

### 3.1 Inverse

relation  $\{(x, y)\}$

inverse relation  $\{(y, x)\}$

Ex  $G = \{(4, 2), (3, -1), (-2, 0)\}$

inverse  $G = \{(2, 4), (-1, 3), (0, -2)\}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x \rightarrow y \\ y \rightarrow x \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} y = x \\ \text{symmetric} \end{array}$$

Function has an inverse

One-to-One fctns  
1-1 fctns

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} f(a) = f(b) \Rightarrow a = b \\ a \neq b \Rightarrow f(a) \neq f(b) \end{array} \right.$$

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

$$\begin{array}{l} -1 \neq 1 \\ \end{array}$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} f(-1) = 1 \\ f(1) = 1 \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow f(-1) = f(1)$$

$\therefore$  Inverse fctn doesn't exist.  
it's not 1-1 fctn

Ex  $f(x) = 2x - 3$

$$f(a) = f(b)$$

$$2a - 3 = 2b - 3$$

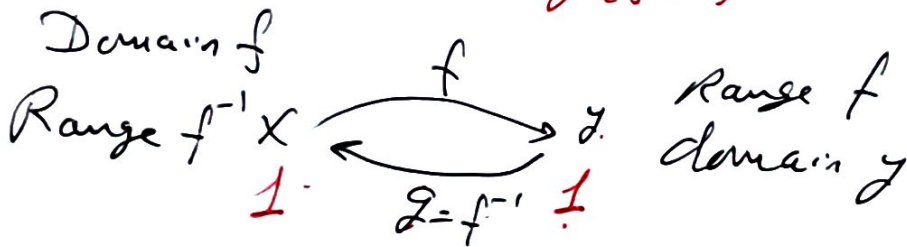
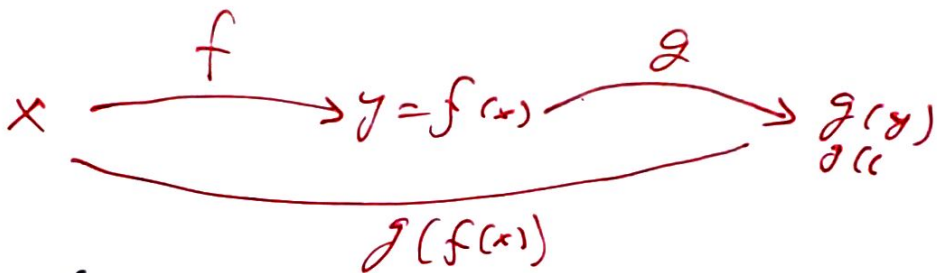
$$2a = 26$$

$$a = b \checkmark$$

$f(x)$  is 1-1.

$$a^2 = b^2 \Rightarrow a = \pm b \quad \begin{cases} a = b \\ a = -b \end{cases} \quad \#$$

## Definition of Inverse fctn



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

$f^{-1}$ :  $f$  inverse

$$\text{Domain } f^{-1}(x) = \text{Range } f^{-1}(x) = \mathbb{R} - \{ \}$$

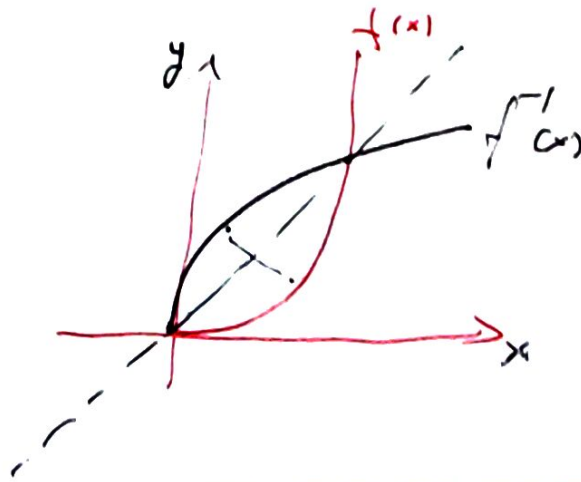
11  $f^{-1}(x) =$  "  $f(x)$

$$f(f^{-1}(x)) = f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$$

input  $\rightarrow$  output

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad \text{is not } 1-1.$$

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad x \geq 0 \rightarrow \text{restriction}$$



$$y = x$$

Ex  $f(x) = x^3 - 1$   $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x+1}$   
 $g$  is inverse of  $f$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(g(x)) &= f(\sqrt[3]{x+1}) = (\sqrt[3]{x+1})^3 \\ &= x+1-1 \\ &= x \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(f(x)) &= g(x^3 - 1) \\ &= \sqrt[3]{x^3 - 1 + 1} \\ &= \sqrt[3]{x^3} \\ &= x \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

## Finding inverse fcn

Ex

$$f(x) = 2x + 7$$

Replace  $x$  w/  $y$

$$y = 2x + 7$$

Sub  $x + y$  (interchange)

$$x = 2y + 7$$

Solve for  $y$

$$x - 7 = 2y$$

replace  $y$  w/  $f^{-1}(x)$

$$y = \frac{x-7}{2} = f^{-1}(x)$$

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

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

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

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

$$2xy + x = 5y - 3$$

$$2xy - 5y = -x - 3$$

$$(2x-5)y = -x-3$$

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

$$f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d} \Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-dx+b}{cx-a}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2x+7}{1} \Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \frac{-x+7}{-2} = \frac{x-7}{2}$$

Ex 1

$$f(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$$

$f^{-1}(x)$ ?

d.R.  $f^{-1}$

a)  $y = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$

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

$$x(y-1) = y+1$$

$$xy - x = y + 1$$

$$xy - y = x + 1$$

$$(x-1)y = x+1$$

$$y = \frac{x+1}{x-1} = f^{-1}(x)$$

b) domain  $f(x) = \text{Range } f^{-1}(x) : \mathbb{R} - \{1\}$

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$$\textcircled{+} f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d} \rightarrow \text{domain.}$$

Range

56.  $f(x) = \frac{3x+2}{2x-5}$

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

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

$x(2y-5) = 3y+2$

$2xy - 5x = 3y + 2$

$2xy - 3y = 5x + 2$

$(2x-3)y = 5x+2$

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

b) Domain of  $f(x) = \text{Range } f^{-1}(x) : \mathbb{R} - \{ \frac{5}{2} \}$   
 "  $f^{-1}(x) =$  "  $f(x) : \mathbb{R} - \{ \frac{3}{2} \}$

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