Practice

Families of Graphs

Describe how the graphs of f(x) and g(x) are related.

1. $f(x) = x^2$ and $g(x) = (x + 3)^2 - 1$ g(x) is the graph of f(x)translated left 3 units and down 1 unit. 2. f(x) = |x| and g(x) = -|2x|g(x) is the graph of f(x) reflected over the x-axis and compressed horizontally by a factor of 0.5.

Use the graph of the given parent function to describe the graph of each related function.

3. $f(x) = x^3$ **a.** $y = 2x^3$

expanded vertically by a factor of 2

b. $y = -0.5(x - 2)^3$

reflected over the *x*-axis, translated right 2 units, compressed vertically by a factor of 0.5

c. $y = |(x+1)^3|$

translated left 1 unit, portion below the *x*-axis reflected so that it is above the *x*-axis

Sketch the graph of each function.





7. *Consumer Costs* During her free time, Jill baby-sits the neighborhood children. She charges \$4.50 for each whole hour or any fraction of an hour. Write and graph a function that shows the cost of *x* hours of baby-sitting.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4.5 \text{ if } [x] = x \\ 4.5[x + 1] \text{ if } [x] < x \end{cases}$$

4. $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ a. $y = \sqrt{x+3} + 1$ translated left 3 units and up 1 unit

b. $y = \sqrt{-x} - 2$

reflected over the *y*-axis, translated down 2 units

c. $y = \sqrt{0.25x} - 4$ expanded horizontally by a factor of 4, translated down 4 units





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