x+5)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x = \cancel{-5} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{x = 2}$$

$x = -5$  ← extraneous solution

$$\log(-5+3) + \log(-5) \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

$$\log(-2) + \log(-5) \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \boxed{x = 2} & \quad \log(2+3) + \log(2) \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \Rightarrow \log 5 + \log 2 \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \\ & \quad \log(5 \cdot 2) \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \Rightarrow \log_{10} 10 \stackrel{?}{=} 1 \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

way steps:

use exponential for  
to undo the log

i.e. take e to power  
of both sides to  
undo ln

The general Rule of logs  
and exponents

take 10 to power of both sides  
to undo  $\log_{10}$

**Example.** Suppose you invest \$1600 in a bank account that earns 6.5% annual interest, compounded annually. How many years will it take until the account has \$2000 in it, assuming you make no further deposits or withdrawals?

$$f(t) = 1600 \cdot (1.065)^t$$

where  $f(t)$  is  
money after  $t$   
years

$$2000 = 1600 \cdot (1.065)^t$$

solve for  $t$

$$\frac{2000}{1600} = (1.065)^t$$

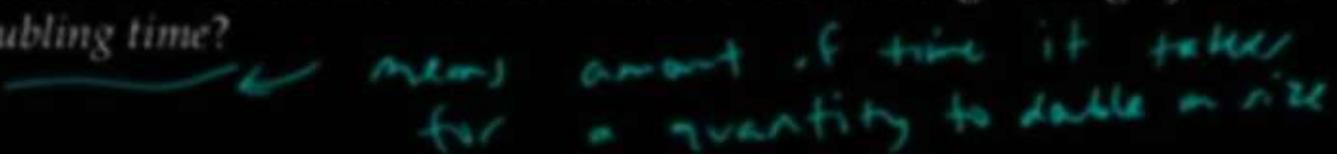
$$\frac{5}{4} = (1.065)^t$$

$$\ln \frac{5}{4} = \ln (1.065)^t$$

$$\ln \frac{5}{4} = t \ln (1.065)$$

$$\frac{\ln \frac{5}{4}}{\ln (1.065)} = t \rightarrow t = 3.54 \text{ years}$$

Example. A population of bacteria contains 1.5 million bacteria and is growing by 12% per day. What is its *doubling time*?



$P(t)$  = bacteria in millions     $t$  = time in days

$$P(t) = 1.5 \cdot (1.12)^t$$

$$3 = 1.5 \cdot (1.12)^t$$

$$\frac{3}{1.5} = (1.12)^t$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{3}{1.5}\right) = \ln(1.12)^t$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{3}{1.5}\right) = t \ln(1.12)$$

$$t = \frac{\ln(2)}{\ln(1.12)} \approx 6.12 \text{ days.}$$

\* Doubling time only depends on growth rate, not the initial population.

$$P(t) = A \cdot (1.12)^t$$

To find doubling time:

$$2A = A \cdot (1.12)^t$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln(1.12)^t$$

$$\ln 2 = t \ln(1.12)$$

$$t = \frac{\ln 2}{\ln(1.12)} \approx 6.12$$

Example. Suppose a bacteria population doubles every 15 minutes. Write an equation for its growth using the exponential equation  $y = a \cdot b^t$ , where  $t$  represents time in minutes. Assume the initial population is 350 bacteria.

$$\boxed{y = a \cdot b^t}$$

$t = 15$  minutes

$$y = 350 \cdot b^t$$

$$a = 350$$

$$y = 350 \cdot b^t$$

$$DT: \text{let } t = 15$$

$$y = 700$$

$$700 = 350 \cdot b^{15}$$

$$\frac{700}{350} = b^{15}$$

$$2 = b^{15}$$

$$2^{1/15} = (b^{15})^{1/15}$$

$$2^{1/15} = b^{1/15} \quad b = 2^{1/15} \approx 1.047294$$

$$y = 350 \cdot (2^{1/15})^t$$

use  $\boxed{y = a \cdot e^{rt}}$  or continuous growth model

$$y = 350 e^{rt}$$

$$\text{when } t = 15 \quad y = 700$$

$$700 = 350 e^{r \cdot 15} \quad \text{solve for } r$$

$$\frac{700}{350} = e^{r \cdot 15} \Rightarrow 2 = e^{r \cdot 15}$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln e^{r \cdot 15}$$

$$\ln 2 = r \cdot 15 \cdot \cancel{\ln e} \Rightarrow$$

$$15r = \ln 2 \Rightarrow r = \frac{\ln 2}{15}$$

$$y = 350 e^{\frac{\ln 2}{15} t}$$

$$y = 350 \left( e^{\frac{\ln 2}{15} t} \right)^{15}$$

$$y = 350 \left( e^{\ln 2} \right)^{15} t = 350 (2^{15})^t$$

Example. The half life of radioactive Carbon-14 is 5750 years. A sample of bone that originally contained 200 grams of C-14 now contains only 40 grams. How old is the sample?

~~Radioactivity = rate at which~~  
 half life = the amount of time it takes for a quantity to  
 decrease to half as much

$$f(t) = a \cdot e^{rt}$$

amount at initial amount  
 rad. C-14

$$\frac{1}{2}a = a \cdot e^{-r \cdot 5750}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = e^{-r \cdot 5750}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \ln(e^{-r \cdot 5750})$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = r \cdot 5750$$

$$r = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}{5750}$$

~~function~~

$$\text{HL : } 5750$$

$$\text{when } t = 5750$$

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot a$$

$$f(t) = a \cdot e^{\left(\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)/5750\right)t}$$

$$40 = 200 \cdot e^{\left(1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\right)/5750 t}$$

$$\frac{40}{200} = e^{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)/5750 t}$$

$$\ln\frac{1}{2} = \ln e^{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)/5750 t}$$

$$\ln\frac{1}{2} = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}{5750} t$$

$$t = \ln\frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{\ln\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)}{5750} \right) \approx 13,351$$

$$3x - 2y = 4$$

$$5x + 6y = 2$$

### Method 1: Substitution

isolate one variable using one eqn  
substitute it into other eqn

$$3x - 2y = 4 \quad \text{(1st eqn)}$$

$$3x = 4 + 2y$$

$$x = \frac{4+2y}{3} \Rightarrow x = \frac{4}{3} + \frac{2}{3}y$$

$$5x + 6y = 2 \quad \text{(2nd eqn)}$$

$$5\left(\frac{4}{3} + \frac{2}{3}y\right) + 6y = 2$$

$$\frac{20}{3} + \frac{10}{3}y + 6y = 2$$

$$\frac{10}{3}y + 6y = 2 - \frac{20}{3}$$

$$3\left(\frac{10}{3}y + 6y\right) = 3\left(2 - \frac{20}{3}\right)$$

$$10y + 18y = 6 - 20$$

$$28y = -14 \Rightarrow y = \frac{-14}{28} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$(1, -\frac{1}{2})$$

$$3x - 2y = 4$$

$$3x - 2(-\frac{1}{2}) = 4 \Rightarrow 3x + 1 = 4$$

$$3x = 3 \Rightarrow x = 1$$

### Method 2: Elimination

multiply each eqn by a constant  
to make coefficients of one variable match

$$3x - 2y = 4$$

$$5x + 6y = 2$$

$$5(3x - 2y) = 5 \cdot 4$$

$$3(5x + 6y) = 3 \cdot 2$$

$$15x - 10y = 20$$

$$-(15x + 18y = 6)$$

$$-28y = 14$$

$$y = \frac{14}{-28} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

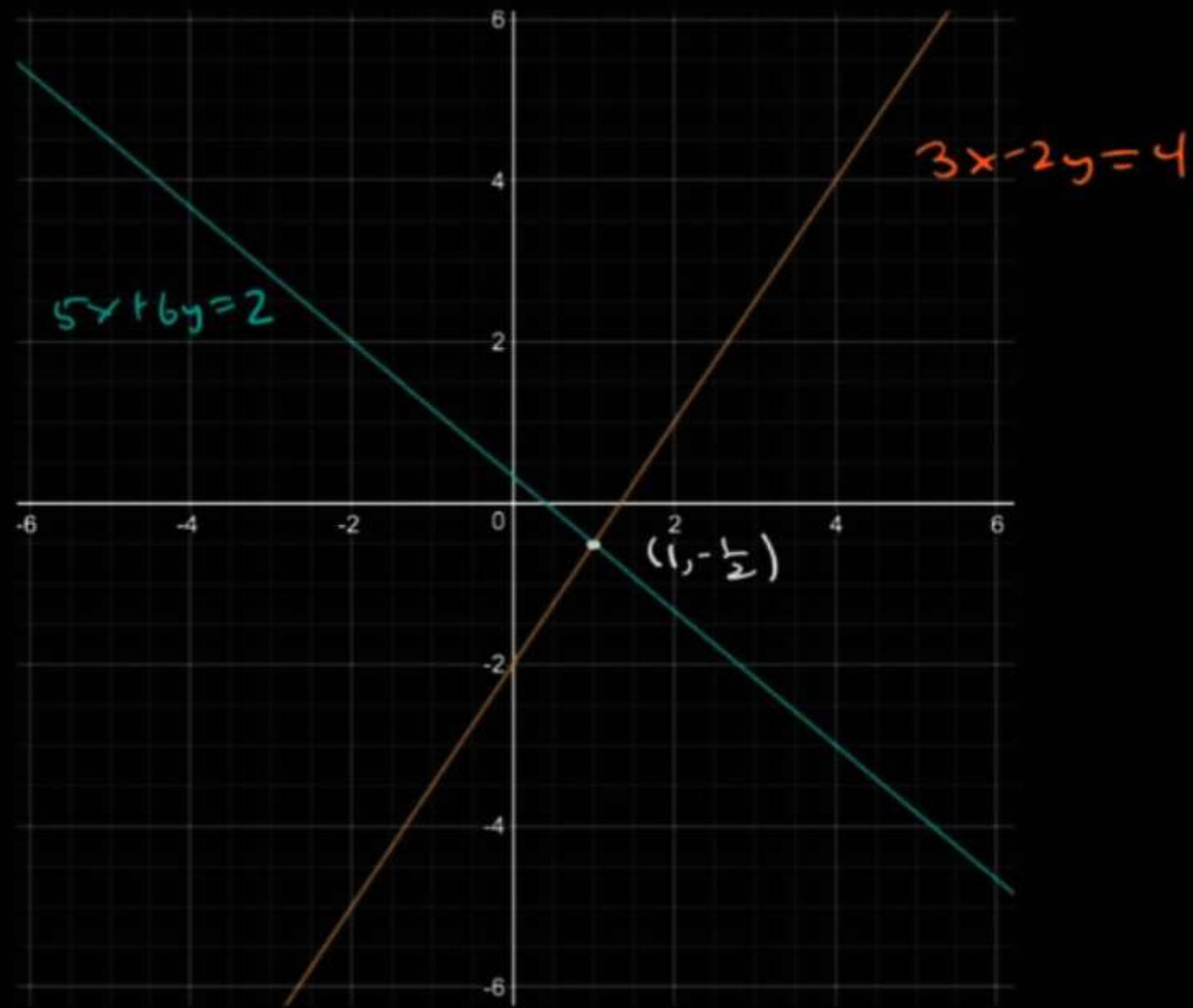
$$3x - 2y = 4$$

$$3x - 2(-\frac{1}{2}) = 4$$

$$3x + 1 = 4$$

$$3x = 3 \\ x = 1$$

$$x = 1, y = -\frac{1}{2}$$
  
$$(1, -\frac{1}{2})$$



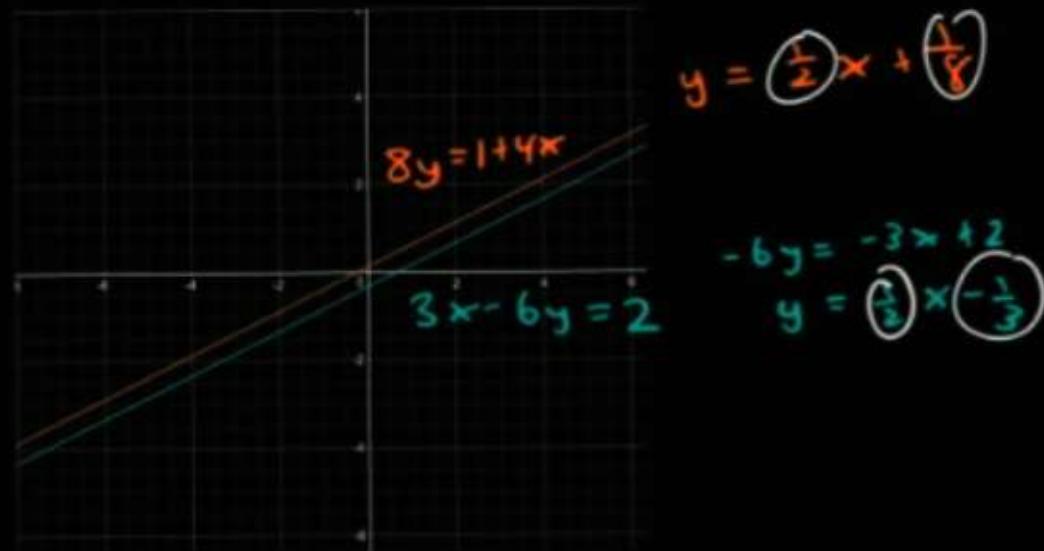
Example. Solve the system of equations:

inconsistent system

$$\begin{array}{l} 8y = 1 + 4x \\ 3x - 6y = 2 \\ \hline -12x + 24y = 3 \\ + (12x - 24y = 8) \\ \hline 0 + 0 = 11 \end{array}$$

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no solution



$$y = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{8}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{3}$$

Example. Solve the system of equations: *dependent system*

$$\begin{cases} x + 5y = 6 \\ 3x + 15y = 18 \end{cases}$$

$$x = 6 - 5y$$

$$3(6 - 5y) + 15y = 18$$

$$18 - 15y + 15y = 18$$

$$18 = 18$$

infinitely many solutions  
 $(x, y)$  where  $x + 5y = 6$

i.e.  $x = -5y + 6$   
 will work

$$\frac{x}{6} \left| \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\frac{y}{1} \left| \begin{array}{c} 1 \\ \frac{1}{3} \end{array} \right.$$



$d = r \cdot t$

$r + r_c = r_{\text{total}}$

Example. Elsa's boat has a top speed of 6 miles per hour in still water. While traveling on a river at top speed, she went 10 miles upstream in the same amount of time she went 30 miles downstream. Find the rate of the river current.

	distance	rate	time
upstream	10	$6 - r$	$t$
downstream	30	$6 + r$	$t$

↑      ↑  
 rate      rate  
 in still    of  
 water      current

$t = \text{time}$

$r = \text{speed of current}$

$10 = (6 - r)t$

$30 = (6 + r)t$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10}{6-r} = t \quad \Rightarrow \frac{10}{6-r} = \frac{30}{6+r}$$

$$\frac{30}{6+r} = t$$

$$\hookrightarrow 6 \times (6+r) \frac{10}{6-r} = \frac{30}{6+r} (6-r)(6+r) \quad (6+r)10 = 30(6-r)$$

$$60 + 10r = 180 - 30r$$

Example. Household bleach contains 6% sodium hypochlorite. How much household bleach should be combined with 70 liters of a weaker 1% sodium hypochlorite solution to form a solution that is 2.5% sodium hypochlorite?

	volume of NaClO	volume of water	volume of solution
household bleach 6% solution	$0.06 \cdot x$	$x - 0.06x$ $0.94x$	$x$
1% solution	$0.01 \cdot 70$ $0.7$	$0.99 \cdot 70$ $69.3$	$70$
2.5% solution	$0.025 \cdot (70+x)$	$0.975 \cdot (70+x)$	$70+x$

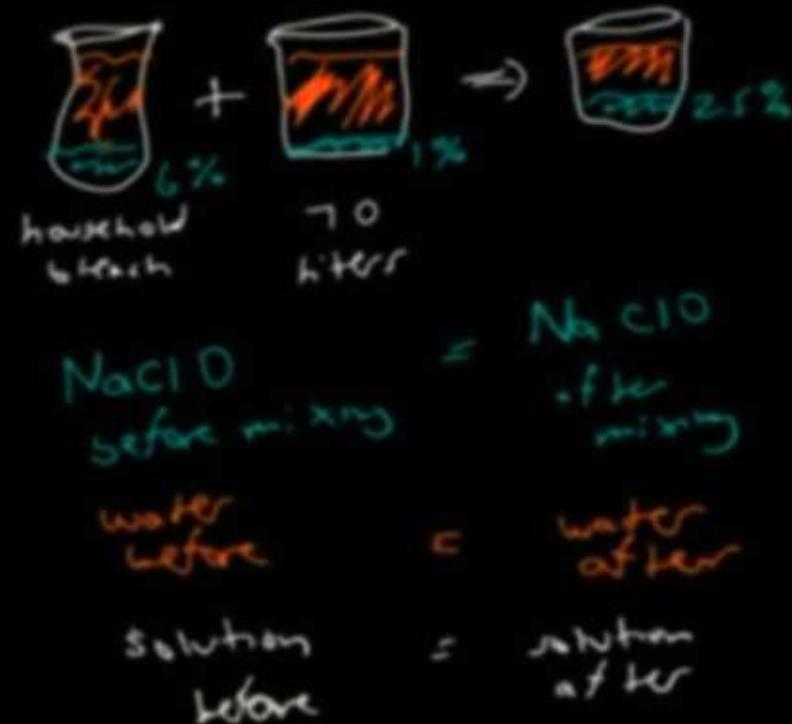
$$0.06x + 0.7 = 0.025(70+x)$$

$$1000(0.06x + 0.7) = 1000 \cdot 0.025(70+x)$$

$$60x + 700 = 25(70+x)$$

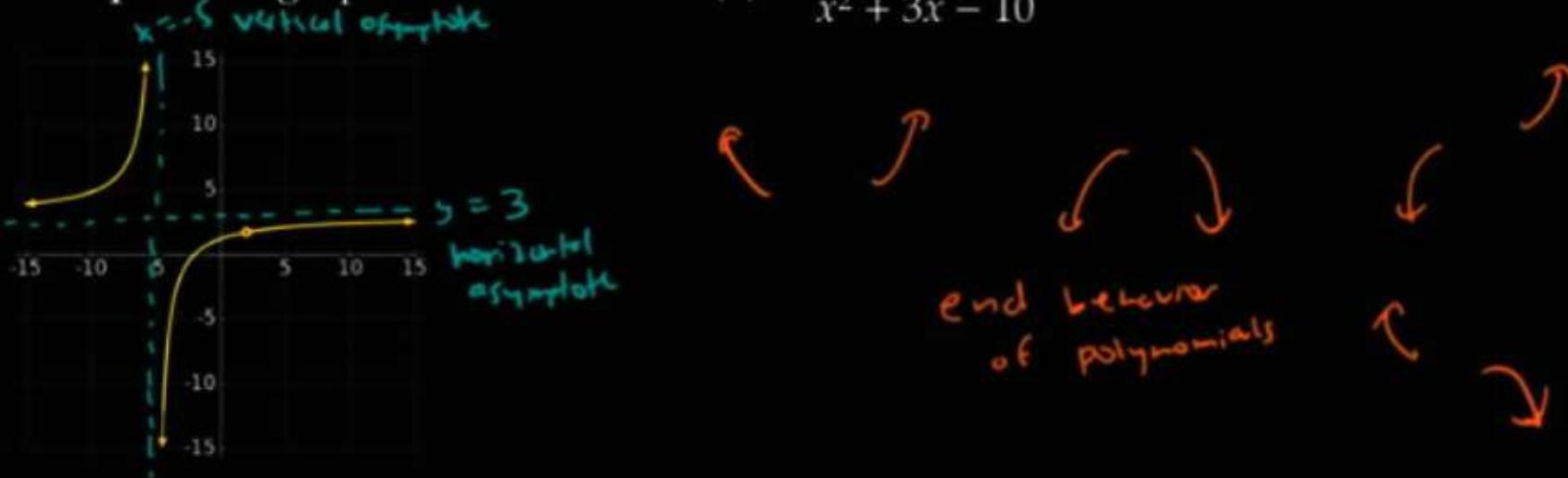
$$60x + 700 = 1750 + 25x$$

$$35x = 1050 \Rightarrow x = 30 \text{ liters}$$



$x$  = volume of household bleach (6% solution)

Example. The graph of the function  $h(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 12}{x^2 + 3x - 10}$  is shown below.



How is the graph of this function  $h(x)$  different from the graph of a polynomial?

What is the end behavior of the graph? horizontal asymptote at  $y = 3$

$$h(x) = \frac{3x^2 - 12}{x^2 + 3x - 10} \rightarrow \approx \frac{3x^2}{x^2} = 3$$

What is the behavior of the graph of this function  $h(x)$  near  $x = -5$ ?

$$h(x) = \frac{3(x^2 - 4)}{(x+5)(x-2)} = \frac{3(x-2)(x+2)}{(x+5)(x-2)}$$

vertical asymptote at  $x = -5$

at  $x = -5$  denominator is 0  
but numerator is not 0

hole at  $x = 2$

hole  $(2, \frac{4}{3})$

What is going on at  $x = 2$ ?

$$h(x) = \frac{3(x+2)}{(x+5)} \text{ as long as } x \neq 2$$

$$y = \frac{3(2+2)}{2+5} = \frac{12}{7} = \frac{4}{3}$$

For a rational function

- find the vertical asymptotes by:

Setting denominator = 0

- find the holes by:

Hole  $\rightarrow$  x-values where numerator and denominator are both zero and those factors cancel out  
 V.A.  $\rightarrow$  all other x-values where denom = 0

- find the horizontal asymptotes by:

look at highest power term in numerator and denominator

Example. What are the horizontal asymptotes for these functions?

$$\text{degree of num} \quad 1. f(x) = \frac{5x + 4}{3x^2 + 5x - 7}$$

$$\text{degree of den}$$

$$\frac{5x}{3x^2} = \frac{5}{3x} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{H.A. } y = 0$$

$$\text{degree of num} \quad 2. g(x) = \frac{2x^3 + 4}{3x^3 - 7x}$$

$$\text{degree of den}$$

$$\frac{2x^3}{3x^3} = \frac{2}{3} \rightarrow \frac{2}{3} \quad \text{H.A. } y = \frac{2}{3}$$

take ratio of leading coefficients

$$\text{degree of num} \quad 3. h(x) = \frac{x^2 + 4x - 5}{2x - 1}$$

$$\text{degree of den}$$

$$\frac{x^2}{2x} = \frac{x}{2} \rightarrow \infty \text{ when } x \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\rightarrow -\infty \text{ when } x \rightarrow -\infty$$

no H.A.

