

## Class 8 – Relations & Functions

### Review

order of operations:

$\sqrt{\phantom{x}} \text{ & } a^n \rightarrow x \div \rightarrow + -$

→ Evaluate an expression:

$$\frac{3(x+3)}{15x-30}, \quad x=3 \quad \frac{3(3+3)}{15 \cdot 3 - 30} = \frac{3 \cdot 6}{45 - 30} = \frac{18}{15} = \frac{6}{5}$$

Calculator:  $(3 \times (3+3)) \div (15 \times 3 - 30) = 1.2 \rightarrow \text{2nd, PRB} \rightarrow 6/5$   
 $(\text{2nd A b/c})$

→ Solving Linear & Quadratic equations:

$$3(x-4) - 15 = 0 \Rightarrow 3(x-4) = 15 \Rightarrow x-4 = 5 \Rightarrow x = 9.$$

$$A x^2 + Bx + C - 10 = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{sum} = 3 \\ \text{prod} = -10 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x+5 \\ x-2 \end{cases} = 0 \Rightarrow (x+5)(x-2) = 0$$

$$x+5 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{x = -5} \quad \text{or} \quad x-2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{x = 2}$$

→ Simplify expressions:

$$(2x^3 - 9x^2 + 7x + 5) - (3x^2 - 6x + 8)$$

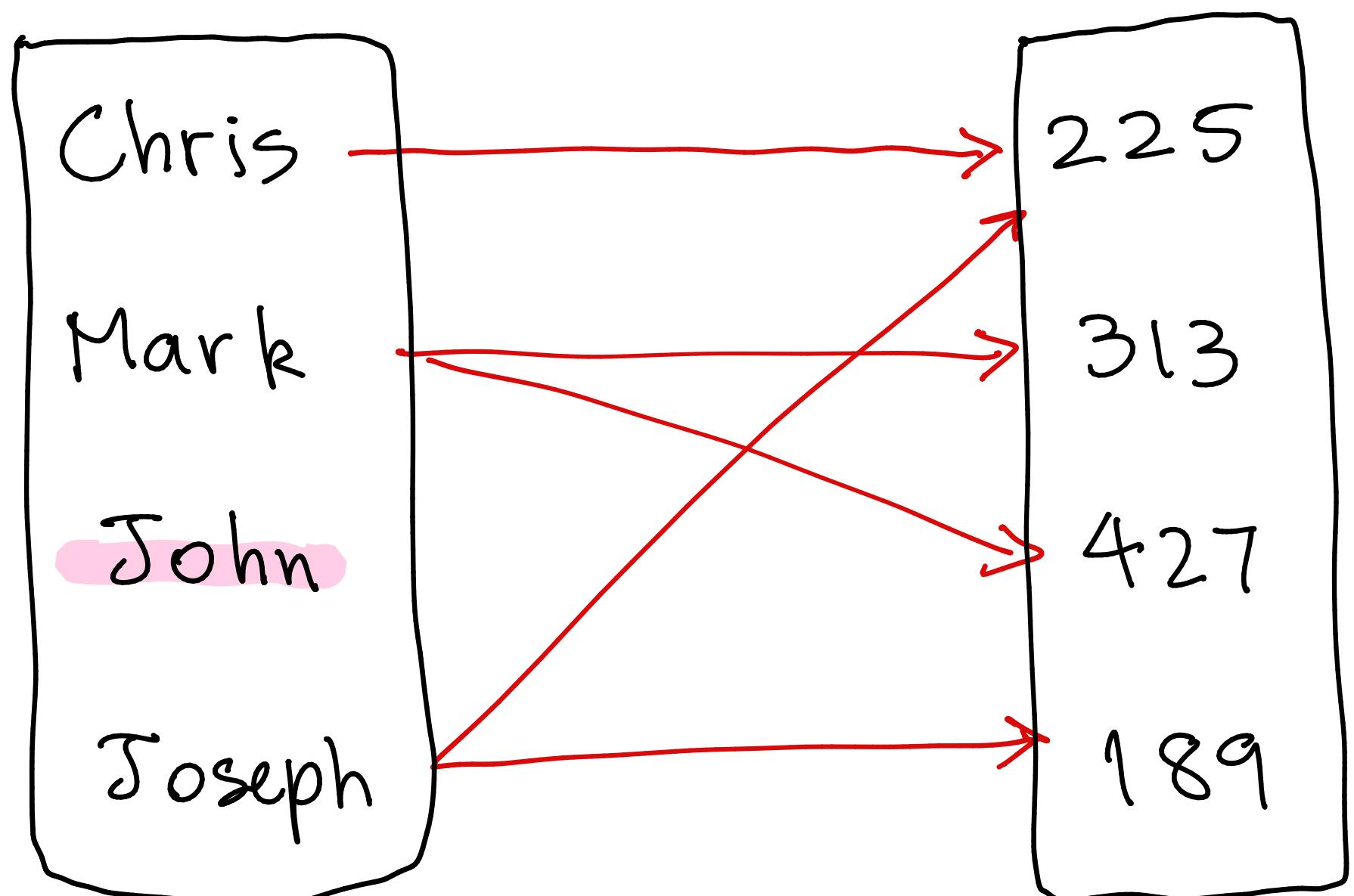
$$\underline{2x^3 - 9x^2} + \underline{7x + 5} - \underline{3x^2 + 6x} - 8 = 2x^3 - 12x^2 + 13x - 3.$$

