

REVIEW Cubic and Cube Root

Name: Answer Key

Given: $f(x) = 3(3x - 6)^3 - 1$

$g(x) = \frac{1}{5}\sqrt[3]{4 - 2x}$

$h(x) = \sqrt[3]{4 + 2(x + 1)^3}$

1) Evaluate $g(x) = -2$

$$-2 = \frac{1}{5}\sqrt[3]{4 - 2x}$$

$$-10 = \sqrt[3]{4 - 2x}$$

$$-1000 = 4 - 2x$$

$$-1004 = -2x$$

$$x = 502$$

2) Evaluate $h(2)$

$$\sqrt[3]{4 + 2(2+1)^3}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{4 + 2(3)^3}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{4 + 2(27)}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{4 + 54}$$

$$\sqrt[3]{58}$$

$$3.871$$

3) Evaluate $f(2x + 3)$

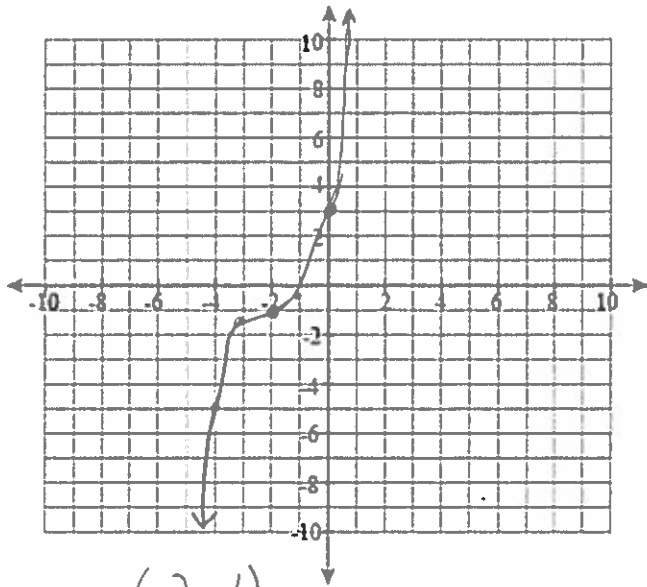
$$3(3(2x+3) - 6)^3 - 1$$

$$3(6x+9 - 6)^3 - 1$$

$$3(6x+3)^3 - 1$$

Graph the following functions and identify their attributes.

4) $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x + 2)^3 - 1$



Vertex: $(-2, -1)$

x-intercept: $(-2.74, 0)$ y-intercept: $(0, 3)$

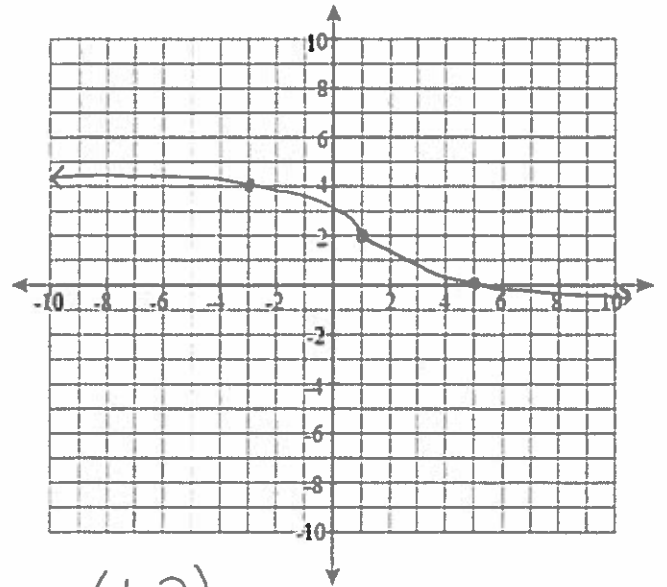
Increasing: $(-\infty, \infty)$ Decreasing: Never

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

End behaviors: As $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$

Transformations: shift left 2 and down 1, vert. comp by $\frac{1}{2}$

5) $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{-2(x - 1)} + 2$



Vertex: $(1, 2)$

x-intercept: $(5, 0)$ y-intercept: $(0, 3.26)$

Increasing: Never Decreasing: $(-\infty, \infty)$

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

End behaviors: As $x \rightarrow \infty, f(x) \rightarrow -\infty$ As $x \rightarrow -\infty, f(x) \rightarrow \infty$

Transformations: shift right 1 and up 2, hor. comp by $\frac{1}{2}$, hor. reflection

Find the inverse of each function.

