

Popper 01 ← Bubble 01 for popper #.

① Where do you take your tests?

A. in class B. CASA C. online

② How many times can you work on a quiz?

A. once B. 20 times C. infinitely many

③ Bubble A.

Bubble

④ Bubble C.

correctly.

Linear function: $f(x) = mx + b$
 ↑ slope y-intercept

Math 1330 - Section 2.1
Linear and Quadratic Functions

Recall: Equation of a line: $2x + 3y = 4 \iff \frac{3y}{3} = \frac{-2x+4}{3} \Rightarrow y = -\frac{2}{3}x + \frac{4}{3}$

General form: $ax + by = c$. (slope is: $m = -\frac{a}{b}$)

Slope-intercept form: $y = mx + b$ (m is the slope and b is the y-intercept)

Point-slope form: $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
 ↑ slope

If two points on the line are given, then the slope is:

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$$

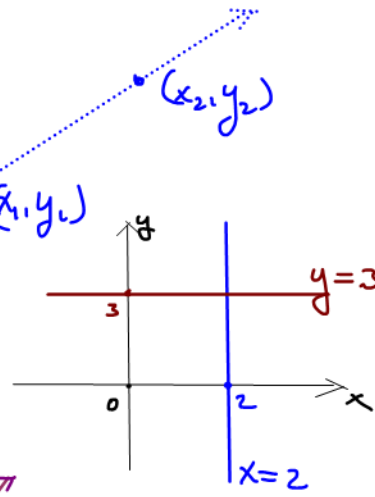
Vertical lines are of the form: $x = c$. ← slope undefined

Horizontal lines are of the form: $y = c$. ← slope = 0

Two lines are parallel if they have the same slope. $m_1 = m_2$
 Two lines are perpendicular if their slopes are negative reciprocals of each other.

$$m_1 = -\frac{1}{m_2}$$

Definition: A **linear function** is a function of the form $f(x) = mx + b$, where m is the **slope** and b is the **y-intercept**.



Need two points

Example 1: Write an equation of the linear function for which $f(2) = 5$ and $f(-1) = 2$.

$(2, 5)$
 $(-1, 2)$

$$\text{slope} = \frac{5-2}{2-(-1)} = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

$$y - 5 = 1(x - 2)$$

$$y = x + 3$$

Need two points

Example 2: Write an equation of the linear function which contains the point $(2, -5)$ and whose inverse contains the point $(-1, 6)$.

$(2, -5)$
 $(6, -1)$

$$f^{-1}(-1) = 6 \iff f(6) = -1$$

$$m = \frac{-5+1}{2-6} = \frac{-4}{-4} = 1 \Rightarrow y + 5 = 1 \cdot (x - 2)$$

$$y = x - 7$$

Example 3: Write an equation of the linear function which is parallel to the line $2x - 5y = 10$ and which passes through the point $(-1, -4)$.

gives the slope

$$2x - 5y = 10$$

$$\frac{3y}{5} = \frac{2x-10}{5}$$

$$y = \frac{2x}{5} - \frac{10}{5}$$

Being parallel, we get slope = $\frac{2}{5}$.

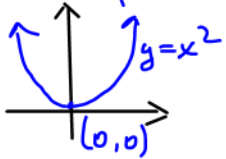
- $m = \frac{2}{5}$
- point $(-1, -4)$

$$\Rightarrow y + 4 = \frac{2}{5}(x + 1)$$

$$y = \frac{2}{5}x - \frac{18}{5}$$

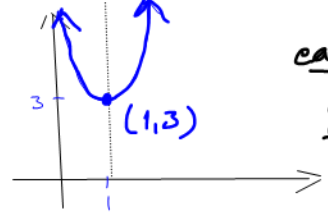
Basic quadratic function:

$$f(x) = x^2$$



$$y = 2(x-1)^2 + 3$$

- stretch, shift 1 right, and 3 up.

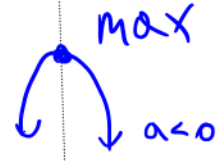


easy to graph

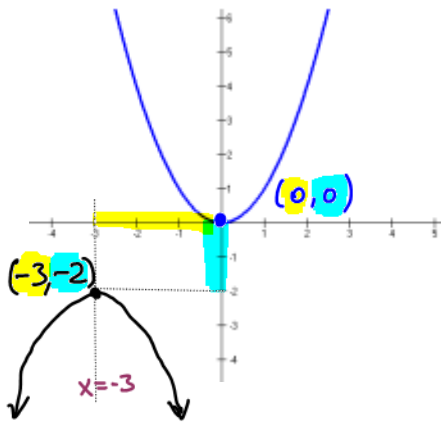
A **quadratic function** is a function of the form $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c, a \neq 0$

The graph of a quadratic function is called a parabola. You should be able to identify the following features of the graph of a quadratic function:

- direction the graph opens (upward or downward)
- whether the function has a maximum or a minimum
- y intercept ($f(0)$) $y = f(0)$
- coordinates of the vertex
- equation of the axis of symmetry
- maximum or minimum value



occur at vertex.



ex $f(x) = -(x+3)^2 - 2$

(downward, shift 3 left, 2 down)

vertex is $(-3, -2)$

maximum value $f(-3) = -2$

If $a > 0$, the parabola will open upward. In this case, the function has a minimum value.

If $a < 0$, the parabola will open downward. In this case, the function has a maximum value.

