

1.  $\frac{2x-1}{3} - \frac{x-5}{6} = \frac{x-3}{4}$  Solve for  $x$ :

$$12\left(\frac{2x-1}{3} - \frac{x-5}{6}\right) = 12\left(\frac{x-3}{4}\right)$$

$$8x - 4 - 2x + 10 = 3x - 9$$

$$6x + 6 = 3x - 9$$

$$3x = -15$$

$$x_2 - 5$$

2.  $2(1-4x) + 3(5-2x) < 7x$  Solve for  $x$ :

$$2 - 8x + 15 - 6x < 7x$$

$$-14x + 17 < 7x$$

$$-21x < -17$$

$$x > \frac{17}{21}$$

3. I, II, IV are functions.

4. The slope of  $3x + 2y = 6$  is  $m = -\frac{3}{2}$ .

A perpendicular line has slope  $m = \frac{2}{3}$ .

The equation of the line with slope  $m = \frac{2}{3}$  passing through the point  $(3, -2)$  in slope

point form is:  $y + 2 = \frac{2}{3}(x - 3)$ ; in slope intercept form is:  $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 4$

5.  $f(x) < g(x)$  in the interval  $(-\infty, 6)$

6.  $\frac{2}{x+p} = \frac{3}{q}$  Solve for  $x$ :

$$3(x+p) = 2q$$

$$3x + 3p = 2q$$

$$3x = 2q - 3p$$

$$x = \frac{2q - 3p}{3}$$

7. Let the width and the length =  $x + 3$

The perimeter  $P = 2x + 2(x + 3)$

$$P = 2x + 2x + 6$$

$$P = 4x + 6$$

$$P = 26;$$

$$26 = 4x + 6$$

$$20 = 4x$$

$$x = 5$$

the length is 8 ft.

8. I, II, and III are incorrect.

9. Shifting  $f(x)$  to the left 2 units and 3 units downwards.

10.  $f(x) = 3x + 2$  and  $g(x) = 5x$

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f[g(x)] = f[5x] = 3(5x) + 2 = 15x + 2$$

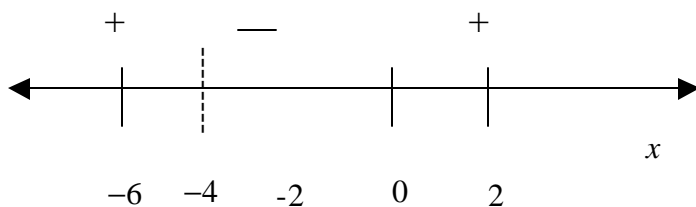
11.  $h(f(g(7))) = h(f(6)) = h(9) = 0$

12.  $f(x) = x^2 - 5x + 3$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= \frac{(x+h)^2 - 5(x+h) + 3 - (x^2 - 5x + 3)}{h} \\ &= \frac{x^2 + 2hx + h^2 - 5x - 5h + 3 - x^2 + 5x - 3}{h} \\ &= \frac{2hx + h^2 - 5h}{h} \\ &= 2x + h - 5 \end{aligned}$$

13. Solve the inequality

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 6x + 8 &> 0 \\ (x+2)(x+4) &> 0 \end{aligned}$$



$$(-\infty, -4) \cup (-2, \infty)$$

14.  $a > 0$  implies that the graph of  $f(x)$  is concave up

$b^2 - 4ac < 0$  implies that the graph of  $f(x)$  does not intersect the  $x$ -axis.

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The following questions are free response. Please show all work in order to receive credit. If you use a graphing calculator, you must sketch the graph and explain your answer. 10 points each.

15. At 68° F, a certain species of cricket chirps 24 times per minute. At 40° F, the same cricket chirps 86 times per minute.
- a. Express the number of chirps,  $y$ , as a function of temperature.

Let  $x = \text{Fahrenheit temperature}$ , the orderd pairs are: (68 , 24) and (40 , 86)

$$\text{The slope } m = \frac{86 - 24}{40 - 68} = -\frac{31}{14};$$

$$\text{The equation in point slope form is: } y - 86 = -\frac{31}{14}(x - 40)$$

$$\text{The equation in slope intercept form is: } y = -\frac{31}{14}x + \frac{1222}{7}$$

- b. If the temperature is 60° F, how many times will the cricket chirp per minute?

$$y = -\frac{31}{14}(60) + \frac{1222}{7} \approx 41.71. \text{ The cricket will chirp 42 times per minute.}$$

- c. If you count the number of cricket chirps in one-half minute and hear 40 chirps, what is the temperature?

If you count 40 chirps in half minute, the cricket will chirp 80 times in one minute.

$$80 = -\frac{31}{14}x + \frac{1222}{7}, \text{ solve for } x: x \approx 42.71; \text{ the temperature is } 42.71^\circ F$$

16. Find the equation of the quadratic function with vertex (5, 6) that goes through (1, -6).

$$y = a(x-h)^2 + k; \quad h=5, \quad k=6 \quad \text{and} \quad x=1, \quad y=-6$$

$$-6 = a(1-5)^2 + 6; \quad \text{solve for } a: \quad a = -\frac{3}{4}$$

The equation of the quadratic function is:  $y = -\frac{3}{4}(x-5)^2 + 6$

The equation of the quadratic function in standard form is:  $y = -\frac{3}{4}x^2 + \frac{15}{2}x - \frac{51}{4}$

17. Graph the following function:

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

