

Algebra 1

Ch 8 Notes: Quadratics in Vertex Form

2020

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Day	Date	Assignment (Due the next class meeting)
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Friday	3/13/20 (A)	Test Corrections, Test Redos
Monday	3/30/20 (B)	EOC Review, TBD

- Be prepared for daily quizzes.
- **Every student is expected to do every assignment for the entire unit.**
- Students with 100% HW completion at the end of the semester will be rewarded with a 2% grade increase. Students with no late or missing HW will get a free pizza lunch.

HW reminders:

- If you cannot solve a problem, get help **before** the assignment is due.
- Extra Help? Visit www.mathguy.us or www.khanacademy.com.

Do you need a worksheet or a copy of the teacher notes?Go to www.washoeschools.net/DRHSmath

8.1: Simplifying and Multiplying Radicals**Lesson Objectives**

1. Simplify square roots and cube roots with numbers and variable.
2. Multiply two radical expressions.
3. Recognize powers of $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$ to be square and cube roots, respectively.

WARM UP Complete table without a calculator.	n	n^2 (Perfect Squares)	n	n^2 (Perfect Squares)	n	n^2 (Perfect Squares)
	1	1	6	36	11	121
	2	4	7	49	12	144
	3	9	8	64	13	169
	4	16	9	81	14	196
	5	25	10	100	15	225
	n	n^3 (Perfect Cubes)	n	n^3 (Perfect Cubes)		
	1	1	4	64		
	2	8	5	125		
	3	27	6	216		

Example 1: Simplify each expression.

$$1. \sqrt{49} = \sqrt{7 \cdot 7} = 7$$

$$2. \sqrt{64} = \sqrt{8 \cdot 8} = 8$$

$$3. \sqrt{81} = \sqrt{9 \cdot 9} = 9$$

$$4. \sqrt[3]{64} = 4$$

$$5. \sqrt[3]{8} = 2$$

$$6. 3\sqrt{16} = 3 \cdot 4 = 12$$

$$7. -7\sqrt{25} = -7 \cdot 5 = -35$$

$$8. 5\sqrt{36} = 5 \cdot 6 = 30$$

9. A square television set has an area of 144 square inches. Find the length of one side.



$$\begin{aligned} l \cdot l &= 144 \\ l^2 &= 144 \\ l &= \sqrt{144} = 12 \end{aligned}$$

Simplest Form of a Radical Expression: A radical expression is in simplest form if:

- a) no perfect squares are factors of the value inside the radical
- b) no radicals are in the denominator of a fraction.

Simplifying Radicals

$$\sqrt{36 \cdot 10}$$

Examples 10 – 16: Simplify each of the following radical expressions.

10. $\sqrt{12} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3}$

$$\boxed{2\sqrt{3}}$$

11. $\sqrt{360}$

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

$$2 \cdot 3 \sqrt{10}$$

$$\boxed{6\sqrt{10}}$$

12. $-5\sqrt{24} = -5\sqrt{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3}$

$$= -5 \cdot 2\sqrt{6}$$

$$= \boxed{-10\sqrt{6}}$$

You try #13 – 15!

13. $\sqrt{90} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}$

$$\boxed{3\sqrt{10}}$$

14. $\sqrt{600}$

$$\sqrt{100 \cdot 6}$$

$$\boxed{10\sqrt{6}}$$

15. $4\sqrt{8}$

$$4\sqrt{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}$$

$$4 \cdot 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$\boxed{8\sqrt{2}}$$

Simplifying Radicals with Variables:

Examples 16 – 21: Simplify each radical expression. Assume all variables are positive.

16) $\sqrt{x^5} = \sqrt{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x}$

$$\sqrt{x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x \cdot x} = x^2 \sqrt{x}$$

You try #19 – 21!

19) $\sqrt[3]{a^9 b^{14}}$

$$\sqrt[3]{a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a} = a^3 b^4 \sqrt[3]{b^2}$$

Simplifying **Cube Roots**

17) $\sqrt{40x^{11}y^4}$

$$2x^5 y^2 \sqrt{10x}$$

$$6xy^2 \sqrt{2xy}$$

18) $-3\sqrt{50b^7}$

$$-3\sqrt{2 \cdot 25 \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b} = -3 \cdot 5b^3 \sqrt{2b} = -15b^3 \sqrt{2b}$$

21) $\sqrt{36x^4 y^{10}}$

$$= 6x^2 y^5$$

Examples 22 – 25: Simplify each expression.

