10 Transformations on Curves

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1. [10 marks: 2, 2, 2, 2, 2]

Describe a sequence of transformations required to convert y = f(x) into y = g(x).

- (a) $f(x) = x^2$ and $g(x) = (x-2)^2 + 4$
- (b) $f(x) = x^3$ and $g(x) = -(2x)^3$

(c)
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$$
 and $g(x) = \frac{1}{1-x}$

(d) $f(x) = 3^x$ and $g(x) = -3^{x+1}$

(e)
$$f(x) = (2x + 1)^2$$
 and $g(x) = x^2$

2. [4 marks: 2, 2]

Describe a sequence of transformations required to transform: (a) $x^2 + y^2 = 100$ into $(x + 5)^2 + (y - 6)^2 = 100$

(b)
$$(x-2)^2 + (y-1)^2 = 64$$
 into $(x+7)^2 + (y+3)^2 = 64$

3. [4 marks: 2, 2]

The curve $y = 2^{x+1}$ is transformed into y = g(x).

- (a) State the sequence of transformations involved if $g(x) = 2^{0.5x-1}$
- (b) State the sequence of transformations involved if $g(x) = 3(2^x)$.

4. [4 marks: 2, 2]

The curve $y = 1 + \frac{1}{x-2}$ is transformed into y = g(x).

(a) State the sequence of transformations involved if $g(x) = \frac{2}{x-2}$.

(b) State the sequence of transformations involved if $g(x) = -1 + \frac{1}{x+2}$.

5. [10 marks: 2, 2, 2, 2, 2]

Identify the sequence of transformations required to map:

(a) y = f(x) to y = 2f(2x)

(b) y = f(x) to y = f(2x + 1)

(c)
$$y = f(x)$$
 to $y = f(2(x + 1))$

(d) y = f(x) to y = f(1 - x)

(e)
$$y = f(x)$$
 to $y = 1 - f(x)$

6. [6 marks: 2; 2, 2]

A parabola has equation $y = x^2 + 2x - 3$. Find the equation of the resulting curve:

- (a) if the parabola is dilated by a factor of 2 along the *x*-axis.
- (b) if the parabola is reflected about the *x*-axis and then translated 2 units along the negative *y*-axis.
- (c) if the parabola is translated 1 unit along the positive *x*-axis and then reflected about the *y*-axis.
- 7. [6 marks: 2, 2, 2]

The curve $y = 5^x$ is mapped to y = g(x) by the following sequence of transformations. Find g(x).

- (a) a translation in the direction of the positive *x*-axis by 3 units followed by a translation in the direction of the positive *y*-axis by 2 units
- (b) a dilation in the direction of the positive *x*-axis by a factor of 2
 followed by a translation in the direction of the positive *x*-axis by −2 units
- (c) a reflection about the *y*-axis followed by a dilation in the direction of the positive *x*-axis by a factor of $\frac{1}{2}$.

8. [10 marks: 2, 2, 2, 2, 2]

A curve with equation $y = \sqrt{x}$ is transformed into $y = k\sqrt{(ax+b)} + c$ by the following sequences of transformations. State the values of *k*, *a*, *b* and *c*.

- (a) A translation 5 units in the direction of the positive *x*-axis followed by a dilation parallel to the positive *x*-axis of factor 2.
- (b) A dilation parallel to the positive *x*-axis of factor 2 followed by a translation 5 units in the direction of the positive *x*-axis.
- (c) A translation 5 units in the direction of the negative *y*-axis followed by a reflection about the *x*-axis.

(d) A reflection about the *x*-axis followed by a translation 5 units in the direction of the negative *y*-axis

(e) A reflection about the *y*-axis followed by a dilation of factor 3 parallel to the positive *y*-axis.

9. [4 marks: 2, 2]

The circle with equation $(x + 6)^2 + (y - 7)^2 = 81$ is transformed into the circle with equation $(x - a)^2 + (y - b)^2 = r^2$ by the following sequences of transformations. State the values of *a*, *b* and *r*.

- (a) A translation 3 units in the direction of the positive *x*-axis followed by a translation 5 units in the direction of the negative *y*-axis.
- (b) A dilation of factor 2 parallel to the *x*-axis followed by a dilation of factor 2 parallel to the *y*-axis.

10. [4 marks: 2, 2]

The parabola with equation $y^2 = x$ is transformed into the parabola with equation $y^2 = k(x - a)$ by the following sequences of transformations. State the values of *a* and *k*.

(a) A reflection about the *y*-axis followed by a reflection about the *x*-axis.

(b) A translation 4 units in the direction of the positive *x*-axis followed by a reflection about the *y*-axis.

11. [14 marks: 3, 3, 4, 4]

The curve y = f(x) has a minimum turning point at (-2, -1) and a maximum turning point at (4, 6). Find the minimum and maximum turning points of the following curves. In each case, explain clearly how you obtained your answer.



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12. [8 marks: 2, 2, 2, 2]

The curve y = f(x) has a maximum point at (1, 5), a minimum point at (-5, 2) and intercepts at (0, 4) and (5, 0). The curve has no other turning points and intercepts.

- (a) State the coordinates of the horizontal intercept(s) of the curve y = f(-x 1).
- (b) State the coordinates of a horizontal intercept of the curve y = f(x + 1) 2.
- (c) State the coordinates of the vertical intercept(s) of the curve y = 2f(x + 1).
- (d) State the coordinates of the maximum and minimum point of y = -f(-x).

13. [3 marks]

Given that $f(x) = x^2$, solve f(x) = f(2x + 1). Describe clearly how you obtained your answer.

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15. [6 marks: 3, 3]

