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Pre-Assessment

Circle the letter of the best answer.

- 1. For the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + \frac{1}{2}x 3$, identify the type of function and the maximum number of *x*-intercepts the function can have.
 - a. linear, one *x*-intercept
- c. quadratic, two *x*-intercepts

b. exponential, one *x*-intercept

- d. none of the above
- 2. For the following graph, identify the left and right end behaviors.

- a. left: approaching ∞ ; right: approaching $-\infty$
- b. left: approaching ∞ ; right: approaching ∞
- c. left: approaching $-\infty$; right: approaching $-\infty$
- d. left: approaching $-\infty$; right: approaching ∞



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- 3. Brookelyn has \$50 in her savings account, which earns 3% each month. The total balance of Brookelyn's account after *x* number of months is represented by the function $m(x) = 50(1.03)^x$. Identify the type of function and the left and right end behaviors on the restricted domain $x \ge 0$.
 - a. quadratic
 left end behavior: equals 50 (not increasing or decreasing)
 right end behavior: approaching ∞
 - b. exponential
 left end behavior: equals 50 (not increasing or decreasing)
 right end behavior: approaching ∞
 - c. linear
 left end behavior: approaching −∞
 right end behavior: approaching ∞
 - d. exponential
 left end behavior: approaching 0
 right end behavior: approaching −∞

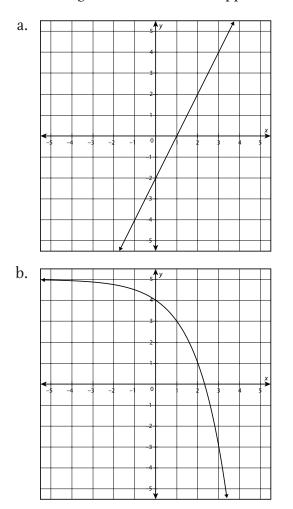


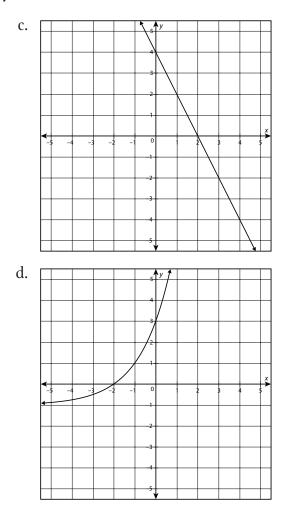
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4. Which of the following graphs represents a function that is increasing, is negative when x < -2, and has a right end behavior that approaches infinity?







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5. Which of the following graphs represents a function that is positive for -1 < x < 3, has a relative maximum of 4, and has an end behavior that approaches negative infinity?

