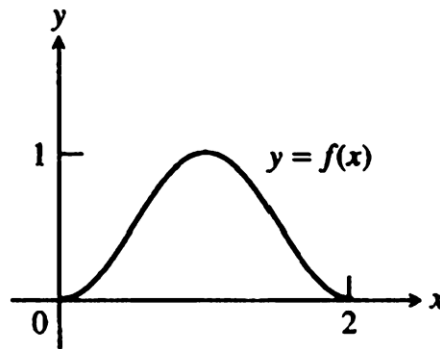


**Master Solution (Assignment # 1)**

**CLO: 1 (Understand the concept of limit, continuity and derivative with its application to find extrema)**

**Q - 1: [CLO-1: 30 marks]**

The accompanying figure shows the graph of a function  $f(x)$  with domain  $[0, 2]$  and range  $[0, 1]$ . Find the domains and ranges of the following functions and sketch their graphs by clearly mentioning the type of transformation used in each case:

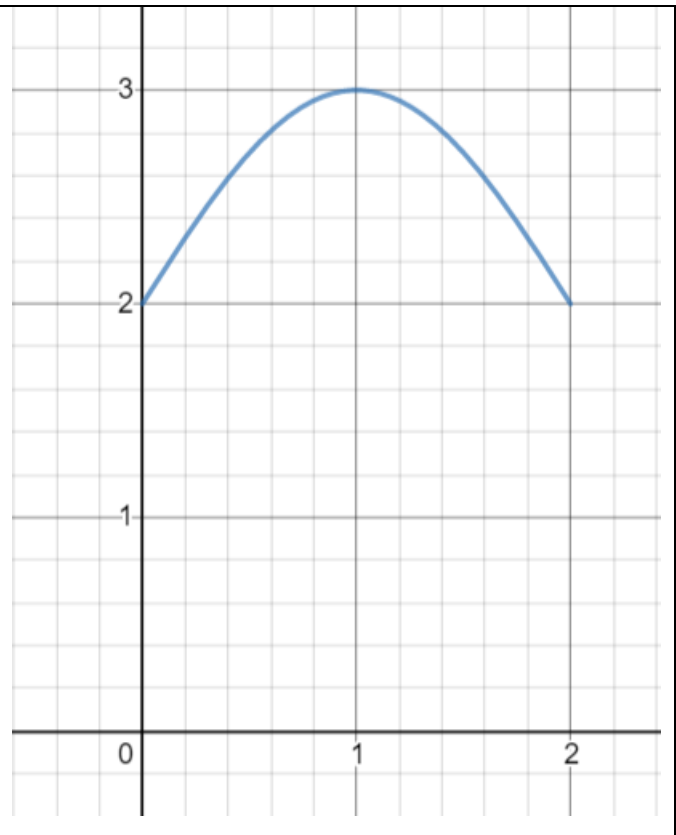


1)  $f(x) + 2$

Vertical Shift 2 units up

Domain =  $[0, 2]$

Range =  $[2, 3]$

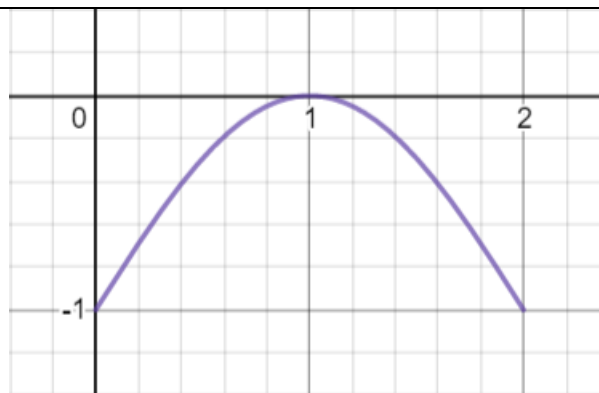


2)  $f(x) - 1$

Vertical Shift 1 units down

Domain =  $[0,2]$

Range =  $[-1,0]$

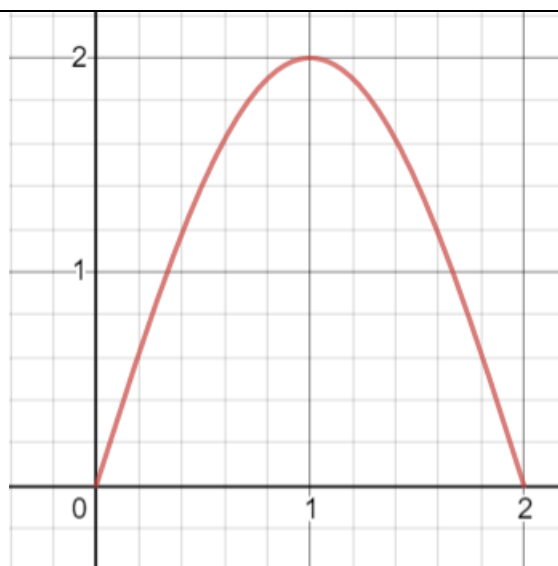


3)  $2f(x)$

Vertical Stretch by a factor of 2

Domain =  $[0,2]$

Range =  $[0,2]$

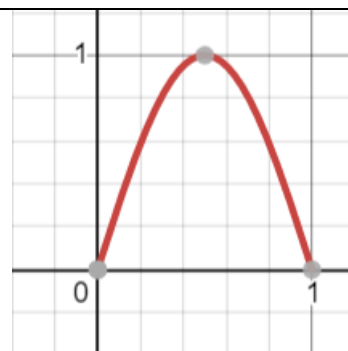