$$(3 - 6(x+h)^2) - (3 - 6x^2) \quad (a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$= (3 - 6(x^2 + 2xh + h^2)) - (3 - 6x^2) = \cancel{3 - 6x^2} - 12xh - 6h^2 - \cancel{3 + 6x^2} \\ = -6h^2 - 12xh.$$

## Relations

People



Area codes

$\{(Chris, 225), (Mark, 313),$   
 $(Mark, 427), (Joseph, 225),$   
 $(Joseph, 189)\}$



Function: each element in the first set is related with exactly one element in the second set.

(every elt. in 1<sup>st</sup> set has exactly one arrow)

1<sup>st</sup> set: domain & 2<sup>nd</sup> set: codomain (range)

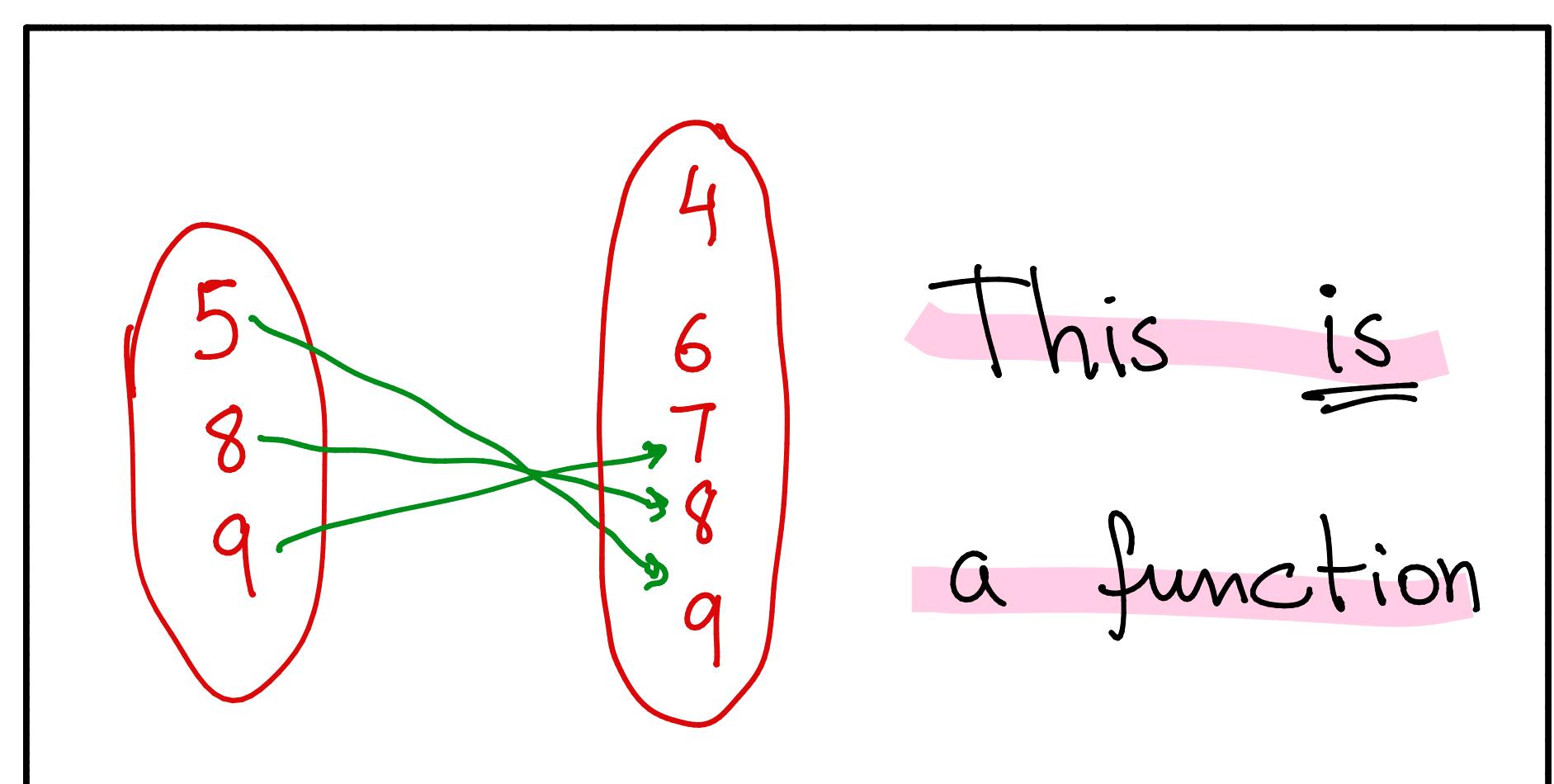
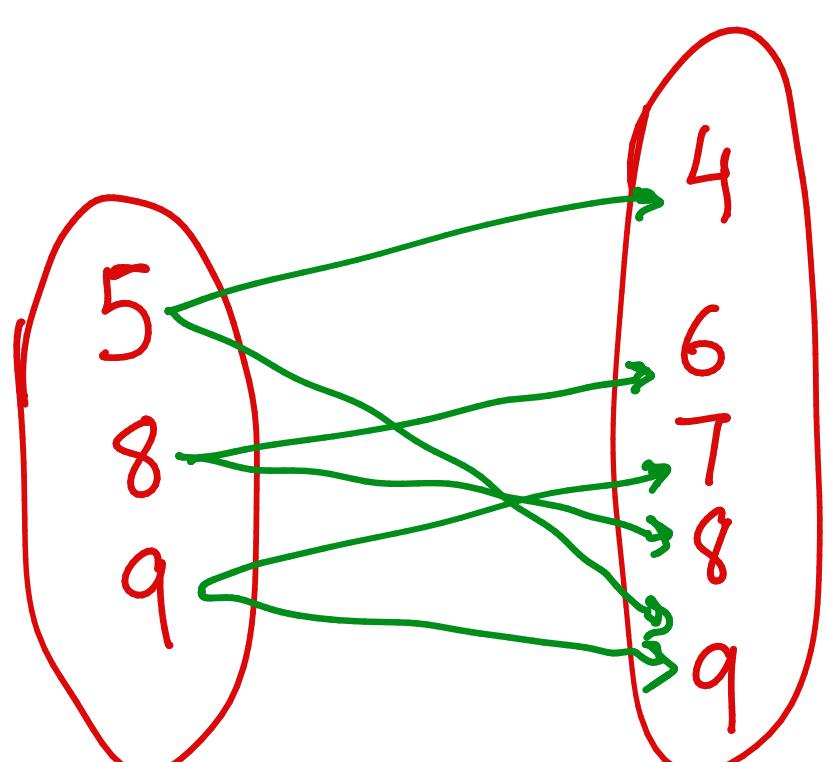
elements in  
2<sup>nd</sup> set that  
have an arrow

