

Assignment: Composite function

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Perform the indicated operation.

1) $g(n) = -3n + 5$
 $f(n) = -n - 1$
Find $(g \circ f)(n)$

2) $g(n) = 2n - 4$
 $f(n) = n^3 - 3$
Find $g(f(n))$

3) $g(x) = -x + 4$
Find $(g \circ g)(x)$

4) $f(t) = 3t - 3$
 $g(t) = -t^2 - t$
Find $(f \circ g)(t)$

5) $f(n) = n^2 - 2n$
Find $(f \circ f)(1)$

6) $h(n) = 3n$
 $g(n) = 4n + 4$
Find $h(g(0))$

7) $g(t) = t^2 + 2t$
 $h(t) = 2t$
Find $(g \circ h)(0)$

8) $f(n) = -4n - 5$
Find $f(f(-5))$

Find f and g so that $h(x) = (f \circ g)(x)$. Neither function may be the identity function $f(x) = x$.

9) $h(x) = \left(\frac{x}{3} + 1\right)^3$

10) $h(x) = 5^{3x+4}$

$$11) \ h(x) = 3x^2 + 5$$

$$12) \ h(x) = \frac{1}{x^3} + 1$$

Perform the indicated operation.

$$\begin{aligned} 13) \ g(x) &= x + 4 \\ h(x) &= 2x - 3 \\ \text{Find } (g \circ h)(-2 + x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 14) \ f(x) &= x^2 - 5 \\ g(x) &= 3x - 4 \\ \text{Find } f\left(g\left(\frac{x}{3}\right)\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 15) \ f(n) &= 2n + 4 \\ g(n) &= -n - 3 \\ \text{Find } f(g(3n)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 16) \ f(n) &= 2n - 3 \\ g(n) &= n + 1 \\ \text{Find } (f \circ g)\left(\frac{n}{3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Find the inverse of each function.

$$17) \ f(n) = \frac{3}{n} + 1$$

$$18) \ f(x) = \sqrt[5]{\frac{-x - 3}{2}}$$

$$19) \ f(x) = \frac{-4 + 3x}{2}$$

$$20) \ h(n) = \frac{10 - 7n}{5}$$

Answers to Assignment: Composite function

1) $3n + 8$

5) 3

9) $f(x) = x^3$

$$g(x) = \frac{x}{3} + 1$$

13) $2x - 3$

17) $f^{-1}(n) = \frac{3}{n-1}$

2) $2n^3 - 10$

6) 12

10) $f(x) = 5^x$

$$g(x) = 3x + 4$$

14) $x^2 - 8x + 11$

18) $f^{-1}(x) = -2x^5 - 3$

3) x

7) 0

11) $f(x) = 3x + 5$

$$g(x) = x^2$$

15) $-6n - 2$

19) $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x + 4}{3}$

4) $-3t^2 - 3t - 3$

8) -65

12) $f(x) = \frac{1}{x} + 1$

$$g(x) = x^3$$

16) $\frac{-3 + 2n}{3}$

20) $h^{-1}(n) = \frac{-5n + 10}{7}$

