

4.1 EXERCISES

HOMWORK KEY

- = WORKED-OUT SOLUTIONS on p. WS7 for Exs. 15, 37, and 57
- ★ = STANDARDIZED TEST PRACTICE Exs. 2, 39, 40, 43, 53, 58, and 60
- ◆ = MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS Ex. 59

SKILL PRACTICE

1. **VOCABULARY** Copy and complete: The graph of a quadratic function is called a(n) ? .
2. ★ **WRITING** Describe how to determine whether a quadratic function has a minimum value or a maximum value.

EXAMPLE 1

on p. 236
for Exs. 3–12

USING A TABLE Copy and complete the table of values for the function.

3. $y = 4x^2$

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	?	?	?	?	?

4. $y = -3x^2$

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	?	?	?	?	?

5. $y = \frac{1}{2}x^2$

x	-4	-2	0	2	4
y	?	?	?	?	?

6. $y = -\frac{1}{3}x^2$

x	-6	-3	0	3	6
y	?	?	?	?	?

MAKING A GRAPH Graph the function. Compare the graph with the graph of $y = x^2$.

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| 7. $y = 3x^2$ | 8. $y = 5x^2$ | 9. $y = -2x^2$ |
| 10. $y = -x^2$ | 11. $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^2$ | 12. $g(x) = -\frac{1}{4}x^2$ |
| 13. $y = 5x^2 + 1$ | 14. $y = 4x^2 + 1$ | 15. $f(x) = -x^2 + 2$ |
| 16. $g(x) = -2x^2 - 5$ | 17. $f(x) = \frac{3}{4}x^2 - 5$ | 18. $g(x) = -\frac{1}{5}x^2 - 2$ |

EXAMPLE 2

on p. 237
for Exs. 13–18

ERROR ANALYSIS Describe and correct the error in analyzing the graph of $y = 4x^2 + 24x - 7$.

19.

The x-coordinate of the vertex is:

$$x = \frac{b}{2a} = \frac{24}{2(4)} = 3$$



20.

The y-intercept of the graph is the value of c, which is 7.



EXAMPLE 3

on p. 238
for Exs. 21–32

MAKING A GRAPH Graph the function. Label the vertex and axis of symmetry.

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| 21. $y = x^2 + 2x + 1$ | 22. $y = 3x^2 - 6x + 4$ | 23. $y = -4x^2 + 8x + 2$ |
| 24. $y = -2x^2 - 6x + 3$ | 25. $g(x) = -x^2 - 2x - 1$ | 26. $f(x) = -6x^2 - 4x - 5$ |
| 27. $y = \frac{2}{3}x^2 - 3x + 6$ | 28. $y = -\frac{3}{4}x^2 - 4x - 1$ | 29. $g(x) = -\frac{3}{5}x^2 + 2x + 2$ |
| 30. $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + x - 3$ | 31. $y = \frac{8}{5}x^2 - 4x + 5$ | 32. $y = -\frac{5}{3}x^2 - x - 4$ |

EXAMPLE 4
on p. 239
for Exs. 33–38

MINIMUMS OR MAXIMUMS Tell whether the function has a *minimum value* or a *maximum value*. Then find the minimum or maximum value.

33. $y = -6x^2 - 1$

34. $y = 9x^2 + 7$

35. $f(x) = 2x^2 + 8x + 7$

36. $g(x) = -3x^2 + 18x - 5$

37. $f(x) = \frac{3}{2}x^2 + 6x + 4$

38. $y = -\frac{1}{4}x^2 - 7x + 2$

39. **★ MULTIPLE CHOICE** What is the effect on the graph of the function $y = x^2 + 2$ when it is changed to $y = x^2 - 3$?

(A) The graph widens.

(B) The graph narrows.

(C) The graph opens down.

(D) The vertex moves down the y -axis.

40. **★ MULTIPLE CHOICE** Which function has the widest graph?

