

Math 1

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Graphing Quadratic Functions

Quadratic Function: standard form $ax^2 + bx + c$ sometimes called a parabola

● Vertex: the max or min point of a quadratic function (midpoint) → turning Point

Axis of symmetry: vertical line that goes through the vertex + cuts parabola in half

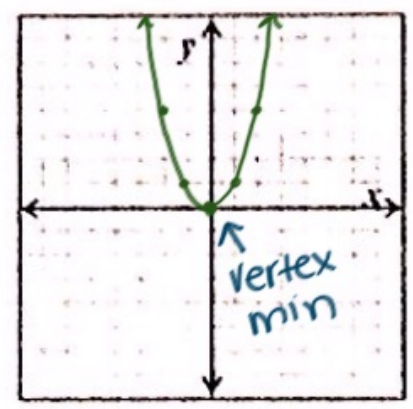
Form: $y = ax^2$. Graph each quadratic function. Label the vertex and axis of symmetry.

1. $y = x^2$

and graph

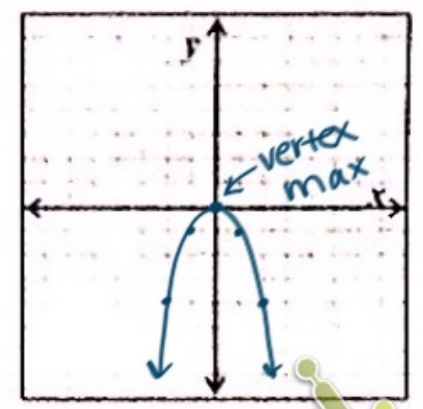
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2	4

vertex turning Point



2. $y = -x^2$

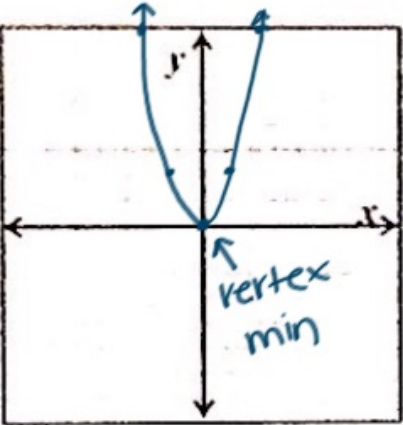
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-1	-1
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1	-1
2	-4



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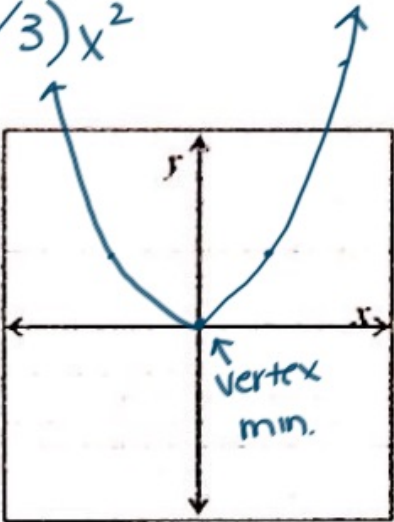
3. $y = 2x^2$

x	y
-2	8
-1	2
0	0
1	2
2	8



4. $y = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)x^2 = (1/3)x^2$


x	y
-6	12
-3	3
0	0
3	3
6	12



4. Compare the graphs from #1 and #2. How are they similar? How do they differ?
same: different: Direction
 Shape

5. Compare the graphs of #1, #3, and #4. How are they similar? How do they differ?
same: Direction different: width
 Shape

6. What is the y-intercept of each graph?
 (0,0)

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Vocabulary:

Domain: X-values that can be used

Range: y-values that are used

Vertex: max or min (turning point + midpoint)

