

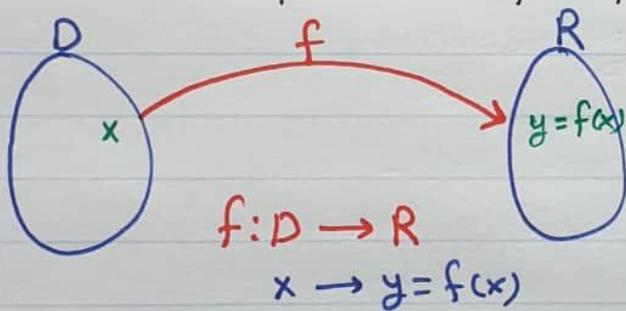
# Ch1 Functions

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Notes :

<p><b>Exp</b>: Example  <b>Ch</b>: Chapter  <b>iff</b>: if and only if (<math>\Leftrightarrow</math>)  <b><math>\forall</math></b>: for all  <b><math>\exists</math></b>: there exist  <b><math>\in</math></b>: belongs to  <b>D</b>: Domain (values of x)  <b>R</b>: Range (values of y)  <b><math>\mathbb{R}</math></b>: Real numbers  <b>D(f)</b>: Domain of f  <b>Def</b>: Definition</p>	<p>(normal)  <b><math>\perp</math></b>: Perpendicular  <b><math>\parallel</math></b>: Parallel  <b>R(f)</b>: Range of f  <b>Th</b>: Theorem  <b><math>\uparrow</math></b>: Increasing  <b><math>\downarrow</math></b>: Decreasing  <b>Q.</b>: Question  <b>A.</b>: Answer</p>
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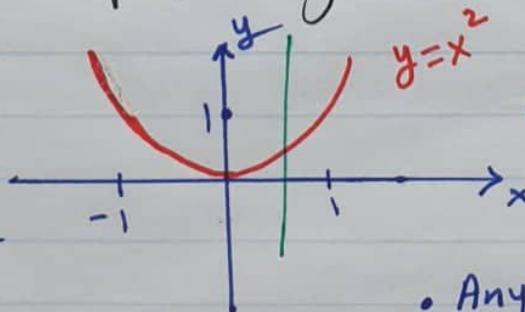
\* What is a function  $f$  from  $D$  to  $R$ ?



A function  $f$  from  $D$  to  $R$  is a rule that assigns to each point  $x \in D$  a unique point  $y = f(x)$  in  $R$ .

Exp ① Is  $y = x^2$  representing a function?

Yes  $\Rightarrow$  Every  $x$  in the domain has only one image  $y = f(x)$  in the range



• We can use the Vertical Line Test (VLT):

• Any VL crosses  $y = x^2$  at most once

② Find  $D$  and  $R$ .

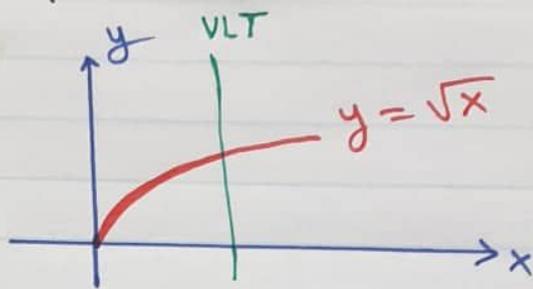
$D = (-\infty, \infty) = \mathbb{R}$

and  $R = [0, \infty)$

Exp ① Is  $y = \sqrt{x}$  function?

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Yes since it crosses any VL at most once



② Find  $D(f)$  and  $R(f)$

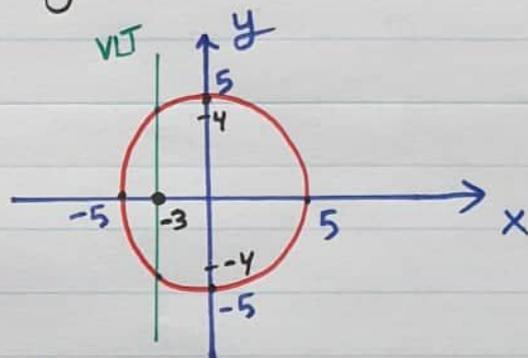
$$D(f) = [0, \infty) = R(f)$$

↳ possible values of  $x$

↳ possible values of  $y$

Exp Is  $x^2 + y^2 = 25$  representing function?