Example. Find the vertical asymptotes, horizontal asymptotes, and holes:

$$q(x) = \frac{3x^2 + 3x}{2x^3 + 5x^2 - 3x}$$

H.A.  $\frac{3x^2}{2x^3} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2x} \rightarrow 0$   
 $y=0$

V.A. & hole

set denominator = 0

factor both num & denom

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

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

hole at  $x=0$

$$y\text{-value of hole } \frac{3(0+1)}{(2 \cdot 0 - 1)(0+3)} = \frac{3}{-3} = -1$$

$(0, -1)$

$$(2x-1)(x+3)$$

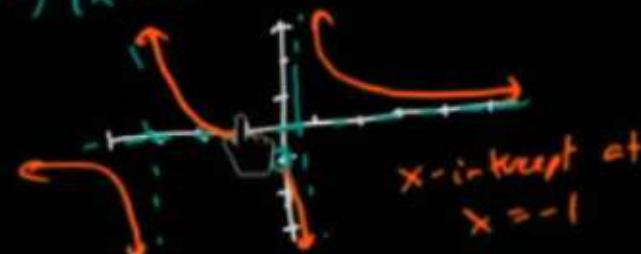
$$\frac{2x^2 + 6x - x - 3}{2x^2 + 5x - 3}$$

V.A. when  $(2x-1)(x+3)=0$

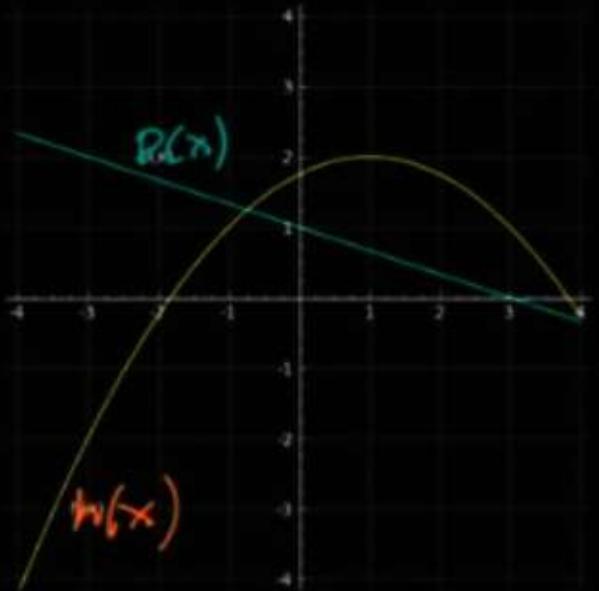
$$\text{when } 2x-1=0 \text{ or } x+3=0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \text{ or } x = -3$$

$$q(x) = \frac{3(x+1)}{(2x-1)(x+3)} \quad \text{when } x \neq 0$$



**Example.** The following graphs represent two functions  $h$  and  $p$ .



$$(f + g)(x) = f(x) + g(x)$$

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

$$(f \cdot g)(x) = f(x) \cdot g(x)$$

$$\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = \frac{f(x)}{g(x)}$$

Find

$$(h - p)(x) = h(x) - p(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } (h - p)(0) &= h(0) - p(0) \\ &= 1.8 - 1 = 0.8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } (ph)(-3) &= p(-3) \cdot h(-3) \\ &= 2 \cdot (-2) = -4 \end{aligned}$$

**Example.** Let  $p(x) = x^2 + x$ . Let  $q(x) = -2x$ . Find:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } q \circ p(1) &= q(p(1)) \\ &= q(2) \\ &= -4 \end{aligned}$$

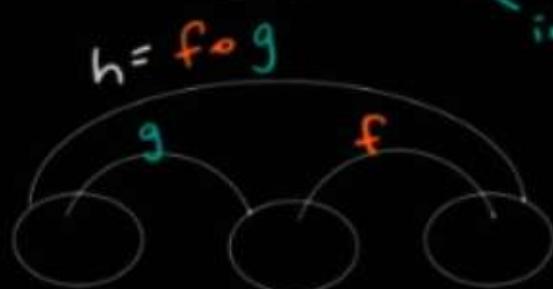
$$\begin{aligned} p(1) &= 1^2 + 1 = 2 \\ q(2) &= -2 \cdot 2 = -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } q \circ p(x) &= q(\underbrace{p(x)}_{x^2+x}) = q(x^2+x) = -2(x^2+x) \\ &\quad \boxed{q \circ p(x) = -2x^2 - 2x} \\ &\quad q \circ p(1) = -2 \cdot 1^2 - 2 \cdot 1 = -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } p \circ q(x) &= p(\underbrace{q(x)}_{-2x}) = p(-2x) = (-2x)^2 + (-2x) \\ &\quad \boxed{p \circ q(x) = 4x^2 - 2x} \quad \boxed{\checkmark q \circ p \neq p \circ q} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) } p \circ p(x) &= p(\underbrace{p(x)}_{x^2+x}) = p(x^2+x) = (x^2+x)^2 + (x^2+x) \\ &= x^4 + 2x^3 + x^2 + x^2 + x \\ &= x^4 + 2x^3 + 2x^2 + x \end{aligned}$$

Example.  $h(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 7}$  Find functions  $f$  and  $g$  so that  $h(x) = f \circ g(x) = f(g(x))$



what happens to the last, that is  $f(x)$ , my second fn applied  
inside the last is  $g(x)$ , my first fn applied

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= x^2 + 7 & f \circ g(x) &= f(\underbrace{g(x)}_{x^2+7}) \\ f(x) &= \sqrt{x} & &= f(x^2 + 7) = \sqrt{x^2 + 7} \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

OR

$$h(x) = \sqrt{\boxed{x^2 + 7}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{first fn applied } g(x) = x^2 \\ \text{second fn applied } f(x) = \sqrt{x + 7} \end{array}$$

check:  $f \circ g(x) = f(g(x)) = f(x^2) = \sqrt{x^2 + 7} \quad \checkmark$

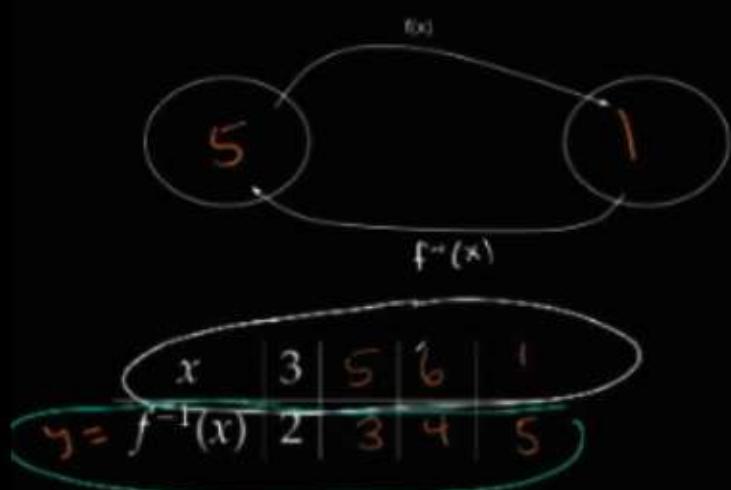
**Example.** Suppose  $f(x)$  is the function defined by the chart below:

$x$	2	3	4	5
$y = f(x)$	3	5	6	1

In other words,

- $f(2) = 3$
- $f(3) = 5$
- $f(4) = 6$
- $f(5) = 1$

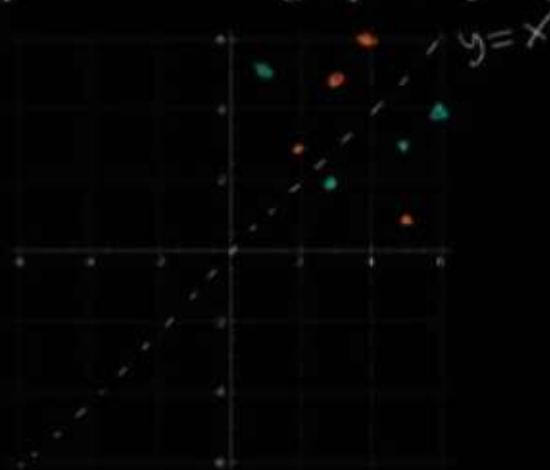
**Definition.** The inverse function for  $f$ , written  $f^{-1}(x)$ , undoes what  $f$  does.



- $f^{-1}(3) = 2$
- $f^{-1}(5) = 3$
- $f^{-1}(6) = 4$
- $f^{-1}(1) = 5$

**Key Fact 1.** Inverse functions reverse the roles of  $y$  and  $x$ .

Graph  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  on the same axes below. What do you notice about the points on the graph of  $y = f(x)$  and the points on the graph of  $y = f^{-1}$ ?



$x$	2	3	4	5
$y = f(x)$	3	5	6	1

$x$	3	5	6	1
$y = f^{-1}(x)$	2	3	4	5

**Key Fact 2.** The graph of  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  is obtained from the graph of  $y = f(x)$  by reflecting over the line  $y = x$ .

In our same example, compute:

$$f^{-1} \circ f(2) = f^{-1}(f(2)) = f^{-1}(3) = 2$$

$$f^{-1} \circ f(3) = f^{-1}(f(3)) = f^{-1}(4) = 3$$

$$f^{-1} \circ f(4) = f^{-1}(f(4)) = f^{-1}(5) = 4$$

$$f^{-1} \circ f(5) = f^{-1}(f(5)) = f^{-1}(6) = 5$$

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

$x$	3	5	6	1
$f^{-1}(x)$	2	3	4	5

$$f \circ f^{-1}(3) = f(f^{-1}(3)) = f(2) = 3$$

$$f \circ f^{-1}(5) = f(f^{-1}(5)) = f(3) = 5$$

$$f \circ f^{-1}(6) = f(f^{-1}(6)) = f(4) = 6$$

$$f \circ f^{-1}(1) = f(f^{-1}(1)) = f(5) = 1$$

**Key Fact 3.**  $f^{-1} \circ f(x) = x$  and  $f \circ f^{-1}(x) = x$ . This is the mathematical way of saying that  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  undo each other.

**Example.**  $f(x) = x^3$ . Guess what the inverse of  $f$  should be. Remember,  $f^{-1}$  undoes the work that  $f$  does.

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$$

$$f(f^{-1}(x)) = f(\sqrt[3]{x}) = (\sqrt[3]{x})^3 = x$$

$$f^{-1}(f(x)) = \sqrt[3]{x^3} = x$$

**Question.** Do all functions have inverse functions? That is, for any function that you might encounter, is there always a function that is its inverse?

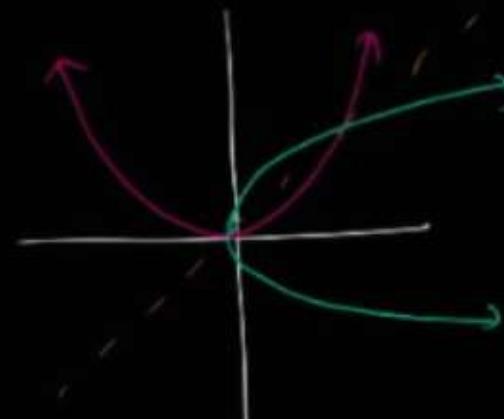
Try to find an example of a function that does **not** have an inverse function.

for each  $x$  in domain,  
there is only one corresponding  
 $y$ -value

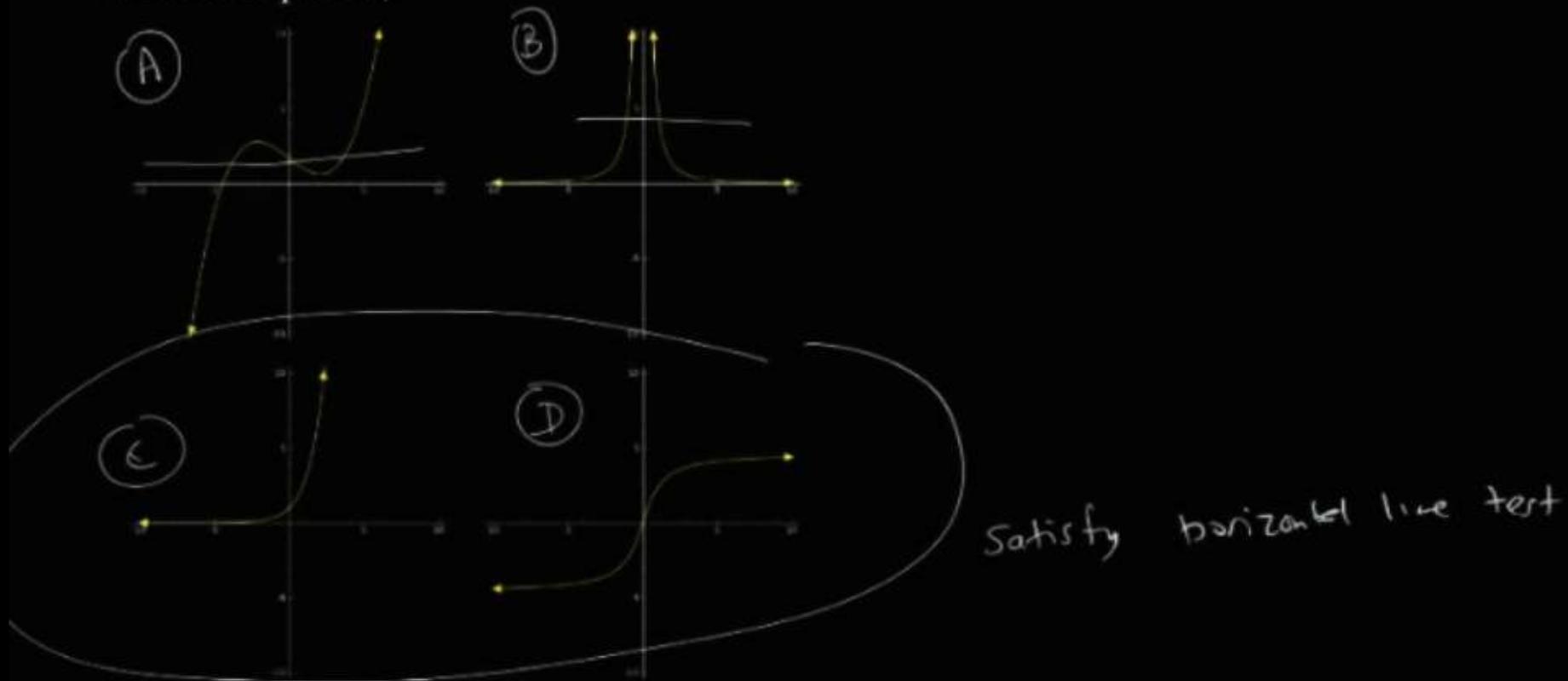
$$f(x) = x^2$$



$$f^{-1}(4) = -2$$



**Key Fact 4.** A function  $f$  has an inverse function if and only if the graph of  $f$  satisfies the **horizontal line test** (i.e. every horizontal line intersects the graph of  $y = f(x)$  in at most one point.)

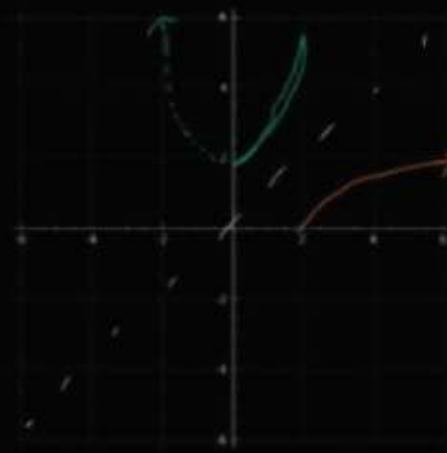


**Definition.** A function is **one-to-one** if it passes the horizontal line test. Equivalently, a function is one-to-one if for any two different  $x$ -values  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ ,  $f(x_1)$  and  $f(x_2)$  are different numbers. Sometimes, this is said:  $f$  is one-to-one if, whenever  $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ , then  $x_1 = x_2$ .

**Example.** (Tricky) Find  $p^{-1}(x)$ , where  $p(x) = \sqrt{x-2}$  drawn.

Graph  $p^{-1}(x)$  on the same axes as  $p(x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}y &= \sqrt{x-2} & y &\geq 0 \\x &= \sqrt{y-2} \\x^2 &= y-2 \\y &= x^2+2, \quad x \geq 0\end{aligned}$$



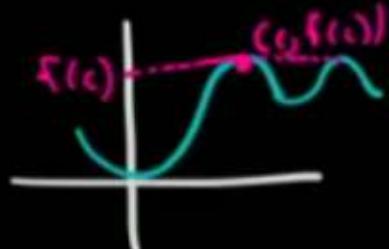
For the function  $p(x) = \sqrt{x-2}$ , what is:

- the domain of  $p$ ?  $x-2 \geq 0, \quad x \geq 2, \quad [2, \infty)$
- the range of  $p$ ?  $y \geq 0, \quad [0, \infty)$
- the domain of  $p^{-1}$ ?  $y \geq 0, \quad [0, \infty)$
- the range of  $p^{-1}$ ?  $x \geq 2, \quad [2, \infty)$

**Key Fact 5.** For any invertible function  $f$ , the domain of  $f^{-1}(x)$  is the range of  $f(x)$  and the range of  $f^{-1}(x)$  is the domain of  $f(x)$ .

**Definition.** A function  $f(x)$  has an absolute maximum at  $x = c$  if  $f(c) \geq f(x)$  for all  $x$ -values in the domain of  $f$ . the  $y$ -value at  $x=c$  is as big as it ever gets.

The  $y$ -value  $f(c)$  is called the absolute maximum value of  $f$ .



and the point  $(c, f(c))$  is called an absolute maximum point.

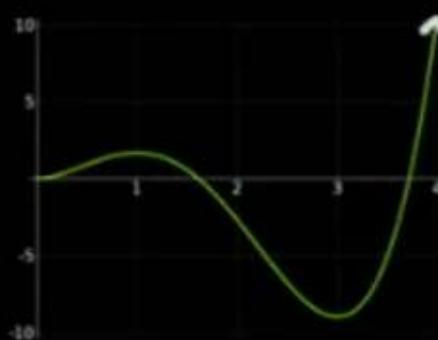
**Definition.** A function  $f(x)$  has an absolute minimum at  $x = c$  if  $f(c) \leq f(x)$  for all  $x$ -values in the domain of  $f$ . the  $y$ -value at  $x=c$  is as small as it ever gets.

The  $y$ -value  $f(c)$  is called the absolute minimum value of  $f$

and the point  $(c, f(c))$  is called an absolute minimum point

$$\text{abs min value} = -8$$

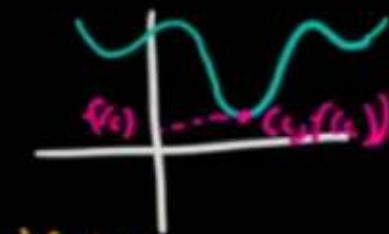
$$\text{abs min point: } (3, -8)$$



$$\text{abs max value: } 10$$

$$\text{abs max point: } (4, 10)$$

or no abs max value if it continues forever



**Definition.** Absolute maximum and minimum values can also be called

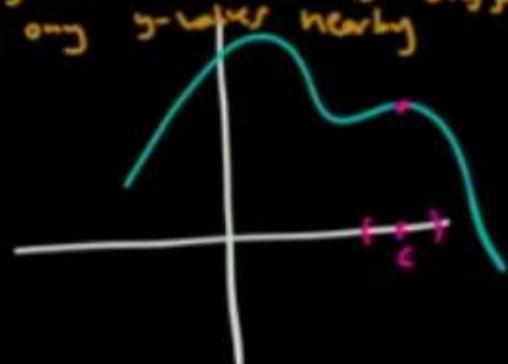
global maximum and minimum values.

**Definition.** A function  $f(x)$  has an local maximum at  $x = c$  if  
 $f(c) \geq f(x)$  for all  $x$ -values in an open interval around  $c$ .

The  $y$ -value  $f(c)$  is called a local maximum value for  $f$

and the point  $(c, f(c))$  is called a local maximum point

the  $y$ -value at  $x=c$  is bigger than any  $y$ -values nearby

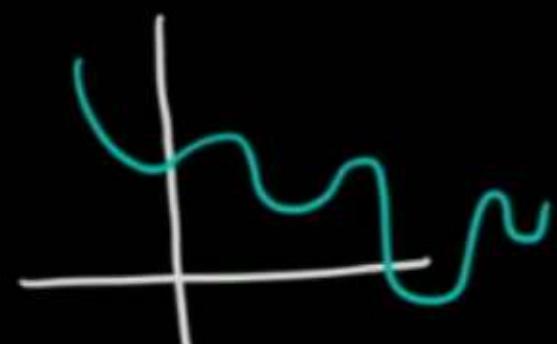
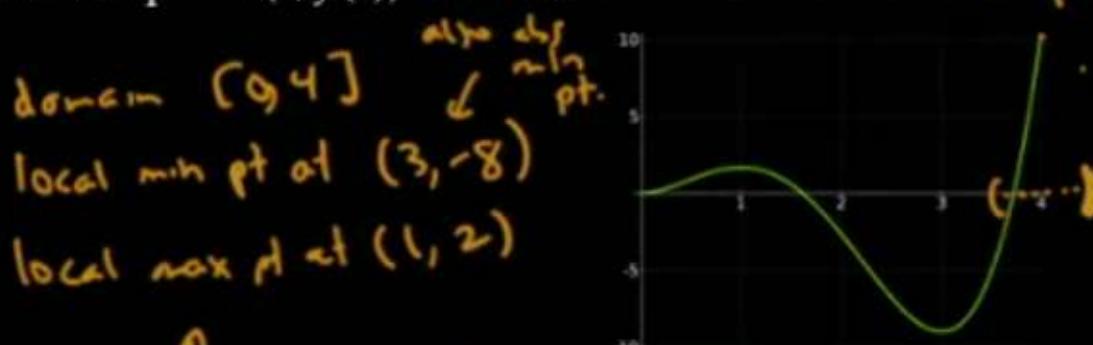


**Definition.** A function  $f(x)$  has an local minimum at  $x = c$  if

$f(c) \leq f(x)$  for all  $x$ -values in an open interval around  $c$

The  $y$ -value  $f(c)$  is called a local minimum value

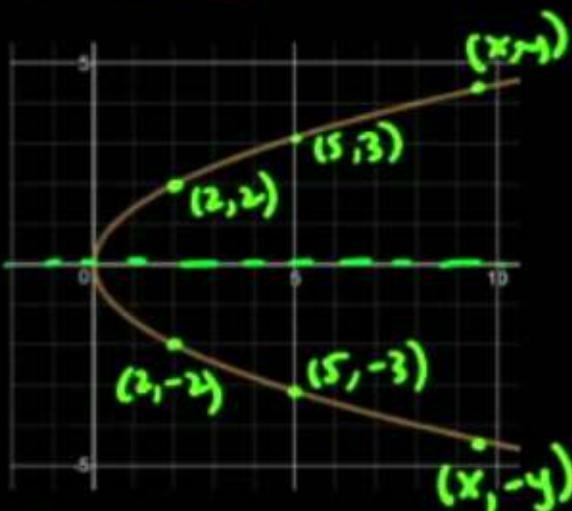
and the point  $(c, f(c))$  is called a local minimum point



✓ some sources do not consider  $(4, 10)$  to be a local max of  $f$  bc  $f$  is not defined in an open interval around  $x=4$ .

**Definition.** Local maximum and minimum values can also be called relative maximum and minimum values.

**Definition.** A graph is *symmetric with respect to the x-axis* if it has mirror symmetry with x-axis as the mirror line.



Whenever a point  $(x, y)$  is on the graph, the point

$$(x, -y)$$

is also on the graph.

**Definition.** A graph is *symmetric with respect to the y-axis* if it has mirror symmetry with the y-axis as the mirror line.

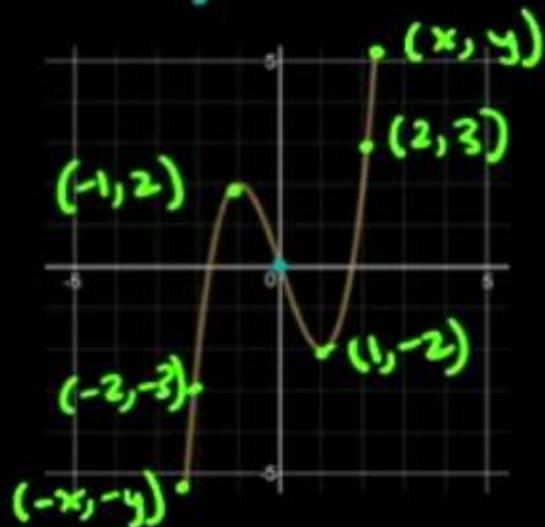


Whenever a point  $(x, y)$  is on the graph, the point

$$(-x, y)$$

is also on the graph.

**Definition.** A graph is *symmetric with respect to the origin* if it has  $180^\circ$  rotational symmetry around the origin.



Whenever a point  $(x, y)$  is on the graph, the point

$$(-x, -y)$$

is also on the graph.

Example. The function  $f$  is defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 & \text{if } x < 1 \\ -2x + 3 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

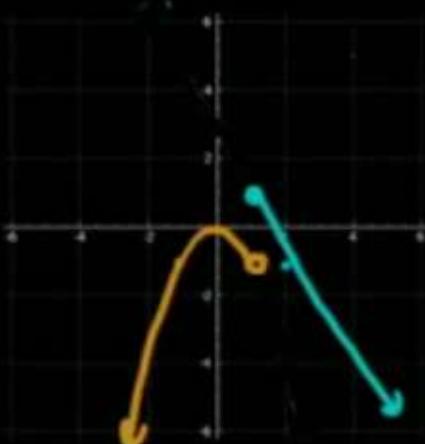
1. What is  $f(-2)$ ? What is  $f(1)$ ? What is  $f(3)$ ?

$$f(-2) = -(-2)^2 = -4$$

$$f(1) = -2(1) + 3 = 1$$

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

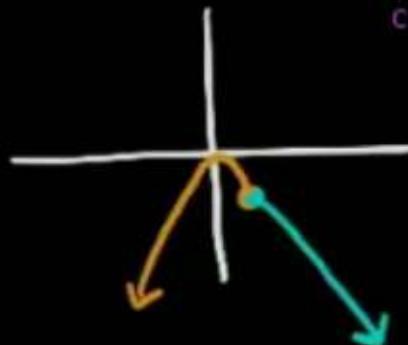
2. Graph  $y = f(x)$ .



