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1. Find the value of k if the line $(k+2)x - 3y - 1 = 0$ is perpendicular to the line $6x - 3ky = 5$ (2 pts)

Ans : $m_1 = \frac{-(k+2)}{-3} = \frac{k+2}{3}$, $m_2 = \frac{-6}{-3k} = \frac{2}{k}$. Since $L_1 \perp L_2$, then $m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$
 $\implies \left(\frac{k+2}{3}\right)\left(\frac{2}{k}\right) = -1 \implies 2k+4 = -3k \implies 5k = -4 \implies k = -\frac{4}{5}$

2. Find the **domain** of $f(x) = \frac{x}{\sqrt{x^2 - 4}}$ and the **range** of $y = g(x) = -2x^2 + 3x + 1$ (4 pts)

Ans : $D_f : x^2 - 4 > 0 \implies x^2 > 4 \implies |x| > 2 \implies x < -2$ or $x > 2 \implies$
 $D_f = (-\infty, -2) \cup (2, \infty)$

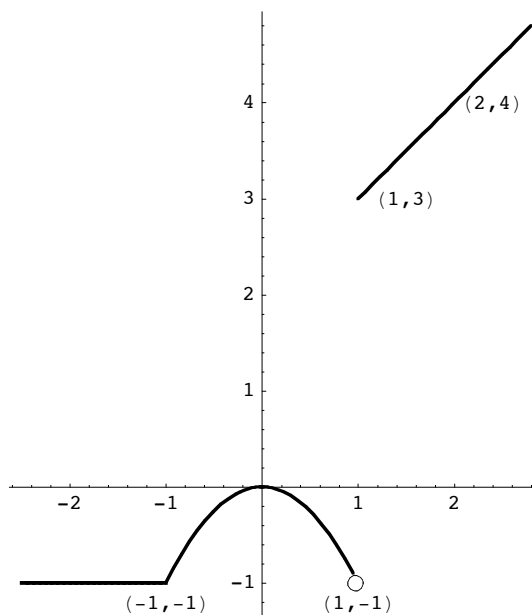
$R_g : y = -2\left(x^2 - \frac{3}{2}x + \frac{9}{16}\right) + 1 + \frac{9}{8} = -2\left(x - \frac{3}{4}\right)^2 + \frac{17}{8}$.

This is a parabola opens downward with vertex $V\left(\frac{3}{4}, \frac{17}{8}\right)$. Therefore $R_g = (-\infty, \frac{17}{8}]$

3. Graph $y = f(x) = \begin{cases} x+2 & \text{if } x \geq 1 \\ -x^2 & \text{if } -1 < x < 1 \\ -1 & \text{if } x \leq -1 \end{cases}$, then find the (4 pts)

intervals on which $f(x)$ is increasing.

Ans: $y = x + 2$ is a slant line that contains the points $(1, 3)$, $(2, 4)$. $y = -x^2$ is a parabola with endpoints $(-1, -1)$, $(1, -1)$ (the second point is a boundary point). $y = -1$ is a horizontal line. From the graph of $f(x)$, f is increasing on $(-1, 0) \cup (1, \infty)$

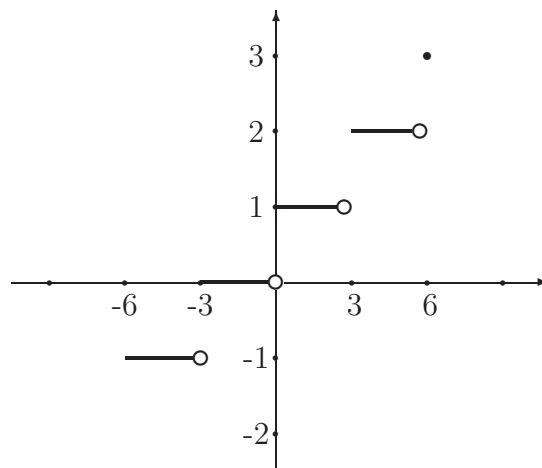


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1. Graph $y = f(x) = \left[\left[\frac{x}{3} \right] \right] + 1$, $-6 \leq x \leq 6$. Write the range of $f(x)$

Ans: $-6 \leq x \leq 6 \implies -2 \leq \frac{x}{3} \leq 2$ (3 pts)

$y = \left[\left[\frac{x}{3} \right] \right] + 1$		
$\frac{x}{3}$	x	$y = \left[\left[\frac{x}{3} \right] \right] + 1$
$-2 \leq \frac{x}{3} < -1$	$-6 \leq x < -3$	$-2 + 1 = -1$
$-1 \leq \frac{x}{3} < 0$	$-3 \leq x < 0$	$-1 + 1 = 0$
$0 \leq \frac{x}{3} < 1$	$0 \leq x < 3$	$0 + 1 = 1$
$1 \leq \frac{x}{3} < 2$	$3 \leq x < 6$	$1 + 1 = 2$
$\frac{x}{3} = 2$	$x = 6$	$2 + 1 = 3$
Note: This graph can be obtained by stretching the graph of $y = \lceil \lceil x \rceil \rceil$ horizontally by a factor of 3, then translating 1 unit upward		



Range = $\{-1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$

2. Find the **maximum** value and the **interval** on which the function $y = f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 5x + 1$ is **decreasing**. (3 pts)

Ans: $y = -\frac{1}{2}(x^2 - 10x + 25) + 1 + \frac{25}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 5)^2 + \frac{27}{2}$. This is a parabola opens downward with vertex $V(5, \frac{27}{2})$. So maximum value = $\frac{27}{2}$ and $f(x)$ is decreasing on the interval $(5, \infty)$.