22) $\sqrt[3]{54}$

$$\sqrt[3]{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3} = 3\sqrt[3]{2}$$

You try #24 – 25: 24) $\sqrt[3]{80}$

$$= \sqrt[3]{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 10} = 2\sqrt[3]{10}$$

23) $-10\sqrt[3]{40}$

$$-10 \sqrt[3]{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5} = -10 \cdot 2 \sqrt[3]{5} = -20\sqrt[3]{5}$$

25) $15\sqrt[3]{270}$

$$15 \sqrt[3]{5 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 2} = 15 \cdot 3 \sqrt[3]{10} = 45\sqrt[3]{10}$$

Challenge: 26) Simplify the expression: $-10a^2b \cdot \sqrt[3]{24a^3b^6}$ Assume all variables are positive.

$$-10a^2b \cdot 2ab^2 \sqrt[3]{3} = -20a^3b^3 \sqrt[3]{3}$$

Special Powers:

$x^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{x}$

$x^{\frac{1}{3}} = \sqrt[3]{x}$

For Examples 27 – 29, simplify each expression.

27) $98^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt[2]{98}$

28) $45^{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{45}$

29) $250^{\frac{1}{3}} = \sqrt[3]{250}$

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

$$\begin{array}{r} 250 \\ 2 \overline{) 250} \\ \underline{20} \\ 50 \\ 5 \overline{) 50} \\ \underline{45} \\ 5 \end{array}$$

Multiplying Radicals

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

For Examples 30 – 35: Simplify each expression.

30) $\sqrt{3(2\sqrt{3})}$

$$2 \cdot \sqrt{3 \cdot 3}$$
$$2 \cdot 3 = \boxed{6}$$

31) $\sqrt{8 \cdot 20} = \sqrt{160}$

$$\sqrt{2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5}$$
$$2 \cdot 2 \sqrt{2 \cdot 5}$$
$$\boxed{4\sqrt{10}}$$

32) $-2\sqrt{10} \cdot 5\sqrt{14}$

$$-10\sqrt{2 \cdot 5 \cdot 2 \cdot 7}$$
$$-10 \cdot 2\sqrt{35}$$
$$\boxed{-20\sqrt{35}}$$

You try! 33) $\sqrt{35 \cdot 21}$

$$= \sqrt{5 \cdot 7 \cdot 7 \cdot 3}$$
$$= 7\sqrt{15}$$

34) $\sqrt{7(3\sqrt{21})}$

$$= \sqrt{7 \cdot 3 \sqrt{3 \cdot 7}}$$
$$= \sqrt{7 \cdot 57 \cdot 3 \cdot 3}$$
$$= 7 \cdot 3 \cdot \sqrt{3}$$
$$\boxed{= 21\sqrt{3}}$$

35) $3\sqrt{6} \cdot 4\sqrt{2}$

$$= 3 \cdot 4 \cdot \sqrt{6 \cdot 2}$$
$$= 12 \cdot \sqrt{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 2}$$
$$= 12 \cdot 2 \cdot \sqrt{3}$$
$$\boxed{= 24\sqrt{3}}$$

Challenge! 36) Simplify: $-3x\sqrt{15x^2y^5} \cdot 2x^2y\sqrt{45xy^3}$ Assume all variables are positive.

$$-3x \cdot x^2y^2\sqrt{3 \cdot 5 \cdot y} \cdot 2x^2y \cdot y\sqrt{3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot x \cdot y}$$
$$= -3x^2y^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot y \cdot 2x^2y^2 \cdot \sqrt{3x} = \boxed{-18x^4y^5\sqrt{3x}}$$

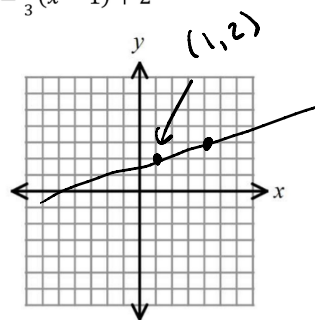
8.2 Notes: Graphing Quadratics in Vertex Form

Lesson Objectives

1. Create a table of values for the parent function $y = x^2$
2. Graph quadratic functions in vertex form: $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$
3. Identify the vertex, domain, range and transformations of quadratic functions.

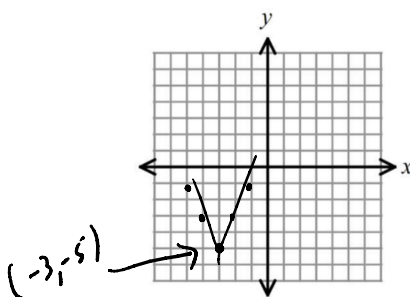
Warm-Up: Graph each function. Identify the (h,k) point that you know is on the graph.

