

SHOW WORK WHENEVER APPROPRIATE. NO CREDIT GIVEN OTHERWISE. ANSWER MUST BE CIRCLED.

Evaluate the symbolic representation  $f(x)$  at the given value of  $x$ .

1) a) Evaluate  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$  for  $x = \frac{4}{9}$

$$f\left(\frac{4}{9}\right) = \sqrt{\frac{4}{9}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

b) Find  $f(9) = \sqrt{9} = 3$

c) What is  $x$  when  $f(x) = 8$ ?  
 $f(x) = \sqrt{x} \Rightarrow 8 = \sqrt{x} \Rightarrow \boxed{x = 64}$

d) What numbers can you put in place of  $x$ , and get real number answers?  $x \geq 0$

e) What is the domain of the function?  $x \geq 0$

f) What types of numbers are the answers to the expression  $\sqrt{x}$ ? Circle all that apply  
 Positive real numbers      Negative real numbers      Zero

g) What is the range of the function?  $y \geq 0$

h) Explain why this is a function.

For every input there is only one output  
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Answer the question.

2) Which of the following correctly defines a function?

- A) A function produces exactly one output for each valid input.
- B) A function is a relation for which the range contains only unique values.
- C) A function is a set of points that can be graphed on a cartesian graph.
- D) A function is a relation that transforms input numbers into output numbers.

Simplify the expression. Use positive exponents. Assume the variable is not zero.

$$3) \frac{x^{-8}}{(7x)^{-8}} = \frac{x^{-8}}{(7x)^{-8}} = \frac{(7x)^8}{x^8} = \frac{7^8 x^8}{x^8} = 7^8$$

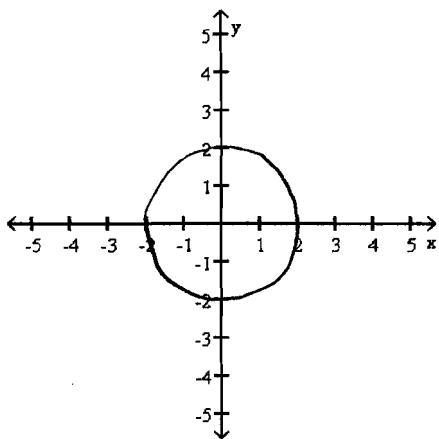
Evaluate the expression using a calculator.

$$4) \frac{1}{12} + \left(\frac{4}{9} \div \frac{1}{3}\right) = (1 \div 12) + ((4 \div 9) \div (1 \div 3)) = \frac{17}{12}$$

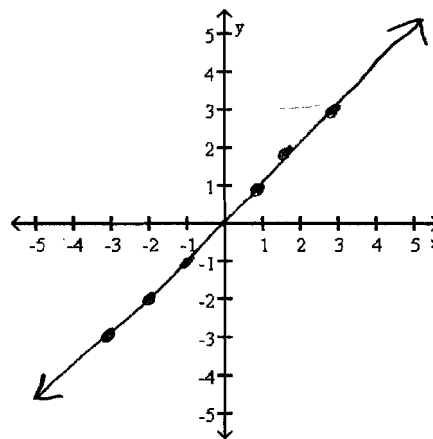
OR 1.416666667

5) Sketch the graph of

a) A relation which is not a function

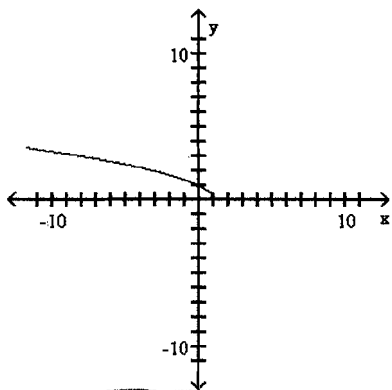


b) A relation which is a function



a) Find the domain and the range of the function  $y = f(x)$  graphed below.

6)



Domain  $x \leq 1$

Range  $y \geq 0$

A)  $D: x \leq 1, R: y \geq 0$

B)  $D: x < 1$  or  $x > 1, R: y < 0$  or  $y > 0$

C)  $D: x < \sqrt{1}, R: y \leq 0$

D)  $D: \text{All real numbers}, R: y \geq 0$

4-b) Explain why this is the graph of a function.

For every input there is only one output

4-c) Use the graph to find  $f(0)$

when  $x=0$   $y$  is 1

$$f(0) = 1$$

4-d) Use the graph to solve  $f(x) = 0$

when  $y=0$   $x$  is 1

4-d) Use the graph to solve  $f(x) = -3$

$y$  is never  $-3$

so, No solution

Solve.

7) If P dollars is deposited in a savings account paying r% annual interest, then the amount A in the account after x years is given by  $A = P(1 + \frac{r}{100})^x$ . Find the amount in the account after 5 years if we deposit \$250, at a rate of 3%.

$$A = 250 \left(1 + \frac{3}{100}\right)^5 = \boxed{\$289.82}$$

Use properties of exponents to simplify. Assume the variables are not zero. Write answers with positive exponents.

$$8) \left(\frac{-3x}{y^4}\right)^{-3} = \left(\frac{y^4}{-3x}\right)^3 = \boxed{\frac{y^{12}}{-27x^3}}$$

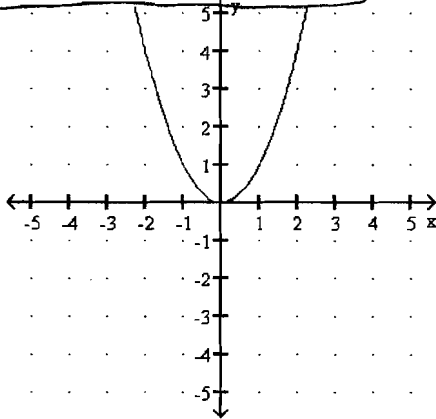
For the given graph, answer the questions.

9) a) Is it a function? **YES**

NO

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b) Find  $f(0)$ .  $= 0$   
when  $x=0$   $y$  is zero



c) Solve  $f(x) = 1$   
when  $x = 1$   
OR  
 $x = -1$   
Yes 1

d) Solve  $f(x) = -1$   
No Solution

e) Give the domain and range of the relation

Domain:  $\mathbb{R}$   
Range  $y \geq 0$

For the given expression:

$$10) f(x) = \frac{x}{x-5}$$

a) Is it a function? **YES**

NO

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b) What is the domain? (What numbers can you put in place of x and get answers for f(x)?)

Domain is All Reals except  $x = 5$

c) Use the calculator to find  $f(2/3)$

$$\frac{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right) - 5} = \boxed{-\frac{2}{13}}$$