Axis of symmetry: line that goes through the vertex + splits parabola in half

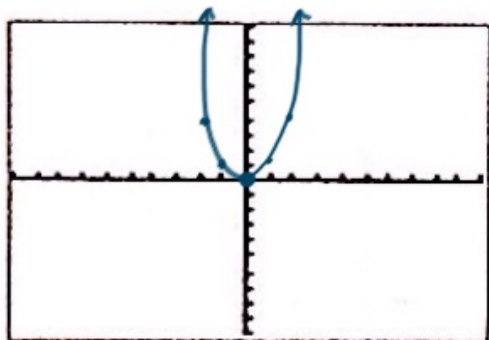
x-intercept: when parabola crosses the x-axis + y-value is 0 (#, 0)

y-intercept: when parabola crosses the y-axis + x-value is 0 (0, #)

left → right } Increasing interval: when x increasing + y increasing

Decreasing interval: when x increasing + y decreasing

Parent Function: $y = x^2$



x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	4	1	0	1	4

Characteristics:

Domain: All Real #'s
 $(-\infty, \infty)$

Range: $y \geq 0$

Vertex: $(0, 0)$

AOS: $x = 0$

X-int: $(0, 0)$

Y-int: $(0, 0)$

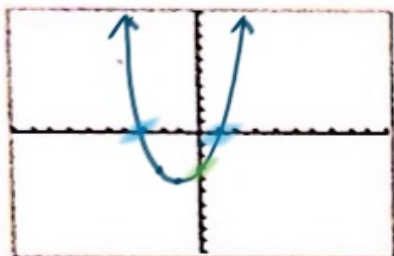
Inc: $x > 0$

Dec: $x < 0$

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



Characteristics:

All real #'s
Domain: $(-\infty, \infty)$

Vertex: $(-1, -4)$

X-int: $(-3, 0)$ & $(1, 0)$

Inc: $x > -1$

Range: $y > -4$

AOS: $x = -1$

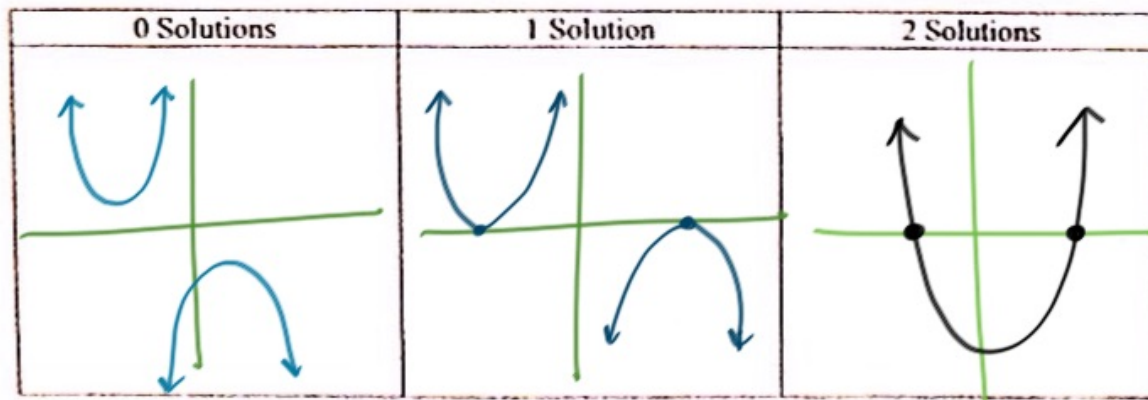
Y-int: $(0, -3)$

Dec: $x < -1$

x	-3	-2	-1	0	1
y	0	-3	-4	-3	0

\rightarrow x-intercepts

There are 3 possible choices for solutions for quadratic equations:



The domain is always $(-\infty, \infty)$ for quadratic functions.

All real #'s

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Graphs of Quadratic Functions

Form:
 $ax^2 + bx + c$
↓
Standard form

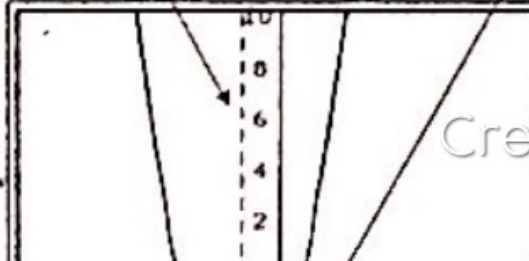
Axis of Symmetry

- Vertical line that passes through the vertex
- divides the parabola in half.

