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PART ONE: MULTIPLE CHOICE (50%)
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1. Which of the following points is on the circle $(x - 3)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 25$

a. (3, -1)

b. (-1, 2)

c. (-2, 0)

d. (-2, 4)

e. (-3, 1)

$$(X-h)^2 + (y-k)^2 = 25$$

2. Which number is closest to the value of $x = \log_3(20)$?

a. 0.15

b. 6.7

c. 59

d. 2.7

e. 7999

$$\log_3(9) = \log_3(3^2) = 2$$

$$\log_3(27) = \log_3(3^3) = 3$$

3. Which line represents the inverse function of $y = 3x - 7$?

a. $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 7$

b. $y = -3x + 7$

c. $y = \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{7}$

d. $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$

e. $y = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$

$$3x = y + 7$$

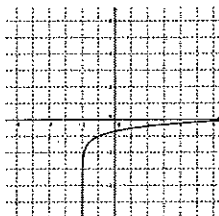
$$x = \frac{y+7}{3} = \frac{1}{3}y + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$$

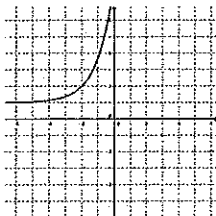
$$f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$$

4. Which graph represents $y = \log(x + 2) - 1$

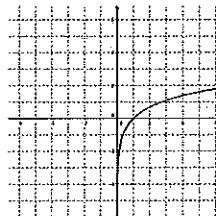
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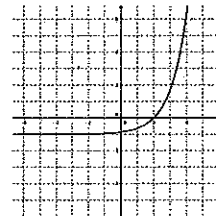
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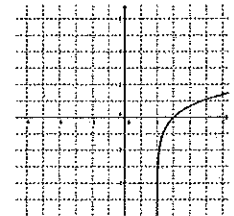
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c.



d.



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5. If $3x + 5 = 7$, which of the following is true

- a. $9x^2 + 25 = 49$
- b. $3 \ln(x) = \ln(2)$
- c. $1000^x = 100$
- d. $18x + 5 = 42$
- e. None of the above

$$3x = 2$$

$$x = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$(1000)^{\frac{2}{3}} = (10^3)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

$$= 10^{3 \cdot \frac{2}{3}} = 10^2 = 100$$

6. Which of the following is equal to $\sqrt{2(9+36)}$

- a. $3\sqrt{10}$
- b. $9\sqrt{2}$
- c. $\sqrt{18} + \sqrt{72}$
- d. 45
- e. $6\sqrt{5}$

$$\sqrt{2(45)}$$

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5}$$

$$3\sqrt{10}$$

7. Which is the domain of the following function, $f(x) = \frac{\ln(9-x)}{9+x}$

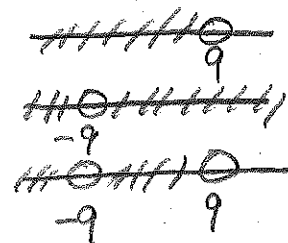
- a. $(-\infty, \infty)$
- b. $(-\infty, -9) \cup [9, \infty)$
- c. $(-\infty, -9) \cup (-9, 9) \cup (9, \infty)$
- d. $(-\infty, -9] \cup [9, \infty)$
- e. $(-\infty, -9) \cup (-9, 9)$

$$9 - x > 0$$

$$9 > x$$

$$9 + x \neq 0$$

$$x \neq -9$$



8. Which of the following is a line through the point $(-7, 2)$ and parallel to $-7x + 3y = 61$?

- a. $y = \frac{3}{7}x - \frac{2}{7}$
- b. $y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{61}{3}$
- c. $y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{55}{3}$
- d. $y = -\frac{7}{3}x - \frac{55}{3}$
- e. None of the above

$$3y = 7x + 61$$

$$y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{61}{3}$$

$$m = \frac{7}{3}$$

$$y - 2 = \frac{7}{3}(x - (-7))$$

$$y - 2 = \frac{7}{3}(x + 7)$$

$$y - 2 = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{49}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{49}{3} + 2$$

$$y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{49}{3} + \frac{6}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{7}{3}x + \frac{55}{3}$$

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9. Solve the equation $(5x - 5)^{1/3} + 10 = 13$

