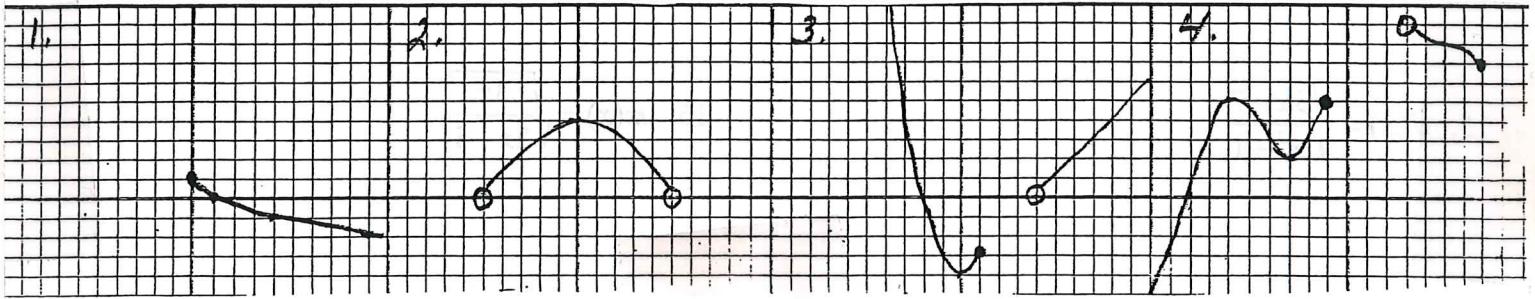


PRECALCULUS HANDOUT
Domain

State the domain and range of #1-4. State the domain only of #5-18. Write your answer in interval notation when appropriate.



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

6. $g(x) = \frac{x+6}{x^2-3x-40}$

7. $h(x) = 4x^5 - 3x^4 + 2x^2 + 5x - 8$

8. $k(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 2x - 8}$

9. $m(x) = \frac{3x+1}{|x|-4}$

10. ~~$p(x) = \frac{2x}{[x]-1}$~~

11. $k(x) = \sqrt{4-3x}$

12. $p(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 3x - 28}$

$$13. f(x) = \frac{x-3}{x^2-8x+15}$$

$$14. r(x) = \frac{x+2}{\sqrt{7-x^2}}$$

$$15. d(x) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{5x-7}{x^2+1}}$$

$$16. m(x) = \sqrt{\frac{3x}{2x-5}}$$

$$17. v(x) = \frac{\sqrt[4]{x^2-49}}{x+9}$$

$$18. z(x) = \sqrt{\frac{7-x}{\sqrt{x+4}}}$$

ANSWERS

$$1. D: [0, \infty) \quad R: (-\infty, 1]$$

$$7. \mathfrak{R}$$

$$14. (-\sqrt{7}, \sqrt{7})$$

$$2. D: (-5, 5) \quad R: (0, 4]$$

$$8. (-\infty, -4] \cup [2, \infty)$$

$$15. (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$3. D: (-\infty, 1] \cup (4, \infty) \\ R: (-4, \infty)$$

$$9. x \neq -4, 4$$

$$16. (-\infty, 0] \cup \left(\frac{5}{2}, \infty\right)$$

$$4. D: (-\infty, -1] \cup (3, 7] \\ R: (-\infty, 5] \cup [7, 9)$$

$$10. [0, 1) \cup (1, \infty) \\ 11. \left(-\infty, \frac{4}{3}\right]$$

$$17. (-\infty, -9) \cup (-9, -7] \cup [7, \infty)$$

$$5. [-4, \infty)$$

$$12. (-\infty, -4] \cup [7, \infty)$$

$$18. (-4, 7]$$

$$6. x \neq -5, 8$$

$$13. x \neq 3, 5$$

PRECALCULUS HANDOUT
Functions Operations & Domain

Name _____

Given the following functions, perform each operation to create a new function, and then state the domain of the new function. Write out the domain of each individual function before beginning. Remember to consider the domains of the original functions when stating the domain of the new function!

$$f(x) = \sqrt{x+2}$$

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

$$h(x) = \frac{3x}{x+2}$$

$$k(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 - 4}$$

$$m(x) = \sqrt{9 - x^2}$$

Domain:

1. $(g \cdot k)(x)$

2. $\left(\frac{h}{k}\right)(x)$

3. $\left(\frac{g}{h}\right)(x)$

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

5. $(m \circ f)(x)$

6. $(h \circ h)(x)$

7. $(f \circ h)(x)$

8. $(h \circ k \circ f)(x)$

ANSWERS

Domains of original functions:

$f: [-2, \infty)$

$g: \mathbb{R}$

$h: x \neq -2$

$k: x \neq -2, 2$

$m: [-3, 3]$

1. $1; x \neq -2, 2$

2. $3x^2 - 6x; x \neq -2, 2$

3. $\frac{x^3 + 2x^2 - 4x - 8}{3x}; x \neq -2, 0$

4. $x - 2; [-2, \infty)$

5. $\sqrt{7-x}; [-2, 3]$

6. $\frac{9x}{5x+4}; x \neq -2, -\frac{4}{5}$

7. $\sqrt{\frac{5x+4}{x+2}}; \left[-\frac{4}{5}, \infty\right)$

8. $\frac{3}{2x-3}; \left(-2, \frac{3}{2}\right) \cup \left(\frac{3}{2}, 2\right) \cup (2, \infty)$

Assignment:

- 1) 3 4) 1 from each part
 2) 5 5) 1
 3) a-c 2 6) All!!!!
 d-i 5 7) 1

PRECALC REVIEW
Functions

Name _____

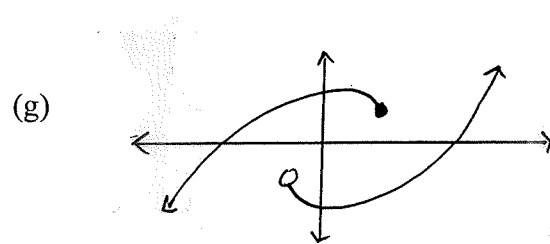
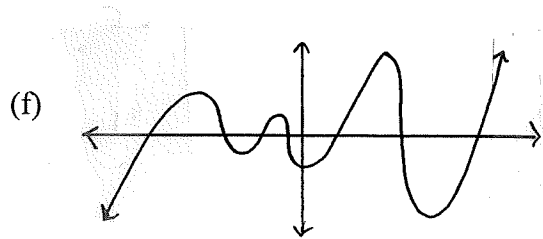
1. Express the following in interval notation.

- (a) $(-\infty, 5] \cup (2, 18)$ (b) $[-11, 8) \cap [7, 70]$ (c) $x < 1$ and $x \geq 11$ (d) $x > -4$ or $x \leq -3$

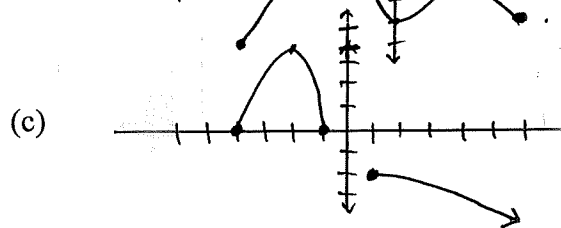
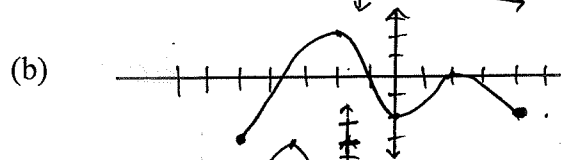
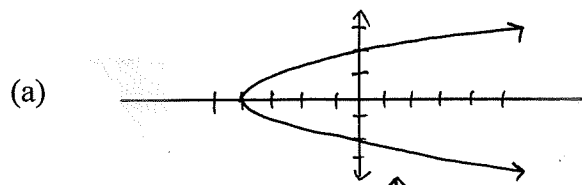
2. Determine whether each of the following is a function.

