

Math 103 - HW #5A, B

A1. We know that $\ln x$ is only defined for $x > 0$.

But, $|x| \geq 0$ for any x . So as long as $x \neq 0$,

$\ln|x|$ is defined. This means the domain of

$h(x) = \ln|x|$ is all real $x \neq 0$.

For any real number y , we know $e^y > 0$, and

$\ln(e^y) = y$. That is, for any real number y ,

we can get y as an output by taking $x = e^y$ as

an input, since then $h(x) = \ln|x| = \ln|e^y| = \ln e^y = y$.

(for example, -100 is an output for the input $x = e^{-100}$,

since $h(e^{-100}) = \ln|e^{-100}| = \ln(e^{-100}) = -100$).

So the range is the set \mathbb{R} of all real numbers.

A2. We first note that x^2 and e^x are both defined for

all real values of x , so e^{x^2} is defined for all

real values of x . So the domain of $f(x) = e^{x^2}$ is

the set \mathbb{R} of all real numbers.

For the range, we first note that $e^x > 0$ for

A2 (cont'd) any real value x . Also, if y is any positive real number, we can get it as an output of e^x with the input $x = \ln y$, since $e^{\ln y} = y$. However, for e^{x^2} , we know $x^2 \geq 0$, so the smallest exponent we can raise e to in e^{x^2} is if $x^2 = 0$ (so $x = 0$). For $x = 0$, $e^{x^2} = e^0 = 1$, and so if $x \neq 0$, then $x^2 > 0$, so $e^{x^2} > 1$.

From this, it seems the output can be any real number $y \geq 1$. Given $y \geq 1$, consider the fact that $\ln y \geq 0$ (since $\ln y = 0$ when $y = 1$), so for the input $x = \sqrt{\ln y}$, $f(x) = e^{x^2} = e^{(\sqrt{\ln y})^2} = e^{\ln y} = y$. This means the range is the set of all real numbers $y \geq 1$.

A3. If the domain of $g(x)$ is all $x > 0$, then for $x \leq 0$, $g(x)$ is undefined. However, if $x \neq 0$, then $|x| > 0$. So $g(|x|)$ is defined if $x \neq 0$, while $g(|0|) = g(0)$ is undefined.

So, the domain of $g(|x|)$ is all real numbers $x \neq 0$.

A3 (cont'd) Note that an example of this is exactly as in Problem A1, where $g(x) = \ln x$ has domain $x > 0$ and $h(x) = g(|x|) = \ln |x|$ has domain $x \neq 0$.

The case $g(x^2)$ is similar, since $x^2 \geq 0$ for all x , and $x^2 > 0$ if $x \neq 0$. So if $x \neq 0$, $g(x^2)$ is defined, while $g(0^2) = g(0)$ is undefined. So,

the domain of $g(x^2)$ is all real $x \neq 0$.

A4 (a) $f(g(x)) = \sqrt{g(x)} = \sqrt{x^2} = \boxed{|x|}$ (since $\sqrt{x^2} = x$ if $x \geq 0$, while $\sqrt{(-2)^2} = \sqrt{4} = 2 = -(-2) = |-2|$, so if $x < 0$, $\sqrt{x^2} = -x = |x|$).

(b) $g(f(x)) = f(x)^2 = (\sqrt{x})^2 = \boxed{x}$

(Note that the domain of $f(x)$ is all $x \geq 0$, so $(\sqrt{x})^2 = x$ for all of these x).