1) $y = \frac{1}{3}(x - 1) + 2$



LINEAR FUNCTION

2) $f(x) = 2|x + 3| - 5$



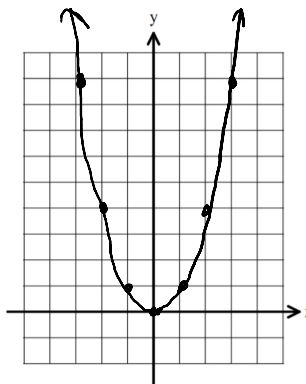
ABSOLUTE VALUE FUNCTION

Quadratic Functions:The Parent Function of the Quadratic: $y = x^2$

$$4^0 \quad 2^0$$

$$-1^2$$

x	$y = x^2$
-3	9
-2	4
-1	$(-1)^2 = 1$
0	$0^2 = 0 \cdot 0 = 0$
1	1
2	4
3	9

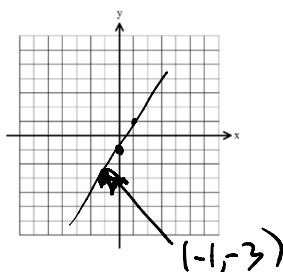
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$$y = |x|$$

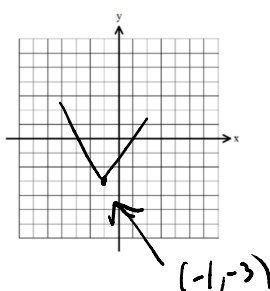
-2	2
-1	1
0	0
1	1
2	2

Exploration: Graph the following functions:

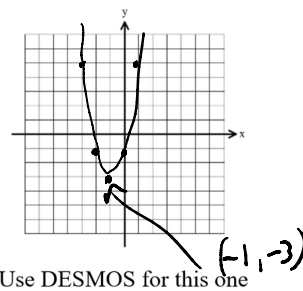
$y = 2(x + 1) - 3$



$y = 2|x + 1| - 3$



$y = 2(x + 1)^2 - 3$



Use DESMOS for this one

How are they the same?

How are they different?

Graphing Vertex Form of a quadratic function: $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$ h will cause the parent function to right/left k will cause the parent function to up down $|a| > 1$ will stretch the graph, $|a| < 1$ will shrink the graph

left/right

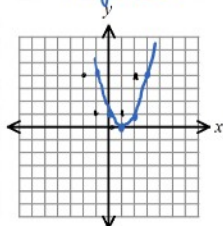
up down

$$2^x$$

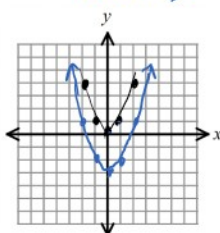
$$2^{x-4} + 8$$

Example 1: Sketch each quadratic function. Include the vertex.

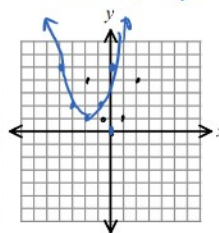
$y = x^2$
 a) $y = (x - 1)^2$
 Vertex: $(1, 0)$ *highest/lowest*
 Transformation from $y = x^2$: *right 1*



b) $f(x) = x^2 - 3$
 Vertex: $(0, -3)$
 Transformation from $y = x^2$: *down 3*



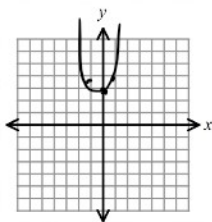
c) $g(x) = (x + 2)^2 + 1$
 Vertex: $(-2, 1)$
 Transformation from $y = x^2$: *left 2, up 1*



Domain: All reals
 Range: $y \geq 1$

2) Sketch the graph of the quadratic function and find the requested information: $y = x^2 + 3$.

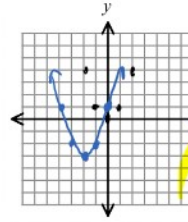
Vertex: $(0, 3)$
 Domain: \mathbb{R}
 Range: $y \geq 3$
 Transformation from $y = x^2$: *up 3*



Does the function have a max or min?

3) **You try!** Sketch the graph of the quadratic function and find the requested information: $y = (x + 2)^2 - 3$

Vertex: $(-2, -3)$
 Domain: all reals
 Range: $y \geq -3$
 Transformation from $y = x^2$: *left 2, down 3*

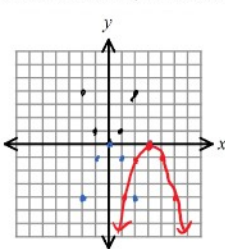


Does the function have a max or min?
minimum (lowest value)

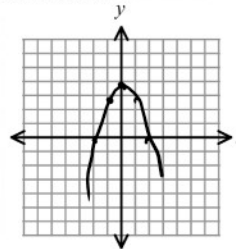
Reflections in the x-axis:**NOTE: Be sure to reflect at the proper time using PEMDAS**

flip in x-axis
Examples #4 - 5: For the quadratic function, sketch the graph, and then find the requested information.

