

Math-3
Lesson 7-4

Review

Compositions of Functions

$$f(x) = 2x + 3 \quad \text{and}$$

$$g(x) = x^2$$

$$f(g(x)) = ?$$

1. The input value to $f(x)$ is $g(x)$.

$$f(..) = 2(..) + 3$$

2. Replace the 'x' in $f(x)$ with a set of parentheses.

$$f(x^2) = 2(x^2) + 3$$

3. Put the input value ($g(x)$) into the parentheses.

$$f(g(x)) = 2x^2 + 3$$

4. Find the output value.

Composition of Functions

$$f(x) = 2x + 1 \quad g(x) = 3x + 2$$

$$f(g(x)) = ? = 2(\quad) + 1 = 2(3x + 2) + 1$$

$$f(f(x)) = ? = 2(\quad) + 1 = 2(2x + 1) + 1$$

$$f(g(4)) = ?$$

Relation: A “mapping” or pairing of input values to output values.

Function: A relation where each input has exactly one output.

There are at least 6 ways to show a relation between input and output values.

Data table:

x	2	3	-4
y	4	2	3

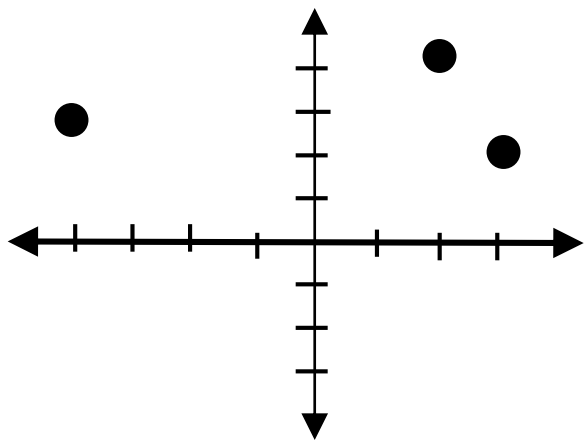
Ordered Pairs:

(2, 4), (3, 2), (-4, 3)

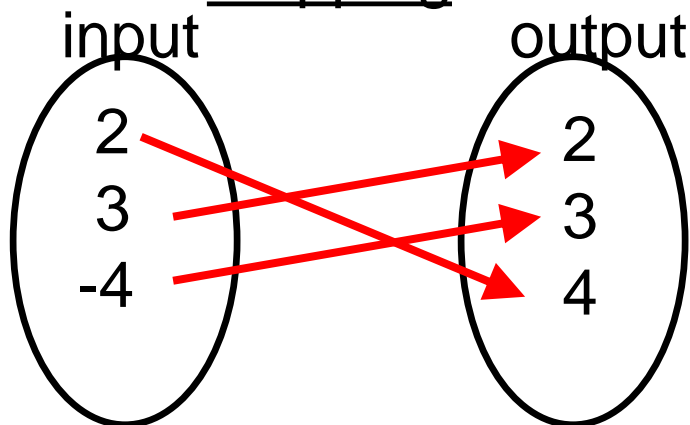
Equation: $y = 2x + 1$

Function notation: $f(2) = 4$

Graph:



Mapping



What is an "Inverse Function"?

It depends upon which form of the function you're talking about.

Ordered Pairs: $f(x) = (2, 4), (3, 2), (-4, 3)$

$$f^{-1}(x) = (4, 2), (2, 3), (3, -4)$$

Graph: $f(x)$ are the starred points.

