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Abducted by an alien circus company, Professor Doyle is forced to write calculus equations in center ring.

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Welcome  
to  
Calculus I  
 with  
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Calculus Overview

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- ① Install Dyknox
- ② Buy text book

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Grading

Quizzes every week: 100  
3 exams: 300  
1 final: 100  
Computer assignments:  $\frac{100}{500}$

Course Content:

- Functions, Limits, Continuity
- Derivatives
- Applications
- Integration
- Inverse Functions

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About DyKnow

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Dyknow Interactive ①

What is Calculus:

- a) boring course to take because it is required
- b) difficult course to pass by cheating
- c) exciting and challenging course to expand my mathematical horizon and to stimulate my mathematical senses
- d) calculus - never heard of it

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Dyknow Interactive ②

Solve  $8x - x(x+3) = 4x(1-x)$

① Expand:  $8x - x^2 - 3x = 4x - 4x^2$

② Collect:  $3x^2 + x = 0$

③ Solve:  $x(3x+1) = 0$

$$\begin{array}{l} x=0 \\ \hline x=-1/3 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

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Functions

Def: A function is a rule that assigns to each element  $x$  in a set  $A$  exactly one element  $y$  or more commonly  $f(x)$ , in a set  $B$ .

Note: The set  $A$  is called: Domain

The set  $B$  is called: Range

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

$g(x) = \frac{1}{x-1}$   $D = \mathbb{R} - \{1\}$

$k(x) = 5$   $D = \mathbb{R}$

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Representing a function

4 different ways:

- verbally
- numerically (table)
- algebraically
- graphically

Ex: Find the domain of  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+2}$ ;  $x+2 \geq 0$