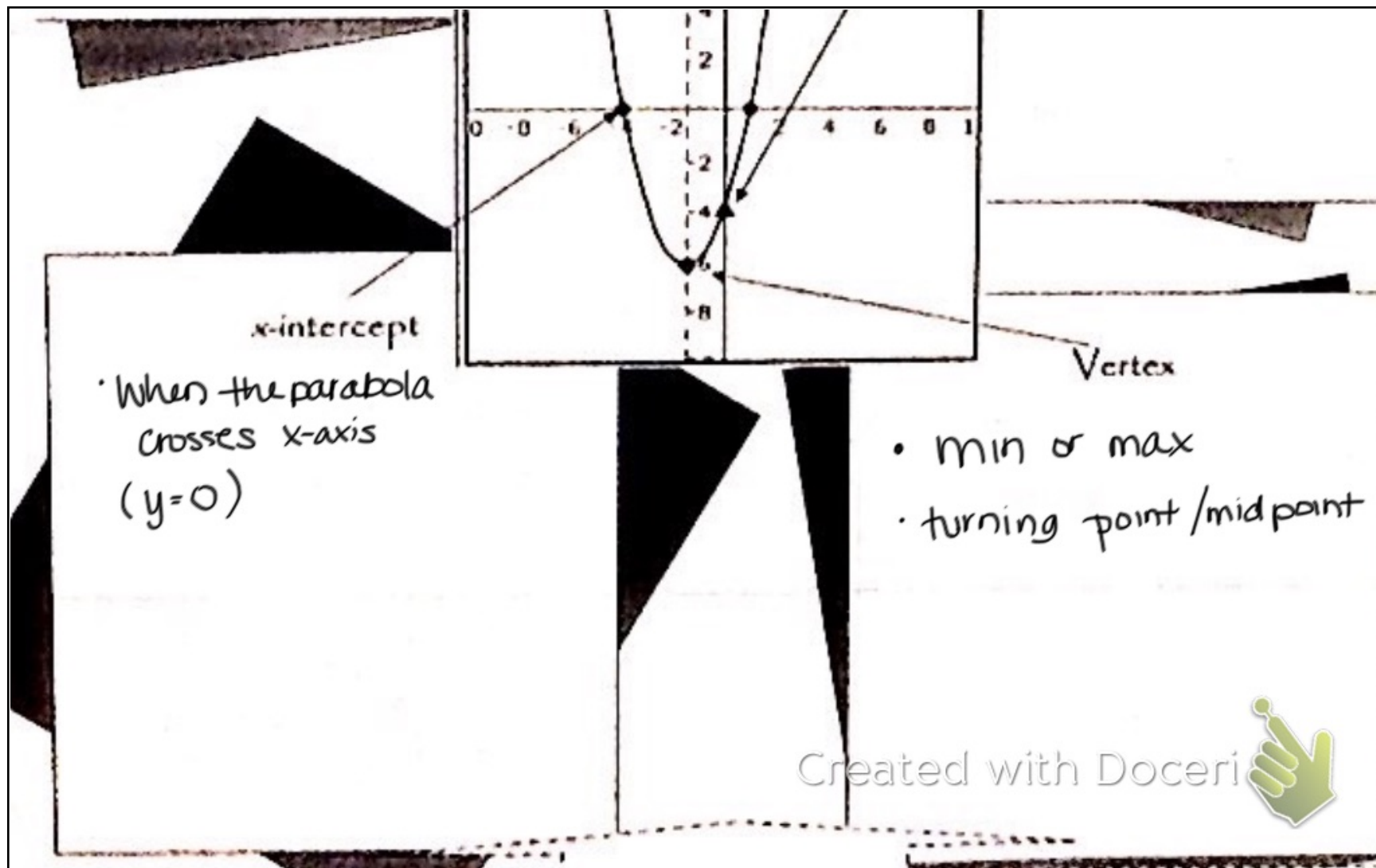
→ $x = \#$
↓
x-coordinate of vertex

y-intercept $x = 0$

- when the parabola crosses the y-axis
- the c-value in the standard form of the quadratic