(A) $y = 2x^2$

(B) $y = x^2$

(C) $y = 0.5x^2$

(D) $y = -x^2$

IDENTIFYING COEFFICIENTS In Exercises 41 and 42, identify the values of a , b , and c for the quadratic function.

41. The path of a basketball thrown at an angle of 45° can be modeled by $y = -0.02x^2 + x + 6$.

42. The path of a shot put released at an angle of 35° can be modeled by $y = -0.01x^2 + 0.7x + 6$.



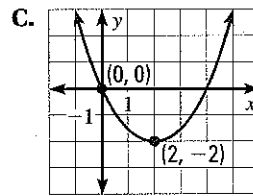
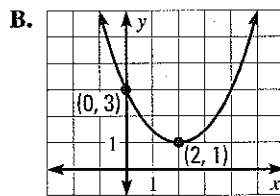
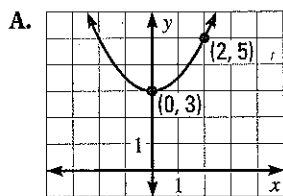
43. **★ OPEN-ENDED MATH** Write three different quadratic functions whose graphs have the line $x = 4$ as an axis of symmetry but have different y -intercepts.

MATCHING In Exercises 44–46, match the equation with its graph.

44. $y = 0.5x^2 - 2x$

45. $y = 0.5x^2 + 3$

46. $y = 0.5x^2 - 2x + 3$



MAKING A GRAPH Graph the function. Label the vertex and axis of symmetry.

47. $f(x) = 0.1x^2 + 2$

48. $g(x) = -0.5x^2 - 5$

49. $y = 0.3x^2 + 3x - 1$

50. $y = 0.25x^2 - 1.5x + 3$

51. $f(x) = 4.2x^2 + 6x - 1$

52. $g(x) = 1.75x^2 - 2.5$

53. **★ SHORT RESPONSE** The points $(2, 3)$ and $(-4, 3)$ lie on the graph of a quadratic function. *Explain* how these points can be used to find an equation of the axis of symmetry. Then write an equation of the axis of symmetry.


54. **CHALLENGE** For the graph of $y = ax^2 + bx + c$, show that the y -coordinate of the vertex is $-\frac{b^2}{4a} + c$.

PROBLEM SOLVING


EXAMPLE 5
on p. 239
for Exs. 55–58

- 55. ONLINE MUSIC** An online music store sells about 4000 songs each day when it charges \$1 per song. For each \$.05 increase in price, about 80 fewer songs per day are sold. Use the verbal model and quadratic function to find how the store can maximize daily revenue.

$$\begin{array}{rcc}
 \text{Revenue} & = & \text{Price} \cdot \text{Sales} \\
 \text{(dollars)} & & \text{(dollars/song)} \cdot \text{(songs)} \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\
 R(x) & = & (1 + 0.05x) \cdot (4000 - 80x)
 \end{array}$$

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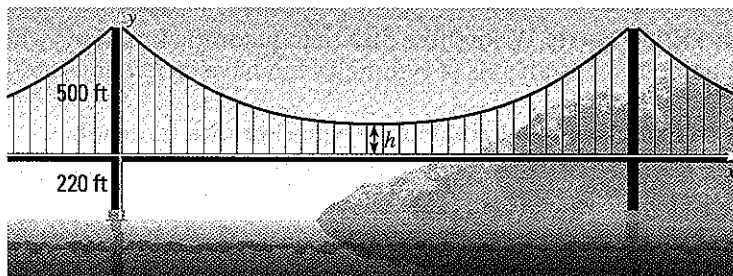
- 56. DIGITAL CAMERAS** An electronics store sells about 70 of a new model of digital camera per month at a price of \$320 each. For each \$20 decrease in price, about 5 more cameras per month are sold. Write a function that models the situation. Then tell how the store can maximize monthly revenue from sales of the camera.

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- 57. GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE** Each cable joining the two towers on the Golden Gate Bridge can be modeled by the function

$$y = \frac{1}{9000}x^2 - \frac{7}{15}x + 500$$

where x and y are measured in feet. What is the height h above the road of a cable at its lowest point?



