

Senior Precalculus
Midterm—Free-Response Question--REVIEW

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Estimate your percentage on this midterm out of 100%. If you are within 3%, you will be given 2 points of extra credit.				

Directions: You must show all work in order to receive full credit.

51. Given the rational function, find the domain, vertical asymptotes, holes, zeros, y-intercept, and horizontal asymptote. If any of these do not exist, write “none.” Sketch an accurate graph of the function based on all of your findings. You may use a calculator to check the accuracy of your graph.

$$g(x) = \frac{2x^2 - 10x + 12}{x^2 - 4}$$

<u>D</u>		<u>GRAPH:</u>	
<u>VA</u>			
<u>Holes</u>			
<u>Zeros</u>			
<u>y-int</u>			
<u>HA</u>			

SPC Midterm Review--On the exam, each problem is worth 1.5 points, so this multiple-choice section is worth 75 points total. This review is identical in format to the midterm exam. Only the actual numerical values are different. The midterm is 50 multiple-choice questions and a single free-response problem. YOU ARE REQUIRED TO BRING A PENCIL FOR THE EXAM SO THAT YOU CAN FILL OUT YOUR SCANTRON.

MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

Solve the equation.

1) $10y = 3y + 9 + 6y$ 1) _____
A) $y = -9$ B) $y = 90$ C) $y = 9$ D) $y = -90$

2) $(y - 5) - (y + 4) = 10y$ 2) _____
A) $y = -\frac{1}{10}$ B) $y = -\frac{1}{8}$ C) $y = -\frac{9}{8}$ D) $y = -\frac{9}{10}$

Find the slope of the line through the pair of points.

3) (1, 7) and (5, 9) 3) _____
A) 2 B) $\frac{1}{2}$ C) $-\frac{1}{2}$ D) $\frac{8}{3}$

4) (8, -6) and (5, -6) 4) _____
A) 4 B) 0 C) $-\frac{12}{13}$ D) Undefined

Find a slope-intercept form equation for the line.

5) Through (4, 3), with slope $-\frac{2}{7}$ 5) _____
A) $y = \frac{2}{7}x - \frac{29}{7}$ B) $y = -\frac{2}{7}x + \frac{8}{7}$
C) $y = \frac{2}{7}x + \frac{8}{7}$ D) $y = -\frac{2}{7}x + \frac{29}{7}$

6) Through the points (2, 4) and (-2, 7) 6) _____
A) $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + \frac{11}{2}$ B) $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{11}{2}$
C) $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + \frac{11}{4}$ D) $y = -\frac{3}{4}x - \frac{11}{2}$

Determine the equation of the line described. Put answer in the slope-intercept form, if possible.

7) Through (-8, 9), perpendicular to $9x + 5y = -27$ 7) _____
A) $y = \frac{5}{9}x$ B) $y = \frac{9}{5}x - 121$
C) $y = -\frac{5}{9}x - \frac{121}{9}$ D) $y = \frac{5}{9}x + \frac{121}{9}$

8) Through $(-9, -5)$, parallel to $-6x + 5y = 59$

8) _____

A) $y = \frac{6}{5}x + \frac{29}{5}$

B) $y = \frac{9}{5}x + \frac{59}{5}$

C) $y = -\frac{6}{5}x - \frac{29}{5}$

D) $y = \frac{5}{6}x + \frac{5}{6}$

Solve the problem.

9) Suppose the sales of a particular brand of appliance satisfy the relationship $S(x) = 70x + 2300$, where $S(x)$ represents the number of sales in year x , with $x = 0$ corresponding to 1982. Find the number of sales in 1998.

9) _____

A) 3350

B) 6770

C) 6840

D) 3420

10) Let $C(x) = 900 + 30x$ be the cost to manufacture x items. Find the average cost per item to produce 80 items. Round to the nearest dollar.

10) _____

A) \$2480

B) \$41

C) \$2613

D) \$349

Solve the equation by factoring.

11) $x^2 - x = 12$

11) _____

A) $x = 3$ or $x = 4$

B) $x = -3$ or $x = -4$

C) $x = -3$ or $x = 4$

D) $x = 1$ or $x = 12$

12) $4x^2 - 35x - 9 = 0$

12) _____

A) $x = -4$ or $x = 9$

B) $x = -\frac{1}{4}$ or $x = 9$

C) $x = \frac{11}{35}$ or $x = -4$

D) $x = -\frac{1}{4}$ or $x = 4$

13) $12x^2 - 4x = 0$

13) _____

A) $x = \frac{1}{3}$ or $x = 0$

B) $x = 0$

C) $x = \frac{1}{3}$ or $x = -\frac{1}{3}$

D) $x = -\frac{1}{3}$ or $x = 0$

Solve the equation using the quadratic formula.