(c) $f(f(x)) = \sqrt{\sqrt{x}} = (x^{1/2})^{1/2} = \boxed{x^{1/4} = \sqrt[4]{x}}$

(Note that the domain of $f(x)$ and $f(f(x))$ is the set of all real $x \geq 0$).

$$A5: (a) f(g(x)) = f(3^x) = (3^x)^2 + 3^x + 1 = \boxed{3^{2x} + 3^x + 1}$$

$$(b) g(f(x)) = 3^{f(x)} = \boxed{3^{x^2+x+1}}$$

$$(c) f(f(x)) = f(x^2+x+1) = (x^2+x+1)^2 + x^2+x+1 + 1 =$$

$$= x^4 + 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x + 1 + x^2 + x + 2$$

$$= \boxed{x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x^2 + 3x + 3}$$

$$A6: (a) f(g(x)) = f(\sqrt{x}) = \boxed{e^{\sqrt{x}} = e^{x^{1/2}}}$$

$$(b) g(f(x)) = g(e^x) = \sqrt{e^x} = (e^x)^{1/2} = \boxed{e^{x/2}}$$

So if $h(x) = \frac{x}{2}$, $\boxed{f(h(x)) = f\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) = e^{x/2} = g(f(x))}$

$$(c) f(f(x)) = f(e^x) = \boxed{e^{e^x}}$$

A7. (a) The x -intercepts occur when $f(x) = 0$, so

$$\ln(x^2 - 8x + 13) = 0, \text{ so } e^{\ln(x^2 - 8x + 13)} = e^0, \text{ or}$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 13 = 1, \text{ so } x^2 - 8x + 12 = 0. \text{ Now}$$

$$x^2 - 8x + 12 = (x-6)(x-2) = 0 \text{ when } x=6 \text{ or } x=2.$$

So the x -intercepts are $\boxed{x=6 \text{ and } x=2}$. The

$$y\text{-intercept is } f(0) = \ln(0^2 - 8(0) + 13) = \boxed{\ln(13) = y}$$

A7 (v) The x -intercepts occur when $g(x) = 0$, so when $g(x) = e^{6x} - 3e^{3x} - 10 = (e^{3x})^2 - 3e^{3x} - 10 = 0$. If we think of $e^{3x} = w$, then $w^2 - 3w - 10 = 0$ factors as $(w-5)(w+2) = 0$, which has solutions $w = 5$ and $w = -2$. With $w = e^{3x}$, this means $e^{3x} = 5$, so $\ln(e^{3x}) = \ln(5)$, so $3x = \ln(5)$, so $x = \frac{1}{3}\ln(5)$. Then $e^{3x} = -2$, however for any x we know $e^{3x} > 0$, so $e^{3x} = -2$ is impossible (also $\ln(-2)$ is undefined). This means the only x -intercept is $\boxed{x = \frac{1}{3}\ln(5)}$.

The y -intercept is given by $g(0) = y = e^{6 \cdot 0} - 3e^{3 \cdot 0} - 10 = 1 - 3 - 10 = \boxed{-12}$.

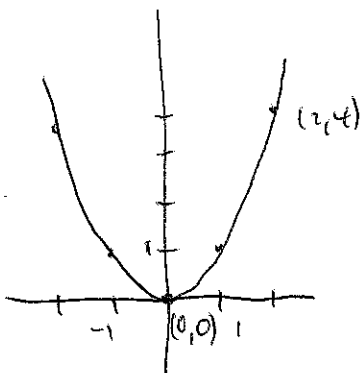
A8 (a) $f(x) = x^2 + 5x$, so $f(x+h) = (x+h)^2 + 5(x+h) = x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 5x + 5h$. So
$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 + 5x + 5h - (x^2 + 5x)}{h} = \frac{2xh + h^2 + 5h}{h} = \frac{h(2x + h + 5)}{h} = \boxed{2x + h + 5}$$

A8 (b): $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$, so $f(x+h) = \frac{1}{x+h}$. Then

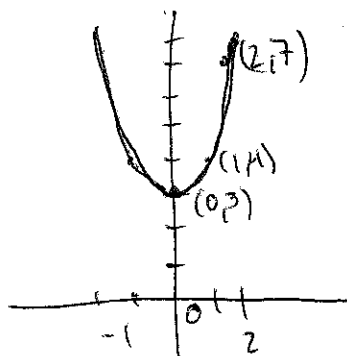
$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{\frac{1}{x+h} - \frac{1}{x}}{h} = \frac{\frac{x}{x(x+h)} - \frac{x+h}{x(x+h)}}{h} = \frac{\frac{x - (x+h)}{x(x+h)}}{h}$$

