

**Math 10250 Review for Exam 1**

1. (a) Determine the natural domain of  $f(x) = \frac{2-x}{x-1}$ , find also its inverse  $g(x)$ . Ans.  $x \neq 1$ ;  $g(x) = \frac{2-x}{x+1}$

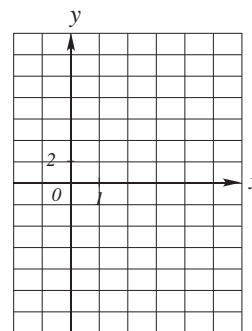
(b) What is the natural domain of  $f(x) = \sqrt{3-2x}$ ? Ans.  $x \leq 3/2$

2. A brand of sunglasses selling for \$50 each has a demand of 1,500 units. However, when the price is **increased** by \$5, its demand is **decreased** by 100 units. Find its demand assuming that is a linear function. Ans.  $q = D(p) = -20p + 2,500$

3. Complete the square for each quadratic and then sketch its graph.

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

(ii)  $f(x) = 2x^2 - 12x + 10$ .



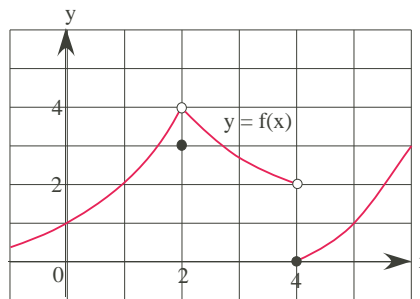
Ans. (i)  $f(x) = -3(x-2)^2 + 12$ ; (ii)  $f(x) = 2(x-3)^2 - 8$

4. When the price  $p$  of a particular computer is \$2,000 then the demand  $x$  is 50,000 units per week. However, when the price drops by \$500 then the demand rises by 25,000 units. On the cost side, the company making these computers has \$40,000,000 fixed cost and \$600 expenses per unit. Assuming that the demand is linear, find the profit function  $P$  in terms of  $x$  and its maximum value.

Ans.  $P = -0.02x^2 + 2,400x - 40,000,000 = -0.02(x - 60,000)^2 + 32,000,000$

5. (a)  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{5(1+h)^2 - 5}{h} = ?$  (b)  $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{1}{2+h} - \frac{1}{2}}{h} = ?$  Ans. (a) 10; (b)  $-\frac{1}{4}$

6. The graph of the function  $f(x)$  is given in the next Figure. Which of the following statements is **NOT** true?



- (a)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x) = 4$   
 (b)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^-} f(x) = 2$  and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 4^+} f(x) = 0$   
 (c)  $f(x)$  has limit at  $x = 4$ .  
 (d)  $f(x)$  is continuous except at the points  $x = 2, 4$ .  
 (e)  $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f(x) = 1$ .

Ans. c

7. If  $x \neq 2$  then  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 8}{x - 2}$ . Define  $f(2)$  so that  $f(x)$  is a continuous function. Ans.  $f(2) = 6$

8. In which of the following intervals you can be sure that the function  $f(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 - 3x^2 - 2x + 3$  takes the value 2? (i.e the equation  $f(x) = 2$  has a solution.)  $[-3, -2], [-2, -1], [-1, 0], [0, 1], [1, 2], [2, 3]$

Ans.  $[-3, -2], [-1, 0], [0, 1], [1, 2]$

9. For each function below, find vertical asymptote(s), horizontal asymptote(s),  $y$ -intercept, its zero(s), and then sketch its graph. Ans. (a) v.a:  $x = \pm 1$ ; h.a:  $y = 1$ ; zeros:  $x = \pm 4$ ,  $y$ -intercept: 16; (b) v.a:  $x = -1$ ; h.a:  $y = 0$ ; zeroes: None,  $y$ -intercept: None

(a)  $f(x) = \frac{x^2 - 16}{x^2 - 1}$

(b)  $f(x) = \frac{x - 4}{x^2 - 3x - 4}$

10. Suppose that you put \$100 in an account paying 2% annual interest, compounded daily. How much will you have at the end of 1 day? 2 days? and 3 days?

Ans.  $100 \left(1 + \frac{0.02}{365}\right)$ ;  $100 \left(1 + \frac{0.02}{365}\right)^2$ ;  $100 \left(1 + \frac{0.02}{365}\right)^3$

11. Suppose that you have an account paying interest, compounded weekly, has balance given by  $B(t) = 8000(1.0004)^{52t}$ . What is its principal and annual interest rate? Ans.  $P = 8000$ ;  $r = 2.08\%$

12. \$4,000 is deposited into an account paying  $q\%$  interest, compounded **annually**. If the account doubles after 10 years, what is  $q$ ? Ans.  $q = 7.18$

13. A population of bacteria on a growing medium is initially 10 million. Three hours later the number of bacteria is numbered at 15 million. Write down a formula for the population  $P(t)$  at time  $t$  in hours if the population is growing exponentially. Ans.  $P(t) = 10(1.145)^t$

14. Match the following functions with the given graphs without using your calculator:

$$f_1(x) = -x^{1/3}$$

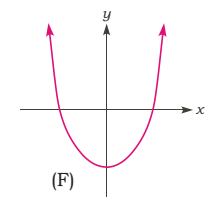
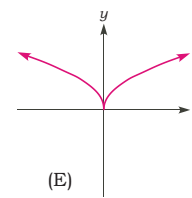
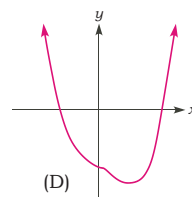
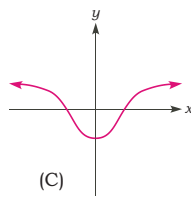
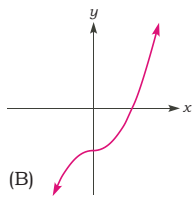
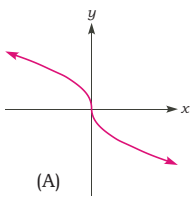
$$f_2(x) = x^{2/3}$$

$$f_3(x) = x^4 - x - 5$$

$$f_4(x) = \frac{5x^4 - 25}{x^2 + 5}$$

$$f_5(x) = \frac{5x^3 - 25}{x^2 + 5}$$

$$f_6(x) = \frac{5x^2 - 25}{x^2 + 5}$$



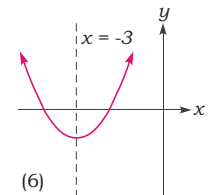
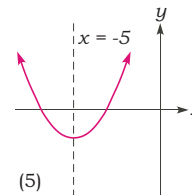
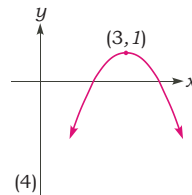
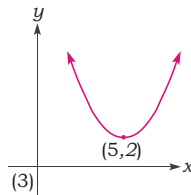
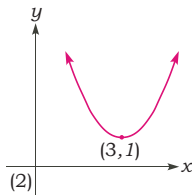
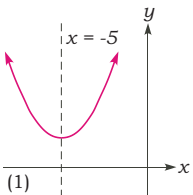
15. Match the graphs to the given quadratic functions. Some graphs are redundant.

$$f_1(x) = (x - 5)^2 + 2$$

$$f_2(x) = a(x - 3)^2 + 1 \quad (a < 0)$$

$$f_3(x) = b(x + 3)^2 - 1 \quad (b > 0)$$

$$f_4(x) = (x + 5)^2 + 2$$



16. A private health club has determined that the number of members depends on the price of a membership, and they are related by an equation of the form  $q = 3000 - 20p$ , where  $q$  is the number of members and  $p$  is the annual price of a membership. The club has a fixed costs of \$20,000 per year plus an average annual cost of \$40 per member.

- (a) Write the club's revenue  $R$  as a function of the price  $p$ .

$$\text{Ans. } R = 3000p - 2p^2$$

- (b) Write the club's profit  $P$  as a function of the price  $p$ .

$$\text{Ans. } P = -20p^2 + 3800p - 140000$$

- (c) What membership price should the club set to maximize its profit?

$$\text{Ans. } \$95$$

- (d) Find the break-even point. Interpret your answer.

$$\text{Ans. } \$50 \text{ and } \$140$$

17. Find the equilibrium price  $p_e$  and equilibrium quantity  $q_e$  for each pair of demand and supply functions. Make a sketch of the graphs marking the coordinates of intersection point.

- (a)  $D(q) = 0.005(q - 100)^2$  and  $S(q) = 0.1q + 2$  for  $0 \leq q \leq 100$

$$\text{Ans. } p_e = 8, q_e = 60$$

- (b)  $D(p) = \frac{8}{p+1}$  and  $S(p) = \frac{1}{3}p + 1$

$$\text{Ans. } p_e = 3, q_e = 2$$