

Chapter 3.5 Notes
Graphing transformations

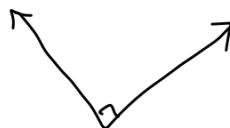
1.) Square function

$$y = x^2$$



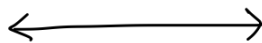
Absolute Value function

$$y = |x|$$



Constant function

$$y = b$$



Identity function

$$y = x$$



Square root function

$$y = \sqrt{x}$$



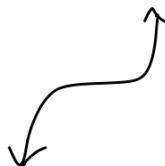
Cube root function

$$y = \sqrt[3]{x}$$



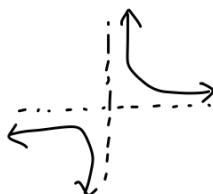
Cube function

$$y = x^3$$



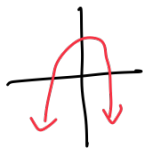
Reciprocal function

$$y = \frac{1}{x}$$



2.) $y = -x^2 + 6$

↑ flip upside down
↑ shift up



$y = (x-6)^2$

↑ shift right



$y = -|x+4|$

↑ flip upside down
↑ shift left



$y = -|x| + 4$

↑ flip upside down
↑ shift up



3.) $y = 2x^2$

↑ gets skinnier



$y = x^2 + 2$

↑ shift up



$y = -5|x|$

↑ flip upside down
↑ gets skinnier



$y = |x| + 5$

↑ shift up



* a negative out in front of everything tells you the function is upside down

ex.) $-x^2 \rightarrow$

$x^2 \rightarrow$

* If there is a number just added or subtracted from the end, it means to shift up or down.

ex.) $x^2 + 2$
 $x^2 - 2$

* If there is a number that is added or subtracted, but it is inside the $()$, $\sqrt{\quad}$, or $| \quad |$, then you shift left or right.


ex.) $(x^2 + 2)$
↑ goes left

$|x - 2|$
↑ goes right

$\sqrt{x + 3}$
↑ goes left


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

flip upside down shift left




$y = -5x^2$

flip upside down gets skinnier



$y = |x-2|$

shift right



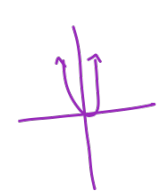
$y = 2|x|$

gets skinnier



* Just a number out in front of everything makes the graph skinnier.

ex) $5x^2$



5. Starting with the graph of a basic function, graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Find the domain and range of the function.

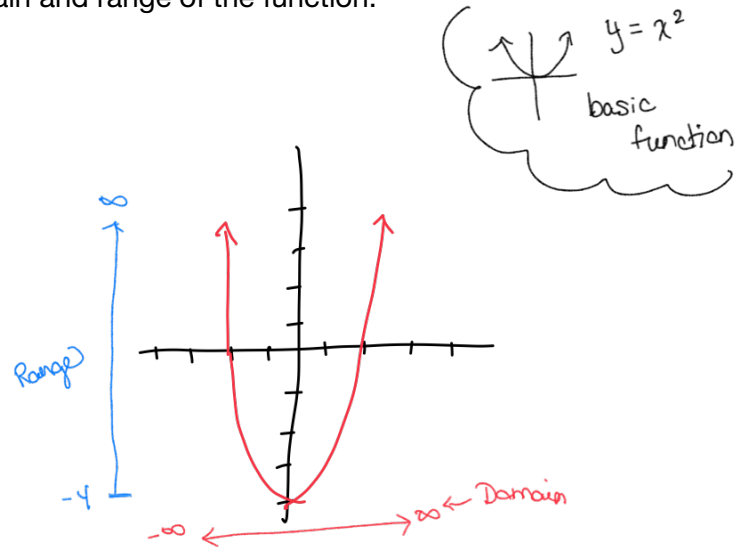
$g(x) = x^2 - 4$

shifts down

* this is a vertical shift down

domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

range: $[-4, \infty)$



To Graph: We know that x^2 looks like U.

① Press on \boxed{U} in the top right.

② Click anywhere on the graph.

③ Boxes will appear.