- a. $\frac{5}{32}$
 b. $\frac{32}{5}$
 c. $\frac{27}{5}$
 d. $-\frac{27}{5}$
 e. none of the above

$$(5x - 5)^{\frac{1}{3}} = 3 \quad 5x = 32$$

$$\left((5x - 5)^{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^3 = 3^3 \quad x = \frac{32}{5}$$

$$5x - 5 = 27$$

10. Solve the equation, $3^{(6-3x)} = \frac{1}{27}$

- a. 3
 b. -3
 c. 9
 d. 1/9
 e. 0

$$3^{(6-3x)} = \frac{1}{3^3}$$

$$3^{(6-3x)} = 3^{-3}$$

$$\log_3(3^{(6-3x)}) = \log_3(3^{-3})$$

$$6 - 3x = -3$$

$$9 = 3x$$

$$x = 3$$

11. Given the following equation, $10^{0.9542} = 9$, which equation below is true?

- a. $9 = \log(0.9542)$
 b. $0.9542 = \log_9(10)$
 c. $10 = \log_9(0.9542)$
 d. $0.9542 = \log(9)$
 e. None of the above

$$\log_{10}(9) = 0.9542$$

12. Find the value of $\log_{12}(6) + \log_{12}(24)$

- a. $\frac{5}{2}$
 b. 2
 c. $\frac{1}{2}$
 d. $\frac{1}{3}$
 e. 3

$$\log_{12}(6 \cdot 24)$$

$$\log_{12}(144)$$

$$\log_{12}(12^2)$$

$$2$$

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13. Write the following expression in condensed form

a. $-12 \ln \left(\frac{(x-4)^4}{(x+4)} \right)$

$$-3[4 \ln(x-4) - \ln(x+4)]$$

$$-3 \left[\ln(x-4)^4 - \ln(x+4) \right]$$

b. $\ln \left(\frac{(x+4)^3}{(x-4)^{12}} \right)$

$$-3 \left[\ln \left(\frac{(x-4)^4}{x+4} \right) \right]$$

c. $\ln \left(\frac{(x+4)^4}{(x-4)^3} \right)$

$$\ln \left[\left(\frac{(x-4)^4}{x+4} \right)^{-3} \right]$$

d. $\ln \left(\sqrt[3]{\frac{(x+4)^4}{(x-4)^4}} \right)$

$$\ln \left[\left(\frac{x+4}{(x-4)^4} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}} \right]$$

e. $\ln \left(\frac{3}{(x-4)^4(x+4)} \right)$

14. What is the y-intercept of the following piecewise function?

$$y = f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 1, & x < 1 \\ -(x+3), & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

a. (0, -3)

b. (-3, 0)

c. (0, 1)

d. (-1, 0)

e. There is no y-intercept

$$f(0) = 0^2 + 1 = 1$$

$$(0, 1)$$

15. Find the angle below that is co-terminal with $\theta = -\frac{61\pi}{6}$ (i.e. points in the same direction)

a. $\frac{\pi}{6}$

b. $\frac{49\pi}{6}$

c. $\frac{5\pi}{6}$

d. $-\frac{\pi}{6}$

e. None of the above

$$-\frac{61}{6}\pi + 2\pi = -\frac{61}{6}\pi + \frac{12}{6}\pi = -\frac{49}{6}\pi$$

$$-\frac{49}{6}\pi + 2\pi = -\frac{49}{6}\pi + \frac{12}{6}\pi = -\frac{37}{6}\pi$$

$$-\frac{37}{6}\pi + 2\pi = -\frac{37}{6}\pi + \frac{12}{6}\pi = -\frac{25}{6}\pi$$

$$\text{and so on } -\frac{13}{6}\pi, -\frac{1}{6}\pi$$

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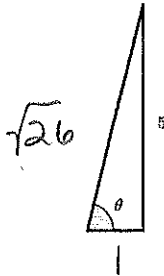
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16. If the side opposite angle, θ , has a length of 5, and $\tan(\theta) = 5$, use the definitions of sine and tangent to evaluate $\sin(\tan^{-1}(5))$.

a. $\frac{5}{26}$
 b. $\frac{5\sqrt{26}}{26}$
 c. $\frac{\sqrt{26}}{5}$
 d. $\frac{\sqrt{26}}{26}$
 e. $\frac{25}{26}$

$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{adj}}$
 $\text{adj} = \frac{\text{opp}}{\tan(\theta)} = \frac{5}{5} = 1$
 $1^2 + 5^2 = c^2$
 $c = \sqrt{1+25} = \sqrt{26}$



