

## 1.2

y-intercepts: where the graph crosses the y-axis and  $x = 0$       **Function:** when each domain value is paired with one range value (no repeating x's)

x-intercepts: where the graph crosses the x-axis and  $y = 0$       • graphically: passes the vertical line test

### Domain & Range (card)

**Domain:** x-values - input  
read x's from left to rt. (smallest to largest)

\*some functions have domain restrictions - can't divide by zero  
to find: set the den. = 0 and solve for x. These are the restrictions.

can't have a neg. # in a sq. root  
to find: set the radicand  $\geq 0$  and solve for x.

**Range:** y-values - output  
read y's from bottom to top (smallest to largest)

**Domain Restrictions:**

1. Exclude any value that makes the denominator = 0
2. Exclude values that lead to the  $\sqrt{\quad}$  of a negative number
3. Taking the Log of a negative number

## Asymptotes:

**vertical (VA):** caused by dividing by 0  
 the graph approaches  $-\infty$  *OR*  $\infty$   
 on each side of the asymptote  
 to find the asymptote set  $\text{den} = 0$  and solve

**end behavior:**(horizontal (HA) or oblique (OA)):

to find the asymptote - compare the degrees of the  
 num and den. if **top heavy (OA):**

**bottom heavy (HA):**  $y = 0$

**equal (HA):** divide coefficients

**oblique:** (more later)

## Increasing, Decreasing and Constant

- as you move from left to right the y-values increase
- as you move from left to right the y-values decrease
- as you move from left to right the y-values do not change

this behavior is reported using interval notation for the x-values where the graph has a certain behavior

### Extrema

#### maximums

- relative (local)
- absolute (upper bound)

#### minimums

- relative (local)
- absolute (lower bound)

## Odd/Even/Neither Symmetry (card title)

Odd  $f(-x) = -f(x)$

symmetry with respect to the origin

Even  $f(-x) = f(x)$

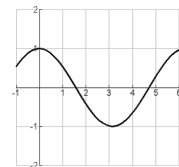
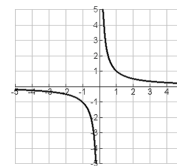
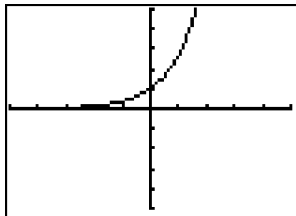
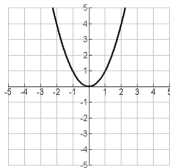
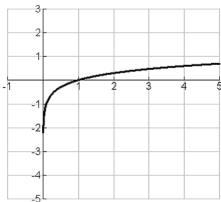
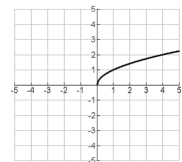
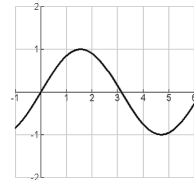
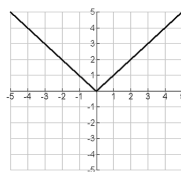
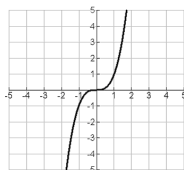
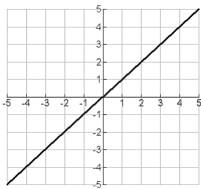
symmetry with respect to the y-axis

Neither

# 1.3

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad f(x) = x \quad f(x) = x^3 \quad f(x) = \ln x \quad f(x) = |x|$$

$$f(x) = e^x \quad f(x) = \sin x \quad f(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad f(x) = \cos x \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$



## Piecewise Functions

certain pieces of the function have specific behavior

frequently: intervals (parts) of the domain are associated with different functions (related to continuity)

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 1 & \text{if } x \leq 0 \\ x & \text{if } x > 0 \end{cases}$$

## 1.4

## Composition of Functions - defined

$$(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x))$$

## Finding the domain of a composition

$$f(x) = x^2 - 1$$

$$g(x) = \sqrt{x}$$

$$(g \circ f)(x)$$

$$(f \circ g)(x)$$

1. What is the domain of the first function?
2. Find the domain restrictions of the new function
3. Put them together



## 1.5

### Finding an Inverse Algebraically (card)

Steps:

1. replace  $f(x)$  or relation name w/  $y$  if not in that form
2. switch the  $x$  &  $y$  in the eq. (just  $x$  &  $y$  not signs, coefficients, or exponents)
3. Solve for  $y$ .
4. replace  $y$  with relation name  $f^{-1}$  or  $g^{-1}$

Domain changes  $y = \pm \Theta f(\pm \#(x \pm \Delta)) \pm \blacksquare$   
 Range changes

$\pm$  if (-) reflection over x-axis (range  $\Delta$ )

$\Theta$  vertical expansion or compression (range  $\Delta$ )

$\Theta > 1$  expansion

$\Theta < 1$  compression

$\pm$  if (-) reflection over y-axis (domain  $\Delta$ )

$\#$  horizontal expansion or compression (domain  $\Delta$ )

$0 < \# < 1$  expansion

$\# > 1$  compression

$\Delta$  translation left or right (domain  $\Delta$ )

(+) left (-) right

$\blacksquare$  translation up or down (range  $\Delta$ )

(+) up (-) down

x's lie

