

#7b) $y = -x^2 - 1$

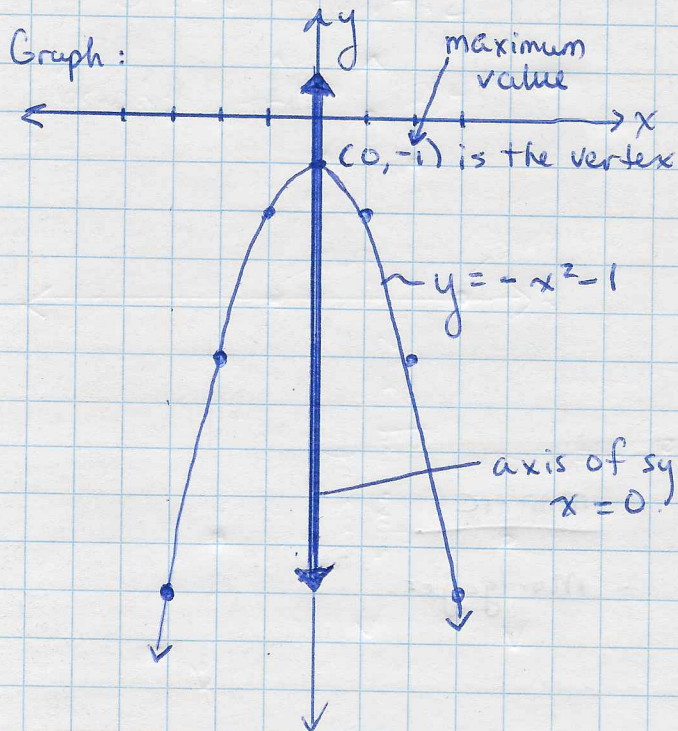
Table:

x	$-x^2 - 1$	y
-3	$-(-3)^2 - 1$	-10
-2	$-(-2)^2 - 1$	-5
-1	$-(-1)^2 - 1$	-2
0	$-(0)^2 - 1$	-1
1	$-1^2 - 1$	-2
2	$-2^2 - 1$	-5
3	$-3^2 - 1$	-10

(i)

There's symmetry about the point, $(0, -1)$. This is the turning point, or vertex.

The equation for the axis of symmetry is $x = x$ -value for the coordinates of the vertex. In this case, $x = 0$.

(ii) vertex: $(0, -1)$ (iii) y -int = -1

(iv) opening downwards, and with its maximum below the x -axis, there are no zeros.

(v) The maximum value (i.e., y -coordinate of the vertex) is $y = -1$.

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$$y = -x^2 + 4x$$

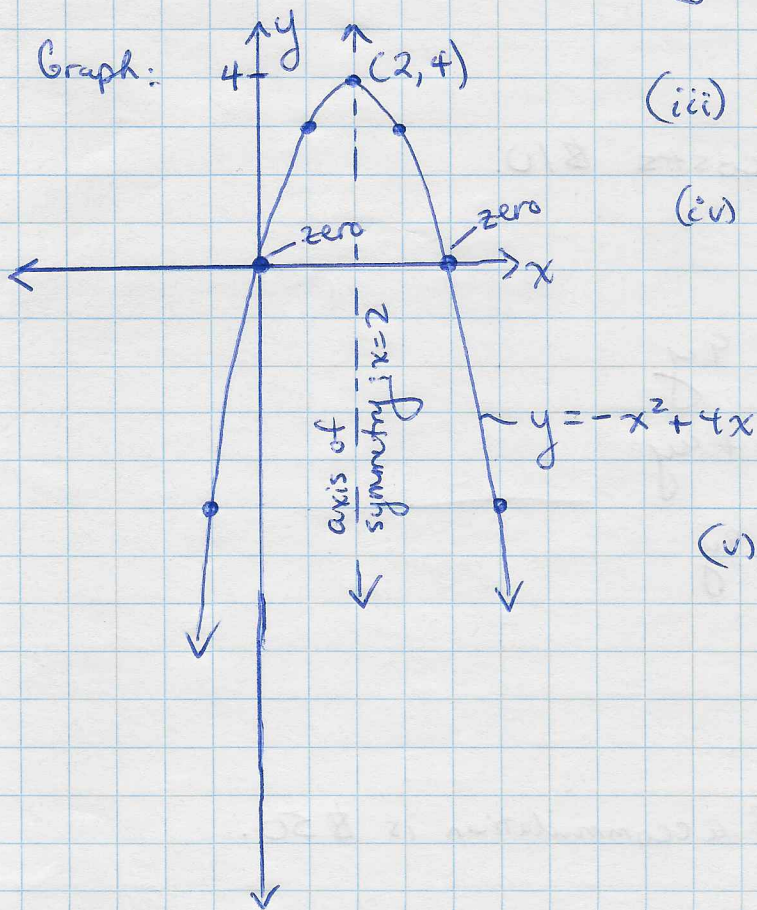
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x	$-x^2 + 4x$	y
-3	$-(-3)^2 + 4(-3)$	-21
-2	$-(-2)^2 + 4(-2)$	-12
-1	$-(-1)^2 + 4(-1)$	-5
0	$-(0)^2 + 4(0)$	0
1	$-(1)^2 + 4(1)$	3
2	$-2^2 + 4(2)$	4
3	$-3^2 + 4(3)$	3
4	$-4^2 + 4(4)$	0
5	$-5^2 + 4(5)$	-5
6	$-6^2 + 4(6)$	-12

(i) Symmetry about (2, 4).

(ii) Turning point, vertex, is (2, 4)

∴ $x = 2$ is the axis of symmetry.



(iii) y -int = 0

(iv) zeros = $\{0, 4\}$

'Braces' indicate a set, not an ordered pair.

(v) maximum: $y = 4$

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$(-1, 41)$ and $(5, 41)$ lie on the parabola, $y = 4x^2 - 16x + 21$.

What are the coordinates of the vertex?

Solution:

Notice that $(-1, 41)$ and $(5, 41)$ both lie on the horizontal line, $y = 41$.

This means that the axis of symmetry lies in between both $(-1, 41)$ and $(5, 41)$. AoS

Thus, $x = \frac{-1 + 5}{2} = 2$ is the AoS.

This x -value is also the x -coordinate of the vertex.

To determine y , set $x = 2$ in $y = 4x^2 - 16x + 21$ and solve.

$$\begin{aligned}y &= 4(2)^2 - 16(2) + 21 \\&= 4(4) - 32 + 21 \\&= 16 - 32 + 21 \\&= -16 + 21 \\&= 5\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (x, y) = (2, 5)$$