$\sin(\theta) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{26}} = \frac{5\sqrt{26}}{\sqrt{26}\sqrt{26}} = \frac{5\sqrt{26}}{26}$

17. Given two functions, $f(x) = \frac{3}{x+1}$ and $g(x) = \frac{x}{x+1}$, which function represents $h(x) = f(g(x))$

a. $h(x) = \frac{3}{x}$
 b. $h(x) = \frac{3x}{(x+1)^2}$
 c. $h(x) = \frac{3+x}{x+1}$
 d. $h(x) = \frac{3}{x+4}$
 e. $h(x) = \frac{3x+3}{2x+1}$

$\frac{3}{g+1} = \frac{3}{\frac{x}{x+1} + 1} = \frac{3}{\frac{x + x+1}{x+1}} = \frac{3}{\frac{2x+1}{x+1}} = \frac{3}{1} \cdot \frac{x+1}{2x+1} = \frac{3x+3}{2x+1}$

18. Evaluate the exponential function, $f(x) = 4 - 3^{-x}$, at $x = 2$.

a. $37/9$
 b. $1/3$
 c. $10/3$
 d. $35/9$
 e. 13

$f(2) = 4 - 3^{-2} = 4 - \frac{1}{3^2} = 4 - \frac{1}{9}$
 $= \frac{36}{9} - \frac{1}{9} = \frac{35}{9}$

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19. Find the inverse of the one-to-one function $f(x) = (x + 3)^3$.

- a. $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-3}$
- b. $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} + 3$
- c. $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} - 3$
- d. $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} - 27$
- e. $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x-27}$

$$y = (x+3)^3$$

$$\sqrt[3]{y} = x+3$$

$$x = \sqrt[3]{y} - 3$$

$$y = \sqrt[3]{x} - 3$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} - 3$$

20. Which of the following is the simplification of $(4+i)(3-i)(1+i-i^2)$

- a. $27 + 11i$
- b. $9 + i$
- c. $24 + i$
- d. $24 - i^3$
- e. $9 + 3i$

$$(12 - 4i + 3i - i^2)(1 + i - (-1))$$

$$(12 - i - (-1))(1 + i + 1)$$

$$(12 - i + 1)(2 + i)$$

$$(13 - i)(2 + i)$$

$$26 + 13i - 2i - i^2$$

$$26 + 11i - (-1)$$

$$26 + 11i + 1$$

$$27 + 11i$$

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PART II: SHORT ANSWER (10%)

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21. Write the equation, in slope intercept form, for the line through points (2,1) and (4,5)

$$m = \frac{5-1}{4-2} = \frac{4}{2} = 2 \quad y-1 = 2(x-2) \quad y = 2x-3$$

$$y-1 = 2x-4$$

22. Convert from radians to degrees: $\frac{5\pi}{3} \cdot \frac{360^\circ}{2\pi} = \frac{5 \cdot 180^\circ}{3} = 300^\circ$

23. Add $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{2}{7}$ $\frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{7}{7}\right) + \frac{2}{7} \left(\frac{4}{4}\right) = \frac{7}{4 \cdot 7} + \frac{8}{4 \cdot 7} = \frac{15}{4 \cdot 7} = \frac{15}{28}$

24. Simplify: $a^6 b^7 b^{-4} / a^3$ $\frac{a^6 b^7 b^{-4}}{a^3} = a^{6-3} b^{7-4} = a^3 b^3$

25. Factor: $x^2 + 9x + 20$ $(x+4)(x+5)$

26. Divide and simplify: $\frac{4}{5} \div \frac{8}{3}$ $\frac{4}{5} \cdot \frac{3}{8} = \frac{3}{10}$

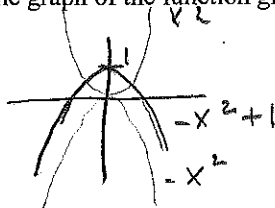
27. Find exactly: $\tan(30^\circ) = \frac{\sin(30^\circ)}{\cos(30^\circ)} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{1}{2}\pi\right)}{\cos\left(\frac{1}{2}\pi\right)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}$

28. Solve for x where: $8x = 2x + 24$ $6x = 24$
 $x = 4$

29. Find the distance between the points given by (-2,4) and (3,3)

$$\sqrt{(-3 - (-2))^2 + (3 - 4)^2} = \sqrt{(3+2)^2 + (3-4)^2} = \sqrt{5^2 + (-1)^2} = \sqrt{26}$$

