

Basic Mathematics: Section 6

Inequality and Wavy Curve Method

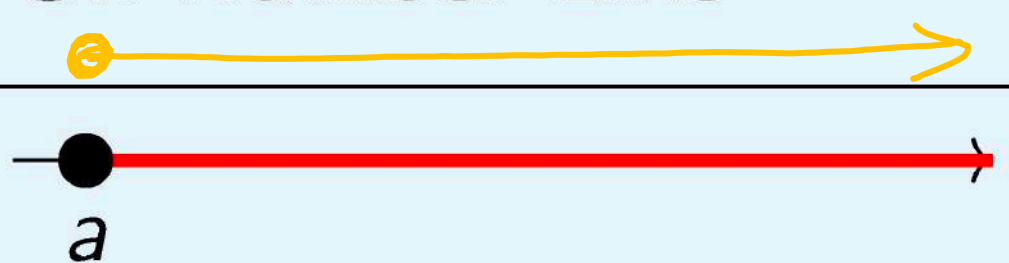
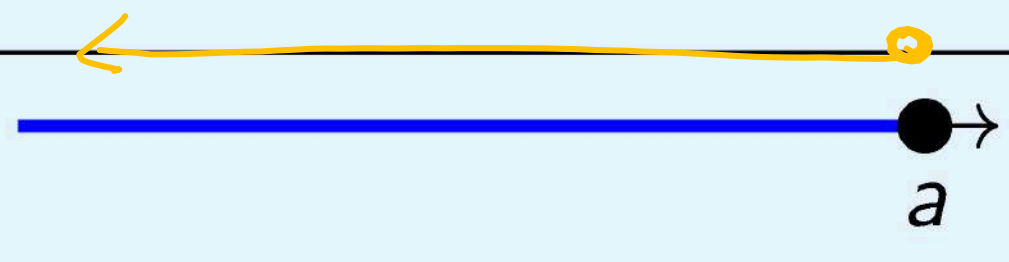

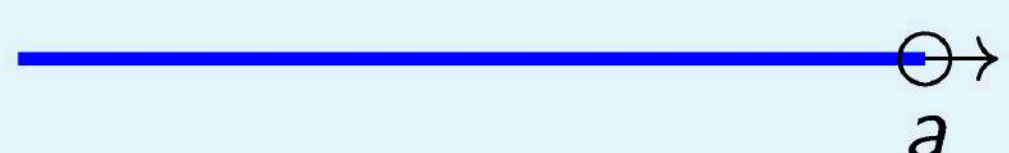
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Types of Intervals

An interval is a subset of the real numbers \mathbb{R} . If $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ and $a < b$

Name	Representation	Inequality	On Number Line
Open Interval	$x \in (a, b)$	$a < x < b$	
Closed Interval	$x \in [a, b]$	$a \leq x \leq b$	
Open-Closed Interval	$x \in (a, b]$	$a < x \leq b$	
Closed-Open Interval	$x \in [a, b)$	$a \leq x < b$	

Infinite Intervals

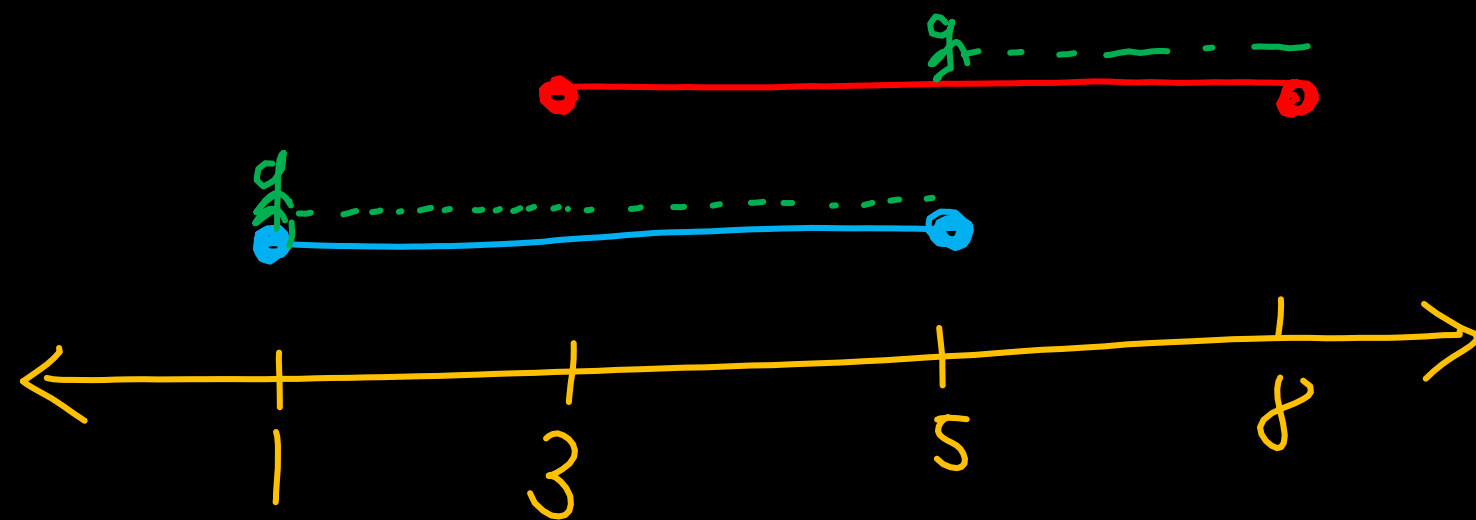
Set Notation	Interval Notation	On Number Line
$\{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \geq a\}$	$[a, \infty)$	
$\{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \leq a\}$	$(-\infty, a]$	
$\{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x > a\}$	(a, ∞)	
$\{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x < a\}$	$(-\infty, a)$	

We always use an open bracket, for infinity (∞) and negative infinity ($-\infty$).

Question 1

Find the result of:

$$\underset{\checkmark}{[1, 5]} \cup \underset{\checkmark}{[3, 8]}$$



$$\text{Ans: } [1, 8]$$

Question 2

Find the result of:

$$(-\infty, \underset{\checkmark}{0}) \cup (\underset{\checkmark}{2}, \infty)$$



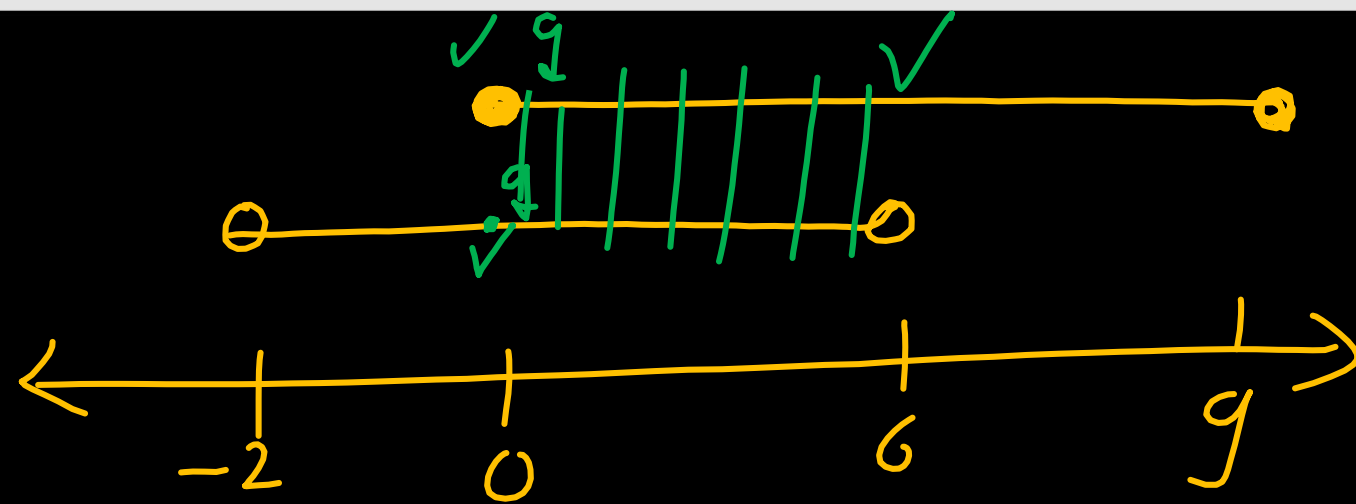
$$\text{Ans: } (-\infty, 0) \cup (2, \infty)$$

$$\text{or } \mathbb{R} - [0, 2]$$

Question 3

Find the result of:

$$(-2, 6) \cap [0, 9]$$

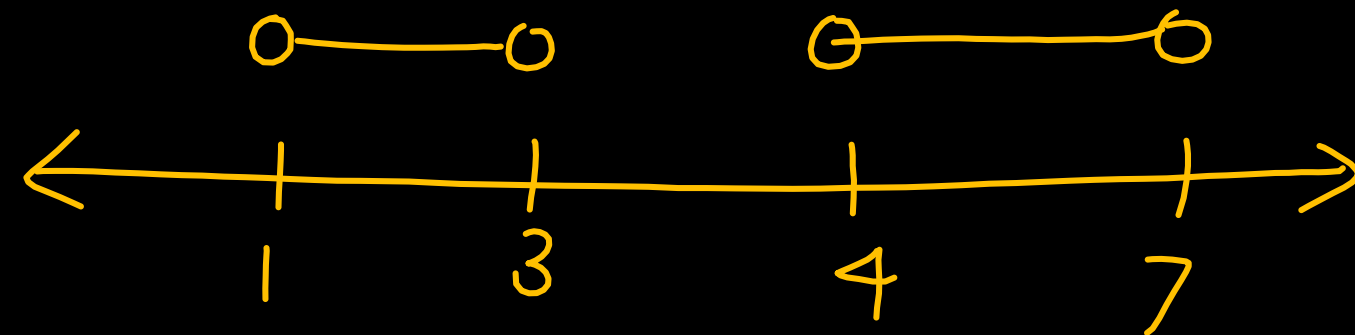


Ans: $[0, 6)$

Question 4

Find the result of:

$$(1, 3) \cap (4, 7)$$



$x \in \emptyset$

Question 5

Find the result of:

$$[-4, 4] \cup [-1, 1]$$

Question 6

Find the result of:

$$(-\infty, 10] \cap [-2, 5]$$

Question 7

Find the result of:

$$(-\infty, 3] \cup [3, \infty)$$

Question 8

Find the result of:

$$[-5, 2] \cap [2, 7)$$

Question 9

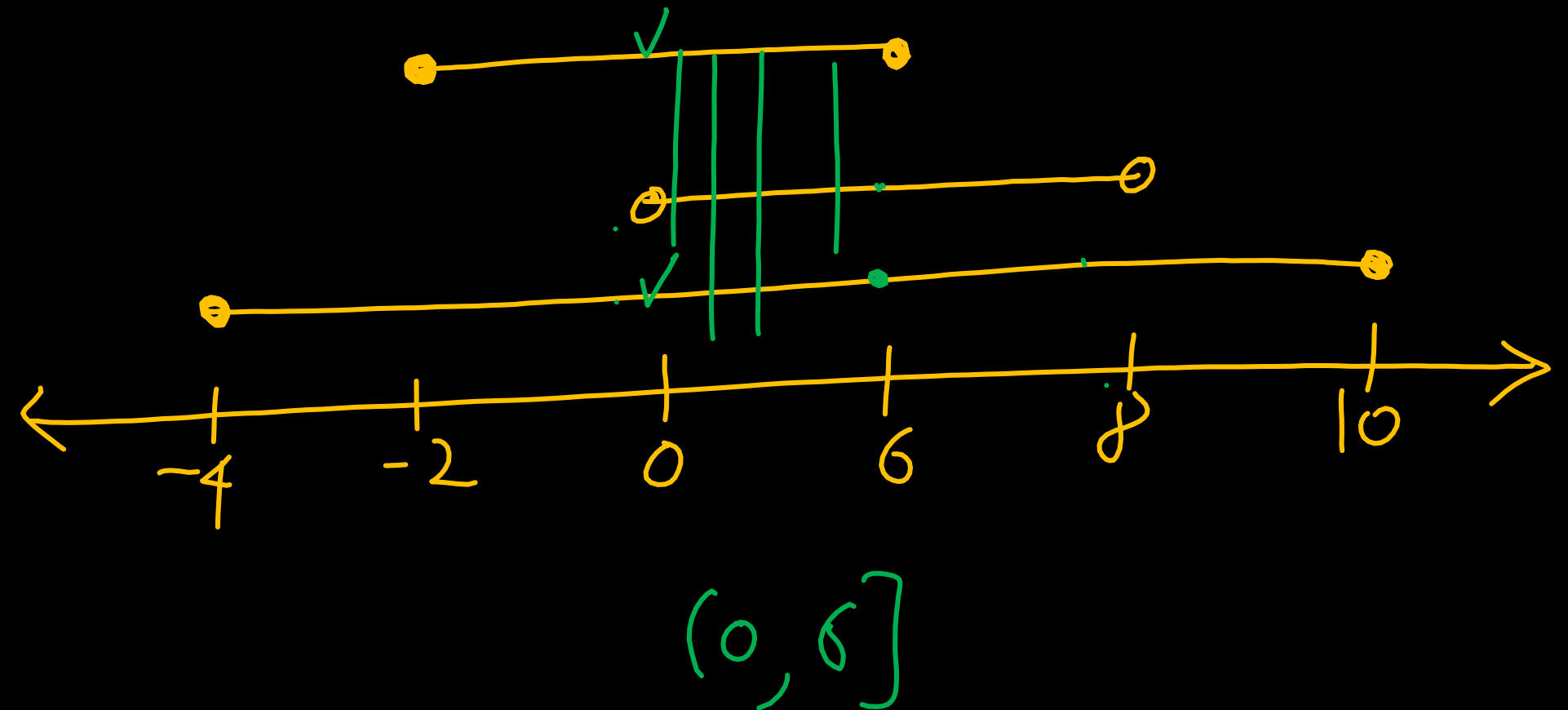
Find the result of:

$$(-5, 0) \cup [2, 6] \cup (8, 10]$$

Question 10

Find the result of:

$$[-4, 10] \cap (0, 8) \cap [-2, 6]$$



Rules of Inequalities: Rule 1

Rule 1

$$a > b$$
$$a + k > b + k \quad (k > 0 \text{ or } k < 0)$$

If $a > b$, then $a \pm k > b \pm k$

Examples

$$5 > -2$$

$$5 + 3 > -2 + 3 \quad (\text{True})$$

$$5 - 3 > -2 - 3 \quad (\text{True})$$

► Given $7 > -2$:

► Adding 5: $7 + 5 > -2 + 5 \implies 12 > 3$ (True)

► Subtracting 10: $7 - 10 > -2 - 10 \implies -3 > -12$ (True)

► Given $-10 + 6 > -20 + 6$:

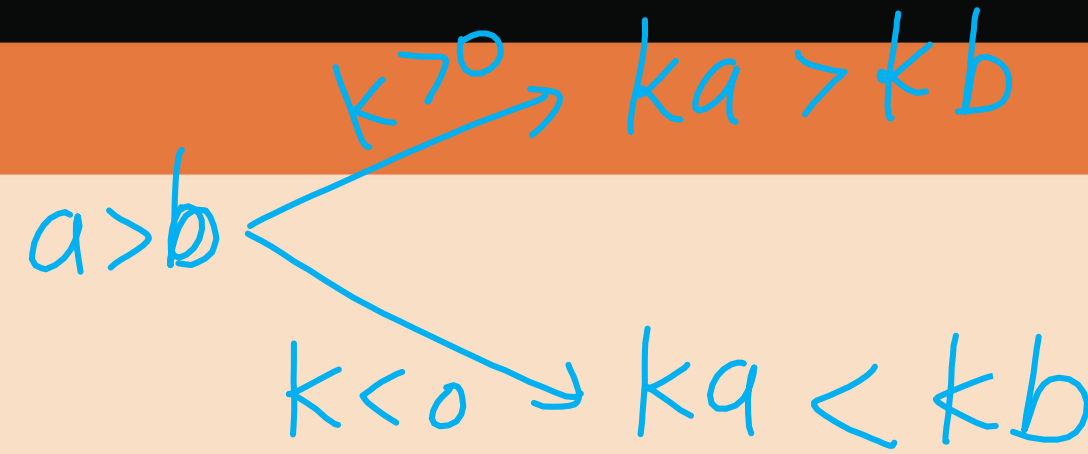
► We can subtract 6 from both sides to get $-10 > -20$ (True)

$$\begin{aligned} -10 + 6 - 6 &> -20 + 6 - 6 \\ -10 &> -20 \end{aligned}$$

Rules of Inequalities: Rule 2

Rule 2

- ▶ If $a > b$ and $k > 0$, then $ka > kb$
- ▶ If $a > b$ and $k < 0$, then $ka < kb$



Examples

Given the inequality $5 > 3$:

- ▶ Multiplying by a positive number (4):

$$5 \times 4 > 3 \times 4 \implies 20 > 12 \quad (\text{Sign remains})$$

- ▶ Multiplying by a negative number (-4):

$$5 \times (-4) < 3 \times (-4) \implies -20 < -12 \quad (\text{Sign reverses})$$

Rules of Inequalities: Rule 3

Rule 3

Never multiply both sides of an inequality by an expression whose sign is unknown.

Examples

Given the inequality $8 > 3$:

► Multiply by x : $8x > 3x \implies$ Cannot be determined as sign of x is unknown.

► Multiply by $(x^2 + 1)$: Since $x^2 + 1$ is always positive, the sign is unchanged.

$$8(x^2 + 1) > 3(x^2 + 1) \quad (\text{True})$$

► Multiply by $(x + 2)$: $8(x + 2) > 3(x + 2) \implies$ Cannot be determined as sign of $(x + 2)$ is unknown.

$$8(x^2 + 1) > 3(x^2 + 1) \quad (\text{True})$$

$$8(-(x^2 + 1)) < 3(-(x^2 + 1)) \quad (\text{True})$$

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Rules of Inequalities: Rule 4

Rule 4: Cancelling a common factor

- ▶ If $A \cdot B > A \cdot C$ and $A > 0$, then $B > C$. (Sign is unchanged)
- ▶ If $A \cdot B > A \cdot C$ and $A < 0$, then $B < C$. (Sign is reversed)

Examples

- ▶ Given $2(x - 3) > 2(2x - 8)$:
 - ▶ Since 2 is positive, we can cancel it: $x - 3 > 2x - 8$
 $(x - 3) > (2x - 8)$
- ▶ Given $-3(x^2) > -3(6x^2)$:
 - ▶ Since -3 is negative, we cancel it and reverse the sign: $x^2 < 6x^2$
 $x^2 < 6x^2$

Rules of Inequalities: Rule 5

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 2 > -3$$

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Rule 5: Reciprocal Property

$$\frac{1}{2} > \frac{-1}{3}$$

► Given $5 > 2$:

► Both sides are positive. Taking the reciprocal reverses the sign:

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 5 > 2$$

$$0.2 = \frac{1}{5} < \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$$\frac{1}{5} < \frac{1}{2} \implies 0.2 < 0.5 \quad (\text{True})$$

► Given $-3 > -7$:

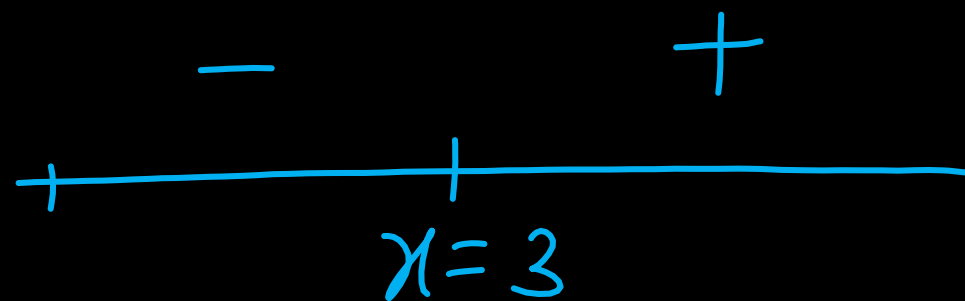
► Both sides are negative. Taking the reciprocal reverses the sign:

$$\textcircled{2} \quad -3 > -7$$

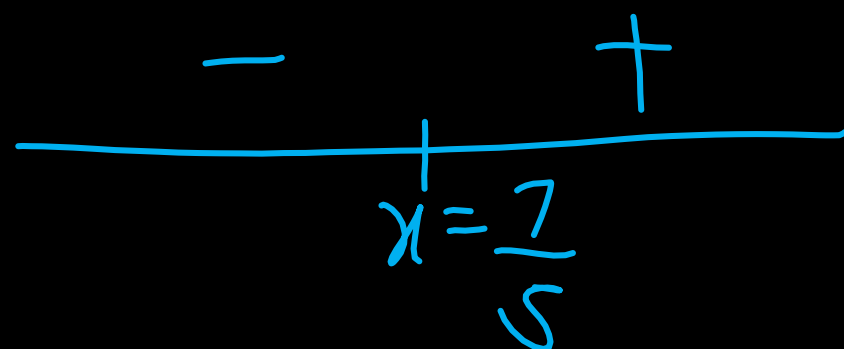
$$-0.3 = \frac{-1}{3} < \frac{-1}{7} = -0.14$$