$f^{-1}(x)$ reflection of all points
in $f(x)$ across the line $y = x$

Equation: $f(x) = x - 5$

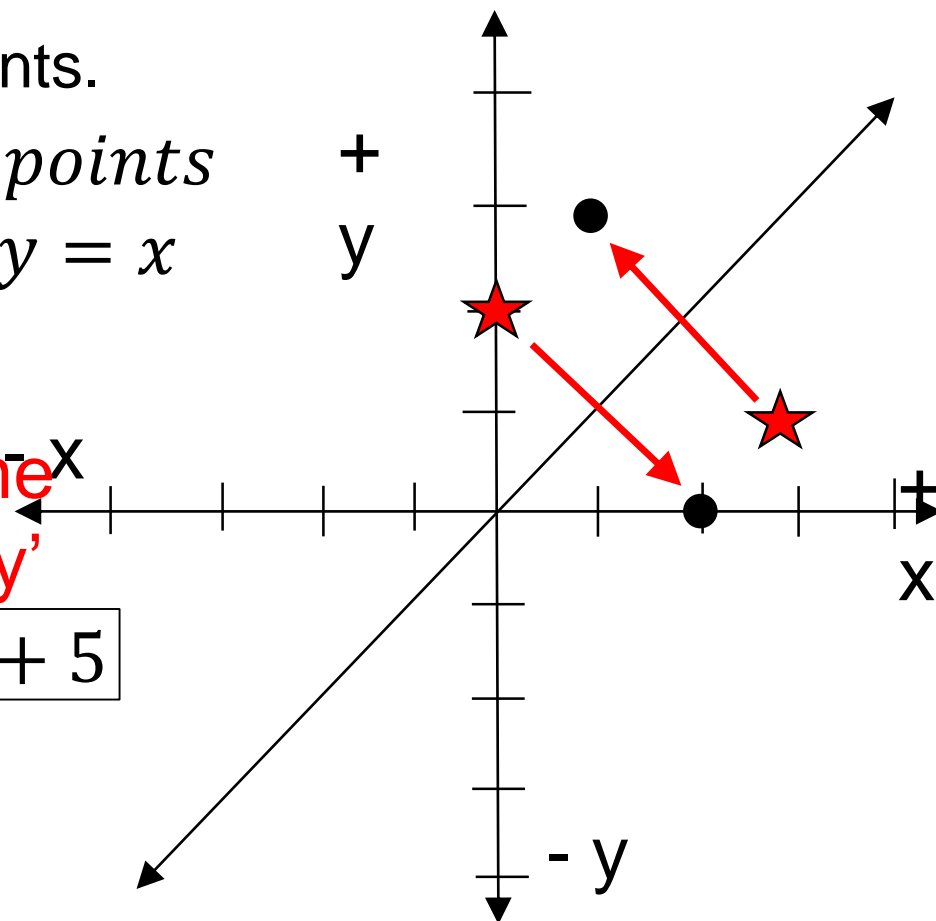
Exchange 'x' and 'y' in the
equation then solve for 'y'

$$y = x - 5$$

$$x = y - 5$$

$$x + 5 = y$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = x + 5$$



$$f(x) = (x+1)^{2/3} \quad f^{-1}(x) = ?$$

$$x = (y+1)^{2/3}$$

$$x^{3/2} = \left((y+1)^{2/3} \right)^{3/2}$$

$$x^{3/2} = y+1$$

$$y = x^{3/2} - 1$$

Find the Inverse

1. $y = x^4 - 3$

2. $y = (x - 5)^{2/3}$

3. $y = (x + 2)^5 - 3$

4. $f(x) = 1 + \sqrt{5x}$

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

$$f^{-1}(x) = ?$$

$$x = \frac{2}{y-3} + 4$$

$$y-3 = \frac{2}{(x-4)}$$

$$x-4 = \frac{2}{y-3}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{(x-4)} + 3$$

$$(y-3)(x-4) = 2$$

$$f(x) = \frac{3x}{x+1} + 6$$

$$f^{-1}(x) = ?$$

$$x = \frac{3y}{y+1} + 6$$

$$xy - 6y + x - 6 = 3y$$

$$x - 6 = \frac{3y}{y+1}$$

$$xy - 6y - 3y = -x + 6$$

$$xy - 9y = -x + 6$$

$$y(x - 9) = -x + 6$$

$$(y + 1)(x - 6) = 3y$$

$$y = \frac{-x + 6}{(x - 9)}$$

multiply this out!

