

Graph Sketching Part 1

Question: 1.

Given that $f(x) = \begin{cases} |x^2 - 1|, & x \geq 0 \\ 1 - x^3, & x < 0 \end{cases}$, it follows that $f'\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$ equals:

- A. 0 B. 1 C. -1 D. $-\frac{3}{4}$ E. $\frac{3}{4}$

Question: 2.

Consider $h(x) = \arccos(|x|)$.

The number of solutions to the equation $h(x) = a$, $0 \leq a < \frac{\pi}{2}$, is

- A. 4 B. 1 C. 0 D. 2 E. 3

Question: 3.

Which of the following statements is false, given that $f(x) = \log_e \left(\left| x + \sqrt{x^2 - 4} \right| \right)$?

- A. $f(-2) = f(2)$
 B. $f'(x)$ is undefined for $-2 < x < 2$
 C. $f(x)$ is concave up for $x < 2$
 D. $f'(4) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$
 E. $f(-3) = f(3)$

Question: 4.

Let

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \arcsin(x) & -1 \leq x < \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \\ ax^2 + bx, & x \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{cases}$$

- Find the values of a and b so that g is continuous and differentiable over its domain.
- Sketch the graphs of $g(x)$ and $g'(x)$ using the obtained values of a and b .

Question: 5.

Consider the pair of graphs $y = |x|$ and $y = -|x| + b$, where $b \in \mathbb{R}^+$.

If the graphs enclose an area of 20 square units, find the value of b .

Question: 6.

For any function, $g(x)$, continuous and differentiable over its domain, the following is always true:

- $g(|x|) \geq 0$
- the graphs of $|g(x)|$ and $g(|x|)$ are symmetrical about the y -axis
- $|g(x)|'$ is a continuous function
- $g(|x|)$ is an even function
- $|g(x)|$ is an odd function

Question: 7.

The functions f and g are defined as

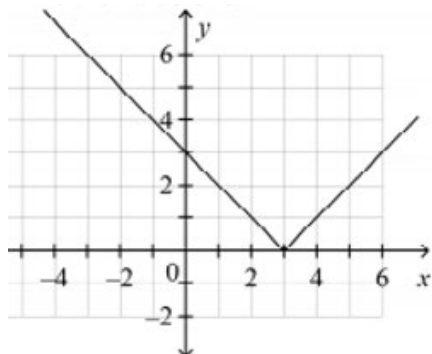
$$f(x) = 2|x| + 3$$

$$g(x) = 3 - 4x$$

Solve $f(g(x)) > f(x)$.

Question: 8.

The equation of the following function is $y = |ax + b|$, $a < 0$.



The value of b is:

- A. -3
- B. -1
- C. 1
- D. 3
- E. $-\frac{1}{3}$

Question: 9.

Let $f(x) = |x|$. The graph of f is transformed by:

- a dilation by a factor of 3 from the x -axis, followed by
- a translation of 1 unit horizontally to the right, followed by
- a dilation by a factor of $\frac{1}{2}$ from the y -axis.

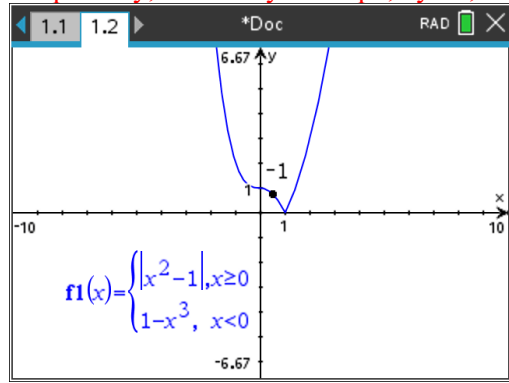
The rule of the transformed graph is

- A. $h(x) = 2|3x + 1|$
- B. $h(x) = 3|2x - 1|$
- C. $h(x) = 3|2(x - 1)|$
- D. $h(x) = 2\left|\frac{x}{3} - 1\right|$
- E. $h(x) = 3\left|\frac{x - 1}{2}\right|$

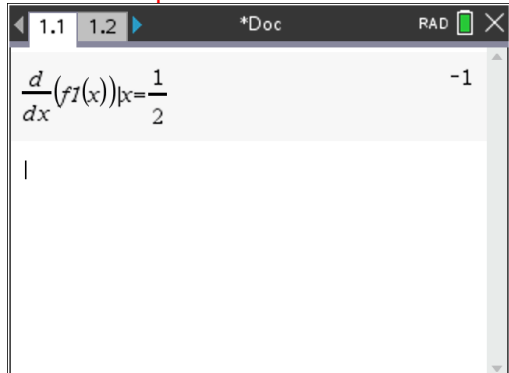
Answers

Question 1 Answer: C

Graphically, use Analyze Graph, dy/dx, enter 1/2.