14) $7x^2 + 12x + 1 = 0$

14) _____

A) $x = \frac{-6 + \sqrt{29}}{14}$ or $x = \frac{-6 - \sqrt{29}}{14}$

B) $x = \frac{-6 + \sqrt{43}}{7}$ or $x = \frac{-6 - \sqrt{43}}{7}$

C) $x = \frac{-6 + \sqrt{29}}{7}$ or $x = \frac{-6 - \sqrt{29}}{7}$

D) $x = \frac{-12 + \sqrt{29}}{7}$ or $x = \frac{-12 - \sqrt{29}}{7}$

15) $x^2 - 10x + 2 = 0$

15) _____

A) $x = 5 - \sqrt{23}$ or $x = 5 + \sqrt{23}$

B) $x = 5$

C) $x = 5 - \sqrt{27}$ or $x = 5 + \sqrt{27}$

D) $x = -5 - \sqrt{23}$ or $x = -5 + \sqrt{23}$

Solve the problem.

- 16) The height of a box is 4 inches. The length is three inches more than the width. Find the width if the volume is 352 cu inches. 16) _____
- A) 8 inches B) 11 inches C) 4 inches D) 88 inches
- 17) A rock falls from a tower that is 480 ft high. As it is falling, its height is given by the formula $h = 480 - 16t^2$. How many seconds will it take for the rock to hit the ground ($h=0$)? 17) _____
- A) 5.5 s B) 14,400 s C) 21.9 s D) 21.5 s

Write the sum or difference in the standard form $a + bi$.

- 18) $(6 - 3i) + (2 + 5i)$ 18) _____
- A) $-8 - 2i$ B) $8 + 2i$ C) $4 + 8i$ D) $8 - 2i$
- 19) $(4 + 8i) - (-6 + i)$ 19) _____
- A) $10 + 7i$ B) $-2 + 9i$ C) $10 - 7i$ D) $-10 - 7i$

Write the product in standard form.

- 20) $9i(8 - 2i)$ 20) _____
- A) $72i - 18$ B) $72i + 18i^2$ C) $18 + 72i$ D) $72i - 18i^2$
- 21) $(9 + 3i)(2 + 9i)$ 21) _____
- A) $27i^2 + 87i + 18$ B) $-9 - 87i$ C) $45 - 75i$ D) $-9 + 87i$

Write the expression in the form bi , where b is a real number.

- 22) $\sqrt{-324}$ 22) _____
- A) $-18i$ B) ± 18 C) $18i$ D) $-i\sqrt{18}$
- 23) $-\sqrt{-279}$ 23) _____
- A) $3\sqrt{31}$ B) $3i\sqrt{31}$ C) $-3\sqrt{31}$ D) $-3i\sqrt{31}$

Write the expression in standard form.

- 24) $\frac{6 + 3i}{7 - 9i}$ 24) _____
- A) $-\frac{69}{32} + \frac{15}{32}i$ B) $\frac{3}{26} + \frac{15}{26}i$ C) $-\frac{3}{32} + \frac{15}{32}i$ D) $\frac{69}{26} + \frac{33}{26}i$

Solve the equation algebraically.

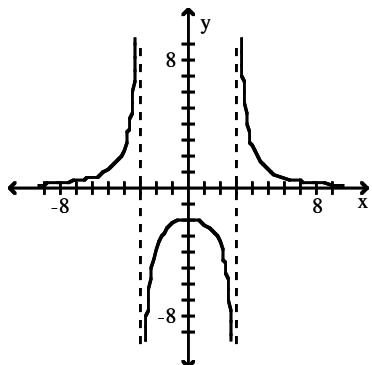
- 25) $(x - 11)^2 = 1$ 25) _____
- A) 10; -12 B) -12; -12 C) 10; 12 D) 10; 10
- 26) $x(2x + 8) = -6$ 26) _____
- A) 0; -4 B) -3; -1 C) 3; 3 D) -4, 6

Match the equation with the appropriate graph.

