



Can I Graph You, Too?

Introduction to Disjunction and Conjunction Notes

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Consider the equation $|x| = 5$. To solve equations as functions ($y = |x|$ and $y = 5$) and mark the solution as the area where the graphs intersect.

, you would graph both sides of the

* need to separate into 2 functions to show range of x & y values

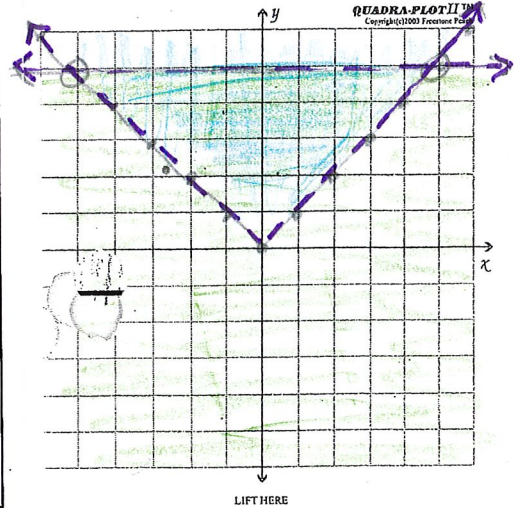
The same method can be applied to inequalities.

• dashed line $<, >$
• solid line \leq, \geq

Follow the steps to solve the following inequalities

• Could solve w/ L & R and GOAL

• Graph each and the intersection is the "and" between "disjunction" or "outside of V"



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Conjunction

1. $|x| < 5$

$$\begin{aligned} |x| &< y \\ 5 &> y \end{aligned}$$

- graph the left side as $y > |x|$
- graph the right side as $y < 5$
- Sketch a graph of the function in the space to the right
- Find the intersection of the two lines and write the solution below:
 $-5 < x < 5$

• Try points:

a) $(-2, 1)$
 $1 - 2 < 1$
 $2 < 1$ and
 $5 > 1$

b) $(1, 6)$
 $1 < 6$ and
 $1 < 6$ and
 $5 > 6$
 no, not in area double shaded

c) $(6, 1)$
 $6 < 5$ and
 $6 < 5$ and
 $5 > 1$
 no, not in double shaded area

d) $(0, 2)$
 $0 < 2$ and
 $5 > 2$
 in double shaded area

▶ = $>$ or \geq *
▶ = $<$ or \leq

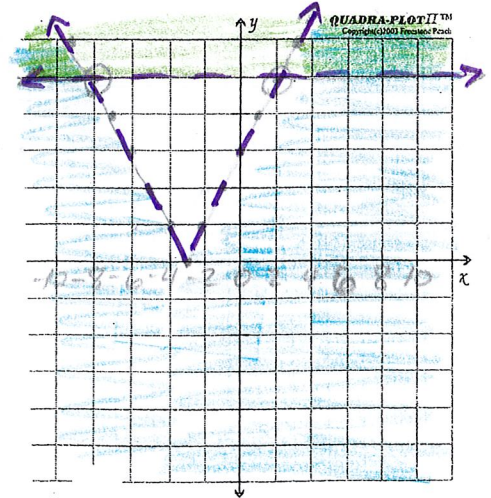
arrow all the way left of $y =$, hit **Enter** to get the inequality symbol you want.

Disjunction

2. $|x + 3| > 5$

$$\begin{aligned} |x + 3| &> y \\ 5 &< y \end{aligned}$$

- graph the left side as $y < |x + 3|$
- graph the right side as $y > 5$
- Sketch a graph of the function in the space to the right
- Find the intersection of the two lines and write the solution below:
 $x < -8$ OR $x > 2$



