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**VCE Mathematical Methods ½**  
**Functions & Relations II [2.2]**  
**Homework**

**Homework Outline:**

Compulsory Questions	Pg 2 – Pg 15
Supplementary Questions	Pg 16 – Pg 27



## Section A: Compulsory Questions

### Sub-Section [2.2.1]: Find Domain and Range of Functions



#### Question 1



For the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3}$ , find its:

a. Maximal domain.

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b. Range.

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**Question 2**

For the function  $f : (-2, 3] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = (x - 1)^2 + 2$ , find its:

**a.** Maximal domain.

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**b.** Range.

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**Question 3**

For the function  $f : [-6, -3) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = \log_3(x^2 - 9)$ , find its:

**a.** Maximal domain.

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**b.** Range.

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**Question 4 Tech-Active.**

For the function  $f(x) = 3\sqrt{\frac{x+2}{x-1}}$ , find its:

**a.** Maximal domain.

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**b.** Range.

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## Sub-Section [2.2.2]: Sketch and Find the Domain and Range of Hybrid Functions

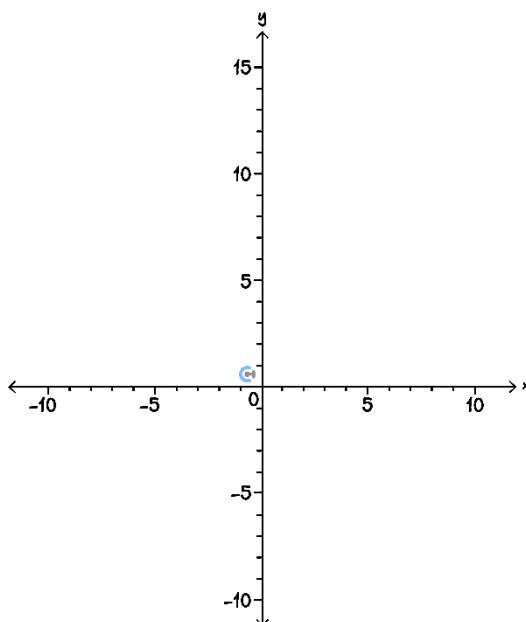
### Question 5



Consider the hybrid function  $g$ .

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} (x-3)^2 - 4, & x \geq 1 \\ \frac{x}{2} + 8, & x < 1 \end{cases}$$

a. Sketch the graph  $y = g(x)$ .



b. Find the range of  $g(x)$ .

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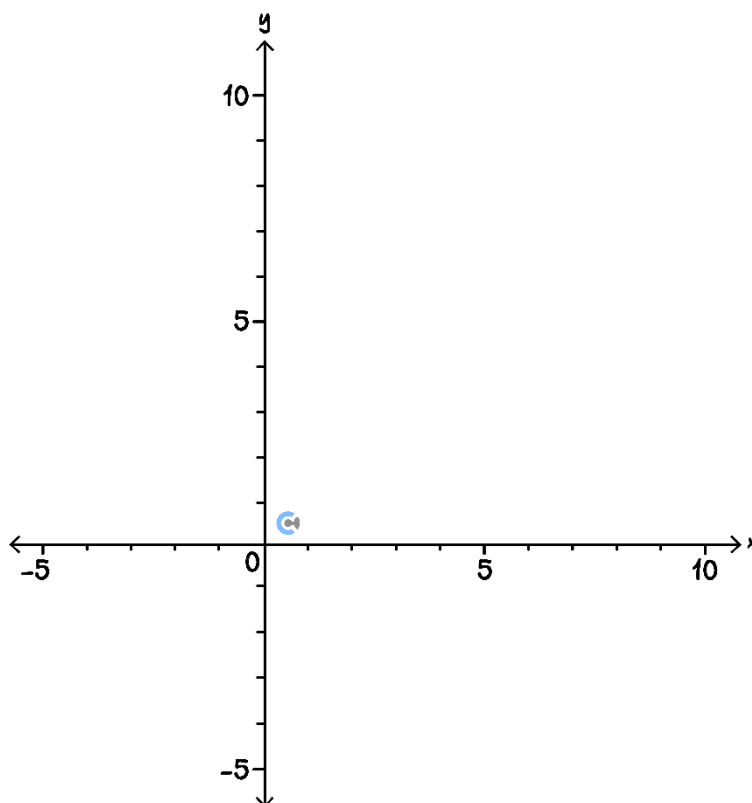
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**Question 6**

