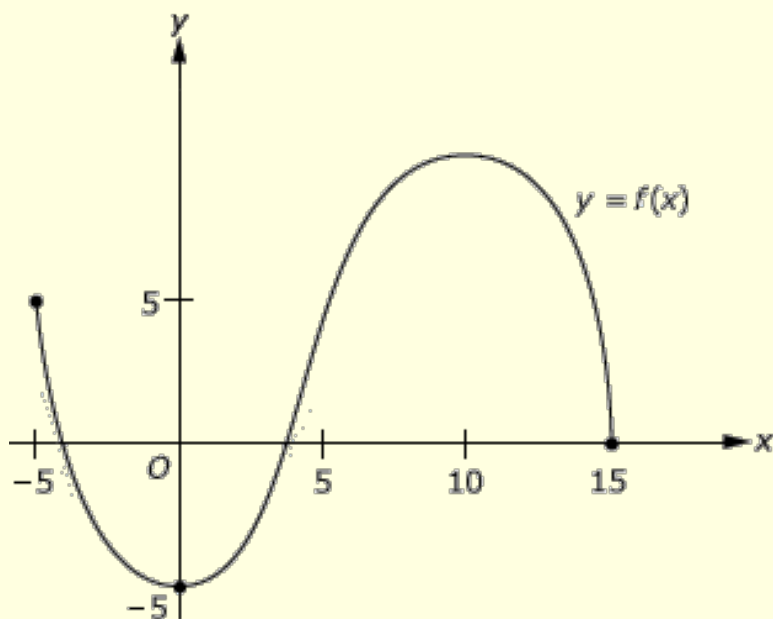
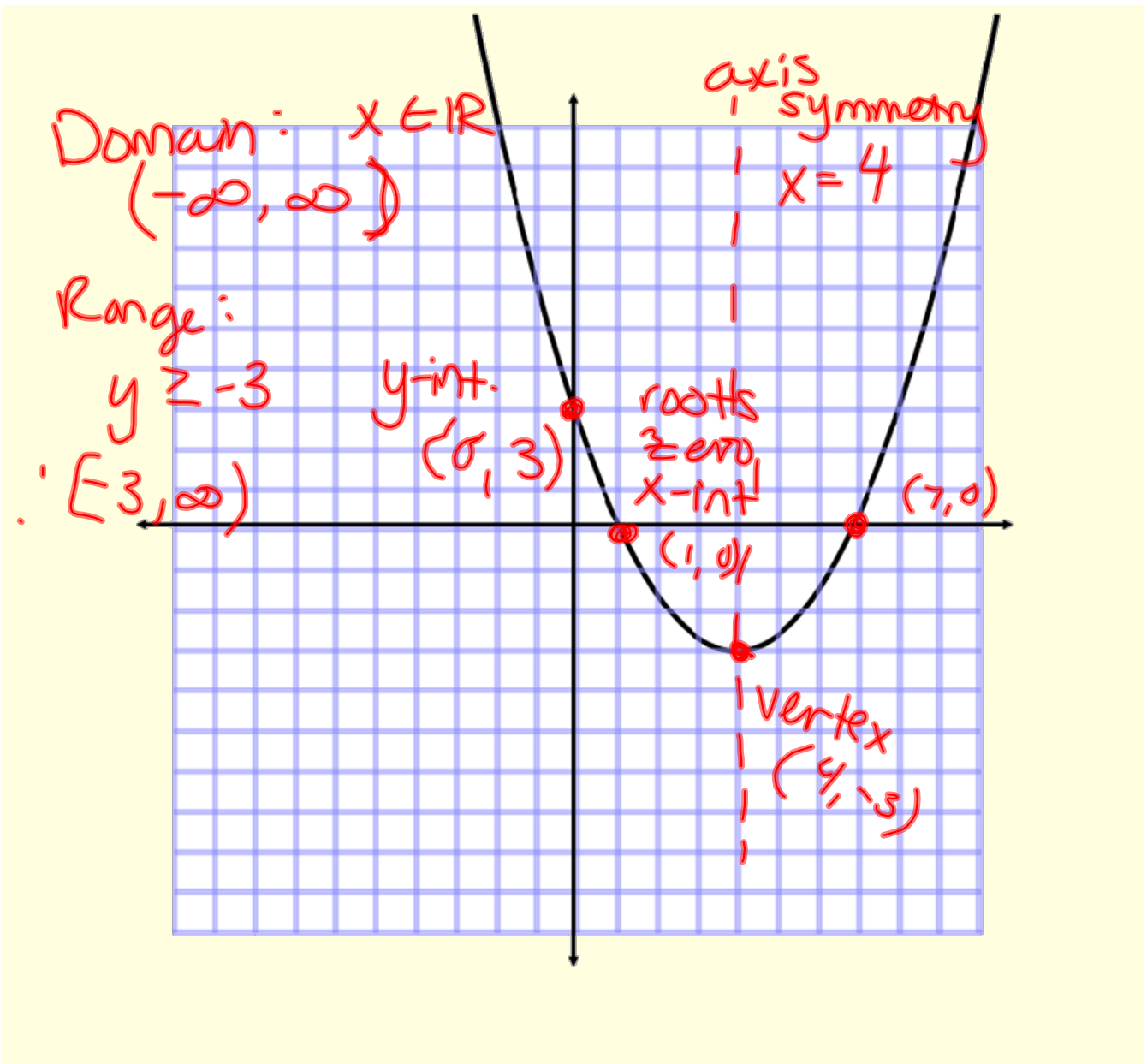