• No since it crosses the VL in two points



• This means when  $x = -3 \Rightarrow$

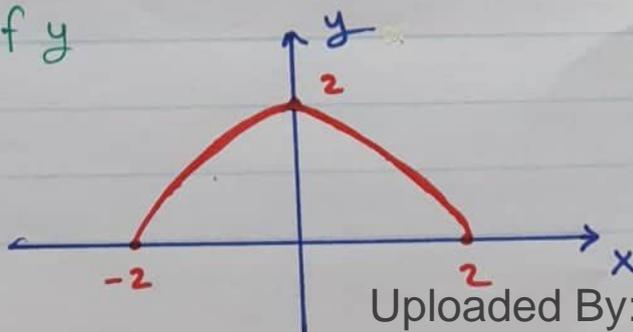
$x = -3$  has two images  $\pm 4$

$$\text{since } (-3)^2 + y^2 = 25 \Rightarrow y^2 = 16 \Rightarrow y = \pm 4$$

Exp Find Domain and Range of the function  $f(x) = \sqrt{4-x^2}$

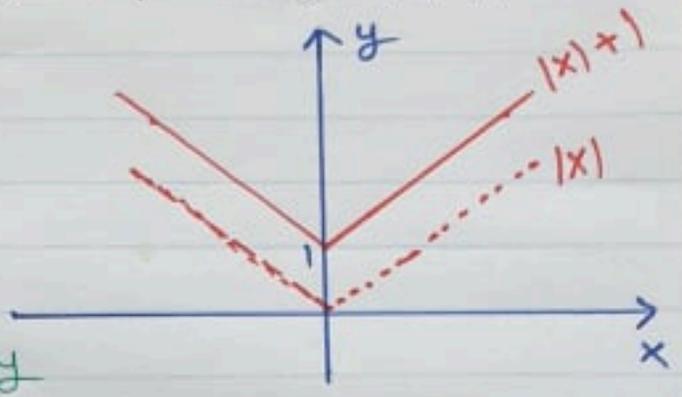
Domain:  $4 - x^2 \geq 0 \Rightarrow x^2 \leq 4 \Rightarrow \sqrt{x^2} \leq \sqrt{4}$   
possible values of  $x \Rightarrow |x| \leq 2$   
 $-2 \leq x \leq 2$   
 $D = [-2, 2]$

Range:  $f(x) \geq 0 \Rightarrow R = [0, \infty)$   
possible values of  $y$



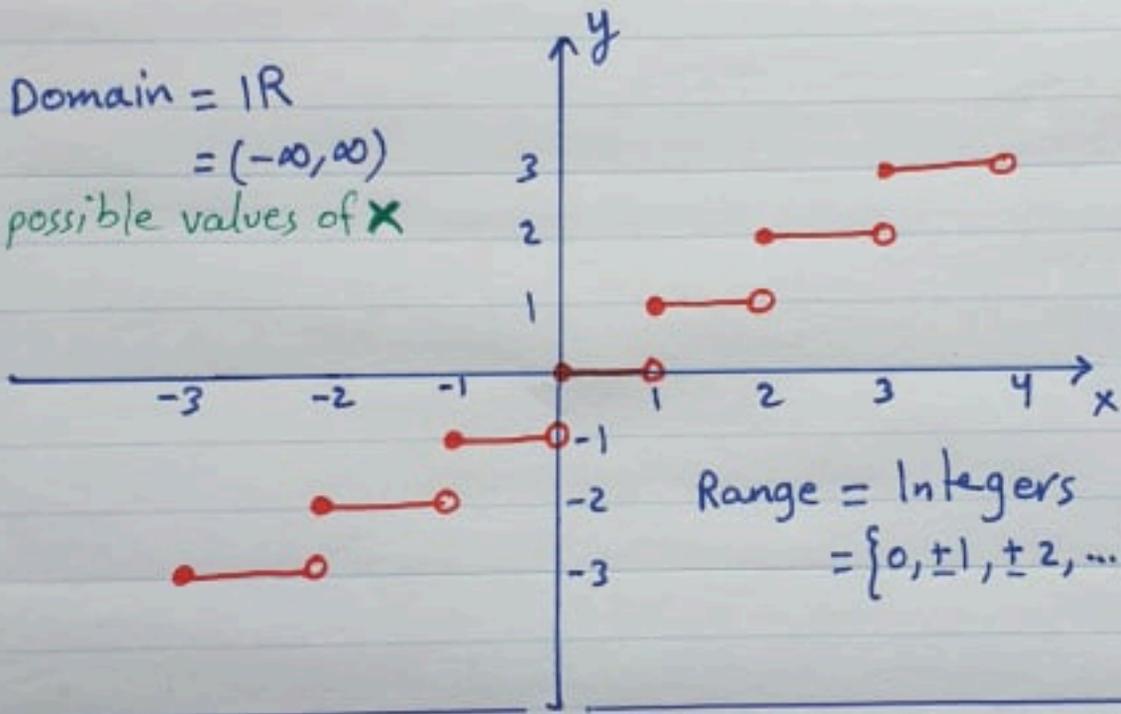
Exp Find Domain and Range of  $f(x) = |x| + 1$

- Domain =  $(-\infty, \infty)$   
possible values of  $x$
- Range =  $[1, \infty)$   
possible values of  $y$



Exp Find Domain and Range of the function  $f(x) = \lfloor x \rfloor$ , where  $\lfloor x \rfloor$  is the **greatest Integer function or Floor function**

Domain =  $\mathbb{R}$   
 $= (-\infty, \infty)$   
possible values of  $x$



Range = Integers  
 $= \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots\}$

- $\lfloor 3 \rfloor = 3$
- $\lfloor 3.1 \rfloor = 3$
- $\lfloor 3.5 \rfloor = 3$
- $\lfloor 3.9 \rfloor = 3$
- $\lfloor -3 \rfloor = -3$
- $\lfloor -3.1 \rfloor = -4$
- $\lfloor -3.9 \rfloor = -4$

Exp Find Domain and Range of the function  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

Domain =  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$   
 $= \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$   
possible values of  $x$

Range =  $(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)$   
 $= \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$   
possible values of  $y$