Consider the hybrid function  $g$ .

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 3, & -1 \leq x \leq 3 \\ 21 - 4x, & 3 < x < 4 \\ \frac{1}{2}x + 3, & 4 \leq x \leq 6 \end{cases}$$

- a. Sketch the graph  $y = g(x)$ .



- b. Find the range of  $g(x)$ .

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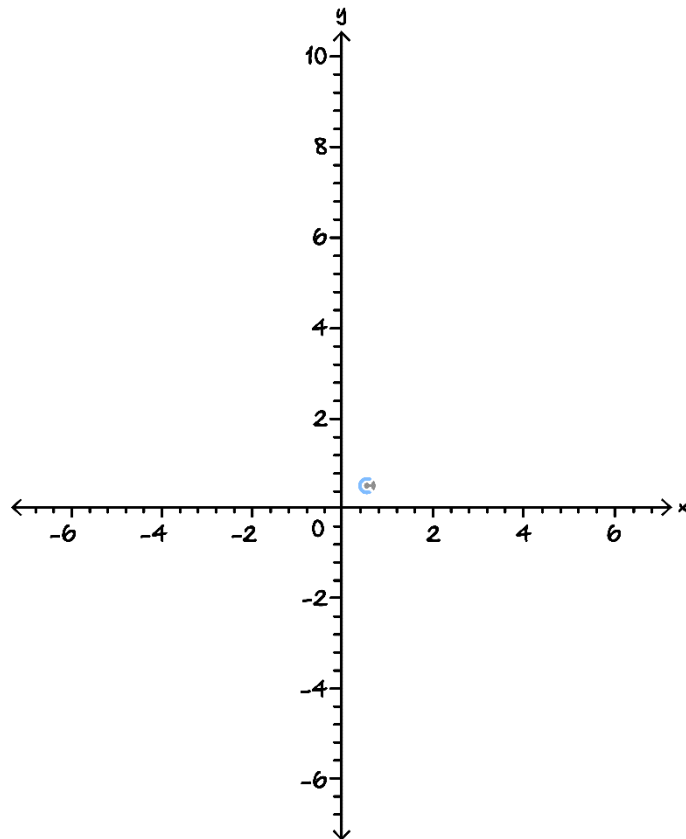
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**Question 7**

Consider the hybrid function  $g$ .

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{2}{x+3} - 1, & x < -1 \\ -x^2 - 2x - 2 & x > -1 \end{cases}$$

- a. Sketch the graph  $y = g(x)$ .



- b. Find the range of  $g(x)$ .