30. Sketch the graph of the function given by $f(x) = -x^2 + 1$. Include axes with tick marks.



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31. Combine the logs below and use the rules for expanding or collapsing logs to solve for x

$$\log_2(x) + \log_2(x+7) - \log_2(x^2) = 3$$

$$\log_2 \left(\frac{x(x+7)}{x^2} \right) = 3$$

$$\log_2 \left(\frac{x^2+7x}{x^2} \right) = 3$$

$$7x = 0$$

$$x = 0$$

$$x-1 = 0$$

$$x = 1$$

but $\log_2(0)$ is undefined

$$x = 1 \text{ only}$$

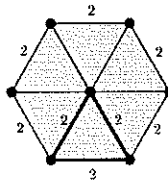
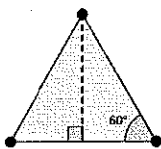
$$x^2 \cdot \left(\frac{x^2+7x}{x^2} \right) = (8) \cdot x^2$$

$$x^2 + 7x = 8x^2$$

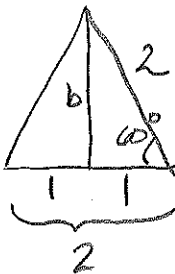
$$7x^2 - 7x = 0$$

$$7x(x-1) = 0$$

32. A regular hexagon can be constructed from six equilateral triangles. The area of a triangle is $A = \frac{1}{2}bh$



If each side has a length of 2, calculate the area of the hexagon.



$$1^2 + b^2 = 2^2$$

$$1 + b^2 = 4$$

$$b^2 = 3$$

$$b = \sqrt{3}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2} (2)(\sqrt{3}) = \sqrt{3}$$

$$6A = 6\sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{OR } \sin(60^\circ) = \frac{\text{opp}}{\text{hyp}}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{1}{3}\pi\right) = \frac{b}{2}$$

$$b = 2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{3}\pi\right)$$

$$b = 2 \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = \sqrt{3}$$

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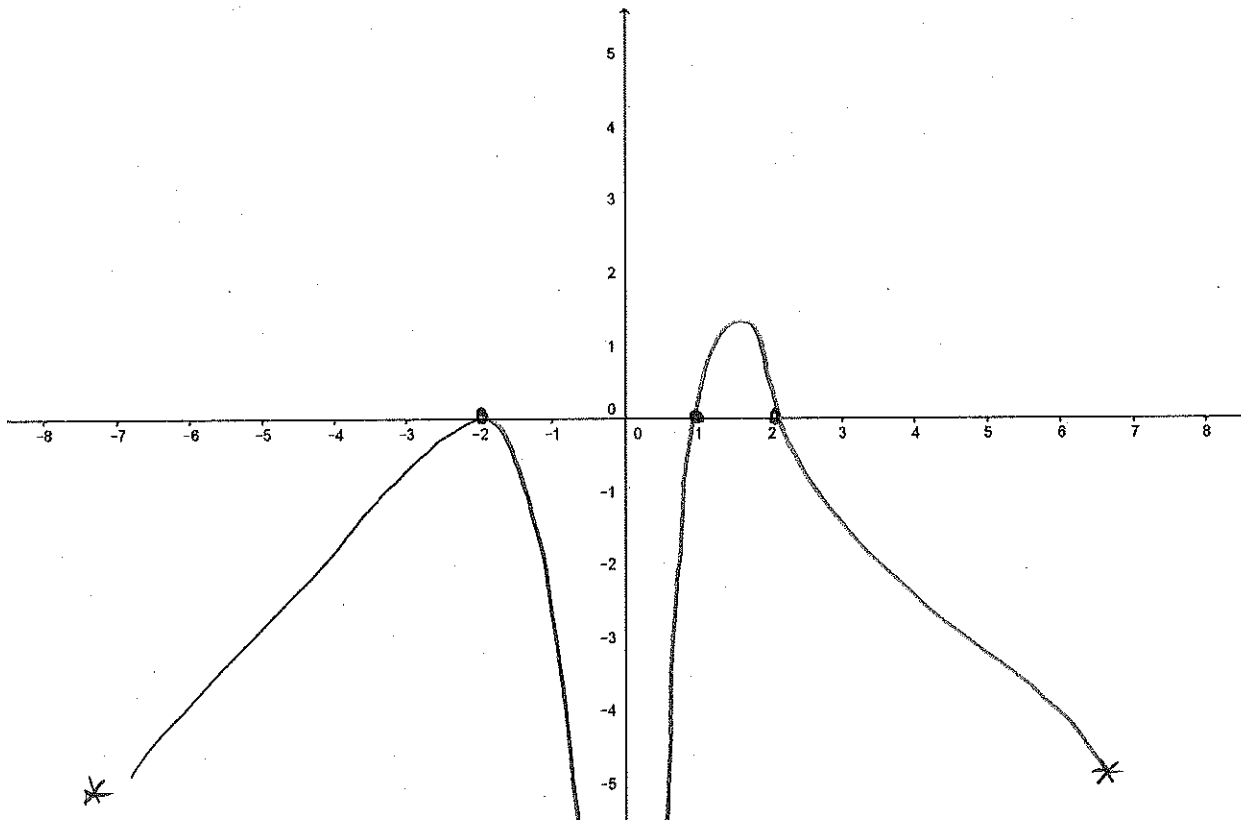
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33. Sketch a graph of the function, $y = -(x - 1)^3(x + 2)(x^2 - 4)$.