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

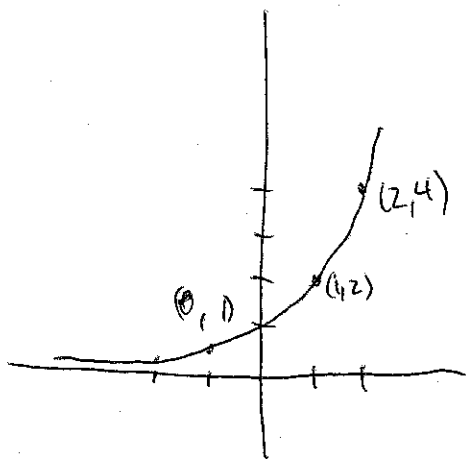
B1 (a) $y = x^2$



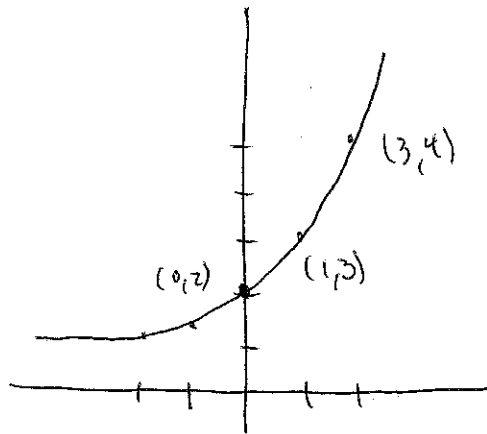
$y = x^2 + 3$



$y = 2^x$

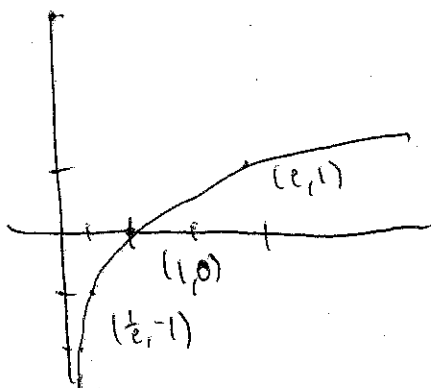


$y = 2^x + 1$

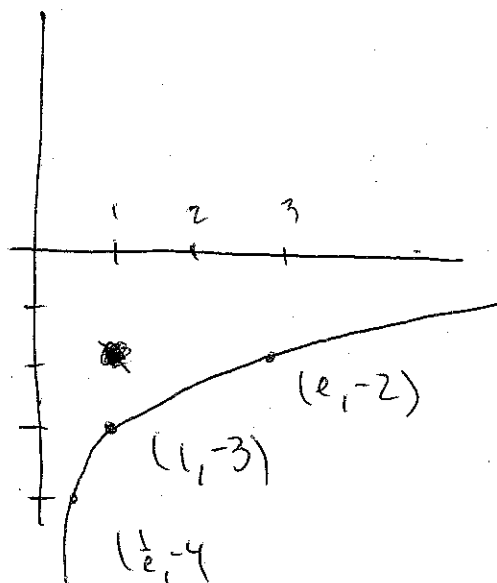


B1 (a) (cont'd)

