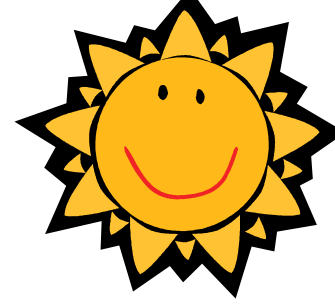


Unit 2 Day 3

Finding Extrema of Quadratic Functions

Warm Up



1. Factor the following. Then solve.

a. $x^2 - 5x + 50 = 0$ prime

b. $x^2 + 3x = 10$ Factors: $(x + 5)(x - 2) = 0$
Solutions: $x = -5, 2$

c. $2x^2 + 7x = -3$ Factors: $(x + 3)(2x + 1) = 0$
Solutions: $x = -3, -1/2$

2. Factor to solve the following:

a. $x^2 + 2x - 35 = 0$ $(x + 7)(x - 5) = 0$
 $x = -7, 5$

b. $2x^2 + x = 3$ $(2x + 3)(x - 1) = 0$
 $x = -3/2, 1$

c. $3x^2 + 10x = 8$ $(x + 4)(3x - 2) = 0$
 $x = -4, 2/3$

Packet Homework Answers (YOU ONLY HAD EVENS)

1.) $n = 2/3, -1/4$

6.) $n = -3, -6$

2.) $m = 0, 3$

7.) $v = -6, 1$

3.) $n = 1/5, -1$

8.) $k = -2$ (double root)

4.) $n = 1/2, 8$

9.) $v = 4, 3$

5.) $k = 3, 8$

10.) $n = 2, -8$

Packet Homework Answers

11.) $r = -1, -2$

18.) $x = 4/7, 7/5$

12.) $b = -2, 1$

19.) $x = 0, 4$

13.) $n = 7, -1/2$

20.) $x = 0, -2, -5$

14.) $x = 4, -4/3$

21.) $x = 2\sqrt{14}, -2\sqrt{14}$

15.) $n = 7, 1/8$

22.) $x = 4i, -4i$

16.) $n = -4/7, -6$

23.) $x = 6\sqrt{2}, -6\sqrt{2}$

17.) $a = -5/7, -5$

24.) $x = 3i, -3i$

Notes p. 6 **Answers**

$$1. x^2 + 5x - 24 = 0$$

$$x = -8, 3$$

$$4. 4x^2 + 3x = 0$$

$$x = 0, -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$2. x^2 - 3x - 28 = 0$$

$$x = 7, -4$$

$$5. 4x^2 + 7x - 2 = 0$$

$$x = \frac{1}{4}, -2$$

$$3. 3x^2 + 16x - 12 = 0$$

$$x = -6, \frac{2}{3}$$

$$6. 9x^2 + 30x + 24 = 0$$

$$x = -\frac{4}{3}, -2$$

$$7. 24x^2 + 132x = 0$$

$$x = 0, -\frac{11}{2}$$

Notes p. 6 **Answers**

$$8. x^2 = 81$$

$$x = 9, -9$$

$$9. x^2 = 25$$

$$x = 5, -5$$

$$10. 5x^2 - 20 = 0$$

$$x = 2, -2$$

$$11. 5x^2 + 5 = 0$$

$$x = i, -i$$

$$12. 6x^2 - 72 = 0$$

$$x = \pm\sqrt{12} = \pm 2\sqrt{3}$$

$$13. 3x^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$x = \sqrt{3}, -\sqrt{3}$$

$$14. 2x^2 + 72 = 0$$

$$x = 6i, -6i$$

Homework

- Packet p. 4
- Study for Quiz!





Finding Extrema using Zeros

Notes p. 7-8

HINT: for the graph on p. 8, you must use different units for each axis!

Notes p. 7- Check your answers!

Given the following trinomials, factor each to find the zeros:

1. $x^2 + 8x + 15 = 0$

2. $x^2 - 13x + 42 = 0$

3. $x^2 + 2x - 24 = 0$

Polynomial	Factors	Zeros	Average of the Zeros
$x^2 + 8x + 15 = 0$	$(x+3)(x+5) = 0$	$(-3, 0), (-5, 0)$	-4
$x^2 - 13x + 42 = 0$	$(x-7)(x-6) = 0$	$(7, 0), (6, 0)$	6.5
$x^2 + 2x - 24 = 0$	$(x+6)(x-4) = 0$	$(-6, 0), (4, 0)$	-1

Notes p. 7

$$x^2 - 2x - 35 = 0$$

$$(x + 5)(x - 7) = 0$$

$$x + 5 = 0 \quad x - 7 = 0$$

$$x = -5, x = 7$$

$$\bullet \frac{-5 + 7}{2} = 1$$

$$x = 1$$

- **To find the **zeros**:**

- Set the expression = 0 first!

- Factor

- Set each factor = 0 and solve!

- **To find the **vertex**
(**the maximum** or **the minimum**):**

- Average the zeros to find the x-value.