Points will be given for correct general shape, end behavior, and correct axis intercepts.

(Use of "test points" is not required, correct scale is not required)



$$3 + 1 + 2 = 6$$

- x^{even}



$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= -(0-1)^3(0+2)(0^2-4) \\ &= -(-1)^3(2)(-4) \\ &= -(-1)(2)(-4) \\ &= -8 \end{aligned}$$

$$x-1=0$$

$$x=1$$

multiplicity 1
through

$$x+2=0$$

$$x=-2$$

$$x^2-4 = (x+2)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x=-2 \quad x=2$$

multiplicity 2
bounce

multiplicity 1
through

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34. Given the function $f(x) = \frac{x^2+5x+6}{x^2-4}$

a. Simplify the fraction by factoring

$$\frac{(x+3)\cancel{(x+2)}}{(x-2)\cancel{(x+2)}} = \frac{x+3}{x-2}$$

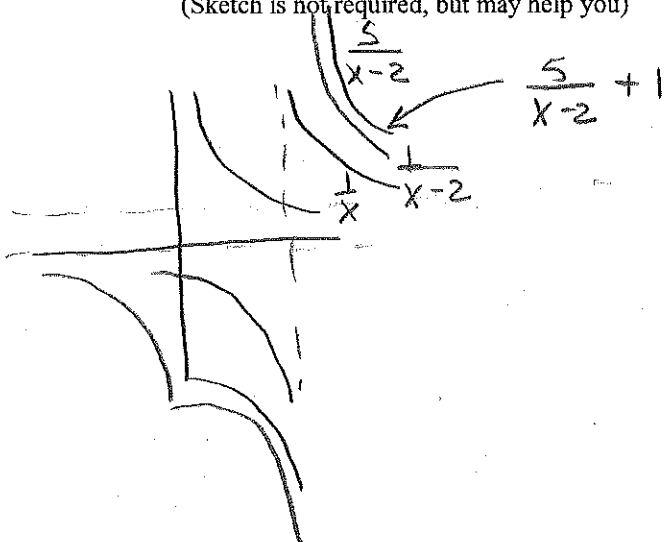
b. Simplify the fraction by long division.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ x^2-4 \overline{) x^2+5x+6} \\ \underline{-x^2 \quad +4} \\ 5x+10 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 1 + \frac{5x+10}{x^2-4} \\ &= 1 + \frac{5(x+2)}{(x-2)(x+2)} \\ &= 1 + \frac{5}{x-2} \end{aligned}$$

c. Does this graph have asymptotes, holes, both, or neither? If asymptotes or holes exist, list them below.