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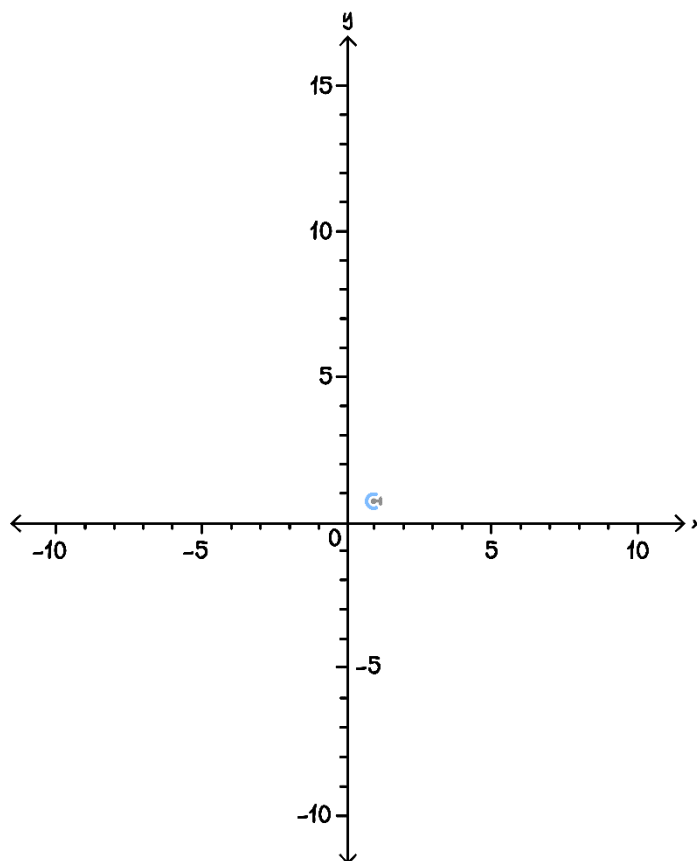
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**Question 8 Tech-Active.**

Consider the hybrid function  $g$ .

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} (x+1)^2 + 2, & x \geq -1 \\ -7 - 2x, & x < -1 \end{cases}$$

- a. Sketch the graph  $y = g(x)$ .



- b. Find the range of  $g(x)$ .

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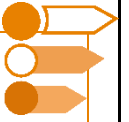
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## Sub-Section [2.2.3]: Find the Rule, Domain, Range, and Intersections between Inverse Functions

### Question 9



Consider the function  $f(x) = 4x - 1$ .

- a. Find the rule for the inverse function  $f^{-1}$ .

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- b. State the domain and range of  $f^{-1}$ .

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- c. Find the coordinates for any points of intersection between  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

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**Question 10**

Consider the function  $f : [-2, 4] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = -3x + 1$ .

- a. Find the rule for the inverse function  $f^{-1}$ .

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- b. State the domain and range of  $f^{-1}$ .

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- c. Find the coordinates for any points of intersection between  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

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**Question 11**

Consider the function  $f(x) = -2\sqrt{4-x} + 5$ .

- a. Find the rule for the inverse function  $f^{-1}$ .

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- b. State the domain and range of  $f^{-1}$ .

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- c. Find the coordinates for any points of intersection between  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

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**Question 12 Tech-Active.**

Consider the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-5} + 2$ .

- a. Find the rule for the inverse function  $f^{-1}$ .

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- b. State the domain and range of  $f^{-1}$ .

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- c. Find the coordinates for any points of intersection between  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$ .

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## Sub-Section: Final Boss

### Question 13

Consider the function  $f: [a, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = x^2 - 6x + 10$ .

- a. Write  $f(x)$  in turning point by completing the square.

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- b. Hence, state the smallest value of  $a$  such that, the inverse function  $f^{-1}$  exists.

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- c. Use functional notation to define  $f^{-1}$ .

