

3-7 Lesson Master

Questions on SPUR Objectives

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SKILLS Objective A

In 1 and 2, let $f(x) = x^2 + 7x + 2$ and $g(x) = 3x - 5$.

1. Evaluate each composite.

a. $f(g(1))$ _____

b. $g(f(1))$ _____

2. Find a formula for each composite.

a. $f(g(x))$ _____

b. $g(g(x))$ _____

3. Let $F = \{(2, 8), (3, 5), (4, 3), (5, 2)\}$ and $G = \{(8, 2), (2, 4), (3, 3), (5, 2)\}$. Find each composite.

a. $F \circ G$ _____

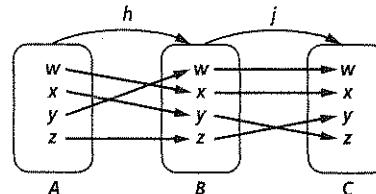
b. $G \circ F$ _____

4. Consider the functions h mapping A to B and j mapping B to C . Evaluate each composite.

a. $h(j(w))$ _____

b. $j(h(x))$ _____

c. $(h \circ j)(z)$ _____



5. Let $S: (x, y) \rightarrow (x, 2y)$ and let $T: (x - 3, y + 4)$. Write a simplified formula for $(T \circ S)(x, y)$.

PROPERTIES Objective F

6. Let $s(x) = \sqrt{x - 2}$ and $n(x) = x^2 - 1$. Give the domain of each composite.

a. $n \circ s$ _____

b. $s \circ n$ _____

In 7 and 8, true or false. If true, justify your answer. If false, give a counterexample.

7. Let $g(t) = \frac{1}{t} - 1$. The domain of g is the same as the domain of $g \circ g$.

8. A horizontal translation of h units followed by a vertical scale change of magnitude p is the same as a vertical scale change of magnitude p followed by a horizontal translation of h units.

Horizontal

Horizontal

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SKILLS Objective B

In 1–4, a function is described. a. Give a set of ordered pairs or an equation for the inverse of the function; b. State whether the inverse is a function.

1. $y = 2 - 3x$ a. _____ b. _____
2. $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ a. _____ b. _____
3. $g = \{(3, 2), (2, -1), (5, 3), (3, -1)\}$
a. _____ b. _____
4. $h(x) = \frac{3}{x+4}$ a. _____ b. _____

PROPERTIES Objective F

In 5 and 6, true or false. If true, explain your answer. If false, give a counterexample.

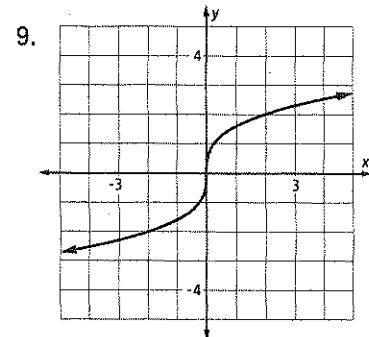
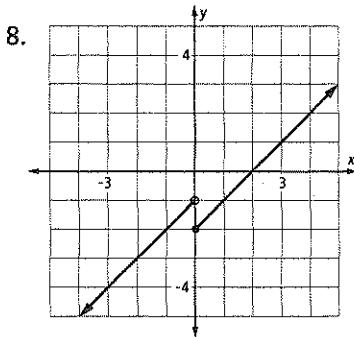
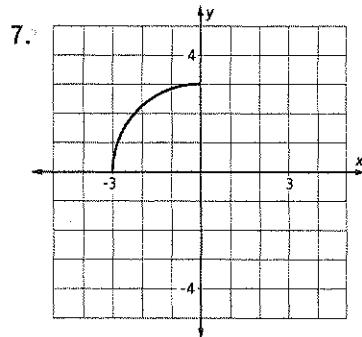
5. If a function is an even function, then its inverse is not a function.

6. Given two functions, f and g , if $f(g(x)) = x$ for all x in the domain of g then f and g are inverses. _____

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In 7–9, determine whether the inverse of the graphed function is a function. If the inverse is a function, sketch its graph on the same set of axes.



Composite Functions

Example

If $f(x) = x + 3$ and $g(x) = 2x^2$

Find $g(f(x))$.

$$\begin{aligned} f(g(x)) &= f(2x^2) \\ &= 2x^2 + 3 \end{aligned}$$

Find $g(f(x))$.

$$\begin{aligned} g(f(x)) &= g(x + 3) \\ &= 2(x + 3)^2 \\ &= 2(x^2 + 6x + 9) \\ &= 2x^2 + 12x + 18 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = 3x - 5$$

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

$$h(x) = x + 3$$

Find the composition of the following functions.

1. $f(g(x))$

2. $g(h(x))$

Inverse Functions

A function f has an inverse only if the function f is one-to-one. (If passes the vertical and horizontal line tests.)
The inverse function is denoted as f^{-1} .