Convert to logarithm form

$$\text{Log}_{\square} \square = \square$$

$$5^x = 25$$

$$4^x = 64$$

$$b^x = y$$

$$9^x = 81$$

$$10^x = 1000$$

Convert to exponential form

$$\square^{\square} = \square$$

$$\log_{10} 100 = x$$

$$\log_3 27 = x$$

$$\log_9 1 = x$$

$$\log_4 x = 2$$

$$\log_2 x = 5$$

Solving an Exponential Equation: The easiest problem

$$2^x = 2^{4-x} \quad \text{Exponents have to be equal to each other!}$$

$$x = 4 - x$$

$$+x \quad +x$$

$$2x = 4$$

$$\div 2 \quad \div 2$$

$$7^{2x+1} = 7^{13-4x}$$

$$2x + 1 = 13 - 4x$$

$$+4x \quad +4x$$

$$6x + 1 = 13$$

$$-1 \quad -1$$

$$6x = 12$$

$$x = 2$$

Check your answer!

$$2^2 = 2^{4-2}$$

$$x = 2$$

Solving using “convert to same base”

$$2^{4x-1} = 8^{x-1} \quad \text{“convert to same base”}$$

$$2^{4x-1} = (2^3)^{x-1} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Exponent of a power} \\ \text{Exponent Property} \end{array}$$

$$2^{4x-1} = 2^{3x-3}$$

$$\boxed{x = -2}$$

$$4x - 1 = 3x - 3$$

$-3x$ $-3x$

Check your answer!

$$2^{4(-2)-1} = 8^{-2-1}$$

$$x - 1 = -3$$

$$+1 \quad +1$$

$$2^{-9} = 8^{-3}$$

$$(2^{-9} = 8^{-3})^{-1}$$

$$2^9 = 8^3$$

$$512 = 512$$

Solving using “convert to same base”

$$9^{2x} = 27^{x-1}$$

“convert to same base”

$$(3^2)^{2x} = (3^3)^{x-1}$$

Power of a power
Exponent Property

$$3^{2*2x} = 3^{3(x-1)}$$

Check your answer!

$$3^{4x} = 3^{3x-3}$$

$$9^{2(-3)} = 27^{-3-1}$$

$$9^{-6} = 27^{-4}$$

$$(9^{-6} = 27^{-4})^{-1}$$

$$4x = 3x - 3$$

$$9^6 = 27^4$$

$$x = -3$$

$$531441 = 531441$$

Solving using “log of a power” property

$$5^{2x} = 27^{x-1} \quad \text{Take log base (your choices of base) of both side}$$

$$\log_5 5^{2x} = \log_5 27^{x-1} \quad \text{“log of power property”}$$

$$2x \log_5 5 = (x - 1) \log_5 27$$

$$2x \log_5 5 = (x - 1) (2.0478) \quad \text{Distributive property}$$

$$2x = 2.0478x - 2.0478 \quad \text{solve}$$

$$+2.0478 \quad +2.0478$$

$$2x + 2.0478 = 2.0478x$$

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

$$2.0478 = 0.0478x$$

$$\div 0.0478 \quad \div 0.0478$$

$$x = 42.84$$

Solve for 'x' (how do you get the exponent 'x' all by itself?)

$$8^x - 2 = 5 \quad \text{"Isolate the exponential"}$$
$$\quad \quad \quad +2 \quad +2$$

$$8^x = 7 \quad \text{"convert to a log"}$$

$$x = \log_8 7$$

$$x = 0.9358$$

Solve using “undo the exponential”

$$3^{2x-1} + 5 = 7 \quad \text{“Isolate the exponential”}$$

$$3^{2x-1} = 2 \quad \text{“Undo the exponential”}$$

$$2x - 1 = \log_3 2$$

$$2x - 1 = 0.63093$$

$$2x = 1.63093$$

$$\div 2 \quad \div 2$$

$$x = 0.815$$

Check for extraneous solutions:

$$x = 10, -5$$

$$\log 2x + \log(x - 5) = 2$$

$$\log(2 * 10) + \log(10 - 5) = 2$$

$$\log(20) + \log(5) = 2 \quad \text{All logarands are positive 😊}$$

$$\log 100 = 2 \quad \text{“Condense the product”} \quad 10^2 = 100$$

Checks

$$\log(2)(-5) + \log(-5 - 5) = 2$$

$$\log(-10) + \log(-10) = 2 \quad \text{Negative logarands 😞}$$

$x = 5$ is an extraneous solution.

More complicated Logarithmic Equations

$$2 + \log_2 5^{x-2} = 7 \quad \text{"Isolate the logarithm"}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -2 \\ \log_2 5^{x-2} = 5 \end{array} \quad \text{"undo the logarithm"}$$

$$(x - 2) \log_2 5 = 5 \quad \text{"push buttons"}$$

$$(x - 2)(2.3219) = 5 \quad \text{Divide 2.3219 left/right}$$
$$\div 2.3219 \quad \div 2.3219$$

$$x - 2 = 2.15338 \quad \text{Add '2' to both sides.}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} +2 \\ +2 \end{array}$$

$$x = 4.1524$$

$$\log_4(5x - 1) = 3$$

Convert to exponential

$$5x - 1 = 4^3$$

solve

$$5x - 1 = 64$$

Add '1' to both sides

$$5x = 65$$

Divide both sides by '5'

$$x = 13$$

Plug back in to check!

$$\log_4(5 * 13 - 1) = 3$$

$$\log_4 64 = 3$$

Checks

$$\frac{x}{3} - \frac{x+1}{6}$$

Combine Ugly fractions with subtraction

$$\frac{2}{2} * \frac{x}{3} - \frac{(x+1)}{6}$$

Obtain common denominator

$$\rightarrow \frac{2x}{6} - \frac{(x+1)}{6}$$

Combine into one fraction

$$\rightarrow \frac{2x - (x+1)}{6}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{2x - x - 1}{6}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{x - 1}{6}$$

Solve Rational equations.

$$\frac{4}{x} + \frac{3x}{2} = -5 \quad \text{Obtain a common denominator}$$

$$\frac{2}{2} * \frac{-4}{x} + \frac{3x}{2} * \frac{x}{x} = -5 * \frac{2x}{2x}$$

$$\frac{-8}{2x} + \frac{3x^2}{2x} = \frac{-10x}{2x} \quad \text{"undo" division by } 2x$$

$$2x * \left(\frac{-8}{2x} + \frac{3x^2}{2x} \right) = \left(\frac{-10x}{2x} \right) * 2x$$

$$3x^2 - 8 = -10x \quad \text{"non-standard" form}$$

Solve Rational equations. $\frac{4}{x} + \frac{3x}{2} = 5$

$3x^2 - 8 = -10x$ Re-write in standard form

$3x^2 + 10x - 8 = 0$ Factor to solve

$-8 \cdot 3 = -24$ $-24 = \frac{-2}{10} * \frac{12}{1}$
 $10 = \frac{-2}{1} + \frac{12}{1}$

$3x^2 - 2x + 10x - 8 = 0$ Split $10x$ into $-2x + 10x$

	x	4
3x	$3x^2$	$12x$
-2	$-2x$	-8

Box factoring to solve

$(3x - 2)(x + 4) = 0$

$x = 2/3$ or $x = -4$

Find the zeroes of the following 3rd degree Polynomial

$$y = x^3 + 5x^2 + 4x$$

Set $y =$
 0

$$0 = x^3 + 5x^2 + 4x$$

Factor out the common
factor.

$$0 = x(x^2 + 5x + 4)$$

Factor the quadratic

$$0 = x(x + 1)(x + 4)$$

Identify the zeroes

0, -1, -4