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Math Lab: Transformations of Parent Graphs

Use your graphing calculator and its table of values to sketch each graph as accurately as possible. Identify each type of function , and state its domain and range.



Equation of	Description of	Equation of Transformed	Graph of Transformed	Domain and Range of Transformed
Parent Function	Transformation	Function	Function (in red)	Function
$f(x) = x^2$		f(x) + 3 =		
f(x) = x		f(x) - 5 =		
$f(x) = x^3$		f(x-4) =		
$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$		f(x + 2) =		
$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$		f(x+3) - 4 =		

Equation of Parent Function	Description of Transformation	Equation of Transformed Function	Graph of Transformed Function (in red)	Domain and Range of Transformed Function
$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$		-f(x) =	4- 2- 	
$f(x) = x^2$		-f(x) =		
$f(x) = [\![x]\!]$		-f(x) =	$ \begin{array}{c} 5 \\ 4 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -5 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -5 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5$	
$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$		f(-x) =	4 4 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	
$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$		-f(-x) =	4 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	

Equation of Parent Function	Description of Transformation	Equation of Transformed Function	Graph of Transformed Function (in red)	Domain and Range of Transformed Function
f(x) = x		$3 \cdot f(x) =$		
$f(x) = x^2$		$\frac{1}{2} \cdot f(x) =$		
$f(x) = [\![x]\!]$		f(2x) =	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	
$f(x) = \llbracket x \rrbracket$		$f\left(\frac{1}{3}x\right) =$	$ \begin{array}{c} 5 \\ 4 \\ 3 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ -5 \\ -4 \\ -3 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5 \\ -5$	
$f(x) = x^3$		$6 \cdot f(x) =$		

Equation of Parent Function	Description of Transformation	Equation of Transformed Function	Graph of Transformed Function (in red)	Domain and Range of Transformed Function
$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$				Domain (−∞, 3] Range [2, ∞)
		$f(x) = -(x - 2)^3 - 4$		
			4 - 2 - -2 - -4 - -4 -	
			(-1,0) (1,0) (1,0) (0,-3)	
	A rational function has been translated up 4 units and 3 units to the right.			

Summarize

Rigid Transformations			
Function Notation	Description of transformation		
f(x) = f(x) + c			
f(x) = f(x) - c			
f(x) = f(x+c)			
f(x) = f(x - c)			
f(x) = -f(x)			
f(x) = f(-x)			

Non-rigid Transformations			
Function Notation	Description of transformation		
$f(x) = c \cdot f(x)$			
$f(x) = \frac{1}{c} \cdot f(x)$			
f(x) = f(cx)			
$f(x) = f\left(\frac{1}{c}x\right)$			

Based on the tables, what is the difference between a rigid transformation and a non-rigid transformation?

Extend your thinking

Use the graph of f to sketch each new graph in a different color. Label each ordered pair. (Hint: Think about how the transformation affects the x and y-coordinate of each anchor point on the graph.)