$$-\frac{1}{3} < -\frac{1}{7} \quad (\text{True, since } -0.33 < -0.14)$$

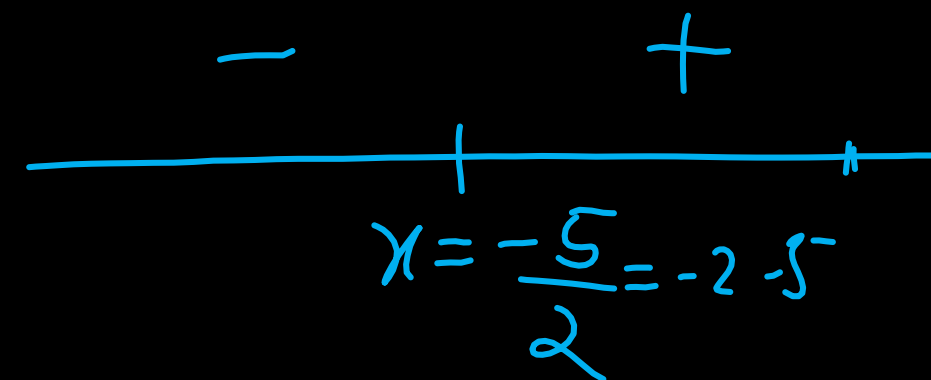
① sign of $(x-3)$



② sign of $(5x-7)$

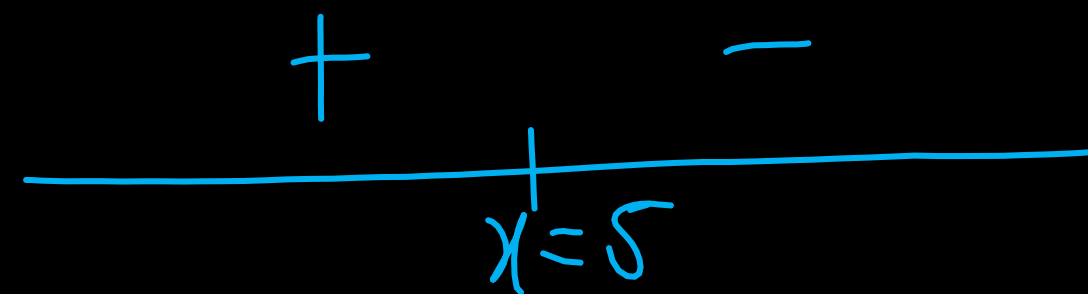


③ sign of $(2x+5)$



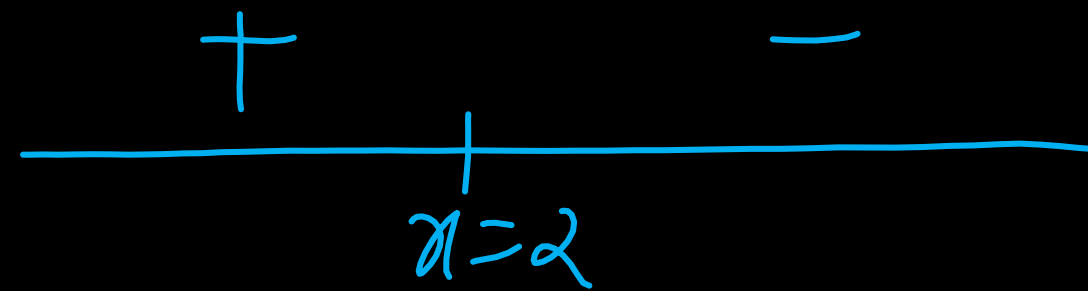
$$2x+5=0$$
$$x=-\frac{5}{2}$$

④ sign of $(5-x)$

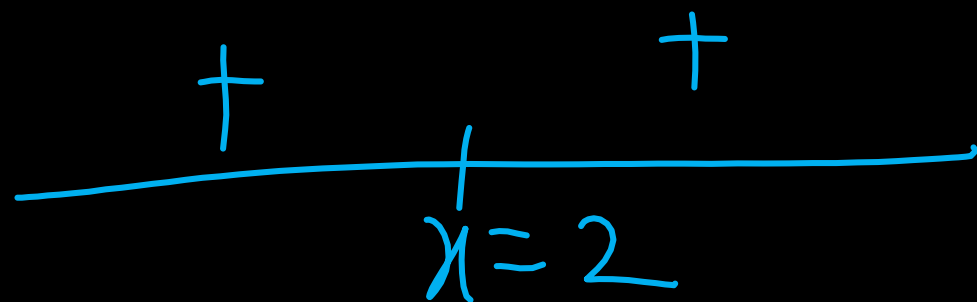


$$5-x=0$$
$$x=5$$

(5) sign of $(4-2x)$

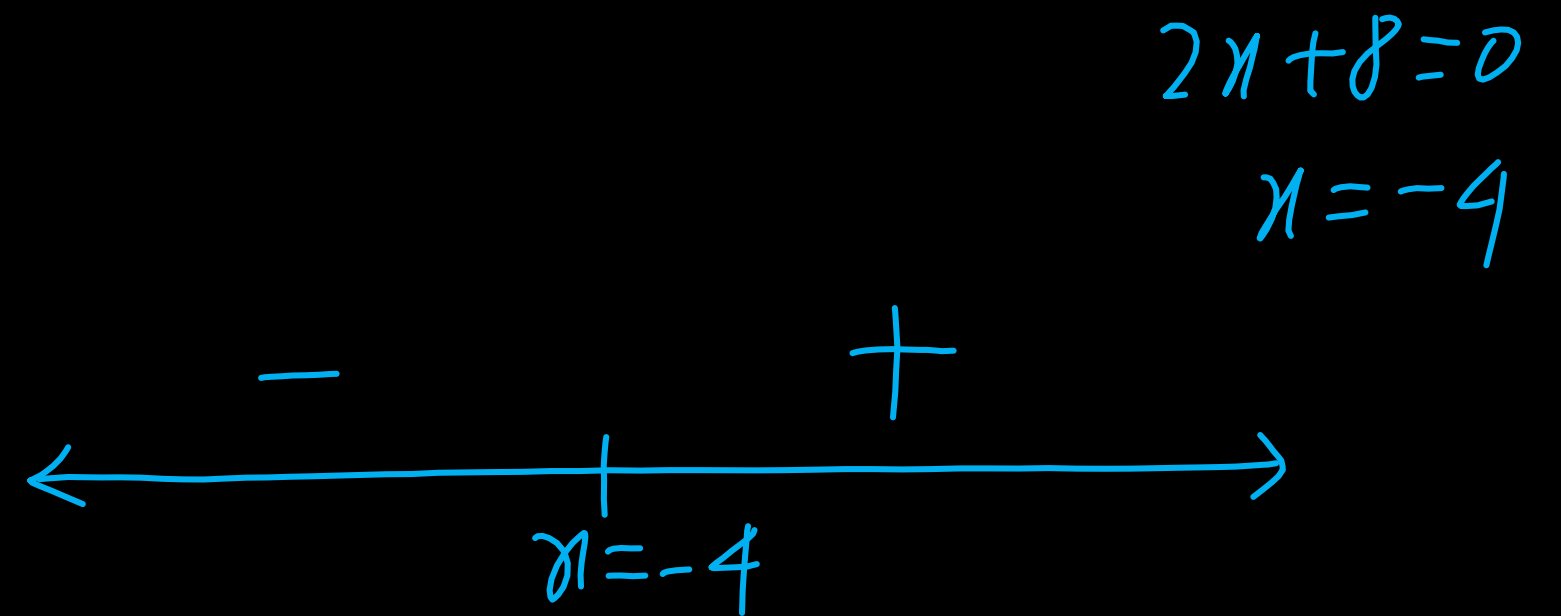


(6) sign of $(x-2)^2$



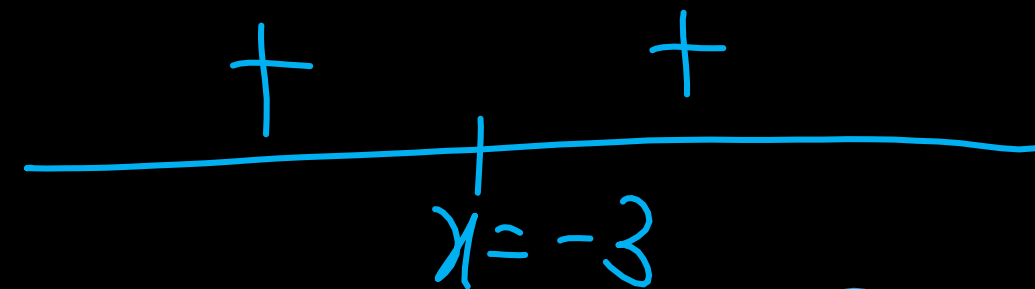
$$\begin{aligned}4-2x &= 0 \\4 &= 2x \\x &= 2\end{aligned}$$

