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Algebra Test Review:**Absolute Value Unit**

Solve each absolute value equation. Graph and write your solution in interval notation.

1. $|n - 2| = 2$

$n - 2 = 2 \quad n - 2 = -2$

$n = 4$

$n = 0$

$\{4, 0\}$

2. $|2m| = 12$

$2m = 12$

$m = 6$

$2m = -12$

$m = -6$

$\{6, -6\}$



3. $\left| \frac{-8-k}{3} \right| = 2$

$\frac{-8-k}{3} = 2$

$\frac{-8-k}{3} = -2$

$-8-k = 6$

$-k = 14$

$k = -14$

4. ~~$2|-7 - 6v| = 70$~~

$|-7 - 6v| = 35$

$-7 - 6v = 35$

$-6v = 42$

$v = -7$

$-7 - 6v = -35$

$-6v = -28$

$v = \frac{28}{6} \text{ or } \frac{14}{3}$



$\{-14, -2\}$

$\left\{-7, \frac{14}{3}\right\}$

$$5. \quad 9 + |10 + x| = 9$$

$$-9 \qquad \qquad -9$$

$$\cdot |10 + x| = 0$$

$$10 + x = 0$$

$$x = -10$$

$$\{-10\}$$

$$6. \quad \left| \frac{n}{4} \right| + 6 = 8$$

$$\left| \frac{n}{4} \right| = 2$$

$$\frac{n}{4} = 2 \qquad \qquad \frac{n}{4} = -2$$

$$n = 8 \qquad \qquad n = -8$$

$$\{8, -8\}$$

7. $|5k - 6| + 10 = 10$

$$|5k - 6| = 0$$

$$5k - 6 = 0$$

$$5k = 6$$

$$k = \frac{6}{5} \qquad \left\{ \frac{6}{5} \right\}$$

8. $|m - 2| - 9 = -15$

$$|m - 2| = -6$$

no solution

$$\{\emptyset\}$$

Solve each compound inequality and graph its solution. Write your solution in interval notation.

9. $|2 - x| + 3 > 8$

$$|2 - x| > 5 \quad \text{or!}$$

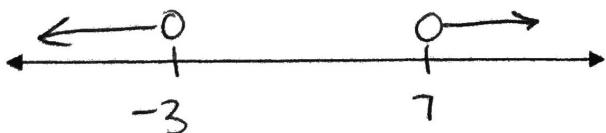
$$2 - x > 5 \quad \text{or} \quad 2 - x < -5$$

