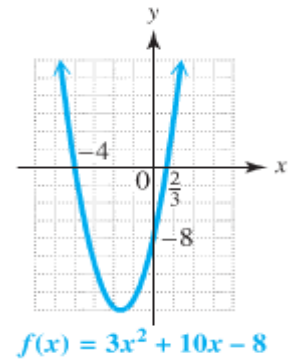
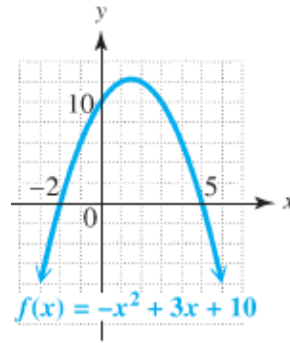


9.7 In-class Practice

1. For each graph of a quadratic function f , find the solutions of

- a) $f(x) > 0$
- b) $f(x) = 0$
- c) $f(x) \leq 0$



2. Use properties of the corresponding quadratic function to solve each inequality.

- a) $(x - 5)(x + 1) \geq 0$
- b) $x^2 - 12 < 4x$
- c) $x^2 + 6x > -9$
- d) $12 - 27x^2 < 0$
- e) $3x^2 \leq 5x$
- f) $20 - x - x^2 \geq 0$

3. Use sign analysis to solve each inequality.

- a) $(x + 9)(x - 4)(x + 1) > 0$
- b) $5x(x + 1)(x - 1) \leq 0$
- c) $(2x - 7)^2 \geq -3$
- d) $(5 - 8x)^2 < -1$
- e) $\frac{5-2x}{4x+3} \leq 0$
- f) $\frac{x-1}{x-2} > 3$
- g) $\frac{(x+4)(x-1)}{x+3} < 0$
- h) $\frac{5x(1+x)}{(x-1)^2} \geq 0$

4. A company determines that its average cost C , in dollars, for selling x units of a product is modeled by the function $C(x) = \frac{864+2x}{x}$. For what number of units will the average cost be less than \$8?