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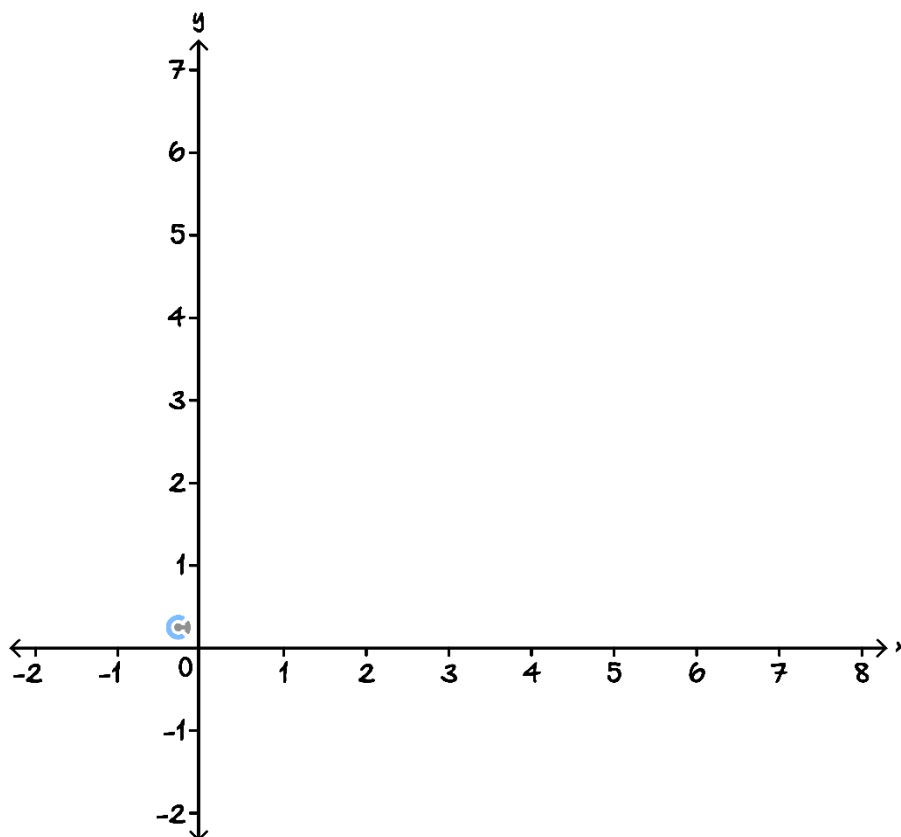
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- d. Sketch the graphs of  $f$  and  $f^{-1}$  on the axes below. Label endpoints and any points of intersection with coordinates.




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- e. Let  $g$  be a one-to-one function with the same rule as  $f$  but a different domain.  $g$  is defined as:

$$g : (k, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, g(x) = x^2 - 6x + 10.$$

Find the smallest value of  $k$  such that,  $g$  and  $g^{-1}$  do not intersect each other.

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## Section B: Supplementary Questions

### Sub-Section [2.2.1]: Find Domain and Range of Functions



#### Question 14



Find the domain of the following functions:

a.  $y = \sqrt{5 - 2x}$ .

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b.  $y = -\frac{3}{x^2 + 4x - 12}$ .

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c.  $y = 2 \log_e(x + 1)$ .

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**Question 15**

Find the maximal domain of the following functions:

a.  $y = \frac{(\sqrt{x^2+9x+18})}{2}$ .

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b.  $y = \frac{3}{\sqrt{6-5x-x^2}} - 4$

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c.  $y = \log_5((1-x)(x+4)^2) + 1$ .

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**Question 16**

Express  $f(x)$  in full function mapping notation:

a.  $f(x) = \log_2(2x^2 + 7x + 6)$ .

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b.  $f(x) = (3x^2 - 12x + 16)^{\frac{3}{2}}$ .

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

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**Question 17**


Find the maximal domain of the function  $f(x) = x^2 + 4x + 12$  such that, the range of  $f(x)$  is  $[8, 17)$ .

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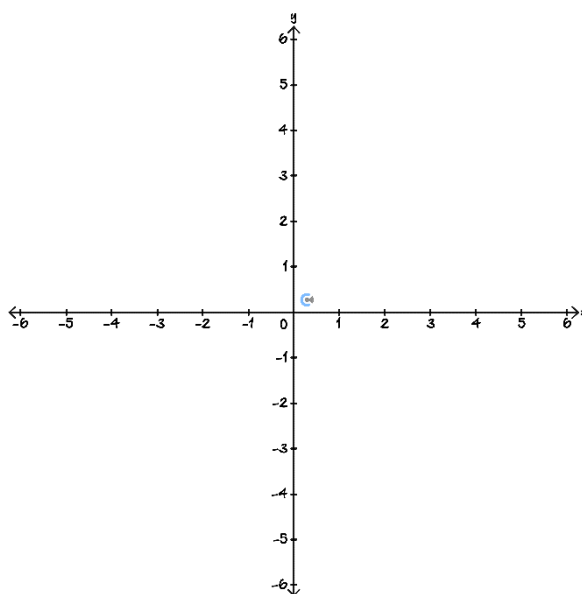
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### Question 18

