Even, Odd, One-to-One, and Inverse Functions

Even & Odd Functions:

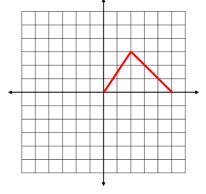
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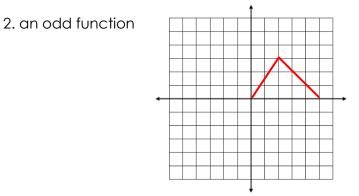
Even

Odd

Example 1: The graph of a function defined for $x \ge 0$ is given. Complete the graph for x < 0 to make:

1. an even function

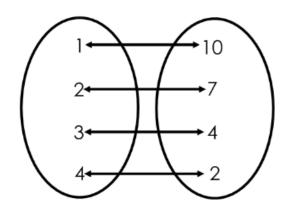


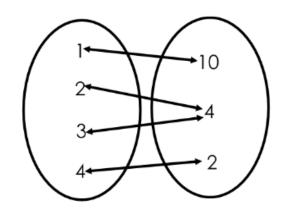


Example 2: Determine whether the function is even, odd, or neither.

1.
$$f(x) = 7 - x^6$$
 2. $f(x) = x^3 + x$ 3. $f(x) = 2x - x^2$

Definition of One-to-One Functions









Example 3: Determine whether $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$ is one-to-one.

Steps for Finding Inverses of Functions

Example 4: Find the inverse of the function.

1.
$$f(x) = \frac{x^7 - 7}{6}$$
 2. $f(x) = \sqrt{2x - 1}$ 3. $f(x) = \frac{5}{x - 2}$

Graphs of Functions and Their Inverses

The graph of f^{-1} is obtained by reflecting f over the line y = x.

