

## 5.3 Exercises

### Exercise 5.1

Find  $f + g$ ,  $f - g$ ,  $f \cdot g$  for the functions below. State their domain.

- ✓ a)  $f(x) = x^2 + 6x$       and  $g(x) = 3x - 5$   
 ✓ b)  $f(x) = x^3 + 5$       and  $g(x) = 5x^2 + 7$   
 ✓ c)  $f(x) = 3x + 7\sqrt{x}$       and  $g(x) = 2x^2 + 5\sqrt{x}$   
 d)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+2}$       and  $g(x) = \frac{5x}{x+2}$   
 e)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x-3}$       and  $g(x) = 2\sqrt{x-3}$   
 f)  $f(x) = x^2 + 2x + 5$       and  $g(x) = 3x - 6$   
 g)  $f(x) = x^2 + 3x$       and  $g(x) = 2x^2 + 3x + 4$

### Exercise 5.2

Find  $\frac{f}{g}$ , and  $\frac{g}{f}$  for the functions below. State their domain.

- ✓ a)  $f(x) = 3x + 6$       and  $g(x) = 2x - 8$   
 ✓ b)  $f(x) = x + 2$       and  $g(x) = x^2 - 5x + 4$   
 c)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-5}$       and  $g(x) = \frac{x-2}{x+3}$   
 d)  $f(x) = \sqrt{x+6}$       and  $g(x) = 2x + 5$   
 e)  $f(x) = x^2 + 8x - 33$       and  $g(x) = \sqrt{x}$

### Exercise 5.3

Let  $f(x) = 2x - 3$  and  $g(x) = 3x^2 + 4x$ . Find the following compositions:

- ✓ a)  $f(g(2))$       ✓ b)  $g(f(2))$       ✓ c)  $f(f(5))$   
 ✓ d)  $f(5g(-3))$       e)  $g(f(2) - 2)$       f)  $f(f(3) + g(3))$   
 g)  $g(f(2 + x))$       h)  $f(f(-x))$       i)  $f(f(-3) - 3g(2))$   
 j)  $f(f(f(2)))$       k)  $f(x + h)$       l)  $g(x + h)$

## Exercise 5.4

Find the composition  $(f \circ g)(x)$  for the following functions:

- ✓ a)  $f(x) = 3x - 5$  and  $g(x) = 2x + 3$   
 ✓ b)  $f(x) = x^2 + 2$  and  $g(x) = x + 3$   
 ✓ c)  $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$  and  $g(x) = 2x + 1$   
 d)  $f(x) = x^2 + \sqrt{x + 3}$  and  $g(x) = x^2 + 2x$   
 e)  $f(x) = \frac{2}{x+4}$  and  $g(x) = x + h$   
 f)  $f(x) = x^2 + 4x + 3$  and  $g(x) = x + h$

## Exercise 5.5

Find the compositions

$$(f \circ g)(x), \quad (g \circ f)(x), \quad (f \circ f)(x), \quad (g \circ g)(x)$$

for the following functions:

- ✓ a)  $f(x) = 2x + 4$  and  $g(x) = x - 5$   
 ✓ b)  $f(x) = x + 3$  and  $g(x) = x^2 - 2x$   
 c)  $f(x) = 2x^2 - x - 6$  and  $g(x) = \sqrt{3x + 2}$   
 d)  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+3}$  and  $g(x) = \frac{1}{x} - 3$   
 e)  $f(x) = (2x - 7)^2$  and  $g(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x+7}}{2}$

## ✓ Exercise 5.6

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be the functions defined by the table below. Complete the table by performing the indicated operations.

$x$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
$f(x)$	4	5	7	0	-2	6	4
$g(x)$	6	-8	5	2	9	11	2
$f(x) + 3$							
$4g(x) + 5$							
$g(x) - 2f(x)$							
$f(x + 3)$							

### ✓ Exercise 5.7

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be the functions defined by the table below. Complete the table by composing the given functions.

$x$	1	2	3	4	5	6
$f(x)$	3	1	2	5	6	3
$g(x)$	5	2	6	1	2	4
$(g \circ f)(x)$						
$(f \circ g)(x)$						
$(f \circ f)(x)$						
$(g \circ g)(x)$						

### Exercise 5.8

Let  $f$  and  $g$  be the functions defined by the table below. Complete the table by composing the given functions.

$x$	0	2	4	6	8	10	12
$f(x)$	4	8	5	6	12	-1	10
$g(x)$	10	2	0	-6	7	2	8
$(g \circ f)(x)$							
$(f \circ g)(x)$							
$(f \circ f)(x)$							
$(g \circ g)(x)$							