and  $g(x) = \frac{x-2}{x^2-x-3}$   $x^2-2$

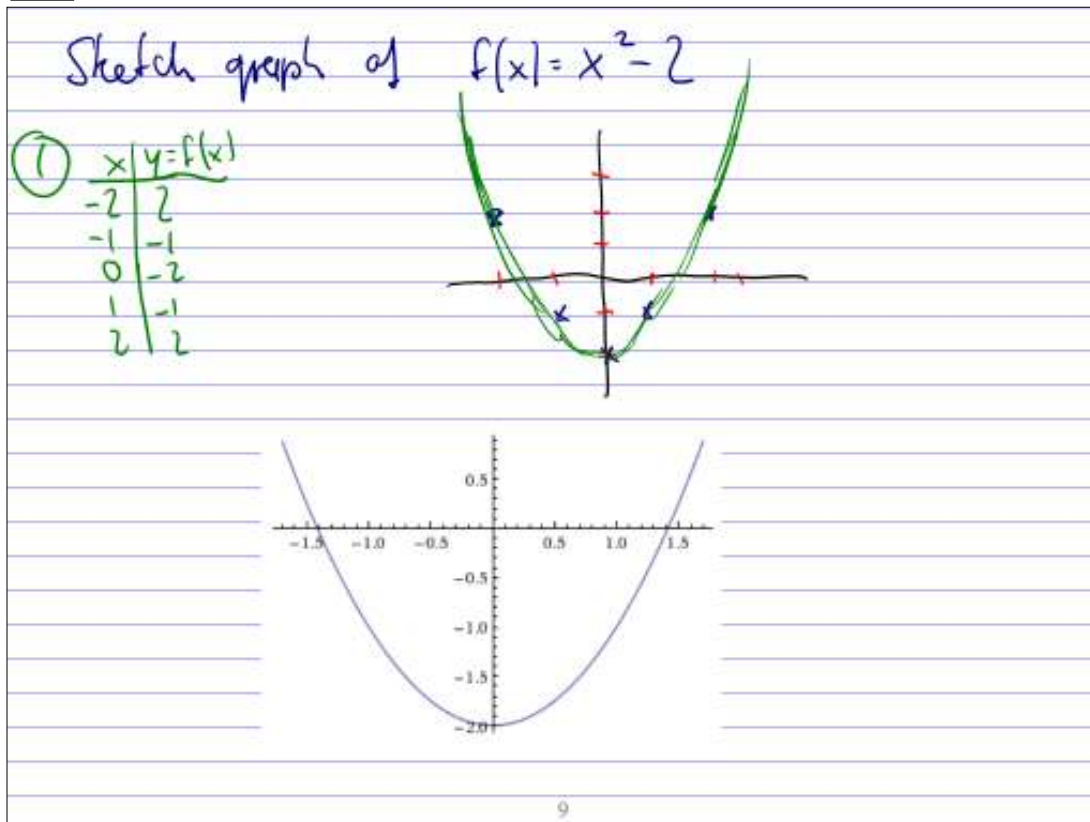
$a=1$   $b=-1$   $c=-3$

$x^2 - x - 3 = 0$

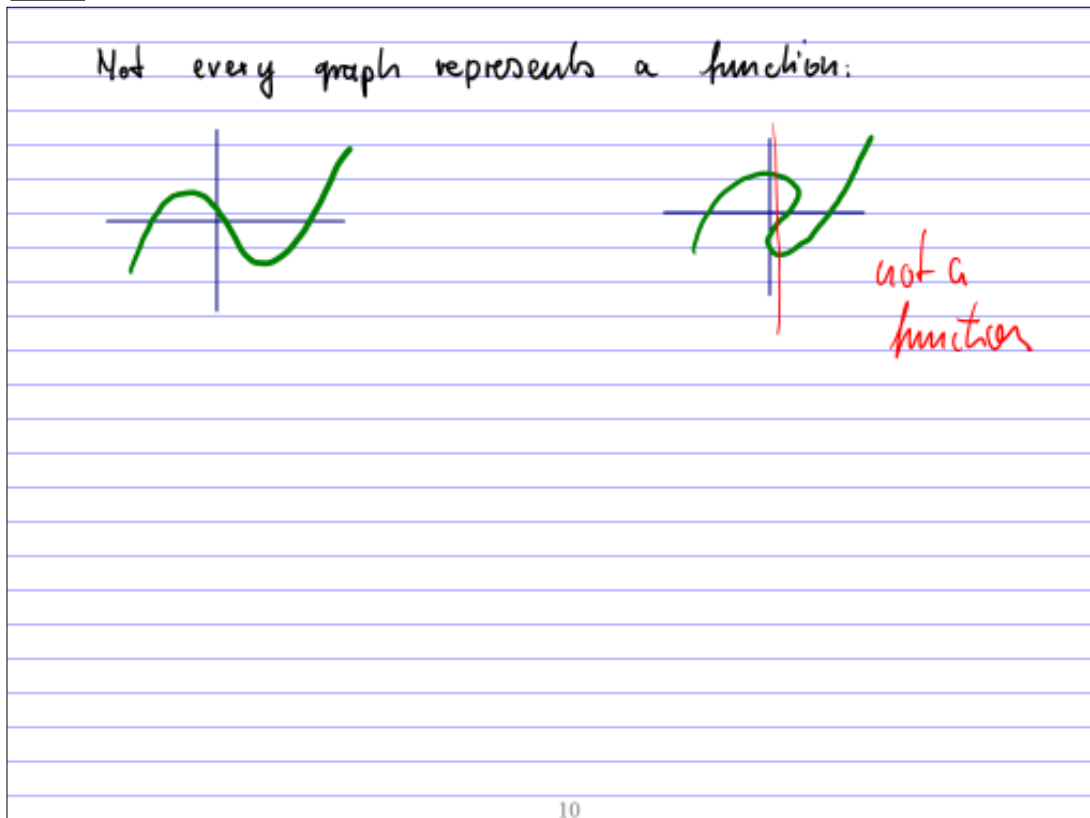
$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+12}}{2} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{13}}{2}$