3. Is  $f(x)$  continuous? **No**

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} -x^2 & \text{if } x < 1 \\ -2x + 1 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$g(x)$  is continuous



# 104 Trigonometry

Note. To convert between degrees and radians, it is handy to use the fact that  $180$  degrees equals  $\pi$  radians.



Example. Convert  $-135^\circ$  to radians.

$$\text{negative angle}$$

$$-135^\circ \cdot \frac{\pi \text{ radians}}{180^\circ} = -\frac{135\pi}{180} \text{ radians} = \left(-\frac{3\pi}{4}\right) \text{ radians}$$

$$= -2.3562 \text{ radians}$$

Example. Convert  $\frac{5\pi}{4}$  radians to degrees.

$$\frac{5\pi}{4} \text{ radians} \cdot \frac{180^\circ}{\pi \text{ radians}} = \frac{5\pi \cdot 180^\circ}{4\pi} = 225^\circ$$

Example. Convert 7 radians to degrees.

$$7 \text{ radians} \cdot \frac{180^\circ}{\pi \text{ radians}} = \frac{7 \cdot 180^\circ}{\pi} = 401.07^\circ$$

Sometimes, angles are given in terms of degrees, minutes, and seconds, as in  $32^\circ 17' 25''$

A minute is ...  $\frac{1}{60}$  degree

$$60 \text{ minutes} = 1 \text{ degree}$$

degrees    minutes    seconds

A second is ...  $\frac{1}{60}$  minute =  $\frac{1}{60} \cdot \frac{1}{60}$  degree =  $\frac{1}{3600}$  degree

$$3600 \text{ seconds} = 1 \text{ degree}$$

Example. Convert  $32^\circ 17' 25''$  to a decimal number of degrees.

$$32^\circ + 17' + 25''$$

$$32^\circ + 17' \cdot \frac{1^\circ}{60} + 25'' \cdot \frac{1^\circ}{3600}$$

$$32^\circ + \frac{17}{60}^\circ + \frac{25}{3600}^\circ = 32.2903^\circ$$

Example. Convert  $247.3486^\circ$  to degrees, minutes, and seconds.

$$247^\circ + 0.3486^\circ$$

$$0.3486^\circ \cdot \frac{60'}{1^\circ} = 20.916'$$

$$247^\circ + 20.916'$$

$$0.916' \cdot \frac{60''}{1'} = 54.96''$$

$$247^\circ + 20' + 54.96''$$

$$\boxed{247^\circ 20' 55''}$$

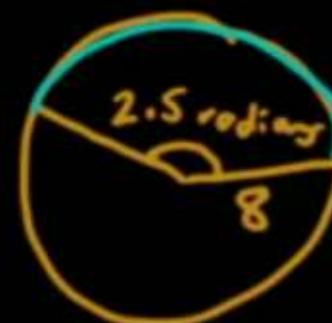
The circumference of a circle is given by the formula ...  $C = 2\pi r$

$\nearrow \text{circumference}$        $\nwarrow \text{radius}$

**Example.** A circular pool has a radius of 8 meters. Find the arclength spanned by a central angle of 2.5 radians.

$$C = 2\pi \cdot 8 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{arclength} &= \frac{\text{fraction of circle}}{\text{circumference}} \cdot \text{circumference} \\ &= \frac{2.5 \text{ radians}}{2\pi \text{ radians}} \cdot 2\pi \cdot 8 \text{ m} \\ &= 2.5 \cdot 8 \text{ m} = 10 \text{ m}\end{aligned}$$



The arclength is related to the angle it spans according to the formula ...

$$\text{arclength} = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} \cdot 2\pi r$$

$$\text{arclength} = \theta \cdot r$$

angle in radians       $\nearrow \text{radius}$

The area of a circle is given by the formula ...

$$A = \pi r^2$$

↑ area      ↗ radius

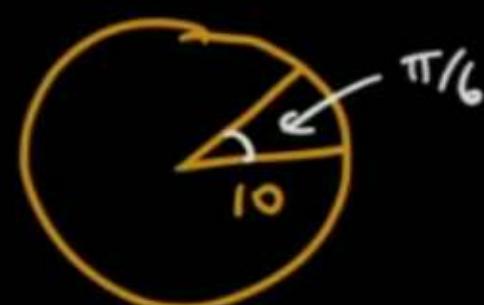
**Example.** Find the area of a sector of a circle of radius 10 meters, that spans an angle of  $\frac{\pi}{6}$  radians.

$$\text{area of circle} = \pi (10 \text{ m})^2 = 100\pi \text{ m}^2$$

$$\text{area of sector} = \text{fraction of circle} \cdot \text{area of circle}$$

$$= \frac{\pi/6 \text{ radians}}{2\pi \text{ radians}} \cdot 100\pi \text{ m}^2$$

$$= \frac{100\pi}{12} \text{ m}^2 = \frac{25}{3}\pi \text{ m}^2 = 26.18 \text{ m}^2$$



angle in radians

The area of a sector is related to the angle it spans according to the formula ...

$$\text{area of sector} = \frac{\theta}{2\pi} \cdot \pi r^2$$

radians in circle →  $\frac{\theta}{2\pi}$

$$\text{area of sector} = \frac{\theta}{2} r^2$$

angle of sector  
in radians ↗ radius

Consider a spinning wheel.



Definition. The *angular speed* is ... angle it goes through in a unit of time  
*angle/time*  
and has units of ... *radians/sec* or *°/min*, etc.

Definition. The *linear speed* is ... distance a point on rim of wheel  
travels in a unit of time  $\rightarrow$  *dist/time*  
and has units of ... *m/sec*, *ft/min*, etc.

angle/time

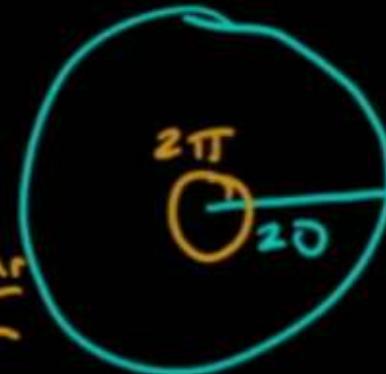
Example. A ferris wheel with radius 20 m is making 1 revolution every 2 minutes. What is its angular speed? The linear speed of a point on its rim?

$$\frac{1 \text{ rev}}{2 \text{ min}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{min}}$$

$$\text{angular speed} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{rev}}{\text{min}} \cdot \frac{2\pi \text{ radians}}{1 \text{ rev}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\pi \frac{\text{radians}}{\text{min}} = \pi \frac{\text{radians}}{\text{min}}$$

$$\text{linear speed} = \pi \frac{\text{radians}}{\text{min}} \cdot \frac{2\pi \cdot 20 \text{ m}}{2\pi \text{ radians}} = 20\pi \frac{\text{m}}{\text{min}}$$



The linear speed is related to the angular speed by the formula ..

 $v$  $\omega$ 

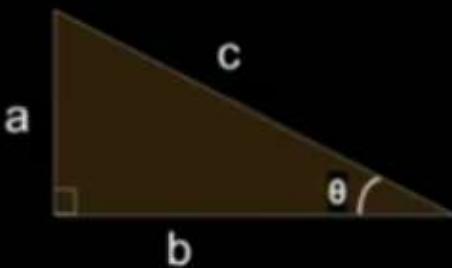
$$v = \omega \cdot \frac{\text{circum}}{2\pi}$$

$$v = \omega \cdot \frac{2\pi r}{2\pi}$$

$$v = \omega \cdot r$$

$\nearrow$  angular speed  
 $\nearrow$  linear speed  
 $\nwarrow$  radius

For a right triangle with sides  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  and angle  $\theta$  as drawn,



we define

$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{a}{c}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{b}{c}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{a}{b}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{b}{c}} = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{c}{b}$$

$$\csc \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{a}{c}} = \frac{\text{hyp}}{\text{opp}} = \frac{c}{a}$$

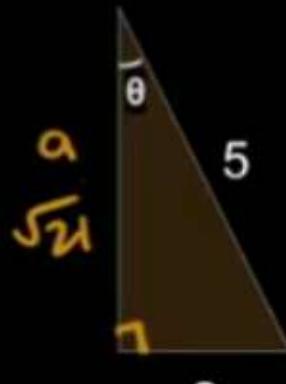
$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{opp}} = \frac{b}{a}$$

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$$\tan \theta = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} \quad \text{why?}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} &= \frac{\frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}}{\frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}}} = \frac{\text{opp}}{\cancel{\text{hyp}}} \cdot \frac{\cancel{\text{hyp}}}{\text{adj}} \\ &= \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}} = \tan(\theta)\end{aligned}$$

**Example.** Find the exact values of all six trig functions of angle  $\theta$  in this right triangle.



$$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\csc \theta = \frac{1}{\sin \theta} = \frac{5}{1}$$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{5}$$

$$\sec \theta = \frac{1}{\cos \theta} = \frac{1}{\frac{\sqrt{21}}{5}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$\cot \theta = \frac{1}{\tan \theta} = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{1}$$

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

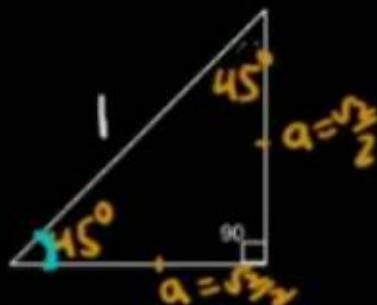
$$a^2 + 1^2 = 5^2$$

$$a^2 + 1 = 25$$

$$a^2 = 24$$

$$a = \sqrt{24}$$

Example. Without using a calculator, find  $\sin(45^\circ)$  and  $\cos(45^\circ)$  using a right triangle with hypotenuse 1.



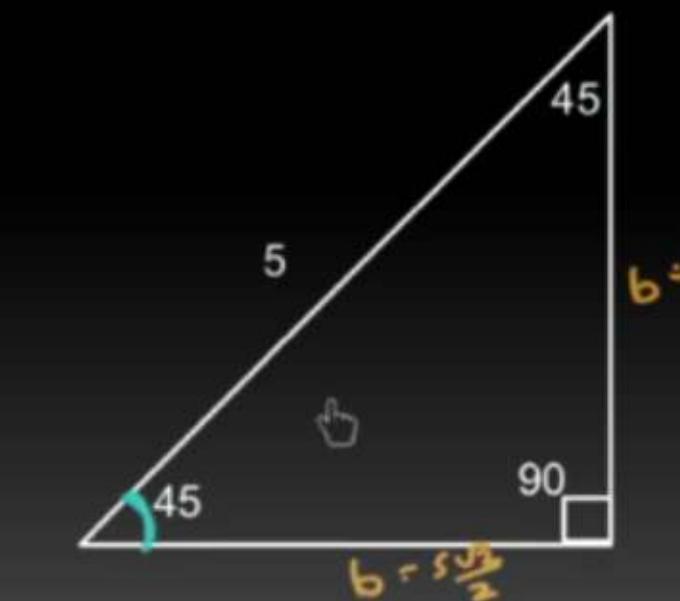
$$\begin{aligned} a^2 + a^2 &= 1^2 \\ 2a^2 &= 1 \\ a^2 &= \frac{1}{2} \\ a &= \pm\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$a = \frac{\sqrt{1}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{(\sqrt{2})^2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\sin(45^\circ) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}}{1} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\cos(45^\circ) = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}}{1} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

Example. Without using a calculator, find  $\sin(45^\circ)$  and  $\cos(45^\circ)$ , and  $\tan(45^\circ)$  using a right triangle with hypotenuse 5.



$$\begin{aligned} b^2 + b^2 &= 5^2 \\ 2b^2 &= 25 \\ b^2 &= \frac{25}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$b = \pm\sqrt{\frac{25}{2}}$$

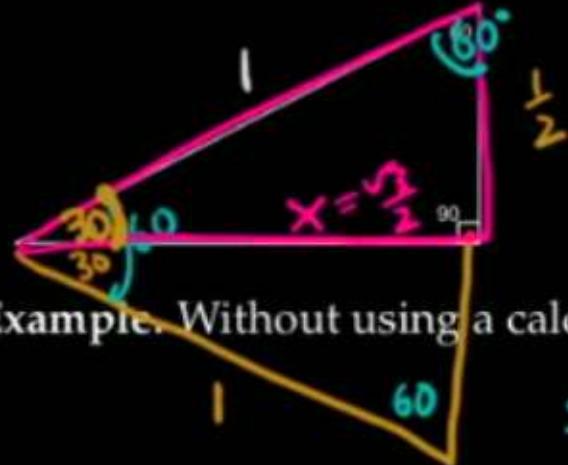
$$b = \frac{\sqrt{25}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$b = \frac{5}{\sqrt{2}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin(45^\circ) &= \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}}{5} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \cos(45^\circ) &= \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{5\sqrt{2}}{2}}{5} \\ &= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

Example. Without using a calculator, find  $\sin(30^\circ)$  and  $\cos(30^\circ)$ .



$$x^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 1^2$$

$$x^2 + \frac{1}{4} = 1$$

$$x^2 = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$x = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\sin(30^\circ) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\cos(30^\circ) = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{1} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Example. Without using a calculator, find  $\sin(60^\circ)$  and  $\cos(60^\circ)$ .

$$\sin(60^\circ) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}}{1} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\cos(60^\circ) = \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

To summarize:

angle $\theta$ in degrees	angle $\theta$ in radians	$\cos(\theta)$	$\sin(\theta)$
$30^\circ$	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$
$45^\circ$	$\frac{\pi}{4}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
$60^\circ$	$\frac{\pi}{3}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

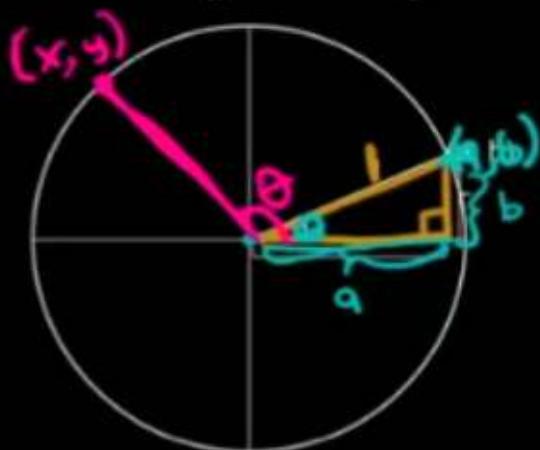
$$30^\circ \cdot \frac{\pi}{180^\circ} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline & \\ \hline \end{array}$$



In the figure, a right triangle is drawn in the unit circle. Its top vertex has coordinates  $(a, b)$ . In terms of  $a$  and  $b$ ,

- How long is the base of the triangle?
- How long is its height?



$\checkmark \theta$  starts at the positive  $x$ -axis and goes counter-clockwise.

Using the triangle definition of sine and cosine, what are  $\sin(\theta)$  and  $\cos(\theta)$ , in terms of  $a$  and  $b$ ?

$$\cos(\theta) = \underline{a} \quad \sin(\theta) = \underline{b}$$

= x-coordinate of point  
on unit circle at angle  $\theta$

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\underline{b}}{\underline{a}}$$

= \frac{y\text{-coordinate}}{x\text{-coordinate}}

**Definition.** For angles  $\theta$  that can't be part of a right triangle we find the point on the unit circle at angle  $\theta$  and **define**

$$\cos(\theta) = \underline{x\text{-coordinate}}$$

$$\sin(\theta) = \underline{y\text{-coordinate}}$$

$$\tan(\theta) = \underline{\frac{y\text{-coordinate}}{x\text{-coordinate}}}$$

Example. For the angle  $\phi$  drawn,

$$\sin(\phi) = \underline{0.9397}$$

$$\cos(\phi) = \underline{-0.3420}$$

$$\tan(\phi) = \frac{\underline{0.9397}}{\underline{-0.3420}} = -0.3639$$

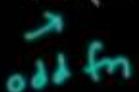


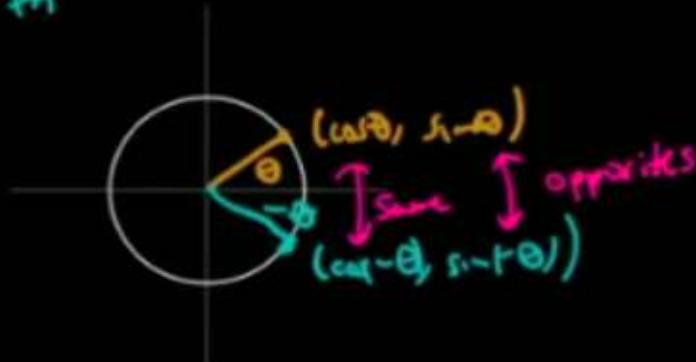
Even Odd Property:

$$\cos(-\theta) = \cos(\theta)$$

 even fn

$$\sin(-\theta) = -\sin(\theta)$$

 odd fn



Example. Determine if  $\tan(\theta)$  is an even or odd function.

$$\tan(-\theta) = \frac{\sin(-\theta)}{\cos(-\theta)} = -\frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = -\frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = -\tan(\theta)$$

$\tan(\theta)$  is odd

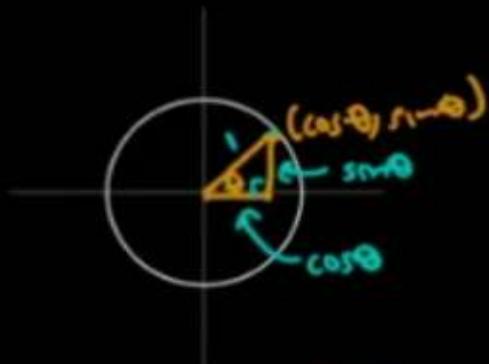
Pythagorean Property:

$$(\cos(\theta))^2 + (\sin(\theta))^2 = 1$$

$$\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta) = 1$$

$$\cos^2 \theta \text{ means } (\cos(\theta))^2$$

$$\sin^2 \theta \text{ means } (\sin(\theta))^2$$



Example. If  $\sin(t) = -\frac{2}{7}$ , and  $t$  is angle that lies in quadrant III, find  $\cos(t)$ .

$$\cos^2 t + \sin^2 t = 1$$

$$(\cos t)^2 + (-\frac{2}{7})^2 = 1$$

$$(\cos t)^2 + \frac{4}{49} = 1$$

$$(\cos t)^2 = 1 - \frac{4}{49} = \frac{45}{49}$$

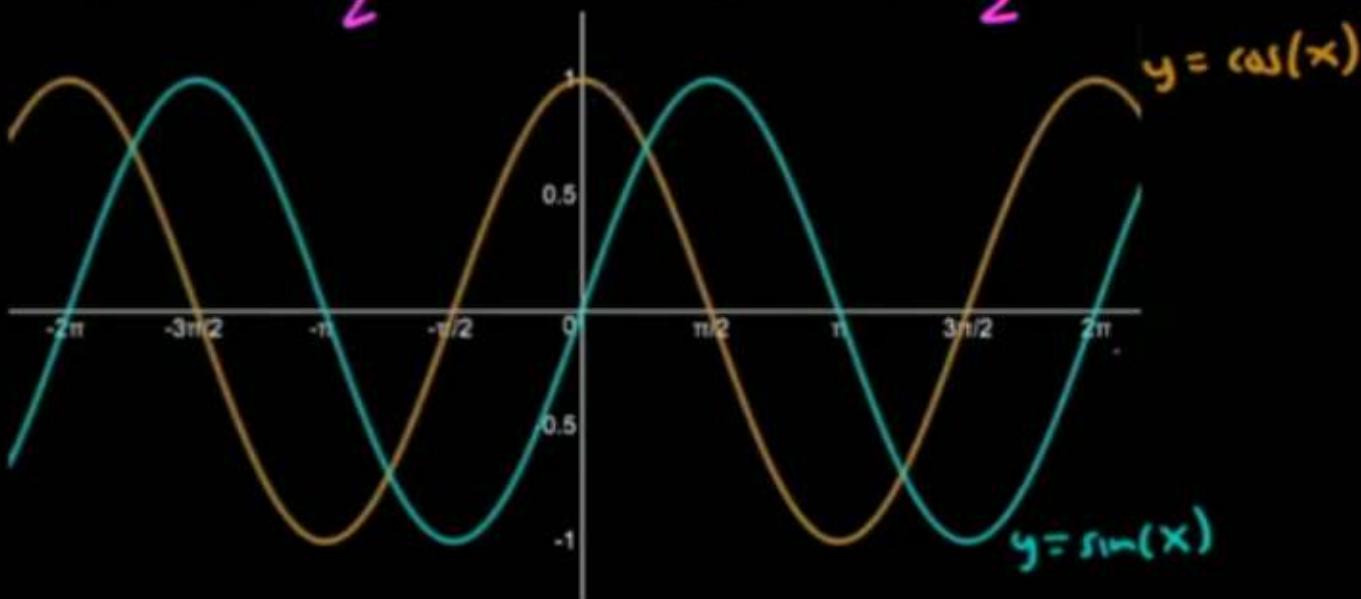
$$\cos t = \pm \sqrt{\frac{45}{49}} = \pm \frac{\sqrt{45}}{7}$$

$$\cos t = -\frac{\sqrt{45}}{7}$$

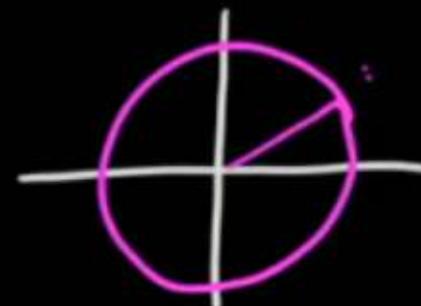


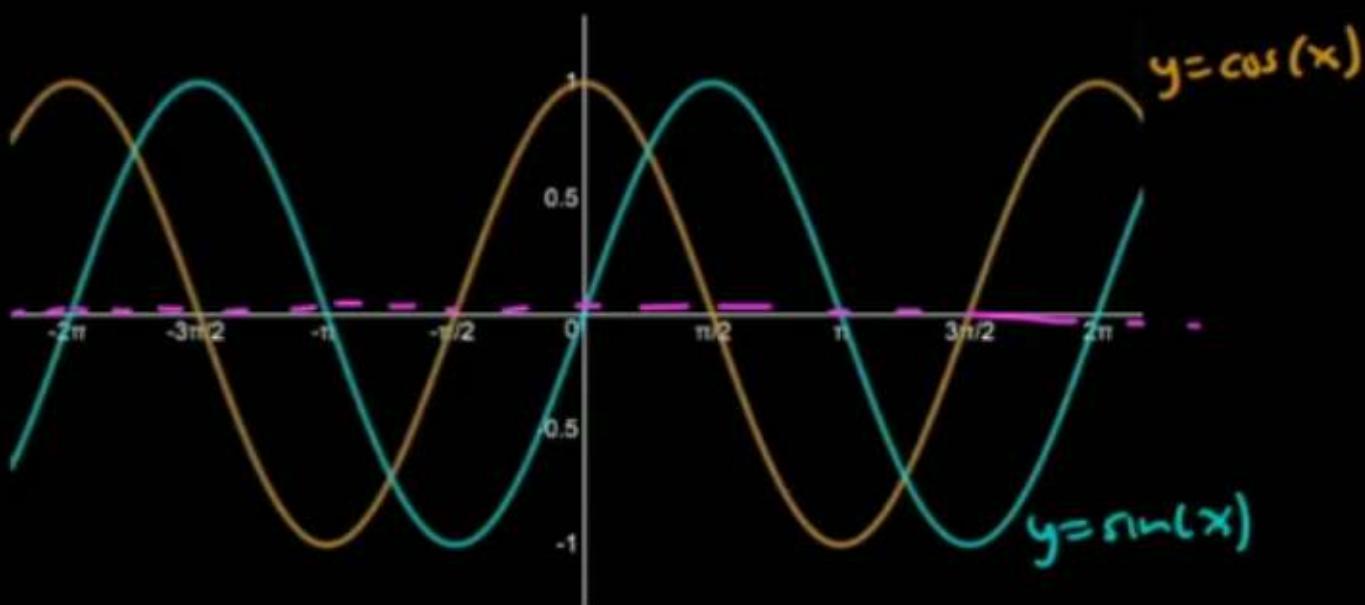
$$\begin{aligned} 7^2 + 2^2 &= 7^2 \\ a^2 + 4 &= 49 \\ a^2 &= 45 \\ \cos(t) &= \frac{-7}{\sqrt{45}} = -\frac{\sqrt{45}}{7} \end{aligned}$$