4)  $f(2x)$

Horizontal compress by a factor of 2

Domain =  $[0,1]$

Range =  $[0,1]$

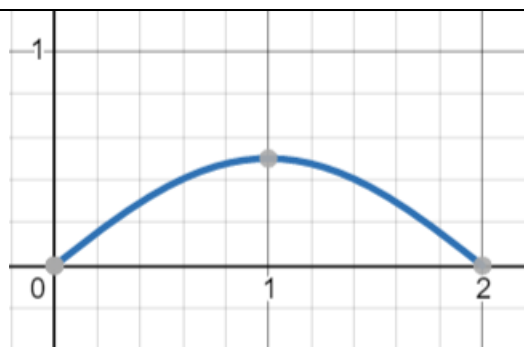


5)  $\frac{1}{2}f(x)$

Vertical compress by a factor of 2

Domain =  $[0, 2]$

Range =  $\left[0, \frac{1}{2}\right]$

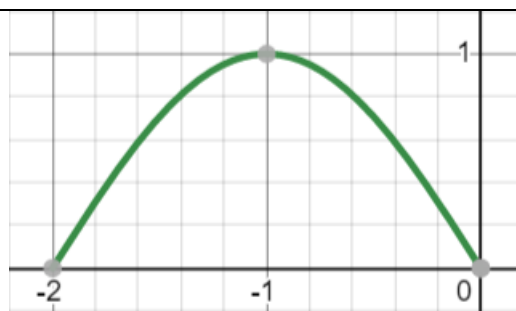


6)  $f(x + 2)$

Horizontal shift 2 units left

Domain =  $[-2, 0]$

Range =  $[0, 1]$

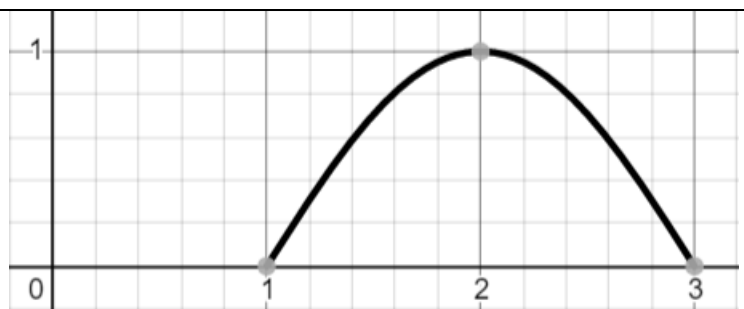


7)  $f(x - 1)$

Horizontal shift 1 units right

Domain =  $[1, 3]$

Range =  $[0, 1]$

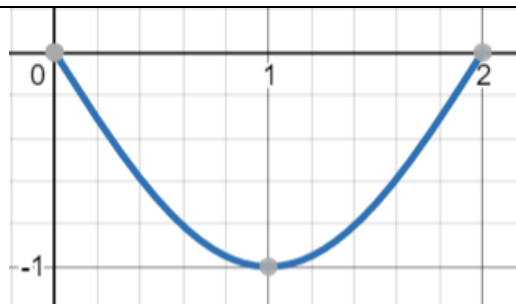


8)  $-f(x)$

Reflection about  $x$ -axis

Domain =  $[0, 2]$

Range =  $[-1, 0]$

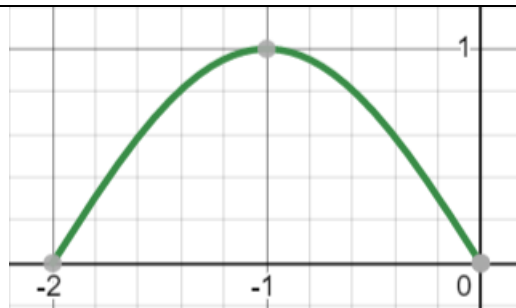


9)  $f(-x)$

Reflection about  $y$  –axis

Domain =  $[-2,0]$

Range =  $[0,1]$

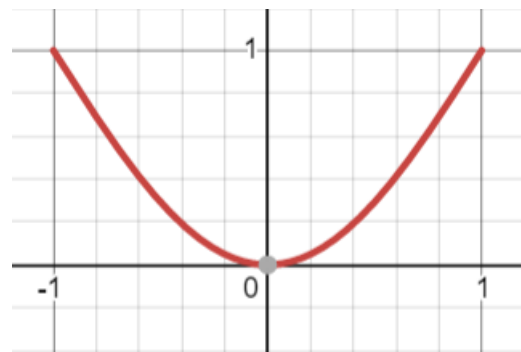


10)  $-f(x + 1) + 1$

Reflection about  $x$  –axis followed by horizontal shift 1 units left by vertical shift 1 units up.