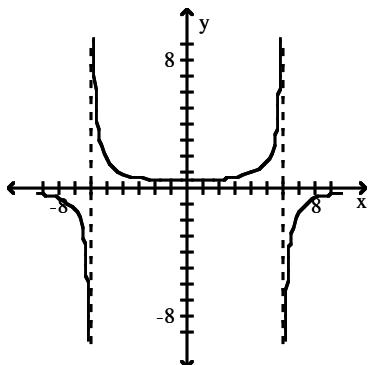
27) $f(x) = \frac{18}{x^2 - 9}$

27) _____

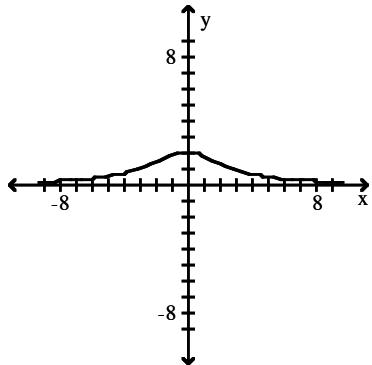
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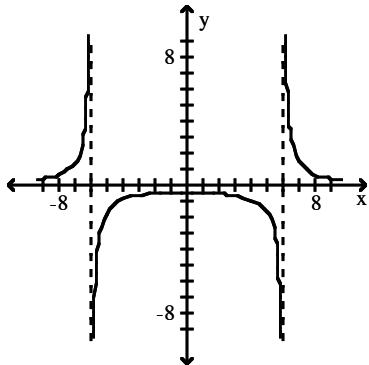
B)



C)



D)



Find the asymptote(s) of the given function.

28) $h(x) = \frac{(x - 2)(x + 5)}{x^2 - 9}$ vertical asymptotes(s)

28) _____

A) $x = -2, x = 5$

B) None

C) $x = 2, x = -5$

D) $x = 3, x = -3$

29) $f(x) = \frac{x - 8}{x^2 + 7x}$ vertical asymptotes(s)

29) _____

A) $x = 7$

B) $x = -7$

C) $x = 8$

D) $x = 0, x = -7$

30) $h(x) = \frac{7x^2}{7x^2 - 5}$ horizontal asymptotes(s)

30) _____

A) $y = \sqrt{5}$

B) $y = 1$

C) None

D) $y = 5$

31) $g(x) = \frac{x + 3}{x^2 - 1}$ horizontal asymptotes(s)

31) _____

A) $y = 0$

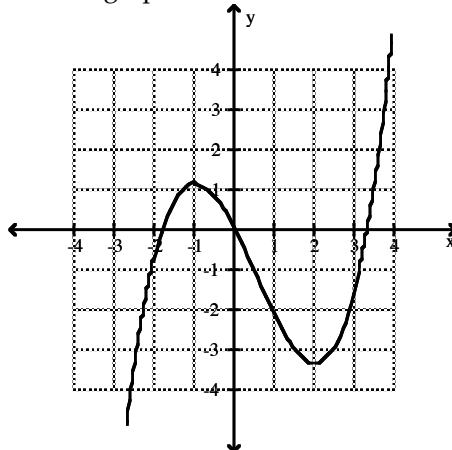
B) $y = 1$

C) $y = -3$

D) None

Solve the problem.32) Use the graph of f to estimate the local maximum and local minimum.

32) _____

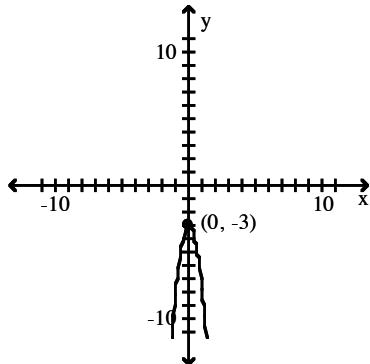


- A) Local maximum: approx. 1.17; local minimum: approx. -3.33
 B) No local maximum; no local minimum
 C) Local maximum: ∞ ; local minimum: $-\infty$
 D) Local maximum: -1; local minimum: 2

Determine the intervals on which the function is increasing, decreasing, and constant.