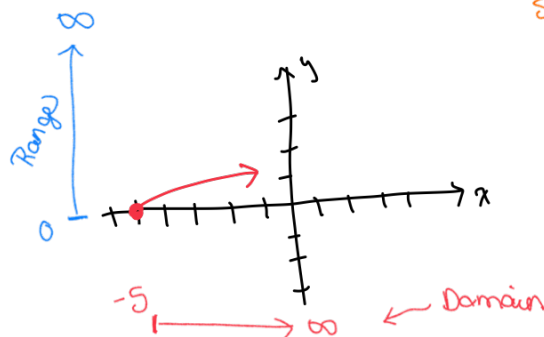
- look for vertical shift
+ here it goes down to

-4.
④ Then save & submit.

6. Graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Start with the graph of the basic function shown. Find the domain and the range of the function.

$$h(x) = \sqrt{x+5}$$

horizontal shift to the left



$$\text{Domain} = [-5, \infty)$$

$$\text{Range} = [0, \infty)$$

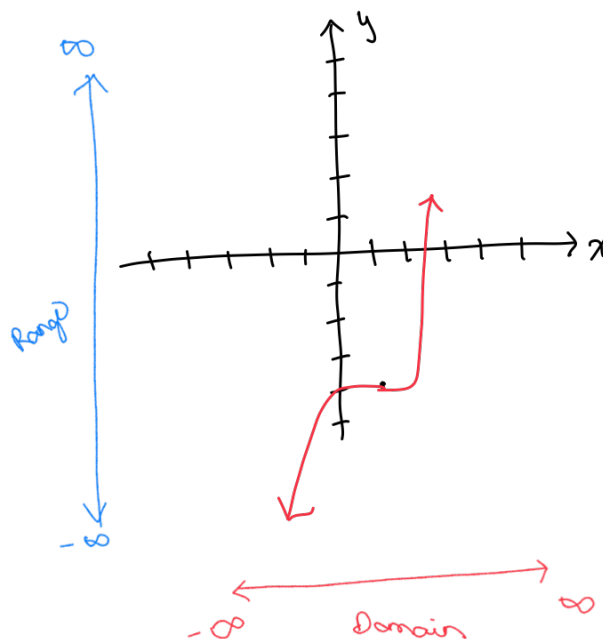
* Tip: If it touches the line on that point, then put ∞ $]$ around the number. If it gets close but doesn't touch the number then put $($ around it.

7. Starting with the graph of a basic function, graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and /or reflecting. Find the domain and range of the function.

$$g(x) = (x-1)^3 - 4$$

shifts horizontally right

shifts vertically down



To Graph: We know that x^3 looks like \curvearrowright .
 ① Press on $\boxed{y=}$ in the top right.
 ② Click anywhere on the graph.
 ③ Boxes will appear.
 • Look for vertical shift + here it goes down to -4.
 • Then look for horizontal shift, here it will go right by 1 unit.

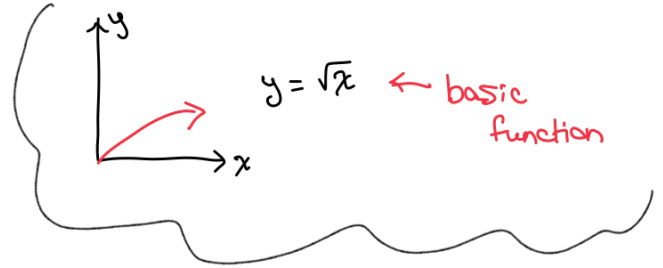
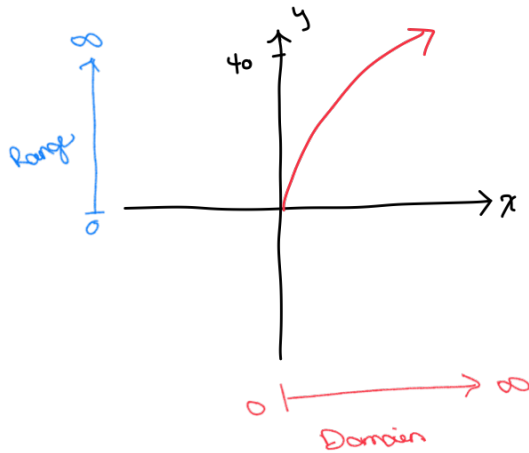
$$\text{Domain} = (-\infty, \infty)$$

$$\text{Range} = (-\infty, \infty)$$

8. Graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Start with the graph of the basic function shown. Find the domain and the range of the function.