- Substitute the x-value into the original polynomial to find y-value

Our x – value for the minimum was $x = 1$. So we'll substitute the 1 in for x in our original polynomial.

$$(1)^2 - 2(1) - 35 = 1 - 2 - 35 = -36$$

So our vertex, or minimum, is (1, -36)

To find a fourth point, substitute $x = 0$ into the polynomial.

$$(0)^2 - 2(0) - 35 = -35$$

$$\text{Y-intercept} = (0, -35)$$

Graph the four points from above with a smooth curve.

Remember to plot

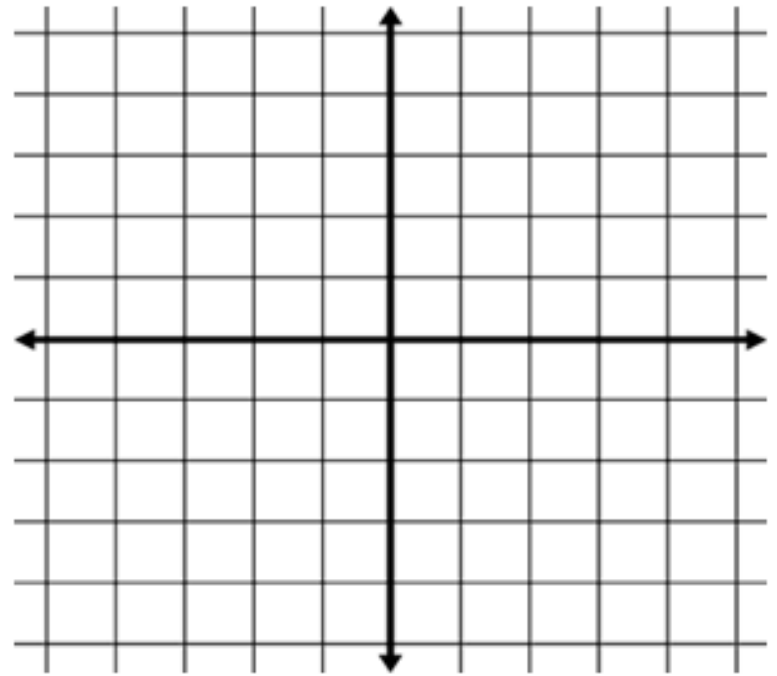
*the zeros $(-5, 0)$ and $(7, 0)$

*the vertex $(1, -36)$

*the y-intercept $(0, -35)$

*a 5th point \rightarrow see below!

Use your fourth point AND your knowledge of reflections & symmetry from Unit 1 for a fifth point.



HINT: for the graph, you must use different units for each axis! (like 2 on the x-axis, 10 on the y-axis)

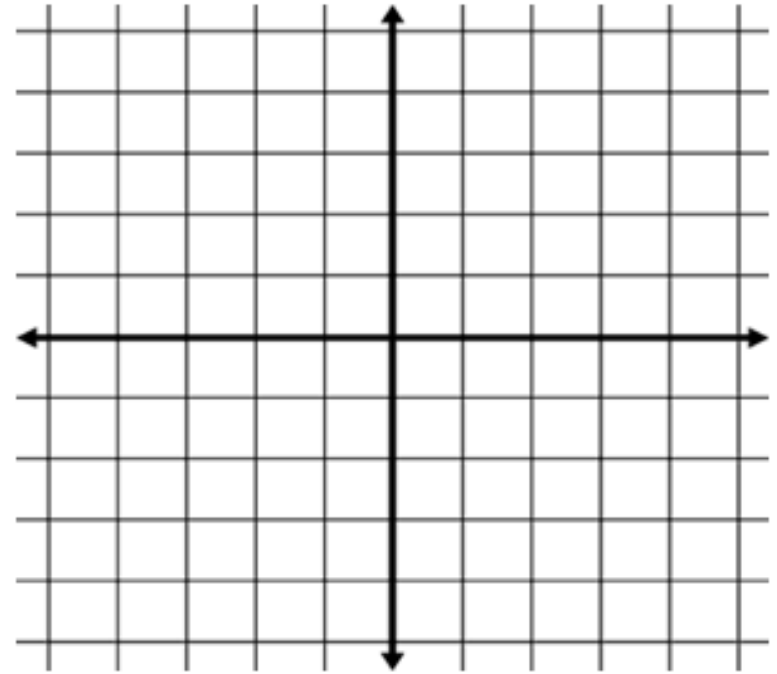
Without using a calculator, these steps will make sketching a graph much easier! 😊

What appears to be the line of symmetry on the graph?

$x = 1$

*Axis of symmetry: a line that divides a parabola into 2 parts that are mirror images (can be abbreviated A.o.S.)

**It's a line...so remember to write a line equation NOT just a number!



How do we know if our vertex is a maximum or a minimum?