(Sketch is not required, but may help you)



horizontal $y=1$

vertical $x=2$

hole at $x = -2 \Rightarrow (-2, -\frac{1}{4})$

$$\frac{-2+3}{-2-2} = \frac{1}{-4}$$

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35. Given the following parabola,

$$y = f(x) = x^2 - 4x + 5$$

- a. Does this function intercept the x -axis? If so, give coordinates of any intercepts. If not, write "NO X-INTERCEPT"

$$\begin{aligned} \text{discriminant} &= b^2 - 4ac = (-4)^2 - 4(1)(5) \\ &= 16 - 20 = -4 \quad \text{no real roots} \\ &\qquad\qquad\qquad \text{no real } x \text{ intercepts} \end{aligned}$$

- b. Does this function intercept the y -axis? If so, give coordinates of any intercepts. If not, write "NO Y-INTERCEPT"

$$\begin{aligned} f(0) &= 0^2 - 4(0) + 5 = 0 - 0 + 5 = 5 \\ &\quad (0, 5) \end{aligned}$$

- c. Find the vertex of the parabola. (Hint: complete the square)

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x^2 - 4x) + 5 & (h, k) &= (2, 1) \\ (-2)^2 + f(x) &= (x^2 - 4x + (-2)^2) + 5 \\ 4 + f(x) &= (x - 2)^2 + 5 \\ f(x) &= (x - 2)^2 + 1 \end{aligned}$$

36. The two lines below intersect at the point $(1, 3)$. Since that point is on both lines, solve for a and b

$$ax + by = 3$$

$$ax - by = 8$$

$$x = 1 \quad y = 3$$

$$a(1) + b(3) = 3$$

$$a + 3b = 3$$

$$a(1) - b(3) = 8$$

$$a - 3b = 8$$

$$a + 3b = 3$$

$$+ \quad a - 3b = 8$$

$$\hline 2a = 11$$

$$a = \frac{11}{2}$$

$$3b = 3 - a$$

$$b = \frac{3 - a}{3} = 1 - \frac{1}{3}a$$

$$= 1 - \frac{1}{3}\left(\frac{11}{2}\right) = \frac{6}{6} - \frac{11}{6} = -\frac{5}{6}$$

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37. Given the function $y = f(x) = \cos(2x) + 3$

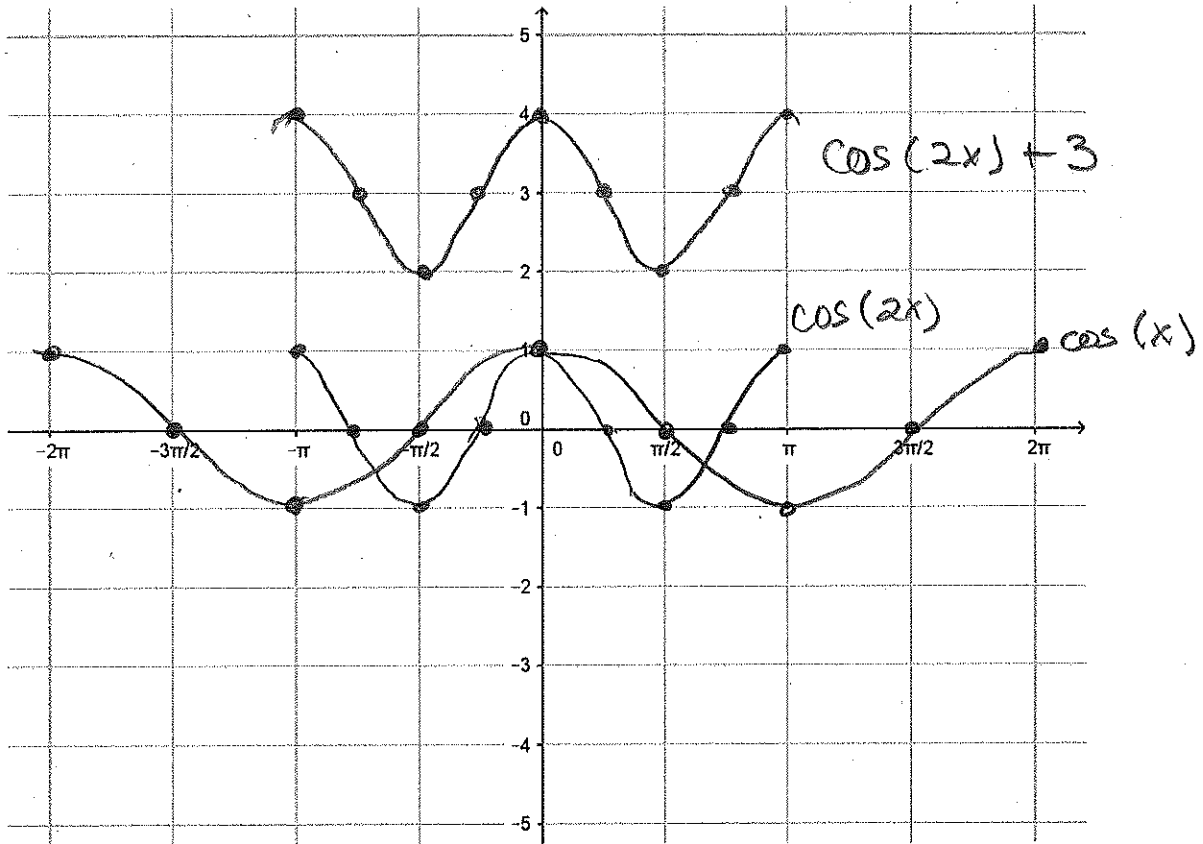
a. What are the domain and range of $f(x)$

domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$ range: $(2, 4)$

b. What is the period of $f(x)$?

$$\frac{1}{2} (2\pi) = \pi$$

c. Sketch at least TWO periods of the graph of $f(x)$



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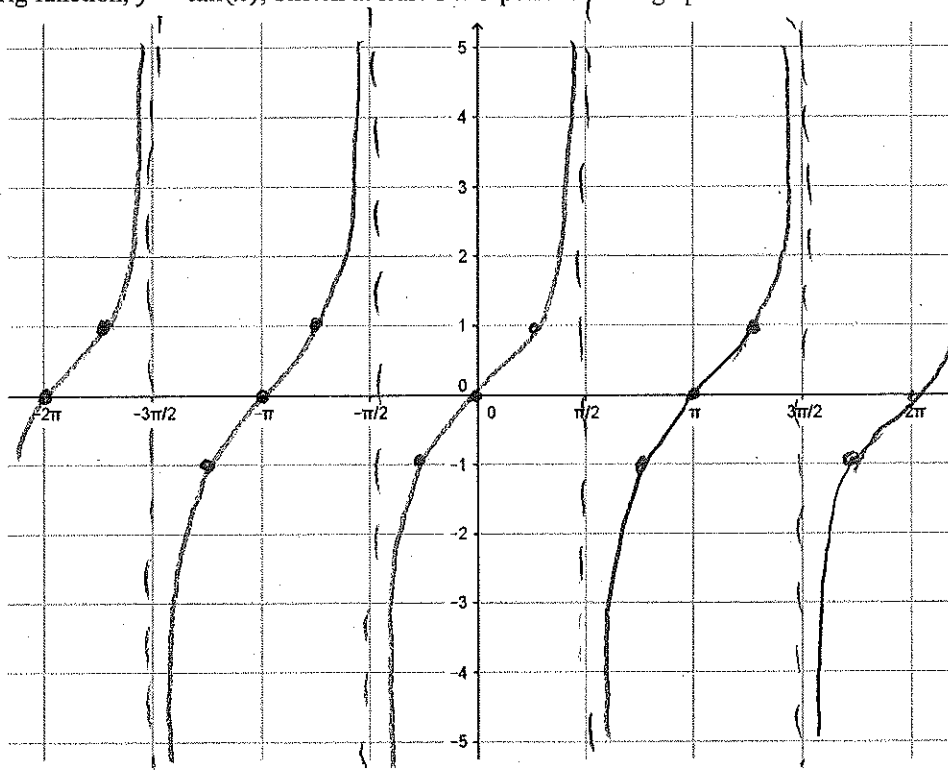
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38. For the trig function, $y = \tan(x)$, Sketch at least TWO periods of the graph of the function



39. Simplify or evaluate the following

a. $\tan^{-1}(1)$ $\tan(\theta) = 1$ $\frac{\sin(\theta)}{\cos(\theta)} = 1$ $\sin(\theta) = \cos(\theta)$
 $\tan^{-1}(1) = \frac{1}{4}\pi$

b. $\log_{361}(1) = 0$

c. $\sin^{-1}(1) = \frac{1}{2}\pi$

d. $(3.5)^{-1} = \frac{1}{3.5} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{5}{10}} = \frac{1}{\frac{30}{10} + \frac{5}{10}} = \frac{1}{\frac{35}{10}} = \frac{1}{\frac{35}{10}} = \frac{1}{1} \cdot \frac{10}{35} = \frac{10}{35} = \frac{2}{7}$

e. $1^{5/7} = 1$

f. $\sqrt{-54} = \sqrt{-1 \cdot 54} = \sqrt{-1} \sqrt{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3} = i \cdot 3\sqrt{6} = 3\sqrt{6}i$