

5.4 Graphing Quadratics From Factored Form

factor

standard form

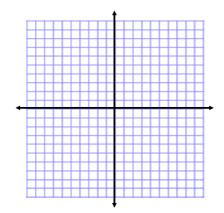
factored form

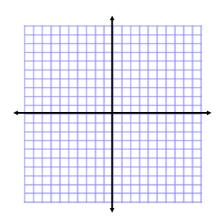
expand and simplify

Ex. 1 Determine the x-intercepts and vertex, then sketch.

a)
$$y = x^2 - 8x + 12$$

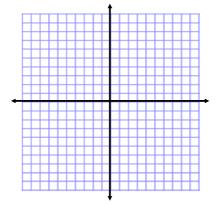
b)
$$y = 9 - x^2$$

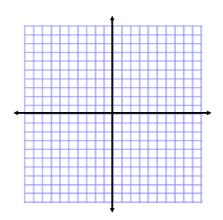




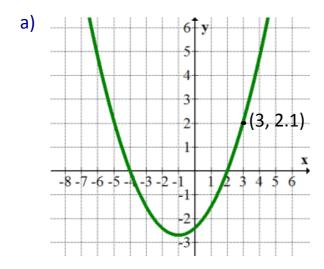
c)
$$y = -x^2 + 3x$$

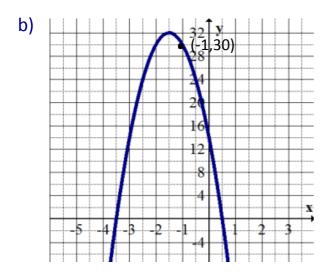
d)
$$y = x^2 - 6x + 9$$





Ex. 2 Write an equation in the form $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ for each graph, by first finding the equation in another form.





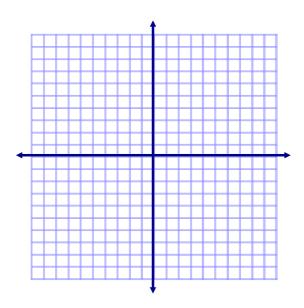
Ex. 3 The paved surface of a road has a parabolic cross section given by:

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$$d = \frac{-1}{125}w^2 + \frac{2}{25}w$$

where d is the depth, in metres and w is the width , in metres from the curb.

a) Sketch a graph of the relation.



- b) For what values of w is this relation valid?
- c) How wide is the road?

d) How high is the road?