Domain =  $[-1,1]$

Range =  $[0,1]$



## Q - 2: [CLO-1: 20 marks]

Draw graphs and determine domain and range of the following functions.

1)  $f(x) = |x| + |x - 1|$

We know that:

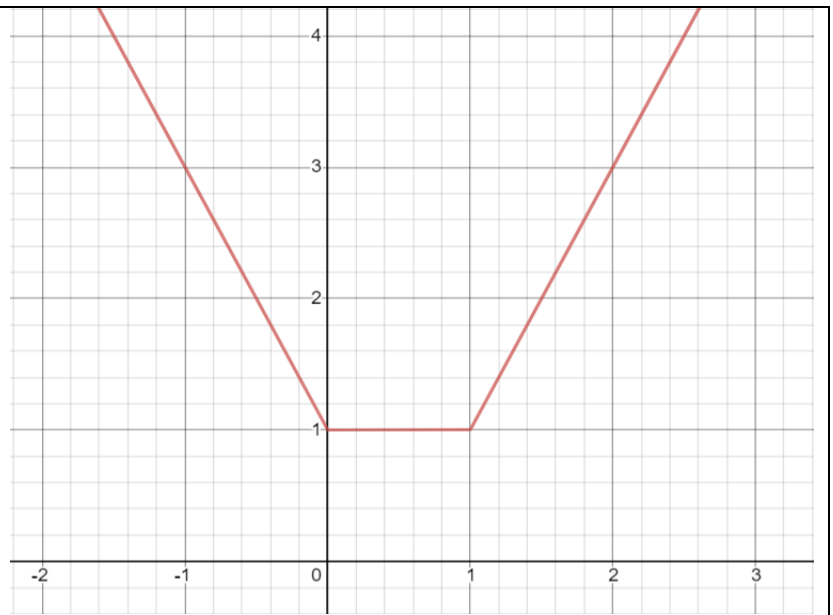
$$|x| = \begin{cases} x; & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ -x; & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{and} \quad |x - 1| = \begin{cases} x - 1; & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ -x + 1; & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Addition of these two functions yield:

$$f(x) = |x| + |x - 1| = \begin{cases} x + (x - 1) = 2x - 1; & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ -x + (-x + 1) = -2x + 1; & \text{if } x < 1 \end{cases}$$

Domain =  $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range =  $[1, \infty)$



2)  $f(x) = x - [x]$

We know that:

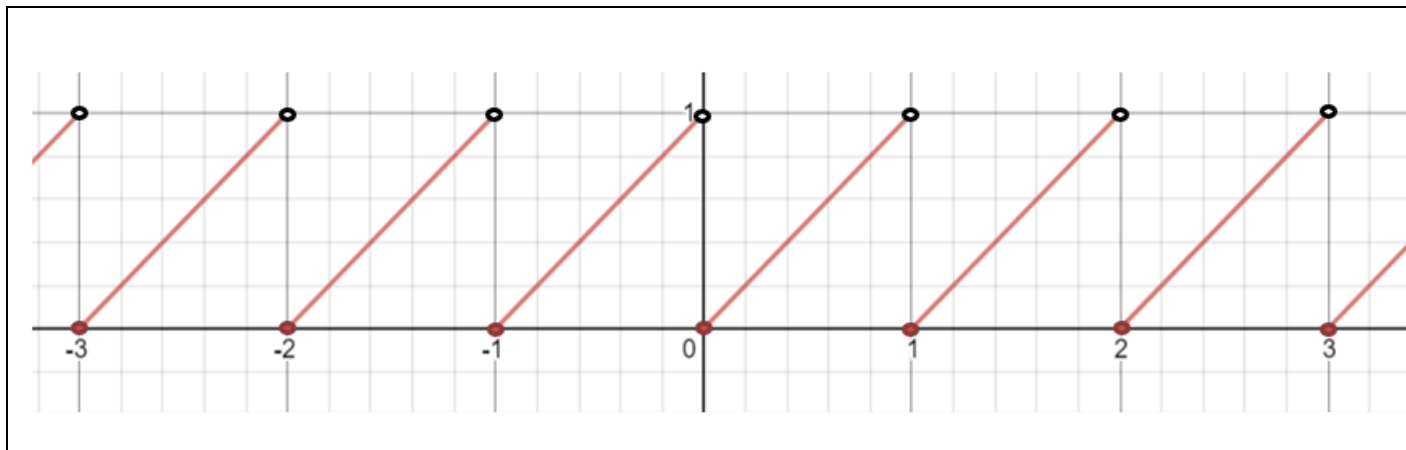
$$[x] = \begin{cases} 0; & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1; & \text{if } 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 2; & \text{if } 2 \leq x < 3 \\ \vdots & \\ -1; & \text{if } -1 \leq x < 0 \\ -2; & \text{if } -2 \leq x < -1 \end{cases}$$

Note that if  $x$  is an integer then  $[x] = x$ . Thus, when  $x$  is an integer whether positive or negative we get  $f(x) = x - [x] = x - x = 0$ . But if  $x$  is not an integer then in that case  $f(x) \neq 0$ . For example, if we take

- $x = 2.5$  then  $f(x) = 2.5 - [2.5] = 2.5 - 2 = 0.5$
- $x = -2.5$  then  $f(x) = -2.5 - [-2.5] = -2.5 + 3 = 0.5$
- $x = 1.7$  then  $f(x) = 1.7 - [1.7] = 1.7 - 1 = 0.7$
- $x = -1.7$  then  $f(x) = -1.7 - [-1.7] = -1.7 + 2 = 0.3$
- $x = 0.4$  then  $f(x) = 0.4 - [0.4] = 0.4 - 0 = 0.4$
- $x = -0.4$  then  $f(x) = -0.4 - [-0.4] = -0.4 + 1 = 0.6$

Thus,

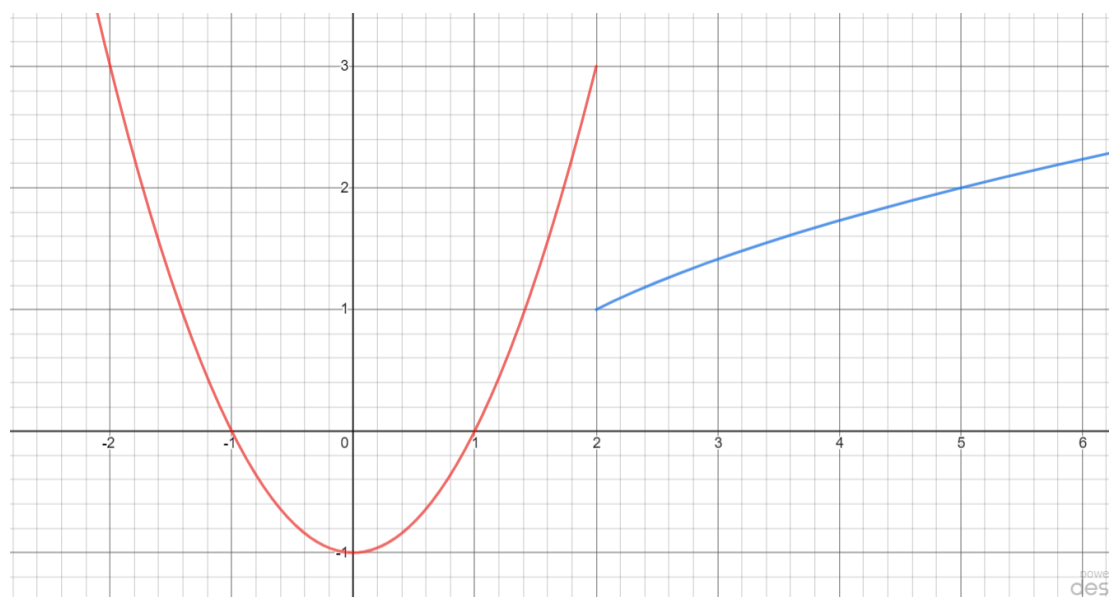
$$\text{Domain} = (-\infty, \infty) \quad \text{and} \quad \text{Range} = [0, 1)$$



