

Week 1

- 1.1.1** If $f(x) = x + \sqrt{2-x}$ and $g(u) = u + \sqrt{2-u}$, is it true that $f = g$?
- 1.1.13** You put some ice cubes in a glass, fill the glass with cold water, and then let the glass sit on a table. Describe how the temperature of the water changes as time passes. Then sketch a rough graph of the temperature of the water as a function of the elapsed time.
- 1.1.21.** A homeowner mows the lawn every Wednesday afternoon. Sketch a rough graph of the height of the grass as a function of time over the course of a four-week period.
- 1.1.25.** If $f(x) = 3x^2 - x + 2$, find $f(2)$, $f(-2)$, $f(a)$, $f(-a)$, $f(a+1)$, $2f(a)$, $f(2a)$, $f(a^2)$, $[f(a)]^2$, and $f(a+h)$.
- 1.1.27.** Evaluate the difference quotient $\frac{f(3+h)-f(3)}{h}$ for the function $f(x) = 4 + 3x - x^2$. Simplify your answer.
- 1.1.29.** Evaluate the difference quotient $\frac{f(x)-f(a)}{x-a}$ for the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$. Simplify your answer.
- 1.1.31.** Find the domain of $f(x) = \frac{x+4}{x^2-9}$.
- 1.1.33.** Find the domain of $f(t) = \sqrt[3]{2t-1}$.
- 1.1.35.** Find the domain of $h(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt[4]{x^2-5x}}$.
- 1.1.37.** Find the domain of $F(p) = \sqrt{2-\sqrt{p}}$.
- 1.1.39.** Find the domain and sketch the graph of $f(x) = 2 - 0.4x$.
- 1.1.47.** Find the domain and sketch the graph of $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+2 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ 1-x & \text{if } x \geq 0 \end{cases}$.
- 1.1.49.** Find the domain and sketch the graph of $f(x) = \begin{cases} x+2 & \text{if } x \leq -1 \\ x^2 & \text{if } x > -1 \end{cases}$.
- 1.1.57.** A rectangle has perimeter 20. Express the area of the rectangle as a function of the length of one of its sides.
- 1.1.61.** An open rectangular box with volume of 2 cubic meters has a square base. Express the surface area of the box as a function of the length of a side of the base.
- 1.1.63.** A box with an open top is to be constructed from a rectangular piece of cardboard with dimensions 12 in. by 20 in. 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 .
- 1.1.65.** In a certain state the maximum speed permitted on freeways is 65 mph and the minimum speed is 40 mph. The fine for violating these limits is \$15 for every mile per hour above or below the limits. Express the amount of the fine as a function $F(x)$ of the driving speed.
- 1.2.5.**
1. Find an equation for the family of linear functions with slope 2 and sketch several members of the family.
 2. Find an equation for the family of linear functions such that $f(2) = 1$ and sketch several members of the family.
 3. Which function belongs to both families?

- 1.2.7.** What do all members of the family of linear functions $f(x) = c - x$ have in common? Sketch several members of the family.
- 1.2.9.** Find an expression for a cubic function f if $f(1) = 6$ and $(f(-1) = f(0) = f(2) = 0$.
- 1.2.13.** The relationship between the Fahrenheit and Celsius temperature scales is given by the linear function $F = \frac{9}{5}C + 32$. What is the slope of this function, and what does it represent? What is the F -intercept of this function and what does it represent?
- 1.2.17.** At the surface of the ocean, the water pressure is 15 pounds per square inch; below the surface, the water pressure increases by 4.34 pounds per square inch for every 10 feet of descent. Express the water pressure as a function of depth, and determine at which depth the pressure reaches 100 pounds per square inch.
- 1.3.1.** For a given function f , write equations for the functions whose graphs are the following transformations of f 's graph:
- shift three units upwards.
 - shift three units downwards.
 - shift three units to the right.
 - shift three units to the left.
 - reflect about the x -axis.
 - reflect about the y -axis.
 - stretch vertically by a factor of 3.
- 1.3.9.** Graph the function $y = \frac{1}{x+2}$ by hand, not by plotting points, but by transforming a standard function's graph.
- 1.3.13.** Graph the function $y = \sqrt{x-2} - 1$ by hand, not by plotting points, but by transforming a standard function's graph.
- 1.3.21.** Graph the function $y = |x - 2|$ by hand, not by plotting points, but by transforming a standard function's graph.
- 1.3.23.** Graph the function $y = |\sqrt{x} - 1|$ by hand, not by plotting points, but by transforming a standard function's graph.
- 1.3.31.** For $f(x) = x^2 - 1$ and $g(x) = 2x + 1$, find $f \circ g$, $g \circ f$, $f \circ f$, and $g \circ g$, and identify their domains.
- 1.3.35.** For $f(x) = x + \frac{1}{x}$ and $g(x) = \frac{x+1}{x+2}$, find $f \circ g$, $g \circ f$, $f \circ f$, and $g \circ g$, and identify their domains.
- 1.3.41.** Express $F(x) = (2x + x^2)^4$ in the form $f \circ g$.
- 1.3.43.** Express $F(x) = \frac{\sqrt[3]{x}}{1 + \sqrt[3]{x}}$ in the form $f \circ g$.
- 1.3.45.** Express $v(t) = \sec(t^2) \tan(t^2)$ in the form $f \circ g$.
- 1.3.53.** A stone is dropped into a lake, creating a circular ripple that travels outward at a speed of 60 cm/s.
1. Express the radius r of this circle as a function of the time t in seconds.
 2. If A is the area of this circle as a function of the radius, find $A \circ r$ and interpret it.
- 1.3.55.** A ship is moving at a speed of 30 km/h parallel to a straight shoreline. The ship is 6km from shore and passes a lighthouse at noon.