Example

Find the inverse of $f(x) = 2x + 8$.

1. Replace $f(x)$ with y .
2. Interchange x and y .
3. Solve for y .

$$\begin{aligned} y &= 2x + 8 \\ x &= 2y + 8 \\ \frac{x}{2} - 4 &= y \\ x - 8 &= 2y \\ f^{-1}(x) &= \frac{x}{2} - 4 \end{aligned}$$

Find the inverse of the following functions.

1. $f(x) = 4x - 8$

2. $f(x) = 3x + 6$

3. $h(f(x))$

4. $g(f(x))$

3. $f(x) = \frac{x}{2} - 1$

4. $f(x) = (\frac{2}{3})x + 4$

5. $f(h(x))$

6. $f(h(g(x)))$

5. $f(x) = \frac{4}{5x} - 3$

6. $f(x) = x^3$

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- Evaluate each composite.
a. $f(g(1)) = -8$ b. $g(f(1)) = 25$
- Find a formula for each composite.
a. $f(g(x)) = 9x^2 - 9x - 8$ b. $g(f(x)) = 9x - 20$

3. Let $F = \{(2, 8), (3, 5), (4, 3), (5, 2)\}$ and $G = \{(8, 2), (2, 4), (3, 3), (5, 2)\}$. Find each composite.
a. $F \circ G = \{(8, 8), (2, 3), (3, 5), (5, 8)\}$ b. $G \circ F = \{(2, 2), (3, 2), (4, 3), (5, 4)\}$

4. Consider the functions k mapping A to B and j mapping B to C . Evaluate each composite.
a. $k(j(w)) = X$
b. $j(k(z)) = Z$
c. $(k \circ j)(z) = W$

5. Let $S: (x, y) \rightarrow (x, 2y)$ and let $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (x - 3, y + 4)$. Write a simplified formula for $(T \circ S)(x, y)$.

PROPERTIES Objective F

6. Let $s(x) = \sqrt{x - 2}$ and $t(x) = x^2 - 1$. Give the domain of each composite.
a. $s \circ s = (x|x \geq 2)$ b. $s \circ t = (x|x \geq \sqrt{3})$

In 7 and 8, true or false. If true, justify your answer. If false, give a counterexample.

7. Let $g(t) = \frac{1}{t} - 1$. The domain of g is the same as the domain of $g \circ g$. false; $g(1) = 0$ but $g(g(1))$ is undefined

8. A horizontal translation of h units followed by a vertical scale change of magnitude p is the same as a vertical scale change of magnitude p followed by a horizontal translation of h units.
false; let $T: (x, y) \rightarrow (x + 2, y)$ and $S: (x, y) \rightarrow (2x, y)$. $(T \circ S)(x, y) = (2x + 2, y)$ but $(S \circ T)(x, y) = (2x + 4, y)$.

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- $y = 2 - 3x$ a. $y = \frac{2-x}{3}$ b. function
- $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ a. $y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$ b. function
- $g = \{(3, 2), (2, -1), (5, 3), (3, -1)\}$ a. $\{(2, 3), (-1, 2), (3, 5), (-1, 3)\}$ b. not a function
- $k(x) = \frac{3}{x+4}$ a. $y = \frac{3}{x} - 4$ b. function

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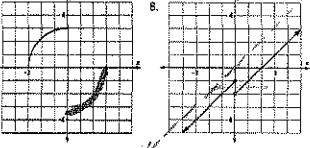
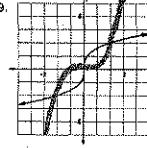
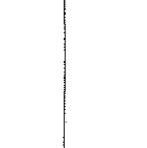
In 5 and 6, true or false. If true, explain your answer. If false, give a counterexample.

5. If a function is an even function, then its inverse is not a function.
true; consider the even function $f(x) = x^2$, $f^{-1}(x) = \pm\sqrt{x}$ which is not a function

6. Given two functions, f and g , if $f(g(x)) = x$ for all x in the domain of g then f and g are inverses. false; $g(f(x)) = x$ for all x in the domain of f must also be true.

REPRESENTATIONS Objectives I, K

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7. a function 8. not a function 9. a function

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$$n(s(x))$$

$$f_1(f_2(x))$$

Inverse Functions

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- $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{4}x + 2$
- $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{1}{3}x - 2$
- $f^{-1}(x) = 2x + 2$
- $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3}{2}x - 6$
- $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{4}{5(x+3)}$
- $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$

$$\sqrt{x^2 - 3} = 0$$

$$x^2 - 3 = 0$$

$$x^2 = 3$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}$$

Composition of Functions

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- $3x^2 - 8$
- $x^2 + 6x + 8$
- $3x - 2$
- $9x^2 - 30x + 24$
- $3x + 4$
- $3x^2 + 1$