4) $y = -(x - 3)^2$
 Vertex: $(3, 0)$ *max!*
 opens up or down? *down*
 Domain: all real #
 Range: $y \leq 0$
 Transformations from $y = x^2$: *flip in x-axis, right 3*



You try! 5) $y = -x^2 + 4$
 Vertex: $(0, 4)$
 Opens up or down? *down*
 Domain: \mathbb{R}
 Range: $y \leq 4$
 Transformations from $y = x^2$: *up 4*



Vertical Stretch/Compress for a Quadratic Function:

$(2x)^2 = 4x^2$
 $\neq 2(x^2 - 3^2) - 5$
 $\neq (2x - 6)^2 - 5$

Examples 6 – 8: For each quadratic function, sketch the graph, and then find the requested information.

6) $y = 2(x - 3)^2 - 5$

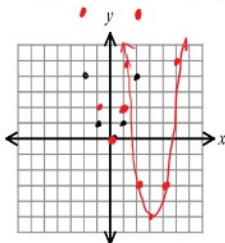
Vertex: $(3, -5)$ min!

Domain: all \mathbb{R}

Opens up or down? up

Range: $y \geq -5$

Transformation from $y = x^2$
stretch 2, right 3, down 5



7) $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + 2$

Vertex:

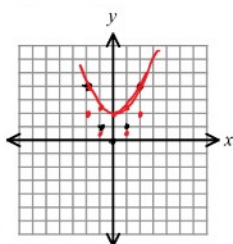
opens up or down?

Domain:

Range:

Transformations

from $y = x^2$
shrink $\frac{1}{2}$



8) $y = -3(x + 2)^2$

Vertex: $(-2, 0)$

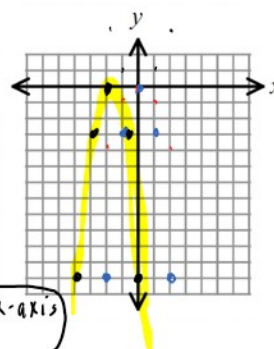
Opens up or down?

Domain: all real

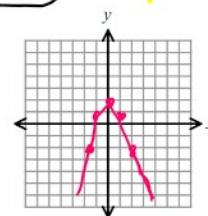
Range: $y \leq 0$

Transformations

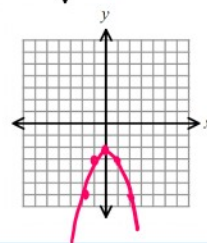
from $y = x^2$
stretch 3, flip over x-axis
left 2

Exploration: DOES ORDER MATTER?

9) If $h(x) = x^2$ is reflected in the x-axis and then translated up 2 units, what would be its new graph and equation?



10) If $g(x) = x^2$ translated up 2 units and then is reflected in the x-axis, what would be its new graph and equation?



Answer the question: Does the order of transformations matter?

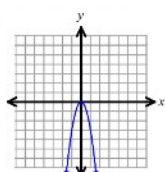
Yes!

Activity: Work with a partner to match each graph to its equation below.

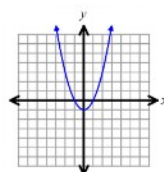
11) $y = x^2 - 1$

D

A)



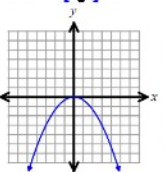
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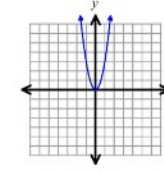
12) $y = -x^2 + 3$

C

B)



E)



13) $y = 3x^2$

E

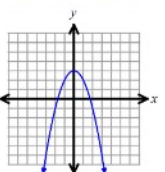
14) $y = -3x^2$

A

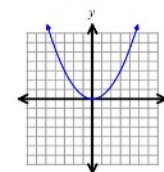
15) $y = \frac{1}{3}x^2$

F

C)



F)



16) $y = -\frac{1}{3}x^2$

B

Examples 17– 19: The number of mosquitoes in Anchorage, Alaska (in millions of mosquitoes) is a function of rainfall (in cm) is modeled by $m(x) = -(x - 3)^2 + 5$, as shown in the graph below.

17) How many cm of rainfall would result in 4 million mosquitoes?

million mosquitoes?

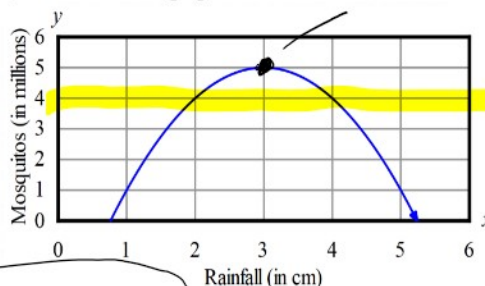
either 2 or 4

18) What is the maximum number of mosquitoes?

5 million

19) How many cm of rainfall would result in the maximum number of mosquitoes?

3 cm



20) Which statement(s) are true for $g(x) = x^2$ after the transformation $g(x - 4)$ is applied? Choose all that apply.

☒ A) $g(x)$ is moved to the left 4 units.

☒ B) $g(x)$ is moved to the right 4 units.