The graph of  $y = \cos(x)$  is the same as the graph of  $y = \sin(x)$  shifted horizontally by  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  to the left  
 $\cos(x) = \sin(x + \frac{\pi}{2})$        $\sin(x) = \cos(x - \frac{\pi}{2})$



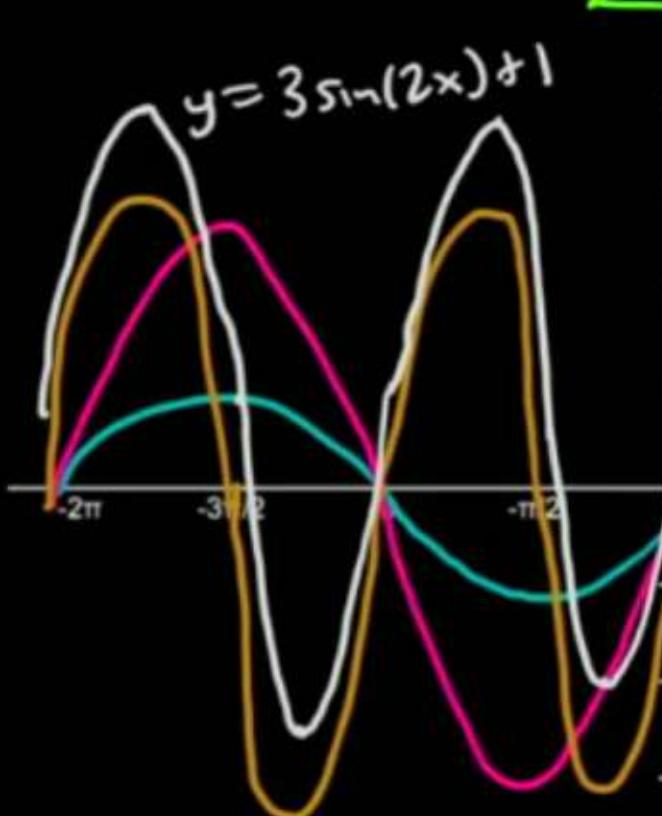
- Domain  $(-\infty, \infty)$
- Range  $[-1, 1]$
- Even / odd  $y = \cos(x)$  is an even fn  
 $y = \sin(x)$  is an odd fn
- Abs max and min values  
 $\downarrow$   
 $y=1$        $\downarrow$   
 $y=-1$



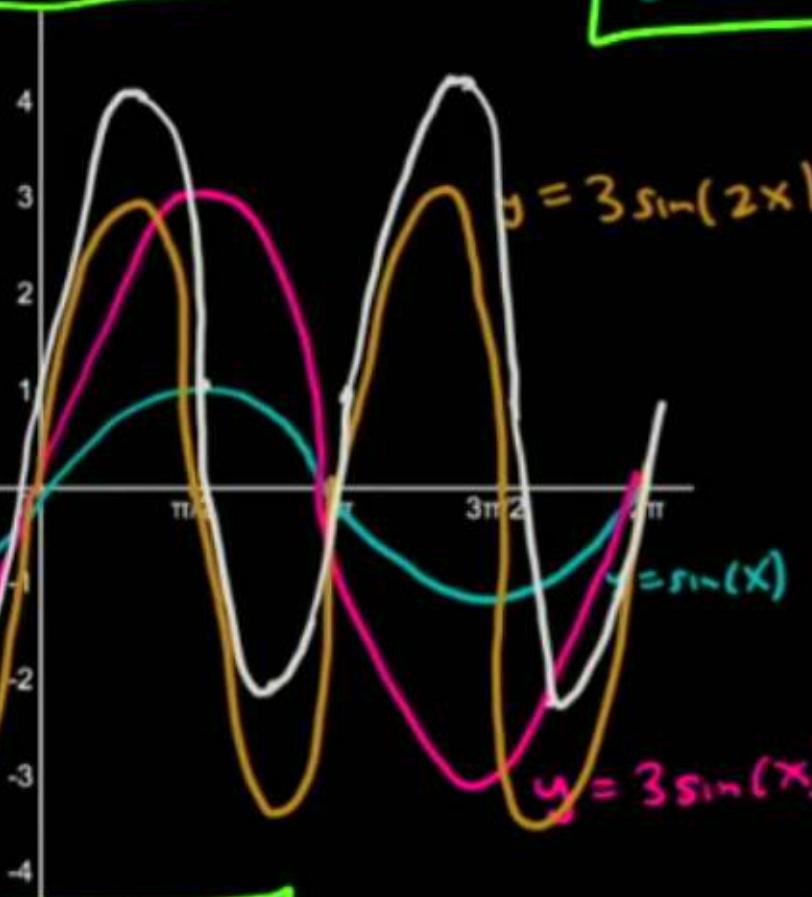


- Midline is the horizontal line halfway in between max & min pts  
 $y=0$
- Amplitude is the vertical distance between a max point and the midline  
amplitude is 1
- Period is the horizontal length of the smallest repeating unit  
period is  $2\pi$   
 $\cos(x+2\pi) = \cos(x)$   
 $\sin(x+2\pi) = \sin(x)$

Example. Graph the function  $y = 3 \sin(2x)$



$$y = \sin(x)$$



Example. Graph the function  $y = 3 \sin(2x) + 1$

midline	amplitude	period
$y = \sin(x)$	$y = 0$	$1$
$y = 3 \sin(2x)$	$y = 0$	$2\pi$
$y = 3 \sin(2x) + 1$	$y = 1$	

$$y = \sin(x) \quad y = 0$$

$$y = 3 \sin(2x) \quad y = 0$$

$$y = 3 \sin(2x) + 1 \quad y = 1$$

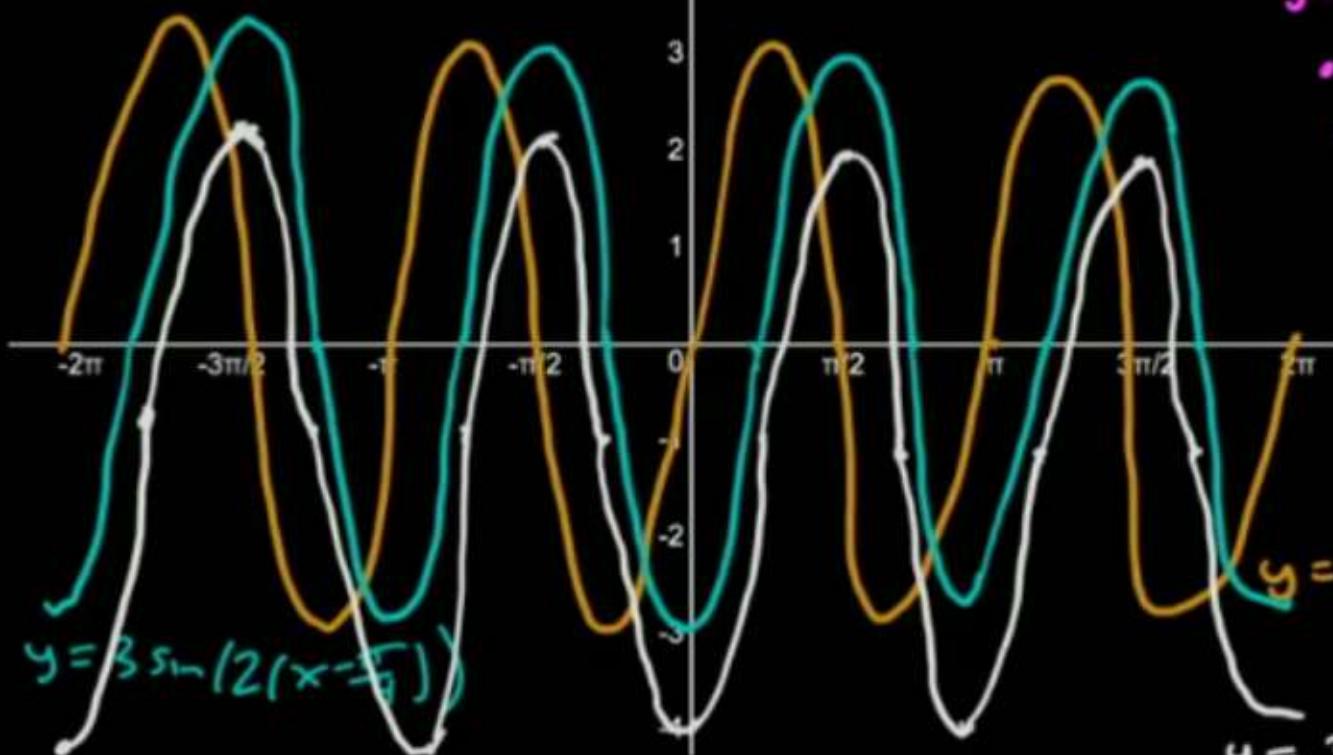
$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\pi = \pi$$

$$\pi$$

Example. Graph the function  $y = 3 \sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right)$

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$$g(x) = 3 \sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right)$$



$$y = 3 \sin(2x)$$

$$f(x) = 3 \sin(2x)$$

$$g(x) = f\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

- Graph  $f(x)$
- Shift  $f(x)$  graph right by  $\frac{\pi}{4}$

$$y = 3 \sin(2x)$$

$$y = 3 \sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) - 1$$

Example. Graph the function  $y = 3 \sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) - 1$

$$y = \sin(x)$$

$$y = 3 \sin\left(2\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) - 1$$

midline  
 $y = 0$

$$y = -1$$

amplitude  
1

$$3$$

period  
 $2\pi$

$$\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2\pi = \pi$$

phase  
shift  
horizontal  
shift

$$\frac{\pi}{4}$$

## Summary

$$y = 3 \sin(2(x - \frac{\pi}{4})) - 1$$

For the graphs of  $y = A \cos(Bx - C) + D$  and  $y = A \sin(Bx - C) + D$  with  $B$  positive.

- midline

$$y = 3 \sin(2x - \frac{\pi}{2}) - 1$$

$$y = D$$

- amplitude

$$|A|$$

$$y = A \cos(Bx - C) + D$$

$$y = A \cos(B(x - \frac{C}{B})) + D$$

- period

$$\frac{1}{B} \cdot 2\pi \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{B}$$

$$y = A \sin(B(x - \frac{C}{B})) + D$$

- horizontal shift ↗ phase

$\frac{C}{B}$  to the right if  $\frac{C}{B}$  is pos  
to the left if  $\frac{C}{B}$  is neg

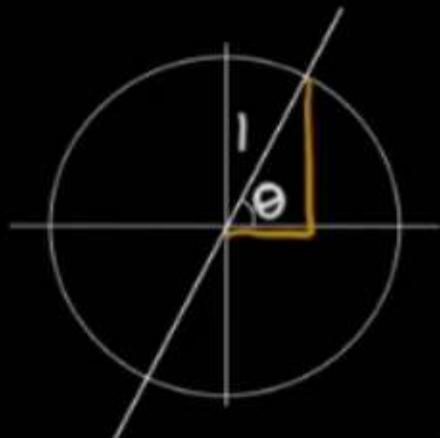
$$y = \frac{1}{3} \cos(\frac{1}{2}x + 3) - 5 \rightarrow y = \frac{1}{3} \cos(\frac{1}{2}(x + 6)) - 5$$

midline:  $y = -5$       ampl:  $\frac{1}{3}$       period:  $\frac{2\pi}{\frac{1}{2}} = 4\pi$   
 horiz shift: 6 units left

## Graph $y = \tan(x)$

### GRAPHS OF TAN, SEC, COT, CSC

Example. What is the slope of the line at angle  $\theta$  drawn below?



$$\text{rise} = \sin \theta$$

$$\text{run} = \cos \theta$$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{\sin \theta}{\cos \theta} = \tan \theta$$

$y = \tan(x)$

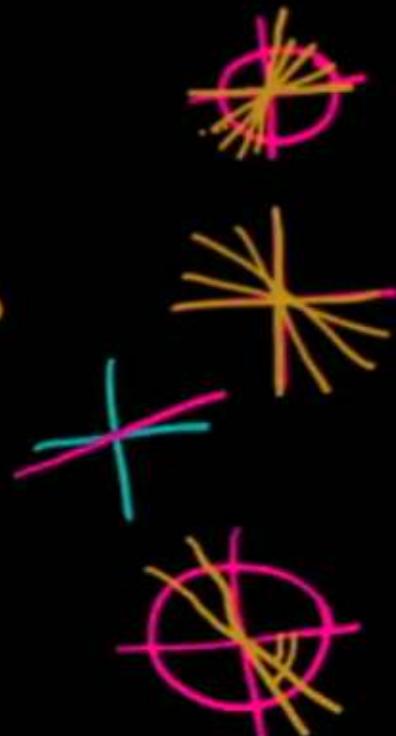
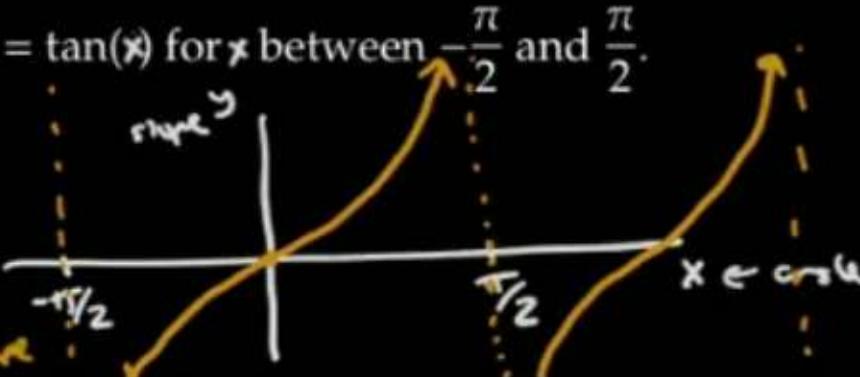
slope of  
the line at  
that angle

- When the angle is zero, the slope is ... 0
- As the angle increases toward  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ , the slope goes to ...  $\infty$
- As the angle goes from zero towards  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$ , the slope goes to ...  $-\infty$
- At exactly  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$ , the slope is ... undefined

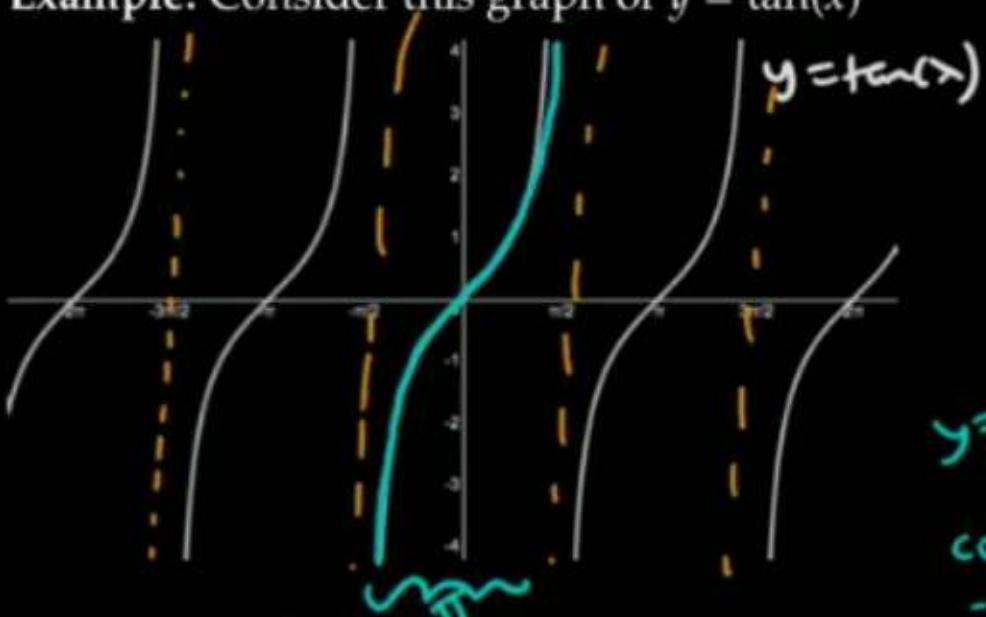
Sketch a rough graph of  $y = \tan(x)$  for  $x$  between  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

periodic  
with period  $\pi$

by rotating a line by  
 $\pi$  (which is  $180^\circ$ ) over  
the same line with the same slope.



Example. Consider this graph of  $y = \tan(x)$



In the graph above, find the:

x-intercepts:  $\dots -2\pi, -\pi, 0, \pi, 2\pi, \dots$

vertical asymptotes:  $\dots -\frac{3\pi}{2}, -\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2} \dots \quad \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot k \text{ where } k \text{ is an odd integer}$

domain:  $\{x \mid x \neq \frac{\pi}{2} \cdot k \text{ for } k \text{ odd integer}\}$

range:  $(-\infty, \infty)$

period:  $\pi$

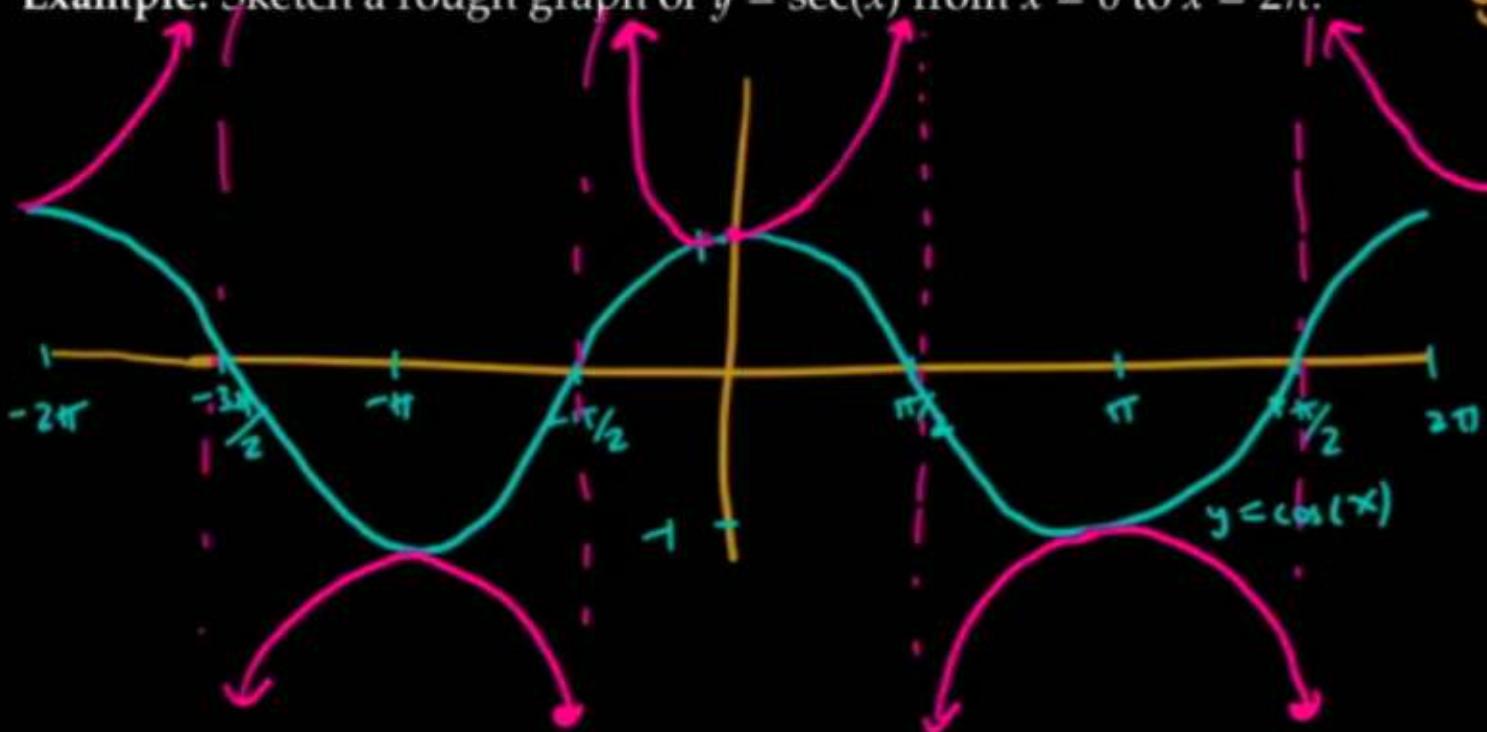
$$y = \tan(x) \subset \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)}$$

$\cos(x) \neq 0 \text{ at}$   
 $-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}, \dots$

$\pi \cdot k \text{ where } k \text{ is an integer}$

Example. Sketch a rough graph of  $y = \sec(x)$  from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 2\pi$ .

$$y = \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$$



x-intercepts: None

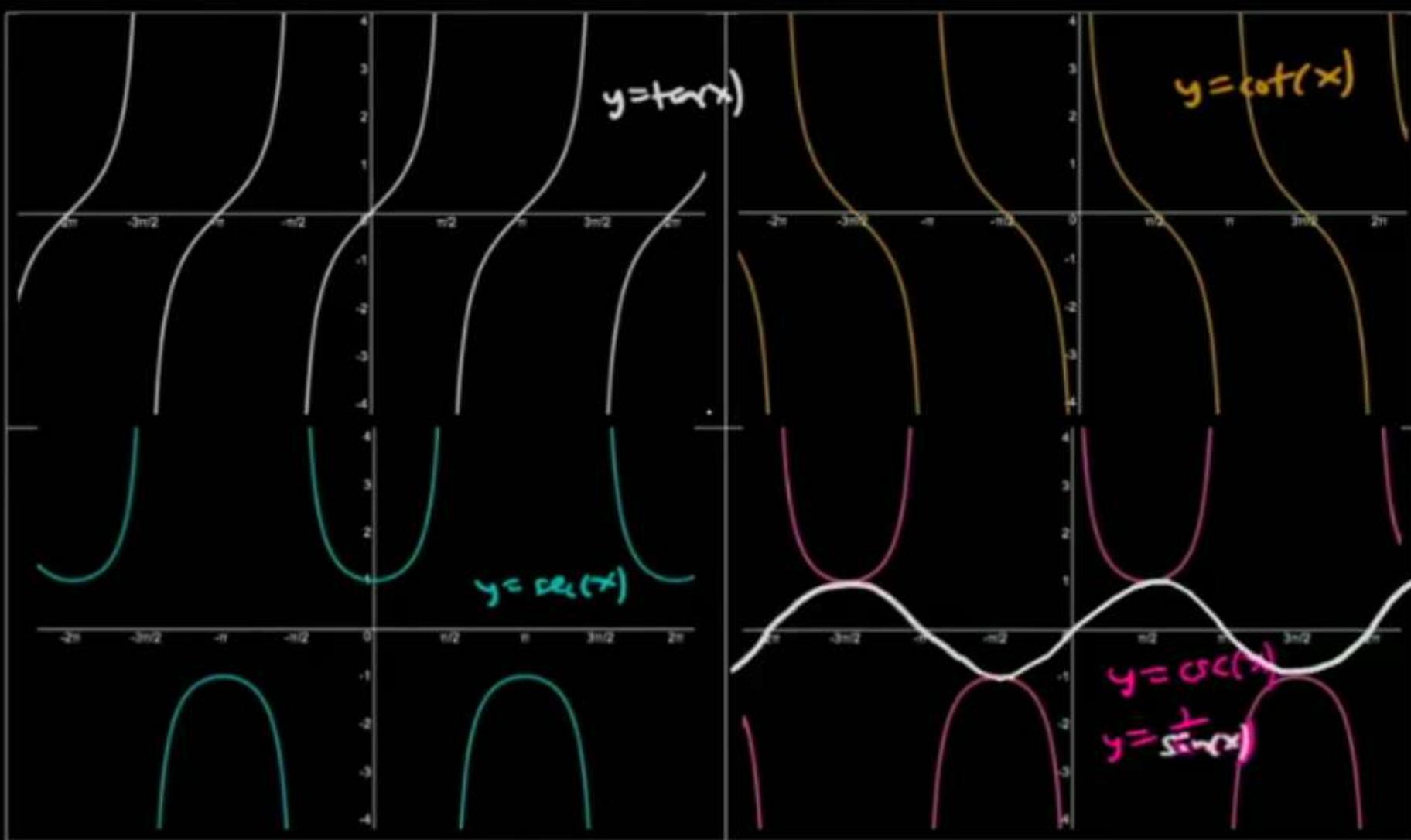
vertical asymptotes: where  $\cos(x) = 0$ ;  $\pi/2, 3\pi/2, \dots$   $\frac{\pi}{2} \cdot k$   
where  $k$  is an odd integer

domain:  $\{x | x \neq \frac{\pi}{2}k \text{ for } k \text{ odd integer}\}$

range:  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

period:  $2\pi$

Here are graphs of  $y = \tan(x)$ ,  $y = \cot(x)$ ,  $y = \sec(x)$  and  $y = \csc(x)$ .



