

1. (10 pts) Is the relation $f = \{(3, -7), (4, -1), (2, 5), (9, -1)\}$ a function? Explain in words.

Yes. To each x , there is exactly one y .

2. (5 pts) What's the domain of f ?

$$D = \{3, 4, 2, 9\}$$

3. (5 pts) What's the range of f ?

$$R = \{-7, -1, 5\}$$

4. Let $f(x) = \frac{x+7}{x-2}$ and $g(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$.

- a. (5 pts) What is the domain of f ?

$$\{x \mid x \neq 2\}$$

- b. (5 pts) What is the domain of g ?

$$\{x \mid x \geq -1\}$$

- c. Determine the following functions. You don't need to simplify. In fact, I recommend you do not.

i) (5 pts) $f + g = \frac{x+7}{x-2} + \sqrt{x+1}$

ii) (5 pts) $f \circ g = \frac{\sqrt{x+1} + 7}{\sqrt{x+1} - 2}$

- d. (5 pts) What is the domain of $f + g$? $\{x \mid x \neq 2 \text{ and } x \geq -1\}$

INTERVAL NOTATION $= [-1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$

- e. (5 pts) What is the domain of $f \circ g$? $= \{x \mid x \in D(g) \text{ and } g(x) \in D(f)\}$

$$\sqrt{x+1} = 2 \quad \text{INTERVAL NOTATION} = \{x \mid x \geq -1 \text{ and } \sqrt{x+1} \neq 2\}$$

$$x+1 = 4 \quad = \{x \mid x = -1 \text{ and } x \neq 3\}$$

$$x = 3$$

$$= [-1, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$$

5. (5 pts) Simplify the difference quotient, $\frac{f(x+h)-f(x)}{h}$, for $f(x)=x^2-5x$.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{(x+h)^2 - f(x+h) - (x^2 - 5x)}{h} &= \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - 5x - 5h - x^2 + 5x}{h} \\ &= \frac{2xh + h^2 - 5h}{h} = \boxed{2x + h - 5} \end{aligned}$$



Bonus Pass to the limit, as $h \rightarrow 0$, on your answer to the above, so you can show me some calculus.

$$\xrightarrow{h \rightarrow 0} \boxed{2x - 5}$$

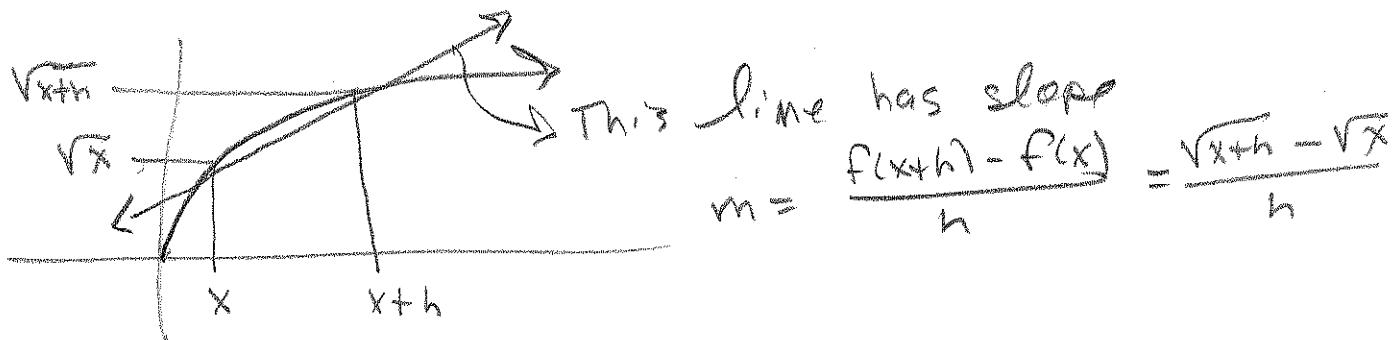
6. (5 pts) Explain to me why the equation $x^2 + y^2 = 49$ does *not* define y as a function of x .

$$\begin{aligned} y^2 &= 49 - x^2 \\ y &= \pm \sqrt{49 - x^2} \end{aligned}$$

Gives 2 y -values for 1 x -value.

$$x=0 \Rightarrow y = \pm 7 \Rightarrow (0, 7), (0, -7) \in \text{Relation.}$$

7. (5 pts) Draw me a picture showing what the difference quotient represents for the function $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$.





Bonus Simplify the difference quotient for $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\sqrt{x+h} - \sqrt{x}}{h} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}}{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}} = \frac{x+h-x}{h(\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x})} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+h} + \sqrt{x}} \end{aligned}$$

8. (10 pts) Answer one of the following:

- Show that $f(x) = \frac{2}{3}x - 7$ is one-to-one, algebraically.
- If $f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 7$, for $x \geq 3$, what is $f^{-1}(x)$?

$$(a) \frac{2}{3}x_1 - 7 = \frac{2}{3}x_2 - 7$$

$$\frac{2}{3}x_1 = \frac{2}{3}x_2$$

$$x_1 = x_2$$

$$(b) y^2 - 6y + 7 = x$$

$$y^2 - 6y + 3^2 = x - 7 + 9$$

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

$$y-3 = \pm \sqrt{x+2} \rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{x+2} + 3$$

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

9. (10 pts) Show that $f(x) = \frac{x+3}{x-1}$ is its own inverse. In other words, show that in this example, f and f^{-1} are the same, exact function! There are two ways to accomplish this:

1. By finding f^{-1} , directly.

2. By the definition of f^{-1} .

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

$$(1) \quad \frac{y+3}{y-1} = x$$

$$y+3 = xy - x$$

$$y - xy = -x - 3$$

$$y(1-x) = -x - 3$$

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

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = f(x) !$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{\frac{x+3}{x-1} + 3}{\frac{x+3}{x-1} - 1} = \frac{\frac{x+3 + 3(x-1)}{x-1}}{\frac{x+3 - (x-1)}{x-1}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{x+3 + 3x - 3}{x-1}}{\frac{x+3 - x + 1}{x-1}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{4x}{x-1}}{\frac{4}{x-1}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4x}{x-1} \cdot \frac{x-1}{4} = x \checkmark$$

10. (10 pts) Suppose y varies jointly with m_1 and m_2 , and inversely with the square of r . Write an equation describing this situation.

$$y = k \frac{m_1 m_2}{r^2}$$