$$3) f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 1, & x \leq 2 \\ \sqrt{x-1}, & x > 2 \end{cases}$$

Note that  $x^2 - 1; x \leq 2$ , is a shifted parabola and domain of this piece of function is given as:  $(-\infty, 2]$ . The other piece of the function is given as:  $\sqrt{x-1}; x > 2$ . Domain of this piece is given as:  $[2, \infty)$ . Thus, the domain of the function  $f(x)$  is given by the combined domain of all the pieces. Thus, **Domain** =  $(-\infty, 2] \cup [2, \infty) = (-\infty, \infty)$ .

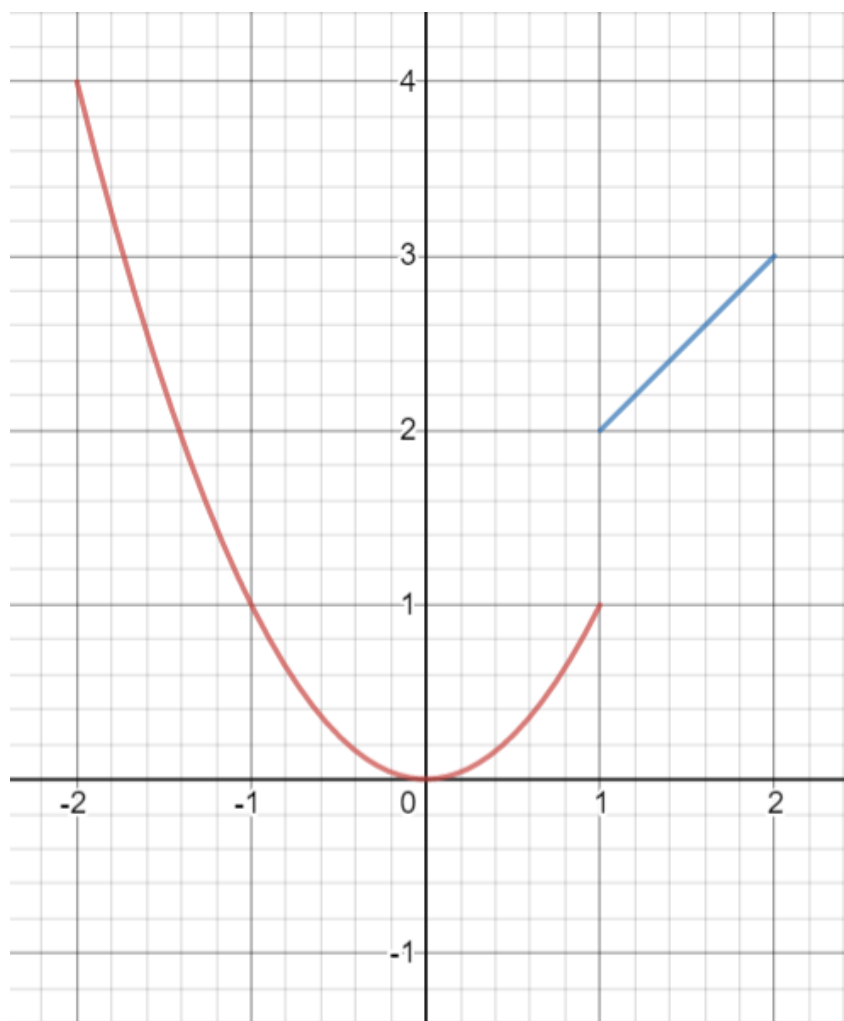
Similarly note that range of  $x^2 - 1; x \leq 2$  is given as:  $[-1, \infty)$  and the range of  $\sqrt{x-1}; x > 2$  is given as:  $[1, \infty)$ . Thus, the range of the function  $f(x)$  is given as: **Range** =  $[-1, \infty) \cup [1, \infty) = [-1, \infty)$ .