(7) sign of $(2x+8)^3$

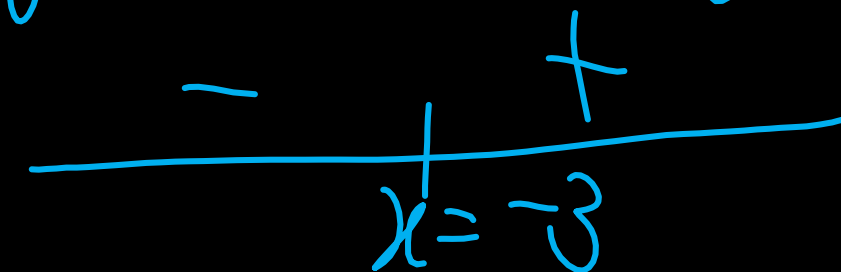


$$\begin{aligned}2x+8 &= 0 \\x &= -4\end{aligned}$$

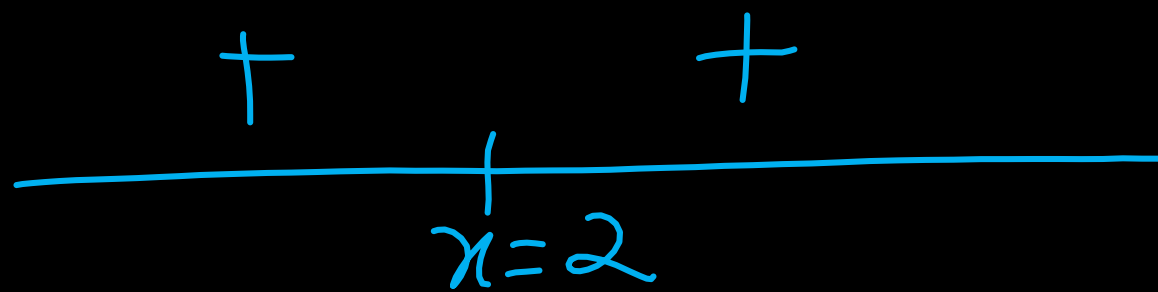
(8) sign of $(x+3)^4$



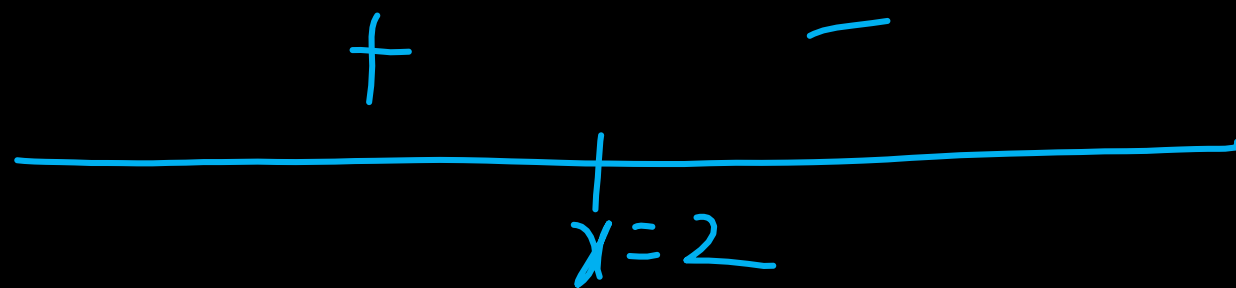
(9) sign of $(x+3)^5$



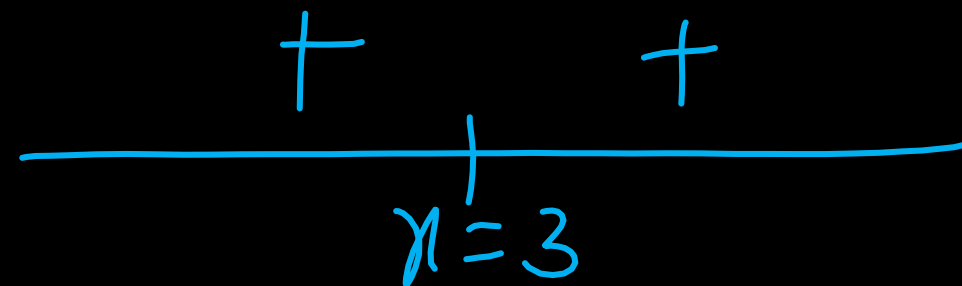
⑩ sign of $(2-x)^2$



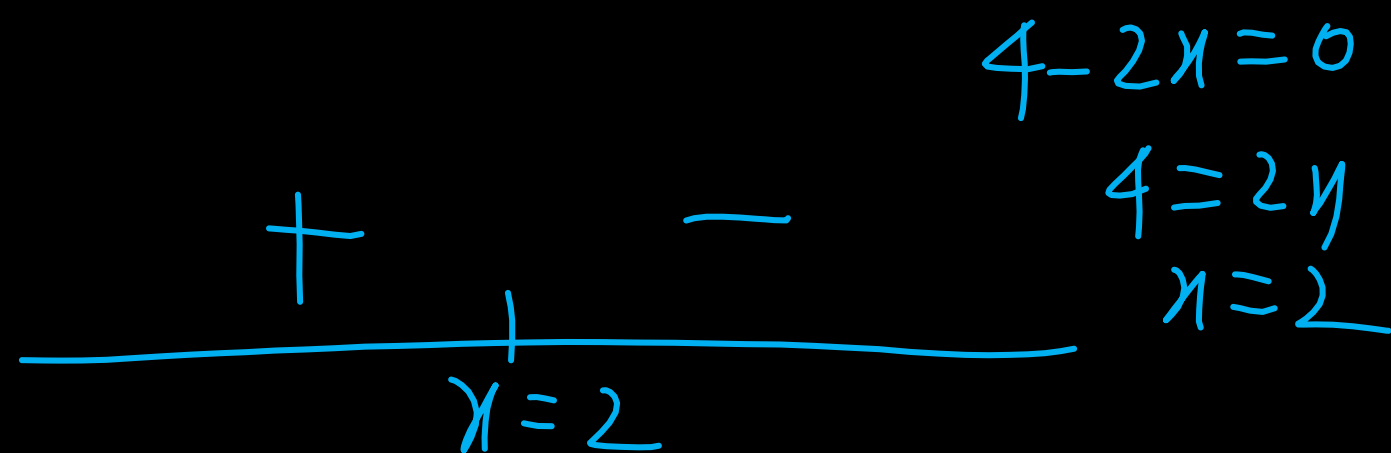
⑪ sign of $(2-x)^3$



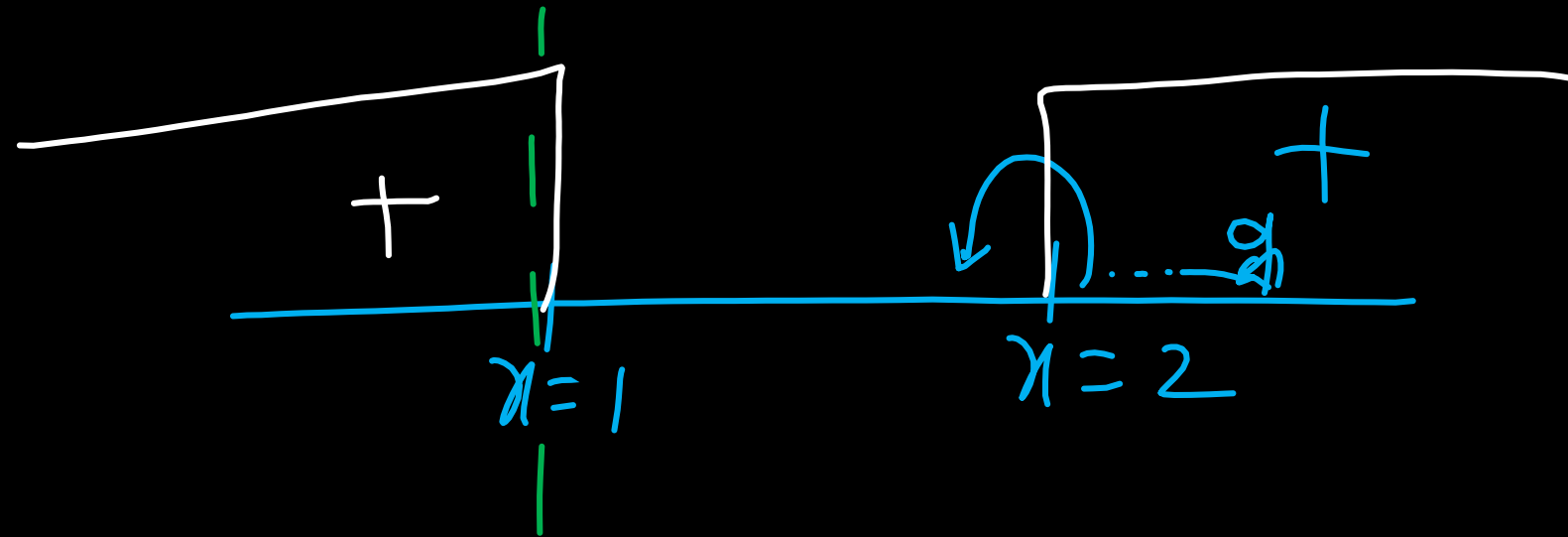
$2-x=0$
 $x=2$ ⑫ sign of $(2x-6)^{100}$



⑬ sign of $(4-2x)^{99}$



⑭ sign of $(x-1)$ $(x-2)$



$$(x-1)(x-2) \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [2, \infty)$$

$$(x-1)(x-2) < 0 \Rightarrow x \in (1, 2)$$

$$\frac{(x-1)}{(x-2)} \geq 0 \quad x \in (-\infty, 1] \cup [2, \infty)$$

Practice: Sign of Linear Expressions

1. Sign of $(x - 3)$

3. Sign of $(x + 8)$

2. Sign of $(2x + 5)$

4. Sign of $(13 - x)$

Practice: Sign of Expressions with Powers

1. Sign of $(10 - 2x)$

3. Sign of $(x + 1)^2$

2. Sign of $(8 - 2x)^3$

4. Sign of $(x - 3)(5 - x)$

Practice: Sign of Combined Expressions

1. Sign of $(x - 2)(x - 5)$

3. Sign of $(x - 3)(x - 6)(x - 9)$

2. Sign of $\frac{x-1}{x+4}$

4. Sign of $(x - 7)^2(x + 2)$

The Wavy Curve Method

1. **Step 1:** Shift all the terms to the LHS and make the RHS equal to zero.
2. **Step 2:** Factorize the expression into linear factors $(ax + b)$
("x ka coefficient positive banao")
3. **Step 3:** Find all the roots (critical points) and plot them on a number line in increasing order.
 $(2x - 4)$ ⁽⁴⁾
4. **Step 4:** Identify roots that come from factors with an even exponent. Mark these roots on the number line with a cross sign
(to remember that the sign will *not* change when crossing them.)
5. **Step 5:** Put a positive sign (+) to the right of the greatest root.
Now, move from right to left. Change the sign as you cross each root, **except** for the marked roots with cross sign where the sign remains the same.

Example 1

Solve the inequality:

$$(5 - x)(x + 3)^2(2x - 6) \geq 0$$

Example 2

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{(x - 3)(x + 5)^2}{(x - 2)(x + 11)^3} > 0$$

Example 3

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{(x+1)^2(2x-3)}{(7-x)^3} \geq 0$$

Example 4

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{(x^2 - 5x + 6)(x^2 - 8x + 15)}{(x^2 - 16)} > 0$$

Example 5

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{x^3 - 6x^2 + 11x - 6}{(x^2 + 2)(x^2 - 8x + 12)} \leq 0$$

Example 6

Find the intervals where $y \geq 0$ for the function:

$$y = \frac{(x^2 - 3)(x^4 + x^2 + 1)(2^x - 1)}{(3x + 1)^7(x + 5)^2} \geq 0$$

$$(x^4 + x^2 + 1) > 0$$

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Example 7

Find the number of positive integral values of x satisfying the inequality:

$$\frac{(x-4)^{2017}(x+8)^{2016}(x+1)}{x^{2016}(x-1)^3(x+3)^5(x-6)(x+9)^{2018}} \leq 0$$

Example 8

Find the number of positive integral values of x satisfying the inequality:

$$\frac{(5^x - 3^x)(x - 2)}{x^2 + 5x + 2} \geq 0$$

Example 9

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{0.5}{x - x^2 - 1} < 0$$

Example 10

Solve the inequality:

$$x^4 - 5x^2 + 4 < 0$$

Bi-quadratic

$$\begin{array}{c} 4 \\ \wedge \\ -4 \quad -1 \end{array}$$

$$(x^2 - 4)(x^2 - 1) < 0$$

$$\text{let } x^2 = t$$

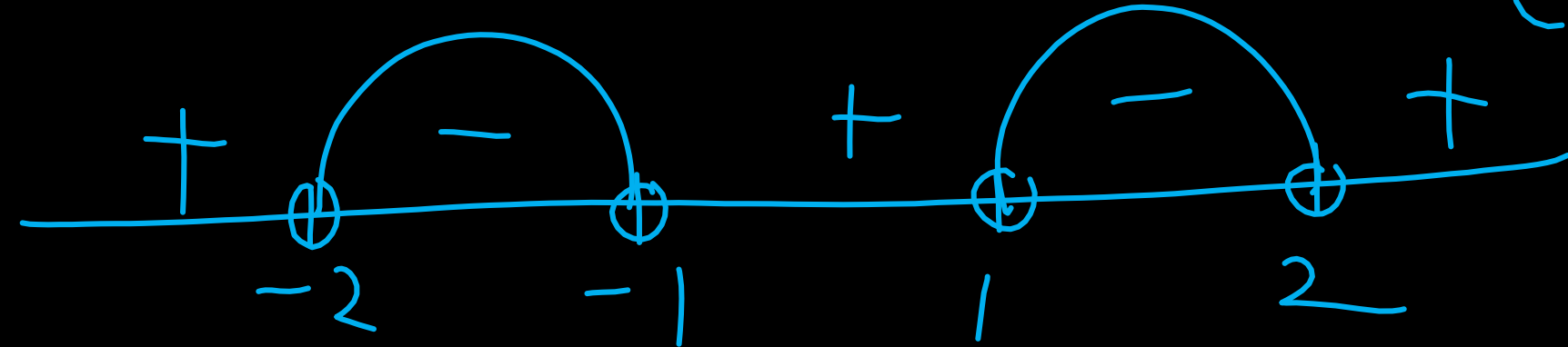
$$t^2 - 5t + 4$$

$$(x - \sqrt{4})(x + \sqrt{4})(x - \sqrt{1})(x + \sqrt{1}) < 0$$

$$(t - 4)(t - 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 4 \\ \wedge \\ -4 \quad -1 \end{array}$$

$$(x^2 - 4)(x^2 - 1)$$



$$x \in (-2, -1) \cup (1, 2)$$

Example 11

Solve the inequality:

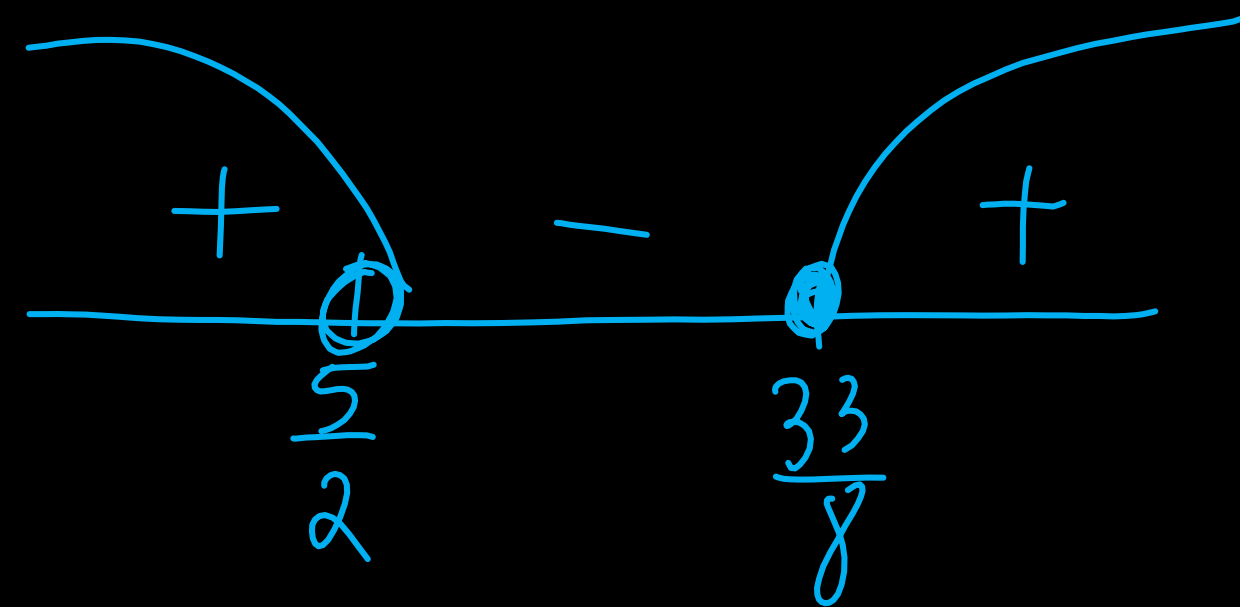
$$\frac{4x + 3}{2x - 5} \leq 6$$

$$\frac{4x + 3}{2x - 5} - 6 \leq 0$$

$$\frac{4x + 3 - 12x + 30}{2x - 5} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{-8x + 33}{2x - 5} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{8x - 33}{2x - 5} \geq 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty, \frac{5}{2}) \cup [\frac{33}{8}, \infty)$$

Example 12

Solve the inequality:

$$\frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2} \leq 1$$

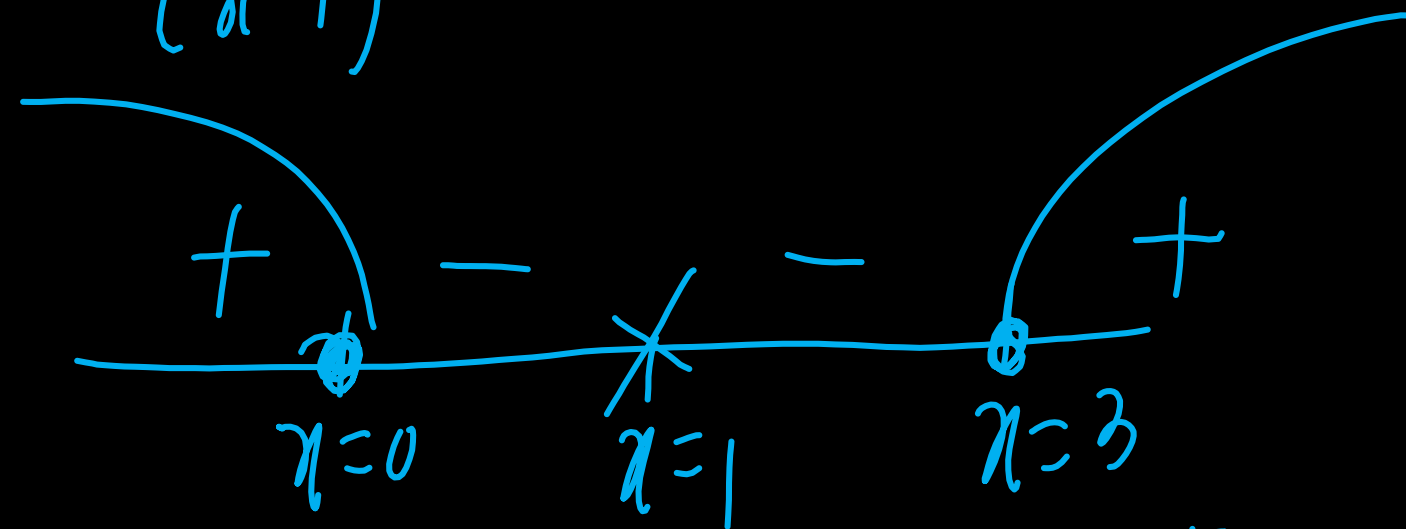
$$\frac{x+1}{(x-1)^2} - 1 \leq 0$$

$$\frac{(x+1) - (x^2 - 2x + 1)}{(x-1)^2} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{-x^2 + 3x}{(x-1)^2} \leq 0$$

$$\frac{x^2 - 3x}{(x-1)^2} \geq 0$$

$$\frac{x(x-3)}{(x-1)^2} \geq 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty, 0] \cup [3, \infty)$$

Example 13

Solve the inequality:

$$(x^2 + 3x + 1)(x^2 + 3x - 3) \geq 5$$

let $x^2 + 3x = t$

$$(t+1)(t-3) - 5 \geq 0$$

$$t^2 - 2t - 3 - 5 \geq 0$$

$$t^2 - 2t - 8 \geq 0$$

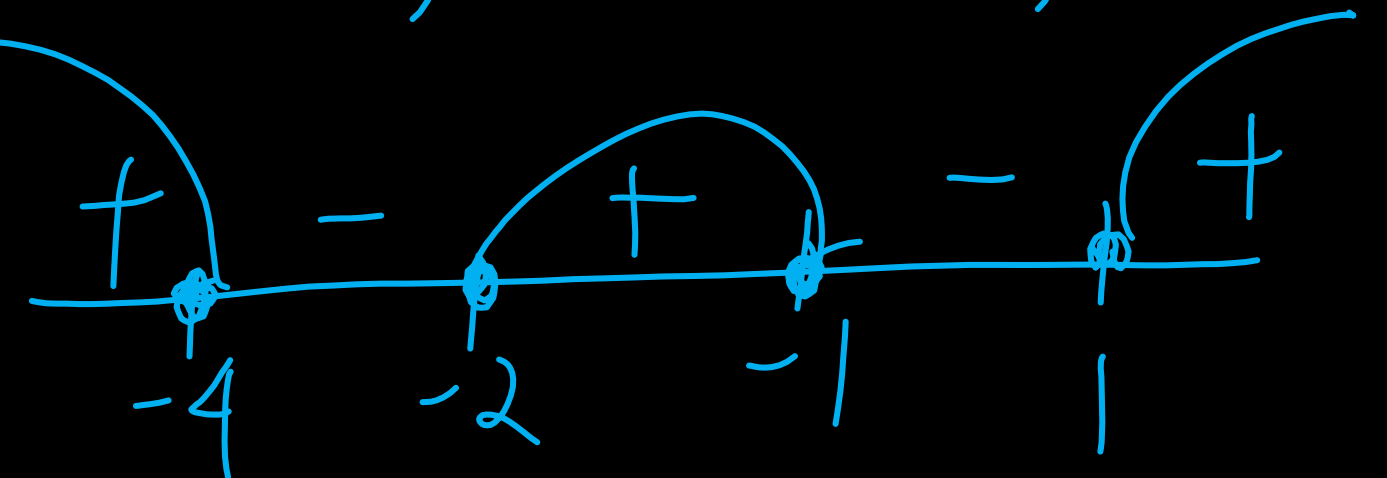
$$(t-4)(t+2) \geq 0$$

$$(x^2 + 3x - 4)(x^2 + 3x + 2) \geq 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} -8 \\ \swarrow \searrow \\ -4 \quad +2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} -4 & 2 \\ \swarrow \searrow & \swarrow \searrow \\ +4 & -1 & 2 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$(x+4)(x-1)(x+2)(x+1) \geq 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty, -4] \cup [-2, -1) \cup [1, \infty)$$

Example 14

Find x for the inequality:

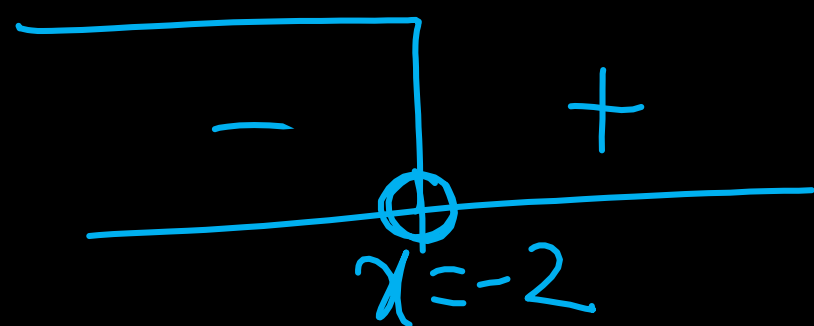
$$1 < \frac{x-1}{x+2} < 7$$

Ans: $x \in (-\infty, -\frac{15}{6})$

$$x = -\frac{15}{6}$$

$$x = -2$$

$$\frac{1}{x+2} < 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty, -2)$$

$$1 < \square < 7$$

Intersection

$$\frac{6x+15}{x+2} > 0$$

$$1 < \square \text{ and } \square < 7$$

$$1 < \frac{x-1}{x+2}$$

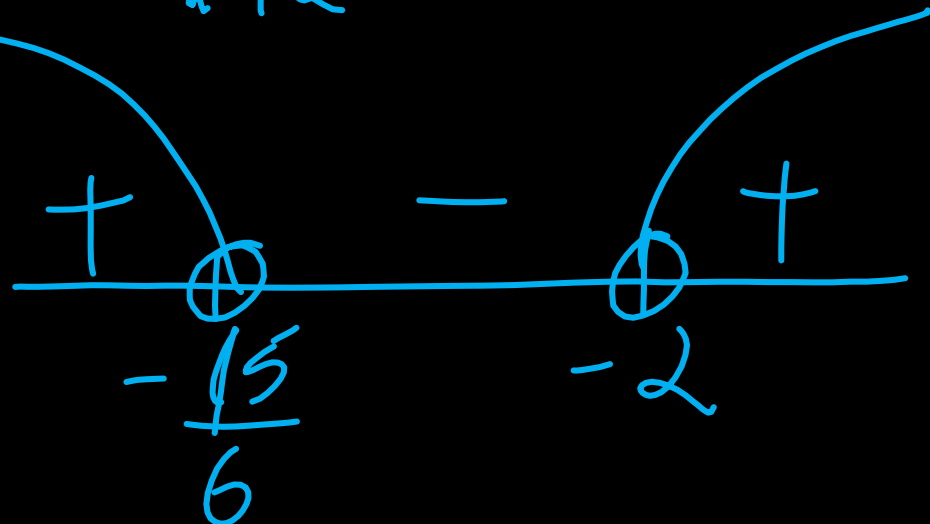
$$\frac{x-1}{x+2} - 1 > 0$$

$$\frac{-3}{x+2} > 0$$

$$\frac{x-1}{x+2} < 7$$

$$\frac{x-1}{x+2} - 7 < 0$$

$$\frac{-6x-15}{x+2} < 0$$



Example 15

Find the number of integral solutions of the inequality:

$$x^2 + 9 < (x + 3)^2 < 8x + 25$$

$$x^2 + 9 < (x + 3)^2 \quad \text{and} \quad (x + 3)^2 < 8x + 25$$

$$\cancel{x^2} + 6x + 9 - \cancel{x^2} - 9 > 0$$

$$6x > 0$$

$$x > 0$$

$$x \in (0, \infty)$$

$$x^2 - 2x - 16 < 0$$

$$x = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 64}}{2}$$

$$= 2 \pm 2\sqrt{17}$$

$$= 1 \pm \sqrt{17}$$



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$$x \in (0, 1 + \sqrt{17})$$