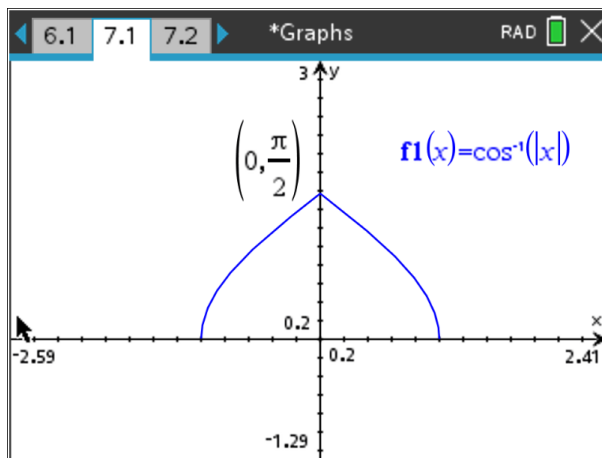
Derivative at a point once the function is defined as a piecewise function.



$$\frac{d}{dx}(f1(x))|_{x=\frac{1}{2}} = -1$$

Question 2 Answer: D

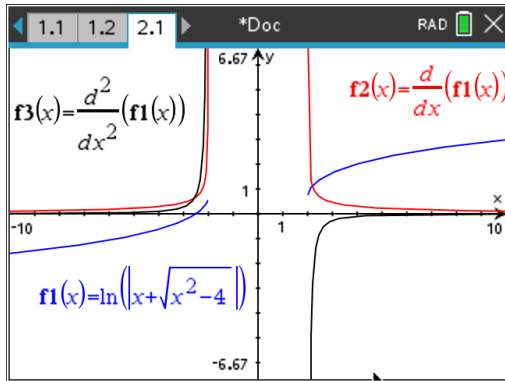
There will be two solutions as can be seen from the graph below:



The horizontal line $y = a$, $0 \leq a < \frac{\pi}{2}$, will cut twice the given graph.

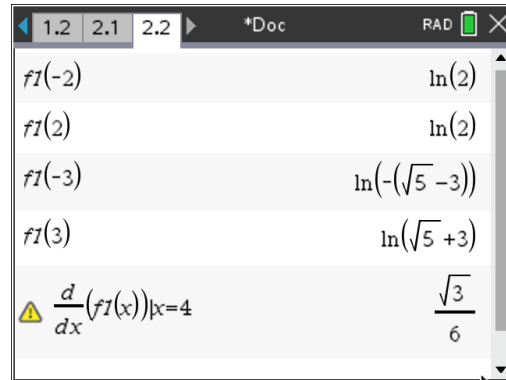
Question 3 Answer: E

Draw $f(x)$, $f'(x)$ and $f''(x)$ on one set of axes:



From the diagram B and C are correct.

Check the values



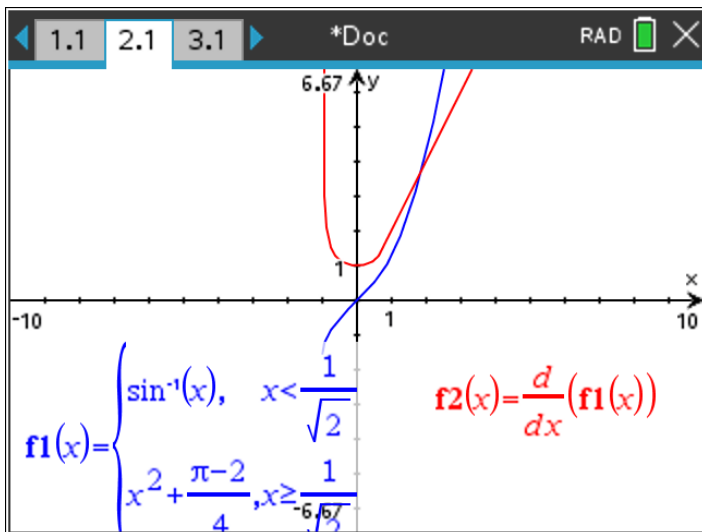
A and D are correct
Option E is incorrect

Question 4

a) $a = 1, b = \frac{\pi - 2}{4}$

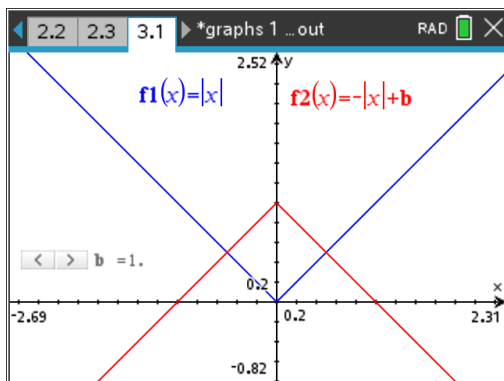
	<p>Define both functions separately and equate at the point of contact.</p>
	<p>Equate derivatives at the point of contact and solve simultaneously for a and b.</p>

b)