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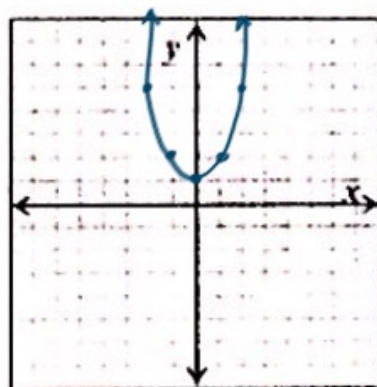
Based on Graphs #1 - 2, we can conclude that for $y = ax^2$:

- If $a > 0$, then the parabola will open up, the vertex will be (0,0) and the axis of symmetry will be $x = 0$.
↳ positive #
- If $a < 0$, then the parabola will open down, the vertex will be (0,0) and the axis of symmetry will be $x = 0$.
↳ negative #'s

Form: $y = ax^2 + c$.

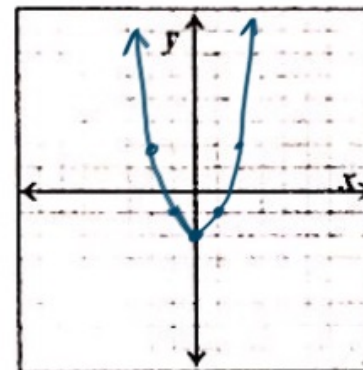
7. $y = x^2 + 1$

x	y
-2	5
-1	2
0	1
1	2
2	5



8. $y = x^2 - 2$

x	y
-2	2
-1	-1
0	-2
1	-1
2	2

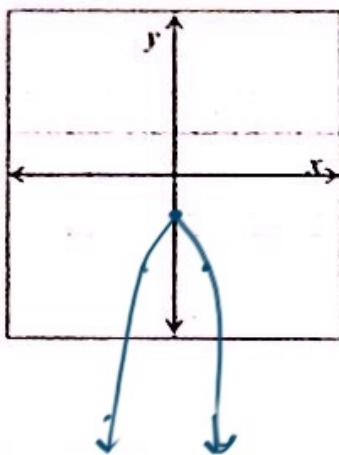


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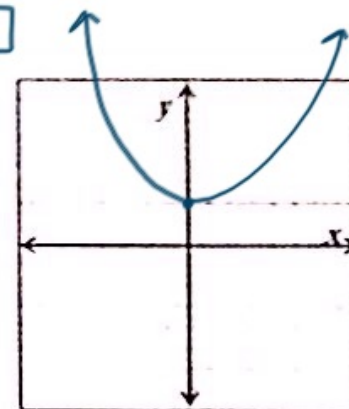
9. $y = -2x^2 - 3$