$x = \frac{-5 \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$

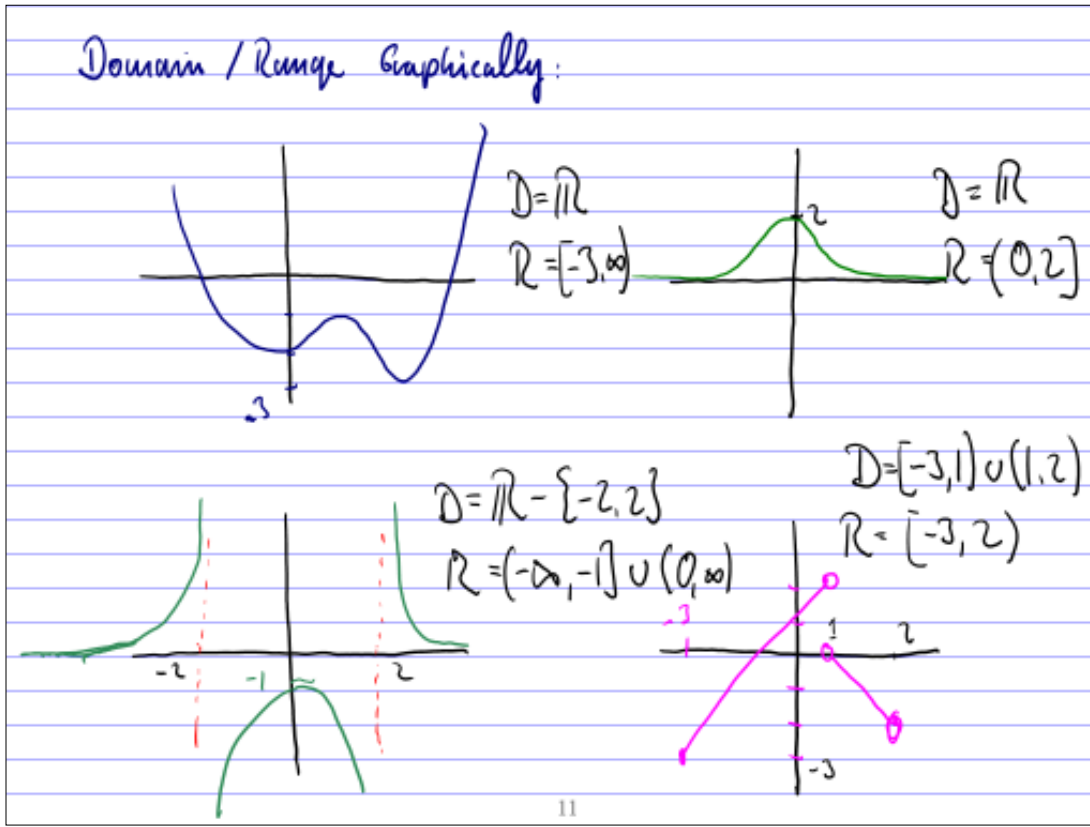
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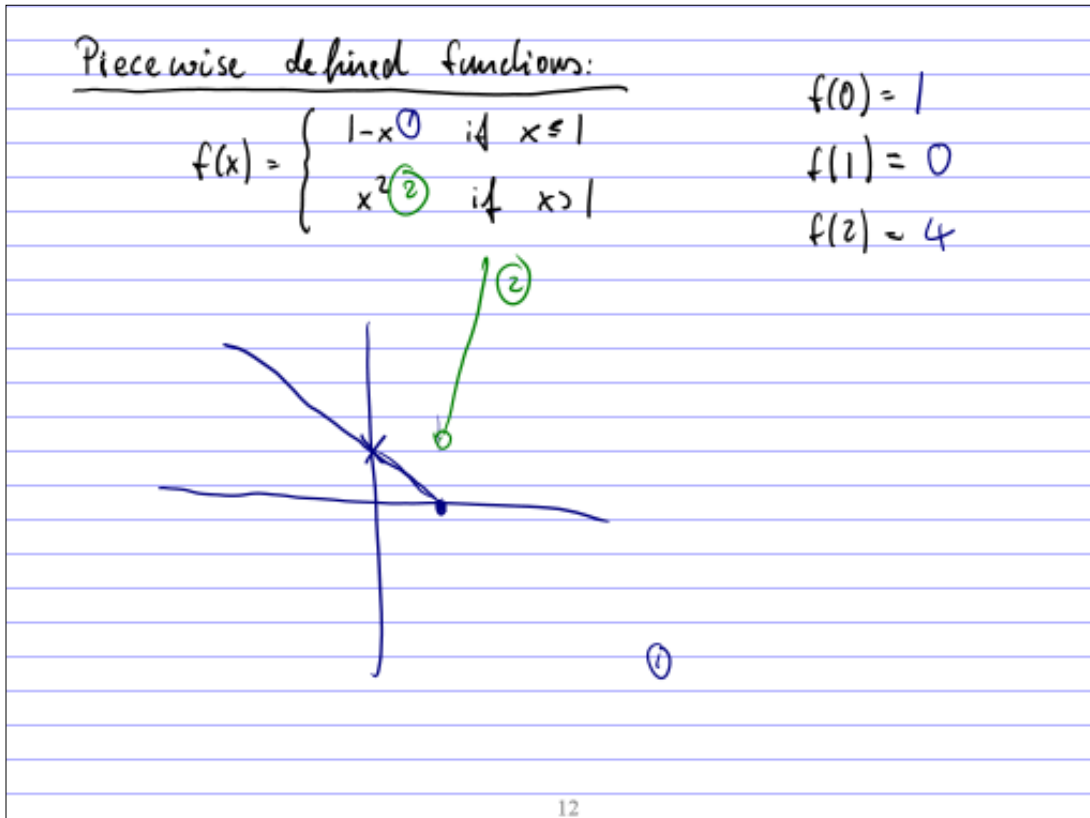
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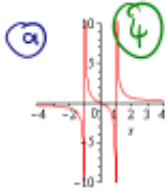
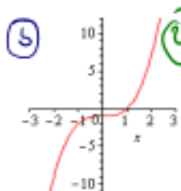

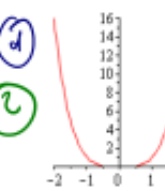
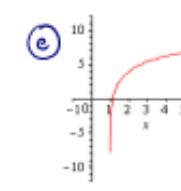
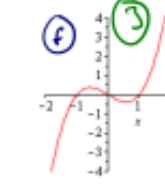
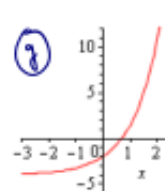

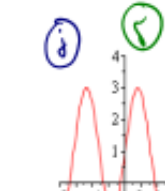
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A Function Catalog

Linear  
 Powers  
 Polynomials  
 Rational  $\frac{x-1}{x^2-4}$   
 Roots  
 Trig  
 Exp + Log

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Who's  
Who?

- ① linear  $\begin{cases} x \\ x^c \end{cases}$
- ② power  $\begin{cases} x^2 \\ x^4 \end{cases}$
- ③ polynomial
- ④ rational
- ⑤ trig
- ⑥ exp
- ⑦ log
- ⑧ other

$5x^2 - 2x + 9$

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