Ex1: Consider the relation  $\{(8, 6), (5, 4), (9, 7), (5, 9), (8, 8), (9, 9)\}$

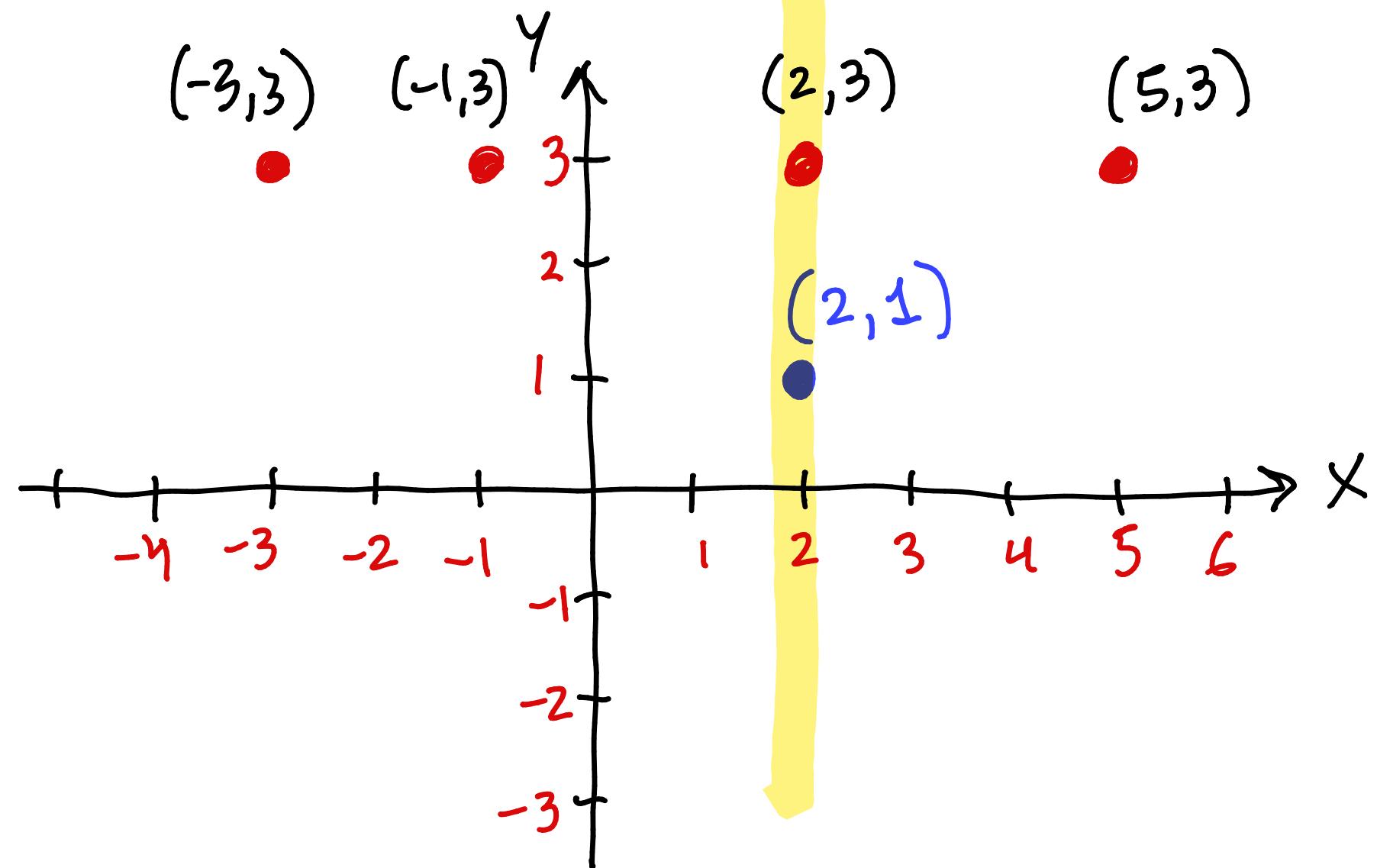
a) what is the domain?  $\{5, 8, 9\}$