x	y
-2	-11
-1	-5
0	-3
1	-5
2	-11



10. $y = \frac{1}{3}x^2 + 2$

x	y
-6	14
-3	5
0	2
3	5
6	14



11. Compare the graphs from #1, #7 and #8. How are they similar? How do they differ?

Same shape #7 is shifted up
#8 is shifted down

12. Compare the graphs from #3 and #9, then #4 and #10. How are they similar? How do they differ?

#3 & #9 → flipped shifted down #4 & #10 → shifted up same shape

13. Find the y-intercept of #7 - 10. Compare the value of c and the y-intercept of each graph.

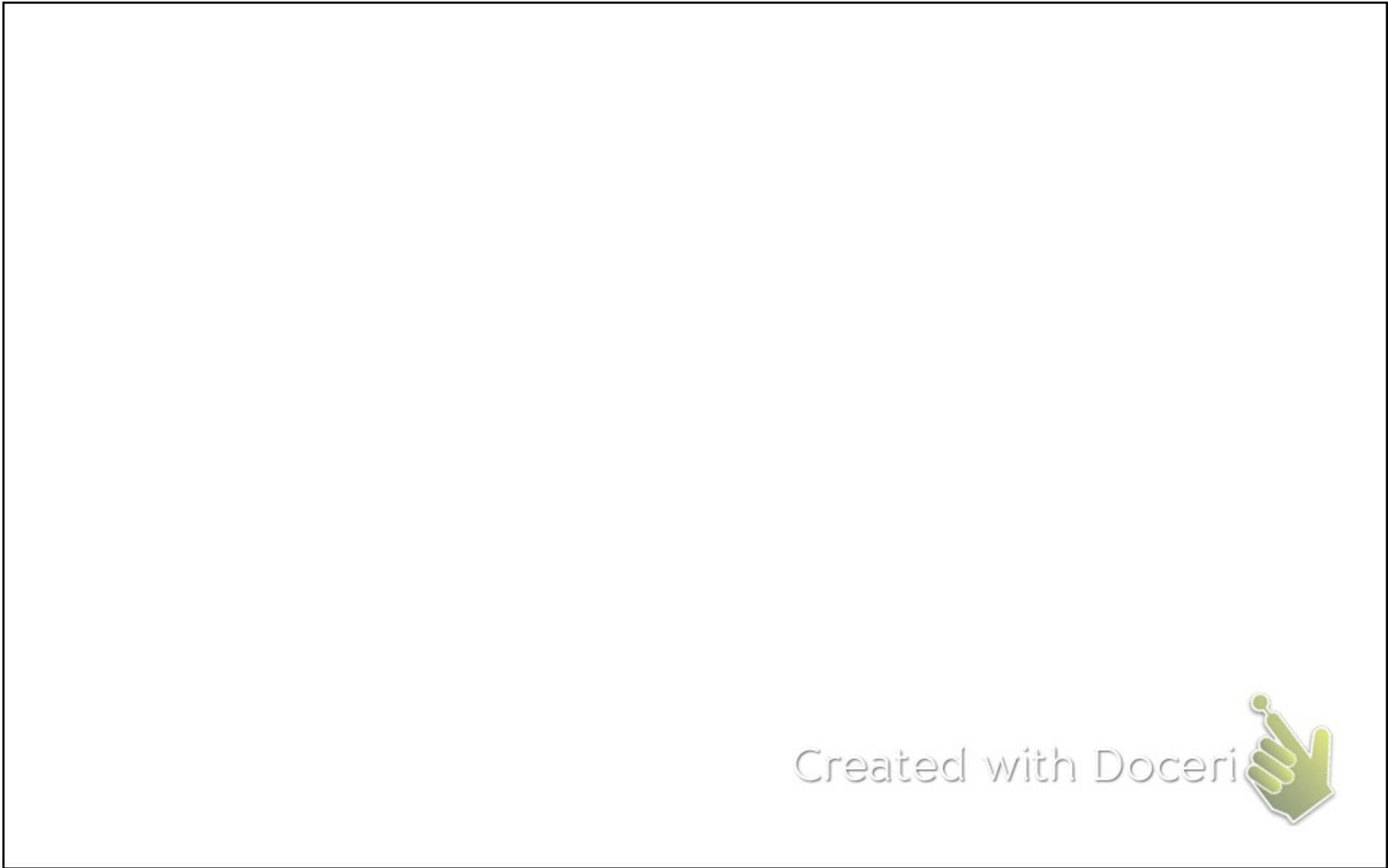
#7 = (0, 1) #8 = (0, -2) #9 = (0, -3) #10 = (0, 2)

Based on Graphs #7 - 10, we can conclude that for $y = ax^2 + c$:

- The value of c determines the y-intercept of the graph.

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