$$y = \ln x$$



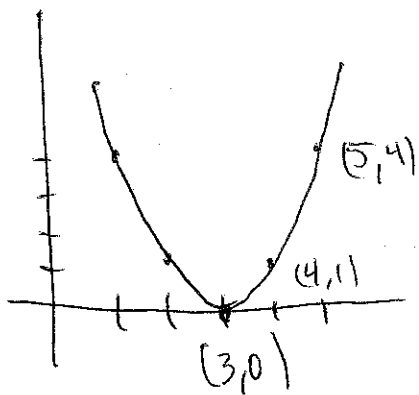
$$y = \ln(x) - 3$$



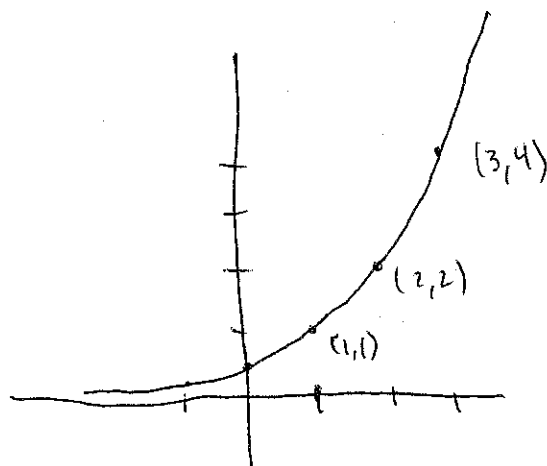
(b) If $c > 0$, the graph of $y = f(x) + c$ is the graph of $y = f(x)$ shifted up c units.

If $c < 0$, the graph of $y = f(x) + c$ is the graph of $y = f(x)$ shifted down $|c|$ units.

B2. (a) $y = (x-3)^2$

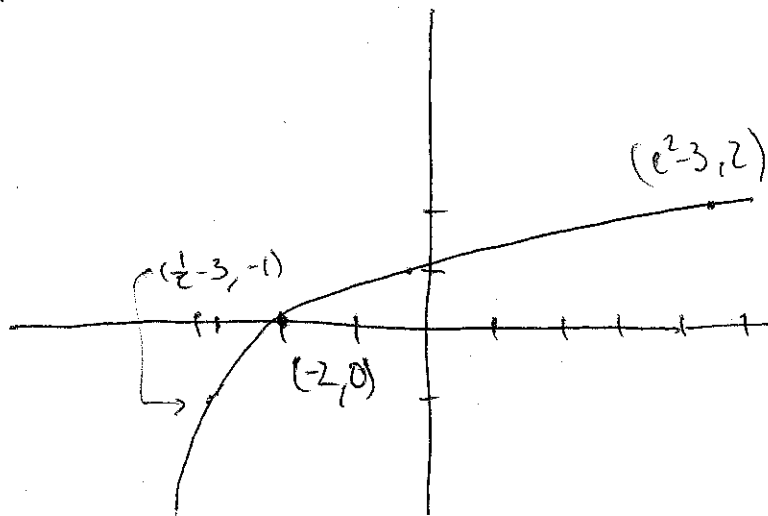


$$y = 2^{x-1}$$



B2 (a) (cont'd)

$$y = \ln(x+3)$$



x	$\ln(x+3) = y$
-2	$\ln(1) = 0$
$e-3$	$\ln(e) = 1$
$\frac{1}{e}-3$	$\ln(\frac{1}{e}) = -1$
e^2-3	$\ln(e^2) = 2$

(b) If $c > 0$, the graph of $y = f(x-c)$ is the graph of $y = f(x)$ shifted to the right by c units.
The graph of $y = f(x+c)$ is the graph of $y = f(x)$ shifted to the left.

B3. (a) $y = x-3$ and $(x-3)^2 + (y+3)^2 = 9 = 3^2$,

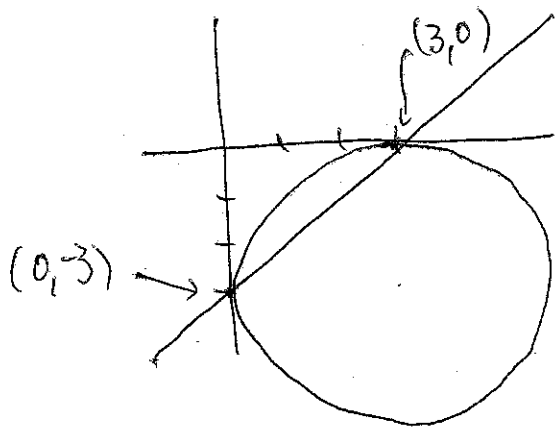
so substituting $y = x-3$ into the second equation, we have $(x-3)^2 + (x-3+3)^2 = 9$, so

$$(x-3)^2 + x^2 = 9, \text{ so}$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 + x^2 = 9, \text{ so } 2x^2 - 6x = 0.$$

Then $2x(x-3) = 0$, so $x = 0$ or $x = 3$. Plugging these into $y = x-3$ give $y = 0-3 = -3$, $y = 3-3 = 0$.

