

Intermediate Algebra Skill

Finding the Inverse of a Quadratic Function with Restricted Domain

Find the inverse of the given function:

1) $f(x) = x^2 - 3; (x \leq 0)$

2) $f(x) = x^2 + 5; (x \geq 0)$

3) $f(x) = x^2 + 1; (x \leq 0)$

4) $g(x) = 1 - x^2; (x \geq 0)$

5) $g(x) = x^2; (x \geq 0)$

6) $g(x) = x^2; (x \leq 0)$

7) $h(x) = 4 - x^2; (x \leq 0)$

8) $h(x) = (x+1)^2; (x \leq -1)$

9) $h(x) = (x-1)^2; (x \geq 1)$

10) $f(x) = (x+3)^2; (x \leq -3)$

Answers to Finding the Inverse of a Quadratic Function with Restricted Domain

$$1) f^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{x+3} \quad (x \geq -3)$$

$$2) f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x-5} \quad (x \geq 5)$$

$$3) f^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{x-1} \quad (x \geq 1)$$

$$4) g^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{1-x} \quad (x \leq 1)$$

$$5) g^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x} \quad (x \geq 0)$$

$$6) g^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{x} \quad (x \geq 0)$$

$$7) h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{4-x} \quad (x \leq 4)$$

$$8) h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x} - 1 \quad (x \geq 0)$$

$$9) h^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x} + 1 \quad (x \geq 0)$$

$$10) f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x} - 3 \quad (x \geq 0)$$