b) What is the range?  $\{4, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$

c) Is this a function? No.



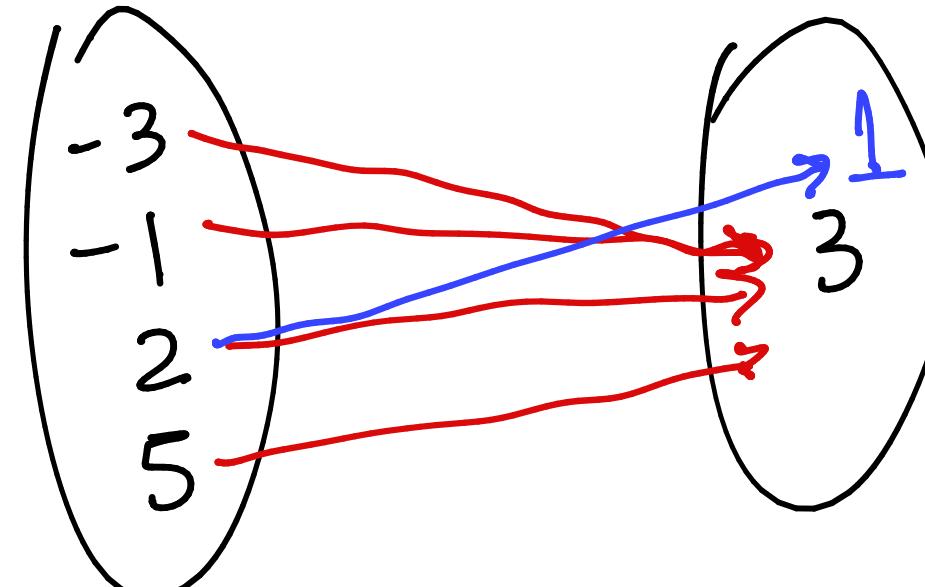
Ex 2: Consider the relation:



a) Domain:  $\{-3, -1, 2, 5\}$

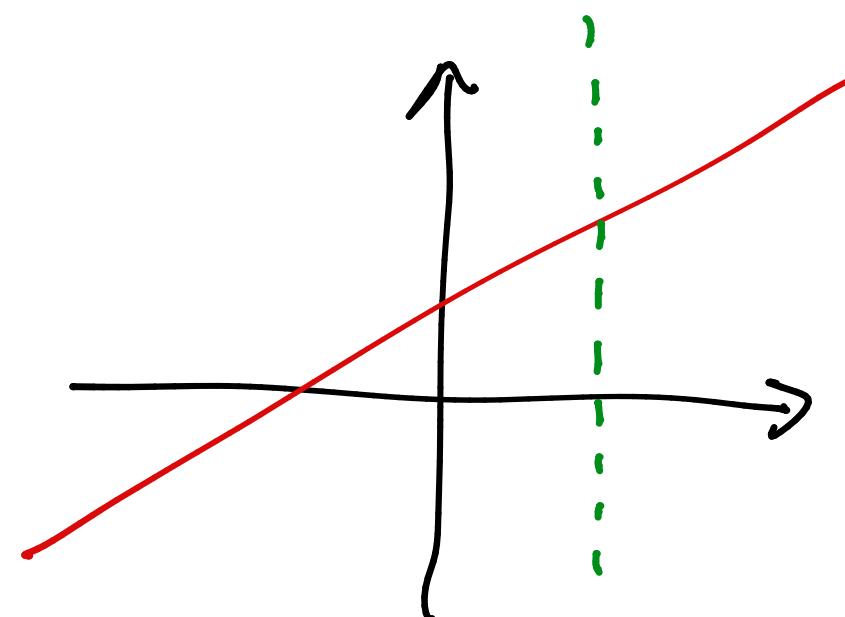
b) Range:  $\{3\}$

c) Is a function? Yes

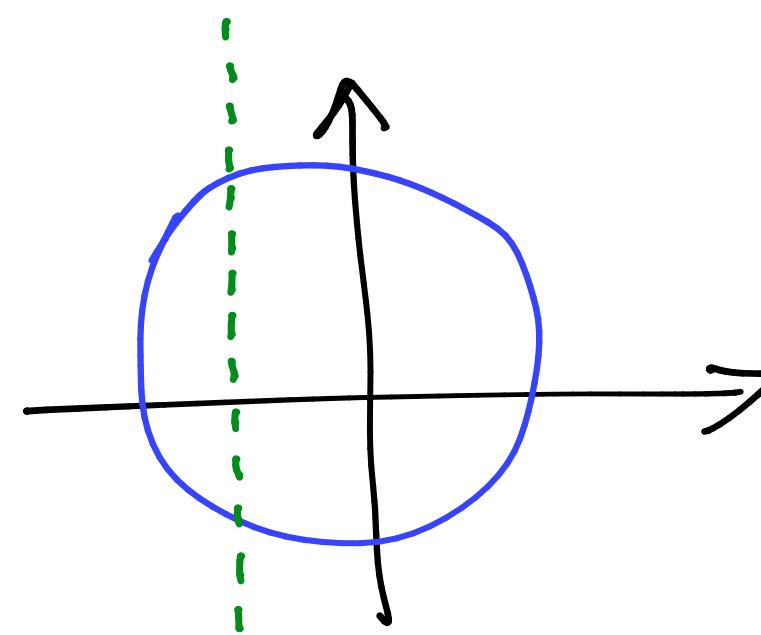


The vertical line test:

NOT a function if some vertical line touches a graph  $> 1$  times



function



NOT function

Polynomial:  $3x^5 + 2x^{90} - x^{41} + 5x^0$   $x^n$ ,  $n$  is positive integer

Real numbers

$$\frac{2}{x} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{x} = 2x^{-1}$$