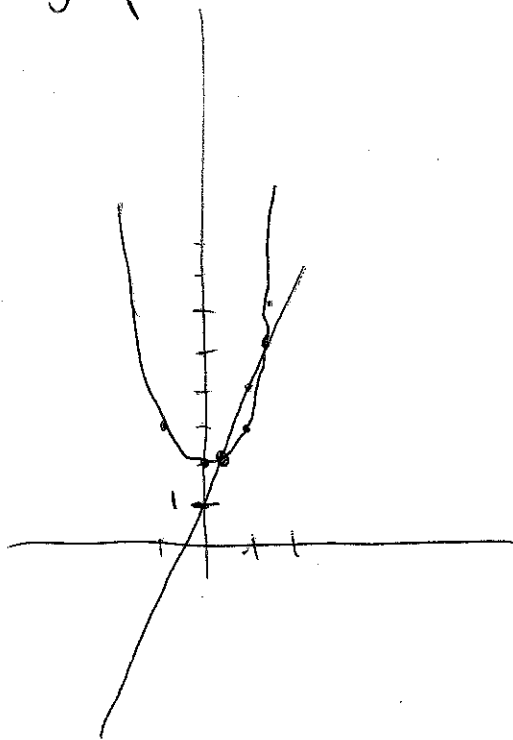
B3 (a) So the points of intersection are $(0, -3)$ and $(3, 0)$. The graph of $y = x - 3$ is a line with y -intercept -3 and slope 1 , and the graph of $(x-3)^2 + (y+3)^2 = 9 = 3^2$ is a circle with center $(3, -3)$ and radius 3 . The graphs of these, with their intersection points, are:



(b) $y = x^2 + 2$ and $y = 3x + 1$ intersect when $x^2 + 2 = 3x + 1$, so $x^2 - 3x + 1 = 0$. From the quadratic formula, $x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 - 4}}{2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$. The y -values for the points of intersection can be found by plugging these into either equation, but $y = 3x + 1$ is a bit easier. For $x = \frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}$, $y = 3\left(\frac{3 + \sqrt{5}}{2}\right) + 1 = \frac{9 + 3\sqrt{5}}{2} + \frac{2}{2} = \frac{11 + 3\sqrt{5}}{2}$, and for $x = \frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}$, $y = 3\left(\frac{3 - \sqrt{5}}{2}\right) + 1 = \frac{11 - 3\sqrt{5}}{2}$. So the points of intersection are

B3 (b) (cont'd) $\left(\frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{11+3\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$ and $\left(\frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \frac{11-3\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)$

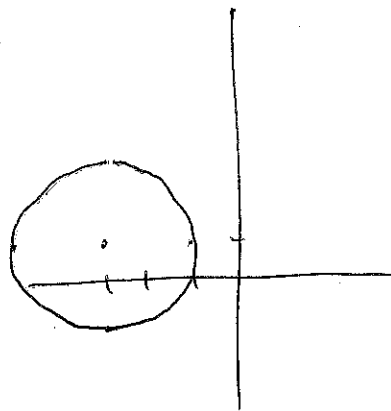
The graphs are as follows:



B4. The equation of the circle with radius r and center (a, b) is $(x-a)^2 + (y-b)^2 = r^2$. So for center $(-3, 1)$ and radius 2, the equation is

$$(x - (-3))^2 + (y - 1)^2 = 2^2, \text{ or } \boxed{(x+3)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 4}$$

The graph is given by:



B4 (contd) To find the functions whose graphs together give the graph of the circle, we find y in terms of x .