$$-x > 3$$

$$-x < -7$$

$$x < -3$$

$$x > 7$$



10. $6 - 2|2 - p| \leq 4$

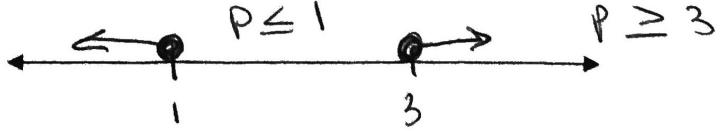
~~$$2|2 - p| \leq -2$$~~

$$|2 - p| \geq 1 \quad \alpha!$$

$$2 - p \geq 1 \quad \text{or} \quad 2 - p \leq -1$$

$$-p \geq -1$$

$$-p \leq -3$$



$$(-\infty, -3) \cup (7, \infty)$$

$$(-\infty, 1] \cup [3, \infty)$$

$$11. -4|6 + 2r| > 20$$

$$|6 + 2r| < -5$$

no solution

$$12. 7|7x| - 14 > 42$$

$$7|7x| > 56$$

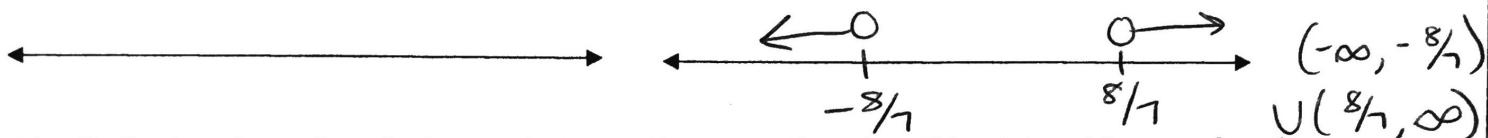
$$|7x| > 8 \quad \text{or!}$$

$$7x > 8$$

$$x > \frac{8}{7}$$

$$7x < -8$$

$$x < -\frac{8}{7}$$



2. Identify the transformations that occur between the parent function $f(x) = |x|$ and the new function (x) .

a. $g(x) = |x - 3| + 7$

- right 3
- up 7

b. $g(x) = -|x| - 8$

- down 8
- reflect over x-axis

c. $g(x) = -|x + 4|$

- left 4
- reflect over x-axis

Graph the function in the coordinate plane. Then analyze the aspects of the graph and identify any transformations that occur in relation to the parent function, $f(x) = |x|$.

3. $f(x) = 2|x + 1| - 8$

Descriptions of Transformations:

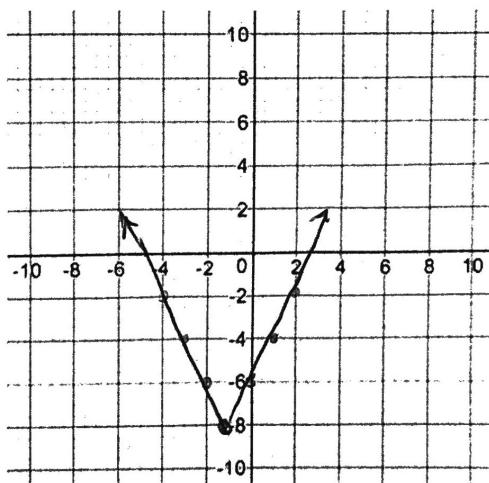
left 1
down 8
vertical stretch

Vertex:

$$(-1, -8)$$

Axis of Symmetry:

$$x = -1$$



$$4. \quad f(x) = -2|x - 4| + 2$$

Descriptions of Transformations:

right 4

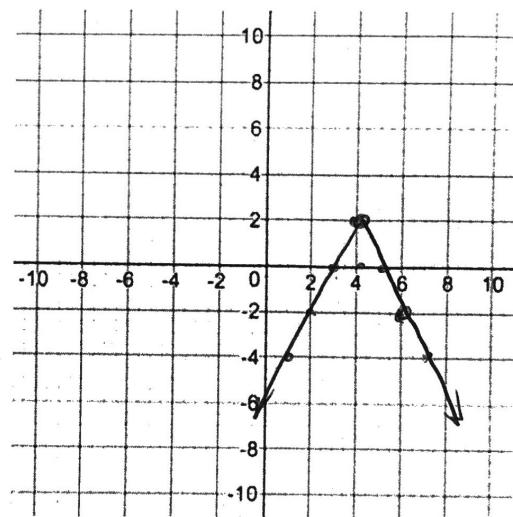
up 2

reflect over x axis

vertical stretch

Vertex:

(4, 2)



Axis of Symmetry:

$$x = 4$$

Graph the function in the coordinate plane. Then analyze the aspects of the graph and identify any transformations that occur in relation to the parent function $f(x) = |x|$.

$$3. \quad f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}|x| + 3$$

Descriptions of Transformations:

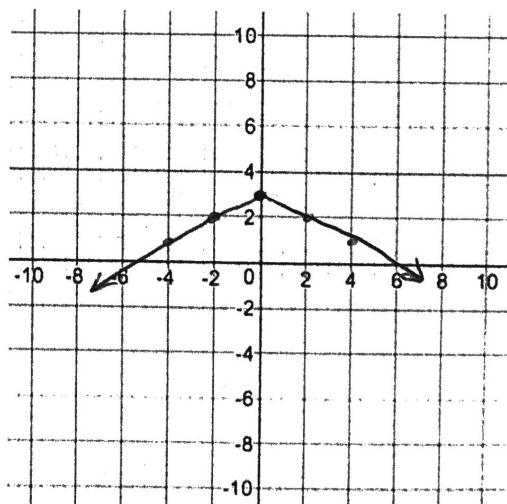
up 3

vertical compression

reflect over x-axis

Vertex:

(0, 3)



Axis of Symmetry:

$$x = 0$$