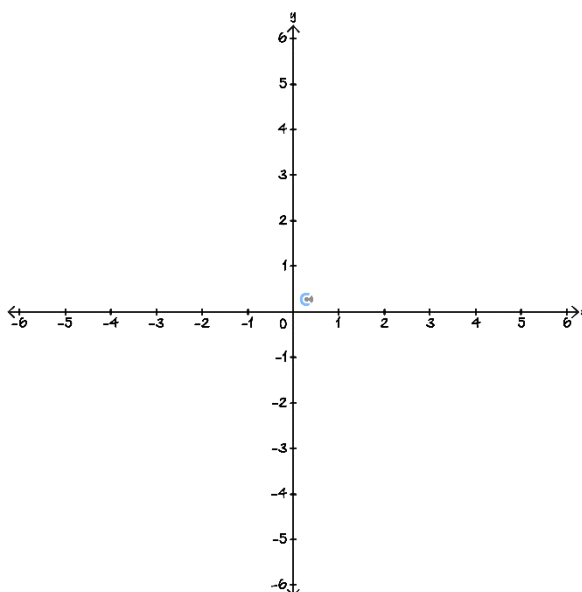


Sketch the following graphs. Label all intercepts and endpoints.

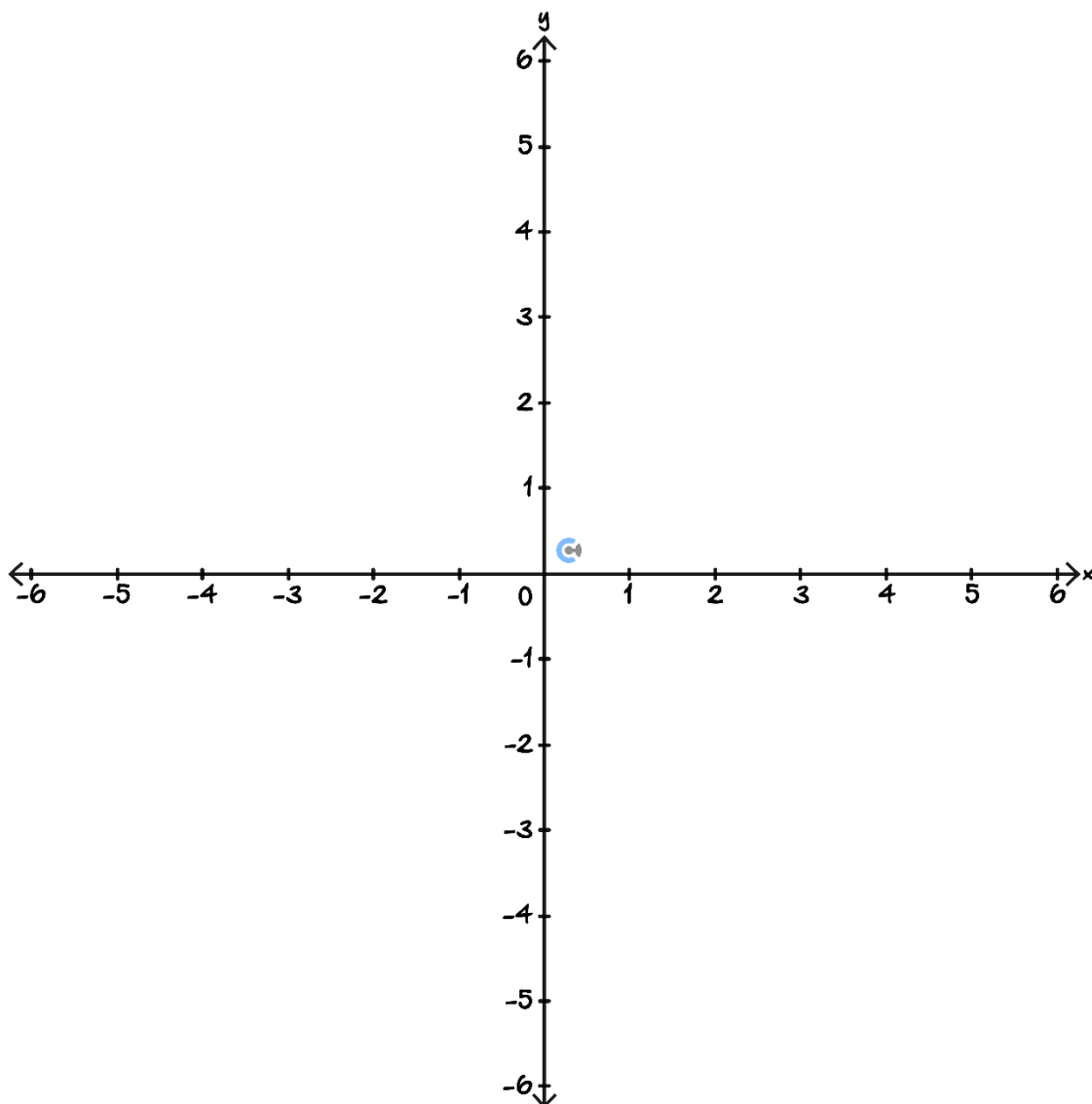
a.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3}(x-2)^2 - 3, & 2 \leq x < 6 \\ -x - 1, & -1 < x < 2 \end{cases}$



b.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x + 4, & -3 < x \leq -2 \\ x^2 - x - 2, & -2 < x < 2 \end{cases}$



c.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 4 - x^2, & x \leq 0 \\ \frac{2}{x} - 1, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$



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**Question 19**

Find the range of the following piecewise functions.

a.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 2, & -4 \leq x < 1 \\ 2x - 2, & 1 \leq x \leq 3 \end{cases}$

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b.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 - 4x + 6, & 0 < x < 5 \\ \frac{1}{2}x + 6, & -6 < x < 0 \end{cases}$

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c.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 4, & -3 < x < -1 \\ x^2, & -1 \leq x \leq 2 \\ x - 4, & 2 < x < 8 \end{cases}$

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**Question 20**


Find the maximal domain of the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sqrt{8 - 2x} \\ \log_e(-x^2 + 5x + 6) \end{cases}$

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## Sub-Section [2.2.3]: Find the Rule, Domain, Range, and Intersections Between Inverse Functions

### Question 21



The function  $f(x)$  is defined as  $f: [-5, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = \frac{2}{3-x} + 6$ .

a. Find the equation of  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

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b. Determine the domain of  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

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c. State the range of  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

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**Question 22**

Consider the function  $g: (-\infty, 0] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, g(x) = 2x^2 - 12x + 16$ .

- a. Find the equation of the inverse function.

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- b. Find the domain of the inverse function.

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- c. State the range of the inverse function.

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**Question 23**

Consider the function  $f(x) = 1 - \sqrt{7 - x}$ .

- a. Define the inverse function of  $f(x)$ , using full function mapping notation.

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- b. Find the point of intersection between  $f(x)$  and  $f^{-1}(x)$ .

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**Question 24**


Find the values of  $k$  such that, the graph  $f: [0, \infty) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = x^2 + k$  and  $f^{-1}(x)$  have 2 solutions.

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