

Inverse of a Relation II (1.4)

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1/3 of neurons are in your gut

what are they doing there?

consequences?

food you eat?

10. For each function $f(x)$,

i) determine the equation of the inverse of $f(x)$ by first rewriting the function in the form $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$

ii) graph $f(x)$ and the inverse of $f(x)$

a) $f(x) = x^2 + 8x + 12$

$$y = x^2 + 8x + 12$$

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



6. Match the function

a) $y = 2x + 5$

b) $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$

c) $y = 6 - 3x$

d) $y = x^2 - 12, x \geq 0$

e) $y = \frac{1}{2}(x + 1)^2, x \leq -1$

Inverse

A $y = \sqrt{x + 4} + 1$

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

C $y = 2x + 8$

D $y = -\sqrt{2x + 1}$

E $y = \frac{x - 5}{2}$

13. Determine graphically whether the functions in each pair are inverses of each other.

a) $f(x) = x - 4$ and $g(x) = x + 4$

b) $f(x) = 3x + 5$ and $g(x) = \frac{x - 5}{3}$

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

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

$$k = g = c - ap^2$$

Complete the square

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

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

$$= -(x^2 - 10x + 25 - 25) + 3$$

$$= -(x^2 - 10x + 25) + 25 + 3$$

$$y = -(x - 5)^2 + 28$$

$$x^2 + 4x + 4$$

$$x^2 + 10x + 25$$

$$x^2 + 6x + 9$$

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

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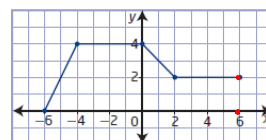
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What makes a relation a function?

one y for every x

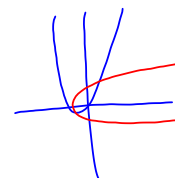
vertical line test



why is this important?

It's nice if the inverse is also a function

We call this a 1-1 function



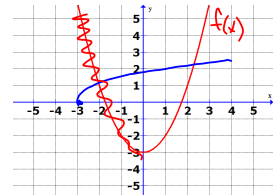
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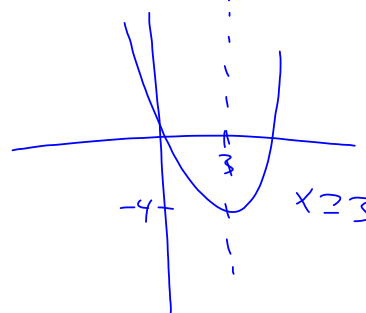
functions are so useful, that we often restrict the domain of a function so that the inverse will also be a function

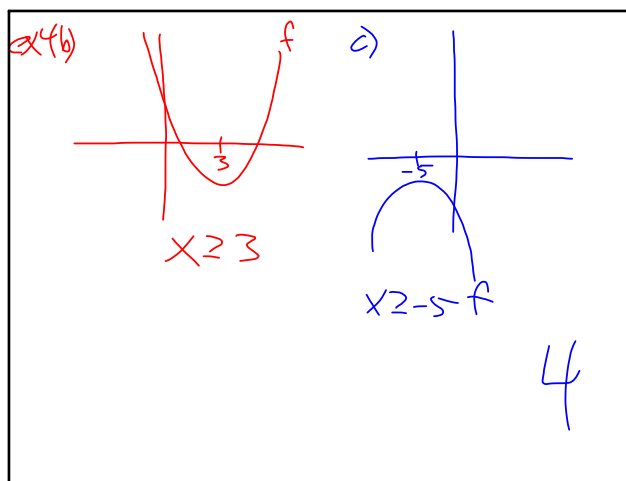
ex1: Restrict the Domain so that the inverse of $y = f(x)$ is still a function.



$$x \geq 0$$

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A few other things...

ex2: What is the mapping for the inverse of $y = 3x^2$?
wait for it...

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (y, x) \text{ we're just switching } x \text{ and } y!$$

additive inverse

$$5 \quad -5 \quad \text{identity} = 0$$

multiplicative inverse

$$7 \quad \frac{1}{7} \quad = 1$$

inverting something takes you back to the identity

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here's another thing...

We use the notation $y = f^{-1}(x)$ to represent an inverse function.

Just to be confusing, this is not the same as the exponent -1, as in

$$x^{-1} = \frac{1}{x} \quad f^{-1}(x) \neq \frac{1}{f(x)}$$

It's just a notation.

So $f^{-1}(x)$ reads as "the inverse of f of x "

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 4x - 2 \\ x &= 4y - 2 \\ x + 2 &= 4y \\ \frac{x+2}{4} &= y \end{aligned}$$

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here's something cool...

Later on, in section 10.3, we'll see how we can make composite functions. For now, we'll see that we can stuff one function inside another. Witness...

ex3: Sub $g(x)$ into $f(x)$ and expand

a) $f(x) = 3x + 1$

b) $f(x) = x^2 + 3$

$g(x) = 2x - 4$

$g(x) = x + 4$

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now for the cool thing

ex4: Find the inverse of $y = f(x)$ and sub it back into the original function.

a) $y = 2x - 1$

b) $y = x^2 + 2$

$x = 2y - 1$

$y + 1 = 2y$

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

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

$= x + 1 - 1$

$y = x$

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