$$4) f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2, & -2 \leq x < 1 \\ x + 1, & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

Note that the domain of  $x^2$ ;  $-2 \leq x < 1$  is given as:  $[-2,1)$  and the domain of  $x + 1$ ;  $1 \leq x \leq 2$  is given as:  $[1,2]$ . Thus, the domain of the function  $f(x)$  is given by the combined domain of all the pieces. Thus, **Domain** =  $[-2,1) \cup [1,2] = [-2,2]$ .

Similarly note that range of  $x^2$ ;  $-2 \leq x < 1$  is given as:  $[0,4]$  and the range of  $x + 1$ ;  $1 \leq x \leq 2$  is given as:  $[2,3]$ . Thus, the range of the function  $f(x)$  is given as: **Range** =  $[0,4] \cup [2,3] = [0,4]$ .



**Q - 3: [CLO-1: 20 marks]**

Determine the formulas and domain for the functions  $(f + g)(x)$ ,  $(fg)(x)$ ,  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x)$ ,  $(f \circ g)(x)$ , and  $(g \circ f)(x)$ , where

1)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $f(x) = (-2, 2)$  and Domain of  $g(x) = (-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

- $(f + g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $(f + g)(x) = (-2, -1] \cup [1, 2)$

- $(fg)(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{x^2-1}{4-x^2}}$

Domain of  $(fg)(x) = (-2, -1] \cup [1, 2)$

- $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{4-x^2})(\sqrt{x^2-1})} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(4-x^2)(x^2-1)}}$

Domain of  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = (-2, -1) \cup (1, 2)$

- $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-(\sqrt{x^2-1})^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5-x^2}}$

Domain of  $(f \circ g)(x) = (-\sqrt{5}, -1] \cup [1, \sqrt{5})$

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

Domain of  $(g \circ f)(x) = (-2, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, 2)$

Note: For detailed working see last three pages

2)  $f(x) = x^2 + 3$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 3}$

Domain of  $f(x) = (-\infty, \infty)$  and

Domain of  $g(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$



- $(f + g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $(f + g)(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

- $(fg)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $(fg)(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

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

Domain of  $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

- $(f \circ g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $(f \circ g)(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

- $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}$

Domain of  $(g \circ f)(x) = (-\infty, \infty)$

Note: For detailed working see last three pages

Q3(1)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^2-1}$

Sol:- Domain of  $f(x) = (-2, 2)$

Domain of  $g(x) = [-1, 1] \cup [1, \infty)$

$$\rightarrow (f+g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} + \sqrt{x^2-1}$$

Domain is given by intersection of domains of the function  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$ . Thus

$$\text{Domain of } (f+g)(x) = (-2, -1] \cup [1, 2)$$

$$\rightarrow (f \cdot g)(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x^2-1}}{\sqrt{4-x^2}} = \sqrt{\frac{x^2-1}{4-x^2}}$$

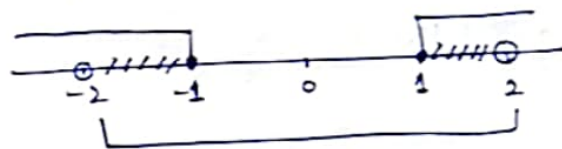
$$\text{Domain of } (f \cdot g)(x) = (-2, -1] \cup [1, 2)$$

because  $\frac{x^2-1}{4-x^2} \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2-1 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2 \geq 1 \Rightarrow |x| \geq 1 \Rightarrow (-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

and  $4-x^2 \neq 0 \Rightarrow 4 \neq x^2 \Rightarrow x \neq \pm 2$

also  $\sqrt{4-x^2}$  is possible only if  $\left. \begin{array}{l} 4-x^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2 \leq 4 \text{ or } |x| \leq 2 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow (-2, 2)$

Combining all above we get



$$\text{Domain} = (-2, -1] \cup [1, 2)$$

$$\rightarrow (f/g)(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{(4-x^2)(x^2-1)}}$$