$$g(x) = 12\sqrt{x}$$

↑ makes it get taller



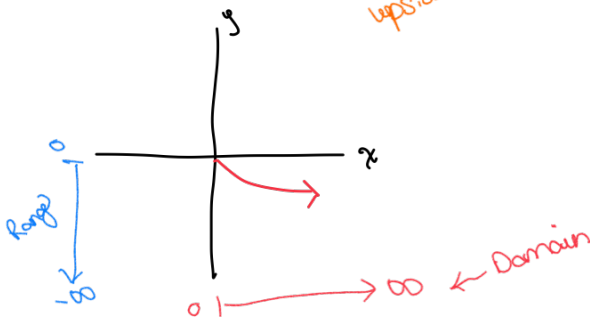
Domain: $[0, \infty)$

Range: $[0, \infty)$

9. Graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Start with the graph of the basic function shown. Find the domain and the range of the function.

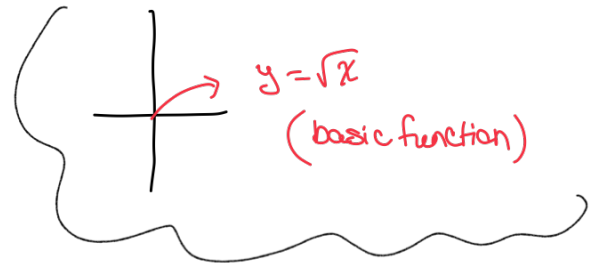
$$f(x) = -\sqrt{x}$$

↑ slips it upside down



Domain: $[0, \infty)$

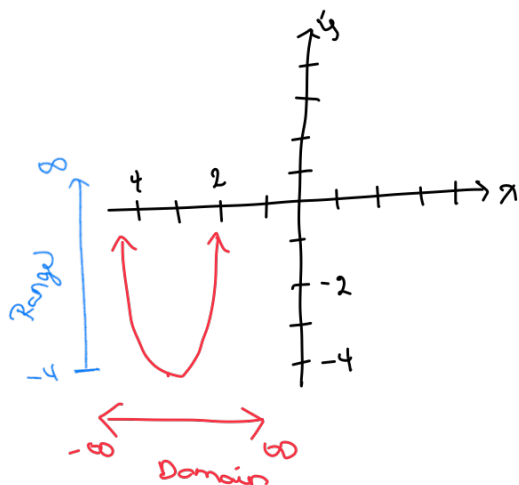
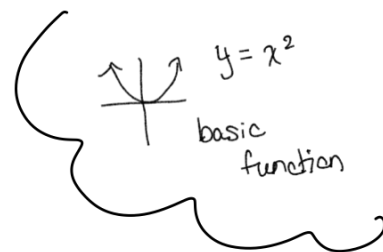
Range: $(-\infty, 0]$



10. Starting with the graph of a basic function, graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and /or reflecting. Find the domain and range of the function.

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

vertical stretch horizontal shift left vertical shift down



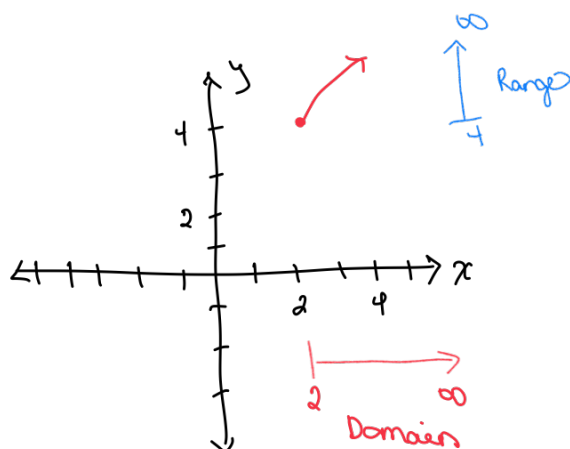
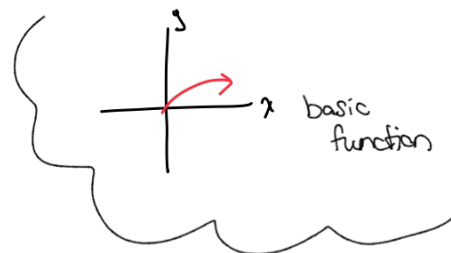
Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $[-4, \infty)$

11. Graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Start with the graph of the basic function shown. Find the domain and the range of the function.

$$g(x) = 4\sqrt{x-2} + 4$$

vertical stretch horizontal shift right vertical shift up



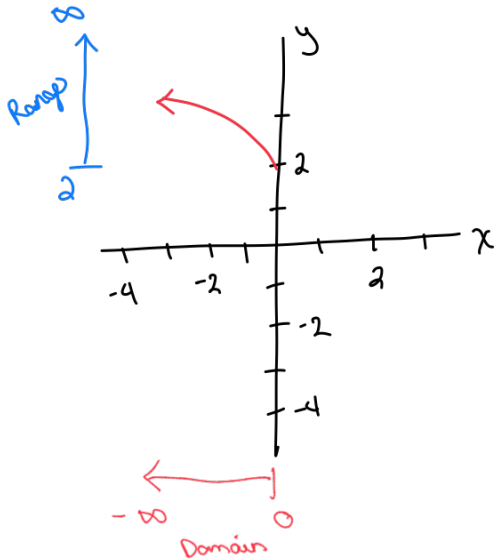
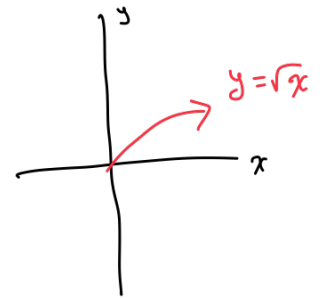
Domain: $[2, \infty)$

Range: $[4, \infty)$

12. Graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and/or reflecting. Start with the graph of the basic function shown. Find the domain and the range of the function.

$$h(x) = \sqrt{-x} + 2$$

reflect over y-axis
vertical shift up



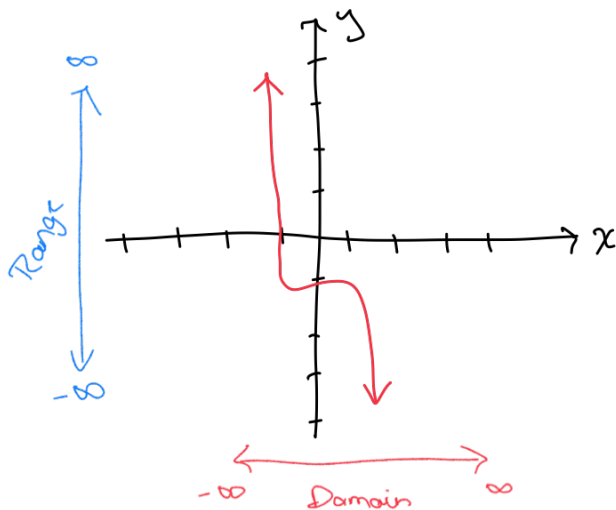
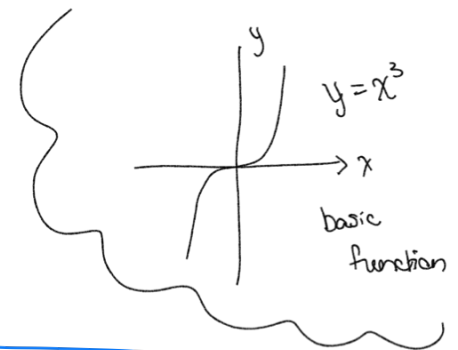
Domain: $(-\infty, 0]$

Range: $[2, \infty)$

13. Starting with the graph of a basic function, graph the following function using the techniques of shifting, compressing, stretching, and /or reflecting. Find the domain and range of the function.

$$f(x) = -(x+1)^3 - 1$$

flip over y-axis
horizontal shift left
vertical shift down



Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $(-\infty, -1)$