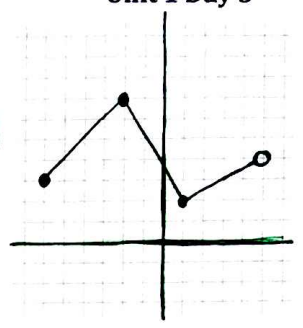


**Pre-Calculus Honors**  
**Objective 1.5: Domain Restriction**

**Do Now:**

- Objective 1.3: Find domain, range, where the function at right is increasing and decreasing  
 $D: [-6, 5)$   $R: [2, 7]$   $Incr: [-6, -2] \cup [1, 5)$   $Decr: [-2, 1]$
- Objective 1.4: Which of the nine basic parent functions (linear, square, cube, square root, absolute value, reciprocal, exponential, natural logarithm, logistic) have end behavior:  
 $x \rightarrow \infty f(x) \rightarrow \infty$  (try to do it without looking at the functions! picture them in your head instead!)
- ACT question of the day:** For all  $x$ ,  $x^2 - (3x - 2) + 2x(4x - 1) =$   
 A.  $x^2 - 5x - 2$       B.  $9x^2 + 5x - 2$       **C.  $9x^2 - 5x + 2$**       D.  $8x^2 - 3x$       E.  $9x^2 - 4x + 2$



**Mini lesson:**

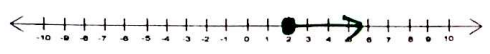
Solving inequalities: Solve for x

1.  $3x - 4 \geq 2$

$$3x \geq 6$$

$$x \geq 2$$

$$\boxed{[2, \infty)}$$



3.  $x^2 > 16$

$$x > 4 \text{ or } x < -4$$



2.  $3 - 2x < 7$

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$$-2x < 4$$

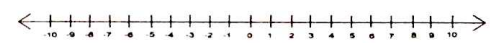
$$\boxed{x > -2}$$



4.  $|x| \leq 8$

$$x \leq 8$$

$$x \geq -8$$



**Domain Restriction: 2 rules**

**Rule #1:** We can't divide by zero

Functions only exist when the denominator does not equal 0

Find the domain of the function

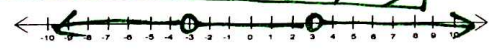
2.  $f(x) = (x + 2)/(x^2 - 9)$

$$f(x) \text{ exists: } x^2 - 9 \neq 0$$

$$x^2 \neq 9$$

$$x \neq \pm 3$$

$$D: \boxed{(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, 3) \cup (3, \infty)}$$

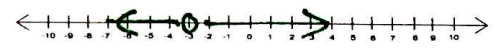


4.  $f(x) = 17/(x + 3)$

$$f(x) \text{ exists: } x + 3 \neq 0$$

$$x \neq -3$$

$$D: \boxed{(-\infty, -3) \cup (-3, \infty)}$$



3.  $f(x) = 7/(|x| - 5)$

$$f(x) \text{ exists: } |x| - 5 \neq 0$$

$$|x| \neq 5$$

$$x \neq \pm 5$$

$$D: \boxed{(-\infty, -5) \cup (-5, 5) \cup (5, \infty)}$$



5.  $f(x) = 7/(2|x| - 8)$

$$f(x) \text{ exists: } 2|x| - 8 \neq 0$$

$$2|x| \neq 8$$

$$|x| \neq 4 \rightarrow x \neq \pm 4$$

$$D: \boxed{(-\infty, -4) \cup (-4, 4) \cup (4, \infty)}$$



Rule # 2: We can't take the square root of a negative number

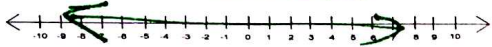
Functions only exist when the input to the square root is greater than or equal to 0

2.  $f(x) = x^3 - 2x + \sqrt{x^2 + 5}$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x^2 + 5 \geq 0$   
 $x^2 \geq -5$

always true  $\rightarrow$  doesn't restrict  $x$

$D: (-\infty, \infty)$



4.  $f(x) = x^2 + 2 + \sqrt{x + 7}$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x + 7 \geq 0$   
 $x \geq -7$

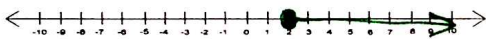
$D: [-7, \infty)$



3.  $f(x) = 2 + \sqrt{x^3 - 8}$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x^3 - 8 \geq 0$   
 $x^3 \geq 8$   
 $x \geq 2$

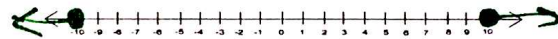
$D: [2, \infty)$



5.  $f(x) = 5x - 3 + \sqrt{x^2 - 100}$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x^2 - 100 \geq 0$   
 $x^2 \geq 100$   
 $x \geq 10$  or  $x \leq -10$

$D: (-\infty, -10) \cup (10, \infty)$



**Multiple rules**

1.  $f(x) = \sqrt{x - 4} / (x - 7)$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x - 4 \geq 0$  and  $x - 7 \neq 0$   
 $x \geq 4$  and  $x \neq 7$

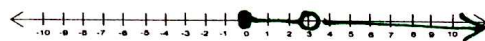
$D: [4, 7) \cup (7, \infty)$



3.  $f(x) = \sqrt{x} / (x - 3)$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x \geq 0$  and  $x - 3 \neq 0$   
 $x \geq 0$  and  $x \neq 3$

$D: [0, 3) \cup (3, \infty)$



2.  $f(x) = 1 / \sqrt{1 - x^2}$

$f(x)$  exists:  $1 - x^2 \geq 0$  and  $\sqrt{1 - x^2} \neq 0$   
 $1 \geq x^2$  and  $1 - x^2 \neq 0$   
 $1 \geq x$  and  $1 \neq x^2$   
 $-1 \leq x$  and  $x \neq \pm 1$

$D: (-1, 1)$



4.  $f(x) = \sqrt{x + 2} + 1/x$

$f(x)$  exists:  $x + 2 \geq 0$  and  $x \neq 0$   
 $x \geq -2$  and  $x \neq 0$

$D: [-2, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$



**Homework:**

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