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• Try points:

a) $(-6, 1)$
 $1 - 6 + 3 > 1$
 $1 - 3 > 1$
 $3 > 1$ and
 $5 < 1$ no

b) $(-3, 6)$
 $6 - 3 + 3 > 6$
 $6 > 6$
 $0 > 6$ and
 $5 < 6$ no

c) $(6, 6)$
 $6 + 3 > 6$
 $9 > 6$ and
 $9 > 6$ and
 $5 < 6$ no

d) $(-9, 4)$
 $4 - 9 + 3 > 4$
 $1 - 6 > 4$
 $6 > 4$ and
 $5 < 4$ no

Disjunction

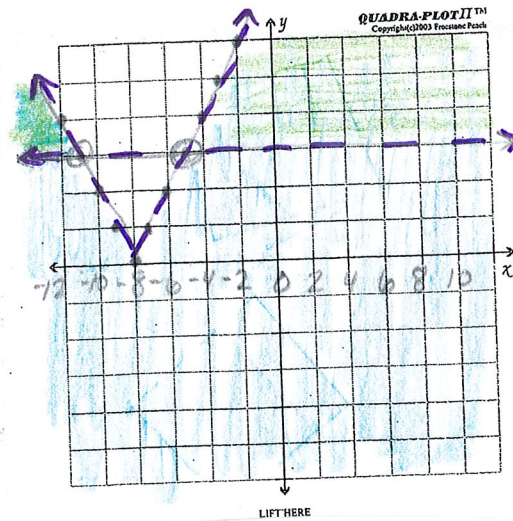
3. $|x + 8| > 3$

$$\begin{aligned} |x+8| &> y \\ 3 &< y \end{aligned}$$

- graph the left side as $y < |x + 8|$
- graph the right side as $y > 3$
- Sketch a graph of the function in the space to the right

- Find the intersection of the two lines and write the solution below:

$$\underline{x < -11 \text{ OR } x < -5}$$



Conjunction

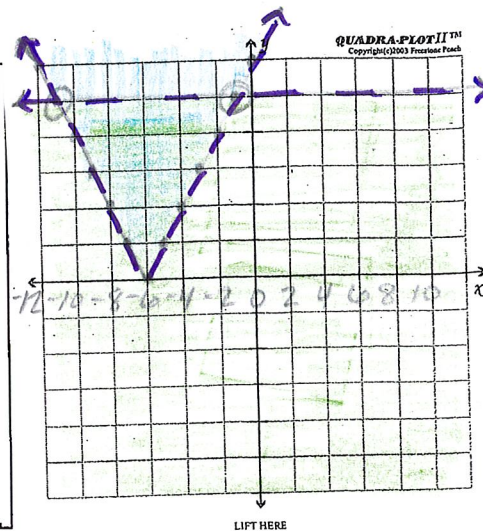
4. $|x + 6| < 5$

$$\begin{aligned} |x+6| &< y \\ 5 &> y \end{aligned}$$

- graph the left side as $y > |x + 6|$
- graph the right side as $y < 5$
- Sketch a graph of the function in the space to the right

- Find the intersection of the two lines and write the solution below:

$$\underline{-11 < x < -1}$$



- How are the graphs of conjunctions and disjunctions similar? How are they different?

DIFFERENT — CONJUNCTION SHADE BELOW horizontal line
DISJUNCTION SHADE ABOVE horizontal line

SAME — SHAPES

- How are the solutions of conjunctions and disjunctions different?

CONJUNCTION SOLUTIONS INCLUDE EVERYTHING BETWEEN THE INTERSECTION POINTS

DISJUNCTION SOLUTION HAS TWO separate sets of solutions

- How can you tell when an inequality will be a conjunction and when it will be a disjunction?

CONJUNCTION — when absolute value is alone on left
it will be less than

DISJUNCTION — GREATER THAN



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Solve the following absolute value inequalities graphically.

