

Objectives:

- Use graphs of functions to estimate function values and find domains, ranges, y-intercepts, and zeros of functions.
- Explore symmetries of graphs, and identify even and odd functions.

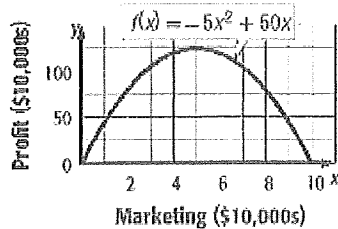
Common Core State Standards: A-REI.10, F-IF.5, F-IF.7b, F-IF.8

習題 :

1. The linear graph of a function for net profit/loss given x units sold has an x -intercept of 200. What does this mean?

Ex. 1]

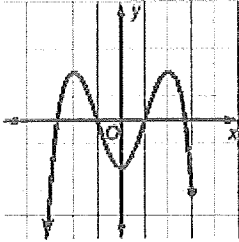
ADVERTISING The function $f(x) = -5x^2 + 50x$ approximates the profit at a toy company, where x is marketing costs and $f(x)$ is profit. Both costs and profits are measured in tens of thousands of dollars.



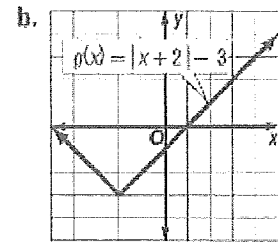
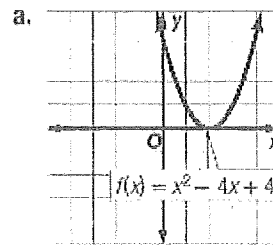
- a. Use the graph to estimate the profit when marketing costs are \$30,000. Confirm your estimate algebraically.
- b. Use the graph to estimate marketing costs when the profit is \$1,250,000. Confirm your estimate algebraically.

Ex. 2]

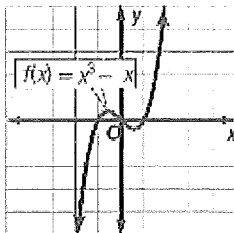
Use the graph of f to find the domain and range of the function.



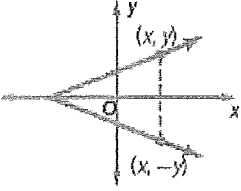
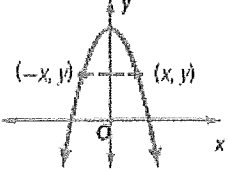
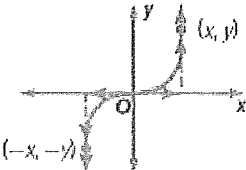
Ex. 3] Use the graph of each function to approximate its y -intercept. Then find the y -intercept algebraically.



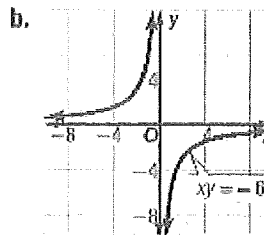
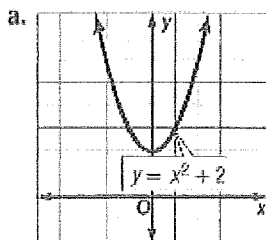
Ex. 4] Use the graph of $f(x) = x^3 - x$ to approximate its zeros. Then find its zeros algebraically.



Tests For Symmetry:

KeyConcept Tests for Symmetry		
Graphical Test	Model	Algebraic Test
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The graph of a relation is <i>symmetric with respect to the origin</i> if and only if for every point (x, y) on the graph, the point $(-x, -y)$ is also on the graph.		Replacing x with $-x$ and y with $-y$ produces an equivalent equation.

Ex. 5) Use the graph of each equation to test for symmetry with respect to the x -axis, the y -axis, and the origin. Support the answer numerically. Then confirm algebraically.



Even vs. Odd functions:

Key Concept Even and Odd Functions	
Type of Function	Algebraic Test
Functions that are symmetric with respect to the y -axis are called even functions .	For every x in the domain of f , $f(-x) = f(x)$.
Functions that are symmetric with respect to the origin are called odd functions .	For every x in the domain of f , $f(-x) = -f(x)$.

Can You Draw It?

a. An even degree function that **IS** an even function.

c. An odd degree function that **IS** an odd function.

b. An even degree function that is **NOT** an even function.

d. An odd degree function that **IS NOT** an odd function.

Ex. 6] Graph each function using a GC. Analyze the graph to determine whether each function is even, odd or neither. Confirm algebraically & numerically. Describe all symmetries.

a. $f(x) = x^2 - 4x + 4$

b. $f(x) = x^2 - 4$

c. $f(x) = x^3 - 3x^2 - x + 3$