

Show all necessary steps for full marks.

**Question 1: (5 points):** If  $M \left( 5, \frac{3}{2} \right)$  is the midpoint of the line segment joining the points  $P_1(x, 8)$

and  $P_2(3, y)$ , then find the distance between  $P_1$  and  $P_2$ . (Show all necessary steps)

**Solution:**

$$\left( \frac{3+x}{2}, \frac{y+8}{2} \right) = \left( 5, \frac{3}{2} \right) \Rightarrow \frac{3+x}{2} = 5 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{y+8}{2} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3+x = 10 \quad \text{and} \quad 2y+16 = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 7 \quad \text{and} \quad y = -5$$

$$P_1(x, 8) = (7, 8) \quad , \quad P_2(3, y) = (3, -5)$$

$$d(P_1, P_2) = \sqrt{(7-3)^2 + (8+5)^2} = \sqrt{16+169} = \sqrt{185}$$

**Question 2: (5 points):** Let  $\mathbf{M}$  be the midpoint of the line whose endpoints are  $(1, -2)$  and  $(-3, 6)$ ,

and let  $\mathbf{C}$  be the center of the circle  $x^2 + 4x + y^2 - 8y + 2 = 0$ . Find the distance between  $\mathbf{M}$  and  $\mathbf{C}$ .

(Show all necessary steps)

$$\mathbf{M} = \left( \frac{x_1+x_2}{2}, \frac{y_1+y_2}{2} \right) = \left( \frac{1+(-3)}{2}, \frac{-2+6}{2} \right) = (-1, 2)$$

$$x^2 + 4x + y^2 - 8y = -2$$

$$x^2 + 4x + 2^2 + y^2 - 8y + 4^2 = -2 + 4 + 16$$

$$(x+2)^2 + (y-4)^2 = 18 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathbf{C} = (-2, 4)$$

$$d(\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{C}) = \sqrt{(-2+1)^2 + (4-2)^2} = \sqrt{1+4} = \sqrt{5}$$

**Answer:** (c)  $\sqrt{5}$

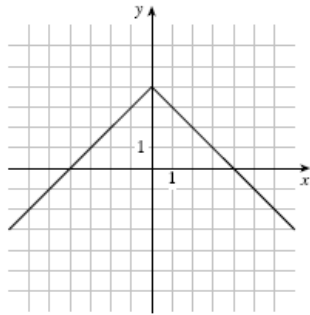
Question 3: (4 points): (Exercises 35-36): Sketch the graph of the following equations:

Solution:

(a):  $y = 4 - |x|$

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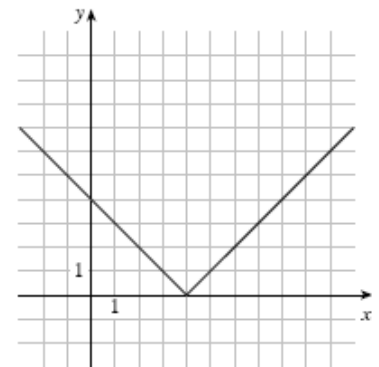
x	y
-6	-2
-4	0
-2	2
0	4
2	2
4	0
6	-2



(b):  $y = |4 - x|$

36.  $y = |4 - x|$ .

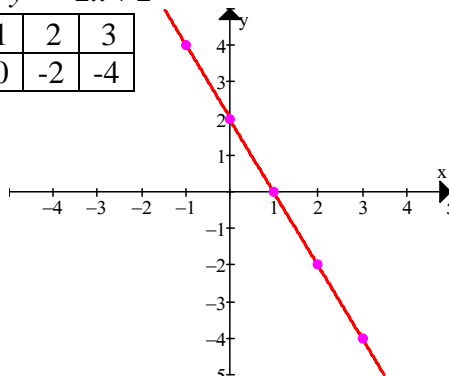
x	y
-6	10
-4	8
-2	6
0	4
2	2
4	0
6	2
8	4
10	6



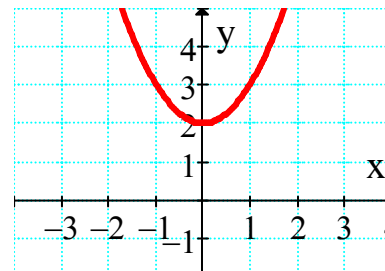
(c):  $4x + 2y - 4 = 0$

$2y = -4x + 4 \Rightarrow y = -2x + 2$

x	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
y	6	4	2	0	-2	-4



(d):  $y - x^2 = 2$



Question 4: (6 points): Find the center and radius of the circle  $x^2 + y^2 + 6x - 8y - 11 = 0$  and sketch the graph of the circle.

Solution:  $x^2 + 6x + y^2 - 8y = 11$

$$x^2 + 6x + 3^2 + y^2 - 8y + 4^2 = 11 + 3^2 + 4^2$$

$$(x + 3)^2 + (y - 4)^2 = 6^2$$

The center is  $(-3, 4)$  and the radius is 6.