33)

33) _____



- A) Increasing on $(0, \infty)$; Decreasing on $(-\infty, 0)$
 B) Increasing on $(-\infty, 0)$; Decreasing on $(-\infty, 0)$
 C) Increasing on $(\infty, 0)$; Decreasing on $(0, -\infty)$
 D) Increasing on $(-\infty, 0)$; Decreasing on $(0, \infty)$

Divide $f(x)$ by $d(x)$, and write a summary statement in the form indicated.34) $f(x) = x^2 - 2x + 6$; $d(x) = x - 3$ (Write answer in fractional form)

34) _____

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

B) $\frac{f(x)}{(x-3)} = (x-3) + \frac{9}{(x-3)}$

C) $\frac{f(x)}{(x-3)} = (x-3) + \frac{3}{(x-3)}$

D) $\frac{f(x)}{(x-3)} = (x+1) + \frac{9}{(x-3)}$

35) $f(x) = x^3 - 3$; $d(x) = x + 4$ (Write answer in fractional form)

35) _____

A) $\frac{f(x)}{(x+4)} = (x^2 + 4x + 16) + \frac{-64}{(x+4)}$

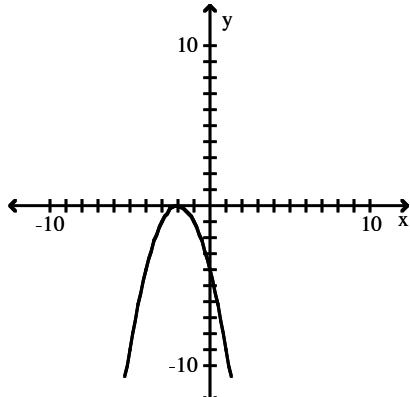
B) $\frac{f(x)}{(x+4)} = (x^2 - 4x + 16) + \frac{-67}{(x+4)}$

C) $\frac{f(x)}{(x+4)} = (x^2 - 4x + 16) + \frac{-64}{(x+4)}$

D) $\frac{f(x)}{(x+4)} = (x^2 + 4x + 16) + \frac{-67}{(x+4)}$

Match the function with the graph.

36)



36) _____

A) $g(x) = -x^2 + 2$

C) $g(x) = -x^2 - 2$

B) $g(x) = (x - 2)^2$

D) $g(x) = -(x + 2)^2$

Divide using synthetic division, and write a summary statement in fraction form.

37) $\frac{2x^3 + 3x^2 + 4x - 10}{x + 1}$

37) _____

A) $2x^2 + 5x + 9 + \frac{-1}{x + 1}$

C) $2x^2 + 5x + 9 + \frac{1}{x + 1}$

B) $2x^2 + x + 3 + \frac{13}{x + 1}$

D) $2x^2 + x + 3 + \frac{-13}{x + 1}$

38) $\frac{3x^5 + 4x^4 + 2x^2 - 1}{x + 2}$

38) _____

A) $3x^4 - 2x^3 + 4x^2 + 6 + \frac{-13}{x + 2}$

C) $3x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x^2 + 8x + \frac{-15}{x + 2}$

B) $3x^4 - 2x^3 + 6x^2 - 12 + \frac{23}{x + 2}$

D) $3x^4 - 2x^3 + 4x^2 - 6x + 12 + \frac{-25}{x + 2}$

Use the Rational Zeros Theorem to write a list of all potential rational zeros

39) $f(x) = 2x^3 - 5x^2 + 7x - 17$

39) _____

A) $\pm 1, \pm 17, \pm 1/2, \pm 17/2$

C) $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 17$

B) $\pm 1, \pm 1/17, \pm 2, \pm 2/17$

D) $\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 17, \pm 17/2$

Find all rational zeros.

40) $f(x) = x^3 - 8x^2 + 9x + 18$

40) _____

A) $-3, -6, 1$

B) $-4, -7, 1$

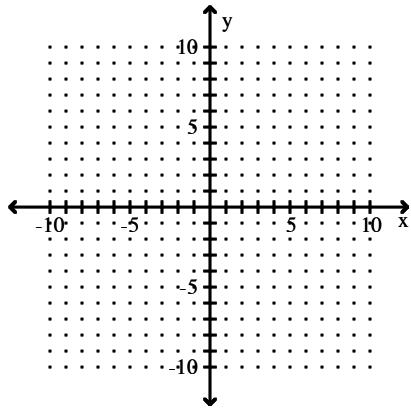
C) $4, 7, -1$

D) $3, 6, -1$

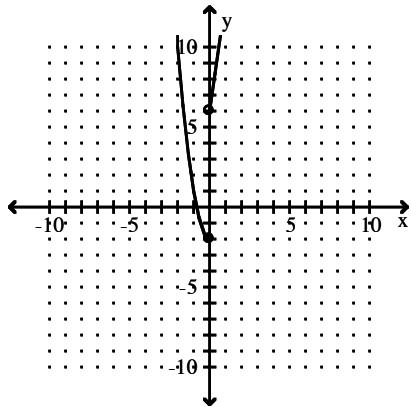
Graph the piecewise-defined function.