} at vertex.

The standard form of a quadratic function:

We like

this form, $f(x) = a(x-h)^2 + k$ is in the standard form.

vertex (h, k)

The vertex is (h, k) and the axis of symmetry is the line $x = h$.

The maximum or minimum value of the function is the number k (the y-coordinate of the vertex). $f(h) = k$.

because we can find vertex, axis of symmetry and max/min value of function. $f(h) = k$

What if it is not in standard form?

example:

$$f(x) = 2x^2 + 4x - 5$$

- upward

- what is vertex ???

$$f(x) = (2x^2 + 4x) - 5$$

factor 2

$$= 2(x^2 + 2x) - 5$$

$$= 2(x^2 + \underline{2}x + 1^2) - 5 - 2 \cdot 1^2$$

find $a = \frac{2}{2} = 1$

$$f(x) = 2(x+1)^2 - 7$$

⇒ easy to visualize:

- upward stretched out
- vertex $(-1, -7)$
(shift 1 left, 7 down).

"Complete square Method"

$$(x+a)^2 = x^2 + 2ax + a^2,$$

hence

$$x^2 + \underbrace{(2a)}_{\text{circled}} x + \underbrace{a^2}_{\text{boxed}} = (x+a)^2$$

using these two terms, we'll find the a^2 term.

Note

$$a = \frac{(2a)}{2} = \text{half.}$$

Recall: $(x+a)^2 = x^2 + 2ax + a^2$ half gives "a".

$$(x-a)^2 = x^2 - 2ax + a^2$$

Example 4: Given the function $f(x) = -2x^2 - 12x + 6$.

Find the standard form: $f(x) = -2x^2 - 12x + 6 = -2(x^2 + 6x + \underline{3}) + 6 + 2 \cdot 3^2$
half = $\frac{6}{2} = 3 = a$

Find the vertex: $(-3, 24)$

$$f(x) = -2(x+3)^2 + 24$$

Find the axis of symmetry: $x = -3$

State the max/min value: since downward, f has a maximum value at vertex, $f(-3) = 24$

NOTE: If you are not asked to write the function in standard form, you can find the vertex using a different method. The coordinates of the vertex of the graph of the function

$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c, a \neq 0$ is the ordered pair $\left(\frac{-b}{2a}, f\left(\frac{-b}{2a}\right)\right)$.

Vertex formula: $x = \frac{-b}{2a}, y = f(x)$.

You don't have to use "complete the square method" all the time.

If you are given the vertex of the graph of a function and another point, you can find the quadratic function equation.

→ look at next page for an application.

Example 5: Write the equation of the quadratic function which passes through the point (0, 7) and whose vertex is (-2, 10).

→ Quadratic function
vertex $(-2, 10)$

Standard form
 $f(x) = a(x-h)^2 + k$

⇒ $f(x) = a(x+2)^2 + 10$ ← find "a".

→ The function passes through (0, 7)

⇒ $f(0) = a(0+2)^2 + 10 = 7$
 $4a + 10 = 7 \Rightarrow 4a = -3$
 $a = -\frac{3}{4}$

⇒ $f(x) = -\frac{3}{4}(x+2)^2 + 10$

Let's apply vertex formula:

$$f(x) = -2x^2 - 12x + 6$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -2, \quad b = -12, \quad c = 6$$

Vertex: • x-coordinate = h

$$x = -\frac{b}{2a} = \frac{-(-12)}{2(-2)} = \frac{12}{-4} = -3$$

(-3, 24)

\Rightarrow $x = -3$ exactly same as we found by the other method.

• y-coordinate = $\boxed{h = f(h)}$

$$y = f(-3) \leftarrow \text{substitute } "-3" \text{ in } f.$$

$$= -2(-3)^2 - 12(-3) + 6$$

$$= -18 + 36 + 6 = 24$$

$\boxed{y = 24}$ exactly same.

exercise

standard form $\rightarrow f(x) = a(x-h)^2 + k$

axis of sym. $x=h$

Example 6: Find the quadratic function that satisfies:

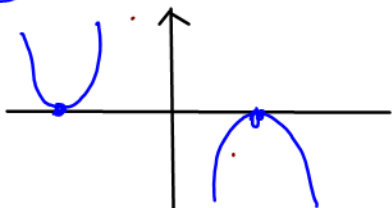
① The axis of symmetry is: $x = -4$ $\Rightarrow f(x) = a(x+4)^2 + k$ using ①

② The y-intercept is: $(0,80)$

③ There is only one x-intercept. No vertical shift $\Rightarrow k=0 \Rightarrow f(x) = a(x+4)^2$

② $(0,80) \Rightarrow f(0) = a(0+4)^2 = 80 \Rightarrow a = 5$

$\Rightarrow f(x) = 5(x+4)^2$



Example 7: A rocket is fired directly upwards with a velocity of 80 ft/sec. The equation for its height, H , as a function of time, t , is given by the function $H(t) = -16t^2 + 80t$.

parabola, downward

a. Find the time at which the rocket reaches its maximum height.

\Rightarrow reaches maximum at vertex x-coordinate:

b. Find the maximum height of the rocket.

$t = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-80}{2(-16)} = 2.5$ seconds

maximum height:

$f(2.5) = -16 \cdot (2.5)^2 + 80 \cdot (2.5)$
 $= 100$ ft.