$$(x+3)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 4, \text{ so } (y-1)^2 = 4 - (x+3)^2.$$

Taking the square root is ~~not~~ when we get two

$$\text{functions: } y-1 = \pm \sqrt{4 - (x+3)^2}, \text{ so } y = 1 \pm \sqrt{4 - (x+3)^2}.$$

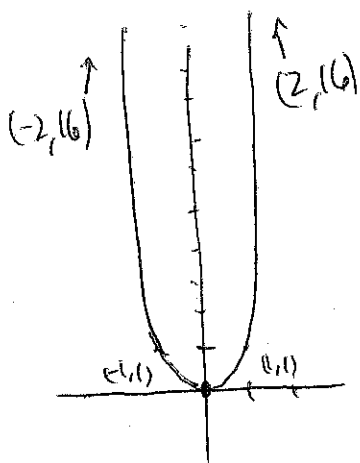
The two functions are then $f(x) = 1 + \sqrt{4 - (x+3)^2}$
and $g(x) = 1 - \sqrt{4 - (x+3)^2}$

B5. (a) For $f(x) = x^4$, $f(-x) = (-x)^4 = (-1)^4 x^4 = x^4$.

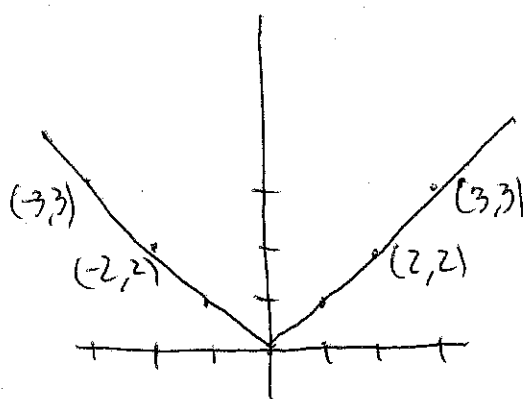
For $f(x) = |x|$, $f(-x) = |-x| = |x|$ ~~is not~~.

For $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2}$, $f(-x) = \frac{1}{(-x)^2} = \frac{1}{(-1)^2 x^2} = \frac{1}{x^2}$.

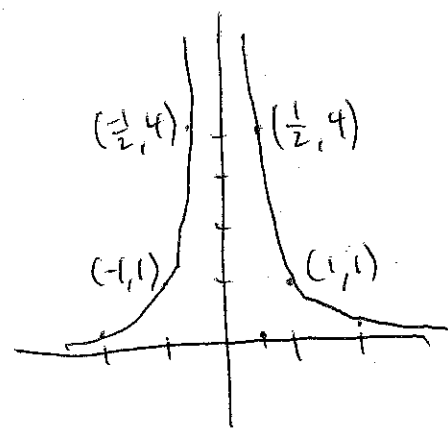
For each, $f(x) = f(-x)$. The graphs are:



$$y = x^4$$



$$y = |x|$$



$$y = \frac{1}{x^2}$$

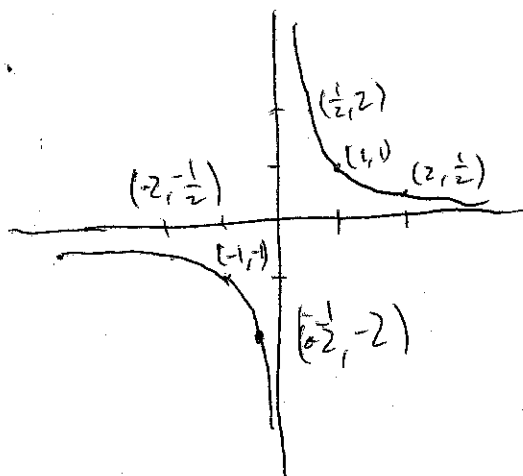
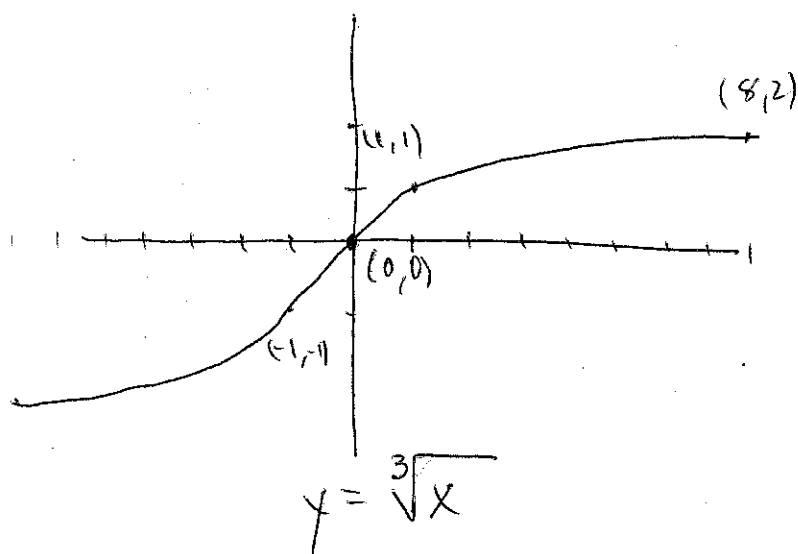
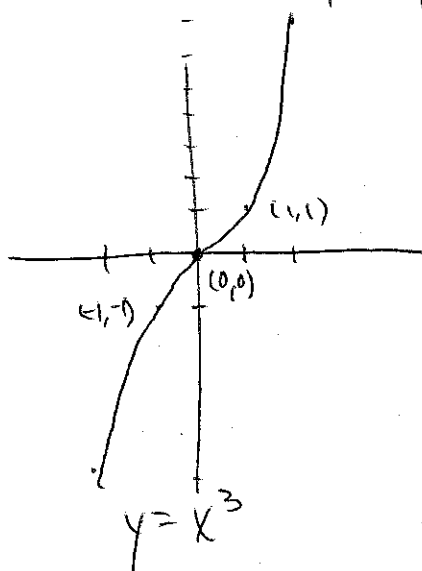
B5 (b) (cont'd)

For $g(x) = x^3$, $g(-x) = (-x)^3 = (-1)^3 x^3 = -x^3 = -g(x)$

For $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$, $g(-x) = \sqrt[3]{-x} = (-1)^{1/3} x^{1/3} = -1 \cdot x^{1/3} = -\sqrt[3]{x} = -g(x)$

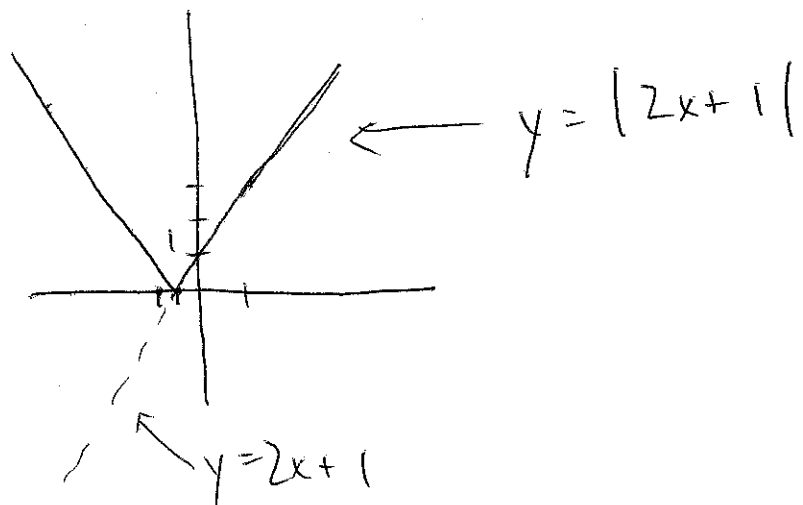
For $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$, $g(-x) = \frac{1}{-x} = -\frac{1}{x} = -g(x)$.