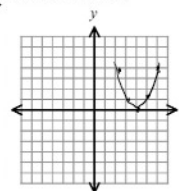
☒ C) $g(x)$ is moved up 4 units.

☒ D) The range of the function is $y \leq -4$.

☒ E) The domain of the function is all real numbers.

☒ G) The minimum of the function is 0.

☒ F) The maximum of the function is 4.



8.3: Completing the Square**Lesson Objectives**

1. Complete the square to make a perfect square trinomial
2. Convert quadratic functions to vertex form by completing the square
3. Graph a quadratic function in vertex form and identify the min/max, domain, range, and vertex.

Warm up:

1. Multiply: $(x-3)^2$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9$$

$$x^2 - 9 \quad x^2 + 9$$

3. Factor: $x^2 + 10x + 25$

$$(x+5)^2$$

2. Simplify: $(x+2)^2$

$$x^2 + 4x + 4$$

4. Factor: $4x^2 - 12x + 9$

$$(2x-3)^2$$

perfect squares!



$2x$	-3
x^2	$-6x$
-3	9

$$\begin{array}{r} 36 \\ -6 \end{array} \quad -6$$

Trinomials that are Perfect Squares when factored:

Examples: Find the missing value that would make the trinomial a perfect square. Then factor each trinomial.

1) $x^2 + 6x + \underline{\quad}$

$\frac{1}{2}(6) = 3$

$(x + 3)^2$

2) $x^2 - 10x + \underline{\quad}$

$\frac{1}{2}(-10) = -5$

$(x - 5)^2$

3) $x^2 + 8x + \underline{\quad}$

$\frac{1}{2}(8) = 4$

$(x + 4)^2$

Completing the Square

_____ is a process that allows us to rewrite a quadratic equation from standard form $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ into vertex form, which is also known as (h, k) form: $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$. This will allow us to easily find the Vertex!

Steps for Completing the Square:

Examples 4 – 7: Complete the square to rewrite the equation in vertex form, and then identify the vertex.

4) $y = x^2 + 4x + 10$

$$y = x^2 + 4x + \frac{4}{2} + 10 + \frac{-4}{2}$$

$\frac{4}{2} = 2 \rightarrow 2^2$

$$y = (x + 2)^2 + 6$$

Vertex form

You try! 5) $y = x^2 - 6x - 2$

STEP 1
move -2

$$y = x^2 - 6x + 9 - 2 + \frac{-9}{2}$$

$\frac{1}{2}(-6) = -3$

$$y = (x - 3)^2 - 11$$

Vertex (3, -11)

6) $y = 3x^2 - 24x + 10$

Step 1: $y = 3(x^2 - 8x + \frac{16}{3}) + 10 + \frac{-48}{3}$

\downarrow
 $\frac{-8}{2} = -4$

$$y = 3(x - 4)^2 - 38$$

You try! 7) $y = -4x^2 - 8x + 13$

Step 1: $y = -4(x^2 + 2x + \frac{1}{4}) + 13 + \frac{+4}{4}$

$\frac{2}{2} = 1 \rightarrow 1^2$

$$y = -4(x + 1)^2 + 17$$

Vertex Form of a Quadratic Function:

For Examples 8 – 12: Write each function in vertex form, and then sketch the function. Include the vertex. Identify the domain and range of each.

8) $y = x^2 - 18x + 4$

$-9^2 = -81$

$$y = (x^2 - 18x + 81) + 4 - 81$$

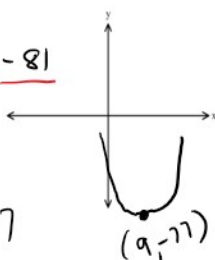
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 $\frac{-18}{2} = -9$

$$y = (x - 9)^2 - 77$$

Vertex: (9, -77)

Domain: all real

Range: $y \geq -77$



9) **You try!** $y = x^2 + 8x + 5$

$$y = x^2 + 8x + \frac{16}{4} + 5 + \frac{-16}{4}$$

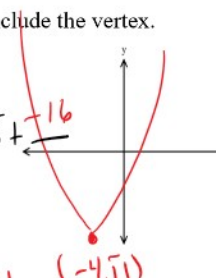
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 $\frac{1}{2}(8) = 4$

$$y = (x + 4)^2 - 11$$

Vertex: (-4, -11)

Domain: all real

Range: $y \geq -11$



10) $y = -2x^2 + 20x + 6$

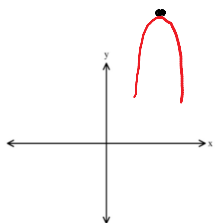
Step 1: $y = -2(x^2 - 10x + \underline{25}) + 6 + \underline{50}$

$$y = -2(x - 5)^2 + 56$$

Vertex: $(5, 56)$

Domain: all real

Range: $y \leq 56$



12: $y = -x^2 + 10x + 2$

Step 1: Factor out the negative!