Question 5

$$b = 2\sqrt{10}$$



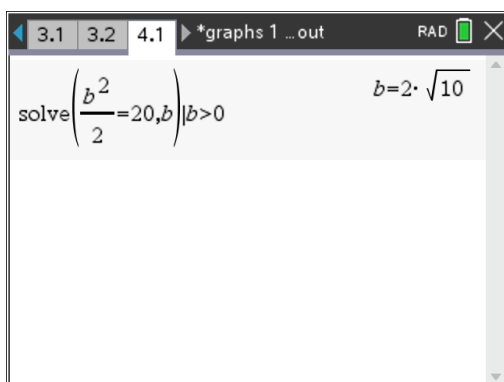
It can be seen that the shape is a square with diagonal length equal to b

Square side has length a such that:

$$a^2 + a^2 = b^2$$

$$2a^2 = b^2$$

$$a^2 = \frac{b^2}{2}$$



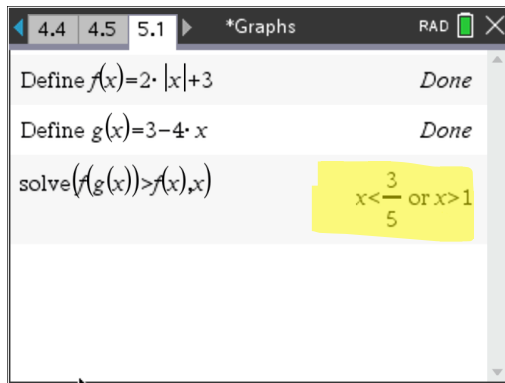
Question 6 **Answer: D**

$g(|x|)$ is always an even function, as $g(-x) = g(x)$ and the graph is symmetrical about the y-axis.

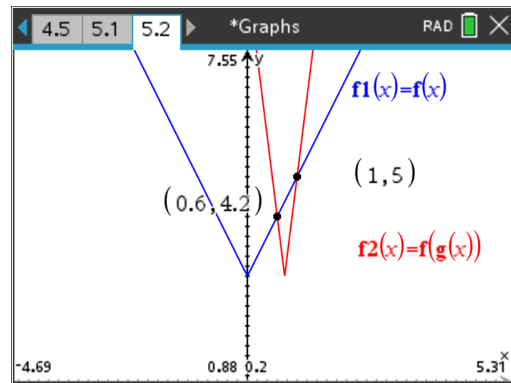
Question 7

$x < \frac{3}{5}$ or $x > 1$.

Define and solve

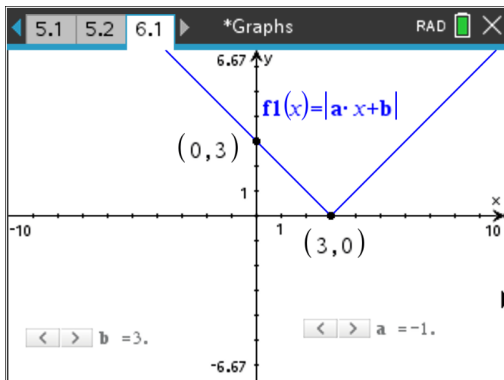


Graphically



Question 8 **Answer: B**

Using sliders

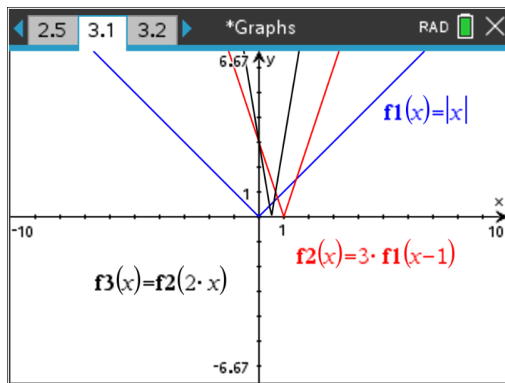


Question 9 **Answer: B**

Define $f(x)= x $	<i>Done</i>
$3 \cdot f(x-1)$	$3 \cdot x-1 $
$g(x):=3 \cdot x-1 $	<i>Done</i>
$g(2 \cdot x)$	$3 \cdot 2 \cdot x-1 $

Alternatively draw it:

Follow the order of transformations



Find the rule for the final graph