Example. Sketch a graph of the function  $y = 2 \csc(\pi x + \frac{\pi}{2}) + 1$ .

$$y = \csc(x) = \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$$

*inverses* *horizontal shift*  
↑ *NOT*  $\rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2}$

vertical stretch  $\times 2$  *shrink* *vert*  $\times \frac{1}{2}$   
 $\uparrow$  *shift up by 1*

$$\text{period} = \frac{2\pi}{\pi} = 2$$

$$y = 2 \csc(\pi(x + \frac{1}{2})) + 1$$

find V.A.

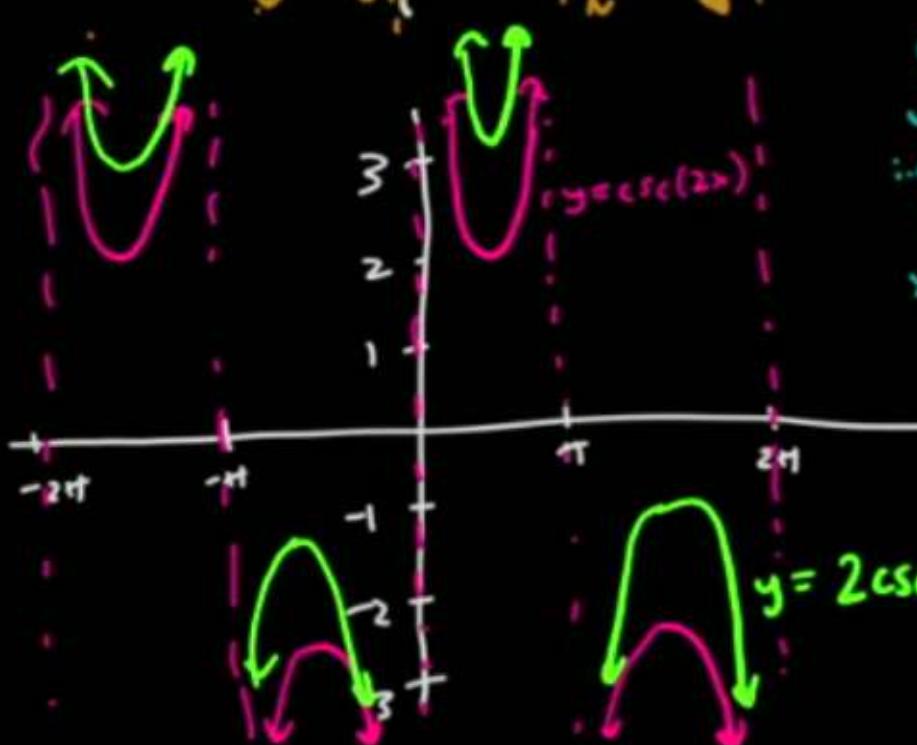
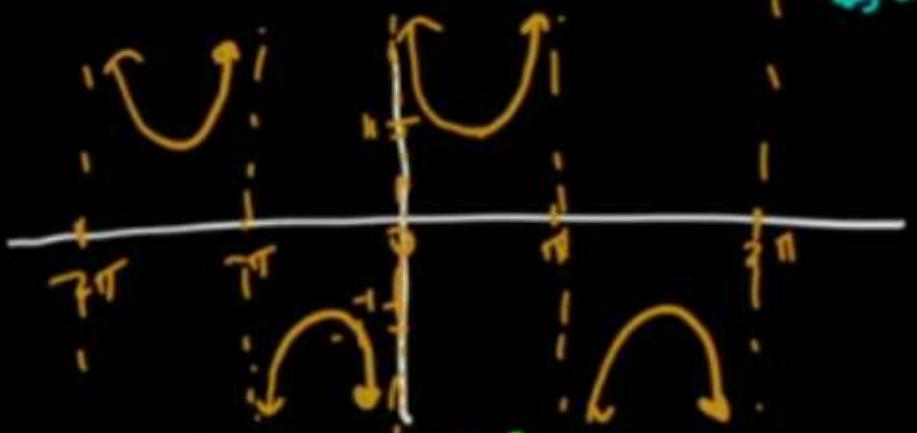
$$\csc = \frac{1}{\sin}$$

$$\csc(\pi(x + \frac{1}{2})) = 0$$

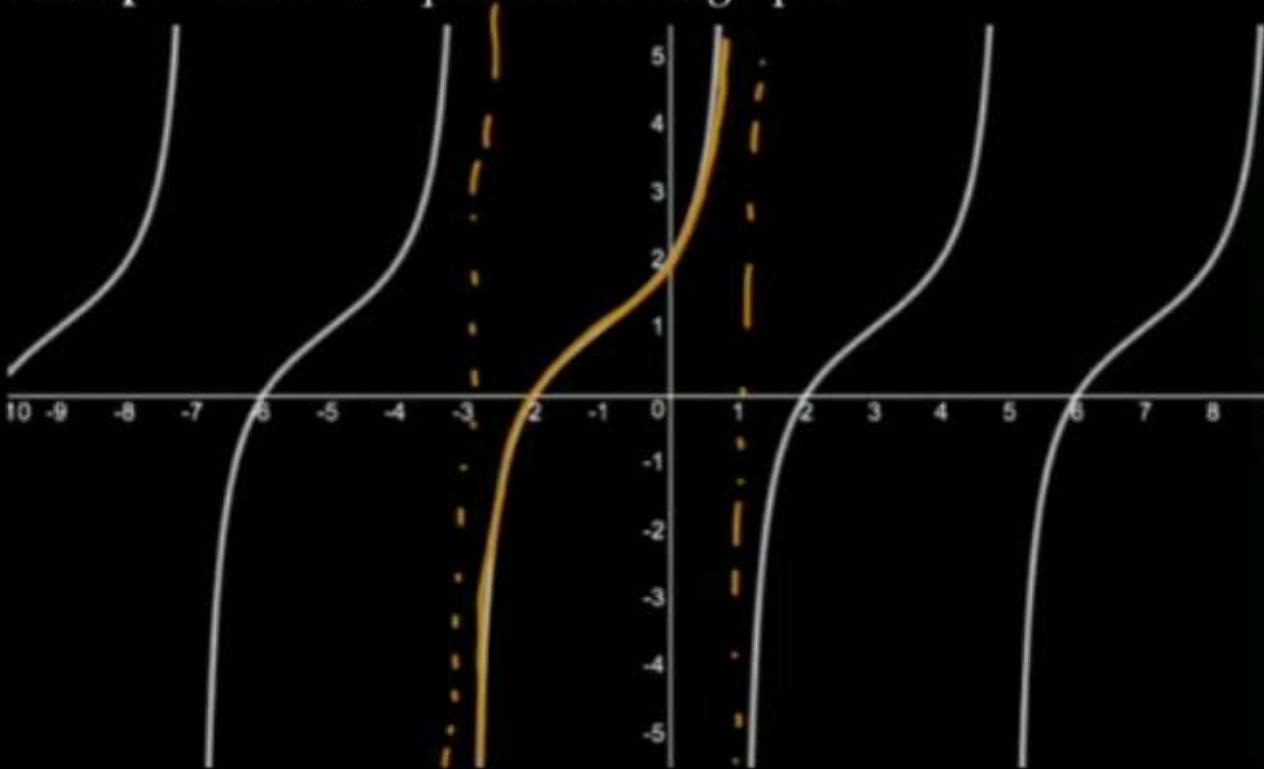
when  $\sin(\pi(x + \frac{1}{2})) = 1$

i.e. when  
 $\pi(x + \frac{1}{2}) = n\pi$

$$x = n - \frac{1}{2}$$



Example. Find the equation of this graph.



$$y = A \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}(x+1)\right) + 1$$

plus in  $(0, 2)$

$$2 = A \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}(0+1)\right) + 1$$

solve for  $A$        $2 = A \cdot 1 + 1 \Rightarrow A = 1$

$y = \tan(x)$   
has period of  $\pi$

our graph has a  
period of 4

$$y = \tan(Bx)$$

$$\frac{\pi}{B} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi = 4B$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$\pi$

$$\boxed{y = \tan\left(\frac{\pi}{4}(x+1)\right) + 1}$$

GRAPHS OF TRANSFORMATIONS OF TAN, SEC, COT, CSC

\*Assume  $B > 0$

For the function  $y = A \tan(Bx - C) + D$ , how do the numbers  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ , and  $D$  affect the graph?

vertical stretch of  $|A|$       shorter period from  $\pi$  to  $\frac{\pi}{B}$       shift vertically by  $D$

$$y = A \tan\left(B\left(x - \frac{C}{B}\right)\right) + D$$

org. period of tan, cot is  $\pi$

same for  $y = A \cot(Bx - C) + D$       phase shift right by  $\frac{C}{B}$

\*Assume  $B > 0$

For the function  $y = A \sec(Bx - C) + D$ , how do the numbers  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ , and  $D$  affect the graph?

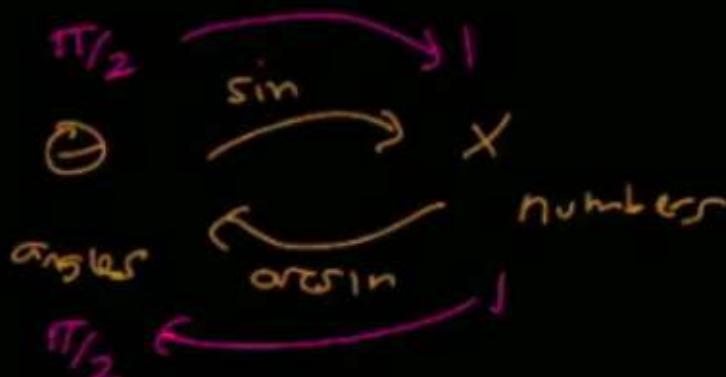
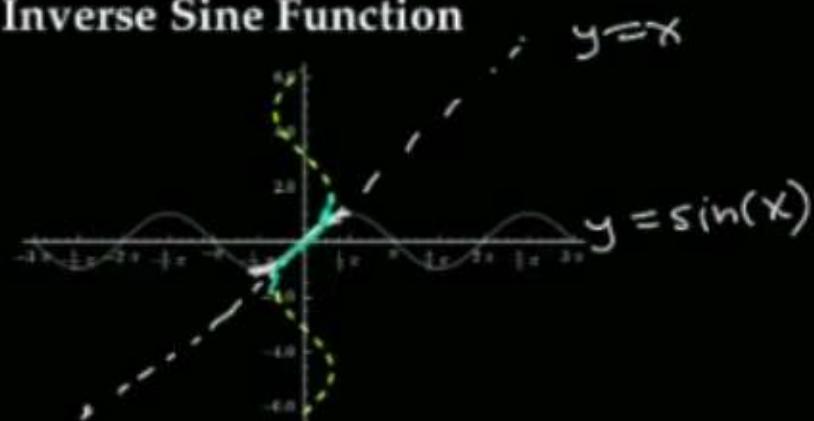
or

$$y = A \csc(Bx - C) + D$$

org. period of sec, csc is  $2\pi$

$B$  changes period from  $2\pi$  to  $\frac{2\pi}{B}$

## Inverse Sine Function



Restricted  $\sin(x)$  has  
inverse sine function  
 $\hookrightarrow$   $\arcsin(x)$  has

Domain:  $[-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}]$  Range:  $[-1, 1]$

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$\arcsin(x)$  is the (circle one) angle/number between  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  whose ... sine is  $x$ .

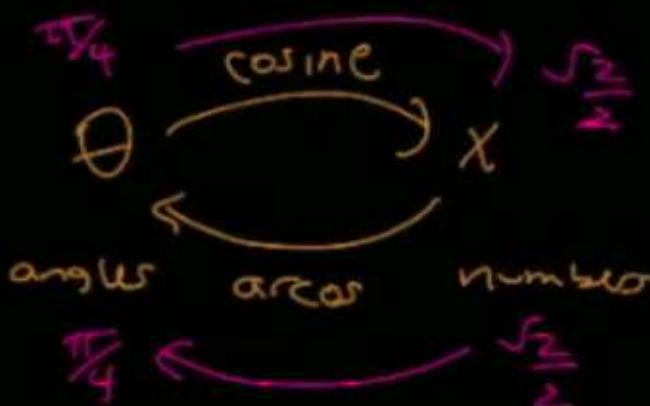
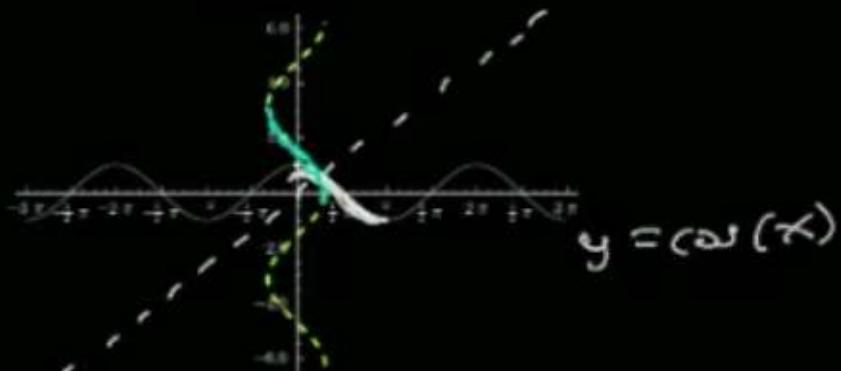
$y = \arcsin(x)$  means:  $x = \sin(y)$

and  $-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$

Alternative Notation:  $\sin^{-1}(x)$  means  $\arcsin(x)$ , the inverse sine function.

Warning:  $\sqrt{\sin^{-1}(x)} \neq \frac{1}{\sin(x)}$        $\frac{1}{\sin(x)} = \csc(x)$        $\sin^{-1}(x) = \arcsin(x)$   
 ← not the same →      inverse sine fn

## Inverse Cosine Function

Restricted  $\cos(x)$  hasDomain:  $[0, \pi]$  Range:  $[-1, 1]$  $\arccos(x)$  hasDomain:  $[-1, 1]$  Range:  $[0, \pi]$ 

$\arccos(x)$  is the (circle one) angle / number between  $0$  and  $\pi$  whose ... cosine is  $x$

$y = \arccos(x)$  means:  $x = \cos(y)$

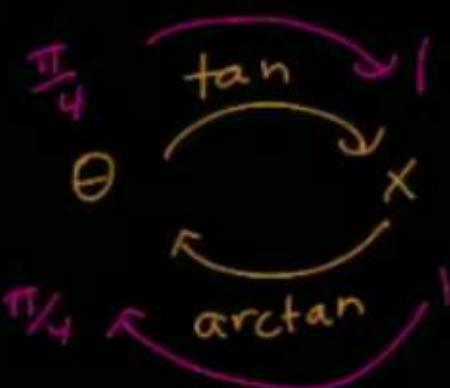
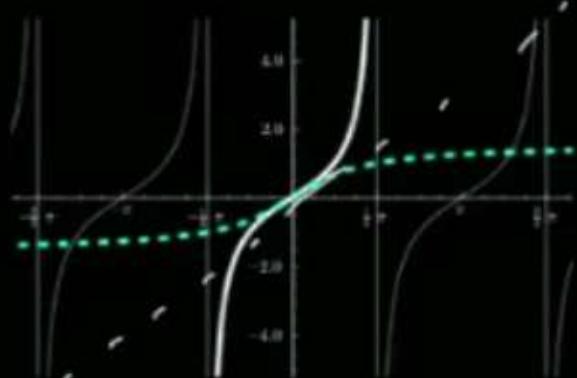
and  $0 \leq y \leq \pi$

Alternative Notation:  $\cos^{-1}(x)$  means  $\arccos(x)$

Warning:   $\cos^{-1}(x) \neq \frac{1}{\cos(x)}$

$\frac{1}{\cos(x)} = \sec(x)$        $\cos^{-1}(x) = \arccos(x)$   
 ↪ not the same

## Inverse Tangent Function

Restricted  $\tan(x)$  hasDomain:  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$  Range:  $(-\infty, \infty)$  $\arctan(x)$  hasDomain:  $(-\infty, \infty)$  Range:  $(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2})$ 

$\arctan(x)$  is the (circle one) angle / number between  $-\frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  whose ...  $\tan$  is  $x$ .

$y = \arctan(x)$  means:  $x = \tan(y)$  and  $-\pi/2 < y < \pi/2$

Alternative Notation:  $\tan^{-1}(x)$  means  $\arctan(x)$ ,

Warning:  $\tan^{-1}(x)$  means the inverse trig fn  $\arctan(x)$ .  
▼ not equal to  $\frac{1}{\tan(x)}$  which is  $\cot(x)$

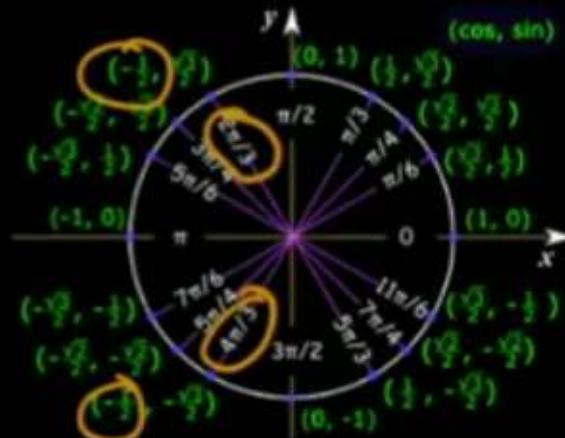
Example. For the equation  $2 \cos(x) + 1 = 0$ ,

- (a) Find the solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$ .

$$2 \cos(x) = -1$$

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

$$x = 2\frac{\pi}{3}, 4\frac{\pi}{3}$$



- (b) Give a general formula for ALL solutions (not just those in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$ ).

$$\begin{array}{l} 2\frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi k \\ 4\frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi k \end{array} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{for } k \text{ any integer} \\ \} \end{array} \right.$$

$$x = 2\frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi k, 4\frac{\pi}{3} + 2\pi k \quad \text{for } k \text{ any integer}$$

## SOLVING TRIG EQUATIONS THAT REQUIRE A CALCULATOR

Example. For the equation  $2 \cos(t) = 1 - \cos(t)$

(a) Find all solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$  ✓ use radian mode

$$\begin{aligned} 3 \cos(t) &= 1 \\ \cos(t) &= \frac{1}{3} \quad \leftarrow \text{has } \infty \text{ many solutions} \\ \arccos(\cos(t)) &= \arccos\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \\ t &= \arccos\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \approx 1.2310 \end{aligned}$$

*not quick  
the same*

*← has one solution lies between  
0 and  $\pi$*



The other solution in  $[0, 2\pi)$  is given by  $2\pi - 1.2310 = 5.0522$

$$x = 1.2310, 5.0522$$

Find the second solution by  $2\pi - (\text{first solution})$

(b) Find all solutions.

$$x = 1.2310 + 2\pi k, 5.0522 + 2\pi k$$



Example. For the equation  $4 \sin(x) - 1 = 2$

(a) Find all solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$

$$4 \sin(x) = 3$$

$$\sin(x) = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\arcsin(\sin(x)) = \arcsin\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$$

$$x = \arcsin\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) = 0.8481$$

$$\text{or } \pi - 0.8481 = 2.2935$$

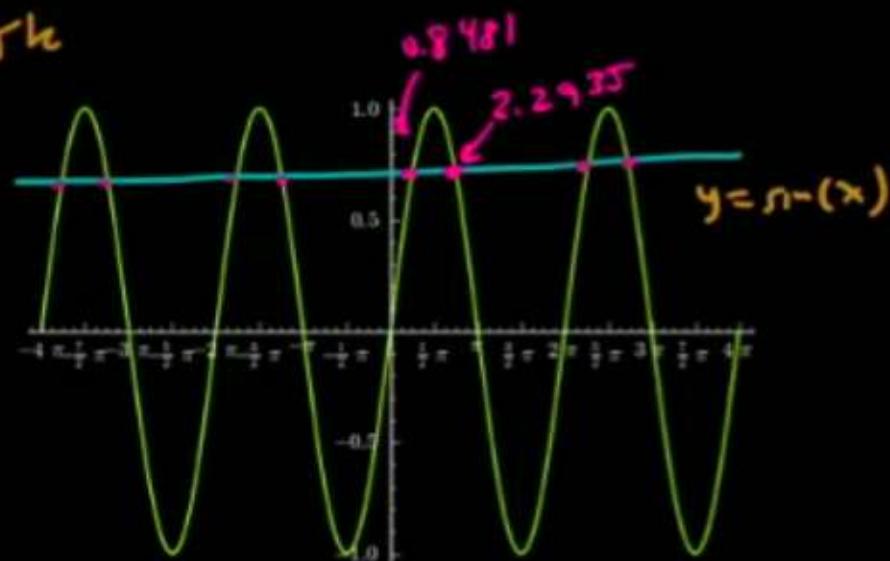
$$x = 0.8481, 2.2935$$



To get second angle,  
use  $\pi - (\text{first angle})$

(b) Find all solutions.

$$x = 0.8481 + 2\pi k, 2.2935 + 2\pi k$$



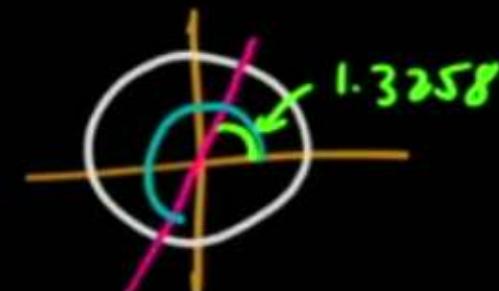
Example. For the equation  $\tan(x) = 4$  period is  $\pi$

(a) Find all solutions in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$

$$x = \tan^{-1}(4) = 1.3258$$

or

$$\pi + 1.3258 = 4.4674$$

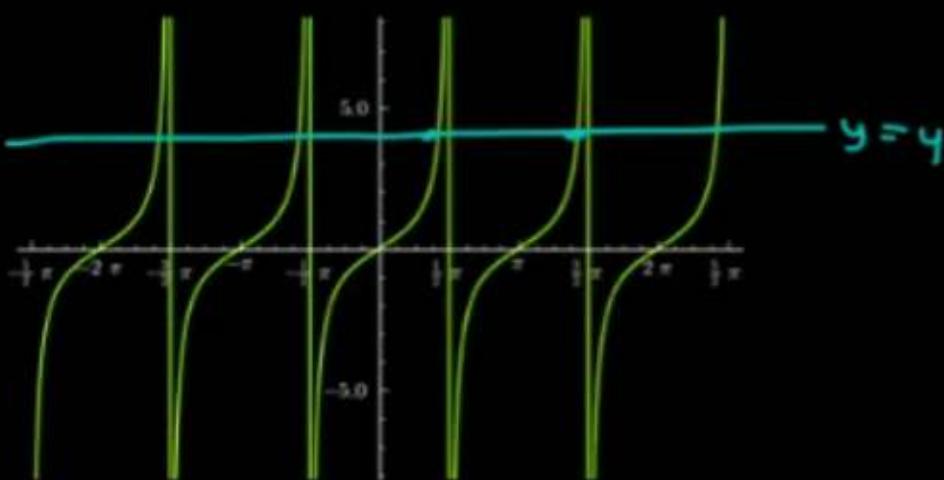


$$x = 1.3258, 4.4674$$

(b) Find all solutions.

$$x = 1.3258 + 2\pi k, 4.4674 + 2\pi k$$

$$x = 1.3258 + \pi k$$



SOLVING TRIG EQUATIONS THAT REQUIRE A CALCULATOR

Summary:

- (a) To find solutions to the equation  $\cos(t) = M$

$$t = \boxed{\begin{array}{l} \cos^{-1}(M) + 2\pi k \\ 2\pi - \cos^{-1}(M) + 2\pi k \end{array}}$$



- (b) To find solutions to the equation  $\sin(t) = N$

$$t = \boxed{\begin{array}{l} \sin^{-1}(N) + 2\pi k \\ \pi - \sin^{-1}(N) + 2\pi k \end{array}}$$

- (c) To find solutions to the equation  $\tan(t) = P$

$$\begin{aligned} t &= \tan^{-1}(P) + 2\pi k \\ &\quad + \tan^{-1}(P) + \pi + 2\pi k \end{aligned}$$

or

$$t = \boxed{\tan^{-1}(P) + \pi k}$$

Example. Find solutions to the following equations:

a)  $x^2 - 6x = 7$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 6x - 7 &= 0 \\ (x-7)(x+1) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x-7 &= 0 & \text{or } x+1 &= 0 \\ x &= 7 & \text{or } x &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

Not a Identity,  
because it holds  
for some values  
and not for all

b)  $x^2 - 6x = 7 + (x - 7)(x + 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 - 6x &= \cancel{7} + x^2 + x - 7x - \cancel{7} \\ x^2 - 6x &= x^2 - 6x \end{aligned}$$

solutions: all real #'s

Definition. The second equation is called an *identity* because ... it holds for all values of the variable.