1. Express the distance s between the lighthouse and the ship as a function of d , the distance the ship has traveled since noon; that is, find a function f such that $s = f(d)$.
2. Express d above as a function of the time t elapsed since noon; that is, find a function g such that $d = g(t)$.
3. Find $f \circ g$. What does this function represent?

1.5.1. Calculate $\frac{4^{-3}}{2^{-8}}$, and simplify $\frac{1}{\sqrt[3]{x^4}}$.

1.5.3. Calculate $8^{4/3}$, and simplify $x(3x^2)^3$.

1.5.11. Make a rough sketch of the curve $y = 10^{x+2}$.

1.5.13. Make a rough sketch of the curve $y = -2^{-x}$.

1.5.15. Make a rough sketch of the curve $y = 1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-x}$.

1.5.19. Find the domain of the function $f(x) = \frac{1-e^{x^2}}{1-e^{1-x^2}}$.

1.5.21. Find an exponential function whose graph passes through $(1, 6)$ and $(3, 24)$.

1.5.23. If $f(x) = 5^x$, show that

$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = 5^x \left(\frac{5^h - 1}{h} \right)$$

1.5.29. Under ideal conditions a certain bacteria population doubles in size every 3 hours. Suppose there are initially 100 bacteria. Find the size of the population after 15 hours, and give a formula for the population after t hours.

1.6.1. What is a one-to-one function? How can you tell from the graph of a function whether it is one-to-one?

1.6.9. Is the function $f(x) = x^2 - 2x$ one-to-one?

1.6.9. Is the function $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ one-to-one?

1.6.15. Assume f is a one-to-one function. If $f(6) = 17$, then what is $f^{-1}(17)$? If $f^{-1}(3) = 2$, what is $f(2)$?

1.6.17. If $g(x) = 3 + x + e^x$, find $g^{-1}(4)$.

1.6.21. Find a formula for the inverse of $f(x) = 1 + \sqrt{2 + 3x}$.

1.6.23. Find a formula for the inverse of $f(x) = e^{2x-1}$.

1.6.25. Find a formula for the inverse of $y = \ln(x + 3)$.

1.6.35. Find the exact values of $\log_5 125$ and $\log_3 \frac{1}{27}$.

1.6.37. Find the exact values of $\log_2 6 - \log_2 15 + \log_2 20$ and $\log_3 100 - \log_3 18 - \log_3 50$.

1.6.39. Write $\ln 5 + 5 \ln 3$ as a single logarithm.

1.6.41. Write $\frac{1}{3} \ln(x+2)^3 + \frac{1}{2} [\ln x - \ln(x^2 + 3x + 2)^2]$ as a single logarithm.

1.6.51. Solve $e^{7-4x} = 6$ for x .

1.6.53. Solve $2^{x-5} = 3$ for x .

1.6.57. Find the domain of $f(x) = \ln(e^x - 3)$, and find its inverse.

- 1.6.61.** Find the inverse of the function developed in exercise 1.5.29., and explain its meaning. Then, determine when the bacteria population reaches 50,000.
- 1.6.63.** Find the exact values of $\sin^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ and $\cos^{-1}(-1)$.
- 1.6.65.** Find the exact values of $\arctan 1$ and $\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$.
- 1.6.67.** Find the exact values of $\tan(\arctan 10)$ and $\sin^{-1}(\sin(\frac{7\pi}{3}))$.
- 1.6.69.** Prove that $\cos(\sin^{-1} x) = \sqrt{1 - x^2}$.
- 1.6.71.** Simplify the expression $\sin(\tan^{-1} x)$.