6) $f(x) = 3(4 + 2x)^3 + 3$

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

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

$$\frac{x-3}{3} = (4+2y)^3$$

$$\sqrt[3]{\frac{x-3}{3}} = 4+2y$$

$$\sqrt[3]{\frac{x-3}{3}} - 4 = 2y$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt[3]{\frac{x-3}{3}} - 4}{2}$$

7) $g(x) = 2\sqrt[3]{3-4x} - 1$

$$x = 2\sqrt[3]{3-4y} - 1$$

$$x+1 = 2\sqrt[3]{3-4y}$$

$$\frac{x+1}{2} = \sqrt[3]{3-4y}$$

$$\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right)^3 = 3-4y$$

$$\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right)^3 - 3 = -4y$$

$$y = \frac{\left(\frac{x+1}{2}\right)^3 - 3}{-4}$$

Use composition to prove the following functions are inverses.

8) $f(x) = \sqrt[3]{\frac{x+1}{2}} - 2$ and $g(x) = 2(x+2)^3 - 1$

$$\sqrt[3]{\frac{2(x+2)^3 - 1 + 1}{2}} - 2 \rightarrow \sqrt[3]{\frac{2(x+2)^3}{2}} - 2 \rightarrow \sqrt[3]{(x+2)^3} - 2 \rightarrow x+2-2 \rightarrow x \checkmark$$

Solve the following equations.

9) $5x^3 + 25 = 13$

$$5x^3 = -12$$

$$x^3 = -2.4$$

$$x = -1.339$$

10) $-2\sqrt[3]{4x+3} - 12 = 8$

$$-2\sqrt[3]{4x+3} = 20$$

$$\sqrt[3]{4x+3} = -10$$

$$4x+3 = -1000$$

$$4x = -1003$$

$$x = -250.75$$

11) $\sqrt[3]{x+23} = 3\sqrt[3]{2x-4}$

$$\left(\sqrt[3]{x+23}\right)^3 = \left(3\sqrt[3]{2x-4}\right)^3$$

$$x+23 = 27(2x-4)$$

$$x+23 = 54x - 108$$

$$131 = 53x$$

$$x = 2.472$$

12) The price of a stock is growing according to the equation $P(t) = \frac{1}{24.6}(t + 2.5)^3 + 500$, where t is measured in weeks and $P(t)$ is the price of the stock.

a) Determine the value of the stock after 10 weeks.

$$P(10) = \frac{1}{24.6}(10 + 2.5)^3 + 500$$

$$P(10) = 579.40$$

b) In which week is the price of the stock valued at \$1000?

$$1000 = \frac{1}{24.6}(t + 2.5)^3 + 500$$

$$500 = \frac{1}{24.6}(t + 2.5)^3$$

$$12300 = (t + 2.5)^3$$

$$23.084 = t + 2.5$$

$$20.584 = t$$

The stock reaches \$1000 in the 20th week

13) The number of searches in Google for an piece of artwork is modeled by the cube root equation

$S(m) = 1.93 \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4.23}m - 1} + 3$, where $S(m)$ is the number of searches in hundreds of thousands and m is the number of months since the beginning of the year.

a) Determine how many searches were made on the first day of November.

$$S(11) = 1.93 \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4.23}(11) - 1} + 3$$

$$S(11) = 5.258$$

There were 525,800 searches on the first of November.

b) In which month did the number of searches first exceed 400,000?

$$4 = 1.93 \sqrt[3]{\frac{1}{4.23}m - 1} + 3$$

$$m = 4.818$$

The number of searches first exceeded 400,000 in April.