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The function  $f$  is graphed in the  $xy$ -plane above. If the function  $g$  is defined by  $g(x) = f(x) + 4$ , for how many values of  $x$  between -5 and 15 does  $g(x)$  equal 0?

## 3-4 Quadratic Functions



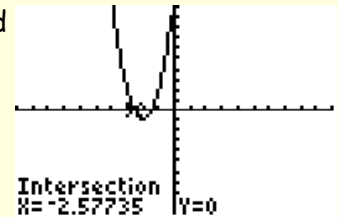
Domain: Domain of a quadratic function is always all real numbers. Why?

Range: depends on the vertex and whether it is opening up or down

Vertex: two ways to find it

- If in standard form:  $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ , then the x-value of the vertex will be  $-\frac{b}{2a}$
- How do we find the y-value of the vertex?
- If in vertex form:  $f(x) = a(x - h)^2 + k$ , then the vertex is (h, k)
- Back to range: up or down?

For the following quadratic functions, analytically find the domain, range, vertex, axis of symmetry, and y-intercept. Verify these and find the x-intercepts on your graphing calculator.



⊕ opens ↑

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

$\frac{h}{k}$

Domain  
 $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Range  
 $[-1, \infty)$   
 $y \geq -1$

Vertex  
 $(-2, -1)$

A of Sym  
 $x = -2$

Y-int  
 $(0, 11)$

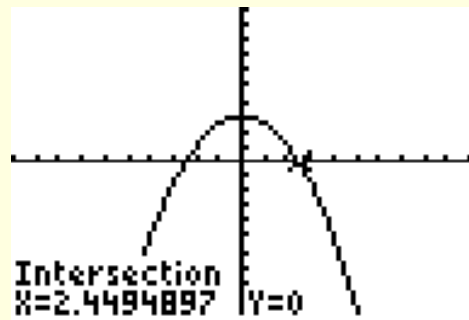
X-int  $(-2.577, 0) + (-1.422, 0)$

For the following quadratic functions, analytically find the domain, range, vertex, axis of symmetry, and y-intercept. Verify these and find the x-intercepts on your graphing calculator.

$$y = ax^2 + bx + c$$

opens down

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



Domain

$$x \in \mathbb{R}$$

Range

$$y \leq 3$$

$$(-\infty, 3]$$

Vertex

$$x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-0}{2(-\frac{1}{2})} = 0$$

$$(0, 3)$$

Axis of Sym:  $x = 0$

Y-int  $(0, 3)$

X-int

$$(2.45, 0)$$

$$(-2.45, 0)$$

For the following quadratic functions, analytically find the domain, range, vertex, axis of symmetry, and y-intercept. Verify these and find the x-intercepts on your graphing calculator.

$$f(x) = -3x^2 + 6x - 5$$

$$f(x) = 6x - 3x^2 - 5$$

Domain

$$x \in \mathbb{R}$$

Vertex

$$x = \frac{-b}{2a} = 1$$

Range

$$(-\infty, -2]$$

$$y \leq -2$$

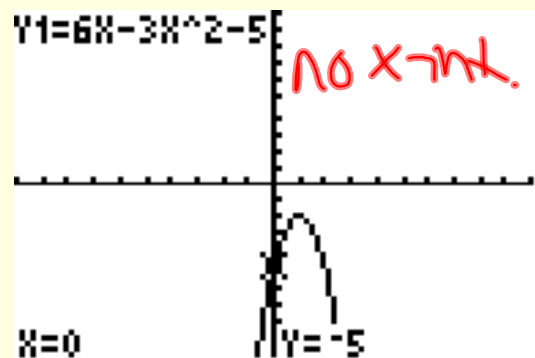
$$(1, -2)$$

Axis of S

$$x = 1$$

y-int

$$(0, -5)$$



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