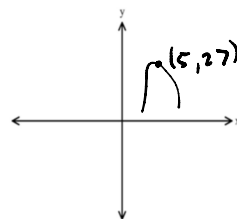
$$y = -(x^2 - 10x + \underline{25}) + 2 + \underline{25}$$

$$y = -(x - 5)^2 + 27$$

Vertex: $(5, 27)$

Domain: \mathbb{R}

Range: $y \leq 27$



11) You try! $y = 3x^2 - 18x - 2$

Step 1: $y = 3(x^2 - 6x + \underline{9}) - 2 + \underline{-27}$

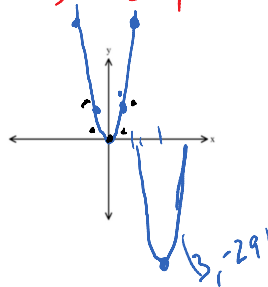
$$\downarrow \quad (-3)^2$$
$$\div 2 = -3$$

$$y = 3(x - 3)^2 - 29$$

Vertex: $(3, -29)$

Domain: All real

Range: $y \geq -29$



X	y = x^2	
-2	4	12
-1	1	3
0	0	0
1	1	3
2	4	12

Examples 13 – 14) A football is kicked in the air, and the height of the football can be modeled by the equation $y = -x^2 + 2x + 4$, where x is the number of seconds after the ball is kicked.

13) Find the maximum height of the football. Hint: Be sure to factor out the negative to start!

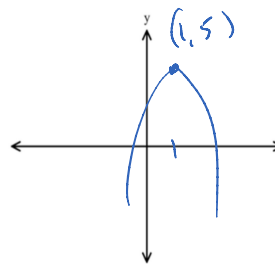
$$y = -(x^2 - 2x + \underline{1}) + 4 + \underline{1}$$

$$\div 2 = -1 \quad (-1)^2$$

$$-(x - 1)^2 + 5$$

14) After how many seconds does the football reach its maximum height?

1 sec



ALTERNATIVE APPROACHFinding the vertex directly from standard form $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ Step 1: Calculate $x = -\frac{b}{2a}$ Step 2: Plug this x-value from step 1 into $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ to find y-value of vertex.

15) Use the alternative approach above to find the vertex of each quadratic.

a) $y = 3x^2 - 24x + 10$ compare your answer with Example 6

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{(-24)}{2(3)} = 4$$

$$y = 3(4)^2 - 24(4) + 10 = 38$$

$$y = 3(x-4)^2 + 10$$

b) $y = x^2 - 18x + 4$ compare your answer with Example 8

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{(-18)}{2(1)} = 9$$

$$y = 9^2 - 18(9) + 4 = -77$$

$$y = (x-9)^2 - 77$$

You try! Use the alternative approach above to find the vertex of each quadratic.

c) $y = -4x^2 - 8x + 13$ compare your answer with Example 7

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{(-8)}{2(-4)} = -1$$

$$y = -4(-1)^2 - 8(-1) + 13 = 17$$

$$y = -4(x+1)^2 + 17$$

$$y = -4(x+1)^2 + 17$$

d) $y = x^2 + 8x + 5$ compare your answer with Example 9

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = -\frac{8}{2(1)} = -4$$

$$y = (-4)^2 + 8(-4) + 5 = -11$$

$$y = (x+4)^2 - 11$$

$$y = (x+4)^2 - 11$$

8.4 Notes: Solving Quadratics by Square Rooting**Lesson Objectives**

1. Solve basic quadratic equations by taking square roots of each side of an equation.
2. Find x-intercepts (roots, solutions) to quadratic functions by setting $y = 0$.

Warm Up:

1) When a number is squared, the result is 25.

What could the original have as its value?

(Hint: there are two answers.)

2)

If $\frac{3}{5}w = \frac{4}{3}$, what is the value of w ?

A) $\frac{9}{20}$

B) $\frac{4}{5}$

C) $\frac{5}{4}$

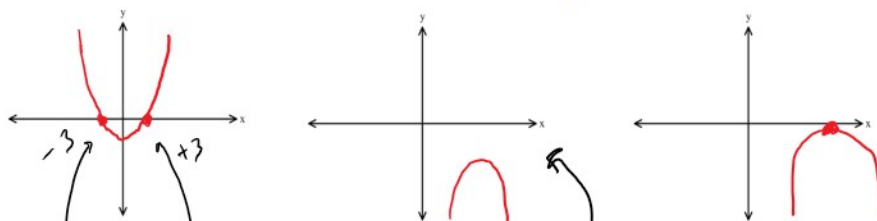
D) $\frac{20}{9}$

$$\frac{5}{3} \cdot \frac{3}{5}w = \frac{4}{3} \cdot \frac{5}{3}$$
$$w = \frac{20}{9}$$

Solving Quadratics by Square Rooting

*Use this strategy when a function is in vertex form, or if there is not a b term.