- (a) $\{(11, -2) (-5, 7) (-2, -2) (8, 3) (-5, -9)\}$ (b) $\{(8, -7) (-7, 8) (0, 0) (-4, 1) (1, -4)\}$

- (c) $4x = 5 - y^2$ (d) $5 - 4y = 3x^2$ (e) $|y| = 2x$



3. Give the domain and range of a-c and the domain only of d-i.



(d) $y = -\sqrt{49 - x^2}$

(e) $y = \frac{4x + 7}{3x^2 - x - 4}$

Domain Range

$$(f) d(x) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{3x+1}{x^2-4}}$$

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

$$(h) g(x) = \frac{4x-7}{\sqrt{2x^2-x-15}}$$

$$(i) m(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2x-7}{4x^2-9}}$$

4. (a) If $f(x) = 3x^2 - 2x - 5$, find

(i) $f(-4)$

(ii) $f(2t^2)$.

$$(b) \text{ If } h(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } x < -1 \\ 4x^3 - 7 & \text{if } -1 \leq x \leq 3 \\ \frac{5}{x^2} & \text{if } x > 3 \end{cases}$$

(i) $h\left(\frac{9}{2}\right)$

(ii) $h(-2)$

5. Find two functions f and g such that $(f \circ g)(x) = h(x)$.

(a) $h(x) = \sqrt[4]{x^2-7}$

(b) $h(x) = \frac{x^3}{x^3+7}$

(c) $h(x) = (8-x)^2 + 3(8-x) - 1$

6. Find the domain of each of the given functions. Then perform each operation, simplify the result, and state the domain of the new function.

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

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$h(x) = \sqrt{4-x}$$

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

$$m(x) = \sqrt{x^2 - 9}$$

(a) $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x)$

(b) $(k \circ h)(x)$

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

(d) $(h \circ f)(x)$

(e) $(m \circ h)(x)$

7. Solve the following systems of equations using matrix equations.

$$(a) \begin{cases} 8x - 5y = -157 \\ 7x + 11y = 124 \end{cases}$$

$$(b) \begin{cases} 7x - 14y + 19z = -1040 \\ 3x + 15y - 22z = 1031 \\ 25x - 8y - 10z = -304 \end{cases}$$

ANSWERS

1. (a) $(-\infty, 18)$ (b) $[7, 8)$ (c) \emptyset (d) $(-\infty, \infty)$

2. (a) no (b) yes (c) no (d) yes (e) no (f) yes (g) no

3. (a) $D: [-4, \infty)$ $R: (-\infty, \infty)$ (b) $D: [-5, 4]$ $R: [-3, 2]$ (c) $D: [-4, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$ $R: (-\infty, -2] \cup [0, 4]$
 (d) $[-7, 7]$ (e) $x \neq -1, \frac{4}{3}$ (f) $x \neq \pm 2$ (g) $x \neq \pm \frac{2}{3}$ (h) $(-\infty, -\frac{5}{2}) \cup (3, \infty)$ (i) $(-\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}) \cup [\frac{7}{2}, \infty)$

4. (a) (i) 51 (ii) $12t^4 - 4t^2 - 5$ (b) (i) $\frac{20}{81}$ (ii) 0

5. (a) $f(x) = \sqrt[4]{x}$; $g(x) = x^2 - 7$ (b) $f(x) = \frac{x}{x+7}$; $g(x) = x^3$ (c) $f(x) = x^2 + 3x - 1$; $g(x) = 8 - x$
 (Other answers are possible.)

6. Domains: $f: x \neq -1$, $g: x \neq 0$, $h: (-\infty, 4]$, $k: (-\infty, \infty)$, $m: (-\infty, -3] \cup [3, \infty)$

(a) $\left(\frac{f}{g}\right)(x) = \frac{x^2 - x}{x+1}$ $x \neq -1, 0$ (b) $(k \circ h)(x) = 3 - x$ $(-\infty, 4]$ (c) $(g \circ f)(x) = \frac{x+1}{x-1}$ $x \neq -1, 0, 1$

(d) $(h \circ f)(x) = \sqrt{\frac{3x+5}{x+1}}$ $(-\infty, -\frac{5}{3}] \cup (-1, 4]$ (e) $(m \circ h)(x) = \sqrt{-x-5}$ $(-\infty, -5]$

7. (a) $(-9, 17)$ (b) $(-12, 33, -26)$