**Example.** Decide which of the following equations are identities.

a)  $\sin(2x) = 2 \sin(x)$  *Not an identity*

$$x=0$$

$$\begin{matrix} \sin(2 \cdot 0) \\ 0 \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} 2 \sin(0) \\ 0 \end{matrix}$$

$$x = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \sin(2 \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}) \\ 0 \end{matrix} \neq \begin{matrix} 2 \sin(\frac{\pi}{2}) \\ 2 \end{matrix}$$

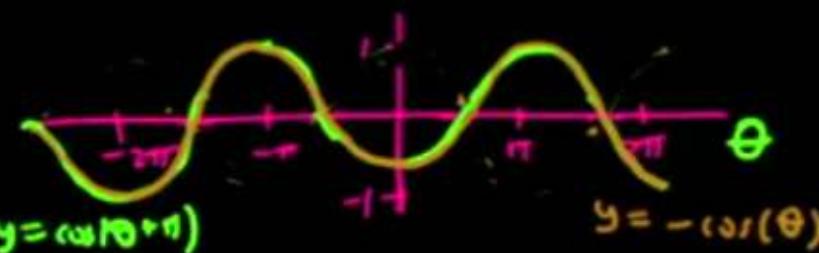
b)  $\cos(\theta + \pi) = -\cos(\theta)$  *is an identity*

Evidence:

$$\cos(0 + \pi) = -\cos(0)$$

$$\cos(\frac{\pi}{6} + \pi) = -\cos(\frac{\pi}{6})$$

more evidence



c)  $\sec(x) - \sin(x) \tan(x) = \cos(x)$  *is an identity*

$$\sec(x) - \sin(x) \tan(x) = \frac{1}{\cos(x)} - \sin(x) \cdot \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)}$$

$$\cos^2(x) + \sin^2(x) = 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cos(x)} - \frac{\sin^2(x)}{\cos(x)}$$

$$1 - \sin^2(x) = \cos^2(x)$$

$$= \frac{1 - \sin^2(x)}{\cos(x)} = \frac{\cos^2(x)}{\cos(x)} = \cos(x)$$

To prove that an equation is an identity

- use algebra
- use other identities  
like the pythag ident.

rewrite one side of eqn  
to get other side

To prove that an eqn is not an identity

- plug in numbers that "break it"

To decide if an eqn is an identity

- plug in numbers
- graph left & right sides

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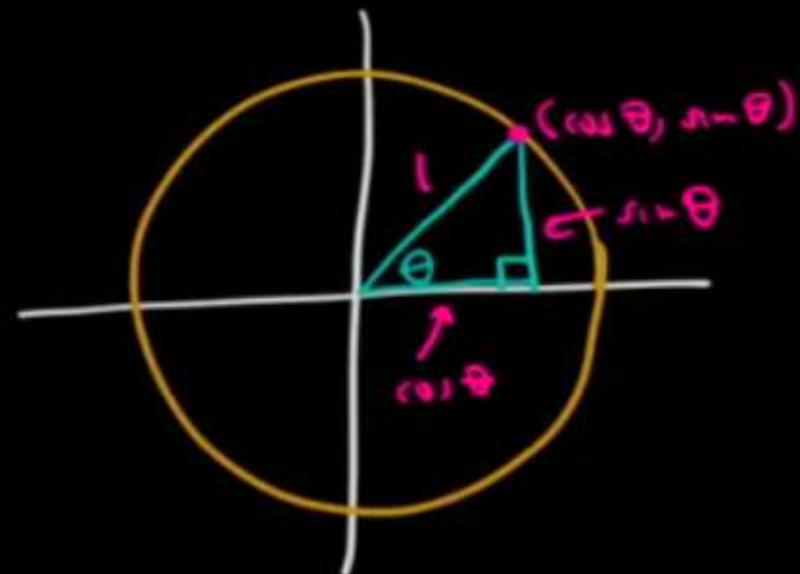
THE PYTHAGOREAN IDENTITIES

$$\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta) = 1$$

By Pythagorean Thm

$$(\cos \theta)^2 + (\sin \theta)^2 = 1^2$$

$$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$



$$\tan^2(\theta) + 1 = \sec^2(\theta)$$

$$\frac{\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(\theta)}$$

$$\frac{\cos^2(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} + \frac{\sin^2(\theta)}{\cos^2(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(\theta)}$$

$$1 + \left( \frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} \right)^2 = \left( \frac{1}{\cos(\theta)} \right)^2$$

$$1 + (\tan(\theta))^2 = (\sec(\theta))^2$$

$$1 + \tan^2(\theta) = \sec^2(\theta)$$

$$\tan^2(\theta) + 1 = \sec^2(\theta)$$

$$\cot^2(\theta) + 1 = \csc^2(\theta)$$

$$\frac{\cos^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} + \frac{\sin^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)}$$

$$\frac{\cos^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} + \frac{\sin^2(\theta)}{\sin^2(\theta)} = \frac{1}{\sin^2(\theta)}$$

$$\left(\frac{\cos(\theta)}{\sin(\theta)}\right)^2 + 1 = \left(\frac{1}{\sin(\theta)}\right)^2$$

$$(\cot(\theta))^2 + 1 = (\csc(\theta))^2$$

$$(\cot(\theta))^2 + 1 = (\csc(\theta))^2$$

Question. Is it true that  $\sin(A + B) = \sin(A) + \sin(B)$ ? **No**

For example:  $A = \frac{\pi}{2}$   $B = \pi$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2} + \pi\right) \neq \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \sin(\pi)$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{3\pi}{2}\right) \quad | \quad +0$$

$$\sin(A + B) = \sin(A) \cos(B) + \cos(A) \sin(B)$$

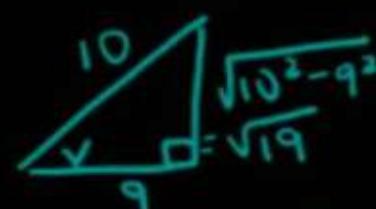
$$\cos(A + B) = \cos(A) \cos(B) - \sin(A) \sin(B)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(A - B) &= \sin(A + (-B)) = \sin(A) \cos(-B) + \cos(A) \sin(-B) \\&= \sin(A) \cos(B) + \cos(A)(-\sin(B)) \\&= \sin(A) \cos(B) - \cos(A) \sin(B)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\cos(A - B) &= \cos(A + (-B)) = \cos(A) \cos(-B) - \sin(A) \sin(-B) \\&= \cos(A) \cos(B) + \sin(A) \sin(B)\end{aligned}$$

Example. If  $\cos(v) = 0.9$  and  $\cos(w) = 0.7$ , find  $\cos(v + w)$ . Assume  $v$  and  $w$  are in the first quadrant.

$$\cos(v+w) = \cos(v)\cos(w) - \sin(v)\sin(w)$$



$$\cos(v) = 0.9 = \frac{9}{10}$$

= \frac{\text{adj}}{\text{hyp}}

$$\sin(v) = \frac{9}{\sqrt{19}} = \frac{\sqrt{19}}{10}$$

$$\cos(w) = 0.7 = \frac{7}{10}$$

$$\sin(w) = \frac{\sqrt{51}}{10}$$

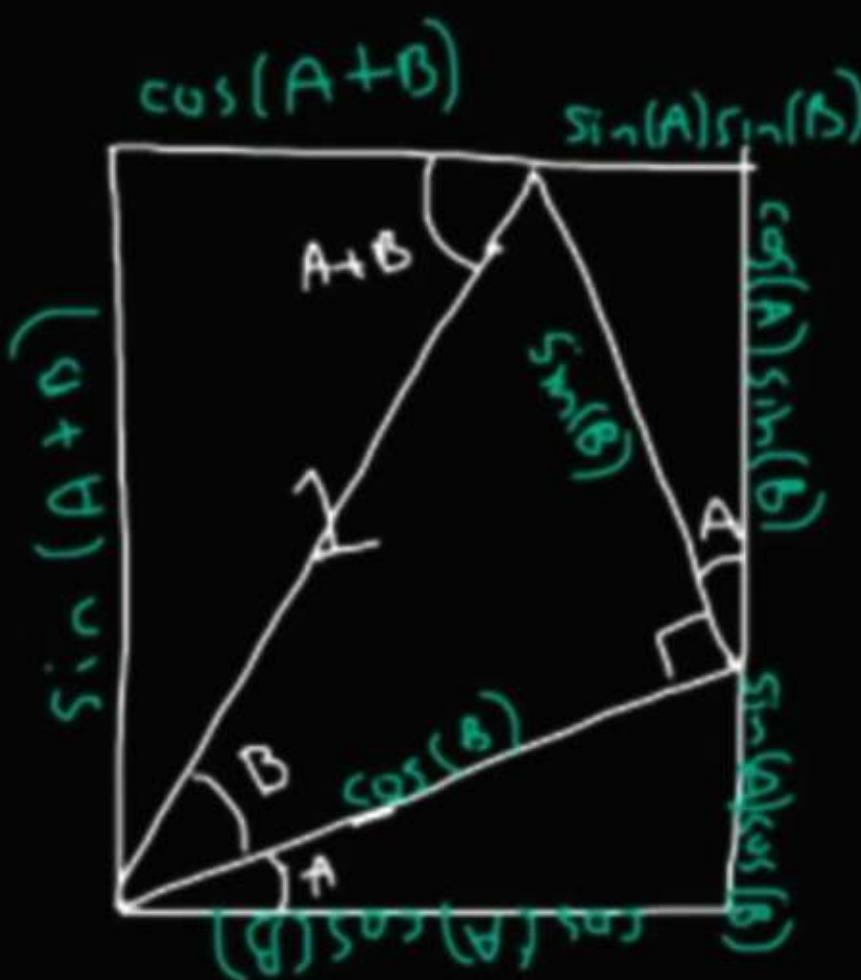
$$\cos(v+w) = 0.9 \cdot 0.7 - \frac{\sqrt{19}}{10} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{51}}{10}$$

$$= 0.3187$$

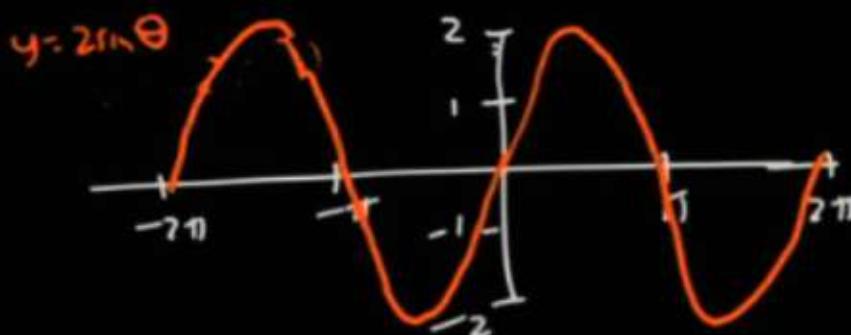
## Proof of the angle sum formulae:

$$\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$



Question. True or False?  $\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin(\theta)$



Double Angle Formulas:

$$\boxed{\sin(2\theta) = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta}$$

$$\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B$$

$$\sin(2\theta) = \sin(\theta + \theta) = \sin \theta \cos \theta + \cos \theta \sin \theta = 2 \sin \theta \cos \theta$$

$$\boxed{\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos(\theta + \theta) = \cos \theta \cos \theta - \sin \theta \sin \theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\boxed{\cos 2\theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta}$$

$$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta = 1$$

$$\cos^2 \theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = 1 - \sin^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta = 1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\boxed{\cos 2\theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1}$$

$$\sin^2 \theta = 1 - \cos^2 \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\cos 2\theta = \cos^2 \theta - (1 - \cos^2 \theta)$$

$$-\cos 2\theta = 2 \cos^2 \theta - 1$$

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**DOUBLE ANGLE FORMULAS**

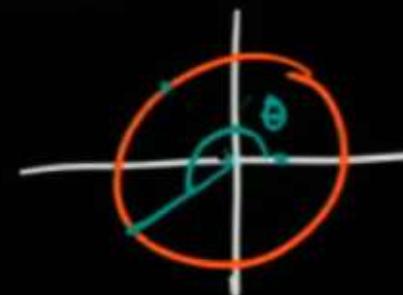
Example. Find  $\cos(2\theta)$  if  $\cos(\theta) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}$  and  $\theta$  terminates in quadrant III.

$$\cos(2\theta) = \cos^2 \theta - \sin^2 \theta$$

$$\boxed{\cos(2\theta) = 2\cos^2 \theta - 1}$$

$$\cos(2\theta) = 1 - 2\sin^2 \theta$$

$$\rightarrow \cos(2\theta) = 2 \left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{10}}\right)^2 - 1 = \frac{2}{10} - 1 = -\frac{8}{10} = -\frac{4}{5}$$

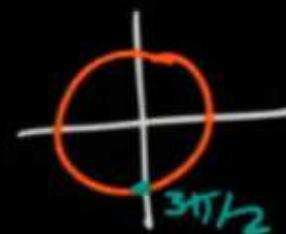
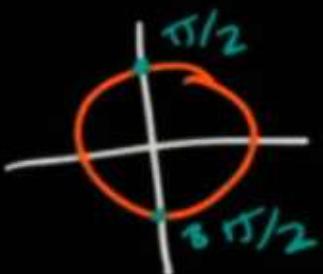


Example. Solve the equation  $2\cos(x) + \sin(2x) = 0$ .

$$2\cos(x) + 2\sin(x)\cos(x) = 0$$

$$2\cos(x)(1 + \sin(x)) = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} 2\cos(x) = 0 & \text{or} \\ \cos(x) = 0 & \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ll} 1 + \sin(x) = 0 & \text{or} \\ \sin(x) = -1 & \end{array}$$



$$x = \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\pi k, \quad \frac{3\pi}{2} + 2\pi n$$

Half Angle Formulas:

$$\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos\theta}{2}}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos\theta}{2}}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \cos(2x) = 2\cos^2 x - 1$$

$$\theta = 2x \quad x = \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\cos(\theta) = 2\cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) - 1$$

$$\cos\theta + 1 = 2\cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{\cos\theta + 1}{2} = \cos^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\cos\frac{\theta}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{\cos\theta + 1}{2}}$$

~~$$\cos(2x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x)$$~~

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \cos(2x) = 1 - 2\sin^2 x$$

$$\theta = 2x \quad x = \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\cos(\theta) = 1 - 2\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$$

$$\cos\theta + 2\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = 1$$

$$2\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = 1 - \cos\theta$$

$$\sin^2\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \frac{1 - \cos\theta}{2}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos\theta}{2}}$$

Example. Suppose that  $\sin(\theta) = \frac{4}{5}$  and  $\frac{\pi}{2} < \theta < \pi$ . Find the exact values of  $\cos\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$  and  $\sin\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right)$ .

$$\cos\frac{\theta}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 + \cos\theta}{2}}$$

$$\sin\frac{\theta}{2} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1 - \cos\theta}{2}}$$



$$\cos\frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \frac{3}{5}}{2}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{\frac{2}{5}}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{5}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \quad |\cos\theta| = \frac{3}{5} \quad \text{adj hyp}$$

$$\sqrt{5^2 - 4^2} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

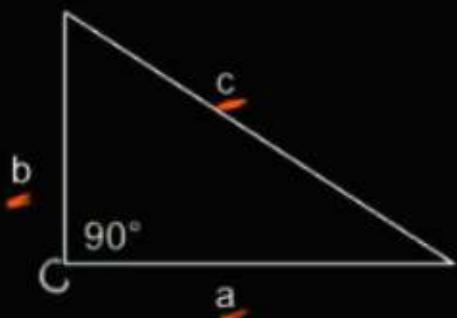
$$|\cos\theta| = \frac{3}{5} \quad \text{adj hyp}$$

$$\cos\theta = -\frac{3}{5}$$

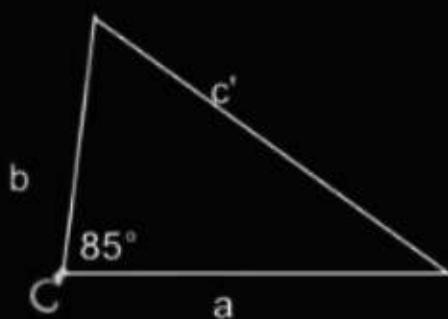
$$\sin\frac{\theta}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \left(-\frac{3}{5}\right)}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\frac{8}{5}}{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{5}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}$$

Pythagorean Theorem  $\longleftrightarrow$  Law of cosines

*right triangle*  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$  *triangles that are not necessarily right triangles*  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 + \text{correction factor}$

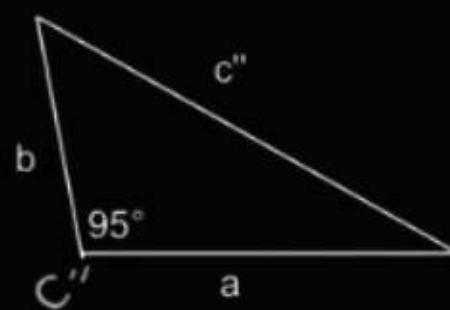


$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$$



$$(c')^2 < a^2 + b^2$$

$$(c')^2 = a^2 + b^2 - (\text{a bit})$$



$$(c'')^2 > a^2 + b^2$$

$$(c'')^2 = a^2 + b^2 + (\text{a bit})$$



**Theorem.** (*The Law of Cosines*) For any triangle with sides  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  and angle  $C$  opposite side  $c$ ,

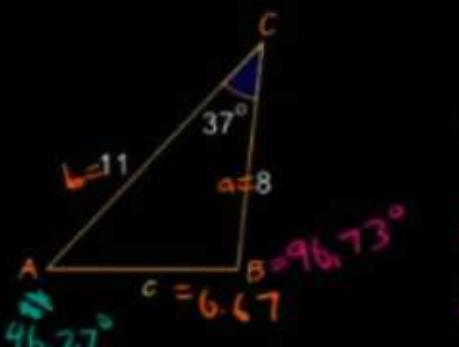
$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$$

if  $C = 90^\circ$ , then  $\cos C = 0$  so  $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

if  $C < 90^\circ$ , then  $\cos C > 0$  so  $2ab \cos C > 0$

if  $C > 90^\circ$ , then  $\cos C < 0$  so  $2ab \cos C < 0$

Example. Find all side lengths and angles of this triangle. SAS



$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$$

$$c^2 = 8^2 + 11^2 - 2 \cdot 8 \cdot 11 \cdot \cos 37^\circ$$

$$c^2 = 44.44$$

$$c = \sqrt{44.44} = 6.67$$

$$b^2 = a^2 + c^2 - 2ac \cos B$$

$$11^2 = 8^2 + (6.67)^2 - 2(8)(6.67) \cos B$$

$$11^2 - 8^2 - (6.67)^2 = -2(8)(6.67) \cos B$$

$$\frac{11^2 - 8^2 - (6.67)^2}{-2(8)(6.67)} = \cos B$$

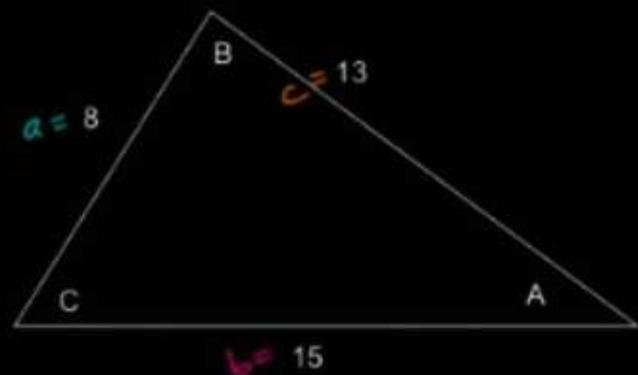
$$\cos B = -0.1172$$

$$B = \cos^{-1}(-0.1172) = 96.73^\circ$$

$$A + 37^\circ + 96.73^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 180^\circ - 37^\circ - 96.73^\circ \\ &= 46.27^\circ \end{aligned}$$

Example. Find the angles of this triangle.



$$\begin{aligned}a^2 &= b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A \\8^2 &= 15^2 + 13^2 - 2(15)(13) \cos A \\ \frac{8^2 - 15^2 - 13^2}{-2(15)(13)} &= \cos A \\ \Rightarrow \cos A &= 0.8462 \\ A &= \cos^{-1}(0.8462) = 32.20^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$60^\circ + 32.20^\circ + 87.79^\circ \approx 180^\circ$$

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$$\begin{aligned}c^2 &= a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C \\13^2 &= 8^2 + 15^2 - 2(8)(15) \cos C \\ \frac{13^2 - 8^2 - 15^2}{-2(8)(15)} &= \cos C \quad \Rightarrow \cos C = 0.5 \\ C &= \cos^{-1}(0.5) = 60^\circ\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}b^2 &= a^2 + c^2 - 2ac \cos B \\15^2 &= 8^2 + 13^2 - 2(8)(13) \cos B \\ \frac{15^2 - 8^2 - 13^2}{-2(8)(13)} &= \cos B \\ \Rightarrow \cos B &= 0.0385 \\ B &= \cos^{-1}(0.0385) = 87.79^\circ\end{aligned}$$

Example. Suppose  $A = 55^\circ$ ,  $C = 67^\circ$ , and  $b = 20$ . Solve the triangle.



$$B = 180^\circ - 67^\circ - 55^\circ = 58^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b}$$

$$\frac{\sin 55^\circ}{a} = \frac{\sin 58^\circ}{20}$$

$$\cancel{a} \cdot \frac{\sin 55^\circ}{\cancel{a}} = a \cdot \frac{\sin 58^\circ}{20}$$

$$\frac{20}{\sin 58^\circ} \sin 55^\circ = a \cdot \frac{\cancel{a} \cdot \frac{\sin 58^\circ}{20}}{\cancel{a}}$$

$$a = \frac{20 \sin 55^\circ}{\sin 58^\circ} = 19.32$$

$$\frac{\sin C}{c} = \frac{\sin B}{b}$$

$$\frac{\sin 67^\circ}{c} = \frac{\sin 58^\circ}{20}$$

$$\sin 67^\circ = \frac{\sin 58^\circ}{20} \cdot c$$

$$\sin 67^\circ \cdot \frac{20}{\sin 58^\circ} = c$$

$$c = 21.71$$

Example. (an ambiguous case) Suppose that  $a = 8$  and  $b = 7$ , and  $B = 40^\circ$ . Solve the triangle, finding all possible solutions.

$$\frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

$$\frac{\sin A}{8} = \frac{\sin 40^\circ}{7} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$$

$$\sin A = 8 \cdot \frac{\sin 40^\circ}{7} = 0.7346$$

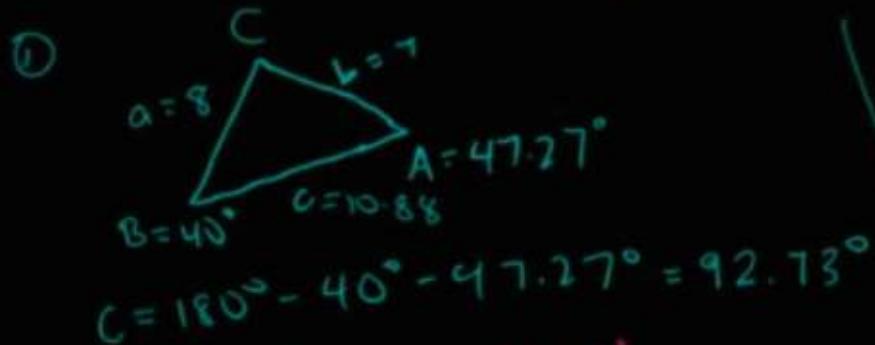
$$\text{Ex: if } \sin A = \frac{1}{2}$$

then  $A$  could be  $30^\circ$  or  $150^\circ$



$$A = \sin^{-1}(0.7346) = 47.27^\circ$$

$$\text{or } 180^\circ - 47.27^\circ = 132.73^\circ$$



$$\frac{\sin 40^\circ}{7} = \frac{\sin 92.73^\circ}{c} \Rightarrow c = \frac{\sin 92.73^\circ}{\sin 40^\circ} \cdot 7$$

$$c = 10.88$$

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$$C = 180^\circ - 40^\circ - 132.73^\circ = 7.27^\circ$$

$$\frac{\sin 40^\circ}{7} = \frac{\sin 7.27^\circ}{c}$$

$$c = \frac{\sin 7.27^\circ}{\sin 40^\circ} \cdot 7 = 1.38$$

Example. Find the equation of the points equidistant from the point  $(0, p)$  and the horizontal line  $y = -p$ .