We need  $(4-x^2)(x^2-1) > 0$

$$\Rightarrow 4-x^2 > 0 \text{ or } (x^2-1) > 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 4-x^2 > 0 \text{ or } x^2 > 1$$

$$\text{or } |x| < 2 \text{ or } |x| > 1$$

Thus, Domain of  $(f/g)(x) = (-2, -1) \cup (1, 2)$

$$\rightarrow (f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-(\sqrt{x^2-1})^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2+1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5-x^2}}$$

Here  $5-x^2 > 0$  or  $5 > x^2$  or  $|x| < \sqrt{5}$

For finding Domain of a composite function

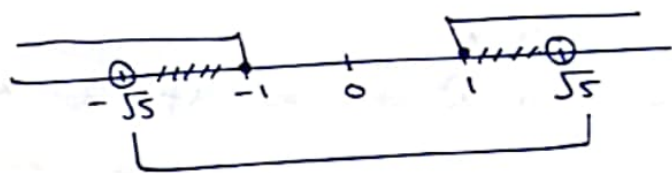
① Find domain of the input (inner) function  
(A common mistake to skip this step) & outer function.

② Find domain of the new function after performing the composition. This means that we need to find those inputs,  $x$ , in the domain of  $g$  for which  $g(x)$  is in the domain of  $f$ . We exclude those inputs,  $x$ , from the domain of  $g$  for which  $g(x)$  is not in the domain of  $f$ . The resulting set will be domain of  $(f \circ g)(x)$ .

Since domain of  $g(x)$  is  $(-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

Thus

$$\text{Domain of } (f \circ g)(x) = (-\sqrt{5}, -1] \cup [1, \sqrt{5})$$

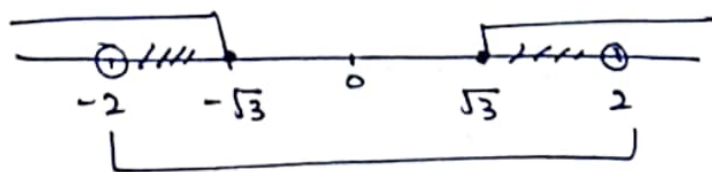


$$\rightarrow (g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x)) = \sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{4-x^2}}\right)^2 - 1} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4-x^2} - 1} = \sqrt{\frac{1-4x^2}{4-x^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow (g \circ f)(x) = \sqrt{\frac{x^2-3}{4-x^2}}$$

$$4-x^2 > 0 \Rightarrow x^2 < 4 \text{ or } |x| < 2$$

$$\text{and } x^2-3 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2 \geq 3 \text{ or } |x| \geq \sqrt{3}$$



$$\text{Domain of } (g \circ f)(x) = (-2, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, 2)$$

Q3(c2)  $f(x) = x^2 + 3$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 3}$

Sol: Domain of  $x^2 + 3 = (-\infty, \infty)$

Domain of  $\sqrt{x^2 - 3} = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

$[\because x^2 - 3 \geq 0 \text{ or } x^2 \geq 3 \text{ or } |x| \geq \sqrt{3}]$

$\rightarrow (f+g)(x) = (x^2 + 3) + \sqrt{x^2 - 3}$

Domain of  $(f+g)(x) = (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$  [Intersection of domain of  $f+g$ ]

$\rightarrow (f \cdot g)(x) = (x^2 + 3)\sqrt{x^2 - 3}$

Domain =  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

$\rightarrow (f/g)(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3}{\sqrt{x^2 - 3}}$

Domain =  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{3}) \cup (\sqrt{3}, \infty)$   $[\because x^2 - 3 > 0 \Rightarrow |x| > \sqrt{3}]$

$\rightarrow (f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$   
 $= (\sqrt{x^2 - 3})^2 + 3$   
 $= x^2 - 3 + 3$   
 $= x^2$

Domain =  $(-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

$[\because \text{the inner function is defined only}$

for  $x \in (-\infty, -\sqrt{3}] \cup [\sqrt{3}, \infty)$

$\rightarrow (g \circ f)(x) = \sqrt{(x^2 + 3)^2 - 3}$   
 $= \sqrt{x^4 + 6x^2 + 9 - 3}$   
 $= \sqrt{x^4 + 6x^2 + 6}$

Domain =  $(-\infty, \infty)$