Domain of a Function

Rules

1. $\log_{\Delta}(\square)$ $\square > 0$ $\Rightarrow \square > 0$ & $\Delta > 0$ & $\Delta \neq \underline{1}$
2. $\frac{N}{\square}$ $\Delta > 0$
 $\Delta \neq 1$ $\Rightarrow \square \neq 0$
3. $\sqrt{\square}$ $\Rightarrow \square \geq 0$
4. $\frac{N}{\sqrt{\square}}$ $\Rightarrow \square > 0$
5. $\sin^{-1}(\square)$ or $\cos^{-1}(\square)$ $\Rightarrow -1 \leq \square \leq 1$
6. $\tan^{-1}(\square)$ or $\cot^{-1}(\square)$ $\Rightarrow \square \in (-\infty, \infty)$
7. $\sec^{-1}(\square)$ or $\csc^{-1}(\square)$ $\Rightarrow |\square| \geq 1$ $\square \in (-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

Que.1

Find the domain of the function:

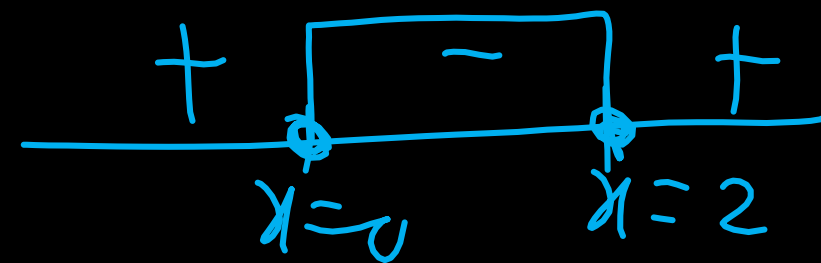
$$y = \sqrt{2x - x^2}$$

$$\sqrt{\square}; \square \geq 0$$

$$2x - x^2 \geq 0$$

$$x^2 - 2x \leq 0$$

$$x(x-2) \leq 0$$

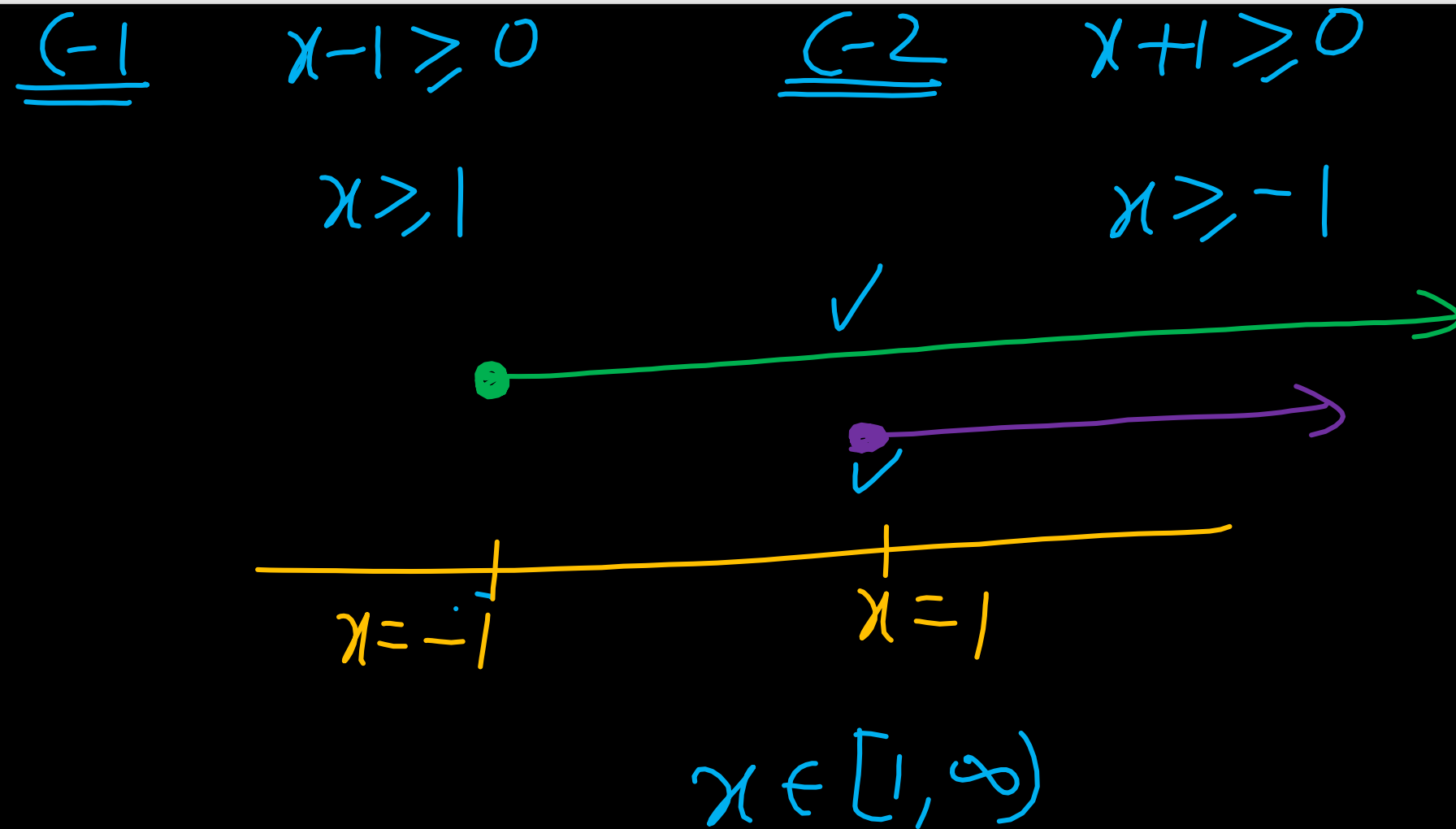


$$x \in [0, 2]$$

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Find the domain of the function:

$$y = \sqrt{x-1} + \sqrt{x+1}$$



Que.3

Find the domain of the function:

$$y = \frac{1}{x-1} + \sqrt{2+x}$$

$$\underline{\underline{(-1)}} \quad x-1 \neq 0 \\ x \neq 1$$

$$\underline{\underline{(-2)}} \quad 2+x \geq 0 \\ x \geq -2$$

$$x \in [-2, \infty) - \{1\}$$

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Find the domain of the function:

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\boxed{}}}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2x^2 - 5x + 3}}$$

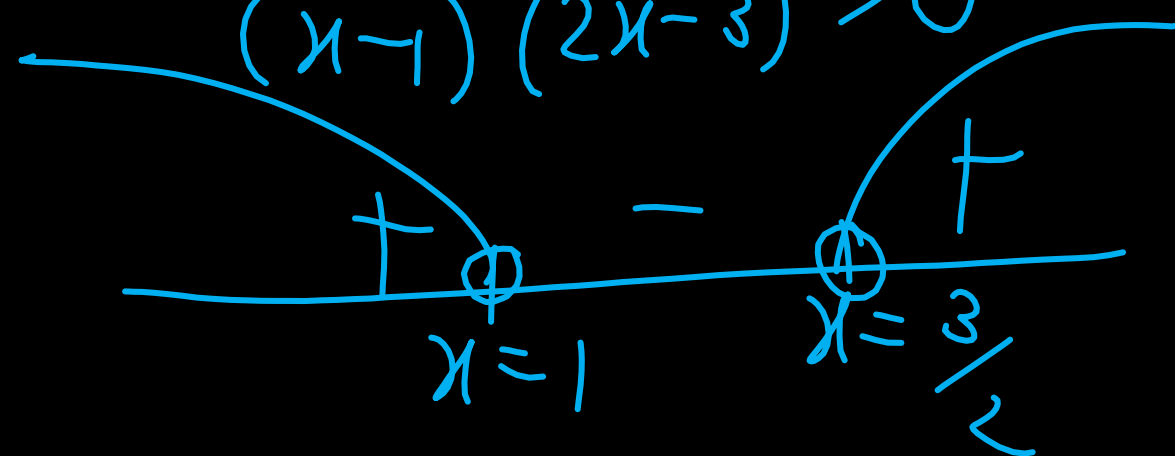
$$\boxed{} > 0$$

$$2x^2 - 5x + 3 > 0$$

$$2x^2 - 2x - 3x + 3 > 0$$

$$2x(x-1) - 3(x-1) > 0$$

$$(x-1)(2x-3) > 0$$



$$x \in (-\infty, 1) \cup (3/2, \infty)$$

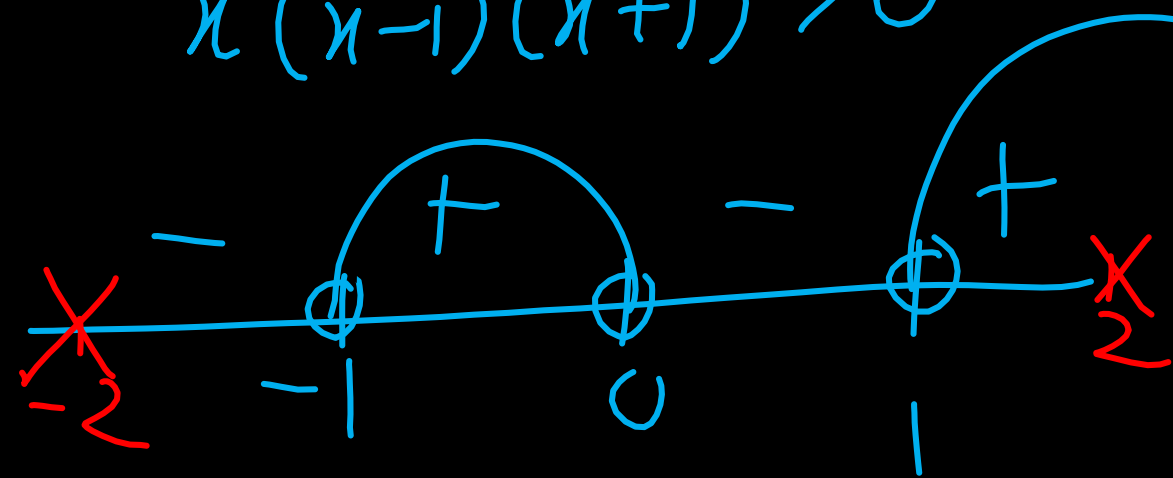
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Find the domain of the function:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{4 - x^2} + \log_{10}(x^3 - x)$$