point  $(x, y)$

distance from  $(0, p)$

$$\sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (y-p)^2}$$

distance from  
 $y = -p$

$$\begin{aligned} &y - (-p) \\ &y + p \end{aligned}$$

$$\sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (y-p)^2} = y + p$$

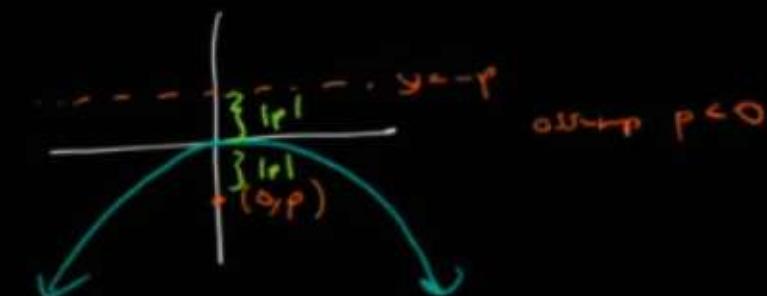
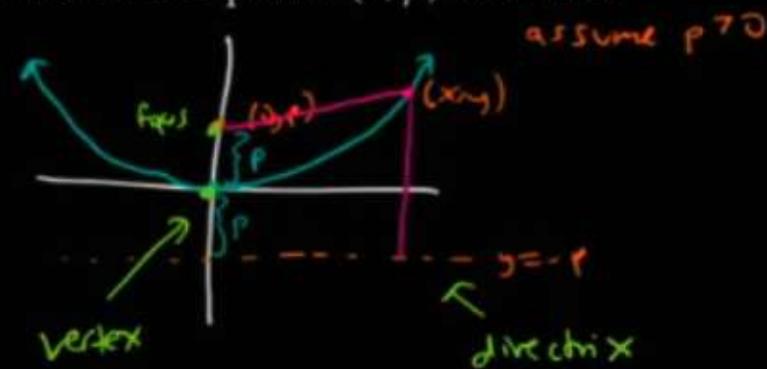
$$(\sqrt{(x-0)^2 + (y-p)^2})^2 = (y+p)^2$$

$$x^2 + (y-p)^2 = (y+p)^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 - 2py + p^2 = y^2 + 2py + p^2$$

$$\boxed{x^2 = 4py}$$

$p$  represents the distance  
between the vertex & the focus  
also the distance between the vertex & the directrix

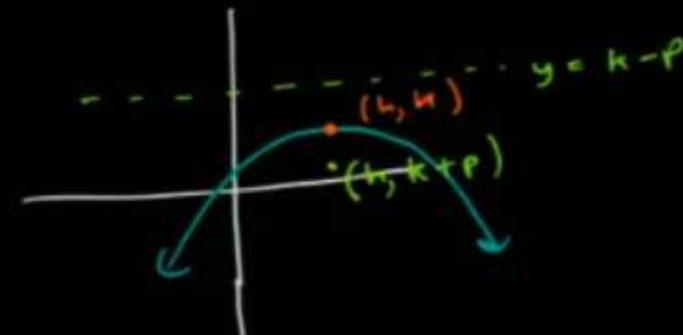
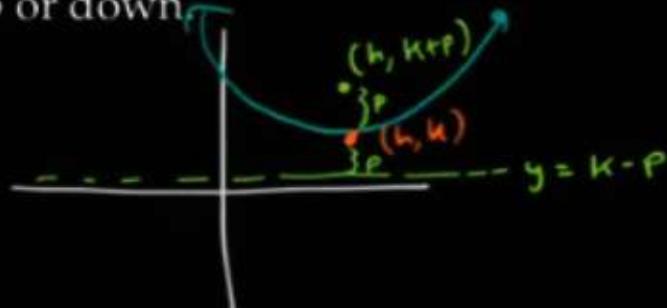


$$\sim \quad y = \frac{1}{4p} x^2$$

$$y = ax^2$$

$y = x^2$   
vertical stretch  
or shrink to  
 $y = \frac{1}{4p} x^2$

Example. Find the equation of a parabola with vertex at  $(h, k)$ , assuming the parabola opens up or down.

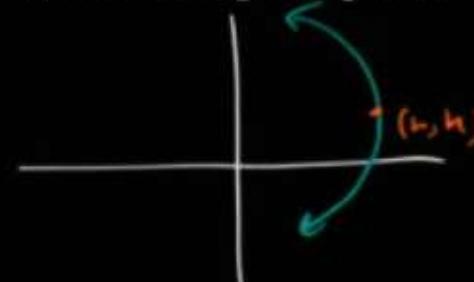
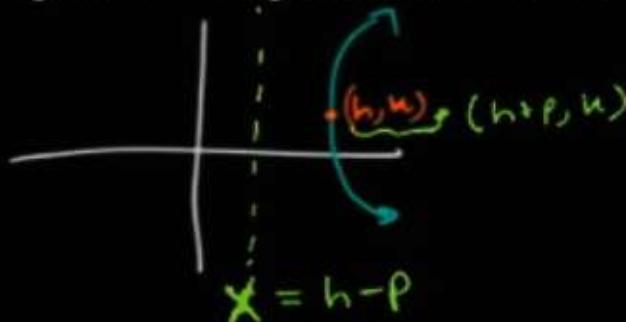


$$\begin{aligned} x^2 &= 4p y \\ y &= \frac{1}{4p} x^2 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{original} \\ \text{vertex } (0,0) \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= \frac{1}{4p} (x-h)^2 + k \\ y-k &= \frac{1}{4p} (x-h)^2 \\ (x-h)^2 &= 4p(y-k) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{transformed} \\ \text{vertex } (h,k) \end{array} \right\}$$

Example. Find the equation of a parabola with vertex at  $(h, k)$ , assuming the parabola left or right.

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 &= 4p x \\ (y-k)^2 &= 4p(x-h) \end{aligned}$$



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PARABOLAS: VERTEX, FOCUS, AND DIRECTRIX

Example. Find the equation of a parabola with vertex at  $(2, 4)$  and focus at  $(-1, 4)$ . Graph the parabola.

$$(y - k)^2 = 4p(x - h)$$

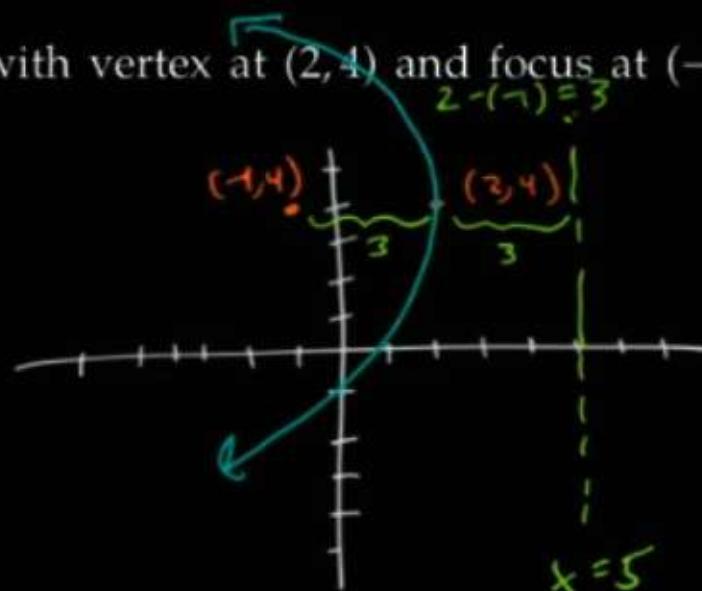
$$(h, k) = (2, 4)$$

because  
parabola opens left  
not right

$$\rightarrow p < 0 \quad p = -3$$

$$(y - 4)^2 = 4(-3)(x - 2)$$

$$(y - 4)^2 = -12(x - 2)$$



## Parabolas: Vertex, Focus, and Directrix

$$(y - k)^2 = 4p(x - h) \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{open right if } p > 0 \\ \text{open left if } p < 0 \end{array}$$

$$(x - h)^2 = 4p(y - k) \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{open up if } p > 0 \\ \text{open down if } p < 0 \end{array}$$

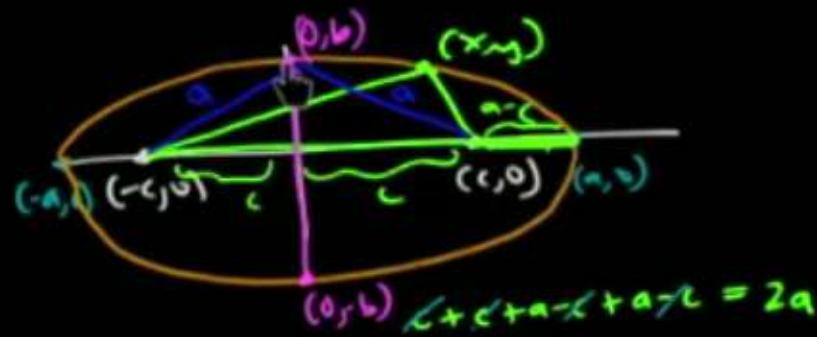
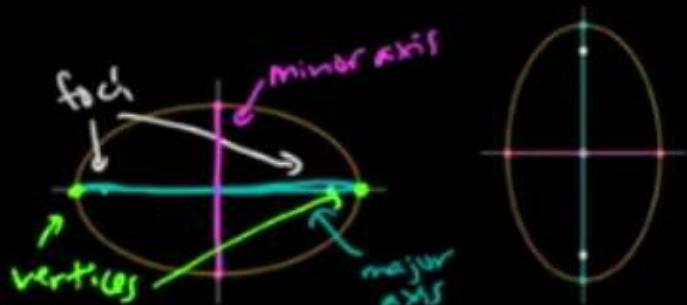
( $h, k$ ) vertex

$|p|$  parabola distance

from vertex to focus

from vertex to directrix

## Features of an ellipse



Example. Find the equation of an ellipse with foci at  $(-c, 0)$  and  $(c, 0)$  and vertices at  $(-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$ . Sum of distances is constant  $= 2a$

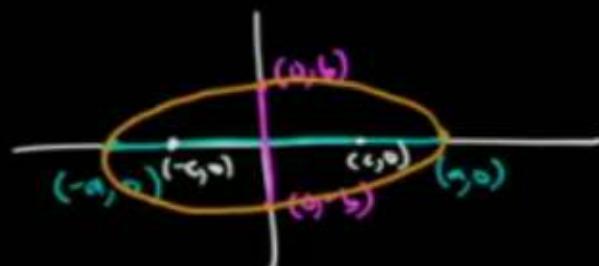
$$\sqrt{(x - (-c))^2 + (y - 0)^2} + \sqrt{(x - c)^2 + (y - 0)^2} = 2a$$

$$(a^2 - c^2)x^2 + a^2y^2 = a^2(a^2 - c^2) \quad b^2 = a^2 - c^2$$

$$\frac{b^2x^2}{a^2b^2} + \frac{a^2y^2}{a^2b^2} = \frac{a^2b^2}{a^2b^2}$$

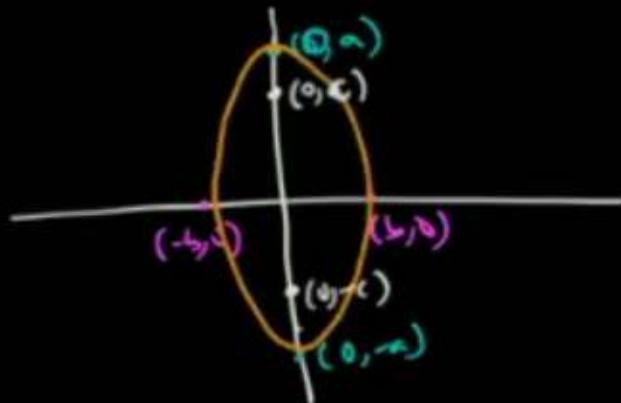
$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1 \quad \text{Note } b < a$$

Summary: For  $a > b$ , the equation  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  represents ... an ellipse, elongated in horizontal direction



$$\begin{aligned}b^2 &= a^2 - c^2 \\b^2 + c^2 &= a^2 \\c^2 &= a^2 - b^2\end{aligned}$$

For  $a > b$ , the equation  $\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$  represents ...



What about an ellipse centered at  $(h, k)$ ?

elongated in horiz direction

$$a > b$$

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

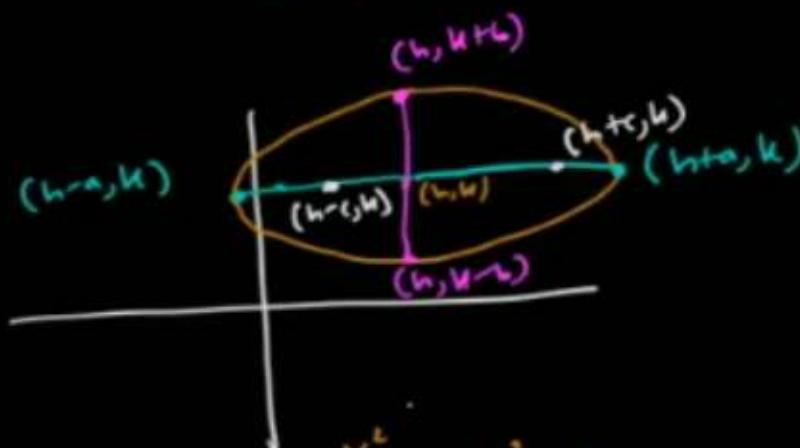
center at  $(0,0)$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} + \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

elongated in vertical direction  $a > b$

$$\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$$

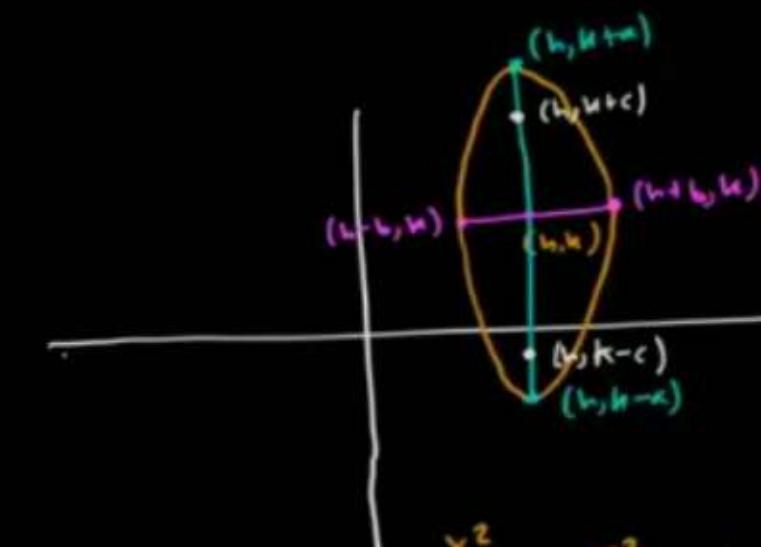
center at  $(0,0)$



$$\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$$

$$a > b$$

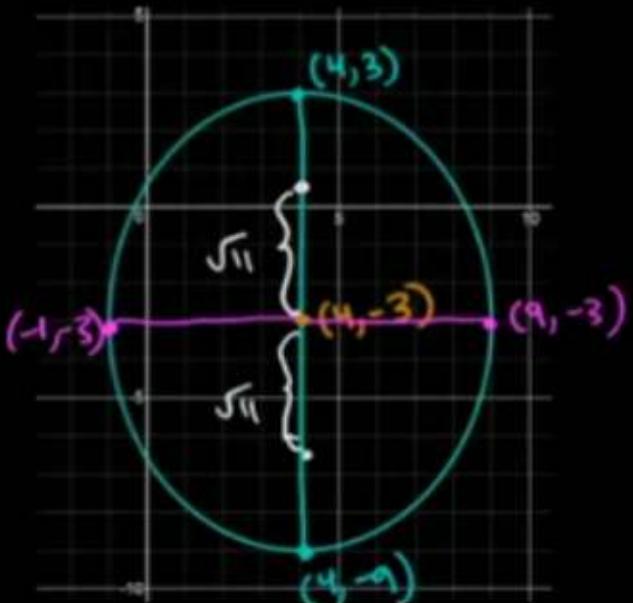
$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{b^2} + \frac{(y-k)^2}{a^2} = 1$$



$$\frac{x^2}{b^2} + \frac{y^2}{a^2} = 1$$

$$a > b$$

Example. Write the equation of the ellipse drawn. Find its foci.



$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{b^2} + \frac{(y-k)^2}{a^2} = 1 \quad a > b$$

center  $(h, k) = (4, -3)$

$$a = 6$$

$$b = 5$$

$$\frac{(x-4)^2}{5^2} + \frac{(y+3)^2}{6^2} = 1$$

$$c^2 = a^2 - b^2 \Rightarrow c^2 = 6^2 - 5^2 = 11 \Rightarrow c = \sqrt{11}$$

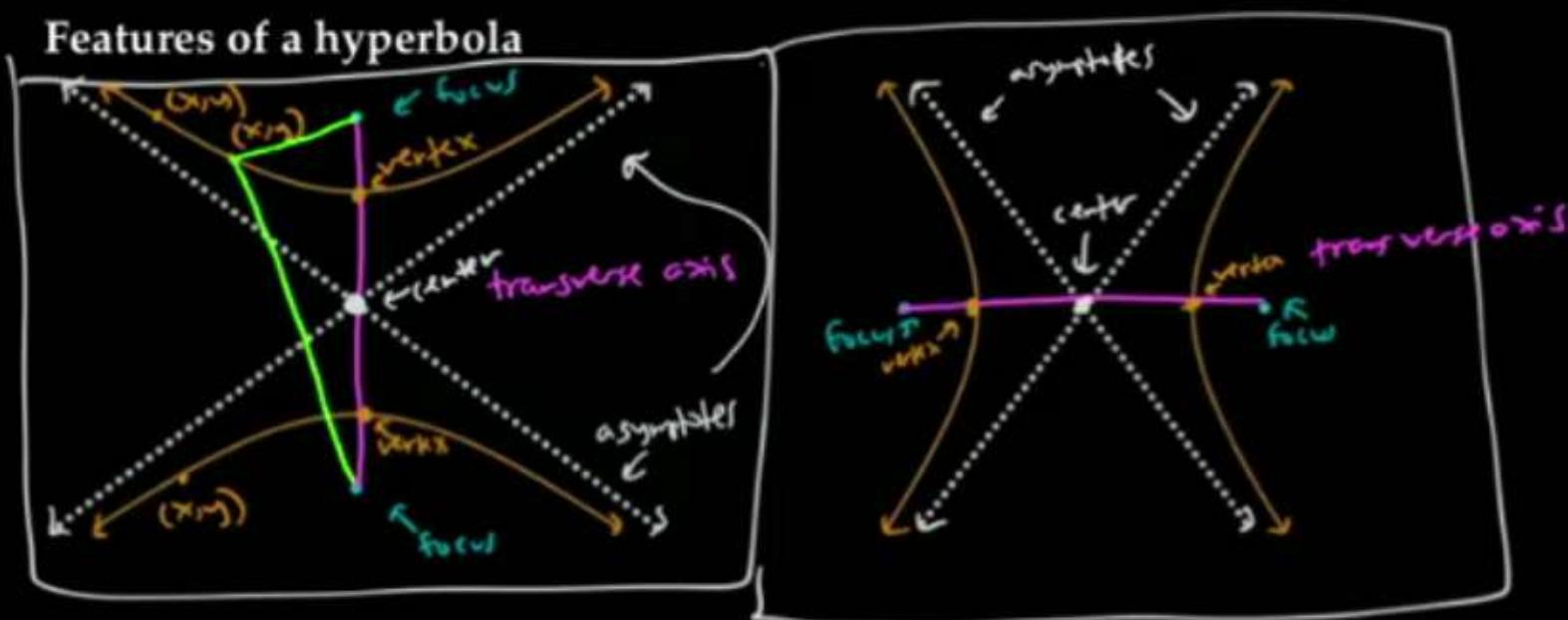
foci:  $(4, -3 + \sqrt{11})$        $(4, -3 - \sqrt{11})$



## HYPERBOLAS

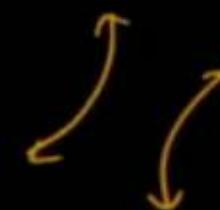
Definition. A hyperbola is the set of points  $(x, y)$  such that ... difference of the distances between  $(x, y)$  and each of two fixed points (the foci) is a constant.

### Features of a hyperbola



vertical transverse axis

horizontal transverse axis



**Example.** Find the equation of an hyperbola with foci at  $(-c, 0)$  and  $(c, 0)$  and vertices at  $(-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$ .