- Step 1: ISOLATE the variable or variable expression squared (variable $\pm h$) ^{x^2 $(x+3)^2$} by using inverse operations.
- Step 2: Square root both sides. **PLUS OR MINUS!** Simplify radical answers.
- Note: When a variable² or $()^2$ is isolated, it **cannot** equal a negative number. (If it does, then there is no solution.)
- We can have 2 solution, 0 solution, or 1 solutions.



Examples 1 – 3: Solve each equation for the variable by square rooting.

1) $z^2 - 5 = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} z^2 &= 9 \\ z &= \pm\sqrt{9} \\ z &= \pm 3 \end{aligned}$$

2) $r^2 + 7 = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} r^2 &= -3 \\ r &= \pm\sqrt{-3} \end{aligned}$$

3) $4x^2 + 3 = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} 4x^2 &= 0 \\ x^2 &= 0 \\ x &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

You try #4 – 6! Solve each equation for the variable by square rooting.

4) $-3x^2 + 4 = -23$

$$\begin{aligned} -3x^2 &= -27 \\ x^2 &= 9 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x &= \pm\sqrt{9} \\ x &= 3, \text{ or } -3 \end{aligned}$$

5) $4t^2 + 17 = 17$

$$\begin{aligned} 4t^2 &= 0 \\ t^2 &= 0 \\ t &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

6) $4p^2 + 8 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 4p^2 &= -8 \\ p^2 &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

No solution

A squared # \neq neg

Example 7: Solve for x : $5(x+1)^2 = 80$

$$\begin{aligned} (x+1)^2 &= 16 \\ (x+1) &= \pm 4 \\ x+1 &= \pm 4 \\ x &= -1 \pm 4 \\ x &= -1+4 \text{ or } -1-4 \\ x &= 3 \text{ or } -5 \end{aligned}$$

Example 8: Solve for a : $4(a-3)^2 - 8 = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} 4(a-3)^2 &= 8 \\ (a-3)^2 &= 2 \\ a-3 &= \pm\sqrt{2} \\ a &= 3 \pm\sqrt{2} \end{aligned}$$

Example 9: Pick one of the following problems to find the solutions. The problems go in order from easiest to more challenging from left to right.

a) $2x^2 - 7 = -9$

$$\begin{aligned} 2x^2 &= -2 \\ x^2 &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

b) $3(m-4)^2 = 12$

$$\begin{aligned} (m-4)^2 &= 4 \\ m-4 &= \pm 2 \\ m &= 4 \pm 2 \\ m &= 6 \text{ or } 2 \end{aligned}$$

c) $4(a-3)^2 - 40 = -20$

$$\begin{aligned} 4(a-3)^2 &= 20 \\ (a-3)^2 &= 5 \\ a-3 &= \pm\sqrt{5} \\ a &= 3 \pm\sqrt{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$2x^2 = -2$$

$$x^2 = -1$$

No solution!

$$(m-4)^2 = 4$$

$$m-4 = \pm \sqrt{4}$$

$$m-4 = \pm 2$$

$$+4 \quad +4$$

$$m = 4 \pm 2$$

$4+2=6$
 $4-2=2$

$$4(a-3)^2 = 20$$

$$\frac{4}{4} \quad \frac{20}{4}$$

$$(a-3)^2 = 5$$

$$a-3 = \pm \sqrt{5}$$

$$+3 \quad +3$$

$$a = 3 \pm \sqrt{5}$$

Examples 10 – 11: Solve each equation for the variable. Simplify any radical answers.

10) $3x^2 - 8 = 28$

$$+8 \quad +8$$

$$3x^2 = 36$$

$$\frac{3}{3} \quad \frac{36}{3}$$

$$x^2 = 12$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{12}$$

$$x = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$12 = 2^2 \cdot 3$$

11) $-2x^2 + 14 = -34$

$$-14 \quad -14$$

$$-2x^2 = -48$$

$$\frac{-2}{-2} \quad \frac{-48}{-2}$$

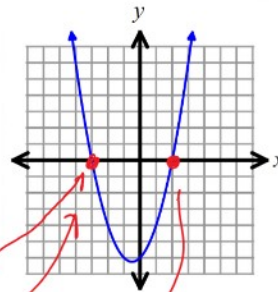
$$x^2 = 24$$

$$x = \pm \sqrt{24}$$

$$x = \pm 2\sqrt{6}$$

$\sqrt{6 \cdot 4}$

Solving for x-intercepts of a quadratic function:



Terms that are also used to describe x-intercepts of a function:

- 1) zeros
- 2) roots
- 3) x-intercepts

Example 12: Find the zeros (x-intercepts) of $f(x) = 3x^2 - 9$, if possible. If needed, write your answer as a simplified radical. Then draw a sketch of the quadratic function. Include the roots (x-intercepts) and vertex.