So for each, $g(-x) = -g(x)$. The graphs are:



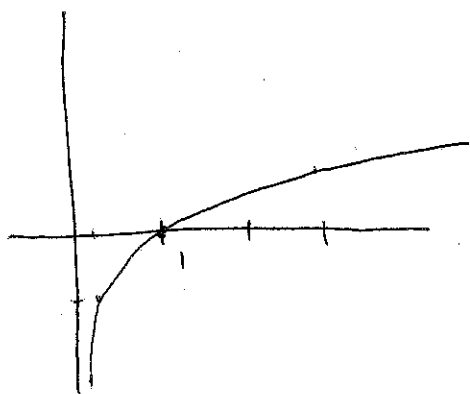
(c) For even functions, the graph is symmetric in the y-axis (mirror reflection in y-axis).
 For odd functions, the graph when reflected in the x-axis then the y-axis, there is symmetry (symmetry in the origin).

B6.(a) To graph $y = |2x + 1|$, first graph $y = 2x + 1$, then take the part below the x-axis and reflect it to above the x-axis (negative outputs become positive)

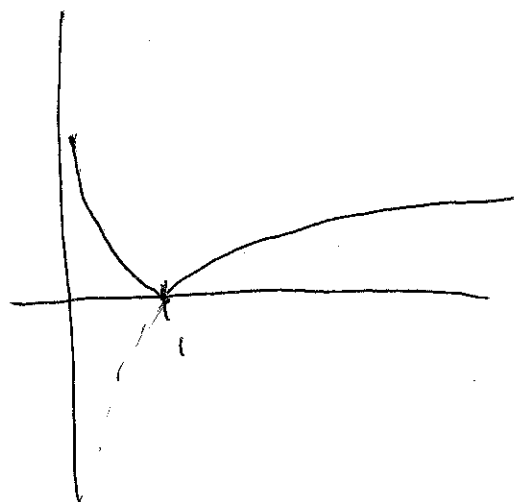


(b) Similarly, for $y = |\ln(x)|$, graph $y = \ln(x)$, and for the part of the graph below the x-axis (negative outputs), reflect to above the x-axis (positive output)

$$y = \ln(x):$$

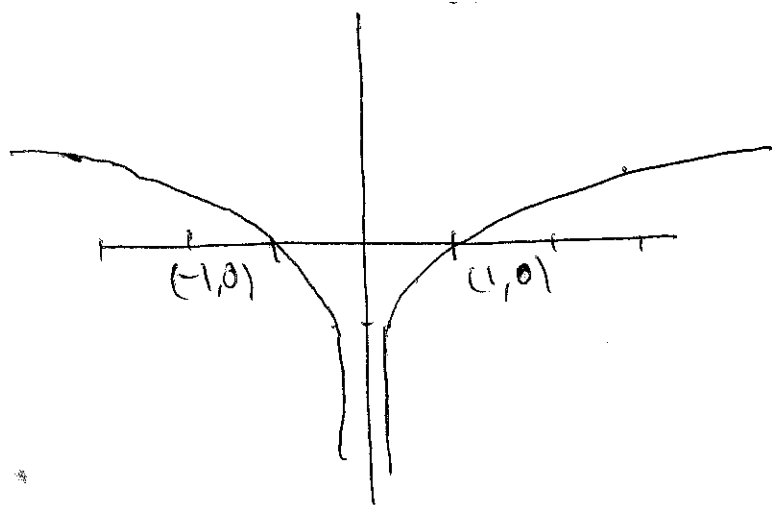


$$y = |\ln(x)|:$$



B6 (c) For $y = \ln|x|$, for $x > 0$ the graph is the same as $y = \ln x$. For $x < 0$, the graph of $y = \ln|x|$ looks like $y = \ln(x)$ reflected in the y -axis ($\ln|-x| = \ln|x|$, so the function is even, but not defined for $x=0$)

$$y = \ln|x|$$



(d) For $|x| + |y| = 1$, plot some points. Whenever (x, y) is on the graph, so is $(\pm x, \pm y)$:

