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

find  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

(5 Points)

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

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

$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{-3h}{(x+1)(x+h+1)} \div h = \frac{-3h}{(x+1)(x+h+1)} \cdot \frac{1}{h}$$

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

2) A box with an open top is to be constructed from a rectangular piece of cardboard with dimensions 15 inches by 25 inches by cutting out equal squares of side  $x$  at each corner and then folding up the sides. Express the volume  $V$  of the box as a function of  $x$  and state the domain of this function. (5 Points)

$$V = x(15-2x)(25-2x)$$

$$= (15x - 2x^2)(25 - 2x) = 375x - 30x^2 - 50x^2 + 4x^3$$
$$= 4x^3 - 80x^2 + 375x$$

Domain:

$$0 < x < 7.5$$

(100, 2200) (300, 4800)

3) The manager of a furniture factory finds that it costs \$2200 to manufacture 100 chairs in one day, and \$4800 to produce 300 chairs in one day. (2 Points Each)

a) Express the cost as a function of the number of chairs produced, assuming that it is linear.

$$m = \frac{4800 - 2200}{300 - 100} = \frac{2600}{200} = 13$$

$$y - 2200 = 13(x - 100)$$

$$y = 13x - 1300 + 2200$$

$$y = 13x + 900 \quad \text{OR} \quad c(x) = 13x + 900$$

b) What is the slope of the graph and what does it represent?

Slope is 13 and it means that each additional chair costs \$13 to make.

c) What is the y-intercept of the graph and what does it represent?

y-intercept is (0, 900)

The fixed cost is \$900

4) Use the following table to evaluate the expressions. (4 Points)

x	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	3	1	4	2	2	5
g(x)	6	3	2	1	2	3

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } (f \circ g \circ g)(1) &= f(g(g(1))) \\ &= f(g(6)) \\ &= f(3) = 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } (g \circ g \circ f)(1) &= g(g(f(1))) \\ &= g(g(3)) \\ &= g(2) = 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c) } (g \circ f)(3) =$$

$$g(4) = 1$$

$$\text{d) } (f \circ g)(6) =$$

$$= f(3) = 4$$

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1) Given  $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{5}$

Find  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$

(5 Points)

$f(x+h) = \frac{x+h+2}{5}$

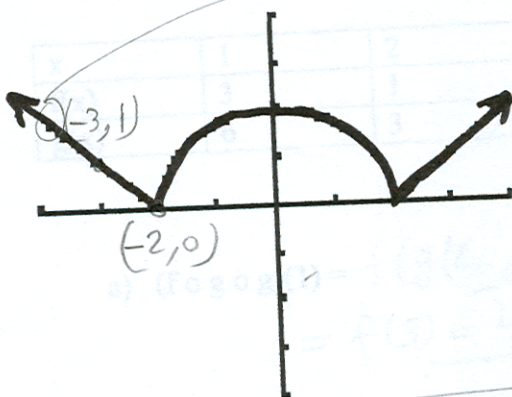
$f(x+h) - f(x) = \frac{x+h+2}{5} - \frac{x+2}{5}$

$= \frac{x+h+2 - x - 2}{5} = \frac{h}{5}$

$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{\frac{h}{5}}{h} = \frac{h}{5} \cdot \frac{1}{h} = \boxed{\frac{1}{5}}$

2) Find a formula that describes the following function:

(5 Points)



$m = \frac{0-1}{-2-(-3)} = \frac{-1}{1} = -1$

$(x-0)^2 + (y-0)^2 = 2^2$

$y^2 = 4 - x^2$

$y = \pm \sqrt{4 - x^2}$

$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x-2 & x \leq -2 \\ \sqrt{4-x^2} & -2 < x \leq 2 \\ x-2 & 2 < x \end{cases}$

$$\begin{matrix} (1000, 9000) \\ (1500, 12000) \end{matrix} \quad m = \frac{12000 - 9000}{1500 - 1000} = \frac{3000}{500} = 6$$

- 3) A small-appliance manufacturer finds that it costs \$9000 to produce 1000 toaster ovens a week and \$12000 to produce 1500 toaster ovens a week. (6 Points)

- a) Express the cost as a function of the number of the toaster ovens produced, assuming that it is linear.

$$y - 9000 = 6(x - 1000)$$

$$y = 6x - 6000 + 9000$$

$$y = 6x + 3000 \quad C(x) = 6x + 3000$$

- b) What is the slope of the graph and what does it represent?

The slope is 6 and it means that each additional toaster costs \$6 to make.

- c) What is the y-intercept of the graph and what does it represent?

The y-intercept is (0, 3000)

This means that the fixed cost is \$3000.

- 4) Use the following table to evaluate the expressions. (4 Points)

x	1	2	3	4	5	6
f(x)	3	1	4	2	2	5
g(x)	6	3	2	1	2	3

a)  $(f \circ g \circ g)(1) = f(g(g(1)))$   
 $= f(g(3)) = 4$

b)  $(g \circ g \circ f)(1) =$   
 $g(g(f(1))) = g(g(3)) = g(2) = 3$

c)  $(g \circ f)(3) =$   
 $g(f(3)) = 1$

d)  $(f \circ g)(6) =$   
 $f(g(6)) = 4$