



WORKSHEET / L3.3 Writing Functions

Name: _____ Grade 9/____ Date: _____

I) determine a relationship between the x and y values, Write an equation.

1.

x	1	2	3	4
y	-1	0	1	2

$$Y = x - 2$$

$$F(x) = x - 2$$

2.

x	1	2	3	4
y	-2	-4	-6	-8

$$Y = -2x$$

$$F(x) = -2x$$

3. $\{(1, 4), (2, 7), (3, 10), (4, 13)\}$

$$Y = 3x + 1$$

$$F(x) = 3x + 1$$

4. $\{(1, -1), (2, -2), (3, -3), (4, -4)\}$

$$Y = -x$$

$$F(x) = -x$$

II) Identify the independent and dependent variables in each situation. Write an equation in function notation

5. An air-conditioning technician charges customers \$75 per hour.

$$Y = 75x$$

$$F(x) = 75x$$

6. An employee receives 2 vacation days every month worked.

$$Y = 2x$$

$$F(x) = 2x$$

7. A car can travel 28 miles per gallon of gas.

$$Y = 28x$$

$$F(x) = 28x$$

8. An ice rink charges \$3.50 for skates and \$1.25 per hour.

$$Y = 1.25x + 3.50$$

$$F(x) = 1.25x + 3.50$$

III) Evaluate each function for the given input values.

9. For $f(x) = 7x + 2$, find $f(x)$ when $x = 0$ and when $x = 1$

$$f(0) = 7(0) + 2 = 2$$

$$f(1) = 7(1) + 2 = 9$$

10. For $g(x) = 4x - 9$, find $g(x)$ when $x = 3$ and when $x = 5$

$$f(3) = 4(3) - 9 = 3$$

$$f(5) = 4(5) - 9 = 11$$

11. For $f(x) = \frac{2}{3}x + 3$, find $f(x)$ when $x = 9$ and when $x = -3$

$$f(9) = 2/3(9) + 3 = 9$$

$$f(-3) = 2/3(-3) + 3 = 2$$

12. For $g(x) = x^2 - 5$, find $g(x)$ when $x = 0$ and when $x = 3$

$$f(0) = (0)^2 - 5 = -5$$

$$f(3) = (3)^2 - 5 = 4$$

IV) A mail-order company charges \$5 per order plus \$2 per item in the order, up to a maximum of 4 items. Write a function to describe the situation. Find the reasonable domain and range for the function.

$$Y = 2x + 5$$

$$F(x) = 2x + 5$$

$$\text{Domain } \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$\text{Range } \{7, 9, 11, 13\}$$

V) ERROR ANALYSIS: Rashid saves \$150 each month. He wants to know how much he will have saved in 2 years. He writes the rule $s = m + 150$ to help him figure out how much he will save, where s is the amount saved and m is the number of months he saves. Explain why his rule is incorrect?

He needs to multiply the 150 by the number of months

$$S = 150m, \text{ therefore he saves } s = 150(24) = \$3600$$

VI) Which Marsha buys x pens at \$0.70 per pen and one pencil for \$0.10. Which function gives the total amount Marsha spends?

A $c(x) = 0.70x + 0.10x$

C $c(x) = (0.70 + 0.10)x$

B $c(x) = 0.70x + 1$

D $c(x) = 0.70x + 0.10$