Problem 1

$$|3x + 1| \geq 5$$

$$|3x| \geq 6$$

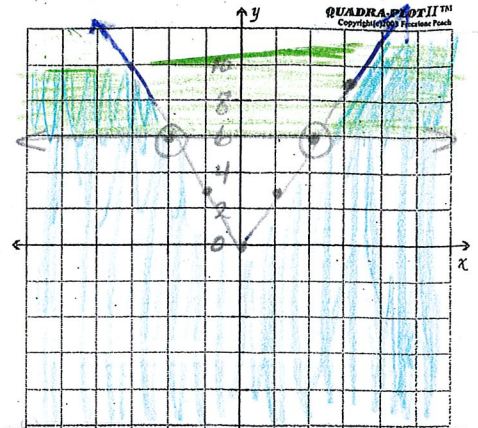
* Isolate Absolute Value first

Answer: $x \leq -2$ or $x \geq 2$

Circle one: Conjunction Disjunction

$$|3x| \geq y$$

$$6 \leq y$$



Problem 2

$$|2x - 4| \leq 8$$

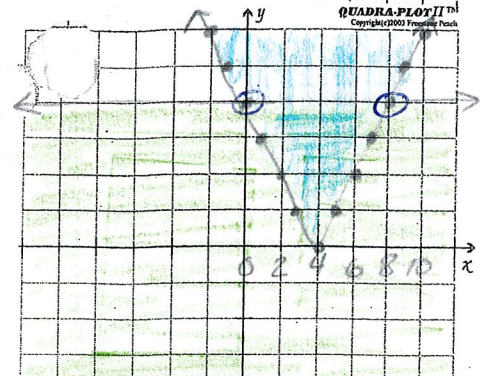
$$|x - 4| \leq 4$$

Answer: $0 \leq x \leq 8$

Circle one: Conjunction Disjunction

$$|x - 4| \leq y$$

$$4 \geq y$$



Problem 3

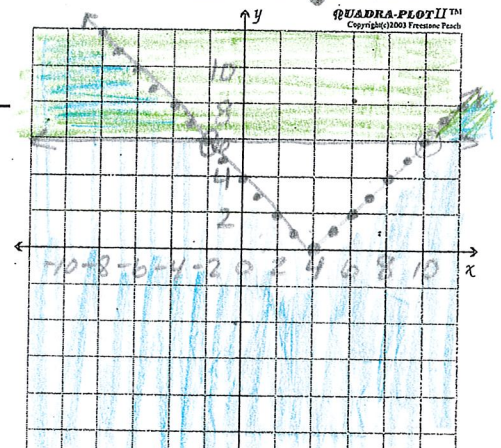
$$|x - 4| \geq 6$$

Answer: $x \leq -2$ or $x \geq 10$

Circle one: Conjunction Disjunction

$$|x - 4| \geq y$$

$$6 \leq y$$



Problem 4*

$$-2|4x - 7| + 6 > -18$$

$$|4x - 7| < 12$$

Answer: $-1.25 < x < 4.75$

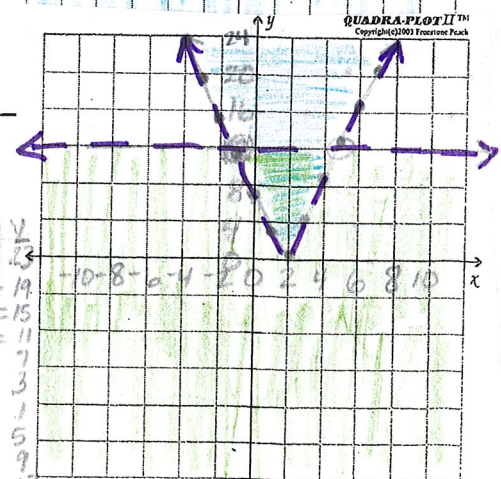
Circle one: Conjunction Disjunction

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$4x - 7 < -12$	$4x - 7 < 12$
$+7$	$+7$
$4x < -5$	$4x < 19$
$\frac{4x}{4} < \frac{-5}{4}$	$\frac{4x}{4} < \frac{19}{4}$
$x < -1\frac{1}{4}$	$x < 4\frac{3}{4}$

$$|4x - 7| < y$$

$$12 > y$$

x	4x - 7	y
-4	4(-4) - 7 = -16 - 7 = -23	23
-3	4(-3) - 7 = -12 - 7 = -19	19
-2	4(-2) - 7 = -8 - 7 = -15	15
-1	4(-1) - 7 = -4 - 7 = -11	11
0	4(0) - 7 = 0 - 7 = -7	7
1	4(1) - 7 = 4 - 7 = -3	3
2	4(2) - 7 = 8 - 7 = 1	1
3	4(3) - 7 = 12 - 7 = 5	5
4	4(4) - 7 = 16 - 7 = 9	9
5	4(5) - 7 = 20 - 7 = 13	13
6	4(6) - 7 = 24 - 7 = 17	17



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