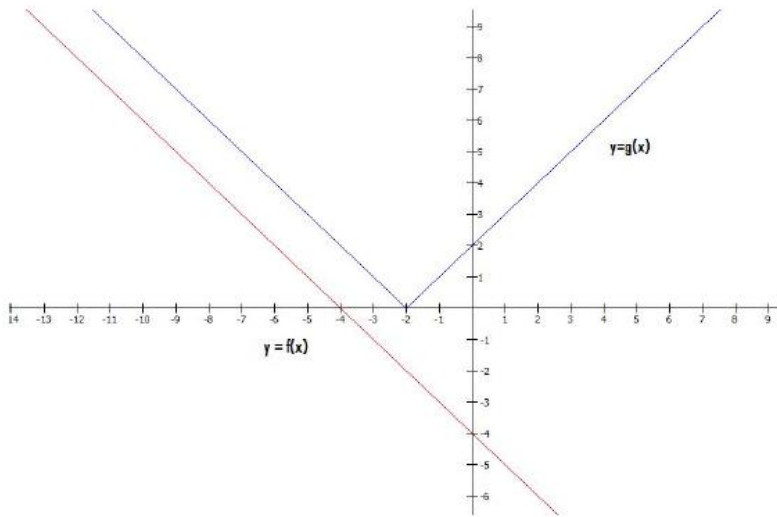


Pre-Calculus
Evaluating Functions and Operations

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1. Use the graphs to complete the compositions.



- a) $(f \circ g)(-2)$ b) $(f \circ g)(-3)$ c) $(f \circ g)(0)$
 d) $(g \circ f)(0)$ e) $(g \circ f)(-4)$ f) $(g \circ f)(1)$

2. To print a novel, it costs \$500 plus \$4 per book. Each book sells for \$16.

- a) $C(x)$ represents the cost per order of x books. Find $C(x)$.
 b) $R(x)$ represents the total money earned from selling books. Find $R(x)$.
 c) $P(x)$ represent the profit which takes the revenue $R(x)$ and subtracts the cost $C(x)$. Find $P(x)$.
 d) Find the profit if 1200 books are sold.

3. The first two tables list values for $f(x)$ and $g(x)$. Complete the composition $f(g(x))$ in the third table.

x	$f(x)$
0	5
1	7
2	9
3	7
4	1

x	$g(x)$
1	2
3	6
5	10
7	8
9	4

x	$g(f(x))$
0	
1	
2	
3	
4	

4. Evaluate $f(2a)$ for $f(x) = 2x^2 - 1$.

5. Simplify $f(a) + f(2)$ for the function $f(x) = 117$.

6. Evaluate $f(a + h)$ for $f(x) = 3x^2 + 3x - 2$.

7. Evaluate $f\left(\frac{2}{a}\right)$ for $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$.

8. Evaluate $\frac{f(a)}{2}$ for $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$.

9. Describe any similarities and difference in the evaluation of questions 10 and 11.

10. Evaluate and simplify $f\left(\frac{2}{a}\right)$ for $f(x) = \frac{3}{4-x}$. Hint: to be completely simplified, there can be no complex fractions.