C-1 $4 - x^2 \neq 0$
 $x^2 \neq 4$
 $x \neq \pm 2$

C-2 $x^3 - x > 0$
 $x(x^2 - 1) > 0$
 $x(x-1)(x+1) > 0$



$$x \in (-1, 0) \cup (1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$$

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Ans:(A)

If the domain of the function

$$f(x) = \log_e \left(\frac{2x-3}{5+4x} \right) + \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{4+3x}{2-x} \right)$$

$\left[-3, -\frac{5}{4}\right)$ $g + \cancel{4} \left(-\frac{5}{\cancel{4}}\right) = 4$

is $[\alpha, \beta)$, then $\alpha^2 + 4\beta$ is equal to:

(A) 4

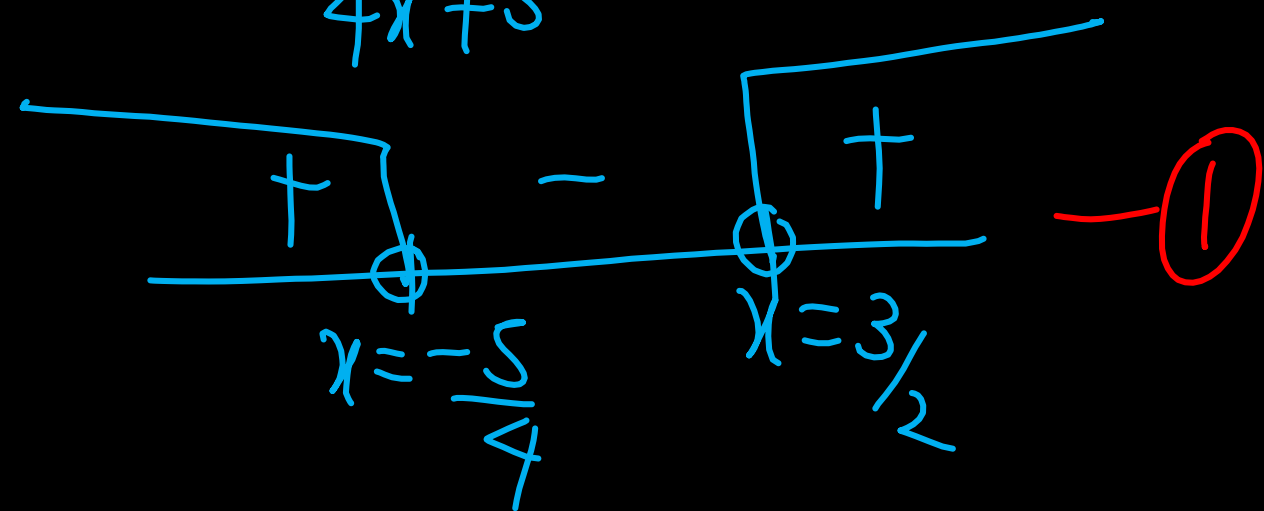
(B) 3

(C) 7

(D) 5

C-1 $\frac{2x-3}{5+4x} > 0$

$\frac{2x-3}{4x+5} > 0$



C-2 $-1 \leq \frac{4+3x}{2-x} \leq 1$

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

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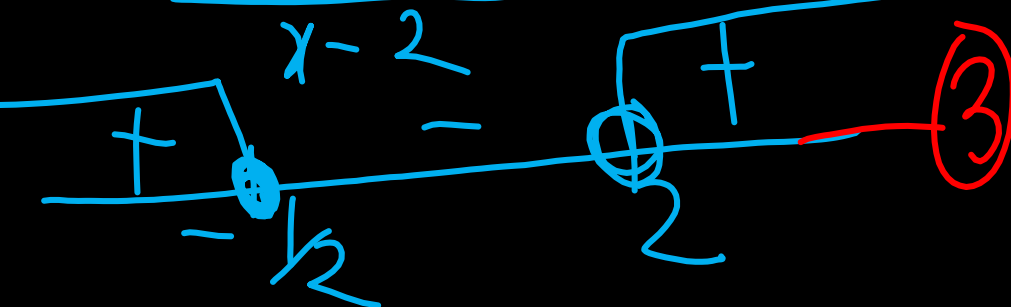
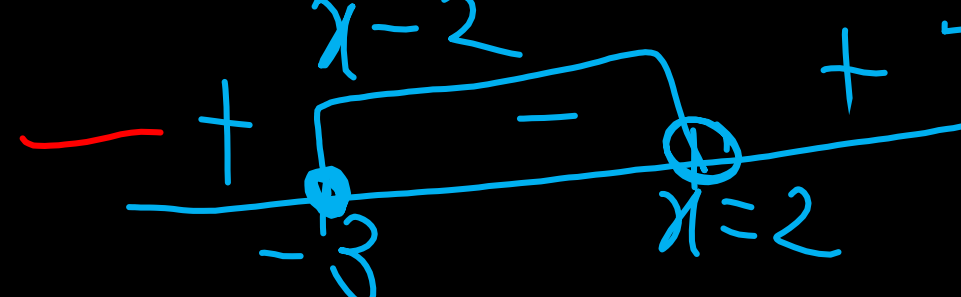
$\frac{4+3x}{2-x} \leq 1$

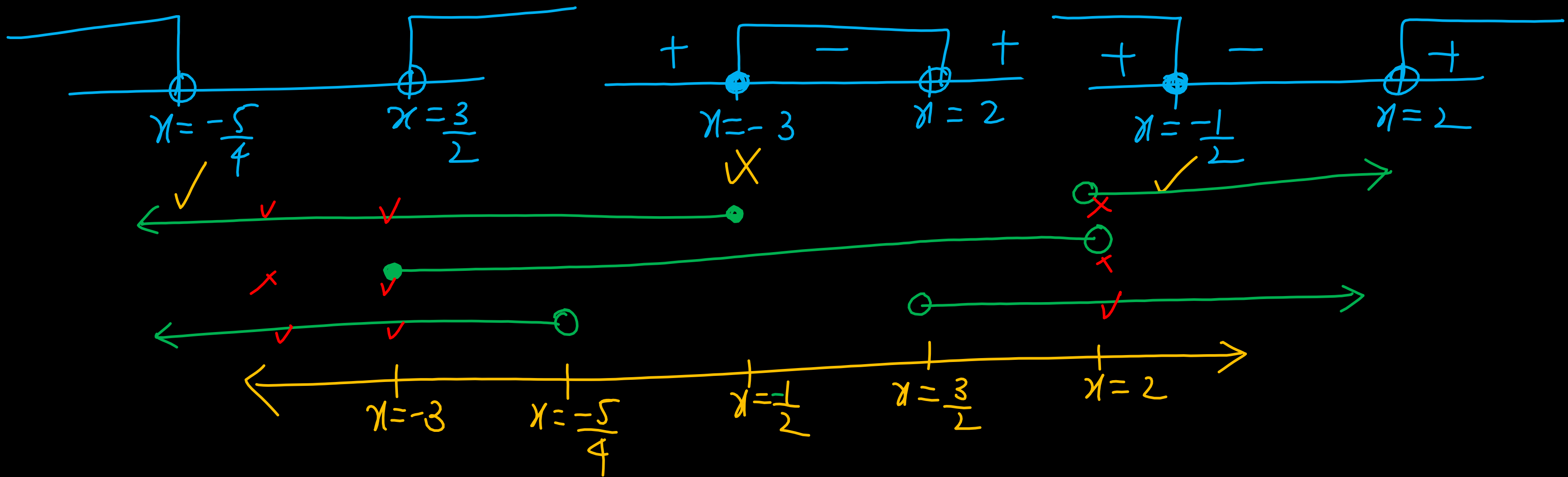
Interval

$\frac{2x+6}{x-2} \leq 0$

$\frac{4x+2}{x-2} \geq 0$

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$$x \in \left[-3, -\frac{5}{4}\right)$$

Que.7 JEE Main 2025 (29 Jan Shift 2)

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 = (7)^2 + (11)^2 + (4)^2$$

Ans:(C)

If the domain of the function $\log_5(18x - x^2 - 77)$ is (α, β) and the domain of the function $\log_{(x-1)}\left(\frac{2x^2+3x-2}{x^2-3x-4}\right)$ is (γ, δ) , then $\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2$ is equal to:

(A) 195

(B) 179

(C) 186

(D) 174

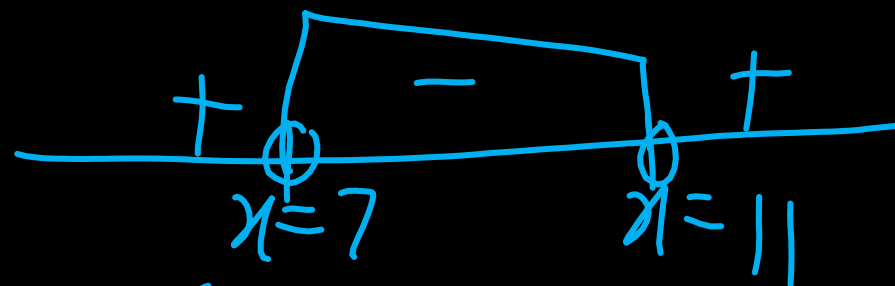
$$\begin{array}{r} 121 \\ 49 \\ 16 \\ \hline 186 \end{array}$$

$$f(x) = \log_5(18x - x^2 - 77)$$

$$18x - x^2 - 77 > 0$$

$$x^2 - 18x + 77 < 0$$

$$(x-7)(x-11) < 0$$



$$(\alpha, \beta) \equiv (7, 11)$$

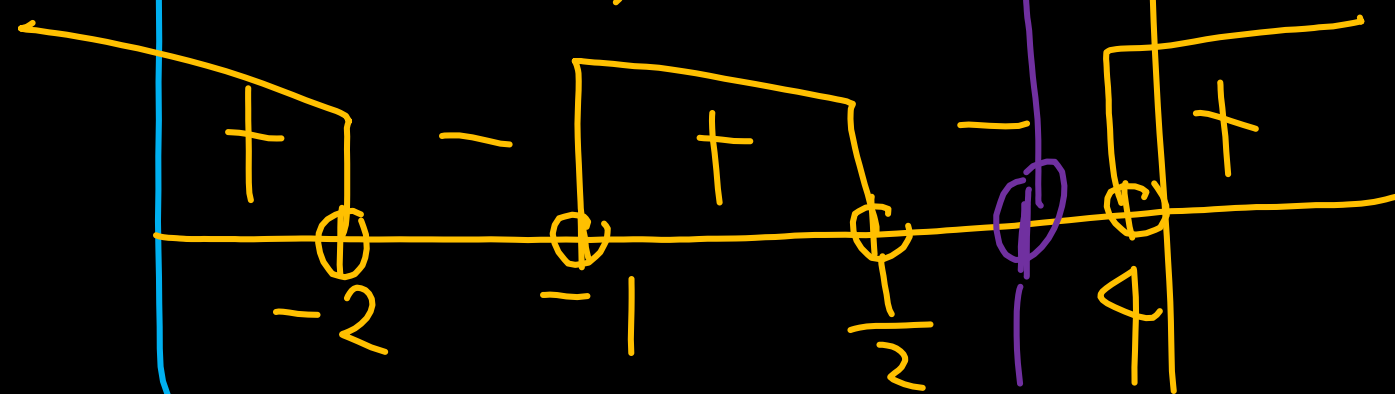
$$\begin{array}{r} 77 \\ -11 \quad -7 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -4 \\ +4 \quad -1 \\ -4 \quad +1 \end{array}$$

$$g(x) = \log_{(x-1)}\left(\frac{2x^2+3x-2}{x^2-3x-4}\right)$$

$$\frac{2x^2+3x-2}{x^2-3x-4} > 0$$

$$\frac{(x+2)(2x-1)}{(x-4)(x+1)} > 0$$



$$x-1 > 0 \implies x > 1$$

$$x-1 \neq 1 \implies x \neq 2$$

$$(4, \infty) \equiv (\gamma, \delta)$$

Que.8 JEE Main 2024 (04 Apr Shift 1)