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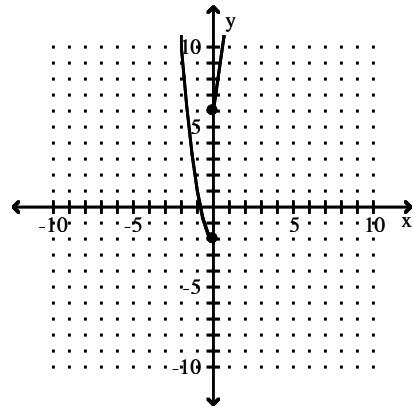
$$y(x) = \begin{cases} 7x + 6, & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 2x^2 - 2, & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$



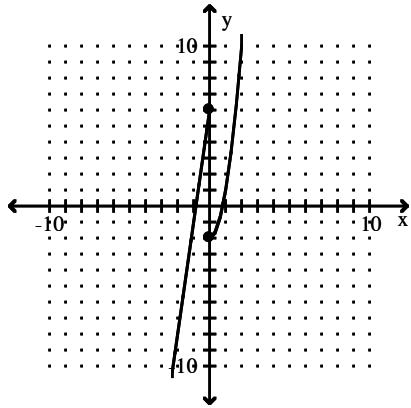
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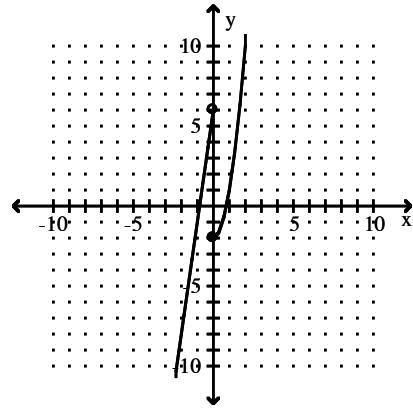
B)



C)



D)



State the domain of the rational function.

42) $f(x) = \frac{x-3}{x^2+6x}$

41) _____

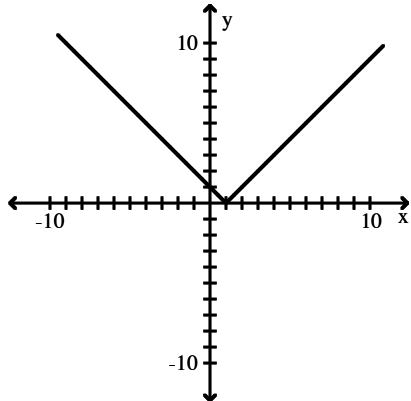
42) _____

- A) $(-\infty, -6) \cup (-6, \infty)$
 C) $(-\infty, 6) \cup (6, \infty)$

- B) $(-\infty, -6) \cup (-6, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$
 D) $(-\infty, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$

Match the function with the graph.

43)



43) _____

A) $y = |x| - 1$

B) $y = |x + 1|$

C) $y = |x - 1|$

D) $y = |x - 1| + 3$

Write the terms for the partial fraction decomposition of the rational function. Do not solve for the constants.

44) $\frac{x+2}{x(x^2+4x-32)}$

44) _____

A) $\frac{A_1}{x} + \frac{A_2}{x+8} + \frac{A_3}{x-4}$

B) $\frac{A_1}{x+8} + \frac{A_2}{x-4}$

C) $\frac{A_1}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+4x-32}$

D) $\frac{A_1}{x} + \frac{A_2}{x+8} + \frac{A_3}{(x-4)^2}$

Find the partial fraction decomposition.

45) $\frac{3}{x^2+4x+3} = \frac{A}{x+3} + \frac{B}{x+1}$

45) _____

A) $A = \frac{3}{2}, B = \frac{3}{2}$

B) $A = \frac{3}{2}, B = -\frac{3}{2}$

C) $A = -\frac{3}{2}, B = \frac{3}{2}$

D) $A = -\frac{3}{2}, B = -\frac{3}{2}$

46) $\frac{5x-2}{x^3-4x} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{B}{x+2} + \frac{C}{x-2}$

