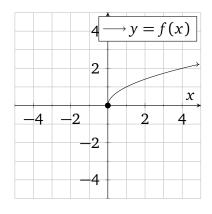
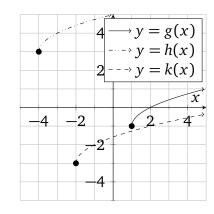
## Shifting Functions and Graphs

In these exercises, we practice using the rules for shifting a function up, down, left, and right. We will use a verbal description of a shift of a function to create a representation of a new function in various ways. We will also compare two function graphs and identify how it has been shifted.

1. On the left we have the graph of f, where  $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ . On the right, we have several transformations of f.





For *each* of the functions g, h, and k, do the following:

- (a) Verbally, how has the graph been changed from f's graph?
- (b) Write a formula for the function.

- 2. For each of the functions below, do each of the following.
  - What basic function from the catalog of graphs does this function's graph resemble?
  - Verbally, what changes have been made to create this function's graph?
  - Make a graph of this function on paper, using your understanding of the basic function that each function resembles and the transformations that have been made.

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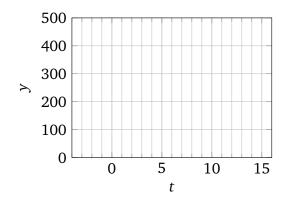
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- 3. The function f defined by  $f(x) = 2x^5 + x^2$  has its graph shifted left 3 units and shifted up 7 units, making a new function we can call h. What is a formula for h?
- 4. The function g defined by  $g(x) = \frac{2^x}{x}$  had its graph shifted down 3 units and shifted right 7 units, making a new function we can call s. What is a formula for s?

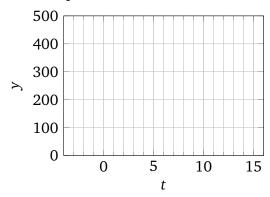
- 5. The curve y = k(x) was shifted right 5 units and up 13 units. Write an equation for the new curve. (The equation for the new curve will still involve "k".)
- 6. Let t = 0 correspond to 6:00 in the morning, with t measured in hours. The size of a bacteria colony (in millions) at time t is

$$P(t) = 100(1.22)^{0.20t}$$

(a) Use your calculator to help you plot points for the population from 6:00 in the morning until 6:00 in the evening. Mark points at every hour.



(b) Your boss tells you to recalibrate the graph so that t = 0 corresponds to 9:00 in the morning. What kind of shift would that be? Sketch the graph that would represent this new function.



- (c) Give a formula for this new function.
- 7. A function f has domain  $(-\infty,3) \cup (3,\infty)$  and range  $[4,\infty)$ . If g is defined by g(x) = f(x+10)+4, what are the domain and range of g?

8. The function f has the table below. If the function g is defined by g(x) = f(x-3) + 1, make a table for g. Hint: what kinds of transformations have been made to f's graph to get g's graph? Convert the table into something graphical and then use the visual transformations to help.

x	f(x)
4	2
5	2
9	6
13	12
14	16