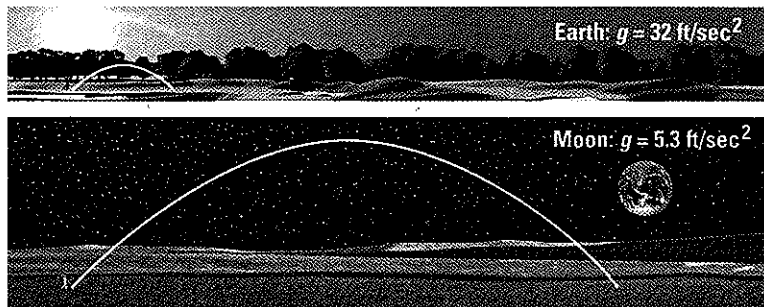
- 58. ★ SHORT RESPONSE** A woodland jumping mouse hops along a parabolic path given by $y = -0.2x^2 + 1.3x$ where x is the mouse's horizontal position (in feet) and y is the corresponding height (in feet). Can the mouse jump over a fence that is 3 feet high? *Explain.*
- 59. ◆ MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIONS** A community theater sells about 150 tickets to a play each week when it charges \$20 per ticket. For each \$1 decrease in price, about 10 more tickets per week are sold. The theater has fixed expenses of \$1500 per week.
- Writing a Model** Write a verbal model and a quadratic function to represent the theater's weekly profit.
 - Making a Table** Make a table of values for the quadratic function.
 - Drawing a Graph** Use the table to graph the quadratic function. Then use the graph to find how the theater can maximize weekly profit.

60. ★ **EXTENDED RESPONSE** In 1971, astronaut Alan Shepard hit a golf ball on the moon. The path of a golf ball hit at an angle of 45° and with a speed of 100 feet per second can be modeled by

$$y = -\frac{g}{10,000}x^2 + x$$

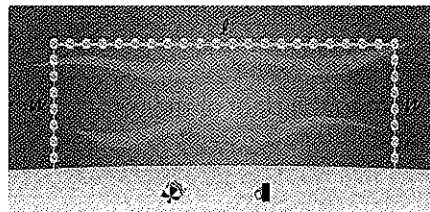
where x is the ball's horizontal position (in feet), y is the corresponding height (in feet), and g is the acceleration due to gravity (in feet per second squared).

- a. **Model** Use the information in the diagram to write functions for the paths of a golf ball hit on Earth and a golf ball hit on the moon.



- b. **Graphing Calculator** Graph the functions from part (a) on a graphing calculator. How far does the golf ball travel on Earth? on the moon?
- c. **Interpret** Compare the distances traveled by a golf ball on Earth and on the moon. Your answer should include the following:
- a calculation of the ratio of the distances traveled
 - a discussion of how the distances and values of g are related

61. **CHALLENGE** Lifeguards at a beach want to rope off a rectangular swimming section. They have P feet of rope with buoys. In terms of P , what is the maximum area that the swimming section can have?



GRAPHING CALCULATOR

In part (b), use the calculator's zero feature to answer the questions.

MIXED REVIEW

Solve the equation. (p. 18)

62. $x - 3 = 0$

63. $3x + 4 = 0$

64. $-9x + 7 = -4x - 5$

65. $5x - 2 = -2x + 12$

66. $0.7x + 3 = 0.2x - 2$

67. $0.4x = -0.5x - 5$

Graph the function. (p. 123)

68. $y = |x - 5|$

69. $y = -|x + 2|$

70. $y = 3|x - 1|$

71. $y = -4|x + 1|$

72. $f(x) = 2|x - 3| + 6$

73. $g(x) = -5|x + 4| - 1$

74. **AVERAGE SPEED** You are driving on a road trip. At 9:00 A.M., you are 340 miles west of Nashville. At 2:00 P.M., you are 70 miles west of Nashville. Find your average speed. (p. 82)

PREVIEW

Prepare for Lesson 4.2 in Exs. 68–73.