- Remember, a minimum is the lowest point on a graph.
- A maximum is the highest point on a graph.

Axis of Symmetry

1. Write your equation in Standard Form: $y = ax^2 + bx + c$

2. Find values of a, b, and c and use formula: $x = \frac{-b}{2a}$

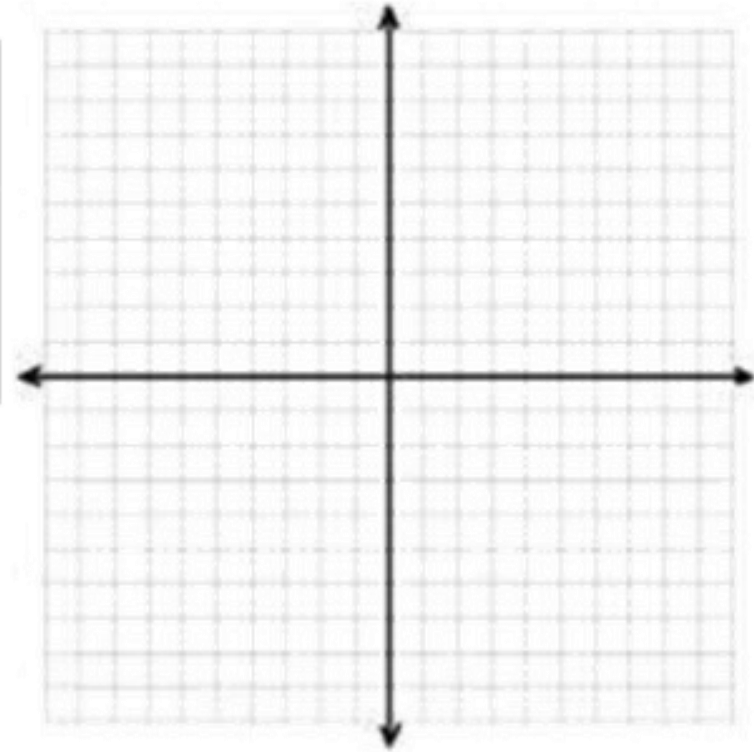
Example: $y = x^2 - 2x - 35$, so $a = 1$, $b = -2$, and $c = -35$.

Then use $x = \frac{-b}{2a} = \frac{-(-2)}{2(1)}$ Axis of Symmetry is $x = 1$.

***Don't forget to substitute this x-value into the original equation to find the y-value of the vertex!**

Let's try another one: Graph $y = x^2 + 2x - 8$

Polynomial	y-intercept	Zeros	Vertex
$x^2 + 2x - 8$	$(0, -8)$	$(-4, 0)$ $(2, 0)$	$(-1, -9)$



Is the vertex of $y = x^2 + 2x - 8$ a minimum or maximum?

minimum

What is the Axis of Symmetry?

$x = -1$

Key Details: (Notes p. 8)

To write zeros as x-intercepts, write a **coordinate pair**.

What should the y-value be for an x-intercept?

Zero! 😊

For a 4th and 5th point, use the y-intercept and the **“y-intercept mirror”** (the reflection of the y-intercept over the axis of symmetry)

Always graph AT LEAST 5 points and make a smooth curve!
Pick other points besides our typical 5 points, if needed.



Direction of parabolas discovery

Notes p. 8

Check your answers with your partner
THEN discuss patterns. 😊

Notes p. 8 **ANSWERS**

Function	Parabola opens up or down?
1. $y = x^2 + 3x + 4$	Up
2. $y = x^2 + 3x - 4$	Up
3. $y = -x^2 + 3x + 4$	Down
4. $y = x^2 - 4$	Up
5. $y = -x^2 + 4$	Down
6. $y = -x^2 - 4$	Down
7. $y = -x^2 + 3x$	Down
8. $y = x^2 - 5x - 2$	Up
9. $y = -x^2 - 5x - 2$	Down

Summary!

What determines if the parabola opens up or down??

If $a > 0$ then the parabola opens up

If $a < 0$ then the parabola opens down.

How do we know if our vertex is a maximum or a minimum?

- If $a > 0$ then the parabola opens up,
Remember $a > 0$ means a is positive
It's a "smile" parabola, so vertex is minimum 😊
- If $a < 0$ then the parabola opens down
Remember $a < 0$ means a is negative
It's a "frown" parabola, so vertex is maximum ☹️



Musical Chairs

Notes p. 18-19

(at back of Notes Packet)

No calculators allowed!

*You will be put in groups and I will tell you where to start

*Once you are finished with your first question, rotate to the next question on your right (clockwise)

Musical Chairs #1

$$y = x^2 + 4x + 3$$

Musical Chairs #2

$$y = 2x^2 + 2x$$

Musical Chairs #3

$$y = -x^2 - 2x + 8$$

Musical Chairs #4

$$y = 2x^2 + 6x + 4$$

Musical Chairs #5

$$y = -2x^2 + 2x + 4$$

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