3. (a) Find the equation of the line through the point $(-1, 0)$ and perpendicular to the line $2x + 3y = 5$ (2 pts)

Ans: $m_2 = -\frac{2}{3}$, since $L_1 \perp L_2$, then $m_1 = -\frac{1}{m_2} = \frac{3}{2}$.

The equation is $\frac{3}{2} = \frac{y - 0}{x + 1} \implies 2y = 3x + 3 \implies 2y - 3x = 3$.

- (b) Let $f(x)$ be a linear function. If $f(1) = 4$ and $f(-2) = 1$, then find the x- and y-intercept of the graph of $f(x)$. (Hint: find $f(x)$ and no need for graph) (2 pts)

Ans: $y = f(x) = ax + b$. $f(1) = 4 = a + b$ and $f(-2) = 1 = -2a + b$. Solving the two equations, we can get $3 = 3a \implies a = 1, b = 4 - a = 3 \implies \boxed{y = f(x) = x + 3}$. Now $y = 0 \implies x = -3 \implies$ x-intercept = $(-3, 0)$ and $x = 0 \implies y = 3 \implies$ y-intercept = $(0, 3)$

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1. Find the equation of the line through the point $(1, -2)$ and perpendicular to the line $\frac{3}{2}x = 5 - \frac{1}{2}y$. (2 pts)

Ans: $L_2 : 3x = 10 - y \implies m_2 = -3$, since $L_1 \perp L_2$, then $m_1 = -\frac{1}{m_2} = \frac{1}{3}$.

The equation of L_1 is $\frac{1}{3} = \frac{y+2}{x-1} \implies x-1 = 3y+6 \implies x-3y = 7$

2. Let $f(x)$ be a quadratic function. If the graph of $f(x)$ has y-intercept at $(0, 6)$ and x-intercepts at $(-1, 0)$ and $(3, 0)$, then find the range of $f(x)$. (Hint: find $f(x)$ and graph it) (4 pts)

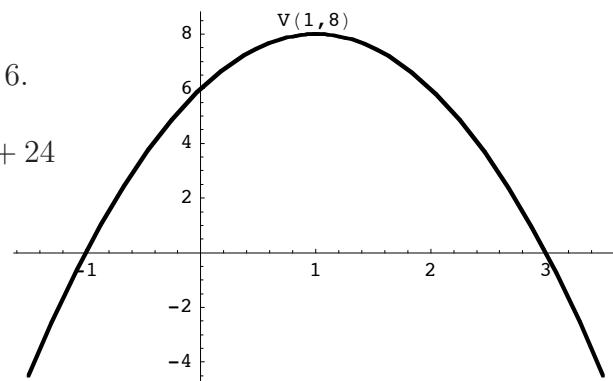
Ans: $y = f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$. The point $(0, 6)$ lies on f
 $\implies 6 = 0 + 0 + c \implies \boxed{c = 6}$, so $y = f(x) = ax^2 + bx + 6$.

The points $(-1, 0)$ and $(3, 0)$ lie on f , so $0 = a - b + 6$ and
 $0 = 9a + 3b + 6$. Solving the two equations, we get $0 = 12a + 24$

$\implies \boxed{a = -2}$, $b = a + 6 \implies \boxed{b = 4}$.

Thus $y = f(x) = -2x^2 + 4x + 6 = -2(x^2 - 2x + 1) + 2 + 6$

$= -2(x-1)^2 + 8$. This is a parabola opens downward with
 vertex $V(1, 8) \implies$ the range $= (-\infty, 8]$



3. (a) Find the domain of $y = f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|x+5|-1}}$ (2 pts)

Ans: $|x+5|-1 > 0 \implies |x+5| > 1 \implies x+5 < -1$ or $x+5 > 1$
 $\implies x < -6$ or $x > -4 \implies D = (-\infty, -6) \cup (-4, \infty)$

- (b) Solve the equation: $3[[2x-5]] + 7 = 1$ (2 pts)

Ans: $\implies 3[[2x-5]] = -6 \implies [[2x-5]] = -2 \implies -2 \leq 2x-5 < -1$
 $\implies 3 \leq 2x < 4 \implies \frac{3}{2} \leq x < 2 \implies \text{S.S.} = [\frac{3}{2}, 2)$