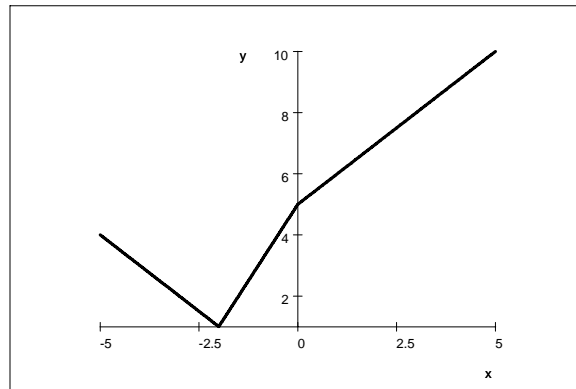


1. Let  $f$  be the function graphed below:



- a. Does  $f$  have an inverse in the domain of  $[-4, 4]$ ? Explain.
  - b. If we restrict the domain of  $f$  to be  $[-2, 2]$ , does  $f^{-1}$  exist? Explain.
  - c. If  $f(-2) = 1$ ,  $f(-1) = 3$  and  $f(2) = 7$ , find  $f^{-1}(1)$ ,  $f^{-1}(3)$  and  $f^{-1}(7)$ .
2. If  $f(x) = -\sqrt{x-2} + 1$
- a. Does  $f^{-1}$  exist?
  - b. Find the inverse of  $f$ .
  - c. Sketch  $y = f(x)$  and  $y = f^{-1}(x)$  together if  $f^{-1}$  exists; otherwise sketch  $y = f(x)$  only.
3. If  $h(x) = (3x - 1)^{-2}$ , find two functions  $f$  and  $g$  so that  $h = f \circ g$ .
4. If  $h(x) = \sqrt{3x - 1}$ , find two functions  $f$  and  $g$  so that  $h = f \circ g$ .
5. Suppose  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ .
- a. Find the function  $g$  so that  $y = g(x)$  is a reflection of  $f$  with respect to  $y$ -axis.
  - b. Find the inverse function for  $g$ .
  - c. Graph the functions  $g$  and  $g^{-1}$  together.
6. If  $f(x) = \frac{3}{5}x - 1$ ,
- a. explain why  $f$  has an inverse function..
  - b. find the inverse function,  $f^{-1}$ ,
  - c. check if  $f(f^{-1}(x)) = f^{-1}(f(x)) = x$ ,
  - d. graph  $f$ , and  $f^{-1}$  together.
7. If  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$  and  $g(x) = 2x^2 - 3$ . Find
- a.  $(f \circ g)(1)$
  - b.  $(g \circ f)(1)$
  - c.  $(f \cdot g)(1)$ .
8. Let  $f(x) = x^3$ ,
- a. find the function  $g$  so that  $y = g(x)$  is a reflection of  $f$  with respect to the  $x$ -axis;
  - b. find the function  $h$  so that  $y = h(x)$  is a shifting of  $y = f(x)$  left 3 units and down 3 units.
  - c. does  $h$  have an inverse? If so, sketch  $y = h(x)$  and  $y = h^{-1}(x)$

together.