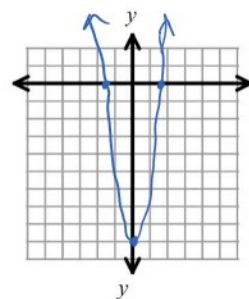
$$x^2 = 3$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$y = 3x^2 - 9$$

$$0 = 3x^2 - 9$$

$$9 = 3x^2$$



Example 13: Find the roots (x-intercepts) of $f(x) = 2(x-3)^2 - 8$, if possible. If needed, write your answer as a simplified radical. Then draw a sketch of the quadratic function. Include the vertex and x-intercepts.

at x-intercept $y = 0$

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

$$x-3 = \pm 2$$

$$+3$$

$$x = 3 \pm 2$$

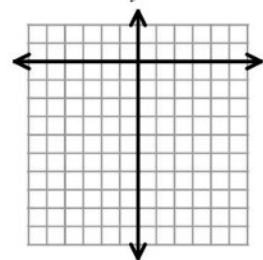
$$x = 5, x = 1$$

$$y = 2(x-3)^2 - 8$$

$$0 = 2(x-3)^2 - 8$$

$$8 = 2(x-3)^2$$

$$\frac{8}{2} = \frac{2(x-3)^2}{2}$$



Example 14: Find the x-intercepts for one quadratic function below. The options go from easiest to hardest.

a) $y = x^2 - 25$

$$0 = x^2 - 25$$

$$25 = x^2$$

$$\sqrt{25} = x$$

$$\pm 5 = x$$

b) $f(x) = -3x^2 + 12$

$$0 = -3x^2 + 12$$

$$-12 = -3x^2$$

$$\frac{-12}{-3} = \frac{-3x^2}{-3}$$

$$4 = x^2$$

$$\pm 2 = x$$

c) $g(x) = 5(x-1)^2 - 20$

$$0 = 5(x-1)^2 - 20$$

$$20 = 5(x-1)^2$$

$$4 = (x-1)^2$$

$$\pm 2 = x - 1$$

$$2 \pm 1$$

$$+1$$

$$1 \pm 2 = x$$

$$-1, 3 = x$$

Example 15: Consider the function $f(x) = 3x^2 + 27$.

a) What is the vertex for this function?

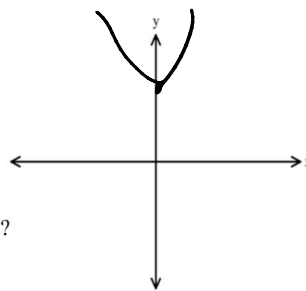
$(0, 27)$

b) Will this function open up or down?

↑

c) Draw a sketch of this function. What do you notice about the x-intercepts?

None!



d) Solve $f(x)$ for the zeros (x-intercepts.) Does your solution support your conclusion from part

$$0 = 3x^2 + 27$$

$$-27 = 3x^2$$

→ $\sqrt{-9} = x^2$
cannot take $\sqrt{\text{neg!}}$

Example 16: What is true for the function $f(x) = -3(x - 2)^2 - 9$? Select all that apply.

☒ A) The range is $y \leq -9$. ✓

B) The vertex is at $(-2, -9)$.

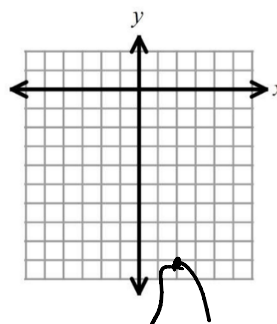
F $(2, 9)$

☒ C) The function opens downward. ✓

D) The x-intercepts are at $2 \pm \sqrt{3}$.

F (none)

☒ E) There are no x-intercepts. ✓



Ch 8 Study Guide

Graphing Quadratics

Form	What it tells us	Read about it in your notes!
Vertex Form $y = a(x - h)^2 + k$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vertex at (h, k) Domain is all real numbers Opens up if a is positive (range is $y > k$) Opens down if a is negative (range is $y < k$) Vertical stretch if $a > 1$ Vertical compression of $0 < a < 1$ Find the x-intercepts by setting the function equal to 0, and solve by square rooting. 	Section 8.2 Section 8.4
Standard Form $y = ax^2 + bx + c$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete the square to put into vertex form. Once the function is in vertex form, you can find the vertex by looking for (h, k). Alternative approach: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step 1: Calculate $x = -\frac{b}{2a}$ Step 2: Plug this x-value from step 1 into $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ to find y-value of vertex. 	Section 8.3

Solving Quadratic Equations

Technique	Hints and Steps	Read about it in your notes!
Solving by Square Rooting $0 = a(x - h)^2 + k$ $0 = ax^2 + c$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate $variable^2$ or $(variable \pm h)^2$ Square root each side - use (\pm). Simplify any radicals. 	Section 8.4

$$x^2 + 3x = 10$$