$$\rightarrow Ax^2 + Bx + C$$

quadratic

$$Ax + B$$

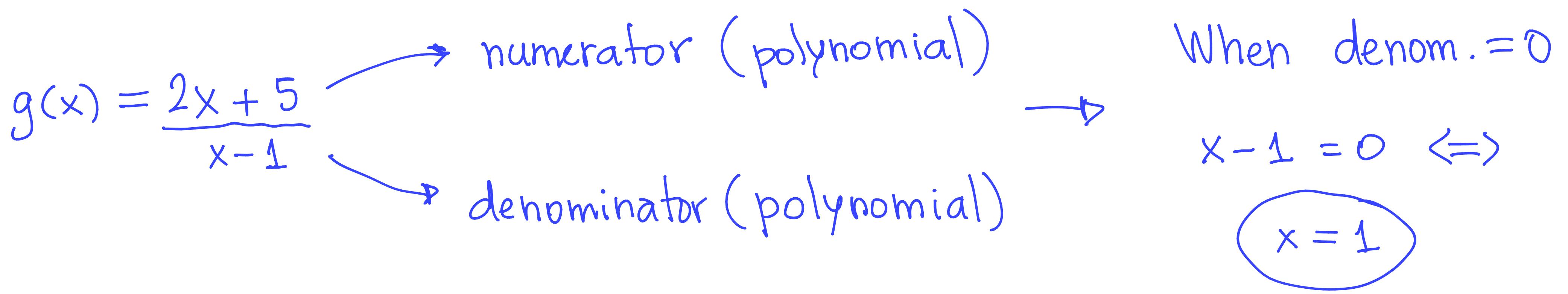
linear

$$2\sqrt{x} = 2x^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$f(x) = 2x + 1, f(0) = 2 \cdot 0 + 1 = 1, f(1) = 3, f(2025) = 4051$$

- the domain of a polynomial function is  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

Remark:  $g(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x-1}$ ,  $g(2) = \frac{2 \cdot 2 + 5}{2-1} = 9$



Domain:  $(-\infty, 1)$  or  $(1, \infty)$  =  $(-\infty, 1) \cup (1, \infty)$

$\downarrow$                              $\downarrow$   
 all #'s < 1                    all #'s > 1

In general,  $f(x) = \frac{g(x)}{h(x)}$  (rational func)  $g$  &  $h$  are polynomials

Domain: all #'s except those that produce  $h(x) = 0$ .

Root functions:  $f(x) = \sqrt[n]{x}$ .

If  $n$  is odd, domain is  $(-\infty, \infty)$

If  $n$  is even, domain is  $[0, \infty)$

Ex 3: Consider the function  $f(x) = \frac{2x^4 - x^3 + 2x - 1}{4}$ .

What type of function is this?

- Polynomial

- Rational

- Root

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

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

$$= \frac{1}{2}x^4 - \frac{1}{4}x^3 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{4}$$

Ex 4: Let  $f(x) = 3x^2 + 2x - 5$

a) Evaluate  $f(x)$  at 2. Compute  $f(2)$ .

$$f(2) = 3 \cdot 2^2 + 2 \cdot 2 - 5 = 3 \cdot 4 + 4 - 5 = 12 + 4 - 5 = 11.$$

b) Evaluate  $f(x)$  at  $x+h$ . Compute  $f(x+h)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+h) &= 3(x+h)^2 + 2(x+h) - 5 = 3(\cancel{x^2} + 2xh + h^2) + 2x + 2h - 5 \\ &= 3x^2 + 6xh + 3h^2 + 2x + 2h - 5. \end{aligned}$$

c) Simplify  $f(x+h) - f(x)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} f(x+h) - f(x) &= (3x^2 + 6xh + 3h^2 + 2x + 2h - 5) - (3x^2 + 2x - 5) \\ &= \cancel{3x^2} + 6xh + 3h^2 + \cancel{2x} + 2h - \cancel{-5} - \cancel{3x^2} - \cancel{2x} + \cancel{-5} \\ &= 3h^2 + 6xh + 2h. \end{aligned}$$

d) Simplify  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ .

$$\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} = \frac{3h^2 + 6xh + 2h}{h} = \frac{\cancel{h}(3h + 6x + 2)}{\cancel{h}} = 6x + 3h + 2.$$

Ex 5: Consider  $f(x) = 3x^2 - 5$ . Compute  $\frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= \frac{3(x+h)^2 - 5 - (3x^2 - 5)}{h} \\ &= \frac{3(x^2 + 2xh + h^2) - 5 - 3x^2 + 5}{h} \\ &= \frac{\cancel{3x^2} + 6xh + 3h^2 - \cancel{-5} - \cancel{3x^2} + \cancel{5}}{h} \\ &= \frac{3h^2 + 6xh}{h} = \frac{\cancel{h}(3h + 6x)}{\cancel{h}} = 6x + 3h. \end{aligned}$$