Ans:(C)

If the domain of the function $\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \right) + \log_e \left(\frac{3x^2-8x+5}{x^2-3x-10} \right)$ is $(\alpha, \beta]$, then $3\alpha + 10\beta$ is equal to:

(A) 100

(B) 95

(C) 97

(D) 98

C-1

$$-1 \leq \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \leq 1$$

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$$-1 \leq \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \quad \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \leq 1$$

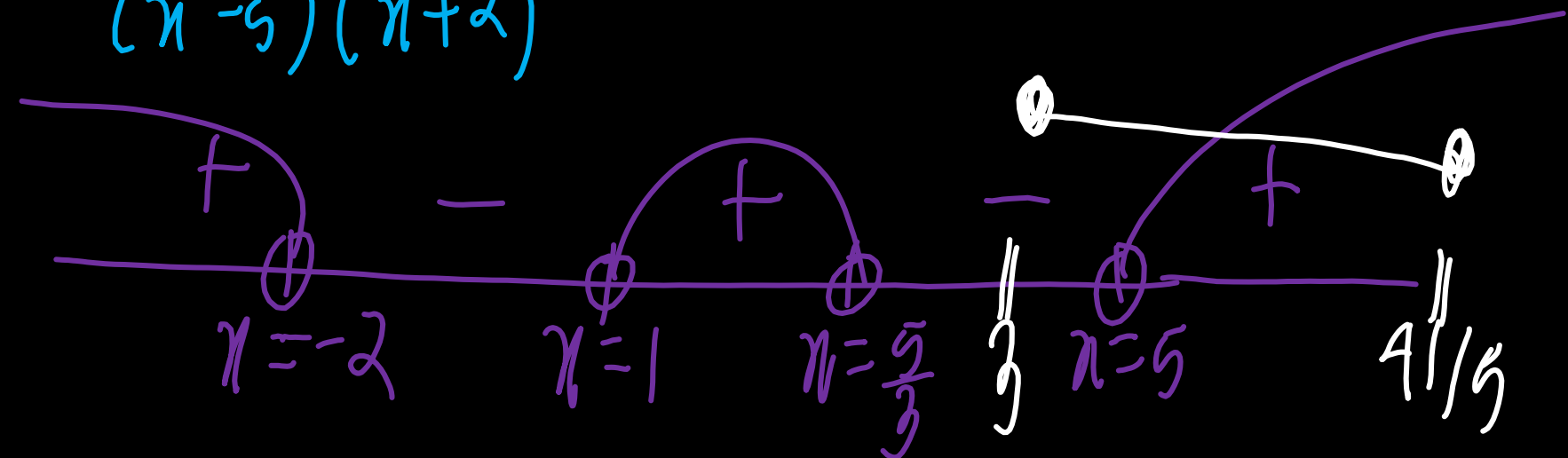
C-2

$$\frac{3x^2-8x+5}{x^2-3x-10} > 0$$

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$$\frac{3x^2-5x-3x+5}{(x-5)(x+2)} > 0$$

$$\frac{(3x-5)(x-1)}{(x-5)(x+2)} > 0$$



$$\underline{\underline{C-1}} \quad -1 \leq \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \leq 1$$

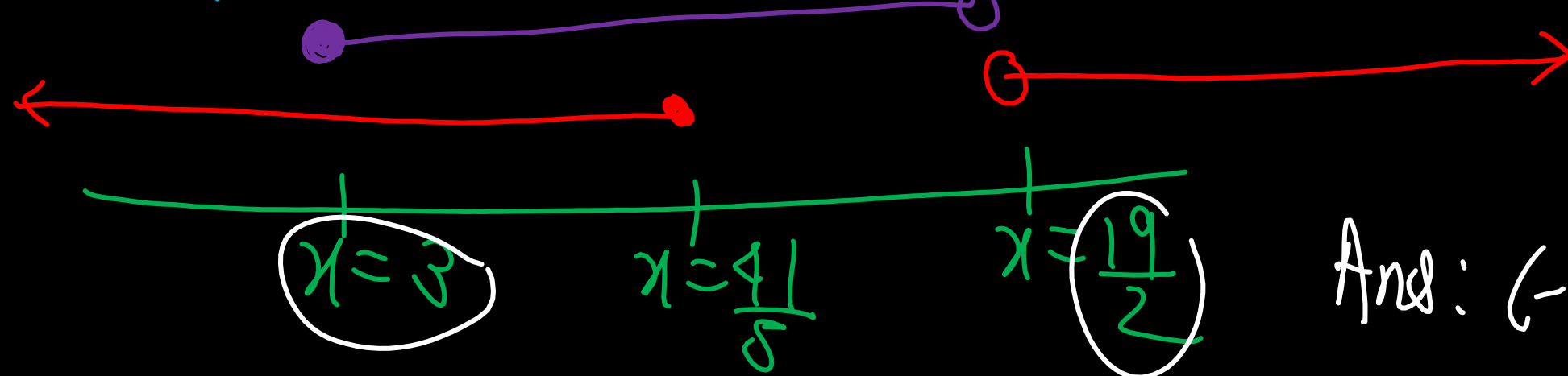
$$-1 \leq \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{3x-22}{2x-19} \leq 1$$

$$\frac{3x-22}{2x-19} + 1 \geq 0$$

$$\frac{3x-22}{2x-19} - 1 \leq 0$$

$$\frac{5x-41}{2x-19} \geq 0$$

$$\frac{x-3}{2x-19} \leq 0$$



$$C_1 \cap C_2$$

$$x \in (5, \frac{41}{5}] \equiv (\alpha, \beta]$$

$$3\alpha + 10\beta = 3(5) + 10(\frac{41}{5})$$

$$= 15 + 82$$

$$= 97 //$$

$$\text{Ans: } C-1 \quad x \in [3, \frac{41}{5}]$$

Que.9 JEE Main 2024 (01 Feb Shift 2)

Ans:(C)

If the domain of the function $f(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x^2-25}}{4-x^2} + \log_{10}(x^2 + 2x - 15)$ is $(-\infty, \alpha) \cup [\beta, \infty)$, then $\alpha^2 + \beta^3$ is equal to:

(A) 140

(B) 175

(C) 150

(D) 125

$$\alpha^2 + \beta^3$$

$$(-5)^2 + (5)^3$$

$$25 + 125$$

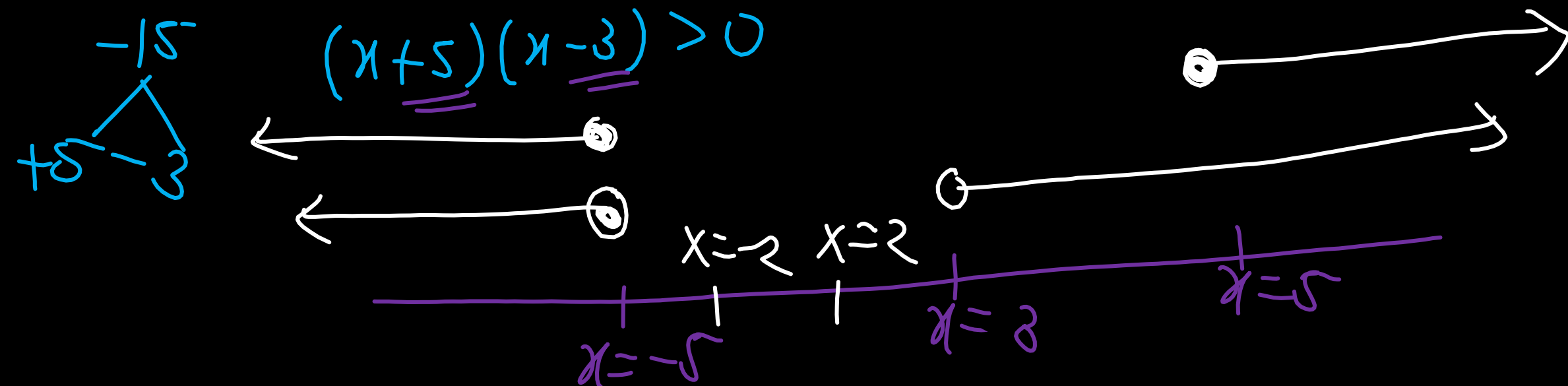
$$150 //$$

C-1 $x^2 - 25 \geq 0 \rightarrow (x-5)(x+5) \geq 0 \Rightarrow x \in (-\infty, -5] \cup [5, \infty)$

C-2 $4 - x^2 \neq 0 \rightarrow x^2 \neq 4 \Rightarrow x \neq \pm 2$

C-3 $x^2 + 2x - 15 > 0$

$(x+5)(x-3) > 0$



Ans: $x \in (-\infty, -5) \cup (3, \infty)$

Que.10 JEE Main 2024 (30 Jan Shift 2)

Ans:(B)

If the domain of the function $f(x) = \log_e \left(\frac{2x+3}{4x^2+x-3} \right) + \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{2x-1}{x+2} \right)$ is $(\alpha, \beta]$, then the value of $5\beta - 4\alpha$ is equal to:

(A) 10

(B) 12

(C) 11

(D) 9

Que.11 JEE Main 2023 (08 Apr Shift 2)

Ans:1

If the domain of the function $\log_e \left(\frac{6x^2+5x+1}{2x-1} \right) + \cos^{-1} \left(\frac{2x^2-3x+4}{3x-5} \right)$ is $(\alpha, \beta) \cup (\gamma, \delta)$, then $18(\alpha^2 + \beta^2 + \gamma^2 + \delta^2)$ is equal to:

$$\underline{\underline{(-1)}} \quad \frac{6x^2+5x+1}{2x-1} > 0$$

$$\underline{\underline{(-2)}} \quad -1 \leq \frac{2x^2-3x+4}{3x-5} \leq 1$$

If the domain of the function

$$f(x) = \log_e(4x^2 + 11x + 6) + \sin^{-1}(4x + 3) + \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{10x + 6}{3}\right)$$

is $(\alpha, \beta]$, then $36|\alpha + \beta|$ is:

(A) 72

(B) 54

(C) 45

(D) 63