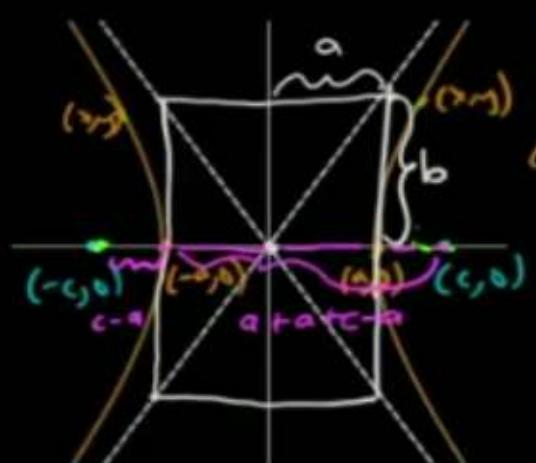
$$\begin{aligned} \text{difference in distances} &= 2a \\ \sqrt{(x - (-c))^2 + y^2} - \sqrt{(x - c)^2 + y^2} &= 2a \\ \sqrt{(x + c)^2 + y^2} - \sqrt{(x - c)^2 + y^2} &= 2a \end{aligned}$$

⋮

$$((2-a)x^2 - a^2y^2) = a^2(c^2 - a^2)$$

$$\frac{b^2x^2}{2a^2} - \frac{a^2y^2}{a^2b^2} = \frac{a^2b^2}{a^2b^2}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1}$$



$$\begin{aligned} (a + c) - (c - a) &= a + c - c + a \\ &= 2a \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$\begin{aligned} b^2 &= c^2 - a^2 \\ c^2 &= a^2 + b^2 \\ a^2 &= c^2 - b^2 \end{aligned}$$

$a$  = distance from center to vertex

$c$  = distance from center to focus

$$y = \frac{b}{a}x, \quad y = -\frac{b}{a}x$$

asymptotes

**Example.** Find the equation of an hyperbola with foci at  $(-c, 0)$  and  $(c, 0)$  and vertices at  $(-a, 0)$  and  $(a, 0)$ .

difference in distance =  $2a$

horiz transverse axis

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$b^2 = c^2 - a^2$

$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

$a^2 = c^2 - b^2$

$a$  = distance from center to vertex  
 $c$  = distance from center to focus  
asymptotes:

$$y = \frac{b}{a}x, \quad y = -\frac{b}{a}x$$

$a$  goes with positive term  
 $b$  goes with negative term

vertical transverse axis

$$\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$$

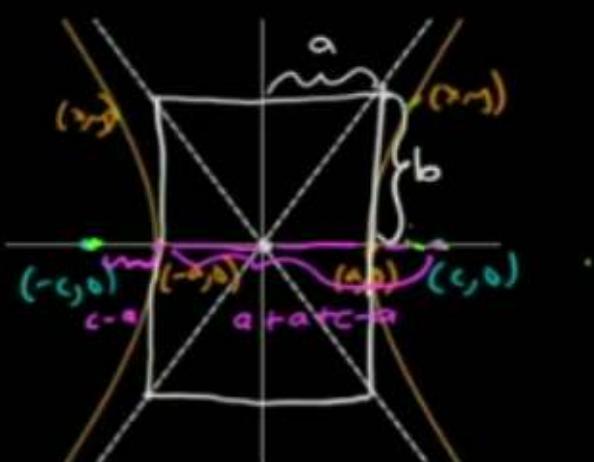
$b^2 = c^2 - a^2$

$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$

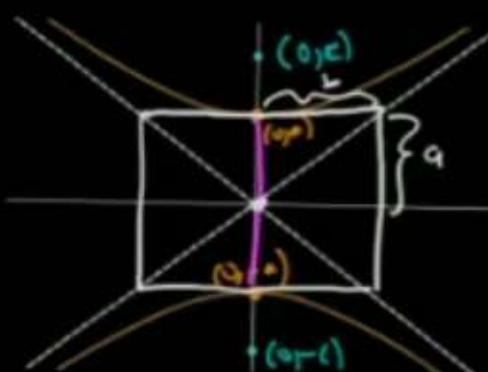
$a^2 = c^2 - b^2$

$a$  = distance from center to vertex  
 $c$  = distance from center to focus  
asymptotes

$$y = \frac{a}{b}x, \quad y = -\frac{a}{b}x$$



$$(a + \sqrt{c-a}) - (c-a) = a + \cancel{a} - \cancel{a} + a = 2a$$



What about an hyperbola centered at  $(h, k)$ ?

$$\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$$

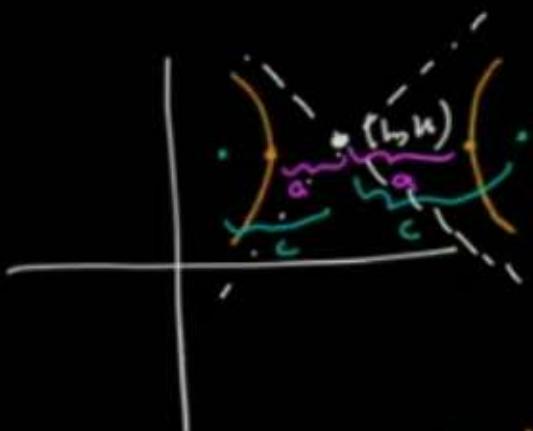
centered at origin

$$\frac{y^2}{a^2} - \frac{x^2}{b^2} = 1$$

$$\frac{(x-h)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(y-k)^2}{b^2} = 1$$

center at  $(h, k)$

$$\frac{(y-k)^2}{a^2} - \frac{(x-h)^2}{b^2} = 1$$



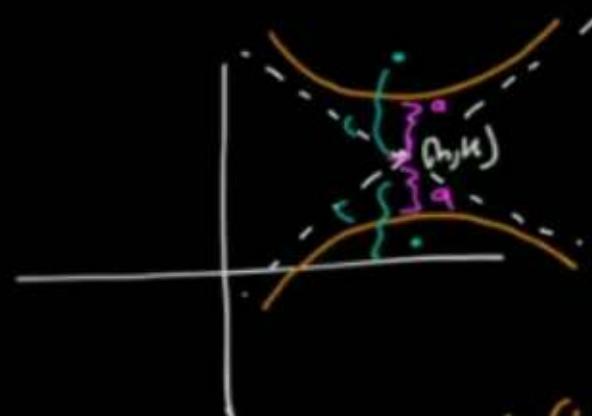
vertices  $(h+a, k), (h-a, k)$

foci:  $(h+c, k), (h-c, k)$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

asymptote slope is  $\frac{b}{a}, -\frac{b}{a}$

$$y-k = \frac{b}{a}(x-h) \quad y-k = -\frac{b}{a}(x-h)$$



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Example. Graph the hyperbola  $\frac{(x-6)^2}{4} - \frac{(y+3)^2}{25} = 1$ .

Find its center, vertices, foci, and asymptotes.

center:

$$(6, -3)$$

$$a = \sqrt{4} = 2$$

$$b = \sqrt{25} = 5$$

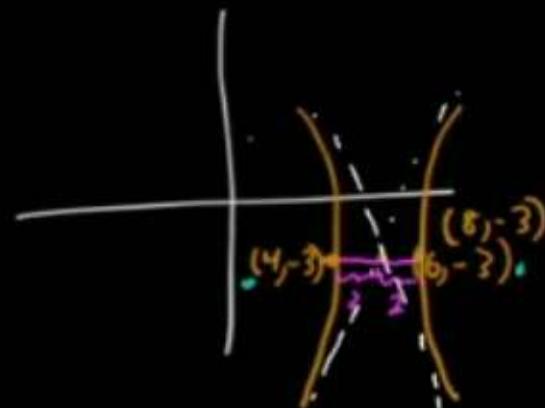
vertices  $(4, -3)$  and  $(8, -3)$

$$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 = 4 + 25 = 29 \quad c = \sqrt{29}$$

foci  $(6 - \sqrt{29}, -3)$ ,  $(6 + \sqrt{29}, -3)$

asymptote:  $\frac{b}{a} = \frac{5}{2}$ ,  $-\frac{b}{a} = -\frac{5}{2}$

$$y + 3 = \frac{5}{2}(x - 6), \quad y + 3 = -\frac{5}{2}(x - 6)$$



**Example.** Plot the points, given in polar coordinates.

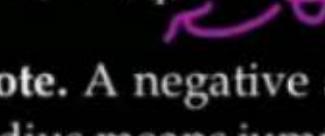
1.  $(8, -\frac{2\pi}{3})$



2.  $(5, 3\pi)$



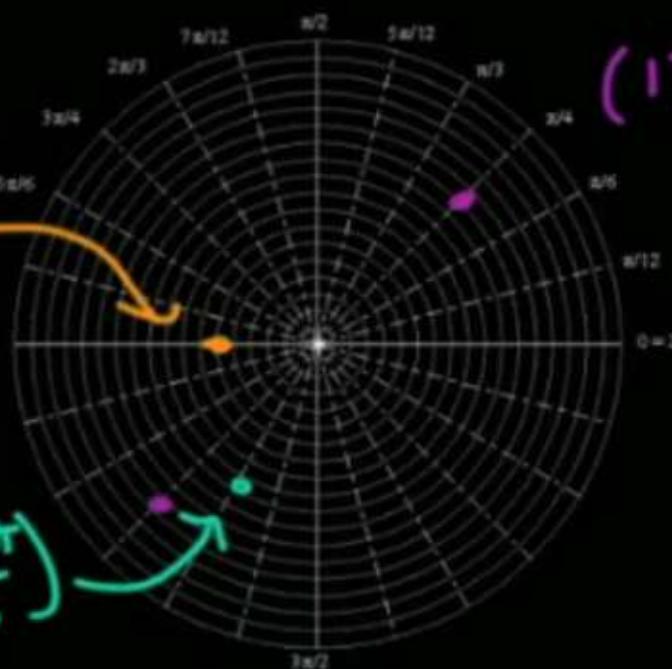
3.  $(-12, \frac{\pi}{4})$



$$(5, 3\pi) \\ = (5, \pi)$$

$$(-12, \frac{\pi}{4})$$

$$(12, \frac{5\pi}{4})$$



**Note.** A negative angle means to go clockwise from the positive x-axis. A negative radius means jump to the other side of the origin, that is,  $(-r, \theta)$  means the same point as  $(r, \theta + \pi)$

$(r, \theta)$

$x^2 + y^2$

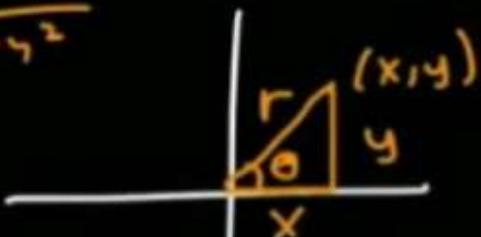
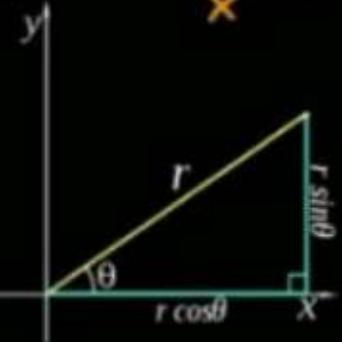
Note. To convert between polar and Cartesian coordinates, note that:

$$\star \bullet x = r \cos \theta$$

$$\star \bullet y = r \sin \theta$$

$$\star \bullet r^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

$$\star \bullet \tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$$



$$\cos \theta = \frac{x}{r} \Rightarrow x = r \cos \theta$$

$$\sin \theta = \frac{y}{r} \Rightarrow y = r \sin \theta$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x}$$

Example. Convert  $(5, -\frac{\pi}{6})$  from polar to Cartesian coordinates.

$$x = r \cos \theta \quad y = r \sin \theta$$

$$x = 5 \cos(-\frac{\pi}{6}) = 5 \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$y = 5 \sin(-\frac{\pi}{6}) = -\frac{5}{2}$$

Example. Convert  $(-1, -1)$  from Cartesian to polar coordinates.

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2 \Rightarrow r^2 = (-1)^2 + (-1)^2 = 2$$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{y}{x} : -1/-1 = 1$$

$$r = \sqrt{2} \approx -\sqrt{2}$$

$$\theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}, \frac{9\pi}{4} \pm 2\pi k$$

$$\therefore (r, \theta) = (\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4})$$



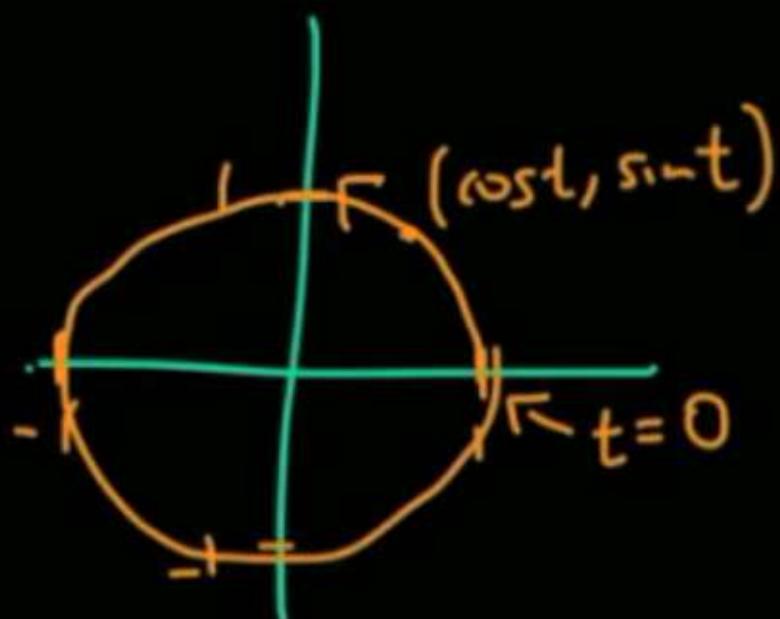
$$(x, y) = (-1, -1)$$

$$(r, \theta) = (\sqrt{2}, \frac{5\pi}{4}) = (-\sqrt{2}, \frac{\pi}{4})$$

Example. Plot each curve and find a Cartesian equation:

1.  $x = \cos(t)$ ,  $y = \sin(t)$ , for  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
2.  $x = \cos(-2t)$ ,  $y = \sin(-2t)$ , for  $0 \leq t \leq 2\pi$
3.  $x = \cos^2(t)$ ,  $y = \cos(t)$  

$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + y^2 &= 1 \\ \cos^2 t + \sin^2 t &= 1\end{aligned}$$



$t$	$x = \cos(t)$	$y = \sin(t)$
0	1	0
$\pi/4$	$\sqrt{2}/2$	$\sqrt{2}/2$
$\pi/2$	0	1
$3\pi/4$	$-\sqrt{2}/2$	$\sqrt{2}/2$
$\pi$	-1	0
$5\pi/4$	$-\sqrt{2}/2$	$-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
$5\pi/2$	0	-1
$7\pi/4$	$\sqrt{2}/2$	$-\sqrt{2}/2$

**Example.** Plot each curve and find a Cartesian equation:

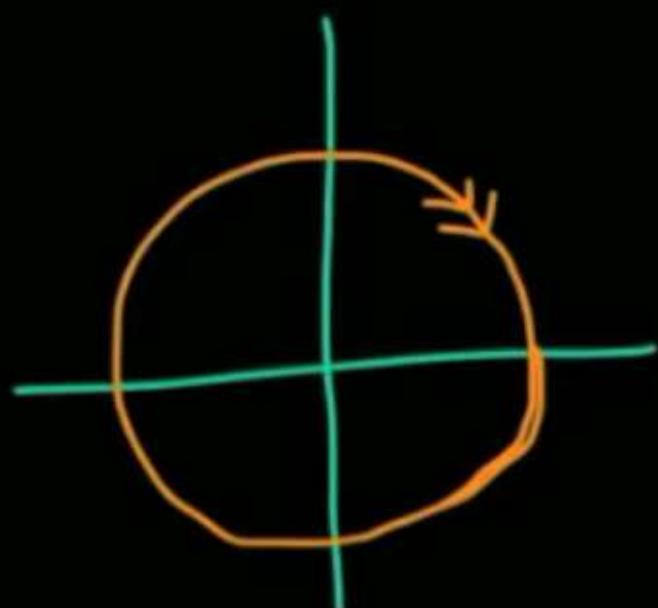
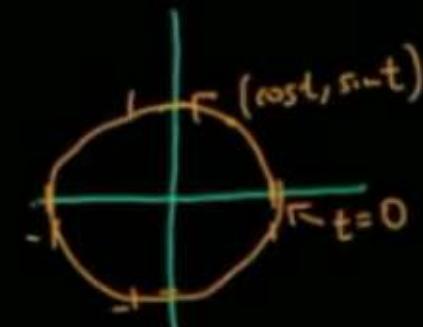
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3.  $x = \cos^2(t)$ ,  $y = \cos(t)$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$



$t$	$x = \cos(-2t)$	$y = \sin(-2t)$
0	1	0
$\frac{\pi}{8}$	$\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$	$-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$
$\frac{\pi}{4}$	0	-1
$\frac{\pi}{2}$	-1	0
$\frac{3\pi}{4}$	0	1
$\pi$	1	0
$\vdots$		
$2\pi$	1	0

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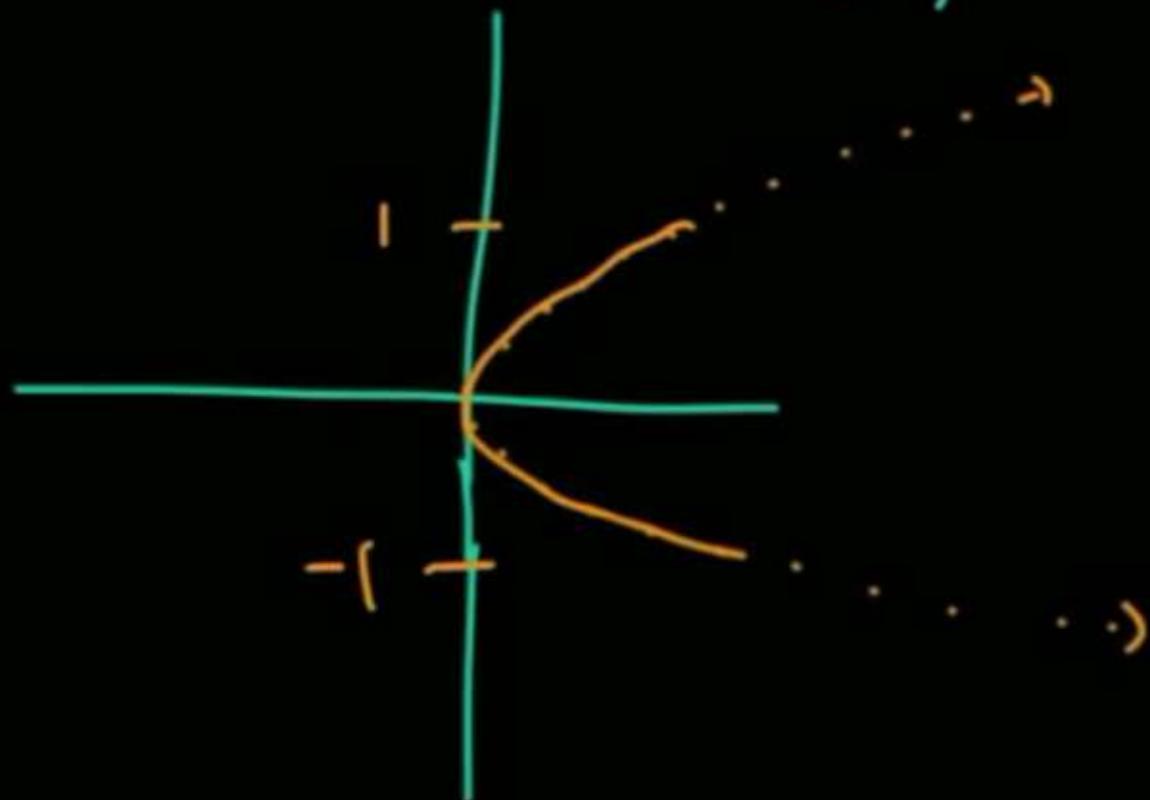
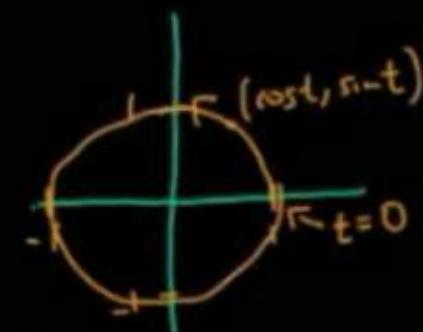
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$$x^2 + y^2 = 1$$

3.  $x = \cos^2(t)$ ,  $y = \cos(t)$

$$x = y^2, \quad -1 \leq y \leq 1$$



Example. Write the following in parametric equations:

1.  $y = \sqrt{x^2 - x}$  for  $x \leq 0$  and  $x \geq 1$       for

$$x = t$$

$$y = \sqrt{t^2 - t}$$

$$t \leq 0, t \geq 1$$

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2.  $25x^2 + 36y^2 = 900$

$$\frac{25x^2}{900} + \frac{36y^2}{900} = 1 \quad \text{set } \frac{x}{6} = \cos t$$

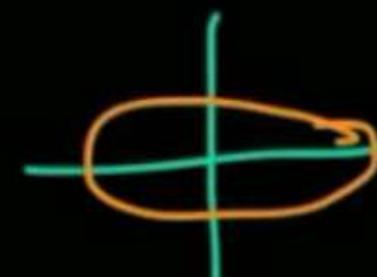
$$\frac{x^2}{36} + \frac{y^2}{25} = 1 \quad \frac{y}{5} = \sin t$$

$$\left(\frac{x}{6}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{5}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$\left(\frac{x}{6}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{5}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$x = 6 \cos t$$

$$y = 5 \sin t$$



Example. Describe a circle with radius  $r$  and center  $(h, k)$ :

- with a Cartesian equation
- with parametric equations

$$\sqrt{(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2} = r$$

$$(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = r^2$$

Ex:  $r=5$  center  $(-3, 17)$

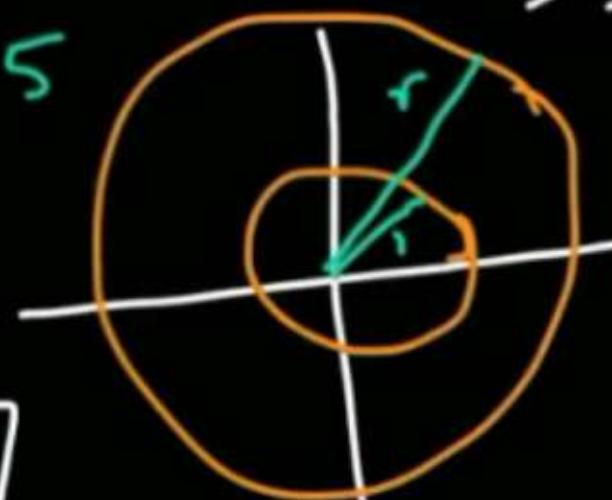
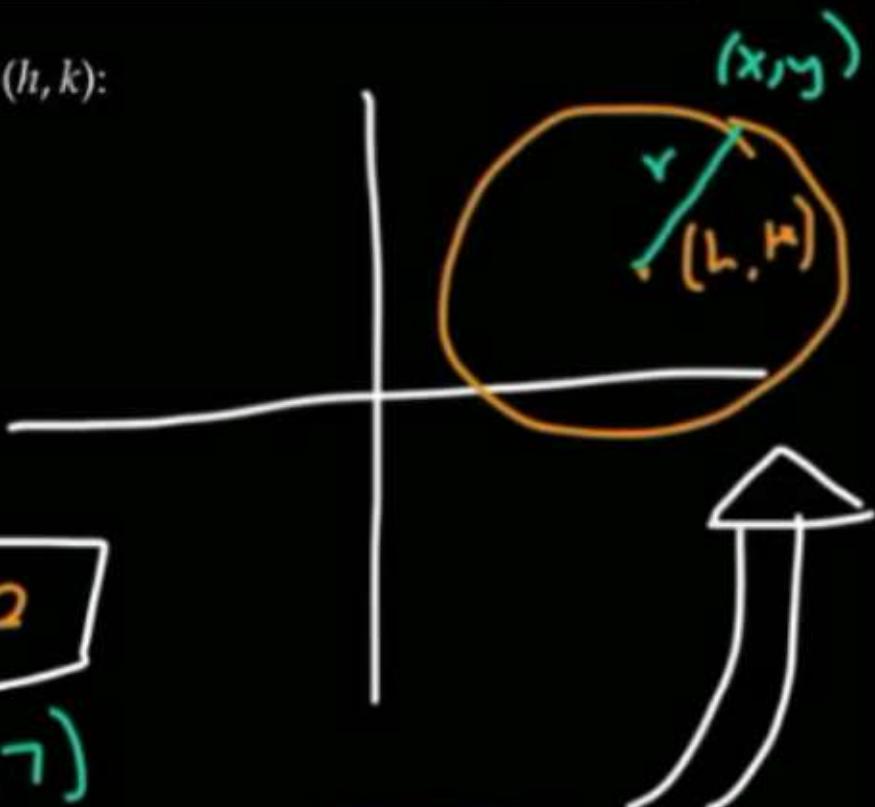
$$(x+3)^2 + (y-17)^2 = 25$$

$$x = r \cos t \quad y = r \sin t$$

$$x = r \cos t \quad y = r \sin t$$

$$x = r \cos t + h \quad y = r \sin t + k$$

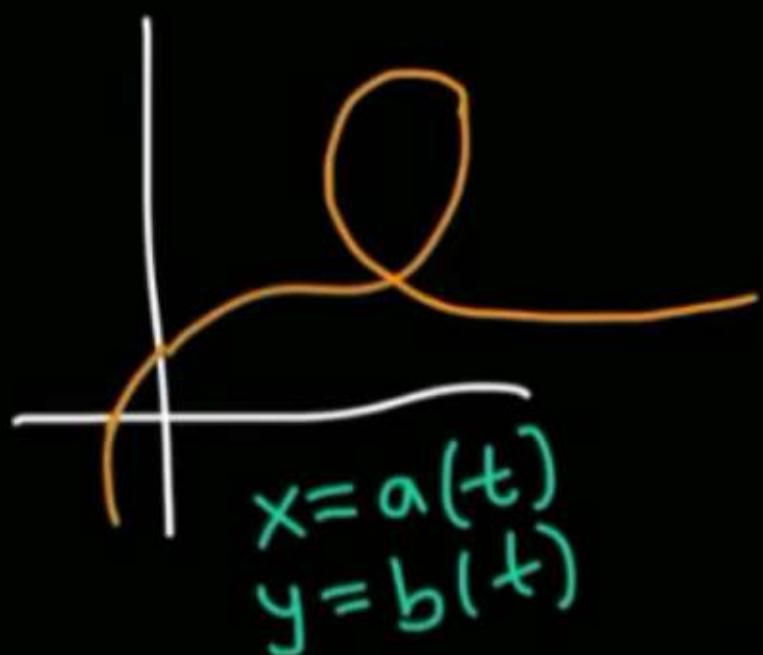
$$x = 5 \cos t - 3, \quad y = 5 \sin t + 17$$



$$y = f(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}x &= a(t) \\y &= b(t)\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}(x-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 &= r^2 \\x &= r \cos t + h \quad y = r \sin t + k\end{aligned}$$

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