46) _____

A) $A = \frac{1}{2}, B = 1, C = -\frac{3}{2}$

B) $A = -\frac{1}{2}, B = \frac{3}{2}, C = 1$

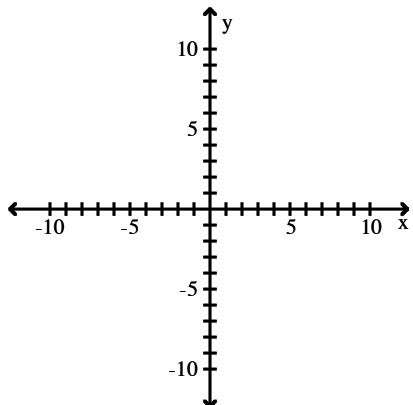
C) $A = \frac{1}{2}, B = -\frac{3}{2}, C = 1$

D) $A = -\frac{1}{2}, B = 1, C = \frac{3}{2}$

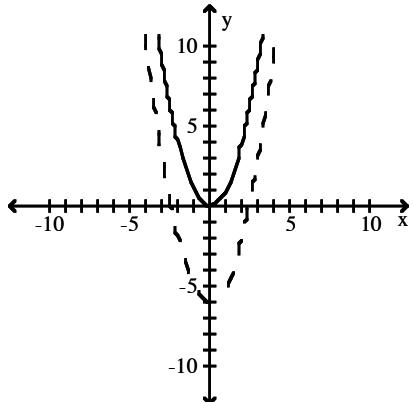
Sketch the graph of y_1 as a solid line or curve. Then sketch the graph of y_2 as a dashed line or curve by one or more of these: a vertical and/or horizontal shift of the graph y_1 , a vertical stretch or shrink of the graph of y_1 , or a reflection of the graph of y_1 across an axis.

47) $y_1 = x^2$; $y_2 = x^2 - 6$

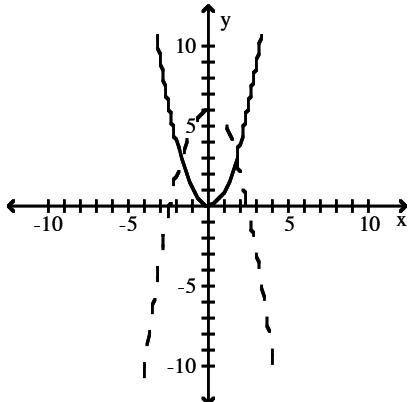
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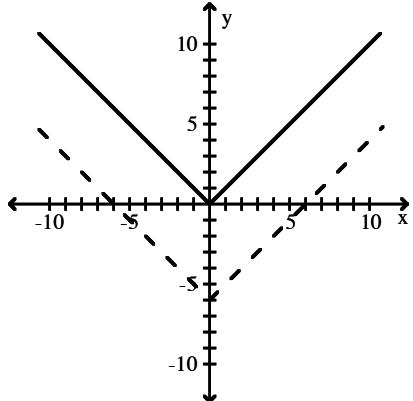
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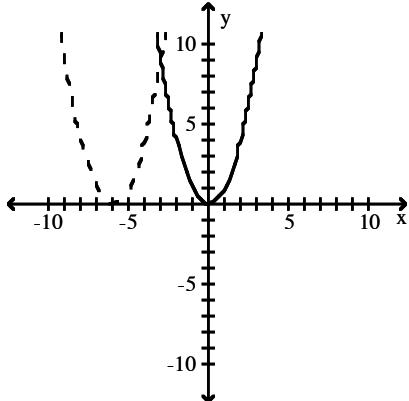
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C)



D)



Describe how the graph of $y=x^2$ can be transformed to the graph of the given equation.

48) $y = (x - 19)^2 + 7$

48) _____

- A) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ up 19 units and then right 7 units.
- B) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ left 19 units and then up 7 units.
- C) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ left 19 units and then down 7 units.
- D) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ right 19 units and then up 7 units.

49) $y = (x + 5)^2$

49) _____

- A) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ right 5 units.
- B) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ down 5 units.
- C) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ up 5 units.
- D) Shift the graph of $y = x^2$ left 5 units.

Fill in the blanks to complete the statement.

50) The graph of $y = -\sqrt{x+5}$ can be obtained from the graph of $y = \sqrt{x}$ by shifting horizontally ? units to the ? and reflecting across the ?-axis. 50) _____

- A) 5; right; x
- B) -5; left; x
- C) 5; left; x
- D) 5; left; y

Answer Key

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- 1) C
- 2) D
- 3) B
- 4) B
- 5) D
- 6) B
- 7) D
- 8) A
- 9) D
- 10) B
- 11) C
- 12) B
- 13) A
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- 18) B
- 19) A
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- 21) D
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